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GERMANS CAPTURE RUSSIAN CITIES OF REVAL AND PSKOV

Japs Will Land Large Force at Harbin to Assist Cossacks in Siberia

RETURNED MEN WILL BE HELD IN BATTALIONS

Col. R. S. Wilson Likely to Command These Special Service Units.

TO GET PROMOTION

Other Officers With Military Hospitals Commission Go With Him.

Col. R. S. Wilson, O. C. "D" Unit, Military Hospitals Commission Command, will receive promotion when he gives up his present post following the taking over by the Canadian Army Medical Corps of the military hospitals.

Wounded and invalided soldiers, when they return home, will henceforth be drafted into battalions having headquarters at Exhibition Camp. These units will be known as special service battalions. Men who require hospital treatment will also be attached to these units and during their absence for treatment will be shown as on command.

Col. Wilson, it is said, will be raised to the rank of brigadier-general, and will have command of all these special service battalions, and will be responsible to the general officer commanding the district for the discipline of the men. His officers will most probably be those at present holding offices under the Military Hospitals Commission, and such other returned officers as he may need.

VOTE TO GO BACK

Drumheller Miners So Decide After a Stormy Session.

HEAVY ARTILLERY ON AMERICAN FRONT

Twelve and Fourteen-Inch Rifles Have Been Shipped Overseas.

HAVE LONG RANGE

Were Originally Designed for Coast Defences of the United States.

Washington, Feb. 25.—American-built ordnance of the latest type and heaviest calibre—ten-inch, twelve-inch and fourteen-inch rifles—are in service on the sector of the western front held by the American army and on the Italian front, it was learned today at the war department. The general belief has been that very few American heavy guns were in Europe.

The guns sent to Italy include a number of 14-inch rifles, both of forty-five and fifty calibre. The former was considered the most powerful naval weapon in existence until the commissioning of the British battleships of the Queen Elizabeth class still believe that the 14-inch fifty calibre rifle is harder hitting and more accurate even than the larger British weapon.

Reports from Italy say the results achieved by the heavy American ordnance already have elicited expressions of admiration from the Italian gunners. In addition to heavy naval ordnance, Gen. Pershing has received word of reserve 12-inch rifles designed originally for installation in the coast defences of the United States. When this country entered the war there was a substantial number of these guns in American arsenals, but the change of their being needed here was deemed so small that the war department did not hesitate to ship them abroad. Mounted on specially designed carriages they are now located along the American sector.

What Council Did

Decided to apply for the following legislation: Abolishing tax exemptions on churches, schools, Y.W.C.A.'s, Y.M.C.A.'s, etc. To impose a surtax of from 1 per cent. to 5 per cent. on corporations using the city's streets; To impose a tax of 5 per cent. on all public service corporations; Refused to adopt mayor's proposal to transfer functions of advisory industrial committee to board of education. Instructed civic heads to weed out alien enemies in city's employ; Instructed license commissioner not to issue licenses to alien enemies, but refused to restrict issuance of licenses to British-born or naturalized subjects. Heard Ald. Ball introduce notice of motion to ask the provincial government to displace the chairman of the railway board. Adopted motion against the teaching of German in the schools.

The "Talk" Record. Controller McBride up 14 his reputation, as the following list, giving the number of times each member spoke, shows: McBride, 46; Church, 18; Flewman, Hiltz, Gibbons, 9 each; Maguire, Ball, 8 each; McEwen, O'Neill, Robbins, Graham, 6 each; Weir, 5; Bannish, 4; Cowan, F. M. Johnston, E. W. Johnston, Nesbitt, Risk, 3 each; Birdsal, Blain, Ramsden, Byrding, 1 each; Honeyford, McMillin and Sykes did not speak.

BRYAN SENT HERE; WAS NOT INVITED

Anti-Saloon League of America is Responsible for Visit.

The executive of the prohibition forces of Ontario finds itself in somewhat of a dilemma regarding the coming visit of William Jennings Bryan to the city to speak at the big provincial prohibition convention which opens today. Mr. Bryan was not invited to Toronto; he was sent by the Anti-Saloon League of America along with Dr. Baker to represent them. There has been a reciprocal arrangement between the Dominion Alliance in Canada and the Anti-Saloon League of America to interchange speakers at their annual meetings. Three speakers from Canada were sent recently to the United States and were present at the convention of the temperance forces there. In return William Jennings Bryan and Dr. Baker have been appointed to come to Canada to represent the A.S.L. The executive felt that if they had known in time what a stir the coming of Bryan would create, they might have made other suggestions in a courteous manner; but at the present late hour they find themselves faced with the question of what to do. After a lengthy discussion, it was referred back to the secretary and a committee.

The executive meeting of the Dominion Alliance was held in the headquarters at the Lansden Building last night. The reports from the secretary and treasurer were presented and accepted. Joseph Gibson, ex-president, made a few remarks urging temperance people to keep on with the work or there was yet a big struggle when the vote was taken on the Dominion-wide prohibition, after the war.

Hammered on the Anvil of God.

Like the old woman that lived in a shoe, and had so many children she didn't know what to do, so the Kaiser with his Russian war babies, the German may start in to kill them off or starve them; perhaps enslave them; but they'll weaken his power in other directions. Perhaps the allies may think they've escaped a serious task. But it may be the beginning of one of the startling episodes in the history of peoples. The Russians need guides, leaders, patrons, friends; and they'll not find them in Germany. They are more likely to meet with task-masters, cruel and indifferent, and with the temporary loss of the sympathy of the world at large. The Russians will now have to save themselves, all that we can say in this, their hour of supreme trial, is that while they knew the czar as a weakling with a military despotism behind him, in Germany they are likely to find a Hun driver with a whip and a sword to command and kill.

The Russians are the product of long years of serfdom and inhuman treatment and a cruel fate may have still more of it in store for them. We can at least pray the day may yet come when civilization and the rest of humanity may give them a helping hand to lift them out of their miserable and fallen lot. These poor people have yet the image of God in their faces and the hope of social redemption in their breasts. It's a world tragedy, that's the most you can say.

MAROONED ON TOP OF ROUNDHOUSE

Don River Quickly Swells and Fills Up the Valley.

MEN IN DANGER

Many Attempts to Save Them, But Little Success is Achieved.

Swelled by the recent rains, the rapidly rising waters of the Don River rose over the banks near the site of the Canadian northern Rosedale station, upper Don Valley, early this morning, causing the employees of the railway who were working in the vicinity to flee for their lives. Others who were not so fortunate were forced to the roof of a nearby roundhouse for protection from the swift and rapidly rising water.

The first notification of the plight of the marooned men was received by Operator F. Kerr, of the police operating room, Court street station. Operator Kerr immediately notified the authorities, and the hook and ladder from Rose avenue fire station was sent to rescue the men. It was later found necessary to dispatch a second hook and ladder from Yorkville avenue station, the wagons approaching the stranded men from the opposite sides of the bank. Owing to the insecure footing, however, and the lack of apparatus, the firemen were unable to reach the men.

For some time the residents in the vicinity of the Don have been alarmed at the rapid rise of the water, but to great excitement was created early this morning when wild rumors to the effect that an avalanche of water was sweeping down the valley alarmed all who were nearby. Speaking to the press this morning, J. McArthur, who lives on Park drive, said that he was cut off from his cattle sheds and connected to lose about five head of cattle. When called up on the telephone the yard agent of the Canadian Northern Railway, Rosedale station, stated that they had about three feet of water in that vicinity and that it was a good deal worse above the station. Several of the cars on the water were completely swamped, the water rising as high as the roof of the morning, to the tops of the seats. Several men were said to have taken refuge on the roofs of the cars, but were rescued by the relief parties who were hurriedly organized.

It is expected that the damage will amount to thousands of dollars. At 2.30 this morning the water was at high stage at the station, during the night. Police and firemen were scouring the city in search of row-boats in an effort to rescue the railway cars. The water was still rising towards the bay, over the Don flats, at 40 miles an hour.

HERTLING ANNOUNCES PEACE WITH RUSSIA

Dispute About Details Still Possible But Main Thing Has Been Achieved.

Amsterdam, Feb. 25.—Count von Hertling, the German imperial chancellor, announced today in the Reichstag that the Russian Government had accepted the German peace conditions and he added that the conclusion of peace must ensue shortly. "News was received yesterday," said the chancellor, "that Petrograd had accepted our conditions and had sent its representatives to Brest-Litovsk for further negotiations. Accordingly, our delegates traveled thither last evening. It is possible there will still be a dispute about details, but the main thing has been achieved. The will to peace has been expressed, announced from the Russian side; our conditions have been accepted and the conclusion of peace must ensue within a very short time."

NELSON ELECTION

Voting in the Deferred Contest Will Take Place on April 1.

NEW HATS FOR MEN.

The new spring styles in hats for men have arrived at Dineen's—the choice of the best from the English hat makers. Come in and make your choice early. The stock is strictly assorted. Dineen's, 140 Yonge street.

GERMANS CAPTURE REVAL AFTER FIGHT; TAKE PSKOV ALSO

Enemy Holds Town Hundred and Sixty Miles From Petrograd.

FORTRESS FALLS, TOO

Rapid Advance of Invaders Seen in Reduction of Two Points.

Berlin, via London, Feb. 25.—The German forces have occupied Reval after an engagement with the Russians, and have also captured Pskov (about 180 miles southwest of Petrograd). This announcement is made in the official report from general headquarters tonight. The text reads: "The town and fortress of Reval were occupied at 10.30 o'clock this morning after a battle. Reval, capital of the Province of Esthonia, is a fortified seaport on the Gulf of Finland, about 230 miles west of Petrograd by rail. Prior to the outbreak of the war large numbers of its population of nearly 300,000 were Germans. The town did a large export business before the war, chiefly of grain, timber, fax, hides, wool and hemp, its aggregate trade averaging well above \$30,000,000 annually. The old imperial palace built by Peter the Great, still stands in the town, which also contains numerous other buildings of historic renown. The town of Pskov, in German known as Pskov, is the capital of the government of the same name. It has a Kremlin on a hill and a historic cathedral. The ruins of many castles and fortifications are still to be seen in or near the town. The business of Pskov is unimportant.

BRITISH PATROL ATTACKS ENEMY UPON PIAVE

Allied Aircraft Bombed Many Railway Stations Behind Austrian Front.

Rome, Feb. 25.—The communication from general headquarters today reads: "There was lively cannonading on both sides from the Adige to Astico and moderate firing actions on the rest of the front. On the left bank of the Piave a British patrol attacked a body of the enemy, causing considerable losses. At Cabo Sile hostile parties, who over a large tract of the front, were trying to attack a bridgehead, were promptly dispersed. There was intense aerial activity during the day over the first line. Four enemy machines were brought down, two by the French and two by us; they fell in the region of Monte Grappa. A fifth hit by our anti-aircraft batteries, came down in flames near Borsone. At night our airplanes bombed railway stations at Matarello, south of Trent, and Primolano, where there was an intense traffic, and also bombed enemy aviation camps near La Comina and Saint Flor di Sopra. Again hostile machines have dropped bombs on inhabited places at Castel Franco, Mestre and Venice."

FOR EIGHT-HOUR DAY AT SIX DOLLARS

Every Man in Railway Shops in Dominion Represented in Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Feb. 25.—Eight hours a day at six dollars in wages is being asked by every man in railway shops from Halifax to Vancouver. Railwaymen from every corner of the Dominion are in Winnipeg today for a convention which promises to be of vital interest. The sessions are being held behind closed doors, and every union embracing mechanics is represented. The proposed raise in wages applies to machinists, boilermakers, blacksmiths and all men working in the shops. Trackmen will not be affected by the application. It is expected that the conference will last a week. The C.P.R., C.N.R. and the G.T.F. are all affected, it is believed, and the question of exemption from military service of all railwaymen will be taken up.

Reciprocal Bombardments Extend on French Front

Paris, Feb. 25.—The official report from the war office tonight says: "There were reciprocal bombardments on the French front, and in the region of Chaume Wood. Eastern theatre, Feb. 24: Artillery actions took place in the region of Dolomieu. Enemy establishments were bombed by allied aviators in the Verdun Valley and east of the Struma. 'Social' defensive fronts—in the violent storm hampered all activity."

