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WILSON SIGNS UNITED STATES WAR BILL Passed by Senate 82 to 6 Another Advance is Made By British, While French UNITED STATES ENTERS WAR Gain North of Rheims GERMAN VESSELS ARE SIZED

Wilson Authorizes Prompt Enactment of General Staff Army Plans.

CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

Selective Draft Will Provide Additional Forces—Full Naval Mobilization.

Washington, April 6.—Measures to make ready for actual hostilities with Germany went forward swiftly today at the war and navy departments and President Wilson issued a statement urging the prompt enactment of the general staff army plans to be taken up tomorrow by the house military committee.

Complete mobilization of the navy was ordered by Secretary Daniels immediately after the cabinet meeting. The naval militia and naval reserves, totaling nearly 15,000 men, will be called up within two or three days. Every preliminary arrangement has been made.

Mobilization of the coast patrol service and the taking over of the swift, privately owned motor craft already enrolled. Volunteer crews for these boats will be called out also.

Under the call for the reserves scores of retired naval officers are starting to post previously selected for them to relieve active officers now on shore duty and whose services can be spared. The active men will go to the fleet, active and reserve, and to merchant craft already surveyed and listed and to be drafted into the naval service.

In the war department, further moves towards mustering a great army await action by congress. Every preliminary step already has been taken, however, to carry out the project of raising and training a million men in a year, and supplying them with full war equipment.

President Supports Plans.
In his statement, President Wilson formally set himself on record as supporting the general staff plan for the army in every detail, including the provision for selective draft to obtain men. Later in the day, Chairman of the house military committee, called to see Secretary Baker, who will take the staff plan and its accompanying \$3,000,000,000 budget before the committee tomorrow. The conference had to do with the draft clauses of the bill, to which considerable opposition is expected at the capitol.

Plans have been laid for calling the full strength of the general staff to the aid of the administration of the huge task of army building, before the department. Only one-half of the authorized strength of the staff can now be on duty here under

GERMAN SUBS. IN MEXICAN WATERS

More Than Score of U-Boats Reported Lying in Wait.

BASES ALONG SHORES

Washington Receives Warning From Europe to Be on Guard.

Washington, April 6.—Persistent but hitherto unconfirmed reports of German submarines waiting in the Gulf of Mexico for the opening of hostilities of the United States were further supported today by advices to the government from Europe.

The full nature of the government's information is not disclosed, but it was received from one of the neutrals contiguous to Germany, which has served as a clearing house for German information since the severance of diplomatic relations.

Wilson Signs War Resolution Passed by Congress and Issues Proclamation—Militia Reserves Called to Colors and Full Naval Mobilization Ordered.

Washington, April 6.—The United States today accepted Germany's challenge to war and formally abandoned its place as the greatest neutral of a world in arms.

President Wilson at 1:18 p.m. (official time) today signed the resolution of congress declaring the existence of a state of war and authorizing and directing the chief executive to employ all the resources of the nation to prosecute hostilities against the German Government to a successful termination.

The act was done without ceremony and only in the presence of members of the president's family. Word was flashed immediately to all army and navy stations and to vessels at sea, and orders for further precautionary steps, withheld until the last moment, were despatched.

By proclamation the president announced the state of war, called upon all citizens to manifest their loyalty, and assured Germans in this country that they would be unmolested as long as they behaved themselves. Orders were issued soon afterward for the arrest of sixty ringleaders in German plots and intrigues.

Cuban Congress Likely To Follow Lead of U.S.

President Menocal Asks That State of War Be Declared With Germany Because of Submarine Piracy.

Havana, April 6.—President Menocal this afternoon sent a message to congress asking that body to declare that a state of war exists between Cuba and Germany.

The president's message starts by reviewing the sending by Germany of her notice of unrestricted submarine warfare. Referring to Cuba's reply to the German note, President Menocal says:

U. S. ORDERS ARREST OF SIXTY FOE AGENTS

Kaiser's Chief Spies, Bomb Plotters and Conspirators Will Stay in Prison Until End of War.

Washington, April 6.—The arrest of sixty alleged ringleaders in German plots, conspiracies and machinations in the United States was ordered today by Attorney-General Gregory, immediately after President Wilson had signed the war resolution.

Every man whose arrest was ordered is a German citizen, is known by the department of justice, it was authoritatively said, to have participated actively in German intrigues in this country, and is regarded as a dangerous person to be at large. He will be refused in each case. It was said, and the entire group will be locked up unless there is a change in present plans, for the duration of the war.

Customs Guards Placed on German Ships Interned in U. S. Ports.

CREWS UNDER ARREST

Vessels May Be Requisitioned by Government for Transatlantic Trade.

Washington, April 6.—The following statement regarding the seizure of German ships was issued by Secretary McAdoo at the treasury department, under whose jurisdiction the operations of the customs agents fall:

"For the purpose of protection of the vessels from further injury and until a decision can be reached as to their proper disposition, customs guards have been placed on board all German merchant vessels anchored in the ports of the United States.

The officers and crews have been taken into custody by the department of labor pending a determination of their status.

Reports to the treasury department contain statements that virtually every ship has been disabled. The extent of the damage will be determined as speedily as possible. There are some indications that the vessels will be requisitioned by the government for transatlantic trade or as auxiliaries for at least a portion of the war.

SIR SAM OFFERS TO AID PRESIDENT

Gen. Hughes Wires Congratulations to Mr. Wilson at Washington.

HAS FAITH IN REPUBLIC

Ex-Minister of Militia Has Confidence in American Fighting Qualities.

Ottawa, Ont., April 6.—Sir Sam Hughes sent the following message today to President Wilson:

"Kindly accept my sincerest congratulations on recent actions of yourself as president and of your congress and people in rallying to the cause of humanity against entrenched tyranny and autocracy. Such action has again placed your republic before the world as a standard bearer for freedom and intelligent democracy. It has guaranteed the existence of your republic for another century. I trust that all citizens of your fair land will loyally adhere to the principles of your constitution; that race crises will be unheeded; and that citizenry of German origin having experienced the value of freedom will rally to ancient Teutonic love of personal liberty and detestation of the crown which is the enemy of the past I shall gladly and gratefully give you and your officers any suggestion sought. Your citizens have already done gallant service with us and with other allies. You will surprise the world when your free-born citizen soldiers meet the foe, and the splendid laurels won by both north and south in your civil war will be entwined with others in deeds of heroism not now believed possible by your people. I have every confidence in the manhood and womanhood of the United States. Could your gallant lads already fallen with us have known of this day their pride in their country would have been complete, but they would not have fallen in vain."

ALLEGED CONSPIRATOR PLACED UNDER ARREST

Kaltschmidt, Mentioned in Connection With Windsor Outrages, Now Held.

Detroit, April 6.—Albert Kaltschmidt, prominent local German citizen, was taken into custody at Marine City, Mich., near Port Huron, tonight by a United States marshal.

Later tonight Kaltschmidt was arraigned and waived examination. The warrant charges that Kaltschmidt "did set on foot and prepare means for a military expedition in the United States against the Dominion of Canada."

NEW YORK CALMLY PROCEEDS TO WAR

People Display Flags Everywhere—Orchestras Play Patriotic Airs.

ACTIVITY ON WATER

Preparations Go On in Forts and Warships in Harbor.

New York, April 6.—Aside from an added impetus to recruiting at all army and navy stations, the millions of residents of the nation's metropolis went about their business as usual today, calmly accepting the verdict of congress and the formal declaration of the existence of a state of war between the United States and the imperial German Government.

There was no outpouring of enthusiasm such as marked the beginning of the war with Spain, but flags were everywhere displayed and small groups gathered in front of bulletin boards, in parks and on street corners and earnestly discussed the situation.

In the theatres, restaurants and hotels this evening orchestras played patriotic airs, and there was chattering about Broadway and other prominent thoroughfares great electric signs and innumerable posters were displayed announcing "Your Country Needs You!"

In the financial districts, usually deserted at night, except for an occasional watchman, extra police were on guard. Along the water fronts were patrol boats, moving quietly, with their huge searchlights playing on the shore. To all other appearances New York was the same as on another day. Inwardly, however, in the armories, at the great forts guarding the harbor and on the warships patrolling without the city's gates, there was ceaseless, yet noiseless, activity.

Many theatres were offered to the government for recruiting purposes. At Governor's Island, headquarters of the department of the east, applicants called all day seeking commissions or information as to how they were obtainable. Many of the applicants had seen service in the air and ambulance service of the entente allies.

Brazil May Declare State of War Exists

Sinking of Brazilian Steamer Parana, With Loss of Three Lives, Creates Strong Anti-German Feeling.

London, April 6.—Anti-German excitement in Rio de Janeiro is intense as the result of the sinking of the Brazilian steamer Parana according to a telegram from the Brazilian capital transmitted by the Exchange Telegraph Company at Buenos Aires.

The Brazilian foreign minister is quoted as declaring the situation as grave and that perhaps a declaration of war against Germany would be necessary.

It is generally expected, adds the message, that Brazil will seize the interned German ships in her ports and proclaim the existence of hostilities.

LEMPIRE VILLAGE FALLS TO BRITISH

Attacks North of St. Quentin Are Continued, With Prisoners Taken and Many German Dead Found—French Progress Northwest of Rheims.

LONDON, April 6.—Continuing their attacks north of St. Quentin, the British have captured the Village of Lempire, north of Ronssoy.

The official communication from headquarters in France adds that prisoners were taken and that large numbers of German dead were found.

The operations of the past week between St. Quentin and Arras, the statement adds, resulted in severe German losses. The text of the statement reads:

"We continued our attacks north of St. Quentin yesterday in the neighborhood of Ronssoy (10 miles north of St. Quentin) and carried the Village of Lempire, where further prisoners and three more machine guns were captured. Large numbers of dead were found in the captured positions.

