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THURSDAY MORNING FEBRUARY 17 1916

BRITISH FIGHT HEAVY ENGAGEMENT WITH GERMANS EAST OF YPRES Erzerum Captured by Russians After Five Days' Assault

HUGHES ANNOUNCES FIRM POLICY TO SUPPRESS SEDITION IN CANADA

BRITISH REDEED NO FURTHER IN YPRES BATTLE

Fighting Continues on Four Thousand Yard Front with Advantage for Neither

LINE KEPT UNCHANGED

Position Taken by Germans Called 'International Trench' Owing to Many Times Won

Special Cable to The Toronto World.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The British still continue the fighting with the Germans with heavy and light artillery and hand grenades on the 4000-yard front between the Ypres-Comines Canal and Ypres-Comines Railway, with neither side gaining any particular advantage, save the capture by the Germans of the 600 yards of trench reported yesterday. The capture was effected after a bombardment of 4000 yards of front by the enemy, and his attacks were repulsed on 8400 yards of this front with considerable loss. The trench which fell into German hands, Sir Douglas Haig says, has frequently changed possession in the past year, and for this reason it has been called "the international trench."

Only artillery and mining operations are noted in the French official communique issued at Paris tonight. Mine works of the Germans were shattered by a French minelet at a point near the road to Lille. In Atruis, German revolutionizing convoys were shell-shattered in the regions of Teacy-le-Val and Barry-les-Bains and German organizations in Apremont forest were bombarded. The afternoon reports said that the French recaptured some trench sections which had been occupied by the Germans east of the Thurein-Champagne road in the Champagne.

The German official report said that the British made three unsuccessful attacks to retake the position which the Germans had captured near the Ypres-Comines Canal and lost 100 prisoners. French attempts, Berlin says, to regain positions lost northwest of Thurein in Champagne ended in failure. Stormy and rainy weather is hindering active fighting.

KILLED IN FIRE



P. S. Haterton, who was burned to death in the fire which destroyed the American Club yesterday morning.

BIG FIRE AT BROOKLYN DISASTROUS TO SHIPS

Loss May Reach Four Million Dollars—Three British Steamers Burned.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—No evidence of incendiaryism has been found by Chief Fire Marshal Brophy, it was announced tonight in connection with the fire on the Brooklyn waterfront early today, which caused the destruction of three British steamships, thirty-seven lighters and barges, a new 900-foot pier belonging to the New York Dock Co. and \$1,000,000 worth of merchandise consigned to the entente allies. The total loss is estimated at between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000.

Although nearly 300 persons were imperiled by the flames which raged fiercely for several hours, only one was unaccounted for tonight. The missing man was a member of the crew of one of the steamers. Several persons were injured, however, and there were many sensational reports.

There were reports through the day that the fire was started by an incendiary, but they probably were based upon the fact that the immense quantity of merchandise on board the vessels and on the pier was destined for European governments now engaged in war. A rigid investigation conducted by officials of the fire department has convinced them that defective electric wiring was responsible for the flames.

ERZERUM TORN FROM TURKS BY RUSSIAN ARMY

Turkish Stronghold in Armenia Captured After Five Days' Assault.

CLEAR ROAD TO SYRIA

Nothing Known of Fate of Garrison of Captured Stronghold.

Special Cable to The Toronto World.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Advisers from Petrograd tonight contained the official announcement that Erzerum, in Turkish Armenia, had been captured by the Russian army of the Caucasus, after five days' unprecedented assaults. The first official news was contained in a telegram to the emperor by the Grand Duke Nicholas, who expressed himself as happy to announce the victory. Nothing is said of the fate of the Turkish garrison.

Grand Duke Nicholas, whose strategy and rapid movements have often been likened to Napoleon's, has lost no time in pushing home his advantages after he won his first victory over 100 Turkish battalions in January last. He has turned up in charge of an important campaign with a large army under his command, and he is pushing rapidly southward to lead his troops into the warmer regions of Syria.

London military observers believe that the immediate effect of the Russian success will be felt by the British army in Mesopotamia. It is also believed that the Germans can give the Turks no assistance in that part of the world until spring.

At the opening of the war with Turkey at Sari Kaniash over a year ago, the Russians advanced on Batum in the Caucasus region and they threatened to capture the Russian oil fields and to cripple the transport system of the Russian empire. It was therefore necessary for the Russians to divert forces from their principal armies to Turkey at Sari Kaniash over a year ago. During the summer they were occupied with the main German advance in Galicia and Poland, while the Russians were held with the defence of the Dardanelles.

SPY IN CIVIL SERVICE IN OFFICE AT QUEBEC?

Government Asked if It Has Information on Lasoski's Activities.

By a Staff Reporter.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 16.—M. J. Demars, M.P. for St. Johns and Ibberville, will ask the government if a German named Lasoski has been in the employ of the immigration department at Quebec and if the department had received complaints that he had taken photographs of the port of Quebec and the vessels carrying the soldiers across the ocean.

HOLLAND IS IN FEAR OF DISASTROUS FLOODS

Hundreds of Laborers Toiling to Prevent Fresh Breaks in Dykes.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 16.—(Via London, 11.28 p.m.)—The storm which is now raging over Holland is causing great anxiety of further floods and disasters. Day and night hundreds of laborers are working feverishly to prevent fresh ruptures of the dykes. The forces of the storm is such that all kinds of strengthening materials are speedily washed away by the giant waves breaking across the dykes.

BRITISH AERIAL CRAFT LAGGING BEHIND ENEMY

Balfour Regrets Britain Failed to Develop Zeppelin Type of Airship.

USEFUL FOR SCOUTING

New Co-Operation Plan for Defence Against Raids is Announced.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Today's debate in parliament on the air defence of Great Britain was chiefly remarkable for the frank admissions made by the cabinet's spokesman, that the present conditions are far from satisfactory.

Mr. Balfour scored the sensation of the day when he declared that one of England's great mistakes in the days prior to the war was her failure to develop a dirigible airship fleet along similar lines to that of Germany.

U.S.-MADE MUNITIONS NOW POUR INTO EUROPE

Nearly Two Million Dollars' Worth Shipped Daily From American Ports.

PRODUCTION GROWING

Export Has Just Really Started—Quarter of Billion Dollars' Worth Sent.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—American-made war munitions are pouring into Europe at the rate of nearly \$2,000,000 worth daily, with the figures swelling rapidly as the production increases.

For a long time after the war began, shipments were negligible, and not until the middle of 1915 did the millions of dollars' worth of war materials contracted for begin to move in considerable quantities.

BRITISH NATIONAL DEBT IS RAPIDLY EXPANDING

It is Now Close to Eleven Billion Dollars—Germany's Huge Outlay.

LONDON, Feb. 16, 10.38 p.m.—The chancellor of the exchequer, Reginald McKenna, announced today that the British national debt at the end of the financial year, March 31, will be £2,200,000,000.

DON'T FORGET CANADA WHILE WAGING WAR

Advice Given by Sir Adam Beck to Hydro Radial Delegates Yesterday.

DEVELOP RESOURCES

Wheels of Industry Must Keep in Motion to Bring Germany's Defeat.

Delegates to the convention of the Hydro-Electric Railway Association of Ontario, held in the council chamber of the city hall, were yesterday afternoon officially welcomed by Mayor Church, and following this ceremony Sir Adam Beck gave a lengthy discourse on hydro-electric power and hydro-electric radials, as they are being worked out in the Province of Ontario.

The morning session was devoted to the passing of resolutions, the receiving of reports and the election of officers, these being appointed as follows: Hon. president, Sir Adam Beck; hon. vice-presidents, Hon. I. B. Lucas, W. K. McNaught; president, J. W. Lyon; secretary, G. Powell Hamilton; treasurer, G. J. Hainington; secretary, G. J. Hainington.

The financial report showed that from March 6, 1915, to Feb. 24, 1916, \$273 had been received from membership fees, while the subscriptions, including bank interest and a loan of \$200, totaled \$324.57. The disbursements totaled \$867.12, leaving a balance on hand of \$134.45.

A number of resolutions were carried unanimously as follows: Urging the Ontario government to authorize the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to proceed with final surveys and the purchase of rights of ways for the railways, which are now authorized by the municipalities, and further authorize the sale of a sufficient number of bonds for such purpose.

That the government be requested to restrict the export of power to the United States.

WHEAT TARIFF MUST STAY UP WHITE ARGUES

Its Removal Would Be Ruinous to Canadian Millers and Railways.

"SPREAD" IS MYSTERY

Grain Prices Used to Support Arguments on Both Sides.

By a Staff Reporter.

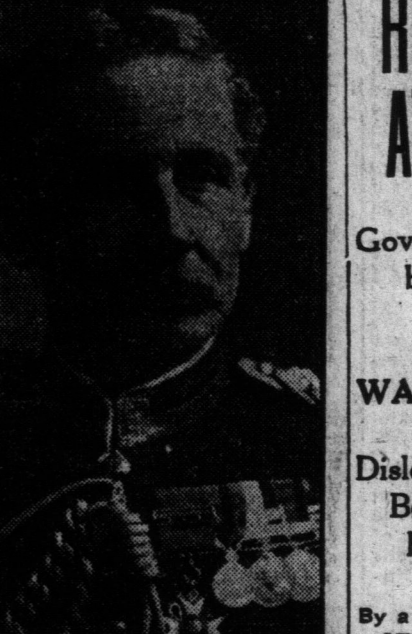
OTTAWA, Feb. 16.—Free wheat was the only topic discussed by the house of commons today. The debate began last Monday upon a resolution offered by Mr. Turriff, the Liberal member for Assiniboia, declaring in favor of accepting the standing offer of the United States for free trade between the two countries in wheat, wheat flour, semolina and potatoes. The discussion went over until today and will be resumed again next Monday.

TAX NOT QUITE FAIR SHAUGHNESSY'S VIEW

C. P. R. Not Like Some Companies Which Are Protected by "Water."

Special to The Toronto World.

GENERAL SIR WM. OTTER



Government Stirred to Action by Latest Evidence of High Feeling.

WAR SUMMARY: Today's Events Reviewed

ERZERUM, the chief stronghold of Turkey and Islam, outside of Constantinople, has fallen to the Grand Duke Nicholas of Russia after five days of unprecedented assault. This victory, which is the best news received in the camp of the allies for many months, was announced to the emperor by the grand duke in the following words: "God has granted the brave troops of the army of the Caucasus such help that Erzerum has been taken after five days' unprecedented assault. I am inexpressibly happy to announce this victory to your imperial majesty."

The Russian successes in the Caucasus, combined with the prospects of a rapid advance to the south, dealt the sultan and the kaiser the hardest blow that they have received in the east since the war began. Erzerum was strongly fortified, having earthworks thrown about it with all the science that the German engineers could bring to bear on the task of creating an enceinte of 26 miles, armed with 400 of the best fortress guns that the Krupp factories could produce, and dragged with infinite labor from Constantinople over execrable roads. But owing to the extent of the fortifications, Russian experts considered that 400 guns were not enough, and their judgment has been proved correct by the sequel of the siege. On the eastern side of Erzerum runs the famous Camel's Neck Pass, where the Turks made their last stand against the Russians in the celebrated campaign of 1870. It mounts several hundred feet above the town, and its capture would open a way clear thru the mountains to the Syrian plains. The further the Russians get on, the nearer comes the hour for the extinction of Turkey in Asia.

The effect of the capture of Erzerum will be felt in lands where its name previously was scarcely known. The campaign in this region has assumed the proportions of a war by itself, and its influence is even being felt in Washington, where the American Government has lately shown signs of stiffening its back against finally accepting the German demands.

STEEL COMPANY'S MEN QUIT WORK YESTERDAY

HAMILTON, Thursday, Feb. 17.—Following a refusal by the company to concede an advance of five cents per hour to employees of the Steel Company of Canada, earning from 18-12 to 30 cents per hour, about seven hundred of them, comprising about six nationalities, went out on a strike yesterday. A meeting of the strikers was held yesterday afternoon and it is likely that a speedy settlement will be made.

