

CANADIAN BAYONETS TOO MUCH FOR BOHEMIA RAIDERS; ENTIRE CORPS IN LINE FETTER

Germans Bested by Dominion Fighters in Sharp Fighting At Close Quarters—Canadians' Morale Splendid As Spring Battle Season Nears.

An Army Headquarters, Feb. 25.—(By W. A. Willison, Canadian Press War Correspondent).—The week-end has been characterized by the failure of another German attempt to raid our lines, and a visit to the Canadian lines by Sir Douglas Haig.

The enemy attack, which was launched against our front north of Lens was broken up by one of our posts after sharp hand-to-hand fighting, in which the Germans were driven off, leaving two killed and three wounded.

Fritz Has "Nerves." As a result of the failure of his raids and the marked success of our raiding parties during the last ten days, the enemy is showing increasing nervousness, and is now concentrating his efforts on No Man's Land during the night.

All Ready for Drive. Yesterday the weather was stormy, with Saturday and Sunday our airplanes were very active with frequent brushings with enemy machines, one of which was shot down in Flanders by one of our machines.

The commander-in-chief was taken through the officers' clubs and inspected certain quarters. He left as quietly as he came. Everywhere he found a spirit of confidence in the future.

Guelph Shop Wrecked BY HEAVY WINDSTORM; BIG GALE AT MONTREAL

Guelph, Feb. 25.—Considerable damage was done here this morning by the worst windstorm yet known in this section. G. B. Ryan Company, men's wear, and Kelsor & Hendley, gent's furnishings, were the main sufferers.

GALE AT MONTREAL. Montreal, Que., Feb. 25.—A hurricane, which at times reached a velocity of 60 miles an hour, swept over Montreal last night. No very great damage was done, though the streets were strewn with signboards and electric fixtures.

HEATLESS RULE MAY BE REMOVED BEFORE END OF THE MONTH

Pressure Brought to Bear On Controller's Dept. [Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Feb. 25.—Considerable pressure is being brought to bear upon the fuel controller's department from various points in Central Canada to have the order compelling heatless Mondays in movie houses and heatless Mondays in theatres, rescinded.

CAPTURED PROVINCES TO GOVERN SELVES, SO HERTLING SAYS

Amsterdam, Feb. 25.—The central powers intend to give self-government to the provinces of Denmark and Latvia, Imperial Chancellor von Hertling declared in his address to the Reichstag yesterday.

SEVEN YEARS IN KINGSTON, TERM GIVEN MARELLO

Magistrate Sentences Burglar-Jail-Breaker on Seven Counts Today.

TWO YEARS FOR ESCAPE Will Commence at Completion of Five Years For Burglary.

Seven years in the Kingston penitentiary was the sentence meted out to George Marello by Magistrate Graydon in the police court today.

Marello pleaded guilty in all to nine charges of housebreaking and theft and to one charge of jail-breaking. His plea of guilty to the latter charge this morning. Three of the other charges were admitted in the Kitchener police court.

For each of the six offences of housebreaking and theft, all committed within one month in this city, a term of five years was imposed, sentence to run concurrently. For breaking jail on December 25 last a term of two years additional was imposed, this sentence to commence at the expiration of the five-year term.

Marello accepted the seven-year term Continued on Page Three.

ACCEPTS LONG SENTENCE IN PENITENTIARY WITH GREATEST INDIFFERENCE

GEORGE MARELLO, convicted burglar and jail-breaker, who was sentenced to seven years in Kingston when he appeared in police court today. The man accepted the long term with the greatest indifference.

FRENCH FRONT RAIDS DURING PAST MONTH VERITABLE BATTLES

Thousands Have Been Engaged in These Encounters.

POILUS SCORE HEAVILY With Big and Little Raiding, Continue to Worry the Boches.

French Grand Headquarters, Monday, Feb. 25.—French raids along the French front have increased in intensity during the past month to such an extent that they have become, in some instances, battles which thousands of men have been engaged and hundreds of prisoners taken.

The objects of the raids vary widely. Sometimes a raid is undertaken in order to identify enemy units and at other times to improve the lines or capture observation posts. Again a raid may be made to destroy the enemy's work and prevent him from attacking.

Great Battery Work. The correspondent watched the showers of metal tearing away the wire entanglements, flattening the gun emplacements, and the French returning to their rear positions, while French infantry completed the work of gunners.

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FLOOD MENACE FROM ICE JAMS GROWING WORSE

River Close to Floor of Komoka Bridge and Farms Again Under Water.

DAMAGE HEAVY IN CITY Streets Flooded Following the Heavy Storm Monday Night.

The river is rising rapidly at the Komoka-Delaware ice jam, according to reports at 3 o'clock this afternoon. This is the result of last night's heavy rains. The whole district, as well as the city, has suffered materially, but the worst damage exists near Komoka.

Back of the blockade, near Kilworth, however, the situation is much worse than it was. It was stated there that the water is the highest it has been since the famous July flood, and considerably higher than it was last week.

Residents of the Komoka and Delaware districts spent an uneasy night, and they are still nervous today. The report that there was still ice in the north branch did not make for their peace of mind.

Four Feet Over Road. At Byron the rain caused a serious situation. The water was running six and eight feet deep. Many homes are reported to have had their cellars flooded and the water to surface water and not the river.

Streets Like Lakes. The city streets have become a district. In many streets huge lakes were formed, and in not a few places became torrents of water rushing over the Hamilton road, near Price street, necessitating a big campaign through the streets to prevent accidents.

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Mr. McMaster pointed out that the division had been training in England for over a year and its efficiency had been recognized at all inspections. Two hundred of the superior officers who had been highly trained would be forced to return to Canada.

HON. JAMES J. MACPHERSON, under-secretary for war, replied that the proposal to break up the division and use its reinforcements for Canadian troops in France was made by the Canadian authorities.

THE WEATHER LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 45; lowest, 27.

OTTAWA EXPLAINS HOW TO AVOID CONFUSION OVER EXPORT LICENSES

OTTAWA, Feb. 25.—In reference to confusion which has arisen at the United States border over shipment of goods to Canada the war trade board announces that those commodities which heretofore required licenses to enter the United States require them still. Commodities which heretofore have not required licenses do not require them now.

BOLSHEVIK FORCES RECAPTURE CITY OF PSKOV FROM GERMANS; KEYS RESISTING EVERYWHERE

FEELERS BEING THROWN OUT FOR NEW FEDERAL POLITICAL PARTY, SAYS ORGAN OF HON. G. GRAHAM

Brookville, Feb. 25.—"Will another party in federal politics be formed?" is a question asked by the Recorder and Times, Brookville's new amalgamated newspaper, edited by Hon. George P. Graham. The article continues:

"It can be stated unequivocally that feelers are being thrown out in this direction. It is well known that a number of live wires in the Tory party strongly objected to the formation of a Union Government. Leaders in the ranks of Liberals, who opposed Union Government, have been approached on the subject, but up to date have shown no disposition to accept the invitation."

"CARRY YOUR PAPERS," ADVICE GIVEN MEN OF THIS DISTRICT

Dominion Police Inspectors, Named to Take Charge of M. D. No. 1, Say Birth, Marriage or Exemption Certificates Must Be Carried at All Times.

Capt. Tom Flanagan, Inspector of Dominion Police for the Toronto Military District, is in London today, making preparations to supervise and assist the work of the police in this district.

Must Carry Papers. "We want every man to know that he should carry his papers," declared Inspector Taylor, and he laid great emphasis on this point. "The citizens should carry their papers at all times. Many people do not wish to take their marriage certificates from their homes where it is kept. If they will take it to a notary public, and have a copy made of it, and have the notary certify that the copy is genuine, they need not remove the certificate from its usual place of safekeeping."

Opening Local Office. An office is to be established here, possibly in the Royal Bank Building, where the files and records of the deputy registrar will be stored. The deputy registrar will be located in the city of Toronto. The defaulter, who has done nothing to comply with the act, will be turned over to the deputy registrar to make them register. We will not punish them. The absentees, who have been ordered to report for duty with the depot battalion, and have not done so, will be turned over to the assistant provost marshal.

HYDRO-RADIAL ASSN. TO START CAMPAIGN ON RAILWAY POLICY

Want Nationalization and Electrification of Grand Trunk System.

Edmonton, Feb. 25.—After representatives of the Allied Trade Unions had withdrawn from the city council meeting Monday afternoon with the avowed intention of recommending a general strike in Edmonton this morning, the council capitulated to all the union demands. The dispute arose as to the wording of the pliebisite to be taken next Monday. The unions insisted that if the pliebisite went in their favor the striking firemen should be reinstated and the new chief picked from their ranks.

GENERAL RUTTAN IS RELIEVED OF OFFICE

Winnipeg, Feb. 25.—Announcement was made at noon today that Gen. Ruttan, in command of Military District 10, Winnipeg, has been relieved of his duties by the military authorities at Ottawa.

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FRENCH READY FOR BIG DRIVE

Deputation From Council to Wait on the London Electric Owners—Beck Says Laws Have Failed to Move the Development Company and Suggests Moral Suasion Instead.

London, Feb. 25.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency).—A Reuter dispatch from French headquarters dated February 25 says that as the season advances and the shadow of the expected German offensive looms larger, it is comforting to know that the French are ready in every sector on a long line to meet the blow wherever it falls.

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TORONTO'S EAST END IS BADLY FLOODED

Humber Goes On Rampage Following Electrical Storm.

Toronto, Feb. 25.—The Don and Humber rivers, the former flowing through the heart of the east end of this city, today are in flood as a result of the heavy downpour of rain during the electrical storm of last evening.

NO ANSWER RECEIVED TO RUSS ACCEPTANCE OF HUN PEACE TERMS

London, Feb. 25.—An official Russian statement, sent out by wireless yesterday, announced that no reply had been received from Germany to the Russian communication accepting the German peace conditions. The announcement, which was signed by Premier Lenin and Foreign Minister Trovsky, again invited the German government to accept the terms of the peace.

WANT GOVT. FARM FOR TRAINING OF SOLDIERS IN AGRICULTURE WORK

Montreal, Feb. 25.—The Quebec branch of the Great War Veterans Association passed a resolution last night urging Sir Robert Borden to bring the attention of his colleagues in the Government for action on the letter sent by the association asking that the Federal Government provide 20,000 acres of agricultural land, with reasonable reach of railroad communication for the education of returned soldiers as farmers.

BRITISH DRIVE OFF RAID ON ARRAS SAP

London, Feb. 25.—A hostile attempt during the night to raid one of our saps south of the Arras-Cambrai road was driven off by rifle fire, says today's war office report.

Elsewhere there was nothing of special interest to report.

RUSSIAN REVOLUTIONARY ARMY NOW FIGHTING TEUTON INVADERS AT MANY POINTS—HEAVY STREET FIGHTING AT PSKOV, WHERE RUSSIANS ARE REPORTED ONCE MORE IN CONTROL.

London, Feb. 25.—The women's and soldiers' committee for revolutionary defence, according to a Reuter dispatch, placed cards in Petrograd on Sunday, making this Petrograd's first day of revolution.

The Red Guard bands of Hoffman and William, advancing quickly by rail, have occupied Pskov, which is eight hours distant from the capital.

INVASERS TAKE ANOTHER. Berlin, Feb. 25.—The German invasion of Volynia, has captured the town of Kolomoia after a hard battle, the German general staff announced today.

UKRAINE WILL RISE AGAINST INVADERS. London, Feb. 25.—Signing of a Russo-German peace will not be the final solution of the German problem on her eastern frontier, and the final settlement will come with the evacuation of Courland, Esthonia, Livonia and Poland take matters into their own hands, according to Ukrainian students' declaration.

Manitoba Minister Says Need Is Terrible.

Winnipeg, Feb. 25.—Canada is faced with the responsibility of keeping the food of the world, and the responsibility for the liberty of the world, and unless Canada rises to the responsibility her allies will be in danger of starvation.

HANGMAN BUNGLED WESTERN HANGING

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 25.—The hanging of Thomas Fletcher at Postage in Prairie at 8 o'clock this morning for the murder of Mrs. McVean, was a bungling affair. Hangman Elliott bungled, and the scene was terrible to the thousands of on-lookers. The facts and the length of the rope, and when the trap was sprung Fletcher's feet dangled on the ground, and it was necessary to haul him off the ground and hold him suspended until the cord was pronounced dead.

FLIGHT-LIEUT. McVEAN INJURED. Dresden, Feb. 25.—Lieut. James McVean, Royal Flying Corps, has been severely wounded flying in England, according to word received by his mother, Mrs. Osmond McVean. Lieut. McVean, who is 20 years of age, has been overseas ten months, and recently returned after several months' flying in France.

DIED IN DETROIT. Dresden, Feb. 25.—John Dunlop is dead in Detroit. Andrew and Fullerton, two brothers, and Mrs. A. Martin, a sister, reside here, and William Dunlop of Chatham are also brothers.

PHYSICIAN ARRESTED. Mine Centre, Ont., Feb. 25.—Major G. H. Weisby, paymaster of Military District No. 10, was arrested yesterday for conspiracy to enter stripes without consent of the municipality.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SENTENCED TO PRISON

Winnipeg, Feb. 16.—David Cook, a machinist, a "conscientious objector" was sentenced to two years in jail in the U. S. A. Cook is a member of the International Bible Students' Association.

