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GERMANS BEATEN BACK AGAIN

FORCED TO ABANDON MAIN DEFENSES NEAR BAPAUME

OPPOSITION TO COTTON DUTIES LESS VIGOROUS

Asquith and Followers Unwilling to Run Risk of Forcing Election

LOYD GEORGE FIRM

Lancashire Deputation is Told That Indian Policy Cannot Be Abandoned.

London, March 13.—The belief obtained in parliamentary lobbies tonight that the government would be successful in carrying the new Indian cotton duties. This belief was not due to any compromise on the question, either from the side of the government or the Lancashire members. Premier Lloyd George has supported J. Austen Chamberlain, secretary for India, in making a firm stand on the question.

On the other hand, the Lancashire members, after a meeting at the house of commons tonight, decided to move an amendment to the government motion for tomorrow, repudiating the imposition of the duties, unless a countervailing excise duty was imposed.

Fear of Force Election. While the deputation representing the Lancashire cotton interests, urging the government to waive the measure, the real factor in bringing about a probable arrangement is general reluctance to precipitate a general election. It is said that this reluctance has decided ex-Premier Asquith and his followers to do nothing that might place the government in an embarrassing position.

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Lloyd George Firm. A member of the Lancashire deputation, seen after the conference with Lloyd George, said the premier held (Concluded on Page 9, Column 4).

THREE LIVES PROBABLY LOST IN CORDOVA MINE

Two Out of Five at Work Rescued from Burning Shaft.

SPECIAL TO THE TORONTO WORLD.

Belleville, March 13.—Cordova mine plant in the Township of Marmor, Hastings County, was this morning visited by a disastrous fire, when No. 1 shaft house, the stamp mill, two tank houses, the tram and machine shop were destroyed with the probable loss of the lives of three men. The fire commenced in the No. 1 shaft, in which at the time there were five men. Two of the men were rescued, but the remaining three it is feared are buried in the ruins. The loss amounted to about \$100,000, which is partly covered by insurance. The power house, compressor mill and the other shaft houses were untouched.

WAR SUMMARY THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

THE Germans again made a retirement north of the Ancre yesterday. Unable to stand the British artillery fire they abandoned their main defensive system, which ran along the forward crest of the ridge west of Bapaume, and they have thus surrendered a frontage of about three and a half miles to the British. Field Marshal Haig reported in his last night's bulletin that during yesterday the British advanced troops drove back the rear guards of the enemy in this area for a depth of a mile and occupied Grevillers Village and Loupart Wood. Reuter's correspondent at British general headquarters telegraphs that the German retirement is still proceeding. The British also advanced east and north of Comme-court on a front of about a mile.

The official communication from British headquarters gives as the cause of this withdrawal, the British bombardment of Monday last. The positions vacated by the enemy are on valuable high ground and the retirement in this section is towards the rolling country to the east and northeast of the Somme watershed. This is the first instance of the compelling of a retirement by artillery fire alone. It means that the British hold the dominant positions and that they have wrought the German lines into such shape as to permit of frontal and enfilading fire. Their guns form a sort of semi-circle round each wedge created in the German line by their local advances, and these can develop such an overwhelming fire that it brings results such as are just seen.

Instead of helping the Germans, their fresh retirement from the westward slopes of the Bapaume ridge merely makes the situation worse, for it sharpens further the salient formed about Arras. The British indentation of the German lines northeast and east of Comme-court rounds off the corner so as to shape the new lines formed by the Germans as they

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IMPERIAL CONFERENCE TO BEGIN NEXT WEEK

British War Cabinet Will Confer in Private With Premiers of Dominions to Deal With Most Intimate Matters.

Canadian Associated Press Cable. London, March 13.—The Canadian Associated Press is authoritatively informed that the proceedings proper of the imperial war conference will begin next week. The meetings between the overseas statesmen who have already arrived and the members of the British war cabinet have been in the way of preliminary or sectional conferences to give the overseas statesmen the opportunity of ventilating any views that they particularly wish to bring forward.

At the conference beginning next week Walter Long, colonial secretary, will preside when Lloyd George is unable to do so. These gatherings are not the same plane as the imperial conferences of times past, inasmuch as India was not then represented. All the overseas statesmen who have been especially invited to London will attend these gatherings. English statesmen holding portfolios will attend the meetings when subjects affecting their own department are discussed.

Finally, there are meetings of the imperial war cabinet, consisting of the five principal members of the British Government, together with the premiers only of the dominions. These latter gatherings will deal with the most intimate matters concerning the war.

The imperial war conference, that is, the larger deliberative body, will decide for itself how much of its proceedings shall be made public.

ENEMY PRINCES TO LOSE TITLES

Prince Albert of Schleswig-Holstein and Two Dukes Branded Traitors

LORDS DEBATE ISSUE

Second Reading Given Bill as Concession to Inflamed Public Opinion.

London, March 13.—The house of lords today passed the second reading of the bill to deprive enemy princes of British titles and dignities, after the government had promised to refer the bill to a special committee for further consideration. This promise was made as the outcome of differences between some of the peers who desired to shelve the bill on the ground that it was absurd to regard certain princes as traitors.

The Marquis of Lansdowne agreed that the bill was only intended to apply to the Duke of Albany, the Duke of Cumberland and Prince Albert of Schleswig-Holstein, who are related to the British royal family and who, he agreed, could not possibly be regarded as traitors. The marquis admitted that the bill was a mere concession to public opinion, and required more examination than it had previously received, because, he added, it was desirable to satisfy public opinion it would be useful to go

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DUCHESS OF CONNAUGHT HAS ANOTHER RELAPSE

Canadian Associated Press Cable. London, March 13.—The Duchess of Connaught has had another relapse. An earlier official bulletin said: "During the first half of the night the condition of her royal highness continued grave. Since midnight there has been some quiet sleep and the ailment has diminished. There is a slight alleviation in the anxiety of the outlook."

SEVEN PERISH IN SINKING OF FOLIO

Cunard Freighter Torpedoed Without Warning Off the Irish Coast.

AMERICAN IN PERIL

Dr. Core of Nashville, Tenn., is Among Survivors of the Attack.

Washington, March 13.—Seven lives were lost and one American placed in jeopardy in the sinking without warning by a submarine of the Cunard freighter Folio off the Irish coast Sunday. Consul Frost at Queenstown cabled the state department today this report.

Seven lives lost in sinking Cunard-er Folio out of crew of 78. Folio bound New York to Avonmouth. Torpedoed without warning, five miles off Ram Head, County Waterford, in heavy fog Sunday, 7:20 a.m. Dr. Core and officers reached Bristol this morning.

A despatch from the consul earlier in the day said: "Cunard non-passenger Folio, sailed off Waterford, today, bound for New York. She was torpedoed by a submarine off Ram Head, County Waterford, in heavy fog Sunday, 7:20 a.m. Dr. Core and officers reached Bristol this morning." The Folio left New York on February 28 bound for Bristol. She was a vessel of 6705 tons gross, built in 1907, originally the Italian liner Principe Di Piemonte, and was chartered by the Prunellum Line and renamed the Prunellum. The Cunard Line bought her and changed the name to the Folio.

KING EDWARD HOTEL THREATENS TO CLOSE

Management Informs Holding Company It is Unable to Pay Rent Called for in Lease.

At a special meeting of the Toronto Hotel Co., owners of the King Edward Hotel, property, held yesterday morning, a communication was considered from the King Edward Hotel Co., in which it was stated that the hotel was unable to pay the rent called for by the terms of the lease, and unless substantial reductions in the fixed charges were obtained, the company would have to apply to the Ontario License Board to have the lease cancelled.

It was stated that the hotel had been running behind for months, and every meal served resulted in a loss. The prices of the rooms had lately been increased, the extra cost of material and labor had more than made up the difference. Every effort had been made by the company to meet its expenses, but without a substantial reduction in fixed charges it would be impossible for it to keep the hotel open.

The King Edward has made every effort possible to get the city to reduce the assessment and the matter is now before the supreme court at Ottawa. The Toronto Hotel Co. directors are holding the matter for further consideration, as they feel that it would be too bad to let the hotel close its doors, and have persistently urged the city to reduce the assessment, and thereby give some measure of relief. It is possible that the company may call a shareholders' meeting to consider the communication from the King Edward Co.

VICTORIA SUBSCRIBES WELL

VICTORIA, B.C., March 13.—More than three-quarters of a million dollars was subscribed from Victoria to the third Dominion of Canada war loan yesterday and today. The chief subscriptions were: Provincial government \$400,000 and the municipality of Victoria \$250,000.

RETIREMENT STILL PROCEEDS

LONDON, March 13.—A further retirement of the Germans on the front between 4000 and 5000 yards and to an unknown depth is reported by Reuter despatch from the British front in France. The movement was still in progress when the despatch was sent. The British have gone right thru strong German positions in Loupart Wood and seized the Village of Grevillers (west of Bapaume).

The retirement followed a continued heavy British bombardment and was made under cover of hazy weather.

CHASING HUN RAIDER IN THE INDIAN OCEAN

British and Japanese Warships Pursue Converted Cruiser Which Sank Japanese Freight Steamer

Tokio, March 13.—It is officially announced that a converted German cruiser has been sighted in the Indian Ocean and that it is now being chased by Japanese and British warships. The German has sunk a Japanese freighter.