ACCUSED OF ASSAULT

HAMILTON, Thursday, Feb. 17.—Constables Duffy and Crocker last night arrested Mendel Yunkoff, 7 Walnut street south, on a charge of aggravated assault, laid by Max Goldberg.

DINEEN'S FUR SELLING

We are selling furs at prices that make them an investment, even if a customer has no immediate necessity to buy furs as we are selling out our stock completely in order to make preparations for the new season's business. Our amazing price reductions cover all lines of furs for men, women and children. Dineen's, 340 Yonge St.

Today's specials in men's fur-lined, fur and winter coats.

GEN. OTTER TO RESTORE QUIET AT BERLIN, ONT.

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WARNING BY HUGHES

Disloyal Utterances Will Not Be Tolerated—Lutheran Pastor Trouble-Maker.

By a Staff Reporter.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 16.—The government issued a warning today to German citizens of Canada, that reasonable utterances and acts of violence would result in vigorous action. General Sir Sam Hughes made a statement regarding the raiding of a German hall in Berlin, Ont., last night by soldiers, the destruction of German flags displayed there, and the abduction of a man of the locality had been "expressed by the language and action of a Lutheran clergyman, an American citizen named Jappert, and a German-born Canadian subject named Amussen, who, whether with good or bad intent, had been semi-apologists for German atrocities and Kaiserism."

Hughes gives warning. "Alien enemies," said Gen. Hughes, "have been treated by the government in the most tolerant and lenient manner, but utterances and conduct that even indirectly encourage sedition, treason, or disloyalty, will not be tolerated." The case of Jappert is under consideration by the government. He cannot be deported, as he has been three years in the country. Meanwhile it is stated that the justice department will send Gen. Sir William Otter to Berlin to take charge of the situation there until quiet has been restored. Gen. Otter is in charge of the internment camps for alien enemies throughout the Dominion.

The premier stated in reply to Mr. Boudry of Rimouski, that the government had decided to conduct investigations into the status and conduct of all the Germans and Americans in the civil service.

With regard to Dr. Haanel, deputy minister of mines, he said that he was a naturalized American and that he had come to Canada at the invitation of the University. He entered the government service in 1901. Sir Robert said he was an efficient officer, and law-abiding citizen, and he did not consider that it was in the public interest or in the interest of justice to remove him from his position.

TAX NOT QUITE FAIR SHAUGHNESSY'S VIEW

C. P. R. Not Like Some Companies Which Are Protected by "Water."

Special to The Toronto World.

MONTREAL, Feb. 16.—Baron Shaughnessy, president of the C. P. R., in a statement given out today, says that he favors the principle of a tax on profits, but that he considers the bill should be amended in detail. He points out that some companies have no net revenue and the proposed tax, while others will not.

Every good citizen and reasonable man will loyally stand back of the finance minister in the adoption of the plan of taxation that they find most finally to be considered best in the circumstances, but in return, the people of the country will demand, probably more emphatically than ever before, that expenditures in connection with the war shall be without wastefulness or extravagance, and that the minister of finance, with his colleagues, shall see that the country's money is neither pilfered nor squandered.

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HAMILTON NEWS

RECRUITERS FAILED TO IMPRESS YOUNG MEN

Increased Staff Met With Little Success on Hamilton Streets Yesterday. HAMILTON, Thursday, Feb. 17.—The every effort was made yesterday by the local recruiting authorities to equal Monday's total of 100 men. The number was small, and 50 applications passed thru Highlanders and Royal Regiment depots.

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GOING TO THE FRONT



Battalion Sergeant-Major J. A. Chambers of the 19th O.E.S., a fighting family. He is one of the five sons of a Hamilton family.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" To get the genuine one for full name, ask for "BROMO QUININE" Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day.

SCENE AT MASSEY HALL WILL BE REMEMBERED

By Those Who Were Privileged to Attend Concert Given for Soldiers.

Duke and Duchess of Connaught Were Among Those Who Heard Program. Soldiers and sinners took possession of Massey Hall last evening, and the combination, together with all it stood for, made the occasion one grand, glorious, unforgettable event, ever to be remembered by any among those privileged to be present.

The Cherubim Song, given a capella by the full chorus, and the "Hymn of Rejoicing" by Tchaikowsky, were beautiful numbers, to which full justice was given in a manner that none could perfectly save the Mendelssohn choir. Delightful novelty was afforded by the Celtic folk-song, "Irish Tune From County Kerry," the cheering harmonies, bringing before one the mist of the mountains and the green of the Irish hills.

BEST FOR TORONTO MEN TO ENLIST IN TORONTO

Those Who Leave City Will Not Get Insurance Benefits. MANY ROUTINE MATTERS Board of Control Disposes of Large Order Paper Quickly.

Many routine matters were disposed of at yesterday's meeting of the board of control which was lengthened somewhat in order that the week's business could be cleared away. The board allowed three members to go to Ottawa this morning in the interests of the city.

Following his attack upon recruiting in Toronto, in so far as Toronto men are taken away to outside battalions yet insured by the city, Controller Cameron moved that hereafter any who go in this way will not receive the benefit of insurance. The idea does not apply to soldiers transferred for military reasons by the proper authorities.

General Logie, divisional commander, has arranged a conference of the five commanding officers of the new Toronto battalions, to be held at the office at Exhibition camp tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. It will be attended by General Lieut.-Col. Le G. Reed, 17th; Lieut.-Col. J. A. Cooper, 18th; Lieut.-Col. E. W. Hagarty, 20th; Lieut.-Col. W. H. Price, 20th and Lieut.-Col. T. H. Lennox, of the 20th. The question of whether it is possible to authorize their regular courses of training, Toronto City will be discussed, the view having been expressed that it would be better to fill up the more recently announced units before calling for any further ones.

NEWS FROM THE CITY HALL

CITY HALL NOTES

A new fire escape apparatus is to be tried out at the city hall soon. The board of control yesterday refused to report plans for the completion of the Bloor street fill. This work will be considered in the estimates.

An appeal against the judgment of the high court, with Frederick Murdoch recovered \$785 from the city and which was paid A. F. Lobb, is to be filed by the city.

The Toronto Citizens Recruiting League will have an opportunity to consider the resignation of Lieut.-Col. Hagarty for financial aid for the 20th Battalion, it having been referred to that body by the board of control yesterday.

The controllers yesterday decided to pay A. B. Parton his fee of \$250 for services as real estate expert in connection with the arbitration to fix the damages to the lands belonging to W. G. Gales located at the northwest corner of Bathurst street and Devonport road, on account of the grading of Bathurst street.

LADIES' DAY TODAY

Walkers RESTAURANT 99-101 YONGE ST. Extra Special—Thursday Only 20c. CHICKEN CROQUETTE (Guaranteed to be made from fresh killed fowl). Fried Sweet Potatoes. Applesauce. Coffee, Tea, Milk, Cocoa or Putnam. Our Regular 20 Cent Luncheon is the MOST POPULAR MEAL IN TORONTO.

HESITATES TO SETTLE SUBMARINE DISPUTE

Wilson Refuses to Close Controversy With Germany Through New Development. AGREEMENT PRESENTED Washington May Demand Immunity From Attacks on Armed Merchantmen.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The submarine controversy with Germany cannot be closed until the United States has fully considered the possible effect of the declared intention of the German powers to sink all armed merchant ships of their enemies without warning after Feb. 23.

The Lusitania agreement was presented today by Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, in a form which would have been acceptable if the United States had not the German powers announced their determination to regard armed merchant ships of their enemies as warships.

REPRESENTATIVES FOR COUNCIL OF TEMPLARS

Were Elected at Meeting Held in Toronto Yesterday. It was unanimously decided at a meeting of the Royal Templars yesterday morning that the grand council should memorialize the Dominion Parliament to enact a measure giving immediate effect to the greatly advanced sentiment in favor of the total prohibition of liquor traffic.

Official War Statements

British The British official statement on the campaign in Flanders, issued tonight, reads as follows: "The bombardment by both sides and heavy fighting with hand grenades have taken place in the past 24 hours in the area between the Canal and the Ypres-Comines railway. The fighting continues."

French The official communication issued by the French war office last night describes only minor operations, which would seem to indicate that the heavy fighting that has been in progress in the Aisne and Champagne regions has slackened considerably.

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German Today's German official statement is as follows: "Western theatre: The English made three vain attacks yesterday on the position southeast of Ypres, which we had captured. They lost a total of 190 prisoners."

WAR SUMMARY Today's Events Reviewed

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will have to retreat or run grave danger of being cut off by the combined British and Russian operations. Lack of pre-war preparations in the matter of providing adequate Zeppelin airships was blamed by Mr. Balfour, first lord of the admiralty, in a debate over the inadequate air defences of the British Isles in the British House of Commons yesterday.

Sir Douglas Haig reports from Flanders that heavy fighting proceeded all day yesterday with artillery and hand grenades on the front between the Ypres-Comines Canal and the Ypres-Comines Railway with neither side making any advance. The attack of the previous day was made on a front of 4000 yards and the Germans were repulsed on 3400 yards of this section.

It is not improbable that one of the objects of the Germans in forcing these fights is the testing of the quality of their infantry. In such engagements where nothing much is to be gained the British will content themselves with putting up a stone wall defence and allow the Germans to learn as little as possible about their offensive capabilities till they are ready to beat the drums for some important strategical advance.

Britain has laid an embargo on the importation of raw tobacco, thereby shutting off the market of the southern states which have tobacco seed cotton growing as their staple industries. Senator Hoke Smith of the United States loudly and rancorously protested about the declaration of cotton as contraband and he has now succeeded in making a bad matter worse by the loss of the raw tobacco trade for his country during the war.

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Excellent Service Telephone, Main 381—reserve a table for yourself and friends and perfect satisfaction in your dining requirements is assured. Special mid-day luncheon served daily at fifty cents. Romanelli's Orchestra, six to eight p.m.

C. N. R. EARNINGS

C.N.R. earnings for the second week of February were \$482,100, an increase of \$12,000. It is stated that weather conditions in the west are still unfavorable for traffic.

LETTER OF APPRECIATION

Mrs. W. J. McWhinney has received from Serbian Relief Headquarters, London, a letter of warm appreciation for the \$725 remitted by the Serbian bond committee of the Maple Leaf Bazaar.

INGOT METALS Pig Tin, Pig Lead, Ingot Copper, Bertha Spelter, Antimony, Aluminium. Prompt Delivery. Canada Metal Co. FRASER AVE., TORONTO

PRO Saving Per 100 BABY HILLSON of Welland. This is Baby Hillson of a man who was relieved of a worm by Prof. Mulveney's medicine. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hillson of Welland, who are afflicted with a horrible monster, as it is called, in their child. The words would fall to the ground if not for the weight. Their address: Street, Welland, Ont.

To Whom It May Concern. This is to certify that Prof. Mulveney's medicine cured my child of a horrible monster. The words would fall to the ground if not for the weight. Their address: Street, Welland, Ont.

The power supplied by the Hydro for street lighting purposes in Toronto costs approximately \$105,000 a year. Hydro charges the city for the service \$350,000. If Hydro service is based on cost, as it pretends, why are the taxpayers gouged to the extent of \$245,000 every year for their street lighting? Where the Hydro has to face the competition of the Telco, it has to charge less than half the rate it is able to collect for street lighting.

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PROF. MULVENEY'S WORLD FAMOUS REMEDY

Is Saving People's Lives in All Parts of the World, While the Professor Sits in His Office, Where You Are Invited to Call, at 167 Dundas Street, Toronto, and Be Convinced of This Fact.



BABY HILLSON of Welland.

This is Baby Hillson of Welland, Ont. He was relieved of a monster tapeworm by Prof. Mulveney's World Famous Remedy...

Dear Sir.—Your wonderful remedy received, and I took it according to directions, and am pleased to say the tapeworm was expelled...

