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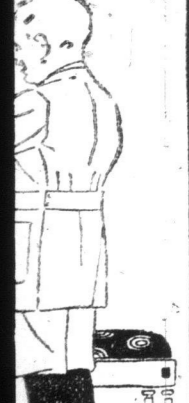
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### Ontario Women Get the Vote Moslem Soldiers Surrender in Shoals War Declaration Up to U. S. Congress

#### VOTES FOR ONTARIO WOMEN ANNOUNCED IN LEGISLATURE

**Premier Hearst Pledges Himself and His Government To Pass Legislation Extending Franchise to Women on Same Basis As Men.**

The franchise is practically in the hands of Ontario women. Premier Hearst came out yesterday with an announcement that his government would support the principle of J. W. Johnson's bill "to grant women the right to vote at elections to the legislative assembly" on the same basis as men. He called upon his supporters to vote for it, and took responsibility for it, and for the vote upon it.

The government would bring down a measure incorporating the principle of the bill, and providing the machinery to give women the vote before the next general election, he said. Mr. Rowell, leader of the opposition, supported the measure, pointing out that his party had long advocated it, and saying it was the most radical change in the basis of this province's government since confederation.

The member for West Hastings in introducing his bill asked the government to get behind it. It is possible that after supporting it in principle by voting for it at the second reading, the government may reject it in detail at the third reading, and so clear the way for a government measure.

**Will Double the Vote.**  
 Sir William began his address on women's suffrage by pointing out from census figures that such action would practically double the vote in the province. Since the war had reduced the number of men, the women might outvote them if they voted solidly together. He did not expect, however, any distinct line of cleavage.

Sir William said the great question was, would the ballot increase woman's

#### Citizenship for Women

It is many years since The World proclaimed itself in favor of woman suffrage, and the we stood alone at the time, we felt confident that the principle of justice underlying the demand for the franchise must eventually lead to success. There has been a good deal of campaigning necessary to bring about the consummation to which Sir William Hearst set the seal of his approval yesterday. Sir William by this act of progressive statesmanship, and while we have differed with him on some matters, we are free to acknowledge his timely action now, and to recognize his adoption of the principle for which we have contended so long.

No details have come to hand as to the scope of the act, but it was stated that women would vote at the next provincial election. We trust that the vote will be on the same basis for both sexes, and that there will be no discrimination against one more than the other.

A great responsibility now rests on the women of the province. They are

#### UNITED STATES BRITAIN'S TOOL SAYS HOLLWEG

Severing of Relations Inspires Bitter Taunt in the Reichstag.

#### NO "GOING BACKWARD"

Success of U-Boat Warfare is Said to Be Surpassing Hopes.

Berlin, Feb. 27.—Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg's address to the reichstag, postponed from last week, was delivered today. In speaking of relations with the United States toward the close of his address, he said: "I would fully understand it if the United States, as a protector of international law, should have bartered for its re-establishment in equal fashion with all the belligerents, and if, desiring to restore peace to the world, she had taken measures to enforce the end of the bloodshed. But I cannot possibly consider it a vital question for the American nation to protect in-

### BRITISH STILL ADVANCE LIGNY AND BARQUE TAKEN

#### Premier Borden and Party Will Pay Visit to Front Now Busily Engaged on Imperial Problems Pending Opening of Conference.

Canadian Associated Press Cable.  
 London, Feb. 27.—Premier Borden had an interview today with the colonial secretary. Subjects to be considered at the war conference were discussed. Premier Borden also visited the officers of the war cabinet and inspected a mass of documents relating to the prosecution of the war.  
 It is understood that Premier Borden, Hon. J. D. Hazen and Hon. Robt. Rogers will visit the Canadian troops in the war zone at an early date.  
 Premier Borden today discussed with Sir George Perley arrangements for obtaining information from officers, non-commissioned officers and men which will be useful when demobilization becomes necessary.  
 During the afternoon Premier Borden had an interview with Admiral Jellicoe touching matters already under consideration between the admiralty and the Canadian Government.

#### Col. Marlow's Report

By a Staff Reporter.  
 Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 27.—Recommendations designed to eliminate conditions which he considers justify criticism, are contained in the report made by Lieut.-Col. F. W. Marlow, assistant director of medical services for the Toronto district, following an inspection of the military medical services in Canada generally, and of those of the Canadian expeditionary force particularly, which was obtained for publication tonight.  
 Col. Marlow's report contains almost no criticism of the administration of the military hospitals commission, but he does find some conditions which he considers unsatisfactory in the medical services generally. The report was based upon an inspection made last autumn and attached to it is a memorandum in reply from Col. Potter, acting director-general of medical services, to Col. Marlow's report.  
 Col. Potter takes up Col. Marlow's various recommendations and points out that some of the points raised had been considered and action taken before the report was received.  
 Col. Potter states that the medical services at the outbreak of the war consisted of a small number of officers of the permanent army medical corps and a large number of officers in the active militia. The majority of these permanent officers and of active militia medical officers had proceeded overseas since the war.

#### Positions Also Established West and North of Puisseux, While Successful Raid is Carried Out East of Armentieres.

London, Feb. 27.—Additional progress has been made by the British forces north and south of the Ancre region in France and also south of Lens. In the Ancre district the Village of Ligny, southwest of Bapaume, has been occupied and north of the stream the western and northern defenses of Puisseux have been taken from the Germans, according to the British official communication issued tonight.

The communication says: "We have made further progress north and south of the Ancre. During the night we captured the village of Le Barque. Today we have occupied Ligny and established ourselves in the western and northern defenses of Puisseux."

"We raided the enemy's positions this morning southward of Lens and destroyed a number of dugouts, machine gun emplacements, and took a few prisoners. Another successful raid was carried out by our troops during the night east of Armentieres, on a front of a half mile. Three lines of hostile trenches were entered and considerable damage was done to the enemy's defenses. We captured sixteen prisoners and brought back searchlights and a machine gun.  
 "Artillery activity has continued on both sides north and south of the Somme."  
 "There was sharper resistance all along the line of the German retreat today than at any time since the movement began. There is no indication as yet of a fixed purpose by the Germans to make a definite stand, but they are doing everything possible to hold up and interfere with the British advance. The rear outposts were immensely strengthened, and this led to stiff fighting with the British forward patrols.  
 "The Germans prepared carefully for their retirement, apart from choosing the moment when spring was just beginning, bringing with it new depths of clinging mud. Belt after belt of barbed wire marks the German retreat. Always great belief was in the Germans' method of defence, the Germans appear to have dug out all previous efforts in the way of wire barriers in the Somme and Ancre areas.  
 "The British, however, pushed forward today all along the 11 mile line stretching from south of Gommecourt to west of Le Trunau. They pushed further into Puisseux-au-Mont, south-east of Gommecourt, in which more five were visible last night. Searchlights were also playing anxious about.  
 "The present objective of the British is generally which overlooks the high ground running between Achiet-le-Petit to Bapaume, where the Germans may attempt to hold for a time. Puisseux has not been so completely knocked about as most of the other battle villages. Its standing walls of firing cover for the retreating troops. Every bit of ground taken reveals further evidence of the thoroughness of the destructive methods adopted by the Germans just prior to retreating. Their carefully built and long occupied dugouts have been converted into a mass of wreckage by explosives and fire."

### OVERT ACT RECOGNIZED IN ATTACK ON LACONIA

#### Washington Officials Admit Clear Cut Violation of American Rights and Consider Inquiry Unnecessary—Answer Must Come From Congress.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The sinking of the Cunarder Laconia by a German submarine was stated officially today to constitute a clear-cut violation of American rights. "Conclusive official information at the state department shows that two American women lost their lives, that if four other Americans among the passengers and the 14 among the crew were saved it was only by good fortune, and that the vessel was sunk without warning in direct defiance of all the principles for which the United States has stood."

Consul Frost's reports from the survivors landed at Quezestown and Hanbury show that the vessel was struck by a first torpedo without warning at 10.30 Sunday night 150 miles off Fastnet, when the steamer was traveling at 17 to 18 knots on her voyage from New York to Liverpool. The engine was stopped, as the ship listed starboard, wireless calls were sent broadcast, and six large rockets were sent up. Thirteen boats with passengers and crew got away, and scattered over two or three miles to prevent collisions in a high sea rolling in 15-foot swells.

**Considered Overt Act.**  
 About 20 minutes after the first torpedo, the reports add, and while some of the boats were still nearby, a second torpedo was driven into the vessel, which sank three quarters of an hour after the original attack. The small boats with survivors pitched about during the long hours of the night until rescue came up. During this time the two American women, Mrs. Mary E. Hoy and Miss Elizabeth Hoy, of Chicago, died of exposure and were buried at sea. There were several other deaths, but not of Americans.

No further facts are needed by this government, it was stated officially, and no inquiry of any sort is necessary to establish the facts of the case. Officials are entirely clear in their belief that Germany has committed the act which President Wilson has said it was impossible for him to believe she would commit.  
 Both White House and state department officials seem to feel that the answer must come from congress. The president, they point out, asked for authority to take steps to prevent just such an act at the very moment when the first news was coming over the cables.

**Situation in Congress.**  
 In congress little progress was made during the day toward enacting the legislation for which the president asked in his address yesterday. The senate foreign relations committee by a divided vote reported out a bill similar to the one introduced in the house, to authorize the president to arm merchantships and employ such other instrumentalities as he may deem necessary.  
 The formality of referring the measure back to the committee was blocked by Senator La Follette, and as the senate is working under an agreement to consider nothing except by unanimous consent until the revenue bill has been voted on tomorrow night, further action is delayed until Thursday.

**Little Real Opposition.**  
 On the house side, the foreign affairs committee talked thru two sessions over the measure, those opposing action objecting chiefly to the words



First photograph of the departure from Toronto of the 188th (Buffs) Battalion, taken at the Union Station. A motion picture operator was just starting to take some "action" pictures when everybody looked his way.

