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Pure Linen Damask, satin finish, assorted patterns, such as scrolls, stripes, conventional designs, thistles, flowers, etc., etc. Good $9.00 value. Clearing $6.50 dozen.

Large supply of Glass Towels, Kitchen Towels, Roller Towels, Wipers, Dusters, etc., etc., always ready, hemmed, in stock.

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ALLIES' OFFENSIVE STAGGERS ENEMY

German Soldiers Face Trial for Refusal to Obey Orders.

Canadian Press Despatch.

LONDON, March 15.—The Daily Express correspondent on the Belgian frontier telegraphs:

"The sudden offensive of the allies, from Champagne to the sea, resulting in gains at many points, seems to have taken the Germans wholly by surprise.

"A convincing indication of a partial or temporary demoralization of the troops which bore the brunt of these five days of successive onslaught is the arrival at Ghent and Brussels, for trial by court-martial, of parties of soldiers sent under escort from the trenches for having failed to respond to the order to make counter-attacks with sufficient enthusiasm. In some cases, it is said, they even failed to advance at all.

"Great havoc was caused by the accurate fire of the British artillery, which apparently was the prime factor in the paralyzation of the Germans."

Harper, Customs Broker, McKinnon Bldg., 10 Jordon St., Toronto. ec

GERMAN NAVAL HAVENS ARE CLOSELY GUARDED

Canadian Press Despatch.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Extraordinary precautions adopted by German port authorities to prevent foreigners learning anything about their coast defences, or havens of the German navy, are described in a communication which Washington officials have just received from an officer of an American steamer.

The officer states that before entering the port of Bremerhaven his vessel was boarded by about sixty Germans, who took complete command of the ship, sending the captain and everyone of the officers and crew down below, where they were shut in with closed ports until the vessel was at its berth.

The movements of both officers and crew afterwards were closely restricted as long as they were in port. Nevertheless this officer speaks of the extraordinary number of submarines he saw, some of them very much larger than anything he had ever seen in this country. He says he was told also that the Germans were turning out these vessels at the rate of one a day.

Finding Relief She Tells Others

Mrs. W. J. Maloney Took Dodd's Kidney Pills for Backache

She Had Tried Numerous Other Medicines But Found No Relief Till She Used the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills.

BARACHOIS WEST, GASPE CO., Que., March 15.—(Special).—Mrs. W. J. Maloney, a well-known resident of this place, is recommending Dodd's Kidney Pills to those who suffer from kidney troubles. In an interview Mrs. Maloney says:

"After suffering for many years with backache, and trying many remedies without obtaining relief, I read about Dodd's Kidney Pills and decided to try them.

"After using two boxes I was greatly benefited, and recommend them to other sufferers. I also used them for my little girl for kidney troubles."

Mrs. Maloney got relief from her backache because Dodd's Kidney Pills cured her kidney trouble, and that was the cause of her backache. Dodd's Kidney Pills cure diseased kidneys. Cured kidneys do their work and strain all the impurities out of the blood. That's why Dodd's Kidney Pills cure so many diseases that are caused by impure blood.

THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, March 15.—(8 p.m.)—The weather of today has been fine thruout the Dominion, cold in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces; elsewhere comparatively mild. A small disturbance, which was causing a snowfall, just west of the lower lakes this morning, has entirely disappeared.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 4, 24; Prince Rupert, 38, 52; Victoria, 48, 56; Vancouver, 48, 58; Kamloops, 44, 64; Calgary, 32, 54; Edmonton, 26 36; Moose Jaw, 13, 46; Regina, 9, 39; Prince Albert, 10, 36; Winnipeg, 18, 38; Port Arthur, 26, 38; Parry Sound, 18, 36; Toronto, 27, 41; Kingston, 20, 40; Ottawa, 16, 34; Montreal, 18, 32; Quebec, 10, 24; St. John, 18, 24; Halifax, 18, 26.