The vessel referred to probably is the Suki Maru, of 3162 gross tons, built at the Osaka Iron Works in 1916 and owned by the Tatsuma Kisen Goshi Kaisha. This steamship sailed from San Francisco on Nov. 29 for Vladivostok, where she arrived Jan. 4 and remained until Jan. 15, when she sailed for Darrieu.

A Vancouver despatch last night said a local Japanese paper, The Canadian News, had received a cable from Japan stating that a German commerce raider had destroyed the Japanese steamer Sukura Maru, 3115 tons, in the Indian Ocean.

TRAINMEN READY FOR GREAT STRIKE

Plans for Nation-Wide Move Are Ratified by Leaders.

ISSUE IS UNCHANGED

Wilson Called On Again to Prevent Paralysis of Business.

Washington, March 13.—Complete plans of the four railroad brotherhoods for a nation-wide strike, to be inaugurated next Sunday evening unless the railroads grant their eight-hour day demands, were ratified here today by local union leaders from southeastern territory and by a similar conference of representatives of the southwest held at St. Louis.

The brotherhood heads will tell the railroad conference committee in New York Thursday that if an agreement is not reached by this week for the establishment of an eight-hour basic day with time and a half for overtime, strike orders will be issued. The demands are just what they were last fall when President Wilson averted a strike after the call out by industrial congress to pass the Adamson law, which never has been put into effect, pending a decision on its constitutionality by the supreme court.

There is every indication that the president is prepared to move again if it becomes apparent that the nation, facing the gravest international crisis of its history, is about to have transportation facilities paralyzed.

BOSTON GIVEN WORD.

Boston, March 13.—Orders to prepare at once for a strike of employees on New England railroads at midnight on Monday, March 19, or early Tuesday morning, were received by local leaders of the four brotherhoods of railroad employees today. Provision was made for the refusal of railroad managers to grant the demands of the brotherhoods meantime.

GERMANS CLAIM GAINS ON NARAYUKA RIVER

Berlin, March 13.—(Via Saville).—German troops advancing against the Russian lines on the Narayuka River in Galicia took more than 250 prisoners, army headquarters announced in tonight's supplementary report. The statement reads: "There has been lively fighting activity on the Ancre, south of the Avre, and in the Champagne. On the eastern front in an advance on the Narayuka we took more than 250 prisoners."

British Troops Gain Three-and-half Mile Front and Drive Back German Rear Guard to Depth of a Mile, Occupying Grevillers and Loupart Wood—Hostile Raids Repulsed.

London, March 13.—The official report from British headquarters in France announces the abandonment by the Germans of their main defensive system west of Bapaume on a front of three and one-half miles. The British troops drove back the German rear guard to a depth of a mile and occupied Grevillers and Loupart Wood.

The text of the report reads:

"In consequence of our bombardment of his positions yesterday, the enemy abandoned his main defensive system along the forward crest of the ridge west of Bapaume on a front of three and one-half miles.

"During the day our advancing troops have driven back the enemy's rear guard in this area for a depth of a mile and have occupied the Village of Grevillers and Loupart Wood.

"We have also made further progress east and northeast of Comme-court on a front of about a mile.

"Hostile raids were repulsed during the night in the neighborhood of Neuville St. Vaast, Souchez and Armentieres. In each case the enemy failed to reach our trenches. Another hostile raiding party succeeded in reaching our trenches southwest of Neuve Chapelle. A few of our men are missing.

"Our artillery carried out an effective bombardment of the enemy's positions in the Somme and east of Neuville St. Vaast."

Correspondents with the British headquarters in France, telegraphing Tuesday evening concerning the occupation by the British of Loupart Wood and Grevillers, describe the positions abandoned by the Germans as having seemed capable of defense until the garrison was driven out by an attack. It would seem, however, that the capture of Irls rendered the positions untenable and that the terrible concentrations of the British gunfire apparently caused the Germans to decide to withdraw before their troops were annihilated.

GERMANS ARE HARD PRESSED.

All the despatches speak of important activities that are continuing. The British advanced troops are said to be hard upon the heels of the Germans and more than keeping pace with their retreat.

The writers evidently are expecting the speedy occupation by the British of the important Town of Bapaume, altho they stop short of actually predicting it with certainty.

"With luck we shall be there soon," says one correspondent.

"Bapaume is now seriously directly threatened," says another.

The mist which obscured the country earlier in the day cleared during the evening. The weather became altogether finer and there was an increase in the activity of the British troops. One of the correspondents with the forces in operation said:

"We are on the eve of important movements, and the enemy is not likely to escape the pressure of them without severe damage, even if he escapes something like disaster.

Another correspondent wires that there should be important news available Wednesday.

British Chase Turks Away Beyond Bagdad

General Maude Sends Gunboats Up Tigris to Continue Pursuit—Rich Booty Falls to Captors of City.

London, March 13.—Lieut.-Gen. F. S. Maude, telegraphing late Sunday night, gives the following details leading up to and subsequent to the capture of Bagdad early Sunday. The text of Gen. Maude's account follows:

"Saturday evening we maintained close touch with the enemy on both banks of the Tigris south of Bagdad. During the night the enemy evacuated his entire trench line, while we pushed forward in close contact. Before dawn on Sunday a general advance on both banks was ordered, and at 5:55 o'clock in the morning we occupied the railway station, the city being entered shortly afterwards. Our cavalry pushed forward in pursuit and after slight resistance occupied Kasimkin, capturing over 100 prisoners and four damaged aeroplanes.

BRITISH MAILS.

The next British and foreign mail (via England) will be closed at the general post office as follows: Regular mail, ordinary letter matter only, at 9 p.m. Friday, the 16th inst. Supplementary, ordinary letter matter only, at 9 p.m. Saturday, the 17th. Registered mail at 6 a.m. Saturday, March 17th. Parcel post mail at 9 p.m. Wednesday, the 14th (advance mail).

SIXTY MILLIONS IN SHIPBUILDING ORDERS

Canadian Yards Likely to Receive Many More Contracts Soon.

By a Staff Reporter. Ottawa, March 13.—Sixty million dollars' worth of shipbuilding is now under contract in Canadian yards, according to information obtained from official sources. This includes shipbuilding contracts for twenty-five million dollars, placed by the imperial munitions board on behalf of the British Government, more than one million dollars' worth of construction in various points throughout the country, and certain other vessels, of which, for obvious reasons, details cannot be made public. There is also reason to expect that before many weeks have passed contracts for a great deal of extra tonnage will be let.

FORT WILLIAM'S SHARE.

Fort William, March 13.—The city council tonight decided to apply for \$100,000 of the new Canadian war loan, making \$750,000 sinking funds invested in war loan issues.

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SHOULD EGG IMPORTERS PAY DUTY ON CASES?

When Toronto was recently threatened with an egg famine local produce dealers imported large quantities from the United States. These were sold to retailers and helped to reduce the price. Although the eggs have been sold and consumed, the customs officials are now calling upon the produce dealers to amend their entries by paying duty on the cardboard containers in which the eggs were packed to prevent breakage. Dealers consider this an injustice, as they cannot receive from the consumer the extra duty, and the customs should have notified them when the entries were being passed. It is claimed that there is no uniformity in customs dealings throughout the Dominion, and that Toronto dealers suffer because of a more rigorous enforcement of the regulation locally than obtains in other cities in the Dominion.

BANK WINS CASE.

Judgment for the plaintiff was handed down by Justice Clute yesterday, after hearing testimony in the suit of the Bank of Toronto against A. B. Morrison, for \$4288, alleged to be under a guarantee given by the defendant on behalf of Dewar & Co. Morrison denied giving security for Dewar & Co., which, he said, is the firm name under which Agnes Dewar conducted business. He said he became security for J. J. Dewar for \$5000 in 1907 but heard nothing regarding it from the bank for eight years.

ARE CONVICTED OF THEFT.

H. D. and C. D. Peroff, father and son, were convicted of the theft of \$456 from Kolo Malloff by Judge Coatsworth in general sessions yesterday, and were remanded for four weeks for sentence. Bail was furnished. The men sold Malloff an express order for \$456 to be cashed in Sarnia, Ont., Malloff, who went to Sarnia in July, 1915, found the rate of exchange was \$2. He returned the order to his brother, living here, and the brother turned it over to the defendants. They cashed it and entered the money to their account in a local bank. They contended that the brother was not entitled to the money.

CITY HALL NOTES

Dr. Hastings, in his current health report, threatens to publish the names of such dairies as do not measure up to the standard of cleanliness. There are now 23 dairies, he says, which cannot be listed as first-class, and in issuing a list of first-class institutions the M.E.C. asks the citizens not to patronize the institutions not listed. In 1912 there were but 12 dairies which were put into class 1, whereas by yesterday's computation there were 72.

Twenty-two quail have been presented to the civic zoo by H. B. Johnston, 187 River street.

