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RUSSIAN OFFENSIVE SUCCESSFUL, REPORTED FROM CZAR'S CAPITAL

Situation in Roumania Still Regarded as Critical, However, Though Ferdinand's Army Has Made Stand

Petrograd, Dec. 1.—The Russian offensive has been successful, along the whole Roumanian frontier south of Kilitbaba, says the official statement issued today by the Russian war department. In spite of violent German counter-attacks, the statement adds, the Russians occupied the whole range of heights...

SENSATIONAL CASE IN COURT

Girl Held as Witness and Several Men Are Under Arrest

There is pending in the police court a case that promises startling developments as the details are brought out. A girl, who has not yet reached the age of 16 years, is the complainant and there are five men, some of whom are married, that may have to face a serious charge...

One Wins Military Cross, Cousin Gets Promotion in Rank



PTE RALPH H. GALE. Private Ralph H. Gale and Captain John R. Gale, cousins, were won distinction with Canadian units in France. The former has been awarded a military cross for conspicuous gallantry...

German Consul To Go On Trial Next Monday

Four of Bopp's Official Family Also Charged in Connection With Alleged Bomb Conspiracy

San Francisco, Dec. 1.—Supporting witnesses for the United States District Attorney Preston said that about 250 men and women would be summoned by the government in the case, which is set for next Monday. The names of witnesses were not announced, but Mr. Preston said some would come from as far east as New York...

VIENNA, NOV. 30, VIA LONDON, DEC. 1

The Russians are attacking in the Transylvania front in an effort to relieve the Roumanians, according to an official statement issued by the war office.

ANXIETY IN ATHENS

LONDON, DEC. 1.—Special despatches from Athens dated Thursday, say there is a growing state of anxiety in the city. The Greek garrison seems to have withdrawn inland, taking arms, munitions and stores. Two regiments left during the night, with artillery.

INSPECTOR JONES WAS REPORTED BY A POLICEMAN

His Rights Equal to One Who Reported Him, as is Established by Statute

Two by-law matters were before Magistrate Ritchie this morning. J. B. Jones, license inspector, was before the court upon a report from Policeman McLeese, on charge of obstructing the sidewalk in Charlotte street and not moving on when asked to do so by the policeman.

CRUSADE DAY

The Women's Society of Waterloo Street Church, observed Crusade Day yesterday. In the evening a meeting was held in the vestry at which the president, Mrs. F. H. Wentworth presided.

JOHN COLLINS LEAVES THE GATE

He Has Done Yeoman Service in Depot for More Than Quarter Century

John Collins, who has been a prominent figure in the I. C. R. depot for twenty-six years, was today transferred from his old post as constable to night watchman in the I. C. R. shed, by special request.

MAY DISPUTE VOTE OF CREDIT

Prospect of Opposition in Parliament When Asquith Asks for More

LONDON, DEC. 1.—(New York Times cable)—The Daily Chronicle's parliamentary correspondent says: "Every vote of credit moved by the government since the beginning of the war has been carried without opposition in the House of Commons."

PART OF SPAIN UNDER WATER

Thousands of Families in Eastern Part of Country Beggared by Floods

MADRID, DEC. 1.—Serious floods are ravaging eastern Spain, particularly the provinces of Valencia, At Arles, the rivers have overflowed their banks, and the people took refuge on roofs and church steeples.

DOU FOURNET TO ENFORCE DEMANDS

LONDON, DEC. 1.—An Athens despatch to the Daily Chronicle under date of November 30, ascribes the following statement to Vice Admiral Fournet, in command of the allied fleet in Greek waters:

WESTERN FRONT

Paris, Dec. 1.—Today's official report says there was no change during the night in the situation on the front in France.

LETTERS FROM TWO MONCTON OFFICERS

Moncton, N. B., Dec. 1.—Lieut. W. D. Atkinson, of Moncton, writing from Shorncliffe Camp, England, to George B. Sangster, says that "the end seems a long way off yet, and great numbers of men will be required."

CASE OF ABANDONED BABE

A young woman, arrested in Moncton yesterday on charge of deserting her young babe here, is now at police headquarters and is now occupying special quarters that have been arranged for her by Police Master Ross.

TERMS OF SETTLEMENT OF AUSTRALIAN COAL STRIKE

Melbourne, Australia, Dec. 1.—Under the agreement which ended the coal miners' strike, the miners are assured of an eight hour day and the abolition of double shifts.

WHO HAS SEVEN AND HALF TONS OF BUTTER?

Report Given Publication in Imperial Last Night by Commissioner

At the drawing in the Imperial last evening, while referring to some features of the high cost of living, Commissioner McLellan said that he had been informed that a St. John man had hoisted that he has seven and a half tons of butter stored away and that he expects to hold it until he can secure seventy-five cents a pound for it.

NOON DAY FIRE IN THE WESTERN UNION BUILDING

Fire Broke out about 12.30 o'clock today in the Western Union Telegraph Company's building at the corner of King street and Market square and did damage to the extent of several hundred dollars.

LIUT. HAINING MISSING

Fredericton, Dec. 1.—Mrs. James Bird received word last night notifying her that her son, Lieut. J. Talmage Haining, of the Royal Flying Corps, was reported missing.

PATRIOTIC SALE

The Knitting and Sewing Circle of Charlotte Street U. B. church, West St. John, held a very successful patriotic sale and supper last evening.

MORE DEPORTATIONS OF BELGIANS REPORTED

LONDON, DEC. 1.—It is reported from Pauquembourg, says a Heuter despatch from Amsterdam, that the met in habitants of Hasselt and Lanaye, Belgium, between the ages of seventeen and fifty, and also girls and women possessing sewing machines, are to be deported to Germany.

JOHN D. ARCHBOLD BUT HAD GOOD NIGHT

Tarrytown, N. Y., Dec. 1.—John D. Archbold, president of the Standard Oil Company, of New Jersey, who is seriously ill at his home here, following an operation a week ago for appendicitis, passed a comfortable night.

WEATHER REPORT

Phetax and Pherdinand. Synopsis—Pressure is high over the southern portion of the continent, with a mild disturbance centered north of Lake Superior, and another of more importance is moving northeastward near Sable Island.

FUNERAL OF EMPEROR

VIENNA, NOV. 30.—Via London, Dec. 1.—In the presence of Emperor Charles, the young Crown Prince Francis Joseph Otto, the kings of Bulgaria, Bavaria and Saxony, the German Crown Prince and a large number of Prussian princes and special envoys from neutral governments the body of Emperor Francis Joseph was buried this afternoon.

WON MUCH PRAISE

Mrs. A. C. D. Wilson arrived home last evening from Fredericton, where she has been in connection with the presentation of "The Climber" and a particular mention has been made of her tableau, "The Death of the Black Eagle," in which Miss Kathryn Gallivan sang the Marsellaise in French.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE

Moncton, N. B., Dec. 1.—The Grand Division, Sons of Temperance, continued its sessions here today. At this morning's session H. H. Stuart of Newcastle submitted a report of the Kent-Norumberland Division. Several delegates were appointed to attend a meeting of the New Brunswick Branch Temperance Alliance in Sussex on December 6.

PRIZE WINNERS

The prize winners in the drawing conducted by the Y. W. P. A. in the Imperial last night are: W. W. Pitts, bear rug, ticket No. 1221; R. W. Freeman, badger rug, ticket No. 807; B. I. Leonard, wolf rug, ticket No. 826; and Mrs. H. G. Ellis, tiger rug, ticket No. 460.

CANADA'S FIRE LOSS

Toronto, Dec. 1.—The Monetary Times' estimate of Canada's fire loss during November amounted to \$228,335, as compared with \$1,087,980 for the corresponding period of last year.

PREPARATIONS

1917 JANUARY 1. The building is owned by Miss Jane R. Barlow of Hantsport, N.S., and Miss H. W. Clinch. It is insured for \$7,000 with C. E. L. Jarvis & Sons in the British Empire Underwriters.



GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

'CHIMMIE FADDEN AND SUBMARINE SERIAL STORY AT IMPERIAL THEATRE Tonight and tomorrow at Imperial are to be laughing occasions. So far this week has been marked by plays which have been pathetic, of strong human interest and powerfully dramatic. This latest show, 'Victor Moore in 'Chimmie Fadden Out West' is going to supply uproarious merriment but it is certainly a comedy of the purest and most spontaneous humor. Supplementing this Paramount picture will be the 14th chapter of 'The Secret of the Submarine.' Without going into the secrets of this chapter, it may be stated that the spy Mathis secures the book at last and only one more chapter remains to tell how the whole story winds up.

LAST TIME TONIGHT. There will be only two more chances tonight to see the Gem's present fine programme of vaudeville and pictures, as there will be a complete change beginning at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Tonight there are for you Daily and Sparks, The Parlor Car Trio, The Yellow Menace, The Wrath of Cactus, and the Mutt and Jeff variety and quality, making a very enjoyable entertainment. Come and test it.

AT THE GEM At 7:15 and 8:45 tonight, last chances to see present good programme. It's well worth the while. Entire new bill at 8:30 tomorrow. See advt.

THE MILK SITUATION

The retail price of milk advanced to ten cents a quart this morning. All the large city dealers put the advance into effect and many of the farmers who deliver milk in the city took advantage of the upward tendency to do the same. The whole city is in a state of indignation over the matter, and no way of doing without it has been discovered and the price is being paid. Mayor Hayes will await some definite reply from the milk dealers before taking action to investigate the increase in the price. He received a verbal statement from one dealer yesterday, but did not regard this as conclusive, and he is awaiting written statements from some of the dealers. A boycott of milk has been suggested in some quarters. It has been suggested that families might decrease the amount of milk they use. In the County, too. Most of the milkmen in the county who deliver milk in Fairville and elsewhere, have raised the price of milk to ten cents to their customers.

HENRY DUNBRACK DEAD

Many will learn with regret of the death of Henry Dunbrack of this city, who for more than thirty years conducted a successful plumbing business at the corner of Princess and German streets. He was in the seventy-seventh year of his age, and is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. F. E. Holman and Miss Winifred of this city; four sons, William, of New Mexico; Alfred, of Chicago; Frank, of Victoria, B.C., and Charles on active service. NEW PRESIDENT FOR THE LADIES' COLLEGE AT MOUNT ALLISON Rev. Dr. G. Steele returned this morning from Sackville where he was attending a committee meeting with regard to the nomination of a president for the Ladies' College at Mount Allison. Since the resignation of Rev. Dr. G. M. Campbell, Dr. Borden, president of the university, has been acting president of the Ladies' College and the two positions have proved too much. It is understood that Rev. H. Wigle, B. A., of Charles Street Methodist church, Halifax, has been nominated for the position. The nominating committee was composed of Governor Wood, Dr. Steele and J. Burchill, of Sydney.

Brown's Way. "Brown claims that he always tells the truth." "Yes," he seems to have a mania for stringing up trouble."

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths. 50c.

MARRIAGES WADE-WILLIAMSON - On Nov. 30, by Rev. Neil McLaughlin, Bessie Jackson, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Williamson, to John T. Wade, of Lunenburg, England.

DEATHS DUNBRACK - In this city on the 1st inst., Henry Dunbrack, in the 77th year of his age, leaving wife, two daughters and four sons to mourn. Funeral from residence of F. E. Holman, 302 St. James street, Sunday, Dec. 3 at 2:30 p.m. STRAIN - At her home in Woodstock, N. B., on December 1, 1916, Mrs. Mary, wife of Robert Strain, formerly of this city. Funeral from the residence of Alexander Corbett, Hazen street, St. John, on Sunday afternoon, service commencing at 2:30 o'clock.

IN MEMORIAM MACCLEERY - In loving memory of Mrs. Helen M. MacCleery, who departed this life Dec. 1st, 1914. Sleep on, dear mother, thy labors o'er, Thy willing hands can do no more; The midnight stars shine o'er thy grave, Of one we loved but could not save. FAMILY.

CARDS OF THANKS Mrs. John Hewitt of Norton, Kings Co., desires to thank her many friends for kindness shown to her during the illness and at the death of her husband, John.

LOCAL NEWS

Bedroom slippers for the whole family at special prices.—C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney. 12-2

"The Chocolate Shop, 46-26 Charlotte street: Hot drinks, lunches at all hours and deliciously fresh candies." 12-7

Shaker flannel, 36 inch wide, 12c. yard, at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney. 12-2

All the world is a stage, each man in his time plays a part. Our part is to supply St. John people with pure fresh milk direct from our own cows—Lancaster Dairy Farm, Phone West 418.

A BARGAIN FOR LADIES Gold filled wrist watch (with bracelet), very neat, while they last \$10 each. A few only this price.—Poyas & Co., 12 King square (near Imperial). 12-4

Articles for men, women and children—all the good styles and the best makes. Articles and legins for the school children, in all sizes.—Wiesel's Cash Stores, 243-247 Union street, city.

See Hoyt Bros' line Xmas cards. 12-3

Men save money by buying your suit or overcoat at Bassen's Monster Reliable Sale. 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

Keen buyers—Follow me for best meats and groceries at lowest prices to Tobias Bros., 71 Erin. M. 146-21. 12-4

THE RIVER The steamer Majestic will sail for Oranout tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. A report from Sheffield today said that there is very little ice in the river in that vicinity.

AN INCREASE Customs receipts for November here were \$237,397.29, compared with \$242,173.82 for the corresponding month last year.

TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH Revival service tonight, 7:45. Pastor will preach. Special solos. Come!

CANADIAN CLUB THIS EVENING Sir Thomas Edmonde's lecture this evening in Bond's, at 6:15 o'clock, promises to be one of the most interesting of the season. Members, who have not paid, may renew with the secretary at the lecture.

Ladies, come to the Monster Reliable Sale and get some grand bargains in waists, coats, furs, underwear, etc. Bassen, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION, LOCAL 278 Regular monthly meeting Sunday afternoon next, December 3, at 2:30 p. m., at Hall, 35 Water Street. A full attendance is requested as business of importance will be brought before the meeting. By order of the president. 12-3

A tea and sale of home cooking and dolls at Mrs. Copp's, 109 Carmarthen street, Saturday afternoon.

SPECIAL SERVICES. Have you been to the evangelistic services at the City Mission, Brunswick street? Well, come on tonight and see Rev. Dr. David Hutchinson. The service begins at 8 o'clock, preceded by song service.

BELGIAN RELIEF PICTURES. St. John High School Alumnae will show the Belgian relief pictures for the school children in Carleton City Hall this evening at 7:30. Children, 5 cents; others, 10 cents.

100 new books. Woman's Exchange Library. 12-4

A pair of rubber boots is what the boy wants these days, all sizes, \$1.75 to \$2.25, at Wiesel's Cash Stores, 243-247 Union street, city.

Photographs \$2.50 dozen up. See work displayed in studio.—Lugrin, 38 Charlotte street. Sunshine not necessary for sittings.

There's no footwear investment that pays so well as our school rubber boots for the children. 42c. and 58c.—Wiesel's Cash Stores, 243-247 Union street, city.

LET US HELP YOU A visit to Poyas & Co., 12 King square (near Imperial) will give you many ideas in Christmas presents. Useful ornamental articles, silver, gold, jewelry, etc. Big values for little money. 12-4

The boys at the front write back and say: "Send me some more Reindeer Condensed Coffee; it's great." Nothing better to send them.

HEALTH AGITATORS. We are at present agitating for better health amongst St. John's population. Our first step is to supply the people with pure, fresh milk, direct from our own cows within a few hours after milking—Lancaster Dairy Farm, Phone West 418.

TEA POTTS AT HALF PRICE. We have a limited supply of the old fashioned earthenware teapots at 12c. to 15c. Tilson or Robin Hood's, 22c., while they last. Best quality tomatoes, 15c.; corn, 14c.; peas, 18c. This is less than wholesale price. Best Delaware potatoes, 50c. peck. Orders delivered—The Blue Store, 281 Brunswick street, Phone M. 1402. 12-4

SPECIAL FOR MEN. Sweaters worth \$1.25 and \$2. To clear for \$1.25 at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney. 12-2

HUNT'S SALE IS YOUR BIG CHANCE TO GET A GOOD OVERCOAT VERY CHEAP Just now, the very heart of the season, when every man must have a new overcoat. When every other store in St. John is talking of charging higher prices than ever before, when you are told to prepare to pay from \$5 to \$10 dollars more for your next overcoat, we ask you to come to this sale and see what it means to you. Every offering is a genuine bargain. Best A reduction from prices that have not been advanced on account of the war. Of course you realize the importance of purchasing early in the sale—good savings and good choosing make a splendid combination in your favor. Come tomorrow. See large advertisement on page 15. Hunt's Busy up-town clothing store, 17-19 Charlotte street.

The attention of a young woman was arrested today at noon as she was coming up King street. She noticed a well dressed woman wearing a perfect fitting

Old-Time Remedy Makes Pure Blood

Hood's Sarsaparilla has been and still is the people's medicine because of its reliable character and its wonderful success in purifying, enriching and revitalizing the blood and relieving the common diseases and ailments—scrofula, catarrh, rheumatism, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, that tired feeling, general debility. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies and enriches the blood, and in so doing renders the human system the greatest service possible. This medicine has been tested for years. It is perfectly pure, clean and absolutely safe, as well as of peculiar and unequalled medicinal merit. Get Hood's, and get it now from any drug store.

post of fawn spots and heard her remark to a friend "I bought them at Wiesel's, they've them at from \$1.10 to \$2.00.—Wiesel's Cash Stores, 243-247 Union street.

SUNDAY NIGHT'S RECRUITING MEETING AT IMPERIAL

The naval recruiting meeting in Imperial Theatre starting at 8:30 Sunday night is arousing considerable interest. It is the first large gathering yet attempted in St. John in the interests of the British navy and should be a distinct novelty. It is stated the navy needs 500 men from this section of territory and after such a generous representation in khaki it would not be surprising if enough "blue noses" would be secured in due season to recruit the ranks of blue jackets as desired. Lieut. H. H. deL. Wood, R.N.C.V.R., is in charge of the local recruiting station in Prince William street and is proving a most affable and enthusiastic official. The programme for Sunday evening at Imperial is as follows:

Assembling music..... 8:30  
Orchestra from 163th band  
Chairman's address..... Col. E. T. Sturdee  
Address..... 8:45  
Lieut. H. H. deL. Wood, R.N.C.V.R.  
Two reels of Naval Pictures from "Britain Prepared"

Song..... S. Herbert Mayes  
Address..... H. M. Bax, attorney-general  
Solo..... "The Cross" Mrs. L. M. Curran  
Address..... H. A. Powell  
One reel Naval Pictures  
Closing..... Lieut. Wood  
God Save the King

ANOTHER AEROPLANE Again it is asserted that an aeroplane has been flying over the city, and was both seen and heard last evening. One of the authorities for the story is a King street barber, who is a man of temperate habits and who possesses an excellent reputation for veracity.

