# SCARCITY OF FOOD TIMES SATISFIED

Held To Teach Them Economy.

People Realize That They Must Face Coming Terrors In Homes.

[Canadian Press.] London, Jan. 15 .- The Daily News correspondent at Copenhagen tele-

der the heading "Mobilizing the House-wives," the Deutsche Tageszeltung, among others, calls attention to the increasing economic difficulties. National Women's Service in Berlin is

and their responsibilities in the kitchen in war time. The university the commercial high school, the Prussian Diet, the patent office, the Charlettenburg city hall and the public schools were insufficient to accommodate the enormous crowds of women anxious to be instructed in a way to face the commission of manifests on the American side is clearly a matter capable of improvement, and similarly the perfecting of arrange-

Many public appeals to honsewives in German papers have created a feeling of alarm. It is realized that the authorities are not hiding the fact that the American ownership and declares there pinch is beginning to be felt. The mobilizing of housewives for economic instruction will continue daily.

### AMERICAN SAYS ENEMY HAS PLENTY OF GOPPER

Denies Any Scarcity, Saying Germans Are Creating Enormous Reserve.

Canadlan Press.] London to the Tribune says: Despite the great emphasis placed on the shortage of copper in Germany, it precipitating a nice quarrel between ayas asserted today by an American, Germany and America, they would be ore than a month there, that there is harbors. obsolutely no copper famine now facing To the contrary, he asserted, reaching Germany is not was the German foresight for such a count, according to the Daily News.

"In a number of Belgian cities I know | would be the selling of German ship nositively that door knobs, chandeliers The whole world, it declares, is suffering and bronze fixtures of all kinds have from a famine of tonnage and anything been confiscated. This is particularly which bring more ships into activity is so regarding Antwerp, where I per-sonally saw doors from which knobs had the shipping rings, and a state-owne been removed and places where bronze American line, charging reasonable gates had been commandeered. Germany is taking no chances of losing any able relief.

from authoritative sources, she is act-ing just the same regarding the conservation of food stuffs. The Allies are leaving nothing undone to starve out Germany, and the Germans, just as letermined, are making such a con ingency impossible.".

# SENSATIONAL RESCUES

Children Drawn To Safety From Nearby Roof-Three Lose Lives.

[Canadlan Press.] New York, Jan. 15.—Three persons fost their lives, and there were several sensational rescues by policemen and efficient in a fire in a tenement in Ninth avenue early this morning. A man and a child were found dead

a rear room on the fifth floor. The child was clasped in the man's arms. They had been suffocated. Later another child was taken lifeless from the

saved by a man standing on the roof of a higher building adjoining, several children being tied to a rope and drawn to safety. A policeman was severely burned while carrying two children final supremacy of the Allies. The new down five flights of fire escape.

#### LABOR CONGRESS TO ASK CONSIDERATION RETIRED ADMIRAL DEAD

resenting the Dominton Trades and Laber Congress will wait on Sir Robert Borden and other members of the cabmet council tomorrow to ask that the Government give immediate consideration to legislative matters of interest those in the ranks of labor, ratified y the congress at the annual meeting John, N. B. last summer. Among the requests will be one for

an old age pension act. The execu-tive committee of the congress, President J. C. Watters, Secretary P. M. Discovery took part. The members of the expedition planted the British flag beyond latitude 83 north. is meeting today preparing a memorandum, which the deputation will present to the cabinet. Supporting the executive will be ex-

Controller James Simpson, Toronto; Jas. Somerville, Toronto, official of the machinists' union; John W. Bruce, Toconto, organizer for the plumbers; John Foster, Montreal, president of the rades and labor council of Montreal; George Brunett, Montreal, general or-ganizer for the American federation of labor; Fred Bush, Toronto, head of the United Garment Workers and Alex. MacMordie, Toronto, of the letter car-

#### Parisian Ivory and Ebony We have a fine stock to

choose from.

Geo. A. McLachlan DRUGGIST.

Huge Meetings of Housewives Sees Nothing Wrong With Washington's Reception of British Note.