"Today we made further progress northeast of Ronssoy (about 10 miles southeast of Arras) and drove off a German counter-attack after stiff fighting.

"During the operations of the past week between St. Quentin and Arras, our advance proved that the enemy suffered severely. Large numbers of his dead were found in many localities.

"We entered the enemy's trenches yesterday east of Arras and took eight prisoners. We carried out another successful raid during the night opposite Wyszacheta, on a front of 300 yards, in which we captured 21 prisoners. We blew a mine last night east of Ypres.

"Yesterday and Wednesday night several long-distance raids were carried out by our aeroplanes, and a number of important railway junctions, munition depots and airdromes were bombed successfully."

THE BERLIN STATEMENT.

Berlin, April 6.—The artillery engagements on the Aisne front have increased during the past few days, especially from the Aisne to the southern bank of the Scarpe, says today's German army headquarters statement.

"On the Aisne front, as a result of our successful enterprises reported yesterday in the region of Saigneville, lively firing developed. We taking 15 officers and 327 men prisoners, with four machine guns, 10 mine-throwers and much munitions, and repulsing a French counter-attack.

"A British squadron of four machines was destroyed by one of our chasseur echelons in the Douai region."

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EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

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Russian Blouse and Tunic Effects of Taffeta and Crepe de Chine, With Georgette Crepe to Render Them Still Further Becoming — Models Suitable for Spring and Summer Wear.

THE COLORS ARE CHARMING, and the designs full of style, constituting a group of simple, modish gowns for indoor wear now and outdoor wear later on. Here are some of the various models in the collection:

Very smart is champagne color taffeta, developed in a graceful Russian blouse effect, stitched with deep blue silk, the fullness loosely belted. Price, \$27.50. The same model may be had, too, in black, navy blue and grey taffeta.

In taupe taffeta, liberally stitched with gold silk, is a delightful dress with its coat bodice reaching almost to the knees, and loosely girdled at the waist with the fashionable "shoe-string" belt. The dainty little roll-over collar is of flesh pink crepe de Chine. This model may also be had in grey or green taffeta. Price, \$27.50.

In flat-fronted Russian blouse style is a third choice—an attractive dress in black, navy blue or champagne color crepe de Chine, with sleeves of Georgette crepe. Price, \$27.50.

Black and white striped crepe de Chine—a very narrow stripe—composes a charming dress of the soft, simple sort, a sash girdle knotted at one side, and a roll-over shawl collar of white crepe de Chine serving as the only ornamentation. Price, \$27.50.

With its skirt fashionably draped in modified panier effect is another taffeta model to be had in rose, taupe and champagne color. The bodice is prettily embroidered. Price, \$27.50.

The all-black dress is represented by a model in crepe de Chine in easy-fitting one-piece style, pleated from yoke to hem, with collar of black Georgette crepe. Price, \$27.50.

Another crepe de Chine—black, navy or grey, shows Georgette crepe for the upper portion of its bodice. Price, \$27.50.

—Third Floor, James St.

"Julia Marlowe" Boots

Here They Are in Black Vici and French Kid at \$7.00 a pair, and in Chocolate Color Kid at \$9.00 — Smart Laced Models With Extension Soles.

THEY ARE LEGION, those patrons of the "Julia Marlowe" who prefer it to any other boot they know. For graceful line, comfort and good fit, it enjoys a wide reputation.

Hence the interest attached to the three new models of the "Marlowe" just arrived in the Footwear Department. They are designed for general Springtime wear, and are fashioned and priced as follows:

High-topped laced boot (eighteen eyelets), in black French kid, with Louis heel and extension sole. Price, \$7.00 a pair.

In the same high-topped, laced style, another black boot in Vici kid, with Louis heel, extension sole, the vamp finished along the edge with perforations. Price, \$7.00 a pair.

And in the ultra-fashionable chocolate kid, a boot of similar style, with Louis heel, extension sole, with vamp and foxing perforated along the top. Price, \$9.00.

—Second Floor, Queen St.

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REMEMBER that you may get into touch with the Shopping Service by direct telephone. Call Main 3501 if you are not able to come to the Store to purchase something you want which is advertised on this page, or anything else you may require in this busy time of filling the wardrobe and renovating the house. One of the experienced Shoppers will do your selecting and purchasing for you. Take advantage of the Service at any time you wish to have your shopping done for you.



Next Week Will be Chintz Week

To Mark the Coming of Spring in the Drapery Department, April 9-14 Will Be Set Aside for a Special Featuring of these Gladsome Fabrics that Glow With the Color of Flowers and Birds—For the Presentation of a Huge and Superb Assemblage of Modern and Old-time Designs in Shadows, Printed Linens and Cretonnes, From English and American Makers.

"CHINTZ WEEK"—how the very sound of it sings of the freshness of Spring-time. And 'twill, indeed, be a charming embodiment of the verdant season, this immense and unique display of decorative fabrics, the whole subtlety of which is their delightful patterning of blossoms, foliage and brightly-plumed birds.

The variety of the showing will be infinite, consisting of—

SHADOW CLOTHS
PRINTED LINENS
CHINTZ TAFFETAS
TAPESTRY CHINTZ

in colors and designs suitable for any scheme of furnishing the artistic mind might devise.

For drawing-rooms will be exhibited French shadow cloths, showing hazy splashes of beautiful color on ivory, black or grey ground; also English linens printed from the hand blocks of a century or two ago, in lovely old-time floral and bird designs, many of them reproductions of quaint glazed chintzes.

For living-rooms, dining-rooms and libraries will be shown a practically limitless collection of tapestry chintzes in fine old Jacobean designs; of heavy, printed linens in those simpler, lighter Georgian effects that provide such a happy background for mahogany furniture; and of modern cretonnes in delightfully decorative patterns such as William Morris or Walter Crane might have inspired.

For bedrooms will be exploited dainty little nosegay chintzes, smart stripes, and sunbonnet checks.

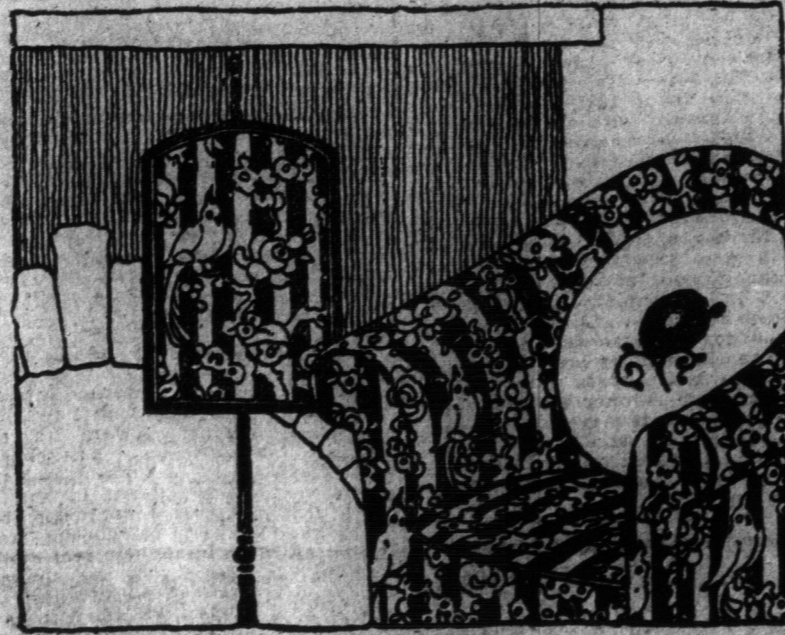
And for sun-rooms, morning-rooms, club or hotel tea-rooms—art nouveau and simple posteresque designs that suggest the Futurists in their happier moods.

The whole department will be en fete for the interesting event. The long platforms will be devoted to the showing of chintz alone, and here, there and everywhere will be found practical evidence of the many purposes to which chintz is put by Fashion and the clever decorator. In the display will be—

- WINDOW CURTAINS OF VARIOUS STYLES
- SLIP COVERS FOR CHAIRS AND SOFAS
- COVERINGS FOR UPHOLSTERED FURNITURE
- UTILITY BOXES
- SHOE BOXES
- BEDROOM STANDS
- LAMP SHADES
- WORK STANDS
- KNITTING BAGS
- SCREENS
- BEDSPREADS

The widths of the chintzes range from 31 to 50 inches, and prices from 18 cents to \$4.50 per yard.

—Fourth Floor, Yonge St.



Are you one of those who realize the decorative value of the black and white stripe? Then you'll be ready to appreciate the uncommon charm of this chintz above—for it is upon such a stripe that are set down the big, shaggy-petalled tulips which shade from lavender to purple, and the foliage, which is silver grey. As for the birds perched so serenely on the slender branches, they are a soft, faint green. Furthermore, in case you should fall in love with the pattern, but prefer a brighter color scheme, the same design may be had with deep crimson tulips, and parrots that are green and blue. The width of 48 to 50 inches, and the price 80 cents a yard.

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"H. J. B."—How do you think a parasol would appeal to her? A smart, plain, Paddy green one with the short handle that is the latest caper in sunshades? It is procurable at \$7.00. Or, since the exact tint of the frock is uncertain, perhaps it would be wiser to have one in green and navy blue shot silk, that would harmonize with any tinge of green. It has the same short handle and is priced at \$8.00. Or, if this does not strike you as appropriate, perhaps a sterling silver mesh bag would be more successful—price \$25.00, to \$50.00—or a sterling silver combination card case and purse at \$13.00. Still another suggestion would be a silk drawstring bag at \$10.00 to \$12.00, or an envelope purse in morocco leather at \$5.00.