200 AMERICAN JEWS ENLIST FOR SERVICE IN JERUSALEM CITY

New York, Feb. 25.—Two hundred young Jews, who have enlisted here for service in a Jewish battalion which is being recruited in England for service in Jerusalem, were sworn in at the United States border today. The recruits will sail soon from an Atlantic port. They will be given a farewell dinner by Jewish societies tomorrow.

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POKER TACTICS DEFEATED FRITZ AND WON ADDED DECORATION FOR LONDON OFFICER OF PRINCESS PATS

"Bluff" of Major Hugh Niven Was Raised Again and Again But Never Called—Interesting War Reminiscences of London Boy Appear in New York Paper.

Writing in the New York Herald, Major Hugh Niven, D.S.O., near M.C., of this city, who is now serving again with the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry after a brief furlough spent in London, gives some of the most interesting highlights of the war game. The title of the major's article is "Playing Poker With Fritz." It follows:

I went to France a little more than three years ago, when our forces were slightly the underdog in the enemy had more guns than we had and better prepared positions, and we had rather hard times. We were proved during the last year, when things became somewhat equal, just what the Allies can do in the way of fighting. Today on the western front in France the Allies hold every prominent position and tactical advantage in both Flanders and France. We have proved that despite all the ingenuity and skill the Germans possess in the way of making fortifications, not one single spot have they been able to hold when we went after them.

This war started off last year of the year before and the early part of this year with the Germans engaged in fighting chiefly underground. Whenever we went over the top and after them we had to dig our way through the trenches and the dugouts was a very fine idea of the German in the first place, but he gave up that idea. He found that the British and French armies in France could not get up dugouts before we were on them. They were not intended to be dugouts, but they were in some way affected, and the orders issued by the general staff about the digging when the light started did not quite hold good. They did not seem to like to come up and the noise was so kept coming along the line wherever they dug dugouts built.

At the end of this last year they struck on a new system. They built "pillboxes," and put them all over the front line. They were about 12 feet long, 15 feet wide and possibly 12 feet high. The front and side walls are about six to ten feet thick, and the rear walls about three feet. One built as described would be divided into four or possibly five cubicles, each of these with a wall inside two feet thick.

In the front wall of each of these cubicles a loophole for a machine gun would be built. The top of the pillbox is usually constructed. Recently I saw some seventy which we had taken and I saw only that they had been knocked down by shell fire. They stand a most tremendous shock. The German general staff issued orders when the light started the men were to come out of these "pillboxes" (they were only made for assembling parties) and escape to the rear with the machine gun, and the infantry was to spread out on each side in shell holes. The German general staff fell down, and I did not find anybody outside the nine I had the privilege of watching being taken.

It seems that when you put Fritz in a pillbox during the fighting I was in late in a single German who did not get out of his hole. He was a hundred yards away, he did fairly good shooting. He was firing from a tripod stand of his machine gun. He had fifteen rounds of "kammerad" in the German magazine.

That is what has happened over during the last three years. In every day we have been once again surrounded. We have held him and he has beaten him. Three years ago I believe the Germans were very nervous. They were prepared, everything was ready. The allied armies—perhaps an speaking of the British—were not so well prepared. Most of it was not ready. We were not trained as we should have been trained, and if we could not break through three years ago I do not believe we have any possibility of breaking through now.

There is only one way to take the German "pillboxes" and that is by getting around to the back door. You are bound to lose a certain number of men going up to them. At Passchendaele there seemed to be no way to get up to them. They were killed 300,000 or 400,000, and wounded probably 500,000 or 1,000,000. There is only one way to kill them now, and that is to go after them. We went after them on the Somme, and we killed, took prisoners and wounded a great many. The same happened at Vimy Ridge—we took another 15,000 or 20,000, and killed 20,000 or 30,000 and killed 20,000 or more; at Passchendaele we took a great many prisoners and killed a great many, and so on. At Cambrai we did the same thing—we took 12,000 prisoners and killed 10,000 or 15,000. The object of the Cambrai drive, no matter how far we went or where we went, or how far we went, I believe was achieved when we killed those 10,000 to 20,000 Germans and wounded another 50,000.

If the United States sends over a vast number of aeroplanes, that will have a tendency to shorten the war. Whenever you can stop an aeroplane from coming over the British lines you put out the German's eyes. The only way he can find out what we are doing behind our lines with any certainty, is by aerial photography. When we can keep him from coming behind our lines and see where we are massing troops, seeing where we are massing guns, why, we can bring off a surprise and do a great deal of damage. In two or three of the things we have been in lately our air supremacy has allowed us a great many privileges we did not have in 1915.

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THE WEATHER COLDER; LIGHT SNOWFALLS.

April Showers Soon!

These Are Days of Preparedness

These spring showers bring May flowers, and also catch many of us without the shelter of a raincoat or umbrella. It is seldom we think of these articles until they actually are needed, and then it may be too late. The umbrella or raincoat is quite likely to be elsewhere than the place needed.

This announcement is made to encourage "preparedness" for these showers that are sure to come, and so that we may always see the "silver lining" in the cloud instead of a discouraging ducking.

Women's Rain or Storm Coats

Necessary in every woman's clothes closet ready for instant use. The new coats we are now showing are smart styles, as well as being practical—useful for protection against rain or other storms, and in motoring. They are reliable, made of good rainproof materials, both in cloth and rubberized fabrics. See them on Second Floor.

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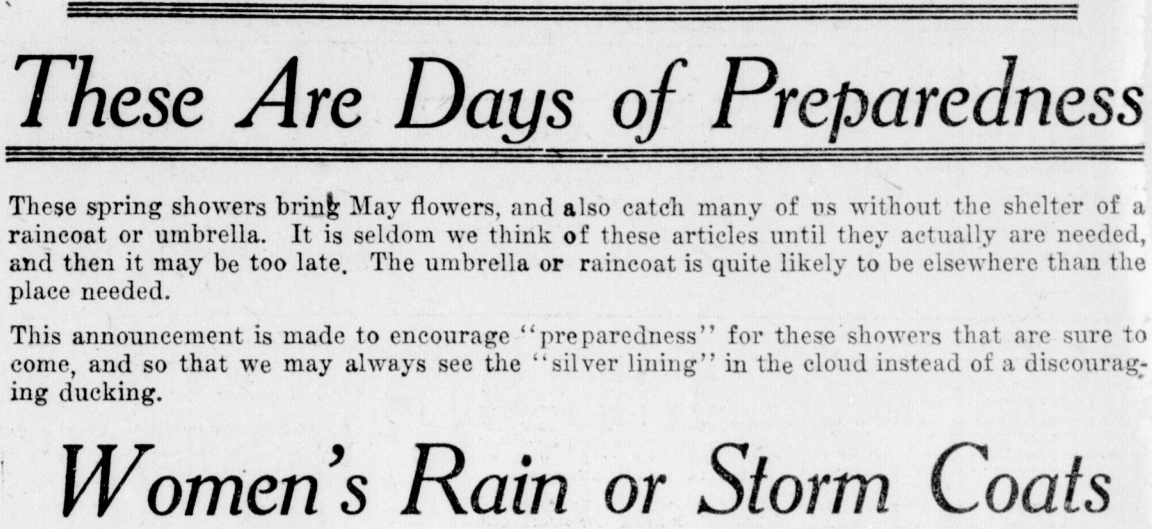
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Children's and Misses' Bath Robes, Half-Price

One table of Children's Bath Robes are being cleared at just half price, the balance of this season's robes, only a size or two in each line, but collectively all sizes for ages 6 to 16 years; attractive figured and flowered velours, in colors of sky, rose, pink, grey and open, all at half price to clear quickly. Sale prices \$1.87, \$2.09 and \$2.50 each

SECOND FLOOR.



THE MARCH DESIGNER.

This number is now in—the one of the most valuable issues of the year—the March number, introducing the new spring and summer styles. The color plates in this issue are very fine, the stories and household hints most interesting.

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On Saturday, March 2, a portion of our east window will be given up for this patriotic work, where donations of socks will be received for our French allies and exhibited. Socks may be left at Transfer Counter any day before Saturday.

Last Days of February Cotton Sale--2,500 Yards Specially Priced

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During demonstration we will sell this covered Stew Pot, four-quart size (wine measure), for \$1.49 if coupon is presented. The factory, having limited the number at this price, we must have a coupon for each sale for the factory check-up. Get yours early—they may not last the week. With the coupon \$1.49

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RELIGIOUS SERVICES MARK CELEBRATION

A religious service in the local synagogue at 8 o'clock this morning marked the celebration of the Feast of Purim by the local Jewish community today. A similar service was held at 7 o'clock last evening, and at each the children were also the same, the reading from the Scriptures of the historical event with which the annual celebration originated, the casting of lots by Haman, vizier of Persia, to determine the day for the extermination of the Jewish people, and the subsequent frustration of the plan and downfall of the plotter through the appeal to King Ahasuerus by his beautiful Jewish queen, Esther. The present celebration in London has been marked by the usual exchange of gifts, family gatherings and festivities of various kinds suited to an occasion of rejoicing.

This evening a benefit ball will be held at Dexton & McCormick's Hall, for the relief of Jewish sufferers in Russia.

Importation of Chinese labor was not favored by Lieut. Birkett, as he had seen what had been done in Russia. "There are enough foreigners in Canada now," he said. He cited cases of Chinese soldiers holding responsible positions in munition factories that could have been filled by returned soldiers. One case in particular was of a naturalized Dutchman, as he called himself, who drew \$135 for two weeks' work, and lost no opportunity of insulting the flag and the army. His case was being called to the attention of the authorities, and the speaker expected that he would be interned in a short time.

Lieut. Birkett warned those present to keep politics and the discussion of religion from the meetings, as these were two rocks that had wrecked other associations.

The following provisional officers were elected: D. Anderson, president; P. C. Gibson, vice-president; B. Wilson, secretary and treasurer.

It was decided to hold the next meeting in the Y. W. A. on an early day. A large number of those present signed the members' roll.

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FEW RECRUITS COME TO LOCAL CENTRE; ONLY FIVE MONDAY

Slowness of Yesterday Unusually Pronounced.

Recruits were scarcer than the proverbial hen's teeth at the armories on Monday. Although the centre is usually slower than the other days of the week, for recruiting, Monday of this week was exceptionally so. The final count, when the lists were closed for the day, showed that only five recruits had been obtained. One came from Cleveland, and the remaining four came from this district. Three of the men went to the Canadian Engineers, one to the Royal Flying Corps, and one to the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. Regiment.

Delays in the train service are believed to be responsible to some extent for the lack of volunteers, as only one came through from the British-Canadian Recruiting Mission across the border.

The following volunteers were attracted: one Alan, Cleveland, E. P. Docker, F. Freeman, R. M. Daly, and W. H. Bailey, London.

THE QUININE THAT DOES NOT AFFECT HEAD.

Because of its tonic and laxative effect, Laxative Bromo Quinine can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. There is only one "Bromo Quinine," E. W. GROVES'S signature is on box; 30c. Lawy.

LEGAL QUERIES

A READER—Would it be legal for Red Cross societies to sell tickets on a quilt, and if so would there have to be a war tax?

Ans.—Write to secretary, department of secretary of state, Parliament Buildings, Ottawa.

DON'T DECEIVE YOURSELF

By imagining your vision will rectify itself. It won't. Right glasses only will help—will relieve the blues, itching, and watering. Consult our eye specialist, Dr. Brown, Optical Company, 223 Dundas street, phone 187. Examination, glasses, contact, from \$2 up.

EXPECT BIG CROWD

Horticultural Society Directors Counting on Large Audience Tonight.

The London Horticultural Society, while deeply interested in the greater production movement, is convinced also that beautification of the city and home grounds should not be neglected, and to that end has secured the services of H. J. Moore, landscape gardener, Victoria Park, Niagara, for an illustrated lecture, at the Auditorium tonight on the latter subject. Mr. Moore is considered one of the most competent authorities in this line.

The directors confidently anticipate a big welcome to Mr. Moore.

If You Suffer From Piles

no matter how long or how bad—go to your druggist today and get a 50 cent box of Pyramid Pile Treatment. It will give quick relief, and a single box often cures. A trial package mailed free in plain wrapper if you send us coupon below.

FREE SAMPLE COUPON

PYRAMID PILE TREATMENT, 504 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

Kindly send me a Free Sample of Pyramid Pile Treatment, in plain wrapper.

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Heart and Nerves

HACKING'S HEART AND NERVE REMEDY is recommended for Palpitation, Throbbing or Irregular Heart Beats, Dizziness, Shortness of Breath, Epilepsy, Shooting Pain through the Breast, and Heart Distress after Exertion, Sleeplessness and Restlessness. It takes away that tired feeling of the overworked housewife and acts as a sedative to the Nerve and the Brain of the worried businessman. Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy insures you a good night's rest and sleep so that you will awake in the morning refreshed and vitalized and ready for a full day's work. Price 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, from your dealer or by mail, postage paid, C. B. Hacking, Phm. B., Listwood, 150

PREPARING FOR ASSEMBLY

Sunday School Board of Presbyterian Church Meeting at Toronto.