Parks Committee Decides to Plow and Seed Civic Parks

By a bare majority of one the parks committee yesterday decided to plow and seed 20 acres of civic parks to offer citizens if they will cultivate and harvest the crops. Parks Commissioner Chambers' recommendation was that lots 50 by 50 feet be struck off and allotted to such citizens as apply for them. Beans, onions, tomatoes, carrots, pumpkins, are recommended as suitable crops. The plowing and seeding will cost the city \$380.

CANCELS FRANCHISE.

The private bills committee yesterday passed the clause in the City of Toronto bill to cancel the franchise of the Toronto Suburban Railway Co. south of Dundas street. The city claims failure to fulfil contract to construct and operate power to construct suburban lines to accommodate the 30,000 population in that district.

SIX MONTHS FOR WOUNDING.

Six months imprisonment was the sentence imposed yesterday by Judge Coatsworth upon John Poynton, who was convicted last week of wounding A. Bloomfield.

WILLIAM DOUGLAS DIED OF NARCOTIC POISONING

An autopsy performed on William Douglas, 44 Metcalfe street, who died in the vestibule at his home Saturday night, showed death to be due to narcotic poisoning. According to the police, Mr. Douglas was brought home in a limousine by an unknown man, deposited in the vestibule of his home, where he was found dead later by his wife.

Detectives are trying to locate the man in question, but so far their efforts have been of no avail. Nor has it been ascertained where Mr. Douglas spent the time between 6:30 on Saturday night, when he left his office, and 8 o'clock, when he was found dead by his wife. The body was taken to Hamilton yesterday afternoon for burial.

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Caught by Descending Elevator Postal Clerk Crushed to Death

William Robinson, 50 years of age, of 141 Harrison street, was crushed to death in an elevator at the foot of York street yesterday afternoon. Robinson, who was employed as a postal clerk at Station A, was engaged in closing a trunk on the ground at the door of the elevator when the hoist descended, knocking him down and pinning him between the floor of the elevator and the platform. The body was removed to the morgue, and an inquest will be held.

EIGHTEEN NAMED IN LATEST LISTS

According to Casualty Reports Many Men Wounded in Feet and Legs.

The latest list of casualties among Toronto soldiers or soldiers known in Toronto, compiled from the official list and other sources, gives the names of eighteen not previously mentioned. Of these one has been killed, three have died of wounds, and fourteen have been wounded.

Pte. Harcourt Switzer, son of R. Switzer, 116 Glendale avenue, has been killed in action, according to a note from an officer in his unit. He was one of three brothers overseas. He was 22 years old, and was in the city legal department before enlisting.

Sergeant C. H. W. Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ross, 895 Yonge street, has died of injuries. He was 23 years of age, and was born in Toronto.

Pte. Alfred Bebbington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bebbington, 101 Summerhill avenue, has died of wounds. He left Toronto with a battalion raised by the 9th Mississauga Horse. He was 23 years old, and a native of Toronto.

Pte. G. E. Robinson, 10 Dean street, died last Wednesday from the effects of wounds received January 23. He went overseas with a Q.O.R. unit, and had been in the trenches since Christmas Day. He was 35 years old, and leaves a widow and four little children.

Lieut. Samuel J. Reeves, whose sister, Mrs. C. W. King, lives at 38 Lake Front, has been slightly injured in the hand, and is still on duty. He is 21 years old, and before enlisting was with the Queen street and Lee avenue branch of the Dominion Bank.

Corp. Wm. Francis Tomlinson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tomlinson, 10 Cavell avenue, received a gunshot wound in the head Feb. 14. He had been a messenger boy for the C.P.R. before enlisting. He is nephew of Mrs. M. M. Watson, 29 Vermont avenue, has a wound in the thigh. He enlisted with the Royal Horse Artillery, and had been at the front nearly a year.

Bugler R. T. Tait, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tait, 1283 Lansdowne avenue, has been reported wounded for the third time, but no details are available concerning his present wounds. He is a native of Allanburgh, Ontario, and went overseas with a Toronto unit, has been reported wounded for the second time. He is 32 years old.

Has Gunshot Wounds. Pte. A. Scott, whose wife lives at 99 McCaul street, is suffering from gunshot wounds in the left arm. He is a native of Edinburgh, Scotland, and is 27 years old. He is well known in Cobalt.

Pte. Wm. E. Nokes, whose wife and family live at 738 Pelee avenue, is reported wounded by gunshot in the left thigh, which happened accidentally. Pte. Nokes was a letter carrier before enlisting.

Pte. L. B. Ramsay, reported wounded in the shoulder by gunshot, is a graduate of Harbord Collegiate. His parents live at 297 Clinton street. Pte. Arthur Westwood, 7 Keele street, severely wounded in the left foot by gunshot, is in the list for the second time. He was graduated at the Levi-Westwood Machinery Company before enlisting.

Pte. J. W. Dunlop, whose parents are living at 37 Gloucester street, has been wounded in the head. He is 22 years old, and was in England when war broke out, but came to Canada to enlist.

Pte. Thomas Culbert, whose wife and two children live at 67 Edwin avenue, is suffering from a severe gunshot wound in the right arm. He is a native of Belfast, Ireland, and came to Canada six years ago as a machinist.

Pte. J. Quinn, who made his home while in Canada at 14 Campbell street, is reported wounded. He is 23 years old, and came to Canada five years ago. He was employed by the Canada Foundry Company before enlisting.

Pte. Charles W. Hurst, whose mother lives at 322 Weston road south, has been wounded in the hand. He enlisted in a local battalion as a bugler. He was born in Toronto 23 years ago, and before enlisting was with the Canada Cycle Company making machines.

Pte. Isaac Boyd, nephew of S. Boyd, 552 Concord avenue, who has had his right leg amputated, is returning to Canada. He received fourteen wounds in all.

HUMANE SOCIETY MAY HOLD TAG DAY IN JULY

The Toronto Humane Society were given permission to hold a tag day on July 2 at yesterday's meeting of the police commissioners in the city hall. Another application for a "rose" day was referred to the next meeting. Application for a motor bus license was held, as the system would run in opposition to the Toronto Railway Company. The board will enquire of the board of control as to its fitness.

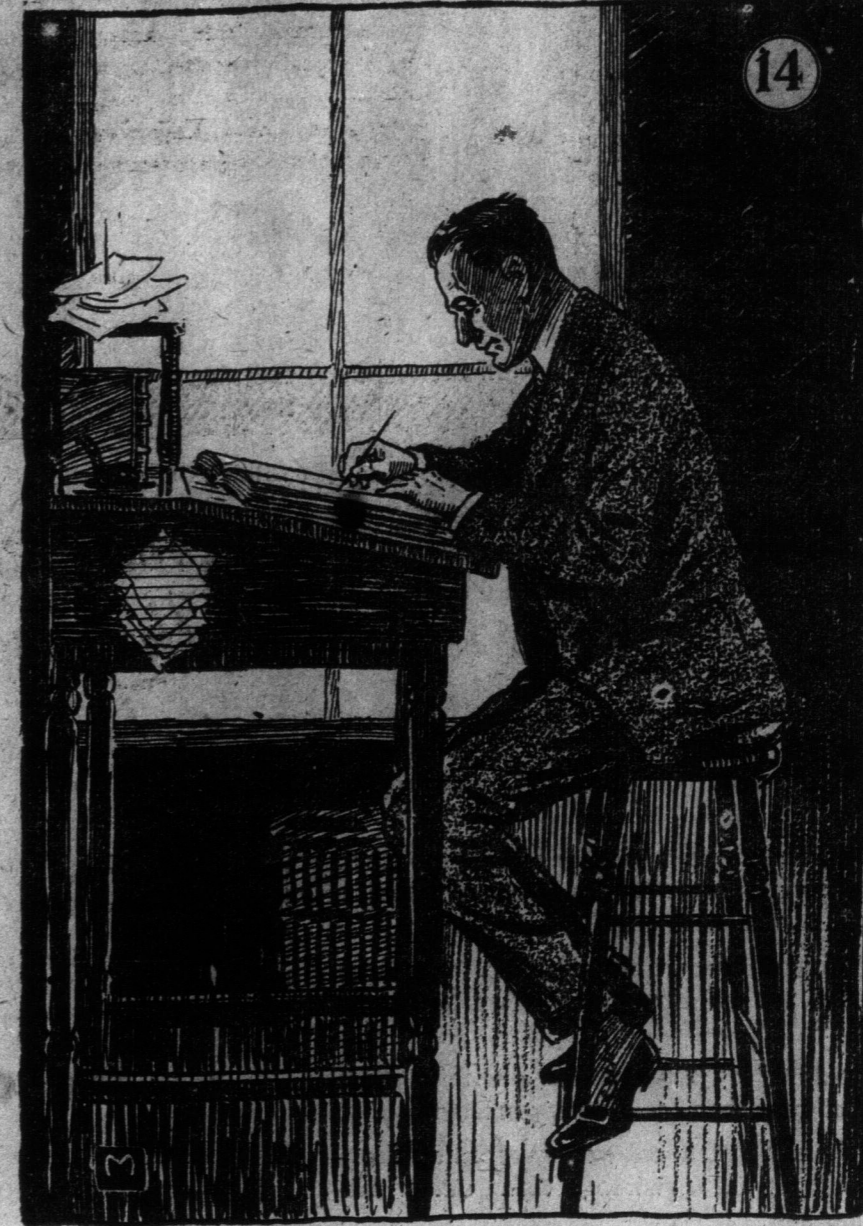
On the guarantee of Ald. Maguire that a restaurant in No. 2 division would be conducted properly in the future, the recommendation of Inspector Geddes that the license be cancelled was not acted upon. The keeper has seven children. Policeman Roberts, acting as special constable at the island, resigned to go overseas with the Canadian Construction Battalion. His place will be held open for him. Acting Detective Nicholls was granted a merit mark for apprehending some highwaymen in the west end of the city.

