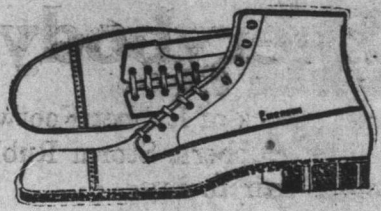


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Conditions Bad in Vienna--Fiume Question Left for Italy and Jugo-Slavia--Profiteers Being Rounded Up--Loan Under Subscribed.

LACK OF FUEL AND FOOD IN VIENNA.

PARIS, Oct. 18. Reports reaching the Peace Conference from Vienna indicate distressing financial conditions there. The consequent lack of food and fuel, which is threatening the existence of the Government, is causing much uneasiness in Paris.

PETROGRAD CLOSELY INVESTED.

LONDON, Oct. 18. Petrograd to-night was so closely

invested by the anti-Bolshevik forces according to the latest official advice that military experts express belief that little short of a miracle could save the pressed Bolsheviks. Indeed one newspaper despatch reported General Yudenitch's capture in the capital. But there is no confirmation of this. Neither had British official confirmation been received of the surrender of Kronstadt although the War Office states that the Estonians on Friday operating in conjunction with Yudenitch got within four miles of

the Krasnaya Gorka facing Kronstadt. Thus Kronstadt would be in a dangerous position as with the capture of Petrograd it would be cut off.

MAY SIT ON COMMITTEE.

PARIS, Oct. 18. The Supreme Council to-day adopted a resolution that delegates of the great powers may sit on various committees created under the German Peace Treaty and may vote on questions before these commissions, whether or not their Governments have ratified the Treaty. If the United States Senate does not object it is stated to be possible that American delegates will take the places assigned to the United States on such commissions.

UNDER SUBSCRIBED.

LONDON, Oct. 18. (Reuters' Despatch).—Wellington's ten million pound victory loan is under-subscribed, and compulsion will be resorted to secure the balance.

GREAT BRITAIN LEADS THE WAY.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18. Great Britain is making more headway than any other nation promoting

aviation. Secretary of War Crowell yesterday told the Senate Military Committee, in supporting a new bill for the establishment of a separate department of aeronautics.

ONE IN SPIRIT, AMEN.

LONDON, Oct. 18. (Reuters' Despatch).—In conclusion with the church congress at Leicester which has just closed, a Christian reunion meeting was held, at which three thousand were present of Anglicans and Non-Conformists. The leading speaker, acknowledged the helpfulness of the Non-Conformists to the congress just held and prayed that the day may come when they will be one in spirit. Christians in this country he said had wholly changed lately; instead of the will to differ was now the will to agree. Rev. Cartledge Simpson offered a prayer for the reunion of the Presbyterians and declared that if some practical steps towards reunion were not taken within a reasonable time, reaction might arise in the Non-Conformist churches.

AFTER THE PROFITEERS.

LONDON, Oct. 18. (Reuters' Despatch).—Mr. McCurdy, M. P. of the Food Ministry, states that 1600 profiteering tribunals are already working since the Profiteering Act was passed. The Food Ministry has instituted 1350 prosecutions and secured fees totalling \$35,000.

AUSTRIAN CABINET RESIGNS.

VIENNA, Oct. 18. The Austrian cabinet, headed by Dr. Karl Renner, resigned to-night but was reconstituted immediately under Dr. Renner as Premier, with few important changes.

DECISION LEFT TO INTERESTED PARTIES.

PARIS, Oct. 18. A decision to leave the settlement of the Fiume question to direct negotiations between Italy and Jugo-Slavia has been reached by the Peace Conference, according to Excelsior.

SHIPWRECKED MEN REACH PORT.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18. Bringing two hundred fifty-five passengers and crew of the French steamer Venezia, which burned at sea last Monday off the Newfoundland fishing banks, the steamer Chicago arrived this morning and told the story of the rescue of the entire ship's company from "mucky thirteen" lifeboats after the Venezia had been abandoned. It took the Chicago's crew one hour and ten minutes after it had reached the scene to effect the rescue of the Venezia's passengers from lifeboats in which they had taken refuge after the flames had enveloped their ship. By noon all the survivors had been comfortably quartered and given dinner on the Chicago and that vessel had resumed her voyage to New York. The Chicago first heard the Venezia's wireless call for help when eighty miles away. Fire started in her forward hold where the cargo consisted of rum and sugar. It spread over the entire vessel from there and she was ablaze all over when abandoned. Capt. Bonafacio was the last man to leave the ship.

