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BULGARS FEAR GREECE; RETIRE FROM MONASTIR

Kaiser's Demands Open Breach in Relations With Austria

Signs of the Times

A TORONTO firm that does a large mail order business thruout Canada received in cash for one day's business this week no less a sum than \$125,000.

Toronto bank clearings for the month of November were \$18,554,000 more than for October, and \$56,000,000 more than for September. It is probable that the bank clearings for the week, to be published today, will be \$5,000,000 more than for last week.

Railway earnings, which, with bank clearings, indicate the increase in business of the country, show increases of 50 per cent. every week.

Toronto customs revenue for November was the highest on record, showing an increase of \$1,001,405.79. Customs revenue for the whole of Canada for November showed an increase of \$4,157,000.

The Dominion of Canada war loan of \$50,000,000 was over-subscribed by \$60,000,000.

Total revenue from the Dominion of Canada for November amounted to \$17,072,456.76, an increase of \$7,576,920.46, and the largest for any month in the history of the Dominion.

There was an increase of building permits in Toronto in November over the same month last year of \$61,322.

Trust and mortgage companies report that there has been a marked improvement in their business. People are meeting their obligations freely and promptly.

Ask any employer of labor what are the conditions in Toronto today, and he will tell you labor is well employed. Good men are hard to get. Men who want work have no real difficulty in finding it.

The man on the street can see the difference for himself. Conditions that prevailed last winter no longer exist. Appeals for charity have diminished remarkably.

Conditions in the three prairie provinces show a decided change for the better. Business men are buying heavily, and a great deal of land is being sold to new settlers.

The western crop is growing every day. An immense load of debt is being lifted, and farmers are paying both interest and principal on their mortgages. The great crop has put millions in money into the hands of the western farmers. The millions of bushels of grain still in farmers' hands and yet to be marketed mean that there is still in the country vast stores of unrealized wealth.

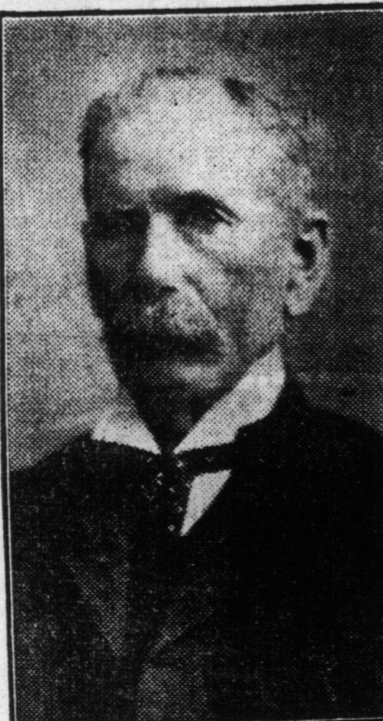
The farmers have the money. They are meeting their obligations and paying off old scores. They are buying from the merchant and the manufacturer. All classes in their wealth benefit by the outflow of new wealth.

These are facts that carry their own convincing story. This new condition means much to Canada, not alone in its effect on present business conditions, but as an evidence of what can be done. So long as Canada depends for its wealth on its productivity, it need never know hard times.

FOUR VACANCIES IN SENATE ARE FILLED BY GOVERNMENT

Hon. Dr. Sproule, Chas. P. Beaubien, John Milne, and Hon. John McLean Are Appointed.

GOES TO THE SENATE



HON. DR. T. S. SPROULE

Speaker of the house of commons, who has been appointed to the senate.

By a Staff Reporter.

OTTAWA, Dec. 1.—Four of the vacancies in the senate are about to be filled by the government, and the men who have been selected are: Hon. T. S. Sproule, Speaker of the house of commons; Charles P. Beaubien, K.C., of Montreal; John Milne of Hamilton and Hon. John McLean, one of the ablest colleagues of Premier Massey in the government of Prince Edward Island. Hon. Dr. Sproule's successor as Speaker of the house of commons will probably be Albert Savigny, M.P. for Dorchester, who has been deputy speaker since Hon. P. E. Blondin was taken into the cabinet a year ago. Other appointments to the senate may be expected soon, as there are eight more vacancies to be filled.

