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Lloyd George Roundly Scores an Element in The Labor Party

Strenuous Hours as Election Campaign Closed; Labor Men's Reply to Premier; Asquith Heckled and Soldiers Give Lord Robert Cecil a Bad Time

London, Dec. 14.—(Canadian Press) Lloyd George roundly scored an element in the Labor party which he objected to the name "Labor party" because it did not represent all the labor of the United Kingdom. He said it represented only a small part of labor, whose votes would be largely cast for the government.

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MASSACHUSETTS HAS 1,285 NEW INFLUENZA CASES IN A DAY

Boston, Dec. 14.—Reports to the state health department for twenty-four hours ended at noon yesterday, showed a total of 1,285 new cases of influenza, most of which were reported to have come from the state and not from other states.

TORONTO POLICEMEN ARE IN TWO FACTIONS

Second One Declares for Affiliation With T. and L. Congress

Toronto, Dec. 14.—Election of an entirely new set of officers and unanimously declaring in favor of affiliation with the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress, 256 members of the Toronto police this morning passed a motion to form an association in lieu of a union.

HUNDRED CANADIAN OFFICERS ARRIVE AT PORTLAND, ME.

Portland, Maine, Dec. 13.—The Canadian steamer Pannonia arrived yesterday from England, bringing 100 Canadian officers, some of whom have served through four years of the war. The steamer encountered a severe storm for three days, losing all the mails on the port side. The men left for Montreal on a special train last night.

DEATH OF MAN WHO WROTE "JOHNIE, GET YOUR GUN"

Monroe H. Rosenfield Also Composer of "The Man Who Broke the Bank"

New York, Dec. 14.—Monroe H. Rosenfield, who wrote "The Man Who Broke the Bank" and "Johnie, Get Your Gun" and other songs which were played and whistled all over the country a score or more years ago, died of acute indigestion yesterday at his home here. He was fifty-six years old.

NO MILLING WHEAT MUST GO TO THE POULTRY YARD

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—With the object of helping to expedite Canada's supply of wheat an order-in-council has been passed providing that no person shall sell or otherwise dispose of any wheat or wheat for milling purposes. The only exception is wheat grown together with other grain which cannot be separated for milling purposes.

Death of F. J. Whiting, Boston, Dec. 14.—Fred Irwin Whiting, for many years business manager of the Boston Herald, died yesterday at his home in Amesbury, aged sixty years. He retired in 1906.

MILLTOWN RETURNED SOLDIER WINS POST IN CIVIL SERVICE

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—The civil service commission announces that J. W. Tuck, of Milltown, N. B., a returned soldier, is a successful candidate for the position of engineering draftsman in the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment.

REPORTED EXTENSION OF THE ARMISTICE

Copenhagen, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press)—The German armistice has been extended until five a. m., January 17, according to a despatch from Treves, where the delegates of the various countries have been in conference. This prolongation, it is added, will be extended until the conclusion of a preliminary peace, subject to the consent of the Allied governments.

FORTY THREE NEW CASES IN CALGARY

Calgary, Dec. 14.—From noon Thursday until noon Friday forty-three new cases of influenza were reported here. Fred Davis, M. P., of Glendon, who has just returned from his constituency, reports that influenza is worse now in the country district. This is especially true of the Irricana district.

LIEUT. COL. FRANK DAY HOME FROM WAR

Lieut. Col. Frank Day, a former professor on the staff of the U. N. B., who went overseas with the first contingent, arrived in the city today in charge of a party of officers who landed yesterday at Portland, Me., after a thirteen day voyage from Bristol on the steamer Pannonia. A large number of officers who arrived on this steamer passed through the city on their way east.

WOULD MAKE AMERICA CIVILIZATION TRUSTEE IN THE MIDDLE EAST

London, Dec. 14.—(Canadian Press) A quarterly review, The Round Table, urges that the United States take full share and accept equal responsibility for the right management of the new world order after the war. It proposes that America should become the definite trustee of civilization in the Middle East and definitely undertake a leading part in the reconstruction of Russia.

GOMPERS DENIES IT

New York, Dec. 14.—A letter from Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in which he denied having dined at the Hotel Astor where a waiters' strike is in progress, was made public last night by Ernest Johns, secretary of the Central Federated Union. Mr. Gompers characterized the statement of the waiters as "untrue and offensive."

POLICE COURT

Mrs. Nellie Kemp was before the magistrate this morning charged with interfering with the police while they were searching a house in Smythe street and also with throwing out of the windows on the street articles supposed to have been stolen. Some evidence was taken and she was allowed out on a \$50 deposit.

FOUR MORE CASES. Four new cases of Spanish influenza were reported to the board of health officials today. This makes fourteen hospital cases reported since the epidemic broke out.

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MAJOR ALLAN AND MAJ. FISHER ON THE OLYMPIC

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 14.—The following were among those on the Olympic: Major L. T. Allen, St. John; Major C. M. P. Fisher, 78 Orange street, St. John; Captain C. T. McCullay, Chatham, N. B.; Lieut. A. M. Cameron, Black River, N. B.; Lieut. John McKenzie, Centerville, N. B.

FREDERICTON PUTS BAN ON AGAIN

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 14.—The local board of health is again to ban all public gatherings, except church services, because of influenza. The schools will be closed on the 20th, the Sunday schools after tomorrow, amusement houses after the 18th.

PRESENTATION IS MADE TO A. J. GROSS

In recognition of his long service as superintendent of the railway mail service, a gold-mounted cane and a set of pipes, accompanied by a check for \$100, were presented this morning to Albert J. Gross by the members of the railway mail staff in the post office.

NURSING SISTER JENNER OF ST. JOHN SERIOUSLY ILL

A cablegram from England this morning brought the distressing news that Nursing Sister L. M. Jenner, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Jenner, was seriously ill and had undergone an abdominal operation. Rev. Mr. Jenner had left the city on a troop train for Toronto, representing the Y. M. C. A., before the message arrived. The service was held in the city on December 10, and was attended at the Cogswell street hospital in Halifax during the disaster there last year. She went overseas in July of this year and has been at the West Cliff Canadian Eye and Ear Hospital in Folkestone.

ON WAY HOME

Mrs. L. Turner, 161 Rodney street, West St. John, has received a cablegram from her grandson in England, Charles Roberts, stating that he is on his way home.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stuart, director of meteorological service. Synopsis—A moderate disturbance is centred over the Great Lakes, causing rain in Ontario and western Quebec. Rain. Maritime—Increasing east and south-east winds, rain tonight and on Sunday, Gulf and North Shore—Winds increasing east, from north to southeast tonight, snow or rain today and on Sunday. New England—Rain tonight and Sunday, warmer tonight in interior; moderate south winds.

BOLESHEVSKI, JOINED BY GERMAN SOLDIERS, MARCH ON CENTRAL EUROPE

Started on Day of Signing of Armistice; Desperate Situation in Estonia; British Ships Reach Reval

Paris, Dec. 14.—(Havas Agency)—Boleshevski troops, consisting of eleven infantry divisions and cavalry and artillery, are marching toward Central Europe on a front of nearly 400 miles from the Gulf of Finland to the Dnieper River, according to dispatches from Berlin. The advance began on November 11, the day the German armistice was signed.

German soldiers, the advices add, are joining the Bolsheviks, who are reported to be destroying everything in their path and capturing material left behind by the Germans in their withdrawal westward. Reports from European capitals in the last week have reported the Bolsheviks advancing through Estonia, which lies immediately south of the Gulf of Finland. The Russians were said to be meeting with but slight success.

NEW REGULATIONS GOVERNING FAIR PRICE COMMITTEES

Preliminary Inquiry By Three Resident Taxpayers

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—Regulations governing municipal price committees are being changed. Under the order-in-council of October 8, the council of any municipality was empowered to appoint a committee of two or more of its officers as a fair price committee. Both the constitution of the fair price committee and the procedure to be followed have now been fixed on a different basis. The method to be adopted in holding an inquiry will be as follows:

WOULD JOIN RHINELAND ON TO FRANCE

Cologne, Dec. 11.—(By the Associated Press)—A new and striking element has been injected in the already complicated political situation in the Rhineland by the alleged organization of a secret party which is working for the annexation of this German territory to France. Overtures will be made to the French government, it is said, to take the Rhineland into France on the same basis as Alsace-Lorraine.

FIND GRAVE OF EDITH CAVELL AND HONOR IS PAID TO BRAVE NURSE

London, Dec. 14.—(British Wireless Service)—The grave of Edith Cavell, English nurse executed by the Germans, is in the Trinitarian Cemetery at Brussels, and is believed to have been definitely located in the hands of the Belgian authorities. On last Tuesday the Belgian community held a commemorative service for the grave. The service was attended by the British minister, who laid on the mound a wreath from King George and Queen Mary, inscribed, "In Memory of a Brave and Splendid English Woman."

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ORDERED TRAINS DERAILED AND ALL ON BOARD KILLED

Barbaric Order Too Much For German Commander

HE FELL IN A FAINT

Berlin High Command Ready to go to Any Lengths to Check Revolution When it Broke Out at Kiel

Rotterdam, Dec. 14.—Documents which revealed for the first time the desperate attempt the high military authorities in Berlin made to frustrate the German revolution have come into the hands of the Telegrams' Berlin correspondent. It appears that the greatest efforts were directed toward preventing sailors who mutinied at Kiel and Hamburg and who killed their officers, from reaching Berlin. An attempt was made to cut off railway communication between the northwest and Berlin, but this failed, indeed, all the efforts of the military authorities.

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BELGIANS OCCUPY PART OF DUSSELDORF

Dusseldorf, Rhineland Prussia, Dec. 10.—(By the Associated Press)—The part of Dusseldorf lying on the western bank of the Rhine has been occupied by Belgian troops, who also hold the great bridge across the river.

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OLYMPIC GETS GREAT RECEPTION AT HALIFAX; MINNEDOSA AT THIS PORT WITH SOLDIERS

Giant Liner Brings More Than 5,000; New C.P.R. Ship Has Long List

Halifax, Dec. 14.—H. M. transport Olympic, with upwards of 5,000 returning Canadian soldiers on board, docked at 10 o'clock this morning after a stormy run of six days from Southampton. She was given a noisy welcome by the craft in the harbor and the throngs lining the waterfront. Lieut. Col. Monteith was in command of the returning veterans, who included Lieut. Col. W. A. Bishop, V. C., D. S. O., M. C., D. F. C., of Toronto.

The work of disembarkation was begun at 11 o'clock and the first men to come down the gangplank were the waitresses, who will be immediately routed to Quebec by three special trains, and cleared there. Twelve special trains were in waiting to forward the Olympic's passengers to their destinations. These included several for the accommodation of civilian passengers.

STIRRING TIME AS MINNEDOSA REACHES POINT

The new C. P. O. S. liner Minnedosa arrived in port this morning on her maiden voyage, with 251 officers, 647 of other ranks and 488 civilians in addition to 1,707 bags of mail, 2,151 packages of parcel post, and 1,800 tons of general cargo. A large number of citizens met the steamer and great enthusiasm prevailed as the large liner drew up to No. 8 wharf, where she was docked. As the steamer hove in sight the Depot battalion band struck up "Oh Canada," and other patriotic numbers, which evoked hearty cheers from the returned soldiers who lined her decks. The C. P. R. had special trains in waiting, but it was some time before they left the city owing to the delay in signing up, paying off, etc., of the troops on board.

PRETORIAN IN PORT

The C. P. O. S. liner Pretorian arrived this morning from Liverpool with about 800 tons of general cargo and eight carloads of mail for various points throughout Canada. The steamer encountered stormy weather en route, but sailing untroubled to port.

Death of Mrs. Albert H. Ring

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 14.—Mrs. Albert H. Ring died at her home here last night, aged twenty-seven. She died of pneumonia. Her husband, one son and one daughter survive, also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hanson of Burt's Cove, two brothers and one sister.

Machine Gun Sergeant Robertson is one of the original 26th men, and has seen three years' service overseas.

Some of the men have been recalled home, some returned because they are minors and some come back because of lack of suitable employment for them on the other side.

Twenty-six St. John Men

The St. John men in the party are Sgt. K. Robertson, original 26th; Pte. F. J. Comeau, 67th battalion; Pte. J. Wills, 26th; Pte. C. S. Warwick, 4th; Sappers Roy Branscombe, Harry J. Fougere, Aaron W. Jones, Herbert McGrath, LeRoy S. Crum, William Shane, Thomas V. Williams, Walton H. Williams, Charles Wilson, C. R. T. Pte. Andrew Bourgeois, Dr. Walter R. Cameron, Gnr. Gordon R. Clark, Pte. Charles J. Derrier, Pte. Fred A. Doherty, Pte. James Field, Dr. Walter P. Foley, Pte. Harold H. Hickman, Gnr. William Priddy, Gnr. Arnold W. Dykeman, Alonzo Russell, Frederick Smith, Moses Stockley, Frederick L. Green, Henry M. Wheaton and William Williams.

Men for other places in this district are: Lance Corporal P. L. Guest, Anderson; Pte. R. E. Maxwell, Sackville; Sappers Albert R. Adams, Woodstock; Charles E. Chapman, Emerson; Desie S. Diggle, Lower Chatham; Oscar L. De Merchant, Perth; Shepherd C. Petch, Bathurst; Gnr. Ivan C. Alward, Woodstock; Gnr. Fred Bateman, St. Stephen; Pte. Elton Bates, Fredericton; Gnr. David B. Boles, St. Stephen; Pte. Edward S. Bridge, Sussex; Driver Arthur R. Delong, Woodstock; Pte. Isidore Hachey, Bathurst; Emerson B. Hiley, Moncton; Pte. Lawrence A. Hanson, St. Stephen; Gnr. Gurney S. Horsman, Moncton; Pte. George J. Morris, Woodstock; Pte. Francis J. McLean, St. Andrews; Pte. John Rodgers, Bathurst; Sgt. Charles Phenny, Woodstock; Gnr. James C. Walker, Fredericton; Gnr. Hector M. Smith, Campbellton; Pte. Harper M. Sproul, Fredericton; Pte. James D. White, Chatham.