What Cash Will Save The Early Xmas Buyers

Starting on Friday a.m., Dec. 1st, and ending Saturday night, Dec. 2nd, we will give you cash at the following LOW prices:

3 PKGS. POTATO CHIPS, 25c.  
25c. pkgs. Quaker Oats..... 21c.  
Kellogg's and Quaker Corn-flakes, 2 pkgs. of each for 34c.  
White's Pickles..... 22c. bot.  
Chipped Beef..... 18c. tin  
Italian Olive Oil, 1 qt. tin..... 85c.  
Pure Lard, 1 lb. blocks..... 22c.  
Ora Seeded Raisins, 1 lb. pkgs.  
Del Monte Raisins..... 13c. pkgs.  
Rankine's Sodas..... 10c. pkgs.  
Pure Gold Herbs in 10c. tin.  
Sage, Savory, etc..... 25c.  
25c. tin Royal Baking Powder..... 22c.  
New Lemon Peel..... 22c. lb.  
New Orange Peel..... 23c. lb.  
New Citron Peel..... 26c. lb.  
25c. bot. Pure Gold Lemon, 21c.  
25c. bot. Pure Gold Vanilla, 21c.  
1 lb. Large Prunes..... 15c.  
25c. tin Baker's Cocoa..... 21c.  
10 lb. bag Lantic Sugar..... 85c.  
40c. pkgs. Lipton's Tea..... 37c.  
50c. pkgs. Lipton's Tea..... 45c.  
15c. tin Ready-made Soup, any variety..... Only 12-1-2c. tin  
12c. pkgs. Natural Peas..... 10c.  
2 bottles Sun Ammonia..... 17c.  
2 pkgs. Lux..... 17c.  
2 pkgs. Old Dutch..... 17c.  
2 tins Bk. Knight Polish, 17c.  
5 cakes Fairy Soap..... 21c.  
5 cakes Gold Soap..... 21c.  
5 cakes Sunlight Soap..... 21c.

HAWAIIAN CANNED PINE-APPLE

Extra Special Prices  
1 lb. Tall Tins, Ex. Sliced, 18c.  
2 lb. Tall Tins, Ex. Sliced, 22c.  
2 lb. Tall Tins, Ex. Grated, 22c.  
2-1/2 lb. Tall Tins, Ex. Sliced, 29c.

PEARS' ENGLISH SOAP

Less Than Wholesale Cost. Assorted Odors..... 5c. cake  
Transparent Glycerine..... 10c. cake  
Transparent Scented..... 12-1-2c. cake

CANDY DEPARTMENT

Salted Peanuts..... 19c. lb.  
Coco. Sundae Cups..... 37c. lb.  
Shogged Jordan Almonds, 43c.  
McIntosh or Riley's Toffee, Only 33c. lb.

No Delivery of Specials Alone!

Gilbert's Grocery

21 KING ST. ST. JOHN, N. B.

LOCAL NEWS

BURIED TODAY The funeral of Miss Elizabeth F. Halse took place this afternoon from her late residence, 28 Wright street. Services were conducted by Rev. F. E. Thompson, and interment was made in Fernhill.

STREET PAVING PLANS. Commissioner Fisher has presented to each of the other city commissioners a statement of the report submitted by the road engineer showing the street paving work which is regarded as most urgent and which he considers should be undertaken next year. The programme, as outlined, would involve an annual expenditure of more than \$22,000 for interest and sinking fund to cover fifteen year bonds.

SAME AS LAST YEAR A. W. Covey, junior vice-president of the maritime province branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, received a communication from President L. A. Gaultonday of Halifax this morning, notifying him that, owing to war conditions, the annual meeting would be dispensed with this year, and the present officers of the association would retain their offices. He also received a notice to the same effect from the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, of which he is a governor.

MILK DEALERS TO MEET Sussex Record—There will be a meeting of the milk producers of the county in Norton tomorrow night further to consider the milk situation. In St. John they have advanced the price of milk to 10 cents a quart. That is the price of milk in Halifax and the producers in Nova Scotia are being paid 6.3 cents a quart for their milk or 63 cents a ten quart can. In Kings county farmers are apparently content to accept a much lower rate for their milk. The meeting tomorrow night should range to get a slice of the increase. In fact the farmer is the man who is entitled to all of it if there is any increase coming.

DEATH OF F. J. GALE Mrs. W. J. Gale, of 129 St. James street, received yesterday afternoon the news of the death of her son, Frank J. No particulars were given as to the cause of his death. After returning with the Canadian volunteers from the South African war, he went west and had since

resided there. Besides his mother, he is survived by four brothers—William Y. of this city; Arthur E., of Ansonia, Montana; Edward E., of Montreal, and Ralph H., who is with a Canadian unit in France; also one sister, Mrs. F. E. Patterson of this city. The body will be brought home for burial.

A CHANGE The monthly figures for the Savings Bank are—Deposits, \$77,281.96, withdrawals were \$78,769.84. The fact that the deposits are larger than the withdrawals is a change from the figures for the last few months, which recently have recorded larger withdrawals.

LOCAL SHIPPING The schooner J. Howell Leeds arrived last night from New York with a cargo of coal for George Dick. Captain Reicker is in command.

The schooner Cumberland, recently launched at Advocate Harbor, has sailed for Bridgewater, where she will load for Cuba. Captain Bentley, who piloted the schooner, is getting timber out preparatory to building another of larger dimensions.

BRITISH VICTORY London, Dec. 1.—Conspicuous success has been gained by the British in their campaign against the Germans in German East Africa.

On October 19 a strong German force commanded by Major-General Vahle, dislodged from Tabora (in the central part of the colony) a mass in contact with British, south of Ininga.

GERMICIDAL SOAP

A Few of the Many Uses: THE BATH SHAMPOO DANDRUFF BARBERS' ITCH LOUSE KILLER

THE ROYAL PHARMACY

47 King Street

ESTABLISHED 1894

GOOD OPTICAL SERVICE

is absolutely essential to those who appreciate the value of good eyesight.

The service that D. Boyaner gives their patrons does not end with the sale of the glasses; in fact it marks only the beginning. Be particular about your eyes and have them looked after by the House with the Reputation.

D. BOYANER

TWO STORES: 38 Dock Street, 111 Charlotte Street.

THE BEST QUALITY AT A REASONABLE PRICE

A Woman's Best Gift A Bracelet Watch

There are two reasons why every woman is anxious to have a Bracelet Watch—it is the height of fashion and the most convenient way ever devised for her to carry a watch.

So for the woman you want to make especially happy, get a Bracelet Watch from Sharpe's.

Come in and see what exquisite models we are showing. They are magnificent ornaments and thoroughly dependable timekeepers.

Prices range from \$14 to \$30. You can select Christmas Gifts and leave them in our care until Christmas. Only a small deposit is required at the time of selection.

L. L. Sharpe & Son,

Jewelers and Opticians, 21 KING ST. ST. JOHN, N. B.

Brighten Up the Home For Xmas.

Only a few more weeks before Xmas. Shabby Furniture mars the effect of the finest feast. Don't let your Christmas dinner be spoiled by retaining articles that are the worse for wear.

You will be able to find Furniture in our show-rooms that will suit your rooms, your taste and your purse.

Select what you require in time to adorn your home for Xmas and be happy in the knowledge that it will give perfect satisfaction at many future festivals.

By paying a small deposit on your purchase we will hold same and deliver it to you on Christmas Eve or sooner if desired

J. MARCUS 30 Dock Street

Look For the Electric Sign

Double the Wear in Every Pair, How? Buy "STRAIGHT-LINE" RUBBERS

ESTEE & CO., - - 49 Dock Street

PATRIOTIC CAUSES PATRIOTIC FUND

How it Was Used In response to the appeal for cigarettes for lone soldiers, made by a committee of ladies on the West Side, the sum of \$285 has been received. The ladies wish to thank all those who so generously contributed and collected.

Up to the present, orders have been sent to the Imperial Tobacco Company, through Mr. Bailey, King street, for 49,000 cigarettes to be distributed to lone soldiers in the following units—E. F. Armstrong, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 10th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 21st, 24th, 26th, 60th battalions; 1st, 2nd, 5th, 8th, 10th, 17th, 21st, 28th batteries; 97th, 131st, 167th sapper batteries; X2 and Z trench mortar batteries; 1st and 2nd divisional ammunition columns; 1st and 2nd Div. Signalling Corps; No. 3 and No. 5 Co. C. A. S. C.; No. 1, 4 and 6th Field Ambulance; salvage company, construction corps and cycle corps.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Newfoundland Society will hold a sale of work in the Orange Hall, Germain street, tonight and Saturday evening. All the usual games and refreshments will be served. Drawings will take place on Saturday night.

Boxes for Soldiers The ladies of the Ludlow street Baptist Relief Society met last evening at the home of the secretary, Miss Cochran, and packed fifty-three individual boxes of comforts for the boys at the front. Mrs. G. E. Belyea, president of the society, wishes to thank the few friends who sent comforts for the boxes.

Prizes Won by Citizens. In the benefit Patriotic Fund and City Cornet Band prize drawings, the first series having been drawn a few weeks ago, it was quite noticeable that all of the large prizes were won by citizens of St. John. The second series will be held on Monday, December 11. Two prizes of trips round the world, or \$500 in gold each, are to be given away, along with 186 other good substantial prizes. Tickets can be secured from band members and the proceeds are for patriotic purposes.

December 12 The Patriotic Fete to be held in the Union Club on December 12, by the ladies of the Royal Standard Chapter, Daughters of Empire, promises many attractions; dainty gifts at very moderate prices, suitable for old and young at the Christmas season. Tickets are now on sale at Grey & Richey's and Nelson's book stores.

The naval recruiting committee thank the following for their help in entertaining sailors: Imperial Tobacco Co. for tobacco; W. H. Thorne & Co. for pipes; C. W. Hope Grant for cigarettes; McDonald Piano and Music Co. for piano, and National Drug Co. for favors received.

The Wheat Market Chicago, Dec. 1.—The opening, which ranged from the same as Wednesday's finish to three cents higher, with December at 17 1/2 to 17 3/4 and May at 17 1/2 to 17 3/4, was followed by moderate further gains and then something of a reaction.

LARGE ORDER. Roll after roll the perspiring clerk brought out, but still she seemed dissatisfied. From her dress he judged her to be a person of wealth and thought it likely she would have a good order to give.

When at last he had shown her the last roll he paused in despair. "I'm sorry, madame," he said, apologetically, "but if you could wait I could get some more pieces from the factory. Perhaps you would call in again."

The prospective customer gathered her belongings together and rose from the chair. "Yes, do," she said with a gracious smile, "and ask them to send you one or two with very small designs, suitable for putting in the bottom of a canary's cage."

A turnip raised by Harry A. Nickerson of Boothbay, Me., weighed 20 1/2 pounds when pulled from the ground and measured more than a yard around at the largest part. It is the only one of any white variety, and all the others in the bed were of the usual size.

EXHIBITION. There will be an exhibition held in Fredericton in next September.

A DESERTED VILLAGE

(Capt. Louis Keene in Cartoons Magazine.) The first time you see a destroyed and deserted village you have strange feelings, especially when you know that the smashing process may be resumed at any minute. Can you imagine a village which has no inhabitants—houses with only parts of walls standing, preambulators, chairs, bedssteads, and pictures heaped up in confusion, churches destroyed as if stepped on by a giant, tombs a tumbled heap in the churchyards, no children at play, no shops, no sounds except the echo of hoofs, footsteps and the roar of distant guns?

PERSONALS The engagement of Dorothea Arline Carvell, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mulvey Lloyd, and granddaughter of the late Lewis Carvell, Esq., to Monsieur Alfred Leander Tessier, professional artist of New York, is announced. Many friends will be sorry to learn that Miss Geraldine Morris, nurse on the General Public Hospital staff, is ill there and probably will be kept to her room for six weeks.

Dr. A. Pierce Crockett was a passenger on the city today on the maritime train.

Chief Justice McLeod arrived in the city today.

John Kilburn, lumberman, is celebrating his 74th birthday today.

Among the passengers by the S. S. Coran for England will be Miss Irene McQuade, who is joining the V. A. D. nursing staff overseas. Miss McQuade is a daughter of W. H. McQuade. Her eldest brother, William, is also in England, a lieutenant in the 104th Battalion. For some time she has been in attendance at the militia hospital in this city, and since the formation of the Y. W. P. A. Miss McQuade has been one of its most energetic members.

Governor Wood is in the city today.

City Michael, M. P. of Edmundston, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, has been L. H. Bliss, of Fredericton, arrived in the city this morning.

Running A Motor Bus. A yardmaster was interviewing applicants for the post of driver of a motor bus, and among the volunteers was an Irishman.

"Can you drive a car?" asked the yardmaster.

"Can you drive a car?" repeated the Irishman, scornfully.

"Well, run the bus into the shed." Pat climbed on to the trembling vehicle. He looked around, spat on his hands, grabbed the biggest lever and pulled it for all he was worth. Zip! she went into the shed. Pat saw trouble ahead, reversed the lever. Out she went—in again—out again.

Then the yardmaster yelled: "I thought you said you could run a motor car?"

But Pat had an answer ready: "Oh had it in three times. Why didn't you shut the door?"

Pathhead's Patriotic Postwomen. Not content with having all their male relatives serving with the colors, Mrs. McKenzie and Miss Helen Lindsay (cousins), Pathhead, Milothian, have taken up the work of postwomen, thereby pleasing two men for the army.

Their district at Pathhead is noted for the severity of snowstorms in winter, yet although they have had several spells of severe weather and many miles daily to travel, sometimes through deep snow, they have never missed a round. Mrs. McKenzie's husband is at present in hospital, suffering from shell-shock and she, Miss Lindsay, has postponed her marriage owing to her war work, and her fiancé is now serving.

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You pick from our stock and get what you don't see in every other store about town, as we handle the product of manufacturers noted for perfect workmanship and exclusiveness of fabric design. But you pay no more than is asked for regular grades.

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LOCAL NEWS

Remember the Great Monster Reliable Sale is now on at Bassen's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

Christie's Cough and Sore Throat Cure, the kind that cures, 35c.—R. W. Hawker, 521 Main street.

You can buy a good strong well made suit for your boy for \$4 at Turner's, out of the high rent district, 440 Main st.

The bargains of your life at Bassen's Monster Reliable Sale, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

Trades and Labor Council, regular meeting Friday evening, Dec. 1. Full attendance requested. Important business. 61327-12-2

Ladies and gents clothing, furnishings, headwear, boots, shoes, dry goods, etc., at great big reductions at Bassen's Monster Reliable Sale, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

Go to Smalley's for your Xmas requirements. Quality of the best and prices reasonable. Diamonds, bracelet watches, gold and gold-filled jewelry, etc., etc. Our sterling silver toilet and manicure sets have just been received. A splendid assortment to choose from.—Smalley & Co., 91 Prince William street.

Buy your blankets and comfortables at Bassen's Monster Reliable Sale, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

SAMPLE SWEATERS 20 PER CENT OFF
A complete line of travellers' samples from \$1.50 to \$5.00.—King, the Hatter, Union street.

Do all your shopping at Bassen's Monster Reliable Sale, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

Bassen's Monster Reliable Sale is a corker, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

Economising in Words
Augustus Thomas has told the New York Playwrights' Club that in a forecast play there are, on an average, twenty-two thousand words. This is the advice to budding playwrights: Spare a word wherever possible. Make every one you use count. If you wish one man to tell another to leave the room, you could have him say: "You leave this room."

Best of all, have him simply point to the door and say not one word.

An International Coin Suggested
Henry Clews, banker, makes an interesting suggestion in his weekly letter from New York. After the war, he says, "America, England, France and Germany ought to agree upon one international coin at least representing an equal amount and value in absolute gold, which will pass current in each nation alike; each country to have its own stamp upon all its issues. If it worked well, Japan, China, Russia, and other nations, if they so desired, could be admitted into the combination. This plan would make it easy for travelers going from one country to another." But can we and our Allies agree to the inclusion of Germany in such a monetary union? That is part of the scheme (says the London Financier) is utterly distasteful.

PULP WOOD OPERATORS BOOST WAGES OF MEN

Bangor Commercially
Woodsmen will get higher wages this winter in the Maine woods than ever before, at least in recent years. From \$40 to \$45 a month will be the scale there last year \$30 and \$35 was paid. The Great Northern Paper Company, which paid \$1 a day last season is paying \$1.25 to \$1.35 this year for the same grade of woodsmen. All the large companies are paying about the same while the small operators find it necessary to pay as high as \$45 a month.

Although the last year has been an extremely busy one with the local lumber mills, reports are to the effect that they will not increase their cut or purchases of logs this winter. The lumbermen say that they cannot compete with the pulp mills in buying spruce as the pulp mills are ready to pay whatever price is necessary to obtain the pulpwood. Each year the pulp mills get more of the spruce output than the year before and the coming season will not be an exception. Not a stick will come down the West Branch for a lumber mill this year. There is only one operator on the West Branch outside of the Great Northern and he sells to the paper company.

While the big paper companies are not talking much about their cut for their coming year, it is understood from reliable sources that it will be about the same as usual and that they will buy a great deal of pulpwood from independent operators in four-foot lengths. For several years the paper companies have been increasing their purchases of pulpwood, keeping their own cut about the same each year.

Even with the high wages paid, it is difficult to secure all the men needed and the employment agents say that men are more loath to stay in the woods all winter than ever before. Construction jobs in the west offer wages unreamed of by common laborers in the past and this makes a heavy drain on the Maine woodsmen supply. The condition is like that aptly expressed in the past that to run a woods camp in Maine, there must be three crews, one going into the woods, one coming out, and one at work.

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A Full Range of Men's Black Cloth and Heavy Tweed Winter Caps With Fur-lined Bands—Great Value at 75c. each

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Christmas Shopping!

Xmas Gifts in Furniture this year will be more popular than ever. Select your Xmas Gifts for father, mother, brother, sister or sweetheart early.

We have a beautiful stock of all kinds of Furniture suitable for Xmas Gifts.

Amland Bros., Ltd.

19 Waterloo Street

Grand Opening Display of Xmas Goods Saturday!

A very fine selection of suitable Christmas Gifts for Ladies and Gentlemen, Boys and Girls

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Roasts 12c to 14c per lb. Hamburg Steak 15c per lb. Steak 20c per lb.

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Roasts 20c per lb. Chops 22c per lb.

SPECIALTIES

New Mince-meat 15c per lb. Hamburg Steak 10c per lb. Sausage 2 lbs. for 25c. Not Delivered Without Other Goods.

Cranberries, Apples, Potatoes, Squash, Pickles, Canned Peas, Corn, Tomatoes, etc.

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Cornstarch, 25c.
Surprise, Gold or Fairy Soap, 6 cakes for 25c.