### BRITISH ROUT FLEEING TURKS TAKE THOUSANDS PRISONER

#### Operations in Mesopotamia Move Up Tigris River—Capture of Kut-el-Amara Removes Slur on British Arms.

London, Feb. 27.—Turkish troops taken prisoner by the British at Kut-el-Amara now number several thousand, stated in the house of lords today.  
 The retreating Turkish army was being pursued, and an artillery and infantry action was taking place 15 miles northwest of Kut, he added. Besides the additional prisoners, the British had taken further quantities of equipment, munitions and stores.  
 It was obvious from the telegram from General Maude, continued Earl Curzon, that the scene of the operations had been transferred further up the river, and that the initial success was being followed up. The prisoners accumulated have been taken at different stages of the operations.

The following telegram received from General Maude at Kut was read by Earl Curzon:  
 "On the morning of the 25th our gunboats, cavalry and infantry moved westwards in pursuit of the retreating enemy. Strong Turkish rear-guards, supported by artillery, were found to be occupying trench positions 15 miles northwest of Kut, evidently covering the withdrawal with their guns.  
 "After an intense bombardment our infantry assaulted the enemy's position and obtained a footing therein, while our cavalry operated around the Turkish northern flank. During the day numerous flocks of at least sixty prisoners, equipment and stores were captured.  
 "Later in the evening the Turks began to tow their bridges upstream from Baghdadah."  
 "The steamer slipped its tow on being bombed by airplanes, and the pontoons floated downstream for some distance."  
 Regarding a question as to the degree of confidence these events might inspire in the future, Lord Curzon remarked that he should like to wait a little before answering it clearly.  
 "The slur upon our arms—if that might be the phrase applicable—caused by the events of last year," continued Earl Curzon, "is entirely wiped out. The whole position unsuccessfully held by our troops and subsequently occupied by the Turks has been wrested from them, and a series of engagements which has taken place and which has carried the fighting more than 12 or 15 miles west of Kut constitutes more than merely local events and must alter, if not entirely transform, the Turkish position in Mesopotamia."

#### DUMA QUIETLY RESUMES POSTPONED SESSIONS

Sitting of House Attends Chiefly to Debate on Agricultural Report.

Petrograd, Feb. 27, via London.—The resumption today of the sessions of the duma, which were interrupted by the holidays and further postponed on Jan. 19 by an imperial ukase, resulted in an anti-climax. In view of the sensational character of the last days of the previous meeting, and the general anticipation of similar events attending the re-opening of the house, the session was devoted chiefly to a discussion of the report of the minister of agriculture.  
 Vladimir Purishevitch, vice president of the Union of Trade Unions, whose violent attack upon the government continued his criticism of the imperial authorities, but in a moderate vein, and his remarks caused little commotion.

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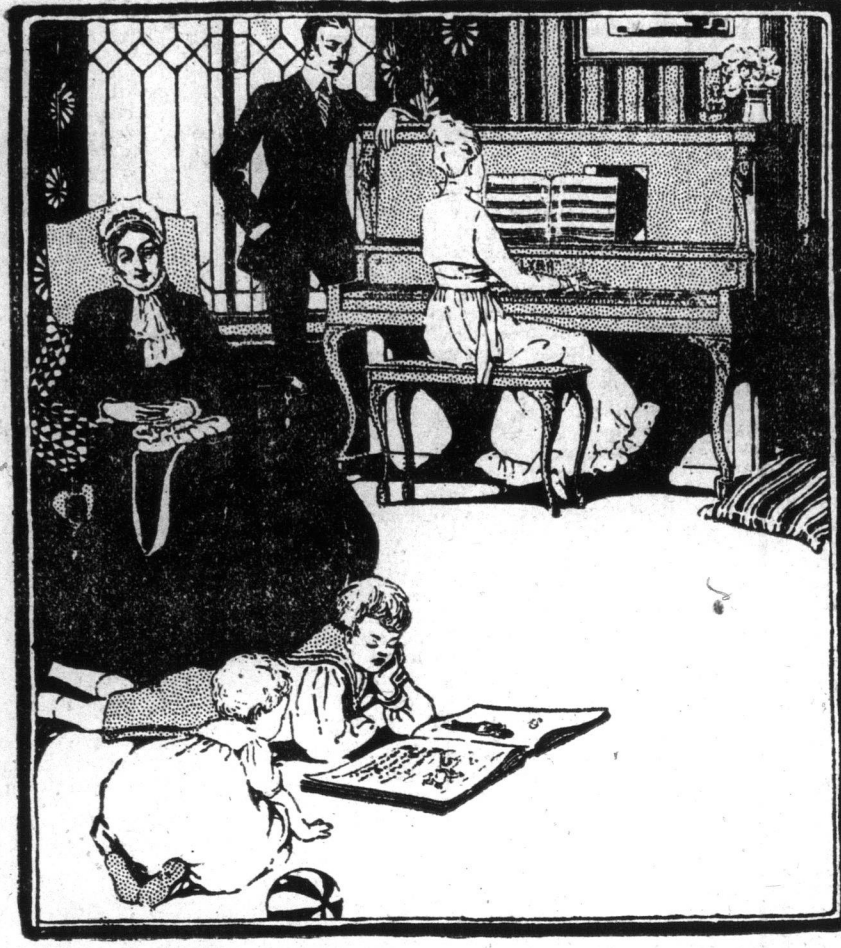
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Thirty-One Men, Known in Toronto, Maimed in Latest Reports.

Another long list of Toronto names appear in the latest casualty reports, and again those missing since last June are reported as presumed to have been killed. In the last list 15 were reported killed, three as having died from various causes, two ill, one suffering from shell shock, six wounded and one a prisoner in Germany. Capt. John H. Symons, eldest son of Capt. William Symons, a well-known Toronto architect, now with the hospital commission, is officially reported as having been killed June 5. Lieut. Harvey W. Cockshutt, director of the Cockshutt Flow Co., Brantford, reported missing since Zillebeke, is now reported as believed killed. He was 33 years old. His mother is at present with Mrs. George A. Baker, 44 Nanton avenue. Mrs. J. J. Gibbons is a sister. Sgt. G. H. Schramm of Welland enlisted in Toronto, and is believed to have been killed in action. Acting Sgt. Patrick Hunt, missing since June last, is believed to have been killed. He was 19 years old and unmarried. He enlisted with a Toronto

to C.M.R. unit. His kin live at Stratford, Ont. Pte. R. G. Smith, in the employ of the Stanton Wallpaper Manufacturing Co. before enlisting, with the C.M.R., has been killed in action. He was 22 years old and lived at 8 Belmont street. His kin live in England. Pte. J. A. Gaudin, 962 Shaw street, was killed at Zillebeke. He went overseas with the C.M.R. in 1915 and was 27 years old. Pte. Charles Webb, whose sister lived at 47 Carlton street, was evidently killed at Zillebeke. He enlisted at Ottawa with the C.M.R. Pte. Ernest Thompson, whose sister-in-law lives at 22 Penches street, was killed at Zillebeke, June 2, the first anniversary of his wedding. His wife is now at her home in Glasgow, Scotland. Pte. Henry Foster, 11 Teigmouth street, is reported killed. He was with the 84th Battalion. Pte. G. Brake, a Hamilton man who enlisted with a C.M.R. unit in Toronto, is reported killed. Pte. T. J. Stamp of Logford enlisted in Toronto with the C.M.R. and has not been heard of since the battle of Zillebeke. Pte. Joseph A. Budd, whose next of kin lives in England, is believed killed in action. He was 22 years old, can be located in Toronto. He is presumed to have been killed at Zillebeke. Pte. James McVittie, whose home is in Dumfriesshire, Scotland, enlisted in Toronto with the Mounted Infantry, and has been missing since last June. Pte. Walter Bullock enlisted with the 35th Battalion, but no relatives can be located in Toronto. He is presumed to have been killed at Zillebeke. Pte. H. A. Green enlisted with the C.M.R. in Toronto and was another victim at Zillebeke. His kin live in Brampton, England. Pte. S. R. Smith of Mohawk, Ont., enlisted in Toronto with a C.M.R. unit and is believed killed. Pte. J. Thompson, whose relatives live in England, enlisted in Toronto early in the war, and is believed to have been killed. He left with the 84th Battalion, and his kin are in England.

ingent man, who enlisted in Toronto, is believed killed. His kin live in Scotland. Pte. W. Nicholson, whose sister, Mrs. Fred Wright, lives in Wood street, has died of wounds in Mesopotamia. He was with the 9th Battalion L.N.L., 38th Brigade. Pte. A. F. Livingstone, whose brother, Walter Livingstone, lives at 440 Broadview avenue, has died of pneumonia in England. He was with the 180th (Sportsmen's) Battalion. He came from Scotland. Illness Causes Death. Pte. Robert Duke, formerly living at 34 River street, reported previously as seriously ill, is now reported as having died. He went overseas with the 81st Battalion. He had been in Canada eleven years, and was with the Toronto Electric Light Company. Company Sgt.-Major Edward G. Brock, 248 Shaw street, is suffering from shell shock. He has been in France for two years. Pte. Charles Dies, who went overseas with the divisional cyclists, is ill in England. A brother, Pte. Wm. Dies, 116 Kenilworth avenue, is in the hospital with wounds. Pte. J. C. O'Donoghue, whose sister, Mrs. Penny, lives at 561 Bathurst street, is in a French hospital with pneumonia. He enlisted at Niagara with the 98th Battalion. Lieut. R. P. Thompson, reported wounded two weeks ago, is listed as in the first contingent. He is in the chest. He enlisted as a private in the 35th Battalion. His father is a well-known prospector. Pte. R. Black, whose next of kin, Mrs. S. P. Stratton, formerly lived at 555 Church street, is reported as wounded. He enlisted at Valcartier in the first contingent. Lance-Corp. James T. Dawes, whose mother, Mrs. Caroline Dawes, lives at 15 Thompson street, has been wounded in an accident. He is 38 years old, and went overseas with the 38th Battalion. His wife is in England. Pte. B. Simicks, who trained at the Exhibition camp, is listed with the wounded. He left with the 84th Battalion, and his kin are in England.