GERMANS REFUSE TO FIGHT RUSSIANS

Twenty Thousand Disobey Order to Attack—Resistance Begins.

Petrograd, Feb. 25.—A report that 20,000 German soldiers refused to attack the Russians in the new campaign was given out today by the Bolshevik Telegraph Agency. Polish troops in some instances are said to have fled. The issuance of war reports was begun today, the following communication being given out: "Socialist defensive fronts—in the region of Borisoff (45 miles northeast of Minsk), a detachment was sent to destroy bridges, Borisoff and Piotrk in the hands of the revolutionary forces. 'Hapsal and Venden have been taken by the Germans who fought a battle with a Lithuanian detachment. The station at Korsovak and the Town of Ostrov have been occupied by the Germans. Poles are advancing from stockin' up stores in flood of water overtakes Canada. According to reports from Arensburg, 20,000 German troops refused to attack."



Mrs. Vernon Castle at the funeral of her aviator husband at the Church of the Transfiguration, New York City. The funeral was a great tribute to the dead aviator officer.

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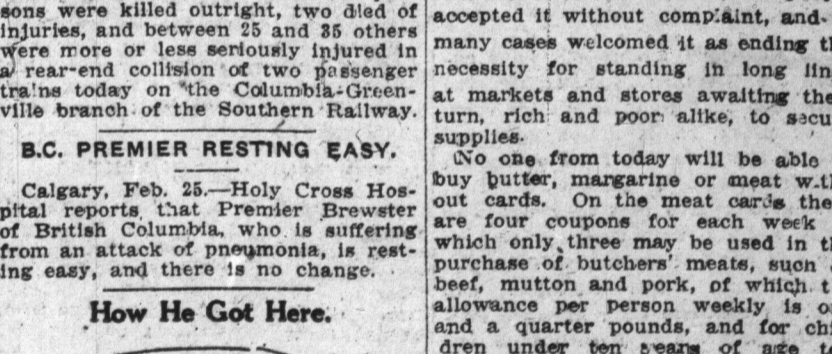
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TEN PERSONS KILLED

Over Thirty Others Injured in Collision on South Carolina Railway.

Columbia, S.C., Feb. 25.—Ten persons were killed outright, two died of injuries, and between 25 and 35 others were more or less seriously injured in a rear-end collision of two passenger trains today on the Columbia-Green-ville branch of the Southern Railway. B.C. PREMIER RESTING EASY. Calgary, Feb. 25.—Holy Cross Hospital reports B.C. Premier Brewster of British Columbia, who is suffering from an attack of pneumonia, is resting easy, and there is no change.

How He Got Here.



Th' Lan'mark: Bill Brine ort to be run our'n York. Hok: Why, neighbor? Th' Lan'mark: He wants to stop th' Biker and an' keep th' poor settlers from stockin' up stores in flood of water overtakes Canada. Hok: Who brings him here, John? John: Wee Eole, Bill Hoarse and E. L. Borden.

BRITISH ADVANCE ON EUPHRATES

Gen. Marshall Occupies Khana Burayat, Near Hit, After Skirmish.

London, Feb. 25.—British forces operating along the Euphrates River, in Mesopotamia, have occupied Khana Burayat, meeting with little resistance from the Turks, the war office announces. The statement follows: "On Wednesday our Euphrates troops occupied Khana Burayat, 14 miles west of Ramadlen, and patrols advanced to within 10 miles of Hit (100 miles west of Bagdad). The Turks made little resistance. Thirty were captured."

JAPS TO LAND ARMY TO HELP COSSACK CHIEF

Allies Have Decided on Intervention to Save Siberia From Enemy.

TO FIGHT BOLSHEVIKI

Allied Troops Will Appear at Early Date—Harbin Prepares.

Harbin, Wednesday, Feb. 20.—The Japanese, according to reliable authority, intend to take action in Siberia at an early date, and there are evidences that the Japanese have long been preparing to carry out this move. The situation in Siberia is considered extremely grave, owing to the inability of the Cossack General Semenov, head of the anti-Bolshevik movement in that vast territory, to secure allied support, for which he has appealed to the Japanese. A General Semenov's movement, is now officially recognized, and a general committee has been formed at Harbin, which will act as a general staff, divided into three departments—financial, military and administrative. The Russian consul, M. P. Pofo, has been appointed chairman of the committee. Two thousand Germans have been armed and are drilling at Irkutsk, capital of the government of I kutak in eastern Siberia, and according to an official report received from a foreign consul, the Germans are making all preparations to bring much larger forces there.

WOMAN ASSISTING ALIEN ENEMIES?

Windsor Authorities Will Enquire Regarding Statement of German Prisoner.

Special to The Toronto World. Windsor, Feb. 25.—Anxious to learn further particulars regarding the identity of Jesse W. Hoffman, a military prisoner now being held at London, the military authorities of No. 1 district have asked Inspector O. G. Adams, in charge of the local immigration staff, to see what truth there may be in allegations of Hoffman that a well-known Windsor woman whose name is withheld has for some time been actively assisting alien enemies to leave Canada. Hoffman, it is said, has not only admitted that he is a German, but the authorities think they have discovered that he escaped from one of the big German liners interned by the United States after declaration of war. He was arrested here some months ago, later being sent under military guard to London.

FLOODS REPORTED IN MIDDLESEX

Many Cattle Are Drowned and Farmers Are Vacating Houses.

FIELDS INUNDATED

With Huge Volume of Water Greatest Flood in Years is Expected.

London, Ont., Feb. 25.—Heavy damage in London and the other districts is reported tonight from floods. Following a mild day rain fell heavily for two hours tonight, and the river rose rapidly. The volume of water in the city was so heavy that the sewers were not large enough to accommodate it and it overflowed the sidewalks, running into the cellars of stores and damaging all kinds of goods stored. From various parts of the country reports indicate that scores of chickens and cattle were drowned, the farms having no time to get them out of buildings, as the water rose so rapidly. In the vicinity of White Oak, Dingmans Creek is reported to have risen nearly six feet, flooding fields and barns and causing heavy damage. Grave fears are entertained for those in the district, and Komoka. All efforts to reduce the floods caused by the seven-mile ice jam failed today, and when the huge volume of water comes sweeping in from all over the country the greatest flood in years is expected. Hundreds of people remained up all night, and many have vacated their homes, fearing trouble. All cattle were driven from the danger points.

THE STORE'S CONVENIENCES. Waiting and Rest Room, Third Floor. The Information Bureau and Post Office, Main Floor. The Free Parceling and Checking Desk, in the Basement.

EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

At Yonge, Queen and James Street doors are order boxes where orders are instructed. These boxes are emptied at 8.20, 9, 10 a.m., and 1, 4 and 4.40 p.m.

Two Great Values in Women's New Spring Skirts, as Illustrated, Today

Women's Figured Flannel Dressing Gowns Greatly Reduced at, Each, 98c

Cosy garments that are almost indispensable on chilly mornings are these dressing gowns, fashioned of serviceable figured flannel. They are made with kimono sleeves and low neck, are fitted at waist with elastic. The collar and cuffs are trimmed with knife-pleated frill of satin ribbon. Procurable in Copen, and navy. Sizes 36 to 44. Today, greatly reduced, each 98

Women's Imported Figured Cotton Crepe Dressing Gowns, are made in loose model, gathered onto yoke at back and front, and shirred onto elastic across back, with silk ribbon girdle. The large collar and cuffs are trimmed with satin ribbon, in corresponding colors. Obtainable in sky, navy and rose. Sizes 36 to 44. Price 2.50

—Third Floor, Yonge Street.



\$5.95

Silk Poplin Skirts, \$5.95

Silk Poplin Skirts, copied from a New York model. Material is a fashionable spring fabric that will give excellent wear. Style is illustrated. Colors, black, navy Copen, grey, brown, green and gold. 23 to 30 waistband, 34 to 39 lengths. Special, Today. 5.95

All-Wool Serge Skirts, \$3.95

The smart spring style is illustrated. We bought them some time ago in anticipation of this event, and have marked them at very low prices. Made from a good quality all-wool English serge in black and navy. There are all sizes, 23 to 30 and 35 to 40 lengths. We lay special emphasis on the very exceptional value of these garments and expect to sell the whole 500 quickly. Today 3.95

Misses' Sateen Petticoats, 69c

Made from fine quality mercerized sateen in black, navy, Copen, green, purple, brown and rose. Have pretty flounce of space pleating. 30 to 24 lengths. Today 69

New Shetland Sweaters, \$6.50

A variety of styles in the ultra-fashionable link and link stitch. Large collars, sashes and belts. Rose, Copen, maize, purple, Nile, emerald, gold, black and white. Plain or in combination. 36 to 44 sizes 6.50

—Third Floor—Centre.



\$3.95

Mentioning the Delightful Coats Obtainable in the Misses' Section at \$25.00

The young miss of limited income will revel in the immensely smart coats to be had at so moderate a figure. They are fashioned of fine gabardines, serges and wool poplins, in a variety of ways, and are cut on the slim lines, approved of this season, with attractive touches given by the placing of their belts, their contrasting collars and unique pockets. All are lined to waist with pretty silk and are obtainable in green, brown, sand, navy, Holland and checks. Sizes 14 to 20. Price 25.00

Misses' Fine Shepherd Check Serge Skirts at \$6.00

One style, which has separate belt all round, has diagonal pocket on either side, with flap. The other has deep heading all round and two perpendicular pockets, which are button trimmed. Sizes 22 to 26 waist measure. Lengths 31 to 36. Price 5.00

—Third Floor, Yonge St.

Women's Smart Spring Suits, at \$30 A Splendid Variety of Styles, Materials and Shades From Which to Select

Fashioned in such distinctly attractive styles that the fastidious woman will find the selection most pleasing. Furthermore, their fabrics include such popular materials as Jersey cloth, poplins, gabardines and serges.

Some are in semi-Norfolk style, with large convertible collars, all-round belts and two large pockets. The skirt is gathered at the back under a narrow belt and boasts two pockets. One style has new bustle-like flare at the back of the coat, all-round belt. Rows of stitching and large smoked pearl buttons form effective trimming on front and cuffs. The smart shawl collar has an over-collar and vest of corded silk. The skirt is gathered at the back under the belt. Another style has a coat pleated at the back below the belt, which is in three-piece style. There are box pleats and two patch pockets at the front, and buttons appear in every possible place. The skirt is gathered at the back and has a button-trimmed yoke. A suit in the popular Norfolk style, has two large patch pockets, all-round belt and button-trimmed cuffs, and the collar is in the modish shawl shape. The skirt is gathered at the back and has a slash pocket. Every suit is lined with satin or silk, and may be had in such popular shades as grey, navy blue, Saxe blue, green, shepherds' check, sand and black. Sizes 32 to 44. Price . . . 80.00

Extra Large Size Suits for Women, 41 to 50-1-2 Bust

Not only are they immensely smart, but an admirable feature is the scientific designing which tends to give the stout figure a slender appearance. A special section is devoted to their display, where the stout woman may obtain a modish suit in sizes 41 to 49 bust measure, and the woman with large bust and small hips in sizes 42 1/2 to 50 1/2 bust. The materials are those so popular for spring—gabardines, poplins and serges. They may be had in the fashionable greys, navy blue and black. Priced from \$15.00 to \$20.00

—Third Floor, James Street.

Attractive and New House Dresses for Women

Modern "Marthas" will delight in these new Dresses, which have recently arrived; for besides being pretty and smart, they are immensely practical for wearing in work-a-day periods. One style is illustrated, several described and the display boasts many more quite as interesting.

