

THE ADVERTISER

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There is an iron cross awaiting Count Bernstorff upon his arrival in Germany. He had better ask for provisions with him as an iron cross and a white ribbon will not be sufficient to keep him alive in the Fatherland.

The tone of the German newspapers give the impression that they are very indifferent as to whether the United States takes up war against them or not. It is really insulting the little shock they take in any aid our Yankee cousins can give in the world's war.

The American Newspapers Bulletin says that two thousand newspapers will suspend publication in the United States this year owing to increased cost of white paper and other printing supplies. It will be a miracle if some of our Valley papers survive.

TOWN ELECTION

On Tuesday election was held in town for the Council only. Workers were very busy throughout the day but there was lacking some of the usual interest and excitement when more candidates are in the field and a contest for the mayoralty takes place.

The result of the polling was:
F. B. Newcombe 219
Bert Hartlan 187
M. F. Carroll 177
Fred Wade 143

ESTIMATES PASSED

AT OTTAWA
Among the estimates passed at Ottawa are the following:
Canning, repairs to wharf, \$2500.
Chipman Brook, Breakwater, \$1000.
Burlington, repair wharf, \$950
Scotts Bay, repair breakwater, \$1300.
Annapolis Royal, for pier, \$2000.
Margaretville, breakwater, \$3000.
Parrsboro, repair wharf, \$2,000.
Steam Service, Annapolis to London or Hull or both \$5000.

AN ACT OF EXTREME BARBARISM

The atrocities of the German during the present war will cause the name of German to be a stench in the nostrils of all civilized beings. The innocent people of German descent will suffer the odium of their race as well as the guilty.

Dr. Beland and his bride, who was a Belgium noblewoman, were on their honeymoon trip in Antwerp at the outbreak of the war and so deeply moved was he at the suffering of the Belgian and German wounded soldiers that he remained and went at the work of attending these soldiers. He could have escaped and gone to England. For this kindly and noble act of mercy on his part he was seized and interned and still remains.

Efforts have been made by the Dominion Government, by relatives and private persons to get his release the peculiar and heroic action taken by him explained but all to no purpose.

To cap the climax his bride was taken suddenly ill and word was sent to Dr. Beland, asking him, if possible to come and see her, as her illness was very severe. Despite every appeal his request was refused, and thus he was denied the privilege of reaching his wife and enjoying the supreme consolation such a visit would give both. Mrs. Beland has since died. Of course the Germans authorities say "God With Us."

400 POUNDS OF CATALOGS

One day last fall in early November there were 400 pounds of Catalogs dumped off at a certain small place in Nova Scotia, with a population of less than 1000. Just think of it. Four hundred pounds of solicitations to the people of that community, urging them to buy anything they might need from certain mail-order houses in Upper Canada.

The increasing business sent to mail-order houses is becoming alarming to the average retail merchant.

A notice summoning the members of the Retail Merchants Association to a meeting at Truro a few days ago read as follows: "Organization is the most important factor in the industrial and commercial world today, and if we, as retailers are to get the best possible results from the various businesses we are engaged in, we must get it through organization and co-operation one with another. Get together and protect your interests or soon you will have none to protect."

It is rumored that a Province wide "Buy-At-Home" Campaign is about to be launched to combat the mail-order menace. Such a movement will unquestionably have the whole hearted support of every merchant and citizen in Nova Scotia.

PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Hon. Geo. J. Clarke, Premier of New Brunswick has resigned on account of ill health and Hon. John A. Murray has been called to take his place. He has formed a new Government, but has decided that before continuing in office he must have a mandate from the people, even in war times. So the Legislature has been dissolved and nominations will be held February 17th and polling throughout the Province on Saturday February 24th.

Valley Garage

(formerly MacDonald's Garage) wishes to announce that it has opened a FIRST CLASS AUTO REPAIR SHOP AND SALES-ROOM in the UNION CARRIAGE BUILDING on Cornwallis St., near Railway Station and will have MR. TROHN, formerly Chevrolet Expert Mechanic take charge of our repair work personally. Mr. Trohn has had 15 years experience in Automobile Construction and Repairing of all makes of foreign and American cars and he will give the public here service to the best of his ability.