—Probabilities.—

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate northerly winds; fair; stationary or a little lower temperature.

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence, Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Fresh northwest winds; fine, with much the same temperature.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh northwest and west winds; fair, with a little higher temperature.

Lake Superior—Moderate winds; fine, with much the same temperature.

Western Provinces—Fair and mild.

THE BAROMETER.

Time.	Ther.	Bar.	Wind.
8 a.m.	30	29.51	6 N. E.
Noon	36	.....	.....
2 p.m.	38	29.49	11 N. E.
4 p.m.	38	.....	.....
8 p.m.	30	29.42	6 N.

Mean of day, 34; difference from average, 6 above; highest, 41; lowest, 27.

STREET CAR DELAYS

Monday, March 15, 1915.

King cars, both ways, delayed 5 minutes at 9.09 a.m. by parade at Springhurst avenue.

King cars, eastbound, delayed 5 minutes at 6.10 p.m. by train at G.T.R. crossing.

Bathurst cars, both ways, delayed 7 minutes at 7.25 p.m. by train at Front and John.

Yonge, Dupont and Avenue road cars, both ways, delayed 5 minutes at 8.24 p.m. by parade at College and Yonge.

BIRTHS.

BALL—On Monday, March 15, 1915, at 584 Brock avenue, to Mr. and Mrs. Percy W. Ball, a son.

ROSS—On Monday, March 15, 1915, at the Toronto General Hospital, the wife of Dr. George W. Ross, a son.

DEATHS.

HASSON—On Saturday, 13th March, 1915, Elizabeth, beloved wife of John Hasson, in her 74th year.

Funeral took place from the residence, 374 Adelaide street west, on Monday, the 15th inst., at 8 a.m., to St. Mary's Church, thence to St. Michael's Cemetery.

HASSON—On Monday, 15th March, 1915, John Hasson, in his 84th year.

Funeral from the residence, 374 Adelaide street west, on Wednesday, the 17th inst., at 8 a.m., to St. Mary's Church, thence to St. Michael's Cemetery.

HOLMAN—On Monday, March 15, 1915, at his late residence, 424 Kingston road, Richard Holman, dearly beloved husband of Helen Edwards, in his 63rd year.

Funeral service Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m., at St. John's Anglican Church, Norway. Interment at St. John's Cemetery.

JOHNSTON—On Sunday, March 14th, 1915, at his residence, 77 Homewood avenue, Henry Wilson Johnston.

Funeral on Tuesday, at 3.30, to St. James' Cemetery.

KEYS—Thomas Alexander, on Monday, March 15, at his residence, 100 Morse street.

Funeral (private) on Wednesday, at 2 p.m. Motor funeral.

LINDSEY—At her late residence, 78 Bellwoods avenue, Monday, March 15, 1915, Eliza Jane Shaw, beloved wife of Jos. Lindsey, in his 54th year.

Interment in Prospect Cemetery, on Wednesday, March 17, 1915. Service at the above address at 2 p.m.

NIEHAUS—On Sunday, March 14, 1915, at his late residence, 131 Howland avenue, Charles Niehaus, in his 72nd year.

Funeral from the above address on Tuesday, at 2.30 p.m. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. 12

Use Gibbons' Toothache Gum—Sold by all druggists. Price 10 cents. 246

REV. C. STRINGFELLOW DEAD IN HAGERSVILLE

Was Born in Leeds, England, Eighty-Three Years Ago—Great Mission Worker.

HAGERSVILLE, Ont., March 15.—Rev. Charles Stringfellow, missionary, died in Hagersville today. He was born in Leeds, England, in 1832, and coming to Canada in 1885 entered the ministry of the Methodist Church. A few years later he was appointed to Indian Mission work in the west, where for eleven years he served on the Oxford House and Norway House Missions. After his return to Ontario he travelled a number of circuits including Nissouri, Kirkton, London North, Salford, Oxford Centre, Cainsville, Lowville, Ridgeway and Newcredit Mission. He was superannuated in 1896 and lived in Hagersville since. Rev. Mr. Stringfellow was twice married and is survived by a widow who was Miss Foster of Lowville, and one daughter, Mrs. Grassie of Hamilton. The funeral takes place on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

GOEBEN IS CRIPPLED BY A TURKISH MINE

Rent Eighteen Yards' Long Torn in Armor of Warship.