Rev. W. R. McIntosh and Rev. W. J. Knox are going to Toronto this week for the important meeting of 4 e year of the Sunday school and young people's board of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, at which business will be wound up in preparation for the meeting of the general assembly in June. Representatives from all parts of the Dominion will be present at the meeting, which lasts for three days, two coming from each synod of Canada.

MERCURY FELL 32 POINTS FOLLOWING HEAVY RAINSTORM

Cold Spell Only For Today, Say Probs.

The weatherman predicts that it will be fair with a rising temperature today, after today's cold spell. The weatherman predicted another gymnastic feat during the night. During the rainstorm the mercury ran up freezing, and before 8 o'clock this morning got down again to 13 degrees below zero, making a change of 23 degrees in twelve hours.

The disturbance which marked the Great Lakes yesterday has now reached the St. Lawrence, and gales in that neck of the woods are the order of the day.

WHY I BELIEVE IN NUXATED IRON

As a Tonic, Strength and Blood Builder.

By E. Sauer, M.D.

Probably no remedy has ever met with such phenomenal success as has Nuxated Iron. It has cured more than four million people annually and has been used in every clime. It has been highly indorsed and recommended by the former United States Senators and members of Congress. The Washington hospitals have prescribed and recommended it, and the most prominent Clergyman, recommends it to all. Former Health Commissioner Wm. H. Kerr of Chicago says it ought to be used in every hospital and prescribed by every physician.

Dr. A. J. Newman, late Police Surgeon of the City of Chicago, and former House Surgeon, Jefferson Park Hospital, Chicago, says Nuxated Iron has proven through his own tests of it to excel any preparation he has ever used for creating red blood, building up nerves, strengthening the muscles and correcting digestive disorders.

Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly Physician of Bellevue Hospital (Outdoor Dept.) of New York City, and now of the City Hospital, says there are thousands of men and women who need a strength and blood builder, and who do not know what to take. In his opinion there is nothing better than organic iron—Nuxated Iron—for creating the blood and helping to increase the strength and endurance of men and women who burn up too rapidly their nervous energy in the strenuous strain of the great business and blood building.

If you are not strong or well, you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without coming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of Nuxated Iron three times a day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see how much you have gained.

NOTE—Nuxated Iron, which has been used by members of the United States Senate and House of Representatives, and other prominent men, is not a secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists everywhere. Unlike other iron products, it is easily assimilated and does not make them sick. It is guaranteed to be entirely satisfactory and its use is dispensed by Standard Iron Company, Limited, and all good druggists.

CHILDREN HAD WHOOPING COUGH

Whooping cough, although specially a disease of childhood, is by no means confined to that period, but may occur at any time of life. It is one of the most dangerous diseases of infancy, and yearly causes more deaths than scarlet fever, typhoid or diphtheria, and is more common in female than male children.

Whooping coughs starts with sneezing, watering of the eyes, irritation of the throat, feverishness and cough. The coughing attacks occur frequently, but are generally more severe at night.

On the first sign of a "whoop" Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup should be administered, as it helps to clear the bronchial tubes of the collected mucous and phlegm.

Mrs. George Cooper, Bloomfield, Ont., writes: "I do not believe there are better cough medicines made than Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Our children had whooping cough last winter, and that is the only remedy I could find to help them. It loosens up the phlegm so that they could raise it easily. I will never be without it."

Dr. J. H. Snowdon of 50c a bottle, put up in a yellow wrapper; three pure trees the trade mark; manufactured by The T. Milburn Company, Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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Still a number of splendid sets, scarves and caps. It will be wisdom to buy next winter's supply at these prices—one-third less than prices of about one year ago, when these were bought.

WOODS' GREAT PEPPERMINT CURE FOR COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, WHOOPING COUGH, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE THROAT AND LUNGS.

Woods' Great Peppermint Cure

Woods' Great Peppermint Cure is the best remedy for all the above mentioned ailments. It is a simple, natural, and effective remedy, and is guaranteed to give relief in all cases. It is sold in bottles of 50 cents and \$1.00.

MEN UNCLE TO COLORS COMING BUT SLOWLY

Comparatively Few Report for Service Here on Monday or Today.

BLAME NEW SCHEDULES Train Changes, Say Officers, Responsible For Slow Response.

Men are coming in rather slowly today in response to the registered letters from the deputy registrar which notified them to report for duty with the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. Regiment, here. Only a few arrived Monday and up until now today, only a small number had put in an appearance at the collecting depot at the arrival, where their names are recorded, and documents made out.

THIRTY-EIGHT CARS OF COAL RECEIVED BY LOCAL DEALERS

Big Shipments and the Mild Weather Help Situation.

Thirty-eight cars of coal reached London this morning, 23 coming from London and Port Stanley and five coming in over the Grand Trunk.

MORE ADMIRATION FOR A THIEF THAN FOR WIFE DESERTER

Magistrate Scathingly Scorns Man Sentenced to Jail.

Given five chances to make good his promise to provide for his wife and family and failing to keep his word on each occasion, Frank Maudsley, 198 1/2 Horton street, was today sentenced to jail by Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon to 30 days in jail.

RAILWAY EMPLOYEES ENJOYABLE AT HOME

First Annual Function of Port Stanley Staff Enjoyable.

The first annual home of the employees of the L. & P. S. Railway, Division No. 1, was held at the home of the Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America, was held in the association hall, 216 Dundas street, Monday evening.

The Cereal Food you should use these days is Grape-Nuts

This food is a sugar-saver—contains over 10 per cent sugar by weight—not "put there," but developed in the making from prime wheat and malted barley.

Ready Cooked No Waste A Food for the times

Sale in handy, sealed packets licensed by the Canadian Government.

NEWS LOCAL

VISITING HERE.—Lieut. F. H. Baker of Niagara Falls, Ont., who recently returned from overseas on a furlough, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Hawkins.

WILL DISCUSS ESTIMATES.—The board of works will meet this evening to discuss the estimates for the coming year. The estimates for the previous year were slightly in excess of the budget.

\$1200 PERMIT.—A building permit has been issued for the addition of 1000 sq. ft. to the plant, to cost \$1200. The permit for the month total \$5,510.

ANTICIPATES NO MORTGAGE.—General Manager E. V. Buchanan reports that the Springbank reservoir project will be completed by the end of the year, and that there will be no shortage of water in the spring unless something altogether unforeseen happens.

FINISH UP TOMORROW.—The finance committee of the city council will meet on Wednesday evening to finish up the estimates for the coming year.

CANNOT WEAR UNIFORMS.—Civilian employees of the city council must not wear the uniform of the city, but must wear their own clothes.

CONDITION ALARMING.—The condition of the city is alarming, says the council, and that the city council must take action to improve the situation.

MAJOR KINGSMILL LEAVING.—Major Henry A. Kingsmill, president of the city council, is leaving for the city of London, Ontario, where he will be in charge of the city council.

CANNOT BE KEPT HERE.—Non-commissioned officers and men sent to Canada on escort duty must not be retained in the city, but must be sent to their homes.

EURECH TOURNAMENT.—Commemorative interest is displayed each Wednesday night at Hyman Hall with the Eurch tournament.

REMAINED FOR WEEK.—William Coles, aged 37, was arrested last Monday night by Constable Alex. Shaver on complaint of a woman, who said Coles was acting in a suspicious manner, and was hiding in her house.

CLERIC HELPS SUFFERERS.—Rev. H. D. Moyer of Hyatt Avenue Methodist Church, is helping the sufferers of the coal famine during the recent cold snap.

ENLISTING GENERAL AID TO HELP WORK OF RE-PLACING MEN

Soldiers' Aid Officials Working Out Co-ordination Plans.

W. W. Shaver, district inspector for the Provincial Soldiers' Aid Commission, and K. W. McKee, one of the members of the committee, held a conference with the officers of the city council on Monday evening.

WORKMEN SATISFIED WITH HALIFAX JOBS

Conditions Good, Write Volunteer Who Went From London.

CALLING FOR BIDS ON BUILDINGS ON SITE OF "FEDERAL SQUARE"

Owners Have to Remove Them Before Middle of Next Month.

The Coote estate, owners of the garage and other buildings on Dundas street, east of Wellington, have advertised the buildings for sale.

U. S. DAILY WAR BULLETINS.—The daily official report by Gen. Pershing on activities at the American front in France may be shortly published.

HOSPITAL WARDS AT WOLSELEY BARRACKS GREATLY ENLARGED

New Administration Building Adds to Accommodation.

WILL USE WHOLE WING Transfer of Offices Leaves More Room for Military Patients.

With the occupation today by the staff of Army Medical Corps Training Depot and its new administration building, the first step in the turning over of the west wing of Wolseley Barracks to hospital purposes was completed.

The new building, which has been under construction for some time, is now ready for occupation.

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ANOTHER DRAFT OF CONSTRUCTION MEN GOES TO HAMILTON

Reinforcements Sent to Depot For Training.

Further reinforcements for the Railway Construction Training Depot at Hamilton, Ontario, were sent to the depot today.

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HAMMERING OUT TIN CANS PART OF NEW CONSERVATION SYSTEM NOW IN FORCE AT LOCAL CAMP

Waste Leaks Being Systematically Plugged and "Scrap" and "Scraps" Turned In to Real Money to Help Bear Canada's War Burden.

Have you ever seen a salvage plant? If you have not recently returned from a trip overseas, you have not seen a salvage plant in this city.

At Queen's Park camp, under the supervision of Lieut. Charles H. Blackburn, conservation officer for Military District, an interesting experiment is being conducted.

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HUGHES TO FINISH RED TAPE BLOCKED PLAN

Tubercular Prisoner Will Not Be Removed From Cells.

Little credence is placed by the military authorities here in the story emanating from Windsor to the effect that Jesse W. Hoffman had told the military men here that an unnamed Windsor woman had been assisting draft evaders to get out of the country.

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TO ASK GOVERNMENT SUPPORT IN ADDING TO TILE PRODUCTION

Clay Workers Will Consider Important Questions. MEANS MUCH TO FARMS Greater Production Insured by Use of Drains, But Plants Are Swamped.

One of the questions of vital importance, to be discussed at the twenty-first annual convention of the Western Ontario Clay Workers' Association which will be held in this city in the Builders' Exchange rooms, Bank of Nova Scotia Building, on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week is the imperative need of increased production of the industry in order to meet the needs of the farmers.

The saving scheme is not to be confined to road, however. Tin, paper, bones, bottles, rivets, washers and everything else is to be salvaged. Swills and manures are being collected and will be used for fertilizer.

The poultry building at Queen's Park has been taken over temporarily by Lieut. Blackburn, and here the salvage plant is in operation.

The work at present being undertaken here is being done in order to keep the organization in the best of shape.

The Windsor dispatch follows: WINDSOR, Feb. 25.—Charging that the Dominion Government is being active in assisting draft evaders and alien enemies to get out of the Dominion, the local immigration authorities are investigating a statement said to have been made to the military authorities by Jesse W. Hoffman, a military prisoner detained here for investigation.

LONG LIST OF SPEAKERS.—Among the speakers who appear on the agenda of the convention are Charles A. Miller of Toronto, who is president of the Dominion Geographical Survey; Prof. Day and Prof. Scott of the Ontario Agricultural College; and James Holmes of Alvington, met together at the convention headquarters, where the convention will be held on Wednesday morning, a brief business session is being held this afternoon.

CLAIMED ALIENS HELPED NAMED UNKNOWN WINDSOR

Principal in Startling yarn Has Gone Overseas.

TEACHES THEM TRENCH MORTAR WORK IN TEXAS.

LONDON BOY ACTS AS INSTRUCTOR TO NEW ARMY OF U. S. A.

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RADICAL DEPUTATION TACTLESS, CHARGE OF JOURNAL EDITORIAL

"Unfortunate in Friends," Says Ottawa Newspaper. FAILED TO GIVE FACTS Premier's Rebuke Claimed To Be Well Deserved by the Delegation.

London and district delegates who went to Ottawa with the recent hydro-radical deputation to call on the Dominion Government to immediately nationalize the Canadian railways, visited the Canadian Pacific, have complained bitterly of the treatment accorded them at the capital. They have declared that the action of Sir Robert Borden and others of the cabinet was nothing less than a slap in the face.

Editorially the Ottawa Journal answers these charges. In part it says: "Judging by the newspaper which visited Ottawa in recent times displayed a more conspicuous absence of tact and ability in petitioning for its demands. Instead of facts, figures, and real and logical argument, the radicals indulged in unwarranted insinuation in assertion without proof. In generalities, and in half-considered but very sweeping resolutions."

"It is very easy to pass a resolution calling upon the Government to take over the Grand Trunk Railway by the sweep of a pen. It is a different thing to frame the resolution, to give it a meaning, to put it to the test of a vote in the House of Commons, and to see that it is carried."

The radical scheme to take over the Intercolonial Railway is a hodge of inefficiency and boodism, and that any man who has made a study of the situation, and who has seen the kind of public that can be got to Ottawa and give dictatorial lessons in the name of efficiency, should not be surprised that the radicals have been rebuffed.

FLOOD MENACE

way traffic was maintained, however. Residents used the cars, though only going to work, to escape the flooded streets. The water was so high that it was necessary to wade through it.