APPEALS CAUSE ALARM SITUATION NOT SETTLED

Still Demands Prompt and Straightforward Treatment and Discussion.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Jan. 15 .- The Times, in an editorial teday thinks that the Government has no reason on the whole to be All the German papers without ex- dissatisfied with the impression made in ception have suddenly awakened to the seriousness of the food question. Unforeign minister; to the note from the United States regarding the British interference with American shipping.

"But looking at the many influences National Women's Service in Bertin 18
taking special measures to instruct
housewives in economy in the kitchen.
Ten Big Meetings.
On Triesday ten huge meetings were
held in Berlin to impress upon house,
wives the seriousness of the situation
and their responsibilities in the kitchen
and their responsibilities in the kitchen
are time. The university, the com-

Ing terrors in the home.

Great Lecturers.

Famous professors and society ladies spoke on the coming dangers and gave advice, and recipes for meatless soups and foods were announced from the platform.

clearly a matter capable of improvement, and similarly the perfecting of arrangements with neutral countries to prevent the re-exportation of contraband is emphatically within Great Britain's province. If these essential matters are sat isfactorily adjusted, not much would be platform.

tween the two countries." can be but one solution, namely, if she sails, she must be stopped and the novel points of international law which she threatens to raise must be brought

to definite decision. The Daily Graphic similarly declares that the only course open to the British Government will be to arrest the Dacia and test the validity of her transfer in the admiralty court.

A Different View.

The Daily News, editorially, takes a-56 of the declaration of London is so vague that it is impossible to predict how a British prize court might inter-

It proceeds to argue the question raised by the Bacia as rather one of expediency for the United States Gov. [Canadian Press.] ernment. It says that it is impossible that such ships, purchased by the Amer. icans, should ever become converted into tho has just returned to London after shut up in German instead of American

The question of the purchase price possible contingency, which is bring- fact, it says, it might be urged that of ing about the confiscation of copper ob- all ways of raising credit in America onof the most

# copper she can get, but it is more in the nature of creating an enormous reserve. "From what knowledge I could gain the party of the p

Opinion Given By Paris Critic -Endurance and Numbers the Factors.

egistered its opinion that hostilities are rapidly emerging from a "guerre de seige" to a new phase of semi-inde-pendent and futious battles between heavy masses on harrow fronts.

"This," says the newspaper critic, "is the consequence of the successful French offensive against various minor points. As the recent fighting north of Solssons shows, the Germans perceive, from the line of territory reoccupied, our main objectives, and immediately counter with heavy reinforcements which are sufficient to block the French advance, if not to regain the lest positions. To continue their mayement, the French

must also reinforce.
"Thus I foresee a series of battles of extreme bloodiness and desperation owing to the narrowness of the front, wherein victory will rest with the side most enduring and able to bring up the "Surely the Russian successes, coupled with the improvement of our reserves and the approaching utilization of the

phase brings the end of the war into

new British armies, ought to insure the

OTTAWA, Jan. 14-A deputation rep- Sir George S. Nares Gained Fame for 1875 Arctic Expedition.

[Canadian Press.] London, Jan. 15-1 p.m.-The death was announced in London today of Vice-Admiral Sir George S. Nares, R.N., retired. He was born in 1831,

Vice-Admiral Nares had a brilliant career in the British navy. He gained fame for his Arctic expedition in 1875, in which H. M. S. Alert and H. M. S. As commander of H. M. S. Challenger Vice-Admiral Nares made deep sea explorations around the world.

KAISER'S HAND EVIDENT

His Control.

[Canadian Press.]
London, Jan. 15.—The Daily Mail's
Venice correspondent telegraphs:
"The choice of Baron Burian as Count on Berchtold's successor indicates that Germany is supreme, in Austria-Hun-gary, and this may explain why Count Tisza, who was regarded as the probable

Tisza, who was regarded as the probable successor to the post, and the only man of the empire capable of supporting Austro-Hungarian rights against the Kaiser, was not chosen."

A dispatch from Geneva says Swiss banks are receiving large sums of money on deposit from members of the Hapsburg family, and from the Austrian aristocracy. This bank also has received orders to buy shares, in British and American concerns. Recently one Austrian archduke sold a large estate in the Tyrol at virtually half its value for cash.