Pte. J. F. Shavlin, a native of Scotland, whose kin live at Chatham, Ont., is among the wounded. He left Toronto with the 92nd Battalion. Pte. John McLean, 56 Osborne avenue, East Toronto, is in a rest station in France suffering with injuries to the hip. He is a native of Glasgow, Scotland, and enlisted with the 22nd Highlanders. He was on an employe at the city hall. Pte. William Arthur Jardine, son of Mrs. Clara Jardine, 394 Hallam street, is a prisoner in Germany. He has been missing since Jan. 12. He went overseas last August. Gunner F. R. Hill, War Hero, Dies in Toronto Hospital. Gunner Frederick Richard Hill, 47 Brookfield street, a returned soldier, who has served 16 months at the front with a Toronto battery, died in the General Hospital yesterday from heart trouble. On Wednesday last his father, Thomas Richard Hill, died in the same ward from the same complaint. Gunner Hill was married and leaves a widow and two small children. Three of his brothers went overseas with the second contingent. John N. Hill returned, but he is at the front and Victor is seriously wounded in a London hospital. The funeral will be a military one. The body will be taken to Sunderland for interment. General Fotheringham May Direct Care of Returned Men. It is said that General J. T. Fotheringham will be brought back from England to take control of the treatment of invalided soldiers in the military hospitals and homes throughout Canada. General Fotheringham was director of medical services for the Toronto military area before going overseas with the second contingent. He was on the staff of Major-General Steele.

GOOD ROADS MEN IN CONVENTION

Hear Addresses on Need for Extension of County and National Roads.

EMPLOYING SOLDIERS Building of Vast Road Systems Will Give Work to Returned Men.

The opinion was expressed by a number of speakers at the annual convention of the Good Roads Association, which opened in the municipal building yesterday, that the counties and municipalities of the province would have a great opportunity to assist in the readjustment period after the war by employing returned men to build up the great highways of the province. The question had the attention of President S. L. Squire and W. A. McLean, deputy minister of highways, who emphatically stated that it would be for each community to take care of the men who return from overseas when peace is declared. The members were admonished as to the future, and told that their most urgent duty was to make provision for peace times and not be caught unprepared as they were for war. Mayor Church welcomed the delegates to the convention, and praised them warmly for the conduct of the work with which they were identified. It was his belief that the main reason for the inability to produce foodstuffs and other articles to meet the requirements of the people was the lack of main thoroughfares throughout the province. Good roads were the great essential to the development of the province. The inauguration of a federal system of thoroughfares after the war would provide the principal means of solving the unemployment problem. The president declared that the need for conventions of this kind was becoming more evident, and he was satisfied that when society had been educated and organized along the lines of better roads it would mean a great development of the country in general. Ontario was never more in need of such facilities than at present. The general prosperity with which the province had been favored, and the increasing use of motor vehicles, necessitated better roads, as also did the demand by the cities for a cheaper and better class of produce. That the roads were the property of the municipality there was no question, and it was undoubtedly true that mistakes had been made in administration. For the latter reason it was the duty of the government to encourage and educate the municipalities to an ideal condition of roads and to carry out experiments pertaining to their development. Unprepared for Peace. Regarding after the war conditions, he said they were not better prepared to meet peace than they were to engage in the war when it broke. He wondered whose duty it would be to take care of the returned men. Some might want to shirk the responsibility and say that it should be assumed by the governments, but he thought it should be assumed by the people as a whole. There was nothing which gave them a better opportunity to help the returned men than the building of a good roads system, and the municipalities must be used as the spillways of labor in the readjustment period. W. A. McLean was well satisfied with the progress being made by the good roads movement. When the minds of the people, he said, were set on a certain purpose, it was exceedingly hard to change them. When the movement was started there were about two counties interested in the

counties, but at present out of the 35 counties in the province 25 had adopted the county plans, and he had hoped that shortly many more would join. The task of educating the people was approaching completion, but he warned the association against laying down their arms at this stage with the belief that the work could continue without effort. His department was turning its eyes to the future, and he was pleased to tell them that already a department had been established to carry out such tests as were under practical traffic conditions. The great change in traffic had brought about the new department, which was prepared to carry on research work for the benefit of the good roads. The speaker said the time was opportune for the consideration of a great trunk highway system. Through the improvements carried on and the work of the counties now in progress, he was confident that Ontario would be able to show the continent a system without an equal. Concluding, he said that the counties would be failing in their duty if they did not take steps to meet the condition which will arise when the soldiers return.

F. E. Senecal of Plantagenet, Prescott County, who presented the complaints of the French-Canadians of Ontario to the association, declared that they must banish forever the "element of mistrust" which existed between the peoples of Quebec and Ontario. There were men on both sides who were irresponsible and he did not think that the blame should be placed by men of their type. He looked for a better understanding between the two provinces after the war. Lucius E. Allen presented a comparative study of the good roads conditions of the province and some observations as to the good roads movement in a number of the states in close proximity to Ontario. "That music isn't in unison. 'Well, it's a four-piece orchestra, isn't it?'"—Sun Dial.

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LEADERS ELATED BY THEIR VICTORY

Those Who Fought for Women Suffrage Are Fully Satisfied.

WHAT WILL FOLLOW

Mrs. Kantel Says Benefit to Country Will Depend on Use Made of It.

Something of what the women thought when the premier made his memorable address on the Johnson suffrage bill yesterday afternoon may be judged from the following brief interviews.

"We thought our breath was taken away," said Mrs. A. M. Ormsby, president of the provincial suffrage campaign committee. "We had been told that the bill would be introduced before that. We knew something was coming, but did not know what."

"Speaking for the districts covered by London, Brantford, Rainy River, Huron, Perth, William and Ottawa," continued Mrs. Ormsby, "I can say that we feel that we have come into our own. We are very grateful that no strings have been tied to the measure. We feel that women will do equally as well as men—I won't say better," was the smiling conclusion.

Mrs. Ormsby hoped, too, that the petition with the 100,000 or so names which the Ontario franchise committee have been so busy upon for some months past will be registered.

"I am delighted that the franchise is being given," said Mrs. A. C. Courtice of the board of education. "Of course," she continued, "it is the only reasonable thing to expect. But then we have long expected and still did not get it. So let us give all credit to those who are giving it to us at this time."

"The premier and Mr. Rowell both made very statesmanlike addresses," was the comment of Mrs. A. M. Huestis, president of the Toronto Council of Women. "We must look at the responsibility and view the situation very thoughtfully. The future holds much and we must all have a serious purpose and understand it together."

"Mothers' pensions important," Mrs. Huestis was more than pleased at the reference made by Mr. Rowell when he said that the solution for the upbuilding of the homes would be through the medium of mothers' pensions.

"Hip! hip! hurrah! Three cheers for the premier," was the way in which Dr. Caroline Brown received the news. Dr. Brown was not in the house when the bill was introduced, and the first intimation she had was when she was spoken to by The World.

"The men have been pretty good after the bill," was the consensus of her estimate of the action of the government.

"Of course we are delighted," said Mrs. L. A. Hamilton. "This is what we have been working for. I thought the premier did beautifully. He put the subject in such a dignified way."

"What about the petition; will it be presented?" she was asked.

"I don't know," was all Mrs. Hamilton could say at this point. "But I suppose we will show some kind of gratitude," which perhaps might be taken to mean that she will still visit the house, but rather as those bearing thanks for gifts already received than petitioners for more.

"Delighted of course," said Margaret Gordon. "At last my wish has come true. For myself, I have done a good deal of hard work and I am glad that we have got it. I am a resident of Canadian suffrage. I stand for all the provinces, and I think New Brunswick will be next. St. John, New Brunswick, came into suffrage thirty years ago, and Mr. Pugsley was always a supporter of suffrage. Now I'll work for that."

"Come as a shock," "We haven't got over the shock yet. We have been up so many times before, and with no result, that now it seems too good to be true," was the way in which Dr. Stowe-Gullen expressed herself.

"My first thought was," she went on, "that I am no longer classed amongst criminals and idiots. Then my next thought was that I felt it to be indeed a very wonderful thing that the principle of justice has at last been recognized. I feel like congratulating everyone. Those who have brought the matter about, those who will come after us and those of the present generation. The giving of the franchise to women will have a wonderful effect upon the country, and I feel it will be a remedy for many of the evils now in the homes due to the inferior place in which women have hitherto been placed."

"The benefit to the country as a result of the franchise will greatly depend upon the use we make of it," was the opinion of Mrs. E. A. Kantel. "The getting of the vote is far from being as important as the use to which it is put."

There will be a meeting of the franchise campaign committee today, and if funds will permit the women will begin at once an educational campaign as to the best methods of using the ballot.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACT.

L. F. Hilliard (Dundas) introduced a bill yesterday to amend the Public Health Act, so that on dispute the salary of a public health officer may be referred to a county judge for settlement.

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BILL TO REDEEM BONDS HELD IN GREAT BRITAIN

McGarry Introduces Measure to Provide for Loans to Aid War Financing.

Hon. T. W. McGarry yesterday introduced his bill to provide for the redemption of the Ontario securities held in Great Britain, thus assisting the country in her war financing. Six million of this at 3 1/2 per cent. comes due in 1946, eight million at 4 1/2 per cent. in 1947 and three million at 4 1/2 per cent. in 1948.

The bill provides for the raising of \$17,000,000 by loans to be borrowed for terms not exceeding 20 years and bearing interest to be fixed by order-in-council on the credit of the consolidated revenue fund.

LINK THREE DEPARTMENTS TO DISSEMINATE HELP

Employment Bureaus to Co-operate With District Representatives for Greater Production.

To ameliorate the scarcity of farm laborers in the province this summer the government has arranged to link the government employment bureaus with the branch offices of the department of agriculture. "Zone offices" will be established at first at Toronto, Ottawa, London, Hamilton, Fort William and Sudbury or Sault Ste. Marie. These offices will report daily to the central labor-exchange here. The zone offices will be in constant touch with the 45 branch stations of the department of agriculture. Sub-bureaus will be maintained in smaller cities of the province in connection with the zone offices.

Thru this new departure in the use of district agricultural representatives the government hopes to be able to disseminate the labor available to the best possible advantage and with the least possible cost to the province. The best possible cost of the line will work in conjunction with the offices of the colonization branch of the department of forests and mines in the United States.

NO FIXED ASSESSMENT FOR CONNAUGHT HOTEL

Private Bills Committee Rejects Proposal Recommended by City Council.

Fixed assessment for the Royal Connaught Hotel, Hamilton, at \$25,000, as recommended by the city council, was defeated after a strenuous fight in the first meeting of the private bills committee yesterday. Strong opposition developed from the labor men and board of education. This action sets a strong precedent that may materially affect action in the same direction with regard to the proposed York Hotel on the site of the Yonge street arcade. Lieut.-Col. Dinlick was present yesterday. The only way out for the council appears to be yearly remission of taxes under the Martyn bill of last session.