Canadian Press Despatch.

PARIS, March 15.—The Havas Agency publishes a despatch from its correspondent at Athens reading as follows:

"News reaching here from Constantinople sets forth that the young Turks are beginning to find their position difficult and are preparing for flight.

"The Sultan Selim, formerly the German cruiser Goeben, undoubtedly is out of commission. There is a rent in her armor eighteen yards long, said today to have been caused by a Turkish mine."

BRITAIN PROCLAIMS VIRTUAL BLOCKADE

Order-in-Council Decreeing Retaliatory Measures is Made Public.

CONFISCATION THREAT

Neutral Vessels Must Accept Conditions or Take Consequences.

Canadian Press Despatch.

LONDON, March 15.—The British order in council decreeing retaliatory measures on the part of the government to meet the declaration of the Germans that the waters surrounding the United Kingdom are a military area, was made public today.

The text is as follows: "Whereas the German Government has issued certain orders which, in violation of the usages of war, purport to declare that the waters surrounding the United Kingdom are a military area.

"And whereas in the memorandum accompanying the said orders neutrals are warned against entrusting crews, passengers or goods to British of allied ships.

"And whereas such attempts on the part of the enemy give to his majesty an unquestionable right of retaliation.

No Risk to Neutrals.

"And whereas his majesty has therefore decided to adopt further measures in order to prevent commodities of any kind from reaching or leaving Germany, altho such measures will be enforced without risk to neutral ships or to neutral or non-combatant life, and in strict observance of the dictates of humanity.

"And whereas the allies of his majesty are associated with him in the steps now to be announced for restricting further the commerce of Germany, his majesty is therefore pleased, by and with the advice of his privy council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

To Starve Germany.

"First—No merchant vessel which sailed from her port of departure after March 1, 1915, shall be allowed to proceed on her voyage to any German port. Unless this vessel receives a pass or allied port to be named in the pass, the goods on board any such vessel must be discharged in a British port and placed in custody of the marshal of the prize court. Goods so discharged, if not contraband of war, shall, if not requisitioned for the use of his majesty, be restored by order of the court and upon such terms as the court may in the circumstances deem to be just to the person entitled thereto.

Seizure of Cargoes.

"Second—No merchant vessel which sailed from any German port after March 1, 1915, shall be allowed to proceed on her voyage with any goods on board laden at such port. All goods laden at such port must be discharged in a British or allied port. Goods so discharged in a British port shall be placed in the custody of the marshal of the prize court, and if not requisitioned for the use of his majesty shall be detained or sold under the direction of the prize court.

"The proceeds of the goods so sold shall be paid into the court and dealt with in such a manner as the court may in the circumstances deem to be just, provided that no proceeds of the sale of such goods shall be paid out of the court until the conclusion of peace, except on the application of a proper officer of the crown, unless it be shown that the goods had become neutral property before the issue of this order, and provided also that nothing herein shall prevent the release of neutral property laden at such enemy port on the application of the proper officer of the crown.

Non-Contraband Goods.

"Third — Every merchant vessel which sailed from her port of departure after March 1, 1915, on her way to a port other than a German port and carrying goods with an enemy destination or which are enemy property may be required to discharge such goods in a British or allied port. Any goods so discharged in a British port shall be placed in the custody of the marshal of the prize court and unless they are contraband of war shall, if not requisitioned for the use of his majesty, be restored by an order of the court upon such terms as the court may deem to be just, and provided that this article shall not apply in any case falling within articles 2 or 4 of this order.

Will Hold Proceeds.

