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## BRITISH SEAPLANES RAID GERMAN NAVAL BASE AIRMEN'S PAIDS Cities in Britain, Germany, France, Belgium and Poland Bombed from Hostile Aeroplanes on the Same Day

### BATTLE FOUGHT ON CHRISTMAS DAY MOST SPECTACULAR OF THE WAR

#### U.S. BATTLESHIP THREATENED TO FIRE ON TURKS

Authorities Refused to Allow British and French Consuls to Go.

#### ATTACK ON RESIDENTS

North Carolina's Threat Frightened Mob—Italian Cruiser Under Orders.

#### ITALIAN OCCUPATION OF AVLONA COMPLETE

Perfect Order Has Been Re-Established in Albanian Seaport.

Canadian Press Despatch.  
ROME, Italy, Dec. 26.—News received from Avlona, Albania, says that the occupation of the entire town by Italians has been effected.

All the government buildings in the Albanian seaport were taken over by the Italians. Perfect order, the advices say, has been re-established.

#### RIVAL AVIATORS VIED IN DARING SCOUTING RIPS

British, German and French Airmen Spent a Busy Christmas.

#### CZAR AT BATTLE FRONT

Russians Have Gained Ascendancy in South Poland and Galicia.

#### SEVEN BRITISH NAVAL AIRMEN RAIDED GERMANS AT CUXHAVEN AND REPELLED COUNTER ATTACK

Canadian Press Despatch.  
LONDON, Dec. 27.—A bitter despatch from Athens says it was the United States cruiser North Carolina which threatened to use its guns at Tripoli, Syria.

The North Carolina, conveying the American steamer Virginia had proceeded to Tripoli, and the commander requested the Turkish authorities to permit the British and French consuls to depart with their nationals resident in Tripoli. This request was refused. Several of the French residents boarded the Virginia but were attacked by a mob, who wounded the captain and first officer. The North Carolina then threatened to fire, whereupon the mob fled.

The Virginia, escorted by the North Carolina, left for Desogach, and the North Carolina later proceeded for Smyrna.

Many French refugees, the despatch adds, have already arrived at Piræus.

The cruiser North Carolina, according to a Washington despatch of December 16, proceeded from the island of Rhodes, on the coast of Asia Minor, for Alexandria, to take gold to Jaffa for the relief of Jews in Jerusalem. Jaffa is about 100 miles south of Tripoli.

#### FULL DIVISION OF CANADIANS NEXT FOR WAR

Government Will Send Four More Battalions of Infantry With Second Contingent.

#### FIRST PLAN ABANDONED

By a Staff Reporter.  
OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 27.—The original intention of incorporating four of the 18 infantry battalions now at Salisbury Plain in the second Canadian division has had to be abandoned and a full army division will go as the second contingent from Canada.

Twelve of the eighteen Canadian battalions in England have been included in the first Canadian division, leaving a surplus of six battalions, the 6th, 9th, 11th, 13th and 17th and Princess Patricia's C.I.L. The 6th, composed entirely of detachments of mounted corps, is destined to furnish reinforcements for the Royal Canadian Dragoons, Lord Strathcona's Horse and the divisional squadron of cavalry, the 9th, 11th, 13th and presumably the 17th are to be utilized for providing infantry reinforcements. Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry has been attached to one of the divisions of Lord Strathcona's new army, and the battalions mobilized or about to be mobilized in Canada, four more than was originally calculated will be required to complete the second Canadian division, the infantry portion of which will be reorganized as follows:

4th Canadian Infantry Brigade, Ontario: 18th Battalion, London; 19th and 20th Battalions, Toronto; 21st Battalion, Kingston; 5th Canadian Infantry Brigade, Eastern Canada: 22nd (French-Canadian) Battalion, St. Jean, P.Q.; 24th Battalion, Montreal; 25th Battalion, Quebec; 26th Battalion, John N.B.; 6th Canadian Infantry Brigade, Western Canada: 27th and 28th Battalions, Winnipeg; 29th Battalion, Vancouver; 31st Battalion, Calgary. The 23rd Quebec Brigade is included in the 5th Infantry Brigade.

Similar activity was displayed along the battle front. German airmen paying a surprise visit to France, French aviators to Metz, British to Brussels and other Belgian towns occupied by the Germans and German airmen to Polish cities.

Conflicting Claims.  
As usual, the accounts of the airmen of the damage done differ from those of the occupants of the territory attacked. While bombs were dropped during these flights, most of the flights were made for the purpose of scouting. The allies, who are on the offensive in the west, are naturally desirous of knowing when and where the Germans are moving their reinforcements, the arrival of which at the front has been the signal for many German counter attacks.

Except in the Argonne and Alsace, where the French have made some progress, and outside of artillery practice, the battles in the west for the last two days largely consisted of German attacks to counter those of the allies and to prevent their reinforcements, the arrival of which they had gained.

Czar in Poland.  
In Poland, where the Russian Emperor has joined the Grand Duke Nicholas at the Russian headquarters, the German attacks on the Bzura and Rawa Rivers are being made almost exclusively with artillery, while an offensive in force has been assumed further south along the River Pilica, where hard fighting continues, and both sides claim to have inflicted heavy losses on their opponents.

The Russians apparently have gained ascendancy over the Austrians in South Poland and Galicia. The Austrians themselves admit the loss of the Towns of Jaslo and Krusno, on the South Galician Railway, which their army from across the Carpathians recaptured a week or more ago. The Russian report tonight is the record of a series of victories from middle Poland to the foothills of the Carpathians. Today's report records the capture of 13,500 prisoners and a number of guns. Unless some prisoners have been counted more than once, the Russians, according to their own accounts, have taken 30,000 Austrian prisoners since they resumed the offensive.

#### Official Reports Issued On British Aerial Raid

GERMAN  
Canadian Press Despatch.  
BERLIN, Dec. 27, by wireless to Sayville.—The German admiralty made the following announcement Saturday:

"On Dec. 25, eight British ships made a dash into a German bay. Hydro-aeroplanes, conveyed by them, made an advance against the mouths of German rivers and dropped bombs on ships lying at anchor and a gas tank near Cuxhaven without hitting them or doing damage. The hydro-aeroplanes were fired at and withdrew in a westerly direction. German ships and aeroplanes reconnoitred against the British forces and succeeded in hitting with bombs two British destroyers and one other vessel of the convoy. On the latter fire broke out.

"The attack prevented a continuation of the fighting."

From the reference to Cuxhaven in the German announcement, it would seem that the German rivers indicated, but not named, were the Elbe and Weser. Cuxhaven is a former seaport of Germany, 68 miles west-northwest of Hamburg. It is at the mouth of the estuary of the Elbe. The approximate distance from the English coast to Cuxhaven is 800 miles.

#### Daring Exploit Was Made Under the Protection of Cruisers, Destroyers and Submarines, and Only One of the British Seaplane Pilots is Missing.

#### BRITISH SQUADRON WAS ATTACKED BY ZEPPELINS AND SUBMARINES

#### GERMANS DID NOT KEEP UP THE FIGHT BECAUSE OF DANGEROUS FIRE AND BOMBS DROPPED BY THEM FELL HARMLESSLY INTO THE SEA.

Canadian Press Despatch.  
LONDON, Dec. 27.—(2:10 p.m.)—Assisted by light cruisers, destroyers and submarines, seven British naval airmen, piloting seaplanes, made a daring attack Christmas Day on the German naval base at Cuxhaven, at the mouth of the Elbe. Six of the airmen returned safely, but the seventh, Commander Hewlett, it is feared, has been lost, as his machine was found off Heligoland wrecked.

What damage was done by the bombs thrown by the attacking party could not be ascertained, but the German report of the attack says that the raid was fruitless.

The enterprise of the British navy in thus attempting to "dig out" the German fleet brought about a battle between the most modern of war machines. The British squadron, including the light cruisers Arethusa and Undaunted, which have been engaged in previous operations on the German coast, was attacked by Zeppelins, seaplanes and submarines. By rapid manoeuvring, the ships were able to avoid the submarines, while the Zeppelins found the fire of the cruisers too dangerous for them to keep up the fight.

GERMAN BOMBS FELL INTO SEA.

The German seaplanes dropped bombs, which, according to the British account, fell harmlessly into the sea. The Germans, however, claim to have hit two destroyers and their convoy, the latter being set afire.

The British ships remained in the vicinity for three hours without being attacked by any surface warships, and picked up three of the seven pilots and their planes. Three others were picked up by submarines, but their machines were sunk. Commander Hewlett, it is thought, was drowned.

BOMBS DROPPED ON BRUSSELS.

Another naval airman on Christmas Eve dropped twelve bombs on an airship shed at Brussels, but it was impossible definitely to ascertain the amount of damage done.

It was learned today that the German airman who visited England on Christmas Day dropped a bomb near Rochester, which is only 28 miles east-southeast of St. Paul's, London, and seven miles from Gravesend. The bomb did no damage, as it fell in the roadway.

AIR FIGHT OVER BRUSSELS.

An attack was made by a British aeroplane upon a German airship over Brussels last Thursday, it was announced today by the official press bureau. An aircraft shed was set on fire by six bombs which were dropped from the aeroplane, the statement says.

#### ITALIAN CRUISER READY.

Canadian Press Despatch.  
ROME, Dec. 27.—Instructions have been sent to the Italian cruiser Calabria, which is now at Beirut, Syria, to assist the United States cruiser North Carolina if the necessary should arise as the result of further demonstrations against the departure of Euro-peans from Turkish territory.

The cruiser Tennessee has reached German waters, and the gunboat Scorpion of the United States Navy, which are also looking after American interests in the Eastern Mediterranean, are ready to steam to any place where they are needed, according to reports received here.

#### LOSS OF SUBMARINE RESULT OF STEEL NET

French Craft Caught at Pola Harbor Entrance—One Life Lost.

Canadian Press Despatch.  
LONDON, Dec. 27.—A steel net stretched across the entrance to Pola Harbor, the great naval port of Austria, proved the undoing of the French submarine Curie, says a despatch from the Milan correspondent of Lloyd's News.

In company with other submarines the Curie was attempting to force an entrance into the harbor for the purpose of torpedoing an Austrian squadron. The Curie was caught in the net and penetrated to the harbor bar when she collided with the net. An Austrian merchantman gave the alarm, and the net opened fire. Two shots struck the Curie, which gradually sank. The captain and crew, with the exception of one officer, swim clear and were captured.

#### MINE SINKS STEAMER ANOTHER IS CRIPPLED

Two Dutch Sailors Drowned—British Vessel Limping Into Port.

Canadian Press Despatch.  
SCARBORO, Eng. (via London), Dec. 27, 11:40 p.m.—The Dutch steamer Leersum, from Amsterdam, and the British steamer Gallier, from London, struck mines in the North Sea today. The Leersum foundered and two members of her crew were drowned. The Gallier succeeded in reaching port.

#### CZAR HAS RETURNED TO FRONT OF BATTLE

Canadian Press Despatch.  
PETERSBURG, Dec. 27.—Emperor Nicholas, who left Moscow Christmas evening, has arrived at the battlefield.

"The Chocolate Soldier" Tonight.  
The Whitney Opera Company, with a cast said to possess superior ability, will present the favorite comic opera, "The Chocolate Soldier," tonight at the Princess Theatre.

This charming musical play will be here for the week with regular matinees Wednesday and Saturday, and a special matinee New Year's Day.

#### FRENCH CAPTURE DESTROYER LOST

#### BIG SIEGE GUNS

#### CREW ALL SAFE

Taking of German Trenches Disclosed Formidable Nature of Enemy's Defences in West.

One Lifeboat Smashed Before British Sailors Were Saved Off Scottish Coast.

Canadian Press Despatch.  
ST. ANDREWS, Scotland, via London, Dec. 27, 10:25 p.m.—A British torpedo boat destroyer, went ashore early this morning on the coast of Knap-darvis, six miles southeast of Aberdeen. Her crew was saved by lifeboats.