The committee favored the Barton Township bill for the appointment of an assessment commissioner, but declined to allow the treasurer to collect taxes, providing for the appointment of a permanent tax collector. Residents on the outskirts of Crystal Beach who objected to being included in the village and paying taxes for improvements, which they claimed they did not enjoy, were defeated by the village council, who claimed that conditions were no different now from what they were when these same residents applied for inclusion in the village.

SUCCESSFUL SALESMEN ARE BORN, NOT MADE

W. J. Irvine Gives a Few Pointers at Advertising Club Meeting.

Honesty, truth, simplicity and courtesy are the great essentials for a successful salesman, according to W. J. Irvine, who delivered an address on "The Personality of Salesmanship" before the Toronto Advertising Club in the St. Charles Hotel at noon yesterday. And in order to overcome the obstacles on the road to success, determination and a willingness to serve must co-operate with those four virtues which are the required positives in the character of the salesman. Many men failed in making sales just because they did not appreciate that the prospective purchaser was not as well acquainted with the article as they were themselves. They presented that article from their own knowledge and standpoint rather than from the view of the man approached.

It was Mr. Irvine's opinion that the day of the traveling salesman was over. He had never been regarded as a means of building up a great business, but was more or less of a good fellow well met. His methods employed to make sales were of a temporary nature, and did not have the lasting and beneficial effect that spelled success. The successful salesman, he said, was born, not made. The science and art of selling came in the character of the man at birth, and were not cultivated in after life.

Want a Colonization Road From Orillia to North Bay

Asking for a colonization road from Orillia to North Bay, a deputation introduced by J. Edgar, Parry Sound; G. W. Ecclestone, Muskoka; and J. L. Hart, East Simcoe, waited on Hon. Finlay Macdonald and Hon. G. Howard Ferguson yesterday. They pointed out that the road would run thru a

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influence for good? The result of injecting the sex element into politics was problematic. He would review the arguments for and against, and then give his own opinion, he said. He then spoke of the effect of the measure in Australia, New Zealand and Norway, where the death rate had been reduced. If it would do that, it was ample justification, said he. He then reviewed the history of the suffrage struggle in England, Canada and other countries.

There was no argument that legislation was delayed; since last year the spokesman of a deputation of women had suggested that a referendum should be taken on the matter. The question was, were they ahead of a public opinion? Were the women of Ontario sufficiently aroused on the question? It was a fact worth considering, that perhaps one-third of the women of Ontario were wage-earners. He might argue that they had no mandate from the people. A petition was being circulated, he understood. He would like to have had the advantage of its presentation before the bill came up for consideration, he said.

But for the war, he would have taken some means of placing the subject before the people; but he did not believe in dividing the people in time of war if it could possibly be avoided. "So I intend to take on my own responsibility the stand which I think the government ought to take, without reference to the people," said he.

There was one great consideration which weighed heavily with him. They had asked women to take a part in the war work, and the women had responded. War had broken down pre-judices. Had not women the right to make the laws they were doing so much to defend? The time had come to give women the great part in public affairs by giving them the ballot. Applause from both sides of the house greeted this announcement.

Asks For Support

Sir William said he did not feel that they should leave the bill, introduced by a private member, to the discretion of the members individually. "The government endorses the principle of the bill, and assumes full responsibility for it. I call upon my supporters to vote for it, and take full responsibility for what that vote may be," he announced.

Women should have the vote by the next election. The government would bring down a bill incorporating the principle of the Johnson bill, and providing the necessary machinery for giving them the vote as early as possible. He believed that the result would be more beneficial to the province than had been anticipated.

N. W. Rowell, who followed, pointed out that the action just announced by the government constituted the greatest constitutional change in the basis of government since confederation. It was one of the most radical measures in this respect that the house had ever seen. Because it was a democratic measure, it was timely since the country was fighting the battle of democracy.

It was the only way out for the franchise in the history of British parliaments which had not been brought down by the government in a carefully thought-out government measure, said he.

The government had previously opposed the change, he said. He congratulated the Conservative party on its change of heart, and expressed approval for the position taken by the premier.

For Better Government. Mr. Rowell spoke at length and in glowing terms of the work in war, church and home, which had entitled the women to vote. He forebode that the extension of the franchise would have a great effect in securing honest and sincere candidates for political office. The votes of women would be needed for the social community and industrial legislation which would necessarily follow the war. He intimated "mothers' pensions," as a problem which needed the assistance of the women.

A. E. Donovan (Brookville) produced figures to show that there was a dark side also to women's suffrage. Six states that had woman's suffrage had not by 1914 passed prohibition, California, which had woman's suffrage, rejected prohibition by 200,000, Wyoming, which had had woman's suffrage for 46 years, was the wettest in the union, said he.

Referring to Mr. Rowell's bill, to entitle women to sit in provincial parliament, Mr. Donovan said that when women entered parliament, between nursing their babies and attending to the household, they would have their hands full. No More Licenses. Wm. McDonald, North Bruce, said when the women got the vote there would be an end to any hope of the license system coming back in Ontario. There would be an end to graft in Canada, too, said he.

Incidentally he pointed out that the McGarry bill to enfranchise soldiers removed the disability on Indians who had enlisted if they were white enough to fight for the empire, they were white enough to vote. C. S. Cameron (N. Grey) and J. G. Elliott (W. Middlesex) also spoke in favor of votes for women. After Allan Studholme (E. Hamilton) had spoken, the second reading of the bill was carried unanimously, and it was referred to a committee of the whole house. The second readings of Mr. Johnson's bill and Mr. Elliott's bill to extend the legislative franchise to women and Mr. McDonald's bill to extend the legislative franchise to women were given their second reading and referred to the proper committees. By agreement, Mr. Rowell's bill to allow women to run as candidates for the legislature was not discussed.



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But if that fire lasted day after day—if your neighbors, becoming exhausted, shouted back at you, "For God's sake come and hold a hose"—you'd change your decision. You'd go to the fire.

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The Great War Veterans Overseas Company (109th Regiment)

large number of towns and settlements and would form a link between Toronto and Sault Ste. Marie. They were promised sympathetic consideration. Enfranchisement of Women. A capacity audience greeted Father Minahan's address to the Political Equality League last evening when he spoke of "Equal Franchise and its Responsibility. From a Man's Standpoint." The speaker dealt with the question of the enfranchisement of women from a viewpoint of "enlightened selfishness," as he called the desire to saddle on women the full responsibility of their acts as thinking citizens. Mrs. Prenter, the president of the league, followed with a few remarks on the necessity of continuing the educational work of the league, as now with the road cleared, women must be taught how to make an intelligent use of the ballot in the attaining of the ideals aimed for in home and educational matters. Mr. S. Wood moved the vote of thanks, seconded by Mr. T. J. Connors, for the pleasure and instruction the speaker had given the large and intensely interested audience.

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LIST OF MISSING. London, Feb. 27.—The Cunard Company gives, the following names of the Laconia's passengers missing and supposed to have been lost: Mrs. Mary Hoy, Miss Elizabeth Hoy, C. P. Ivatt, William I. Robinson, De Fortuna Syndel, William Eya. Four members of the crew were also given as missing.

To the Trade:

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28th February, 1917

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Shepherd Checks—40-inch, 25c, 37 1/2c, 55c per yard; 46-inch, 60c per yard; 54-inch, 90c, \$1.15, \$1.25, \$2.00 per yard. In small, medium and large checks. Mercerized Cotton Poplin—36-inch, assorted colors, 37 1/2c, 40c per yard; 36-inch, black only, 50c, 55c per yard. All-Wool Colored Dress Goods—Including Gabardines, Diagonals, Tricotines, Poplins, Serges, Chevots and other weaves in a large range of colors at various prices. All-Wool Suitings—Tricotines, Gabardines, Poplins, Chevots, Coating Serges, in tan, cream, scarlet, gray, fawn, copen, greens, rose, wine, fawn, browns, navys and black from \$1.75 to \$2.35 per yard. Black Dress Goods—Cashmeres, Khantonas, Taffetas, Armures, Poplins, Cantons, Permos, Royalties, Baratheas, from 37 1/2c to \$1.50 per yard. Wool Delaines—Patterns on light and dark grounds, in spots, stripes, flowers and flowered striped designs, 29 in. to 30 in. wide, at 42 1/2c per yard. Art Silk Mixtures—For summer and evening wear, Satin Stripe and Bordered Voiles, Art Silks and Sporty Silks, Crepes, Tussors, Marquissettes; all in a great variety of colors and designs to please the most fastidious buyers. Silk—Japs, Paillettes, Taffetas, Duchess, Satins, Poplins, Falles, Crepes, Georgettes, Crepe de Chenes, Satin Linings, in all the popular shades. Bonnet's Black Royalty, "Wear guaranteed." Stamped every five yards. 36-in. at \$1.25 per yard.

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Table listing dress goods with prices, including Plain White Striped Voile, Awning Stripe Skirting, Printed Voiles, Colored Check Voiles, Colored Yarn Lattice Voile, and Poplin Stripe Voile.

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Prominent Leaders of Agriculturists' Movement Will Address Those Present.

So much attention has been directed to the grain growers' associations in the west, and their big successful co-operative enterprises, that we are apt to overlook similar farmers' organizations in our own province. The United Farmers of Ontario are, however, making rapid progress, and hold their third annual convention in Toronto this morning at St. James' Parish Hall, 65 Church street; and along with the convention will be held the annual meeting of the shareholders of the United Farmers' Co-operative Co. Limited. A number of distinguished visitors are scheduled to address the convention during the week, including T. A. Cramer, president of the Grain Growers' Company of Canada; R. C. Henders, president Manitoba Grain Growers' Association; J. A. McLaughlin, president of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association; H. W. Wood, president of the United Farmers of Alberta; and Cecil Rice-Jones, president and general manager of the Alberta Farmers' Co-operative Elevator Company, Limited.