DIES IN HOSPITAL.

Nearly two weeks ago nine-year-old Louis Dickler was struck on the head by a snowball, sustaining a fractured skull. He was confined to bed at his home until last Sunday, when he was removed to the Hospital for Sick Children, where he died at an early hour yesterday morning.

COOK TO STAND TRIAL.

On charges of theft from a Mrs. P. J. Cook, who made his escape from custody, Vaience O. Cook, who made his escape from the police cells a short time ago by impersonating a lawyer, and who was later rearrested in Detroit, appeared in the court yesterday and was committed for trial.



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THE FORMAN MYSTERY

By GEORGE HUGHES.

(Continued From Yesterday).

The rear vestibule was deserted. Enclosed himself in one corner, he peered thru the glass partition at the rear of the car and saw the stranger seated near the front door.

Warrenner heard the conductor call out the name of his street without making response. The constant appearance of the man in connection with the Forman case aroused Warrenner's suspicions, and he had decided to learn more, if possible, about him. The police had informed him that the man was a reporter, but as to which paper he represented they could not say. So he decided to find this out for himself.

Arrived at the station and John streets Warrenner watched him as he stepped on the pavement and darted across the road in front of the standing car. On the northwest corner of the two streets toward the Mail Building, the home of Bellingham's most influential newspaper.

The building the man entered. The moment the stranger disappeared, Warrenner dropped off the car and followed. He reached the front door of the pretentious edifice in time to see the clothed back of the stranger disappearing behind the gridded bars of the elevator doors. Warrenner entered thru the huge, glass-paneled doors. Warrenner looked at the brass indicator over the door of the elevator and saw that it had stopped at the third floor. When it reappeared he went up.

As he stepped from the cab he saw before him a long glass partition bearing the legend "Editors and Reporters—Others Keep Out." He peered thru the open doorway at the numerous desks scattered about the large room, and the silent, sleepless men seated pounding away at the typewriters between puffs at their cigars. Every where paper littered the floor. The clinkety-clink of the machines, the hum of voices and the frequent insistent cry of "Boy!" from a bald-headed, burly man seated at the head of an enormous desk, were the only sounds in the room gave eloquent evidence of industry performed in the retelling of the world's gossip to a news-hungry public.

Warrenner scanned the men at the desks, in the effort to locate the stranger. But every face was unfamiliar. The stranger was not there. Warrenner was in a quandary—he did not know the man's name, therefore did not know for whom to ask. If he who he had followed, he might find himself in the wrong. The man may not have alighted at that floor, and Warrenner had only the faintest of an indicator as evidence that he had done so.

Defeated in his object, Warrenner descended the staircase to the main floor and passed thru the swing door into the street. A street car was passing on the other side of the road, and darting across. Five minutes later, he was home. His housekeeper answered his ring, and met him with the message: "The police called up just after you had gone down to say that they had recovered your motor car."

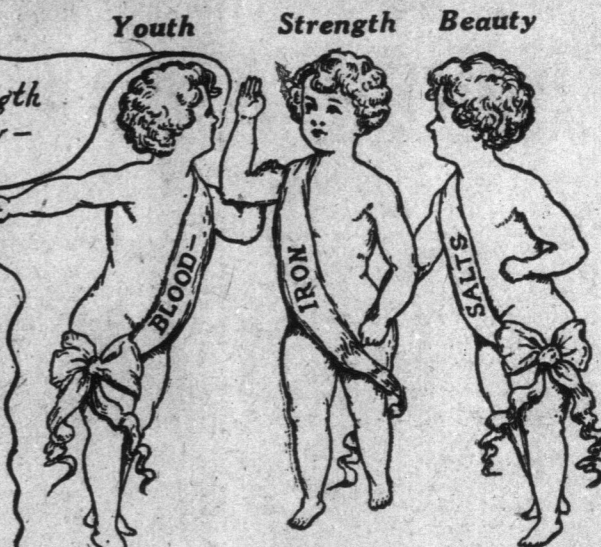
Had Rupert Marden been a snow wraith, he could not have vanished more completely. Nearly three months had passed, and still the police authorities had no clue as to his whereabouts. The country had been sown broadcast with photographs and literature designed for his apprehension; but all in vain. The guardians of law had been on the alert since the first notification of Marden's escape; thoroughly, town and village had been searched in the effort to locate him. Daily, detectives watched the Marden home, ever ready to pounce upon anything in the shape of a clue. Where things in the Marden went, the hounds of the law followed, and every item of mail was inspected by them before it was sent. Since no hint of the fugitive's whereabouts was discovered by this method, it was apparent that he had his wits about him, and was on the alert to anticipate or offset every move made by his trailors.

As far as the Bellingham public was concerned, the matter was practically ended. It is truly said that the public has a very short memory, and the public of Bellingham was no exception to the rule. The a conservative citizen whetted to a keen edge. When Warrenner had eaten, he enquired of his housekeeper as to where the car had been picked up. But he was unable to tell him. She did not know. In fact she had never thought to enquire. So Warrenner called up detective headquarters for his own edification.

(Continued Tomorrow).

A Delightful Series of Interesting Facts That Should be Carefully Followed by All Who Suffer From Nervous Weakness, Anaemia, "Run-Down" Conditions, Prematurely Aged Appearance AND THOSE WHO WISH HEALTH & STRENGTH THIS SUMMER! The Blood-Iron-Salts Boys "On the Job"!

"Come on boys!—let's put some new strength and endurance into this discouraged fellow— He is overworked, nervous, anaemic. 'run-down' and nearly 'all in'!— Others may have failed to help him, but we can fix him up O.K!— Like many others, he needs us badly, but don't know it!— This will be an easy job, if he will let us try."



"Yes, 'Youth'—it takes us to build him up right, as Mother Nature has taught us. If we don't stop the misguided man, he may go along doctoring in vain for years with drastic patent concoctions and 'pick-me-ups' that do not reach the cause of his troubles at all, but merely give him a little false strength that fools him for a while." "You're right, 'Strength'—unless he gets rid of the poisonous toxins that are chemically developed in his intestines by the putrefaction of undigested food elements, he may never get strong or be half the man he merits. Any physician in good standing will tell him this is absolutely true—and we can prove this, too!" "And listen, 'Beauty'—on account of our popularity and the wonderful good we are doing amongst those

who suffer from nervous weakness, anaemia, stomach and liver disorders, debilitated or 'Run-down' conditions, prematurely aged appearance and other complaints, some jealous advertisers of other products say they doubt if all the wonderful things said about us are true." "Well, never mind, 'Strength,' we could also do some real 'knocking' if we wished to do so, but that is poor business. Medical men and chemists know we are scientifically correct, and so do people who use us. Any medical dictionary will tell those who don't know, what we are. In the meantime, let us mind our own business and go right along helping those who suffer, and in making people strong, full of endurance and more youthful looking and beautiful. Just read what this eminent authority writes:"

NEW YORK.—"My work," says Professor McIntyre, the distinguished authority on hypnosis, suggestive therapeutics and kindred sciences, "was of such a nature that friends thought it practically sapped all the vitality out of my nerves, blood, brain and body. I was a physical and mental wreck. I had exhausted every available medical means at my command in trying to regain my health and vital energy. So, like a drowning man grasping at a straw, I went overseas to England, France, Germany, Russia and Finland, in search of that which I feared I would never find. At one time, in Paris, the physician attending me advised that I be removed to a hospital—a death in the hotel might not be the proper thing. I was really at the point of giving up, but a friend, whom I met in search of a cure, put me out of misery and relieve him of my responsibility. But one day a physician acquaintance suggested I take ordinary blood-iron salts. He explained that it contained calcium lactophosphate, and other valuable ingredients that would help to neutralize and eliminate the poisonous toxins chemically developed in the bowels by the putrefaction of undigested foods; also that this simple preparation contained the very elements the blood needed to properly nourish and build up vital energy, strength and endurance in the entire body. Scientific investigation, he said, showed that these poisonous toxins were the underlying cause of many diseases, nervous weakness, stomach and liver troubles, rheumatism, neuritis, debilitated or rundown conditions, and produced many delicate, sickly men and women, who foolishly doctor for years with drastic patent medicines and useless blood-purifiers and began taking them less blood, nerve and flesh preparations. This seemed reasonable to me, so I procured some ordinary three-grain blood-iron-salts and began taking them. I was directed. I had used this remedy only a week, when, lo and behold! a remarkable transformation in my whole being began to occur. And if my dead were brought back to life before my very eyes I would not be more astonished than I was at the relief from suffering and worry, as well as the feeling of new vitality and energy that seemed to shoot through my veins and body. My bowels began to act daily without the use of cathartics or the usual enemata. My appetite increased and I was hungry between meals. The red-sticky phlegm and mucus stopped. My cheeks began to fill out, the hollows and dark circles under my eyes, the deep

lines in my face, and the haggard, aged appearance began to disappear as if by magic. And although I am now nearly half a century old, I feel like a boy bubbling over with vital energy and endurance. My mind is again alert and I feel full of that strange, magnetic power that once enabled me to control and sway the minds of vast audiences before whom I appeared for years. My former friends who knew me when I was a 'run-down' look at me in amazement and wonder at my youthful appearance. Few new acquaintances guess me to be over 25 or 30. In fact, I feel as though it were my second time on earth, and I attribute it all to taking two blood-iron-salts tablets after each meal for a while. And I still continue to use them. It was what I needed all those terrible years, but I did not know it. And it is what millions need who are suffering from one cause or another, and who are now foolishly taking useless medicine and wrong treatments. I firmly believe blood-iron-salts has done for me, so long as I live." IMPORTANT INFORMATION—The simple yet remarkably efficacious remedy on which this eminent authority reports is not secret. It is manufactured by G. Tamslyn, Ltd., and other good druggists in this city and throughout Canada.