For Nova Scotia.

There were fifty-three men for Nova Scotia, in charge of Lieut. W. Blair of Pictou, who went over with the 28th battery early in the war. This party got away on the afternoon train and some of them will reach their homes tonight.

TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN FRANK NELSON AT GEM TONIGHT

Four Other Big Acts and Two Pictures in Bumper Bill

Hark back to a few years ago when St. John was getting seasons of light opera and who will come sooner to mind than Frank D. Nelson? Well, he's at the Gem tonight, that rich, dramatic baritone; he and Minnie Louise Storm in a rare specialty of music and costume of a novelty. There are two double acts and a single also—fun, acrobatic, music, chatter, all the elements of a bumper vaudeville show, together with a Fattie News picture and Harold Lloyd in a daisy of a comedy. Some bill! Tonight at 7.15 and 8.45.

GOOD PROGRAMME AT PALACE MONDAY

Monday and Tuesday the Palace Theatre offers an exceptionally good programme, including the second episode of the "Lion's Claw" serial; a two act "Singapore" story featuring True Boardman in a good western; Little Mary McAlister in a two part children's picture and last, but not least, another of those "Misty Suffer" comedies.

IMPERIAL RESUMES MONDAY

Imperial Theatre will resume its regular policy of mixed programmes and special prices on Monday when the graph feature, "The Wedding of Princess Fat", the weekly review and comedy pictures will be shown, also the delayed "Flight for Millions". In the afternoon commencing Monday, Santa Claus will be present to conduct the holiday contest among boys and girls for \$75 worth of toys.

Y.M.C.A. FREE SERVICE FOR RETURNING MEN AT DISEMBARKATION POINTS

Toronto, Dec. 14.—Comprehensive plans for the carrying on of the Y. M. C. A. work during demobilization were discussed at a conference of Y. M. C. A. secretaries for Ontario and Quebec here yesterday. Representatives were present from as far east as Halifax and as far west as Vancouver. General Secretary Bishop said that the military work of the Y. M. C. A. during the last three and a half years, in spite of criticisms, proved itself in the eyes of the public. L. P. Money, chairman of the military committee, outlined plans for the demobilization period. The association had planned immediately to adjust its organization to serve returning men. To cope with the task it would be necessary to focus the Y. M. C. A. machinery throughout the country. At ports of disembarkation the Y. M. C. A. will co-operate with other welfare agencies in maintaining a free service of comfort and hot drinks.

Get the Most Out of Your Food. The digestive organs absolutely need the influence of pure blood for the proper performance of their functions. Persons that sleep in small, ill-ventilated rooms complain of little or no appetite in the morning and of disagreeable dryness of the mouth and throat. Why? Because, as a result of breathing air that is impure, their blood is impure and fails to give their digestive organs the stimulus they must have for perfect work. It is necessary that we should have pure blood if we want to get all the good out of what we eat that there is in it and to get it comfortably. Hood's Sarsaparilla is distinguished for making pure, vitalizing blood, perfecting the digestion and building up the whole system. Get it today.

THE NON-HOUSEKEEPING FOLK. One reason for the fact that London is so crowded is the fact that the smallest boarding house in the suburbs, is that thousands of people are breaking up their homes because of the difficulties of house-keeping, and are not likely to return to it. Thousands more—young people who have married since the war have not started house-keeping and don't intend to. It is a pity, says A. M. B., in the Liverpool Post, especially where women are concerned, since there is no life quite as bad as that of the boarding house or hotel for making a human being selfish and self-centred, narrow-minded, and conceited. In the home, as a rule, it is not the woman who grows selfish.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

CUSACK—At their home, in Rothery avenue, on Dec. 13, to Mr. and Mrs. M. Stephen Casack, a son—Stephen Byrne.

DEATHS

WINDLE—In this city, on the 14th inst., Mary, widow of Michael Windle, leaving two sons and four daughters to mourn. (Boston papers please copy.) Funeral on Monday morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late residence, 112 Rockland road, to St. Peter's church for requiem high mass. (The Evening Times please copy.)

BURNS—At Pawling, N. Y., on Dec. 18th, suddenly, of pneumonia, Cecelia (Allingham) wife of David Burns, leaving her husband and one child, mother and four sisters to mourn.

EMERY—Suddenly, at her residence, 66 Thorne Ave., on Dec. 14, Mrs. Sarah Emery, widow of the late Wm. Emery. Notice of funeral later.

WATSON—In this city on the 14th inst., Elizabeth Watson, aged forty-eight years. Funeral tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon at 3.30 from Chamberlain's undertaking parlors. Friends invited to attend.

IN MEMORIAM

CORVEE—In loving memory of Mary Corvee, who departed this life Dec. 15, 1917, aged seven years, at Milford, N. B. FAMILY.

LOCAL NEWS

For sale—Two black sleigh robes. Apply 55 Hazen. 89788-12-18.

EXPERIENCED CLERK Wanted—clerk, one with experience in men's clothing and furnishing; good position for right man. State experience and salary expected. Apply Box V 39, Times.

NOTICE School District No. 13, Milford; all school taxes not paid before the 31st day of December, all bills will be handed to a constable to collect with cost. Secretary, J. Harry Gale.

LUGRIN PHOTO STUDIO Beautiful portraits; free sittings day or night.—38 Charlotte street.

SEWING MACHINE. The White King, the best sewing machine manufactured in Canada. Rotary and Vibrator, 25c. puts a machine in your home. We repair and rent machines. Sell needles for all makes. Furnishers Limited, 169 Charlotte street, M. W. Parke, manager, Phone 8652.

POYAS WRIST WATCHES Our \$10 wrist watch is a real beauty. Gold filled case, extension bracelet, Swiss movement, gilt dial, nicely finished. Our 15 jeweled wrist watch at \$15 is undoubtedly the best watch for the money in the city; other wrist watches \$19 and \$25 in solid gold, \$39 and upwards to \$150, set with diamonds. Everything in wrist watches.—Foyas & Company, 12 King Street.

VALUABLE AGENCY SECURED IN ST. JOHN

The citizens of St. John will be pleased to know that the Townshend Piano Company has secured the selling rights for the famous Brunswick Phonograph. This instrument stands decidedly in a class by itself, is made by one of the most reliable firms in the country. The cabinets are especially pleasing in design, and for tone quality it is beyond comparison. To appreciate what a distinct improvement the Brunswick Phonograph is over all other talking machines, gramophones and phonographs on the market, one has only to hear a few selections played on the Brunswick. The Townshend Piano Company offers the public an invitation to come in at any time and hear a demonstration, whether or not you are in the market to buy an instrument.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

What more practical than a handsome Gage or Pisk hat from the many distinctive styles of which there are only one of a kind. Every hat reduced in price.—Widely ribbon banded, colored velvet hat, fifty cents each, worth three dollars each. Children's hats, made of velvet, assortment of colors, sizes two to ten years, ninety-five cents each, instead of two dollars. Thousands of untrimmed velvet hats, fifty and a dollar each. Skilled milliners and designers are at your service to assist you in your selection.—Ostrich feathers, white, black and colored, will make sensible Christmas presents. Our very low prices are the results of our enormous buying powers. MARR MILLINERY CO. LTD.

COUGHED, COUGHED ALL NIGHT LONG

Terribly wearying on the system is the cough that comes at night and prevents sleep. Sometimes it is a constant cough, cough that will not be quieted. Sometimes it is a choked-up, stuffy feeling that makes breathing difficult, and sleep impossible. Whatever kind of a cold or cough you have, Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is the remedy you need to cure it, for the simple reason that this valuable preparation combines all the lung healing virtues of the Norway pine tree with which is combined wild cherry bark, and the soothing, healing and expectorant properties of other excellent herbs and barks. Miss Margaret Landry, Bristol, P. E. I., writes: "I am writing to tell you the benefit I have received from Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Last fall I took a severe cough and cold in my head. I was unable to do anything. At night I could not sleep, but cough, cough, all night long. A friend advised me to use Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and before the second bottle was used, I was entirely cured, and I have found this the best cough medicine I can buy." Do not accept any other "pine" preparations when you ask for "Dr. Wood's." This remedy has been on the market for a quarter of a century. It is put up in yellow wrapper; three pine trees the trade mark; price 25c and 50c. Made by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

GILBERT'S SPECIALS 70c pkge Lipton Tea . . . 57c 100 Cubes . . . 9 & 21c tin Orange Marmalade Starck . . . 30c Grape Fruit Marmalade . . . 15c Old Dutch Cleanser . . . 9c 15c Bottle Amonia . . . 11c 12c pkge Lux . . . 10c XMAS PLUM PUDDINGS Made by Franco-American Food Co. Finest Quality. 50, 75c & \$1.15 each DRESSED DOLLS (with orders) Six different styles, sixteen inches high, good value \$1.50. SALE PRICE 98c

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

The D'Aliard Manufacturing Co., Makers of Blouses, Opens Its Sixteenth Canadian Store in St. John

A new store opened its doors to the women of this city yesterday when the D'Aliard Manufacturing Co., Ltd., placed before the public its sixteenth store at 10 King Street, near the Imperial Theatre. The D'Aliard Stores now stretch from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and deal exclusively in blouses.

The remarkable success of this firm is due to the fact that by manufacturing their own blouses in their own factory and selling through their own stores and by mail order, they are able to offer blouses at practically wholesale prices.

D'Aliards employ specialists in each phase of blouse making and before a blouse is offered to the public it must pass the critical inspection of experts. The designing staff keeps continually in touch with New York, and in this way are able to offer the identical styles the supplying of all their stores with new blouses twice a week, which will appeal to the casual shopper as being quick service regarding style and offers to the discriminating women the opportunity to buy what they desire as often as may seem fit.

The prices are named at the factory and a certain blouse is priced the same in St. John that it is on the Pacific coast. Their store at 10 King Street will appeal to the shopper because of its compactness and brightness and although the store sold its first blouse to St. John yesterday the staff has been busy handling the small army of purchasers.

CONDENSED NEWS

Konstantin Echembach, president of the Reichstag, has convoked a meeting of that assembly, time and place not stated.

Sherbrooke, Dec. 14.—Robert A. Costes of Cookshire, Que., nine years old, was killed last night when playing with a rifle.

Fred Malloy, an aged citizen of Lennoxville, Que., was killed by a G. T. R. train at a railway crossing at Lennoxville last night.

Welcome For Wilson. Paris, Dec. 14.—President Wilson made his entrance into Paris at 10.15 o'clock this morning. His arrival at the capital was greeted with a salvo of artillery in salute.

PERSONALS

Dr. A. E. Macaulay has returned home after a two weeks trip to Boston and New York.

Mrs. S. B. Wass of Moncton is visiting Mrs. Neil J. McLaughlin at the Portland Methodist parsonage.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that South West Island Light is not burning. Will be relighted soon as possible. CHAS. H. HARVEY, Agent, Marine and Fisheries Dept. 12-18

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LOCAL NEWS

IS COMING HOME

A cablegram received this morning by Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Kuhring brought the good news that their son, Lieut. Gustav F. Kuhring, who was wounded at Valenciennes on Nov. 1, is sailing for home. He went over in February, 1918, with the 28th battery.

DIED TODAY.

Mrs. Mary Windle, widow of Michael Windle, died at her residence, 112 Rockland road, this morning. Her death will be learned with regret. She leaves two sons, Thomas and John, of this city and four daughters—Mrs. Matthew Perry, general agent, Montreal; P. R. Geary and Mrs. Arthur Porter of this city and Misses Annie and Grace at home. The funeral will take place on Monday morning.

THE LATE MRS. DAVID BURNS

Word came yesterday from Pawling, N. Y., telling of the sudden death of Mrs. David Burns, formerly Miss Cecelia Allingham of this city. She died of pneumonia. Besides her husband and one child she is survived by her mother, Mrs. Mary Allingham of North End, and four sisters, Helen and Josephine in New York, and Alice and Regina of this city.

C. P. R. OFFICIALS HERE

A party of C. P. R. officials arrived in the city on the Montreal train this afternoon. They included Captain Walsh, marine superintendent; W. H. Stoll, general passenger agent; Montreal, P. R. Annable, Mr. Phelps and J. O. Apps.

MRS. ANNIE D. DAMERY.

The death of Mrs. Annie D. Damery took place yesterday afternoon at her residence, 234 Charlotte street. Her husband formerly was caretaker of Martello Tower. She is survived by one daughter, at home; one brother, Albert E. Davis, of Oak Bay, and one sister, Mrs. George E. Dow, of St. Stephen, N. B. Her funeral place this afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. D. H. Loweth. Interment was made in Fernhill.

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of Miss Gertrude Sheehan took place this afternoon from her parents' residence, 94 Paradise row, to Holy Trinity church, where services were conducted by Very Rev. J. J. Walsh, V. G. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of William Forbes took place this afternoon from his late residence, East St. John. Services were conducted by Rev. J. A. MacKeigan and interment was made in Cedar Hill.

The funeral of Miss Helen S. Dunham took place this afternoon from her late residence, 29 Kennedy street. Services were conducted by Rev. I. W. Williamson. Interment was made in Cedar Hill.

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OUTLOOK GOOD FOR COLLECTIONS OF ROSEBUD DAY

Today, Rosebud Day, conducted under the auspices of the St. John Local Council of Women for raising funds for the Children's Aid Home, got away for the Children's Aid Home, got away for the Children's Aid Home, got away for the Children's Aid Home.