# Smallman @ Ingram Satur January Sale News

The climax of the week's sale doings is always on Saturday and we believe there never was a time of greater advantage for the buying of full supplies of all needed merchandise than right now. General market prices are probably at a lower general level now than they will be later

50 Doz. Gingham Aprons, 25c

sale table 50 dozen Black and White Check Gingham Aprons, large circular style. These are very special and will go quickly. Special Satur-

day morning ...... 25¢

-Second Floor .-

Saturday Specials in White-

wear Sale

coats, 23c to 95c. Get

yours from the fresh

supplies for Saturday.

Kimono Slipover Night

Gown, of good strong

cotton, trimmed with

cotton torchon lace. Spe-

cial, each ..... 49¢

of strong cotton and fin-

ished with tuck and cot-

ton torchon lace. Spe-

cial, each ..... 39¢

of good strong cotton

and trimmed with wide

cotton torchon lace. Spe-

cial, each ..... 23¢

Ladies' Corset Cover,

Ladies' Drawers, made

On Saturday morning we will put on the

in the year, and yet the goods in these sales are much below the lowest market values, as little consideration is given to the actual cost or value when the time for clearing comes. Those who buy freely will realize a handsome dividend for every dollar spent in January sales at this store.

## A Clearing of Children's Winter Coats

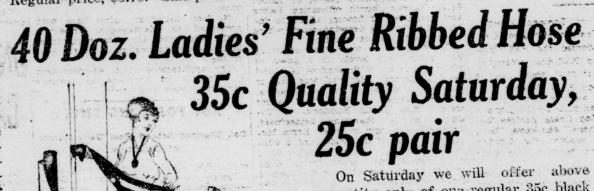
A special grouping of attractive styles in Winter Coats for children from 4 to 6 years of age. All brand new styles—no job lots, just reductions on the most desirable garments, including corduroy, velvets, chinchilla and curl

cloths, in pretty and attractive styles for children of above ages. Corduroy and Plain Velvet Coats, \$4.75, \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.00. Your choice for ...... Chinchilla Coats, flannel-lined, \$6.50, for ....\$5.00 Chinchilla Coats, regular \$6.00, for ..... \$4.50

## \$5.75 and \$8.50 Lounging Robes \$3.95 and \$5.95

Elegant Lounging Robes of warm reversible velour, with real Oriental colorings with border at bottom. New style turnover collar of self material which forms V front. Handsome satin trimming on collar, cuffs, pocket and down front, giving effective finish. Colors dark grey with mahogany, gray with nelrose, or fawn with heliotrope. Regular price, \$8.50. Sale price ...... \$5.95

Cosy, warm, two-tone Blanket Robe, in dark or light grey with copenhagen. More of those good This Robe is cut full and loose; slightly low neck with flat round collar bound with Gowns, Drawers, Cor- satin to harmonize. Large patch pocket, deep cuff and down front also trimmed. set Covers and Petti-



quantity only of our regular 35c black 2x1 ribbed fine Wool Hose, spliced toe in sizes 81/2, 9, 91/2 and 10 inch. (Mail 

## SATURDAY SPECIAL Ladies' New Neckwear, 25c for 19c

The New Ripple Tie For the Lingerie Waist - A dainty woven Tie; with tassel ends and adjustable slide, in all the new shades, tango, heliotrope, saxe, cardinal, paddy, also white and black. Regular 25c. Spe-

### Saturday Sale of Soaps

Buttermilk Soap-The monster cake of pure Buttermilk Soap very refreshing bath and toilet Soap. Spe-

My Lady A medicated Tar Soap; an excellent Soap for hair shampoo or skin imperfections. Regular 25c. Special, cake 19c Cuticle Soap — This Soap is made from the purest materials, making it one of the most effective skin tonics. known, leaving the skin soft and

smooth. Regular 25c. Special, each Buy a Soap Baby for the baby's bath: and heel; seamless; extra fine quality, in pink or white. Special, each to 50 Medico Hair Shampoo Ar invigorating, healthful cleansing and antiseporders filled while they last. Delivery tic hair tonic or shameoo. Regular 25c

Above quantity will go on sale Sat-

urday morning for rush sale; tan or

black fine Cashmere Socks, worth up

to 50c pair; sizes. 91/2 to 11 inch.