ON STABBING CHARGE. Charged with wounding John Inglesby by stabbing him in the back with a dirk during an altercation, at the Hotel St. Michaels, Alphonse Prino was remanded for a week when arraigned in the police court yesterday. Inglesby is in St. Michael's Hospital.

DOES GOOD WORK. Twenty-seven parcels of comforts and dainties have been sent to the front by the three weeks' old auxiliary of A Company and the brass band of the 19th Battalion. The auxiliary hopes to send from 25 to 50 parcels a week.

Baker Had Long Hours And Only Broken Rest. Became Much Run Down and Could Not Sleep When Opportunity Came—Found Cure in Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Brockville, Ont., Feb. 13.—At this time many people are working long hours with little time for rest and sleep. Sooner or later the nerves give way, for it is during sleep that the nerve forces wasted by the activities of living and working is replenished. When you cannot sleep there is no rest for the nerves, and by continual spending there must follow bankruptcy of living and collapse of the nervous system. In this letter you will find cheering news about the great nerve restorative—Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. This treatment now has an enormous sale throughout this continent. Everywhere people are using it to restore tired, wasted nerves. In almost every paper you pick up you will find reports of cures effected. Mr. M. E. McCarteen, baker, 88 Church street, Brockville, Ont., writes: "About five years ago I was troubled with nervousness and sleeplessness. Owing to my business (a baker) I had long hours and only broken rest, and became so run down that when I could get the time to sleep, sleep would not come. Through reading some of the advertisements and also looking over a family receipt book, I decided to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I purchased a box, tried it, and continued the treatment until I found myself much improved, and could get a good night's rest. Since then, when I feel the need of them, I resort to Dr. Chase's Nerve Food again, with the same good results. I gladly recommend the use of this treatment to any one suffering from nervousness or sleeplessness." Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, a full treatment of 6 boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates and Co., Limited, Toronto. Do not be talked into accepting a substitute. Limitations only disappoint.

WILLS PROBATED. Robert S. Oliver, of Brantford, has applied for administration of the estate of \$4,431 left by his uncle, James McLeish, an evangelist, who died at 167 Seaton street Oct. 24. A will supposed to have been made March 8, 1915, cannot be found, and Donald Sutherland, a bookseller, has filed an affidavit stating that he drew up the will. Under its terms Oliver inherits \$1,500 and has the option to buy the farm at \$5,000. Legacies of \$250 each are bequeathed to Mary Sutherland and Emma Sheppard. JAMES FOSTER FINED. Sequel to the death of John Markey, the boy who some time ago was run down and fatally injured by a motor truck driven by James Foster, was the appearance of Foster in the police court yesterday, on a charge of failing to return to the scene of the accident. He was fined \$50 and costs or 10 days in jail. BRIDGE AND EUCHRE. Proceeds from a bridge and euchre held in the Parkdale Assembly Hall, under the auspices of the Westminster Chapter, I.O.D.E., cleared \$100. The committee in charge were: Mrs. A. Foynt, regent, and Mesdames G. Dutton, Lovell, Riches, Almas, Davenport, Wright, Farr, Murdoch, Hamilton, Pratt, Conger, Arnot, Craig, and Miss Mossop. CHARGED WITH THEFT. Alleged to have stolen the sum of \$130 from a room mate, William Dew of 145 Berkeley street, George Webber was remanded till today in the police court yesterday.

SUPREME CIRCLE MEETING. Order of Canadian Home Circles Has Paid Insurance on Soldier Members Killed. The supreme circle of the Order of Canadian Home Circles is in biennial session in Foresters' Hall, College street. The opening session began at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The presiding officer is Rev. Dr. T. S. Boyle, president of King's College, Windsor, N.S. In his introductory remarks, he referred to the members of the order who are serving the empire at the battlefield, and mentioned that five members have made the supreme sacrifice in France, and their beneficiaries have been paid the amount of their insurance in the order. The afternoon and evening sessions

were devoted to the reception of the supreme officers' reports, and the discussions arising out of the same. The reports show that since the reorganization of the order, and the adoption of adequate rates three years ago, the reserve fund has increased from \$11 to \$63 per thousand dollars insurance. The election of officers will take place at this morning's session. WRIT AGAINST BANK. A writ was issued at Osgoode Hall yesterday at the instigation of Samuel Joseph against the Imperial Bank, to recover damages by reason of the failure of the Queen and Yonge streets branch to honor a cheque, for improperly deducting \$25 from this account, and for alleged libel of the

plaintiff in his business, by publication of a statement that the plaintiff had no account with the defendant bank upon which the cheque was drawn. CLAIMS SUPPLY FIRM HAS GERMAN PRESIDENT. At the meeting of the finance committee of the board of education when the recommendations for accepting tenders were being considered, Trustee Steele took objection to the name of J. F. Hartz Company for medical supplies, stating that the board could not deal with German goods, adding that it was a German firm with German sympathies. Trustee Hopkins said he had met the manager and he is a Canadian. "He may be a Canadian," continued Trustee Steele, "but the president of the J. F. Hartz Company is a German living in Chicago and has strong pro-German sympathies." It was decided that the superintendent of supplies be instructed to make full enquiries and in the meantime the tender is held over. Mr. T. B. James, president and manager of the J. F. Hartz Company, Limited, stated that the charge is absolutely untrue, also he admitted that Mr. Hartz is of German descent but he resides in Detroit and also that he has a controlling interest in the company, but insisted that he is not the president. Mr. James also stated that his firm had been doing business with the department of militia and defence all along.

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Polly and Her Pals by Randolph Lewis. WHAT I WANNA KNOW IS, IS THIS BRILL BUSINESS COLLEGE OF POLLY'S GONNA DO HER ANY GOOD? GO W AN' ASK THAT LIL GAL THAT'S WAITING FOR POLLY T'GO SKATING— SHE'S A GRADUATE. YOU'RE A GRADUATE OF BRILL'S BUSINESS COLLEGE I UNDERSTAND. SUREST THING YOU KNOW! WAIL; DO YOU FIGGER THE TRAINING YOU'VE RECEIVED, HAS FITTED YOU TO HOLD YER OWN IN THE BUSINESS WORLD? WELL I SHOULD SMILE! COME, KIT! I'VE ONLY BEEN GRADUATED TEN DAYS AND I'VE HAD EIGHT JOBS ALREADY!

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAR. 14.

A Principle Established.

Three big street railway questions in Toronto are up before the legislature at present, and two of them were before the private bill committee yesterday. They are all intimately connected with the central policy of public ownership and operation of transportation facilities on public roads and streets. While Toronto localizes the present debate the issues involved are of importance to all that portion of the province interested in the development of the hydro radial proposals.

Gas Company Profiteering.

Editor World: I wish to point out to the citizens of Toronto how the Consumers Gas Co. is putting one over on the "Dear Old Public." There are 104,000 meters in use in the city. The total gas sales for the year ending Sept. 30, 1918, amounted to \$2,487,872. The 104,000 meters for the year ending Sept. 30 averaged \$23.96 per meter. Based on a 10 per cent increase, the average increase per meter is 28 4-7 cents, being \$27.71 per meter, meaning an increased revenue to the gas company of \$355,831.58. But the gas company anticipates a profit of \$1,000,000 for the year ending Sept. 30, 1917, to be considerably in excess of the previous year, thus their increased profit will considerably augment the above mentioned amount. A large number of the bills that amount to less than 10 cents are from apartments and other large houses that contain more than one meter. The gas company claim that their expenses have been increased by the amount of \$232,000, and as a result to meet that expense they boost the price 10 per cent, thus returning to them not only the \$232,000, but a further profit over and above any such estimated expense of \$128,381.

"Funk-holes Within Our Army."

