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# EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS AND WITH HATS



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THE TORONTO WORLD

BUT THAT WHICH IS BECOMING GENTEEL AND

IN HARMONY AS TO SHADE,

With the Most Popular Shades That Prevail in Men's Clothes.

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A Host of the Newest Hats for Spring

Make it a Point to See Them-Main Floor, James St.



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Is a Young Man's Black Stiff Hat

Of fur felt, in the new medium block, with rolling brim and leather sweatband. Sizes 65% to



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73/8.

At \$8.00

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At \$3.00

Is the "Wolfe" One-Piece Cap

Of an all-wool heather mixed, rough finished tweed, in olive, green and grey mixtures. Lining is of sateen. Sizes 65% to 71/2.

-Main Floor, James St.

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# **INCREASED IMPORTS** FROM OLD LAND

### Trend of Exchange Noticeably Affects Local Customs Returns.

A decided drop in imports from the United States and a corresponding increase in imports from Great Britain are reported by the local customs staff for the month of February. The total figures are not yet available, but mem-Great Britain in January totaled over into the commonwealth of \$17,000,000, which was a record. and

recent weeks that this trade has at- trade and customs has first been obtained any considerable proportions. tained. Important articles in the list are toys, music and precious stones. The low value of the German mark gives the importer in Canada a great advantage, and the opinion is expressed that if some action is not taken by the government the country will very shortly be flooded with certain lines of German goods, and the infant man-ufactories of these lines in Canada

cost him only one mark before the

10c now where before the war he reone cent in Canada. Valuation of Mark.

The customs department are still valuing the mark at 24c for the purpose of figuring the duty, which is the only discouraging factor from the importer's point of view. He does not see why he should pay 6c duty on an article that costs him only 1c, when the duty is 25 per cent. The customs department adheres to this rule with respect to all imports. The duty is figured on the invoice value of the articles in the country of their production. The federal act, respecting the currency, which fixes the value of the pound at \$4.86 2-3, is the author-

STORE OPENS AT 8.30 A. M.

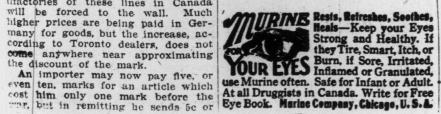
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Closing on Saturdays at 1 p.m.

ity on which they proceed. A recent proclamation by the Australian government, barring imports bers of the staff handling imports say from the former enemy countries, has believe that the law of marriage become into the hands of the customs a decided change in the import situ-officials. The proclamation was isation, manifestly due to the trend of exchange, was very noticeable thru with the consent of the minister of the individual and the government. Others dare not express an opinion the month of February. Imports from trade and customs, the importation manufactured or produced in, or brought directly or indirectly from February is expected to set another Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey or Bulgaria, or made from materials The World was also informed that obtained from any of those countries. imports of German goods are expand- A proclamation was also issued proing very rapidly. Several Toronto hibiting the exportation of goods from firms have been bringing in consider- the commonwealth to Germany, Ausable quantities for some months, The tria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria, World was told, but it was only in unless the consent of the minister of

AUSTRIA'S TAXATION BILL

Vienna, March 2 .- A taxation bill introduced in the national assembly today will provide revenue amounting to 3.231,000,000 crowns. It includes special levy on wealth



# **MOTHERS' PENSIONS** WIDELY DISCUSSED

# Including Those Not Married.

Labor in Toronto is not of one mind relative to Dr. W. A. Riddell's mothers' pensions bill, as already drafted. Some agree that all helpless mothers, barring those who make a living of sacrilege, should be permitted to come within the meaning of the act; others upon this point,

Mrs. Rose Hodgson, secretary of the Toronto Women's Labor League, in conjunction with Mrs. MacGregor, president of the same league, is in full sympathy with any movement humane in principle, and both express the opinion that a mother is a mother no matter under what circumstances. Foreign-born mothers, they believe are as entitled to the provisions as any other widows or helpless mothers. While many of the unmarried mothers might need special treatment, Mrs. Hodgson and Mrs. MacGregor believed that there were unmarried mothers of good principle who would make good mothers, and who should, therefore be given equal rights with the married mothers. Likewise, those mothers whose husbands were in prison. Joseph Gibbons, business manager for the Toronto Street Railwaymen's

Union, believed that ordinary humanity demanded for many unfortunate mothers a chance to make good, but that the question of whether would make good mothers and should. therefore, come within the meaning of the act, was one demanding close attention. Investigation of certain classes of cases was imperative.
All Children Innocent.

dren were innocent before God, and shold not, therefore, suffer for the sins, real or apparent, of their mothers. But, in many cases the govern

ment should be made directly responsble for the care of the children. Labor Varies in Opinion on that decidedly foreign-born mothers should not be permitted to come with-

in the meaning of the act. ion that the act should include all growth and welfare of the associawidowed or helpless mothers, if it was to carry out the best interests of the munity interests of this association coming generation. Exceptions to this and the Federation of British Indus-general rule could be dealt with ac-

the Bricklayers' Union, believed that marriage was among the most sacred products and the sources of and the of institutions, and that he was not ability of Canadian producers to supin accordance with bringing any but ply requisite raw materials to the legitimate widows into the meaning of manufacturers of the United Kingdom. the act.