Women's New One-piece House Dresses

in figured print, with large cape collar, bound with self-colored piping, three-quarter sleeves, with cuffs, broad belt finished with pipings, fully gored skirt gathered at back. Colors navy and white, sky and white, pink and white, or helio and white. Sizes 34 to 44. Price 1.50

Women's New One-piece House Dresses

of striped print, having large square collar of white pique, three-quarter sleeves with turn-back cuffs to match collar, normal waistline, fully flared skirt gathered at back. Colors sky and white, Oxford and white, pink and white. Sizes 34 to 46. Price 1.75

Women's New One-piece House Dresses

of colored Cambric, having

Women's New One-piece House Dresses

("Dix" make), in fancy check gingham, having pointed collar of fancy vesting, full yoke, new style belt, long sleeves with cuffs to match collar, large fancy pockets. Colors pink and black, tan, sky, helio and white. Sizes 34 to 46. . . . 5.50

—Third Floor, James Street.



\$2.75

Boys' Jerseys and Sweaters, Greatly Reduced, Today, 69c Each

A good Sweater Coat or Jersey is one of the boy's most necessary garments, especially at this season, and here are the thick, cosy kind, offered in many cases at less than half usual price. It is a clean-up of several odd lines, included are jerseys of fine ribbed worsted (a wool and cotton mixture). Colors are plain navy, also navy with cardinal or white trim. Sweaters are in plain cardigan stitch, in shades of slate with maroon trim. All are pull-over style, with stand-up collar and closely-fitting cuffs. Sizes for ages 3 to 10 years. Greatly reduced, each 69

BOYS' NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, 50c EACH

They are fine shirting materials in light grounds, with stripes of blue, black, helio; they are made with attached laundered cuffs and neckbands, yoke across shoulder and all seams are double sewn. Sizes 12 to 14. Each, 50

Men's Sweaters, pull-over style, all plain cardigan stitch, made with double roll collar and close-fitting cuffs. They come in plain grey only, and are in medium sizes. Reduced price, each, 59

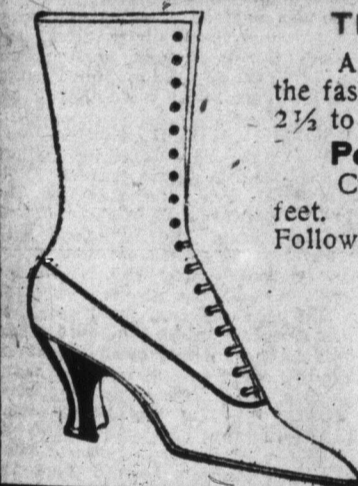
Men's Spring Weight Underwear, of cotton merino, in a light natural color, shirts and drawers

are finished with beige facings, close-fitting cuffs and ankles. Sizes 34 to 44. Per garment, 69

Men's Four-in-Hand Neckwear, silk mixtures, in diagonal stripes and figured designs, large shapes, with wide flowing ends, thin, strong neckbands. Colors include green, red, sky, brown, helio, grey, navy. Each . . . 1.24

Men's Fancy Colored Shirts, are made from fine shirting materials, in light grounds, with stripes of blue, black, mauve, tan, attached laundered or soft cuffs, cost style, and bodies are generously cut. Sizes 14 to 17. Each . . . 59

—Main Floor, Centre.



This New Spring Boot for Women, Priced at \$4.75

A smart spring style is this in dark Havana brown or black kid, with the fashionable high-laced top, plain vamps and leather Louis heels. Sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Price, pair 4.75

Popular Styles in Children's Cushion Soled Shoes

Cushion Soled Shoes are designed with a view to the needs of growing feet. They are made on nature lasts, which leave ample space for the toes. Following are a few popular styles:

A patent leather, button or laced model, with dull calf tops; also patent leather, button with black cloth tops, or tops of white buckskin; gunmetal calf button or laced; brown elkskin blucher. Sizes 5 to 7 1/2. Price 3.45

Sizes 8 to 10 1/2. Price 3.95

Infants' Pussfoot Patent Leather Button Boots, in black or chocolate kid, or patent leather with white or black tops. Sizes 1 to 4. Price . . . 1.65 to 1.85

Irish Cotton Hemstitched Sheets, finished and bleached. Sizes 72 x 90 inches. Pair

Second Floor, James St. — \$3.85

—Second Floor, James St. —

T. EATON & CO.

Practical Gloves of Chamousette, Moderately Priced at 69c

Washable Gloves are most practical for present and early spring wear, therefore a more serviceable glove than one of chamousette could scarcely be desired. Gloves of chamousette have splendid wearing qualities and, although washed numerous times, usually retain their smart appearance. These gloves at 69c are well made, have inworn seams, neat self-stitched backs and two dome fasteners. Available in white only. Sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Moderately priced at, per pair 69



—Main Floor, Yonge Street.

DEVOY FOMENTED IRISH REBELLION

Editor of Gaelic-American Shipped Arms to Sinn Feiners.

Washington, Feb. 25.—John Devoy, New York, editor of the recently suppressed Gaelic-American, was the man behind the German-Sinn Feiner efforts to launch a revolution in Ireland in 1916, according to his own claims in a letter, copy of which was made public today.

In the communication, found on the premises of Lawrence D. Lacey at the time of the latter's arrest in California in August, 1917, Devoy claims all credit for the unsuccessful arms shipment to Ireland, saying Roger Casement had nothing more to do with it than the man in the moon.

"I avail myself of the chance of our friend returning to San Francisco to send this letter by hand. Nothing is safe in the mails in this free country.

"Our information as to what occurred at home on this side, was very meagre up to a couple of weeks ago. Now, authentic accounts coming by hand, show us that we guessed pretty accurately.

"The substance of it all is that the betrayal of the information about the shipment of arms by Wilson's men enabled the English to catch the vessel.

"There is no doubt at all about this. They got in the raid on Von Igel's office a note of mine—the transcript

of a message received in cipher from Berlin, and wired to Berlin the day before—April 17—a request not to land the arms before the night of Sunday, 23. That was its meaning, but it used the word 'goods.' It was at once given to the English, and they sent out their patrol boats, and caught the ship. Then they sent troops to Ireland.

"That would not have spoiled the rising, because if they were in the field other shipments would have been sent. Casement did the rest. He landed on Friday, and sent a message to McNeill to stop it, that it was hopeless, etc. McNeill got it Saturday, and issued his countermand.

Tired of Casement

"It is not true that the Germans treated us badly; they did everything we asked, but they were weary of his (Casement's) impractical dreams, and told us to deal directly with them here. He had no more to do with getting that ship load than the man in the moon. The request was made from Dublin, and we transmitted it from here. They replied in nine days, and the message was sent to Dublin by a girl who had brought out the request.

"He (Casement) told everything to every fellow who called on him. Christensen, who 'aved him, is one of the worst crooks I ever met, and was in the pay of the English all along.

"Casement was warned of that from Ireland and the first thing he did was to tell the fellow himself and to give him the name of the man who had warned him. Christensen was going over from here to testify against him—and incidentally to give away all our secrets that he had got from Roger, but we kept him here.

"I don't want you to tell any of this. I mean about Roger—to any one

AGRICULTURE INSTRUCTION

In Four Years Ontario Received the Largest Grant Under the Act.

Ottawa, Feb. 25.—Activities under the Agriculture Instruction Act of 1913 are reviewed in a pamphlet published by authority of the minister of agriculture. Under the act ten million dollars were set aside for expenditure by the provinces on agriculture during the ten years ending March 31, 1923. In the first four years of the period, the pamphlet states, \$2,400,000 was distributed among the provinces for the benefit of agriculture, Ontario receiving the largest grant, \$993,774, and Quebec the second largest, \$895,414.

An increase in the number of home plots and school gardens is indicated in the pamphlet. In the Dominion there were, in 1917, 4409 school gardens; 194,538 home plots and projects; 1311 boys' and girls' clubs; 897 school farms.

W. J. Back, Dominion commissioner of agricultural instruction, is author of the pamphlet.

BIG DEATH TOLL IN CHINA.

Amoy, China, Feb. 25.—Nearly 10,000 persons lost their lives as a result of the recent earthquake in the Amoy hinterland, according to the latest reports from Swatow.

ALLIED DIPLOMATS MOVE.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Stockholm cables to the state department today declared Ambassador Francis and other allied diplomats planned to leave Petrograd Feb. 28 (last Saturday), proceeding towards Moscow.

Enemy Tried to Trap Gompers Into Socialist Conference

New York, Feb. 25.—An attempt on the part of German trade unionists to induce Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, to attend a workers' conference to discuss peace is made known by Mr. Gompers, who said in a statement that he declined the invitation, which came from Karl Legien, head of the Federated Trades Union of Germany, and a Social Democrat leader in the reichstag. His reply made it plain that American workers were not busily engaged in the task of defeating the kaiser, and had no wish to attempt to modify the situation by parleying with German workers.

GERMAN REVOLT PUT DOWN.

San Jose, Costa Rica, Feb. 25.—The revolution in Costa Rica has been put down and order has been completely restored. The revolution had their inception last Friday when a band, commanded by Rogelio Guell, editor of El Imparcial, a pro-German newspaper, which has been suppressed, attacked a passenger train and continued looting along the line up to the government troops.

CAUGHT IN SHAFTHING.

Special to The Toronto World. Brantford, Feb. 25.—Alfred Bates, a Canada Glue Works employe, met death instantly while at work at nine o'clock this morning. Bates was standing on the foundation of one of the big machines in the main room of the plant and in some way he became caught by a revolving shaft nearby. An inquest will be held.

ONE MILLION FOR McGILL.

Montreal, Feb. 25.—The Carnegie Corporation has presented McGill University with \$1,000,000 in recognition of the institution's devoted sacrifice and service "towards Canada's part in the war."

FIFTY YEARS MARRIED.

Special to The Toronto World. Belleville, Feb. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Edwards of this city today commemorated their golden wedding, having been married in England 50 years ago. Relatives from Toronto and other places were present at the anniversary. The couple were remembered by gifts, including a purse of gold from the officials and members of St. Thomas' Church.

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CITY SEEKS POWER TO TAX CHURCHES AS A WAR MEASURE

Plan Would Add Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars to Revenue. ALIENS DISCUSSED

Council Refuses to Transfer Function of Advisory Industrial Committee.

Adopting the recommendation of Mayor Church, the city council decided last night to apply to the provincial legislature for power to tax, as a war measure, all exempted property in the city.

Controller McBride, in the amount that would be added to the civic revenue if the legislation were obtained. The tax would amount to \$1,185,944 worth of land and \$11,185,944 worth of buildings.

Mr. Hiltz opposed the proposition to tax church property, and Ald. Gibbons supported him.

Ald. Flewman moved that the matter be submitted to the electors first. Only Ald. Ramsden supported him.

For no exemptions: Church, O'Neill, McBride, Robbins, McMullin, McBrien, Sykes, Blackburn, Plewman, Honeyford, Johnston, Ball, Cowan, Nesbitt, Birdsall-15.

Mayor's recommendation that legislation be applied for, to impose a surtax of from 1 per cent. to 5 per cent. on public service corporations using the public streets was also passed.

After a lengthy argument the council turned down the recommendation of the board that the advisory committee of the technical school be abolished and its functions transferred to the board of education.

Mayor Church: "The expenditures of this committee amount to over a million on the dollar of our tax rate, yet we have no control of them."

Ald. Plewman: "It is opposed to the principles of democracy to have a school controlled by a committee not responsible to the taxpayers."

Alien Enemies Discussed. A recommendation that the heads of the civic departments be instructed to weed out all alien enemies in the city's employ brought forth an accusation from Controller McBride that there was an Austrian holding down a position in the works department and drawing \$57 a week.

YORK FARMERS ARE OPPOSED TO FEUDAL TITLES IN CANADA

Joint Meeting of Clubs of Township Passes Sweeping Resolutions. MENACE TO DEMOCRACY

Present War Desperate Struggle of People Against Feudalism. At a joint meeting of Farmers' Clubs held in York Township, the following was unanimously passed:

"Whereas the present world war is the latest and most desperate struggle of the people against feudalism and the Washington government."