SAVED SEVENTEEN FROM NEWFOUNDLAND BOAT

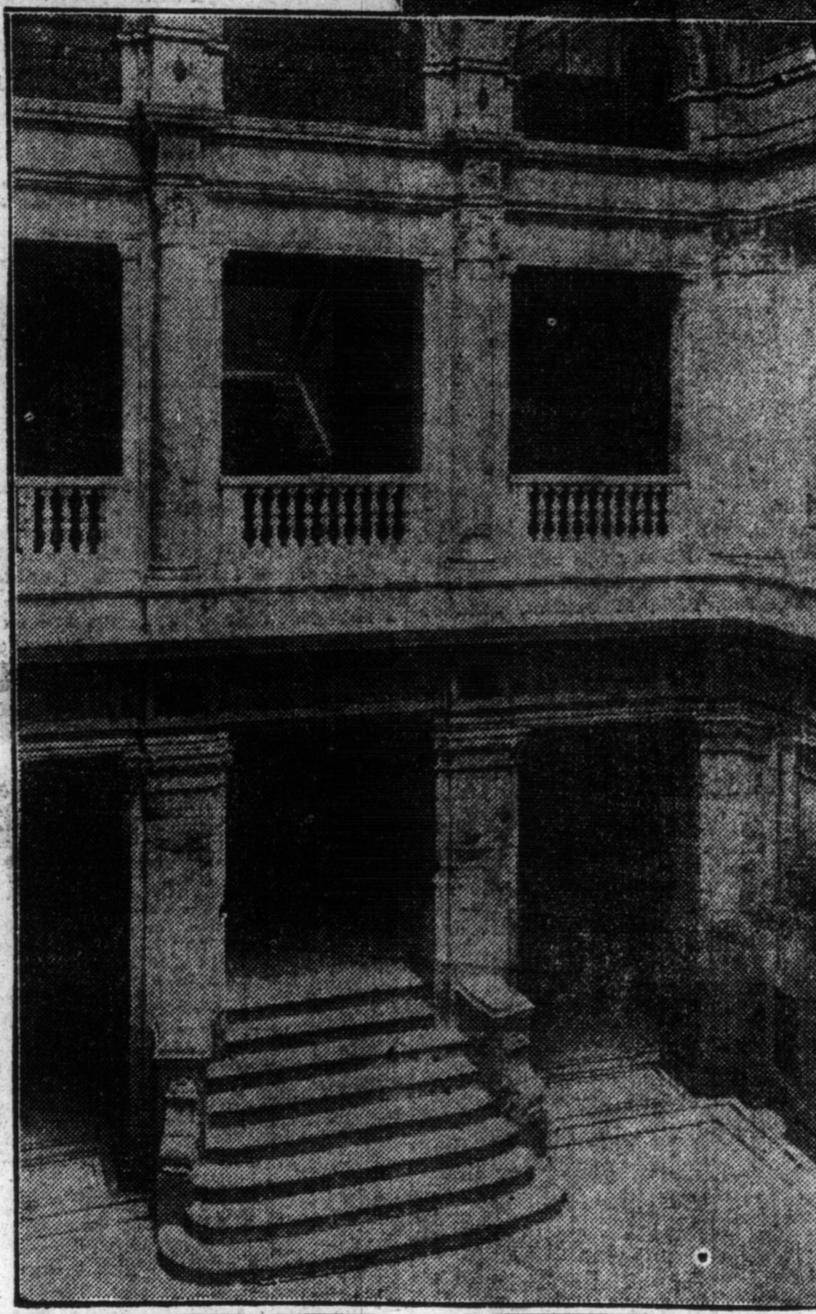
Norwegian Ship Lands Survivors of Swallow at Stornoway.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—The Norwegian steamer Hercules, bound from New York for Bergen, has landed at Stornoway, six members of the crew and eleven passengers of the Newfoundland schooner Swallow. The Swallow was wrecked in a storm while bound from Labrador to Newfoundland.

Athens Situation Remaining Tense

Kitchener and Cochin Expected, However, to Remove Complications.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—In a despatch from Athens, Reuter's correspondent says the situation in the Greek capital is still tense. He adds, however, that The Embros, which usually reflects authoritative opinion, puts forth the hope that on the arrival in London and Paris respectively of Earl Kitchener and Denis Cochin, who are declared to have expressed in Athens views approaching those held by the Greek Government, they may prove instrumental in clearing the complicated situation.



Two photographs of the entrance hall and grand stairway of Government House, into which Sir John Hendrie and his family will move in a few days.

BULGARS FEAR TO CONTINUE CAMPAIGN AGAINST SERBIA

King Ferdinand Apprehending Clash With Greece, Abandons Hope of Occupying Monastir—Campaign Brought to Close With Prisrend's Capture.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Like Germany, and no official news that there has been any change there has been received since. The two events are variously assumed to be connected with the reported effort of Germany to force Austria into a German zollverein (customs union), a desire of Emperor Francis Joseph to secure a separate peace thru the intervention of Pope Benedict, and a rumored dispute between Austria and Bulgaria over the division of Serbian territory. There naturally is no authoritative basis for any of these reports, beyond statements in the German newspapers that Emperor William's visit was one of the highest importance.

AUSTRO-GERMAN RELATIONS BECOMING BADLY STRAINED?