"Fourth—Every merchant vessel which sails from a port other than a German port after March 1, 1915, and having on board goods which are of enemy origin or are enemy property may be required to discharge such goods in a British or allied port. Goods so discharged in a British port shall be placed in the custody of the marshal of the prize court, and if not requisitioned for the use of his majesty shall be detained or sold under the direction of the prize court. The proceeds of the goods so sold shall be paid into the court and be dealt with in such a manner as the court may deem just, provided that no proceeds of the sale of such goods shall be paid out of the court until the conclusion of peace except on the application of a proper officer of the crown, unless it be shown that the goods had become neutral property before the issue of this order, and provided also that nothing herein shall prevent the release of neutral property of enemy origin on application of the proper officer of the crown.

Legal Recourse.

"Fifth—Any person claiming to be interested or to have any claim in respect of any goods not being contraband of war placed in the custody of the marshal of the prize court under this order or in the proceeds of such goods may forthwith issue a writ in the prize court against the proper officer of the crown, and apply for an order that the goods should be restored to him, or that their proceeds should be paid to him, or for such other order as the circumstances of the case may require.

"The practice and procedure of the prize court shall, so far as applicable, be followed mutatis mutandis in any proceedings consequential upon this order.

Liable to Confiscation.

"Sixth—A merchant vessel which has cleared for a neutral port from a British or allied port, or which has been allowed to pass as having an ostensible destination to a neutral port or proceeds to an enemy port, shall, if captured on any subsequent voyage, be liable to condemnation.

"Seventh — Nothing in this order shall be deemed to affect the liability of any vessel or goods to capture or condemnation independently of this order.

"Eighth—Nothing in this order shall prevent the relaxation of the provisions of this order in respect of the merchant vessels of and country which declares that no commerce intended for or originating in Germany or belonging to German subjects, shall enjoy the protection of its flag."

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These pills are sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50, from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

STARTLING SENSATION

WAIT! WAIT!

Until Thursday morning, March 18, at 10 o'clock, when the sale of the Big Shoe Stock of H. & C. BLACHFORD, Limited, will start at their old stand, 114 YONGE STREET. This stock has been consigned to G. W. GROVES & COMPANY, the world's greatest bargain givers, who are here with authority to close out the entire stock. Two and three pairs of shoes will go at the price of one. This big stock of high-grade shoes for men, women, boys, misses and children will go at prices that will stir the whole city. The store is now closed, and an army of clerks working day and night arranging and marking the stock at prices that will move it with a rush. It will pay you to lay everything aside and be here Thursday morning when the doors open and participate in this great bargain feast. Watch the daily papers for big "ad" and partial price list.

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BRITISH PRISONERS TO OBTAIN RELIEF

Friendly Intervention of U.S. Officials is Confidently Counted On.

Canadian Press Despatch.

LONDON, March 15.—(8.20 p.m.)—Baron Newton suggested in the house of lords today that the American Government be asked to make enquiries concerning the treatment of British prisoners in Germany. The services, he said, which the American Government had rendered this country during the war, not only in Europe but in other parts of the world, could not be exaggerated, and for this reason it might seem almost ungracious to ask Washington to do more. But, he added, on the simple grounds of humanity and justice there would be justification for the request that the American Government undertake this additional task.

Earl Beauchamp, lord warden of the Cinque ports, speaking on behalf of the British Government, said there was reason to hope that the German Government would sanction this government's proposal that United States officials should supervise the distribution of relief provided by Great Britain for British prisoners in Germany. That, he thought, would constitute a better guarantee of proper treatment being accorded British prisoners than would a cursory inspection by American officials of the detention camps in Germany.

WILL MEET WIARTON.

STRATFORD, Ont., March 15.—Elmira and Seaforth Northern League senior teams played off here tonight in the semi-final championship game, Elmira winning 4 to 1. Elmira now meets Wirton in the final. The teams:

Elmira (4)—Goal, Heimbecker; right defence, Weichel; left defence, Otto; rover, Ruppel; centre, Miller; right wing, Heimbecker; left wing, G. Weichel.