Gratefully yours, Mrs. Wm. Hillson.



Toronto, Dec. 28, 1913.

To Whom It May Concern: This is to certify that I, Mrs. Mitchell, suffered from Tapeworm over three years...

Hamilton, June 23, 1913. This is to certify that my son was in poor health for some time. We did not know what was wrong with him...

Toronto, April 26, 1913. This is to certify that Prof. Mulveney's Tapeworm Exterminator expelled a monster tapeworm from my system...

Mother's Friend Many Children's Lives Saved By Prof. R. L. Mulveney's World Famous Remedy

FOR SICK CHILDREN. EXPELS STOMACH AND PIN WORMS. This valuable medicine expels Stomach or Pin Worms...

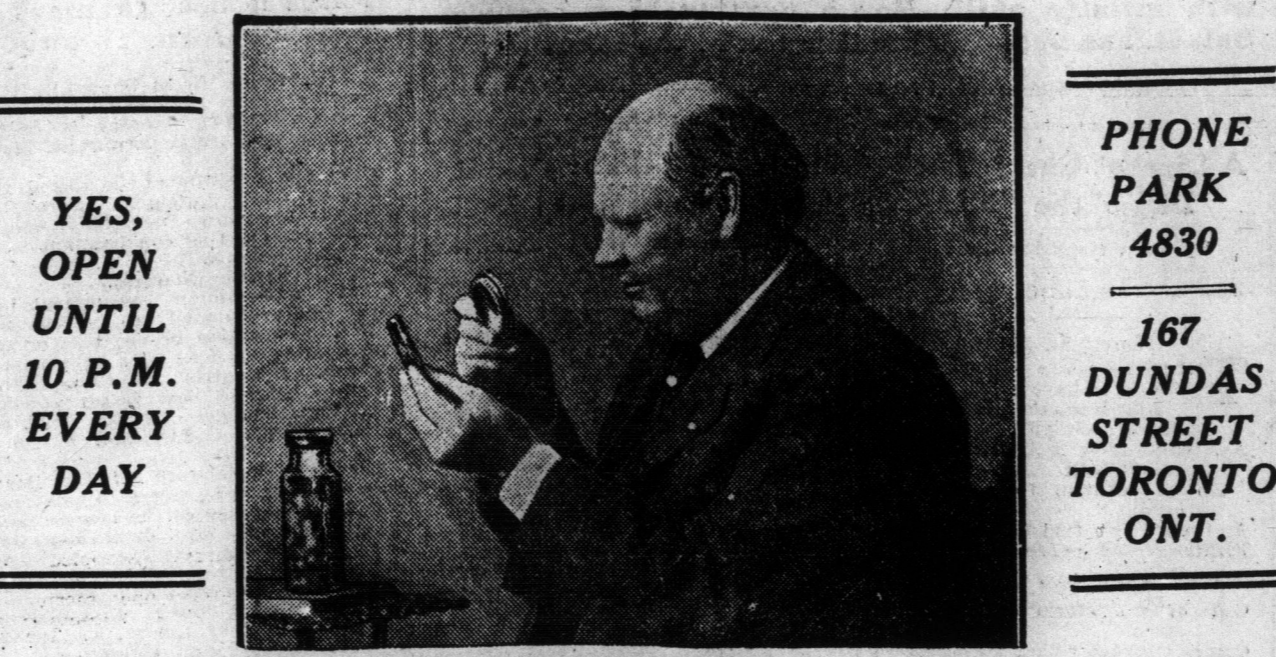
MOTHER'S FRIEND. This valuable medicine is working wonders in all cases of sickness among children...

Another case comes to my memory of a baby about two years old. The mother brought her to me in her arms. She was wasted away to a living skeleton...

Sent post-free to any address on receipt of price. It is not poison. Price, \$1.00. Put up two packages in one parcel...

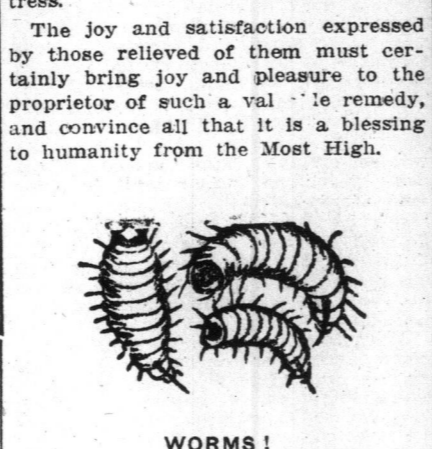
St. Catharines. Prof. Mulveney, Dear Sir: When I was in Toronto a few months ago I got a bottle of your remedy called Mother's Friend Worm Medicine...

Toronto, Dec. 25 (Xmas Day), 1915. This is to certify, I, Walter Belland, 11 Trinity square, have used Prof. Mulveney's World Famous Tapeworm Remedy...



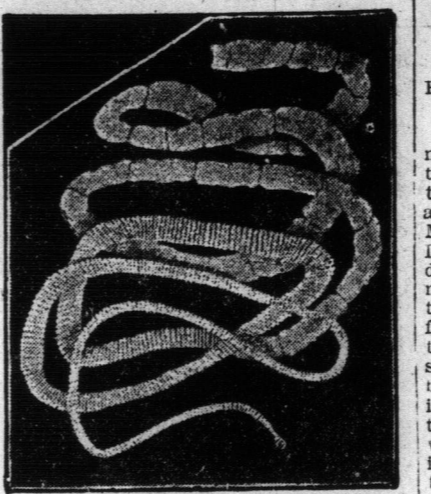
WORMS Yes, That's the Trouble

No doubt you have read of Prof. R. L. Mulveney's World-Famous Tapeworm Remedy. But have you called at his office, 167 Dundas Street?



Produce miserable feelings; in some cases their victim is so uneasy and feels so miserable he cannot describe his feelings...

different worms produce different kinds of diseases and produce the symptoms of many other kinds of diseases. Pin Worms cause an irritation that many people mistake for itching piles...



The symptoms of tapeworm are many, and differ, as some constitutions seem to stand the ravage of this vile parasite without causing much alarm...

SAVED LITTLE GIRL'S LIFE TOOK CONVULSIONS A HORRID MONSTER TAPEWORM

BABY BROOKS, of Toronto.

To Whom It May concern: This is to certify that we have used Prof. Mulveney's World-Famous Tapeworm Cure with most gratifying results...



Why Not Try B'Well

It Makes People Feel Well

B'Well is a medicine that assists nature, made from roots, barks, herbs, leaves, etc.

B'Well is not a tapeworm exterminator and is not recommended for that trouble. B'Well is restoring thousands of people to health.

It does not contain poison in any form, or narcotics that only relieve pain, but the different roots and herbs that regulate the system.

Prof. Mulveney's world-famous Tapeworm Remedy is saving thousands of valuable lives, and B'Well is doing just as much for those requiring this kind of medicine.

The letters from people who have used B'Well are sufficient evidence as to its merits. Price \$1.25 per bottle, six bottles \$6.00.

B'Well is put up in powder form for convenience to send to foreign places by mail, which does away with all breakage.

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO WOMEN

THE TORONTO WORLD WILL CONTINUE SOX EFFORTS

Specially Installed Knitting Department Will Be Kept Open for Workers.

SHIPMENT GOES SOON

Donations of Sox Will Be Received Up Till Saturday of This Week.

Altho the harvest is gathered, there is still the aftermath, and for the convenience of those who wish to continue knitting and sending sox away to the boys in the trenches...

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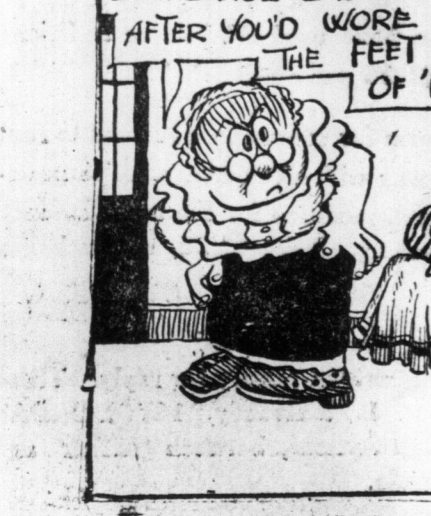
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The Most Prevalent of Ailments. The Cause of Almost All Illness. If you are constipated, your bowels are full, your head aches, your eyes are sore, your skin rough and scaly, your muscles weak, your liver full of old bile, your stomach full of acid...

Polly and Her Pals



COUNCIL OF WOMEN APPOINT CONVENORS

The Sub-Committee on Made-in-Canada Was Discontinued.

Convenors of the standing committees of the local council of women have been appointed as follows: Advertisements, Mrs. W. E. Groves; council literature, Mrs. H. M. Hill; citizenship, Miss Constance Boulton; conservation of natural resources, Mrs. Robertson; education, Mrs. Courtice; employment for women, Miss Davidson; finance, Mrs. A. E. Kanteil; immigration, Mrs. L. A. Hamilton; miscellaneous, Mrs. A. E. Kanteil; public health, Mrs. A. M. Elstest; sub-committee on housing, Miss Margaret Davidson; mothers' pensions, Mrs. W. E. Struthers. The sub-committee on "Made in Canada" was discontinued. Miss Sims is elected recording secretary.

TORONTO TRAVEL CLUB.

Miss Dalton Gave Paper on the East Prior to the War.

The regular meeting of the Toronto Travel Club was held at the home of Mrs. Cook, 72 Grenville street, in the absence of the president, Mrs. Walter Nation took the chair. The program consisted of a paper on "The Situation in the East Prior to the War" by Miss Dalton, a chapter from Stephen Leacock, "A Good Time After the War"; readings by Mrs. Bundy; two Australian songs, contributed by Mrs. W. G. Lamb; violin solos by Miss Kathleen Reid and piano selection by Miss Violet Hughes.

TORONTO NURSES OVERSEAS.

Lodged in Hospitals in France and England.

The eight nurses who left Toronto on Christmas Eve, to give their services to France, have been located in the Palace of the Kings, and Miss Helen McMurrich and Miss Margaret MacIntyre are in a hospital at Paris. The Misses J. J. Morris, Hopkin, Jones and Robinson are with a hospital situated a few miles from Bordeaux. Miss Henley is nursing in the American Women's War Hospital at Fairport, Devonshire.

FINE PLAY AT STRAND.

The photo-play version of F. Marion Crawford's world-famous novel, "The Palace of the Kings," will form the headliner at the Strand Theatre for today and for the balance of this week. This story of Don John, the brother of the King of Spain, and his love for Mendoza's daughter, of the king's wrath, and of how after the plot and counter-plot, the course of true love at last runs smoothly, is a veritable masterpiece. Replete with action and incident of the most thrilling and picturesque kind it lends itself superbly to reproduction in motion picture form. The scenes in the old Moorish Palace are of magnificent beauty, and the production being a Y. L. E. one everything as regards staging and scenic effects is on the most elaborate scale.

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A Line o' Cheer Each Day o' the Year

CLOUDS. (Copyright, 1916). TROUBLES are clouds, and clouds have rifts. And from the skies pour down such gifts. As, were they not, the fields No harvestings to ease our care; And where we find fertility Fruitless and parched the soil would be. Out of the storm of clouded skies Comes character that truffles in garnerings of love and grace. And fortitude to run the race.

COCAINE SELLER AND USERS ARE ARRESTED

Young Man Wanted in Hamilton Found in Their Company.

Charged with selling cocaine, Carl Phoenix, no address, was arrested on Queen street yesterday afternoon by Detectives Guthrie and Mitchell.

Richard Howard and Harold Fisher, 123 University avenue, whom the police allege Phoenix sold the cocaine to, were arrested charged with vagrancy.

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Learned from a Sample Nineteen Years Ago

That He Could Depend on Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to Cure Many of the Common Ills of Life.

