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THE WEATHER—FAIR AND COOL.

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FOR KAISER PLANS RETURN TO GERMANY TO RECLAIM HIS THRONE

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY SUFFERED 4,000,000 CASUALTIES DURING WAR

France and Britain Suffered
Together In Great War and
Are Now United Forever;
Declares President Poincare

King George at Dinner in His Honor Pays a Tribute to
France's Part in Conflict—Pre-War Friendship Has
Developed Into an Active Alliance.

Paris, Nov. 23.—The dinner given to King George at the Alysse Palace last night by President Poincare, the Paris newspapers declare, was one of the most notable events in the histories of Great Britain and France.

President Poincare, in toasting Great Britain, recalled the agreement made between the two countries in 1904 and the efforts of both Great Britain and France to avoid war in 1914. He declared that Great Britain by her naval, military and moral effort during the war had added an incomparable chapter to her splendid history. He praised the work of the British army and the effort of the British navy, concluding:

"The pre-war friendship has changed into an active alliance which will find in the peace negotiations a new utility.

We have suffered together and won together, and are united forever."

King George expressed his great pleasure in being in Paris, the capital of the country, with which he and his people had shared the misfortunes as well as the victories of war. He recalled the vain efforts of the Germans to capture Paris and the final triumphant campaign of the Allies under the direction of Marshal Foch. Both nations, he added, had struggled for civilization and right, and had learned to appreciate each other. He hoped that the union of hearts and interests resulting from the war would always aid to the maintenance of peace. He paid tribute to France's heroic dead and toasted the future happiness and prosperity of the French people.

FRIENDLIEST RELATIONS EXISTED BETWEEN ALLIED COMMANDERS, DECLARES U. S. SECRETARY BAKER

Washington, Nov. 23.—Secretary of War Baker said last night regarding the Baltimore Sun dispatch:

"I have not read the story and can make no comment on its contents. I happen, however, to be able from personal observation to say that the relations between Gen. Pershing, Marshal Foch, Gen. Petain and Marshal Haig were cordial, sympathetic and in every way happy. I did not see Marshal Haig on my last trip to Europe, but I did see Gen. Petain and Gen. Pershing together several times in prolonged conversation, and I saw Marshal Foch and know their

relations were as I have described them to be.

"The great offensive which Marshal Foch organized and directed was carried out by Marshal Haig, Gen. Petain and Gen. Pershing. They not only performed their several parts with enthusiasm but co-operated with each other at all points of contact. American troops at the end, were not only fighting in their own sector, but were also operating by divisions with the French, under Gen. Petain, and with the British, under Marshal Haig, while in the American sector, properly so called, French divisions were under Gen. Pershing's command."

SOCIALISTS OF MUNICH INSIST ON DISMISSALS

Demand That Solf, Scheidemann and Erzberger
Be Fired.

Berlin, Thursday, Nov. 23.—The Socialist Council of Munich has telegraphed to the executive committee of the Berlin Socialist Council demanding the dismissal of Dr. W. S. Solf, foreign minister; Philipp Scheidemann, minister of colonies; and Matthias Erzberger, who it has been announced will conduct negotiations preliminary to peace. The telegram also invites the Berlin council to overthrow a government which continues to place such persons in important positions.

EDMUND ROSTAND ILL.
Paris, Nov. 23.—Edmund Rostand is very ill from pneumonia. The condition of the distinguished author is said to be alarming.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 50; lowest, 23.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 45; lowest, 36.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COOL.

Forecasts.

Today—Strong winds and gales, west to northwest, decreasing tonight; passing showers of rain or snow, but partly fair and cooler.

Saturday—Fresh northwest to west winds; generally fair and cool.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Stations	High	Low	Weather
Victoria	48	44	Cloudy
Calgary	42	14	Clear
Winnipeg	36	10	Cloudy
Port Arthur	40	22	Cloudy
Perry Sound	40	35	Rain
Fort Stanley	50	38	Cloudy
Buffalo	50	38	Cloudy
Toronto	47	39	Cloudy
Kingston	44	40	Cloudy
Ottawa	47	34	Cloudy
Montreal	48	35	Cloudy
Quebec	48	35	Cloudy
Father Point	25	20	Cloudy

The disturbance which was in Illinois yesterday now covers the Ottawa Valley, attended by gales, sleet and rain from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces. In the West the weather has been fair and moderately cold.