"Whereas offensive feudal titles, such as knight, baronet and baron, are, notwithstanding, still imported into our country, with the connivance or consent of the federal government;

"Whereas these titles are a menace to our democracy, threatening it with the social cleavages of the old world, as well as with the intolerable evils historically allied with aristocratic insolence, influence and privilege;

"Whereas these titles have not infrequently been sought or purchased by men who have covertly exploited the people of this country, or have opened a breach in the defenses of the public welfare, thereby rendering the said titles doubly onerous and obnoxious;

"Whereas, with commendable promptitude, in order to render their own democracy immune and inviolable, the Washington government have just made it illegal for an American citizen to receive any such objectionable title; therefore resolved:

"That it is the duty of the government at Ottawa forthwith to prohibit all further traffic in titles aforesaid; to cancel such as have not been gratuitously bestowed for conspicuous public or philanthropic services; and by statute to decree the extinction of all titles aforesaid with the death of the present owner."

"Second—That it would notably aid in making the world safe for democracy to decree that all future governors-general of this Dominion shall be selected from the ranks of the English-speaking farmer elements."

"Third—That copies of these resolutions be forwarded to the premiers of Great Britain and to the press."

HEAVY RAINS CAUSE RIVER TO OVERFLOW

Lower End of Don Again on Rampage Since Last Night's Deluge. ICE JAM IS EXPECTED

Brickyard and Paper Plant Likely to Suffer Considerably. The Don is again in one of its capricious moods, and received late last night, a deluge of rain.

The C.N.R., reported that the heavy rains were beginning to tell their tale, and that the river up to 7 o'clock had risen about a foot, and that if the rains were maintained during the night the chances were that the C.N.R. rails would be submerged.

Very heavy rain was experienced at about 5 o'clock and lasted several hours. At 8 o'clock it was believed that the ice, which had collected between the Gerrard street bridge and the Bloor street viaduct, might form a strong barrier and force the river to back up.

At mid-night the water was well in hand, but the outlook was of the worst, and the ice was expected to jam again in the Gerrard street bridge district.

Just above the Bloor street viaduct the Don Valley Brick Works were expected anything and everything, and the whole valley was practically under water.

The sidewalks in some instances were expected shortly both the brick works and the Don Valley Paper Company's plants will be endangered.

The water is said to be almost a foot above the rails at the C.N.R. Rosedale Station this morning, and there is much hope for the deft hand of the artistic photographer in the vicinity of the viaduct.

No danger is anticipated for the farming country several miles above the city bridges, as that part of the district was pretty well drained during the recent flood.

The streets and the sidewalks yesterday and this morning were indescribably slushy, and the street cars in the course of their journeys into and out of the downtown sections played havoc with pretty costumes.

The more than half a foot under water with a nice bit of sliding snow at the bottom. Neither in the middle of the road or on the pavements was there any relief.

"GENTRY OF CHINA" TO BE EVANGELIZED

Three Months' Campaign Launched in Fifteen of Larger Cities—Meeting Will Be By Invitation. Rev. Dr. R. P. Mackay, Presbyterian foreign mission secretary, has received word from the Canadian Presbyterian missionaries in China that a three months' campaign to reach "the gentry of China" is now in progress.

Dr. Mackay states that this special effort during February centred on fifteen of the larger cities. From these cities the movement will be extended out to the towns and districts surrounding the fifteen large cities.

The evangelization of China may be conducted and carried on in the near future by a large number of Chinese ministers instead of by missionaries from America or Europe.

CULTIVATE EARTH AFTER EVERY RAIN

Meaning of Cultivation Explained for Benefit of Amateur Gardener. Both Serve Useful Purpose in Early Maturing of Vegetables.

At the second of the series of lectures on backyard gardening, which was given at the Technical School last night by S. C. Johnston, the vegetable specialist of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, the amateur was warned of the necessity of conserving both seeds and energy.

Last year many gardens used too much seed, and it is urged that seeds be used very judiciously this year, as a shortage in 1918 may be expected.

Mr. Johnston also pointed out that greater pleasure would be experienced in the garden if the gardener attempted to dig the whole garden in one day. Dig and prepare only that portion which can be finished the next day.

Cultivation Explained. Cultivation means the breaking up of the soil into small particles which are stirred and aerated, and the root hairs of the plant to spread. Each small particle of soil is covered with a film of water which is broken up by the action of the hoe or rake to break the contact of the moist soil with the air.

Mr. Johnston said that, always after rain or watering and to a depth of two or three inches. The one implement which is necessary for this purpose is the hoe.

Two or three different kinds of hoes can be used to advantage. First, the large flat-bladed hoe for working between the rows, which is similar to a three-cornered hoe made by cutting an ordinary hoe into three-cornered shape and sharpening the edges.

The second is the garden fork, which can be used to cultivate the soil to within 4-inch of the plants and between each. Another hoe which may prove useful is the long-handled, pronged hoe for destroying weeds. A spade and digging fork will complete an ordinary gardener's outfit.

A hotbed, for use as an artificial force of early growth previous to the winter, can be made by using a glass frame on a rectangular box built with a slant. Eighteen inches of fresh, hot horse manure is first placed in the bottom, and a layer of soil on top. This must be left stand four days to let off the gases generated in the first fermentation. It is then ready for use.

HOW TRAINS RUN BY NEW SCHEDULE

Canadian Pacific and Canadian Northern Changed Timetable Sunday. G.T.R. NEXT WEEK

Few Changes Have Been Made in Canadian Northern Services. The changes and cancellations in the services of the C.P.R. and C.N.R. came into force on Sunday. The new schedule for the Grand Trunk lines does not operate until Sunday next.

The statement regarding the Canadian home mission crisis now being discussed by the Methodist home mission branch of the mission board shows that there is no lack of financial support, and that Toronto Methodists in particular have been notable for their generous giving.

The raising of \$55,597 during its past year's activities, while the membership at large in the three Toronto Methodist districts also raised \$109,987 for mission work, which almost twice as much is expended on home missions.

Without counting the special work for orientals in Canada, or the Indians, the Methodist board reports the demands of over five hundred missions in English-speaking farm settlements and mining sections, seven among Austrians, seven for Italians and six for other foreigners.

The vital importance of maintaining an adequate ministry for the newer portions of the Dominion is emphasized by the fact being noted that there are now over 60,000 Methodist members in addition to adherents in Canada between the great lakes and the Rocky Mountains.

KIDNEYS NOW IN PERFECT ORDER

Pains in the Back and Rheumatism Disappeared When the Poisons Were Eliminated by Healthful Kidney Action. Mayor Demands Inquiry.

Mayor Church has written to the attorney-general of Ontario, Hon. I. B. Lucas, demanding a full investigation into the death of Gunner Albert Neals.

Mr. J. F. Robson, R.R. No. 4, Komoka, Ont., writes that he is certainly glad to recommend Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to anyone suffering from kidney trouble.

Mr. Wm. H. Taylor, Elgin street, Bowmanville, Ont., writes: "I was troubled with rheumatism, and commenced using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I found them a splendid remedy, excellent as a purgative. They also benefited the kidneys, and relieved me of rheumatism. I can recommend these pills very highly for rheumatism or for toning up the system and keeping it in shape generally."

This letter is endorsed by John Lyle, J.P. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one box, 50c a box, 5 for \$1.00, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. There are imitations, so it is necessary to look for the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., on the box you buy.

RAILROAD SERVICE PRACTICALLY NORMAL

Soft Weather Has Done Much to Get Trains Out of Snowbound Tracks. The fine weather has so arranged matters for the great railroads that practically normal schedules prevail.

Table with columns: From, To, Time. Lists routes for Montreal, New York, Chicago, etc.

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THE TORONTO RAILWAY COMPANY Change of Routes

On and after Monday, March 4, Queen and Parliament Lines will be replaced by a new "Queen Line" routed from Greenwood Avenue, along Gerrard Street, down Parliament Street, straight west on Queen Street to Roncesvalles Avenue and north to Boustead. Returning same route.

College Cars South on Bay to Front Street, west to York, north on York to Richmond, east on Richmond to Bay Street and over regular route.

NO CHANGE IN NIGHT CARS

MOULTON COLLEGE PLANS MEMORIAL TO ITS FOUNDER

Ten Thousand Dollars for Scholarships is Method Suggested. Ministers' Daughters Preference in Allocation Will Be Given to These by Principal.

To raise the sum of \$10,000 as a memorial fund to Mrs. McMaster, founder of Moulton College, was the object of a rally held last night in the institution's teachers' and students' hall.

Addresses were given in the hall, where Miss Pills, the principal, in a memorandum to the teachers and students, past and present, explained the object of the memorial.

The plan was carried out as explained by Mrs. Frank Sanderson, a former principal, who prefaced her remarks by saying that Moulton could not better honor herself than by raising the money for the scholarship fund. The ten thousand, she said, was a large sum, and she hoped that the object of the memorial was to help girls who would not otherwise get a college education.

The plan, as explained, was outlined by a committee and presented to a meeting of the board of trustees. It would be necessary to secure some large subscriptions of \$1000 or \$500 and a large number of smaller sums.

Mrs. E. J. Zavitz, treasurer of the committee, also said a few words in support of the plan. The sum of \$1250 was secured before the close of the meeting.

MUST HAVE MEMBERS

Labor Leader Says Workers Must Unite for This Purpose. R. F. Hazler, a well-known member of the Greater Toronto Labor party visited London on Monday.

Mr. Hazler, who is a member of the Executive of the British Labour Party, was in London on Monday, and he is expected to return to Toronto on Tuesday.

CITY'S HUGE EXPENDITURE

Despite the cutting by the board of control the amount set aside for the city is \$22,404,387. Against this is an estimated revenue of \$4,322,174. If no changes can be made in these figures the tax rate will not be much below 31 mills.

STRICKEN AT DINNER IN YONGE STREET CAFE

William McKimm Overcomes by Choking and Dies in St. Michael's Hospital. Suddenly stricken with heart failure while at dinner in the Superior Lunch, 257 Yonge street, yesterday evening, William McKimm, 1 Trinity square, a well-known business man, died later in the evening in St. Michael's Hospital.

According to the police, McKimm had been in the habit of having his meals in that restaurant for the last six years, and entered yesterday evening for dinner. He had scarcely begun to eat when he started to choke, and the manager of the cafe, becoming alarmed, called in a passing policeman who summoned an ambulance and had the man removed to the hospital. Dr. Edmund King worked on the man and endeavored to restore him, but his efforts were useless. Death is said to have been caused by heart failure while eating.

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NUXATED IRON CHEQUE HAS ARRIVED. The city legal department received a cheque from the Toronto Railway Company for \$100,000, at their share of the cost of the Don bridge. The company did not include the \$460 of disputed interest, and the city has been instructed to seize enough of the company's goods and chattels to satisfy the claim.

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Allocation Will to These by Principal.

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GOOSE LAKE BRANCH CANADIAN NORTHERN NOT UP TO STANDARD

Statement of General Manager of Western Lines at Arbitration Proceedings.

TRAINS MUST RUN SLOW Another Ten Days Necessary for Company to Complete its Evidence.

That the Goose Lake branch of the C.N.R. was not up to the proper standard was the statement made by M. H. McLeod, chief engineer and general manager of the western lines, when the C.N.R. arbitration proceedings resumed yesterday afternoon in the Osmonds Hall. Questioned by the Dominion Government, he owned that the present condition had a decided effect on the traffic over that section and that there was great danger of derailment in order to meet this danger the trains had to run at a slower rate of speed than ordinarily. He also stated that there were several sections that had not been sufficiently ballasted, but added it was a question if additional ballasting should be charged to capital or maintenance.

What is your operating standard in the west?" asked Mr. Tilley. "On the Pacific division if you were to operate the rails, there would be \$2 per cent. value in the road that includes the large steel and concrete bridges," answered Mr. McLeod. This included about 500 miles of rails, he pointed out.

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COUNTY POLICE COURT CASES HEARD YESTERDAY

Young Men Get Into Trouble and Leader is Sent to Industrial School.

William Malcolm, from near Weston, was charged in the county police court before T. H. Brunton, magistrate for York County, with selling liquor to Arthur Gordon, without a license. He was fined \$200 and costs or three months in jail. As he did not have the money, he went to jail, but was given the privilege of paying the money at any time and getting his freedom.