Living 18 miles from a drug store, Mr. Carr found it necessary to keep in the house some treatment to regulate the action of the liver, kidneys and bowels. To the habit of keeping these important organs active by the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, when required, he attributes the good health of his large family. Here, surely, is evidence of the value of these pills as a family medicine to protect the members of the family who use it from the common ills so many of which arise from constipation of the bowels and torpid condition of the liver and kidneys. Mr. James Carr, Maynooth, Ont., writes: "About 19 years ago I received an envelope containing two of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I was doctoring at the time with two doctors, and as they did me no good I used the pills, and by the time I had finished one box I was cured of the pain in the back and shoulders. Chase's Medicines. I have a family of ten children and have never had a doctor in the house for any of them. We live 18 miles from a drug store, and find that these pills cure nearly all the ordinary ills by regulating the liver, kidneys and bowels. That we are all well and sound I attribute to the fact that we have recommended them to hundreds and given away many a box because I believe there is no medicine so good. By awakening the action of liver, kidneys and bowels Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills cleanse the system of poisons and remove the cause of biliousness, headaches, backache, lumbago, kidney disease and rheumatism. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmandson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

DON'T FORGET CANADA WHILE WAGING WAR

Advice Given by Sir Adam Beck to Radial Delegates in Convention Yesterday.

DEVELOP ITS RESOURCES

Wheels of Industry Must Keep in Motion to Bring Germany's Defeat. (Continued From Page 1.)

slip docks at Port Stanley, so as to provide adequate and permanent facilities. That the government be asked to make an early statement as to its policy regarding making a commencement on the construction of the hydro radials.

Refuse Charters. That the Dominion government be respectfully requested to refuse to grant the extension of charters or to grant new charters for the construction of electric railways through the districts now being served and reported upon by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario.

That the legislature of the Province of Ontario be urged to continue to adopt the policy of the last session by refusing to grant extensions or incorporation of electric railways through the Province of Ontario, particularly in those districts where the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has been asked by the municipalities to make surveys and estimates.

Benefits Apparent. In welcoming the delegates, Mayor Church declared that Sir Adam Beck was the greatest constructive statesman of the generation, and that the adoption by the municipalities of the hydro radial scheme was the greatest compliment that could be paid him. He thought that the benefits to be derived from hydro radials were apparent to all, as good transportation was badly needed. He also believed that the time had come when the provincial commission would have to consider the question of wiring the home of the poor man so that he could enjoy the advantages of the hydro-electric system.

Perpetuate Association. Following this motion was presented by Ald. Maguire, seconded by W. C. Bush of Grantham Township, that the association apply for a charter and the right to levy a membership fee on those municipalities benefiting by the hydro radial work being done by the Hydro-Electric Commission of Ontario, and this carried unanimously. In speaking to the motion Ald. Maguire pointed out that it was necessary to perpetuate the association, as its work was by no means completed.

President Lyon and several others, including Controller Morris of Hamilton, urged all of the municipalities interested to become members of the association, pointing out that their fees were necessary to carry on the work. The fee at present is \$10.00 for each municipality having a population of 5000 or less, and \$20.00 per thousand of population for larger districts.

In opening Sir Adam Beck thought that it must be gratifying to the members to be engaged in the work of developing public ownership of public utilities and the development of the natural resources of the country for the good of the people.

Keeps Wheels Moving. He spoke at some length regarding the war situation, dealing especially with its effect upon Canada's development, and while he believed that every effort should be put forth to bring the war to an early and successful issue he failed to see why it should prevent development at home, declaring that those who could not for various reasons participate in the fight should do their bit at home by keeping the wheels moving and preparing the country for the home-coming of those who were overseas fighting the empire's battles. In this connection he pointed out that if disintegration and industrial downfall was to help in Germany's defeat the opposite should be the case with the empire to give us victory.

With this in view he saw no reason for delaying work on the hydro radials or the immediate development of the power plant at Chippewa, which will give 500,000 horsepower, and which the government says it will consider "as soon as conditions permit."

After the War. In referring to the possibilities of getting money to finance the work Sir Adam said: "The doors of United States vaults are bulging because of the money stored in that country, and there is no reason why, if they are willing to take our bonds, we should not proceed with the work and prepare this country for the men who are fighting in the trenches." He had information to show that three to five-year bonds could be negotiated on a 4 1/2 per cent basis.

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THREAT AGAINST 9TH BATTALION FOLLOWERS FIRE IN AMERICAN CLUB

Note Left at House Where Officers Live is Handed Over to Police--Body of P. S. Hairston Found in Fire Ruins --Attorney-General's Department Starts an Investigation--Galleries of Legislative Chamber Closed.

Starting with a loud explosion, fire broke out on the top floor of the American Club, 17-19 West Wellington street, at 2:55 yesterday morning, gutting the building from roof to basement and fatally injuring P. S. Hairston and seriously injuring Edward Johnson. The estimated damage to the building is \$50,000, loss on oil painting \$700 and loss on contents \$10,000. The loss is wholly covered by insurance in the following companies: American-American Fire Company, 4208; Springfield Fire Company, 3222; Edinburgh Fire Company, 3222; British Crown Fire Company, 3500; Liverpool, London Fire Company, 4300; British Canadian Underwriters, 3280; Northwestern Fire Company, 4455; Providence Washington Company, 4550; Franco-American Fire Company, 4400; National Fire Company, 3222; Dominion of Canada Fire Company, 3500; London, Lancashire Fire Company, 3500; Western Fire Company, 3500; Canada National Fire Company, 3500; Firemen's Insurance Company, 3500; General Fire Insurance Company, 3500; National Company of Halifax, 3500; Nova Scotia Company, 3500; a total of \$40,250. There is about \$20,000 in four other companies who have not yet been heard from.

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opening it, my foot caught a rope. This I threw out, and began to climb down. When half-way down, I heard an explosion, and either slid or jumped the rest of the way—I don't know which."

Mr. Zolner managed to reach the Ontario Club, across the street. He left clothing, watch, glasses and everything behind. His hands are lacerated by the friction of the rope, and he is suffering from shock. He was removed yesterday to the Tuscio Hotel.

Little Hope of Recovery. Edward Johnson, night-watchman at the Merchants' Bank, was passing the American Club when bricks from the roof and chimney were blown out by the explosion. The debris fell on him. He was hurled to St. Michael's Hospital, where an operation was performed upon him. He seemed better after it, but enquiries at the hospital last night elicited the information that he was getting weaker and probably would not recover.

P. S. Hairston, mining engineer, of Dallas, Texas, was not so fortunate as Captain Minard and the others. Awakened by the fire, he had apparently staggered to the window, intending to slide down the rope, but was overcome by the smoke before he could reach it. He was found later by the firemen. He had a slight gash in his head. He was attired only in boots and pyjamas, and had his grip in his hand. His body was removed to the morgue, where an inquest was opened last night.

The untimely death of Mr. Hairston has caused general sorrow among mining men and brokers in the city. Mr. Hairston was known as a promoter of the Canadian mining industry. His activities in this direction dating back to the Cobalt days, in 1905, when he came to Canada from the United States. He was also a member of the Standard Stock Exchange, but did not engage actively in the brokerage business.

Mr. Hairston was 33 years of age and a native of Dallas, Texas. He was married and lived on his farm at Oakville. When kept in town on business he was in the habit of staying at the American Club.

Among the properties in which he was interested were the Silver Queen, the Beaver Consolidated, in the early days. Later he financed the Doble-Leyson until it was sold last June to the Dominion Reduction Company.

At the time of his death he was interested in properties in Porcupine, Munro Township, and in Kirkland Lake. He had recently incorporated a company called the Munro Consolidated Mines, Limited, to develop gold properties in Munro Township, and from which favorable results have been obtained. The late Mr. Hairston was quiet and unassuming, and

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W. W. Zaylor, of Perrin Freres & Co., glory-makers, who was at first thought to have been in the building, left the city on Sunday, and was in Peterboro on the night of the fire.

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of the supposedly incendiary American Legion, following so closely the Ottawa configuration. Chief of Police Rogers has ordered the attorney-general to operate with Fire Marshal Heaton and make a thorough investigation into the club fire and to hold the two provincial authorities will be held in the city hall on Monday.

As a result, too, of the fires the galleries of the legislature, from its memorial to the public, will be closed on Feb. 20, when the house opens. In a statement issued yesterday by Speaker Jamieson this was deemed advisable in view of public excitement. A fantastic pro-German plot was said to have been discovered in connection with the fire. The fire was said to have been caused by a German spy, who was in the city at the time of the fire.

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WHEAT TARIFF MUST STAY UP, SAYS WHITE

Finance Minister Reviewed Familiar Arguments Against "Free Wheat."

"SPREAD" IS PUZZLING

Significance of Chicago and Winnipeg Quotations Food for Debate.

(Continued From Page 1.)

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service. Sir Thomas White declared that removing the tariff would lower the price of wheat sold on the export line to the export level, and he declared that to ship our wheat to the United States would ruin our milling industry, cripple our railways, and be a radical departure from the national policy. To this Mr. Oliver rejoined that it would not do less in the United States than it did in Canada, the Canadian wheat would not be shipped to the south. It would only be sold in the United States when the farmer could get more money by selling it there than in Canada.

White's Grain Blockade. Mr. McNutt in opening the discussion stated that the real difference in price between the Canadian grades were higher than the American grades. Under the Canada Grain Act, No. 2 northern wheat had to weigh fifty-eight pounds to the bushel and contain at least forty-five per cent of red wheat, while the American No. 2 northern had only to weigh fifty-seven pounds to the bushel and contain 40 per cent of hard wheat. Mr. McNutt also pointed out that the Americans had a grade known as No. 1 northern, which was measured up to that grade in Minneapolis but was ungraded wheat in Canada, being classified as "quack seed."

White's Reply. Sir Thomas White, in opening, said that the United States Tariff Commission had not made a tender to Canada of reciprocal free trade in wheat. If the tariff were removed, we would not get free wheat unless we agreed to free trade in flour. The western farmer could not get what he wanted without inflicting a mortal wound upon the milling industry of Canada. Personally he doubted if the farmer would benefit by free access for his wheat to the American market. If he shipped two hundred million bushels of hard wheat to the Minneapolis price would at once fall to the export level. The American did not want to buy wheat from us so much as they desired to sell us flour. They were proposing in short that we should have our wheat ground in Minneapolis and then buy it back at a high price.

Millers Could Not Compete. The Canadian millers could not possibly compete with the American millers. There were 750 flour mills in the United States, with an output of nearly one million barrels of flour a month. The Canadian millers had a capacity of less than one hundred thousand barrels a day. The farmer was not justified in asking the government to pass legislation which would cripple or destroy the grain milling industry.

After pointing out that for the government to remove the duty on wheat would be to abandon the National Policy, Mr. Thomas said that after the war different parts of the empire would have to trade closer together. "Wheat" was a "cuddle closer" together. "Wheat" was an old trade within the empire by taking off the duty which came from the United States.

Illogical, Says Oliver. Hon. Frank Oliver said the minister of finance was illogical. He doubted if the tariff would be declared that the price for wheat was as high or higher in Canada than in the United States. "Wheat" was the next breath asserted that two hundred million bushels of Canadian wheat would go to the United States, and that our railways and milling industry would be wrecked up by British wheat. But why should wheat go to the United States if it could be sold for a higher price on this side of the ocean? "Wheat" farmer would get a higher price in the United States, or he would not. "Wheat" got a higher price by taking off the duty would have no effect, if he would get a higher price, by taking off the duty. Personally he thought the western farmers ought to show their own business. He was not getting these essays on mixed farming. Fully 25 per cent of the farmers in the prairie provinces were engaged in mixed farming. He was not getting these essays on mixed farming. He was not getting these essays on mixed farming. He was not getting these essays on mixed farming.

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CANADIAN CASUALTIES

First Battalion. Wounded—Corp. Alex. R. Mead, England.

Third Battalion. Wounded—Edwin Davis, England.