Will Receive Reports. The convention will be called to order by President R. H. Halbert, who, at 2.30 p.m., will deliver his annual address. After some routine business a report of the delegates who attended the meeting of the Canadian Council of Agriculture at Winnipeg last December will be received, and the platform of political principles adopted by the Canadian Council of Agriculture will come up for discussion and approval by the Ontario farmers. Among other economic subjects which will be discussed today and this evening will be the tariff, the nationalization of railways, and direct legislation. The discussion on the tariff will be opened by C. J. Z. Frazer, of Burford, and will be participated in by President Wood of the United Farmers of Alberta, and President McLaughlin of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association. Mr. H. J. Petty will lead the discussion on the nationalization of railways. The convention will be in session for three days, and its proceedings promise to be of unusual interest.

MOTOR DRIVER IN COURT.

On a charge of failing to return to the scene of an accident at the corner of Queen street and Close avenue last Thursday, when seven-year-old John Markey was knocked down and fatally injured by a motor truck, James Foster appeared in the police court yesterday and was remanded till March 8.

HELD UP BY FOOTPADS.

Last night two footpads are alleged to have held up and robbed Arthur Murchison, 21 Starr avenue, on Dunn avenue, of a small sum of money. According to the story told the police of Cowan avenue police station by Murchison, the two men sprang upon him, one threatening him with a revolver while the other went thru his pockets.

TO LOCATE SISTER.

The local detective department has received word from the Rochester police authorities that a Mrs. Bertha Howard has just died there, and that she has a sister here. The police are trying to locate her.

Need of "Smokes" for Boys in France is Still Very Great

Mrs. R. S. Wilson, on behalf of the officers and members of Toronto Municipal Chapter, acknowledges the receipt of 458 packages of tobacco and cigarets, contributed during the past month to the Daughters of the Empire tobacco fund for overseas soldiers. In every branch of the United Cigar Store every man buying smokes has a reminder of the need of the boys at the front in the shape of a collecting box or basket, in which he may put an extra packet. Adhesive coupons are given for each packet donated, a space for the name and address of the sender. Once a month all packages are collected and sent to the Municipal Chapter, where they are immediately shipped to France. The need for smokes is still very great.

WILLS PROBATED

Two sisters, Mrs. V. E. Henderson, 111 Admiral road, Toronto, and Mrs. G. Lewiston Ridout, London, England, will divide the estate of \$6552 left by Capt. W. H. Victor Vander Smussen of the 3rd Battalion, C. E. F., who was killed in action in France, June 13, 1916. His will was written on the page of his paybook. Minnie Kearns, wife of Stephen J. Kearns, will receive the major part of the estate of \$3028 left by her husband, who died in St. Catharines, Oct. 12 last. Bequests of \$1000 each are given to two nieces, Margaret I. Sullivan and Mary A. E. Sullivan, and a nephew, Charles E. Sullivan of Toronto. One son and seven daughters will divide the estate of \$4298 left by Mrs. Elizabeth Dunn, who died in the Township of Etobicoke, Feb. 18, 1916. Their names are Robert Dunn, Jennie Hogg, Catharine Eford, Sarah Eford of Humber Bay, Lillie Duck, Dixie, Annie Pell, Palmero; Adeline Chapman, Trafalgar; and Alice Dunn, Mimico.

Wounded Soldiers Invited to See Performance at Alexandra

Lawrence Solman and Manager Sheehy of "The Cinderella Man" company, which is playing at the Alexandra this week, extended an invitation to about three hundred returned soldiers at the Stedina Military Convalescent Hospital, to attend the performance of "The Cinderella Man." The invitation will be extended over three nights, starting tonight, when it is expected that nearly one hundred men will accept.

HOME GARDEN MOVEMENT.

A report has just been received by Chief Inspector Cowley from the various principals of the schools, giving the result of last year's work in connection with the home garden movement. The report states that the plots cultivated numbered 2254, and 2088 pupils took part. The estimated area of the gardens was 93,301 square feet, and the value of the produce \$394.30. Twenty-one schools took part.

CHARGED WITH BIGAMY.

Bondfiglio Frantagelo, alias Lawrence B. Frantagelo, 576 Jarvis street, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Acting Detective Koster and Morality Officer Kerr on a charge of bigamy. Frantagelo, who is employed as a foreman at a local munition plant, is alleged to have married a Miss Mary Emerson in Toronto on Jan. 9 of this year, knowing at the time that he had a wife living at Glace Bay, N.S.

ERECT PORTABLE SCHOOL.

Another portable school is to be placed at the Dewson School, which will be ready for use next Thursday. Queen Alexandra School was also to have one to help relieve the congestion at Morse street, but this has been struck out, and in consequence Morse street will be compelled to seek other accommodation.

BARKING OF DOG SAVES LIVES OF SEVEN PEOPLE

Early Morning Fire Trapped Chas. Hearndon and Family in Upper Rooms.

Charles Hearndon, his wife and four children and a boarder, Joseph Drury, of 86 Florence street, all undoubtedly owe their lives to the barking of a dog, which, the half awakened by smoke from a fire which is believed to have originated in a clothes closet from an unknown cause, gave the alarm and aroused the occupants of the house from their slumbers at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. Joseph Drury, who sleeps above the kitchen, was first awakened by the dog, which slept in the kitchen. Half awake, he detected the odor of smoke and aroused Charles Hearndon, who was asleep in the front room. The two descended to the ground floor to find that the flames had made great headway. They found the dog moaning in the kitchen. Arthur Hearndon, then came downstairs and helped to fight the flames. Escape cut off from the ground floor by the smoke, Hearndon jumped from the second floor window and sent in an alarm to fire headquarters. He sustained a badly sprained ankle. Mrs. Hearndon and her children were rescued by the firemen of Cowan avenue fire hall.

HEIRS RECEIVE MONEY LEFT FOR PARSONAGE

Will of A. McMillan Left Sum for Benefit of Congregation Now Dissolved.

Justice Middleton at Osgoode Hall yesterday granted the application of Allen McMillan to have \$1000, part of the estate of Henry McMillan now in the hands of the executor, distributed among the heirs. The late Henry McMillan lived in the Township of Day, in the Algoma district, and by his will left \$1000 for the erection of a parsonage for the Baptist church at Sowerby, which is twelve miles from the township. The services in the church have been discontinued for the past three years, and for twelve years previous had been conducted by a theological student. It was proposed by the minister of the Baptist church at Thessalon to have the money paid over to his church, but Justice Middleton remarked that owing to there being no general intent and the purpose indicated being now impracticable, the fund should be divided among the heirs. Daniel McMillan, Thomas Buchanan and Charles A. Batson are the executors. In another judgment his lordship states that the lane running from King street, lying immediately west of the North American Life Building east of York street, is not a private lane and should remain open. The Baldwin estate had many old residents of Toronto as witnesses at the trial, and is appealing the decision of the justice in the appellate court. Following is today's list for the second divisional appellate court: Baldwin v. O'Brien; D. Lepante v. Cochran; Harward (two cases); Morrison v. Morrison; Dental Manufacturing Corp. v. Dental Manufacturing Co.; German v. Ottawa.

COMFORTS FOR SOLDIERS.

Women's Patriotic League Send Many Supplies Overseas.

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Mrs. Arthur VanKoughnet, convener soldiers' comforts department of the Toronto Women's Patriotic League, reported that the shipment overseas and to military convalescent hospitals, Whiteby, contained the following supplies: 512 pairs socks, 118 quilts, 104 gaus suits, 112 gauze shirts, 96 scarfs, 250 towels, 20 wash cloths, 70 covered stories, 84 cakes soap, 66 dressing gowns, 118 quantity shirts, 65 suits pyjamas, and a quantity of wristlets, caps and housewives, and 85 personal property bags. The convener further reported that during the present embargo parcels or cases addressed to individuals will be shipped from the department.

Police Commissioners Consider The Proposed Salary Increases

Chief of Police Grasett, following the regular meeting of the police commissioners in the city hall yesterday afternoon, stated that a draft of the estimates for the new scale of pay of police officers had been presented, but that final consideration would take place later. He added that the increase would date from the first of the year.

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For capturing Gordon Langridge, who escaped from Mimico Reformatory, Policeman Boyd was granted a merit mark, as were also Policemen Weiland and McLeland for rendering first aid to two men overcome by gas. The father of a policeman, who recently died of wounds, will be paid the half pay of the officer from the date of his enlistment to the day of his death.

ARRANGE FOR CONFERENCES.

A meeting of the sub-committee of the Ontario Advisory Committee for co-operation in boys work was held at noon yesterday, presided over by W. R. Cook of the national council of the Y. M. C. A. Final arrangements were made for the holding of conferences at Perth on March 9, 10 and 11; Collingwood, March 16, 17 and 18; and at Hamilton, March 23, 24 and 25. These conferences will be co-operative with the various denominations.



These Eyes Made Philip Remember

Philip was seemingly just an ordinary American ranch boy. Little did he know that a nation mourned for him—that it hoped some day he might return to become its ruler—that a cruel usurper held that which belonged to him by right and law.



But these eyes made Philip remember. They told him that somewhere, sometime, he had known them—in

The SECRET KINGDOM

the wonderful serial motion picture and newspaper story by Louis Joseph Vance and Basil Dickey

The King and Queen, With Their Retinue, Photographed Just Before the Start of the Fatal Hunt

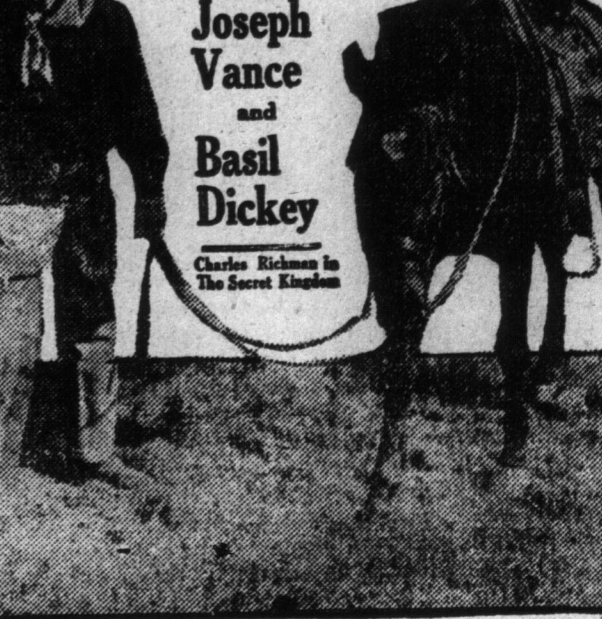
This week's episode, "Royalty at Red Wing," pictures for you Philip, naive, unconscious of his royal right, meeting for the first time in years, Julia, the girl, and Ramon, bent on Philip's destruction.