Editor World: This article is written in justice to our fighting men. By the term "funking men" I mean those thousands who have gone right thru from the start without seeking a funk-hole when the smell of powder and the roar of the guns are an inevitable reality. There is no quest of the soft jobs, theirs was to meet the call and stand by their comrades. Positions on the staff of a battalion, brigade or division, were at the outset of the war open to any who desired to take their part. As the progress of the war, casualties began to come in by the thousands, but no effort was made to replace the men who fell with our returned men, thereby releasing the able-bodied men who were lurking in the staff funk-holes. The state of things has caused a very bitter feeling among the men who return from the front, and also among the fresh arrivals from Canada, who discover these staff funk-holes holding down jobs in the orderly room, pay office, Q. M. stores or in the kitchen.

SEIZE GASOLINE STILL.

Special to The Toronto World. Brentford, March 13.—Investigation is being conducted by M. J. O'Donoghue of inland revenue department in connection with the seizure of a still from a local cleaning and pressing establishment by an official of the inland revenue department from Hamilton. The still, which was being used for purifying gasoline, was over three gallons capacity, and according to the statute it is necessary to have a license to install one of this size.

SUBMARINE STRANDED.

Amsterdam, March 13.—The report that a German submarine has been stranded near Hellevoetsluis, on the Dutch coast, by the Heivolk. Fifteen members of the crew, says the newspaper, have disembarked.

During Recent Months

If your savings have been deposited with this old-established, time-tried institution, which since 1818, has been the safe depository for the savings of many thousands of our citizens, or if they have been invested in its Debentures, you have been free from the anxiety which has been experienced by those who have used their money in the purchase of bonds and stocks which presented a greater return, but which are subject to the fluctuations of the market. Recent events have demonstrated that many so-called investments have been only speculations, of a more or less hazardous nature. Savings which are deposited with this Corporation are protected by the highest insurable interest, whenever called for, while those who have invested in our Debentures know that they will receive the full amount of the investment when the Debenture becomes due, and the half-yearly interest regularly. We invite you to call or write for further information.

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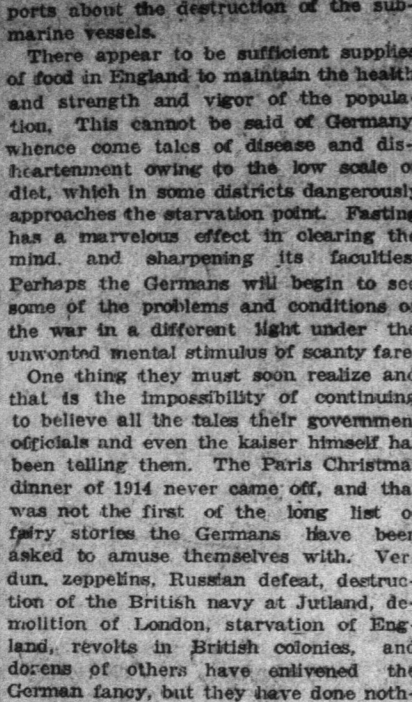
GIVEN CHANCE TO PAY.

Judge Coatsworth in general session yesterday released John Vaip, an Italian, who was seized by the sheriff after Louisa Bettello, for whom he had become surety for \$200 amount of bail, left the Vaip had no estate. He promised the judge to pay the court the money before the "lay sessions."

A Democratic Peace.

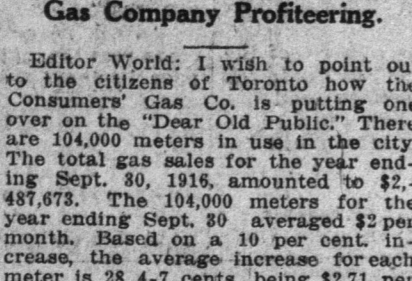
It ought to be evident to the Germans by this time that their dependence on a submarine campaign is futile. Whatever the losses to the submarine fleet may have been, the Washington reports that sixty have been captured or destroyed since the beginning of February, the injury to British merchant vessels has not been sufficient to achieve the purpose which Germany had in view. Less than half the expected tonnage had been destroyed in the first month, and the quantity has been steadily decreasing, this in their lending weight to the re-

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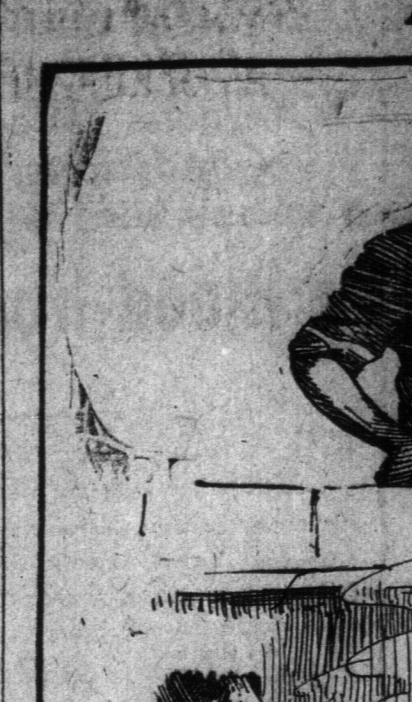
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Justice Middleton yesterday quashed the conviction by Police Magistrate J. Deacon, of Brockville, against Steven Gorsky. The latter's dog killed six geese owned by a neighbor in Elizabethtown, and Gorsky was fined \$25, in default of which he was to serve a jail sentence of six months.

AERO AUXILIARY ORGANIZES.

At the organization committee meeting for the purpose of forming an auxiliary to the Aero Club to render aid that might be needed, the executive of the new organization was appointed as follows: Miss Catherine Merritt, convener; Mrs. Mackenzie Alexander, Mrs. W. B. Maclean, Mrs. Reginald Lockhart, Miss Marjorie Kirkpatrick.

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DAMAGES FOR ACCIDENT. Miss Grace Graham, a domestic science student at James B. Cameron were awarded \$400 and \$200 respectively in their suits for \$1,000 and \$500 against E. Ross Barber and Letitia Barber for injuries sustained in a motor car accident last October, by a jury in the county court yesterday. The plaintiffs contended that a machine driven by Barber collided with their machine, forcing it against an iron post. CONDUCTOR JOINED UP. Vincent Raspa, former street car conductor, who was found guilty of striking a passenger with his fare box, was released on suspended sentence by Judge Coatsworth in general session yesterday. Raspa is joined with the 35th Battalion.

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Hockey

Second Cup Game Tonight

PROVIDENCE GRAYS SOLD TO SYNDICATE

Seven Thousand More Than Required Amount Subscribed—Barrow Was Present

Providence, R.I., March 13.—The Providence International League Baseball Club was sold this afternoon by Wm. H. Draper, its owner, to a syndicate of local men for \$18,000. The meeting was held at the office of Mayor Gainer in the city hall and was attended by thirty business and professional men of the city.

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DENTALS PLAY AGAIN IN WINNIPEG TONIGHT

Dentals and the Saskatoon Pilgrims play the second game of the Allan Cup semi-finals at Winnipeg tonight.

Modest Ottawa

An Ottawa exchange says: If Ottawa had gathered any luck and beaten Canadiens out for the championship it is most probable that the team would have gone to Seattle minus Jack Darragh and Horace Merrill.

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INDOOR BASEBALL

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HOT SPRINGS. FIRST RACE—Manioc, Verena, Bas Blanc.

Won Cuban Golf Championship

New York, March 13.—For the second year in succession R. A. Gray has won the golf championship of Cuba.

TENPIN BOWLING

In the roll-off to break the tie for the second series of the Beaches Fivepin League at the Toronto Bowling Club last night, Radcliff was declared the winner.

Hot Springs Results

Hot Springs, Ark., March 13.—Following are the race results today.

EVENTS AT MOSS PARK RECREATION CENTRE

Athletics will hold first place in the interest of the boys at Moss Park. As the inter-school athletic meet is being held at the park, the boys are striving to make a place on the team that will represent Moss Park.

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Kent County Farmers Are In Need of Government Help

Special to The Toronto World. Chatham, March 13.—A shortage of grain in Kent County has been brought to light as a result of an investigation which the Chatham Board of Trade has commenced and which is still being pursued. It is reported that unless the poorer farmers are able to get advances from the government or other sources, in a great many instances, particularly in Dover Township, there will be considerable farm land which will be uncultivated. The investigation made in the neighborhood of Big Point yesterday showed that many farmers were in absolute need of immediate assistance.

CAPT. PAULIN DIES IN ENGLAND
Simcoe, March 13.—Capt. A. Hilton Paulin of the 133rd Battalion died in England, after an operation for appendicitis, according to a cablegram

received here today. For some years he was an officer in the 39th Norfolk Rifles, and volunteered for overseas service more than a year ago. He leaves a widow and son in his early teens, his parents and a brother and several sisters. He was interested in athletics and prominent in lodge affairs.

BRITAIN FORMALLY NOTIFIED.
London, March 13.—The British Government has received formal notification from the state department at Washington of the decision to place armed guards on American merchantmen.

TO CURB DANCE HALLS.
Brantford, March 13.—Chief of Police Slemin is crusading against local dance halls. He has asked the city council to pass a bylaw giving the police power over them. He asks that all be closed at twelve o'clock, and that none be allowed to dance unless they are over eighteen.

