

Christmas



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Habits mould character. Saving is a valuable habit.

ARKONA

Christmas Goods and Toys.—Fuller Bros.

Mr. W. J. Fuller motored to London on Tuesday.

Mr. John Harnish is visiting friends in Pennsylvania, U. S.

Miss Belle Bames of Brantford is visiting friends in town this week.

Pte. Clarence Jackson, of the Flying Corps, is spending a few days at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Evans Sr. are visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. F. Baldwin in Sarnia this week.

We still have a number of Boy's Overcoats, Convertible Collars, etc., old values at old prices, Tweeds, etc.—Fuller Bros.

Col. and Mrs. Kenward and Mr. and Mrs. Sam. Burchell of Watford were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Johnson on Friday, the gentlemen spending the day in hunting.

Mrs. (Rev.) King and her sister, Miss Stark, who have been visiting friends in Toronto, arrived in Arkona this week

(Mr. King having taken up his duties as Pastor of the Baptist Church.)

WANSTEAD

Miss Myrtle Smith visited with friends in Sarnia last week.

Mrs. Elma Ramsay returned from Strathroy on Wednesday last.

Miss Elva McPhedran left on Saturday for Sarnia, where she will attend business college.

Mr. Albert Thompson is attending the fall assizes in Sarnia this week. He is a member of the jury.

Mr. VanKamp and Mr. Sackrider, of Toronto, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. W. H. Lawson on Saturday last.

Pte. Lynus Garnham, who is taking treatment at the Convalescent Home for Soldiers, London, was home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morningstar motored to Mandaamin on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Jackson.

On Wednesday, Nov. 28th, there passed to the Great Beyond one of the oldest and most esteemed residents of the community in the person of Mrs. W. H.

Lawson, in her 75th year. Deceased was ill only about two weeks as a result of a paralytic stroke. She was a woman of saintly memory. Her large-heartedness was always in evidence, and friends in trouble found practical help and ready sympathy at her hands. The funeral was held from the family residence, lot 24, con. 3, Plympton, on Saturday, Dec. 1st, to the Wyoming cemetery. A large concourse of friends gathered to pay their last respects to a grand and noble life. The service was conducted by Rev. J. H. Mundy, a former pastor of the Wanstead Methodist Church, of which deceased was a life-long member. Six nephews acted as pallbearers. Besides her husband, she leaves to mourn her loss, four daughters: Mrs. A. Peacock, second line; Mrs. M. McIntyre, Mandaamin; Mrs. C. A. Wark, Detroit, and Miss Beatrice, nurse, of Detroit; and three sons: William, of Petrolia; Fred, G.T.R. agent, Wanstead, and Wallace, at home. Also two sisters, Miss Rebecca, of British Columbia, and Mrs. Shepherd, Forest, and two brothers, James, of Sarnia, and Alex. second line.



“Lend Us a Hand, Mate!”

We are deep-sea sailor folk. We are the men who sail and fight His Majesty's battle-ships. We are the men who go down to the sea in merchant ships. We combat storm and wave—ice-floe, shipwreck and submarine, that the Empire may not receive its death blow on the High Seas. We do this for little wage. We do it without a thought of our own safety. Nor can we provide for our loved ones if the hungry sea swallow us or the whining shell blast us into the Beyond—and there is none else to look after them.

Will you help us on

Sailors' Day

December 8th—through the Daughters of the Empire

The Strong Right Arm of Civilization is the Unconquerable Sailor of the British Navy and Mercantile Marine

His history and achievements are too glorious to need eulogy. Your subscriptions are asked to assist the sick and wounded, also the dependents of the mercantile sailor who receive no pensions or patriotic allowance.

As the life-blood to the body—so the value to the Empire of the Mercantile Marine.

From Yokohama and Hong Kong, Bombay, Vancouver, Naples, Port Said, Halifax and Archangel, these sailor men and their ships are the allied lines of communication; to destroy them is to cut the jugular vein of our war.

It's a curious thing in our history, recurring through every stage, that this strange breed of high-spirited, hard-handed, far-sighted, cautious, cunning, silent British sailors have been a rock on which our enemies have been broken. They smashed the Armada, they foiled the Dutch, they defeated Napoleon, they defy the slinking, murdering German submarine to-day.

Last year \$700,000 was collected and sent overseas for the British Sailors' Relief Fund. This year the Navy League has been entrusted with the raising of funds to provide for the dependents of seaman who have lost their lives. Their wage is pitifully inadequate to their mighty task—entirely so when it comes to caring for their pensionless dependents.

The Daughters of the Empire Will Take Your Subscription

On December 8th, for the relief of Canadian and British sailors and their dependents, for Sailors' Homes, Institutes and Hospitals in Canada, and throughout the Empire. All who appreciate the magnificent work of the Navy and the Mercantile Marine are asked to contribute so that these brave fellows and their families may not become destitute when shipwreck or the perils of the seas wreak loss upon them. If the Canvasser doesn't reach you—don't fail with YOUR gift.

Objects of the Navy League of Canada

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The Navy League of Canada is the Canadian Branch of the Navy League of the British Empire, and is an association of voluntary members formed to carry out the following objects—

- 1 A thoroughly organized educational campaign in matters pertaining to the Navy and Mercantile Marine.
 - (a) By lectures. (b) By the circulation of literature. (c) By placing readers in public schools.
- 2 To raise funds for the relief of British and Canadian Sailors and their dependents for Sailors' Homes, Institutes and Hospitals in Canada and throughout the Empire.
- 3 To encourage volunteer Naval Brigades for boys and young men in which they can receive practical and theoretical instructions in seamanship to prepare them for service in our Mercantile Marine.

It shall be a fundamental principle of the League that its objects, membership, management and conduct shall be absolutely unconnected with and free from all party politics and every organization connected with party politics.

Patrons—Their Excellencies the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, K.G., &c.
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