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HERE FROM OTTAWA

Sir Douglas Hazen returned today from Ottawa, where he attended a conference which was planning the inauguration of the war savings stamps campaign.

HON. MR. CARVELL GOES TO WOODSTOCK

Hon. Mr. Carvell was a passenger on the C. P. R. express from Montreal, but proceeded to Woodstock. He is expected to visit St. John at the first of the week.

Mrs. Wm. A. Till Dead.

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 14.—Mrs. William A. Till of Geary died last night at her home, aged thirty-four. She is survived by her husband, three daughters and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Smith of Geary, also two sisters and four brothers.

Look at your Hands!

SNAP will clean them after firing up the furnace. Everybody likes it.

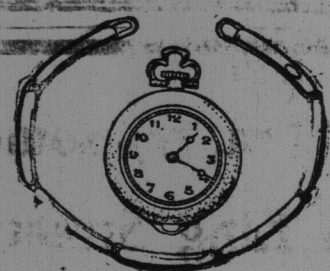


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I will be there every day from Monday next until early Christmas morning, when I will depart from there and call at your home while you are asleep.

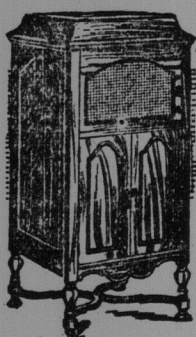
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3 lb. tin . . . 87c.	10 lb. tin . . . \$2.75
5 lb. tin . . . \$1.43	

FLOUR—	
98 lb. bag Five Roses	\$6.05
24 lb. bag Purity	\$1.65

TEA—	
Lipton's	49c.
Red Rose	59c.

COFFEE—	
Red Rose	50c.
Lipton's	42c.
Royal Crown	45c.
Chase & Sanborn's	47c.

Matches	Simms' Little Beauty
For 23c.	Brooms
	97c. Each

POTATOES	
Per peck, 33c.	85 lb. bag, \$1.85
10 lbs. Extra Choice Onions for	25c.
Carrots	30c. peck
Turnips	18c. peck

Shrimps	Lobsters
Extra Fine Florida Shrimp	The Very Best, Unlabeled,
21c. Tin	28c. Tin

CANNED GOODS	
Tomatoes	19c.
Corn	21c.
Clams	18c.
Salmon (1 lb.)	25c.
Peas	14c.
Pumpkin	11c.
Wax Beans	19c.
Salmon (1 1/2 lb.)	14c.
Norwegian Sardines, in pure Olive Oil	25c.
California Sardines, in pure Olive Oil	21c.

PURE GOLD—	
Thyme, Sage and Summer Savory	Only 10c. tin

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Only 10c. Per Bottle	38c. Per Dozen

Pure Lemon or Vanilla (40 oz. bottle)	35c.
2 Bottles Tomato Catsup	25c.
Worcestershire Sauce	10c. Bottle
2 Tins Custard or Egg Powder for	23c.

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Mustard, Sweet and Sour, Mixed	Large Bottle, 21c.
Fruit Syrups—All flavors	27c. Bottle

20 LB. BAG OATMEAL	PANCAKE FLOUR
\$1.39	15 Pkgs.

BAKING POWDERS	
Royal—12 oz.	43c.
Royal—6 oz.	23c.
Jersey Cream—12 oz.	25c.
Magic—16 oz.	33c.
Gold Seal—16 oz.	25c.
Dearborn—4 oz.	10c.

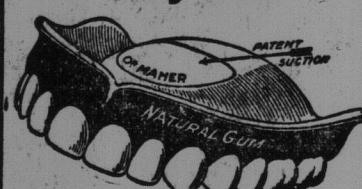
Machine Sliced Windsor Bacon	50c. lb.
Fancy Roll Bacon	45c. lb.
Borden's Eagle Brand Milk	22c. Tin
2 Tins Borden's Evaporated Milk for	25c.
4 Rolls Toilet Paper for	23c.
1-2 lb. Pkgs. Lipton's Cocoa for	19c.

ROSEBUD BEETS	SMALL WHITE BEANS
In Tins—Very Fine	Only 25c. Quart
1/2c. Each	\$1.95 Peck

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3 Cakes Fairy or Lifebuoy	22c.
3 Cakes Lenox	22c.
3 Tins Old Dutch	26c.

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49 lb. bag Ogilvie Flour	3.15
24 lb. bag Ogilvie Flour	1.59
98 lb. bag Purity Flour	6.45
24 lb. bag Purity Flour	1.68
Sugar (with orders)	
9 lbs. Granulated	\$1.00
9 1/2 lbs. Brown Sugar	1.00
5 lbs. boxes Lantic Baker's Cocoa	50c.
2 lbs. Cut Loaf	29c.
Mixed Peels, per lb.	49c.
Oro Brand Seedless Raisins	14c. pkg.
2 lb. pkg. Muscat Raisins	35c. box
1 lb. box Muscat Raisins	18c.
2 pkg. Mince Meat	27c.
2 lbs. Lowrey's or Baker's Cocoa	27c.
2 pkgs. Corn Starch	25c.
2 cans Egg Powder	25c.
2 cans Custard Powder	25c.
1 lb. good Prunes	23c.
1 lb. Evaporated Apples	19c.
8 lbs. good Onions	23c.
1/2 lbs. Onions	25c.
1/2 lb. small White Beans	27c.
4 lbs. Gran. Cornmeal	25c.
4 lbs. Corn Flour	25c.
4 lbs. Rye Flour	25c.
3 bottles Flavoring	25c.

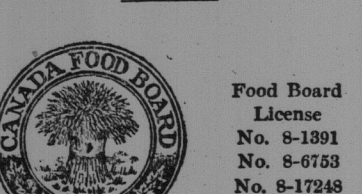
PICKLES.	
18c. to 35c. per Bottle.	
3 pkgs. Malt-Vita	27c.
1 pkg. White Swan Self-rising Buck-wheat	20c.

SHORTENINGS.	
20 lb. pall Shortening	\$5.85
5 lb. pall Shortening	1.48
3 lb. pall Shortening	89c.
1 lb. tin Crisco	35c.
3 lb. tin Crisco	92c.
Choice Country Butter	52c. lb.
10 lb. lots	49c. lb.

JAMS.	
80c. pails Pure Fruit Jam for	65c.
25c. bottles Jam for	19c.
35c. bottles Pure Raspberry Jam for 29c.	
35c. bottles Orange Marmalade for 29c.	
25c. bottles Orange Marmalade for 19c.	
15c. tumbler Orange Marmalade for 13c.	
TEAS.	
Red Rose, King Cole and Red Clover, 60c. lb.	
Tiger Tea	55c. lb.
5 lb. lots	55c. lb.

CANNED GOODS.	
1 lb. tins Carnation Salmon	25c.
Per dozen	\$2.75
1 lb. tins Auto Brand Salmon	22c.
Per dozen	\$2.40
1/2 lb. tins Gemma's Salmon	35c.
Per dozen	\$1.75
2 cans Pumpkin	23c.
Special Hunt's Peaches	19c.
Per dozen	\$2.00
Campbell's Tomato Soup, per can	17c.
Per dozen	\$1.95
Peas, per can	15c.
Per dozen	\$1.75
Corn, per can	22c.
2 cans St. Charles Ev. Milk	27c.
1 can Mayflower Milk	19c.

SOAPS.	
3 cakes Gold or Surprise	25c.
3 cakes Lenox Soap	21c.
4 pkgs. Babbitt's Soap Powder	25c.
4 pkgs. Ammonia Powder	25c.
4 pkgs. Surprise Soap Powder	25c.
4 pkgs. Pearline	25c.
5 cans Babbitt's Cleanser	25c.
3 cans Old Dutch Cleanser	27c.
3 lbs. Buckwheat Flour	25c.
Onions, per bag 75 lbs.	\$2.78
25 lb. boxes (90 to 100) Prunes	\$3.28
Mixed Nuts, per lb.	31c.
Fruit Syrup, per bottle	\$1.75
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.50 Bottles	For 47
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15c. Cake	\$.40 Box
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Toilet Waters	25, 40, 50, 65, 75c
Smelling Salts 35—Cologne 25 & 50	

SACHET POWDERS	
Azurea, Djer Kiss, Le Trefle, Trifolia, sold in 15c pkgs or larger.	

Combined Comfort Packages	
Week End Size	35c.
Ladies' Large Size	79c.
Soldiers' and Travellers Kit	89c.

Gifts for Men	
50c. William's Shaving Sticks	43c.
Other Sticks	25, 35, 45
Shaving Brushes 25, 35, 45, 75c up to \$2.00.	
Shaving Mirrors, 25c, 60c and \$1.35	

SHAVING SETS	
Mirror—Mug—Brush—Soap—Complete on Stand.	
1.75 & \$2.25 each	

RAZOR BLADES	
6 Gillette's	45c-12
6 Ever Ready	45c-12
6 Star	45c-5 Durham

Gillette Safety Razors	\$5.00
Near Gillette's (use same blades)	2.50
Durham Duplex Razor 40c & 1.50	
Auto Stop Razor	5.00
Ever Ready & Star Razors	1.19
Special Safety Razor	1.00

RAZOR STROPS.	
50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00	
STROPPING MACHINES	
For all Razors and Blades	
\$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$1.89	

After Shave Lotion	25c & 50c
LUNCH BOXES, with Vacuum Tea Bottles,	\$4.75 & \$5.35

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98 lbs. Royal Household Flour	\$6.25
98 lbs. King's Quality	6.25
24 lb. bags Royal	1.69
24 lb. bags King's Quality	1.69
Gold Soap 9c.	3 for 25c.
Ivory Soap 9c.	3 for 25c.
Cosmos Soap 8c.	4 for 30c.
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Tomatoes (large cans)	20c. can
Corn	20c. can
Pears	14c. can
Pumpkin, 13c., two cans	25c.
Sardines 9c., 3 cans	25c.
Heather Salmon	25c. can
Baked Beans, large can	19c.
Baked Beans, medium	15c.
Baked Beans, small 9c., 3 cans	25c.
Mayflower Salmon	30c. can
Khovah Custard Powder 13c., 2 cans	25c.
Khovah Egg Powder 13c., 2 cans, 25c.	
2 bottles Tomato Catsup	25c.
2 bottles W. Sauce	25c.
New Mince Meat	18c. lb.
Prunes 14c., 2 lbs.	25c.
Evaporated Apples	23c. lb.
2 lb. pkg. Lantic Sugar	21c.
3 pkgs. Bee Jelly Powder	25c.
White Swan Jelly Powder, 10c. pkg.	
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The Evening Times and Star

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THEIR GOLDEN AGE

The evidence of Hon. James A. Murray, to the effect that the late Premier Clarke suggested payment of the patriotic potato deficit out of party funds, and that he, Mr. Murray, joyously assented, is not only interesting but instructive.

withdrawn from the government and denounced its course. They will even be unkind enough to say that the most graceful thing Mr. Murray and Mr. Jones could now do would be to retire to private life.

IN THE NEW DAYS

But where are those patriots now? Is there still a large and eager fund seeking an outlet into patriotic channels for the public good, and only awaiting the defeat of the penurious Foster government to flow in a beneficent stream as in the brave days of old—Carleton county, Westmorland county, York county, and all the other counties? It is easy to see that if no deficits occurred and frequent little gifts of \$32,000 were made to the province out of the party fund there would soon be no need of taxes.

Rev. Peter Bryce of Toronto preaches a social gospel that must appeal to all who hear or read his utterances. In a recent address he said: "The function of the government is changed from being a policeman, to providing for the needs of the people. The function of society is for the strong members to support the weak. We are living in new days when our problems will be dealt with in a new way and we must adopt fundamental basic principles on which to work in helping to build up one of the greatest nations in the world. I am looking with great hope into the future. We must have a co-ordination of all social and philanthropic work. We must also cultivate the community spirit and common standard of living and appeal for a minimum wage law in order that a man may maintain his family in efficiency. Mothers' pensions are among other important items, also health insurance, unemployment insurance, and old age pensions. Old age and ill-health are the grim spectres of unemployment and they must be removed. Every child has a right to be well born and enjoy home life. I hope the day will soon be past when the children of widows are put in the homes and women are forced to put their infants in the creche. No mother can be a bread-winner and a homemaker. Girls in the future must be fitted for home-makers and motherhood while our boys must be fitted to be good providers in the home. Our public schools must become more and more community centres where lectures will be given to the fathers and mothers as well as the children, where they will have instilled in them the ideals of Canadian home life."

THE PATRIOTIC POTATOES

The story of the patriotic potatoes is now fairly well known to the people. The summing up of the evidence and the commissioner's report thereon will clearly bring out the salient points, but those who have followed the evidence known in a general way how the former provincial government caused a large deficit by the potato transaction and tried to cover it up by using funds received from Mr. W. B. Tennant, who got them from Valley Railway contractors in such a manner as to cause the present government to take action for recovery.

All over Canada men and women are thinking deeply upon these things, whether they have as yet the broad vision of the Toronto preacher or only a growing consciousness of social wrongs to be righted. The era of reconstruction will only yield adequate results if all the people get this wider vision of united action along lines of social betterment, where selfishness is largely eliminated and the whole standard of living, of conduct and of duty is raised to higher levels.

Having decided to contribute potatoes as a war-time gift for shipment overseas the department of which Hon. James A. Murray was the head appears to have gone on purchasing potatoes after the gift requirements were filled, and for no other reason, so far as anybody can see, than that selling potatoes to the government was a very good business for Mr. B. Frank Smith and some other friends of the government. There was no particular inspection of the potatoes' bought. Many had to be thrown away, others were shipped to Cuba at a heavy loss. But the men who sold to the government got their profits, and these appear to have been real war-time profits.