"Enquirer."—Welcome to you with your nice Springlike questions. The wire netting for the sky can be had in four widths, thus: 35 inches wide, at 3 cents a yard; 48 inches, at 13 cents; 60 inches, at 13 cents; and 72 inches, at 15 cents a yard. It has a two-inch mesh. The green and grey awning duck—the best the market affords at the present time—is procurable in several varieties of stripes: wide, alternate stripes of either color, or wider stripes still, showing the green broken up with narrow lines of grey, or the grey with narrow lines of green. They are 29½ inches wide, and priced alike at 25 cents a yard. The braid for binding the scallops is 3 cents a yard.

"Qui Vive."—A feather ruff or boa of some soft sort is usually one of the most satisfactory successors to the fur stole or collar—about the most popular Springtime neckpiece the season affords for the "lady of 45 and over." It can be had in black marabout speckled with a little white ostrich or in all white—length 30 inches, and price \$12.50. "Hose toek" to prevent holes in stockings, are 12½ cents a pair.

"Pax Vobiscum" is included in "Drummond's Addresses" in a little cloth-bound volume, 6 by 2½ inches, at 30 cents. "My King and His Service," by Frances Ridley Havergal, is obtainable in the same edition at the same price. "The White Comrade," a book of verse, by Katharine Hale, might meet your need. It is bound in deep blue paper, and priced at 25 cents a copy.

"Mary Yen."—The silk suits are more captivating than ever, Mary. The grey one for which you sigh is available for the moderate sum of \$27.50—a smart model in taffeta, with skirt gathered full under a shaped belt, and the coat, satin lined, with white silk overcollar, and cording of silk on the belt and cuffs. Or if your later fancy should incline to navy blue or fawn brown, there is an attractive suit in taffeta in either of these shades at \$22.50. The skirt is plain, the coat, lined with satin, having a sheersing girdle, and large collar and cuffs of corded silk, heavily stitched.

Finding a rose sports coat is an easy matter. You may have it in wool velours with large pockets, sheersing girdle and convertible collar—price, \$15.00. Or if you would prefer the new burella cloth—like a fine hopsacking—you may have a good model in that cloth in an American Beauty shade. It, too, boasts a pair of large pockets, and a narrow tie girdle. The wool jersey cloth can be had in rose in a swaggy little coat of the prevailing sports type at the price of \$22.50. The "travelling about" aroused all sorts of interesting speculations, mademoiselle.

The Scribe

New Books of Special Interest

Another Novel by the Author of "Molly-Make-Believe," and Several Notable War Books.

DIARY OF THE GREAT WAR, by Samuel Pepys, Jr. Price, \$1.25.

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War Phases According to Maria, by Mrs. John Lane, illustrated by "Fish." Price, 75 cents.

A new volume of "Splinters," the collection of war cartoons by Lawson Wood. Price, 35 cents.

O Canada, a collection of stories and pictures relating to the Canadian forces in France. Price, 90 cents.

The Stingy Receiver, by Eleanor Hallwell Abbott, author of Molly-Make-Believe. Price, \$1.00.

Wilt Thou, Torchy? by Sewell Ford. Price, \$1.25.

In the Wilderness, by Robert Hichens. Price, \$1.25.

The Road to Understanding, by Eleanor Porter. Price, \$1.35.

—Main Floor, Albert and James Sts.

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Legislation Closes After Framing Many Statutes of Far-Reaching Effect.

WOMEN'S VOTES LEAD

Colonization, Nickel, Hydro and Highway Laws Mark Ontario's Advance.

Ten years hence what will stand out as the accomplishment of the Ontario Legislature in this year's session...

And after that? Highways, likely enough. Especially if the Windsor-Montreal road planned in Hon. Finlay Macdonald's measure...

Northern Ontario, too, in ten years from how may look back to this session as the dawn of a new era of prosperity...

That tax has been increased from three to five per cent on net profits of nickel companies above \$10,000 a year...

Other Mining Companies Unaffected. Gold and silver mining companies had a fright when this legislation came down...

In the session of last year the Liberal chief contention was that the government was trying to take away the independence of the hydro and make it a government department...

Hamper the commission, it is to the government upon strings, cried the party in power...

Quick But Important. But perhaps the most spectacular legislation of the session was that which rushed through the house...

The final act of the session was also unusually interesting. The leaders agreed on no more by-elections during the war...

Teachers' pensions, first aid for injured workmen to be paid without waiting period by employers...

THINGS TO WORRY ABOUT



SALVATIONISTS PARADE THRU RAIN AND SLUSH

Many Women March to Regular Good Friday Service in Massey Hall.

Slush and rain did not deter the stout-hearted Salvation Army from carrying out their annual Good Friday parade...

Gathering about 2000 strong, chiefly women, girls and boys in front of the Salvation Army buildings...

The Massey Hall service of song and prayer was very impressive. It was punctuated with a powerful but fervid address by Commissioner Richards...

The music of the massed bands, 80 strong, was excellent. It played all the hymns and special selections with splendid effect.

Would Turn Golf Grounds Over to Returned Soldiers

The Canadian Improvement League is of the opinion that Canadians, and especially those of the moneyed class, who have not taken an active part in the war...

A resolution was unanimously adopted protesting against the employment of able-bodied men on golf and polo grounds when such men could lend valuable service to the country...

National Council Recommends Enlistment of Y.M.C.A. Staffs

A resolution has been passed by the national council of the Y. M. C. A. drawing attention to "the pressure being brought to bear by the government on the manhood of the country for national service..."

Ravages of Dogs Among Sheep Proving Costly to Counties

A number of township councils in York and Ontario Counties are wrestling with the problem of the rapidly increasing loss in the flocks of sheep by the ravages of dogs...

BELGIUM FROM WITHIN.

Those interested in the work for the Belgian refugees will have an opportunity of learning some new facts concerning gallant little Belgium next Friday night...

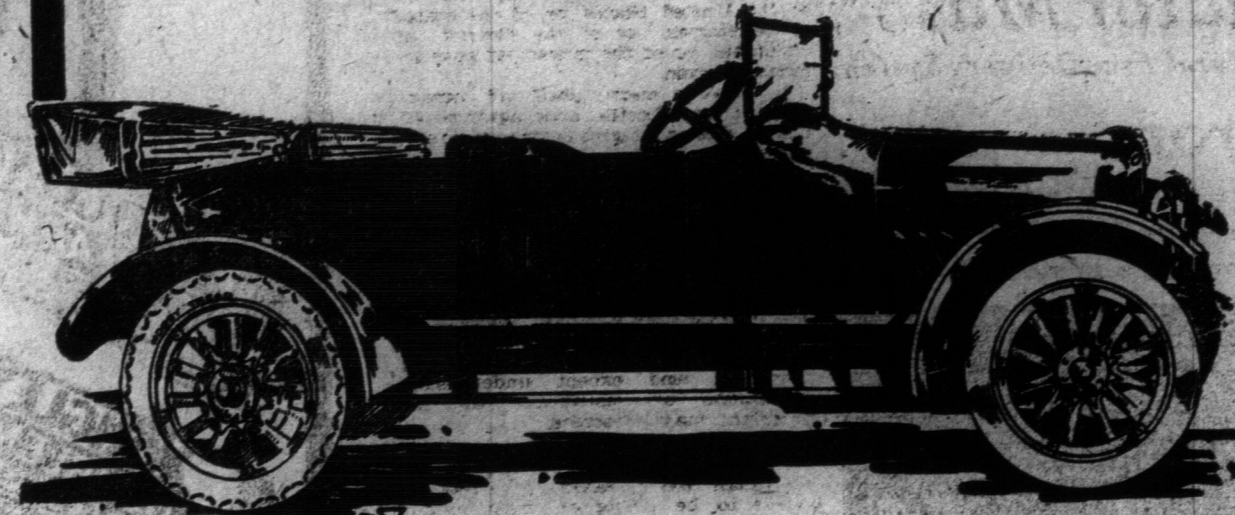
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The conservation of resources committee said the board of trade have invited a committee from the Women's Thrift organization to meet in the Board of Trade building...

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It is stated that in over eighty per cent of the city schools there are at the present time more teachers than there are class rooms...

one teacher for twenty and twenty-five pupils and also in many cases where the kindergarten classes are only held in the morning or the afternoon...

about 200 pupils, of whom 100 are taken in the morning and 100 in the afternoon. At this school there are four kindergarten teachers...

creasing at this time in view of the fact that the board of education has gone on record stating that it is impossible to curtail its expenses during the coming year...

LIEUT.-COL. R. C. MORRIS NOW REPORTED KILLED

Lieut.-Col. Robert C. Morris, I.L.A., was killed in action on March 25 while in command of a sapper battery on the Somme front in France...

CHATHAM POPULATION GROWS.

Chatham, April 5.—With the returns of four out of five wards of the city completed, the local assessors report a record increase of nine hundred and thirty-one in the population of Chatham since last year...

Advertisement for Shoe Polishes (Black-White-Tan 10¢) and a shoe illustration. Text includes 'KEEP YOUR SHOES NEAT' and 'F. F. DALLEY CO. OF CANADA LTD., HAMILTON, CAN.'

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WARNING IS GIVEN TO ALIENS IN U. S.

Wilson's Proclamation Announces Measures to Preserve Peace at Home.

RESTRAINT IMPOSED Summary Arrest Will Follow Any Violation of New Regulations.

Washington, April 6.—A proclamation signed by President Wilson this afternoon, calling on American citizens to support all government measures, reads as follows:

Whereas the congress of the United States in the exercise of the constitutional authority vested in them, have resolved by joint resolution of the senate and house, bearing date this day, that a state of war between the United States and the Imperial German Government, which has been thrust upon the United States, is hereby formally declared;

Whereas it is provided by section 4067 of the revised statutes, as follows: "Whenever there is declared a war between the United States and any foreign nation or government, or any invasion of predatory incursion is perpetrated, attempted or threatened against the territory of the United States by any foreign nation or government, and the president makes public proclamation of the event, all native citizens, denizens or subjects of a hostile nation, or of any other nation, who shall be within the United States and not actually naturalized, shall be liable to be apprehended, restrained, secured and removed as alien enemies."