Kaiser Reported to Be Trying to Force Austria into German Customs Union.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Emperor William's visit to Vienna, which coincided with the resignation of three of the Austrian cabinet ministers, is the cause of much speculation. The two events are variously assumed to be connected with the reported effort of Germany to force Austria into a German zollverein (customs union), a desire of Emperor Francis Joseph to secure a separate peace thru the intervention of Pope Benedict, and a rumored dispute between Austria and Bulgaria over the division of Serbian territory. There naturally is no authoritative basis for any of these reports, beyond statements in the German newspapers that Emperor William's visit was one of the highest importance.

GERMAN SOCIALISTS DEMAND OUTLINING OF PEACE TERMS

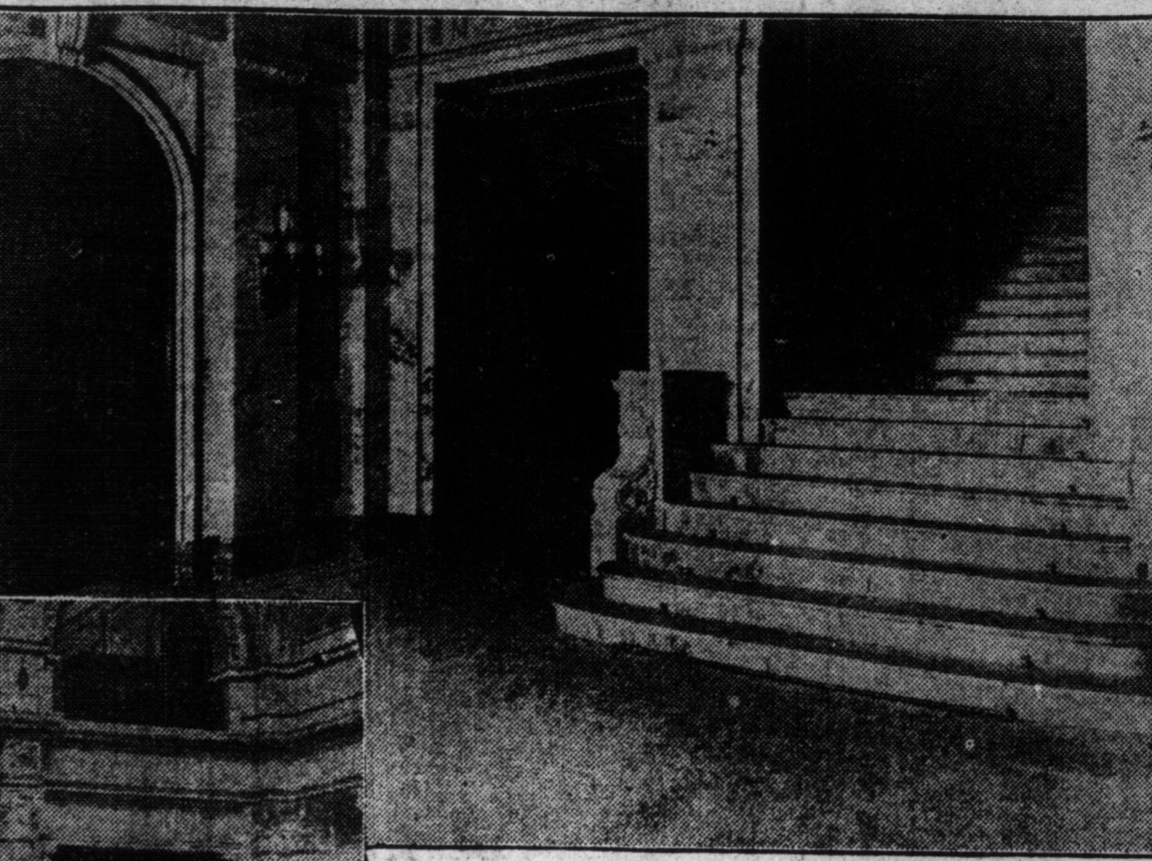
Clear Answer From Government Will Be Insisted Upon Says Vorwaerts—Pertinent Queries by Liebknecht.

BERLIN, Dec. 2, via London.—The Vorwaerts, the organ of the Social Democratic party, announces that the Social Democrats in the reichstag have determined to put the following interpellation in a body at the next session: "Is the imperial chancellor ready to give information as to the conditions under which he would be willing to enter into peace negotiations?" Herr Scheidemann, the leader of the party, will put the question and Herr Landsberg has been chosen to debate. A more detailed and searching inquiry as to the government's attitude respecting peace was defeated by the Social Democrats by a vote of 58 to 42. The Vorwaerts, in commenting on the subject, says: "What we demand is a definite expression on the Social Democrats' peace demands and a clear answer from the government."

LIEBKNECHT'S QUERIES.