The destroyer was steaming south from Aberdeen to the Firth of Forth, and in the darkness and without shore lights lost her bearings. After the rescue of a portion of her crew, the lifeboat was stove in by the heavy sea, and the remainder of the crew were saved only after considerable difficulty by a second lifeboat.

#### Canada's Nickel Policy Not Patriotic

The people of Canada will insist on an immediate prohibition of the export of nickel. Germany, by means of a friendly company in the United States, is able to get all she wants for her navy and her armaments and ammunition. Letters of protest are pouring into this office from all quarters. The agitation against German professors was nothing more than a ploy to get our nickel in the life-and-death struggle now going on in Europe.

#### A DANGEROUS POLICY.

Editor World: It is quite apparent that the free export of nickel from Canada is becoming a very serious matter in the minds of all patriotic citizens, notwithstanding the strenuous efforts of the International Nickel Company, through the agency of its paid representatives in Canada, to stem the patriotic movement. Important and influential journals, like The Montreal Journal of Commerce, point out that a fiscal policy which was quite wise a few months ago becomes an unwise, if not a dangerous, policy in times of war. War has changed, it says, the whole aspect of affairs, and what better proof of this can we have than the fact that the Canadian Government has declared nickel contraband of war? And yet, notwithstanding, they permit "contraband" to go out of Canada at the will of a foreign corporation without the slightest restriction. From the beginning of the world to the present day, no country has ever declared an article "contraband of war" and yet permitted that article to go out of the country free, except Canada. The conditions are so awful that they startle the patriotic mind. Without nickel the armament of Germany would cease. Without nickel our Canadian nickel, from the mines of Sudbury, Germany maintains her armament, whereby she kills and slays the soldiers of the empire. These facts are not denied. The Globe, which stands by the International Nickel Company, has to admit in its issue of the 23rd inst. that "a small proportion of the Canadian nickel has reached Germany from the United States." A small proportion? What is a small proportion? As The Star says, and as The Journal of Commerce says, if one ounce is proved to have reached Germany, the export of nickel should be instantly stopped by the strictest embargo possible. Here, then, we have the proof that it is to be done? The Mail and Empire, in its issue of about ten days ago, mentioned the fact that goods were re-exported from Norway to Germany in disguised bulk, and nickel was one of the articles mentioned, and yet the International Company restrains government action by pleading that they give Canada the maximum of protection. Is it surprising that this company so dictates to Canada, when The Globe in its issue of Oct. 22 says:

"That, if the sale of Canadian nickel to Germany were prohibited, there would have to be some means of allowing it to be sold to the United States, because any attempt to prevent that might bring on this country swift and humiliating retaliation."

That is a chilling attitude in a great newspaper! In behalf of the United States International Nickel Company, The Globe warns its readers that any attempt to prevent our raw material crossing the border free might bring on Canada "swift and humiliating retaliation," and so, in view of this threat, Canada must continue indirectly to supply Germany with the armament where-

End of the Year Fur Sacrifice at Dineen's

The public response to the price concessions made by the Dineen Company, 140 Yonge street, during the past few months, has been truly wonderful, and certainly reflects most favorably on the very generous coming for the coming week this house goods further in all-round reductions, for they aim at raising \$1,000 before New Year's Day. Will you share in the enormous sacrifice of profits? When a house with Dineen's reputation makes such price inducements you are safe to step in quick, for even European war conditions are not going to make this firm cast aside its good name acquired by fifty years' honest trading for a few hundred dollars' better showing in this unparalleled war year.

#### LIUT. COL. STEWART WILL HEAD INFANTRY

Major Monroe to Command Only Regiment of Mounted Rifles.

Canadian Press Despatch.  
OTTAWA, Dec. 27.—Lieut.-Col. H. Gordon Stewart, of the 4th Canadian Infantry, has received news of his appointment to command of the infantry regiment to mobilize here for the third contingent. Major W. E. Stewart, of Ottawa, of the 5th, Princess Louise Dragoon Guards, and secretary of the Canadian Cavalry Association, has been appointed to command the regiment of mounted rifles, of which one squadron will mobilize in Toronto and the other two squadrons in Ottawa. This is the only mounted regiment which will go with the third contingent. Lieut.-Col. Stewart is a South African veteran.

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### CONFERENCE OF NEUTRAL NATIONS

#### Europe, Asia and Two Americas May Be Represented.

#### TO STAND ON RIGHTS

#### Venezuela Proposes That Question of Contraband Be Included.

Canadian Press Despatch. WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Venezuela has formally proposed to all the neutral governments in Europe and Asia, as well as the two Americas, that a conference be held in Washington to revise or supplement the rules of international law respecting the rights of neutrals in the present war. The plan provides that the governing body of the pan-American union, consisting of the diplomatic representatives of all the American republics should draft a program from the conference or congress and that the rules finally agreed upon by all the neutrals should in turn be submitted to the belligerents.

Acting under instructions from his government, Dr. Santos A. Domínguez, Venezuelan minister to the United States, has delivered a memorandum to Secretary Bryan and all the diplomatic representatives here of neutral governments in all parts of the globe, outlining in detail the need for the international conference and what it could accomplish.

The Venezuelan proposal would seek not only to define the rights of neutrals in such questions as the presence of belligerent warships in close proximity to neutral shores, but would embrace the entire field of contraband, seizures and detentions, with the idea of reaching a uniform understanding to protect neutral commerce.

### C.P.R. EARNINGS MAKE A POOR COMPARISON

#### British Shareholder Puzzled Over Reason for Relatively Big Decline.

Canadian Associated Press Cable. LONDON, Dec. 27.—A correspondent of The Financial Times writes to know why Canadian Pacific Railway decreases are so bulky out of proportion to those of the sister Canadian line, the Grand Trunk Railway. For October the Canadian Pacific bore receipts of the Canadian Pacific bore the proportion of 69 per cent. to their parent, while the Grand Trunk proportionate decrease was 15 per cent. Then in the same month the net decrease of the Canadian Pacific was as their net receipts decrease was 26 per cent. to their net receipts, while in the case of the Grand Trunk the net receipts decrease was 11 per cent. to their net receipts, as 26 per cent. to their net receipts.

"I notice now," he continues, "that the Canadian Pacific gross receipts for November have been \$1,800,000, a decrease being about 68 per cent. of the receipts, while the Grand Trunk receipts for the same period were \$774,741, and their decrease, 2,161,555, or about 21 per cent. While in November, 1913, the Canadian Pacific traffic reduced to pounds sterling, at 4s per dollar, was nearly three times as great as the Grand Trunk traffic, now, in 1914, it is only a little over twice as great."

### THREE-YEAR-OLD GIRL SCALDED TO DEATH

#### Daughter of George and Mrs. Hardy, Guelph, Fell Into Pail of Boiling Water.

Special to The Toronto World. GUELPH, Ont., Dec. 27.—While playing in the kitchen with another child, Mary, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hardy, 279 Suffolk street, fell backwards into a pail of scalding water and died about twenty-four hours later from shock and burns.

### HINDU THREW BOMB WITH FATAL RESULT

Canadian Press Despatch. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—During services at a Hindu temple near the Panama Pacific Exposition grounds today, an unidentified Hindu threw a bomb, which probably fatally injured one person and seriously wounded a dozen others and wrecked the place. The bomb thrower was killed in the explosion. No cause for the act could be learned.

### Canada's Nickel Policy Not Patriotic

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It might be well, however, before forbidding export and so crippling many legitimate industries in the United States which depend on Canadian nickel—as well as the naval construction program for the United States, a friendly nation—to ask the International Nickel Company to give an undertaking not to sell nickel oxide or nickel to Germany during the war, nor to any agent who might in turn sell for delivery in Germany.

So, then, we must in this terrible crisis, first consider the naval construction of the United States; first consider United States industries, and then take the promise of the International Company—a company which the Krupp is preponderantly interested, and a company composed, in part, of German stockholders—that they won't sell to Germany. A more humiliating suggestion was never made to a free and patriotic people by a journal professing loyalty. What such an undertaking amounts to is seen in the result of the investigation made by the Ottawa expert accountant sent by Canada to the company's works in the United States. "Only a very small proportion of Canadian nickel has reached Germany." (See Globe, 23rd inst.). The company, it seems, in order to soothe the Canadians, invited Canada to send an agent down to their works just to see for himself if the company had exported nickel to Germany. "Come into my parlour," said the spider, as he easily could, put it all over the "fly," and then let the fly return to tell the tale that "only a very small proportion of the Canadian nickel has reached Germany." How much that proportion is can be surmised from the reference in The Mail of a few days ago, to the re-export to Germany from Norway of nickel disguised in bulk. It is very easy for The Globe to tell the allies what to do. In its issue of Oct. 26 it says:

"In one way or another Great Britain and France must prevent the importation of food into Germany and Austria-Hungary, if the war is to be fought to an end as soon and as satisfactorily as might otherwise be the case."

Food must not go into Germany or Austria, says The Globe, but when it comes to the financial interest of a rich United States corporation, they must take the raw material, even the nickel, to be used in the German armament, to be used against the empire. The Globe is quite willing to accept the company's "proof," but (see Globe, Oct. 27) on the question of "oil" it ridicules the notion that Britain should prove the oil to be for German use before diverting it from neutral ports. While accepting proof from the International Nickel Corporation, it points out the folly of proof in the other case. Then in its editorial of the company's interests, The Globe, in its issue of Nov. 20, says:

"It is now shown to be entering Germany, despite such prohibitions, that the Canadian Government would assuredly be justified in taking over and operating the mines till the end of the war, compensating the owners for any losses that might follow."

On what principle should Canada compensate the great United States International Nickel Company for its losses? The company indirectly sells to Germany our nickel, that which Canada declares is "contraband of war," and because it does so, in violation of our laws, they will compensate you for your loss. Verily! Verily! a protective zeal for corporations leads us into strange reasonings. Again, in The Globe of Nov. 9 is found the following:

"Rockefeller holds the key to the situation. His little finger can be more effective in shutting off Germany's supply of petrol than the right arm of Britain's contraband proclamation. Will he let his finger be used to shut off petrol from Germany? Will he let his finger be used to open the avenue by which nickel reaches the enemy? The editor of The Globe of Nov. 9 has been asked by Rockefeller if he had a looking-glass in his private office, and, if so, use it."

The extraordinary attitude of The Globe is all the more surprising to its readers, when we read its references to "copper" (see Globe, Nov. 10), and its statement in that issue that Britain is convinced that copper, oil, petrol and other exports from the United States are destined for use in neutral ports. In the meantime, while Canada withholds its helping hand, the Prime Minister of England says:

"Herewith is the British navy is directed, not to increase its force, but to diminish the trade of any neutral foreign country, but solely to prevent goods from reaching the enemy which would increase his power in the war against the British and the allied forces."

### TO CHASTIZE CITY BECK SEEKS RIGHT

#### Provincial Hydro May Ask More Power to Penalize Disobedient Customers.

PRESENT FINE USELESS

City Can Pay and Go on Singing—Legislation May Be Sought.

The fact that the provincial hydro commission has thus far refrained from imposing a fine on any municipality which has refused to carry out its orders may indicate that a request is to be made for new and more powerful legislation at the approaching session. When the act was amended to allow the commission to enforce the carrying out of its recommendations the idea was to show that obedience was expected in all cases. The right of penalizing was included more in the hope of showing the spirit of the act than in the belief that it would ever become necessary. It is now questioned if the commission should be empowered to remove officials who do not fulfil the recommendations and who therefore may be looking upon an act of defiance as a mere technicality. There has already been talk of such a proposal being brought before the members of the legislature.