# WHOLESALE GROCERS CONVENE.

The wholesale grocers of Toronto are holding their second annual convention at the King Edward Hotel. A gates when they arrive in Toronto. membership of 80 was reported and the association was said to be making good progress. President W. P. Eby presided. Three wholesale grocers from Michigan are attending the ses-

O. T. A. CONVICTION QUASHED.

The conviction of Charlie Yep, dom exporters. Kemptville, who was fined \$200 and costs under the O. T. A., was yesterday quashed by Justice Masten, who held that there was no evidence to convict him of participation in the sale of liquor.

### TO INTERCHANGE DATA ON TRADE STATISTICS

A meeting of the executive committee of the Toronto branch of the Canadian Association of British Ex-Controller Robbins believed that Canadian Association of British Dr. Riddell had the right idea, and Manufacturers and their representatives was held last evening at the hould not be permitted to come withnot the meaning of the act.

Walker House, with the president, G.
A. Marshall, in the chair. Considerable business of vital interest to the tion was carried thru, and the comcordingly.

John T. Vick, business manager of regular interchange of trade statissolidated by an arrangement for a tics, the distribution of manufactured Communications were read from the National Union of British Manufacturers, respecting the tour of this country by a delegation from their association, and action was taken with a view to arranging a suitable reception of and entertainment of the dele-

Reports were presented by a number of the trade sections, also by the publicity committee, the latter ing in hand the preparation of a publicity campaign for furthering the objects of the association in Great Britain, and also have in view the publication of a periodical bulletin of trade statistics and other information that should prove valuable to United King-

WANT TO LINK UP.

According to the statement of the promoters, the petition for signatures n connection with the proposed annexation with the city of the portion of York township south of Cronyn avenue, between Pape and Donlands avenues which is closely built in, is being freely signed by the residents, and over 50 per cent. of the ratepay-ers have already affixed their names. ers have already affixed their names. dwellings, at an estimated cost of maintenance of provincial highways, the same as they pay towards the serious and the lings, at an estimated cost of maintenance of provincial highways, namely, 70 per cent.

\$33.600; 8, alterations and additions, namely, 70 per cent.

From June to December, 1919, there inking up with the city sewerage system is keenly desired by the residents, \$222.600. The amount of building in personal injuries were sustained, and

# RIFLEMEN ELECT OFFICERS

The following officers were elected by the Ontario Rifle Association at their annual meeting for that purpose in the armories yesterday morning: President, Sir Edmund Osler; vice-presidents, Lieut.-Col. W. W. White, Lieut.-Col. A. E. Gooderham, Gen. V. A. S. Williams; council, Major T. Murphy, Col. Haig, Sergt. M. H. Lee Capt. C. R. Crowe, Lieut.-Col. J. Bruce, Capt. A. Pain, Col. J. I. McLaren, S. M. Creighton, Lieut.-Col. G. H. Gillespie, S. M. Coldham, Major W. C. King, Major W. H. Williamson. A precedent was established in the election of Mrs. H. D. Warren as a

life member.

# C.N.R. OFFICES MOVE

This notice was served yesterday on employes of the C.N.R. now occurving pointed out that the only item on the offices in the Royal Bank building. statement which might not be supand many of them, it is said, would prefer to remain in Toronto.

Whether this notice indicates that Montreal is to be made the head-quarters of the National Railways is a subject of speculation.

# NEW S. A. APPOINTMENT.

Lieut.-Col. Arthur Smeeton, who lor the past five and one-half years has been financial secretary for the Salvation Army in Canada East, is leaving today for his new appointment. He will be superintendent of the Salva-tion Army Orphanage at Lytton Springs, California.

# YORK TOWNSHIP BUILDING.

The building department reports for towards the maintenance of this road the month of February as follows: 33 the same as they pay towards the February, 1919, was \$124,620.

# **SPEED LIMIT FINES** LESS BY \$12,000

### Municipalities on Toronto-Hamilton Highway Present Annual Statements.

The increased speed limit allowed on the Toronto-Hamilton highway has cost the commission \$12,000-at any rate, they are less that amount in fines for exceeding the limit.

The commission yesterday met rep-TO MONTREAL IN WEEK resentatives of the highway municipalities and submitted this annual "The traffic department of the Can-adian National Railway will move from Toronto to their head office in owing to the increased cost of labor posed to be used for maintenance for any road was that of \$1,726.68 for tarring roads and cracks on the 34.1

miles of concrete.

Mr. Gooderham explained that trees were being placed along the highway at 60-foot intervals.

Wants Links Joined. F. C. Biggs, minister of highways, was present, and hoped the commis-sion had some scheme to connect links

now missing in the highway.

Mr. Gooderham thought it time that the road was carried into Hamilton. The commission should go to work under the act and take it up with the

Railway Board, and see that it is put thru, despite whatever action Hamilton should take. A resolution was passed that the government should be asked to pay