AMSTERDAM, via London, Dec. 2, 2.26 a. m.—The Berlin Lokal Anzeiger

NEW GOVERNMENT HOUSE READY FOR OCCUPANCY



Two photographs of the entrance hall and grand stairway of Government House, into which Sir John Hendrie and his family will move in a few days.

AUSTRIA MUST BOW TO KAISER

London Post Says Resignation of Cabinet Ministers Tells Story.

SEE ECONOMIC PERIL

Demand for Tariff Union is Warning to Austria-Hungary.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The Morning Post's Hungarian correspondence, in a despatch printed this morning, says: "The resignation of the three Austrian cabinet ministers is a protest against Germany's attempt to force a zollverein on Austria and Hungary and a warning to the people of Austria-Hungary that there is economic danger ahead. Germany's zollverein policy already has aroused bitter opposition in both Austria and Hungarian Governments. There is little doubt that the conference between the two emperors had reference to a tariff union and the ministers who opposed it had to resign. Rudolph Schuster Von Bonnot, minister of commerce, who was among those to resign, in a recent speech opposed the German scheme. He is a shining light in the circles that fear that after the war Germany, cut off from exploiting the entente countries, is preparing to swallow Austria-Hungary under the guise of a customs union."

FELL AND BROKE ANKLE.

Mamie Rist, 171 Lippincott street, sustained a broken ankle last evening when she fell from a Bloor street car at the corner of College street and Spadina avenue. She was attended by Dr. Silverthorne, 286 College street, and was removed to her home.

BREACH WAS OPENED IN THE ENEMIES FORT

Gap Hundred Feet Wide Torn in Redoubt by Allied Batteries.

FOE'S CONVOY SHELLED

Armored Train Driven to Cover in Engagement Near Roye.

PARIS, Dec. 1.—A breach of 100 feet was opened in one German redoubt at a point east of Boesinghe in Belgium by French and British artillery and other important damage was done in the same bombardment to the German defensive organization in the same district. The French official communique said tonight. The entire operations of the day consisted of work by artillery and this proved very effective against the Germans. A spirited cannonade took place on the sunken road from Arras and the road from Bethune, north of Bois-en-Hache, Artois, and further to the southeast the Germans violently bombarded the French positions between the Somme and the Oise, in the Roye region. The French batteries worked great havoc in replying to the Germans. They caught in a storm of fire a German armored train on the road between Chaumes and Roye and forced it to turn back and they shelled a German convoy in the Roye district with apparent effect. Northeast of Soissons a German column of Infantry was dispersed by artillery fire.

The Belgians report the throwing of projectiles by the enemy on various towns in their zone of occupation and a vigorous counter-reply from their guns.

WILL OBSERVE LAWS IN FIGHT WITH GERMANY

Britain to Keep Within International Code in Dealings With Neutrals.

READY TO ARBITRATE

Disputes Arising From Blockade of Enemy to Be Settled After War.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—"The declaration of London has no international validity, and adoption of the declaration by an order in council does not involve the creation of an international tribunal," said the Marquis of Lansdowne, minister without portfolio in the British Cabinet, in answer to a series of questions put by the Earl of Portsmouth in the house of lords today. "We have adopted the declaration only with very considerable and important modifications, and we adopted it only partially and for the guidance of our own courts." The Earl of Portsmouth's questions were submitted with a view to eliciting the exact position of Great Britain with regard to the declaration of London, and to setting at rest or confirming the reports that Lord Reading had made an arrangement with the United States Government for the reference of claims to an international tribunal after the war. On the latter point the Marquis of Lansdowne referred to the communication of Sir Edward Grey, the foreign secretary, on July 31 last, stating that it was open to Washington to claim that disputes in regard to the decisions of prize courts should be submitted for review by an international tribunal, and remarked that Sir Edward Grey's statement only

TURKS BADLY BEATEN SOUTH OF LAKE VAN

Russians in Pursuit of Enemy After Capture of Positions.

PETROGRAD, via London, Dec. 1.—The following official communication was issued today: "There is no change in the situation on the western (Russian) front. In the Caucasus, south of Lake Van, the Turks, after two days of fighting near the village of Yankouk, were dislodged from two fortified positions and retired precipitately in a westerly direction pursued by our troops."

GREECE AND ROUMANIA STILL HOLDING ALOOF

Final Settlement of Difficulties With Greece Not Yet in Sight.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—The attitude of Roumania is still uncertain. The latest reports say that she, like Greece, is trying to remain neutral, but with two belligerent armies on her borders, this, it is believed, may prove difficult. Greece, in her reply to the latest note of the entente allies, insists upon the maintenance of her neutrality and independence, and a final settlement of the points at issue between the Hellenic kingdom and the entente powers is not yet in sight. Greece objects, according to the despatches from Athens, to the evacuation of Saloniki by her troops, the handing over of the railways to the entente allies, and the policing by the navies of the entente powers of her coastal waters to circumvent the activities of the German submarines.