Seaforth (1)—Goal, Mogeoch; right defence, Hays; left defence, Reid; rover, Sills; centre, T. Dick; right wing, Hoffman; left wing, A. Dick.

Referee—Moxon, Toronto.

SOCIETY

Conducted by Mrs. Edmund Phillips.

Extract from a friend's letter, dated London, Feb. 28: "London is not much changed, but there is no gaiety at night. Buckingham Palace has bomb-proof protection mounted over the royal bedrooms and one sees aerial gun mountings and searchlights, etc."

Major-General the Hon. Sam Hughes entertained the delegates attending the Dominion Rifle Association meeting at luncheon at the Rideau Club, Ottawa. The guests included: Maj.-General Macdonald, Major-General Gwatkin, Brigadier-General Hodgins, Brigadier-General Benson, Col. A. P. Sherwood, Col. W. P. Anderson, Col. E. W. Wilson of Montreal, Lieut.-Col. F. Ross of Montreal, Lieut.-Col. Lordly, Montreal; Col. A. Labelle, Montreal; Lieut.-Col. J. W. Woods, Lieut. Cantlie, Montreal; John Stanfield, M.P., R. F. Greene, M.P., Dr J. W. Edwards, M.P., Col. H. H. MacLean, M.P., Lieut.-Col. Helmer, Lieut.-Col. Winter.

Mr. John Cowper Powys will lecture on "Kipling," at 8.15 o'clock tonight in the Guild Hall, McGill street.

Tonight the Toronto Musical and Dramatic Club's performances commence in aid of charity at Columbus Hall, and the following are, among the patrons who have parties arranged: His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Hendrie, the Hon. the Premier and Mrs. W. H. Hearst, Lady Mackenzie, Mrs. Frederick Mercer, Mrs. Albert Gooderham, Lady Pellatt and several other very well known people.

Mrs. Russell Hale's concert in aid of a motor soup kitchen for the front takes place tonight at 8.15 o'clock in Burwash Hall, Charles street.

The Hope Morgan-Grace Smith-causerer musicale takes place this afternoon at the residence of Miss Gzowski, 60 Glen road, when the lecture will be on Russian music.

The plan of seats for the performance to be given in aid of the Secours Nationaux in Foresters' Hall on Saturday evening opens this morning at ten o'clock at the headquarters of the Secour National, 51 West King street. All tickets must be exchanged there for definite reservation.

Mrs. George Dickson has left for Old Point Comfort.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kemp are spending three weeks at Atlantic City.

Miss Delia Davies and Miss Mollie Maclean gave a large dinner dance on Saturday night at the Hunt Club in honor of Miss Marjorie Macdonald and Mr. Robert Maxwell. The table was decorated with Easter lilies and lily of the valley, an Irish favor being at each plate. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. James Worts, Mr. Wilfred Davies, Mr. R. W. Davies, Mr. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. George Leacock, Miss Violet N. Barnes, Miss Betty Greene, Miss Isabel McCausland, Miss Evelyn Reid, Miss Dorothy Wright, Miss Isabel Rogers, Mr. Clarence Rogers, Miss Ruth Smith, Mr. Gordon Myles, Mr. Alexander Milne, Mr. Clifford Sifton, Mr. Victor Sifton, Mr. Aldous, Mr. Auld, Mr. Lyman Gooderham, Miss Juanita Cargill, Mr. Alan Dyment, Mr. Gurney Ryckman, Miss Joy Denton.