William Cox, of York Township, was charged with stealing one electric light bulb. He pleaded guilty and was hit off on suspended sentence, paying the costs, \$4.50.

Eddie Smith, aged 13; Ross Baker, aged 15; Fred Bishop, aged 16, and Richard Greenwood, aged 16, all of Scarborough Township, were charged with stealing tools from the York Sand and Gravel Company. They had also broken into the church and other places in the neighborhood. They pleaded guilty and Smith, the youngest, was the ringleader, and was sent to the Victoria Industrial School, and the others were let off on suspended sentence.

DEPUTATION WOULD TAX ALL PROPERTY City Officials Ask Legislature to Exempt Only City, Provincial or Dominion Buildings.

William Johnston, city solicitor; Thomas Bradshaw, finance commissioner; and James C. Foran, assessment commissioner, waited upon Hon. W. D. McPherson, provincial secretary, at the parliament buildings yesterday with a proposal to tax \$25,000,000 worth of property in Toronto which is now exempt. Under the scheme only buildings owned by the city, province or Dominion would be exempt. The deputation said it would be agreeable to the provisions of the bill being applicable to the entire province or the City of Toronto only. The matter was left in the secretary's hands for consideration.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM. Time Table Changes, Effective March 3rd, 1918.

Train No. 13, leaving Montreal 11 p.m., will arrive Toronto 8 a.m. and leave Toronto for Hamilton, Brantford, London and beyond at 8.30 a.m. daily. Train No. 14, "The International Limited," from Chicago, Detroit, etc., will arrive Toronto 9.10 a.m. and leave Toronto 9.30 a.m. daily for Montreal and beyond.

Train No. 29 will leave Belleville 6.50 a.m. daily, except Sunday, instead of 7.30 a.m., arrive Toronto 10.25 a.m. instead of 11.45 a.m.

Train No. 392, leaving Toronto 2.40 p.m. daily, except Sunday, for Stouffville, will be cancelled.

Train No. 101 will leave Toronto 8.30 a.m. daily, except Sunday, and 8.30 a.m. Sundays only, instead of 8.10 a.m. daily, for Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, etc.

Train No. 102 will leave Toronto 4.10 p.m. daily, instead of 4.15 p.m., for Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Brantford, London and beyond.

Train No. 103, from Buffalo, Niagara Falls, etc., will arrive Toronto 10.35 p.m. daily, except Sunday, and 10.30 p.m. Sundays only, instead of 10.05 p.m. daily.

Train No. 6, from Chicago, Detroit, Buffalo, etc., will arrive Toronto 4.10 p.m. daily, instead of 3.58 p.m.

Train No. 104, from Buffalo, Niagara Falls, etc., will arrive Toronto 10.35 p.m. daily, except Sunday, and 10.30 p.m. Sundays only, instead of 10.05 p.m. daily.

PROVINCIAL BILL TO CURB SPREAD OF VENEREAL DISEASES

Responsibility of Administering Act Rests With Provincial Health Officer.

OTHER LEGISLATION Heavier Tax on Dogs Proposed, and Bill to Amend Mining Act.

Ontario's bill to combat the venereal disease problem in the province was introduced in the legislature yesterday by Hon. I. B. Lucas, attorney-general. In explaining the purpose of the bill, Hon. Lucas said it could only be a success with the co-operation of the public and with the sanction of public approval behind it.

The responsibility of administering the act will rest with Dr. McCullough, provincial health officer, in conjunction with medical officers of health throughout the province. The regulations and details would be worked out and submitted to the government was aware that the entire question was not covered by the bill, but the hope was expressed that bit by bit it would be perfected as the case may demand.

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CONVICTION STANDS AGAINST C. HARVEY

Charge of Conspiracy to Defraud Paisley Man Heard by the Appellate Division.

Claude Harvey, alias J. W. Thornton, and Charles Taylor, were convicted by Judge Winchester of conspiring to defraud John E. Thompson, a farmer, from Paisley. Sentence was deferred pending application on behalf of the accused for a reserved case. Yesterday morning the appellate division heard the application and gave judgment.

With a great deal of hesitation we have come to the conclusion that the conviction must stand. At the trial Chief Justice Mulock, "If I were trying the case myself, I think I would have withdrawn it from the jury as unsafe to convict."

According to Thompson's story, he came in from Paisley one day last September and was accosted by a stranger, who introduced himself as J. W. Thornton, with whom he spent the evening. As the result of a story told by his new friend, Thompson went back to Paisley and raised \$2000 which he turned over to Thornton. Later Thompson was introduced to Taylor as a betting friend and Thornton, it was stated, was the man to be kept an eye on. For an account of the case see the issue of Feb. 12. It was argued that this did not sufficiently establish a case against Harvey, and that the charge of conspiracy must fall as against Taylor.

HOW BRITISH FORCE ENTERED JERUSALEM

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RIDES AHEAD OF GUNS Feels Pride of the Celt as Ancient City is Approached.

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Davis "Perfection" Cigar 10 Cents

An unusually good cigar: smooth, mellow, matured; with plenty of character yet quite mild.

WHY NOT TRY ONE NEXT TIME? P.S. Have you smoked a "Noblemen" Cigar, lately?

ing out; consequently our rations are short. But who cares? It is worth it. The last two months have been among the best of my life. The east fellows who talked of transcendent has its points. All the same, those old beauty and paradisaical charms were a lot of old fakirs.

TEMPERANCE PEOPLE EXPECTING A FIGHT Believe Liquor Interests Have Built Up Business Thru Newspaper and Mail Advertising

The Committee of One Hundred held a meeting yesterday in the T.M. C.A. A. G. Hales presiding. Mr. Hales said a fight was expected with the liquor interests sooner or later. The liquor people had built up a business thru newspaper and mail advertising, and there was a great deal of drunkenness still in spite of prohibition. He stated that tremendous pressure was brought to bear on the government by the liquor interests, and as there was likely to be a Dominion vote on the question in time it behooved the temperance forces to keep prepared.

J. D. Flavell, chairman of the Ontario License Board, paid a tribute to the work done by the inspector, Mr. Oakes. Sam Carter said what was needed was about 20 government-appointed constables, as many of the ones appointed by the municipalities were no good. Mr. Flavell disagreed with him and said that the ones appointed by the government would not likely be any better than the inspectors they had. He said that he still some inspectors I would like to see put out," he said.

Mr. Haggis said that the only solution was to have the power to appoint and dismiss the inspectors, to which the committee heartily gave assent.

BARRIE SENDS QUILTS The Belgian Relief Fund (Ontario branch), reports receipts for the week ending Feb. 22, 1918, \$1,489.41, making total to date \$124,071.62. Women's Canadian Club, Ottawa, \$117.50; One Hundred Club, Preston, \$117.50; concert by Pierettes Girls' Club, Smith's Falls, \$82.25; Quince Chad, J.O.D.E., Belleville, \$26.25; Woodstock, 5,000 Club, \$25; Newcastle W.P.L., \$25; Mr. Robt. Dawson, Niagara Falls, \$20; 6 Mite Boxes, \$71.19; St. Paul's S. S., Rummymede, \$10. The following sent \$10 each: Mrs. Gorfth, Mrs. L. H. Baldwin, Mrs. and Miss Lavatt Smith, Yonge Street Methodist B. S., Cumnook W. L. Olivet S. S.

Note: The sum of \$231.75 credited last week to Stirling, should read Rawdon Red Cross Society. A large number of good quilts and several consignments of clothing were received during the week. The quilts came from Barrie, per Mrs. Douglas Stewart, Smithfield War Auxiliary and Weston Belgian Relief, one of the latter being labeled "For Queen Elizabeth." The clothing from Niagara-on-the-Lake W. L. included many useful new garments; a large shipment from Grand Valley contained valuable new and second-hand articles, the women's coats being particularly worthy of mention. Parcels came, also, from Cobourg, Wicklow W. L., Mooretown, Ponetang, Mrs. C.

KILLED IN ACTION. Word has been received by the relatives of Pte. H. J. Murphy, 118 Berkeley street, that he has been killed in action. The official telegram from Ottawa announces that Pte. Murphy was killed on Feb. 12. His relatives, however, had a card from him mailed in Paris on Feb. 11, saying he was there on leave and having a good time. Pte. Murphy went overseas with the 130th (Sportsmen's) Battalion, and was transferred to another.

A citizen writes to ask why cars frequently "run in bunches." The reason is that if one car is blocked the cars that follow it, being unable to go over or under or on either side, must remain idle on the track until the first car can move. If half a dozen or a dozen cars have thus been held up it is inevitable when they start again that the proper intervals between cars will have been lost, and the result will be a small fleet of street cars.

Cars are delayed for various reasons, some of which have been explained in the past few days. In the morning papers a list of street car delays and their causes is published daily.

Look over the list and note how many delays are the result of causes over which the Company has no control.

The Toronto Railway Co.

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after Monday, 4, Queen and Kent Lines will be run by a new "Green Line"

from Greenwood along Gerrard down Parliament Street, straight Queen Street to Boustead, same route.

Ge Cars from Bay to Front west to York, York to Richmond Bay Street, regular route.

IN NIGHT CARS

IMPORTANT NOTICE

SOLDIER'S AND SAILOR'S DIARY AND ENGLISH-FRENCH DICTIONARY

OWING to the unprecedented demand, the first shipment of these books is exhausted. Another has been promised, which will arrive in a few days. In the meantime World readers are requested to kindly hold their coupons, and watch this space for announcement when the books will arrive.

Soldiers and their friends who have obtained copies are a unit in praising it. Many are taking two, one for the boy overseas and one for their own use. Few soldiers' boxes are now going overseas without a Soldier's Diary being included in the contents. Be sure you obtain one before the offer is withdrawn. Clip the coupon, and wait for the announcement when the distribution will be resumed. See coupon on another page of this paper for particulars.

To Protect the Sheep. Sir William Hearst introduced a bill to provide a heavier tax on dogs for the purpose of protecting sheep. The amount being \$2 a year for a dog and \$4 a year for a bitch. The municipalities would have power to increase these amounts as conditions demanded. There was another point involved, the prime minister said, it being hoped that the larger tax would result in many dog curers being destroyed so that conservation of food would result.

A heavy rainbow trout weighing 19½ pounds is to be seen in the window of the Alcock, Laight and Westwood Company's window at 78 Bay Street.

ACKNOWLEDGED HIS ERROR. Ottawa, Feb. 25.—Daniel Emerson Youngusband, the March Township young man who believes in settling international disputes by war, today appeared before Magistrate Charles MacNab in county court for sentence, after being on remand a week. He acknowledged that he was in error in not being under the M. S. A. and was turned over to the militia.

C.H.A. First Senior Final Tonight Ottawa 8 Ottawa 8 Canadiens 0 Fight Frank Moran Out in Third

ALL IN READINESS FOR SENIOR FINAL

Kitchener and Dentals Report All Players in Shape— Hockey Gossip.

The senior final tonight: Teams—Canadian Dental Corps (winner of local group) and Kitchener (winner of western group).

Time of game—8:30 p.m. Referee—Lawson Whitehead, Toronto. Judge of play—Tom Munro, London.

Both clubs are ready and fit for the battle. Kitchener will arrive here this morning and will have a short skate at the arena about noon.

The return game in Kitchener Friday night and the winner tonight will carry off the honors. The Dentals are a great road team, and if they can secure a lead tonight Toronto will be satisfied.

A line that extended from the arena down Mutual street to Shuter street and along the latter to Church street was the reserved seats were put on sale.

The game at Port Colborne scheduled for tonight between Collingwood and Port Colborne has been postponed until Thursday night, as the Port Colborne rink is under water owing to the mild break in the weather.

George Van Horne of Kingston will referee the game at the arena tonight night when Kingston plays De La Salle.

Kitchener Union Jacks and Barrie will conclude their round of the junior O. H. A. series tonight. An effort was made to have the game postponed, but Barrie reported last night that the ice was good, and they were ready to play.