Restraint Upon Aliens. The president is authorized in any such event by his proclamation, or by other public acts, to direct the conduct to be observed on the part of the United States toward the aliens who become so liable; the manner and degree of the restraint to which they shall be subject, and in what cases and upon what security their residence shall be permitted, and to provide for the removal of those who, not being permitted to reside within the United States, refuse or neglect to depart therefrom; and to establish any such regulations which are found necessary on the premises and for the public safety.

Proclaim State of War. "Whereas by sections 4068 and 4070 of the revised statutes, further provision is made relative to alien enemies: "Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States, do hereby proclaim, to all whom it may concern, that a state of war exists between the United States and the Imperial German Government, and I do specially direct all officers and military of the United States, that they exercise vigilance and seal in the discharge of the duties incident to such a state of war, and I do hereby earnestly appeal to all American citizens that they in loyal devotion to their country, dedicated from its foundation to the principles of liberty and justice, uphold the laws of the land and give undivided and willing support to those measures which may be adopted by the constitutional authorities in prosecuting the war to a successful issue and in obtaining a secure and just peace;

"And, acting under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by the constitution of the United States and the said sections of the revised statutes, I do hereby further proclaim and direct that the conduct to be observed on the part of the United States toward all natives, citizens, denizens or subjects of Germany, being male of age 14 years and upwards, who shall be within the United States and not actually naturalized, who for the purpose of this proclamation, and in order that such sections of the revised statutes are termed alien enemies, shall be as follows:

1. All alien enemies are enjoined to preserve the peace towards the United States and to refrain from crimes against the public safety, and from violating the laws of the United States and of the states and territories thereof, and to refrain from actual hostility or giving information and comfort to the enemies of the United States, and to comply strictly with the regulations which are hereby or which may be from time to time promulgated by the president, and so long as they shall conduct themselves in accordance with law they shall be undisturbed in their lives and occupations and be accorded the consideration due to all citizens of the United States.

2. An alien enemy shall not write, print or publish any attack or news against the government or congress of the United States or either branch thereof, or against the measures or policy of the United States, or against the persons or property of any person in the military, naval or civil service of the United States, or of the states or territories, or of the district of Columbia, or of the municipal governments thereof.

3. An alien enemy shall not commit or abet any hostile acts against the United States, or give information, aid or comfort to the enemies.

A REMARKABLE CASE

Woman Suffered Untold Agonies For Years.

Now Entirely Well and Strong

You discouraged, women, suffering physical torture, distress of mind, and staggering under the burden of never-ending doctors' bills, listen!

I have passed through and conquered all that you are now enduring. From my own experience I can sympathize with you and appreciate your suffering as no doctor possibly can. And now that I am entirely and forever free from the distress and pain of former years, I am only too glad to tell other women about the remarkable treatment that wrought this wonderful change in my condition. A simple, effective treatment that you can use in the privacy of your own home without the knowledge of anyone else.

Don't send me any money. Just tell me your name and address, and I will write you full particulars about this treatment, and also send you a free trial package. Don't delay. Take advantage of the opportunity to test the effectiveness of this treatment without spending a single cent. Write me today. Address Mrs. Lydia W. Ladd, Windsor, Ont.

It is a fact that many women are suffering from the same ailment that I once suffered from. It is a condition that is often overlooked, but it can be cured. The treatment is simple and effective, and it can be used in the privacy of your own home. I have written a book about this treatment, and it is available for a limited time. Write me today and I will send you a free trial package.

Former United States Senator Mason, Pioneer in Pure Food and Drugs Legislation, Father of Rural Free Delivery System Takes Nuxated Iron

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WHAT SENATOR MASON SAYS: "I have often said I would never recommend medicine of any kind. I believe that the doctor's plan, Howard James, after the hardest fought political campaign of my life, was to start on a vacation, and I had been starting to court every morning with that horrible tired feeling one cannot describe. I was advised to try Nuxated Iron. As a pioneer in the pure food and drug legislation, I was at first both to try an advertised remedy, but after advising with one of my friends, I gave it a test. The results have been so beneficial in my own case, I made up my mind to let my friends know about it, and you are at liberty to publish the statement if you so desire. I am now sixty-five years of age, and I feel that a remedy which will build up the strength and increase the power of endurance of a man of my age is a boon to every nervous, run-down anaemic man, woman and child."

Senator Mason's statement in regard to Nuxated Iron was shown to several physicians, who were requested to give their opinions thereon.

Dr. Howard James, formerly Resident Physician of New York City Hospital and Assistant Physician of New York State Institutions, said: "Senator Mason is to be commended for handing out this statement on Nuxated Iron for public print. There are thousands of men and women who need a strength and blood-builder, but do not know what to take. There is nothing like organic iron—Nuxated Iron—to give increased strength, snap, vigor and staying power. It enriches the blood, restores to the cheeks of women that unflagging source of renewed vitality, endurance and power for men who are too rapidly their nervous energy in the strenuous strain of the great business competition of the day."

Dr. Ferdinand King, formerly Resident Physician and Medical Author, said: "I heartily endorse Senator Mason's statement in regard to Nuxated Iron. It can be no vigorous iron without iron. Pellagra means anemia. Anemia means iron deficiency. The skin of anemic men and women is pale; the flesh flabby; the muscles lack tone; the breath becomes weak, nervous, despondent and melancholy.

ATTITUDE OF MEXICO NOT YET DETERMINED

Mexico City, April 6.—Ernest Garza

Peres, acting minister of foreign affairs, declined to forecast or comment upon the attitude of Mexico in view of the declaration of war between Germany and the United States.

The news was received quietly in both the German and American consulates here.

Italy Hopes Action by U. S. Will Steady Exchange Rate

Rome, April 6, via Paris.—The Italian government is about to take the usual course on posting President Wilson's address to congress in public places in all countries. Such action has been taken in the past only in respect of official Italian documents of the highest importance.

Windsor Real Estate Agent Beaten and Robbed by Thugs

Special to The Toronto World. Windsor, April 6.—Three youthful thugs beat and robbed Albert F. Gignac, a prominent Windsor real estate agent, with a few yards of his home in L'Assomption street tonight, and escaped into the darkness.

Horse-Ship Canadian Sunk Captain is Believed Lost

Washington, April 6.—Sinking without warning of the British horse-ship Canadian, of the Leyland line, was reported to the state department today by Consul Frost, at Queenstown. There were 56 Americans among the crew and multitudes, all of whom escaped, except the captain, who is believed to have lost his life by remaining on his torpedoed ship too long.

A New and Tempting Taste.



As toothsome as the name implies. Delicious, long-lasting. The third of the Wrigley trio of refreshing confections. Good for teeth, breath, appetite and digestion. Sealed Tight — Kept Right! Chew it after every meal. Three of a kind Keep them in mind. MADE IN CANADA

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"Line's Busy" When you call for a number, the operator reaches to the hole or "jack" where the line you want ends and tests it. If it is "busy" a clicking sound warns her that the connection should not be made, else a conversation will be interrupted.

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KILLED ON WAY TO CHURCH. Special to The Toronto World. Stratford, Ont., April 6.—Mrs. Margaret Dugan, 80 years old, sister of one of Stratford's leading merchants, was struck and instantly killed here this morning by a Grand Trunk freight train as she was crossing the tracks on her way to church.

Cotton Crepe Kimonos

Special display of plain Cotton Crepe Kimonos in fine assortment of dainty... marked at popular prices...

Ladies' and Misses' Serge Dresses

New and Black Serge Dresses in variety of the latest styles, with large... at moderate prices.

Satin Petticoats

Made from exceptionally good wearing... in variety of the latest novelty styles...

Black Taffeta Skirts

Made from splendid quality Taffeta... in variety of the latest novelty styles...

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Easter Flowers

Tulips 25c Doz. Violets 25c Bunch. Roses American Beauties, \$1 per Doz.

HENNESSEY

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Austria Has Not Yet Decided To Break Relations With U. S.

Washington, April 6.—The Austro-Hungarian embassy here emphatically denied today that any instructions...

Windsor Highland Battalion Plans Detroit Demonstration

Special to The Toronto World. Windsor, April 6.—Following the formal declaration of a state of war...

LABOR EMBARGO RENEWED

By a Staff Reporter. Ottawa, April 6.—The order prohibiting the entry of British Columbia...

HIT BY TRAIN, MAY DIE

Special to The Toronto World. London, Ont., April 6.—Porter Johnson, 66 years of age, a blacksmith...

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Toronto, April 6. (p.m.)—Disturbance has passed to New England and a pronounced high area is now spreading over the Great Lakes...

THE BAROMETER

Table with 4 columns: Time, Bar., Wind, and other weather indicators.

STREET CAR DELAYS

Parliament cars, east-bound, delayed 20 minutes at 8:40 a.m. at Gerrard and Broadview...

DEATHS

BAVLISS—At Western Hospital, Friday, April 6, Mary Bavliss, beloved wife of John Bavliss, J.P., age 59 years.

WINDSOR HIGHLAND BATTALION

Special to The Toronto World. Windsor, April 6.—Following the formal declaration of a state of war...

LIFEBOAT PICKED UP AFTER SUB. ATTACK

London, April 6.—The captain of an unnamed British liner has informed his owners that he rescued a water-tight life boat...

WILL ASK EXTENSION

Ottawa, April 6.—The Vancouver Life Insurance Company will apply to parliament this session for extension of term within which it may obtain a license.

BAPTIST JUNIORS HOLD CONVENTION

Young People's Union Passes Resolutions on Racing and Temperance.

Condemnation of race-course gambling; demand for the abolition of the race track in Ontario; desire for dominion-wide prohibition...

