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QUERIES REGARDING MILITARY SERVICE

Send in Your Problems and They
Will Be Answered From Official
Information by The Advertiser.

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Question—Would it be necessary for a young man who is twenty years old and who is suffering from ailments which he would make him unfit for service, to report for service or apply for exemption?

Answer—1. Yes. Every young man who is a British subject, between the ages of 16 and 21, and who has been at any time since August 4, 1914, resident in Canada, is a member of the military forces and must either report for service or claim exemption at the postoffice.

2. In what class would such a young man be?

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NEW ORGANIZATION IS NOT CONFINED TO MEMBERS OF CHURCH

Men of St. Andrew's Form Interdenominational Union.

Organization of an association to be known as the "Men's Union of St. Andrew's, Presbyterian Church," has been completed this week. A constitution drafted and officers elected. While the new society has been formed under the wing of St. Andrew's, the membership is not confined to members and adherents of the congregation.

According to a prominent official of the church the Men's Union stands for "manhood suffrage." The constitution reads that any man over 18 years of age is eligible to attend. So far as the constitution is concerned, there is nothing formal or formidable about it, just enough to hold an organization together and give it some kind of a foundation on which to stand. Live problems of the day are to be discussed at the meetings and the program committee is at present engaged on the task of planning the season's activities. The following are the officers: President, J. H. Laughton; second vice-president, Morley Adams; second vice-president, George Marr; Secretary, Walter E. Gunn; Treasurer, T. S. Douglas; chairman membership committee, George Wood; chairman program committee, D. D. MacGregor; chairman visiting committee, A. S. MacGregor.

The first meeting of the form of a banquet on the evening of November 5.

LONDON SOLDIER, WITH DOUBLE HONOR, NOW ON WAY TO CITY

Corp. John Munnoch, M. M.
(Bar) Left England on
12th.

Mrs. Margaret Munnoch, 106 Waterloo street, has been advised that her son, Corp. John Munnoch, Military Medal, left England on October 12 on his way back to Canada.

Corp. Munnoch, who has lost a leg in the war, is a member of the Military Medal and an additional bar to this decoration. He enlisted with the 7th Canadian Infantry and was transferred to the 12th Machine Gun Company, with which unit he served at the front.

Lance-Corp. Alex. Munnoch, a brother, returned to Canada some months ago, having been severely wounded. Corp. Alex. Munnoch enlisted in the west with the first contingent. A third brother, Gunner Gordon Munnoch, is now serving with a heavy artillery battery at this time, having enlisted at Toronto, where he was a student at Osgoode Hall. A sister, now Mrs. (Capt.) Douglas, went overseas as a nursing sister of the C. A. M. C.

METHODIST LAYMEN WILL ASSIST WORK OF ALL CHURCHES

Make Plans For Evangelical
Campaign.

The second meeting of Methodist laymen of London to discuss the future work in connection with evangelistic work in the city was held at the Wellington Street Methodist Church last night. One of the largest attendances of the season being recorded. Mr. Chown occupied the chair. W. H. Liddon delivered an address on "Office Work of the Holy Spirit in the World."

Preparations were made to assist in the services of churches throughout the city. Prior to the address of Mr. Liddon, songs and prayer services were held. Two invitations to assist in the Sunday services were made. One from the city mission and one from the Wellington Street Methodist Church. These were accepted, and ten members of the Methodist laymen selected to look after the services of the churches.

W. J. Underwood was appointed secretary of the association. William Jeffery, vice-president, was in charge of the meeting.

Another meeting of the laymen will be held at Wesley Hall next week.

NEXT MEETING OF SUPREME COUNCIL TO BE AT ST. JOHN

Seven Candidates Elected to
Thirty-Third Degree.

A decision to hold the next annual meeting at St. John, N.B., was the principal event at the closing session on Thursday afternoon of the 44th annual supreme council of the 33rd Degree A. F. and A. M. of the Dominion of Canada, "Grand Orient, Montreal, Province of Quebec," which opened here on Wednesday.

There will be a special meeting of the supreme council in Hamilton on January 22-25. The semi-centennial of the Scottish Rite in Canada will be celebrated then.