FLOOD AT GRAND AVENUE.—The file which carries the water from the creek under Grand Avenue, is being entirely too small to handle the thousands of gallons which poured in from all parts of South London.

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Step into a pair of our new spring shoes, and you'll be pleased with the lovely models, perfect fittings and reasonable prices. New shoes arriving every day.

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DANGER Don't let a cough or cold hang on to you. Buy a KOF — the result is quick.

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Visit The Fair DOMINION SAVINGS BUILDING, FOR DOLLS AND TOYS.

YOUR FILMS DEVELOPED and PRINTED CORRECTLY —AT— ROBERTSON & MORLEY, 310 Dundas Street, Opposite Armory.

WILL MOVE CENTRAL. NAIKEN, Feb. 24.

The central office of the Farmers' Telephone Company is to be moved this spring from 100 Wellington street to the new building, which has been in charge, is retiring, and the management of the line has been taken over by Alex. McKenzie.

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SEVEN YEARS

with the utmost indifference, refusing to say a word as to why sentence should not be passed.

The courtroom was crowded to suffocation long before the magistrate ascended the bench, the spectators being drawn to see the criminal, whose escapades have out-rivalled those of any individual who has ever appeared in the court house.

Prisoner Indifferent.

Magistrate H. H. Graydon has been called upon to make an assessment of the duties of his office.

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VON HERTLING WANTS GENERAL CONCLAVE OF WARRING POWERS

German Chancellor Asks For Exchange of Views. GERMAN CAPTURE REVEALS Chief Fortress of Russia Defending Petrograd Falls to Teutons.

Amsterdam, Feb. 25.—Speaking before the Reichstag today, the imperial German chancellor, Count von Hertling, made this declaration: "I can fundamentally agree with the four principles which in President Wilson's view must be applied in a mutual exchange of views, and thus declare peace can be discussed on such a basis."

"But this goal has not yet been reached. There is still no court of arbitration established by all the nations for the preservation of peace in the name of justice."

Says World Is Prejudiced. "When President Wilson incidentally says that the German chancellor is speaking to the tribunal of the world, I must decline to be so treated. It is an impartial court of arbitration established, and gladly as I would cooperate to realize such ideals," the chancellor added.

Wants General Conclave. "I can only agree with Mr. Runciman if he means that we should be such warring powers as to have representatives of the belligerent powers meet in complete freedom of discussion. That would be a way to move all intentional and unintentional misunderstandings and bring about an agreement on many individual questions. I am thinking especially in this connection of Belgium."

Count von Hertling announced that the Russian government had accepted the German peace conditions, and he added that the conclusion of peace must ensue shortly. Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, according to a dispatch from Vienna, has sent a message by wireless to Leon Trotsky, the Bolshevik foreign minister, stating that Austria-Hungary is ready to conclude negotiations with Russia to bring the conflict to a close.

REVAL HAS FALLEN, AS HOFFMANN PREDICTED. BERLIN, Feb. 25.—The German forces have occupied Reval after an engagement with the Russians. The Germans have also captured Peskov (about 150 miles southwest of Petrograd).

GIRLS! ACT NOW! HAIR COMING OUT MEANS DANDRUFF

"Danderine" will save your hair and double its beauty at once. Try this! Your hair gets soft, wavy, abundant and glossy at once.

Save your hair! Beautiful! It is only a matter of using a little Danderine occasionally to have a head of heavy, free flowing, wavy hair. It is easy and inexpensive to have pretty, charming hair and lots of it. Just spend a few cents for a small bottle of Knott's Danderine now—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance, freshness, softness and an incomparable gloss and lustre, and try as you will, you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes, but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp. Danderine, we believe, is the only safe, gentle, destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp, and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

WESTERN ONTARIO BRIEFS

PAISLEY.—The local Boy Scouts have collected \$12 in aid of the Y. M. C. A. work at the front. STRATFORD.—Lieut. Arthur W. Doonan, who has been invalided home with a badly wounded arm, has been awarded a military cross for gallantry in action.

CHATHAM.—The general order for vaccination which went into effect, following an outbreak of smallpox, is causing much discussion. Many wild rumors, regarding serious results following vaccinations, have proven unfounded.

ST. THOMAS.—Walter Chaik, the Port Barwell youth sentenced to Kingston for theft, has been found medically fit, and in a few days will be released to join the W. O. R. at London. WATFORD.—Tuesmex Chapter 1, O. D. E., is paying 40 boxes for Watford boys at the front.

COLLINGWOOD.—The shipyard workers who have been out on strike for three days have returned to work. GALT.—A. M. Edwards was named president of the Waterloo Golf Club.

HIGHGATE.—Thomas Shipp, aged 22, of Galt, was killed in a collision with a street car at the intersection of St. Thomas and Highgate streets.

ST. THOMAS.—Someone evidently frightened by the wholesale arrests for their drive on the night and deposited a truckload of stolen goods that have been missing for a month. More arrests are expected.

ST. THOMAS.—A man who was refused exemption has written Constantine Young, King's military representative, that he will "get him."

INGERSOLL.—James Pickard, aged 22, and Mrs. Katherine Moshery, aged 26, are dead. ST. THOMAS.—The Liberal Club will entertain its members and friends tonight.

WINDSOR.—Lieut.-Col. G. Gow, Canadian Dental Corps, has been awarded the decoration of the Order of the White Eagle, fourth class, by the King of Serbia.

BRANTFORD.—Alfred Bates, Canada King, King's military representative, was damaged by fire to the extent of \$500 today.

BRANTFORD.—T. Harry Whitehead, believed to have been on the ill-fated Lusitania, was killed in a collision with a street car at the intersection of New York and that he was safe.

WINDSOR.—J. Jenette, ex-M. C. R. convicted last year on a charge of being a railway robber, is now being held in the jail for a charge of being a railway robber.

WINDSOR.—Alben Herbert was taken in a police raid in Detroit. He holds a passport and says he would like to immigrate to a quarter to let him cross the border. He will be handed over to the authorities.

GRINAN.—The farmers of this district have organized a Farmers' Club. ST. THOMAS.—Dr. Hanley, the Canadian minister, has been notified by the United States army, has been notified to Washington.

WALKERTON.—Thomas Cunningham has been killed in action. NAIRN.—The Farmers' Telephone Exchange is moving its office from East Williams to Springbank.

JAPANESE TO MOVE AGAINST BOLSHEVIKI IN SIBERIAN AREA

Mikado's Troops To Aid Gen. Semenov's Cossacks. Harbin, Feb. 25.—Correspondence of the Associated Press.—The Japanese, according to reliable authority, intend to take action in Siberia at an early date, and there are evidences that the Japanese have been preparing to carry out this move.

The situation in Siberia is considered extremely grave, owing to the inability of the Cossack Gen. Semenov, head of the anti-Bolshevik movement in that vast territory, to secure Allied support which he has appealed to the Japanese.

Gen. Semenov's movement is now officially recognized, and a committee has been formed at Harbin which will act as a general staff, dividing the territory into financial, military and administrative. The Russian consul, M. Popoff, has been appointed chairman of the committee.

Two thousand Germans have been armed and are drilling at Irkutsk, capital of the Government of Irkutsk, in Eastern Siberia, and, according to an official report received from a foreign consul, the Germans are making all preparations to bring much larger forces to the front.

The election in Nelson, Manitoba, deferred, will be held on April 1. Gen. Pershing will soon issue a daily bulletin on United States troops' activities at the front.

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ALL CANADIANS, MALE AND FEMALE, OVER 16, WILL BE REGISTERED. New Committee of the War Cabinet Is Named.

OTTAWA, Feb. 25.—A sub-committee of the war committee of the cabinet, to be known as the Canada registration board, has been constituted today. Its duty is to register all persons over 16 years of age.

OTTAWA, Feb. 25.—An analysis of the military vote in the Dominion elections held in France shows a total vote of 101,251, including 10,000 in the military vote in constituencies where candidates were not endorsed and 91,251 where they were.

WORLD BRIEFS

A shipment of 160,000 bushels of wheat from Vancouver via Panama Canal has reached a British port. Word is waited at Vancouver as to its condition. This was a test shipment.

American guns, 10, 12 and 14 inch, are now in service on the western and Italian fronts. The first-named have a range of 17 miles.

Seven were killed at Columbia, S. C., when a steel coach was driven through a wooden car in a collision.

Bavaria will receive no benefits from the Ukraine grain, the Bavarian minister of the interior has informed the Lantag.

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TORONTO, Feb. 25.—Sir William Hearst introduced a bill in the Legislature today to compel municipalities to impose a minimum tax of \$2 on dogs and \$4 on female canines. They are taxed by bylaw to increase this to \$10 on male dogs and \$15 on female dogs.

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Copper wire	20c per pound	44c per pound
Axles	\$9.20 each	\$44.10 each
Wheels	\$7.50 each	\$10.27 each

Other materials have increased from 50 to 380 per cent. But we have not had any increase at all in the prices for rides, which have averaged less than 4c each. Other merchants who paid higher wholesale prices have been able to charge higher retail prices.

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GENERAL INDUSTRIAL CONDITIONS.

The institution of "heatless" days in the central industrial district of Canada which derives its coal from the United States shows how inevitably the impairment of transportation facilities affects production. Conditions in Ontario have been serious, but not much more so than in other parts of the Dominion. The chief cause of the present serious shortage of steel is the inability to secure the transportation of the raw material in sufficient quantities. At their recent conference with the war committee of the cabinet the steel manufacturers expressed their desire to meet the wish of the Government for the increase of their output by 20 per cent over that of 1917. This will be impossible unless the Government takes steps to improve transportation and labor conditions. To man and equip the railways adequately for the greater demands which will be made on them during the current year, and to increase the production of steel to meet the requirements for munition making, will necessitate industrial readjustments of a drastic character. Arbitrary limitations may have to be imposed upon such industries as do not serve essential purposes or do not contribute to our export trade. On the other hand, by a timely provision for future needs, a steady flow of orders must be maintained in order that by keeping manufacturing establishments steadily employed their organization and labor forces may be preserved intact. Spasmodic orders make this difficult and hamper efforts to increase production. The total output in Canada is almost equal to that of previous years, but an extraordinary demand has been created by the activity of manufacturing industries and by the severity of the weather. In Nova Scotia the enlistment of so many men has reduced the output with serious results in Alberta and British Columbia there is no apparent diminution in the output or in the number of men working in the mines, but the difficulties of transportation are serious.—Monthly Commercial Letter, Canadian Bank of Commerce.

"WHERE YOU MUST YOU CAN."

A young newspaper man in the East had worked his way up from "copy" reporter to city editor, and with a fair salary was able to support his little family in comfort. But at thirty he had not saved a cent.

Of course, he carried some life insurance. Enough perhaps, but when he took pencil and paper and figured a little it did not seem so much after all. For, had he died then, the income that his wife and children would have received from his insurance money would have been only about one-sixth of his salary at that time.

The newspaper business is one in which changes among the workers are frequent. So it came about that this editor, for one reason or another, lost his job. After some trial and tribulation, he secured another on a rival sheet in the same city. But his salary was much smaller. The result was that there had to be considerable readjustment in the manner of living of that family, a little more careful management of household finances, and a pruning down of the personal expenses. This period of enforced economy lasted fully a year. During that time the husband and wife found that they were able to get along all right and did not have to give up much that was really worth while. So when the breadwinner got a "raise" they decided to save the greater part of the increase and put it into the bank.

Five years later, their savings in the bank and good investments had sprang from them amounted to enough to add \$20 a month to their income, and the fund was always growing and constantly making its owner more independent of the salary envelope and more fearless of the "blue" one.

Most men on salary live as this newspaper man did at first, just as if their income was sure to increase and never diminish. It is seldom that an increased income does not bring about a somewhat more expensive scale of living and a greater total of family expenditures. It is also seldom that a man's family expenses diminish unless a smaller income forces their reduction.

STORIES OF THRIFT, BY T. D. MCGREGOR.

DEAN JOHNSON AND BANKER VANDERLIP.

By B. C. Forbes.

When Frank A. Vanderlip was a cub reporter on the Chicago Tribune his boss was Joseph French Johnson, then a notable financial editor, and now the venerable presiding genius of the Alexander Hamilton Institute, and also the School of Commerce, Accounts and Finance of New York University.

Both lived in New York, and as they rode to the city every morning they "made up" a dummy for an ideal daily newspaper. They could produce a journal which would eclipse anything and everything in the country—so they thought.

Dean Johnson was ten years Vanderlip's senior, and had been the means of initiating young Vanderlip into journalism. At this time one was thirty and the other was twenty. They were both full of enthusiasm, full of energy, full of ideas, and full of ambition.

"WHAT IS THE ONE GREATEST THING TO HELP A MAN TO SUCCEED?" the 20-year-old Vanderlip asked his hero one morning on the spur-of-the-moment advice of the sage 30-year-old.

"To look as if you had already succeeded," was the on-the-spot-of-the-moment answer of the sage 30-year-old.

Vanderlip had not long emerged from overalls and a machine shop, where collars and cuffs he had not given up the idea of becoming a reporter. He had no special consideration. From that moment he spruced up. Indeed, he not only dressed the part, but acted the part. And, it was not long before his native town began to look upon young Vanderlip as one of the nabobs of Chicago.