At the end of February among the Canadian women in London were Mrs. Agar Adamson, Mrs. Rud Marshall, Mrs. Trumbull Warren, Miss Joan Arnoldi, whose work at Salisbury Plain had come to an end; Mrs. Clifford Darling was in Wiltshire, laid up with an attack of chicken-pox; Miss Helen Kirkpatrick was staying at a private hotel in Queen's Gate; her eldest brother, General George Kirkpatrick, is director of military operations in India; Captain Eric Kirkpatrick is on active service in Africa, under his cousin, General Dobell, whose wife (formerly Miss Elsie Bankes) is living in London; Mr. and Mrs. Percival Rideout and Miss Leonie Rideout are in London, the former's son having just received his commission in the Oxford and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry.

Major-General Lessard has returned from Halifax and Montreal.

Mrs. Graham spent yesterday in town, en route to London, Ont., after being in Ottawa for the meeting of the Women's Council.

The members of the Women's Musical Club who were present at last Thursday's concert were afforded a great treat when Dr. Albert Ham gave a most interesting lecture on "Hugo Wolf and His Songs," assisted by Miss May Wilkinson, who sang six of the composer's songs in her usual finished manner. Mr. Healey Willans' accompaniments were most artistic.

Mrs. Walter Barwick has lately been visiting Major and Mrs. Casimir Van Straubenzee at Shoeburyness.

Much interest is being aroused in Mr. Farnum Barton's production of "Waterloo" by Conan Doyle, and "The Falcon," by Lord Tennyson, in the Princess Theatre, on April 5, 6 and 7, under the patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Hendrie, the Hon. the Premier of Ontario and Mrs. Hearst, Lady Mackenzie, Mrs. A. E. Gooderham, Sir John and Lady Gibson, Lady Moss, Lady Willison, Col. and Mrs. Sterling Ryerson, Mrs. Ambrose Small, Mrs. McGillivray Knowles, Lady Pellatt, Mrs. Van Koughnet, Mrs. H. D. Warren, Mrs. Mavor, Mrs. Plumptre, Mrs. Jean Blewett, Mrs. Willoughby Cummings, Miss Brodigan, Mrs. P. D. Crerar (Hamilton), Mrs. A. M. Huestis, Lady Aylesworth, Dr. and Mrs. C. K. Clarke, Mrs. R. Y. Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Castell Hopkins, Mrs. W. D. Mathews, Mrs. J. B. O'Brien, Mrs. George Dickson. The entire proceeds will be devoted to the charitable organizations of Toronto.

The Howard Park Club St. Patrick's dance takes place on March 17 at the Masonic Hall, College street.

Reception Miscellaneous.

Mrs. Grenville Smith, 55 Foxfar road, Thursday.

Mrs. J. J. McKinnel, 48 Warren road, Thursday.

Mrs. Ronald Fletcher, 130 Balmoral avenue, Thursday; her mother, Mrs. Powell, with her.

Mrs. Thomas Kennedy, Miss Lyle and Miss Harris on Thursday, for the first time in their new house, 68 High Park boulevard.

Meetings.

At 8 p.m. today the regular meeting of the Heather Club Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held at the residence of the Hospital for Sick Children, 221 Elizabeth street.

Contributions are asked for by the London Hospital, London, England, in which hundreds of the men who have been on the fighting line are now lying, in addition to the Belgian, British and French sick and wounded the usual work and relief among the poor of this part of the city has to be continued. Assistance is very much needed and will be appreciated. Contributions may be sent to Mr. Gybbon La Touzel, The Athelma, Grosvenor street, Toronto.

Mrs. F. L. Wanklyn, 241 Drummond street, Montreal, is making an active canvass in the interests of the Canadian Overseas Railway Construction Corps, which is being drawn from various parts of the country, and will thankfully receive contributions of mufflers, mits and heavy socks for the officers and men of this unit.

SCHEDULE MEETING POSTPONED.

NEW YORK, March 15.—The schedule meeting of the International League, which was to have been held next Thursday, has been postponed and probably will not be held until some time next week, President Edward G. Barrow announced tonight. No formal call for the meeting has as yet been sent out, he said.