The Greater Vitagraph

has produced the motion pictures, has given to the story all the charm and vigor of Mr. Vance's narrative, and in addition a delicacy and freshness which marks this film as truly distinctive and different from the ordinary run of dramas.

In order to make your film pleasure doubly delightful, and to know Philip and Julia doubly well, read the story by Mr. Vance running

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KITCHENER'S LEAD IS ONLY ONE GOAL

Aura Lee Beaten in Hard Battle in First of Finals.

WON BY HARD CHECKING

Losers Were Better in Second Period When They Scored Both Goals.

Kitchener, Ont., Feb. 27.—Kitchener has a goal lead to overcome to capture the Junior O.H.A. championship. The Kitchener kids downed the Toronto hoops 3 to 2, in about as hard a fought contest as any hockey fan would wish to see.

Aura Lee will find Kitchener a handful to handle right on the arena ice.

Aura Lee's big asset was in clever passing, but they will have to learn some other style of play. Kitchener are the hardest checking team in Junior hockey.

The Kitchener team took polish, but they more than overcame this with the earnestness and nervousness which they play for the full sixty minutes, and any team will know they are in a game.

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Looks Like Quebec To Win N.H.A. and Go After Stanley Cup

Montréal, Feb. 27.—Quebec is still out in front in the race for the second half of the "crucial game" of the series is likely to be shown in Ottawa next Saturday night, when the battling bull-dogs tackle the Senators, unless Canadians unexpectedly pull the horses by beating Ottawa here on Wednesday night, and thus make it a sure thing for Quebec, who have only the two Waterloo hurdles to clear in the meantime.

On the 27th they showed Saturday night, in losing to Quebec after having, on three occasions a lead of four goals. Canadians cannot possibly make a great chance of stopping the really great Ottawa machine. Nor can the fast, plucky bull-dogs as regarded as Ottawa take outside chances to down Ottawa at home next Saturday night, although the game is likely to result in a combative war going a long way to see. A tie for the leadership in the second half between Ottawa and Quebec means the likely outcome of the present situation, with the winner of the first half likely to go on to win the Stanley Cup against the Coast champions, Seattle.

For, if Saturday night's game is to be taken as a criterion, Canadians will NOT be the champions—not unless they make a miracle and remanifest recovery. The team failed to nothing in the final period, just after having held on three different occasions to a lead of four goals, and only a lameness shadow of the almost perfect machine which ripped thru the first half of the race.

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PEAKERS PUT A WAY REVERIES' GRANTES

Robins of Toronto Won From Graham of Lakeview Final Thursday Night.

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LAJOIE DAY, BIG!

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HOT SPRINGS RACING OPENS NEXT WEEK

Oaklawn Assured Good Meeting With Over Five Hundred Horses at Track.

Hot Springs, Ark., Feb. 27.—With the arrival of the many special trains during the last few days from New Orleans following the close of the winter meeting in that city, much enthusiasm has been shown which speaks well for the success of racing in this section.

Two special trains of the latest type of horse cars have also arrived, which have brought here no less than 500 of the pick of the stables from the Crescent City meeting.

The stage is all set for the second annual opening of the Oaklawn course, which takes place on March 7. For more than two weeks now, the track has been open, and the thoroughbred have been racing with an unusual success, and it is expected that there will be a similar success on the workdays.

Judge Jack Campbell, who presided at the meeting, will be associated with the racing and the twenty-day meeting that opens on March 7, and it is expected that the prospects of the meeting will be bright.

I have been thru the New Orleans meeting, and I have not seen anything that has been more successful with respect to the weather, the continued heavy rain, which has been so common here, has been as attractive as it would have been otherwise. There are a lot of high class stables here, which have not sent down to the track, and I expect to see some of the best fields in the country at the Oaklawn meeting that has looked up in the west for years.

The two-year-old division at the Crescent City track did not have a fair opportunity to show its class because of the heavy rain, and I think that there are some really young ones yet to be uncovered from among the shipments.

An announcement was made that there would be no two-year-olds races at the Oaklawn meeting, and it is expected that a similar protest at New Orleans secured a revision of a similar rule there in the future.

However, if the Oaklawn management does make a bid for the two-year-olds race, it is expected that the track will be open to the public, and it is expected that the track will be open to the public, and it is expected that the track will be open to the public.

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IZZETBEY UNLUCKY HORSE AT HAVANA

Stewards Hand Out Fines in Shooting Star Claim—Cuban Track Gossip.

Havana, Cuba, Feb. 27.—The stewards, in their investigation of the shooting star claim by N. L. Snelson, went to the very bottom of the matter and they handed out some stiff fines to those found guilty of an infraction of the racing and claiming rules. Snelson, who is a Jacksonville man and practically a newcomer in the game, admitted to the stewards that he did not claim shooting star for himself, but for Hedrick, and that the latter furnished the money. There were several witnesses, according to Snelson, who saw Hedrick claim shooting star, and it is said that Trainer F. Garrett acted as proxy for Hedrick in making the claim. Hedrick was fined \$500 imposed on Hedrick, although one fine was warranted according to the evidence. Hedrick, who was fined \$500, will fine out the bid on friendly claims here in the future.

Quite a number of horses have changed hands recently through the claiming process. The fact that the new rule was changed to allow a horse to win the same race as a horse who has already won a race, sort of even matters up. J. B. Dunn lost Yorkville the other day for \$100, which was not at all a bad trade. The rule is working well, and it is no doubt giving satisfaction, for the reason that owners are entering in a more liberal manner than they did before.

Laura, the Woolthorpe mare that Bedwell sold here last year, is again back. She is picking up a few miles to brood for her stallion Prince Ahmed. A New Orleans, he purchased the mare from Gentlewoman off Captain W. J. Press, and after P. L. Short claimed her by taking delivery, the latter restituted by taking her back. Laura, the champion hand-luck horse of the morning is Izzy in the stable of U. S. Wisbard. This colt has finished in the money in almost every start he has made since he was a yearling. He has earned second money no less than seven times, and in some of his races he has been beaten by the same margin. Izzy is a full brother to Silver Bill, the horse that broke down in his last start, and was destroyed. Silver Bill won five races and in some of his other starts finished second, winner of the \$2,000 stakes, and was mainly responsible for the \$2,000 credited to the stable. Old Man Gray, the same stable, has also been unlucky. He has never won a race, but has been second four times.

G. Bedwell has passed the \$10,000 mark in the amount of winnings. He has won five races at Oriental Park, including Sunday, Bedwell is credited with \$10,850. The horse has won \$2,345. I. W. Hodrick is second, with \$7,470, and J. B. Godkin, third, \$2,400. The Bedwell stable has won upward of \$10,000, and \$3 over \$500. The Bedwell stable has won upward of \$10,000, and \$3 over \$500. The Bedwell stable has won upward of \$10,000, and \$3 over \$500.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY OF BEING DRUNK... Captain Canadian Medicals Claims He Was Upset by Aspirin Substitute.

London, Feb. 27.—Captain J. E. Leary, Canadian Medicals, pleaded not guilty before a court-martial today at Whitehall to a charge of drinking wine. Captain Leary, assistant provost marshal, said in the night of the 16th he saw accused rolling about on the pavement outside the "Pavilion Theatre." Leary fell, and after being held in a cell, he told Leary he would be arrested and asked him to see a doctor.

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Today's Entries AT HAVANA

Table with columns for race names, horse names, and odds. Races include First Race, Second Race, Third Race, Fourth Race, and Fifth Race.

SINGLE RINK RECORD

Table showing rink records for various locations: Queen City, Lakewood, Toronto, High Park, West Toronto, Abertons, and Parkdale.

GIVE GENEROUSLY FOR BLIND GIRL'S SUPPORT

Large Amount Donated by Audience at Stanley Adams' Song Recital.

After hearing the story told by Capt. Hunter, of the 20th Battalion, of the misfortune which befell ten-year-old Marguerite Clarke, whose sight was destroyed when cartridges with which she and her brother were playing exploded, an audience numbering approximately 300 persons destroyed a cheque for \$10, toward the fund being raised to provide her with education.

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NEW GRAND CIRCUIT SCHEDULE OF DATES

Rearrangement on Account of Entrance of Poughkeepsie Horse Gossip.

Philadelphia, Feb. 27.—It has been found necessary to change the dates originally awarded to Belmont Driving Park for the Grand Circuit to be held in this city. The change to one week earlier has been made necessary in order that Poughkeepsie, N.Y., may remain in the Grand Circuit. When the stewards met in Atlanta to award the dates for the 1917 season for racing, Poughkeepsie did not ask for dates, as the grounds were not thought to be available for the past week it was, however, found that a meeting could be given there by the result that the Grand Circuit stewards have asked the management of the local meeting to change, and they have agreed to award the week of Aug. 20, instead of Aug. 27, which will cut Detroit's two weeks meeting in two weeks.

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HAVANA RESULTS

Havana, Feb. 27.—Following are the results of today's races: FIRST RACE—5 1/2 furlongs: 1. Little Cottage, 102 (Kleeberg), 7 to 1, 5 to 2, and 6 to 5; 2. Old Cross, 107 (Collins), 3 to 1, 6 to 5, and 4 to 3; 3. Felina, 106 (Corey), 2 to 1, even, and 1 to 2; 4. Sister Riley, Beaslin, Penance, Hesitation, Nino Muechago, Bulgar, Eddie Mott, and Pass On also ran.

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AMERICANS HEAR IT

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Austin Hoy Eager to Volunteer in U. S. Expeditionary Force.

NEWS SEVERE SHOCK

He Read in Newspaper of Death of Mother and Sister.

London, Feb. 27.—Demand that the United States avenge his mother's and sister's deaths was made in a cable despatch sent to President Wilson today by Austin Young Hoy. He requested the president to grant him permission to be the first volunteer in case an American citizen army was raised, and said otherwise he expected to enlist in the British army.