It is recognized that if Sir Adam Beck and his colleagues decided to impose a fine on any municipality which refused to carry out its orders, the collection would not be difficult. It is questioned by some, however, if the moral effect would be of much account. There would be little trouble occasioned to a city like Toronto in meeting any such penalty, and if radical differences of opinion existed between local and provincial bodies they might still remain even after the fine was paid. This fact has raised the question of increasing the penalizing authority of the provincial body.

Several other matters are to come before the house when it assembles. The discussion of these and other outstanding problems may help settle, this one.

### OFFICIALS RESIGN PENDING INQUIRY

#### Glaubit and Hunt Will Face Investigation by County Judge.

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Ont., Dec. 27.—As a sequel to the charges preferred against General Manager H. L. Glaubit and Assistant Manager A. O. Hunt of the Public Utilities Commission, these two officials at their own request, were yesterday resigning their offices. The resignations were accepted by the board of directors of the commission, and the resignations will take effect at the close of the year.

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### SENATORSHIP PROMISED TO FRANK J. LALOR, M.P.

Special to The Toronto World. ST. CATHARINES, Dec. 27.—Definite assurance has been received from Ottawa that the appointment of the late Hon. William Gibson, Beamsville, will go to Frank Lalor, M.P. for Haldimand, and that the appointment will be made after a special session of parliament. The Lincoln Conservative Association a few weeks ago petitioned for the appointment of a man from Lincoln, Welland or Haldimand counties.

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### OFFICIAL STATEMENTS

#### FRENCH

The following French official statement was issued by the war office last night: "After having all last night directed a very sharp artillery and infantry fire against our troops stationed at La Solle and in the adjacent trenches, the enemy delivered two consecutive attacks without success."

"We have strongly the trenches captured near Pulastrina. On the heights of the Meuse we have consolidated our occupation of the ground taken near the trench of Garonne."

"Saint Die has been bombed violently from 9.30 o'clock in the morning to noon. Between the sea and the Lys the day was calm and cannonading intermittent."

"In the region of the Aisne and in Champagne artillery duels continued. The region of the Meuse, after a violent bombardment, upon the trenches which he had lost, attempted a violent counter attack, which was repulsed by the fire of our batteries."

"In the Argonne there was slight progress on the south of Saint Hubert. One company was captured, 100 and 100 metres. We bombarded a ravine, forcing the enemy to evacuate several fortifications. Between the Meuse and the Vesdre, to the east of Saint Mihiel, two German attacks against the fortifications of the burnt woods were repulsed."

"A dirigible dropped a dozen bombs on Nancy in the centre of the city and without military result. Our aviators in great numbers bombed the aviation hangars of Frescaux, one of the rail stations of Metz, where movements of trains were realized further progress upon the heights of Metz. In upper Alsace, our troops have repulsed some attacks there."

"In Russia the Germans, who resumed their march upon the Nida, were stopped by the Russian forces. The situation in Poland remained without notable change. The violence of the battles upon the Bzura and the Rawa has diminished. In the Carpathians the battle on the lower Nida. On the whole Galician front the situation remains without notable change. The Russian forces have realized further progress upon the heights of Metz. In upper Alsace, our troops have repulsed some attacks there."

### RUSSIAN

The following official communication was issued from general headquarters last night:

"On the left bank of the Vistula, the general position is without essential change."

"Between the lower courses of the Vistula and the Pilica the fighting on Dec. 26 was of less desperate character, with the exception of one region bordering on the Pilica, where throughout the night and during the day the fighting continued. Likewise, the fighting of a desperate nature on the Nida has been going on along the front of the lower courses of the Nida. In Galicia the fighting along the lines of the Bzura and the Rawa, confined in front of artillery fire. We have repulsed with success various attacks by the enemy."

"Along the lower course of the Nida the village of Wisniewka, near the village of Wisniewka, was obstinately defended, and who attempted to fortify themselves in the village of the Nida. We then drove the Austrians beyond that river."

"South of the Vistula, in the region of the lower courses of the Nida, we drove back the Austrians from the village of Opatow. The enemy abandoned ten rapid-firing and we took 50 officers and more than 25,000 soldiers prisoners. We captured eight machine guns and about 11,000 prisoners. We occupied the heights near Siedlitz, on the left bank of the Biala River."

"In the direction of Dukla (Carpathians) there were engagements on Dec. 25 and 26, and the Austrians, driven from the Zmigrod-Dukla line, are in full retreat. In the latest encounters in this region the Austrians suffered serious losses and left in our hands as prisoners more than 10,000 men."

### GERMAN

An official communication issued Sunday stated that there were no important developments yesterday in Flanders, that the German troops made no successful counter-attack at Albert, and that French attacks on other portions of the line were repulsed."

The statement announces that during the early hours of the night, the French took possession of an important height east of Thann, but were thrown back after a vigorous counter-attack."

In Poland, according to the statement, slight progress was made by the Germans in their attacks on a branch of the Bzura near Rawa, while southeast of Tomaszow a German offensive was continued successfully, and Russian attacks on Inowolka were repulsed, with heavy losses to them."

Among the items given out for publication on the official press bureau are the following:

"While the Germans on the Bzura and along the Pilica Rivers are reported to be advancing, the Austrians appear to be having a hard struggle to maintain their positions east of the Donajec River, although they seem to be holding their own on its lower reaches, and also to be gaining ground steadily in the Carpathians."

"The Servians again are back at the

### An Extravagant Doctor Or a Wise One?

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### YOUNG MAN DROWNED

#### Charles Mahoney Slipped on Ice—Lost Life Before Rescuers Came.

Canadian Press Despatch. WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 27.—Slipping on the ice, Charles Mahoney, 17, of Sandhill East Township, fell into an open well on his parents' farm last night and was drowned before help could reach him. The young man was able to call but feebly for assistance owing to his being rendered partially unconscious thru his head striking the stone wall of the well while falling.

### DANIELS AWAITS CABLE

Canadian Press Despatch. WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Secretary Daniels said tonight that the navy department had not yet received replies to the queries addressed to Captain Omar and Decker of the cruisers North Carolina and Tennessee, respectively, concerning alleged threats to bombard Tripoli, Syria, if British and French consuls were not permitted to depart. He thought the delay in receiving reports was due to the slow and imperfect cable communication thru Eastern Mediterranean countries.

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## VISITORS CROWDED EXHIBITION CAMP

Thousands From Out of Town Went Thru Park Yesterday.

## PLEDGES BEING SIGNED

Special Services Were Held Yesterday — Lectures on Discipline.

Thousands of visitors, many of them from outside points for the holidays, were shown over the military camp at Exhibition Park yesterday afternoon by their soldier relatives and friends. Christmas carols were sung by the camp choir at the morning service, and Christmas songs were played by the camp band. Rev. J. Russell Maclean, divisional chaplain, preached. He emphasized the importance of the fact that all great movements, including battles for human freedom, had religion as their basis. Each man in daily life, as in his military duties as a member of the contingent, had his place to fill. Each should try to serve the other. This was the great message brought home by the Christmas season to all. An impressive Roman Catholic morning service was held in the dairy building.

The auditorium was crowded by over 1200 troops at the Y.M.C.A. service last night. It was addressed by Rev. Perry Park, the young Anglican Y.M.C.A. chaplain, who made such a great success of his portion of the work at Valcartier. He is about to leave for foreign mission work among the native tribes of Northern India.

Over a hundred members of the Second Contingent Christian Endeavor Society held a forty-minute service last night in the Y.M.C.A. recreation rooms. Secretary Hagerman, of the Ontario Y.M.C.A., boys' section, was the leader. Captain George C. Zilman will give an explanation of the latest army supply arrangements in the field, to the officers of the division on Wednesday afternoon.

Special Evening Meetings. Captain East is arranging for a special series of evening meetings, to commence on January 4, and to last for two weeks.

Major H. C. Bickford lectured to the officers of the contingent on Saturday upon "Military History," with a special reference to the Franco-German war of 1870.

Frank Yeich gave an illustrated war talk on Saturday night to over a thousand of the troops. He was of the Y.M.C.A. entertainment committee presided.

Arrangements are being made for a great temperance concert, to be held at the camp early in January, by nineteen members of the Royal Templars and Sons of Temperance. Harry Whitesides, of the Central Y.M.C.A., is conducting a temperance pledge-signing movement at the camp. Over a hundred new signatures to the pledge were made last week on duplicate cards. One card was for the wife, or mother, to be made home by the soldier, and the other retained as a register by Whitesides.

Members of the contingent who belong to Old St. Andrew's Church will be granted leave to attend a Brotherhood reception there tomorrow night. A lecture on Discipline will be delivered by Major-General Lessard, C.B., in the women's building at 5 p.m. today. All officers except those of the 18th and 20th Battalions will be present. Bayonet exercises and musketry drill will be the chief features today.

A special reminder was posted up on Saturday afternoon that the shooting was out of bounds. The regular club members of any other rifle club in the city. Members who joined those who are members of the regular militia are barred. Other conditions are to be as arranged by the club committee.

## PARKDALE RIFLE CHALLENGE.

The Parkdale Rifle Club wishes to arrange a shooting competition, to take place at the armories each Saturday afternoon between ten of its members and ten members of any other rifle club in the city. Members who joined those who are members of the regular militia are barred. Other conditions are to be as arranged by the club committee.

## SOLDIER SHOT AT WIFE DRUNK, MISSED MARK

Pte. Norman Graham Charged With Shooting With Intent to Kill.

Norman Graham, Scotch, 28 years, a private in the 48th Highlanders, is said to have imbibed too much Scotch whiskey Saturday night, with the result that when he reached his home revolver at his wife, Laurina. It is alleged that when he drew his revolver he pulled the trigger twice. But the cartridges did not discharge. The third one did. The bullet passed close his wife's neck. Powder from the discharge burned the flesh.

## FORT GARRY REGIMENT BECOMES CAVALRY CORPS

Canadian Associated Press Cable. LONDON, Dec. 27.—The Sixth Fort Garry Regiment, which arrived here as an infantry battalion, Col. Esterhuysen commanding, has been transferred into a cavalry regiment.

## The Civic Campaign

The number of organizations desiring to vote, but which are unable to do so, is the year despite their high sounding protests that their sole aim is civic welfare and efficient municipal government, seems to be on the increase. It would be impossible for any one man to receive the endorsement of all for any particular candidate who are entirely ignored by these mushroom bodies are to be congratulated in having been left off the "date."

An organization that lives only during the two weeks of the campaign is hardly worth serious consideration as a factor in the civic life of Toronto.

Of all the absurdities perpetrated at election time we recommend the card evil as among the worst. Candidates are compelled to purchase a card, the law is doing it to spend in the aggregate thousands of dollars for printing and posting, and the only result is to make a mockery of the process. Very few read the great, ugly, disgusting signs placed on every vacant store by the dozen, and upon the majority of other store fronts in certain sections of the city, and some of them should have the practice stopped. On one side, in the downtown section, forty cards were counted, under and around the windows; twenty on the other side, in the business streets. They are kept in place by huge tacks driven into the woodwork by gumshoe men who work quietly in the midnight hours. One wonders if the owners of the properties in question should not prosecute the candidates or their agents for malicious destruction of property. Police court prosecution would likely be the portion of a small boy who hurried a snowball thru a window, but he is dozens of bill posters and their men defiling the fronts of hundreds of stores, driving nails in the woodwork, and taking liberties with the property of citizens, and they are allowed to get away with it. The election card evil should be stopped.

This will be one of the busiest nights of the campaign for some of the candidates. The Y.M.C.A. meeting at central headquarters, College street, was the biggest affair yet held in the history of the 1914 campaign, and this year it is expected to be equally as important. The candidates for the aldermanic candidates for the ward will all be there together with the controllers, Mr. McCarthy and Church and the candidates for the board of control. Other meetings include a gathering at Annette street school, West Toronto; a meeting at the Y.M.C.A. at Occident Hall, Bathurst street; Riverdale Temperance Association and a meeting at the Y.M.C.A. at the court. How the candidates are going to cover them all is a mystery still unexplained.