We will be able to take cars for OVERHAULING AND REPAIRING about February 1st, and work done and cars PAINTED right on the premises. We will take care of your cars until Spring Free of Charge or will take and deliver your car to your door when ready for same. Send your cars in early so that you can have them when needed. Don't delay but get our estimates right away on all work no matter how small or large. Work done and deliveries made in any part of Nova Scotia. All Work Will be Guaranteed.

VALLEY GARAGE
KENTVILLE, NOVA SCOTIA.
R. S. MacDonald. P. R. Trohn

Fertilizer

It is hard to make most of the farmers realize that there is a great possibility of them not being able to get what comes of their crops. But give the less it is an absolute fact and the wise farmer will take home his fertilizer soon. As if you wait till spring you may not be able to get any. As even now it is very hard to get what you want as transportation is so bad we have only a few more car-loads of Basic Slag to sell.

C. O. COOK & SONS
Waterville

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK

On Tuesday evening Rev. C. A. Williamson, Field Secretary for the Baptist Sunday School work in the Maritime Provinces gave an address and conducted a Round Table in the Baptist Church here. Mr. Williamson spoke on the S. S. lesson, methods of work, problems met and requiring solution. Quite a number were present although there were many other attractions that evening. Mr. Williamson is undoubtedly one of the simplest, most effective and authoritative speaker on Sunday School work in the Province. His words are intelligible and of like interest to old and young.

Toilet Soap at Old Prices

I am selling toilet soaps at old prices will not advance while my present stock lasts.

Taylors Maple leaf monster refined tar and Castile at 5 cents a cake.
Old Brown Wind or olive bath and Infants delight. Two Cakes for 5 cents.

Colgates turkish bath, allround bath mint and Palm and Taylors infants delight large cakes each 10 cents.

Shaving Sticks each 15c and 25c.
Cold Cream in jars 10 cents.
Colgates Cold Cream in tubes 15c, in large jars 35c.
Almond Cream and Wich Hazel Cream 15c, bottle.
Bay Rum large bottle 25c.
Talcum Powder, 10c, 15c, and 25c.

WEAVER'S

The Kentville Fruit Co., Limited

FLOUR—we have on hand REGAL and FIVE ROSES FEEDS—Middlings, Bran, Royal Corn Meal St. John Corn Meal, Barley, Oats, and Corn Chop, Feeding Flour (Ideal) the best on the market.

Sugar—100 lb bags \$8 00
Also all kinds of Fertilizer, Seeds, and Spray, Material, on order. Give us your order and save Money.

Don't Wear a Truss

Advice that cannot be followed, because if a truss is necessary, a truss must be worn. We wish however, that all truss wearers would buy trusses where fittings are confidential, and guaranteed. Such fittings, we supply.

Geo. C. McDougall
"The Rexal"
Druggist

JANUARY Bargains AT SEALY'S STORE

FINEST WADASSO CAMBRIC no starch or filling, good wght, 36 inch width, value today 25c. Our Price 18c yd
Same make, lighter weight, 36 inch width, value today, 18c. Our price 14c yd

FINE ENGLISH LONGCLOTHS 36 inch. We could not land them in Canada today for our Price 14c and 15c yd

SPECIAL VALUE GREY COTTONS. Fine even yarns, free from specks.
36 inch width at 10c yd
34 inch width at 12c yd
36 inch width, heavier 13c yd

SPECIAL WHITE TWILL FLANNELLETTE, 30 inch width Still a few pieces selling at 12c yd

SWISS CAMBRIC EMBROIDERY. Extra fine and strong. Neat small patterns, 2 to 3 in width 10c yd

Narrower width, 1 inch and 1 1/2 in. width at 5c yd

CANADIAN MILL YARNS, 2 ply and 3 ply, Black, Dark Grey, Mid and Light Grey \$1.00 lb
Manufacturers of yarn are asking considerably more than this price today.