Shell shock—John Taylor, England.

Wounded—Ross Macnaughton, Ardrossan, P.O., Alta.; James H. Sartin, England.

Fifth Battalion. Wounded—Corp. Chas. R. Stickney, Saskatoon.

Tenth Battalion. Accidentally wounded—Wm. Earl, Lethbridge, Alta.

Fourteenth Battalion. Died—Fred Harding, England.

Sixteenth Battalion. Dangerously wounded—Sergeant George R. Neale, England.

Twenty-First Battalion. Severely wounded—Spencer Cummings, Gananogue, Ont.; Stanley Johnson, England.

Twenty-Second Battalion. Wounded—Philippe Lennox, St. Paschal, Que.; Eugene Finel, Montreal.

Twenty-Third Battalion. Seriously ill—Lieut. Ernest S. Mitchell, Truro, N.S.

Twenty-Eighth Battalion. Suffering from shock—Lenox Corp. Albert E. Dicknell, England.

Forty-Ninth Battalion. Wounded—Thomas Doherty, Edmonton.

First C.M.R. Died—Lenox Corp. Harold G. Rhoads, Edmonton.

Second C.M.R. Killed in action—John Rivet, Bellingham, Wash.

Slightly wounded (now on duty)—Capt. Army Tomp, Eugene, St. Wounded—Douglas Edgar Neil, Scotland.

Fifth Canadian Mounted Rifles. Wounded—Alexander R. Grant, Scotland.

Third Field Artillery Brigade. Wounded—Bombardier Charles T. A.

THREE GERMAN SUBS SUNK IN ADRIATIC SEA?

Paris Paper Reports That French Cruisers Destroyed U-boats.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16. — A News Agency despatch from Paris today says: "Three German submarines have been sunk in the Adriatic Sea by French cruisers, according to The Echo de Paris."

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Our New War Taxes

The new war taxes outlined by Sir Thomas White, minister of finance, in his budget speech on Tuesday have evoked widespread interest throughout the country...

New Hydro-Electric Projects

Properly to estimate the importance of the banquet to Sir Adam Beck and the Hydro-Electric Union, on Tuesday night, it is necessary to go back ten years at least in Ontario history.

The American Club Fire

Sympathy will be universal for the American Club, not only for their material damage, but for the invaluable lives lost in what can only be regarded as a murderous attack by German emissaries.

A DECORATION THAT IS ABOUT DUE



The doors of the room were forced outwards, and the bricks of the ceiling of the wall were blown off the room in which the fire began being an upper one next to the roof. Two subsequent explosions were heard, and the fire itself started with an explosion.

The sooner these things are under consideration the better. The sooner they are thought about, the sooner they will be carried out. There will be the usual opposition, and probably Sir Adam will be charged with an attempt to benefit the corporations by buying them out.

Mr. Fallis' Opportunity

Mr. Fallis has been very kindly dealt with by his party in Peel. His friends there took the view that he acted as any man in private life might have acted, and that he did so in good faith and with no intent that any man in business might not have entertained.

For Mr. McGarry's Consideration

We should like to know what Hon. T. W. McGarry, provincial treasurer, thinks of the statement made by Commissioner Forman of the city's assessment department, yesterday.

WILLS PROBATED

James Scott, a retired farmer, who died in the General Hospital Jan. 25, left an estate valued at \$4757. By his will made previous to death, the estate is to be equally divided between Thomas Scott and J. Haggerman.

NOTICE

Johnston Shannon, a Weston farmer, who died intestate Feb. 1, 1915, left \$4277. The estate will be equally shared by his daughter and three sons.

GET THREE MONTHS.

Bert Gordon will not lift any more small articles from the counters of the Woolworth store for some time. In the police court yesterday morning Magistrate Demson sentenced him to 90 days in jail.

SUBMARINE WARFARE QUESTION IS REOPENED

Lansing Says That Such is Effect of Berlin Memoranda.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Secretary Lansing said today that the German Government's announced intention of sinking armed merchantmen without warning after February 29 has reopened the entire question of submarine warfare.

LITTLE COMMISSION'S ABOLITION DEMANDED

French-Canadian Congress Also Calls for Repeal of Anti-Bilingual Regulation.

OTTAWA, Feb. 16.—A petition was presented at the French-Canadian Congress in Monument National today demanding that the Ontario Government repeal immediately the act appointing the "little commission" for the Ottawa separate schools and abolish the famous regulation 17. It will be signed by all the delegates and forwarded to Toronto.

FULL MILITARY HONORS ACCORDED LATE OFFICER

Remains of Col. Baxter Borne to Union Station and Placed on Train for Cayuga.

The remains of Lieut.-Col. E. S. Baxter, late commander of the 114th Battalion, who died in Toronto on Tuesday, Feb. 10, were borne to the Union Station yesterday morning and placed on the train for Cayuga, where the funeral ceremony will take place today.

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Measles Given as Chief Cause of Increase During January.

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THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Feb. 16.—(8 p.m.)—The rain has ceased in British Columbia, and the weather continues mild in that and the western provinces. The temperature has risen above the freezing point in Ontario and is now rising in Quebec and the maritime provinces.

THE BAROMETER. Time. Ther. Bar. Wind. 8 a.m. 27 29.62 15 S.W. Noon. 33 29.51 16 S.W. 4 p.m. 35 29.44 11 S.W. 8 p.m. 35 29.44 11 S.W.

STEAMER ARRIVALS. Feb. 16. At From. Heli's Olav... Kirkwall... New York.

ENGAGEMENTS. The engagement is announced of Miss Edna Maud Carr (Ted), youngest daughter of the late Milo A. and Mrs. Carr, Toronto, to Mr. Clarkson W. James, Jr., eldest son of Major Clarkson W. James and Mrs. James of Fairview boulevard, Toronto; the marriage to take place early in March.

DEATHS. ANDREWS—On 15th February, at the residence of his brother-in-law (J. C. McArthur), 181 Pape avenue, Alex. C. Andrews, third son of the late Matthew Andrews of Cobourg, in his 48th year.

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BRITISH AERIAL CRAFT INFERIOR TO ENEMY'S Balfour and Bonar Law Admit Deficiencies in This Respect. NEW DEFENCE PLANS Tennant Announces an Arrangement Between Military and Naval Branches.

Mr. Bonar Law's summing up of the cabinet's position on air defence, in a short speech, was as follows: "I make no pretence that the government is satisfied with this branch of the service, but I assure the house that we are trying to effect remedies for all defects."

Announcements. Notices of any character relating to future events, the purpose of which is the raising of money, are inserted in the advertising columns at fifteen cents per line.

SOCIETY

Their Royal Highnesses, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and the Princess Patricia, attended by Miss York, Lieut.-Commander Morris and Lord Richard Nevill, arrived at Government House last night and will be present at the Royal Alexandra tonight to see "The Dynasts," leaving afterwards for Ottawa.

He Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Hendrie have given their patronage to the military and fancy costume carnival at the Arena next Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Sinden, Ottawa; Miss Ada Clewson and her two nieces, the Misses Edith and Bee Bailey, are leaving next week for Bermuda, and will spend a few weeks in Nassau.

Mrs. Robert Cory received yesterday afternoon with Mrs. and Miss Cory, with whom she is staying in Deer Park crescent, having come from Collingwood for a fortnight's stay.

The engagement is announced of Miss Emily Watson, daughter of Mr. J. Gordon Watson, Brandon, Man., to Capt. Daniel Robinson, R.C.M.P., of the Service Corps, C.I.F., son of the late Christopher Robinson, R.C. Toronto.

The first Canadian ball held in Boston, Mass., will take place on March 3. Orate preparations are being made, and it is expected that the ball will be representative of the general membership of Canadian birth or descent who reside in the New England States.

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Hockey Toronto's Win Also Canadiens Single Rinks Curling Postpone Play

OTTAWA'S PENNANT HOPES ARE BLASTED Toronto's Trounced Senators in Telling Fashion in Spirited Contest.

Ottawa's pennant hopes got a rude jolt at the arena last night, when the Toronto's trounced the Senators in sound fashion. While the score was only 3 to 1, Toronto had a much bigger margin than this would indicate.

The blue shirts played effective hockey. The forwards followed their men right back, and the defence was sturdy at all times. This kept Ottawa out all night.

Ottawa had by hitting Nighbor a back-handed slap over the face with his stick and putting the Ottawa man out for the game. Handall used his stick freely and took three trips to the box.

Keats was closely watched all night, and the bulk of the work fell on Skinner and Cyril Denny. The latter was the best of the Toronto forwards, and collected all three goals. Skinner was strong at back-checking, but his shooting was poor.

WILLARD AND MORAN FIGHT END OF MARCH

CHELAGO, Feb. 16.—Postponement of the Willard-Moran bout at Madison Square Garden, New York, to March 25 was agreed upon today by all the principals involved except Moran, and he will be glad to fight any day.

WANTS EXPERT OPINION ON DAMAGE TO LAND

Arbitration of W. J. Gage's Claim is Under Consideration. Assessment Commissioner Forman yesterday recommended for expert opinion regarding the arbitration to determine the amount of damage, if any, that has been caused to 15 acres of land at the northwest corner of Davenport road and Avenue road, and owned by W. J. Gage.

PTE. FRED REEVES IS REPORTED DEAD

Earlier Message Said Hamilton Soldier Was Missing. HAMILTON, Thursday, Feb. 17.—Word was received here yesterday by relatives of Pte. Fred Reeves, 342 Victoria avenue north, that he is dead. Reeves was reported missing some months ago and his people thought he was a prisoner in Germany. He enlisted with the 12th York Rangers at Toronto and was a well-known member of the 91st Highlanders of this city.

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GRAND OPERA WINS THE FREE-FOR-ALL

BROOKVILLE, Feb. 16.—The free-for-all was the only class which filled at the second and last day of the Brookville carnival races. Grand Opera took the big end of the \$300 purse after being beaten out in the first heat by Fern Hal.

BELLEVILLE JUNIORS HAVE SIX GOAL LEAD

Belleville and St. Andrews play their return second round game in the junior O. H. A. series at the arena tonight. Belleville have a six-goal lead and will bring up the town band to cheer the boys on.

W. B. HOWARD

The opportunity for the advancement of talented men in the service of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has again been demonstrated, this time by the success of W. B. Howard, who has just been promoted from the position of district passenger agent at St. John, N. B., to act in a similar capacity in the larger and more important city of Toronto.

WOUNDED HERO WILL MARRY BOSTON GIRL

Pte. John Stinson's Engagement to Miss Etheridge is Announced. HAMILTON, Thursday, Feb. 17.—Word was received from Boston, Mass., yesterday that Pte. John Stinson, a well-known Hamiltonian who went overseas with the first contingent and was wounded at Langemark, is to marry Miss Florence Etheridge, a well-known society girl of that city.

ATHENAUM B LEAGUE

Table with columns for teams (Athens, etc.) and scores.

SAUNDERS' FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Table with columns for teams (H. & R., etc.) and scores.

BIG FOUR LEAGUE

Table with columns for teams (Athens, etc.) and scores.

LOT ROE CAPTURES FOUR SKATING EVENTS

Only Failed in One Race—Beat Cody in Two Mile Race. The Toronto City speed skating championship events were held at Varsity rink before a large crowd last night. The events were keenly contested. Lot Roe came back to form after his injury at Saranac Lake, winning four races out of five in the senior events.

SINGLE RINKS CURLING HAD TO BE POSTPONED

Complete List of Players and Rinks Remaining After the Third Round. Owing to the mild weather it was necessary to postpone the fourth round of the city single rink curling competition for the Canada Life Trophy until the call of the secretary. They are still talking of Tom Rennie's wonderful running shot that kept him in the race and put away the skilful Gading combination.