The Globe: Mr. John A. Cooper's frank and reserved declaration that he is now and will be in the future a railway purchase issue was up and down, and will defeat the candidate of the railway, against him. Mr. Cooper should make an excellent alderman, and the second ward should elect him. Dr. Wickham is a candidate for the third ward, and he is elected. The third seat as a special representative of the north end in council.

As a debater Ald. Maguire has no superior in the council, he is careful in marshaling his facts and his presentation is convincing. It will be difficult to supplant the grip which the alderman has in the council, and his return to the 1915 council, assured. The strength which Alderman Maguire has developed has been gained by a steady and consistent record in the city's business, and has not been gained by social sacrifices in the interest of Sam McBride Ward Three has a strong team.

Meetings of the Catholic Municipal Association were held in the various parishes through the city yesterday, and candidates for council, board of control and the mayoralty were endorsed. It is the first year in which the Catholics of Toronto have organized a sufficient number of voters to make their own choice. The association was only a couple of weeks ago, and is hardly self felt this election. It is to be hoped that the normal Catholic vote in Toronto is approximately 8000, but it is claimed that this could be doubled by proper organization.

Never before have the various candidates made such a determined effort to capture the Jewish vote. It is to be hoped that the Jewish citizens of Toronto will exercise their franchise on election day in a valuable lesson in citizenship. The people of the ghetto are only too ready to pay their obligations of citizenship in the booths. There is a larger percentage of Jewish votes cast every year than can be accounted for by any other section of the community. That many of the candidates place a proper value on the vote is indicated by the number who are printing their cards along it is estimated that 1800 Jewish voters go to the polls. In Four Five and Seven the vote is also a factor to be reckoned with.

Geo. Wellings writes to deny a report appearing in a contemporary that he has retired from the aldermanic race in ward one. He is a candidate for the office and will go to the polls with the endorsement of the Trades and Labor Council.

G. A. Archibald, who is out for the board of education in ward six, is a son of Deputy Chief Archibald, a barrister by profession, and a man of the type that Toronto requires on such an important body. He is a young man, 32 years of age, and if hard campaigning will win a place on the board next year he will be heard from.

Donald MacGregor is devoting every energy to his ward six aldermanic campaign and is supremely confident of the issue. A resident of Toronto since his fourth year, he has spent fifteen years of his life in the district. He knows the needs of the ward six and other public bodies, has been chairman of Victoria Presbyterian Church for seven years, has

## TOWER AND BELLS WERE DEDICATED

Memory of Rev. H. Sostly and Daughters of Alderman Dunn Honored.

Yesterday morning at St. Barnabas Church, corner of Front and Green streets, Rev. Bishop Reeve dedicated the Sostly memorial tower and the Dunn memorial chimes. Special prayers were rendered and Bishop Reeve took for his text the following passage from the 118th psalm: "The Lord has been pleased to us and he will bless us." He spoke of the year that has just passed and reviewed the work of the past and their influence and the outlook for the Christian in the coming year.

The children were donated by Ald. Dunn, in memory of his two daughters Edith and Gertrude, who for many years were prominent workers in St. Barnabas Church. The tower was erected by the congregation in memory of Rev. Henry Sostly, who was assistant rector, Rev. L. B. Vaughan, for five years. Rev. H. Sostly was a retired clergyman who gave his services to the church gratuitously for five years.

Large property interests in the ward, and is running on a straight business man's candidate.

Among the element who like to have elections, substantial odds are now offered by anything up to a majority of five thousand. A week ago little better than even money could be had on the result. Joe Thompson is generally picked as the winner who will head the board of control vote. There is lively speculation as to the outcome in ward three.

A correspondent writes, saying there is a very general impression that Jos. E. Thompson, board of control candidate, is a bachelor, and he asks The World to set him right. Mr. Thompson is married, and he has a daughter, the daughter of a prominent public man, but has been a widower for several years.

Joe Gibbons looks like one of the men to secure one of the aldermanic vacancies in ward six. He will get not only the solid labor vote, but has the endorsement of many business men and other citizens of the ward, who believe that the business agent of the union, Mr. Gibbons, would be a valuable man to have on the board of control. He has filled many responsible positions of a similar nature.

The name of Dr. Caroline S. Brown was inadvertently omitted from the Sunday World as a candidate for the board of education in ward five. Dr. Brown is well known, and is in the field to stay.

## ORDEAL WILL PURGE BRITISH CHARACTER

War to Exercise Wholesale Influence of Discipline on Millions of Britons.

Canadian Associated Press Cable. LONDON, Dec. 28.—The British character is being purified by the ordeal of war, and the influence of discipline on millions of Britons.

Never before has it been possible to subject so large a proportion of the people to the wholesale influence of a strict discipline, voluntarily and cheerfully endured at the call of patriotic duty; never before have millions of men at the most impressionable period of their lives, been brought under the influence of religious influences, undisciplined and careless indifference of olden days were replaced by the more serious aspects of human life, and were not millions of Englishmen fought on the continent of Europe. The British armies of olden days were comparatively small in numbers, and were composed of representatives of all classes as they are today, consequently when the war was over and they returned home their influence was not great.

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Canadian Press Despatch. WINNIPEG, Dec. 27.—Nicholas Sawliff, vice-president of the Ft. William Elevator Co., and a prominent member of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange, died Saturday night rather suddenly. Mr. Sawliff, who was 60 years old, was one of the pioneer settlers of the city.

## BACK TO PARIS.

Canadian Press Despatch. PARIS, Dec. 28.—The French war department, which is still in Bordeaux, will return to Paris Jan.

## H. H. BALL

In his canvass as Aldermanic Candidate for WARD 2 has found that there is an opinion that the city's financial standing and the Hydro-Electric position are not as clearly defined as they might be, and he undertakes if elected to try and unravel what seems now to be somewhat of a mystery.

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EUROPEAN SAILINGS

Halifax and St. John. Two trains leave Montreal Union Depot. Montreal, Dec. 28, 1914. SS. Nippon Maru, sail on accommodations at reduced rates, Saturday, Dec. 26, 1914.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

Annie Russell will appear at the Princess Theatre Monday night, Jan. 1, for a week's engagement in "The Girl with the Red Rose".

ADANAC QUARTET

Musical Toronto is agog with anticipation over the forthcoming concert of the Adanac Quartet at the Massey Hall on New Year's Eve (Jan. 1).

NEW YEAR'S CONCERT

The plan of Mr. Campbell's concert at Massey Hall on New Year's Eve is to open this morning at the hall, and at Nordheimer's music store, Mr. Campbell claims he never had such a strong array of artists, nor so fine a program, as he will present on this occasion.

ERNEST SELTS, PIANIST

There is every indication that when Ernest Selts makes his first professional appearance as a piano artist in Massey Hall on Jan. 20, he will be greeted by the most critical and at the same time the most fashionable audience that ever honored the premiere of a young Canadian artist.

COLLEGE HEIGHTS RATEPAYERS MEET

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TEN LIVES TAKEN BY GERMAN BOMBS. Deadly Missiles Fall at Nancy and Sochaczew in Poland.

SUNDAY WORLD NEWS

German Airman Fell Into Sea—Fall of Przemysl is Imminent. PARIS, Dec. 26.—A despatch received here from Nancy says that a Zeppelin airship flew over that city early this morning and dropped a total of 14 bombs. Two persons were killed and two others wounded.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

Notice is hereby given that Dominion Lodge No. 454, L.O.M., carrying on business as a Lodge in the City of Toronto, has assigned to the undersigned the benefit of its creditors. All parties having claims against the Lodge are required to file proof of same with the undersigned without delay.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

The sole head of a family, or any male over sixteen years of age, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Application must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency) on certain conditions.

British Officer Dead

LONDON, Dec. 26.—Gen. Sir George Kelly-Kenny, formerly Adjutant-General of the British force, is dead.

RECORD-BREAKING DEAL IN THOROBRED CATTLE

Cream of America's Live Stock Change Hands at Winnipeg. Canadian Press Despatch. WINNIPEG, Dec. 26.—What is probably the greatest cattle deal ever consummated in America was put thru this past week, when Yule & Howe of Calgary purchased 120 head of Shorthorn cattle, comprising the H. L. Zimmerman herd at Oak Bush, Man. These cattle represent the cream of live stock of all America, and include Gainsford Marquis, the champion bull of all America, and Winnipeg champion in 1914.

TRAVELERS GIVE BIG SUM TO AID RED CROSS

The Commercial Travelers' Association of Canada, at its annual meeting on Saturday, put thru a proposal to establish a trust fund of \$15,000 to be set aside for the purchase and maintenance of 100 cots under the auspices of the association in the Red Cross Hospital recently set up near Waterloo Station in England.

Gen. Lessor Will Speak

All the commissioned officers at the 25th Infantry Camp, except those of the 19th and 20th Infantry Battalions have been ordered to assemble in the women's building at the camp on Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock. They will be addressed by Major-General Lessor on the subject of "Discipline."

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MONDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 28

Making a Slate

Making a slate is one of the interesting occupations of a municipal election in which The World has not indulged for some years past.

There is also the difficulty that when a slate is made it may arouse antagonism against the men it is intended to favor.

Then there is the difficulty when a platform of good candidates divides the judgment. There may be half-a-dozen to fill three places.

Another feature of the slate policy is that when a candidate is selected the authors of the slate big his hand all year and bound his life out if he does not follow their demands.

On the other hand, any candidate that serves the public honestly and truly, who keeps his independence and self-respect, who supports the principles of public service, which The World has committed to and identified with, for years, need never doubt.

The German Method in Civic Politics

German methods of diplomacy permit deceit and falsification of every description. A professedly patriotic evening contemporary has adopted the German method in full municipal campaign purposes, and distorts, manipulates, and falsifies as it happens to think that a weak cause may be served thereby.

SCANDINAVIA CLUB WILL DANCE.

The Scandinavian Club gives a Christmas social and dance at the corner of College street and Euclid avenue, tonight.

DAN HERE TO GO TO FRISCO.

Dan Pierce, the well-known manager of the Star Theatre, was yesterday elected representative of the Theatrical Association of Toronto, at the convention in San Francisco in July of next year.

STILL PLAYING LEAP FROG IN POLAND SNOWS

year \$7,650. This is simply because the fixed assessment has come to an end, and something nearer the true value has been placed upon the property.

Another phase of misrepresentation of tax affairs consists in the manipulation of the total debt figures, and the amount per capita.

Had Controller Church and his backers had their way, the middle of two years ago would have been continued.

The Artists' Charity

A splendid effort to help the Patriotic Fund has been made by the artists of Canada.

The exhibition will be held for one week in each of the following cities: Toronto, Winnipeg, Halifax, St. John, Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, London, and Hamilton.

DR. CAROLINE BROWN LEFT OUT.

By an oversight the name of Dr. Caroline S. Brown was omitted from the list of candidates for the board of education, as published in The Sunday World.

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CANADA'S CHANCE GREATEST EVER

Hon. Robt. Rogers Makes Inspiring Address Before Winnipeg Club

Ever-Abiding Protection of Empire to Guard Sea Pathways

(From Manitoba Free Press, Winnipeg.) Hon. Robert Rogers was the guest of honor at a luncheon in the Adanac Club yesterday.

"There was only one place for the Canadian people in that great crisis, and we selected that place in that wider field of operations where the destinies of our country and of its future are to be decided.

"In the present day, and in the present hour, there is no need, it is true, for alarm as to the possibilities of that great empire becoming crippled.

"When we look around, who is there that is at all a student of our conditions that does not recognize in our future the greatest opportunities that any country in the civilized world ever had presented to them?

ISLAND OF SAKHALIEN NOT CEDED TO JAPAN

Russian Government Makes Absolute Denial of Report From Berlin.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) PETROGRAD, Dec. 27.—The Russian Government has authorized the most categorical manner the statement that Russia has ceded to Japan half the island of Sakhalien in exchange for heavy artillery.