LADIES' FUR COATS ARE DECIDEDLY VOGUE.

The W. & D. Dineen Co. Limited, 140 Yonge street, report a wonderful season for furs. People are anticipating a long, cold winter, and are making preparations to safeguard themselves from cold and discomfort. The wonderful display of furs for men, women and children at Dineen's never fails to elicit exclamations of approval and delight as a rich fur coat and sets are examined in the luxurious display rooms. The Dineen Co. were fortunate in securing a complete supply of raw furs before the prices advanced, and are giving the people the benefit of price-savings that they are able to make. Come in today and see the display. Anticipate your Christmas buying while stocks are complete and prices are low.

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO WOMEN

FASHION DECREES REVIVAL IN FANS

Evening Toilet Incomplete Without This Gem-Studded or Many-Hued Accessory.

PLUMES ARE POPULAR

Curled Ostrich or Gloriously Tinted Peacock Feathers Are Freely Used.

In harmony with the picturesque modes favored this season for evening wear quite a revival in fans is noted.

Because of the ever-increasing vogue for black frocks, the large black feather fans are particularly effective.

A tiny French fan intended for the young girl had a frame of carved and pierced ivory.

Quite oriental in coloring and design are some of the fans for opera women.

FESTIVAL OF HANUKKAH COMMENCES TONIGHT

Legend of Feast Day is One of Most Beautiful in Hebrew Religion.

The eight-day festival of Hanukkah will commence in the homes of every orthodox Jew in Toronto at sundown this evening.

In Toronto a holiday was proclaimed at sunset last night, but it ends at sunrise today.

ADDRESSED MISSION INSTITUTES

Among the speakers at the Baptist Missionary Institutes, which closed this week at Petrolia and Stratford, were Rev. R. B. McKay, Rev. H. C. Priest, secretary of the mission board.

VISITS MINING.

The Bishop of Toronto left the city yesterday to consecrate St. Peter's Church, Mining, and to administer the rite of confirmation at Grafton.

FASHION COMPANY WINS.

Judgment for \$20 was awarded the American Fashion Co. against W. H. Starkman by Judge Morson yesterday in the first division court.

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CHURCH UNION CHANCES GROW GRADUALLY LESS

Presbyterian Vote Coming in Indicates It May Not Have Majority.

Church union will not be effected for some time according to the opinions voiced by prominent Presbyterian ministers after the completion of the vote on this question Tuesday night.

Rev. R. P. MacKay said that union would come sooner or later, altho he did not think that any steps would be taken in that direction as a result of this ballot.

IN AID OF EQUIPMENT OF 97TH AMERICAN BATTALION.

The proceeds of the Fanning concert in Massey Hall, Dec. 11, will go towards the equipment of the 97th American Battalion.

FLOOD OF PROSPERITY SWEEPING THRU WEST

Merchants Restocking Stores and Settlers Are Buying Laid.

OTTAWA, Dec. 1.—J. G. Turfitt, M.P. for Assiniboia, who returned from a trip to the west today, gives a glowing account of conditions in the three prairie provinces.

PRAISE AND BLAME HEAPED ON SIMON

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—A news agency despatch from London published here today says: Home Secretary Sir John Simon was severely handled by the Conservative press today for his threat of force as a means to stop the "Harmsworth newspapers" criticism of the government's war policy.

CALLS CONDITIONS UNIQUE AND IDEAL

Rev. Father Burke Tells Federation of Alumnae of Toronto University.

CANADIAN HEADS POLL

Miss M. L. Hart is Elected to Newly-Created Office of Trustee.

At the recent meeting of the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae held at the Sherman House, Chicago, Rev. Thos. F. Burke, C. P. late rector of Newman Hall, Toronto, was the principal speaker at the formal luncheon of the sessions.

Many Torontonians There. About seven hundred delegates and their friends from many parts of the United States and Canada were guests at the luncheon at which Father Burke spoke.

SALES OF ANTIQUES HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL. Entire Catalog List Purchased at Henderson's by Three o'Clock on Second Day.

GETS ANOTHER CHANCE.

In the county criminal court yesterday, Judge Winchester allowed William O'Reilly, convicted of receiving and retaining stolen diamond rings, to go on suspended sentence.

NEUTRAL VESSELS ARE STOPPED BY GERMANS

Enemy Preaches One Thing, But is Practicing Another.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—The foreign office today publishes a statement which it announces was made by the captain of a Swedish steamer to the effect that, before the sailing of a vessel, Swedish customs houses in all cases telegraph to Berlin information of the sailing, and that the vessel does not carry contraband.

PEMBROKE IS FULL OF GERMAN SPIES

Sensational Charges Are Made by Mayor Morris.