E. W. Wicks, secretary of the Richmond Club, President Barrow stated, has been appointed secretary and business manager of the Jersey City Club, but has not been named president and general manager as reported. No president has yet been elected, he said.

he puchase by the Jersey City Club of three players, Salmon, pitcher; Barney, outfielder, and Curry, second baseman, from Hartford of the Eastern Association, was also announced.

Kicked Tambourine.

For kicking a tambourine out of the hands of a young woman who was collecting in a barroom for the Salvation Army, Mike Cushion was fined by Magistrate Denison $5 and costs of 30 days in jail yesterday.

Small Girl Killed.

Nora McInnes, 4 years, daughter of F. McInnes, 90 Alexander street, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon by being struck by a southbound Church street car, opposite Church Street School.

For stealing a horse and wagon and a load of coal from the McGill Coal Co., and then trying to sell it, Fred Gallagher was sentenced by Magistrate Denison to 90 days in jail.

Samuel Turner was sentenced to 90 days in jail, with hard labor, and May Turner was given 50 days, both on charges of keeping a house of ill fame, in the women's police court yesterday.

Mrs. Bella Comeforts and Mrs. Williams were dismissed in the women's police court yesterday, on a charge of child desertion.

A man believed to be E. Fleming, a lumberman from Winnipeg, was found dead in his bed at the American Hotel yesterday morning. The gas was turned on full. His body was removed to the morgue, where an inquest will be held.

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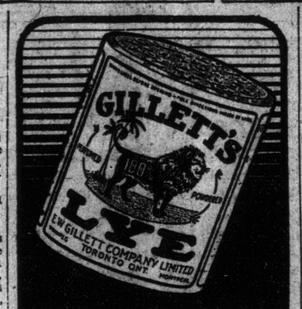

THE STANDARD ARTICLE SOLD EVERYWHERE REFUSE SUBSTITUTES

MOTORMAN IS HELD AND CHARGE LAID

S. Haggard Driving Car Which Struck Nora McInnes on Church Street.

SERIOUS ACCIDENTS

Workman Fell From Ladder and Small Boy's Injuries May Be Fatal.

Four-year-old Nora McInnes, 90 Alexander street, was almost instantly killed at the corner of Alexander and Church streets at 1 o'clock yesterday, when she was struck by southbound Church car 594, driven by Motorman S. Haggar, 104½ Scollard street. At 6 o'clock last evening Haggard was arrested at his home by Detective Twigg, on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the killing of the child.

Fears are entertained for the child's mother, who, when told of the accident, lapsed into unconsciousness.

Fell From Ladder.

Oliver Everingham, 191 Palmerston avenue, fell 20 feet from a ladder in the coal yards of Elias Rogers, 28 Bathurst street, last evening, sustaining cuts on the head and serious internal injuries. He was removed to the Western Hospital in the police ambulance. Everingham was adjusting some machinery on a coal lift when the ladder slipped on the ground, throwing the workman.

May Be Fatal.

Five-year-old Louis Garbatch, 54 Leonard avenue, fell into a boiler of scalding water at his home about 4 o'clock, and at the Western Hospital, where he was conveyed in the police ambulance, small hope is held out for his recovery.

Hubert Reid, Oshawa, was arrested by Officer 236 last evening, charged with stealing 20 pounds of beef from a delivery wagon of Puddy Brothers.

Winnipegger Dead.

With the gas jet turned on, the body of Edward Flannery, a lumber jack from Winnipeg, was found in a room at the old American Hotel yesterday morning. The discovery was made by the proprietor. An inquest may be held.

Suspected of being shoplifters, William Jefferies, 124 Portland street, and Albert Gray, 35 Brookfield avenue, were arrested by Detectives Twigg and Taylor, in a departmental store yesterday afternoon.

Was Also Stuck.

Magistrate Denison yesterday committed for trial by a jury Angus P. Dent, a Toronto man, on a charge of fraudulently procuring the payment of $50 by G. R. Bremner, manager of the King Edward Hotel, to Fred M. Reed, whom, it is alleged, he introduced to Bremner as Adam P. Layton, mayor of Portland, Maine. Dent alleges that he met Reed that day and was stuck for $5.