LABOR FIGHTS RETAIL MERCHANTS' SECRETARY

Detect Treachery in E. M. Trowern's Circular and Plan Accordingly.

The secretary of the Trades and Labor Council moved at a meeting of delegates Saturday at the Labor Temple that the executive committee be instructed to draw up a suitable resolution condemning the action of E. M. Trowern, secretary of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada.

The meeting ended with the unanimous vote that the resolution of condemnation be given full publicity.

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Homing Pigeons

The Riverside Homing Pigeon Club held their annual Christmas Day race from Sunnyside, the most successful for years. A strong northeast wind blew, and the birds made the time slow.

BALMY BEACH GUN CLUB

The regular weekly shoot of the above club was held on their grounds, Eastern Avenue, on the above date. A large number of members and friends were present.

ON THE BRUNSWICK ALLEYS

Turkey rolling was the feature on the Brunswick drives last week. Many good scores were put up by the boys.

BALMY BEACHERS ENTERTAIN

Tonight at 8 o'clock in the dairy building at the Exhibition grounds the Balmy Beach minstrels, under the direction of T. Harland Fudge will give a performance for the members of the second contingent.

FOUND GUN IN PRISONER'S POCKET

After arresting Sam Lampros, 26 years, 35 Wilton avenue, yesterday for starting in O'Keefe's lane, Officer 103 found that his prisoner was carrying a loaded revolver.

THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Dec. 27.—(10 p.m.)—A few light local snowfalls or flurries have occurred in all provinces, but the weather has been for the most part fair, and in Ontario and Quebec not so cold.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 12 below; 6 below; Vancouver, 40, 49; Kamloops, 21, 32; Edmonton, 19 below; 14 below; 14 below; 4; Calgary, 6, 20; Moose Jaw, 19 below; 6; Regina, 24 below; 10; Winnipeg, 18 below; 4; London, 0, 20; Toronto, 11, 24; Ottawa, 16 below; 20; Montreal, 10 below; 19; Halifax, 4 below; 18.

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STREET CAR DELAYS

Saturday, Dec. 26, 1914. 3:00 p.m.—Bloor and Yonge, sleigh stuck on track; 5 minutes delay to northbound Yonge and Dupont and Avenue road cars and westbound Belt Line cars.

BIRTHS

HUNT—At 20 Glen avenue, on Christmas Day, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Hunt, a daughter.

DEATHS

FUNERAL to Humboldt Cemetery on Monday, at two o'clock, from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Stanley Johns, 163 Western avenue, 71.

SILVER WEDDING

An interesting event took place on Saturday, Dec. 26, at 227 Woodbine avenue, when Mr. and Mrs. W. Knowles celebrated their silver wedding.

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SOCIETY

His honor the lieutenant-governor will receive at Government House on Friday, Jan. 1, from 4:30 to 6 o'clock.

The Right Hon. Sir Robert Borden left Ottawa for Winnipeg on Saturday.

On Tuesday evening, at the private view of the Canadian Artists' Patriotic Fund Exhibition, the national committee of the Patriotic Fund will be the hostesses.

Miss Mabel Bruce is paying some visits in New York, and will be away for a week or two.

The marriage took place very quietly on Christmas Eve in the Church of St. George the Martyr, the Rev. R. J. Moore, officiating.

Dr. E. H. Wolcott, Rochester, N.Y., spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wolcott.

Major and Mrs. Basil White have taken a house in Jameson avenue for the winter.

Mr. Alex. Cecil Gibson has been granted a commission in the 9th Battalion of the Bedfordshire Regiment.

Mr. Gerald Grant-Settle of the Royal Canadian Regiment is stationed at St. George's, Bermuda.

Mrs. Lapham is in town from New York, staying with her mother and brother, Winchester street.

Mrs. Willie Hope is giving a dance for young people in Montreal tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. James Henderson are spending two months in Vancouver.

Mrs. John Malone, president of the Loretto Alumnae Association, is giving a luncheon and musical at Loretto Abbey for the Sisters of Loretto on Thursday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock.

A birthday party, concert and dance under the auspices of the Ladies of the St. John's Nursery and Children's Home will be given in the Orange Hall, Euclid avenue and Colborne, on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Miss Catherine Proctor, star of the Fleming Film Company, New York, is in town over the holidays.

The Queen City Yacht Club is giving a Christmas tree on Tuesday evening, with cards and dancing.

Funeral from above address Tuesday, Dec. 29, at 2 p.m. Interment at St. James Cemetery.

JEFFERY—At Port Perry, Sunday, Dec. 27th, 1914, Mary Ann, wife of Nicholas Jeffery, and mother of Mrs. James Richards, Orono, and Mrs. Geo. J. J. Toronto, in her 73rd year.

Funeral Tuesday, Dec. 29th, to Blackstock, Ont.

KNIGHT—Sunday, Dec. 27, at his residence, 159 Yonge street, Thomas H. Knight, aged 44 years.

Funeral service at Christ Church, Deer Park, on Tuesday, Dec. 29, at 2:30 p.m.

NELSON—After a short illness, at his residence, 466 Summerhill avenue, Jeremiah Nelson, sr.

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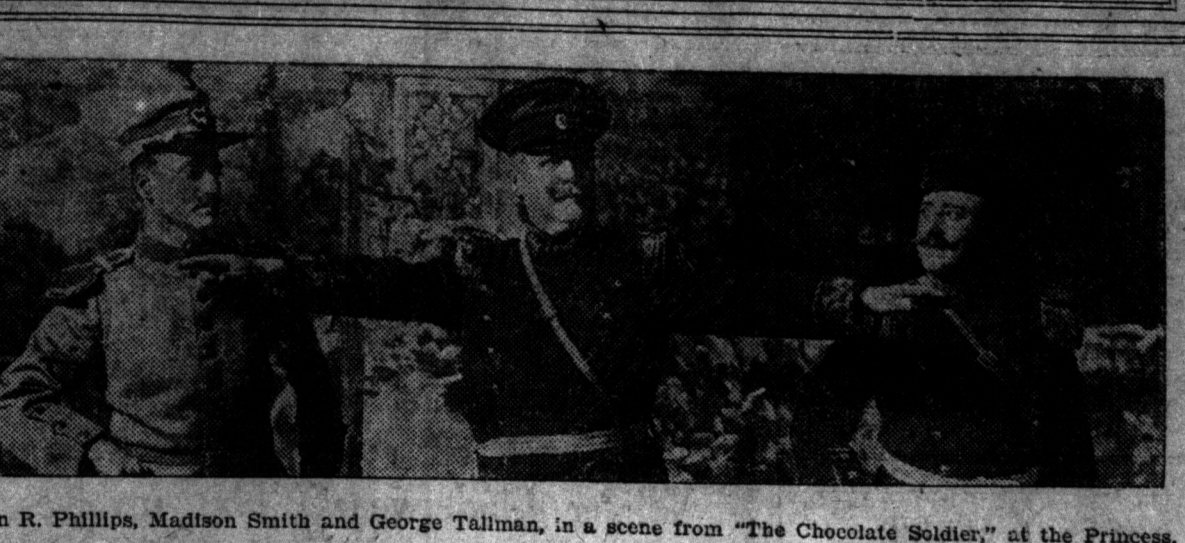
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THIS WEEK'S ATTRACTIONS AT THE THEATRES



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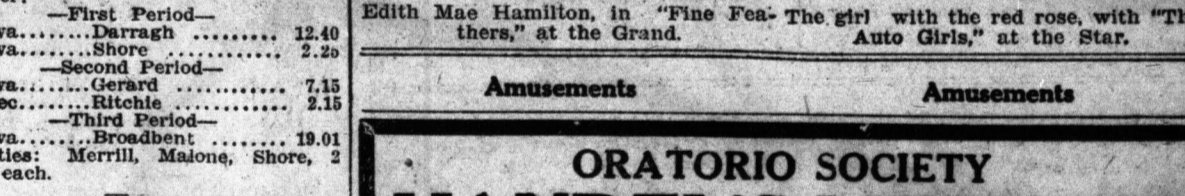
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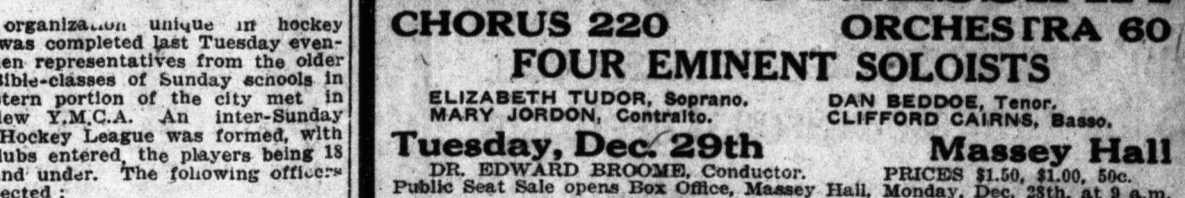
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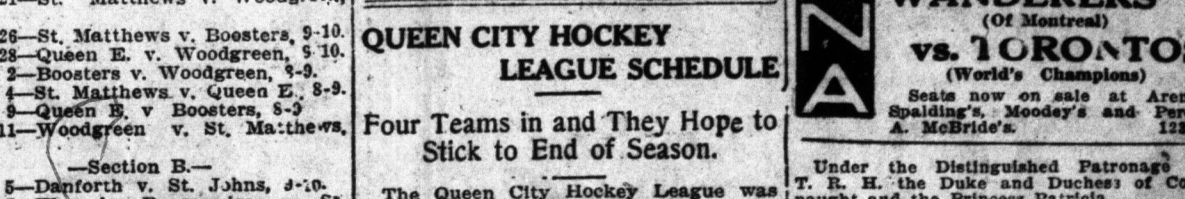
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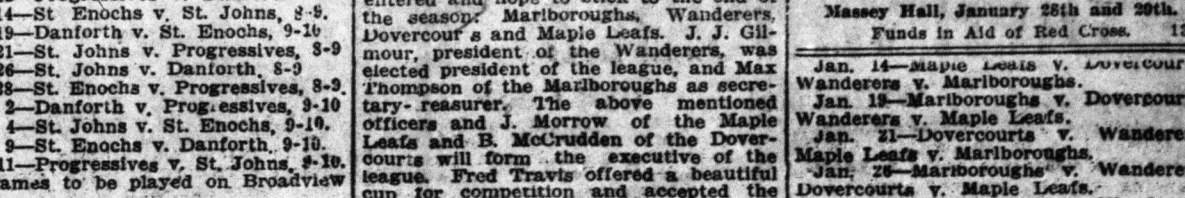
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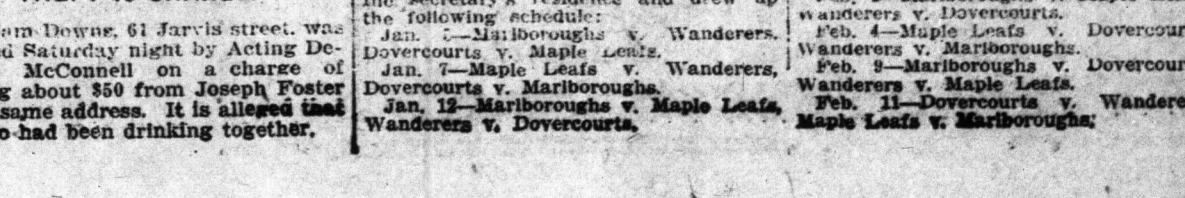
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Amusements

The New Canadian World PIANIST ERNEST SEITZ (IN REGALIA) Massey WED., JAN. 20 8.15 p.m. Seats Go on Sale at the Hall Thurs., Jan. 14th

PRINCESS THIS WEEK Mats. Wed., New Year's Eve and Thursday The Whittier Opera Company in the sparkling Comic Opera, 'The Chocolate Soldier' Next Week MATINEES WEEK MONDAY, DEC. 28th ANNIE RUSSELL IN A NEW ENGLISH-AMERICAN ROMANTIC COMEDY, 'His Royal Happiness'

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JOE'S WINTER GARDEN SEATS RESERVED This Week—The Four Original Team Comedy Dancers! Showman, Dan & Ed. EDWARD ABLES—'READY MONEY'—A VIOLIN REQUIEM—DARE AUSTIN & CO. RAYMOND & BEIDER Harry and Augusta Turpin; Santa Cruz, Shadograph; Carl Carlton; Bill and Norman; 'Feeling a Little' 'Wish'; 'Two Mutual' Comedies.