The joke may be said to be that the man who received the advice has lived up to it more scrupulously than the man who gave it!

Mr. Vanderlip is regarded as one of the best-dressed men in America. Dean Johnson would take no prize at a fashion show. The last time I saw him he looked as if he was before or after indulging in a game of golf—soft shirt, collar, etc. The two have this in common, however, that each has risen to the very top of his profession and both have attained enviable reputations for what is inside them.

KNOW WHAT SHOULD BE DONE AND DO IT SYSTEMATICALLY.

The importance of system in the discharge of daily duties was strikingly illustrated by the experience of Dean Johnson when he was locked up in the icebergs of the Arctic Circle, with the prospects of months of dreary imprisonment. With his men enfeebled by disease and privations, and when all but eight of his company had left him to search for a way of escape, he sustained the drooping spirits of the handful who clung to him, and kept up their energies, by a systematic performance of duties and moral discipline. "It is," he says, "the experience of every man who has either combated difficulties himself or attempted to guide others through them, that the controlling law should be systematic action. Nothing depresses and demoralizes so much as a surrender of the approved and habitual forms of life. I resolved that everything should go on as it had done. The arrangement of hours, the distribution and details of duty, the religious exercises, the ceremonials of table, the fires, the lights, the watch, the labors of the observatory, and the notation of the tides and the sky—nothing should be intermitted that had contributed to the make-up of the day."

REVERSING THE PARTIAL PAYMENT PLAN.

Here is the experience of a man whose business is such that his income, aside from a small drawing allowance, comes to him only semi-annually.

He has found it necessary to use for ordinary living expenses the whole of his drawing allowance, and, on occasions, more. His semi-annual profits have always been big enough to provide a bank balance on which to draw for these surplus expenses. But, on this bank balance he received, of course, only a small rate of interest.

He now makes it a practice to invest practically the whole of his semi-annual profits. He buys outright some high-grade preferred stock. He deposits the stock with his broker. When he needs funds for insurance premiums or other expenses which the drawing account in his own firm will not cover, he gets his broker to advance the money against the stock.

The broker, of course, is willing to do so, provided the security is always ample to protect him for the total advanced. He makes a small interest profit on the account.

The business man pays this interest out of the dividends he receives. The dividends, in fact, are so much larger than the interest charges that his net investment yield far exceeds what he would have obtained on idle money in the bank.

When the semi-annual period comes around, he pays the debt, withdraws the security, invests in another stock and leaves that with the broker to be drawn against as before.

In a way, this is the converse of the Partial Payment Plan. But, like the Partial Payment Plan, it keeps money profitably employed all the time and undoubtedly develops thrift in its truest sense.—Old Lot Review.

WALL STREET CONDITIONS.

It is pretty well accepted in New York financial circles that when the market shows as little reflection of adverse conditions—as touching the war and prospects for an early peace—as has characterized trading during the past two weeks, it is fairly safe to surmise that we are quietly passing into a bull market. The action of the Union Pacific directorate as to dividend surely presaged a confidence in the expected action of the Government that should convince the average investor of the safety of commitments in good railroad securities. These have undoubtedly been selling below value for some months now, and must return to normal values within the near future. Confidence in this expectancy will increase now that the Senate has passed the first reading of the railway bill, and while the present market is a trader's scene only, good stocks are being quietly absorbed by strong hands and will hardly come out again until the market has had a very substantial advance. Pessimistic expressions were frequent occurrences of the day only a few weeks ago, but these are rarely heard today. On the contrary, the most representative men of the street are the more optimistic champions of the present opportunity for acquiring big profit-earning holdings. Bonds have been gradually but none the less effectively advancing for some time, and this is one of the most reliable forerunners of enhanced values of good dividend paying stocks. One of the old wags of Wall Street used to pipe the following:

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CHRIST AS "A GOOD SPORT." They said that Jesus Christ was a good sport, and that if they had to die they were willing to take a chance on him.

WHEN one hears a man of the standing of Rev. Dr. Chown, general superintendent of the Methodist Church, subscribe to the above brand of religion, Christ as interpreted by the Canadian and British Tommy, there is hope for the average man being brought closer than ever before to the churches.

The average man is religious, but he cannot always think or express himself in the terms made use of in the centuries gone by, and to a large extent perpetuated today. Methodism has been regarded for many years as the straightest and strictest brand of religion there is. To some without the church it has been the target for the quotation of Burns' poem, which refers to the "unco guid."

CANADA'S FINANCING. CANADA has raised a fund large enough to establish a British credit in the Dominion of \$400,000,000. Excellent!

EDITORIAL NOTES. Hindenburg will not get to Paris before May by strategical retreats.

DAIRMEN'S JUST REQUEST. ARTHUR J. MILLS, British representative on the Canadian cheese purchasing committee, assured the deputation which waited on the minister of agriculture on behalf of dairymen, requesting that a higher price be set for cheese this year, that cheese was one of the most important items of the soldiers' diet and that its production must be stimulated in Canada.

FALSE PATHS. "We often enter false paths," said the kaiser, looking back over the war and commencing his reflections thereon to the burgomaster of Hamburg, who had come to present a congratulatory address on the peace with the Ukraine. It is that he was impervious to the argument of failure; that his egotistic optimism was proof against anything that failure and success looked precisely the same to him because his mind could not take in the idea that he had failed in anything.

Belgians have been engaged in Canada to show how onions should be grown and handled. Why not a few hundred Irishmen to handle the peat bogs?

There are two ways of equalizing the prices: One is by fixing the price to be paid by condensing companies at a lower mark than they pay voluntarily; the other is by increasing the price fixed for cheese.

The second appears to be the safer and fairer plan. If the condensing companies were forced to lower the prices they pay, they would also have to be forced to lower the prices at which they sell their products or else the law would result only in increasing their profits.

The price paid for cheese to the factory salesmen might be increased to make up most of the difference now existing between it and the condensery prices without working serious hardship to the consumer. Possibly something could

be done to control the "spread" of price between that paid the factory and that charged the consumer, a spread of nearly 100 per cent in many cases. Dairying is one of Canada's basic industries, and ought to have all possible encouragement.

ALBERTA'S COAL POSSIBILITIES. FUEL CONTROLLER MAGRATH has been informed by the president of the Northern Alberta Coal Operators' Association that the Alberta mines can provide the entire fuel requirements of Western Canada, and have some to spare for the northern states.

It is the immediate duty of Mr. Magrath and the Government to probe these statements, and if they are true, to make such arrangements as will prevent in future a recurrence of the conditions. Even if the rearrangement costs the country some money it will be worth carrying out in order to insure against next winter bringing with it suffering similar to that endured this season.

AN INDIRECT INDICTMENT. THE Lethbridge Herald asks: "Has union government done you any harm, Mr. Producer?" This is probably as far as it cares to delve into the question. It might have continued: Has union government done you any good, Mr. Producer or Mr. Consumer? But the answer would be to the first question would have been forthcoming also for the second, and that would have been embarrassing.

Windsor women are made sick by eating chicken pie. After all, it's a pleasant cause for illness.

Sweden's idea of restoring order in the Aland Islands is to seize the territory. Action has a rather Prussian taint.

"Mrs. Catt is a member of the defence board," says an American exchange. That's where you always find 'em, on "de fence."

Germany has made a mistake. Instead of demanding 160,000 square miles of Russia and an indemnity of three billion roubles, she ought to have requested that the whole country be turned over to her. Lenin and Trotzky would have been obliging.

It is true that the farmer who sends or takes his milk to cheese factories receives back some whey, useful for feeding pigs, but this does not compensate him for the difference in the price of milk.

For the month of February, condensing factories are paying \$2.76 per 100 pounds of milk testing 4 per cent butter fat. For lower percentage, the price decreases 3 cents per 100 pounds for every decimal point, and for a higher percentage it increases in the same proportion.

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WHEN KHAKI CALLS. By M. E. Stanton.

It was evening, and the big office buildings were discharging their quota work-a-day garb, stepped forth briskly into the crisp autumn air, conscious that the time for their day's work was over for a few brief hours and that they were free to play, relax and to take their leisurely walks, and to take their part in the comedies and tragedies of social life.

Ann started off, but had only gone a few feet when a quick step sounded behind her, and a pleasant masculine voice said: "Hello, Ann! What's your hurry?"

"I'm going to the office," she said, "to see Mr. Regan. He's waiting for me." "Tommy sounds good to you, doesn't he?" Tommy smiled and looked at her. "Mister Tommy doesn't listen natural coming to me, does he?"

"Pack your troubles in your old kit bag, and smile, smile!" "Them's my sentiments every time. Fellow that wrote that song must have been a packer, and a packer, whether you're digging with a shovel, or whether you're digging with a pen."

"You should not expect to get something for nothing," observed the Sage. "No," agreed Tommy, "if a man gives you a black eye, you should give him one in return."

"The Column Writer. The column writer's life is grand. He takes his sense of humor and exchanges it for dollars." "The Experienced Reporter. 'I have nothing to say,' declared the man who was the architect of his

Woman when the Reporter called for an interview. "Good!" exclaimed the Reporter, as he sat down. "Luckily I brought four pencils and an extra supply of paper."

Same Old Story. A careless sportsman is Bill Bree, and he'll be broke through all his life. He practices economy. By preaching it to poor Friend Wife. Correct.

Come Right In! If B. Good of Dearing, N.C., will join the Club we will let him teach the Sunday school class. Firms Is Firms. The Darling-Kidder Company is in the automobile business in Portland, Maine.

Well, Well! Maybe you know or didn't you, that E. Beans is the Pennsylvania station agent at Linnville, Ohio? No, Dear! Keep 'em on For a While! Say, Luke, this weather's got my goat. And I've quit wearing my winter coat. Now, I don't want to catch a cough. But is it time to take 'em off?—Letter.

Sure! Doctors Stave Greathouse occupy the same office in Dayton, Ohio. Yes, they are osteopaths. Our Daily Special. Promise Is The Advance Agent Of Debt.

Luke McClure Says. It is dangerous to debate the question of matrimony with a girl, because the result is apt to be a tie. Sometimes a man has so many irons in the fire that he can't get any of them hot. A man may be the architect of his

own fortune. But a woman is the architect of her own figure. What has become of the old-fashioned boy who used to spend his savings with a tattoo artist? A man devotes so much attention to his bad luck that he forgets all about his good luck.

People lie when they claim that they do not care anything for appearances. You never see any expensive lace curtains on the kitchen windows that look out on the backyard, do you? The two lies that are told oftentimes are, "I beg your pardon," and "Excuse me."

It makes a good cook smart when she sees a woman adhering strictly to cook-book measurements. It isn't a nice thing to say, but it often happens that an insurance money is more valuable to the family than the husband was.

When a girl has corns she wants you to think that it is a headache that makes her limp that way. They can knock money all they please. But it makes more trouble for those who do not have it than for those who do.

It makes a woman fly into a rage when her husband is such a liar that he accuses her of having a bad temper. What has become of the old lad who used to say: "It would take a Philadelphian lawyer to figure that out?" Maybe the reason why a Movie Vampire never displays any originality is because she is hired to display other things.

Don't get fat-headed. Many a man has lost a good job because he got the idea that nobody knew enough to fill his place. The Union Government might as well make it unanimous, and take all the seats in the world. No need of being fussy about it.

John L. Sullivan left an estate of \$5,000, the remnants of more than a million. Jawn quit booze after his money quit him. Girl elevator operators were not a success in New York. Must have got some pretty ones on the job. A minister says the way to check

divorce is to use intelligence before marriage. That guy wants to put marriage among the lost arts. Anybody who has hope for Russia would believe that J. Iscariot was a regular fellow.

The country round about here is flooded, and Get candidates are also being flooded with votes. It's been a hard winter. Life in Komoka is just one doggone flood after the other.

Feeding Englishmen on the ration principle will not be pleasant. The "roast beef and pudding of the tight little isle are no more; no, not for some time. N. W. Rowell and others are trying to make it no longer the tight little isle.

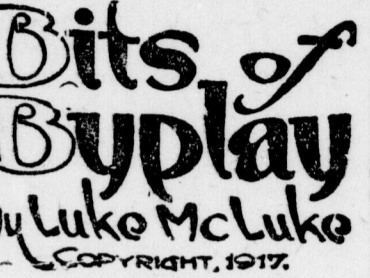
There is a movement on foot to extend the time for inaugurating the dry spell after April 1. The quenchless thirst might just as well be turned on April 1 as any other time. Anti-German candidates have been elected in Spain. The Onions may yet come to their senses.

Judas Iscariot has some final descendants in Lenin and Trotzky. We had hoped the race had died out. The gent who can straighten out the Russian situation could unscramble eggs.

The ex-Czar may be brought back to the throne of Russia, by the Germans. Kaiser Bill must have some sense of gratitude for his friends. The Labor-Liberal candidate in London will be beaten by several thousands. He might as well have all the soldiers' votes in the world. This will save some real good fellows, and do him no harm.

About all of Russia that will be left after the war will be a few books written by the Bolsheviks. Gather up your old trinkets, and give them to the ladies. They are going to buy coffee for the boys with the proceeds. Go get the stuff and pass it on.