INFLUENZA IS RAGING AGAIN IN HAMILTON

Ban To Be Placed On Tight
Again Tonight.

DEATH RATE IS HEAVY

Doctors Are Unable To Report
the Many Increasing
Cases.

Hamilton, Nov. 23.—The influenza epidemic has broken loose again, and Hamilton, which was locked up for three weeks, with a three weeks' intermission, will be closed again at 6 o'clock tonight. Department stores will be allowed to remain open until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and again from 7 until 9 at night. Theatres, churches and schools will be closed, and all public gatherings banned. The death rate has been heavy, and new cases are developing so rapidly that the doctors cannot find time to report them.

REEVE DIES FROM "FLU."
Hamilton, Nov. 23.—Herbert Dickenson, reeve of Glendon, died here today of Spanish influenza after being ill for a few days. Mr. Dickenson was a three-cornered fighter in the last Dominion election, when Gordon C. Wilson was elected.

HEAD OF PENSIONS BOARD IS GRANTED LOTS OF AUTHORITY

Rumor Is That Sifton Resigned
Because He Had Nothing
To Say

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, Nov. 23.—It would appear that certain leeway in the matter of making appointments has been conceded to commander J. K. L. Ross, head of the Canadian Pensions Board. Two months ago Commander Ross, straightly threatened to resign unless the commission of pensions was removed. He is now in the order-in-council creating the pension board vested in it the right to make its own appointments.

Apparently Commander Ross has secured his end, for he is still head of the pensions board. A relaxation of the civil service regulations is said to have been permitted without amendment of the law in his particular case.

Apocryphal of this controversy is rumored here that the reason for the resignation of Sir Clifford Sifton from the position of head of the conservation commission was the fact that under the new civil service regulation he could not even appoint a messenger without consulting the civil service commission.

HAMILTON'S MAYOR IS OUT FOR THIRD TERM

Opposition of All the Papers in Ambitious City Does Not Worry Him.

Hamilton, Nov. 23.—Mayor C. G. Booker, elected two years ago, despite the fact that all the Hamilton papers opposed him in a third term, he will be opposed by Controller Thomas M. Wright, who has had long municipal experience.

FINE LINE OF DOPE.

Copenhagen, Thursday, Nov. 23.—Vienna newspapers publish a letter from Count Cernin, former Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, explaining an alleged Austrian peace offer in December, in which unauthorized private individuals tried to accelerate the return of peace. In this particular case, he says, a manufacturer made overtures but was unable to prove that he was accredited to the American or any other government.

WHAT WILL HE DO WHEN HE GETS THERE?



10,000 YANKS FALL TO THE CHARM OF BEAUTIFUL FRENCH MAIDS, MANY TO REMAIN IN FRANCE

Rev. Dr. Charles Stedman McFarland, a Returned Chaplain,
Declares Many More Will Succumb to Cupid's
Darts Yet.

New York, Nov. 23.—Ten thousand American soldiers have married French girls already since the war began and more are expected to follow, according to the Rev. Dr. Charles Stedman McFarland, chaplain who has returned from the war zone. Dr. McFarland made the statement in an address before two hundred members of the New York Advertising Club. It wouldn't surprise him either if a great many of the American boys made France their home for the future, eventually marrying French girls as the thousands of others have already done, he said.

BAVARIA WILL SEND SEPARATE REPRESENTATIVES TO CONFERENCE

Paris, Nov. 23.—(Havas).—Bavaria probably will ask to have separate plenipotentiaries at the peace negotiations and will claim conditions of a separate peace, says the Matin, in commenting on the action of Bavaria in breaking off relations with the Government at Berlin.

Ex-Emperor Charles Is Suffering From Mental Depression

Sits For Hours at His Desk
Staring Into Space.

Amsterdam, Nov. 23.—Former Emperor Charles of Austria is suffering from a mental depression, according to an innkeeper's dispatch to the Kreutzeitung of Berlin. He sits for hours at his desk, staring into space. Former Emperor Zita is much distressed by her husband's state of health.