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86 Brussels Street Corner Richmond

- 24 lb. bag Royal Household Flour, \$1.40
24 1/2 lbs. Regal Flour, \$1.40
Choice Seeded Raisins, 12c. pkgs.
New Cleaned Currants, 18c. pkgs.
New Mixed Peas, 25c. lb.
4 pkgs. Bee Jelly Powder, 22c.
1 lb. tin Bee Baking Powder, 21c.
New Fancy Figs, 3 pkgs. for 25c.
3 bottles Lemon or Vanilla, 25c.
3 pkgs. Tapioca, 25c.
Regular 40c. Tea for, 38c.
2 tins Campbell's Soup, 25c.
2 cans Good Salmon, 25c.
Gravenstein Apples, 20c, 25c, 35c. peck
Pure Silver Leaf Lard, 22c. lb.
Flake White Lard, 19c. lb.
Quaker, Purity and Robin Hood
Rolled Oats, 22c. pkgs.
12 lbs. Granulated Sugar with order, \$1
10 lb. bag Lantic or Redpath Sugar, 85c.
Choice Tub Butter, 40c.
Choice Rolled Butter, 42c.
Choice Red Potatoes, 32c.

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CASH GROCERY SALE for Saturday and Monday

'Phone West 80-41—267 King Street West

- 11 lbs. Standard Gran. Sugar, \$1.00
Gravenstein Apples, No. 1, 35c. peck
Fresh Henney Eggs, 45c. doz.
Seeded Raisins, 2 pkgs. 26c.
Choice Dairy Butter in prints, 45c. lb.
Good Tub Butter, 40c. lb.
Cooking Butter, 30c. lb.
Cow Brand Soda, 5c. pkgs.
6 cakes Gold Soap, 25c.
6 pkgs. Pearlina, 25c.

AGED OFFICE BOYS AT LAST.

Gray-Haired Men Satisfactorily Fill Places of Youngsters.

(New York Times)

Enter the aged office boy, Gray-haired telegraph messengers have for years been a common sight in the city, but not until recently, when the shortage of office and errand boys became acute, have business houses, both big and small, hurried by the lack of youngsters, resorted to the employment of elderly men in their stead.

The head of one of the biggest printing and publishing houses in New York is now depending almost entirely upon elderly men for work in and out of the office previously done by boys.

"For a long time," said this man, "our company found it practically impossible to get the boys needed in our business. In talking over the matter with my wife, she suggested that the reason we could not get boys was probably due to the fact that, with increased wages and assured work, parents were now sending their boys to high school instead of sending them out to work after completing the grammar term, as so many have done in the past. After having tried for about a year, through every agency known to man, to obtain boys needed for our various departments, I finally had to agree with her.

"Then an idea came to me: Why not advertise for active elderly men to act as messengers, &c.? We did so. Fifty applications were received in the first mail in reply to our advertisement. And such letters; well and neatly written, proof of the ability and common sense of the applicant. At that time we needed three. We sent postcards to six; five immediately responded. The first three were engaged. We have now had three more men a month. We will never go back to boys. We pay these men more money, it is true, but it is also a fact that these men perform their duties much more effectively; their understanding, naturally, is better; and they are more reliable. We call them our 'Giant.'"

"Looked at from a humanitarian point of view—it is giving employment to men of fifty to sixty; men who have been thrown into the discard.

"There are evidently thousands of such men in this city, and the employers needing intelligent help of this character can help themselves, and the elderly men, by giving the latter work. They will do all boys can do, and do it better, and do more. Try it and be convinced. Some of my friends have already done so with satisfaction."

The situation as described is apparently not exaggerated, judging from the window signs of "Boys wanted" in hundreds of New York stores and other business establishments. It is admitted that men are being employed to do the work formerly done by the boys in many of these houses, and for the same general reasons as those quoted.

Going! Going!

AND SOON IT WILL BE GONE

Have You Availed Yourself of This Great Chance? We Are Closing Out Business

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GET IN ON THESE BARGAINS BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE

OUR LADIES' WEAR PRICES ARE UNRIVALED BY ANY OTHER ADVERTISEMENT TODAY!

High or Low Neck PIQUE WAISTS—Were \$1.25. Closing Out Sale Price, 94c.

KHAKI WAISTS—Military or Plain; excellent material. Formerly \$2.00. Sale Price, \$1.19

PLAIN BLACK WAISTS—With or without pockets; stylish and serviceable. To Clear at 94c. and \$1.19

SWEATERS

GIRLS'—All colors and sizes. 98c. and \$1.29

MEN'S—All colors, low neck. To Clear, \$1.48

SWEATER COATS—Various styles. To Clear, \$1.98

UNDERWEAR Men's Shirts, 47c. For Men, Women and Children Below Cost. Men's Caps, 29c.

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The Evening Times and Star

ST. JOHN, N. B., DECEMBER 1, 1916.

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THE WAR SITUATION.

We can better appreciate now than we could a year ago the wisdom of the Roumanian statesman who pointed out that if his country then entered the war the German and Austrian armies would sweep over it before Russia or her Allies could intervene.

There is nevertheless a confession of German weakness in the movement against Roumania. We may be very sure that the great stroke would have been delivered on the western front if there had been the slightest hope of breaking through the French or British lines.

The German people, however, are still fed on assurances of victory. Only yesterday the Chancellor boasted: "Our lines are unbroken, and Roumania, through which a great change of events was expected, is now atoning for what she did. God has helped us up to the present. He will help us further."

"Our ultimate aim is to push through to the west and the ocean. Whatever offers resistance must be crushed." Referring to the Balkans, the Gazette says: "What the victor gets he holds."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Lomer Gouin will address a recruiting meeting in Quebec next week. The baser sort of government organs are still insinuating that the Liberal leaders are not as loyal as, for example, the Nationalist colleagues of Sir Robert Borden.

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The increased price of milk is not based upon the scarcity of the article. If it were, a reduction of the use of ice cream or of milk itself might relieve the situation.

If the farmer is getting too large a profit the fact should be capable of demonstration. If the price he gets is not too high in proportion to his cost of production, but the dealer who gets five cents per quart for passing the milk on to the consumer is charging more than he should, that fact also should be capable of demonstration.

The people generally believe that the price of ten cents per quart for milk is too high. It is for the city council to probe the matter thoroughly and report what it finds.

FIGHTING TUBERCULOSIS.

It is worth while to note from time to time what other communities are doing in the fight against tuberculosis. The Maine Anti-Tuberculosis Association has helped to prepare a two reel film "The Great Truth," which will be shown all over the state, for educational purposes.

The Bangor Commercial says: "It is confidently expected that the expenditure of \$150 by the state association for this film will prove one of the best educational investments of recent years."

The Bangor Anti-Tuberculosis Sanatorium will ask the coming legislature for an appropriation of \$7,900 for the year 1917 and \$8,100 for the year 1918.

Sir Robert Borden will tour the west on a national service campaign. Mr. Bennett will accompany him. When will Sir Robert, with Messrs. Blondin and Patenaude, if not Bourassa and Laverge, make a tour of Quebec province?

If the Roumanian army are still intact, the Teutons have still a heavy task before Bucharest is taken and Roumania conquered.

Hampton Village, Nov. 30.—David Hutchings died at his home here this morning after an illness of about four years. He was seventy-nine years of age and leaves a widow, and a son and a daughter—John Hutchings, of Belleisle, and Mrs. Manfred Roberts, of Hampton.

Elizabeth F. Halse. Elizabeth F. Halse died yesterday at her residence, 28 Wright street, aged 33 years. She was the daughter of the late William Halse and leaves to mourn one sister, Mrs. Rosborough, of Halifax.

LIGHTER VEIN.

Years of Discretion "Pa, what does it mean when it says that a man has arrived at years of discretion?"

"It means, my son, that he's too young to die and too old to have any fun."

End of a Successful Campaign Gladys' beau took her younger sister Mabel as de and confided in her as follows: "Now, I am going to tell you something, Mabel. Do you know that last night at your party, your sister promised to marry me? I hope you'll forgive me for taking her away?"

"Forgive you, Mr. Sparks," said Mabel. "Of course I will. Why, that's what the party was for!"

In a village cricket match the local butcher was batting, when a ball bumped up and hit him on the head, from which the wicketkeeper made a catch. "How's that?" yelled the wicket-keeper. "How?" said the umpire. "But it hit me on the head," protested the batsman. "I don't know where it hit you," responded the umpire. "It didn't see it, but it knows the sound of wood, so hout you go!"

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Give Yourself a Chance Take care of your shoes, for footwear will be much more costly before the end of the war.

Good Shoes—Humphrey's, for instance—should be protected in wet weather by rubbers, or you can get Humphrey's Shoes with "Duffel" Damp-proof soles and heels.

Style Illustrated Shows a WOMEN'S CALF LEATHER LACE BOOT With Extra Heavy Damp-proof Soles Price \$5.50

McRobbie Foot-Fitters - 50 King St. They make a good boot for this time of year.

Cheyne's Special Week-End Announcement FOR THE CHRISTMAS GENERAL Quaker Oats... Pure Cream Tartar... Jersey Cream Baking Powder...

Tungsten Lamps Drawn Wire Filament will give you more light at less cost, because they use 75 per cent. less current than carbon filament lamps.

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Francis & Vaughan 19 King Street. Ladies' Dressy Boots that keep down the High Cost of Footwear

The PHILPS STORES - DOUGLAS AVE. AND MAIN - Phone 886. Tempting Window Displays The display of Good Things in our Show Windows this week gives some idea of what is within the store.

COAL and WOOD Directory of The Leading Fuel Dealers in St. John.

COAL Lyken's Valley Egg for Furnaces An excellent substitute for Scotch Anthracite

IN STOCK: A FEW TONS OF PEA COAL GEO. DICK, 46 Britain St.

MINUDIE COAL the Soft Coal that lasts, can be bought where you get the dry wood.

ACUTE AND CHRONIC RHEUMATISM The exact cause of rheumatism is unknown, though it is generally believed to be due to an excess of uric acid in the blood.

A BARREN WASTE. A teacher had been doing her best to instill into the minds of her class the meaning of the word desert.

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**Business Boom Amazes London**

Money Spent in Stores Far Above Normal  
Although Prices Are Higher  
Coster Women Buying Seal Coats  
—War Marriages Increase Furniture and Furnishing Business

London, Nov. 22.—(Correspondence)—Notwithstanding greatly increased cost of living on account of the war and the need for economy and saving, business in Great Britain is apparently booming. Whatever is going to happen to trade after the war, all the indications are that, speaking generally, it is just now considerably above the normal level.



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make the best cake because it creams quickly and thoroughly with the butter which is the hardest part of the mixing. Its purity and extra "fine" granulation make it dissolve at once.

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Exclusive Novelties suitable for gifts. Latest designs and newest creations in color blending, producing effects entirely different from the summer styles, miniature floral and figured all over patterns in combinations of color most attractive. The shapes are the soft open ends, much improved with several non-stretch and slip-easy band devices. A large variety of desirable qualities and patterns to select from.

**Very Special Values, 25c to \$1.50**  
MEN'S FURNISHINGS DEPARTMENT  
**Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited**

**Best Nerve Specialist In England Was Consulted**

But Nervous System Failed to Respond to Treatment Prescribed.

The Cardinal's Rebuke.  
A writer in the London Observer tells a pretty story of Cardinal Gasquet. Once when he was going north by train from London, two boys opposite mimicked the movements of his lips while he was reading his breviary. When he was done, he opened up a talk, and they said they were bound for a certain famous public school. "Surely not," he said, and, when they insisted, he added, "I know many men from there, and I am sure they never forgot they were gentlemen so far as to mimic an old gentleman who was saying his prayers." The shamefaced lads apologized, and the talk went on more easily after that.

**Receipts in Stores Big**

A milliner's shop in Regent street, took in \$946 in cash in one day, which constitutes a record for the establishment. At nearly all the big middle class retail stores the figures are considerably in excess of the receipts before the war, although the spring of 1914 was one of the best seasons ever experienced in the history of the retail drapery trade.

July, 1914—Business normal.  
October, 1914—Business fell 20 per cent; money reported tight and purchases confined mainly to indispensable commodities.

December, 1914—Business normal again. The recovery due to the newly created prosperity amongst the middle and working classes set up by the munition industry.

May, 1915—Business 20 per cent better than normal; money plentiful, due to the rapid expansion of the munitions industry.

July, 1915—Business 30 per cent better than normal, middle and industrial classes spending the large wages which they are earning, and the number of these wage earners seem to be rapidly increasing.

October, 1915—Business 40 per cent better than normal; to the plentifulness of money is added the confidence that comes from the sense of victory. The Somme battle makes people so bright that they feel more like spending money than ever.

No Foolish Spending.  
The head of one great store explains that while there is this tremendous shopping boom it cannot by any stretch of the imagination be termed a foolish expenditure of money.

The people who are spending money today are spending it on useful articles and demanding their money's worth," he says. "They are not wasting it on showy articles of little value. As they have always had in the past to consider every penny they spent, so they are now discriminating instinct bids them consider well each purchase. For instance, if they buy jewelry, they do not buy trashy jewelry, but jewelry which will always bring them a fair percentage of their outlay in case they have to dispose of it.

"Where they buy furs, they do not buy imitation sable or imitation fox for imitation marten, but genuine fur."  
Enquiry shows that the businesses which are chiefly benefited by the boom of the trade boom are drapers, milliners, piano dealers, middle class jewelers, shoemakers—in fact every business that is catering to the needs of the two prosperous classes today is doing well.

Shoemakers are making fortunes. For every \$2.50 pair of shoes they sold in peace time, they are now selling \$4.00 pair for every pair of \$4 high topped kid boots a pair at \$8, and so on.

"Apart from the tonic effect on business of the munitioners there is the increased income of thousands of households due to the fact that the men, home having gone out to work, permitting a weekly expenditure which in peace time would have been regarded as impossible.

The girl in business earning from \$7.50 to \$10 a week thinks nothing of spending \$2.50 weekly on dress. This means more in this country than in America, for an English woman habitually spends far less on dress than an American woman.

Some curious examples of the way the present wave of prosperity is yielding an unsuspected class of customers to the big shops is furnished by the manager of a large retail store on Oxford street.

"During the week," he says, "a woman of the coster type came into our shop and ordered a seal coat with collar and cuffs of sable and a wide border of the same fur round the bottom of the coat, to be made specially for her. She also insisted on a black velvet hat costing \$10.50, lined with the largest feather I could obtain for her.

"I explained as gently as possible that feathers were not worn, and I soon judged it better to let her have her own way, especially as she had the money in her hand.

"One of the girls who had formerly been in our work-rooms and was now making munitives came in the other day and spent \$25 on a small ermine necklet. "I've always wanted a bit of real ermine," she explained. I noticed that she was wearing one of the latest velvet shapes with an osprey in it that must have cost at least \$7.50. On her engagement finger she had a single stone diamond ring that I could not help but admire.

"It is no uncommon thing for a mother

and her three and four daughters to come into the shop on a Thursday or Friday morning and spend \$100 before leaving, although I should imagine that in peace time that same family made their clothes at home."

At another store credit for a great part of the trade boom is given to the increased number of marriages that are taking place owing to the war. The money, generally speaking, is not spent on furnishing homes, for the couples as a rule are not setting up housekeeping, but on presents and the bride's trousseau, which in some cases is all the more elaborate owing to the fact that she does not have to set aside any sum for house linen, the bride's usual contribution to the new ménage.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars a week are still spent in comforts and gifts for relatives at the front, ranging from pipes to reading matter and delicacies in food. According to the bookstall manager of one store hundreds of Bibles and prayer-books are sent to the front every week, the men having expressed a desire for religious literature.

An important fact in the increased trading receipts of the big stores is that the cost of each article is in most cases 50 per cent more than it was before the war.

**EVERY ARTICLE OF Women's and Children's Wearing Apparel**

SEASONABLE, NEW AND OF EXCELLENT VALUE

**THIS WEEK'S SALE OF CHILDREN'S WINTER COATS**

About thirty-five excellent warm lined soft wool cloth winter coats for youngsters from 6 to 12 years, strictly man tailored and come in chinchilla, tweed effects or military khaki cloth. All coats from the very best makers. Reg. \$6.90 to \$8.35. All sizes, one special price ..... \$5.90 each

**NEW VOILE BLOUSES**

Strikingly pretty new blouses in very fine white voile, dainty embroidery fronts and large deep back collars, trimmed guipure edging, excellent value at \$2.50.  
Special on Saturday, \$2.29

**BLACK MOIRE POPLIN UNDERSKIRTS**

An excellent quality of good wearing skirts in medium weight, full width and finished with 14 inch accordion pleated flounce.  
Special on Saturday, \$1.65

**WOMEN'S NEW HEAVY BATH ROBES**

Of soft, warm wool velour in fancy patterns, combination colorings of pink and grey, blue and tan, etc. home having gone out to work, permitting a weekly expenditure which in peace time would have been regarded as impossible.

**WOMEN'S WINTER UNDERWEAR**

Warm knit-to-fit combinations, Dutch neck style, elbow sleeves, knee pants, pure white soft yarns, sizes 34 to 40.  
Price \$1.25 per suit.  
Women's unshrinkable vests and pants made line rib or double rib long or short sleeves, high or low neck, ankle or knee pants, misses' to large women's sizes.  
Price 25c per garment.

**STAMPED GOODS FOR CHRISTMAS EMBROIDERY**

Stamped pillow cases, fine English cotton ..... 40c to 75c pair  
Stamped nightgowns, extra quality nainsook ..... 95c each  
Stamped corset covers, fine nainsook ..... 30c each  
Stamped towels, fancy huck, extra large ..... 50c, 35c each  
Stamped guest towels, fancy linen huck ..... 35c each  
Stamped tray cloths, Irish linen ..... 35c each  
Stamped pin cushions, extra long Irish linen ..... 35c each  
Stamped centre pieces, Irish linen ..... 35c each  
Stamped H. S. tea aprons, painted, fine linen ..... 25c each  
Stamped boudoir caps, fine organdy ..... 12c each  
Stamped tea aprons with bib ..... 18c each

**CHILDREN'S WARM UNDERWEAR**

One piece sleeping suits for kiddies of 1 to 6 years, natural color, warm fleece Jersey cloth, made either button front or back ..... 65c per suit.  
Warm winter corset waists for kiddies of 1 to 8 years, made of extra quality Jersey fleece, with strong taped seams and bone suspender buttons. ..... 25c each  
Children's winter vests and pants of fine rib knit, every garment guaranteed unshrinkable, all white, sizes 2 to 14 years. ..... 35c to 75c garment

**GIRLS' COMFORTABLE WINTER WEAR**

Special provision in this department for girls of 6 to 14 years. You can find pretty styles with some newness about each one not to be found elsewhere.  
Girls' navy blue fast color middie skirts of fine wool serge with attractive deep side plaited effect, made with attached waist, sizes 6 to 14 years. ..... Price \$2.98 to \$3.45.  
Girls' warm wool middie blouses, black and white checks, broadcloth collar and cuffs, military or saxe blue trimmed white braid, silk cord tie, sizes 6 to 12 years. ..... Price \$2.98 to \$3.45  
Girls' navy blue serge bloomers, fast color pure wool, made very full and roomy to take the place of petticoat or for gymnasium wear, sizes 6 to 12 years. ..... Price \$2.98 to \$3.45  
Girls' navy blue serge school dresses, pure wool, fast color, pretty styles including latest military dress; also one piece middie dress and French waist style, trimmed with braid, buttons and fancy silks, sizes 8 to 12 years. ..... Price \$3.95 to \$6.95

**HOSE SUPPORTERS**

A shipment of the celebrated "C. M. C." hose supporters which have been so hard to get the last three months just received and now on sale.  
Price 25c and 35c pair.