A SLUGGISH LIVER CAUSED SEVERE HEADACHES

Being somewhat reluctant to tell the whole story to the people, Mr. Murray conferred with Premier Clarke. The latter, according to Mr. Murray, suggested that the deficit be made up from party funds, and Mr. Murray says he remarked that these funds could be put to no finer use. Of course he could not then foresee the little statement placed before Commissioner McQueen on Thursday as follows:— To Westmorland county, R. Trites, \$10,000. Carleton county, Wallace Gibson, \$6,000. Salary of organizer, \$1,000. Expenses, \$887.82. Paid to J. H. Crockett for Gleaner, \$10,000. Paid J. B. Daggett, \$83,900. Total, \$61,582.82. However, Mr. Murray was not only satisfied but delighted with the party fund suggestion. He did not want the province to lose the money. And Mr. Jones's statement shows that the money did not go out of the province. What more could any reasonable man ask? No one can fail to be struck by the consistency of Mr. Murray in not wanting to burden the people with a lot of talk about something of no interest to them, and also in desiring to relieve the public accounts committee from any worry over a matter so trivial as this potato transaction. It was most considerate on his part, and cannot fail to be appreciated by a discriminating public. Mr. Murray further testifies that there was a lot he did not know about the financing that was going on in his department. How could he be expected to burden his mind and memory with little things of that sort? It was for him to make the deserts blossom and homes to spring up in fertile areas, filled with joyous immigrants eager to build up the province.

The duty of the liver is to prepare and secrete bile and serve as a filter to the blood, cleansing it of all impurities and poisons. Healthy bile in sufficient quantity is Nature's provision to secure regular action of the bowels, and when the liver is sluggish it is not working properly, and does not manufacture enough bile to thoroughly act on the bowels and carry off the waste products from the system, hence the bowels become clogged up, bile gets into the blood, constipation sets in, followed by sick and bilious headaches, coated tongue, bad breath, heartburn, water brash, bad taste in the mouth in the morning, jaundice, floating specks before the eyes, etc. Miss Dian Clark, Myer's Cave, Ont., writes: "I take pleasure in writing you concerning the good I have received by using Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills for a sluggish liver. When my liver got bad I would have severe headaches, but I got better after I had used a couple of vials of your pills." Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills gently unlock the secretion, clear away all waste and effete matter by acting directly on the liver, and make the bile pass through the bowels instead of allowing it to get into the blood. Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills are a 25c. vial at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Morning News Over the Wires. Odessa, the principal Russian port on the Black Sea, is being evacuated by the Germans. The disarmament of Von Mackensen's army is spreading systematically. The municipal council of Paris yesterday decided to confer on Woodrow Wilson the title of a citizen of Paris. Lloyd George, in a statement issued last night, said that he stood for the abolition of conscript armies in all lands. Major-General Selmond, commanding the air forces in the middle east, accompanied by Captain Ross Smith, have completed a flight from Cairo to Karachi, India, a distance of 2,548 miles, in thirty-six hours actual flying time. The machine used previously had been flown from England to Egypt.

Influenza! should be carefully guarded against. A mild spray and gargle mixture of water and JOHNSON'S Anodyne LINIMENT for the nose and throat with an occasional dose taken internally may safeguard you from serious results and halt the evil in its first stage. This famous old physician's prescription is an Enemy to Germs

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LIGHTER VEIN. John Scored. She stood and glared at him. "And you mean to stand there and ask me to press your trousers?" she demanded. "Why, yes, my dear," responded Mr. Stubb. "Is that asking too much?" "I should say it is, John Henry Stubb. I'd have you to know that when you married me you did not marry a fat-iron."

RECENT DEATHS. The death of Mrs. Cecelia A. Burns, wife of David Burns, formerly of St. John, occurred very suddenly of pneumonia in Bawling, N. Y. Lake Goodfellow, son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Goodfellow, of South Esk, N. B., died yesterday after a short illness. He was nineteen years old. James McEwen, aged about seventy years, dropped dead yesterday morning shortly after arriving at the Dominion pulp mill in Bathurst. Death was due to heart trouble. Mrs. Jessie McKee, widow of John McKee of McKee's Mills, Kent county, died in Moncton recently. She was seventy-one years old. James Kerr of Summer Hill, N. B., has received word of the death of his brother, Adam C. Kerr, of British Columbia. Mr. Kerr was a resident of Summer Hill until about eight years ago, when he went west. He was about forty-five years old. Pictures and Roll of Their Heroes. Marlborough Lodge, No. 207, Sons of England, elected officers on Tuesday evening, resulting as follows: President, F. J. Punter; vice-president, F. J. Byfield; chaplain, W. C. Parker; secretary, Chas. Leiford; treasurer, G. H. Lewis; committee, E. J. Pettis, A. Wood, A. L. H. Stephens, C. W. Tull, B. W. Thorne, R. Dickey; inside guard, D. G. Spencer; outside guard, E. A. Denby; trustees, B. W. Thorne, T. H. Carter, R. I. Carlous;

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11th pmt	25c	20th pmt	\$1.30	25th pmt	\$1.50
12th pmt	25c	21st pmt	\$1.30	26th pmt	\$1.50
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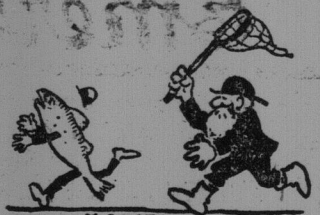


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Food Board Flash

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First Officer—Yes, we were marching over a plank bridge when it gave way, and the men fell in. Second Officer—And what did you do? First Officer—I ordered them to fall out.

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Luxor Temple of the Mystic Shrine held a ceremonial session in their rooms, Masonic building, Germain street, last evening. The degree was conferred on seven candidates. Following the conferring of the degrees refreshments were served.

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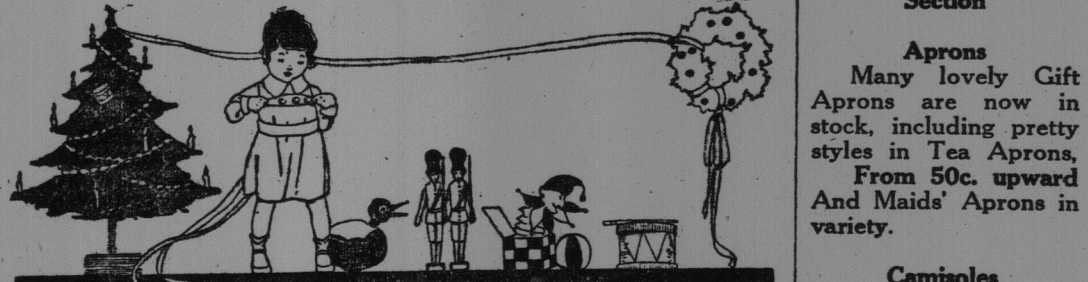
(Toronto Star.)
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TEN DAYS BEFORE XMAS

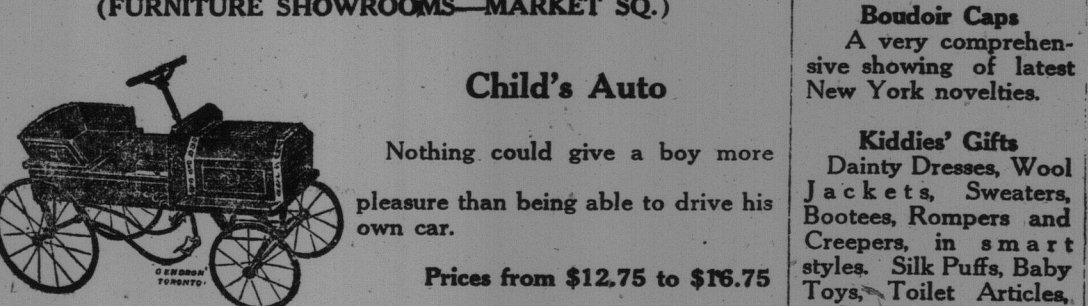
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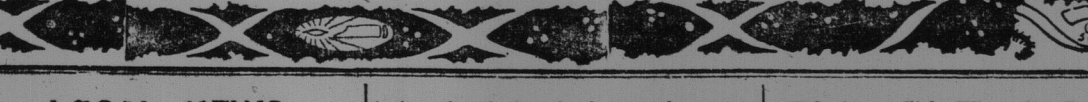
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Hon. Dr. Roberts, minister of public health; Dr. G. G. Melvin, chief medical officer of the province, and Dr. Desmond of Newcastle, district health officer for the eastern district of the province, held a conference in Moncton yesterday with the representatives of the municipal council of Westmorland and the city board of health, preparatory to organizing the county under the new provincial health act.

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He has had big handbills from the seething port of Krupp's. He has important interests in the huge German shipping companies. He possesses forests and estates of great value. He is interested in potteries at Cadinen, a stud farm in East Prussia, and a brewery in Hanover. The ex-Kaiser possessed about forty palaces and had fourteen estates scattered through seven provinces. Much of all this will be taken from him (says the Daily Express), but his private purse will still be an opulent one.

Two ladies boarded a crowded tramcar and were obliged to stand. One of them, to steady herself, took hold of what she supposed was her friend's hand. After standing thus for a few minutes she looked down and discovered to her embarrassment that she was holding a man's hand.

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FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.
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Table with columns: Close, Open, Noon. Lists various stocks like Am Car & Fdy, Am Locomotive, Am Beet Sugar, etc.

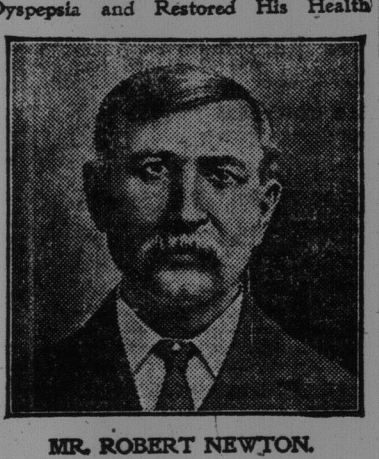
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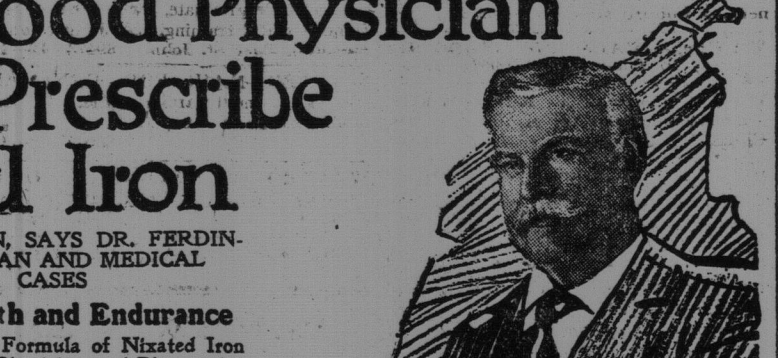
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LOCAL NEWS

MARRIAGES AND BIRTHS.
Eight marriages and twenty-four births—sixteen boys and eight girls—were reported to the registrar during the week.

DIED IN WYOMING.
Mrs. W. V. Bryson of this city today received word of the death of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Doody of Cheyenne, Wyoming. She leaves to mourn besides her husband, four sons and four daughters. Mrs. Doody was a daughter of the late Francis Boudreau of Bathurst.

PROBATE COURT.
In the probate court before Judge McInerney yesterday, in the matter of the estate of Mrs. Dora A. Ingram, widow, who died leaving four small children, William E. Wolfe and Hugh Ingram were appointed administrators. L. P. D. Tilley, K. C., proctor.

AN APPOINTMENT.
J. H. King, a returned soldier, has been appointed district representative of the provincial agricultural department for Albert, Westmorland and Kent counties, to succeed E. M. Taylor, who has been appointed specialist on soils and fertilizers for the province.

THIRTY-FOUR DEATHS.
Thirty-four deaths were reported to the board of health during the week as follows:—Pneumonia, eight; influenza, five; broncho pneumonia, six; scarlet fever, three; endocarditis, consumption, premature birth and senility, two each; mania, meningitis, peritonitis, cerebral hemorrhage, cardiac asthma, fracture of skull and cardiac angina, each one.

ASSIGNED PAY COMES EARLIER.
Checks for the assigned pay of members of the C. E. F. have been arriving in the city this week. As the checks usually do not arrive until about the end of the month, this evidently is a thoughtful act on the part of the authorities in Ottawa to make sure that the soldiers' families will have sufficient funds to celebrate the first peace Christmas in a fitting manner.

MRS. SARAH J. EMERY.
Friends will learn with sincere regret of the death of Mrs. Sarah J. Emery, widow of Wm. Emery, who passed away at an early hour today at her home, 66 Thorne avenue, after a short illness. She leaves three sons, Harold and Earle at home, and William of Winnipeg, also her mother, four brothers and four sisters, to mourn their sad loss.

NOVELTY SHOWER.
About thirty friends of Miss Helen P. Clarke assembled at her home on Thursday evening and tendered her a novelty shower in honor of an interesting event to take place in the near future. Miss Clarke received a beautiful array of cut glass, silver, linen, etc. After a pleasant evening spent in dancing and games, refreshments were served and the party departed with best wishes for her future happiness.

LOYD GEORGE ROUNDLY SCORES AN ELEMENT IN THE LABOR PARTY
(Continued from page 1.)
extremists, but by the great trades unions. Arthur Henderson, interviewed, said that nobody knew better than Mr. Lloyd George that the Labor party in conjunction with the trade union Congress was the only party representing organized workers. There was no evidence in proof of Lloyd George's assertion that the Labor party were Bolsheviks. On the contrary, Mr. Henderson said, he could produce ample evidence that the Labor party sought as earnestly as he for the triumph of democratic principle.