HOW TO ADDRESS OVERSEAS PARCELS

The chief postoffice superintendent has issued the following statement:

"Parcels addressed to members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force overseas should bear the name and address of a second addressee to whom the parcel may be delivered or forwarded if it should prove impossible to deliver to the first, the original address to be written on the front of the parcel, where postage stamps and the postage paid stamp are affixed, and the second or alternative address on the back of the parcel."

If a second address is not furnished at the time of posting, and the contents of the parcel, unless of exceptional value or of a personal nature, will be forwarded to the military authorities for distribution.

"This plan is being adopted at the suggestion of the military authorities, which states that the present procedure of holding undeliverable parcels at the postoffice is a waste of a large quantity of perishable foodstuffs, which form the contents of 50 per cent of parcels addressed to soldiers."

SALE OF COOKING.—A sale of home cooking will be held on Saturday at 122 Dundas street by the members of No. 4 Nursing Division, in aid of the hospital at Etaples, France, which is maintained by the Canadian Forces.

STILL HOPES THAT SOLDIER OVER, IN "DEAD LIST," LIVES

London Girl Refuses to Accept
Official Word.

FATHER'S SEARCH VAIN
Hunted in England for Trace
of Missing 70th Man, But
Learned Nothing.

Word has been received by Miss Rosie Faulkner, 65 High street, from Ottawa, that she had been made legate of the personal effects of the 70th Battalion, and that sundry trinkets and a bank account will be made over to her shortly.

Pte. Jones. This word is the last chapter of a war romance, Miss Faulkner having steadfastly refused to believe that Pte. Jones had been killed, after being listed as wounded and missing. The young soldier while in training here became engaged to Miss Faulkner, and just before departing with the 70th for overseas he assured her that upon his return they would be married.

After Pte. Jones had been at the front for some time, a regular letter came from him to Miss Faulkner, who was at that time in England. The letter was signed "Pte. Jones," but it was not the same man, as the letter was written in a different hand. The information was received by Miss Faulkner, who was at that time in England. The letter was signed "Pte. Jones," but it was not the same man, as the letter was written in a different hand.

WINGS AND MOUNTS, 39c.—Twelve dozen Wings and Mounts to finish your hat—an opportunity for the home milliner. This price is only a fraction of the cost in most cases. All are priced Saturday 39c each

50 Pairs Corsets

To Clear Saturday--Pair
98c

One table of Corsets, about 50 pairs in the group, made of excellent quality white coutil filled with non-rustable boning, medium bust and long skirt; a splendid model for ordinary wear; sizes 19 to 30. On sale Saturday morning 98c pair

RED CROSS DEPARTMENT

Women's Aid of Memorial Church
Forms One for Active Work.

The Women's Aid of the Cronyn Memorial Church has started a Red Cross department, in addition to the parochial work, much enthusiasm being manifested at the first sewing society held there last week. A large number were present, considered a good augury for future success by the officers.

WHO CATCHES COLD THIS WEATHER?

ONLY THOSE WHOSE
BODIES CAN'T RESIST
SUDDEN CHANGES OF
TEMPERATURE.

For when people catch cold—they blame the cold—the weather—the heating system—everybody but themselves. But the time they are themselves to blame. They should be healthy enough to resist cold. But by allowing their bodies to accumulate impurities, they render themselves liable to cold attacks.

If you would keep clear of cold—keep clear of constipation. It is a cold matter, simple, but as an encourager of serious illness your doctor will tell you that nothing can surpass it. And anyway, you have a cold at all? You can dodge colds if you wish to. How? By simply keeping clear of constipation.

The moment you begin to feel listless, apathetic, when you find your head heavy and your energy slowing down, take a glass or two of RIGA PURGATIVE WATER. The bowels will at once begin to resume their natural functions, and the languor, mental dullness, and physical apathy will disappear, to be replaced by buoyant normal health.

RIGA WATER can be had in pint bottles from your druggist. Ask for it by name—R-I-G-A.

25c a Bottle.
Riga Purgative Water Co., Montreal.

YOUR SICK CHILD IS CONSTIPATED! LOOK AT TONGUE

Hurry, Mother! Remove poison from little stomach, liver, bowels.

Give 'California Syrup of Figs' if cross, bilious or feverish.

No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given.

If your little one is out-of-sorts, acting listless, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look! Mother! See if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that his little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of 'California Syrup of Figs'—it will in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of his little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative." Because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and thereby give his pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a bottle of 'California Syrup of Figs'; then see that it is made by the 'California Fig Syrup Company.'