QUEEN CITY AT GALT

GALT, Feb. 16.—Four rinks of curlers from the Queen City Club, Toronto, paid their annual visit to Galt today and broke even on the day's play. This morning the visitors defeated the Galt by 14 shots. The afternoon game with the Granites was remarkable in its close nature, the locals winning out by one shot and the result was in doubt until the last stone was played. The scores:

QUEEN CITY AT GALT

Table with columns for teams (Queen City, Galt, etc.) and scores.

HOME RINKS OUT OF OWEN SOUND BONSPIEL

OWEN SOUND, Feb. 16.—It was nearly two o'clock this morning when the curlers left the ice, with the first round in the trophy contest finished, and a start made on the consolation. The ice today has continued ideal in spite of the higher temperature. The feature of the bonspiel has been the elimination of the local teams with the exception of the local team in the second round, Palmerston, Seaford, Meaford and Chatsworth reached the semi-finals.

OSLER RECREATION CENTRE

The point competition at the centre is proving itself very popular with the boys, each member trying to get on the list in his respective class. The Junior Basketball House League continued last night, with three very interesting games. This league is one of the best yet, each of the six teams being well supplied with players, and no trouble presenting a strong line-up each time out. Results:

TORONTO REVOLVER CLUB

Table with columns for teams (Athens, etc.) and scores.

WOUNDED HERO WILL MARRY BOSTON GIRL

Pte. John Stinson's Engagement to Miss Etheridge is Announced. HAMILTON, Thursday, Feb. 17.—Word was received from Boston, Mass., yesterday that Pte. John Stinson, a well-known Hamiltonian who went overseas with the first contingent and was wounded at Langemark, is to marry Miss Florence Etheridge, a well-known society girl of that city.

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The wonderful all-round playing ability shown by both these leaders of the handball tournament is a revelation. While Phelan has had but 2 games out of 10, Jackson's percentage is as good as that of the best players in the class of the handball league, and with the exception of Bond, who is also doing wonderfully well, they appear to outclass their rivals.

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Sporting Notices Notices of any character relating to future events, where an admission fee is charged, are inserted in the advertising columns at fifteen cents a line usually (minimum 10 lines).

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NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 16.—The first race of the season was held at the Fair Helen track, New Orleans, today. The race was won by Fair Helen, owned by J. H. O'Rourke, and trained by J. H. O'Rourke.

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NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 16.—The results of today's races are as follows:
FIRST RACE—The Spireway Purse, 2-year-olds, 4 furlongs:
 1. Bedlam Stories, 118 (Koerner), 1 to 2 1/2 to 1 and even.
 2. Flight's Fancy, 116 (Hanover), 10 to 1.
 3. Schwab, 119 (Burtwell), 8 to 1.
 4. 2 to 1 and even.
SECOND RACE—Selling, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:
 1. Lady Powers, 102 (J. McTaggart), 4 to 1.
 2. Phil Unger, 106 (Gentry), 3 to 1.
 3. 2 to 1 and even.
THIRD RACE—Selling, 2-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:
 1. Sereana, 97 (Collins), 3 to 1.
 2. 2 to 1 and even.
FOURTH RACE—Selling, 2-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:
 1. C. Welch, Zin Del, Mefficka, J. H. Harrell, Southern Star, also ran.
FIFTH RACE—The Castleton Purse, 3-year-olds and up, one mile:
 1. Dorothy Dean, 101 (Van Dusen), 13 to 1.
 2. Phil Unger, 106 (Gentry), 3 to 1.
 3. 2 to 1 and even.
SIXTH RACE—General Pickett, Barica, Laohis.
 1. Greenwood, 94 (Collins), 3 to 1.
 2. 2 to 1 and even.
SEVENTH RACE—Selling, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:
 1. Fale Helen, 99 (McAttee), 7 to 1.
 2. 2 to 1 and even.
EIGHTH RACE—One mile and one-sixteenth:
 1. Surpassing, 112 (Keeble), 8 to 1.
 2. Kneeler, 107 (Koerner), 7 to 5.
 3. G. M. Miller, 110 (Adams), 4 to 1.
NINTH RACE—Selling, 2-year-olds and up, one mile:
 1. Gualo, 107 (Hanover), 7 to 5.
 2. Dewardrop, 108 (Koerner), 5 to 1.
TENTH RACE—Selling, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:
 1. Surpassing, 112 (Keeble), 8 to 1.
 2. Kneeler, 107 (Koerner), 7 to 5.
ELEVENTH RACE—Selling, 2-year-olds and up, one mile:
 1. Gualo, 107 (Hanover), 7 to 5.
TWELFTH RACE—Selling, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:
 1. Surpassing, 112 (Keeble), 8 to 1.
 2. Kneeler, 107 (Koerner), 7 to 5.

The World's Selections

BY CENTAUR

NEW ORLEANS.
FIRST RACE—Bon Ois, Wistful, Lobelia.
SECOND RACE—Tribolo, Blue Cap, Puff Handle.
THIRD RACE—Mara Cassidy, Linda Payne, Scaramouch.
FOURTH RACE—Bertodano, Aristocrat, Ask Ma.
FIFTH RACE—Miss Waters, River King, Letabom.
SIXTH RACE—Jawbone, Ataboy, Helen M.

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JUAREZ.
FIRST RACE—Om Harry, Satisfied, Luckilla.
SECOND RACE—Noble Grand, Wild In, Miss Brush.
THIRD RACE—Joe Blair, Harry L. Jake Argent.
FOURTH RACE—Bonanza, Money Maker, Dundreary.
FIFTH RACE—El Mahdi, Billy Cuthbertson, Joe.
SIXTH RACE—General Pickett, Barica, Laohis.

HARD BALL CAPTURES FEATURE AT JUAREZ

JUAREZ, Feb. 16.—The races here today resulted as follows:
FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
 1. Woodie Montgomery, 98 (Morse), 5 to 1.
 2. Rubifax, 91 (Riche), 20 to 1.
 3. Eugene Sue, 105 (Ormes), 4 to 1.
SECOND RACE—One mile:
 1. Cantem, 106 (Willaba), 4 to 1.
 2. Smiling Mag, 98 (Hunt), 4 to 1.
THIRD RACE—Five furlongs:
 1. The Belle Brocade, Fort Sumner, Senator, Dana Testo, Endurance, Calvado Queen and Flying also ran.
FOURTH RACE—Five furlongs:
 1. Caroviolet, 115 (Pickens), 2 to 1.
FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs:
 1. Old Bob, 111 (Collins), 2 to 1.
SIXTH RACE—One mile:
 1. Tempy Duncan, 98 (Gentry), 20 to 1.
SEVENTH RACE—Selling, 2-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:
 1. Gano, 112 (Groth), 7 to 5.
EIGHTH RACE—Selling, 2-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:
 1. Dave Montgomery, 102 (Mason), 15 to 1.
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Today's Entries

HAVANA, Feb. 16.—The entries for tomorrow are as follows:
FIRST RACE—Selling, purse \$400, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:
 1. Havana, 110 (Nitty), 112.
 2. Argument, 106 (Beaumont), 103.
 3. Regular, 102 (Stell), 103.
SECOND RACE—Selling, purse \$400, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:
 1. Havana, 110 (Nitty), 112.
THIRD RACE—Selling, purse \$400, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:
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CANADA should NOT be Branded as INTEMPERATE

One would imagine from the sensational utterances of many prohibition exhorters, that Canadians are a very drunken people, or, as someone has expressed it, "Alcohol is simply rampant!"—whatever that may mean. This exaggeration is indulged in, of course, to intensify the necessity for the great panacea for all human ills, namely, Prohibition.

Canadians are Temperate

were attributed to alcoholism. Again: In the same year the deaths from alcoholism, acute and chronic, actually numbered less than one-third of one per cent. of the total. Again: The consumption of spirituous and fermented beverages in Canada is far less than that in most other lands. For example, in the fiscal year 1913-14, 1,061 gallons of spirits per head were consumed in Canada. This figure being lower than the consumption in the United Kingdom, France, Germany, Russia, Belgium, Sweden and the United States—considerably lower than in many of these countries; in the same period Canada consumed per capita 1.24 gallons of wine—far less than was consumed in each of the countries named; and 7.2 gallons of beer—less than was consumed in each of the countries named above with the exception of Russia, which is not a beer-drinking country.

Now, as a matter of fact, Canadians are a very temperate people; and the proof of this assertion may be established in many ways.

For example: In 1914, of all the cases admitted to the Ontario Hospitals for Insane, only 5.63% were attributed to alcoholism. Again: In the same year the deaths from alcoholism, acute and chronic, actually numbered less than one-third of one per cent. of the total. Again: The consumption of spirituous and fermented beverages in Canada is far less than that in most other lands.

Drink is Not the Curse of Ontario

Surely there are in Ontario to-day many evils which will suggest themselves to all thinking persons, that are doing infinitely more than is drunkenness to undermine the vigor, moral and physical, of our people? Again, would all the money now spent in drink be saved by Prohibition? Most decidedly not; otherwise Prohibition countries and districts now would be better off than others. And, at any rate, it is not lost. The Government gets a large share of it in revenue, the Farmer is paid for his product, the worker for his toil, and so on through the whole list. Still one more: What about the hundred and one other things without which existence might presumably be possible: coffee, tea, so-called soft drinks, etc., upon which far more is spent than upon alcoholic beverages?

Unjust and Insulting

their ground somewhat—shall we say from a higher to a lower plane? They are apparently concerned more now with the financial than the moral side of the question. The supposed loss occasioned by drink in Ontario seems to concern them most at present. This is a decided falling from grace, for these gentlemen have hitherto always waived aside the base material view of the question and stood upon alleged high moral grounds, especially when they were asked how they proposed to make up a loss of revenue.

It is not only somewhat of an insult, therefore, to the people of Canada, but also absolutely untrue, to say that drunkenness, with all its lowering of the tone of morality, is rampant.

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Stand by the License System

Would it not then be a good thing just now to observe the old maxim "Leave well enough alone" in this matter as in many another; to see to it that the present license laws are observed, and to endeavor, each one as far as in him lies, to promote the growth of real temperance, not that exotic monstrosity which our misguided friends are so carefully trying to nurture?

THE PERSONAL LIBERTY LEAGUE OF ONTARIO believes in Temperance in all things, and in its promotion, we favor the license system under proper regulation and control, but we are opposed to prohibition or any legislation which encroaches upon or curtails the purely personal liberties of our people. Application for membership cards should be sent to **The Personal Liberty League of Ontario, Head Office, 15 Wilton Avenue, Toronto.** No fees are required for membership in the League. Fill out the application for membership and forward to the Secretary of the Personal Liberty League.

Application Blank for Membership to
The Personal Liberty League of Ontario
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The undersigned subscribes to the Declaration of Principles of the Personal Liberty League of Ontario, assures the officers of the League that he is in sympathy with the general purposes of the organization, and hereby applies for membership, pledging himself to the furtherance of the aims and objects of the League.

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THE PERSONAL LIBERTY LEAGUE OF ONTARIO.

RESULTS AT HAVANA.
 HAVANA, Feb. 16.—The races today resulted as follows:
FIRST RACE—Five and one-half furlongs:
 1. Borax, 107 (Smith), 7 to 5.
SECOND RACE—Five furlongs:
 1. Borax, 107 (Smith), 7 to 5.
THIRD RACE—Five furlongs:
 1. Borax, 107 (Smith), 7 to 5.
FOURTH RACE—Five furlongs:
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CIVIC AND COMMERCIAL LEAGUE.