Ramsay MacDonald, speaking at Leicester, said that if the canvass and other indications could be relied upon his victory was absolutely certain. A Bolshevik, John McLean, made his first appearance in Glasgow yesterday, and in an impassioned speech said he was the standard bearer of his class in the great fight against capitalism.

Ballooning for the election of Parliament is in progress throughout Great Britain today. It is a matter of course that Premier Lloyd George will control a safe majority. The Daily Express estimates that his government will win 485 seats, the Nationalists 210 and the Liberals 125, while the opposition parties including Labor will secure 272, giving the prime minister a majority of 163.

Women have been active in the electioneering. There is intense rivalry between Mrs. Lloyd George and Mrs. McKenna, wife of a former chancellor of the exchequer, who is staunch supporter of former Premier Asquith.

Premier Lloyd George has conducted a vigorous campaign in South Wales, violently attacking McKenna in the latter's own constituency and McKenna in reply criticising the prime minister.

Hacked by Soldiers.
At Hitchin Lord Robert Cecil was heckled by soldiers. He said the government did not hurry the election to escape the soldiers' vote.

The reform of the house of lords will be one of the tasks undertaken by the coalition ministry if returned to power in the election taking place in the United Kingdom today, said Chancellor Bonar Law yesterday in Glasgow. He said that they believed that a second chamber with adequate strength was necessary in any democratic country, but it was not intended that it should be a hereditary chamber.

The chancellor further said that the coalition government intended to give the new upper house the strength that could alone come from direct access to the people. He reiterated his previous announcements that the government would see that the empire's naval safety was not imperilled at the peace conference, and said that he was not afraid of Bolshevism in the United Kingdom.

Women in the Contest.
Miss Elizabeth Asquith admitted in some of her speeches that the electors sometimes made candid remarks about her father, but she added, "he doesn't mind."

Bonar Law's daughter at Glasgow, also took part in the campaign.

Miss Christabel Pankhurst, suffragette, promised that when the woman's regime prevailed in parliament every house, no matter how small, would be lighted, heated and served by electricity. The British parliament would be responsible for the electricity that turned the mangles, cooked the meals and warmed the house. Why should women drag coal scuttles about, she asked, stand over steaming wash tubs, spend hours over old-fashioned ranges which not only ate up coal, but cooked the cooks, when by legislation and electricity the burden of the world could be lifted.

THE MARITIME HOME FOR GIRLS

It Now Contains Forty-eight and Must be Enlarged This Year—Excellent Work Done

Rev. V. M. Parry, financial agent of the Maritime Home for Girls, in Truro, was in the city today. Up to last year this Home had accommodation for only twenty-three girls, but it was last year enlarged to care for forty-nine. As there are now forty-eight in the institution a further enlargement is necessary, and it is understood plans have already been prepared. The cottage plan is adopted. Every girl has her own room, and they are given excellent training, not only in school, but at house-work, gardening, care of poultry and the like, so that on release they are quite different girls from those that entered. The property is worth \$40,000, and all paid for. Each of the three provinces gives a grant for the care of girls, and municipalities from which they are sent supplement this, and the major portion of the cost is thus provided for. Miss Strothard, the matron, is most efficient, and the girls are mothered and cared for in the most sympathetic manner, subject to such disciplinary regulations as are necessary in such an institution. The work is most valuable, and many girls who went there because of delinquency are now models of good conduct.

FORMER TIMES MAN SAW END OF WAR IN MONS

Lieutenant of Artillery Writes of Close of Conflict at Front Where British First Met the Huns

Among those who were early in Mons, when that historic town was liberated from the Germans, was Lieut. Frank X. Jennings, a former Times reporter. On the morning of Nov. 11, the day of the armistice, he passed through Mons and saw a scene that he will never forget. He finished at exactly the same point where the British soldiers first met the Germans in 1914. He writes to a friend—"I was told by the people in the house where I slept the evening of Nov. 11 that the first Boche cavalry horse fell immediately in front of their door, killed by a British bullet.

"Our last few days of fighting were more in the nature of triumphal entries. Joyous civilians thronged from their homes and threw flowers to the victorious Canadians and "Vive Angleterre," and "Vive les Canadiens," sounded from all sides. Little girls and women stood in the street with pitchers of beer which they gave the soldiers as they passed. Belgian and French flags blossomed forth from the windows sometimes before the enemy was out of the other end of the village.

He refers to the reports of harsh treatment accorded the British prisoners of war, and says: "We see them every day returning through our lines, some of them showing plainly the effects of their treatment. Many Belgian and French prisoners are also drifting back and pass us in large numbers."

MUST MAKE THE FLAT HABITABLE

Officials Act in Matter of a Brussels Street House

Eight persons in five rooms may not sound so very bad, and as a matter of fact five rooms may be very comfortable quarters for that many people, provided, of course, that the rooms are well lit and heated. But Rev. Mr. Scott, of the Children's Aid Society, in company with Dr. Brown, chief medical health officer for the district, and Inspector McConnell of the local health office, this morning visited a five-room flat which seemed to be the very reverse of comfortable. It was a basement in Brussels street.

To begin with, there was no lock on the door, the knob pulling out of the wood. This was bad enough, but some of the window sashes had been broken out entirely. The place was damp and dark, and it was wonder that everybody there was not sick with cold. After looking over the situation the health officials told the owner that she would have to fix up things a little better or the basement would be boarded up. She will get a few days in which to make the necessary repairs.

RELEASED FROM GERMAN PRISON

E. G. R. Clayton Had Been in Enemy Hands Since June, 1916

J. P. Clayton, superintendent of Fernhill, received a cable from the Canadian Red Cross this morning informing him that his son, Ernest Gerard Ruel Clayton, who has been a prisoner in Germany since June 2, 1916, had arrived in England.

Another son, Joshua S. Clayton, was reported killed in that battle, the third battle of Ypres, which wiped out or wounded nearly all the members of the old 8th C. M. R. from this province. Still another son, Roy E. P. Clayton, is driver for a general of division in France. The family and friends rejoice at the news of the safety of the long-time prisoner in Germany.

G. C. GEARY, ST. JOHN INFANTRYMAN, ILL

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—Casualties: INFANTRY.

Ill. G. C. Geary, St. John, N. B. RAILWAY TROOPS.

Died. R. MacDonald, Windsor, N. S.

URGES MANUFACTURERS OF EMPIRE TO UNITE

Toronto, Dec. 14.—The uniting of the manufacturers of the empire so that the trade relations should be strengthened and benefited was urged by Octavius A. Beale, F. R. H. S., an Australian manufacturer, who addressed members of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association here yesterday.

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Stores Open at 8.30, Close at 6—Saturdays 10 p.m.

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TRUNKS in steamer style, full size, fitted or otherwise. 6.00 to 80.00

Leather Collar Bags. 75c. to \$2.25
Leather Handkerchief Bags. \$1.50
Leather Bill Holders. \$1.75 to 2.50
Military Brushes (pair). 1.50 to 7.00

Letter Cases. 75c. to 2.00
Manicule Sets. 3.00 to 5.00
Card Sets. 1.00 to 3.00
Alcohol Stoves. 2.50

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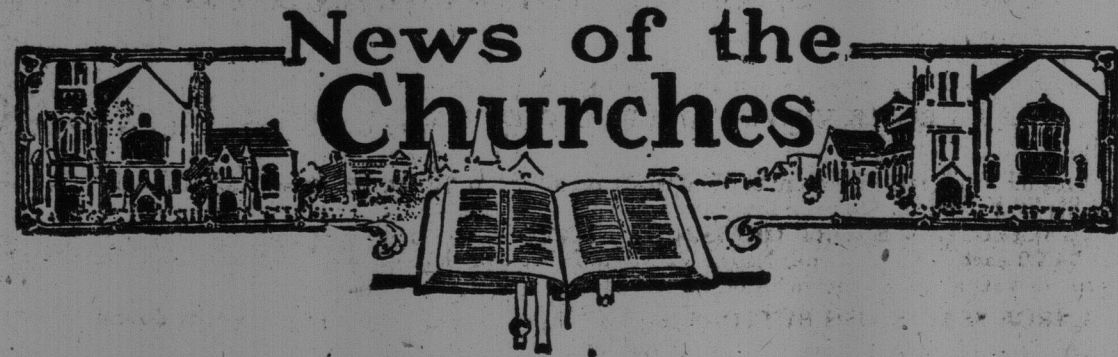
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News of the Churches

Coburg Street Church of Christ
F. J. M. APPELMAN, Minister
11.00 a.m. Preaching by Rev. J. Chas. Appel
7.00 p.m. Preaching by Rev. F. J. M. Appelman

Union Street Congregational Church
A. W. BROOKS, Acting Pastor
11.00 a.m. Bible School
6.45 p.m. Song Service
7.00 p.m. Preaching Service

Queen Square Methodist Church
REV. GEO. MORRIS, B.A., Pastor
11.00 a.m. Rev. F. E. Boothroyd
7.00 p.m. Rev. Geo. Morris

Exmouth Street Church
REV. G. F. DAWSON, M.A., Pastor
10.00 a.m. Class Meeting in Church Parlors
11.00 a.m. Rev. P. O. Brown will preach

Zion Methodist Church
(Corner Wall Street and Rockland Road)
REV. F. E. BOOTHROYD, Pastor
11.00 a.m. Preacher, Rev. Geo. Morris, B.A.
2.30 p.m. Sunday School

Portland Methodist Church
REV. NEIL McLAUCHLAN, B.A., Pastor
11.00 a.m. Preaching Service, pastor
2.30 p.m. Sunday School and Adult Bible Classes

Centenary Methodist Church
REV. H. A. GOODWIN, Pastor
Owing to the pastor being indisposed, the following ministers have kindly offered to supply:

Carleton Methodist Church
Anniversary Services
The Preacher, the Rev. Hamilton Wight, B. A., Principal of Mount Allison Ladies' College.

Ludlow St. United Baptist Church
(West End)
REV. W. R. ROBINSON, B.D., Pastor
10.00 a.m. Morning Prayer Service
11.00 a.m. Pastor will preach

Dr. Hoben is one of the foremost leaders in Christian work in the U. S. A., and an eloquent speaker.

Tabernacle Baptist Church
REV. A. LAWRENCE TEDFORD, Pastor
11.00 a.m. "No Continuing City"
6.45 p.m. "Even Song and Sermon" "God's Daring Venture"

St. Luke's Church
Memorial Service to Fallen Soldiers Sunday Night
Depot Battalion Band

Douglas Avenue Christian Church
J. CHAS. B. APPEL, Minister
Sunday Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Bible School at 2.30 p.m.

Presbyterian Churches

ST. ANDREW'S... Germain St.
REV. F. S. DOWLING, B.A., Minister
11 a.m.—Divine Worship.
7 p.m.—Divine Worship. F. S. Dowling, B.A., will preach.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
(West St. John)
REV. J. A. MORISON, PH.D., D.D., Minister

ST. MATTHEW'S... Douglas Ave.
(Douglas Avenue)
H. L. EISNOR, Pastor
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Sabbath School, 2.30 p.m.

ST. DAVID'S... King St. East
REV. J. A. MACKREIGAN, B.A.
Public Worship—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Rev. A. W. Thomson, M.A., Port Chaplain, will preach in morning, the minister in the evening.

KNOX... City Road
REV. H. C. FRASER, M.A., Minister
Residence: 64 Coburg St. Tel. M. 2890
11 a.m.—Morning Worship. Subject: "The Power of Penance, M.A., Port Chaplain, will preach in morning, the minister in the evening.

First Church of Christ Scientist
Services at 11 a.m., at 93 Germain street. Subject: "God, the Preserver of Man." Wednesday evening, meeting at 8 o'clock. Reading room open daily from 3 to 5 p.m., Saturday and public holidays excepted.

Come To Meetings Sundays
Brussels St. Church
Farewell Addresses by EVANGELIST KENYON and REV. O. P. BROWN

Three powerful addresses by the Evangelist, commencing with the 9.00 a.m. Service:— Subject: "If a Man Loves Me."
4.00 p.m.—Subject: "Reason for Miracles"
8.15 p.m.—Subject: "The Deity of Jesus"

Solos by Miss Bertie Campbell and Mr. J. E. Knight
Show your interest in these services by being present. Everybody Welcome

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Interdenominational

Baptist Churches On Sunday

FAIRVILLE... Church Ave.
REV. A. S. BISHOP, Pastor
11 a.m.—"God's Thoughts and Ours."
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—"God's Challenge to Pure Living."

CHARLOTTE ST... West End
REV. J. H. JENNER, B.D., Pastor
11 a.m.—Rev. Capt. C. W. Corey, of the Red Triangle Club, will preach.
2.15 p.m.—Bible School. Be one of the number.
3.15 p.m.—Junior League.
7 p.m.—Rev. Capt. C. W. Corey. Strangers and visitors welcomed.

GERMAIN ST... South End
(Cor. Germain and Queen Sts.)
REV. S. S. POOLE, Pastor
11 a.m.—Subject: "Trustworthy Evidence."
The Depot Battalion will worship with us at the morning service.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School and Adult Bible Class.

WATERLOO ST... East End
REV. F. H. WENTWORTH, Pastor
11 a.m.—Subject: "A Ministry Open to All."
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Subject: "A Great Discovery." Strangers cordially welcome. All seats free.

CENTRAL CHURCH... City Centre.
REV. D. J. MACPHERSON, Pastor
At 11 a.m.—Subject: "The Challenge of the Cross."
At 2.30 p.m.—Bible School, Central Brotherhood.
At 7 p.m.—Evangelist Kenyon. Hear him on "The Blood Covenant."
Monday, 8 p.m.—Central League.
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer and Praise Service.
You are cordially welcome. Seats free!