WOODSTOCK YOUTH'S MANGLED BODY IS FOUND BY TRACKS

Jack Carney Is Believed To
Have Fallen From Moving
Train.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
WOODSTOCK, Nov. 23.—The horrible mutilated body of Jack Carney, a well-known local young man, was found by the sectionmen on the G. T. Woodstock about three miles east of Woodstock about 9 o'clock this morning. Just how the young man met his death is not known. He left here last night to visit his brother Thomas in Brantford, and it is supposed that the train he was on was the one that was derailed here last night. An inquiry will be held this afternoon.

FORMER EMPRESS REACHES HOLLAND.

London, Nov. 23.—The former Empress of Germany arrived by train on Thursday at Maarsbergen, Holland, and where the former emperor is staying, according to a Rotterdam dispatch to the Daily Mirror.

Ex-Kaiser Intends To Return To Germany and Reclaim His Throne, According To Report To London Mail from Neutrals

FOUR MILLION CASUALTIES FOR DUAL EMPIRE DURING WAR

800,000 of This Number, In-
cluding 17,000 Officers,
Were Killed.

London, Nov. 23.—Austria-Hungary lost four million killed and wounded during the war, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen.

Eight hundred thousand men were killed, including 17,000 officers.

The German losses were placed at 6,330,000 by Socialist Vorwarts of Berlin on November 20. The newspaper estimate, which was unusual, said that up to October 31, 1,550,000 German soldiers had been killed, and the fate of 2,000,000 was not known. Four million soldiers were wounded, and 490,000 were prisoners.

The British losses in all theatres of activity, including killed, wounded and missing, were officially placed at 3,049,891 on November 19. Of this total, 658,665 were killed, including 31,000 officers. An official announcement from London Wednesday said that 1,000,000 men had been killed or were dead through various causes, it being deduced from the earlier total of killed that the remainder of the total must include those who died from wounds, those who died from disease, and those who died from other causes not classified.

WOULD RATHER HANG THAN BE CONDEMNED TO A LIVING GRAVE

Thomas J. Mooney Appeals To
Labor Leaders to Con-
tinue Efforts.

San Francisco, Nov. 23.—Many strikes had been planned for December 9 by labor organizations as a protest against Thomas Mooney's execution, which was set for December 13. Whether these proposed strikes now will be carried out, labor leaders here were unable to say today.

From his cell Mooney issued a statement protesting against commutation of his sentence. "I would rather hang," he said, "than be condemned to a living grave."

Mooney also appealed to labor leaders to continue their efforts in his behalf.

Of the five persons indicted for murders in connection with the bomb explosions, only two have been convicted—Mooney and Warren K. Billings, a machinist. Billings was sentenced to life imprisonment. Mrs. Rena Mooney, wife of Thomas Mooney, and Irene Wienberg, a "jitney" bus driver, were acquitted, and Edward D. Nolan, a machinist, never has been brought to trial.

Out of the Mooney trial grew charges of irregularities on the part of District Attorney Charles Fickert who conducted the prosecutions. He brought two personal appeals for clemency from President Wilson to Governor Stephens, and laboring men in many parts of the world interested themselves in the case. A report touching on features of the prosecution was made last week by Secretary of Labor Wilson. John E. Densmore, director-general of federal employment, a grand jury is investigating the charges of irregularity in the prosecution.

STEAMER REFOATED.

New York, Nov. 23.—The United States navy department reports that the steamer J. A. McKee, which went ashore last night near New York, has been refloated.

NEW INFLUENZA CASES.

Montreal, Nov. 23.—There were 15 new cases of influenza and seven deaths reported yesterday by Dr. Boucher, medical health officer, a slight increase in the number of deaths as compared with the day preceding.

Revolution in Germany, It Is Claimed, Is Being Conducted
Under the Management of Former Army Officers
Garbed as Workmen.

London, Nov. 23.—The former German Emperor contemplates an early return to Germany to reclaim his throne, according to news received in London through a neutral source of high standing, says the Daily Mail.

The newspaper adds that the revolution in Germany is being managed by officers of the German high command with a view to eventually causing its collapse and the triumphant return of the former emperor to Berlin. Some of these officers, in civilian clothes, have been recognized in the streets of Berlin. Many of them are reported to be dressed as workmen.