HOCKEY SCORES

Ottawa 8, Canadiens 0. Winnipeg 9, Brandon 0. Pittsburgh 4, N. Y. Wanderers 2.

NEWSY LALONDE SAVES LIVES OF RELATIVES

Cornwall, Feb. 25.—Newsy Lalonde, captain of the Canadian hockey team, who was called to his home here on Saturday night by the illness of his father, was the principal in the probable saving of his wife, his parents and his niece from asphyxiation at his parents' home last night.

Returning home about 10 p.m. he found the house filled with coal gas. He immediately threw all windows and doors open and allowed the gas to escape, then rushed to the telephone and secured the services of a physician, who attended to the near-victims, all of whom were very weak from the fumes.

COBOURG ARE DEFEATED

Special to The Toronto World. Cobourg, Feb. 25.—In a junior O.B.A. basketball game at Peterboro, Cobourg Collegiate Institute team was defeated by the Y.M.C.A. by a score of 30 to 25.

PORT HOPE CHURCH LEAGUE

Special to The Toronto World. Port Hope, Feb. 25.—A double-header played in the Church League Saturday night resulted as follows: The Methodists defeated the Scouts by a score of 3 to 1. The Baptists won from the Presbyterians by a score of 2 to 1.

LINDSAY DEFEAT ORILLIA

Lindsay, Feb. 25.—The high school hockey team of Orillia played here Saturday night and met defeat at the hands of the Lindsay Collegiate Institute seven by a score of 4 to 1.

WINNIPEG BONSPIEL

Frank Cassidy's Winnipeg Thistles were returned the champions of the Winnipeg bonspiel, which closed Saturday night, by winning the McDonald of 2. It is understood that the Presbyterians have protested the game on the ground that one of the players is not eligible.

PIGEON TROPHIES

The trophies donated by Messrs. J. and W. Edwards to the Great Northern Association were presented at a recent picnic belonging to S. Sackfield, the bird doing it in 13 hours and 45 minutes.

THIS TIME, OTTAWA BEAT CANADIENS

Scoring Four in First and Third Periods, While the Rest Were Blanks.

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

The most sensational feature of the night was provided in the second session, during which neither side could tally the both had chances. It was beautiful hockey, triple rushes by both teams, or long individual attacks keeping the Ottawa goalies on their toes.

The Ottawa came back with their strongest combination for the third period, and played had only been in progress thirty seconds when Jack Darragh flashed down and put in one that struck the net and bounced out.

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TOLEDO EARLY CLOSING STAKES

Toledo, Ohio, Feb. 25.—Six early closing stakes aggregating \$16,200, in addition to thirteen class races, divided over two days, is the program announced last night by directors of the Toledo Driving Club Company for Toledo's first year in the Grand Circuit.

PETERBORO WINS

Lindsay, Feb. 25.—In the annual match for the Peterboro-Lindsay cup, the former club won at home and abroad. The scores at Lindsay were: Peterboro—Lindsay—14 to 10.

CRIBBAGE

Recent games in the Toronto Cribbage League resulted as follows: Davenport Albion v. Overseas No. 1, 21-15; Overseas No. 2 v. Boot & Shoe Workers' Union, 19-17; Windsor v. Hammermith No. 1, 23-18; Hammermith No. 1 v. S.O.E., 21-14; Overseas No. 1 v. Hammermith No. 2, 21-15; Overseas No. 2 v. Hammermith No. 1, 21-13; S.O.E. v. B. & S. Union, 21-17.

RAPID GROWTH OF BEACHES LEAGUE

Started With Five Clubs— Now Largest Outdoor League in World.

About the middle of December, in the year 1911, a short notice appeared on the sporting pages of the daily papers, which read something like this: "The Waverley Young Men's Club are desirous of either forming or attaching a hockey league for young men, under the age of 18, on Dec. 15, of this year."

The officers who looked after the welfare of the league in the first year were as follows: Hon. president, F. C. Washburne; president, H. C. Austin; secretary-treasurer, D. Smith; executive committee, L. Hill, B. Ward, K. Noble, S. White, interest, H. M. Gody; secretary-treasurer, Corp. Boyd, Corp. Martin; president, Corp. Boyd.

BASE HOSPITAL SOCCER TEAM FOR T. & D. LEAGUE

An enthusiastic meeting of the soccer supporters was held at the Base Hospital, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Hon. president, Corp. Boyd; secretary, H. M. Gody; secretary-treasurer, Corp. Boyd; Corp. Martin; president, Corp. Boyd.

SALT OF CORINTHIANS HAS SUSPENSION RAISED

The Interprovincial Soccer League met last night and endorsed the action of the delegates concerning the suspension of the Salt of Corinthians, raised to 100.

FOOTBALLERS MAKE THE BEST FLYING MEN

London, Feb. 25.—A prominent medical man, who has just returned from the western front, says "professional footballers are not warlike in the trenches, and explains that this is so because their endurance is less than one-third that of the ordinary soldier."

R.F.C. BOXERS WIN SILVER CUPS

The finals of the boxing tournament of the North Toronto wing, R.F.C., last night resulted: Featherweight semi-final—Palmer beat Hogan; decision. Middleweight semi-final—Dempsey beat Smith; decision.

JIMMY SMITH GOES TO BOSTON NATIONALS

New York, Feb. 25.—James Smith, substitute infielder of the New York Nationals, was released today to the Boston Nationals. Smith was sent to Boston to complete the recent three-cornered deal of the New York, Boston and Chicago National League Clubs.

TO-DAY'S ENTRIES AT HAVANA

Havana, Feb. 25.—Entries for Tuesday are as follows: FIRST RACE—Six furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, purse \$400.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, purse \$400. Confedration, 35; Curie, 111; Margaret E., 111; London Girl, 111; Jaskiet, 113; Col. Matt, 113; Wodan, 113; Wizard, 113; Bit of Blarney, 113; Peachie, 113; Lyndora, 113; Betterson, 113; Ralph S., 113; Moristown, 113; Salon, 113.

WANT PROVIDENCE CLUB IN THE EASTERN LEAGUE

Providence, Feb. 25.—While there is not much chance for International League baseball in Providence the coming season there is a good chance of the city having a berth in the Eastern League, taking franchise from the Providence Reds.

BIG LEAGUE CLUBS COMING

Chicago National and New York Americans have been booked and will play at the island stadium on May 31. The first of the big league games between big league clubs arranged for Toronto.

SMITH A VISITOR

Jimmy Smith, former Toronto infielder, is spending a few days in town. He will leave shortly with the New York Giants for Martin Springs, Texas, training camp. He is not subject to the next army draft.

CONGER LEAGUE

Table with columns: Name, 1, 2, 3, Tl. Conger League scores for various players.

WATERLOO GOLF CLUB

Galt, Ont., Feb. 25.—A. M. Edwards has been elected president of Waterloo County Golf and Country Club for this year.

FRED FULTON WINS IN THE THIRD ROUND

From F. Moran in What Was Scheduled for Twenty-Round Bout.

New Orleans, Feb. 25.—Fred Fulton, of Rochester, Minn., knocked out Frank Moran, of Pittsburg, in the third round of their scheduled 20-round fight here tonight. Moran's right eye was badly cut by Fulton during the first round and the cut was opened wider during the second round.

Moran started the first round with a jab to the face, following with left and right swings to the head. Fulton retaliated with right and left jabs to Moran's body and a right cross that cut just above the eyebrow. Fulton landed repeated left uppercuts and jabs to Moran's chin and forehead, and a hard right cross that finally landed a hard right cross to Moran's jaw.

J. DEMPSEY BEAT BILL BRENNAN

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 25.—Jack Dempsey, of the San Francisco heavyweight, won from Bill Brennan here tonight in the sixth round of a fight to have been a ten-round bout. The referee stopped the bout to save Brennan from a knockout.

M. O'DOWD SHADES H. GREB

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 25.—Newspaper critic gave Mike O'Dowd of St. Paul claimant of the middleweight championship, a shade over Harry Greb of Pittsburg in the second round of a ten-round bout here tonight. Greb did most of the leading, but could not get inside O'Dowd's left hand.

CIGAR TEAM LEADS BOWLERS

Cincinnati, Feb. 25.—The cigar team of St. Paul went to the lead in the five-man event on the first shift of the American Bowling Congress tonight by winning the first round of the championship Spark Plug team of Toledo, who had been leading up to this time in the series.

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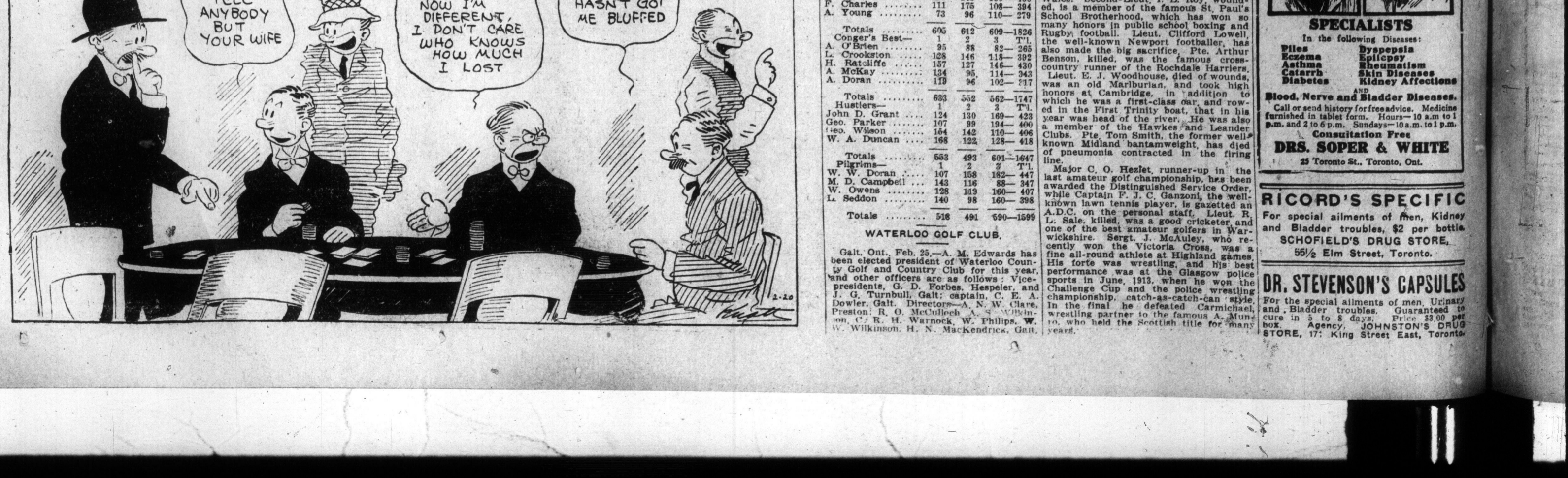
Now let's keep this to ourselves 'taint anybody's business how much was won or lost. You understand?

The big loser wants it kept quiet

HA! HA! THIS IS THE FIRST TIME HE EVER LOST AN' HE EXPECTS US TO KEEP IT A SECRET

BY GENE KNOTT

HEY EDDIE, NEVER MIND, WE'RE GONNA GO NOW.



Harsh Treatment of Older Germans

Mén of Forty-Eight Men Trenches, According to Complaint.

Amsterdam, Feb. 25.—Sunday's edition of the Berlin Socialist newspaper Vorwarts reports a debate in the Reichstag on Saturday during which strong complaints were made against the treatment given the older classes of German soldiers...

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that under the first part of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, known as "The Companies Act," letters patent have been issued under the seal of the Secretary of State of Canada...

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CURTAIN RUNG DOWN ON GREAT EASTERN

British Columbia Automatic Acquires Full Assets of Company.

Victoria, Feb. 25.—Saturday night John Oliver reached his signature to the documents in respect of the acquisition of the assets of the British Columbia Automatic Company...

TROTZYK DROPS OUT

Petrograd, Feb. 25.—Leon Trotzyk will not go to Brest-Litovsk to sign the new peace terms, nor will any of the other members of the Russian delegation which conducted the earlier negotiations there...