VICTORIA CHURCH CHOR

GIVES ANNUAL CONCERT Under the able direction of Donald C. MacGregor, the ninth annual concert of the Victoria Presbyterian Church...

MADE PREPARATIONS BUT DELAYED TOO LONG

Nathan Was Going to Die, But Father Called Policeman, Who Ran Him In.

When Peter M. Weisblatt, 98 West Gerrard street, conveyed to his son and help Nathan, the terrible edict...

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MAIL THIS COUPON Please mail me full particulars of your Easy Payment plan on bargain pianos, organs, etc.

HIGHLANDERS TO UPHOLD RECORD

Lt.-Col. C. W. Darling, Appealing for C.D.F. Support, Says Men Never Fail.

Recruiting will commence at once for the 48th Highlanders' Service Battalion Canadian defence force...

COOKE'S CHURCH

Rev. Wm. Patterson, D.D. will preach both morning and evening 11 A.M. SUBJECT "Broken-Hearted Peter" 7 P.M. "Skeptical Thomas"

ARREARS OF TAXES

Toronto ratepayers are reminded that further statutory penalties will be added to all arrears of taxes remaining unpaid after May 1, 1917...

Returned Soldiers

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ALEXANDRA TODAY 'Tales of Hoffman' ABORN CO. TONIGHT 'II Trovatore' OPERA CO. LAST TWO PERFORMANCES

NEXT WEEK RETURN ENGAGEMENT The Shivering Lore Story of Tropical America The Romance of the Hurricane Country RICHARD WALTON TULLY

THE BIRD OF PARADISE SENDS HIS MESSAGE OF THE SOUTH LAND

THE MOST GORGEOUS STAGE SETTINGS EVER DISPLAYED A DEVASTATING HURRICANE THAT SWEEPS THE JUNGLE FASTNESS RUMBA DANCE WEIRD AND WONDERFUL TALE OF NATIVE LUSTRE POPULAR WEDNESDAY MATINEE BEST SEATS \$1.00

WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY, APR. 16

JOHN COET PRESENTS Mother Carey's Chickens KATE DOUGLAS WIGGIN'S LATEST PLAY OF NEW ENGLAND HOME LIFE

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NEXT WEEK Special Mat. Easter Monday REGULAR MATS. WED. & SAT. Evenings 25c to \$1.50. All Mats. 25c to \$1.00

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"THE GIRL PHILIPPA" The Picture of the Year.

MADISON BLOOR AND MARGUERITE BLARK

"The Fortunes of Fifi" Mutual News Weekly and a New Feature Comedy.

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FRONT AND SIMCOE STREETS EASTER SUNDAY DINNERS 12.30 to 2.30 p.m.—to 8.30 p.m. One Dollar MUSIC

BELGIUM FROM WITHIN CONVOCAION HALL

Friday, April 13th, 1917, at 8.15 p.m. Addresses By EDGAR RICKARD

Amusements

ALICE HANSON & Co. Play "The Girl in the Parachute" WEDNESDAY MATINEE BEST SEATS \$1.00

THE SQUARE DEAL MAN

"THE SQUARE DEAL MAN" a five-act play-drama. WINTY GARDEN open every evening 7.30. Same show as lower theatre.

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NOTHING LIKE EVER SEEN IN TORONTO THE 50 PEOPLE SPIEGEL REVUE Billy Mossey, Middle Miller

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W WITH THE GIRL IN THE PARACHUTE Next Week—REVIEW OF 1917

HOUSEHOLD SHOW

NEXT WEEK Official Opening, Tuesday Evening, by GENERAL SIR SAM HUGHES. ARENA Admission 25 Cents.

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Lacrosse Convention O.A.L.A. Baseball 17 Leafs in Camp Soccer Results in Old Country

PRINCE OF WALES OPPOSES DOCKING Exhibits First Long-Tailed Horse Ever Seen at London Hackney Show—Wins Prize.

One of the notable incidents of the recent London Hackney Show was the winning of second prize by the Prince of Wales with a long-tailed stallion. Never before in the history of the show, it is said, has an undocked horse received recognition by the judges.

When Race Horses Were Docked. Francis Saxon's studies of The Last Horse Race Run Before Charles the Second of Blessed Memory, by Dorset and Perry, near Windsor, Canada, in 1841, shows all the race horses engaged in the present day, and scores of other pictures done at the same period and much later showing the high mottled noses that figured in the same way.

Few Saddle Horses Docked Now. This style of doing up the tail has been adopted by many of the amateur hunters and sportsmen who are now taking an interest in the riding clubs and schools. In the eastern show on the bridge side the horses of the period were shown as they rode docked, and the tail as a whole, in the garden, with the avowed object of teaching American horsemen what they ought to do, and a movement which has finally resulted in an almost complete abandonment of the practice of docking in this part of the country.

Fashion's Powerful Influence. Laws without number have been enacted in New York and other states to stop the practice of docking horses, but fashion has succeeded where the law failed, and the practice of docking is still in vogue in many of the riding clubs and schools. In the days of "the belle" era, when New York was the center of the fashion world, it was a criminal offense to dock horses, yet the public and private stables of the city were filled with them.

Amateur and professional horsemen identified with riding, driving, coaching and harness racing, who have been added to the show, still appear to have one thing in common, a preference for the short, stumpy appearance of very many of the other appear cobby and very much, when they were not naturally so.

LEAFS PLAY TODAY AT PETERSBURG, VA. Pitcher Clyde Russell Reports at Training Camp in Good Condition.

Petersburg, Va., April 6.—Pitcher Clyde Russell arrived late last night. He has been doing some work at home and is in good shape. The following 17 players are now in camp: Pitchers—Tupples, Thompson, Lyons, Labe, Martin, Wagner, Russell. Outfielders—Lajoie, Graham, Smith, Blackburne, Eyer, Trout, Allen.

Many of These U.S. Horse Shows Likely To Be Abandoned. Brooklyn, N.Y., April 13-21 Philadelphia, April 13-14 New York (Dunlop's) April 24-26 Washington, D.C., May 5-10

By Cable to The Toronto World. London, April 6.—The first holiday games in the English Soccer League, scheduled for the heavy Easter program, were decided today, and attracted large holiday crowds at all the grounds.

Over the long span where the records cover the four greatest hours of baseball are Cobb, Jackson, no, you didn't guess the rest. They are not Wagner, Lajoie or Speaker. They are Pete Browning and Ed Delahanty.

Wilson's "The National Smoke" BACHELOR CIGAR Dispels gloom—disperses care—gives you a uniformly enjoyable cigar.

The Hat Shop To Be Sure! A New Hat For Easter



Of all the days in the twelve months this is the day that "My Gentleman" feels that he must have a new hat—the day before Easter. Choosing from the Fair-weather's stocks, you select from the best makes of the world's most noted makers.

Men's Overcoats. A great line of newest patterns and colors in very high grade British woollens—made up into the smartest and most fashionable of garments by those best of all makers—the London—\$25 to \$35

STRENUOUS SOCCER IN ENGLISH LEAGUES First Day's Games in Heavy Easter Program Saw Many Reversals of Form.

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17 Leafs in Camp

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DUNLOP A.A. ANNUAL ELECTED OFFICERS

Enthusiastic Meeting Had a Large Attendance—Reports Show Splendid Prospects. The Dunlop Tire and Rubber Co. Athletic Association held their annual meeting on Thursday night, when, despite the very unfavorable weather, there was a large crowd of enthusiasts present.

The outlook for the coming season is bright, providing the association in an endeavor to make the grounds as attractive as possible, have under consideration several improvements. As a preliminary they have put 300 chairs round the football pitch and are contemplating a covered stand in the near future.

Today's Entries. AT HOT SPRINGS. Hot Springs, Ark., April 6.—The following are entries for Saturday's races: FIRST RACE—Three and four-year-olds, 1:15. (1) Spring Song, \$30.00; (2) Lulu, \$20.00; (3) Marie Miller, \$10.00.

Hot Springs Results. Hot Springs, Ark., April 6.—The races today resulted as follows: FIRST RACE—Four furlongs; 1. Wov, 113 (Traxler), even, 1 to 2; 2. Joe A. 106 (Traxler), 5 to 2; 3. Dick W., 107 (Dominick), 4 to 1.

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Results in Old Country Soccer

Philadelphia, April 6.—Howard W. Ferrin, president of the United States Football Association, announced that the national championship tournament, amateur, open and women's would be held as scheduled unless the international situation becomes particularly acute.

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As Charlie Says—BLISS "The end of a day; a deep chair, a demi-tasse, an ARABELLA." ARABELLA 4-for-25c J. W. SCALES, Limited, Toronto

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Get Your New Easter Suit or Topcoat Today

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—a most wonderful collection of the best clothes that these foremost clothes makers in America can produce. Such a display of high-grade, hand-tailored, ready-to-put-on clothes for men has never before been shown in Toronto.

If you want the best, we can give it to you

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102 YONGE STREET Open Every Evening

Arthur Devlin, late of the New York Giants, is managing the Norfolk team of the Virginia League this year. Manager Devlin has requested Joe Casey to help him in selecting his team. Joe spends his spare afternoons at the baseball park looking over Devlin's youngsters.

88 (80%) of the Bicycle Tires used in Canada bear this Mark

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FINE OUTLOOK FOR AMATEUR LACROSSE BOOST THE GAME FOR KIDS IS SLOGAN

Splendid Reports Presented at Annual Meeting of Ontario Association—President-Elect Lancaster to Lead in Campaign to Interest the Youngsters.