A gent offered \$500 to anybody who would take his place in this war. Some gents would slough that sum to get out of it, but they are pretty well hidden.



Wait a Minute! By J. H. F.

Chapman's Month-End Sale 3 Days Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 3 Days

A SALE OF INTEREST TO KEEN BUYERS, PREVIOUS TO THE ADVENT OF SPRING. CONSERVATION THE ORDER OF THE DAY. THIS SALE CONSERVES YOUR MONEY, AND INCREASES YOUR PURCHASING POWER. READ THE LIST AND SHOP EARLY.

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\$1.00 articles for .75c. \$2.00 articles for \$1.50. \$3.00 articles for \$2.25. \$5.00 articles for \$3.75.

RAIN COATS—Prepare for the spring showers. Ladies' tweed, black and white, Oxford and sand shades, new style collars and belts. Values are special at \$7.50, \$8.75, \$12.50.

LADIES' PLUSH COATS—5 only, large collars, belted, full sweep, well lined, regulation buckles on back and front; regular \$27.00 and \$30.00. On sale \$22.95.

PLUSH COATS for girls, fit girls 12 and 14 years, in brown and green, lined throughout; regular \$14.00. For \$10.95.

ADVANCE STYLES in new Spring Coats, Suits and dresses on sale. Stylish Coats from \$7.50 upwards. Spring Suits from \$15.00 upwards. See the display First Floor.

LADIES' SILK WAISTS—3 dozen in maize and pink, sizes 36 to 44, big collars, new styles; regular \$2.50. On sale \$1.60.

LADIES' WHITE LAWN WAISTS—Lace trimmed, embroidered fronts, all sizes to 44; regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 quality. On sale .75c each, or 2 for \$1.25.

MIDDIES for women and school girls, in plain white and white and blue and red trimmed, pullover or open fronts; regular \$1.25; sizes 36 to 44. On sale .98c.

LADIES' BLACK MOIRE UNDER-SKIRTS—English make, large sizes, old dye; regular \$2.50. On sale \$1.95.

SHEETINGS—Bleached, heavy and fine make, 72 and 80 inches wide. On sale, per yard .65c.

CIRCULAR PILLOW COTTON—Fine even make, best quality, 42 and 44 inches. On sale, per yard .33c.

CURTAIN NET—9 pieces Curtain Materials, white and cream, Swiss and Madras, also Bungalow Net; regular 25c and 30c; slightly soiled. On sale .15c.

MARQUINETTE—ONE piece White Marquissette Net for curtains, slightly soiled, 36 inches wide; regular 35c. On sale .20c.

LITTLE DAISY STOCKINGS for children in red, white and tan, old stock and old dye, sizes 6 1/2, 8 and 8 1/2; worth 75c a pair. On sale 50c.

MEN'S SOCKS in grey and tan shades, union make; regular 25c pair. On sale .15c.

MEN'S SILK TIES, four-in-hand and slip-on makes, new colorings; regular 25c 5 for \$1.00

MEN'S SILK TIES, new and up-to-date goods; the regular 50c and 75c qualities 3 for \$1.00

CHILDREN'S 2-1 FINE RIBBED HOSE, black, sizes 5, 5 1/2 and 6; worth 20c and 25c a pair 7 pairs for \$1.00

CHILDREN'S 2-1 FINE RIBBED HOSE, black, sizes 6 1/2, 7 and 7 1/2; regular 25c 6 pairs for \$1.00

SCOTCH FINING YARN, 4-ply, in black, light and dark grey. Month End sale, per lb. \$2.00

SHEETINGS—Bleached, round thread, 72 inches wide, English manufacture. On sale, per yard 50c

COATINGS—10 ends of Fall and Winter Coatings, 54 inches wide, consisting of Scotch tweeds, chinchillas, velours and curl cloths, which we will clear at a big bargain; regular price \$4.00 and \$5.00 per yard. On sale \$1.98

TWEED—3 pieces Scotch tweed, 44 inches wide, a good strong material for suits and skirts; present value \$1.50. On sale at 85c

SUITING—One piece navy serge Suiting, all wool and old dye, 50 inches wide; a splendid material for a good suit; worth \$3.50 per yard. On sale at \$2.00

VELVET—6 boxes Corduroy Velvet, 27 inches wide, in navy blue, brown, green, grey, saxe blue and ivory; regular 85c a yard. On sale 59c

TUSSAH SILK—10 pieces, a full yard wide, in choice colors of grey, brown, emerald, reseda, pink, French blue, old rose, champagne, natural, ivory and black, washable and serviceable, a choice silk for a good dress or waist; worth \$1.00 a yard. On sale at 89c

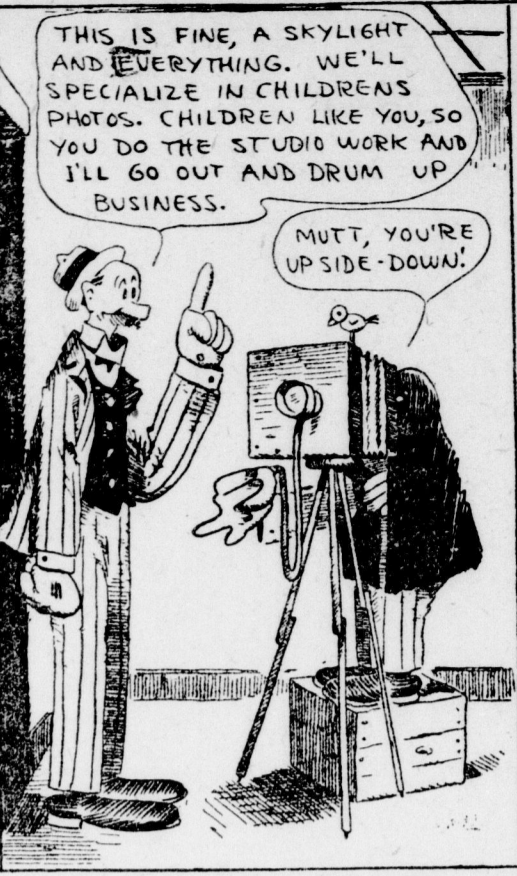
SILK—Two pieces Black Taffeta Silk, 36 inches wide, old dye, a good silk for a handsome dress; worth \$2.00 a yard. On sale \$1.39

MIDDIES for girls 6 to 14 years, white with colored trimmings and belts; regular \$1.50. On sale 98c

EMBROIDERY—27-in. Flouncing, suitable for children's dresses, slightly soiled; worth 50c a yard. On sale 35c

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MUTT AND JAFF.—She Could Have Taken Half a Dozen of Them Anyway.



KITCHENER MEETS DENTALS IN FIRST OF ROUND TONIGHT

Fast Game Is Expected When Crack Teams Clash at Toronto.

KITCHENER, Feb. 25.—Kitchener goes to Toronto today to meet the Dentals in the first game of the senior O.H.A. finals. The locals are in great shape and will put up a stiff game against the Dentals. Individually the players have never been in better condition, and the team, as a whole, is tuned up to the top notch.

OPINION DIVIDED OVER LEWIS-BARTFIELD FIGHT

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 25.—Opinion was divided as to who had the better of the six-round no-decision boxing bout here tonight between Lewis and the English welterweight champion, and Soldier Bartfield. Many thought that Bartfield had the advantage because of his aggressiveness, while others considered the bout a good draw.

FULTON KNOCKS OUT MORAN IN 3RD ROUND OF FIGHT LAST NIGHT

Heavyweights Busy With Ring Business Monday Night.

BILL BRENNAN DEFEATED

Almost Put to Sleep by Jack Dempsey in Sixth Round.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 25.—Fred Fulton of Rochester, Minn., knocked out Frank Moran of Pittsburg in the third round of their scheduled 20-round fight here tonight.

TOM JONES RATES HIMSELF WEALTHY

Tom Jones, who holds the proud distinction of having managed three world's champions—Jess Willard, heavy-weight, Billy Fox, middle-weight, and Ad Wolgast, light-weight—is proud of his achievements.

RAY CHAPMAN PUT TY COBB IN LEAD; TELLS FANS WHY

Gives Four Reasons Why Peach Gets His Decision.

TALKS OF BASE-RUNNING

Johnny Evers Chimes In on Conversation and Helps Pick Five Best.

Johnny Evers and Ray Chapman, two very intelligent baseball players, arise to discuss the best five basemen in each major league. Naturally Chappie does not have to include himself in the list, but he does include Ty Cobb and places him as No. 1. Chapman has no hesitancy in saying that Cobb is the hardest man in the league to touch when sliding into a base, and gives the reasons for his opinion.

CUBAN PLAYERS DOUBT HUGGINS

When Miller Huggins took a team of major league stars to Havana, Cuba, ten years ago, it was the "greatest bunter in the world, and that he could lay the ball down within a yard of the home plate whenever he attempted the trick.

SPORT NOTES

No Ice at Stratford May Mean Postponement of Tonight's Game.

STRATFORD, Feb. 25.—Unless the weatherman takes a decided turn for colder weather indications are that the final game in the Northern League, scheduled for Tuesday night here with Sarnia, may not be played.

STRATFORD JUNIORS READY FOR SARNIA IN NORTHERN SERIES

The local club is making no boasts as to the outcome, but is preparing to meet the Stratford team in the first game of the Northern League finals.

IMAGINE WILLARD PULLING THIS ONE

Imagine, if you can, Jess Willard or Fred Fulton climbing into a ring without pulling notice or training, and boxing with a man in the best of condition who was a challenger for the title.

REFeree STOPS ROUND

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 25.—Jack Dempsey, the San Francisco heavy-weight pugilist, won from Bill Brennan here tonight in the sixth round of what was to have been a ten-round bout.

THAMESVILLE MEETS BRAMPTON TONIGHT

Fast Game Expected—Unions Have Big Lead Now

THAMESVILLE, Feb. 25.—The Thamesville union hockey team goes to Brampton Tuesday night in the Northern League series for the second of the home-and-home games.

EDDIE COLLINS SECOND

Second on Charlie's list of artful sliders is Eddie Collins, the White Sox. The same type of a runner as Cobb, but not nearly so great in any respect.

EVERETT'S SELECTIONS

Everett's selections include Gary, Marquette, Long, Stengel and Whitted. None of them were the equals of the American League quintet, and if Everett's word is to be taken, there are no players in the National League who can compare with the star base-stealers of ten years ago.

DATE ANNOUNCED FOR SEMI-FINALS IN O. H. A. AND N. H. A.

WINDSOR, Feb. 25.—The date of the first game to be played here in the next round of the O. H. A. junior semi-finals between Woodstock and U. T. S. of Toronto, has been changed from Tuesday to Wednesday night.

\$55,000 Paid to the Backers of Defunct League—Others Follow.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—John C. Toole, attorney for the National Baseball League, today handed over a check for \$55,000 to James Hindman, receiver of the defunct Federal League.

TRACTION COMPANY

Sunday service will be resumed on Sunday, March 3rd. Cars will leave London at 10 a. m., 1, 5 and 9 p. m.

Advertisement for Dominion Rubber System shoes. Features the slogan 'Wear Rubbers and Protect Your Good Shoes' and lists various brands like Jacques Cartier, Merchants, Granby, Maple Leaf, Dominion, and Daisy. Includes the address 'Canadian Consolidated Rubber Co. Limited, Executive Offices - MONTREAL'.

MALDEN ATHLETES ELECT OFFICERS

Association Had Splendid Year Shown by Reports.

MALDEN, Feb. 25.—At the annual meeting of the Malden Athletic Association held in the schoolroom of school section No. 4, Malden, Saturday night, the business of the past year was finished and the club was reorganized for another year.

SENATORS SHUT OUT FAST CANADIENS 8-0

Another Sudden Switch in Form on Ottawas Last Night.

OTTAWA, Feb. 25.—Playing on a sticky sheet of ice and in the presence of one of the largest crowds of the season, the Ottawa Senators accomplished another sensational form reversal tonight at the Arena, and defeated the champion Canadiens by 8 to 0.

JESS WILLARD WILLING TO MEET FRED FULTON

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 25.—Jess Willard, heavy-weight champion, when informed that Fred Fulton had knocked out Frank Moran, said he would meet Fulton for the championship if Fulton is willing to make reasonable terms.

MILBURN'S LAXA-LIVER PILLS

They will regulate the flow of bile to act properly on the bowels, and will tone, renovate, and purify the liver, removing every result of liver trouble from the temporary but disagreeable bilious and sick headaches, to the severest forms of liver complaint.

INDIAN MOTORCYCLES

1918 models have arrived.

Advertisement for Indian Motorcycles. Includes an image of a motorcycle and the text 'SHE'S A WONDER! Come in and see for yourself, or send for catalogue. BICYCLE & MOTOR SALES COMPANY, 425 Wellington Street. Agents wanted in every town.'

DENTALS FAVORITES FOR THE O. H. A. FINALS

Toronto, Feb. 25.—Dentals are 7 to 5 favorites over Kitchener for tonight's O. H. A. final. Box will not play, but all the other members of the world's champion team are in good shape and will line up against the unbeaten western group winners.