STEAMER ABANDONED.

BOSTON, Oct. 18. The wooden steamer Ammonoosuc, which has been in distress at sea for the past week, has been abandoned in sinking condition, radiograms announced later. The crew was saved and the coast guard cutter and steamer Isseque are bringing them to port.

MILITARY FORCES PLACED.

PARIS, Oct. 18. The Supreme Council to-day drew up a scheme of distribution of the Allied Military forces which will be used to occupy upper Silesia, Schleswig and Memel according to the terms of

the treaty. The Council further approved the military measure necessary for the evacuation of these territories by the Germans and the immediate occupation by these of the Allies.

RAILWAY JUNCTION CAPTURED.

LONDON, Oct. 18. A Bolshevik wireless communication claims the capture of Pskov railway junction forty miles south west of Kievan the road to Odessa.

SINN FEIN OFFICERS.

DUBLIN, Oct. 18. The secret convention of Sinn Fein, held this week, besides re-electing H. DeValera president of the organization, chose those other officers: vice-presidents, Arthur Griffith and Fr. O'Flanagan; honorary secretaries, Austin Stock and Harry Boland; honorary treasurers, Mrs. W. Power and E. W. Dugan.

BERLIN STRIKE SETTLED.

BERLIN, Oct. 18. The strike of metal workers in this city has been settled, according to announcement.

WHEN MEALS HIT BACK

"Pape's Diapepsin" Instantly Ends Indigestion, Sourness, Stomach Acidity

Are lumps of undigested food, causing you pain? Is your stomach acid, gassy, sour, or have you flatulence, heartburn? Then take Pape's Diapepsin.

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Voters, Attention!

The prime thing that every man who takes an interest in politics should remember is that he must act and not merely criticize the actions of others.

It is not the man who sits by his fireside reading his evening paper and saying how bad our politics and our politicians are who will ever do anything to save us.

It is the man who goes out into the rough and hurly-burly of the political committee and public meeting, and there faces his fellows on equal terms.

You know the cause of the Progressive Party under the leadership of Sir Michael Cashin is right, that its candidates are fearless and independent. Then identify yourself prominently with their various committees. The destiny of your country is at stake. Many of you nobly considered it good enough to shed your blood for your fathers and mothers and sisters who sent your glorious manhood, rise up and root out the traitors in your midst who are conspiring to obliterate the very embodiment and ideal of good Government. Be influenced not by the sordid and base appeals being made to your passions by the sectarian issues exploited in the Opposition press. Do not, in the years to come, be conscience-stricken by any act of yours in this crisis.

Really then around the Progressive candidates. Show by your actions that you are unshamed, nay, proud, to be associated with good clean government and the further glory and progress of this Newfoundland of ours.

Cashin Will Come Back.

Ladies' Hats. Fall Styles

Just a very choice selection of Hats. The season's smartest models. No two alike. Small, snugly-smart hats for stormy, windy days and all-round wear. Beautiful models in Velour, Velvet and clipped Beaver for smart occasions. In short, Hats that are exclusive in style to suit all types.

We have a fine assortment of Untrimmed Hats in very stylish shapes.

See the "Hats that are different" in our Ladies' Department.

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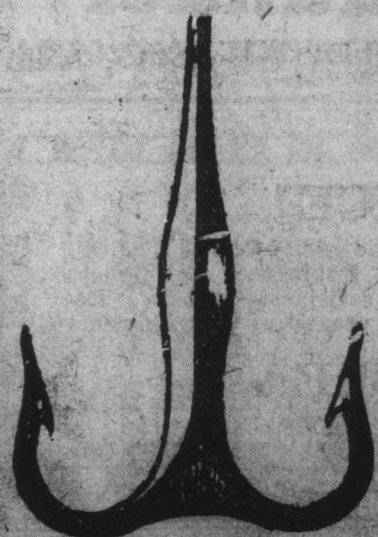
NOTICE!

Newfoundland Government Coastal Mail Service.

The S.S. Prospero will sail for usual Northern Ports of call on Wednesday, October 22nd. Freight received from 6 a.m. Monday.