PEMBROKE, Ont., Dec. 1.—Mayor J. L. Morris states that this town, situated near the Petawawa military camp and with 1200 German residents, is the centre of a German spy system which radiates thru Canada.

WILLS PROBATED

In the surrogate court yesterday the will of Robert Norman of Schomberg, formerly a warden in York County who died Oct. 28 last, has been filed for probate.

FIST FIGHT BETWEEN ROUMANIAN FACTIONS

PARIS, Dec. 1.—Partisans and adversaries of the government came to blows at the opening session of the Roumanian Parliament.

SAYS C. P. R. USES JAPS.

Canadian organizer for the International Association of Plumbers and Steamfitters, John Bruce, arrived in this city yesterday from western Ontario. Bruce alleges that the Canadian Pacific Railway are bringing Japanese to work on the railway in place of some of the men who are on active service.

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Advertisement for Lockyer's Sulphur Hair Restorer. DON'T LOOK OLD. Lockyer's Sulphur Hair Restorer is quality of deepening grayness to the former color in a few days, thus securing a preserved appearance.

Advertisement for No Criminal Intent. W. E. Clarke appeared before Judge Winchester in the criminal court yesterday afternoon, charged with obtaining by false pretences \$658 from W. A. Longhurst.

Cartoon titled 'Polly and Her Pals'. A woman in a winter outfit is talking to a man. 'HOW DO YOU LIKE MY WINTER OUTFIT, PA?' 'IM GLAD TO SEE Y' GOT SOME HORSE-SENSE AT LAST!' 'THE WAY YOU WENT AROUND WITH YER CHEST EXPOSED LAST WINTER IT'S A WONDER YER ALIVE TODAY!' 'THEN IT MEETS WITH YOUR APPROVAL!' 'IT MOST SURELY DOES!' 'WELL IM GLAD OF THAT!' 'GREAT GUNS AN' LITTLE FISHERS!' 'I MIGHTA KNOWD THE DAYS OF MIRACLES WAS OVER!'

MAPLE LEAFS IN... Instances Ag... otic Wome... Patriot... SOME UNIQ... Spirit of Can... Prevails in... Big... Opening day... was just one mo... it was shown w... This monster be... foto, which is to... was conceived an... Arthurs, widely k... convenor for har... unique characte... Fair has been or... and it has the pu... worthy causes in... sent by the a... British relief ar... raised thru the e... and her assistan... opened the fair... tary little speech... distion at the... Spirit of... The spirit of... prevails. Deco... leaves and hundr... gather with spea... Christmas trees... the Bonn Radia... at the corn... Sheppard district... The "oyster" l... most paying ap... dreds enjoyed a... meal spread on l... least decked room... sent by the a... where young girl... were in attend... dainties were so... booth, where th... quaint stall, wh... work was sold a... Novelty feature... leaves and hundr... Christmas trees... the Bonn Radia... at the corn... Sheppard district... The "oyster" l... most paying ap... dreds enjoyed a... meal spread on l... least decked room... sent by the a... where young girl... were in attend... dainties were so... booth, where th... quaint stall, wh... work was sold a... Novelty feature... Large numbers... were at the rem... and judging from... the opening day... will be one of t... present season... SCHWARTZ O... ON CHA... Alleged to Hav... perty to Wi... Creditor's... Magistrate Den... dulted H. Schwa... charge of fraud... the giving of som... money at the... quoted by Oler... chased a quantity... paying a sum do... he was worth \$4... before the offic... led the amount... been paid... It was accep... \$1000... FOR 2... THIS... THE... You can obtain... Photo-L... tion of... In his full dress... of the Brit... This entrance... is valued at \$100... World readers... dress, add 5 c... dress... THE... 40 West Richm... 40 South Me...

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THE WEATHER OBSERVATORY, Toronto, Dec. 1, 8 p.m. An energetic disturbance which has moved in from the Atlantic is now situated near Cape Breton...

Beware of Fake Baking Powder Tests ("THE SPICE MILL" (N.Y.), SEPTEMBER, 1913.) Unscrupulous manufacturers of baking powder, in order to sell their product, sometimes resort to the old game of what is known as "the glass test"...

THEATRES FISKE O'HARA IN "KILKENNY" Fiske O'Hara, under the management of Augustus Pitou, Jr., will be seen at the Grand Opera House...

THEATRES (continued) "The Mikado" ... "The Dream Dancer" ... "The Hipodrome Notice" ... "The Mikado" ... Seats will be placed on sale this morning...

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ROYAL SOCIETY Conducted by Mrs. Edmund Phillips Mrs. Charles Ross, formerly Miss Norma Hayes, received yesterday for the first time since her marriage...