**HOLLY WREATHS**

Large shipment of natural specially prepared holly wreaths for store or home Christmas decoration.  
One Price, 50c each.

**EXTRA GOOD STAPLE LINES**

Linen huck towels, hemmed or fringed, all white or red border, 18 by 24 inches. ..... 35c pair.  
Extra fine fancy damask huck towels, large size, hemstitched. ..... 35c each  
Great big hemstitched huck towels, 26 by 41 inches. ..... 25c each  
Guest towels of fancy linen huck. ..... 35c each  
Bath towels, natural color fancy stripe, large size. ..... 35c each  
All white terry towels for children or face use. ..... 35c pair.  
1,000 yards striped shirting flannel, etc., soft finish, cut in 3 yard lengths, 5 yards for 65c.

**COMFORTABLES, EXTRA VALUES**

Good large sized comfortables, covered mercerized cambric and silk-linen, pretty colorings and absolutely fast in wash. ..... Prices \$2.55 to \$2.75 each  
Large sized double stitched comfortables, good heavy make, neat designs. ..... \$1.90 each  
Heavy comfortables for camps and lumber woods, large size. ..... \$1.65 each

**FALL HOSIERY**

Ladies' cashmere hose, full fashioned and seamless with a well finished double heel and toe. ..... 49c per pair.  
Fall weight fast black cotton hose, with elastic rib top, all sizes. ..... 38c per pair.  
Girls' fine one by one rib all wool cashmere hose. ..... 35c per pair up.

**BOYS' STRONG TOWNS**

Boys' strong towens by one school rib hose, all sizes up to 10 inch. ..... 38c per pair.

**OUR SPECIAL 25c VEILINGS**

All sorts of new French silk veilings just come to hand and are to be sold at one price, the lot includes small and large figures, new fancy meshes, as well as all the popular spot effects, black, white and colors. All One Price, 25c per yard.

**POPULAR NECKWEAR**

Just received a lot of the popular white wash satin collars and sets, the most serviceable and effective neckwear you can get. Large deep collar and full round cape effects, some with pretty ball trimmings. Prices 50c to \$1.95.

**GLOVES FOR JUST THIS WEATHER**

New fall fabric wash gloves chambricette finish, white only, all sizes. ..... 80c per pair.  
Very soft quality of ladies' cape leather washing gloves in new putty shades, welted seams and heavy black stitching on backs, all sizes. Price \$1.75 pair.

**BIRTHDAY RINGS**

As the hand of Old Father Time points again to a birth anniversary, the Ring with the Proper Gem forms an ever appropriate remembrance.

In the choice of a Birthday Ring, you will find in our collection both new and conventional patterns with suitable stones for each month.

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**Fireplace Furnishings**

Just at this time of year, when family life circles about the hearthstone, an inspection of our select showing of Fireplace Furnishings will prove particularly interesting, especially to the Holiday Gift-Seeker, who will find in our exhibit many appropriate presentables, including

Andirons, Grates, Feeders, Skillets, Spark-Guards, Fire Irons, Coal Hods and Scuttles, Fire Screens, Etc.

These are all new this season and are patterned—in brass, bronze and black—from the most favored prevailing designs.

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HORSES, WAGONS, ETC. FOR SALE—AN UP-TO-DATE AMERICAN built ambulance, fully equipped, cheap. Thirty fur robes.

FOR SALE—TAYLOR'S LARGE cutting table; English plate mirror, 4 feet 6 inches by 6 feet 4 inches with frame.

HANDSOME WALNUT BEDROOM Set, three pieces, to be seen at J. D. Howe's, 57 Sydney street.

SKATE GRINDING MACHINE (Universal), for sale cheap with seven emery stones. Edgemoor City road.

WANTED TO BUY FOR CASH—Well established grocery business, centrally located. Groceries, Times, 5131-12-2.

BUILDING LOTS FOR \$60—THERE are still a few lots at above price at Courtenay Ba, Heights. Come out Saturday afternoon or the next day and make your selection.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR GOOD INVESTMENTS open to people in all walks of life. Send for magazine "Profitable Investments," free, tells how to make your dollars work.

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE BARGAIN—FORD CAR, 1915 MODEL, practically new. Address Box 30, Times office.

University of Toronto; A. B. MacAllum, Sr., D., University of Toronto; Walter C. Murray, LL.D., president of the University of Saskatchewan; R. H. Hobson, president, Steel Company of Canada.

BOARD TO ADVISE ON GETTING BEST FROM RESOURCES Ottawa, Nov. 30—After a year's consideration of the best method of governmental procedure to encourage and assist in Canada manufacturing development based on scientific and technical research.

Record Receipts. Manager William Bedell of the Yale Athletic Association's ticket department, has announced today that \$128,800 was realized from the sale of tickets to the Yale-Harvard game on last Saturday.

The object in view is to increase technical and scientific research and utilize the results for the development of production and trade. It is hoped that the free assistance thus offered to industrial firms will enable Canada to keep abreast of the world's manufacturing development during the war and of the keen international competition which will follow it.

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ARE YOU GOING TO MOVE; OR HAVE YOU A HOUSE OR FLAT TO RENT?

This page of the TIMES is the city directory for the home seeker; and for the landlord who wants a tenant.

FLATS TO LET

ROOM WITH BREAKFAST WANTED by young man. State terms. Clerk, care Times. 5129-12-8.

BOARDING

WANTED—BOARDERS, ELECTRIC lights, bath, use of phone, 128 Prince street, West, downtown. 51188-12-4.

HOUSES TO LET

TO RENT—SMALL HOUSE IN rear 16 Exmouth street, six rooms, closet and water in house, rent reasonable, occupation immediately. 51151-12-7.

CAUTION!

WARNING—THE COLLECT-O-DUST Sweeping Powder Co. who manufacture their goods under four different patents granted by the Canadian Patent Office, for highest grade sweeping powder on the market.

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND MINES

The annual report of the provincial department of lands and mines is summarized in a despatch to the Standard as follows:

STORES AND BUILDINGS

WELL ESTABLISHED STORE TO let, 477 Main street. 51229-12-29.

REAL ESTATE

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MISCELLANEOUS HELP

WANTED—HORSE, ABOUT 1000, for his keep. Good home and light work. Address "Horse," care Times, 51269-12-4.

WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL MAID. Apply Mrs. W. K. McKean, 88 Wellington row. 51412-12-5.

HELP WANTED

COOKS AND MAIDS WANTED

WANTED—CHAMBERMAID. Prince William Hotel. 51411-12-5.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 38 Wright street or Phone 372-12. 51395-12-4.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WOMAN WANTS WORK BY DAY. Apply 224 Prince William street. 51363-12-4.

AGENTS WANTED

WANTED—A HIGH CLASS TERRITORY representative for large automobile concern. Automobile experience necessary. Apply Box No. 15, care of Times. 51381-12-5.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—TUESDAY NIGHT BETWEEN Marsh Bridge and Little River, a Lee Enfield rifle. Finder rewarded at 86 Sydney street. 51360-12-5.

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We have the doors two panels and five cross panel, door jamb, casing, base and flooring. It Will Pay You to Get Our Prices.

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"LARRIGAN SEWERS WANTED at once. Good prices paid. Apply The R. M. Beal Leather Co., Ltd., Lindsay, Ont." S. N. B.

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In the Natural History Society's rooms last evening there was a pantry sale of tea for the benefit of the Scottish Women's Hospitals. It proved very successful.

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FOR SALE—JOB LOT OF SAMPLE working gloves, cloth, etc. E. J. Wall, 87 King Square. 12-6

OVERCOATS AT MODERATE prices. W. J. Higgins & Co., custom made ready-to-wear clothing, 189 Union street. T. J.

BARGAINS IN WALL PAPER, 6c roll up. Special sale—H. Baigel, 74 Brussels street (opposite Centennial School). 12-16

SALE OF CHRISTMAS GOODS AT A. B. Wetmore's, 59 Garden street. Something here for everybody. Buy early, get first choice.

WINTER UNDERWEAR, STANFORD, Blue and Red Label, Atlantic, Pen Angle, Fleeced lined, full range of sweaters, pull over and coat style; working shirts, gray shaker flannel, gray and navy. Also heavy twilled drill. Reasonable prices.—J. Morgan & Co., Main street.

SPECIAL BARGAIN SALE OF USED Sewing Machines, Singer Drop-heads, \$12 to \$18; other styles \$5 to \$8.—F. F. Bell, 96 Germain street. 1-11

COAL AND WOOD

WHY HESITATE—TRY COAKLEY Soft Coal for ranges and grates. Dry Hard and Soft Wood on hand. Jas. W. Carleton, 9 Rodney street; Phones W 87-11 and 89-21.

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T. M. WISTED & CO., 142 ST. PATRICK street. American Anthracite, all sizes; Springhill, Lykens Valley, and Reserve Sydney soft coal also in stock. Broad Cove to arrive. Delivery in bags if required. Phone 5145-11. Ashes removed promptly.

HARD AND SOFT COAL ON HAND prices right. Call the best procurer. Telephone 42, James S. McGovern, 5 Mill street.

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WE GUARANTEE A POSITIVE harmless 8 to 14 day liquor cure or money refunded. Write C. G. Linton, 46 Crown street, or phone M. 1888. T. J.

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GOOD DRY KINDLING WOOD DELIVERED any part of the city. Phone M. 1261-81. 51243-12-29

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PROMPT ATTENTION FOR REMOVAL OF ASHES. Phone M. 648. 51271-12-6

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LADIES' BEAVER, VELOUR AND felt hats blocked over in latest styles. Mrs. M. R. James, 280 Main street, opposite Adelaide.

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LADIES AND GENTLEMEN'S SUITS made to order. Pressing and repairing promptly attended to. Prices moderate. 118 City Road. 51206-12-4

MEN'S CLOTHING

OUR ASSORTMENT OF BLUE Serge for suits-to-order suits, the largest in the city. All guaranteed in color. Fit and workmanship the best. We invite you to call and see for yourself. Prices \$28.00 to \$38.00.—Turner, out of the high rent district, 440 Main street.

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS READY TO wear at moderate prices. W. J. Higgins & Co., Custom and Ready-to-wear Clothing, 189 Union street.

FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET. Quotations furnished by private wire to J. M. Robinson & Sons, St. John, N.B. New York, Dec. 1. Table with columns: Previous Closing, Opening, Noon.

at the New Store is very popular. You are given every courtesy and privilege accorded to those who pay us cash, without embarrassment or objectionable publicity. We have nice lines in Ladies' and Gents Suits, Coats and Furs

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Roumanian Army Intact; Major-Gen. Maurice Sees No Cause for Pessimism

London, Nov. 30.—Although satisfied that the Roumanian army is still absolutely intact, Major-General F. B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the war office, told the Associated Press today that further advance by the Germans would mean a considerable success for them.

FROM THE NEW VOTERS TO SIR ROBERT BORDEN

(Winnipeg Free Press.) From Canada's new voters in the progressive west comes to the Women's Page this open letter to Sir Robert Borden:—

Dear Sir Robert—It has been told to us that it is your kind purpose to visit the prairie provinces, where you, no doubt, will find a hearty welcome waiting for you, and where you will be especially welcomed by the new voters of the prairie provinces, where you are the "Indian and idiot" list that we have a kind thought for all our law-makers.

We are not strong on party lines here, for we know that the "Conservative" and "Liberal" have lost their meaning long ago as applied to parties and now simply make an arbitrary distinction between the "Conservative" and "Liberal" would do. The great difference between the parties, is that one is in and the other out. It is not a matter of party, but a matter of principle, and with a passion for political purity, while the one that is in grows conservative as time goes on, no matter what its name.

Yale Plans For Next Season

Have The Nucleus of Another Great Team for Next Year. New Haven, Conn., Nov. 28.—The Yale football team won the annual three-cornered football championship mostly on the fight and determination instilled into them along with the sound principles of football. The situation at Yale has been critical for a long time and the present regime is going to see to it that such a period as the Elis have just passed through never comes again if it is within their power to stop it.

Coaches cannot always count on fight to overcome good coaching of the other team, and the Yale men realize they must not lose any time preparing for next year. Princeton and Harvard teams next fall will be very strong, especially Harvard's, because of the great material it gets from the freshman team. Yale will have ten "Y" men next year, which should be a strong nucleus about which to build another powerful eleven.

Callahan will be back at centre. Although he was out of the game nearly all season no one would have ever guessed it from his playing when he did get in. He played the best centre position that has been seen on Yale field since Harry Ketchum made such a name for himself.

Both of the first string guards graduate, but one of the positions should be taken care of by Carter Galt, who played a bang up game until he was hurt and his place was taken by Fox. No one ever expected Fox to hold the position. All he knew about football was to charge hard and follow the ball.

Costs 27 CENTS A MAN TO FEED TROOPS. With the Chicago health department is striving to hold the cost of food for members of the diet squad within the limit of forty cents a day per person, says the Bagator Commercial, the government is feeding thousands of soldiers on the border at a daily per capita cost of twenty-seven cents. The allowance provides the best of ration and usually leaves a surplus at the end of the month to be spent for delicacies, according to commissary officers of the southern department.

Colored Spats and Gaiters Popular

The fashion of wearing spats with pumps has created a demand for particularly good spats or gaiters. We are now showing a very complete and attractive line. Medium or high cut. Black, white, grey, tawn or champagne colored. Some in white with black pining. 85c, \$1.10, \$1.50, \$1.85, \$2.00

WIEZEL'S W CASH STORE 243-247 Union Street

Of the many different trees in Canada, the most popular is the Christmas tree. It blooms only one week in the year — and comes to its full maturity on Dec. 25th. Here is a list of blossoms to adorn the branches.

Sweaters for men, the warm, good wool kind. Raincoats and shirts — commonplace but acceptable — appear to increase in favor. Neckties and mufflers — the most popular of all. Early selections are more to your advantage than ever before.

Gilmour's 68 King St. A Good Place to Buy Good Clothes.

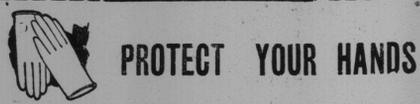
HEARD AT A PEDRO PARTY. Mrs. W.—"Oh, dear, my head troubles me something awful at times." Mrs. H.—"Why don't you go to Epstein & Co. on Union street, and have them examine your eyes? I know they are very competent as I had some difficulty until I was advised by some of my friends to go to them, and I must say they have given me perfect satisfaction."

K. W. Epstein & Co. Optometrists and Oculists. Open Evenings. 193 Union St.

Local Boxers May Get Under Wing of Tom O'Rourke. New York City, Nov. 27, 1916. Sporting Editor. St. John, N. B., Times. Dear Sir—I understand that there are several good boys in and about St. John and Halifax who are considered very fair boxers. I would like to get in touch with them if you would kindly make a note in your valuable paper. At the present time there is a young man by the name of Paddy Walsh from St. John who is at present in this city who has told me of several good boys whom he thought would be desirous of coming here if they thought that they could be placed in good matches and Walsh tells me that a letter to you might be the means of reaching some of these boys. I am well known to the boys who box as I have managed and promoted matches for such champions as George Dixon, Mysterious Billy Smith, Joe Walcott, Tom Sharkey and have promoted fights in my clubs for every fighter in the last decade.

If you will kindly make note of this you will favor me as I have neither promoted or managed any fighters for the last three years as the game was very bad. It looks now as if it was going to have a new life injected into it so have concluded to have another go at it. Thanking you for your consideration. I remain, Respectfully, TOM O'ROURKE, Morning Telegraph, Times Square, New York City.

WINS JOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIP. London, Nov. 28.—For the third year in succession Steve Donoghue has won the jockey championship finishing just three wins ahead in a neck and neck struggle all the season with Childs. The latter's great success is due to having ridden for the principal winning owner, E. Hulton, who took both the Derby and the Oaks with Finlayna, and is easily first with the large amount of \$68,880. Lord Derby is second with \$45,680, principally earned by his famous horse Canyon.



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**LOCAL NEWS**

**WADE-WILLIAMSON**

Last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Miss Bessie Marion, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Williamson, was united in marriage to John T. Wade, son of Thomas Wade of Lancashire, England. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fred McLaughlin in the presence of immediate relatives. The day marked the 29th wedding anniversary of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Wade will reside in the city.

**VERY SUCCESSFUL**

Last evening the young ladies' class of the Victoria street Baptist church, composed of thirty young women under the direction of Miss Bertha Campbell, and their teacher, Mrs. Edmund H. Fiewling, conducted one of the most delightful concerts given in North End. Long before the opening of the concert the church was crowded. Part of the proceeds of the entertainment will be devoted toward the equipment of their classroom, and the remainder will go towards missions and charity in St. John. Outsiders to whom the class are much indebted are: A. W. Baird, Percy Cruikshank, Mr. Clark, Mr. Coleman, Mr. Fulton, Chas. Watson, Mrs. Blake Ferris, Mrs. Givvan, Mrs. McAllister, Miss Betts, Miss Lella Parlee, and two little Misses Irene Brown and Margaret Brittain. At the close of the concert the young ladies served refreshments.

**LIEUT. E. B. McLEAN**

**REPORTED MISSING**

Mrs. G. O. Stratton, of Moncton, has received word that her brother, Lieut. E. B. McLean, was reported missing on November 25. He is an officer in a western battalion.

**REAL ESTATE NEWS**

Transfers of real estate have been recorded as follows:

St. John County.  
J. E. Arthur, to School District No. 6, property in Simonds.  
Extrs. of C. E. Colwell, to Colwell Fuel Co., Ltd., property in Nelson street, West End.  
S. H. Ewing et al to Laura E. Reid, property in Simonds.  
Samuel Linton to E. W. Allingham, property in Lancaster.  
Frederick Loper to John Conlon, property in Simonds.  
Elizabeth T. and J. B. Nice et al to Joan Tait, property in Simonds.  
John Silliphant to Amy Elizabeth Silliphant, \$500, property in Chesley street.  
LEASEHOLDS.  
Extrs. of C. E. Colwell to Colwell Fuel Co., Ltd., property in Nelson street, W. E.  
Extr. of Luther Jordan to Stelson, Cutler & Co., property in Lancaster.  
T. M. McElroy et al to Anna B. Macdonald, property in Main street.  
Kings County.  
Alfred Burley to E. W. Kierstead, property in Westfield.  
Extr. of J. A. McArthur to M. G. White, property in Sussex.  
M. G. White to William Howard, property in Sussex.