BRITISH MAKE ADVANCE ALONG THE EUFRATES

LONDON, Feb. 25.—British forces operating along the Euphrates River in Mesopotamia, have occupied Khana Barayat, meeting with little resistance from the Turks, the war office announced. The statement follows:

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Daily Magazine Page for Everybody

Secrets of Health and Happiness

Idleness a Common Cause of Some Forms of Kleptomania

By DR. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG, M. D. (Johns Hopkins University).

Suggestion of, or a dangerous in its effect upon certain predisposed types of mind. When a person is said to be predisposed to kleptomania, it means that a physical mechanism is fertile enough soil upon which diseased bacteria may thrive and multiply; his condition is sufficiently "rundown" to accept, and nourish disease.

In the same way, a person who is considered immorally predisposed, he is a person whose will and mentality are so weakly constituted that often the slightest suggestion of evil within his soul is apt to lead to temporary or permanent practice of immorality. This holds true in the many well-known instances of kleptomania, or to speak more generally, the normally moral individual may be predisposed to the theft disease either through hereditary influences or through his environment. When a child, for example, whose parents are honorable and refined, comes into frequent contact with immoral children, he may learn to do immoral deeds even though he first shuns them. His demoralization of the tempters may at first be latent, but he may tack away some knowledge of immoral tendencies.

Suggestion Alone Needed. In early childhood immediate environment may be almost ideal, there may be no sign of abnormal living, and yet there may be manifestation of the theft disease in the form of petty larceny, such as a habit of lying without cause or exhibiting unusual temper. These manifestations may mean nothing at all, or they may be the first signs of inherent immoral tendencies. If such a youngster is kept away from evil possibilities there may never arise any occasion to give voice to any kind of temptation whatever. Manhood or womanhood may be reached with nothing other than normal moral qualities.

Unfortunately, man cannot select his environment so as to exclude himself from the life of the indifferent commercial world. The most unimportant stimulation may sometimes lead to grave results.

A highly educated, most respectable woman, if predisposed, even though she may never have caused anxiety among her numerous friends, may become a kleptomaniac and manifest the disease either by shoplifting or by the theft of articles which belong to her friends.

Work Sometimes Cures. Oftentimes the analysis of how a theft in a department store or in a house was committed, if heard by a person predisposed to moral weakness, creates a new impetus to give voice to the part of the self on the part of the new criminal may be termed accidental, but the law must have its way, and accidental crimes, like all others, are punished.

Once the suggestion of how theft may be committed falls on the fertile imagination of an immorally predisposed individual, the lure of the excitement be-

comes so great that the kleptomaniac cannot withstand it because of the lack of high moral resistance. Day dreams of such individuals are often nourished by outward immoral acts. If a young woman, for example, happens to have marriage upon her mind she is apt to steal children's clothes or articles of adornment. She will, perhaps, even imagine herself married through her possession of these stolen articles.

With some kleptomaniacs the adventure offered by theft is, perhaps, the most attractive feature. The excitement caused by the cunning deception of the clerks and the managers, and the daring defiance of the detectives, affords much pleasure. The thief knows perfectly well in most chronic instances that the deed is immoral and subject to punishment, but doesn't care.

Persons who have been put into reform schools for petty larceny and other immoral deeds are sometimes guided upon the right track by means of hard, useful labor, coupled at times, when that is possible, with some moral, ethical training in the form of theory and practice.

When hereditary predisposition to crime is in question, steady work which demands concentration and constant mental and physical application is, perhaps, the very best cure. On the other hand, leisure and idleness, which are the two best conditions to aid in the downfall of those immorally predisposed.

Answers to Health Questions

SUFFERER. Q.—I suffer from gas in the stomach. Will you please tell me of something that will relieve me?

A.—Try either of the following in a little water every four hours: Salol, 2½ grains; bicarbonate of soda, 10 grains; or bismuth subnitrate, 5 grains.

A. W. Q. What causes a sour stomach? Kindly give me a remedy.

A.—Those who eat more than they should, who are given to a preference for pickles, onions, peppers, radishes and condiments may so offend. Drink a quart or two of clear, good, cold water daily, some before meals. If you prefer it a lithia tablet makes the water effervescent. Carry charcoal tablets with you and take four or five any time you feel the unpleasantness.

A. B. C. Q. My mother suffers greatly from rheumatism. Kindly advise how she can get relief.

A.—"Rheumatism" is a carelessly used name sometimes given to the symptoms of many different diseases. It is generally employed to mean pain. Dry heat, hot applications, Swedish movements, electric battery, manipulation and massage may help to assuage the pain.

Dr. Hirschberg will answer questions for readers of this paper on medical, hygienic and sanitation subjects that are of general interest. He cannot always undertake to prescribe or offer advice for individual cases. When the subject is not of general interest letters will be answered personally, if a stamped and addressed envelope is inclosed. Address ALL INQUIRIES, Dr. L. K. Hirschberg, care this office.

Odd and Interesting Facts

The output of maple sugar in the Province of Quebec is about 14,000,000 pounds per annum.

It has been noticed that the ash-tree is very injurious to vegetation under its shade, while scarcely any plant will grow under a yew.

Mica, so named from its being easily divided into glistening scales, consists of silica and alumina, associated with magnesia, soda and lime in varying proportions. There are also found mica, consisting of silica, alumina and potash; and muscovite mica, in which the alumina is partially replaced by magnesia, passing—as the proportion of magnesia increases—into soft talc, which is chiefly composed of silica and magnesia.

ADELE GARRISON'S NEW REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

What Happened When Madge Met Harry Underwood in the Library.

I don't know whether to call it telepathy or something else, but although my eyes were averted, I became a part of Underwood's direction, and astoundingly studying the printed page before me, I knew the moment he first caught sight of me as well as if I had been gazing directly at him.

It was as if a tiny electric bell had sounded somewhere within my consciousness, warning me that at that moment I had so dreaded was at hand. By a tremendous effort I kept my face devoid of expression, my eyes fixed upon the pamphlet before me, although I heard the firm tread of masculine feet coming toward me, steps which I identified as those of the man whom I so feared. Harry Underwood's step was a distinctive one, and one not easily forgotten by any one who had heard it more than once or twice.

Then his hateful, well-remembered voice spoke softly from across the table.

"If I can determine the particular god or devil that looks after me I'm sure going to offer him a libation this afternoon. Talk about luck! To think of finding you here, lady fair!"

I had schooled myself for hours for this meeting, resolved to play my part as Lillian and I had outlined it days before. Surprise and aversion were to be the emotions I was first to register. I thought grimly to myself that I would not have to stimulate the second on the list.

I looked up with a little gasp of pretended surprise upon which I rather prided myself when I later looked back upon the interview.

"Mr. Underwood," I exclaimed, and involuntarily took a step backward, for he was leaning eagerly across the desk, his brilliant black eyes a-gleam with

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FEMINISMS : By Annette Bradshaw



THIS COMPLICATED LENT.

MARIE—This is such a difficult Lent, don't you think? Such a frightful bunch of duties and denials and war troubles, and all the usual emergencies of planning Easter clothes just the same!

DIARY OF A FASHION MODEL
By GRACE THORNCLEIFF.

She Learns the Importance of a Chic Hat for the Young Girl

"Eleanor Hamilton is decidedly plain," but they say she is very clever and entertaining. When Marianne's frank criticism of the only daughter of our popular senator, "She is anything but plain," contradicted Julie. "She's almost pretty, I think. The only thing I can see with her is her hat—it's much too old and very unbecoming. What do you think, Claire?"

Before I could answer, Madame, who had been talking to Miss Hamilton, signalled me to come to her.

"This little lady wants a couple of smart street hats. Show her something, please," she said.

So I conducted Miss Hamilton into the tiny grey saloon, where Marcella displayed her best models and looked about for hints that would improve her appearance.

"Do you always wear hats with drooping brims? They almost come picking up your lovely hair," I said, picking up a small Chinese turban and placing it upon her head.

"Why—sometimes," Miss Hamilton smiled.

It was a very chic little model of orange Milan and black taffeta. The crown was elated to show the black lining, and the headband was trimmed with two bias strips of the taffeta. A large tassel of black silk hung from one side.

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"DOING MY BIT"

Practical Suggestions on Individual Ways to Help Win the War

By ALBERT BARRETT SAYRES

Serving Novelties That Save.

The idea of serving saving dishes and giving to them the emphasis of novelty rather than placing the stress on their saving values has worked so well in conserving food in many a family that it has become a "flickety" appetite that suggestions have come to publish more novelties of the saving kind. Here are some:

Peanut Bunny.
Heat two cups of milk and half a cupful of peanut butter thinned with a little cold milk, then add a teaspoonful of salt and a little onion juice. Put the mixture on the fire and let it come to a boil, then cook it in a double boiler. Just before serving add half a cupful of chopped peanuts and a quarter of a cupful of sliced, stuffed olives. Four over toast and serve.

Fish Pie With Potato Crust.
If desired, leftover fish may be used. To the fish add a white sauce, pour the mixture into a baking dish and cover with mashed potatoes. Brown in the oven and serve.

Vegetable Bread With Cornmeal Mush.
This recipe will make three loaves: To three-fourths of a quart of water add one and a half cupfuls of cornmeal, cooking the cornmeal until it is soft. Then add enough water to bring the soaked mixture to the original measure of water and cornmeal. Now add five teaspoonfuls of salt and two tablespoonfuls of corn syrup, stirring it to prevent the formation of any film. When the mixture is lukewarm add two cakes of compressed yeast, which has been softened in a cupful of water. Add eight cupfuls of flour and proceed just as you would in making any ordinary bread, being careful in the molding and handling of the dough.

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Four Selected Recipes

Beefsteak Pie.
Choose a round piece of steak, cut it into small squares, and let them stand over night. Put them in a pan with butter and a little chopped onion; let them simmer together until the meat is tender. Add some flour and stock to make gravy, salt and pepper, sauce, and potatoes cut in cubes. Put in a pie dish, cover with paste and bake in a well-heated oven.

Bread Crumb Sauce.
Take half a pint of milk, one gill of bread crumbs, six peppercorns, one clove and one small onion. Put all the ingredients except the bread crumbs into a saucepan and simmer for half an hour; strain, add the bread crumbs to the milk, and let it simmer for about ten minutes; serve in a hot sauceboat. A little butter can be added to the sauce if desired.

Stewed Prunes.
Strange as it may seem, many house-

INCIDENTS IN THE LIVES OF FAMOUS WOMEN

By ELOISE FARRINGTON.

How Lucia Miranda Proved Her Love in Death.

Few romantic tales of love are associated with the early history of America. There is one, however, women about the early settlement of Buenos Ayres which is as popular with the South Americans as that of Ponce de Leon is with the people of North America.

When Sebastian Cabot explored and took possession of lands in South America he built at the mouth of one of the rivers, in the vicinity of what is now Buenos Ayres, a stronghold which he named the Fort of the Holy Ghost. When Cabot returned to Spain he left Nuno de Lara as commander of the fort with 120 men.

De Lara, knowing that he and his garrison were the only white men in a vast country populated by Indians, strove to cultivate friendly relations with the savages. The nearest and most powerful of the tribes were the Timbuc. His success in this brought about his death and the loss of the fort in the following unexpected manner.

Sebastian Hurtado, one of De Lara's soldiers, had brought with him his wife, Lucia Miranda, a Spanish lady of great beauty.

Mangora, the chief of the Timbuc, making frequent visits to the fort, saw this lady and fell so deeply in love with her that he openly displayed his admiration for her.

Miranda, knowing how important it was to keep on friendly terms with the Indians, tried to avoid meeting Mangora. Then the cunning Indian laid plans to get the fair lady out of the fort. He invited Hurtado to pay him a visit and bring his wife with him. But Hurtado, being suspicious of Mangora, refused to accept his hospitality.

One day, when half the garrison had gone in search of food, Mangora appeared with a band of warriors, and forcing his way into the fort set fire to the powder magazines and killed the men. He then turned to Lucia Miranda, in a last desperate effort to protect the women, killed Mangora.

The Spanish women and children were taken captive and brought before Sirpa, brother of Mangora, and the new cacique of the tribe. The moment he beheld Miranda, he also lost his heart. He offered her his love, saying that her husband was a fugitive in the forests and could never return to her. But Miranda's great love for Hurtado remained unshaken.

"I prefer death or slavery to becoming your wife," she said proudly.

Then, much to her joy, Hurtado came to the Indian village and demanded his wife. He had returned to the fort, and learning that his wife was a captive in the hands of the Timbuc, had set out alone to find her.

Sirpa listened to his pleading with savage pleasure, resolving to kill the object of Miranda's love. He commanded that Hurtado be bound to a tree and shot full of arrows.

Seeing the Indians about to obey Sirpa's orders, Miranda rushed to the aid of her husband and begged him to spare her husband's life. The force of her beauty triumphed. Hurtado was unbound, but he was kept in close captivity.

Day followed day, but Miranda was denied the happiness of seeing her husband. Then Sirpa, desiring to reward her esteem, permitted them to meet, provided they would promise that no caresses of love would be exchanged. Jealousy of her husband, however, determined that no one else should enjoy the evidence of Miranda's affection.

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By Claude Sitton

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Fido and Gyp were two silly dogs, at least that was what old Shap, the big dog who lived next door to them, thought.