A PHILANTHROPIC ARTIST. On Saturday, Dec. 11, Cecil Fanning has magnanimously offered his services to the American Club of Toronto...

ST. PAUL'S METHODIST CONCERT The choir of St. Paul's Methodist Church, Avenue Road, announce a Red Cross concert for Wednesday evening, Dec. 8...

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ANNOUNCEMENTS Notices of various character relating to future events, the purpose of which is the raising of money for the National League for Children...

DUKE AND STAFF AT MILITARY COLLEGE Governor-General Also Inspects Troops of Kingston Garrison.

PTE. SHEPHERD KILLED Capt. Scandrett Appointed to Artillery Instructional Staff. Special to The Toronto World.

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AMUSEMENTS GAYETY BURLESQUE ROSEY POSEY GIRLS THRILLING NAVAL BATTLE

GRAND OPERA HOUSE HENRY MILLER AND RUTH CHATTERTON in "DADDY LONG LEGS"

CITY HALL SQUARE HIPPODROME MATS 10-15 EVENINGS 10-15-25

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SUGAR UP AND DOWN

Rails Lagged Within Narrow Limits on the New York Exchange.

WHEAT ADVANCED ON ACTIVE BUYING

Something of Reaction Followed Talk of Peace at Chicago.

FUTURES SOLD LIVELY

Record Shipments of Flour From Minneapolis Also Boomed Market.

WREATHS OF HOLLY ALREADY ON HAND

Indications of Christmas Trade on the Wholesale Fruit Market.

HAY WAS UNCHANGED

Fifteen Loads Constituted Yesterday's Offering at St. Lawrence Market.

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THE PARIS BOURSE

PARIS, Dec. 2.—Trading was inactive on the bourse today. Three per cent. bonds, 4 1/2 francs 30 centimes for cash.

Record of Yesterday's Markets

Table with columns: TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE, NEW YORK STOCKS, and various stock listings with prices and changes.

MARKET LIFELESS FOR LISTED STOCKS

The Toronto stock market showed little change in yesterday's business. The only activity and movement was in the unlisted stocks.

MINING SHARES AND SPECIALTIES THE ONLY ACTIVE ISSUES ON TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

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PORTCUPINE MINES IN THE FIRST RANK

Comparisons With Other Gold Camps on the Continent Are Favorable to Portcupine.

IRON AND STEAMSHIPS PREFERRED

Next Place in Buying at Montreal.

MONTRÉAL, Dec. 1.—Trading on the local stock exchange was devoid of feature, excepting a fairly brisk deal in Dominion Bridge.

PRICE OF SILVER.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Bar silver is off 1/4 at 36 3/4.

LONDON METAL MARKET.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Copper, spot, £80, up 10s; futures, £80, up 10s.

STANDARD EXCHANGE.

Cobalt Stocks—4 1/4, 4 1/4, 4 1/4, 4 1/4, 4 1/4, 4 1/4, 4 1/4, 4 1/4, 4 1/4, 4 1/4.

MONEY RATES.

Buyers. Sellers. Counter. N.Y. 1-64 dis. 1/4 to 1/2.

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THE PARIS BOURSE

PARIS, Dec. 2.—Trading was inactive on the bourse today. Three per cent. bonds, 4 1/2 francs 30 centimes for cash.

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LOOK THIS LIST OVER AND SHOP AT SIMPSON'S TODAY

Men's English House Coats \$6.00

In plain gray, with fancy plaid lapels, cuffs and pockets; trimmed with cord; single-breasted; sizes 36 to 46. Price... 6.00

Boys' Chinchilla Overcoats \$4.49

150 Coats for Little Fellows of From 3 to 9 Years—Cosy double-breasted styles, with collar that fits up close to chin, all-around belt, and check flannel linings; sizes 21 to 27. Clearing Thursday... 4.49

Men's Soft Hats

Fedora shapes, in fine English and American fur felt, also velour or plush finishes. Regular \$1.50 and \$2.00. Thursday... 1.00

Christmas Gift Ideas in Leather

A GREAT DISPLAY NOW READY FOR YOUR CHOOSING. Fitted Dressing Cases for men and women... 1.00 up to 5.00

"Wolsey" Underwear for Men

Medium Weight Underwear, extra fine English wool shirts, and drawers with reinforced seat; sizes 34 to 44... 1.75

The New Winter Boot Styles

await your appreciation. Every expectation of good taste—every demand of faultless style is met by a charming variety of the newest New York models.

"Queen Quality" Shoes for Women—Make selection; delightful whether for evening or day wear, for street, social function, or sports afield; among the many styles of "Queen Quality" Shoes will be found the appropriate one, satisfying completely with fit, comfort and smartness.