ALEXANDRA NEW YEARS MAT. 7 P.M. A Successful Comedy Drama, 'THE THINGS THAT COUNT' Nights and New Year's Mat., 8 to 10.15. Three and a half hours. Mat., 10.15. Dec. 28th. Next Week—Gilbert & Sullivan Opera Co.

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ADANAG Quartette HOLLINSHED, BLIGHT, DIXON, McDONALD, Messelberg, Pianist. New Year's Night, Jan. 1st COLUMBUS HALL. Plan at Northlander's now. BELGIAN RELIEF.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE Mats. Wed., 2:30 & 8:30 Holiday Mat. Fri., New Year's Eve. FILE First Time Here at Our Prices. FEATHERS Next Week—'Felix O'Hara'.

STAR THE AUTO GIRLS Next Week—Garden of Girls.

GAYETY DAILY MATS. LADIES' NIGHT BEN WELCH—NEW SHOW Next Week—'Society Baroque'.

Ex-Amateur Scored Quebec's Only Goal

There was no hockey action in the city on Saturday. The only notable event was the scoring of a goal by an ex-amateur player for the Quebec team during a game in Montreal.

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL LEAGUE IS FORMED

An organization unique in hockey circles was completed last Tuesday evening, when representatives from the older boys' Bible classes of Sunday schools in the eastern portion of the city met in Broadway Y.M.C.A.

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RIV. RD. ARENA RINK ICE SKATING

EVERY EVENING THIS WEEK with skates also every evening except Monday and Tuesday. Skating until midnight New Year's Eve. Come in out of the cold.

QUEEN CITY HOCKEY LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Four Teams in and They Hope to Stick to End of Season. The Queen City Hockey League was on Saturday night reorganized for the season of 1914-15. The following clubs have entered and hope to stick to the end of the season: Marlboroughs, Wanderers, Dovercourt and Maple Leafs.

ARENA HOCKEY

WEDNESDAY WANDERERS (OF MONTREAL) vs. TORONTO (WORLD'S CHAMPIONS) Start now on sale at Arena, Spalding's, Mooney's and Percy A. McBride's.

THEFT IS CHARGE

William Downie, 61 Birch street, was arrested Saturday night on a charge of stealing about \$50 from Joseph Foster of the same address. It is alleged that the two had been drinking together.



Torontos, Wanderers, Ottawa, Won Opening Games in N.H.A.

ONTARIOS NO MATCH FOR WANDERERS

Visitors From Montreal in Fine Form for Opening N.H.A. Game at Arena.

The N.H.A. season is open and if Saturday night's contest that Wanderers outfit is going to take a lot of beating. The attendance was about 3000. The Montrealers are just about as near a perfect team as any man would wish to see, and the local Ontario could never solve them, hence the 11 to 6 victory for the flying squad from the east.

The early season form of the Wanderers as the team to beat. They are all that. Where they had over the Ontario was on the forward line. Hyland, Odie Cleghorn and Roberts, three big strong skaters, made a grand defence. The Wanderers were just right at all times. This could not be said of the Ontario. Several Cleghorn and Goldie Rodgers, a wonderfully improved player over last season, made a grand defence. The only weak spot the visitors showed was in goal. This was never very noticeable owing to the fact that the men in front kept the Ontario well out, and the goaler was never busy.

Ontario would come up the ice spread out, but either passed too close in or made it wild. O. Cleghorn, Hyland and Roberts broke up many a play with accurate checking, and after time took the puck right off an Ontario forward's stick.

Lesieur Blouin Form. Lesieur Blouin started in the nets for the Ontario, but after getting a crack on the leg on the first shot, was away below form. He let four long shots slip by him and finally gave way to Heeson. Howard McNamara looked far from confident. He was heavy and his rushes looked the old-time dash. Brother George was better. In the early rounds the Ontario defence kept closing up and Wanderers worked in close and then passing to the side and there was only the goaler to beat. Seloum did the Dynamo Twins use the body.

Tommy Smith is just a trifle shy on condition. He went for a goal, but Denny and Skinner didn't get the hang of things at the start, and failed to feed him at the goal mouth. The Wanderers youngsters were green, and the Wanderer forwards knew how to foot them. Denny and Skinner will improve, and they learned a lot Saturday night.

In six-minutes hockey the forwards take the shortest route to the nets to score goals, but the Ontario forwards of the Ontario were just a trifle shy on the tricks and did a lot of needless circling. They only checked back in spots. Wanderers broke fast and generally with that man across the ice. They left the Ontario forwards behind and only had the defence to beat.

It was a sound that had team-work to perfection against six men that hardly knew each other's style of play. Andy Kyle Sparked. The goal boy got a chance in the last period, when George McNamara retired. He lived things up with his rushing and earned a check. Roman needs more work to put him in the pink. He is a beautiful stick-handler.

With Lesieur below form, the Wanderers slipped thru some easy ones in the first period, and for forty minutes it was a procession. Wanderers got a goal whenever they felt like it, and the Ontario forwards were hopelessly out of class.

It was only in the final round that the locals showed to the best advantage. They checked well and were on the ice long enough to learn at what distance to pass. They backed up the Wanderers on many occasions, and had the better of the play. The final scores were 4 to 1, 8 to 2, and the final 11 to 6.

Teamwork will do wonders for the locals, and on their appearance they should look much better. The Teams: Wanderers (11)—Goal, McCarthy; point, S. Cleghorn; cover, Rodgers; centre, Hyland; right, O. Cleghorn; left, Roberts. Ontario (6)—Goal, Lesieur; point, H. McNamara; cover, G. McNamara; centre, Smith; right, Skinner; left, Denny. Referee—Dr. Billy Wood, Judge of play—Lou Marsh.

The changes: First period—Roman for

Canadian Oarsmen At Ch Rity Regatta

LONDON, Dec. 27.—(C.A.P.)—The following Canadian oarsmen assisted the Richmond charity regatta on Saturday: H. Thirney, H. Johnson, A. H. Gilmore, E. Stevier, J. McNair, H. Gilvin, A. E. Muir, Geoffrey Taylor, H. Cole, A. Sinclair. Both the principal events were won by H. T. Blackstaff of England after fine performances by all the competitors.

HOCKEY SCORES

NATIONAL HOCKEY ASSOCIATION. Toronto.....4 Canadiens.....3 Wanderers.....11 Kew Beach.....2 Ottawa.....4 Quebec.....1

EXHIBITION.

St. Nicholas.....7 Toronto Variety.....6 Ottawa College.....8 Boston A. C.....2 Cleveland A. C.....1 K. Frontenac.....0 St. Joseph.....5 Kew Beach.....2 Don R.C.....2 St. Francis.....2 Ottawa Aber.....1 Hull.....1

HOCKEY GOSSIP.

Aura Lee will practise tonight at Riverdale Rink from 6.30 to 7.30. The Riverdales won an exhibition game at Newmarket on the holiday by 4 to 0.

Sammy Lichtenheln, owner of the Montreal Baseball Club, and of the Wanderer Hockey Club, promises to appear in a new role in Toronto this week. He is anxious, like other sportsmen, to see control, and has offered to address any meeting in his native tongue that Joe might name on Tuesday or Wednesday night. Mr. Thompson has received endorsement of many local athletic bodies throughout the city, and is making progress everywhere among those interested in sport.

At Cleveland—The Frontenacs of Kingston were defeated again Saturday night by the Cleveland Athletic Club at Cleveland. The score was 1 to 8.

At New York the St. Nicholas hockey team of New York defeated Toronto University, seven to six, Saturday night, a game requiring two extra periods.

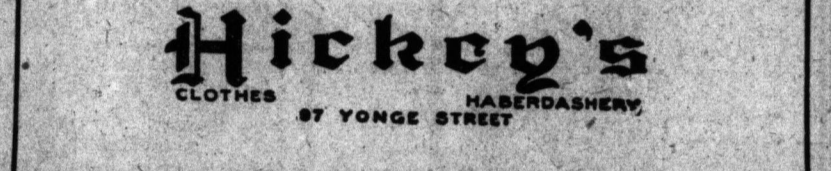
At Boston, the University of Ottawa hockey team easily defeated the Boston Athletic Association hockey team Saturday night, by the score of 8 to 2.

St. Josephs of the Beaches League practise at 7 tonight at the Broadway rink.

Black Rocks of Buffalo Beat West End Y. 36-34

Men's Winter Underwear 25% Off

THIS morning we offer you 25 per cent. off every line of Men's Winter Underwear. This involves the product of the best makers, and includes combination and two-piece garments. Every size, weight and fine quality is represented in our stock.



TORONTOS WINNERS FROM CANADIENS BLACK ROCKS WON FROM WEST END Y

Champions Showed Superior Condition and Combination in Opener.

MONTRÉAL, Dec. 27.—Showing superior condition and combination play were the champions Toronto, who played their first match of the N.H.A. schedule season when they trimmed Canadiens at the arena Saturday night, 4 to 3, after a gruelling contest. The quality of hockey served up by the champions and runners-up of a year ago was surprisingly good for the first of the season and did not drag at any time. The players cut out a killing pace in the early stages, and the Frenchmen had to make frequent changes in an effort to keep the team on the ice at all times. This was where the winners had the edge on the locals, as they were able to send in substitutes than the Canadiens.

Three newcomers to the ranks of the N.H.A. figured in the game, two being the newcomers on the Frenchmen's line—Jean and J. J. Smith, who played their first game with the Coast League, and Belmont, who played with the Montreal team last year ago played with the Port Arthur, who was secured by the Canadiens, when that player was released for a minor fault.

Teams and Summary. Canadiens (11): Goal, Vesine; defence, Dubau, Lavolette, Smith, Gardiner; centre, J. Smith. Toronto (11): Goal, Holmes; defence, Marshall, Cameron, Wines, Wilson, Walker; centre, Foyston. Westwick Judge of play: Johnny Brennan.

First Period: 1. Canadiens.....3.00 2. Toronto.....2.25 3. Toronto.....9.25 Second Period: 4. Toronto.....1.15 5. Toronto.....1.10 6. Toronto.....1.10 Third Period: 7. Canadiens.....3.40 8. Toronto.....1.10 Penalties: Foyston 1 minor, Cameron 1 minor, Scott 1 minor.

OTAWA, Dec. 27.—In an exhibition game at the arena last night, the Abernethy defeated the Hull team of the Ontario Hockey Association, champions, by 11 to 0. The first half of the game was played under N.H.A. rules, and the second with seven men per side.

INDOOR ATHLETICS AT MOSS PARK. The indoor athletics brought out a good field of contestants at Moss Park on Saturday evening, and from the showing made by the boys in the several classes, Moss Park will be heard from before the season ends in the monthly playground meets.

The broad jump and the hop, step and jump were the events contested. McMinn and Jordan showing splendid form, both of these boys clearing the 3 and 24 foot marks. The intermediates and juniors also made good records. The summary: Broad Jump: Juniors—1, Boland; 2, J. Johnson; 3, G. Duckworth. Intermediates—1, S. Hogarth; 2, S. Nugent; 3, J. Burton. Seniors—1, J. McMinn; 2, E. Jordan; 3, H. Golden.