PLOTS "FAIRY TALES" SAYS VON BERNSTORFF

London, March 13.—The Hamburger Fremdenblatt, according to Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent, prints an interview its representative had at Copenhagen in which Count Von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States, expressed surprise and was keenly affected by the news which he received for the first time at Christiania that instructions which had passed thru his hands to the German minister in Mexico had come to the knowledge of the American Government. "All American assertions about such intrigues in Haiti, Cuba and Colombia are fairy tales," Count Von Bernstorff is quoted as saying, and adding that possibly so long as he was ambassador at Washington he was never aware of the slightest indication that the German Government tried to influence the policy in Central and South American states in any sense hostile to the United States. The interview concludes with the declaration from Count Von Bernstorff that from instructions to the German minister to Mexico it was clear that the Mexican Government, if the United States did not declare war on Germany, would never have heard of German intentions from a German mouth. "I believe it is hardly possible to have acted more correctly," he said.

Major G. B. Hood, Guelph, Dead After Long Illness

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FORM FARMERS CLUB.
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U. S. DIPLOMATS TO SAIL.
Washington, March 13.—American diplomats at home awaiting an opportunity to return to posts in Europe will travel on armed American liners. Among them are Hugh Gibson, first secretary of the embassy at London, who expects to sail on the first American liner that starts across the Atlantic.

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When the scrip certificates have been paid in full and payment endorsed thereon by the bank receiving the money, they may be exchanged for bonds, when prepared, with coupons attached, payable to bearer or registered, as to principal, or for fully registered bonds, when prepared, without coupons, in accordance with the application.

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The issue will be exempt from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

The bonds with coupons will be issued in denominations of \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Fully registered bonds without coupons will be issued in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000 or any authorized multiple of \$5,000.

The bonds will be paid at maturity at par at the office of the Minister of Finance and Receiver General at Ottawa, or at the office of the Assistant Receiver General at Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary or Victoria, or at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

The interest on the fully registered bonds will be paid by cheque, which will be remitted by post. Interest on bonds with coupons will be paid on surrender of coupons. Both cheques and coupons, at the option of the holder, will be payable free of exchange at any branch in Canada of any chartered bank, or at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

Subject to the payment of twenty-five cents for each new bond issued, holders of fully registered bonds without coupons will have the right to convert into bonds of the denomination of \$1,000 with coupons, and holders of bonds with coupons will have the right to convert into fully registered bonds of authorized denominations without coupons at any time on application to the Minister of Finance.

The books of the loan will be kept at the Department of Finance, Ottawa.

Application will be made in due course for the listing of the issue on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges.

Recognized bond and stock brokers having offices and carrying on business in Canada will be allowed a commission of three-eighths of one per cent on allotments made in respect of applications bearing their stamp, provided, however, that no commission will be allowed in respect of the amount of any allotment paid for by the surrender of bonds issued under the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915, or in respect of the amount of any allotment paid for by surrender of five per cent debenture stock maturing 1st October, 1919. No commission will be allowed in respect of applications on forms which have not been printed by the King's Printer.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA, March 12th, 1917.

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In November 1915, there were approximately 25,000 subscribers to Canada's First War Loan of \$50,000,000. In September 1916, there were 35,000 subscribers to the Second War Loan of \$100,000,000. To make the Third War Loan of \$150,000,000 a complete success at least

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Strengthen the hands that are working night and day for the triumph of our Empire's cause. Every dollar you lend Canada will drive the Allies closer to their goal. Let your subscription, whether large or small, be as substantial as you can make it.

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I hereby request you to record my subscription for \$..... of the Third Canadian War Loan in accordance with the terms of the Official Prospectus, and I hereby engage to pay the instalments as they shall become due.

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Your application, if entrusted to us, receives all care, without charge to you for our services. Our efficient distributing organization is also at your disposal for resale of your bonds.

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In the Men's Store Today Our Special Men's Hats for Spring \$15 Suits for Men

Desirable styles, including staple and broad, flat brim shapes, with silk bound and welted edges; many new shades of maize, myrtle and olive green, stone, steel and pearl grey, brown and black. 2.50

Black Stiff Hats
Well-known English and American makes, in correct styles, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

John B. Stetson and Christy's Special
These two famous Black Stiff Hats offer wonderful service for the man who wishes to wear a good hat. 4.00

Borsalino Soft Felt Hats
All the new shades in flat set and curl brim shapes in these well-known Italian hats, \$4.00 and \$4.50.

Spring Caps
An unusually large assortment features our new stock of Caps for men and young men; fancy mixtures and plain shades in all the popular shapes, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00.

In spite of the high cost of materials we are again showing those excellent business suits at \$15.00. For everyday wear you can hardly do better than to get one of these splendid worsted suits. The prevailing three-button, single-breasted coat; medium grey shade. Sizes 36 to 44.

Another Splendid Suit at \$20

The material is a fine quality English worsted cloth in medium shade of grey, showing a small check pattern. Beautifully tailored in a stylish single-breasted, three-button saque style. Correctly tailored and handsome in every line. Sizes 36 to 44.

Four Special Values

Men's Lightweight Cashmere Shirts and Drawers, natural shade, guaranteed pure wool yarns; sizes 34 to 44. Today 1.00

Men's Canadian Drill Work Shirts, black and white stripe, extra large bodies, collar attached style; sizes 14 to 18. Today75

Boys' Spring Weight Cotton Jerseys, pullover style, in white and sky, white and navy, navy and cardinal, white and various other combinations; long sleeves; sizes 18 to 32. Today29

Boys' Balbriggan Underwear, natural shade, shirts and drawers; sizes 20 to 32. Today35

Men's Blucher Boots \$2.79

300 pairs new stitch Men's Box Kip Blucher Boots, with neat round toe, heavy standard screw soles, military heels. Sizes 6 to 11. Per pair 2.79

Men's Strong Boots for Bad Weather

Men's black caribou blucher, guaranteed for wear, the soles are extra heavy and are nailed and sewn; the counters and box toes are solid, and all seams are sewn with heavy wax thread. Sizes 6 to 11. Per pair 3.95

For Women

Today's One Hour Rush Special of Slippers

400 Pairs of Women's Satin Slippers, in pink, blue, cerise, red and yellow. Sizes 2 1/2 to 7. No phone orders for these slippers, and no refunds or exchanges. \$2.50 to \$4.00 slippers to be cleared today at 1.09

This Boot in Patent Colt, Dongola or Gunmetal for \$3.00

There is a feeling of intense satisfaction about selling these Boots to our customers, for we know that they are positively the biggest boot value in Canada. The picture shows you what they look like—come in and see the quality. Sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Cloth tops. Special price, a pair 3.00

Remnants of Flannel - 7c Yard

We Cannot Accept Phone Orders for Flannel. Thousands of yards of White Flannel, mill ends, bought at a greatly reduced price. They come in lengths of 3 to 9 yards. For early business Wednesday they are offered at, a 7 Bath Robe Lengths, with cords to match, assorted colors; size 72 x 88 inches. Regular \$5.50. Clearing Wednesday at 2.50

Women's Gloves

Women's French Wash Chamollette Gloves, white, natural and grey. Extra fine weave. Have two dome fasteners and neatly sewn seams. Sizes 5 1/2 to 8. A pair 1.25

Women's Fine Silk Gloves, black and white, close fine weave, two dome fasteners, .65 double-tipped fingers. Pair65

Hose That We Recommend

Women's Black and White Thread Silk Hose, extra fine quality, good heavy weight, full silk to the top and full fashioned. Spliced heel, toe and sole. Regular \$1.50. Wed. 1.29

Women's Fine Fibre Silk Ankle Hose, 17-inch silk leg, close fine weave, seamless finish, lisle thread top; black, white and colors. Wed. 75

Women's Mercerized Lisle Thread Hose, silk-like appearance; black and white; extra close, fine weave. 3 pairs for \$1.10; per pair, 36c.

\$6.00, \$7.00 and \$8.00 Corsets Today \$4.50

180 only, pairs of Women's High-class Corsets—an accumulation of oddments and discontinued lines of such well-known makes as "Redfern's," "B. & J.," "Bon Ton," "Corset Royale," "Superior," "La Diva," and "C.B." Made of beautiful fine coutil, batiste and silk brocade. Styles for slender, average and full figures. Sizes 19 to 30. Wednesday 4.50

\$2.25 Combinations \$1.69

Women's New Spring Combinations, made of very fine ribbed cotton; low neck and no sleeves; top of good quality flesh-colored glove silk, nicely finished with dainty tube edge; the drawers are knee length, tight knee; sizes 34 to 38. Regular \$2.25. Wednesday 1.69

Other Specials

Women's New Spring Vests and Drawers. 60 of Combed Cotton, sizes 34 to 40, at 23c

Three Apron Specials—Bungalow style at 49c; an all-over style at 39c; and band style at 23c.

Today's Silk Specials

1,000 yards of Natural Silk Shantung and Jap Pongee Silk, free from dressing. Regular \$1.25. Wednesday, yard95

300 yards of "New Navy" Satin Messaline, 36 inches wide. Regular \$1.33 a yard. Wednesday, yard 1.19

Fine quality black Chiffon Taffetas, splendid wearing Satin Paillettes, and rich black Suing Satins. Regular \$1.79 a yard. Wednesday 1.55

Today's Wash Goods Specials

Fine Mercerized Suitings, Bradford dye and finish; rose, pink, sky, Copen, navy, black, tan, khaki and white; 36 in. wide. Regular 39c. 25

45-inch White English Voiles, suitable for waists and dresses. Regularly 29c. Wednesday 25

Women's and Misses' Coats for Every Occasion

Sports Coats, short and swaggy, tinged with bright colors suitable for their calling, and made in wool Jersey (a Jersey cloth), burella, velour and tweeds. Prices \$13.50 to \$18.50.