HALF-PRICE CLEARANCE OF MILLINERY, SATURDAY

Trimmed Hats, Shapes, Wings and Mounts

Hundreds of dollars are going to be saved to the women of this city tomorrow, and as many women are going to be delighted with a beautiful new winter hat at a saving of half. The season of necessity has just arrived, and our sale could not have been timed more conveniently for you. All hats, shapes and trimmings in this sale are new, this season's, and all are exceptionally good and of the exclusive character of this store. Each speaks for itself, and the prices on the tickets tomorrow will be just half what they are marked today. Except the 39c table, which is less than a quarter regular price in most cases. We cannot describe these, but will give a brief synopsis of the sale groups:

NEW TRIMMED HATS, HALF PRICE—Three dozen this season's models, including a number of pattern hats, a very smart group. All half price \$3.75 to \$9.00

NEW SHAPES, HALF PRICE—Eighteen only shapes of silk velvet and hatter's plush, all to clear at half price. Sale prices \$2.00 to \$5.75

48 Velvet Shapes to clear at half price \$1.12 and 75c each

WINGS AND MOUNTS, 39c.—Twelve dozen Wings and Mounts to finish your hat—an opportunity for the home milliner. This price is only a fraction of the cost in most cases. All are priced Saturday 39c each

LADIES' VESTS 98c, COMBINATIONS 69c.

Cream Cashmere Vests, Penman's make, high neck, elbow sleeves, spahed at waist; sizes 34 to 40; about six dozens only. Special 98c
White Cotton Combinations, high neck, long sleeves, drawers ankle length, open; sizes 34 to 38; about 10 dozens only. Special 69c

KIMONOS, \$1.75.
Cosy Kimono of soft flowered flannelette, fancy pointed collar piped to harmonize, three-quarter set-in sleeve with stitched cuff, also piped, shirred at waist with elastic band, comes in grey, heliotrope or blue ground with dainty floral design; sizes 34 to 44. Price \$1.75

PETTICOATS, \$1.59.
Splendid Heavy Quality Sateen Petticoats, deep accordion-pleated flounce at bottom, draw tape regulates fullness at waist, black only, lengths 36 to 40. Price \$1.59

MIDDIES AND SMOCKS, HALF PRICE.
One table Girls' Middies and Smocks, slightly soiled, in the season's newest and prettiest styles, long or short sleeves, sizes 6 to 14 years. Special Saturday Half Price

CORSET COVERS, 49c.
Ten dozen Corset Covers of beautiful quality nainsook, with deep yoke in front of pretty embroidery, beading and lace insertion, deep yoke of lace insertion in back; sizes 34 to 44. Special Saturday 49c

HANDKERCHIEFS, 18c EACH, 6 FOR \$1.00.
115 dozen Ladies' Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, quarter-inch hem, embroidered initial and wreath in one corner, beautiful quality, all letters excepting E. N. H. and S. Special, Saturday 18c each or six for \$1.00

SALE OF UMBRELLAS, 98c EACH.
240 Umbrellas on sale Saturday, a special purchase of Men's and Ladies' Umbrellas, bought away below their actual value, coverings of fast black American twill, on good strong steel frames, handles come well assorted in crook and straight effects. Special 98c each
Save your old Umbrellas and have them recovered and they will look just like new. Prices \$1.50 up.

Writing Materials

Writing Pads in good quality linen, size 8x10 inches, in the large pad. Special Saturday 16c each

Writing Pads in good quality linen, size 8x5 inches, about 50 sheets of paper. Special Saturday 9c each

Good Quality, Square-Back Linen Envelopes to match pads, 25 in each package. Special Saturday 2 packages for 15c

Leland Linen, Fine Check, Best Quality Note-paper and Envelopes, nicely boxed, in pale mauve or azure blue tint. Special 50c box

White, in the same quality paper, and boxed. Special 45c box

Special 14k Gold-Point Premier Fountain Pen, guaranteed to give satisfaction \$1.00

Also same pen in large size \$1.25 and \$1.50 each

Blackbird, Swan Self-Filling Pen, 14k point, with safety cap, guaranteed. Special \$1.50 each

MEN'S HATS HALF-PRICE SATURDAY

Tomorrow, together with a special suit sale for both men and boys, we offer a splendid hat sale. A few dozen stiff hats, also all silk hats, at just half price, and a splendid lot of caps at 98c. The boys' suits at \$5.95, and the men's at \$15.00, are values unobtainable today. Come early for your hat at half price.