Considering present market conditions.

this price is doubly significant and at-

tractive. There will be some advan-

#### Ladies' Petticoat of good strong pique and fin--At Toilet Counter.ished at bottom with embroidered scalloped edge. 650 Yards Bleached Sheeting, 19c yd January Clearing in Linen Section

Get your supply of this early as the quantity is limited-650 yards only-and may not last the forenoon.

25c Bleached Twill Sheeting, 19c yard. -650 yards only good English Bleached Twill Sheeting, 2 yards wide; an excellent 25c quality. Special, yard ........ 19c 25c Hemstitched Pillow Slips at 19c .- A limited quantity Hemstitched Pillow Slips,

made from choice cotton, free from dressing, finished neatly; four sizes, 40, 42, 44 and 46. Special, each ...... 19¢ Ready-Made Sheets, finished with 3-inch hem at top, made of superior linen-finished 

English Longcloth, excellent value. Regular price, 121/2c yard. Special, yd. . . 10c New Range of Viyella Flannels.-These Flannels are suitable for every purpose, or being made in all weights, designs and colorings. Used for both ladies' and gents' khaki shade, used by the British Government; 32 inches wide. Price, yard.....60c while they last .....

Asbestos Table Pads at half-price.-4 only Asbestos Table Pads, samples slightly soiled, in good sizes. If one of these Pads would fit your table, come early. 1 only, 52-inch, round, regular \$4.50. On sale ..... \$2.25 1 only, 54-inch, square, regular \$4.50. On sale ..... \$2.25 DAMASK TABLECLOTHS-

Beautiful, Fine Double Damask Cloths, in two sizes; only a limited quantity of these exceptional values. Some have napk ins to match. Good range of designs: Cloths, 2x21/2; special .... \$3.00 Cloths, 2x2; special ..... \$2.50 

Another lot of excellent Towels in red and blue check. Get your supply early



## Sale of Men's Shirts Saturday 79c 30 Dozen Men's 19c Pair \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 Shirts

25 Dozen-Not a special made sale Shirt or maker's job lot, but just reductions from our regular stock. All fine lines up to \$2.00.

As there are only 25 dozen in this sale, and in some sizes the quantity may be limited, we would advise all who are interested in buying a \$1.50 or \$2.00 Shirt for 79c to be here at 8:30 and avoid disappointment, as these are sure to be the first sold.

This sale is a final clearing of all lines to clear the shelves for our new spring stocks. All 

## tage here, too, in early choosing. Your choice, pair ..... 19¢ 70 Boys' Suits Lowered MEN'S HIGH GRADE \$18.50

\$28.00 to \$35.60 Models All Men's High-Grade Ulster Coats will be levelled to one price on Saturday for final clearing, the balance of our high-class winter styles, ranging from \$28 to \$35, in sizes 35 to 44. First choice of these on Saturday morning at ...... \$18.50

MADE IN CANADA

50 Men's and Young Men's \$15.00 Navy Serge Suits at

These Suits are made from serge we import from the English mills and are tailored by one of the best wholesale tailors in Canada. Every Suit guaranteed A choice grouping of boys' ulster styles, with wholesale tailors in Canada. Every Suit guaranteed shawl and convertible collars; all fine lines, and we as to color, fit and workmanship; sizes 33 to 44; speshawl and convertible collars; all fine lines, and we as to color, fit and workmanship; sizes 33 to 44; speshawl and convertible collars; all fine lines, and we as to color, fit and workmanship; sizes 33 to 44; speshawl and convertible collars; all fine lines, and we as to color, fit and workmanship; sizes 33 to 44; speshawl and convertible collars are convertible collars. advise an early selection of these if you need an cially priced. 50 Suits on sale Saturday at. \$15.00 These Suits will bear comparison with any up to

"Cortese Orchestra," Saturday Afternoon. Balcony, 3:30; Restaurant, 4:30. Roast Goose Dinner, Saturday, 35c.



ety of colors and materials in all sizes, for boys from 8 to 16 years. Bring the boys here Saturday, 8:30. for the highest grade Suits. All one price...\$4.95 25 Boys' Overcoats, \$4.95

Afternoon Lunch-Cold Roast Chicken, Bread and Butter and Cup of Tea or Coffee. Special, 20c. Roast Goose Dinner, Saturday, 35c.