**MILITARY SCHOOLS**

A course of instruction in horse and field artillery will be commenced at the Royal School of Artillery, Kingston, Ont., on Monday, January 15. There are vacancies for ten officers and six non-commissioned men from this district. Applications for this course will be submitted to the general staff officer, Military District No. 6, not later than December 20. The applicant must be recommended by the O. G. of the unit to which he is attached.  
A district musketry school will be held in Halifax for four weeks, commencing on January 8.  
The course is for the benefit of officers and N. C. O's of C. E. F. and active militia units. Of the New Brunswick units one officer and two N. C. O's from the 16th, four officers and four N. C. O's from the 26th, and one officer and one N. C. O. from the 3rd C. G. A. will take the course.  
A district school of signalling for the benefit of C. E. F. units will be commenced in Halifax on January 8.

**POLICE COURT**

The case of five sailors of the S. S. Corican was continued in the police court today. The charge was theft of articles from the general cargo of the steamer. Fred R. Taylor, representing the C. P. R., said that he would like the court to deal with the case summarily. The magistrate said that if the prisoners consented to the jurisdiction of the court and pleaded guilty he could dispose of the case right off. They admitted their guilt, but all were unanimous in asking leniency. Mr. Taylor said that it was now a government affair.  
Inspector Galley, of the post office department at Ottawa, asked if any of these defendants were on the S. S. Scandinavian. They answered no. He also asked if any of the five were on the S. S. Tenaganian and S. S. Corican in 1913. They answered no. The sailors were remanded pending inquiry by the authorities here as to the opinion of the minister of justice and the postmaster general at Ottawa in respect to the charge.  
A great part of this morning's business of the police court was taken up with a case against Joseph Flynn and James Robertson, who were let out on Monday, the former on a deposit of \$40 on charge of interfering with a fire alarm, and the latter for being in his company and under the influence of liquor. Policeman Corner, Gibbs and Hopkins gave evidence for the court and Messrs. McCormack and Best for the defence. The defendants also gave evidence in their own behalf.  
E. J. Henneberry asked the court for their dismissal. He made a strong plea for the men. Commissioner McLellan also spoke in connection with the case. The court allowed a fine of \$100 to stand against Flynn and allowed him to go. The charge against Robertson was also dismissed.  
Two persons were before the court this morning on the charge of drunkenness. They were fined the usual amount, \$8 each. Roy Richardson was also upon suspicion of stealing \$9.55 from the Edward hotel. It is said that Richardson was working in the hotel up to about a week ago. He was fined \$8 for being drunk and remanded on the theft charge. William Harty, giving his home as Loch Lomond, was taken into custody last evening by policeman McLese upon request of the military authorities at the army. It is alleged that he was selling liquor in the vicinity of the army without a license. A flask was found in his possession. He was remanded.

**HORSE IN WILD DASH; FINALLY KICKS IN PLATE GLASS WINDOW**

**Exciting Scene in Peters Street—Boy Driver Sticks to His Post**

About six o'clock last evening a horse dashed wildly down Peters street, collided with a telegraph pole, swerved and hit a hydrant and finally kicked in a plate glass window in the building formerly occupied by the Globe Steam Laundry.  
The horse, which is owned by Benjamin Dean grocer, was being driven by a boy.  
The horse narrowly escaped striking several ladies who were crossing the street at the time, and who were forced to run into nearby stores. The driver also narrowly escaped being kicked in the face as the horse's heels were flying. However he stuck to his post and jumped only when the horse started to kick in the window. No one apparently dared go near him, but the animal soon kicked himself clear of the express wagon. That no one was injured is fortunate, as this corner is a busy one, especially at that hour.

**THOS. H. BLAIR IS**

**KILLED IN ACTION**

Late advices announce the death of Thos. H. Blair in the fighting one in France or Belgium. The only particulars received as yet are to the effect that he had been "killed in action." He enlisted at Regina and went overseas a year ago, remaining at Bramshott Camp during the winter and going to the front in the spring or early summer.  
He leaves his mother and a brother living in Regina, besides relatives in St. John. After the death of his father several years ago in Rothesay, the family returned to Regina. He was a grandson of Robert Blair, for many years president of the St. John Gas Light Company.

**MRS. ROBERT STRAIN PASSES AWAY IN WOODSTOCK**

The death of Mrs. Mary Strain, wife of Robert Strain, formerly of R. Strain & Company, of this city, and now of Mangers, Ltd., Woodstock, occurred at an early hour this morning at her home in Woodstock, N. B. For several years Mrs. Strain's health had not been good, but the news that she had passed away came as a great shock to her relatives here. She was a daughter of the late Francis and Annie Dean Roden of this city, and resided in St. John until about three years ago. In former years she was prominent in musical circles and took an active part in musical affairs.  
Besides her husband, Mrs. Strain is survived by one brother, Robert Strain, of Woodstock, and five sisters, Mrs. John F. Vanwart, Mrs. George H. Worden, Mrs. William J. Fraser, Mrs. Alexander Corbet and Mrs. A. Douglas Malcolm. Mrs. Strain had a great number of friends throughout the city who will mourn her death with sincere regret. The body will be brought to St. John for burial, and the funeral will be held from the home of Alexander Corbet, 38 Hazen street, on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

**OFFICERS ELECTED**

The Agricultural Society of the city and county of St. John met yesterday afternoon in Peel street and elected the following officers:

President, J. M. Donovan; vice-presidents, F. D. Hamm, E. J. Young, William Donovan, Clifford Creighton; secretary, R. B. Patchell; corresponding secretary, Dr. T. Fred Johnston. Stock and seed committee, Clifford Creighton, A. C. Joselyn, William Donovan, E. J. Young.  
Directors, E. J. Young, Ernest Graham, William Donovan, W. S. Allison, John McFate, Alfred Stephenson, W. R. McFate, F. C. Watters, Daniel Creighton, Frederick Creighton, J. M. Donovan, T. A. Barrett, William Mullin, F. B. Hamm, Dr. Thomas Walker, E. A. Joselyn, Thomas A. Brundage, Dr. T. Fred Johnston, Frank Boyle, Ernest A. Peacock, F. McCormick, W. F. McLean, B. Millidge.  
The treasurer's report showed receipts amounting to \$209.88 and expenditures of \$381.95. It was agreed that another exhibition should be held next fall.

**SEVERAL CASES BEFORE MAGISTRATE ADAMS**

County Policeman Saunders had an array of offenders before Magistrate Adams at Brookville yesterday.  
Four city boys sixteen and eighteen years of age were up on a charge of shooting on Sunday on the Hickey road. They were let off with caution and the guns held subject to instruction from the chief game commissioner. Two other city boys charged with ill-treating a horse on the Loch Lomond road were fined \$5 each and costs. S. M. Wellmore of the S. P. C. was interested in this case.  
Martin Madsen, a foreigner, employed at Courtenay Bay was charged with profane language and resisting arrest. He pleaded that liquor was the cause of his trouble as in his right sense he was an industrious, well-behaved man. The magistrate told him that he was liable to two years in the penitentiary but as the policeman was not inclined to press the charge too strongly he was let off with a fine of \$20 or two months' hard labor.

**REICHSTAG VOTING ON GERMAN HOME ARMY BILL**

London, Dec. 1.—The first clause of the German home army bill, as adopted by the main committee, has passed its second reading in the Reichstag, according to a Berlin despatch to Reuters by way of Amsterdam. All amendments were rejected. The Socialists and Labor members voted in the negative.  
Twenty Round Draw.  
New Orleans, La., Dec. 1.—Ad Walcott, former world's lightweight champion and Frankie Russell, of New Orleans, fought twenty fast rounds to a draw here last night.

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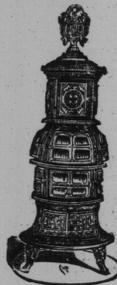
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They will not last long. We are also showing a large assortment of similar articles in brass, fumed oak and solid mahogany at prices to suit everybody.

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SIXTEEN PAGES

THE KING OF ROUMANIA AND THE HEIR



The photograph of King Ferdinand and the Crown Prince of Rumania shows the sovereign and the prince leaving the field headquarters of their army.

SIXTH UNIVERSITIES COMPANY, C. E. F.

Training of the N. C. O.'s of Third Draft Now Being Commenced.

Two drafts from the Sixth Universities Company have been recruited and trained and sent to England to put the finishing touches on their training.

The work at present is given up to the training of the N. C. O.'s of this third draft. The N. C. O.'s of these companies must be good men, able to lead. Opportunities are given to take special qualifying courses such as bayonet training, musketry and bombing.

NEW ENGLAND BREAKS RECORD

Building Contracts Are Millions Ahead of Previous Years—Lumber Profits Accordingly.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 18—Dealers in builders' materials, and particularly lumbermen who have furnished the bulk of the supplies, are now convinced that 1916 will go down in history as the record-breaking building year of New England.

The Eggs-act Truth. New Boarder—The dealers say that the high price of eggs is caused by their scarcity.

CANADIAN PENSIONS

1. If a member of the forces has been killed, or has died as the result of injuries received, or disease contracted or aggravated while on active service, the widow, until remarried, shall be entitled to a pension at the rates quoted in the appended schedule.

2. If a member of the forces who has been killed, or has died, as the result of injuries received, or disease contracted, or aggravated while on active service, was a widower, but leaves a child or children, said child or children shall receive an allowance of \$12.00 per month each.

3. In the event of an application being made for a pension on behalf of a woman who has, without being married to a member of the forces, lived with him as his wife, or on behalf of the child or children of any such man or woman, the commission shall be authorized to grant the customary pension allowances for a wife or for a child or children, on being satisfied that the circumstances were such as warrant the conclusion that the woman had at the time of enlistment and for a reasonable time previously thereto, publicly been represented as the wife of said member, or if the commission is satisfied that justice would be done by the recognition of such woman, for the purpose of a pension, as the wife of such member.

4. No allowance shall be paid to or in respect of any child, if a boy, over the age of sixteen, or a girl over the age of seventeen, unless owing to mental or physical infirmity the child is incapable of earning a livelihood, in which case the allowance may, if in the discretion of the commission it seems best, be continued until the child is twenty-one.

5. No pension shall be paid on account of death to which the negligence of the soldier was contributory, unless the board of pension commissioners otherwise consent.

6. A widow, mother, step-mother or grandmother wholly or mainly dependent upon a member of the forces who is killed or dies as the result of injuries received, or disease contracted or aggravated while on active service, if such member was without dependent children and unmarried, or a widower, shall be entitled to a pension at the scheduled rate, provided, however, that no such woman shall be entitled to more than \$12.00 per month.

London Clergy After Slackers

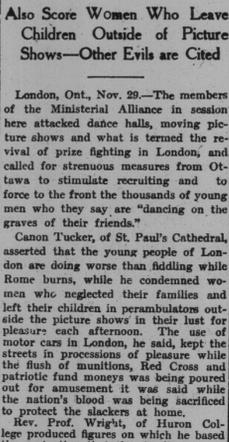
Also Score Women Who Leave Children Outside of Picture Shows—Other Evils are Cited

London, Ont., Nov. 29.—The members of the Ministerial Alliance in session here attacked dance halls, moving picture shows and what is termed the revival of prize fighting in London, and called for strenuous measures from Ottawa to stimulate recruiting and to force to the front the thousands of young men who they say are "financing on the graves of their friends."

Canon Tucker, of St. Paul's Cathedral, asserted that the young people of London are doing worse than fiddling while Rome burns, while he condemned women who neglected their families and left their children in perambulators outside the picture shows in their lust for pleasure each afternoon.

Rev. Prof. Wright, of Huron College produced figures on which he based the contention that the Anglicans have enlisted one man in seven of population. On this basis, he said, the Catholics should have given 448,000 men and the Presbyterians 174,000. He had said that the Presbyterians are 106,000 men short in their proper offering and was proceeding with the Methodist comparison when a furor of objection developed.

WIFE OF BRAVE OFFICER WHO WON VICTORIA CROSS, AND HER PETS



The photograph shows Mrs. Campbell, wife of Lt. Col. Campbell, V. C., who rallied his men with a hunting horn when all seemed lost, and achieved brilliant results. She lives near Oswestry, England, and is here shown with her favorite hound, Sailor, and her favorite saddle horse. The officer is a master of fox hounds.

GERMANS HAVE LOST 38 ZEPPELINS SINCE WAR BEGAN

The October issue of The Journal of the Proceedings of the United States Naval Institute, published at Annapolis by the officers of the navy, contains a summary of the German Zeppelin losses from the beginning of the war to Sept. 2 last. During that period thirty Zeppelins are listed, and of these it is said that the loss of twenty-four of the airships has been authenticated.

BIG PORTO RICO COFFEE CROP

This Year's Exports Expected to Reach 50,000,000 POUNDS.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Nov. 22 (Correspondence of The Associated Press)—The coffee crop now being harvested promises to be one of the largest and most valuable ever produced here. More than 5,700,000 pounds of the new crop have been exported in the last two months at an average price of \$17.90 per hundred pounds. Stocks of Porto Rico coffee everywhere are low, and there is a keen demand for it. Cuba, Spain, and Italy are the principal purchasers. A shortage of shipping facilities is delaying shipments to Europe.

It was a Pike County woman who invited a note to the teacher concerning the punishment of her young hopeful. The note ran thus: "Dear Miss—: You rite me about whippin' Sammy, I hereby give you permission to beat him up any time it is necessary to learn his lesson. He is just like his father—you have to learn him with a club. Pound noize into him, I want him to get it and don't pay no attention what his father says—Til handle him."

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Table listing various clothing items and their prices, including overcoats, suits, and shirts.

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Table listing various shoe and boot items and their prices, including ladies' pumps, men's boots, and children's shoes.

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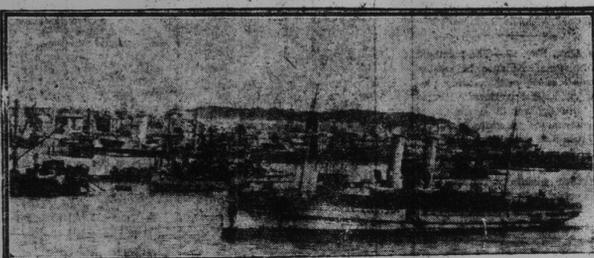
Grasp This Opportunity To Save Money You Will Never Get a Chance Like it Again

SWIMMING IN THE SHADOW OF THE PYRAMIDS



Men of the Australian contingent now doing garrison duty in Egypt are shown in the photograph bathing in the Suez Canal. This peaceful scene of wholesome wholesale ablutions rather sweepingly refutes the Turks' contention that they have the canal under fire of their long-range guns from time to time.

A PEEP AT THE BRITISH NAVY AT WORK



The censor in this picture has raised the veil of mystery which ordinarily shrouds the work of the navy in war time, and has given us a glimpse of the harbor of one of our great naval bases.

The New Emperor May Want Peace

Not Likely to Prove Such Easy German Tool?—His Training Was Severe—Disliked by Uncle

Although Emperor Charles of Austria has announced that he will continue the war until the end, he will not continue it in the way that it would have been continued had Franz Josef remained on the throne. He is not likely to prove the mere tool of Germany that his great-uncle was. He has not the respect for the Kaiser that the latter has been used to look for from Austria, and in the opinion of F. Cunliffe Owen, a well-informed writer upon European affairs, the prospect of Austria coming to a separate peace has improved by the death of Franz Josef and the accession of Charles Francis Joseph. It is said that the impression that the new emperor is a characteristic youth is an erroneous one, although it has been fostered in Berlin. He is not a youth at all, for he is 29, the age at which the Kaiser ascended the throne. He has also been unusually fortunate in the sort of training he has had. He has been brought more intimately in touch with his subjects than most sovereigns, for he received his education in the public schools of Vienna, where he sat beside the sons of tradesmen, artisans and professional people.

Disliked by His Uncle  
His military training, too, was unusually severe, and this will prove of advantage to the new emperor, although his uncle and guardian, the Archduke Francis Ferdinand, prescribed the severity because of his thorough dislike for the nephew who was in the direct line of succession. Perhaps it ought to be explained that, while the late Archduke Francis Ferdinand, nephew of Franz Josef, and heir apparent to the Austrian throne, whose assassination was the pretext for bringing on the war, had sons of his own, they were the children of his moribund wife, the Duchess of Hohenberg, and therefore not eligible to succeed him. We are told that on this account the Archduke hated his nephew and did what he could to make his life an arduous one. The present emperor, however, appears to have taken kindly to the regimen, and before the war broke out had learned the art of making friends of his fellow-officers and whoever else came in contact with him. Since the beginning of the war he has been almost constantly at the front either in the south against the Italians or in the east against the Russians.

A Friend of Berchtold.  
Perhaps the most significant public act in the career of the new emperor was that of appointing Count Berchtold Grand Master of his household. The count had been virtually the chancellor of the Dual Monarchy, and resigned, it is believed, because of differences of opinion with Berlin. He strongly objected to Austria being made a mere adjunct to the German empire, but so besotted was the aged emperor that he permitted Berchtold to retire when it became plain that he was persona non grata to the Kaiser. That the leading politician in Austria should then consent to take a mere court appointment was a surprising development. The heir to the throne had virtually showed Germany that he was the friend of Berchtold, and would stand by him when the time came. It would not be astonishing if Berchtold were speedily restored to his old position.

Wanted Early Peace  
Whether he becomes again the official adviser of the Emperor of Austria it seems likely that he will continue to be his unofficial promoter. This is important in view of the fact that it was generally believed that in the early part of 1915, before Italy had entered the

war, Berchtold was in favor of Austria arranging a separate peace. He said that whoever won the war, Austria would be a loser. Should Germany triumph, Austria would be a German vassal; should Germany lose, Austria would be partitioned. Had the war ended with the swift triumph that the Central Powers expected, with Paris captured and France laid prostrate in the first few weeks of the war, and with Austria and Germany free to attack Russia, Austria might have claimed an equal share of the glory, and might have made claims to be treated like a 50 per cent partner. But Austria's participation in the war has been a series of disasters, and Berchtold realized that the better for her future.

Kaiser Mourns Aged Duke  
It is only a few days ago that Dr. Dernburg in an address to leading Austrian and Hungarian bankers and merchants showed them that in the future Germany intended to have the Dual empire absolutely at her mercy. This he did unintentionally when he expounded a scheme that had been prepared in Berlin by which Austria was to agree that when the war was over she would never use British ships or British agents or never have any dealings with British or French firms. In the past British and French money has played an important part in the development of Austrian trade, and neither Britain nor France has sought to use her investments in Austria to secure economic or political control. To renounce for all time hope of obtaining help from Britain and France would mean for Austria absolute dependence upon Germany. The business men of Vienna and Budapest did not hesitate to tell Dr. Dernburg that they would never dream of thus committing themselves for the sole benefit of Germany. It may be that the emperor will choose to make a temporary surrender to the allies rather than enter into perpetual servitude to Germany; and it is not hard to believe that the sincerest mourner for Franz Josef was the Kaiser who used him as his tool, and who doubts that the new emperor will be as pliable.

SOMERVILLE POLICE MAKE SEIZURE OF 12,000 LOTTERY TICKETS

Boston, Nov. 29.—Lieuts. Damery and Kennedy of the Somerville police raided the home of Hibbard DeBill, 65 years old, at 290 Broadway and a printing plant at 8 Marshall street, Winter Hill, seizing 12,000 lottery tickets, after which they placed DeBill under arrest, charged with aiding and abetting. DeBill in court he pleaded guilty and was held in the sum of \$500 until Dec. 4 for sentence.