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The holiday week Basketball League will be started today. The juvenile games will be played each afternoon, and the juniors, intermediates and seniors will play their games each evening. The representative of the hockey teams to represent Moss Park in the various divisions of the Playground League is well established, with practice hours allotted each team. The league will start during the first week of the new year.

PARKDALE F.A.C. BOWLING LEAGUE STANDING. Team. Won. Lost. Pct. Argyle, L.O.F. 4 1 .80

OPENING GAMES RIVERDALE RINK

St. Josephs Beat Kew Beach, Dons and St. Francis Tie—Exhibition Games.

Two good exhibition games, played by teams from the Beaches Hockey League were seen at the initial opening of the Riverdale Hockey Rink. The new arena in the east end had a splendid sheet of ice and the lighting is excellent. Both games were fast, and the new rink of twenty minutes three ways had both teams working tooth and nail to win.

The first game was, possibly, the best. St. Josephs won out by the score of 5 to 4 after a nip-and-tuck finish. Kew Beach, however, coming hard at the final bell, but they lacked one goal. In the first half they showed better combination, but in the second half Hill broke away often and combined well on the forward line. Hill Brown was always up on the play for east enders. The teams lined up as follows:

St. Josephs (9)—Goal, Sullivan; defence, Arthur and Perry; rover, Hill; centre, Powers; right wing, Howarth; left wing, Quinlan. Kew Beach (4)—Goal, Lafleur; defence, Maxwell and Riddell; rover, St. Clair; centre, Thompson; right wing, Ferriman; left wing, E. Randall; spares, Bennie, Williams, Raine.

Referee—Law Brown. The second game saw Don Rowing Club tackle St. Francis and they played to a tie of 2 to 2. Both teams were battling from the start, and it turned out to be a strenuous game. The teams had both a, a strenuous game. The teams had both a, a strenuous game. The teams had both a, a strenuous game.

Don's (2)—Goal, Gauld; defence, Dibble and Birney; rover, Chapman; centre, B. Cousins; right wing, Murphy; left wing, Ingham; spare, Cheney. Finlay (3)—Goal, Plover; defence, J. K. B. Cousins; right wing, Bennett; left wing, Lawrence.

A full-sized crowd was on hand, and this is but the start of some real good hockey in this series. For early-season hockey the play was very fast. On Tuesday night at Riverdale, Hockey Rink the Broadview Intermediates O.H.A. team will play an exhibition game with the Riverdales, Senior O.H.A. outfit. Riverdales will have their regular line-up. Broadview promises to uncover some good goal talent. This will open the rink as far as O.H.A. hockey goes, and a good crowd is expected. The rink is long and will stir the best of men.

Toronto Club Curlers Play for Walsh Trophy. There has been good ice at the Victoria rink since the 15th inst, there was too much Christmas doing to allow much time for curling. On Saturday afternoon an exhibition game with everyone was on hand to take part in the competition for the Walsh trophy. The first game was completed, and the second game was in progress on Monday. The ice was in perfect condition and the play was very interesting.

Men's and Women's Umbrellas, with strong steel frames, and natural wood handles. Special, at \$2.95. Men's and Women's Silk-mixed Umbrellas, with close-rolling paragon frames, and good assortment of handles. Special, each \$1.75.

Odd lines of Men's and Women's High-Class Silk Mixed Umbrellas, with heavy gold and sterling silver-mounted handles. Rush price, each, at \$2.35. Main Floor—Yonge Street

Men's Underwear, 29c; Bath-robies, \$1.98; Shirts, 50c. Fleece-lined underwear—Odd lots in rush clearance—in most cases the Shirts and Drawers don't match. Jaeger shades, sateen facings, closely-fitting cuffs and ankles. Sizes 34 to 46. Cannot promise to fill phone or mail orders. Monday, a garment \$2.95.

Men's Neglige Shirts, with laundered cuffs and neckbands, some coat style. Mostly stripes of blue, black, mauve, on light grounds. Sizes in the lot, 14 to 17. Monday, each \$1.50.

Men's Sweater Coats, mostly in plain stitch, high storm collar, two pockets. Large variety of colors. Sizes in lot, 33 to 42. Monday, clearing at \$1.98.

Men's Bath Robes—The after-Christmas clearance of odd coats. Mostly heavy blanket cloth in stripes and floral designs; turn-down collar, and some with lapel fronts; corded edges, three pockets. Sizes small, medium and large. Clearing Monday, at \$1.98. Main Floor—Centre

EATON'S

ON SALE TODAY

Men's Winter Ulsters \$5.65

Double-Breasted Ulsters, 50 inches long, with the convertible lapels and storm collar. Large selection of patterns and colors; greys, browns, and fawns; stripes, checks and mixtures. Sizes 34 to 44. They are an extraordinary offering, 8.30 o'clock rush selling Monday, at a price that scarcely represents cost of the sturdy tweed materials. See Queen street window display. Monday, at \$5.65.

Fancy Mackinaw or Sports Coats, \$2.95

If you've a New Year's gift to buy for a young man who takes interest in skating, snowshoeing or other outdoor winter sports, see these picturesque Mackinaw Coats. They are of a sort of blanket cloth materials, and are made up in good style with shawl collars, loose belt in loops, and box pleats down back and front. They come in red and black checks and brown and black checks and stripes, sizes 32 to 35 only. Clearing at \$2.95.

KNITTED VESTS REDUCED TO \$1.95. Fancy English Knit Wool Vests, in black and red, black and fawn, plain red and black and yellow stripe patterns. They are in various styles of knitting, giving honeycomb and ribbed effects. Sizes 36 to 42. Special \$1.95.

ANOTHER LOT OF FANCY VESTS FOR MEN, large assortment of colors and patterns. Now selling at half-price, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25, and \$2.50.

—Main Floor, Queen St.

Three Extraordinary Clearance Prices on Umbrellas Monday

Whatever your need for an Umbrella, whether for general usage or for the dressiest occasions, you'll be almost sure to find one to please in the assortment, and they're at rush-out prices. Come at 8.30.

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Three Auld Scots. Weel aged an' o'guide repute-tae wish you an' your freens the heartiest Seasons Greetings. CATTO'S Very Fine Old Matured SCOTCH WHISKIES. Extra Special Liqueur 15 years old. White Label Scotch 12 years old. Gold Label Scotch 8 years old. Favorites since 1871 wherever good Scotch is appreciated. Have a bottle sent home. E. T. SANDELL 525 Yonge Street. Distributor. Phones N7124 & N192

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LOSING DAY OF ICE RACES AT HILLCREST

Clay, Alphadell and Maggie C. Were Winners Before Fair Crowd.

Clay, Alphadell and Maggie C. were winners before a fair crowd at Hillcrest today.

The World's Selections

CHARLESTON. FIRST RACE—Miss Francis, St. Charles.

Today's Entries

CHARLESTON, Dec. 26.—The entries for Monday at Hillcrest.

Charleston Results

CHARLESTON, Dec. 26.—The races here today resulted as follows:

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

Capital Paid Up \$7,000,000 Reserve Fund 7,000,000

BEN'S BROTHER WON SUNDAY FUTURITY

Favorites Fare Well on Frightful Track at Juarez—No Races Next Four Days.

THREE GAMES AND NOT ONE DECIDED

Three T. & D. soccer games were played on Saturday.

STRONGER TONE IN NEW YORK STOCKS

Trading Extremely Dull and Outside Demand Was Light.

STEEL A WEAK SPOT

Stock Did Not Budge a Fraction From Minimum Price.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

SIR EDMUND WALKER, C.V.O., L.L.D., D.O.L., President

MARKET WAS DEAD NOBODY SHOWED UP

One Lone Farmer Appeared in the Wagon Section on Saturday.

FOR SALE \$10,000 BONDS (6%)

of the TORONTO ARENA GARDENS, LIMITED

HERON & CO.

Large amounts preferred. Borrowers are assured the strictest confidence.

H.A. Championship Season Opens Tonight

The championship season of the H.A. begins tonight with the opening of the season at Belleville and Peterboro.

OLD COUNTRY RUGBY

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Rugby games yesterday resulted as follows:

HOBEY BAKER BEAT TORONTO

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Two extra goals were necessary for Hobey Baker to defeat the Toronto University hockey team.

SATURDAY AT JUAREZ

JUAREZ, Dec. 26.—The races here today resulted as follows:

Old Country Soccer

LONDON, Dec. 26.—The Boxing Day football results were as follows:

GRAIN PRICES ROSE SHARPLY

May Wheat at Highest Point Since September—Farmers Holding Grain.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 26.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.28; No. 1 northern, \$1.24; Dec. \$1.27; No. 2, \$1.21 to \$1.25; Dec. \$1.23.

WHOLESALE PRODUCE

White & Co. had a shipment of strawberries from Florida arrive on Saturday.

CORD'S SPECIFIC advertisement for urinary ailments.

STEVENSON'S CAPSULES advertisement for urinary ailments.

THE BROS. advertisement for catarrh and bladder ailments.

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Store Opens at 8.30 a.m.

# The Robert Simpson Company, Limited

Store Closes at 5.30 p.m.



## Cold Weather Pet-ticoats

In black only, the tops of fine all-wool jersey; neat fitting, elastic waist band; flounce is of messaline silk with tucking and knife pleated full and underpleat, sizes 28 to 42. Tuesday, 2.95

Woolen Eiderdown Sacs, \$1.75

All-wool Ripple Eiderdown, grey, sky and dark, carding sailor collar, finished with silk ribbon, hose fitting back, rope girdle, silk fasteners tie neck, sizes 34 to 44. 1.75

## Women's and Misses' \$8, \$10, and \$12 Coats, \$3.98

Winter Coats, broken lines of stock that have sold for \$10.00 and over, to which we have added a special purchase of a manufacturer's stock of his better samples and overmakes; good all-wool materials, zibelines, curts, tweeds, plain weaves, in the wanted colors and black; styles are cape models, Russian, Balmacaan, belted effects, ripple and flare skirts. Regularly \$8.00, \$10.00, \$12.00. All sizes. Tuesday 3.98

### WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SUITS, \$5.95

Excellent tailored from gabardines, broadcloths, chevots, serges and fancy tweeds; good shades of navy, black, brown, carrot, wine and mahogany; are styled in Norfolk, plain tailored and fancy cut models; skirts include flare designs, tunic and plain tailored styles; all sizes. Regularly \$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.00. Tuesday 5.95

### NEW MODEL SKIRTS

A special showing Tuesday of advance model skirts; most all improved makes, and show all the new features in the flare, accordion pleated and fancy modes; splendid range of fabrics, including gabardines, covert cloths, serges and broadcloths; many are made in the new shade of putty or sea sand, and the more staple shades of navy, tan, brown or black. Prices range from \$6.00 to \$12.00.

## Famous "Pen-Angle" Underwear Clearing at 95c

We have just put into stock another lot of "seconds" of this famous make. Phone orders filled all day. Previous offerings of this splendid brand were snapped up eagerly, and we advise early shopping.

Women's Vests or Drawers, seconds of the "Pen-Angle" brand; flat knit finest white wool; vests high neck, long sleeves; drawers ankle length; closed style only. Sizes 32 to 42 bust. Regularly \$1.50 and \$1.75. Tuesday special 95c

### CLEARING CORSET COVERS, TEA APRONS AND BOUDOIR CAPS

Women's Corset Covers, Boudoir Caps, and Tea Aprons, a clearance of all oddments and left-overs after Christmas selling, some are counter-matched; excellent choices of styles and materials. Regularly 75c to \$1.25. Tuesday clearing at 50c

75c to \$2.00 FASCINATORS, CLEARING AT 50c

Women's Fascinators and Motor Scarfs, fine wool or artificial silk, clearances of balances of styles that are left from Christmas selling; all colors and a large assortment of styles. Regularly 75c to \$2.00. Tuesday clearing at 50c

## Dress Goods Prices Down Tuesday

Black and White Sylvan Crepes, 67c yard. Beautiful uncrushable sylvan crepes, in black and white and fancy stripe effects; an elegant material for dresses; 40 inches wide. Regularly \$1.00 value. Tuesday, per yard .67

Silk and Wool Cord de Chine, our regular \$2.00 quality, for one day's selling, in a choice range of colors; 44 in. wide; rich silky finish for party or dance dresses. Tuesday, per yard 1.44

Silk and Wool Poplins, regularly \$1.25, in a superb range of new shades for afternoon or party wear. Tuesday, per yard .96

650 Yards English Serge, 55c Yard—Most of the staple shades in the range; pure wool, soap shrunk and fast dye, in medium twill weave. Clearing Tuesday, per yard .55

Dress Goods Department—Second Floor.