KRYLENKO WOUNDED

London, Feb. 25.—Ensign Krylenko, the Russian commander-in-chief, was shot and slightly wounded on Saturday in Petrograd by a Socialist, according to an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Amsterdam...

Germany Plans to Restore Monarchy to Russians

London, Feb. 25.—Germany plans to restore the monarchy in Russia, according to a telegram dated Friday in Petrograd in The Morning Post.

It says the Grand Duke of Hesse has been appointed the commander in the Riga section of the German front.

"His sister," the despatch adds, "the former Empress Alexandra, the guardian of her son, the former tsarevitch, is the favorite German candidate for the throne."

The Bolsheviki have provided a form of government which the Russians alone understand—pure despotism. They have paved the way for the return of the monarchy."

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MACKENZIE & GORDON, Barristers, Solicitors, Toronto General Trusts Building, 25 Bay Street.

Agents Wanted. WANTED—Old false teeth, don't matter if broken. I pay \$2 to \$15 per set. Send by parcel post, and receive cheque by return mail. F. Teri, 403 N. Wolfe St., Baltimore, Md.

Articles for Sale. ROSEALEN Auto, Furniture and Linoleum Polish is the best. Rosealeen Roach Powder and Rosealeen Bed Bug Exterminator is guaranteed to clean sheets, curtains, etc. Rosealeen Odorless Disinfectant kills all odors.

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Building Material. LIME—Lump and hydrated for plasterers and masons work. Our "Beaver Brand" White Hydrate is the best finishing lime manufactured in Canada...

Bicycles and Motorcycles. BICYCLES WANTED for cash, McLeod, 121 King West.

Chiropractors. DOCTOR DOXSEY, Palmer graduate, 1111 Yonge street, corner Huron. Nervous, rheumatic diseases. X-RAY DENTAL pictures and general radiographic work for locating cause of your trouble.

Dancing. INDIVIDUAL or class instruction. Telephone Gerard 39. S. T. and Mrs. Smith, 4 Fairway boulevard. Critics studio, Masonic Temple.

Dentistry. DR. KNIGHT, Exodontia Specialist, practice limited to painless tooth extraction. Nurse, 1267 Yonge, opposite Simpson's.

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Lost. LOST—Tonight, Feb. 25, either in Massey Hall, Yonge street, or Avenue car, or St. Clair car or Walmer road, a diamond pendant, Reward, 436 Walmer road. Phone Hill 4251.

BILL BRENNAN. Feb. 25.—Jack Dempsey, who here tonight in the fight with the referee stopped Brennan from a knock-out advantage from start...

ADES H. GREB. Feb. 25.—Newspaper Dowd of St. Paul, lightweight champion, Harry Greb of Pitts-

OPERATE WHITE. The cigar team led in the first shift of the Congress tonight by 11 pins ahead of...

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That Son-in-Law of Pa's :-:IF PA HAD KNOWN, THE BOARDER WOULD HAVE BEEN WELCOME TO STAY :-: BY G. H. Wellington



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MORE LIFE IN MINING STOCKS

Dealings in Apex and Ophir Are Unusually Large—McKinley-Darragh Reacts.

Bar silver closed unchanged yesterday 42 1/2 cents in London and 25 1/2 in New York.

Trading broadened out noticeably on the Standard Exchange yesterday. The total of 140,000 shares being the largest local mining market known for some time, changed hands.

Buying of Apex on a liberal scale resulted in the price advancing from 2 1/2 to 3. There has been little definite news of late regarding operations on the Blisky option.

Ophir was the most active issue in the market, but the price was virtually unchanged at the close.

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ON ELLIOT-KIRKLAND. Kirkland Lake, Feb. 25.—According to advice just at hand, the cross-cut at the 400-foot level of the Elliot-Kirkland has passed through about 400 feet of vein matter.

WILL ENLARGE BOARD OF TORONTO RAILWAY. Toronto and Montreal Men to Be Added to the Directorate Today.

The special meeting of Toronto Railway Company shareholders to deal with the enlargement of the directors from seven to nine members will be held today.

Program of Allied Labor Produces Good Impression. London, Feb. 25.—The News regards new Alsace-Lorraine and colonies clauses in the Socialist war aims memorandum as a change from the British memorandum and seemingly in both cases, clearly for the better.

Enemy Lacks Month's Supply Of Grain Through Overestimation. Zurich, Switzerland, Feb. 25.—Herr Bretschler, the Bavarian minister of the interior, has informed the landtag that revised estimates of the stocks of grain in the country show that there are supplies for fully a month less than the first estimate indicated.

TO DISCUSS CLAIMS

G. T. Clarkson, liquidator for the Dominion Permanent Loan Company, is now able to announce a time for the meeting of those directly interested in the company's affairs.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

Montreal, Feb. 25.—Owing to the somewhat unsettled conditions in the options markets for oats and the rapid fluctuations in price, buyers here and in the country were not anxious to operate today.

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GRAIN AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Feb. 25.—There was a big demand for cash oats today, but there was only a limited number of carloads being offered.

Winnipeg markets: Oats, May, 92c; No. 2, white, per car lot—22 1/2; No. 1 feed, 87c; No. 3 feed, 84c; No. 4, 81c; No. 5, 78c; No. 6, 75c; No. 7, 72c; No. 8, 69c; No. 9, 66c; No. 10, 63c; No. 11, 60c; No. 12, 57c; No. 13, 54c; No. 14, 51c; No. 15, 48c; No. 16, 45c; No. 17, 42c; No. 18, 39c; No. 19, 36c; No. 20, 33c; No. 21, 30c; No. 22, 27c; No. 23, 24c; No. 24, 21c; No. 25, 18c; No. 26, 15c; No. 27, 12c; No. 28, 9c; No. 29, 6c; No. 30, 3c.

BOARD OF TRADE

Manitoba Wheat (In Store, Fort William, Including 2 1/2c Tax). No. 1 northern, \$2.23 1/2; No. 2 northern, \$2.20; No. 3 northern, \$2.17 1/2; No. 4, \$2.14 1/2; No. 5, \$2.11 1/2; No. 6, \$2.08 1/2; No. 7, \$2.05 1/2; No. 8, \$2.02 1/2; No. 9, \$1.99 1/2; No. 10, \$1.96 1/2; No. 11, \$1.93 1/2; No. 12, \$1.90 1/2; No. 13, \$1.87 1/2; No. 14, \$1.84 1/2; No. 15, \$1.81 1/2; No. 16, \$1.78 1/2; No. 17, \$1.75 1/2; No. 18, \$1.72 1/2; No. 19, \$1.69 1/2; No. 20, \$1.66 1/2; No. 21, \$1.63 1/2; No. 22, \$1.60 1/2; No. 23, \$1.57 1/2; No. 24, \$1.54 1/2; No. 25, \$1.51 1/2; No. 26, \$1.48 1/2; No. 27, \$1.45 1/2; No. 28, \$1.42 1/2; No. 29, \$1.39 1/2; No. 30, \$1.36 1/2; No. 31, \$1.33 1/2; No. 32, \$1.30 1/2; No. 33, \$1.27 1/2; No. 34, \$1.24 1/2; No. 35, \$1.21 1/2; No. 36, \$1.18 1/2; No. 37, \$1.15 1/2; No. 38, \$1.12 1/2; No. 39, \$1.09 1/2; No. 40, \$1.06 1/2; No. 41, \$1.03 1/2; No. 42, \$1.00 1/2; No. 43, \$0.97 1/2; No. 44, \$0.94 1/2; No. 45, \$0.91 1/2; No. 46, \$0.88 1/2; No. 47, \$0.85 1/2; No. 48, \$0.82 1/2; No. 49, \$0.79 1/2; No. 50, \$0.76 1/2; No. 51, \$0.73 1/2; No. 52, \$0.70 1/2; No. 53, \$0.67 1/2; No. 54, \$0.64 1/2; No. 55, \$0.61 1/2; No. 56, \$0.58 1/2; No. 57, \$0.55 1/2; No. 58, \$0.52 1/2; No. 59, \$0.49 1/2; No. 60, \$0.46 1/2; No. 61, \$0.43 1/2; No. 62, \$0.40 1/2; No. 63, \$0.37 1/2; No. 64, \$0.34 1/2; No. 65, \$0.31 1/2; No. 66, \$0.28 1/2; No. 67, \$0.25 1/2; No. 68, \$0.22 1/2; No. 69, \$0.19 1/2; No. 70, \$0.16 1/2; No. 71, \$0.13 1/2; No. 72, \$0.10 1/2; No. 73, \$0.07 1/2; No. 74, \$0.04 1/2; No. 75, \$0.01 1/2.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

With a moderately heavy run of cattle—approximately 700 head—at the Union Stock Yards yesterday, and an easier feeling generally over the market, trading lost some of the snap that marked last week's business.

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REPRESENTATIVE SALES

Rice & Whaley. Rice & Whaley yesterday the sale of 26 carloads of rice, including 10 carloads of long grain, 10 carloads of medium grain, and 6 carloads of short grain.

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OATS AND BARLEY

We are instructed by the Government Seed Purchasing Commission to pay bonus of 10 per cent on the purchase of seed for quality suitable for seed. Read samples.

HOGG & LYTLE, LIMITED

Lot sum of \$10,000, and certainly was a great to the man who had and the man who had.

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Wholesalers quote on Canadian refined sugars, Toronto delivery, as follows: Lantic granulated, 100 lbs., \$3.54; Royal Acadia, 100 lbs., \$3.54.

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3 CARS NAVEL ORANGES

Heavy Pack—All Sizes CHAS. S. SIMPSON, 68-70 Colborne St.

Ontario Apples

California Celery DAWSON-ELLIOTT, WEST MARKET & COLBORNE STS.

Table with columns for various produce items like Chickens, Potatoes, Carrots, Onions, etc., and their prices.

WHOLESALE SUGAR

Table with columns for various sugar grades and prices.

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MARKET DEPRIVED OF BUYING POWER

Interest Largely Centred for Moment in New Debenture Issues.

Large offerings of provincial and municipal debentures which are being made to the investing public at the present time, have temporarily deprived the local market for listed securities of the modest buying power it had possessed.

ANOTHER DECLINE IN RUSSIAN GOLD NOTES

Wall Street Takes Gloomy View of Developments in Russia.

New York, Feb. 25.—Wall Street's view of latest developments in Russia was reflected in another sharp break today in Russian Government gold notes.

A REACTIONARY MARKET.

J. P. Bickell and Co. received the following closing stock letter: The market was reactionary all day and still looks lower.

LONDON STOCK MARKET.

London, Feb. 25.—The stock market continued dull but steady today. During the execution of week-end orders, home rails the war loans, industrial stocks and miscellaneous mines displayed a flash of activity.

TORONTO STOCKS.

Table of Toronto Stock Market prices including Am. Cyanamid, Am. Holden, Barcelona, etc.

STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE.

Table of Standard Stock Exchange prices including Gold, Apex, Davidson, etc.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Table of Montreal Stock Exchange prices including Asbestos, Bell Tel., Brompton, etc.

THE DOMINION BANK

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of three per cent. upon the paid-up capital stock of this institution has been declared for the quarter ending 30th March, 1918.

By Order of the Board. C. A. BOBERT, General Manager.

Record of Yesterday's Markets

TORONTO SALES.

Table of Toronto Sales including Op. High, Low, Cl. Sales for various commodities.

UNLISTED STOCKS.

Table of Unlisted Stocks including Brompton, Black Lake, C. P. R. Notes, etc.

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DULUTH-SUPERIOR EARNINGS.

Earnings of the Duluth-Superior Traction Company for the third week of February are \$22,994, an increase of \$3927, or 18.3 per cent.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Table of New York Stock Market prices including Am. Cyanamid, Am. Holden, Barcelona, etc.

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MINES ON CURB.