"Boost Lacrosse for the Kids" was the slogan of the fifth annual convention of the Ontario Amateur Lacrosse Association yesterday at Victoria Hall, where delegates and others interested in the welfare of Canada's great outdoor sport, gathered to discuss the prospects for the coming season. From a point of enthusiasm the meeting was a splendid success, and the various officers who were elected for the ensuing year have wide fields of influence, as they are scattered all over the province, and they promised extensive efforts this season, and the delegates present directed them to display considerable initiative in their work. The main project is to foster the idea of the "kid" series, so that the future of the game will take care of itself for the end medals will be donated to any town which can produce a team of players under fourteen years of age. The idea of a midweek lacrosse league was suggested by Waghorne, failed to impress the convention, and his motion to institute this series was lost, although the meeting generally was in favor of accepting the motion, if it could have been explained logically.

The delegates in attendance were: J. S. Johnston, B. Coombs, M. Dinmore, Beaches Club (junior and juvenile), J. T. Dinson, Havelock (juvenile), W. Westwood, St. Catharines (senior); G. Bullen, W. Scott, A. Smith, Len Smith, Young Toronto (senior and juvenile); J. VanDusen, Tara (juvenile); E. Hayes, J. Labatt, Toronto Lacrosse League (senior); E. Doyle, Newmarket and Aurora (juvenile); and W. E. Falls, Oakville.

From the above it will be seen that three senior teams are expected this season—Toronto, Riverdale and Young Toronto, and one in St. Catharines, the Athletics. There are a few entries in the junior and juvenile series, but these, it is expected, will be mentioned long before the season opens by others, for everyone went away from the meeting firmly resolved to boost, and boost hard, the game.

President's Address.
President Charles (Fate) Hocking presided, and a fine attendance was on hand at the opening of the morning session. The president's address was, in part, as follows:

"The year just closed has not been a flourishing one for this association, it is gratifying to know that it was thru no lack of interest in lacrosse, but because the boys who played lacrosse have gone in for the more exciting game in Europe. The number of boys who are now fighting in France makes a difference in the number of teams in the association in the past year. In the fall of 1915 whole teams enlisted in a body, which was shown by the good lacrosse played at Camp Sordani last summer. I regret to say that a number of the boys have made the supreme sacrifice. To their friends and relatives I wish to convey my deepest sympathy.

"We had very little trouble during the season, there being only one protest, which was withdrawn. I regret the intermediate series had an unsatisfactory ending. Your executive did everything in their power to bring Campbellford and Orangeville together, but were unsuccessful in their efforts. The Ontario Lacrosse League has been carrying with it The Globe Shield. The Beaches won the junior championship, entitling them to the Maple Leaf Shield.

"I wish to thank the officers and executive for their willing assistance in the work of the association. It is with regret that during the past year this association lost a good friend in the late Mr. W. E. Hall. Mr. Hall for years secretary of the O. A. L., and on retiring the association thought so well of his services as to make him last past president. We extend our heartfelt sympathies to his family.

"You have before you today amendments to the different series. I hope you will go into these thoroughly, as it looks as though the future of this association will depend greatly on bringing up the younger boys to take the place of those who have gone to the front. I wish to thank you for electing me to the highest office within the gift of the association. I tried to do my duty, and assure you I shall always remember the friends I have made while connected with this association. I wish the association every success in the future, and will always be ready to give any help that will be in the interests of our national game.

Financial Report.
Secretary Jas. B. Dundas presented a very complete report of his first year's work, which showed that last season there were only 200 certificates issued—50 senior, 45 intermediate and 105 juvenile. In the senior series there were three teams, Young Toronto, St. Catharines and Riverdale, and congratulate the championship and the Globe Shield, the juvenile championship being won by the Beaches of Toronto from Tara in the final game after a very close and clean contest. During the past season we had only one protest entered, and it was withdrawn. The treasurer's report was satisfactory as ever presented, especially at falling off in the teams entered. The balance on hand is \$38.51, but Treasurer W. McArthur accounts for this because of the numerous enlistments from the association, but reports that, although the balance is as large as last year, the association is free from debt.

Amendments to the constitution were put forward by the various delegates, but the majority of them were shelved for the time being anyway. A big controversy arose over the introduction of a midweek series, but this was finally lost. The age limits in the junior and juvenile series were changed after a lengthy discussion, and several amendments to the amendments. The junior series age limit

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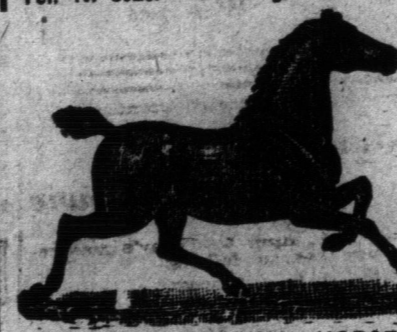


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WENTWORTH JONES WON FROM BIG FIELD

Seven Heats and Final in Handicap Dash at Broadview Swimming Meet.

A very successful swimming meet was held in the Broadview Y. natatorium on Good Friday afternoon, six events being well contested before a good crowd. In addition, a very fine exhibition of fancy swimming and the methods of the Royal Life Saving Society was put on. Messrs. Crighton, Bryce, Bartlett, Lyons, Watt and Tigers filling the star roles. The result:

40-yard speed handicap: First heat—1, Jack Crighton; 2, Bert Fowler; 3, John Clements. Time 41 sec. Second heat—1, Bill Lang; 2, Carl Loughhead; 3, Hector Douglas Pollock; 4, Birrell Mercer; 5, Malcolm Adam. Time 55 sec. Fourth heat—1, Wentworth Jones; 2, Alex. Strachan; 3, Winston Clark. Time 48 sec. Fifth heat—1, Earl Davis; 2, Ross McCullough; 3, Murray Sturrock. Time 49 sec. First semi-final—1, Jack Crighton; 2, Bill Lang; 3, Douglas Follow. Time 47 sec. Final—1, Wentworth Jones; 2, Earl Davis; 3, Jack Crighton. Time 49.1 sec.

The 200 yards speed handicap was run in two heats, and was decided by the best handicap times: First heat—1, John Collison; 2, Richard Pross; 3, Leslie Jack Crighton; 4, Winston Clark. Final result—1, Bill Lang; 2, John Collison, time 5:35; 3, John Collison, time 5:41.02.

The 40 yards back race (handicap) was also decided by the best handicap times: First heat—1, J. Collison; 2, C. Loughhead; 3, Alex. Strachan; 4, Archie Watt; 5, Birrell Mercer; 6, Bryce. Time 43.5. Final result—1, J. Collison; 2, J. Watt; 3, D. Mercer.

Next to the 40-yard speed, the junior diving was the biggest event of the meet, nine good divers hotly contesting for three places. Birrell Mercer, with 48% points, just winning out over Jack Glover by just a quarter of a point. John

HARTFORD SYSTEM TROT INNOVATION

Overnight Events Predominate in Grand Circuit at Charter Oak.

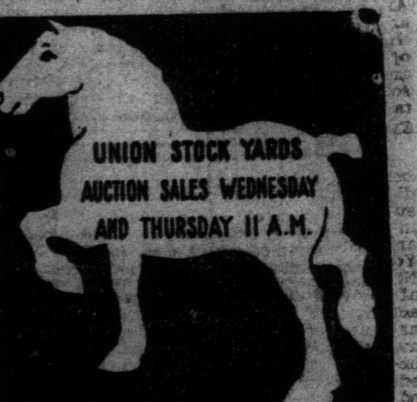
Hartford, April 6.—The action of the Connecticut Fair Association, managers of the Hartford Grand Circuit meeting, in making practically the entire racing program a late closer, will naturally attract particular attention from owners and trainers, most of whom acting indirectly for owners, are forced to make heavy stake payments long before the events are called, and often several weeks previous to the opening of the actual training season.

The Hartford program of fifteen races, with two exceptions, do not call for entries of nominations until August 20, while the meeting opens on Monday, September 3. This is a system so much in contrast with the regular practice of days previous to the opening of such Grand Circuit meetings, as a time difference of almost four months, with entrance fees payable at separate dates on the installment plan.

Under the changes adopted by the Hartford Association only two events—namely, the colt races, are early closers on the regulation installment plan payments, each worth \$2000, and for which entries close on May 1. Two other events, both features for the trotting and pacing divisions, are announced as "intermittent" races, that is, classes to which entries can be made at different dates. These are the Battle Royal, for 2:00 or faster trotters, and the free-for-all pace, valued respectively at \$5000 and \$3000.

Clements was a very close third, with 47 points. Six good divers contested in the senior diving, and the result was just about as close as the other diving event. Taavi Tigert winning by a small margin over vice-Crighton, with Dick Lyons a bang-up third, their respective totals of points being 61, 59 1/2, 55 1/2.

The relay race (handicap) was as exciting as it usually is, three well matched teams competing with the following results: 1, Les Bartlett, C. Loughhead, J. Watt, J. Collison; 2, T. Tigert, R. Lyons, H. Crighton; 3, Alex. Strachan, W. Clark, Jones, A. Strachan, W. D. Nicol. Announcer—H. W. Kingsley. Times—three places, Birrell Mercer, with 48% points, just winning out over Jack Glover by just a quarter of a point. John



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New York, April 6.—Details of the German submarine on the coast of Holland on the 17th were related by the captain of the Turlotte out of the arrival of the vessel today. Capt. reports of the sinking of the two relief ships at the same time in which several were killed, were confirmed by Captain Gilles, in addition to those killed, Captain Gilles also mentioned the sinking of the Turlotte by the submarine. The Turlotte was killed in a boat after they were off from their ship.

E.A. SIMMERS ONCE WORKED IN TORONTO

German Awaiting Action of the United States Authorities Was Eccentric Printer.