HUNS INSULT U. S. IN HOLDING CREWS

Controversy Over Yarrowdale Prisoners Reaches Stage of Extreme Gravity.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Germany's procrastination in complying with repeated American demands for release of the Yarrowdale prisoners is bringing the controversy to a stage of extreme gravity.

ONLY HUN PRETEXT

Altho no official reports reporting the re-detention of the seamen had reached the state department tonight, another enquiry regarding them was sent through the Spanish ambassador in Berlin as soon as officials saw news despatches saying they would not be liberated at present owing to disease at their camp.

THE FORMAN MYSTERY

By GEORGE HUGHES.

(Continued From Yesterday).

"She is very sick, Mrs. Forman; very sick, indeed," he replied. It cost him an effort to say even so little. He was greatly upset by his recent experience, and his speech was inclined to be a trifle incoherent.

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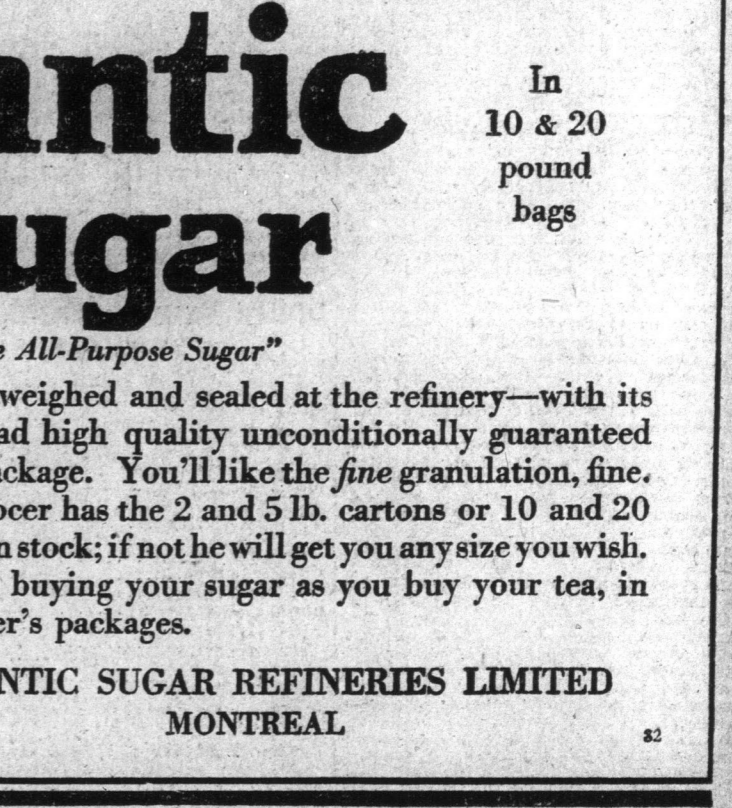
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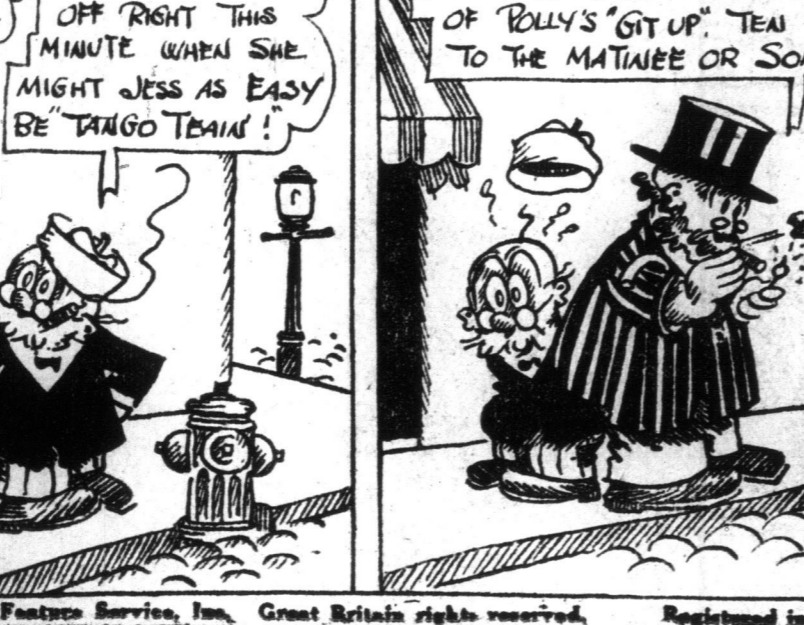
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Finest Porterhouse Centre Cut, per lb. .32  
Round Steak, very tender, lb. .25  
Smoked Cottage Rolls, per lb. .30  
Family Sausage, our own make, lb. .15  
All-perk Sausage, our own make, per lb. .25  
GROCERIES  
4,000 packages Redpath's Standard Granulated Sugar, in 5-lb. packages, 2 packages .123  
4,000 tins Canned Peas, only 6 tins to one customer, 3 tins .123  
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Griffin's Semolina, pkg. .18  
Choice Dates, Excelior Brand, package .12  
Freak Rolled Oats, per stone .63  
Macaroni or Spaghetti, 3 pkgs. .25  
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- Heavy Brussels Rugs, several designs and patterns, 6.9 x 9.0. Regular \$19.25. Wednesday . . . **16.75**
- Tapestry Rugs, good designs and quality, size 7.6 x 9.0. Regular \$11.75. Wednesday . . . **6.95**
- Axminster Hearth Rugs, Oriental coloring, size 36 x 63 in. Regular \$7.50. Wednesday . . . **5.95**
- Rag Rugs, pretty chintz colors, size 36 x 63 inches. Regular \$3.95. Wednesday . . . **2.95**
- Scotch Tapestry Carpets, Oriental colorings. Regular \$1.25 per yard. Wednesday, per yard . . . **.95**
- Velvet Carpets, two-tone effects. Regular \$1.92 per yard. Wednesday, made and laid free, per yard . . . **1.49**
- Japanese Grass Mats, brown, blue and green coloring, size 3.0 x 6.0. Wednesday . . . **.89**
- Axminster Hearth Rugs, good Oriental colors and designs, 27 x 54 inches. Wednesday . . . **2.75**
- Japanese Straw Mats, plain colors. Regular 17c each. Wednesday 2 for . . . **.25**
- Heavy Printed Linoleum, good designs and colorings. Reduced for Wednesday, per square yard . . . **.53**
- Cocoa Door Mats, good heavy quality, size 14 x 24 inches. Special Wednesday . . . **.79**

## Last Day for Special Prices on Slip Covers

The last opportunity to get your slip covers made at the special February prices. Make a point of coming in during the day to select your chintz from among the wonderful assortment we are showing. The range includes all qualities from the inexpensive 30-inch Chintz at 35c yard up to lovely 56-inch printed Aubusson Linens, in gorgeous colorings and handsome designs, selling at \$3.50 yard.

- A Chintz Slip Cover made for any chair . . . **1.00**
- A Chintz Slip Cover made for any Chesterfield or sofa 2.00
- A pair of Chintz Curtains to match, made for, pair . . . **1.00**

Materials Extra.

- WINDOW SHADES AT 40c EACH**  
500 good quality Window Shades, popular colorings of dark green, cream and white; size 16 for ordinary windows, 37 in. wide and 70 in. long. Complete with reliable spring roller and attachments. Wednesday, each . . . **.40**
- WINDOW SHADES AT 70c EACH**  
250 only, fine quality oil-finished shades in reversible colors of dark green inside and white or cream outside. Mounted on guaranteed Hartshorn spring rollers. Wednesday, each . . . **.70**

## These Great Furniture Values for This Last Day:

### Six "Extra Special" Items:

- Extension Table** in solid quarter-cut oak, top 45 inches, heavy square pedestal, platform base, Colonial legs; 6 ft. when extended. Regular \$20.00. February Sale price . . . **13.25**
- 12 sets only, Dining-room Chairs**, in solid oak, box frames, pad seats upholstered in genuine leather. Set consists of five side and one arm chair. Regular \$20.00. February Sale price . . . **13.95**
- Buffet** in genuine quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish, Colonial design, two small and one long linen drawer, deep cupboard space, large beveled mirror in back. Regular \$28.50. February Sale price . . . **20.45**
- Buffet**, in genuine quarter-cut oak, fumed finish only, 52-inch case, plank top, cross-band veneered edges, heavy Colonial columns; linen, doily and cutlery drawers. Regular \$40.00. February Sale price . . . **29.50**
- Parlor Suites**, birch mahogany finish, frames have upholstered button backs, full spring seats and edge, upholstered in mixed silk tapestry. Suite consists of settee, arm chair and arm rocker. Regular \$37.50. February Sale price . . . **24.95**
- Divanette**, can be used as settee during day and double bed at night; frames of genuine oak, fumed finish, seat and back upholstered in imitation Spanish leather. Bed spring of link fabric, helicals at each end; thick, soft, comfortable mattress encased in good grade of art ticking; Reg. \$37.50. February Sale . . . **29.85**

**Dining-room Chairs**, solid quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish, extra heavy back rails and slip seats, upholstered in genuine leather, five side and one arm chair to set. Regular price \$26.00. February Sale . . . **19.15**

**Dining-room Chairs**, in quarter-cut oak, golden finish only, Colonial design, shaped panel backs and top rail, slip seats upholstered in genuine leather. Set of five side and one arm chair. Regular \$30.00. February Sale price . . . **22.95**

**Dining-room Chairs**, mission design, solid oak frames, upholstered backs and seats covered with genuine leather. Set consists of five side and one arm chair. Regular price \$36.50. February Sale price . . . **22.95**

**Dining-room Chairs**, very massive mission design, have pad backs and spring seats, upholstered in genuine leather. Sets consisting of five small and one arm chair. Regular price \$35.00. February Sale price . . . **25.00**

**Extension Tables**, solid oak, fumed or golden finish, 42-inch top, pedestal base, 6-ft. when extended. Regular price \$13.00. February Sale price . . . **9.90**

**Extension Table**, solid quarter-cut oak top, 45-inch, 6-ft. extension, heavy pedestal base. Regular price \$20.00. February Sale price . . . **14.25**

**Extension Tables**, solid quarter-cut oak top, 45 inches, 6-ft. extension, twin pedestal base. Regular price \$21.50. February Sale price . . . **15.00**