In addition to the tickets the two police lieutenants seized a printing form from which the tickets were printed. The tickets were purported to have been issued by "The Mexican Lottery Company" and provided for the drawing of capital prizes of \$50,000, \$20,000 and \$10,000, five of \$1,000 each, ten of \$500, twenty-five of \$200 each, 100 of \$100 each and 250 of \$50 each, besides a large number of approximation and terminal prizes.

The investigation of the police showed that the tickets have been shipped from time to time to a man in another state and that DeBill has been engaged in the printing of the tickets for the last 18 months at least. He has made his headquarters in Somerville during that time, having come from Boston. He admitted to Chief Kendall that he has been arrested in Boston for the same offence. He is married and has a young wife and two children. The police also said that DeBill is in poor health and may be suffering from an incurable disease.

How The Scamp Started.  
"What are you going to be able to save out of your business failure?"  
"My honor."  
"Glad! Total loss, eh?"

Lifted Heavy Log

Strained His Kidneys. Got Pains in Back.

Men in all walks of life where it is necessary to stoop, bend and lift heavy objects put a great deal of strain on the kidneys, and this continual wear and tear sooner or later will cause the kidneys to become affected in some way. The most common of these troubles is backache, and the only way to cure the lame and aching back is to strengthen the kidneys.

This Doan's Kidney Pills will do for you. They know nothing but kidney disorders, because they are made for the kidneys only. Mr. Owen Hewey, West Clifford, N.S., writes: "I was working in the woods and lifted a heavy log. I must have strained my kidneys as I got kidney trouble and pains in my back. I could not do any work for five months. A friend advised me to try a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, and after having used them I felt as if I were only eighteen years old. I can now work as well as ever I did and have had no pains."

Doan's Kidney Pills are put up in an oblong grey box with the trade mark of a "Moose Head." Do not accept any other. Price 50c or 8 boxes for \$1.25 at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Millburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont. Specify "Doan's" when ordering direct.

Pale, Sallow Cheeks

show that the blood is impoverished and that the stomach is not properly assimilating its food. In fact a woman's physical condition always shows in her face. Paleness, blotches, pimples, sallowness or dull eyes all

Tell the Need Of

Beecham's Pills. Women who are subject to these conditions should not fail to avail themselves of their prompt and beneficial effect. Beecham's Pills are Prepared to furnish the necessary relief. They clear the system of impurities, gently stimulate the liver, regulate the bowels and tone the system. Their mild and thorough action quickly rid the skin of blemishes, improve the circulation and help the digestion. Every woman should know the comfort, and experience the help of

Beecham's Pills

Prepared only by Thomas Beecham, St. Helena, Lancashire, England. Sold everywhere in Canada and U. S. America. In boxes, 25 cents.

A CHRISTMAS LETTER TO DISCONTENTED WIVES

(By Kathleen Norris, quoted from Pictorial Review for December, 1916).  
Ninety-nine women out of a hundred fret, rebel, envy, and complain, without advancing the cause of women one iota, or gaining happiness for any one concerned. The hundredth woman busies herself with the beauty and richness that falls naturally in her way, makes good men and women of bad little boys and girls, makes a tired and despondent man feel that he is king of the world, makes flowers grow where barrenness was, and cleanliness reign where there was dirt. And then, when her hands and heart are full, suddenly the world wants her. It may be that she has some little secret in the management of children, or in growing roses, or in baking gingerbread, or perhaps a little story of hers has caught the public fancy, or she can pat the button she invented for a small romper or sell the sketches she made to amuse a sick child. Then come the money and the fame, and everything else for which we all, quite naturally, long.

But the point is, that this hundredth woman was busy and happy first. She did not pump from idleness and discontent and envy to this. She grew in the dark, pushing out feelers, pushing down the sunshine when it came. The life of the average husband and father must be a supremely monotonous existence. But men seem to be so made that they can do the same things over and over and over again endlessly without complaint. Perhaps it is their nature, perhaps the result of long generations of patient bread-winning.

Women are different. I suppose most women would like everything in their lives changed once a year, and I know some who would tear up all roofs often-der than that. One thing that holds us so tenderly to the children is that they change so constantly; last year's camera pictures are not this year's, and the pic-

tures of a few years ago already give us a little pang at the heart. They were babies—they are boys and girls—and so soon they will be men and women, and bottles and cribs and skates and school-books gone forever!

So the children are safe in our hearts, and, for the houses—well, we move and shift and replace as much as the family temper and income will permit. But the man of the house comes in under the general rule. Being a man, he never changes, nor sees the need for change. Bing a woman, his wife eyes him patiently, or morosely, or indignantly, as her nature decrees, and looks forward with a sort of terror to the long, uninteresting years to come. He has no further surprises for her, and as the years go by, his virtues are taken more and more for granted, and his faults are more and more evident. He is good, of course; he is kind and true, but he tells jokes she has heard twenty times, he never touches fish, and he is fussy when his feet get wet! She feels that she could endure violence and neglect for a while, anything for a change!

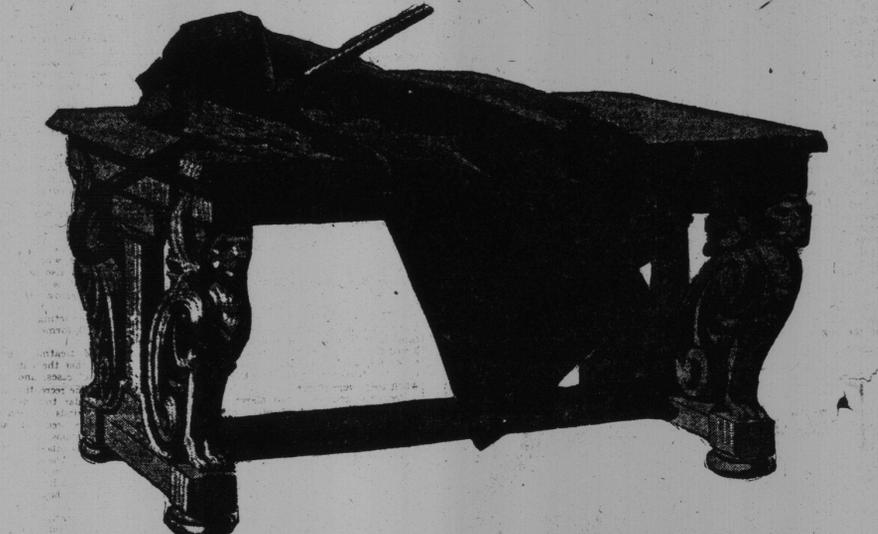
This would be funny if it were not so tragic. The tragedy comes in because, at the last census, one couple out of every twelve were divorced, and statistics already indicate that at the next census the proportion will be even more serious. So that we know that hundreds of thousands of men and women who loved each other once have come to coldness and bitterness, and the end. And, from what I know of divorce, I truly believe that ten out of every one of those twelve cases could have been saved, could have been turned into a dignified and constructive, and sometimes an actually happy marriage.

The Mending German  
A friend just arrived from Denmark tells me (says a writer in the London Evening Standard) an amusing story of a Danish policeman on duty on the

Variety of Uses.  
The uses to which LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE can be put are innumerable.  
At Luncheon, Dinner or Supper, it is the ideal sauce for Roast Meats, Fish, Game, Cheese, Salad, etc.  
In the Kitchen it is indispensable to the cook for flavoring Soups, Steaks, Gravies, Minced Meat, Baked Beans, etc.  
In India, a favourite "Pick-me-up" is Lea & Perrins' Sauce with Soda-water.  
Lea & Perrins  
The Original and Genuine WORCESTERSHIRE.

Dano-German frontier. He stopped a seditious-looking individual, a German, about to cross over into his own country. He thought there was something incongruous in the appearance of this German. His stomach seemed to be big out of all proportion to his slender neck and legs. So he informed him that he must detain him for contraband in the frontier guard house until his superior came along. The policeman was, it seems, a bit of a humorist as well as a man of discernment. For the guard house adjoined a boiler-house, and the temperature was high. The German meekly seated himself as directed, as close to the boiler-house as possible, and the policeman began to watch the development of events. The German seemed literally to melt away to nothing before his eyes and a very comical, wobegone, and shrunken figure he was at the end of half an hour. But at his feet a vast pool of melted margarine had spread itself out.  
The Reason For It.  
The Author—You don't read those lines quite as I'd like to have you. You don't seem to understand the value of emphasis.  
The Leading Lady—O, yes, I do! Emphasis is intended to make these trivial speeches seem important.

Semi-ready Tailoring is high-class wholesale tailoring



A Niche in the Hall of Fame

Germans control the beer and the clothing trade in the United States. Their names are familiar at the foot of the fancy brands advertised in the American magazines.

With flashy styles they combine cotton mixtures and cheap inside work. Many of their "brands" have been advertised in Canada—some under changed names.

The German method is "on the cheap." What the buyer cannot see nor feel is cheapened and neglected. The same old methods that made ready-made clothing a by-word and a term of derision is hidden under a fanciful name.

Their goods are made by cheap means from cheap materials.

The German-American standard of workmanship is decidedly more easily reached than the Canadian or the English. Study the origin of the names of these advertising firms.

Sterling British methods, which combine quality with staunch and true workmanship, are put into every Semi-ready garment.

There is nothing cheap nor tawdry—not a single fraudulent stitch in the outside or in the hidden inside tailoring of a Semi-ready garment.

The highest ideals of hand-tailoring were studied in the beginning of Semi-ready. In the early days ready-mades were made primarily for those who thought they could not afford good tailoring. The Semi-ready idea was that men would buy better clothes if they had the skill in workmanship and the fitting qualifications.

Men find today that they can buy out-of-hand in the Semi-ready shops better Suits and better Overcoats in point of style and materials than those the retail tailors could make for any money.

Semi-ready is high-class wholesale tailoring—with the price label in the pocket—and a guarantee of satisfaction.

The Semi-ready Wardrobe, Corner King and Germain Sts.

Maritime Dental Parlors

Dr. A. J. McKnight, Prop. LIVE AND LET LIVE!

I want every wage-earner in St. John and surrounding country to come to me for treatment. I want them to understand that by coming to me they will get more for their money than they can get elsewhere, that their work will be the best. You will be surprised to find that One Dollar with me will go as far as two dollars you will have to give the other fellow.

FULL SET TEETH \$5  
BEST SET TEETH Red Rubber \$8



No Better Made Elsewhere, No Matter What You Pay. NO FIT—NO PAY

Wear one of my sets of teeth for 10 days, and if at the end of that time you are not satisfied with them, return them to me and I will refund your money in full.

22K. GOLD CROWNS AND BRIDGE WORK \$4.00 and \$5.00

Porcelain Crowns..... \$4.00  
Porcelain Fillings..... \$1.00 to \$2.00  
Gold Fillings..... \$1.00 up  
Silver and Cement Fillings, 50c. up.

BROKEN PLATES REPAIRED IN THREE HOURS.

FREE EXAMINATION!  
PAINLESS EXTRACTION, 25c.  
Special Attention Given to Out-of-Town Patients.

Graduate Nurse in Attendance.  
Office: 38 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B.  
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King George's CHEWING TOBACCO  
AND ENJOY THE UNENDING FLAVOR OF CHOICE, RICH, SMOOTH TOBACCO SEASONED AND CURED TO PERFECTION. SOLD EVERYWHERE TO  
The Rock City Tobacco Co. Ltd.

ADVERTISING BY POSTMARK



How they sell war bonds in the British colony of New Zealand—every letter cut of New Zealand bears this advertisement for the national consuls.

## EGGS ON FIVE MONTHS JUNKET

### Evidence in New York Bearing on High Cost of Living

(New York Times.)  
On June 9 last 9,980 dozen eggs which are now being sold and eaten in New York City, started from the west on their journey to the ultimate consumer. It took five months for the first of them to reach the breakfast table, and ten days ago ninety dozen of them were sold to the St. Regis hotel. It was not the journey from the west that delayed their consumption. The truth of the matter is they were held in cold storage in Jersey City while they were sold and resold by speculators.

These facts, pertinent to the present investigation of high food prices, were brought out yesterday by the Wicks Legislative Investigating Committee. Of a consignment investigated, about 800 cases, or 9,150 dozen, are still in cold storage for final sale to retailers.

Since the eggs were shipped east, presumably freshly laid when the Decatur Produce Company sent them, one wholesale house in this city has purchased them three times, according to the testimony before the committee. The firm is G. M. Martin & Brother, wholesale butler and egg dealers of 139 Reade street, the original purchasers, who sold the eggs twice and bought them back to sell again at an advanced price. The eggs started on their journey at 24-1/2 cents a dozen, and, at last official reports, were selling from forty-two to forty-four cents to retailers. No record was kept of the price at which they were sold to the persons who ate them.

### The Adventures of the Eggs.

Following is the tabulated record as prepared for the showing the adventures of the eggs.

Date—Seller and Buyer	No. of Cases (Dz.)	Price
June 8—Decatur Produce Co. to G. W. Martin & Bro.	831	24 1/2
June 25—G. W. Martin & Bro. to M. Roughwager	831	25 1/2
Sept. 8—M. Roughwager to G. W. Martin & Bro.	831	29
Oct. 19—G. W. Martin & Bro. to B. Titman & Co.	831	30
Oct. 20—B. Titman & Co. returned to G. W. Martin & Bro.	831	30
Oct. 21—G. W. Martin & Bro. to Lynch & Blackman	831	31
Nov. 8—Lynch & Blackman to Albert & Gerber	831	31 1/2
Nov. 9—Albert & Gerber to Lynch & Blackman	831	32
Nov. 10—Lynch & Blackman to C. H. Zinn & Co.	831	32 1/2
Nov. 18—C. H. Zinn & Co. to Geo. Ehlenger	831	34

The eggs were candled and graded by Ehlenger for final sale and thus far, according to the Wicks Committee records, three cases were sold to the St. Regis at forty-three cents a dozen, on Nov. 18; one case to the Columbus restaurant at forty-two cents a dozen, on the same date one case to a Mr. Abrams at forty-four cents a dozen, on Nov. 17, and ten dozen to a Mrs. Smith, a boarding house keeper, at forty-two cents a dozen. The previous sales among those who bought and hold them for a rise in price, it was said, had been merely on paper, the eggs remaining in cold storage all the while, the storage dues and insurance having been paid up until Jan. 1, 1917.

Roughwager, the second purchaser of the eggs, was said to be a jobber, with headquarters in the Wallabout Market in Brooklyn. The market had risen by September and the Brooklyn jobber sold the eggs back to the same wholesaler from whom he had bought them at a profit of three and a half points, netting \$347.55 on the transaction. The sale to Titman & Co. was called off, according to the testimony, because of an error, the Martin Company taking them back next day. On the following day, however, they were sold to Lynch & Blackman of 321 Greenwich street, who sold ten cases to small dealers at 31 3/4 cents a dozen to 32 cents, before reselling the bulk of the carload to Albert & Gerber. Another price advance resulted in the re-sale of the eggs at a profit to Lynch & Blackman. Finally they reached Ehlenger of 421 West Fourteenth street, an egg dealer and distributor.

### Very Few Really Fresh Eggs.

Members of the firm who participated in these transactions were on the witness stand yesterday.

"I suppose there are no strictly fresh eggs on the market?" George W. Ward, counsel for the Wicks Committee, asked Mr. Ehlenger.

"Very few," was the response. "Really fresh eggs would now cost seventy-two or seventy-three cents a dozen," the witness added.

W. H. Willis, associate editor of the Produce News, was one of the witnesses at the afternoon session. He said that as long as human nature remains as it is now and the laws allow it, the egg business would be liable to remain much the same as it is today. He said that he believed the middlemen rendered the public a service, as it was necessary to keep eggs in storage to tide over the times when they were scarce.

Previous testimony had shown that about two dozen out of every case (a case contains thirty dozen) spoil during the long journey from hen's nest to table. The spoiled eggs are denatured with a carbolic solution and used in tanneries.

"We have known for a long while that such conditions existed," said State Commissioner of Foods and Markets, John J. Dillon, in commenting on the facts brought out by the Wicks Committee. "I'm glad the Wicks Committee has got hold of these facts. It's interesting to have them placed on record."

"The fact that the eggs have been kept in cold storage so long is not really important, however. It is necessary to keep them in cold storage, for egg production is small at this season of the year, and without cold storage the price of eggs would be even higher than it is now."

"It is the gambling in eggs and other foods that is the curse."

## "Meat Prices Will Not Come Down"

is the cheerful news from the Department of Agriculture. Meat prices will not worry the man or woman who knows that a Shredded Wheat Biscuit will supply more real body-building nutriment than beefsteak or eggs and at much less cost. Shredded Wheat remains the same price, the same high quality, supplying all the nutriment a man needs for a half-day's work. Two shredded wheat biscuits with peaches and cream or other fruits make a complete, nourishing meal at a cost of not over five cents.

Made in Canada

## Fredericton Men Wounded

Official word has been received that Gunner Allan Johnston, of Fredericton, has been gassed in France. He is a son of Everett D. Johnston, and left Fredericton with the field artillery which was raised in the winter of 1914-15. He had been in France for some time. His family received a postcard from him a short time ago stating that he was in hospital at Birmingham, England, but not stating the nature of his injury.

A recent letter from Driver Allan Boone, of Fredericton, who was wounded in the face some time ago, stated that it was possible that he would be sent home to Canada on sick leave. The injury to his jaw is such that he will be unfit for service for at least six months, according to the statement of attending physicians.

It is reported that Sapper S. William Babbitt, of Fredericton, has arrived at Halifax and is now undergoing treatment there. He is suffering from shock

## Cures That Sound Like Miracles

### Remarkable Work of Canadian Special Hospital—Has Set a New Standard

London, Nov. 14.—(Correspondence)—When the history of the Twentieth Century Armageddon comes to be written, no pages will be more eloquent of good work than those devoted to the services rendered by the Canadian Army Medical Corps and the Canadian Red Cross. The dominion is justly proud of her fighting men; she may be as proud of her medical and nursing staffs who, on battlefield and in hospital ward, are as devotedly fighting for the Allied cause as the troops who man the guns or hold the trenches.

While war ravage has made heavy toll in the precious lives of Canada's loyal sons, the skill of her surgeons has robbed the death-dealing missiles of the enemy of many victims. At no centre is there more assurance of restored health and strength, if such be humanly possible, than at the Canadian Special Hospital at Ramsgate. Fourteen months ago the Granville Hotel was taken over as a convalescent home. It soon developed into a special centre for the treatment of orthopedic and nerve cases sent from other hospitals, and of certain types of illness following trench fever. Functional paralysis, due mostly to shell shock, has found an inflexible and now widely adopted cure in the methods followed by Major Russell, of Montreal, who is at present taking a three months' well-deserved leave. The science of orthopedics has been advanced here by Major Smith, D. S. O., and his surgeon-captains. As a matter of fact, Lt.-Col. Clarence A. D. M. S. of the London area, and during his term the functions of the hospital increased considerably. Last spring Chasman House was taken over as an auxiliary hospital where manual work of incalculable benefit has been performed by the patients with the help of the Canadian Red Cross. Important developments are now in view. The bulk of orthopedic cases will be transferred to Canada, and patients who have undergone amputation will also be sent there. Another development will involve the taking over of the Yarrow Military Hospital at Broadstairs. At this important stage the duties of acting C. O. have fallen to Major Bell, formerly of the administrative staff.