Wm. Davies B.	1	2	3	T.1.
Charles	122	133	163	298
Atherton	151	163	108	499
Acton	169	126	127	421
Mitchell	152	154	132	425
Beilby	181	240	109	530
Total	785	815	614	2514
Wm. Davies A.	1	2	3	T.1.
Dimond	129	150	105	404
Burgess	169	150	172	491
Burdage	133	93	160	386
Subject	139	200	163	502
McAuslan	139	152	187	478
Total	770	715	791	3216
Rogers Coal Co.	1	2	3	T.1.
Stuart	108	150	168	424
Shiels	185	138	162	485
Stone	178	101	132	409
Barber	118	117	185	420
Mayor	152	172	187	461
Total	745	678	769	2193
Petrie Machinery	1	2	3	T.1.
H. Petrie	105	124	159	388
Frederick	129	150	145	424
Draper	128	210	139	477
Frank Ginn	119	152	149	421
Paterson	154	150	167	471
Total	627	786	769	2172
Assessment Dept.	1	2	3	T.1.
Johnston	168	156	146	470
Newton	138	147	161	446
Morrison	169	117	96	372
Abel	153	128	97	378
Wheeler	119	186	173	478
Total	738	714	678	2130
Worke Dept.	1	2	3	T.1.
Carroll	164	103	162	429
Mitcheil	87	123	177	407
Geistad	146	137	185	468
Wolfmum	188	89	102	377
Overend	138	132	77	347
Total	921	630	706	2063
CANADIAN KODAK LEAGUE.				
Packers	1	2	3	T.1.
Totals	690	676	683	2049
Kodak Heights	1	2	3	T.1.
Totals	636	667	692	2005

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Further Depreciation of Values Reported at New York, Declines Being Orderly.

SLUMPS IN CANADIANS SHIPPING RULES HELP

War Tax Proposed in Dominion Budget Lowers Values of Many Shares.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Increased pressure was brought to bear on the stock market today, with further depreciation of values.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Wheat prices edged to a considerable extent today, influenced largely by talk of urgent need for supplies in Great Britain.

Canadian Gold District Has Big Advantage Over the Arizona Fields.

FORMATIONS BETTER Values at Porcupine Go to Great Depth—Those at Oatman Superficial.

NEW FINANCE BUDGET HELPS STOCKS HARD

C. P. R. Declines Seven Points and Many Other Canadian Stocks Are Lower.

STANDARD BANK REPORT MAKES A GOOD SHOWING

THE annual report and statement of the Standard Bank of Canada, as at Jan. 31, 1916, which was submitted to the shareholders at the annual meeting, to be held on Wednesday, the 23rd inst., will show the following figures:

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Canada's Leader and Greatest Store, 109 Queen Street West, Adelaide 252.

House Moving
MOVING and Relating Done, J. J. Jarvis street.

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envelopes, statements, billheads, hundred, one dollar, Barnard, 35 Adelaide.

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House Moving
MOVING and Relating Done, J. J. Jarvis street.

Printing
envelopes, statements, billheads, hundred, one dollar, Barnard, 35 Adelaide.

Coal and Wood
Murray-Mine anthracite, 109 Queen Street West, Adelaide 252.

Steam Baths
RHEUMATISM, Nervousness, 214 Victoria.

Kooms and Board
PORTABLE Private Hotel, 109 Jarvis street, central, 214 Victoria.

NOVA SCOTIA STEEL & COAL COMPANY, LIMITED

The Report of the Board of Directors, Statement of Assets and Liabilities and Abstract of Profit and Loss Account for Year Ending December 31st, 1915.

The Directors herewith submit the fifteenth annual report and statement of assets and liabilities, with abstract of profit and loss for the year ended Dec. 31, 1915.

The net profits for the year, after providing for depreciation, and after deducting doubtful accounts, etc., were \$2,094,169.85.

The balance carried forward to credit of profit and loss account Jan. 1, 1915, was \$7,466.41.

And has been dealt with as shown in the statement following:

ASSETS.
Property and Mines \$15,533,723.64

LIABILITIES.
Capital Stock—Ordinary \$7,500,000.00

ABSTRACT OF PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.
1914. Dec. 31st. By Balance \$ 57,455.41

1915. Dec. 31st. By Balance \$ 1,510,000.18

MINE STOCKS SUFFER FROM LIQUIDATION

New War Tax Causes Heavy Selling of Leading Issues.

A big stir was caused in the mining market at the Standard Stock Exchange yesterday by reason of the new war tax on excessive profits.

The selling movement began in New York and was quickly taken up locally, with Big Dome and Hollinger the chief stocks in which unloading took place.

Apex opened at 7 and sold down to 6. Dome Extension came in for a lot of attention, and liquidation aided by considerable short selling carried the stock down from 29 to 24 1/2.

Big Dome suffered heavily, opening at \$28 and selling down to \$25, but recovering to \$26 at the close.

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HERON & CO.

Specialists Unlisted Issues

MURRAY-KAY, Preferred; Toronto Carpet, Cobham or Preferred; Athletes Corporation Bonds; Common or Preferred; Abnott, Fildes, Campbell, Fildes, Preferred.

4 COLBORNE ST., TORONTO

Dividend Notices

KERR LAKE MINING COMPANY

J. T. EASTWOOD

ROBERT E. KEMERER

Fox, Chambers, Glancy, Limited

J. P. Bickell & Co.

STOCKS MINING NEW YORK

Wheat Cotton

J. P. Bickell & Co.

7% INVESTMENT 7%

G. O. MERSON & CO.

Conviction Against H. R. Pollock Sustained at Osgoode Hall.

The appellate court at Osgoode Hall yesterday upheld the conviction of Henry R. Pollock by Judge Winchester on a charge of disposing of trading stamps to mechanics for use in their business.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 16.—Wheat—Spot; No. 1 hard winter, 13s 6d.

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Soldiers' Furnishings

Officers' Flannel Shirts, fine quality; separate or attached collar, shoulder straps; sizes 14 to 17. Special, Thursday, \$3.00.
 Spiral Puttees, with khaki silk-bound edges; will not fray; good length. Thursday, \$2.25.

THE ROBERT SIMPSON COMPANY LIMITED

Soldiers' Furnishings

Khaki Shirts, fine wool and cotton mixture; winter weight, with separate or attached collar; sizes 14 to 17. Thursday, \$1.50.
 Silk-Knitted and Plain Bengaline Khaki Ties, 50c.

YOU CAN MAKE GOOD USE OF TODAY'S OPPORTUNITIES HERE



Men's Overcoats \$15.00

Regularly \$18.50, \$20.00 and \$22.00

Very high grade, broken lines from regular stock. The very best tailoring, the choicest linings and style, short box back styles, close fitting, short length, soft roll lapels, double and single-breasted models; imported materials, in good shades and patterns; grays, browns and blue grays; sizes 36 to 44. Regular \$18.50, \$20.00 and \$22.00. Thursday, \$15.00.

Fur Collar Coats \$12.95

Made from a heavy English black beaver cloth, plush and curl lined; cut double-breasted ulster style, with shawl collar of Russian marmot fur; interlining of rubber; sizes 36 to 44. Thursday, \$12.95.

Men's \$3.50 and \$4 Worsted Trousers at \$2.49

Made from good English worsted cloth, gray stripe patterns; sizes 32 to 44. Thursday, \$2.49.

Boys' Norfolk Suits \$4.85

135 Suits, purchased last fall for our regular spring stock; the models are the smartest New York styles; the cloths were imported from the old country and the suits most carefully tailored; the patterns are stripes and checks, in grays, browns and fancy weaves; very newest spring styles; sizes 25 to 34. Thursday, \$4.85.

Two Glove Offerings

No. 1—Men's Fine Winter Dress Gloves, tan and gray suede leather, one dome clasp, wind shield at wrist, and wool lined, perfect finish; sizes 7 to 10. Regular stock, \$1.00 and \$1.25. Thursday, 79c.

Today's 25c Dinner in the Lunch Room

SERVED FROM 11.30 TO 2.00 P.M.

No. 2—Women's Long Woolen Mittens and Gloves, excellent for skating and tobogganing, heavy pure wool ribbed finish, come well over the coat sleeve, in red only. Regularly 50c pair. Thursday, half-price, 25c.

Roast Fillet of Veal, Savory Dressing, Brown Gravy; Potatoes, boiled or mashed; Baked Tomatoes; Royal Sage Pudding, Fruit Sauce, or Apple Pie, or Ice Cream; Bread, brown or white, with Butter; Tea, Coffee or Milk.

Canada - Made Furniture

together with wonderful collections of drapery fabrics and floor coverings gives complete scope for your individual taste in furnishing your home. With the aid of the

Home Lovers' Club

you can carry out your ideas in their entirety and make the payments during the year conveniently. Not one cent of extra charge for the accommodation. See the Club Secretary, Fourth Floor.

Dining-room Chairs, fumed or golden oak, panel backs and upholstered seats, in leather; five side and one arm chair. Regular \$18.50. February Sale price 11.65

Dining-room Chairs, quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish, colonial design, pad seats in leather; five side and one arm chair. Regular \$22.50. February Sale price 14.95

Extension Dining Table, quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish, 45-inch top. Regular \$18.75. February Sale price 11.25

Extension Dining Table, quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish, 48-inch top. Regular \$27.25. February Sale price 17.25

Extension Dining Table, "Jacobean" design, quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish, 48-inch top. Regular \$34.00. February Sale price 28.00

Buffet, quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish. Regular \$28.50. February Sale price 18.95

Buffet, "Jacobean" design, in solid oak. Regular \$26.75. February Sale price 17.75

Extension Table, "Jacobean" design, has 45-inch top. Regular \$18.50. February Sale price 12.25

Dining-room Chairs, "Jacobean" design, in solid oak, seats in genuine leather; five side and one arm. Regular \$22.50. February Sale price 16.75

China Cabinet, "Jacobean" design, oak. Regular \$16.75. February Sale price 11.50

Brass Bed, heavy posts and top rails. Regular \$32.50. February Sale price 18.95

Brass Bed, massive. Regular \$35.00. February Sale price 23.50

Mattress, cotton felt, built in layers. Regular \$8.50. February Sale price 5.50

Mattress, all cotton felt, built in layers. Regular \$10.00. February Sale price 7.45

Box Spring, the best oil-tempered springs, heavy layer of cotton felt. Regular \$16.00. February Sale price 10.95

Kitchen Cupboard, hardwood, golden finish. Regular \$14.75. February Sale price 11.25

Kitchen Cabinet, kiln-dried hardwood, natural or walnut finish. Regular \$22.50. February Sale price 18.00

Kitchen Cabinet, in oak, natural finish. Regular \$32.00. February Sale price 25.00

February Sale Floor Coverings

IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC FINEST LINOLEUMS 60c.

Well seasoned and perfect linoleum, in matting, floral and the effects. Regular 60c square yard, two yards wide only, Thursday, square yard, 60c.

COCOA MAT SPECIAL.

Ordered and should have been delivered last September, but have only just arrived; clearing Thursday; heavy quality, plain brown fibre centre and green border. 14 x 24 inches, 23c; 16 x 27 inches, 28c; 18 x 30 inches, 40c.

NEW STOCK OF CHINA MATTING.

Fifty only, reversible Smyrna rugs in stripes and checks. Thursday, yard, 12 1/2c.

Stencilled Matting, floral and Oriental designs on one side, plain on the other, lots of patterns. Thursday, yard, 20c.

REVERSIBLE SMYRNA RUGS \$2.25.

Fifty only, reversible Smyrna rugs in tan and green Oriental designs; size 30 x 56 inches. Thursday \$2.25.

"No Charge" Curtain and Slip Cover Service

Chintzes and Linens selected from an extensive assortment from English and French mills now being displayed in a special section will be made up into slip covers and window draperies without charge for labor. There are colors for almost every living-room or dining-room. The fabrics are of the very best, 30 and 56 inches wide at 65c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$2.75 per yard. Any of these fabrics made up into curtains or slip covers without charge for our labor.

PORTERES, PAIR \$4.95.

Made to any size, 30 inches wide and up to 7 ft. long, with hem edges headed with hooks ready to hang; under Oats, large package \$24. Green, gold, brown or red. This fabric is of the art serge order with a rough surface on the one side similar to plushette, which regularly sold at 90c per yard. Thursday, made complete for \$4.95 per pair.

FRENCH STRIPES, 60c. Ivory or ecru with cross-hatched hemstitched pattern. 70c and 80c, Thursday 60c yard.