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All the cats in the neighborhood ran for the nearest tree whenever they spied either Fido or Gyp within a block of them.

One day a little grey kitten wandered into the neighborhood, and Fido and Gyp gave it a merry chase.

Pussy ran down the path and jumped upon the fence, and Fido and Gyp sat down on the walk and barked their loudest.

Pussy Gyp barked up her fur and furred her tail three times its regular size.

"Go away!" hissed Pussy Gyp. "I'm not harming you."

"Run! Run! Run!" barked the dogs. As they hopped up and almost slipped, Pussy Gyp's tail.

This made her angry, and she shot out her paw, missed Gyp's nose, lost her balance and fell back to the sidewalk on the other side of the fence.

But before Gyp and Fido could run down the walk and out of the gate Pussy Gyp made a dash for the yard, but dear me, her poor little

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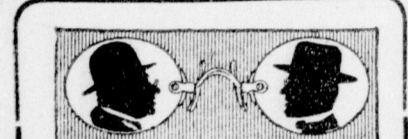
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ANOTHER COMPANY COMMANDER NAMED FOR 1ST W.O.R. DEPOT

Major Massie, Late of 71st, Is Appointed—Other Changes.

Major J. Clinton Massie, recently of the 71st Battalion, is to command a company in the 1st Depot, W. O. R. Regiment, his appointment with the rank of major being published in camp orders.

Capt. Thomas Donald Campbell, C. E. F., is detailed for duty as adjutant on a conducting staff. The undermentioned officers are taken on the strength of the 1st Depot (Military District No. 1), having been returned from overseas.

Lieut. Gilbert Smithson Reid, late 12th Reserve Battalion, C. E. F., is detailed for duty as adjutant on a conducting staff. Capt. Thomas Donald Campbell, C. E. F., is detailed for duty in connection with dental services, Military District No. 1, with effect from January 11, 1918.

The undermentioned officers are taken on the strength of the 1st Depot (Military District No. 1), having been returned from overseas. Lieut. J. G. Doherty, 142nd Battalion; Lieut. D. E. Douglas, 58th Battalion; Lieut. E. C. Hesse, 32d Battalion; Lieut. F. B. James, 10th Battalion; Lieut. E. C. Hesse, 32d Battalion; Lieut. K. Lett, C. F. A.; Capt. F. S. Robinson, 18th Battalion; Lieut. W. H. Wright, 153d Battalion; Capt. E. H. A. Watson, 118th Battalion; effective January 31, 1918.

The undermentioned officers are struck off the strength of the 1st Depot (Military District No. 1), having been returned from overseas. Active Militia unit to which they formerly belonged: Major George Stacey, 34th Battalion (surplus rank); Lieut. Harold Pinkerton, 1st Battalion; Lieut. Wilfred Robert Baier, late Forestry and Construction Depot, Military District No. 1 (permitted to resign).

The undermentioned officers, O. M. F., have been granted leave of absence to visit Canada by authority of the Canadian Overseas Headquarters: Lieut. Joseph Henry Warburton, 15th Battalion, to 31st of March. Lieut. Ross Walker, late M. T., to 30th April, 1918.

PRESBYTERIANS OF DISTRICT CONSIDER UNION MEASURE

Consolidation Proposed as a Wartime Economy Measure.

The London Presbytery proposes to take steps this week towards the consolidation of weaker churches, at least as a wartime measure. On Wednesday evening a preliminary meeting was held at the congregation of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, West London, to link up with the Hyde Park congregation, which exists in the Hyde Park charge at present, owing to the recent resignation of the minister, Rev. Mr. Lewis, to accept a call to Bracebridge. This leaves the field open for union with St. Paul's under the charge of the minister of St. Paul's, Rev. W. S. Wright.

Two elders will represent the London Presbytery in taking up the proposition with the St. Paul's people, A. S. MacGregor of St. Andrew's Church and W. J. Snelgrove of King Street Presbyterian Church.

CANNOT PAY SALARY

Recently a canvass has been made of the congregations of the presbytery which up to the present have not been meeting the minimum stipend for ministers, \$1,200, fixed at the last meeting of the general assembly. Some of the congregations felt that they were not in a position to pledge increase of giving to this extent during the war. In these cases, linking up with an adjacent charge is considered the best solution, or union with a neighboring Methodist congregation, which is not in a strict financial position.

SALVATION ARMY TO LOOK AFTER BURIAL

The body of Robert W. Turner, aged 37, which was in Ferguson's undertaking parlors for three days unclaimed by anyone, has been taken over by the Salvation Army. The Salvation Army will hold the funeral this afternoon.

100 TONS OF COAL TAKEN BY CHILDREN

Coal to the extent of over one hundred tons has been taken away from the Grand Trunk's supply in the East End by children during this winter. It is estimated that the children are not being able to secure fuel from any other source have sent their children to gather a supply from the coal chutes. As many as sixty children have been seen at one time picking up the coal. This has happened in broad daylight, and it is stated that the company has been negligent in so far as no prosecutions have followed the disappearance of the fuel.

EACH PRISONER COST CANADIANS \$6,000, SAYS REV. DR. CHOWN

War's Expense Tersely Expressed to Rotary Club.

TROOPS IN FINE SPIRIT

Canadians May Be Blown to Pieces, But Never Utter Groan.

Rev. Dr. S. D. Chown, superintendent of the Methodist Church of Canada, reviewed experiences at the front at the luncheon of the Rotary Club on Monday. He told of the hardships of war, and of the courage of the Canadian troops.

The speaker referred to being present at Vimy Ridge, when the 118th Battalion, under Lieut.-Col. Sam Sharpe, made a raid, bringing back 53 German prisoners. The total loss was 6,000 shells had been fired at the Germans at a cost of \$15 each. The Germans cost \$6,000 a man to capture, said Dr. Chown, in showing how expensive was modern warfare. He made a plea for recruits, declaring that 10 per cent of the infantry had been killed in the Hun trenches permanent.

"The German trenches are permanent affairs," he said. "The Germans intend to stay. The Canadian trenches are not permanent. They mean to go on. They do not stay."

At Ypres, Dr. Chown was at the dressing station, and saw 3,800 "walking" German prisoners. They were brought in on stretchers, the result of this battle. "It is only pretence for the Germans to say that orchards were destroyed for military reasons," he declared. "They are destroyed to keep the French from obtaining any nourishment or comfort rushed to be taken."

"The German trenches are fat, sleek, well favored, fresh colored, altogether the healthiest looking men in France. They rushed to be captured at Vimy."

"I never heard a groan from a Canadian soldier who was wounded. You can blow their bodies to atoms, but you cannot conquer their spirits. Formalism in religion is on the scrap heap. The men have the core of religion. They are living the life of sacrifice, which is the soul of religion. There is not much theology in their old kit-bags. They say that God is a good sport and will give them their fair play. If we lived the life in Canada, the soldiers here, we would have no profiteering here, nor would there be any base partisanism."

"War for liberty does not harden men—it sweetens them. The Canadian boys are living on the level. There is not a case of selfishness among them. The Canadian soldier will not be a good water after the war. It's not in him."

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Miss Frances Daugherty, Character Impersonator, at the Majestic. Miss Frances Daugherty, character impersonator, will appear at the Majestic Theatre all this week. Miss Daugherty provides an excellent program, her act being regarded as one of the big features on the largest vaudeville circuit. A Sidney Drew comedy, "Mr. Hero," a News Weekly and Charles Ray in "The Hired Man," complete an excellent program for today.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. S. Hamby and family wish to thank the many friends for their kindness and sympathy during their recent bereavement.

CHILDREN'S AID WORK IS BEING REORGANIZED

The chief business before the board of the Children's Aid Society at the first meeting after the annual held yesterday in the Y. M. C. A. building was reorganization of the work, and in connection with this reorganization of the committee. D. H. McDermid, first vice-president; C. F. Complin and Major T. J. Murphy were appointed a finance committee. Owing to the size of the shelter home committee, which makes it difficult to get the members together on short notice, it was decided to name a sub-committee to act for the whole committee in business requiring prompt attention. The sub-committee to be named by the whole committee in the near future for the purpose.

Appointment of the foster home, visiting and general committees was left over until the next meeting of the board. Inspector Joseph Sanders reported that 42 children have been cared for in the shelter during the past month, expenses for maintenance of the work amounting to \$477. He added that the quarantine for chicken-pox has been lifted after a period of six or seven weeks, in which the little inmates have been shut off from the outside world. It is once more possible to receive children at the shelter and to send them out to foster homes. In this connection, Mr. Sanders stated a number of good foster homes have been awaiting young wards during the time of quarantine.

FORMER LONDONER DIES IN SASKATCHEWAN

Charles Case of 147 Elmwood avenue, received word yesterday of the sudden death at Wellwin, Sask., of his brother, Joseph Case, a former well-known member of the London police force. Death followed an attack of heart weakness. Mr. Case was planning to go and visit his brother shortly, but word came of his death. He was 61 years old, and went to the west about fifteen years ago. Besides his wife he leaves two sons and one daughter, and the following brothers and sisters: Charles of this city; Robert of Detroit; Frank in Denver, Mrs. Pullin of Avon, Mrs. Plewes in Winnipeg and Mrs. Whitchurch of Minneapolis.

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\$6.50 Vase, bridal wreath design \$3.25
\$15.00 Decanter and 6 Glasses \$7.50
\$10.00 Water Pitcher and 6 Tumblers \$5.00
\$10.00 Tobacco Jar, cut glass \$5.00
\$3.50 Biscuit Trough \$1.75
\$1.00 Cream and Sugar \$0.50
\$1.25 Mayonnaise Ladle \$0.65
\$1.25 Custard Cups \$0.65

PENDANTS AT HALF PRICE

- \$10.00 Pendant, with chain, set with 1 diamond and seed pearls \$5.00
\$12.00 Pendant, with chain, set with 1 diamond and pearl drop \$6.00
\$8.00 Pendant, set with amethyst and pearls \$4.00
\$2.00 Gold-Filled Pendant, set with sapphire \$1.00
\$3.00 Gold-Filled Pendant, set with sapphire \$1.50
\$2.50 Gold-Filled Pendant, set with pearls and emeralds \$1.25
\$3.00 Gold-Filled Pendant, set with emerald \$1.50
\$5.00 Solid 10k Gold Pendant, with chain, set with ruby \$2.50
\$10.00 Brown Cameo, set with pearls \$5.00
\$9.00 Solid 10k Pendant, set with topaz and pearls \$4.50
\$20.00 Pendant, with chain, set with pearls and amethysts \$10.00

Electric Toaster

Special—Regular \$4.50. While they last, only \$3.50

One Tray Locket AT HALF PRICE.

China at Half Price

- 75c Pin Trays, in rose, yellow, green and mauve \$40c each
\$1.25 Comport, in rose, yellow, green and mauve \$0.65 each
\$1.50 Comport, in rose, yellow, green and mauve \$0.75 each
60c Minton Bread and Butter Plates \$30c each
\$1.00 Minton Tea Plates \$0.50 each
\$1.25 Minton Tea Plates \$0.65 each
1 dozen Japanese Flower Gardens, many shades, ranging in prices from \$2.00 to \$5.00, going at Half-Price
\$2.00 Ash Tray \$1.00
\$2.50 Fancy Oblong Fern Pot \$1.25
\$1.50 Fancy Fern Pot \$0.75
\$3.00 Small Pedestal Fern Pot \$1.50
\$7.50 Salad Bowl, black stripe, with rose design \$3.75
\$9.00 Salad Bowl, black stripe, with violet design \$4.50
\$15.00 Large Salad Bowl, black stripe, with rose design \$7.50
Clearing out of Black Stripe China, with combination of rose and carnation design, at Half-Price
1 table of Odd Cups and Saucers, in many designs, ranging from 60c to \$2.50, going at just one half the regular prices.

Umbrellas and Walking Sticks at Half Price

- \$5.00 Lady's Umbrella, sterling mounted handle, Fifth avenue roll \$2.50
\$7.00 Lady's Umbrella, sterling mounted handle, Fifth avenue roll \$3.50
\$7.50 Lady's Umbrella, sterling mounted handle, Fifth avenue roll \$3.75
\$7.50 Lady's Umbrella, pearl and gold mounted handle, Fifth avenue roll \$3.75
\$20.00 Lady's Umbrella, with sterling silver handle, Fifth avenue roll \$10
\$6.00, one only Umbrella, sterling mounted handle, with ring \$3.00
\$5.00 Gent's Umbrella, sterling mounted handle \$2.50
\$7.00 Gent's Umbrella, gold-filled, mounted handle \$3.50
\$10.00 Gent's Umbrella, sterling mounted handle \$5.00
\$14.00 Gent's Umbrella, sterling mounted handle \$7.00
75c Walking Stick \$40c
\$1.25 Military Cane \$0.65
\$3.00 Walking Stick, sterling mounted \$1.50
\$5.00 Walking Stick, sterling mounted \$2.50
\$6.00 Walking Stick, gold-mounted, bone handle \$3.00

Special Bargain Tables

On Main Floor and Basement, loaded With half-price articles.

One Tray Bracelets AT HALF PRICE.

Brass Goods at Half-Price

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