**Extension Tables**, genuine quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish, 48-inch top, 8-ft. extension, heavy square twin pedestal, double locks. Regular price \$28.75. February Sale price . . . **21.00**

**Extension Table**, in genuine quarter-cut oak, 48-inch top, 8-ft. when extended, very heavy massive pedestal with corner supports, deep rim, fumed or golden finish. Regular price \$29.50. February Sale price . . . **22.50**

**Extension Tables**, genuine quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish, 48-inch top, deep rim, octagon barrel, heavy massive feet, corner columns. Regular price \$30.00. February Sale price . . . **25.50**

**Buffet**, surface oak finish, 44-inch case, two small and one linen drawer, good cupboard space, plate mirror in back. Regular \$15.50. February Sale price . . . **12.95**

**Buffet**, in genuine quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish, 48-inch case, Colonial design, one linen and two small cutlery drawers, good cupboard space. Regular \$28.50. February Sale price . . . **20.45**

**Buffet**, fumed oak finish only, in genuine quarter-cut oak, has linen, doily and cutlery drawers, massive posts and standards. Regular price \$33.50. February Sale price . . . **28.25**

**Buffet**, Colonial design, 52-inch case, plank top, very massive standards and pillars, large beveled plate mirror in back. Regular price \$40.00. February Sale price . . . **29.50**

**Buffet**, fumed or golden finish, Colonial design, 54-inch case, cross-band veneered edges and pillars; top drawers are shaped, with one lined for cutlery; good cupboard space. Regular \$44. February Sale price . . . **35.00**

**6 only, Odd Buffets**, in genuine quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish, some have plank top, divided cupboards, very heavy massive design. Regular price \$46.50 to \$58.75. February Sale price . . . **36.50**

**Baking Cabinets**, base of maple, natural finished top, selected maple, in white, has one large drawer divided for flour, bread board and cutlery drawer. Regular price \$7.00. February Sale price . . . **5.65**

**Kitchen Cupboards**, of elm, golden finish, base contains cupboard and drawer space, top two glass doors and fitted with shelves. February Sale price . . . **12.75**

**12 only, Kitchen Cabinets**, of genuine oak, contains large cupboard space, nickeloid sliding top, cupboard enclosed by rolling, sliding drawers and equipped with glass and spice jars, flour bin, sifter, etc. Regular price \$37.75. February Sale price . . . **29.95**

**Dressers**, in surface oak, golden finish, three large drawers brass trimmed, large beveled mirror in back. Regular price \$10.25. February Sale price . . . **7.60**

**Dressers**, pure white enamel, three large drawers, brass trimmed, back fitted with large beveled plate mirror. Regular \$14.00. February Sale price . . . **12.95**

**Dresser**, Princess design, one large and two small drawers, extra large oval beveled plate mirror, with shaped standards, base has heavy Colonial feet. Regular \$24.35. February Sale price . . . **24.35**

**Wash Stands**, genuine quarter-cut oak, fumed finish, or genuine veneered mahogany, one large drawer, good cupboard space. February Sale price . . . **5.95**

**Brass Beds**, heavy 2-inch posts, five fillers, all regular sizes and finishes. Regular price \$12.75. February Sale price . . . **9.15**

**Brass Bed**, 2-inch continuous posts, special husks and fillers, all regular sizes and finishes. Regular price \$21.75. February Sale price . . . **16.95**

**Brass Beds**, heavy 2-inch posts, five one-inch fillers, ball corners, all regular sizes, bright, polette and satin finish. Regular \$25.50. February Sale price . . . **18.45**

**Brass Beds**, special design, 2-inch posts, husks and trimmings, five 1 1/2-inch fillers with galleries, bright, polette and satin finish, 4-ft. and 4-ft. 6-in. sizes only. Regular price \$31.75. February Sale price . . . **22.50**

**Mattress**, wood fibre and felt on both sides, deeply tufted, with good grade of ticking covering, all regular sizes. February Sale price . . . **3.05**

**Mattress**, half wood fibre and layer felt, deeply tufted, roll edge encased in good grade of art ticking. All regular sizes. Regular \$7.50. February Sale price . . . **5.95**

**Mattress**, layer felt, built, not stuffed, full depth border, roll edge, deeply tufted, making a very soft, comfortable mattress, all regular sizes. Regular price \$11.75. February Sale price . . . **8.95**

**Mattress**, all cotton felt, built in layers, encased in good grade of art ticking, roll edge, deeply tufted. Regular price \$12.75. February Sale price . . . **9.95**

**Spring**, all metal frame, link fabric on top, helicals at each end, fully guaranteed, all regular sizes . . . **3.50**

**Metal Frame Spring**, very closely woven wire interlaced, heavy rope edge, all standard sizes. Regular price \$5.00. February Sale price . . . **3.95**

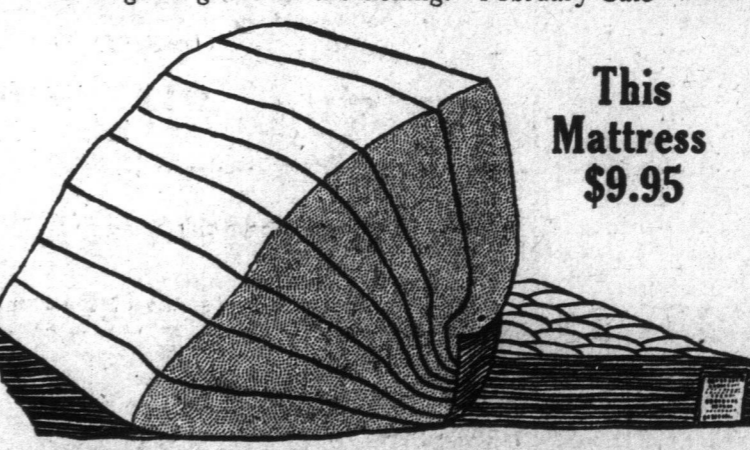
**Spring**, all metal frame spring with very closely woven wire fabric, interlaced, heavy rope edge. All regular sizes. February Sale price . . . **4.95**

**Box Spring**, oil tempered spiral springs, covered with canvas, heavy layer of felt on top, encased in good grade of art ticking. Regular price \$16.00. February Sale price . . . **12.95**

**Couch**, full spring seats, covered in imitation Spanish leather. Regular \$9.75. February Sale price . . . **7.75**

**Pillows**, mixed feathers, encased in good grade of ticking. February Sale price . . . **.95**

**Pillows**, selected feathers, perfectly sanitary, covered in good grade of art ticking. February Sale . . . **3.25**



**This Mattress \$9.95**

**MATTRESS** (as illustrated), cotton felt, built in layers, deeply tufted, with roll edge, encased in good grade of art ticking. Can be supplied in all regular sizes. **9.95** Regular price \$12.75. Wednesday, selling . . .

## Today's Reductions on Men's Wear Winter Underwear Going at These Prices

**Men's Combinations**, broken ranges from our regular stock of wool merinos, flat knits and elastic rib knits. Sizes 34 to 46. Reduced for clearance to . . . **1.95**

**Men's Striped Flannelette Night-ropes**. Sizes 14 to 20. Wednesday special . . . **.98**

**Boys' Striped Flannelette Night-ropes**. Sizes 11 to 14. Special at . . . **.47**

**Boys' Scotch Wool Underwear**, "Pen-Angle" Brand. Sizes 20 to 32. Shirts and drawers, a garment . . . **.44**

**Boys' Sweaters**, pull-over style, in grey shade only. Cardigan stitch. Sizes 28 to 32. On sale Wednesday at . . . **.39**

**Boys' Flannelette Shirts**, collar attached style, pink and blue stripe, also plain grey. Sizes 12 to 14. Wednesday . . . **.49**

## Men's Fur-Lined Coats Reduced

**\$38.00 Muskrat Lined Coats**, made from well tanned evenly matched skins. The shells are of black English beavercloth, and the collars are of French otter. On Wednesday at . . . **29.50**

**\$27.50 and \$30.00 Korean Beaver (sheared goat) and Black Dogskin Coats**, made from full furred even skins, the linings are of good Italian serges, quilted. The collars are large and shawl shaped. Wednesday . . . **19.95**

**Baby Carriage Robes \$1.95 \$2.50 and \$3.00 Bearcloth Baby Carriage Robes**, in pocket style with backs of heavy English felt, scalloped edges; some have quilted interlinings. Wednesday **1.95**

**Hosiery Seconds**  
No Phone Orders, Please  
**Men's Black Cashmere Socks**  
**Men's All-wool Plain Black Cashmere Socks**, seconds of a 50c line; extra fine yarn, closely knitted with seamless foot, spliced at heel and toe; sizes 9 1/2 to 11. Wednesday, a pair . . . **.20**

**Children's Cashmere Stockings**  
**Children's All-wool Cashmere Stockings**, black, white, tan and red, knitted close in a one and one ribbed; manufacturers' seconds of 40c to 59c qualities. Sizes 4 to 8 1/2. Wednesday, a pair . . . **.20**

## Good Boots for Men and Boys

**Men's Brown Calf Blucher \$4.95**  
A stylish, straight last blucher boot, made of newest shade nut brown calf leather with heavy Goodyear welt soles, neat perforated toecap vamp, military heels. Sizes 5 1/2 to 10. Wednesday . . . **4.95**

**Men's Patent Leather Boots \$3.25**  
Only because this boot was bought several months ago are we able to make this offer. 300 pairs men's patent calf button and blucher lace boots, with real calf uppers, perfect fitting full round toe last, good weight soles, military heels; sizes 6 to 11. Wednesday . . . **3.25**

**A Boy's Boot That Will Keep Out Water**  
300 pairs of boys' heavy oil grain calf blucher boots, double sewn seams, full round toe, heavy waterproof viscolized soles and military heels. On sale Wednesday . . . **2.19**

Sizes 1 to 5 1/2 . . . **2.49**

**At the Polish Counter**  
**Dublin Best Waterproof Paste**. Regular 15c. 2 for . . . **.25**

**Black Paste Polish**. Regular 7c. 6 for . . . **.25**

**Steel Arch Supports**. Regular \$1.00. for . . . **.69**

**Sanderson's Tintene**, for dyeing gloves and satin slippers, all shades. Regular 25c, for . . . **.20**

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