These officers harangue the crowds as comrades, and in every way encourage the revolutionary movement. It is added, however, that if opportunity offers they will abandon this disguise, contend that the revolution is a failure and begin a counter-revolution.

Agents of these officers, it is declared, are further in this plot by spreading anti-British propaganda in Holland with the object of embittering the Dutch against the Allies.

PROCEDURE FOR SURRENDER OF EX-KAISER TO BE DISCUSSED

London, Nov. 23.—The actual procedure to be followed in demanding the surrender of the former Emperor of Germany to the Allies will be discussed in London, according to the Daily Express. Premier Clemenceau of France will arrive here Sunday with Marshal Foch.

The British and French Governments, the newspaper adds, have reached a decision regarding their right to make the demand on Holland.

UNION GOVERNMENT'S LETHARGY WILL CAUSE DISTURBANCES IN THE RECONSTRUCTION PERIOD

Ottawa Citizen, a Supporter of the Cause, Arraigns Administration for Lack of Courage, Energy and Co-operation That Led to McCurdy's Resignation.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, Nov. 23.—The Ottawa Citizen, which gave support to the Union Government at the last election, has the following observations to make today:

"The reasons given by Mr. F. B. McCurdy for resigning from the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment are such as to create an uneasy feeling in the minds of those interested, as all should be in the great problem which confronts the country in the return and absorption of the soldiers into the industrial life of the nation. Lack of co-ordination in the work of the department, the other branches of the administration, other than the soldiers' civil re-establishment, has been a source of much delay, and has been responsible for a condition of unpreparedness which he fears will have serious results in the future. The general preparation for peace conditions is such, according to this official, that disturbances to capital and labor are inevitable, while little or no progress has been made towards retraining, rehabilitation or reconstruction on a peace basis.

"There is no occasion for alarmist rumors, nor should we fear the immediate future if we get together and head them off. Evidently, however, there is a serious lack of initiative and energy, even of courage, as Mr. McCurdy has been replaced by someone more in keeping with the necessities of the occasion."

Maximilian Is Favored As the First President

Commission Ordered To Take
Criminal Prosecution Against
Certain German Officers.

Copenhagen, Nov. 23.—Prince Maximilian of Baden, former imperial chancellor, is favored as the first president of the German Republic by democratic circles there, according to advices to the Berlingske.

The council commissaries has appointed a commission to investigate charges of the general treatment of prisoners of war has been contrary to international law.

The commission is ordered to take testimony under oath and expel guilty persons from the army. In certain conditions, criminal prosecution may be ordered.

TOTAL CONTRIBUTION, \$560,062.

Montreal, Nov. 23.—The campaign for the Red Cross and the Navy League advanced \$527,160 yesterday, bringing the total for the two days to \$560,062. This total was made up from the reports of the ladies' committee and the men's teams, the national committee and a contribution of \$100,000 from the Province of Quebec.

BADEN LIBERALS DEMAND BREAK WITH BERLIN

London, Nov. 23.—The Liberal party in Baden has issued a proclamation demanding a complete break with Berlin, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen.

HUN REBELS SMASH SURRENDERED PLANES

150 Machines at Boeblingen
Airdrome Are Rendered
Useless.

Basle, Nov. 23.—One hundred and fifty airplanes which had been gathered at the Boeblingen airdrome, eleven miles southwest of Stuttgart, to be handed over to the Allies in accordance with the provisions of the armistice, have been rendered useless by order of the revolutionary committee, according to a Stuttgart dispatch received here.

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MAJOR W. GREGORY GUEST OF HONOR AT COLLEGIATE INST.

Entertained to Luncheon and
Spoke on War.

EFFECTS IN OLD LAND

Leavening of Classes and
Broadening of Minds
Evident.

"The thing which struck me most forcibly in comparing my visit to England this time and that of a few years before the war, was the leavening of the classes in England, and the broadening out of the mental attitude of all ranks," declared Major Wm. Gregory at the luncheon given in his honor at 12:30 o'clock Thursday in the Collegiate Institute. About thirty members of the Collegiate staff were present, as well as Dr. W. M. Shoebottom, chairman of the committee which has just recommended an increase of salary to the Collegiate teachers.