Co-ordination of treatment is facilitated by the fact that the patients sent there are not "foot" cases, and this has allowed of wholesome recreation forming a part of the regular treatment. Men afflicted with all kinds of mental and physical infirmity are seen daily at work in the carpenter's shops, the tailoring shops, in the printing office or the leather-working quarter. The Canadian Red Cross has provided much of the material used in these handicrafts; recently a large additional workshop has been provided by the Red Cross. General James Mason, treasurer, recently inspected the work done here and is full of admiration for the excellent use to which the resources of the Red Cross are devoted here.

"Hope, eternal hope, for ye cripples," might well be inscribed in letters of gold over the portals of the operating theatre, where Major Smith works his skill. Men who have been bedridden for even twenty-two months have got up and walked after half an hour's treatment. There is

a certain corner known as Major Russell's shrine—a pile of crutches, body-belts, and so forth. Mental suggestion is employed to convince the patient he has the ability to rise from his bed and walk. Captain Wright, of Ottawa, who showed our representative through the hospital, was unable to show us any deaf, dumb or blind cases—they had been there, but such maladies had departed, although the sufferers remained still under treatment. There was Corporal Hogan, for instance, an employe of the Grand Trunk, who, having been twice

wounded before, was buried alive on the Somme and when rescued was bereft of speech and hearing and the sense of taste. After ten minutes' treatment at Ramsgate the deafness and the dumbness had gone, and the corporal has since also recovered his sense of taste. "Dr. Wright put me to sleep," he said, "and when I awoke I could both speak and hear." The doctor explained this was a case where it was necessary to use hypnotism, and exercise the power of mental suggestion. In the majority of instances though, the procedure does not require

hypnotic or anaesthetic influence. A remarkable case of blindness being cured is afforded in the experience of a man who was "struck blind" by a star shell in France, and for fourteen months went from hospital to hospital without recovering his sight. Finally he was sent to the Granville, where his blindness was swept away just as dackass disappears when the curtain of the dawn is raised. This man is now on service again at the base in France. Verily the miracles of Biblical days are being re-nacted at Ramsgate.

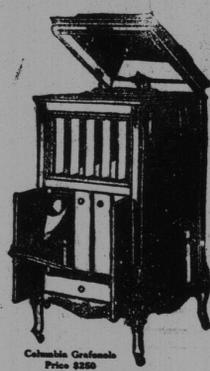


## Songs our Mothers Sang

THE sweetest memories we cherish of childhood are the old, half-forgotten melodies we heard from our mother's lips.

Let these Columbia Records bring back the happiness of those bygone days with the splendid warmth and tenderness of tone that makes them records of human reality.

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DONALDSON HUNT  
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## Mutt and Jeff—Mutt May Be Shorter on Coin But He's Longer on Experience

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By "Bud" Fisher

**A LETTER FOR JEFF AND FROM A LAWYER'S OFFICE TOO. I WONDER WHAT IT SAYS? GUESS I'LL OPEN IT.**

**GREAT SCOTT!**  
IT SAYS: "MR. JEFF, THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT YOUR UNCLE MAX OF CALIFORNIA HAS DIED AND LEFT HIS ESTATE OF \$20,000 TO YOU. I WILL MAIL YOUR CHECK AS SOON AS SAME ARRIVES FROM CALIFORNIA, WHICH SHOULD TAKE 5 DAYS."

**AND JEFF DON'T KNOW IT YET**

**JEFF, WE'VE BEEN PAIRS FOR A GOOD MANY YEARS AND WE'RE GONNA BE PAIRS FOR EVER. WE'LL SHARE OUR UPS AND DOWNS TOGETHER. ONE FOR ALL AND ALL FOR ONE! WHATEVER WE HAVE HERE AFTER, WE'LL SHARE FIFTY-FIFTY**

**SURE!**

**AND TO PROVE IT, JEFF, I'VE ONLY GOT \$4 IN THE WORLD FOR YOU. WE'LL GO THROUGH LIFE JUST THAT WAY. OF COURSE WE OWE OUR ROOM-RENT BUT, WE'LL TRY TO RAISE IT SOMEHOW**

**THANKS, MUTT! DON'T WORRY ABOUT THE RENT FOR 5 DAYS AT LEAST. I'VE FIXED UP A SCHEME TO POOL THE LANDLADY. I GOT SOME LAWYERS PAPER AND WROTE MYSELF A LETTER SAYING THAT I WAS HEIR TO —**

**\$20,000! I'LL SHOW IT TO THE LANDLADY AND SHE'LL THINK WE'VE GOT MONEY COMING IN 5 DAYS AND —**

Enemy Nears Roumanian Capital

The forces of Field Marshal Von Mackensen are almost within shelling distance of the southern forts which protect Bucharest, the capital of Roumania.

The offensive begun by the Russians in the region of Kirilibaba apparently is not impeding, to any extent, the Teutonic inroads into Roumania.

The Roumanians on the north and northwest fronts have also made progress in the Buzen and Prahova valleys.

Both Berlin and Sofia record the repulse of Entente Allied attacks in the region of Monastir, Serbia, where rain and fog are hindering the operations.

Both Leaders On Recruiting Tour

Ottawa, Nov. 30—Sir Wilfrid Laurier will again appeal next week to the people of Quebec province to enlist in the Canadian army.

Sir Wilfrid has made more than a dozen recruiting appeals in the province of Quebec and has addressed his compatriots in the interests of the Allied cause more frequently than any other political leader.

Ottawa, Nov. 30—Sir Robert Borden is to tour the country in a national service campaign. He will speak in Montreal next Wednesday night and in Quebec Thursday night.

Sir Robert is gazetted honorary colonel of the 85th Nova Scotia battalion, and Premier Hears, of Ontario, honorary colonel of the 227th.

REVOLUTION IN SANTO DOMINGO

Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, Nov. 29—An American military governor of Santo Domingo has been appointed.

Washington, Nov. 30—Captain H. S. Knapp, commanding the American naval forces in Dominican waters, has by proclamation declared a military rule in the Dominican Republic to break the deadlock in the local government, and carry out the treaty obligations of the United States to guarantee interest in the public debt and other obligations.

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN DEC 1. A.M. High Tide... 4.02 Low Tide... 10.54 Sun Rises... 7.50 Sun Sets... 4.84

PORT OF ST JOHN. Cleared Yesterday. Term schr Annie Lord, Benjamin, Apple River for New York.

CANADIAN PORTS. Yarmouth, N.S., Nov 28—Ard, schr M J Taylor (Br), Weymouth (N.S.), to load for Cuba.

bert Hall (Br), so reported; Pascal (Br), Europe; Maskinonge (Br), Halifax; Nevada (Br), Wabana. Liverpool, N.S., Nov 25—Cld, schr Grand Turk, New York.

Geo. A. Fawcett Heads the S. of T.

Annual Session of Grand Division Opens in Moncton—Officers Elected for Coming Year.

Moncton, Nov. 30—The annual session of Grand Division, Sons of Temperance, opened here this afternoon. Sessions continue tonight and tomorrow, concluding a meeting tomorrow evening which will be open to the public.

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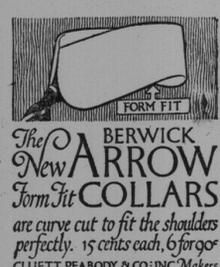
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Fighting Light. The wonderful speed with which the French take positions has been often remarked. On September 12, for example, half an hour they captured the whole of the German first line trenches on a front of nearly four miles. An English-

men returned from the front suggests an interesting explanation. It is that the French infantry charge without impediments leaving kit and supplies to be brought up later. There is, of course, the risk of being cut off, and compelled to surrender from lack of food; but, on the other hand, there is the great advantage of rapidity of movement. The British soldier, on the other hand, attacks carrying his full pack of almost half a hundred weight, and crosses No Man's Land at a very steady pace in a special formation designed to keep casualties to a minimum. The men, once in firm possession of the objective, are more independent of support, and perhaps fight better for not being blown; but it is, of course, impossible for a man to be as active with a burden as without it.



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FROM MEXICO TO AID THE EMPIRE

Captain Ash of Calgary Has Had Interesting Career—Going to England to Break in Cavalry Horses.

Captain George Ash, a native of Calgary, a Texas Ranger, cowboy and soldier of fortune, arrived in the city yesterday, almost directly from the Mexican border. For twenty-four years he was in the saddle as cowboy, and has had a varied career as a member of Madero's army, and as a captain of 2,000 rangers from the Lone Star State.

When but a lad of ten, he left his home in Calgary to act as kitchen boy on a large ranch in El Paso, Texas. As he grew older he left the kitchen crew to join the prairie riders. By dint of thrift and economy he was able to purchase a ranch of his own and stock it with 9,000 head of steers. Four years ago, at the time of the Mexican rebellion, his cattle ranch, known as the Bar, was raided and his herd rustled off by 1,000 Mexican bandits. In the fight between the seven cowboys stationed at the ranch, and the bandits, eight of the latter were killed. He appealed to the Mexican and the American governments, but they were unable to aid him.

Making his way into the interior of Mexico to Juarez, then to Casas Grande, and finally to Chichua, he joined a band of raiders and plundered Mexican towns. He took an active part in the Mexican rebellion as a member of Madero's forces. At the battle of Chichua he worked a machine gun unceasingly for thirty-six hours. In this battle, which took place in 1913, 1,000 Mexicans were killed. Captain Ash can not only vividly describe the harrowing scenes, but in the course of his travels he has accumulated pictures, which bear him out in his statements. For his brave work at Chichua he received a medal from a regiment which he now wears. Another token, given him by J. K. Turner, the author, for leading eighty-five Americans against a band of 400 Mexican outlaws in Mexico in 1914, and giving a severe thrashing to the larger force.

One of Captain Ash's most noteworthy feats is his horseback ride from Houston, Texas, to New York, a distance of 2,221 miles, in the remarkable time of sixty-six days. For nine months he was in Yucatan among the Indians. During the course of his travels, and the battles and bush fights in which he has taken part, he has been wounded four times. After his experiences covering almost a quarter of a century in other countries on this, and the South American continent, he has returned to Canada to do his part for the empire in the great war. He expects to sail for overseas from Halifax some time this month to serve as riding master, and break green horses to the saddle in the cavalry camps.

APPOINTMENT CRITICIZED.

The Canadian Imperial League met last evening in the rooms of the European War Veterans, Charlotte street, with the vice-president, H. L. McGowan, in the chair. There was a large attendance, and several matters of interest to returned soldiers were discussed. Ref-

Advertisement for shoes: 'Wear Those Comfortable Old Shoes This Winter'. Includes text about leather prices, patriotism, and shoe quality.

Advertisement for Murad Cigarettes: 'MURAD CIGARETTES TO-DAY—'. Includes text about the product's popularity and quality.



Churchill Wants Quicker Action

Former First Lord of Admiralty Discusses War

"Reduced to Stalemate"

Urges That Risks be Dared by These Who Have the Power, to Find the Shortest Way to Victory

(Toronto Mail and Empire.) When the war broke out Winston Churchill was in it to the extent of being First Lord of the Admiralty, having previously had more experience of war than any other member of the cabinet. He resigned his high post and went to the trenches, and presently he returned to England. Since then he has spoken in parliament and in the press generally in criticism of those who are carrying the war. An article which has been published in the New York Times has attracted more attention than usual. In it Churchill intimated that the war on land and sea had been reduced to a sort of stalemate. He complained that the British navy "did not search for the shortest way." To use an old phrase, Mr. Churchill says too much or he says too little. Are there such wits that he speaks of? Is the government informed of them? If he knows he ought to tell.

On the Navy Nevertheless while it is easy to find fault with what Mr. Churchill says, it must be acknowledged that he discusses military and naval problems in a way that nobody else has had the ability to do. Speaking of the British navy, he draws attention to the fact that since the beginning of the war there has been an offensive and a defensive, one waged by the British navy, one suffered by Germany. He reminds us that from its base the British navy "delivers a continuous attack upon the vital interests of the enemy; whereas, the enemy from his home bases produces no corresponding effect upon us." The British navy strikes the German navy by its "masterly inactivity," inasmuch as all the German ports are blockaded. This is an everyday offensive, for every day it lasts Germany is growing weaker and Britain is growing stronger. Therefore, if no other blow is struck the advantage is with Britain and the onus is upon Germany of changing the condition. Her first notable effort, to change it, to remove from her throat the hold of the British navy, was the Jutland engagement.

Off Britain According to Mr. Churchill, this battle was fought because Sir John Jellicoe decided that his superiority justified him in facing the disadvantages of fighting off the enemy's coast, and in the opinion of Mr. Churchill he made no mistake. The fact that it was the enemy that broke off the engagement proves that Jellicoe's judgment was right, and that the Germans declined to fight to a finish even when in their own waters. In other words, Germany declined a decisive engagement even when all the conditions were in her favor. She had the onus of breaking the blockade, the enemy in her own waters, a battle of her own choosing, and yet she could not "sit it through." The writer is of opinion that some other means must be sought of forcing the German navy to accept battle, or some other means be devised whereby the German navy may be destroyed, and we may repeat his words, "Let search be made, let wits be used, let risks be dared by those who have the power, to find the shortest way."

Calls for a Genius Turning to the land operations, Mr. Churchill has much to say. He demands that somebody invent some system of destroying the enemy, but if there is such a system he refrains from hinting at it. He insists that if the united brains of the Allied commanders are applied to the problem, some solution will be forthcoming. Mr. Churchill points out a fact which is not generally understood, namely, that the war upsets all calculations, not alone in its magnitude, but in its methods. Looking back one hundred years we find that an army that was ten or twenty per cent inferior in numbers did not hesitate to attack. The general was worth at least ten thousand troops, and by manoeuvring and outflanking he could make the odds even. Later on we find that frontal attacks were of no avail. From the time that modern firearms came into existence we see that the army of inferior numbers did not fear the attack. This was proved in the American Civil War, and again in the

war between Russia and Japan. The frontal attack seemed dead.

New Kind of War In the present war, however, the only attack, speaking of the western front, has been the frontal one. There is no chance for flanking movements, because there are no flanks. So if we fix our eyes upon the Somme battle we naturally come to the conclusion that the British troops there have done something that the experts of a generation ago would say could never be done. These accomplishments prove to Mr. Churchill, and to most other people, that the soldiers are ready to give their lives upon a scale that was never imagined by the romancers. One might well reflect upon the fact that not in the recorded history of the world has there been so much meanness and so much bravery, so many people ready to die for their neighbors, and so many people ready to stay at home and cancel their neighbors' rights—always excepting the neighbors' right to die for them.

DISAPPOINTED NURSE SHOOT'S BRIDEGROOM

Mortally Wounds Herself After Slightly Injuring Man Called to Her Home

Thought He Had Loved Her—Ship Chandler Able to Return to His Apartment With His Bride's Loss Than a Week

New York, Dec. 1.—Miss Rachel Jones, a young trained nurse, and John Henderson, a Water street ship chandler, were married on last Wednesday and because business was pressing they gave up a honeymoon and moved at once into an apartment at 746 St. Nicholas avenue. On Monday evening Henderson did not go home from business. Instead, when dinner had been kept waiting more than an hour his bride received a telephone message from him, which told her in effect that he was dying. "Come at once to the Fourth Branch Detective Bureau," Sarah shot me, "I'm all right. But she shot herself and I'm afraid she's dying."

To Mrs. Henderson, "Sarah" meant Miss Sarah A. Sheldon, a trained nurse employed in the Tuberculosis Branch Clinic of the Health Department at 118th street and Pleasant avenue, and an old friend of Henderson. The young wife hurried to the detective bureau frantic with fear. She found her husband uninjured, except for a slight flesh wound in the palm of his right hand. When he had calmed her, Henderson explained to her and to the police how the shooting had occurred.

He said he had known Miss Sheldon for eight years, but had had no idea that she was in love with him or expected him to marry her until a few months ago, when he sought her congratulations on his engagement to Miss Jones. Then she told him that some time she would shoot him, he said, but he thought he had pacified her finally especially when she met his fiancée, and congratulated Miss Jones with apparent sincerity.

On Monday, he said, Miss Sheldon telephoned to his office and said that she had developed tuberculosis and had been ordered west. She meant to leave for Los Angeles and asked him to bring some timetables to her home, a three-room apartment at 90 Edgcombe avenue.

BUILT UP A BUSINESS OUT OF HIS THEFTS

\$25-a-Week Clerk Tells How He Stole Nearly \$100,000, Then Goes to Cell Satisfied

Ran Chain of Cigar Stores—Kept Three Motors, and is Able to Repay Nearly All—Story Remarkable Even in New York

New York, Dec. 1.—Amfil J. Loeffler was locked up in the Tombs after he had confessed that for two years he had stolen nearly \$100,000 a week from Francis H. Leggett & Co., wholesale grocers, by whom he was employed as a shipping clerk at \$25 a week in the warehouse at Thirteenth avenue and Twenty-seventh street. But Loeffler was not downcast nor discouraged.

He is thirty years old, and in the opinion of the young man he is certain to make his fortune no matter what sentence he may receive. To have hidden thefts of such magnitude, Loeffler argues, might indicate that he was merely a clever thief. To have invested his stealings so that now he is able to make entire restitution, although he has lived in luxury, operated three automobiles, and employed a chauffeur at a weekly wage equal to his own, at a total expenditure of probably more than \$15,000 yearly, is testimony, in his opinion, to his financial ability.

"If I could have had one more year," said Loeffler, "I should have become a rich man. With the money I stole I started a string of cigar stands in office buildings and hotels, and my earnings from this have been large. Why I even bought my cigars from Leggett's, I don't know just how much I took, but I can pay most of it back, and in another year could have returned all of it and retired wealthy."

Loeffler lived with his wife at 168 West Eighty-sixth street, in an apartment which he rented for \$150 a month. His ordinary living expenses, he said, were upward of \$500 a month, and the furnishings of his home were worth \$35,000. He owned jewelry worth \$5,000 more. All this he has turned over to his employers, together with his stock and fixtures in his various cigar stands, so that he has restored probably three-quarters of what he took.

The young man was questioned closely by Assistant District Attorney Ryttenberg as to the method by which he obtained money from his employers, and as a result Mr. Ryttenberg has summoned officers of Leggett & Co. to his office and will try to go further into the details of the case.