ST. PHILIP'S A.M.E. Church
SUNDAY SERVICES
REV. R. H. W. PINKETT, Pastor
11 a.m. and 7 p.m.—Rev. Mr. C. A. Stewart, of Amherst, N. S., will preach.
Sunday School, 2.30 p.m.
Mid-week Services Wednesday, 8 p.m. All are welcome.

VICTORIA ST... North End
REV. I. W. WILLIAMSON, Pastor
10.30 a.m.—Prayer Meeting.
11 a.m.—"The Manner of God's Love."
2.30 p.m.—Church School.
7 p.m.—"Destroyers of Health." Second in the series on "Good Health." Special Evangelistic Song Service. Everybody welcome.

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Ladies' handkerchiefs, fancy tea aprons, boudoir caps, silk kimonos, fancy neckwear, gloves, etc., at special low prices for Christmas shoppers at C. J. Basson's, corner Union and Sydney. 12-16

LOCAL NEWS

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Wait for Lesser's, \$10.98. 12-15
I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by my wife, Catherine Joyce, MARTIN JOYCE. 89761-12-16
Wanted first-class bread baker; good wages. Apply McLaughlin's Bakery, Brussels street.
Try Deval's before you try elsewhere. 88654-12-15
Special sale of men's pants tonight from 7 to 11 at Corbet's, 194 Union street.
NOTICE
All persons having accounts against General Public Hospital are requested to have them sent in not later than December 27, 1918. N.A. 12



Have You Seen The New Blouse Shop

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(Near Imperial Theatre)

Potato Inquiry Adjourned Until Next Thursday

There are further interesting developments as the potato inquiry draws to a close. William Cruikshank, former deputy provincial treasurer, said yesterday afternoon that the only payment received by the finance department from the potato transaction was the sum of \$32,861 with a small amount refunded by the C. P. R. He had no record of an amount, exceeding \$800, received from the sale of culls in Cuba nor of \$280 from the sale of culls here.

James H. Crockett of the Fredericton Gleaner admitted receiving \$10,000, but he doubted very much, he said, that it came from the source that was stated under oath. Mr. Crockett seemed astounded when shown by Mr. Hughes a check for \$250, drawn by A. C. Smith & Co., in 1914, and said he knew nothing of it,

but when he turned it over he was forced to admit the endorsement was his signature.

William B. Tennant was not present and the commissioner intimated that a subpoena should be issued to bring him. Finally, however, adjournment was made until next Thursday morning. Mr. Hughes believed he would be able to have Mr. Tennant present then.

A member of the firm of Taylor & White may also be called to testify regarding the purchase of barrels.

Hon. J. A. Murray was on the stand when court resumed at 2:30 o'clock and Mr. Hughes continued his examination. Asked if he knew of J. S. Eagle's connection with Taylor & White regarding the sale of barrels, he replied that he knew Mr. Eagle was acting as their agent, but was not aware of what commission he got.

Continuing, the witness said that B. Frank Smith had never taken up with

him the matter of \$2,447. He added, too, that he had not yet got back that note for \$1,500 from A. C. Smith & Co.

On being questioned by Mr. Powell, the witness said he understood \$9,581.16 was in full settlement with A. C. Smith & Co. The \$1,500, he said, was for a personal debt he owed A. C. Smith.

Mr. Powell referred to a scheme the government had and which the witness confirmed, of sending 100,000 barrels to England, but it couldn't be carried out because of the tonnage scarcity. Could it have been done, he said, the surplus could have been used up.

Questioned as to his conversation with Premier Clarke about the matter, the witness interrupted:

"Premier Clarke was one of the cleanest and highest-minded men I have ever met in public life." He added that the government then had decided to make up the loss on the potatoes on the basis of what the consignee in Cuba would have paid had the potatoes been accepted.

The witness said that he had never known of the party funds of their disposal. He had kept absolutely clear of it. He had no idea that an amount was to be arranged by F. W. Sumner until after it was furnished. He said he had no information of Tennant putting money up.

Mr. Hughes—I suppose you would not think it proper to call taking \$80,000 from the Valley railway a right thing?

A.—No, I wouldn't think it proper.

USE OF SUGAR NOW PRACTICALLY FREE

Ottawa, Dec. 13.—The ban on the use of sugar for making pastry, feed cakes or biscuit for candy for private consumption as well as in the manufacture of sugar, has been removed. The war time restrictions on the method of serving sugar in public eating places are also withdrawn.

On and after January 1, white or granulated sugar may be used in making bread, etc., so too the restrictions on the use of sugar in the manufacture of canned goods, biscuits, cake, dough products, candies, chocolate, table syrups and the like, pharmaceutical and medicinal preparations, beers and soft drinks, dessert and jolly powders, ice cream and even on chewing gum, will not be in force. For the manufacturer, sugar may be purchased without the regular permit, but it must be noted that the restrictions on public eating places on the use of beef, butter and fats, and for the use of all animal foods by manufacturers still remain in force.

The cancellations of so many rules which war had imposed on Canadian use of sugar has been made possible through unexpected improvement in stocks, but the food board desires the public still to be reasonably restrained, and to avoid anything like extravagant use of any of these articles, because it will still be some weeks before supplies and distribution can be at all compared to pre-war conditions.

TROOPS HELD IN READINESS TO QUIET IRELAND

Toronto, Dec. 13.—A Belfast cable to the Telegram today says:

"Troops will be confined to barracks in Ireland on Saturday in readiness to restrain the ardor of hostile factions. The Unionists are confident everywhere. Sir Edward Carson is holding three meetings daily in Belfast, Antrim and Down meeting with great enthusiasm everywhere. There was a tremendous demonstration in Ulster Hall last night during an address by him and the Unionist candidates' pledge was again given never to submit to home rule."

WITH THE GRAND FLEET WHEN CAME NEWS THAT WAR HAD BEEN WON

London, Nov. 7.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—A vast chorus of siren whistles from a thousand lighting ships split the air when the British grand fleet received the news of the signing of the armistice. First the thirty-mile line of vessels spring into light. Then, suddenly, the great fleet of battleships, cruisers, torpedo destroyers, mine-layers and patrols united in one huge, synchronized diapason that startled the hearers for a radius of 100 miles. The tremendous sound re-echoed amongst the hills on both shores, awesome in its intensity.

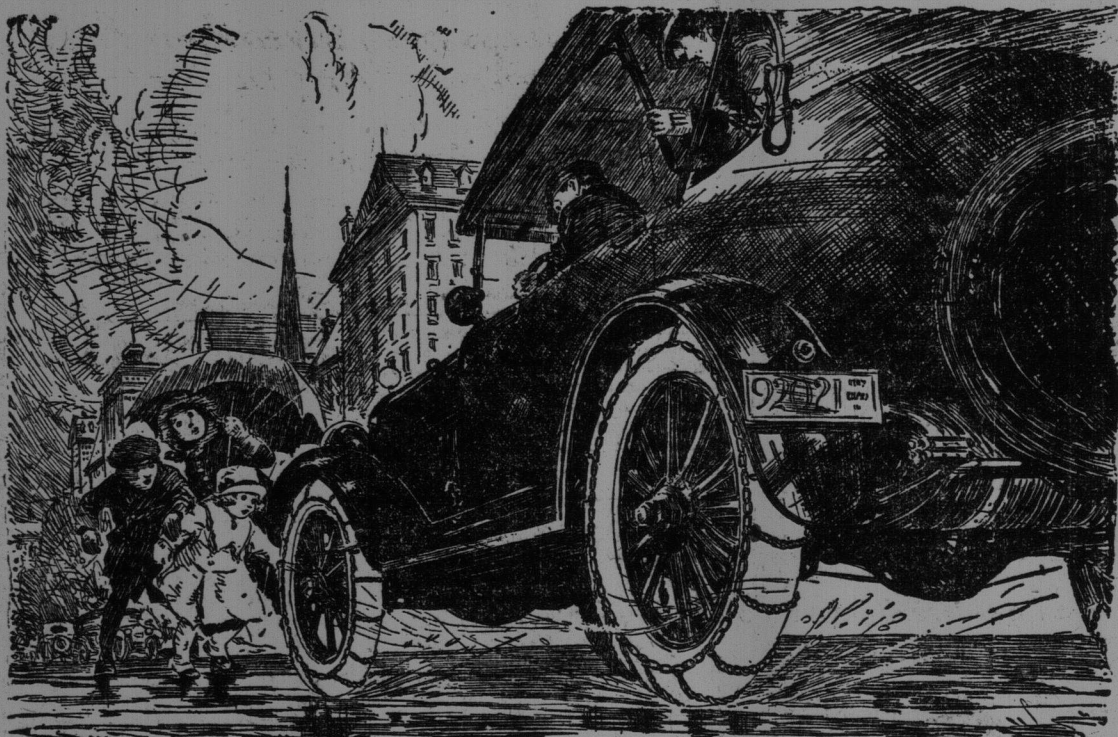
A hundred searchlights, which for four years had resolutely watched the skies, or peered steadfastly along dark waters for enemy craft, merely criss-crossed about the sky. Flares were lit, star shells fired, and here and there some of the greater ships were fortunate in a fireworks display.

For sixty minutes the fleet threw off all reserve and let itself go. At 9 o'clock the sirens suddenly silenced, the lights snapped out and the grand fleet was again waiting and watching and ready, and scarcely had the last sound died away than from the admiral's ships there were winking at the masthead the orders for further duty.

"The study of the occult sciences interests me very much," remarked the new boarder. "I love to explore the dark depths of the mysterious, to delve into the regions of the unknown, to fathom the unfathomable, as it were, to—"

"May I help you to some of the hash, professor?" interrupted the landlady. And the good woman never knew why the other boarder smiled audibly.

"Mr. Rich, would you mind telling me how you made your first £1,000?" "Not at all; I made it by attending strictly to business—my own business, you know."



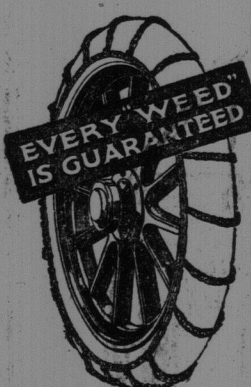
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Then is when Tire Chains prove their Real value—they add so much to your brake power. Without them brakes would be useless.

It's these unexpected emergencies that make a driver think quick and act like lightning. When suddenly the children dash out from the pavement and are almost under your wheels before you realize it—you instinctively jam down your foot-brake and frantically grab the emergency.

What if your brakes slipped and didn't hold? Wouldn't the consequences be awful? It's positively criminal for a driver of a motor car to overlook even the slightest safety precaution. Unquestionably the most effective supplementary addition to brake power when the roads and pavements are wet and slippery, is in the use of

WEED TIRE CHAINS

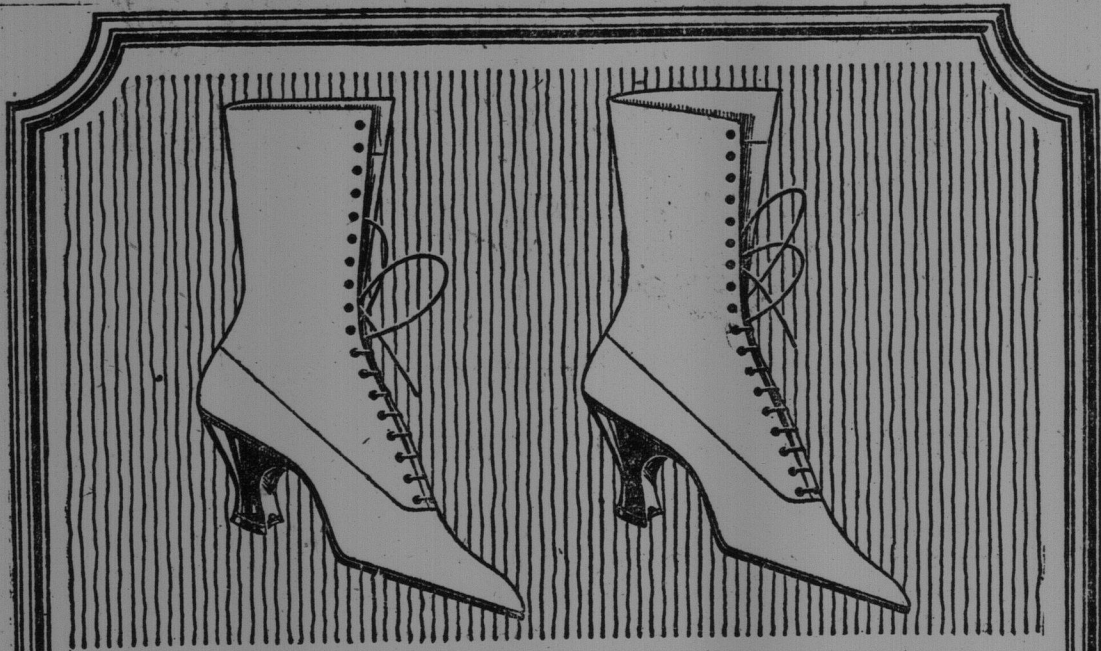


Cars with chainless tires on wet-greasy-slippery pavements lack brake power to the same degree as they would if their brake linings were made of wet-greasy-slippery bands of rubber.

Wet rubber slips—never grips. It slides like a cake of soap on moistened hands. It lacks the bite and hang-on ability of chains. Good brakes and Weed Tire Chains are undoubtedly the greatest factor in preventing motor accidents.

It's the height of folly to even attempt to drive without chains on all four tires when the roads are slippery and uncertain.