Known in Toronto. Simmers left Montreal over 20 years ago. He was a printer by trade and was married there to a German girl. He worked in several newspaper composing rooms, as well as in the John Level printing house. He left Montreal for Toronto, where he worked in the office of the Mail and other papers, after which he went to the United States. He was exceedingly eccentric, in fact he regarded by his associates 20 years ago as "not all there." His eccentricity made it difficult for him to hold a position very long. In one office female apprentices were taken on and he left his work and going to the publisher, he challenged him to public debate on the question of female labor. When the challenge was not accepted he went to St. James street, and by his actions caused a crowd to collect and addressed them vigorously on the subject of the rights of man. Nobody who knew him here ever thought of him as a traitorous congressman and others connected with the government.

RAN IN FRONT OF CAR.
When struck by a motor car driven by Percy Willoughby, Cumberland street, last night, nine-year-old Stewart McPherson, 22 Cumberland street, sustained a broken leg. He was taken to his home. The boy ran from the sidewalk right in front of the car, the police say.

COMPANIES INCORPORATED.
By Staff Reporter. Ottawa, April 6.—Among companies incorporated by Dominion charter this week are the following: The Mediterranean Company, Toronto, \$100,000; and Leonard Fisheries, Limited, Montreal, \$1,000,000.

You Cannot Hide Your Fat

Overfatness is the one misfortune you can not hide from yourself or from those around you. If too thin, your dressmaker or tailor can supply the deficiencies, but the overall carry a burden they can not conceal. There is one sure way to reduce your weight safely and quickly. The harmless Marmola Prescription, which changes the fatty tissues and fat-producing foods to solid flesh and energy, helps the general health and digestion, enables you to eat and live as you like, and leaves the skin clear and smooth. This famous prescription is now condensed into tablet form. Each tablet contains an exact dose of the same harmless ingredients that made the original prescription capable of reducing the overweight body at the rate of two, three, or four pounds a week without the slightest ill effects. Take but one tablet after each meal and at bedtime until the normal weight is reached and the body health completely restored. Ask your druggist for Marmola Prescription Tablets, or send to the Marmola Co., 384 Woodward street, Detroit, Mich., and you will receive for 75c a full case—enough to start you well on your way to slenderness and happiness.

SPEECH OF WILSON PLEASES RUSSIANS

President's Message Greatly Strengthens Position of Petrograd Government.

London, April 6.—A group of Americans having large interests in Russia has sent a report to London to the effect that the situation is stabilizing itself, and that the provisional government of Russia has been strengthened greatly as a result of President Wilson's speech, which made a profound impression on the Russian people. Present indications point undoubtedly to the establishment of a republic by the constitutional assembly which is to be held. The whole sentiment of the Russian people is in favor of a democracy similar to the United States. This has produced a great feeling of affection and kinship towards Americans. Present indications point undoubtedly to the establishment of a republic by the constitutional assembly which is to be held. The whole sentiment of the Russian people is in favor of a democracy similar to the United States. This has produced a great feeling of affection and kinship towards Americans. Present indications point undoubtedly to the establishment of a republic by the constitutional assembly which is to be held. The whole sentiment of the Russian people is in favor of a democracy similar to the United States. This has produced a great feeling of affection and kinship towards Americans.

Society

Conducted by Mrs. Edmund Phillips
Lady Mount Stephen's London residence in Carlton House terrace, is always the place selected by Queen Mary to receive and confer with the presidents of her London Needlework Guild, and the meetings are less formal and ceremonious than could be the case if the ladies were summoned to Buckingham Palace. Tea is served and the details of the work for the year discussed on such occasions, and Queen Mary learned to concern herself with this worthy work, and the permits nothing to interfere with the successful working of the guild. Lady Mount Stephen is next to her apartment with the enterprise, since she has labored for it since the old days, when as Miss Ghan Tufnell, she was a member of the Duchess of Teck's household. Queen Mary has always maintained most cordial relations with Lady Mount Stephen, and in previous days she and the King always paid an annual visit to Brook's Hall, Mount Stephen's residence in Hertfordshire.

PLAYS, PICTURES AND MUSIC

"MOTHER CAREY'S CHICKENS."
Kate Douglas Wiggin, who has given to the stage some of the most notable successes in recent years and who probably knows the "down East" folks better than any other author in the literary field today, will be with Torontonians in spirit at least on Monday night, April 16, when her latest play, "Mother Carey's Chickens," will be presented for the first time on any Canadian stage at the Alexandra.

R. W. TULLY'S "THE FLAME."
Deny as we will, evade as we may, there are in truth few of us who have not a real affection for red-blooded melodrama. It is the drama of our childhood's dreams, and it lives all through our lives. In this fact will be found one of the reasons for the success of Richard Walton Tully as a playwright and producer. He has scored with his latest play, "The Flame," which will return to the Royal Alexandra Theatre for the week beginning Monday night. "The Flame" is the biggest production Mr. Tully has ever made.

"STOP! LOOK! LISTEN!"
"Stop! Look! Listen!" as originally presented at the Globe Theatre, New York City, by Charles Dillingham, will be the next attraction at the Grand Opera House, opening with a special matinee "Easter Monday." This is the same production that ran for over a year in New York and Boston and helped to bring the young composer Irving Berlin, to the fore as a genius of the stage. The play will be given Monday matinee, the regular Wednesday and Saturday matinees will be given.

AT THE REGENT.
Two distinct things will be shown at the Regent next week. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, "The Week-Ends of Mary," starring Holbrook Blinn, and an all-star cast will be the headliner. The 5th episode of the serial, "The Secret Kingdom," entitled "The Key," will be shown for the first three days only. For the second half of the week commencing Thursday, Gail Kane and Carlyle Blackwell will star in the feature "On Dangerous Ground."

MARIE DORO AT MADISON.
A very splendid vehicle for Marie Doro is "Castles for Two," the Lasky production which will be shown at the Madison Theatre on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next. The story is interesting and romantic and the settings and scenes—many of them laid in Ireland—are very artistic.

GOOD BILL AT STRAND.
"His Brother's Wife," a William A. Brady work production, will be presented at the Strand Theatre on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next. In this photo-drama Carlyle Blackwell and Ethel Clayton are co-stars, and very strong parts are allotted to both of them. The story is one which becomes tensely tragic owing to the husband's unworthy and unbounded suspicion of his wife.

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ACCOMPICES OF HUNS TO REMAIN NEUTRAL

Copenhagen, via London, April 6.—The expectation that Austria-Hungary and Turkey will remain neutral for the present at least in the conflict of Germany with the United States prevails in diplomatic circles here.

MORRIS BATTERY KILLED

M. Morris, R.A., March 26 while on battery on the C. cablegram was received in the war office, and reported him.

FIRE VICTIMS BURIED

Special to The Toronto World, April 6.—Hundreds of citizens this afternoon turned out to the funeral of the McNeill children, who lost their lives in the fire which destroyed their home Wednesday.

TENDERS FOR AUTOMOBILE SIGNS

Edmonton, April 6th, 1917. TENDERS will be received up to 11 a.m. next for the supply of Automobile Markers for the Province of Alberta during the year 1917.

POLE CLIMBERS ON STRIKE

Quebec, April 6.—The electric pole climbers of Quebec City are far from reaching an agreement with their respective companies, and today the public service corporation, the subsidiary of the Shawinigan Power Company, reports that St. Sauveur and St. Malo wards are to go without light tonight.

IN GERMAN SAWMILL

Special to The Toronto World, Cobourg, April 6.—Pte. Will Singer, formerly of Cobourg and Newcastle, who was wounded and taken prisoner, has written to friends to say that he has fully recovered and that he is working in a sawmill in Germany.

CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

The sole head of a family, or any male over 16 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta.

JUDICIAL NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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HUN AUTOCRACY LOSING GROUND

Reform Movement is Given Impetus by U. S. Entry Into War.

PEACE CLAMOR HEARD

Moderate Liberals as Well as Socialists Abandon Annexation Dreams.

Copenhagen, April 6.—Via London, America's entry into the war evidently has had an immediate and strong effect upon the reform movement in Germany. The conviction that the instant modernization of the Prussian constitution and the proclamation of a more democratic basis of government and diplomacy in the empire without waiting for the end of the war is necessary as a military and political measure, to counteract the "tempest of the world's public opinion," as the Vorwarts puts it, is evidently gaining ground in all except reactionary circles.

The demand that Germany follow the example of Austria-Hungary and declare itself in favor of a peace without annexation is now being made in quarters. This demand no longer

represents alone the belief of many thinking persons that annexation, except for slight frontier alterations, would be against the real interests of Germany, but also the realization that after the United States joined the ranks of the enemy the time had passed when Germany could hope to dictate terms of peace, or even moderate terms.

Change in Sentiment.

The Associated Press correspondent heard this view in even gloomier terms from various sides in Germany at the time of the rupture of relations between the United States and Germany, namely, that if the United States declared to take an active part in the war Germany could no longer hope to gain a victory, but after holding out for a year and a half or two years, must inevitably submit to the economic pressure of the blockade.

Significant evidence of this change in sentiment is given by yesterday's leader in the Vorwarts on "America—the Enemy." The Vorwarts, which only a few days ago characterized the reform movement as a question of secondary importance to that of securing peace with Russia, and attracted wide attention by an article asserting that even the Socialists were not working against Germany's monarchist government, now springs around and declares that the adaptation of the antiquated constitutional forms in Germany to those prevalent in the rest of the civilized world is the vital and burning question of the hour. The newspaper says:

"The German nation is fighting for the defence of its house and hearth and not for antiquated conditions whose reform long has been promised, and which must disappear immediately in order to counteract the tempest

of the world's public opinion based on the belief that Germany is a tyrant and despotic conqueror, and that its enemies are the bringers of liberty."

The Vorwarts speaks of the great strength of America as a peace-making power, and points out that without its co-operation at the peace conference it would be impossible to secure the possibilities for economic development which Germany will so sorely need after the war. It concludes by saying that the most urgent need of the hour is the organization of the national defence under the auspices of the sweeping reforms and the clearest and most definite announcement of the nation's intention to conduct the war, not for conquest, but only to foil the hostile designs of annexation and to end it immediately when the enemy despatches such designs.