Perhaps a Traveling Coat is what you are building your hopes on, and they will be more than realized when you see our models of English serge, gabardine, Poiret will, loopline, moirés, taffeta and tricotine. Made with ample folds, huge pockets and fancy belts, they are graceful and useful garments. Prices \$16.50 to \$35.00.

Before You Dig Up the Back Yard

Here is a list of books that will tell you how to do it. Now is the time to study up. Phone your order Main 7841.

This is the time of the year when you are thinking of your gardening requirements. These volumes will add to your knowledge no doubt, and the benefits to be derived from their pages are well worth the purchase. Little Gardens and How to Make Most of Them, illustrated, by H. H. Thomas, 25c. First Steps in Gardening, illustrated, by Walter P. Wright and Edward J. Castle, 25c. Rose Growing for Amateurs, illustrated, by H. H. Thomas, 25c. Vegetable Growing for Amateurs, illustrated, by H. H. Thomas, 25c. Garden Planning and Planting, by H. H. Thomas, illustrated, 25c. Practical Potato Growing, by Wright and Castle, illustrated, 25c. Sweet Peas, by H. H. Thomas, illustrated, 25c. A.B.C. of Gardening, by Rexford, 50c. The Suburban Garden Guide, 50c.



Our Early Wild Flowers, Harriet Kiefer, 1.00. Key to Trees, by Collins and Preston, 1.25. A White Vegetable Gardening, by L. H. Bailey, 1.75. Principles of Fruit Gardening, by L. H. Bailey, 1.75. The Fruiting Book, by L. H. Bailey, 1.50. Plant Breeding, by Bailey & Gilchrist, 1.50. Bush Fruits, by E. W. Card, 1.50. Farm and Garden Rule Book, by L. H. Bailey, 2.00. Garden Growers as they Grow, by H. Thomas, photographed in color, 1.50. The Rose Book, by H. H. Thomas, profusely illustrated, 1.50. The American Flower Garden, by Elizabeth Whitt, with 92 full-page photographs, 1.50. Beautiful Gardens: How to Make and Maintain Them, by W. P. Robertson, 1.50. Guide to the Mushroom, by Emma Land and Crosby, 1.50.

Clothes for Boys

Blue Serge Reefers

These are the ideal Spring Overcoats for boys from 2 1/2 to 10 years of age. Medium weight imported chevrot serges in double-breasted, box back styles, with black velvet collars, peak-shaped lapels, and loose-back with side vents. Price 6.50 A better quality, same style 7.50

Pinch-Back Suits

In the popular pinch-back models we are showing a very dressy suit, tailored from a medium weight grey tweed, showing a fine hairline stripe. Coat is single-breasted, with smart lapels, slanting set-in pockets and 3-piece all-around belt, sewn at back only. Bloomers are full-fitting, lined throughout. For boys 7 to 16 years. Sizes 25 to 30, \$11.00; sizes 31 to 34, \$12.00.

Another line is tailored from a soft finished grey check diagonal suiting. A single-breasted, 3-button model, with snappy lapels and form-retaining shoulders. Side and breast patch pockets with flap, 2-piece belt that buttons back and front, and twill serge body linings. For boys 7 to 16 years of age. Sizes 25 to 30, \$11.50; sizes 31 to 34, \$12.50.

80 SPECIAL BABY CARRIAGES \$18.98

Reed bodies and hoods in grey, brown and natural finish, sleeper backs and foot wells, rep upholstering, comfortable gears, and half-inch rubber tire wheels. Special today

Over 200 Styles and Finishes of Baby Carriages

From such an extensive assortment you can surely make a satisfactory selection. But as in all other lines of goods it is safest to buy early to make sure of a satisfactory assortment to select from.

Go-Carts, as illustrated, hardwood frames, varnished, 3.95 spring gears, steel axles, rubber tires. Special today

New Style Reed Chair—(Note the large and small wheels enable crossing curbs easily). Loose corduroy cushions, spring gears, foot wells and reclining backs; old ivory, white enamel, brown and grey enamel finishes. At \$31.50, \$36.00 and \$45.00.

Exclusive Hats Made in Our Own Workroom \$10.00

Those who benefited by our special \$10.00 hats last week will understand the advantage of purchasing a spring hat today. There will be an extensive range of hats in lisse, georgette crepe, and in many combinations of straw and grosgrain ribbon. Trimmings of French ornaments, in flowers, quills, beaded buckles and quills are used in many original ways. A range of all the new colors, chartreuse and shadow lawn green, vieux rose, French blue, Havana brown, navy and black. 10.00

Trimmed Hats at \$7.50

We have turned out some very stylish Hats of first-class materials for today's selling at this price. Shapes of Milan, hemp and other braids are used with satin facings, and trimmed with the latest novelties. In a range of new Spring colors. This is an excellent assortment to choose from, for, in addition to the desirability of the models, the values, too, are thoroughly good. Today... 7.50

Delightful Lingerie Blouse \$1.95

Fresh chic styles, just from the maker's hands, some 200 altogether, part of the lot are individual samples, others have 10 or 12 of the same design in various sizes. The materials are all sheer voile and organdie muslin, beautifully trimmed and embroidered and all up to the "Simpson" standard of high quality and make.

\$2.95 Qualities on Sale Today at \$1.95

The Robert SIMPSON Company Limited

Silverware

3-piece 5-o'clock Tea Sets, including tea pot, sugar bowl and cream jug, in fancy scroll and floral decoration, sterling silver deposit ware. Regular \$8.00 and \$10.00 set. Wednesday at 3.98

Large Berry Spoon or Fruit Servers, Rogers' silver-plated ware. Regular \$1.50. Wed.65

Set of 12 Bread and Butter Spreads to match, Rogers' sectional silver-plated ware. Regular \$8.00 per dozen. Wednesday 2.98

Silver-plated Food Pushers, for the baby; straight handle, pretty patterns. Regularly 50c each. 25 Wednesday

The Drug Store

Freezeme Corn Cuts. Regular 37c. Special 23

Nuxated Iron Tablets. Regular 54c. Special 57

Mentholatum, 25c and 50c sizes. 16 and 32

Castor Oil (Insect). Regular 40c. Special 29

Camphorated Oil. Regular 30c. Special 23

Cocoonut Oil. Regular 15c. Special 13

Bay Rum (sprinkler top). Regular 25c. Special 19

Syrup Hypophosphites. Regular 52c. Special 43

Quinine and Iron Wine. Regular 52c. Special 43

Dolly Tints. Regular 10c. Special, 2 for 15

Emulsion Cod Liver Oil. Regular 68c. Special, 57

Tasteless Cod Liver Oil. Regular 78c. Special, 67

Kidney Compound. Regular \$1.04. Special 79

Doche Syringes. Regular \$2.75. Special 2.07

Hair Tonic Combs. Regular 50c. Special 31

Bath Spray. Regular \$1.25. Special 99

War Tax Included.

L. SIMPSON DRUGS

A Bargain in Dinnerware

Johnson's White and Gold Dinner Set 97 Pieces 19.75



For Wednesday's selling we offer 60 only complete 97-piece sets of finest pure white English ware, with popular plain gold bands on edges and gold line handles; choice of Kermit or Ovide shape. Recent advances in cost have made the present value of these sets \$25.00. They will be on sale Wednesday at 19.75

35c, 50c and 60c Enamelware at 25c

Over 3,000 pieces of good grade Enamelware, some grey, some white, some blue and white; some firsts, some seconds.

Not a piece in the lot that is not worth 35c, while many pieces—hundreds of them—are worth 50c and 60c.

Double Boilers, Lipped Saucepans, Covered Saucepans, Preserving Kettles, Strainers, Wash Basins, Mixing Bowls, Tea and Coffee Pots—all these in many sizes, and many other items. Wednesday, 25c each

Art Needlework

(Fourth Floor)

Stamped Night Dresses of a fine quality Spanish long cloth, empire and straight line effects. They come in modern and up-to-date designs, for white or colored embroidery work. Wednesday, each 65

Corset Covers, stamped on a fine quality bleached longcloth. Special Wednesday at 33

Bucilla Thread, a four-strand satin finished floss, suitable for all kinds of white work. Special Wednesday, a ball 9

Dainty New Garments for Tiny Tots

Infants' Coats, made of fine cream poplin, lined throughout with glossy white saten. The smart new collar, front and cuffs are beautifully embroidered; sizes 6 months to 2. 2.49

Children's Creepers, made of strong white rep, with belt at waist, buttoning at back and across bottom from knee to knee; pocket on front; sizes 1 to 2 years. Special 85

A Charming New Sweater Coat for little folks of 2 to 6 years. It is made of a fine ribbed pure wool yarn in beautiful shades of rose or grey. Special price for Wednesday 1.85