MEN'S CAPS 98c Each

200 Men's and Youths' Fall and Winter Caps, assorted tweeds, in a great variety of colors, all sizes. Sale price Saturday 98c each

Men's Suits Saturday--- \$15

In the Men's Department Saturday we will have a special table featuring suits at \$15.00 that are worth much more, as you will easily observe when you see them. They are exceptional value, and range in sizes from the youth who is getting into his first long pants right up to the large man. The materials are tweeds and worsteds, in greys and browns, and made up in the regular sack, form-fitting and pinch-back styles. About 75 suits in the lot to be cleared Saturday. Sizes 32 to 44. Price, per suit \$15.00

Men's Silk Top Hats 1/2-Price

The balance of our Silk Hats, two styles, extra good quality silk beaver top, sizes 6 7/8 to 7 1/4. Prices to clear \$3.00, \$3.50 each

MEN'S STIFF HATS SATURDAY 1/2-PRICE

Just a few dozen Men's Black Stiff Hats Saturday to clear out at half regular selling price, all good blocks of splendid quality, medium high crown, neat roll brim; sizes 6 7/8 to 7 1/4. Prices \$1.50 and \$1.75 each

Boys' Suit Special--- \$5.95

We have grouped for Saturday about 60 boys' suits, broken lines from regular selling stock, every suit a genuine bargain. These suits are made in the pinch-pack and regular yoke Norfolk styles, with knife pleats, bloomers have belt loops, side straps and buckle or governor fasteners; tweeds and worsteds in medium and dark greys, also browns and soft-finished blue serges; the sizes range from 7 to 16 years. Bring the boys early while the range is complete. Sale price \$5.95 suit

ICE CREAM—To take home—Pints—Bulk, 20c; bricks, 25c. At Soda Fountain.



SEE WINDOW DISPLAY TODAY.
A fair showing of the hats and trimmings on sale Saturday will be seen in Dundas street window today. Come early for your choice.

SECOND FLOOR.

Cottons and Flannel-ette Ends

500 yards Bleached Cotton Ends, good quality, in useful lengths of 2 to 10 yards. Special prices, 500 yards White Flannelette Ends, every piece useful and good quality, lengths from 2 to 10 yards. Special price to clear.

TOILET NECESSITIES.

Sweetheart Soap, healing and refreshing, 10c cake
Grant's Buttermilk Balls, an excellent complexion soap 2 for 25c
Sunlight Soap, an excellent laundry soap, 7c each
Lifebuoy, the antiseptic tar soap 7c cake
Wright's Coal Tar Soap, an English medicated soap 15c each, 3 for 40c
Minty's Skin Food and Face Clearer 50c jar
Minty's Jack Rose or Brise Charmante Talcum 25c
Minty's Toilet Water, violet or lilac, at 50c
Minty's Toilet Water, in beautiful frosted bottle, lilac, violet, rose bloom, brise charmante, etc. \$1.00 bottle
Minty's Face Powder, extra fine, in dainty odors, same as toilet water 50c box
Minty's Antiseptic Tooth Paste 25c
Old English Lavender Bags 25c

BILLFOLDS, 50c.

Three dozen only Black Calf Three-Fold Billfolds, with place for car tickets, change, cards and photo, fastened with dome. Special 50c

SALE OF IMPORTED COSTUME VELVET. TEENS, 40 INCHES WIDE, FOR \$2.75 YARD.

See Window Display.

Fashionable shades for fall and winter. The quality is one of the best English makes, finished like a silk velvet, close soft pile that does not show the back, fast colors; an original make of high-grade silk-finish velveteen; just one piece of each color. We suggest you come early for choice, as the sale price is greatly below this quality today in much narrower widths. For suits, separate skirts, children's dresses and coats; seven colors to select from, tan and mid browns, navy, rich old blue, dark old rose, the new burgundy and plum. All are 40 inches wide. Reduced sale price, per yard \$2.75

MAIN AISLE.

CORTESE ORCHESTRA — Saturday afternoon, Balcony and Tea Room.

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