Closing prices yesterday in the Cobalt and Porcupine stocks of the New York curb, as supplied by Hamilton B. Wills, at the Royal Bank Building, were as follows:

Table of Mines on Curb prices including Beaver, Dome Extension, etc.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

SIR EDMUND WALKER, C.V.O., L.L.D., D.C.L., President. SIR JOHN AIRD, General Manager. H. V. F. JONES, Asst. Gen'l. Manager.

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TRUSTEES, RECEIVERS AND LIQUIDATORS. Private Wire to New York Curb. 1504 ROYAL BANK BUILDING. ESTABLISHED 1864. CLARKSON, Gordon & Dilworth. CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS TORONTO.

Initial Offering of Fidelity Mining and Development Co., Ltd., Shares

AFTER a thorough investigation of the properties owned and controlled by the above company, combined with our faith in the ability, integrity and experience of Mr. Thomas Tough, its President and Managing Director, who is one of the original discoverers of the well-known Tough-Oakes Mine in Kirkland Lake, we have contracted to underwrite a portion of the treasury stock to provide monies to be expended exclusively in development work.

The properties owned outright by this company comprise 24 claims of 40 acres each, which, together with interests in several others, aggregate over 1000 acres. The properties are located in Kirkland Lake Camp and in the townships of Teck, Skead, Alma, Turnbull and Morrisette and have been selected from an original holding of over 50 claims, of which only those of exceptional merit have been retained.

The properties in the township of Teck adjoin the LaBelle Kirkland, on which it is estimated ore to the value of \$500,000 has been developed. The Fidelity claims have the identical geological features of the LaBelle Kirkland. The shaft on this property has been sunk to a depth of 40 feet and shows ore assaying \$6 to \$7 to the ton in a vein of strong and true characteristics.

Holdings in the township of Skead comprise 12 claims. A vein on this property has been opened up to a depth of 15 feet carrying spectacular showings of free gold. The immediate operations of the company are to be confined to the mining and shipping of this rich ore of which a very considerable quantity is indicated.

In addition, good surface values have been obtained from properties in the townships of Grenfell, Alma and Turnbull, while ore of very rich value is showing on the surface of the properties in Morrisette township.

In our opinion, the properties owned by the company have possibilities for the making of several mines. The authorized capitalization of the company is \$2,000,000, divided into shares of a par value of \$1 each, fully-paid and non-assessable, of which 930,000 shares are still in the treasury.

The three necessary essentials: good properties, efficient management and proper financing, are here in evidence to an extent justifying us in recommending the purchase of the shares to our clients and friends. Prospectus and maps showing the company's holdings in the various townships may be had upon request.

Our present offering is limited to 100,000 shares at the special price of 20 cents per share, a portion of which has already been subscribed. We anticipate that this allotment will be quickly taken up and suggest that you place your order with us immediately.

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New Things for Spring Now on Display
New Silks, New Dress Goods
New Millinery

Today the Silk, Dress Goods, Millinery and Garment Departments will be abloom with a gay showing. It will be specially helpful as a guide to the authentic fashions for the coming spring and summer.

You are cordially invited to visit the above departments today, while the displays will be at their freshest.



Simpson's Silks Famous for More Than Twenty Years---See the New Displays

The Simpson Silk and Dress Goods Store has gained a reputation—not only in Toronto, not only in Ontario, but throughout Canada, for the unlimited variety and unsurpassed qualities of its merchandise.

We believe that our great opening display of spring silks will maintain that reputation. We are confident that we have equalled, if not surpassed, all former endeavors—and are in full readiness to greet the coming season with the finest fabrics fashion has created.

There are more colors and color combinations than it would be possible to name, but the trend of fashion is toward plaids and stripes and spots in springlike tones, with a plentiful gathering of plain silks and satins in sombre shades for suits and brighter colorings for frocks and other purposes. Navy leads the way with a host of new blues en train. A wonderful assemblage, truly—of which we can but name a few to give you a hint of their infinite variety.

Foulards are back in the fashionable world again, and lead the way for frocks. They combine such beauty with their splendid durability as to make them justly popular. Their wonderful showerproof qualities and pussy-willow finish are notable features, while the designs,

range all the way from the quaint polka dot to Oriental designs that are as bewitching as they are unique.

Taffetas in faille and soft chiffon finishes are more popular than ever for suits and frocks, while they have become a very craze where skirts are concerned. There is a host of plain colors with navy predominating—lovely changeable taffetas in rare color harmonies—and last, but by no means least, gingham plaid, Scotch plaid and satin-striped taffetas, in the most adorable effects imaginable.

Satins have lost none of the high favor they gained last season and are here in a splendid variety of rich, lustrous qualities. There are liberty duchesse, satins, charmeuse and grena-

dine satins, messaline and duchesse messalines and washable satins, as well as an exquisite new finish known as liberty charmeuse. The colors show lovely tones ranging all the way from the delicate pastels to the deep dusky tones, with plenty of black and white.

Silk crepes have an inimitable charm where dainty afternoon or evening frocks or delicate blouses are concerned. Weighty silk crepe de chine, Kabe crepes, indestructible volles and exquisite Georgettes are chief among the many such fabrics and are seen in tones of pale loveliness, such as flesh, maize, peach, pastel blue, etc., on up to the beautiful sombre colors, such as wistaria, taupe, navy, battleship, Burgundy, amethyst, etc.



Here They Are, Men! New Suits That Forecast the Coming of Spring

Not the Most Expensive---But the Most for the Money

The Simpson's Men's Store believes in setting the pace, rather than following behind; thus today, before the snow is off the ground, we are showing new spring suits.

Men who have been eagerly looking forward to a change from the "old" to the "new," without too big an expenditure for the early suit, will be glad of the good values and moderate prices we offer today. Note these few:

They Are Priced Moderately
\$22.50, \$25.00, \$28.00, \$30.00
and \$32.50

Men's Suits of grey unfinished worsted, self overcheck pattern, single-breasted two-button style with form-fitting back and centre vent. At \$22.50.

Men's Suits of brown and black striped tweed, single-breasted, three-button style, semi-form-fitting, no centre vent in back. At \$25.00.

Men's Suits of blue and mixed stripe tweed and single-breasted two-button style, having straight front with slightly-rounded corners, form-fitting back with centre vent, slash pockets. At \$28.00.

Men's Suits of blue check cheviot, single-breasted, three-button style with form-fitting back, no centre vent. At \$30.00.

Men's Suits of brown check tweed; single-breasted, three-button style with soft rolling lapel, having centre vent at back. At \$32.50.

Youths' and Young Men's First Long Trousers \$15.00

Youths' and young men's long trousers suits of brown and black check tweed. Single-breasted, two-button model. Slash pockets. Plain back with centre vent; belt all the way around. Sizes 32 to 35. At \$15.00.

Brown tweed mixed pattern, single-breasted, two-button model; slant pockets; plain back; centre vent; belt all around. Sizes 32 to 35. At \$18.00.

Men's Bath Gowns, House and Lounging Coats That Fit Better But Cost No More

Men's bath robes of Beacon-blankets. Attractive red and grey fancy patterns on blue-grey ground. Girdle at waist. Price, \$6.50.

Men's house coats, in dark grey material; collar, cuffs and pockets trimmed with reverse side of cloth. Edges, cuffs and pockets piped with black and grey cord. Price, \$6.50.

Men's lounging robes of fancy mixed pattern. Edges, pockets and cuffs piped with cord in corresponding shades. Girdle at waist. Price, \$9.00.

The New Dress Fabrics Are Interesting, Handsome and Exclusive

Leaving the Silk Section for a time we thread our way through counter after counter in the Dress Goods Department, where every glance catches some new, rich fabric—the choicest products of the loom, in so many fashionable colors as to be well-nigh bewildering. Among the most popular are

Sand, Cork, Pekin Blue, Hortensia, Nutria, Robin's Egg, Olive Duck Blue, Taupe, Nickel, Aluminum, Maltese, Navy, Mole, Fig and Clay.

—surely a merry host from which to choose for your new spring suit, street frock or coat. Here are a few of the various lovely materials:

Gabardine of fine all-wool, with a rich chiffon finish, claims a high place among the smartest coat and suit fabrics.

Tricotine, too, a delightful soft material, with a wider flatter than the gabardine; it also closely resembles the Poiret twill that found much favor last season.

Tweed has come into such prominence as to be almost famous. There are homespun tweeds for coats, in solid colors, combination tones, and novelty flecked materials. There are fancy tweeds in very fine qualities for dressy suits, in light grey, brown and fawn mixtures. Again, there are the wonderful heather tweeds, in a host of attractive mixtures.

Serge—Materials come and go, but serge "goes on forever," growing more and more indispensable. For the tailored suit or coat, for the smart, practical skirt for the street dress, nothing ever has, and doubtless ever will, usurp its place. We are proud of our serges; made from the finest Botany soap-shrunk wools, with guaranteed eyes.

Magnificent Displays of Exquisite New Ribbons

Exclusive Designs and Wonderful Colors Are Features

The coming season is to be a ribbon season, and the dozens upon dozens of wonderful new ribbons in dozens and dozens of exquisite colors that are glorifying the Ribbon Department are ready for every need. From the tiniest ribbons for the tiniest fancies to the broad, rich silks and satins for stunning hand bags and trimmings, they express the most exclusive touches of fashion. We call your attention to a few of the many:

- Cire, black leather finished ribbons. Per yard, 15c to 50c.
- Colored Gros Grains, 5 widths, in 40 shades. Per yard, 15c to \$1.00.
- Taffeta Failles, 5 1/2 inches wide, all new shades. Per yard, 50c.
- Satin-edge Taffetas, 5 inches wide. Per yard, 35c.
- Dresdens, in lovely tones. Per yard, 35c to 50c.
- Plaid Taffetas are popular. Per yard, 45c and 75c.
- Colored Moires, in rich shades. Per yard, 39c and 75c.
- Tapestry Ribbons of enchanting colors. Per yard, \$1.25 to \$3.50.
- Gold and Silver Embroidered Black Satins. Per yard, \$4.00.

For Women and Misses Spring Suits, Coats, Dresses, Etc. That Sparkle With Freshness and Newness

Charming Suits From New York---\$25, \$30, \$35

Both the Women's and Misses' Departments have just received from New York shipments of beautiful suits to sell at these three popular prices. The collection is varied in design, and includes serges, poplins and gabardines, in sand, Belgium, browns, hunters' green, greys, navy and black. They really deserve your early inspection.

Women's Smart Serge Dresses

There seems to be no end to the attractive styles that find their way into the street dresses of serge.

This time it is a frock with a double bolero, richly adorned with military braid, and finished with a jaunty gypsy collar.

Or it is a dressy surplice model handsomely braided and having a pleated skirt.

Again, it is a straight pleated and panelled style finished with row upon row of military braid.

Each one of these charming frocks may be had in navy, green, brown or black, and each is a very special value at \$20.00.

Among the New Spring Coats

Whether you want a dressy afternoon coat, a street coat, a coat for business wear, or a coat to go a-motoring in, there is one to suit the need among the host of charming new garments that are pouring out of their boxes to help re-create your Spring wardrobe.

Among the many lovely fabrics are Delhi cloths, in all the leading Spring colors. Some of their delightful features are the graceful lines with the slightly fitted backs and rippled skirts, the many fabrics in contrasting colors in the collars, the unique belts and pockets, and the many new ways in which buttons are used to adorn them. They range in price from \$35.00 to \$46.00.



Spring Opening of New French Millinery

Your Attention is Invited

Models will be shown from Marie Lancret, Germaine, Hermance, Louison, Marguerite and Leonie, Mary and Annie, and many other famous Paris designers will show you the fashion tendencies for spring.

A dominant note is their simplicity, which is enhanced and made all the more alluring by some deft touch of the artist in the way of rare ornament or costly feather.

There are demure French pokes, mushroom, and prettily drooping shapes which will find their way right into the hearts of the miss, while the upstanding French military designs, turbans and large afternoon hats will appeal to the matron.

Veils are used in many distractingly lovely ways, showing everything from one that is actually drawn under the chin with a velvet ribbon and tied at the nape of the neck to a flowing veil that drops Oriental-like over the face, and is richly beaded.

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