SEEDING HAS STARTED IN SASKATCHEWAN

Light Snowfall and Favorable Spring Have Combined for Early Start.

Winnipeg, April 5.—Seeding started in southern Saskatchewan along the southeastern part of the province there was very little snow through the winter, and favorable spring weather has cleared it rapidly. On Wednesday and Thursday, which had been harrowed at the beginning of the week, seemed pretty fair shape, and several farms were out with drills.

Manitoba farmers have been on hand for several days, but there are no reports of seeding starting. There will be some sandy places and before the end of the week. Favorable conditions have not existed for a number of years, according to stories of old-time farmers. Ground in many places was almost free from snow covering, and the ground was a great deal better than normal. Frost penetrated into the ground many feet, conserving the moisture given by heavy rains of last summer. In Saskatchewan farmers who have been digging wells state that they have found frost down nine feet. In Manitoba it is known to be eight feet deep. Land generally is assured of plenty of moisture for the 1917 crop, and usually early seeding time. Many of the farmers are wishing that spring had been so favorable last year, when wheat would have been well developed before rust came north.

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Hundred and Two Million Bushels Still in Dominion.

Calgary, April 5.—According to figures compiled after a careful survey of the situation and a computation of there is still approximately 25,000,000 bushels of wheat in the Province of Alberta, that Saskatchewan has approximately 35,000,000 bushels on hand, and that Manitoba has approximately 12,000,000 bushels. In Fort William and Port Arthur there is approximately 20,000,000 bushels while in the rest of the Dominion there is approximately 10,000,000 bushels. The total for the Dominion, according to these figures, would be 102,000,000 bushels.

POSSING AS CLERGYMEN FOE INCITE NEGROES

Federal Authorities Arrest Two Men Who Promised Trains to Mexico.

Birmingham, Ala., April 6.—Evidence that German agents were endeavoring to incite southern negroes to migrate to Mexico was declared today by the Birmingham railway station is accused of having made speeches to fellow-members of his race, in which he urged them to denounce the government and turn their efforts in behalf of Germany.

Engine Crews Jump to Safety as Trains Collide

Special to The Toronto World.

Windsor, April 5.—A narrow escape from death or serious injury was experienced by the crew of No. 21 Michigan Central baggage and mail train, due in Windsor shortly after 2 o'clock, when the engine crashed head-on into a yard engine on the Michigan Central main line, back of Windsor, this afternoon. Seeing that the crash was inevitable, the crew of both engines leaped to safety, just a moment before the engines came together. The coaches were overturned and scattered along the tracks for a considerable distance. The tracks were torn up and traffic will be held up until repairs are made.

Read The Toronto World for crisp, newsy items.

To the farmers of Ontario

Your farm help problem!

The Ontario Government appreciates the patriotic efforts of the farmers of Ontario, who are making a noble contribution to the cause of victory by responding earnestly to the appeal for increased production. It realizes that these efforts are limited only by the shortage of farm help, and it desires to afford every possible assistance in order to increase the number of workers on the land this season.

Let the Ontario Government Help You

The Department of Agriculture is making appeals through the press, and in other ways to men and boys who cannot join the army, to retired farmers and business men, to men who have spent the winter in the woods, and even to men outside the province to help on farms. Many have already promised to help the farmers this season.

BOYS—Many city, town and village boys made a success last year as helpers on the land under proper direction. The Government is endeavouring to enlist large numbers of industrious boys for farm service. Men are visiting many Collegiate Institutes and High

Schools to find those boys who are both willing to work and have ability and application. It will be necessary for the Government to have exact information about the kind of help a farmer wants, the length of time for which help is wanted, and the amount of wages the farmer is willing to pay. Cut out of this advertisement the application form which appears below. Please fill out all the blanks carefully; put the form in an envelope and mail at once. Address your letter to the District Representative of the Department of Agriculture for your county or to "The Ontario Government Labor Bureau, 15 Queen's Park, Toronto."

If you want to apply for farm help, all you have to do is to fill in the application below, cut it out and mail it to Ontario Government Public Employment Bureau. (Address below.)

TRADES AND LABOUR BRANCH

Ontario Government Public Employment Bureau
 15 QUEEN'S PARK, TORONTO

APPLICATION FOR FARM HELP

SIGNATURE OF FARMER	POST OFFICE	COUNTY
What is your nearest Railway Station?		
Acres in farm		
What kind of farming practiced?		
Mixed.....		
Fruit.....		
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Mark (X) after help required.		
BOYS		
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Ontario Government Public Employment Bureau. Form 11.

Ontario Department of Agriculture
 W. H. Hearst, Minister of Agriculture
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SATURDAY MORNING

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Wholesale Fruits. Apples—\$2.50 to \$3.00 per box. Bananas—\$2.25 to \$2.50 per box.

Wholesale Vegetables. Cabbages—\$1.00 to \$1.25 per dozen. Carrots—\$1.00 to \$1.25 per dozen.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET. Hay and Straw. Hay, No. 1, per ton, \$15.00 to \$14.00.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK. Chicago, April 6.—Cattle—Receipts 1000. Market steady. Beef, \$22.50 to \$23.00.

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McINTYRE REPORT TO SHOW INCREASES

March Output, in Spite of Power Difficulties, to Be Record. Operations on the McIntyre Porcupine mines were impaired in some degree at the close of the month of March.

LIGHT OF THE CROSS TO SHINE AT EASTER

New York Waterfront Will Be Illuminated by Christian Token.

RUSSIANS JOIN HANDS WITH BRITISH FORCES

Left Bank of Dniester River is Actual Point of Contact.

BAGGING HIGH GRADE TO MAKE SHIPMENT

Hamilton B. Willis, in his market letter, says: A good deal of the progress being recorded at the Hargraves Mine may be considered official.

GERMAN AIRMEN BOMB KENTISH COAST TOWNS

Hostile Machine Breaks Some Glass in Midnight Visit.

BOSTON CREEK MINE MAKING PROGRESS

With the arrival of warmer weather operation will be speeded up at the property of the Boston Creek Mining Company, Limited.

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK

East Buffalo, April 6.—Cattle—Receipts 200. Active. Sheep—Receipts 1100. Active.

ITALIAN BATTERIES SHELL RAILWAY STATION AT GALLIANO

Rome, via London, April 6.—There was brisk artillery firing at different points from the front yesterday.

PREMIER OF AUSTRALIA WILL NOT ENFORCE CONSCRIPTION

Melbourne, April 5.—(The Reuters Ottawa agency) Premier Hughes reiterated his statement that the government will not attempt to enforce conscription during the life of the forthcoming parliament.

EQUAL FRANCHISE IN B. C.

Victoria, B.C., April 6.—The lieutenant-governor has formally approved the bill giving votes to women.

FOE MAKES ATTACK ON DWINA FRONT

A Russian Counter-Attack Ejects Germans South of Riga.

BIG AIRCRAFT RAIDS

French Machines Throw Shells on Foe Battery in Dobrudja.

ROUMANIAN FRONT: IN THE DIRECTION OF THE BYSTRITSA RIVER

The text of the statement reads: "Western front: After heavy artillery preparation, the Germans launched a counter-attack, drove out the Rumanians and restored the position."

U. S. COURTS WILL TEST WAR NATURALIZATION

Federal Judge Grants Application of German for Test Case.

GERMANS ASSERT THEY TOOK NINE THOUSAND PRISONERS ON STOKHOLM

Berlin, April 6, via London.—More than 9000 Russian, fifteen guns and 150 machine guns and mine throwers were captured by the Germans in their attack on the Russian bridgehead on the Stokholm, the war office announced.

ONE KILLED AND SEVERAL HURT IN TRAIN WRECK NEAR ROCHESTER

Rochester, N.Y., April 6.—One man was killed and several others injured about midnight when Train No. 7, the passenger train from New York to St. Louis on the N.Y.C. railroad, ran through a freight train that was taking the switch in front of it near Wayneport, 14 miles east of Rochester.

GOOD SALE OF AYRSHIRES

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 Men's Wash Real Chambray Gloves, oversewn seam, black stripe on back, natural color. Sizes 7 to 10. At1.25
 Men's Wash Cape Leather Gloves, mastic shade, dome fastener, oversewn seam, black point on back. Sizes 7 to 10. At2.00
 Men's Heavy Weight Silk Gloves, grey and tan, dome fastener, splendid for spring wear. Sizes 7 to 9.1.35
 Men's Automobile Gauntlet Gloves, tan and black, folding cuff, large, wide and roomy cuff. Sizes 7 to 11. At3.00 and 2.50
 Men's Silk Socks, good heavy weights, plain and fancy novelties. Sizes 9 1/2 to 11. At75
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 50 pairs only in the lot, nice quality English Lace Curtains, 2 1/2 and 3 yards long, in white only; half a dozen very attractive patterns suitable for dining-rooms and bedrooms. 8.30 sharp, a pair88

Lace Edged Scrims 25c
 A special bargain table of Scrims and Marquisettes, some have double hemmed edges with a neat lace trimming, others come with "tape" edges and imitation hemstitching. Choice of white, ivory and ecru. 8.30 special, yard25

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8.30 a.m. Specials for Today in the Carpet Department

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Overcoats at \$15.00 Here are trim and smart up-to-date pinch-back models, or if you prefer the slip-on styles, we have them at the same price. These coats are made from light gray and brown mixed Donegal tweeds. These coats are extraordinarily good values at this price, and are just the weight for spring wear. They are well finished and well tailored. Sizes 34 to 40. **15.00**
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Boys' Cotton Jerseys, in plain and two-color effects, short or long sleeves. Sizes 18 to 32. Today, special at23

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