UPHOLSTERING TAPESTRIES, \$1.39.

Many from Roubaix and Tourcoing, both in the war zone, and therefore cannot be duplicated. Thursday, \$1.39 yard.

The New Market

- Telephone Adelaide 6100.
- MEATS.
- Roiled Breakfast Beef, boneless, for pot roast, per lb. . . . 14
 - Shoulder Cuts, tender lean roasts, per lb. . . . 14 and 1
 - Blade Roast Prime, per lb. . . . 1
 - Round Steak, Simpson quality, per lb. . . . 2
 - Loin of Young Lamb, per lb. . . . 2
 - Sweet Brier Breakfast Bacon, whole or half, per lb. . . . 2
 - Sweet Brier Back Bacon, whole or half, per lb. . . . 2
 - Sweet Brier Pure Lard, 8-lb. pails, gross weight, per pail . . . 51
- GROCERIES.
- One car Standard Granulated Sugar, in 20-lb. cotton bags, per bag . . . 1.33
 - 2000 lbs. Finest Creamery Butter, per lb. . . . 23
 - 4000 tins of Finest Canned Corn, three tins . . . 23
 - Edwardsburg or Beehive Table Syrup, 5-lb. pail . . . 14
 - Finest Featherstrip Coconut, per lb. . . . 18
 - Choice Red Salmon, 2 tins . . . 25
 - Salt in bags, 3 bags . . . 34
 - Pure Clover Honey, 2-lb. pails . . . 37
 - Oxo Cubes, 3 tins . . . 25
- Pure Cocoa, in bulk, per lb. . . . 23
 - Finest Canned Pumpkin, 3 tins . . . 24
 - under Oats, large package . . . 24
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 - resh Rolled Wheat, per stone . . . 55
 - 30 lbs. Fresh Fig Bar Biscuits, 2 lbs. for . . . 25
 - imported Midland Vinegar, imperial quart bottle . . . 27
 - Finest Evaporated Peaches, 3 lbs. . . . 25
 - Best Pot Barley, 6 lbs. . . . 25
 - pton's Marmalade, 5-lb. pail . . . 59
 - ancy Japan Rice, 3 lbs. . . . 25
 - Finest Canned Haddock, per tin . . . 11
 - Finest Evaporated Apricots, per lb. . . . 15
 - 1000 lbs. Fine Rich Full-bodied Assam Tea, of uniform quality and Thursday, per lb. . . . 27
- FRUIT.
- Choice "Sunblast" Oranges, good size, sweet and seedless. Special, dozen . . . 49
 - Choice Lemons. Special, dozen . . . 25
 - Florida Grape Fruit, 4 for . . . 25



China Department

Florentine Statuettes at 39c—Excellent bronze finish, four subjects, 5x5 and 8 inches high. Thursday39

SUGARS AND CREAMS IN BRIDAL ROSES. Sugars, regular 60c, for .39 pair. Creams, regular 55c, for .39 pair. Thursday only.

VALUES UP TO 75c IN JARDINIERS, 49c. A splendid assortment of pretty Floral and Plain Majolica Jardiniers, various styles and sizes to choose from. Thursday . . .49

PALE BLUE BORDER "CELESTE" DINNERWARE AT LOW PRICES.

- Bread and Butter Plates, Each . . . 6
- Tea Plates, Each . . . 7
- Breakfast Plates, Each . . . 10
- Dinner Plates, Each . . . 12
- Fruit Saucers, Each . . . 8
- Meat Platters, 10-inch, Each . . . 19
- Meat Platters, 12-inch, Each . . . 25
- Meat Platters, 14-inch, Each . . . 35
- Meat Platters, 16-inch, Each . . . 49
- Meat Platters, 18-inch, Each . . . 59
- Vegetable Dishes, Each . . . 59
- Gravy Boats, Each . . . 19
- Bakers, Each . . . 19
- Teapots, Each . . . 49
- Sugar Bowls, Each . . . 15
- Cream Jugs, Each . . . 15
- Slop Bowls, Each . . . 15
- Salad Bowls, Each . . . 12, 15 and 19
- Cups and Saucers, Each . . . 12

VALUES UP TO \$2.75 IN ROYAL NIPPON FRUIT SETS, \$1.95. A Seven-Piece Fruit Set in various pretty floral decorations; six napkins and one bowl. Thursday1.95

VALUES UP TO \$2.50 IN ROYAL NIPPON CAKE SETS, \$1.95. New decorations to choose from, in this seven-piece set of six small plates and one large, for Thursday1.95

High-Grade Enamel-ware Priced Low

- \$1.25 Blue Enamel Tea Kettles, Thursday, 95c. 144 only High-Grade Seamless Enamel Tea Kettles, 5-quart size; light blue outside; pure white lining. A good \$1.25 kettle. Thursday, 95c.
- 45c Lipped Saucepans, 2-quart size, blue and white enamel. Thursday, 30c.
- Covered Enamel Saucepans, light blue and white enamel; very superior grade:
 - 1-quart. Regular 40c. Thursday, 25c.
 - 1 1/2-quart. Regular 45c. Thursday 30c.
 - 2-quart. Regular 50c. Thursday 35c.
 - 3-quart. Regular 55c. Thursday 40c.
 - 4-quart. Regular 60c. Thursday 45c.
- Double Boilers, blue and white enamel, 1 1/2-quart, regular 75c, Thursday, 49c; 2-quart, regular 90c. Thursday, 59c.
- "EVER READY" SAFETY RAZOR SET, \$1.50. Specially put up for soldiers, but just as convenient for anybody else.
- "Ever Ready" Razor, with 12 blades, a rubber-set shaving brush, and shaving stick, in metal case. Bought separately, \$2.00; 250 sets, Thursday, at \$1.50.
- 232 SERVING TRAYS, THURSDAY, AT 80c.
- Mahogany - finished frame; brass handles; cretonne centres, in many designs; glass tops; bottoms covered with green felt; 232 to sell Thursday, at, each, 80c.

Reliable Footwear for Men

"HERCULESE" BOOTS FOR MEN, THURSDAY, \$4.95.

Winter calf, black and tan lace style, easy fitting last, tan horse-hide lining, double viscolized sole; sizes 5 to 11 4.95

MEN'S "WEST END" KID LACE BOOTS, THURSDAY, \$4.50.

With kangaroo toe-cap and dull top, straight last, with light or heavy Goodyear welted soles and flat heel; widths C, D, E and EE. Per pair 4.50

BOND STREET BLACK KING CALF LACE BOOTS, SELLING THURSDAY, \$4.95.

English toe, made of highest grade light calf, with dull top; Goodyear light weight sole and broad, flat heel; widths C, D, E; sizes 5 to 11. Per pair 4.95

Today's Values in the Hosiery Sale

MEN'S PLAIN CASHMERE SOX, 29c.

"Seconds," "Pen-Angle" brand, black only; sizes 9 1/2 to 10 1/2. Regular 50c. Thursday29

MEN'S PLAIN COTTON HOSE, 10c.

Tan, wine and black; sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2. Regular 15c. Thursday10

WOMEN'S "PEN-ANGLE" BRAND CASHMERE HOSE, 35c.

"Seconds" of the best qualities, various weights. Regular 50c. Thursday, February Hosiery Sale, 3 pairs \$1.00; pair35
Women's English Cashmere Hose29

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE, 39c.

Three-quarter silk leg; black and white. Regular 50c. Thursday, 3 pairs 1.10; pair39

WOMEN'S OUTSIZE SILK HOSE, 35c.

American make; black and white; 17-inch silk leg; lisle thread top; 45c quality. Thursday, 3 pairs 1.00; pair35

WOMEN'S LISLE THREAD HOSE, 15c.

Mill "seconds," black only, sizes 9 to 10. Usual 25c and 35c quality. Thursday15

WOMEN'S BLACK ARTIFICIAL SILK HOSE, 25c.

Made in America; 15-inch silk leg; "seconds." Regular 35c. Thursday25

Tailored Spring Suits for Women \$10 to \$45

An extensive variety, comprising the very latest developments and smartest hints of the season; materials are of the best procurable, the styles varied.

TWO EXCEPTIONAL VALUES AT \$15.00 AND \$25.00.

WINTER TOP COATS FOR WOMEN, WERE \$15.00, FOR \$5.95.

From our regular stock; fancy tweeds, plain weaves or curls; all perfectly tailored; excellent shades and the most approved styles of the season. Thursday, \$5.95.

WOMEN'S SERGE DRESSES, \$10.00.

Fine quality French serge, with silk sleeves and collars to match; corded silk vestee and buttons; wide flare skirt; colors black, navy, green and brown; sizes 32 to 42, for \$10.00.

SKATING OR SPORT SKIRTS.

A wide range of nobby styles, featuring leather trimmings and belted; materials include tweeds, whipcords, checks, worsteds, stripes and corduroys; from 24 to 28 band; 37 to 41 length. Prices ranging from \$5.00 to \$10.00.

Electric Irons and Toasters

For one day only, reliable 6-pound, nickel-plated Electric Iron; fully guaranteed; or upright Electric Toaster. Regular \$1.00 and \$1.50. Thursday, at \$2.95.

\$10.00 SEMI-INDIRECT BOWLS FOR \$6.95.

14-inch Bent Art Glass Semi-Indirect Lighting Fixture, with brass trimmings; three chain hangers. Regular \$10.00. Installed free, Thursday, for \$6.95.

Joints, lamps and inspection extra.

Dining Room Decorations

Strahan's Tapestry Papers, 28 inches wide, in blue, brown, green and pumpkin mixtures; 8-yard roll, \$3.00. Many papers in 22-inch stock, roll, 65c to \$1.50.
Foster's Hide Leatherettes, heavily grained, in buff, blue, green, red and brown. Usually \$2.50. Thursday special, 95c.

Soiree Drawing-room Papers. Regular \$1.50. Thursday, 87c.
Bedroom Florals. Regular 50c. Special, 22c.

Travelling Goods

Walrus Grain Leather Club Bags, sewed frame, erect handles, slide catches and lock, full leather lined; sizes 17-inch, \$7.50; 18-inch, \$8.00; 19-inch, \$8.50.

SUIT CASE.

Cowhide Leather Suit Case, outside straps, strong swing handle; reliable lock and bolts, linen lined, and blouse or shirt pocket; size 24-inch, \$6.50; 26-inch, \$6.95.

Framed Mirrors 50 Cents

A Shaving Mirror, bevelled plate, golden oak frame, medium size. Thursday, 50c.
Bevelled Mirror, 16 x 20 and 13 x 22 inches, in white enamel or golden oak. Regular \$2.49 and \$2.75. Thursday, 1.95.

British Plate Mirrors, 18 x 36 and 18 x 40 inches, in weathered oak, fumed golden, white enamel, Flemish, or early English. Price, Thursday, \$6.00.

Silverware

CASSEROLES, \$2.99.

Casserole Cake Dishes, Crown fire-proof ware, with cover, complete in a fancy pierced frame, or stand, silver-plated on nickel silver, stamped E.P.N.S., black ebonized wood handles. Regularly \$5.00. Sale price \$2.99.

BAKERS FOR \$2.98.

Silver-Plated Bake or Pudding Dish, in satin finish, engraved decoration. Regularly \$4.50. Sale price, \$2.98.

PIE PLATES FOR \$1.59.

Casserole Pie Plates, with Crown fireproof lining, fitted in a pierced silver-plated frame; with handles, some have black ebonized handles. Regularly \$2.50. Sale price, \$1.59.

TEA POTS, \$2.98.

Silver-Plated Tea Pots, large sizes. Your choice of three patterns. Regularly \$4.50 and \$5.00 each. Sale price, \$2.98.

26-PIECE SET IN CASE, \$3.98.

This set consists of six teaspoons, six forks, six tablespoons, six knives, butter knife and sugar shell, all pieces silver-plated; complete in fancy lined case. Sale price \$3.98.

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