## NEW BOOTS FOR THE NEW YEAR

Gifts for your family or yourself, priced extremely low, but of qualities that recommend themselves to you on sight.

Men's Winter Boots, \$2.99—Over 700 pairs of this season's new style boots, box calf, vicid kid, patent calf, toe calf and gummetal calf leathers; light, medium and heavy soles, Goodyear welt; some reinforced English and military heels; rosette, round and wide toes; tan styles are leather lined; all sizes, 5 to 11. Regularly \$4.00 to \$6.00. Tuesday 2.99

Boys' sizes in all above leathers, with Goodyear welted soles, sizes 1 to 7 1/2. Regularly \$2.00 to \$3.00. Tuesday 1.49

Ladies' Holiday Boots, \$2.49—Over 600 pairs of this season's new style boots, box calf, vicid kid, patent calf, toe calf and gummetal calf leathers, in button and lace styles, cloth and dull calf military heels; rosette, French stage and popular toe shapes, beautifully finished, best quality materials; Ladies' Evening Slippers, style No. 1, Patent Calf Slippers, 6-button style, hand-turned soles, Cuban heels, color effects, hand-buffed, turned soles, French and Cuban heels, slippers in all the new rosettes, also dandy buckles, widths B, C, D, E; sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Tuesday \$2.95; style No. 2, Selected Patent and growing girl toe shapes, widths C, D, E; sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Tuesday \$2.95 and \$3.50.

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Children's and Misses' Warm Slippers, six lines of dull kid and patent calf slippers, ankle strap styles, turned soles, low and spring heels. Educator toe shapes, silk bows on vamp, tested foot fitting lasts; children's sizes, 8 to 10 1/2, Tuesday \$1.75; misses' sizes, 11 to 2, Tuesday \$2.00.

Children's and Misses' Warm Slippers, about 350 pairs of natural camel's hair slippers, one-strap style, heavy felt, padded soles, leather covered, fluffy pom-pom on vamp; sizes 8 to 7, reg. \$1.00. Tuesday 80c; sizes 8 to 10, reg. \$1.10, Tuesday 90c; sizes 11 to 2, reg. \$1.25, Tuesday \$1.00.

Hockey Boots, men's "Can't Stretch" grain calf hockey boots, ankle support style, padded tongues and insoles, hemlock soles that will not become water soaked, spring heels, steel toe boxes, sizes 6 to 11; this line manufactured by the best maker of hockey boots. Tuesday 2.74

Real Elk Moccasins Tuesday, men's sizes, \$1.29 pair; women's sizes, \$1.09; boys' sizes, \$1.09; misses' sizes, 99c; youths' sizes, 99c; children's sizes, 89c. Snow shoeing and toboggan parties will be the chief attraction this holiday week. Phone orders filled. No mail orders filled.

Ankle Supports, 25c per pair. Genuine Rawhide Laces, 10c and 12c per pair, at the polish counter.

## Imported Silk Blouses

A number of the highest class blouses from our showcases have been sold until only one size or one color remains. These we have taken and re-marked afresh for to-morrow's selling. There is choice of black, ivory, flesh, apricot, natter blue, maize and orange, all in high-grade silks and crepes de chine. Regularly \$7.50 to \$15.00. Tuesday 5.00

## Useful Household Articles 8c each

25 Yards Picture Wire, 6-wire Cast and Set Hooks, Radioclocks and Keys, Barrel Sill Bolt, Bronzed Sash Fastener, 5th Drawer Pulls, Opener, Dover Egg Beater, Cornucopia, Emery Knife Sharpener, Can Stove Black Enamel and Zig-zag Rules, etc. No phone or mail orders. 8c each

Long-handle Chopping Axes, for .59

1.50 O'cedar Mops, for 1.19

1.50 Wizarid Triangular Mops, for 1.19

75c Cedar Oil Mops, for .49

45c Cereal, Rice and Custard Cookers 25

40c and 45c Brooms, for 25

65c 4-foot Step-ladders, for 44

\$1.35 and \$1.45 Nickel Copper Tea Kettles, for .96

### ICE SKATES

\$5.00 Pattern Ice Skates, nickel-plated, best quality hardened and tempered steel; ladies' and misses' sizes 3.19

\$2.25 Hockey Skates for ladies and men; sizes 9 to 11 skates; have high puck stop. Special for 1.99

## FOR OBVIOUS REASONS

After Christmas is the best time to supply your cold weather needs—reasons both of price and of possible use during the coming frost-bound months.

That's why this splendid list of Tuesday's values is of such immediate interest to every one of you. Some of the items call for an early morning visit to-morrow.

## Odd Comforters

A clearing of odd and broken lines of Down Comforters, covered with strong sateen, and well quilted; good assortment of colorings; size 72 x 72 inches. Regularly \$7.75, \$9.50 and \$10.00. Rush price Tuesday 5.95

Hemmed Pillow Cases, sizes 42 x 33 inches. Tuesday, pair .25

Fine English Nainsook, 36 in. wide. Special Tuesday, yard .10

Horrocks's Striped Flannelette, good heavy make, 33 inches wide. Clearing Tuesday, yard .13

Damask Table Napkins, all linen, dainty designs; size 22 x 22 inches. Special Tuesday, dozen 2.19

COPENHAGEN ASTRACHAN COATING 48 inches wide; less than half-price. Regularly \$2.00 and \$2.60 yard. On sale Flannel Section, yard 1.00

## IN THE MEN'S STORE

### MEN'S FANCY MACKINAW SPORT COAT AT \$5.50

For tobogganing, snow-shoeing, skating and outdoor sport; the ideal coat; warm and light weight; made from a fancy mackinaw cloth, in black and blue checked pattern; cut in Norfolk style, with shawl collar; well made. Sizes 35 to 42. Price 5.50

### MEN'S EXTRA GOOD QUALITY REEFER COATS AT \$6.00

Made from heavy grey frieze cloth, warm and very serviceable, lined with English corduroy, cut double-breasted, pea jacket length, with wide storm collar; sizes 36 to 48. Price 6.00

### CHAUFFEURS' WINTER COATS

Made by one of the best English manufacturers. The material is a heavy English beaver cloth, in plain dark blue or green, lined throughout with heavy tweed; wind cuffs in sleeves; the coat is cut double-breasted with wide fronts; 50 inches long; close-fitting turndown collar, brass or silver-plated buttons; sizes 36 to 42. Price 18.50

### MEN'S NATURAL LEATHER COATS FOR MOTORING

Made from the natural color leather in single-breasted style, to button to the chin, with double reinforced fronts and protector cuffs. This coat can be worn under any other coat and it will give perfect protection against wind and cold. Price 15.00

### BOYS' DOUBLE-BREASTED CHINCHILLA REEFERS, \$3.95

Smartly tailored, with wide shawl and notch convertible collars; warmly lined with red flannel; fancy flannel finished tweeds, and heavy twilled linings. Sizes 24 to 33, 100 only. Regularly \$5.00 to \$6.50. Tuesday to clear at 3.95

### BOYS' OVERCOATS WITH STORM COLLAR \$3.95

75 double-breasted winter overcoats, in greys and browns, with neat small patterns, lined with flannel-finished tweeds; belts and convertible collars; sizes 28 to 38. Regularly \$5.00 and \$6.50. Tuesday 3.95

## Furs for Men—A Winter Necessity

Men's Fur Caps, wedge shape, in No. 1 Korean beaver skins and near seal. Regularly \$2.50. Tuesday 1.50

Men's Fur Caps, in black curly lambkin and other rabbits, deep wedge shape, well lined and finished. Regularly \$3.50 and \$4.00. Tuesday special 2.75

Men's Electric Seal Fur Caps, in driver shape, with stationary or adjustable peak. Regularly \$4.50 and \$5.00. Tuesday 3.50

Men's Fur Collars, in black curly lamb, Astrachan lamb, Korean beaver and electric seal. Regularly \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00. Tuesday 2.75

Men's Tan Kid Gloves, wool lined, one dome snap; strong sewn seams; assorted tan shades; all sizes. \$1.00 value, Tuesday .79

Men's Tan Kid Gloves, wool lined, one dome snap; strong sewn seams; assorted tan shades; all sizes. 75c value, Tuesday .59

Boys' and Girls' English Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose; seamless; winter weight; good wearing; sizes 6 to 10. 25c value. Tuesday 19c, 3 pairs 55c

Women's "Pen-Angle" Plain Black Cashmere Hose; seamless; winter weight; extra good wearing; sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Tuesday 35c, 3 pairs \$1.00.

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Walrus grain leather, strong handle, good linings, brass lock and catches, sizes 18, 18 and 20 inch. Regularly \$5.75 to \$6.75, for 3.95

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Canvas covered and fibre bound, hardwood slats, straps and outside straps, size 32 and 34 in. tourist and 32, 34 and 36 in. steamer. Regularly \$8.75 to \$7.00, for 3.95



## The Annual Necktie Sale

Never too many Ties on your rack, and never a more opportune time to get a nice collection at so reasonable prices.

This after-Christmas clearing has become an annual event for which we arrange huge stocks, some of them being broken lines from holiday selling, but the vast proportion being fresh, unhandled goods.

### THE TIES

are all this season's goods, in fabric or knitted, beautiful designs, light or dark colorings, plain Bengalines, etc. If you buy any tie in the lot you'll get at least a fifty-cent value, while there are hundreds which usually sell for 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Tuesday, .25 any tie

## DRAPERIES AND FIXTURES TUESDAY

Nottingham Lace Curtains at 89c per pair. A number of good designs in this well-known make of curtains; 3 yards long in white only. Per pair 89c

English Lace Curtain Nets at 14c per yard. A collection of new and attractive patterns in cream, white or ivory; 38 in. to 40 in. wide. Regularly 25c per yard. Tuesday, per yard 14c

Curved End Extension Rods at 17c each. Brass Extension Rods, extending from 27 to 50 in., with rounded corners, specially adapted for nets or light-weight over-curtains. Tuesday, special, each 17c

Trimmed Window Shades, 49c each. Good quality oil opaque cloth, trimmed with neat insulating pulls. Tuesday, each 49c

"Exact" Metal Weather-strip, 10c per foot installed. A most satisfactory weather-strip for doors and windows, making them absolutely draft and dust proof; installed only by experienced workmen at 10c per foot. Telephone and have a reliable man call and give you an estimate for these draughty doors or windows.

## BRUSSELS AND WILTON RUG VALUES

A varied assortment, in a range of sizes satisfying almost every requirement. The Wilton make is well known for its hard-wearing qualities, and is particularly suited for living-rooms, dining-rooms and dens. Size 6 ft. 9 in. x 9 ft., \$19.25 and \$24.50; 6 ft. 9 in. x 10 ft., 6 in., \$21.00 and \$28.50; 9 ft. x 9 ft., \$24.00 and \$32.50; 9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in., \$27.75 and \$38.00; 9 ft. x 12 ft., \$31.75 and \$43.00.

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On account of its clean wearing qualities and the ease with which it can be kept clean, the Brussels Rug is rightly popular for all purposes.