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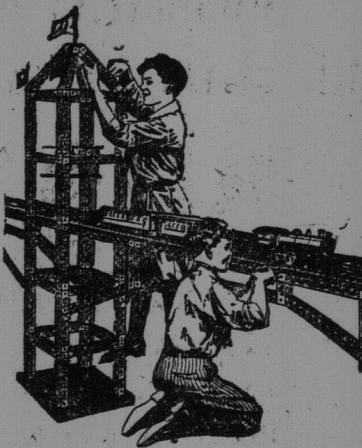
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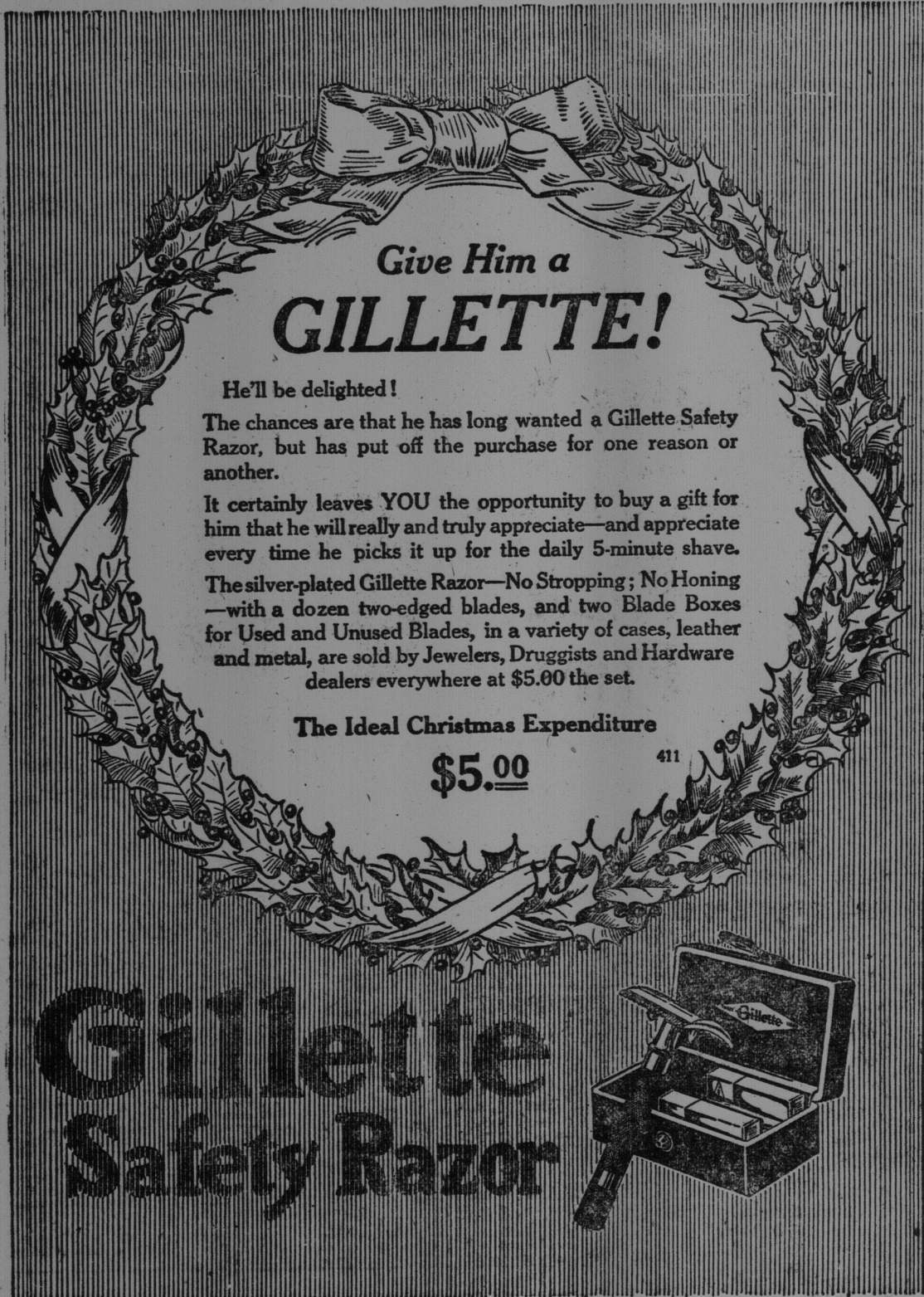
The chances are that he has long wanted a Gillette Safety Razor, but has put off the purchase for one reason or another.

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**Prince of Wales
Does Not Like
The Limelight**

**Soon Got Out of Jubilation Centre
When Valenciennes
Was Freed**

British Headquarters in France, Nov. 7.—(Associated Press Correspondence)—The Prince of Wales' desire to refrain from attracting public attention was manifested when he entered the freed city of Valenciennes. With him were General Horn, commander of the First Army, the commander of a Canadian division which was operating about the town itself and other divisional commanders and staff officers. In the ancient square where stands the beautiful Hotel De Ville, a platform had been re-erected. Here the prince and British commanders were received by the city officials and local dignitaries while the troops drew up two deep about the square. Addresses of thanks for deliveries were made by the officials to which the prince and generals responded. A review of the troops followed and then the prince, with characteristic bashfulness, slipped quietly away from the platform and disappeared into the crowd, leaving his generals to attend to any further formalities. His work was done and he drifted to be the centre of more ovations. His field uniform of khaki made his escape easy and he was seen no more.

Only one really unusual incident occurred during the ceremony and that revolved about the goat mascot of one of the divisions in the parade. The goat had followed in with his men as befitting a proper mascot but once in the square he was rudely relegated to the rear ranks. It chanced that some red hatted staff officers took up their position in front of the goat and stood during the inspection at attention with huge bouquets out back from under their arms. When the inspection was over the officers stood at ease again and looked to their bouquets. They were holding only stems. The mascot had taken a sweet revenge and a square meal for the insult to his dignity.

**Talk of Music
Festival Here
Next Summer**

Director Chapman and Maine State Executive in Correspondence With Imperial Management

Correspondence is now going on between the director and executive of the Maine State Musical Festival and the management of Imperial Theatre in this city relative to a resumption of the festival idea in St. John next season. Only recently the director, Wm. F. Chapman, announced his series of concerts in Bangor, Lewiston, Portland, Augusta and elsewhere, the usual dates being abandoned because of the influenza ban. The concerts were wonderfully success-

ful, artistically and the financial returns seemed satisfactory.

The Chapman festivals are a fixture in the neighboring state and from year to year the people evince the liveliest interest in them. Choruses of a hundred or more mixed voices are organized under local leaders in each festival city or town and when the concerts are held special ensemble numbers are sung to the accompaniment of the fifty-piece imported orchestra under Mr. Chapman's baton. Guest soloists are brought from New York and elsewhere, and for the better part of a week matinee and evening programmes delight the people, who are admitted either on season or individual tickets.

With the four and a half years of war over and prospects of signed peace before next summer, those interested think the time opportune for St. John's re-entry into the Chapman festival chain.

"Gee, no!" exclaimed the pretty cash girl, "I wouldn't marry you if you was the last man on earth. I don't want nothin' to do with you. Is that plain English."

"It's plain enough," said the mortified bookkeeper, "but it isn't English."—Boston Transcript.

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Norfolk, Va., Dec. 13—A mail aeroplane en route from Washington to the Hampton Roads naval base, crashed into the roof of a hotel at Willoughby Spit late today, killing two of the five men aboard and injuring the other three.

Every Stroke Counts.

"Look here, Hobbatt," exclaimed the frascible old golfer, "if you don't stop your infernal chatter I'll crack you over the head with this brassie."

"All right, Morris, swing away," was the calm response, "but remember this—It'll cost you a stroke."

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**Impressed With
Need for Greater
Facilities Here**

Hon. J. A. Calder, minister of colonies and immigration, on his visit to the city yesterday in conference with Premier Foster and other members of the local government, showed unusual interest in looking over the local facilities in connection with export business. In the early afternoon Hon. Mr. Calder, accompanied by Premier Foster and Stanley K. Eldin, M. P., visited the C. P. R. terminals and the immigration facilities at West St. John. The Carlton heights were also visited to afford the minister a bird's eye view of the harbor, at which he expressed himself personally as being favorably impressed. In the city proper the intercolonial terminals were visited as well as the site of the new dry dock at Courtenay Bay.

Premier Foster took occasion to point out to the minister in view of the largely extended system of the government railways now known as the Canadian National Railway operated under the supervision of the board recently appointed, that an increasing amount of the export business contracted by the government would now be handled via Canadian ports. In this connection it was brought to the attention of Hon. Mr. Calder by the premier that he considered it necessary that increased facilities on a broad scale should be made at this port in keeping with the growing traffic as St. John is the nearest Canadian winter port to receive western products.

Mr. Calder expressed himself as being very much pleased with the outlook and advantages which St. John offered for development in this way. He felt that the new board would be kindly disposed towards providing facilities at the seaboard for Canadian exports.

During the afternoon Hon. Mr. Calder was in conference with several members of the provincial government including Premier Foster, Hon. Mr. Tweeddale, minister of agriculture; Hon. Peter J. Veniot, minister of public works, and Hon. Dr. Smith, minister of lands and mines. At this conference the questions of land settlement, immigration and colonization schemes were discussed. Matters relative to these vital problems were more fully and thoroughly gone into than was otherwise convenient at the dominion conference recently held at Ottawa. Legislation covering these matters will be introduced at the coming session of the dominion parliament.

Premier Foster said that he was very much pleased with the manner in which the dominion government had co-operated with New Brunswick in respect to land settlement, immigration and colonization schemes which will prove of general advantage to the country. Hon. Mr. Calder was entertained yesterday by Premier Foster and friends at luncheon. The minister left last evening for Quebec, where he will confer with the Gouin ministry on similar matters. He reached the city yesterday morning from Halifax.

At the time when representatives of the provinces conferred with the federal authorities at Ottawa three weeks ago, in connection with the settlement of the returned soldier on the land, several features were held in abeyance and Hon. Mr. Calder is clearing these matters up by meeting personally with the various local administrations. Additional legislation, both federal and provincial, will be necessary to give effect to the plan.



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The Pride of the Orchard.
(Toronto Globe).
The Hamilton Spectator complains of attacks on Hon. Robert Rogers by political opponents, but consoles itself with the reflection, not original with the Spectator, that most of the sticks are found under the best apple tree.
Is the Honorable Robert, then, the

fairest product of the Conservative orchard? True, a good many of the old party birds-of-a-feather seem disposed to roost in the branches of that hospitable plum tree. At present it is rather shy of foliage, but they hope it will blossom soon. Since the clemination of patronage they have had no pickings, but there is a promise that this particular tree may bear the kind of fruit for

which their mouths are watering, and they want to be on the spot when the picking is good.
Has the Spectator joined the "ginger-group" in the plum tree? If so it ought not to imagine that it can be the leader of the choir. The office has been claimed already by that sweet singer, the Toronto Telegram. If the Spectator is wise it will not compete with so resounding an expert.

JONES' Christmas Sale

Above all others this should be a gift giving Christmas, and if your gift is inspired by the desire to give something of superlative beauty and usefulness there is nothing like

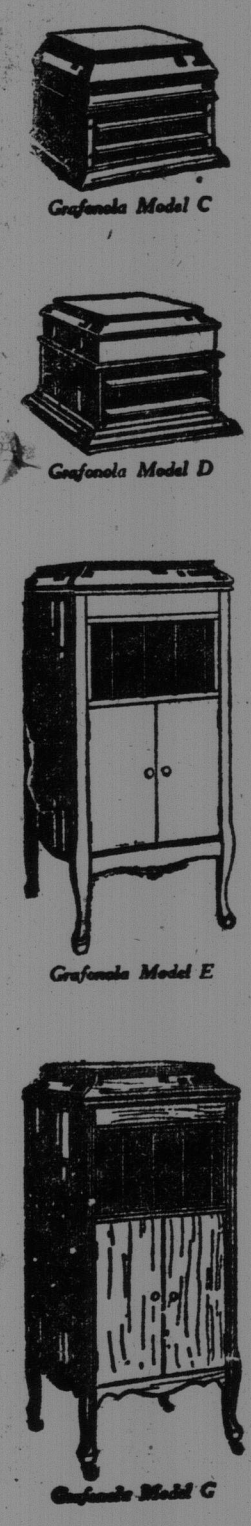
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Cape scarf with round muff trimmed with head and tail
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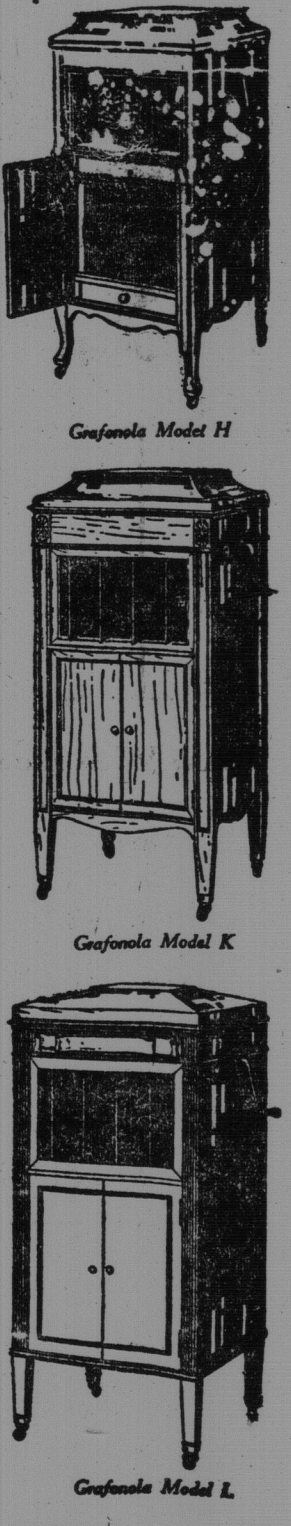


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Men's Black Rubber Coats	\$5.00 to \$11.00
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CHILEANS BELIEVE FULFILLING TREATY WILL PREVENT WAR

Santiago, Chile, Dec. 13.—President Wilson's note to the Chilean government expressing the desire that questions at issue between Peru and Chile be amicably arranged, and the government's answer to the president's message, were read in the chamber today. The reply declares the government's desire and unshakable determination to preserve peace and to carry out the conditions of treaty of Ancon which, it says, the government believes must solve the controversy between Chile and Peru without the necessity of war.