"Victor" Officers' Knee Style Boots, a South African tested model; these, too, have been through the test of use at the front. Price 11.00

"Victor" Hercules, made in black and tan winter calf; Blucher style; neat-fitting last; tan horsehide lining; heavy viscolized sole. Price 4.95

Rubber Specials RUBBER PRICES TODAY—Men's, .69. Women's, .49. Misses', .41. Children's, .34. Boys', .54. Youths', .45

WOMEN'S EVENING SLIPPERS. With hand-turned soles; Spanish, Cuban and French heels; made in all this season's wanted materials; colored satins to match the gowns of delicate shades, also black satin, velvet, suede, patent cloth, dull kid and bronze. Prices... 1.95 to 8.00

"VICTOR" BOOTS FOR MEN. The prices quoted for "Victor" Boots represent the minimum at which boots of the best quality can be obtained, and should the price of leather continue to rise, these quotations must necessarily be subject to advances. We must maintain the reputation "Victors" have made. The prices charged are so reasonable only because this Store is one of the largest buyers of footwear in America, and can command the best values for its customers.

A Wonderful Range of Furs for Gifts

Mole Muffs, from the finest Scotch moleskins, in large, soft, pillow shapes; best down filling; taupe silk lining. Special... 18.00

At the Festival of the Allies on the Fourth Floor—today's values: 100 Teddy Bears at 98c



A Carload of Sleighs for Girls and Boys

SPECIALLY HEAVY STEEL RUNNERS. Boys' Coasting Sleighs, made from selected hardwood, nicely striped and varnished, fancy decorated seats, clean finished hand holes and rails; extra heavy steel spring runners.

Japanese China

Hand-Painted Royal Nippon Bone-China Dishes, Sugar Shakers, Perfume Bottles, Cups and Saucers, Ash Trays, Basket Cream Jugs, Plates, etc. Thursday... 23

RENAISSANCE TABLECLOTHS

72-inch size, 18-inch border of lace, with drawn work centres. Usually \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.50. Thursday... 2.99

Serving Trays

Picture Section. Made of mahogany-finished mouldings, fitted with brass handles, felt bottoms, glass and imitation tapestry. Regular \$1.50, for... .89

JEWELRY AS GIFTS

10k Gold Real Cameo Scarf Pins and Brooches, beautiful pink and white cameos; 9k and 10k Real Pearl and Pearl and Colored Stone-Set Brooches; 9k Gold and Gold-Filled Band Bracelets; Gold-Filled Men's Fobs, safety chain and chain; Gold-Filled Lookets, with gold-filled neck chains; plain and stone-set designs, room for two photos; Gold-Filled Rosaries. Regularly \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00. Thursday... 1.95

PAPER AND BOOKS

Handsome Gift Paper, containing 48 sheets fine white linen notepaper, with envelopes to match, for... .49

CANDY—FOURTH FLOOR

500 lbs. Log Rolls, per lb. .30 Fry's Assorted Chocolates, 1/4-lb. box .20 1000 Chocolate Cream Milk Bars, 2 for .5

Home Gifts in Bedding, Linens, Staples

Bed Comforters Half-Price. Majah Laminated Comforters, silklike coverings, fancy stitched, pretty borders, with plain panels to match; size 72 x 72 inches. Regular \$5.00. Thursday... 2.50

The Laundry AT SAVING PRICES.

"Imperial" Clothes Wringers, enclosed cogs, warranted rubber rolls. Regular \$4.00. Thursday... 2.98

Everything to prepare your Home for the reception of Christmas guests is here at small prices.

FOR PARLOR OR LIVING-ROOM. Parlor Suites, made of solid mahogany; beautiful design, and richly carved; the settee, arm chair and arm rocker, covered in fine silk tapestry. Regular \$85.00. Thursday... 42.50

Framed Pictures 49c

WERE 65c, 95c, \$1.25 to \$1.98. Travelers' samples, including landscapes, figures, in photographs, hand-colored prints, sepia prints and novelties; many reproductions of famous pictures. Frames are of walnut, antique gilt and mission oak, good stock. Thursday, each... .49

Electric Lighting

TWO DECEMBER SPECIALS. 18 and 14-inch semi-indirect "Lamo" glass, hand decorated bowls, dropped on brass chains; Flemish and Flemish gold finishes. Regular \$18.00. Thursday... 7.98 and 8.35

China, Glass and Brassware

NEW "ROYAL DOULTON" RAIL PLATES. At 98c — "Rosalind," "Shylock," "Wolsey," "Falstaff," "Orlando," "Hamlet," etc. .98

ART BRASS.

\$2.00 7-inch Jardinieres... 1.19 \$1.00 Toddy Kettles... .69 \$1.50 Crumb Tray and Scraper... .98

For Floors That Need Covering

Reversible Myrtles Rugs, \$2.25—200 only, one Oriental design in two colorings. Size 30 x 36 inches. Thursday... 2.50

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