Major Gregory made special mention of the excellent work done by the English women toward winning the war. "One big business man in England told me that the women were more valuable to him in his work now than men before the war. In one munition factory, Woolwich Arsenal, as many as 50,000 women were employed on one branch of the work alone."

Saw the Fleet.
Speaking of the British navy, Major Gregory declared: "Although we have heard a great deal about the power and importance of the navy, it is impossible for us to realize its significance until we have seen it at work. I saw the British fleet in the North Sea—twenty miles of ships—and that did more than anything else to inspire me with enthusiasm, and to make me proud of belonging to the great British Empire. Why, after deducting all the ships lost, British came out of the war with 6,000,000 tons of shipping, while they went into it with but 5,500,000 tons. This would have been impossible for the Allies to win the war without the help of the British navy."

Canadians Among Best.
With reference to the Canadian troops, he said: "There was no better fighting force on the allied front, and that such was the opinion of the great French and British generals. Although there were only four divisions of the Canadian army, it had never failed to take its objective."

He also paid a tribute to France, speaking in particular of the great defense of Verdun, the most magnificent piece of fighting of the whole war. In conclusion, he stated that he was glad the Allied had succeeded in putting it through the thick skull of the Germans and proved that the reverse of their policy was right, that right ruled, not might.

W. H. T. Mooney, principal of the Collegiate, who presided at the luncheon, congratulated Major Gregory as the only member of the Collegiate staff who had served overseas. He also referred to the esprit de corps which gathered at the luncheon being held would further among the Collegiate staff.

Feed the Brutes.
In calling on Shoebottom to speak, he said that he only regretted that the doctor had gapped at the 1100 point in the staff salary increase. Dr. Shoebottom in his turn replied that if the Collegiate staff would invite the board of education to luncheon, he would be glad to discuss the matter of salaries. He further stated that none knew better than he how inadequately the staff was paid, and he hoped that the next board of education would be as generous as the present one.

Three cheers were then raised at the instigation of J. A. Dickinson for Major Gregory and for Dr. Shoebottom. The luncheon, which was served in the Collegiate dining room under the direction of Miss Macpherson, of the domestic science department, was an undoubted success, the tables being beautifully decorated.

Quinine That Does Not Affect Head.
Because of its tonic effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets) can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." Dr. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.

SOUL-WINNING THE SUBJECT OF TALKS AT M. S. MEETING

Interesting Addresses Given
by Baptist Workers.

At the fourth session of the Women's Baptist Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of Ontario, held in the Eglinton Street Baptist Church, Thursday, the keynote of the addresses given was "soul winning." Pastors should find their women's mission societies the most effective agencies in filling the pews and bringing under the preaching of the gospel souls that may be saved.

Considerable discussion took place regarding the Home and Foreign Mission literature. It was thought that a good many of the Baptist women merely took the magazine because the subscription helped missions, and not for any good they might derive from it.

Books Unopened.
It had been known that the "Visitor" and the "Link," two of the foremost Baptist missionary papers, had gone into homes where they had not even been opened. It was urged that all Sunday school teachers in the Baptist denomination present give illustrations of the benefit they and their class had derived from these publications.

Afraid of Consequences.
Mrs. D. Shumilo of Hamilton, who for four years was engaged in evangelistic work among the Russians in this city, told in broken English (she being Russian) of the work she had done in Hamilton among the Russians. Many of them would be glad to enter the new faith, but were in almost every instance afraid of the results when they returned to Russia.

At the close of Mrs. Shumilo's talk a prayer service was held for the foreign population in Canada. It was announced by Mrs. C. Holman that the Baptist denomination was the first to start missionary work among the Slavs.

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RELIANCE Garage

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Pre-Christmas Stock Adjustment Sales Saturday

That tomorrow will be the greatest bargain Saturday of this whole season is emphasized by more reasons than this page will contain, but sufficient inducement will be found in the published list, as much seasonable merchandise will be found at half and quarter off. Monday the Christmas buying will begin with a rush, and the final readjustment in many sections where space must be curtailed, has brought sale opportunities for Saturday unprecedented. The outstanding events are in Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Suits and Coats, Furs, Millinery, Basement and Main Floor sales. Read carefully. Men's Suits about half.