According to Loeffler, the wholesale grocers did a large export business and depended on a State street firm of shipping brokers to find bottoms for their wares. The firm rendered weekly bills for forwarding charges, which were audited and entered on the cashiers for payment. Loeffler says he raised the amounts of these bills after they had been indorsed, so that a check for an amount in excess of the true bill was always sent to the shipping brokerage firm. Then, according to Loeffler, by arranging with the cashier for a receipt from it a check for the difference between the true bill and the Leggett payment, made out in a check to bearer on the Hanover National Bank, a member of the shipping firm, intro-

DICKESON'S TEA advertisement with logo and text: "is a tea that's always best, no matter when or where you buy it. It's quality never varies."

duced him at the bank, he said, and he took these checks there and cashed them. Mr. Ryttenberg called on the brokers for an explanation and was informed by the manager that the proprietor was in England, and the manager, acting under his orders, was following a custom adopted by the owner before his departure. According to the assistant district attorney, this manager admitted that he thought the transaction unbusinesslike, but he said he had been made to understand that Leggett & Co. had adopted this means of paying some commission to agents of foreign governments in return for large war orders. This officials of the firm deny. Charles T. Ward, who made the charge against Loeffler, said the discovery of the thefts had come only when the firm noticed an unusual decrease in profits in the export branch of the business. The young man pleaded guilty when arraigned before a magistrate. Pending action by the grand jury, he was remanded to prison.

A LITHO OF SIR SAM! HOORAY! AS XMAS PRESENT QUITE O. K.

Who Ordered 'Em?—You'd Never Guess—It Surely Couldn't Be Sir S' (Toronto Star.)

Somebody ordered an immense consignment of lithographs of Sir Sam Hughes from a Toronto firm. Sir Sam's own justly-famous modesty forbids the thought that the "somebody" was himself, though that is how the story runs in Toronto. At any rate, the lithographs were ordered, were made, were packed in an expensive carton, and were sent to Ottawa—one rumor says "by the carload."

The order was given several months ago, before an incantations tongue, a trenchant pen, and a dislike for subterfuge to others had released Sir Sam from the cabinet. The pictures were fine big portraits done in two poses—one a front view, the other a side view—as much like oil paintings as the skill of the lithographer could possibly contrive. By critics who have seen them they are pronounced magnificent specimens of their kind. Each picture if purchased from stock in any art store, would be worth, at a modest estimate, \$100.

As they were sent to Ottawa, it is thought unlikely that they were to be

used as soap premiums. If for Sir Sam himself as his cruel critics suggest, what was he going to do with them? Christmas is nigh, and preparedness is a military motto. But Sir Sam, though still an Honorary Lieut-General, is no longer a cabinet minister, and the final fate of the lithographs is in doubt. The Toronto firm which received the order today would give little information about it. "Will you sell us a couple of samples?" We can't do that either," they answered again. "They have all been shipped out." More than that they wouldn't say.

CANNOT GET THE MEN FOR ARMY OR NAVY IN UNITED STATES

Universal military training in some form as the solution of the recruiting problem for the United States army and navy will be placed formally before congress during the coming session if Chairman Chamberlain of the senate military committee is successful in carrying out his announced programme. Senator Chamberlain said the virtual impossibility of recruiting the army up to the present strength authorized in the national defence act already had been demonstrated. Both army and navy recruiting services are combing the country for men, he declared, with little success. The army has been unable to obtain the 20,000 additional men provided for when the Mexican situation became acute and the navy is making such slow progress with its increases, that officials are perplexed.

The Chamberlain bill would require military training of all boys between 12 and 23 years of age except those specially exempted. The active division comprised of those between 18 and 23 years would be known as the citizen army and the younger corps as the citizen cadet corps.

The Scottish bagpipe is lozier than any other variety of the instrument, probably because it was originally designed to cheer the clansmen when they were fighting, says the London Chronicle. In the hands of a skilled performer the strains of a Highland bagpipe carry about six miles, and under specially favorable conditions as far as ten miles. The Duke of Sutherland owns a bagpipe which figured in the Battle of Preston-pans, and must therefore be nearly 200 years old, yet it can be heard at a distance of eight miles.

Liggett's Chocolates advertisement featuring an illustration of a woman and a man, and text: "She Will be 'In' to You... YOUR choice of Liggett's chocolates is as likely to come in for criticism as the color of your tie."

WILCOX'S advertisement for clothing, featuring a hat illustration and text: "WILCOX'S On the Corner Charlotte and Union MUST MOVE Their Men's, Women's and Children's Clothing in the Next Ten Days..."

BOMBING SCHOOL MAY BE INCLUDED IN PROVISIONAL SCHOOL PLANS

Instruction Course for Officers in Fredericton in January—News of the Soldiers at Home and Abroad

In all probability there will be a provisional school of bombing attached to the provisional school of infantry, which will be held at Fredericton, for the purpose of giving instruction in bombing.

This school will be in charge of Captain G. McR. Johnston, of this city, who was formerly a brigade bombing officer in France.

Nine recruits were secured in the city yesterday for overseas service. They are as follows: For the 9th Siege Battery, F. R. Bepreux, Bordeaux, France.

Lance Corporal Louis Lalacheur, who was wounded seriously in the battle of Ypres about a year ago and who returned to his home a short time ago, is now confined to his bed by reason of the fact that his wounds have broken out afresh.

Word was received yesterday by relatives of Major Alexander McMillan that he would rejoin his old battalion, the 26th, on November 30.

On behalf of the members of the choir of Exmouth street church, of which he was a former member, Ernest Thomas presented a wrist watch to Sgt. Withers of the 9th Siege Battery.

Flight Lieut. R. Needs, of Galt (Ont.), arrived in the city last night and will be one of the party to go overseas this week to join the R. F. C.

That James Lynott, son of S. L. Lynott, editor of the Carleton Sentinel, was the second man to reach the German lines in a recent attack is the information conveyed in a letter received by a friend from A. G. Shaw.

The following letter to Claude McLean from "Sandy" Shaw, of Woodstock, who went over with the 55th will be of interest to his friends and friends of the boys he mentions:

Dear Friend Claude—I suppose you will be quite surprised to get a letter from me. I should have written before but we have a lot more time out here than we have the chance to write to them.

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Gen. Turner is Appointed

Noted Commander Returns From Front to Assume Charge of Canadian Troops in England

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DYSPEPSIA MOST DIFFICULT TO CURE BUT B. B. B. DOES IT

Dyspepsia is one of the most difficult diseases of the stomach there is to cure. You eat too much, drink too much, make the stomach work overtime. You make it perform more than it should be called on to do.

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MONDAY—Chapter Two **"THE SECRET OF THE SUBMARINE"**—What Happens to the Submarine?

**SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY HOME AND ABROAD**

**BOWLING.**  
Young Ladies (Start)

In the first game of the Young Ladies' League, rolled on the M. C. A. alleys, yesterday afternoon, the quartette captained by Miss Poole, took two out of three strings from Miss K. Bates' team. The first string which resulted in a tie score of 214 pins each, was decided by each member rolling one additional box. By 26 to 16 Miss Poole's team won.

Following is the summary:

Total				
A. Poole	60	51	82	193
Clark	41	59	49	149
Maxwell	57	65	71	193
E. Leonard	58	72	55	185
	214	247	257	718
K. Bates	66	55	49	170
A. Ferwell	24	47	52	123
F. Thompson	55	53	67	175
V. Seinar	69	65	64	198
	214	221	234	671

Four for Wanderers.  
The Wanderers captured four points last night in the match with the Elks, in the City Bowling League. The scoring follows:

Total				
Wanderers	84	77	104	265
Garvin	81	75	83	239
Cromwell	88	99	83	270
McLeod	99	92	85	276
Logan	105	108	99	309
	449	451	454	1364

Elks. Total. 272

Evans	98	76	103	277
Smith	73	70	72	215
Downey	86	112	88	286
Whitney	71	80	85	236
Nixon	82	81	110	273
	415	419	453	1287

Tonight—Beavers vs. Ramblers.  
St. Peter's Y. M. A. League

The Maples took three out of four points from the Micmacs in St. Peter's Y.M.A. bowling league fixture last evening. The defeat for the Micmacs was a costly one as they were only one point behind the leaders and had a good chance to win the first series. The individual scores follow:

Total Avg.				
P. Howard	78	72	75	225-75
J. Bain	66	78	75	220-74
F. Howard	83	73	103	259-81-3
W. Cronin	71	85	71	227-75-2-3
A. Howard	105	86	88	279-88
	403	394	415	1212

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Micmacs Total Avg. 281-77

G. Elliott	70	62	70	202-77
E. McCann	71	78	92	241-80-1-3
R. Hansen	88	94	92	274-91-1-3
J. Gibbons	80	73	70	223-74-3
J. Haggarty	71	87	70	228-76
	380	414	408	1197

Victoria Alleys.

On the "Vic" Alleys last night a match game was played between a mixed team captained by Mr. Chisholm, and a team picked from members of the Two-Men League. The former won quite handsomely, defeating their opponents by 194 pins. It is probable that a return match will be played, when the other team will be strengthened. In all, the scores made are very creditable. They follow:

Total				
Belyea	90	97	107	294-98
Stamers	101	79	98	278-92-3
Chisholm	95	106	75	276-92
Gambin	119	102	97	318-106
Sullivan	84	84	97	276-92
	500	468	474	1442
Smith	100	90	94	284-94-2-3
D. Colgan	88	77	84	249-81-1-3
R. Colgan	105	94	81	281-93-2-3
Hutchinson	94	91	79	264-81-2-3
Jordan	80	85	80	245-81-2-3
	468	487	418	1373

Gambin also had the highest pinfall during the game, besides putting up the highest single string. His 119 won the daily roll-off prize.

McDonald Succeeding  
Brooklyn Eagle—Roddie McDonald, announced as the middleweight champion of Canada, defeated George Ashe in nine out of ten rounds at the Clearmont Sporting Club last night. McDonald tipped the beam at 160 pounds, and Ashe weighed 167. During the latter part of the bout, all that Ashe did was to hold, while the Canadian bored in, trying hard for a knockout. He almost accomplished his purpose in the ninth, but the bell saved Ashe. Ashe has four no decision bouts with Battling Levinsky, and has also had similar bouts with Leo Houck, Jack Dillon, Joe Borell and Billy Mike.

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"Now that the trouble is over," he asserted, "we will have to return to a sound basis—one where men have invested their money in the same stand a

chance of obtaining a fair return. There will be no renewal of high salaried contracts. The players must understand that. We will agree on a new contract at the annual meeting of the American League in Chicago, Dec. 14, that will be fair to all concerned. It will be equitable to the player and to the club owner."

**Leonard Defeats Simler**  
Benny Leonard of New York out-fought Chick Simler of Scranton, Pa., in a 10-round bout in New York on Tuesday night. Albert Badoud of France, knocked out Frank West of Brooklyn in the second round of a ten round match.



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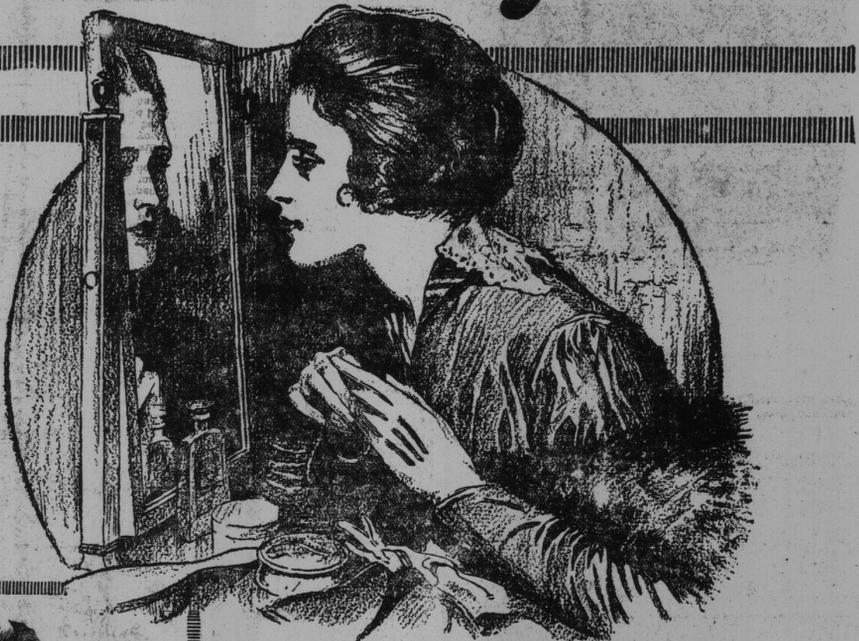
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Whatever condition is keeping your skin from being beautiful—it can be changed. Begin tonight the treatment on this page best suited to your skin.

### 1—To free your skin of blackheads

Blackheads are a confession of the use of the wrong method of cleansing for that type of skin which is subject to this disfiguring trouble. The following Woodbury treatment will keep such a skin free from blackheads:

Apply hot cloths to the face until the skin is reddened. Then with a rough washcloth work up a heavy lather of Woodbury's Facial Soap and rub it into the pores thoroughly—always with an upward and outward motion. Rinse with clear hot water, then with cold—the colder the better. If possible, rub your face for a few minutes with a piece of ice. Always dry the skin carefully.

Do not expect to get the desired results by using this treatment for a time and then neglecting it. But make it a daily habit, and it will give you a clear, attractive skin that the steady use of Woodbury's always brings.

### 2—To rouse a sluggish, colorless skin

A dull, sallow, lifeless complexion has several causes. Whatever the cause, the first thing to do is to stimulate your skin—to make it active. The following treatment is the most effective you can use:

Dip your washcloth in very warm water and hold it to your face. Now take the cake of Woodbury's Facial Soap, dip it in water and rub the cake itself over your skin. Leave the slight coating of soap on for a few minutes until the skin feels drawn and dry. Then dampen the skin and rub the soap in gently with an upward and outward motion. Rinse the face thoroughly, first in tepid water, then in cold. Whenever possible rub the face briskly with a piece of ice. Always dry carefully.

This treatment with Woodbury's cleanses the pores, brings the blood to the face and stimulates the fine muscular fibres of the skin. Try it tonight—see what a soft, lovely color it brings to your cheeks.

### 3—To clear a blemished skin

Skin specialists are tracing fewer and fewer troubles to the blood—more to bacteria and parasites that are carried into the pores of the skin with dust, soot and grime. The following local treatment will clear your skin of any blemishes caused by this most powerful and persistent enemy: Just before retiring, wash in your usual way with Woodbury's Facial Soap and warm water, finishing with a dash of cold water. Then dip the tips of your fingers in warm water and rub them on the cake of Woodbury's until they are covered with a heavy "soap cream." Cover each blemish with a thick coat of this. Let it dry and remain on over night. In the morning wash in your usual way with Woodbury's.

Repeat this cleansing, antiseptic treatment every night until the blemishes disappear. Use Woodbury's regularly thereafter in your daily toilet. This will make your skin so strong and active that it will keep your complexion free from blemishes.

### 4—To reduce conspicuous nose pores

Complexions otherwise flawless are often ruined by conspicuous nose pores. In such cases the small muscular fibres of the nose have become weakened and do not keep the pores closed as they should be. Instead these pores collect dirt, clog up and become enlarged. To reduce these enlarged pores:

Wring a cloth from very hot water, lather it with Woodbury's Facial Soap, then hold it to your face. When the heat has expanded the pores, rub in, very gently, a fresh lather of Woodbury's. Repeat this hot water and lather application several times, stopping at once if the nose feels sensitive. Then finish by rubbing the nose for a few minutes with a piece of ice. This treatment with Woodbury's cleanses the pores, and strengthens the muscular fibres so that they can contract properly. But do not expect to change in a week a condition resulting from years of neglect. Use this treatment persistently. It will gradually reduce the enlarged pores and cause them to contract until they are inconspicuous.



Blackheads—a confession of the wrong cleansing method. Change to the one given here.



A sluggish colorless skin can be roused by the lather and ice treatment.



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Complexions nose pores can be gradually, but surely, reduced.



A freckled, sun-tanned skin will yield to this effective treatment described on this page.



If an oily skin and shiny nose is your bugbear, make the lather treatment a daily habit.

### 5—To whiten freckled, sun-tanned skin

Spring and summer weather bring to many women the new complexion trouble of freckles and tan. Prolonged exposure often brings about an undue tanning which, if not corrected, may become permanent. Something must be done to whiten the skin without injuring its texture. Try this simple natural method: Just before you retire, cleanse the skin thoroughly by washing in your usual way with Woodbury's Facial Soap and lukewarm water. Wipe off the surplus moisture, but leave the skin slightly damp. Now dip the cake of Woodbury's in a bowl of water and go over your face and throat several times with the cake itself. Let this lather remain on over night, and wash again in the morning with warm water followed by cold, but no soap except that which has remained on the skin.

This treatment is just what your skin needs to whiten it. Use it every night unless your skin should become too sensitive. In which case discontinue until this sensitive feeling disappears. A few applications should show a marked improvement. Use Woodbury's regularly thereafter in your daily toilet and keep your skin in perfect health.

### 6—To correct an oily skin and shiny nose

That bugbear of so many—an oily skin and shiny nose—has various contributory causes. Whatever the cause in your case, proper external treatment will relieve your skin of this embarrassing condition. First cleanse your skin thoroughly by washing in your usual way with Woodbury's Facial Soap and warm water. Wipe off the surplus moisture, but leave the skin slightly damp. Now work up a heavy warm water lather of Woodbury's in your hands. Apply it to your face and rub it into the pores thoroughly—always with an upward and outward motion of the finger tips. Rinse with warm water, then with cold—the colder the better. If possible, rub your face for a few minutes with a piece of ice. This treatment will make your skin fresher and clearer the first time you use it. Make it a nightly habit and before long you will gain complete relief from the embarrassment of an oily, shiny skin.

### 7—To care for a tender, sensitive skin

Many people with tender skins have been misled by the superstition that washing the face is bad for the complexion. Dr. Pusey in his book on the care of the skin says, "The layer of dirt and fat that such persons accumulate on the skin is a poor substitute for a clean, clear skin, and is a constant invitation to various disorders."

The following Woodbury treatment is just what a tender skin needs to keep it attractive and resistant. Dip a soft washcloth in warm water and hold it to the face. Do this several times. Then make a light warm water lather of Woodbury's Facial Soap, and dip your cloth up and down in it until the cloth is "luffy" with the soft, white lather. Rub this lathered cloth gently over your skin until the pores are thoroughly cleansed. Rinse the face lightly with clear, cool water and dry carefully.

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### 8—To revive an ageing wrinkled skin

As soon as you let your skin grow lax and sluggish, the tiny wrinkles, and then the bigger ones, will come. But you can keep your skin so firm, so active that it will defy wrinkles and will retain its clear, smooth youthfulness. To do this, make the following Woodbury treatment a daily habit:

Bathe your neck and face with plenty of Woodbury's Facial Soap and hot water. If your skin has been badly neglected, rub a generous lather thoroughly into the pores—using an upward and outward motion, until the skin feels somewhat sensitive. After this, rinse well in warm, then in cold, water—the colder the better. Whenever possible, rub the skin for a few minutes with a lump of ice and dry carefully. Use this treatment regularly and it will keep your skin so firm, so healthy and active that it will resist wrinkles and retain that fresh, clear, youthful look you want it to have.

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