Keep Away From Stores.

On a charge of picking the chatelaine of a young woman in Woolworth's store, William Garrity was sentenced to 90 days in jail by Magistrate Denison yesterday. Harry Silverman, who was arrested with him, was allowed to go on the understanding that he keep out of all stores on Yonge street. If he disobeys he will be brought to court on a vagrancy charge.

Newsboys' Petition.

A petition is being circulated to have the sentence of one year given to Harry Rohler, on a charge of perjury, reduced. They want the boy allowed out on parole. The perjury charge arose from a breach of promise suit.

Amusements Amusements

LOEW'S WINTER GARDEN 2 SHOWS DAILY ALL SEATS 10¢ EVG. ALL RESERVED 15¢ 25¢

Playing High-class Photo Productions. 2.15 and 8.15 p.m.

JESSE L. LASKY Presents

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IN "YOUNG ROMANCE"

Special—Edward H. Robins and Clara Whipple in "His Soul's Affinity." ed.

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This week: LA TITCOMB, in spectacular Musical Comedy; ANDERSON & GOINES, Coon Comedy Kings; THOS. F. JACKSON & CO., Dramatic Playlet; LEW WELLS, Saxophone Comedian; AMOROS & MULVEY, "A Night in Paris"; FORCE & WILLIAMS, Comedy Skit; MAREAU, Shadowgraphs. ed

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Mat. Daily At 2.15—25c. Last Week of the RALPH E. CUMMINGS STOCK CO.

In Augustin Daly's Great Drama, FROU FROU With ELSIE RIZER AS GILBERT

Evenings—25c and 50c. Seats reserved for Wed. and Sat. Mats. and Evgs.

Next Week: "Potash & Perlmutter"

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WEEK, MONDAY, MARCH 15. IRENE FRANKLIN THE FARRER GIRLS, SHANNON AND ANNIS REGINA CONNELLI & CO. Harry B. Lester; Miller and Lyles; The Tosca Sisters; Anita Diaz; "Mutual," "Keystone" and "Kay Bee" Film Features. ed.

ALEXANDRA EXTRA MAT.—Wed., Sat. PERCY HASWELL Mat. Thur. All Seats 25c. All Seats 25c. The Laugh Week WHAT HAPPENED TO JONES

CITY HALL SQUARE 3 SHOWS DAILY HIPPODROME FROM 1 P.M. TO 11 P.M. MATINEE 20-15 EVGS 10-15-25¢

WEEK, MONDAY, MARCH 15. FAGAN AND BYRON "RUNAWAY JUNE" HARLAN E. KNIGHT & CO. The Three Adenards; De Leon Sisters; Spink and Tate; Charles and Ada Wilson; "Mutual," "Keystone" and "Kay Bee" Film Features. ed

GRAND OPERA HOUSE Mats. WED. SAT. 25¢ & 50¢ Wm. A. Brady's Big N. Y. CAST BOUGHT AND PAID FOR Next—"Henpecked Henry."

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STAR GIRLS FROM JOYLAND Next Week—GAY WIDOWS. edtf

UNIVERSITY ORGAN RECITAL CONVOCATION HALL. Tuesday, March 16th, at 5 p.m. F. A. MOURE The Public are Invited to Attend.

Maiden Royal Black Preceptory, No. 96

The Sir Knights of the above Preceptory are requested to attend the funeral of our late Sir Knight Henry W. Johnston on Tuesday, March 16, at 3.30 p.m., from the residence, 77 Homewood avenue to St. James' Cemetery. Members of sister preceptories are invited.

By order of the W. P.

A. E. McMILLAN, Registrar.

Hot Springs will have a racing meet St. Patrick's Day at Little Rock, Ark. The event will be run without pari-mutuel betting machines or other forms of wagering. The proceeds will go to defray the deficit left by the fair last fall.