RIBBED CASHMERE HOSE, Union Sizes 9 1/2 and 10 in. Extra good wearer 35c pr

36 in. COTTON CASHMERE, Reds, Navy, Brown. Our price 15c yd

Still lots of Remnants on our Counters. Look them over.

New Prints, Gingham, Galateas, Pillow Cottons, Sheetings, Pillow Slips, and Hemmed Sheets.

SEALY'S

OPERA HOUSE Wolfville

Tuesday and Wednesday Evenings
Feb. 20th, and 21st.

Wednesday Matinee

BASIL S. COURTNEY
Presents D. W. Griffiths
8th. Wonder of the World

"The Birth of a Nation"

With Big Symphony Orchestra and Accessories
The Greatest Art Conquest since the beginning of Civilization

Evening, doors open at 7.30; Curtain at 8 o'clock
Matinee, Doors open at 1.45; Curtain at 2.15 o'clock
PRICES - Evening \$1.00 reserved; 75c General Admission
Afternoon 75c reserved; 50c general admission.

Reserve Your Seats at once - Phone 20

Mail Contract

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the

2nd, of March

for the conveyance of His Majesty's mails six times per week over the Grand Pre Rural Mail Route No. 1, under a proposed contract for four years dating from the 1st April next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office at Grand Pre and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

W. E. MacLELLAN,
Post Office Inspector.
Post Office Inspector's Office,
Halifax, 17th January 1917. 3 lines

BOY SCOUTS MEETINGS

On Sunday afternoon, Tuesday evening and again last evening meetings were held in town in the interests of Boy Scout work and consideration of the foundation of a troupe in Kentville. It is likely before long the movement will be successfully launched and scouts will be trained and made ready for camp next summer.

New Stock at 5, 10, 15c Store, Aberdeen St. opp. Post Office

Colgates Shaving Sticks 15 cents
Colgates Ribbon Dental Cream 15c
Khaki handkerchiefs 10c.
Splendid variety of lace from 2 yards for 5c to 10c. a half yard.
Flannellette, cross-bar Muslin, unbleached cotton towels, pillow cases, stamped linen huck towels, stamped hemstitched huck towels.

SWITZERLAND WILL NOT ACT ON U. S. SUGGESTION

Washington, Feb. 6.—Information that Switzerland will not adopt President Wilson's suggestion, that, in the interest of world peace other neutrals follow the lead of the United States and break off diplomatic relations with Germany, was received here today. So far as is known this is the first response.

LABOR FOR GOVT.

New York Feb. 6.—Samuel Gompers announces that the American Federation of Labor will be with the Government to a man in war.

A company of the 256th Railway Construction Battalion, C. E.F., is to be raised in Hants County and quartered in Windsor for the winter.

Red Store

KENTVILLE

Jan. 19th, 1917

We offer Purity Flour

at \$10.50

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LAMONT & STEADMAN

DEATH OF ANDREW FEINDEL

Andrew Feindel who shot killed Elsie Acker on Saturday night, died at Kentville on Tuesday morning about 9.15 o'clock. He never regained consciousness after his attempt at suicide. His father arrived from New Germany on Monday night and was a guest of Mr. Feindel. An inquest was held on Tuesday evening before coroner Webster and on Wednesday morning, Mr. Feindel's body was taken to New Germany for burial.

Burt Mosher of Windsor the 112th Battalion has been killed in action.

Ralph M. Robertson of doise Hants Co., has been reported dangerously wounded.

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Meat

Choice heavy Beef, Sausages, Bologna, Fresh Cheese, etc., all of the under sanitary conditions.

OR

Are as good as mead We have a large assortment full of juice and nice flav 45 and 50c a dozen.

Tea

Our stock of Teas, blends to be had at lower of good values, and pick In Coffees we have Red and Pure Gold Three Quality and Price.

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