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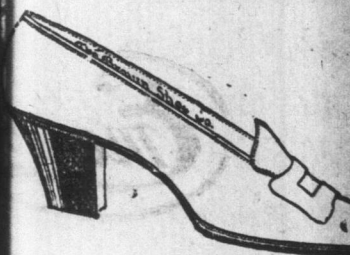
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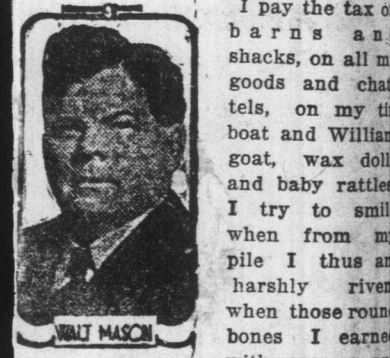


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THE TAXPAYER.



I pay the tax on my shack, on all my goods and chattels, on my boat and William goat, wax dolls and baby rattles. I try to smile when from my pile I thus am harshly riven when those round bones I earn with groans and sweat. I smile, ah, me! But when I see how public coin is wasted, the smile I wear won't linger there, unless it's glued or pasted. Once we were shocked when congress talked of spending frugal millions but in these days, to my amazement, talk is all of billions. I pay the tax on my two yaks, my warthog and my canary; and though I smile to be in style, my heart is far from merry. The war is done, with sword and gun we've squelched the Teuton rascals, and 'twould be sense to cut expense in forty thousand places. I pay the tax on cribs and stacks, and try to do it stoutly, but that tend to waste may end, I hope, as I pay devoutly. My Aunt Jane needs some widow's weeds, my grandpa needs a briar, but I can't get such odds yet, with taxes going higher.

JUST RECEIVED,
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New Correct Models in Women's Fall and Winter Coats!

A splendid assortment, featuring new designs, materials and colors. Fashioned of Wool Velours, Kersey Cloths and Cheviots are especially favored, as are also such colors as Green, Brown, Burgundy, Taupe and Navy Blue. Various style belts and pockets, shawl and large square collars of self materials or velvet trimmed. Pleated, gathered or panel backs; sizes for Women and Misses.

Prices from \$17.00 up to \$53.00.

BLOUSES.

Many rich and striking novelties are featured in this special offering for to-morrow. Some are plain tailored, others are trimmed with dainty laces, etc., producing most dainty effects. Sale Price, each... **\$3.30**

BLANKETS.

Woolen Blankets, size 60 by 78, are now offered. These will take the place of the wool blanket because of the exceedingly high price of all wool blankets. Sale Price, per pair... **\$6.48**

PRAM BLANKETS.

A line of Fancy Blankets for the pram. These are warm, the size suitable, and covered with very neat designs. Sale Price, each... **\$1.50**

SWEATER VESTS.

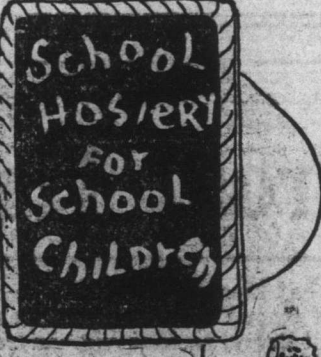
Something new: a line of Ladies' Sweater Vests in assorted colors. These are suitable for wearing under rain coat, etc., during chilly weather. Sale Price, each... **\$3.80**

LADIES' CREAM GLOVES.

Ladies' Cream Colour Gloves, assorted sizes. These are one of the best makes in heavy fabric and are sure to wear out 3 pairs of the cheaper grades. Sale Price, per pair... **\$1.20**

CORSETS.

Exceptional values all this week in Ladies' Corsets. These are made of strong materials and fitted with suspenders. Take advantage of this sale as you will save considerably. Sale Price, pair... **\$1.25**



CHILDREN'S HOSE.

All new and absolutely perfect. Good wearing hose for present use. To be had in sizes up to 9 1/2. Sale Price, per pair... **35c.**

MISSIES' UNDERWEAR.

Mostly vests to fit girls age 14 to 16 years; also a limited lot in the smaller sizes. These are certainly good value and well worth your consideration. Sale Price, each... **69c.**

LADIES' SPATS.

Just opened a new and big assortment of Ladies' Spats. These are all first class stock in 10 and 12 button length; colors: Fawn, Castor and Taupe. Prices, per pair, \$2.00, \$2.50 & \$3.00.

MEN'S SWEATER COATS.

A line of Men's Sweater Coats that we are offering at a low figure. These Coats are suitable for present wear and can be had in any size. Sale... **\$1.98**

CONGOLEUM MATS.

A line of these Mats in assorted designs, size 15 by 34. Be sure to secure yours before these are all sold. Sale Price, each... **27c.**

TOWELS.

Excellent value in White and Gray Turkish Towels. These are of medium size, just right for ordinary use. Sale Price, each... **29c.**

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