The chancellor of the chamber declares that Chile has never refused to proceed to the consummation of the treaty of Ancon and that the government would now make the greatest efforts to accomplish this end. The chancellor's declaration is unanimously approved by the newspapers here.

German Corp? London Daily Mirror—"I hope," his lordship continued, "that we shall exact our pound of flesh."

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One great lesson we can all learn from the Influenza Epidemic is the value of prevention—the vital necessity of remedying all diseases the minute the symptoms appear.

As the result of being attacked by Spanish Influenza many persons have been left with weakened or inactive kidneys. The high fever which prevails during the period of sickness is no doubt responsible for this weakened condition, and in order to restore the kidneys to their former state of health a healing tonic is necessary.

Gin Pills are the acknowledged remedy for all Kidney or Bladder Troubles, and Gin Pills taken during convalescence have proved themselves to be the great remedy for rectifying the Kidney weakness left by Spanish "Flu."

From all parts of Canada letters are coming in to us stating that Gin Pills have relieved the sufferers from the annoyance and worry caused by weakened kidneys. People are daily finding that the quickest and surest way to remedy the detrimental effects left in the kidneys by Spanish "Flu"—is to use Gin Pills. Gin Pills act as a healing tonic to those inflamed, enfeebled vital organs.

Every "Flu" victim should take a course of Gin Pills not only to remedy immediate Kidney troubles, but to ward off danger of more serious consequences. Gin Pills—Sold Everywhere at 50 cents a box.

The National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada, Ltd., Toronto, Ont. 248

TAKING UP AGAIN WORK OF RIDDING WORLD OF DISEASE

Rockefeller Foundation Sending Expedition Into South America to Conquer Yellow Fever.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 13.—Dr. George H. Vincent, president of the Rockefeller Foundation, which has an endowment of \$100,000,000 announced today that the organization after diverting its activities for four years to war relief and army welfare work in which it expended \$21,000,000 will immediately resume its work of attempting to rid the world of disease.

The peace programme adopted by the organization contemplates the expenditure of millions of dollars annually in attacking human ills in every part of the world.

Dr. Vincent said that Major General William C. George, until recently surgeon of the United States army will soon head an expedition of scientists to Central and South America to conquer yellow fever. He will be accompanied by five noted experts and believes that by battling the disease at its source in these countries it can be exterminated in a few years.

The organization will also launch a campaign to wipe out the plague in China and other countries of Asia. The medical university in Peking, China, being erected by the Rockefeller Foundation at cost of \$4,000,000 will be opened later than October 1920, Dr. Vincent said. Another medical university will be built by the organization at Shanghai, China.

"77" HUMPHREYS' "SEVENTY-SEVEN" BREAKS UP COUGHS, COLDS, INFLUENZA, COLD IN THE HEAD, CATARRH, SORE THROAT, QUINSY, TONSILLITIS AND GRIP. AT ALL DRUGGISTS

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For What Ailed Him.

The nervous wreck had explained at great length his symptoms. All that were described in the medical books he had, and some besides—all of which were described at great length.

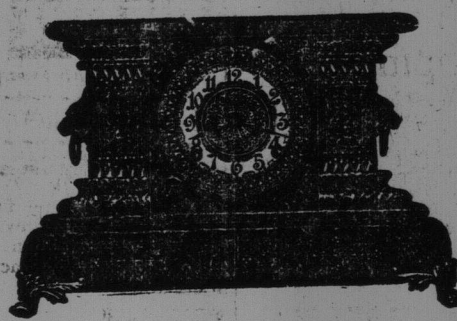
"Do you understand me?" he finally asked the doctor, when he had ended his enumeration.

"I do," replied the doctor, "and I'll give you something for your pains."

Cartoon's Magazine.

Shoo Early.
(Boston Transcript).

Here's a thought for all, today:
 Christmas just two weeks away!
 Ere things grow all madly whirly,
 Do that Christmas shopping early.



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SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

TURF.
England to Lift All.
London, Eng., Dec. 12.—In the House of Commons, Mr. Wardle, replying to Sir J. Norton Griffiths, said he thought it would now be possible to modify the restrictions on horse racing, so as to allow a limited amount of horse racing. The removal of the restrictions will be effected gradually.

Instructions have been issued by the authorities that race courses at present in military occupation are to be evacuated as soon as possible. Aintree, Manchester, Gatwick, Windsor and Lingfield are already available. Racing will probably be resumed next month.

It is said that the Grand National will be decided next year on the Aintree

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Extensive list of fixtures for the season has been issued, and it provides for racing in nearly every centre in the country. No fewer than 116 days' racing is announced in the list.

WRESTLING.
Zobzsko Accepts.
The challenge of Ed ("Strangler") Lewis, wired a few days ago to all the New York papers to Wladek Zbyszko, has been accepted by the giant Polish wrestler. Jack Carley, the manager of Zbyszko, cut out all the clippings, folded them into an envelope and without comment mailed them to Zbyszko, who has been training at his home in Old Orchard, Me.

Carley has received the following telegraphic reply from Zbyszko:
"The Lewis challenge interests me. The finish match part of it is great and the winner take all is greater. I am very

much pleased and I assure you I am ready as I never was before. Today I weighed 280 pounds and I never was in better condition. Please, Jack, please secure the match at once and I will for a lifetime prove to the sport world and all time prove to the sport world and wrestler to Lewis."

BOWLING.
Post Office. The Commercial League game in Black's alley last evening, played between the Post Office and Ames-Holden-McCreedy teams, resulted in the Post Office team taking four points. Tonight the Maritime Mail Company team will play the A. L. Goodwin team. Last night's scores were as follows:

Post Office.		Total Avg.
LeVine	76 58 65	194 64-3
Roberts	84 59 75	248 82-3
Brennan	81 111 81	273 91
O'Leary	75 80 85	240 80
Maxwell	89 104 89	282 94
405 407 395		1287

Ames-Holden. Total Avg.
Marshall 68 64 78 210 70
Clark 77 78 87 242 80-3
Tiddie 72 79 75 226 75-1-3
Owens 79 87 72 238 79-1-3
Murphy 83 73 72 228 76
379 381 384 1144

Eagles Fly High.
The Y. M. C. I. bowling last evening resulted in the Eagles taking four points from the Swans. On Monday night the Foxes will play the Eagles. Last night's score was as follows:

Eagles.		Total Avg.
Magee	105 109 76	290 96-2-4
Olive	84 92 87	273 91
Howard	91 81 92	264 88
Coughlan	75 100 88	263 87-3
Riley	91 99 89	279 93
456 481 482		1369

Swans. Total Avg.
McCarthy 84 78 94 251 83-3
Hutchinson 78 79 94 251 83-3
Wallace 80 76 76 232 77-1-3
Owens 76 92 75 243 81
McCurdy 81 86 81 248 82-3
399 406 420 1225

BASEBALL.
American Association Schedule.
Minneapolis, Dec. 13.—A schedule of 154 games for the American Association,

This season, was agreed upon at a meeting of club owners tonight. The season will start May 1 and end late in September. A commission to draw up a schedule will be appointed later.

TO TEACH BOXING.
Mass boxing is to be included in the daily class work of the Y. M. C. A. as the result of a meeting held in Chicago of eighty-five directors of the organization in the United States and Canada.

Young Wife—"Are you not the same man I gave some of my home-made putty to yesterday?"
"Tramp—"It wasn't me, mum. I never felt better in my life."

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This is not a call to colors, as the heading might imply—but is an announcement to every man who does his own shaving and who has not learned about Seely's After-shave.

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PICTURES Pathe News Weekly of Current Events.
Harold Lloyd in a Swift Comedy.

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Tea is fortunately so cheap in this country that there are few who cannot afford Choice Tea. The cost per pound is only slightly higher than ordinary Tea, while the increased pleasure you get from every cup you make is worth many times the difference. It is true also, that a FLAVOR-FULL Tea like KING COLE Orange Pekoe will actually spend further—that is, make more cups to the pound. KING COLE Orange Pekoe is prepared particularly for lovers of Choice Tea.

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AUNT JULIA MEANT WELL WHEN SHE SENT ME THE TWO PLUM PUDDINGS BUT IF I WANT TO LIVE I WON'T DARE TOUCH THE ONE THAT'S LEFT. I'D RATHER EAT A CHUNK OF LEAD.

BEING GASSED AND RIBBED WITH BULLETS IS NOTHING COMPARED TO THE SUFFERING THE PLUM PUDDING CAUSED ME. I'LL TISS THIS ONE INTO THE ASH CAN. I WOULDN'T EVEN GIVE IT TO A DOG.

MA!

AS I WAS SAYING, I WOULDN'T GIVE THIS TO A DOG, BUT—

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Why Motherwell Has Resigned

Regina, Sask., Dec. 13—In a two-handed attack on the Union government Hon. W. H. Motherwell in a letter to Premier Martin resigned from the Saskatchewan government, of which he has been minister of agriculture since 1908. The announcement of Mr. Martin from his seat in the assembly yesterday just before the orders of the day that Mr. Motherwell had offered his resignation, and that it had been accepted, came as a complete surprise to everyone outside the cabinet circles.

His letters to Premier Martin, which were read in the legislature gave as the reasons for resignation two causes, the failure of the government to take action against the Union government, which he severely criticized for its failure to repeal the war times elections act; to return to the western provinces their natural resources, and to evolve a practical scheme of land settlement for soldiers.

Hon. Mr. Calder, who is in the city, when shown the foregoing despatch by The Telegraph yesterday afternoon, after reading it carefully, said he was both amazed and surprised at the resignation of Hon. W. H. Motherwell, tendered as it was on the trivial grounds he stated. Hon. Mr. Calder added that he had nothing further to say in the matter at present.

TO PREVENT HUGE ANNUAL WASTE BY FIRE IN CANADA

Ottawa, Dec. 13—Methods of preventing Canada's huge annual fire waste were under discussion at an important convention, called by the superintendent of insurance, which opened in Ottawa today. Sir Thomas White tendered a welcome on behalf of the government. Delegates were present from the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association, the Cash Mutual Insurance Company, Canadian Manufacturers' Association, Canadian Credit Men's Association, Retail Merchants' Association, United Farmers of Alberta, United Farmers of Ontario, Wholesale Grocers' Association, Canadian Bankers Association, Dominion Mortgage and Investment Association, Fire Chiefs Association and the Commission of Conservation.

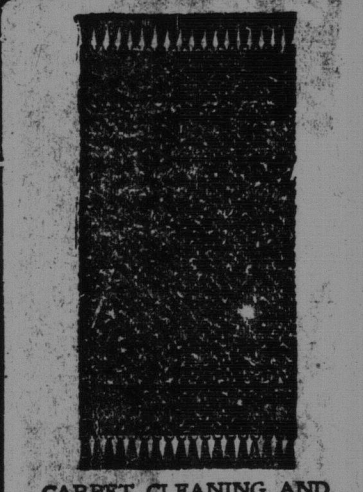
Sir Thomas emphasized the need for study of means to prevent the dominion's annual fire waste. Canada appeared to have the unenviable position of having the greatest fire loss per capita of any country in the world. In Switzerland and the Netherlands the annual fire loss was about \$1 per capita, in Canada the per capita loss was about \$3. No doubt this was partly due to the fact that Canada was a country of sparse population, with an immense extent of territory. But that, Sir Thomas added, does not in any judgment, account for it, and I think the figures being as great as they are, everything possible should be done.

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1917, the annual fire loss of Canada was \$17,000,000, on an average. Last year, the loss was \$20,000,000, and this year, so far as could be forecasted, it might reach \$25,000,000. Statistical information showed that from fifty to seventy-five per cent of that loss was wholly or partially preventable.

Sir Thomas concluded by promising that the recommendations of the convention would receive the most careful consideration of the government.

W. H. Chapley, Canadian Manufacturers' Association, was appointed chairman of the convention.

SWEET THINGS AGAIN.

Orders issued yesterday by the Canada food board remove restrictions on icing sugar, French pastry and making candy for private consumption; also on the serving of sugar in public places.

800,000 TONS OF SHIPPING GOING ON TRADE POINTS

New York, Dec. 13—The statement made today in Washington that the war department is to turn back to the trade routes 800,000 deadweight capacity tons

of ships was viewed in shipping circles here as one of the most important readjustment that has been made since the signing of the armistice.

The understanding here is that the ships designated for trade purposes will not be returned directly to the owners, but will be turned back by the war department to the United States Shipping Board and by that body allocated to various trades. It is also understood that the 800,000 tons now designated will soon be increased to over 1,000,000 tons. Among the ships believed to be under consideration for release are some of the Dutch steamers requisitioned last year and now under war and navy department control.

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ASK FOR INVESTIGATION.

The following resolution was passed at a meeting of the Policemen's Protective Association last evening:

"Whereas, grave charges were made at a meeting of the Policemen's Protective Association and the ex-policemen are prepared under oath to substantiate the same, the Policemen's Protective Association request the mayor to meet their committee and to set a date at once so that the condition of the police department may be placed before the citizens before the 30th inst., so they may intelligently express their opinion on the present management of the department."



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Fill in the name and address of your friend, of your boy, girl, or other person for whom your gift is intended, and there you have the most desirable of gifts!

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