Winter Coats, 1-4 Off

Some fur-trimmed models are in this collection—one rack full of smartest new coats to be cleared Saturday; colors are brown, green, burgundy, navy, taupe and smart tweed effects, a group of broken assortments, not every size in each, all sizes collectively up to 42, and this lot includes some of our best fur-trimmed models. Sale prices\$13.87, \$20.62, \$24.00, \$31.87, \$39.00 up to \$112.50

Some beautiful Coats in velour and silver tone, with opossum or con collar and cuffs, at One-Quarter Off Saturday.

Final Millinery Clearings



Fractional Prices Saturday.

To make room in this section for our Christmas gift booth, a big clearing of Trimmed Hats will be made tomorrow, which will include a number of patterns. Sale prices are about one-third.

TRIMMED HATS, \$3.95 AND \$4.95.

Four dozen Trimmed Hats, patterns in this lot black and colors, large, medium and close-fitting. See these early\$3.75 and \$4.95 each

READY-TO-WEARS, \$1.95 AND \$2.95

Four dozen Ready-to-Wear Hats, hatter's plush, velvet and velour felts, black, grey, purple, navy and brown; about one-third regular price. Sale prices\$1.95 and \$2.95

In the Basement

TUNGSTEN LAMPS.

All first quality, 25, 40 and 50 watts. Special (one of each) Saturday3 for \$1.00

CANADIAN WM. A. ROGERS' CUTLERY.

(Nickel Silverware)

Special prices on Spoons, Knives and Forks, Tea-spoons in three sizes85c, 90c and \$1.00 dozen
Dessert Spoons\$1.80 dozen
Table Spoons\$2.15 dozen
Dessert Forks\$1.80 dozen
Medium Forks\$2.15 dozen
Dessert Knives\$2.40 dozen

LADIES' HOSIERY.

Special Ladies' Pure Silk Hose, seamless, double lisle top and sole, in silver, pink, sky, champagne, pearl grey, gunmetal, black, brown, white, navy and cream; splendid wearing hose; sizes 8½ to 10. Price\$1.10 pair

Ladies' White or Black Cashmere Hose, seamless, double feet, good quality, sizes 8½ to 10. Price65c pair

Ladies' Black Pure Cashmere Hose, extra fine qualities, all have double feet. Prices, per pair\$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.75, \$1.85 and \$2.25

Boys' and Girls' Black Ribbed Pure Wool Hose, good school stocking, sizes 6½ to 10½. Prices, per pair75c to \$1.35

STOCKINETTE PETTICOATS, \$1.25

Five dozen Cosy, Snug-Fitting Stockinette Petticoats, fancy stitch at top and bottom, adding a very neat finish to garment, fastened in back with draw tape at waistline, made in grey with cardinal trimming. Price\$1.25

PAREE SILK UNDER-SKIRTS, \$3.95

Five dozen Paree Silk Underskirts, deep flounce of accordion pleating, with pleated ruffle at bottom, draw tape at waist, fitting neatly over hips, in a good range of novel shades. Special\$3.95



BOUDOIR CAPS, CORSET COVERS AND WORK APRONS.

Ten dozen Dainty Boudoir Caps, made of silk, organdy and fancy muslins, prettily trimmed with lace and fancy bows. Special50c each

One table Ladies' Corset Covers, made of fine quality nainsook, trimmed with lace and insertion, sizes 34 to 42. Special50c each

Five dozen Large Work Aprons, made of splendid quality print. Special39c

SALE OF LADIES' UNDERWEAR, 79c.

Ten dozen only Ribbed Cotton Vests, natural or white, high neck, long sleeves, shaped, outside. Special79c each
Eight dozen only Drawers, ankle length, open style only, outside. Special79c each

COMBINATIONS REDUCED TO \$1.79

Ten dozen White Cotton Combinations, round or V necks, elbow sleeves; drawers closed crotch, ankle length; sizes 34 to 40. Special\$1.79

REMNANTS FLANNELETTE AND PILLOW SLIPS

2,000 yards Flannelette Ends, pure white, in good long lengths, nice clean goods. About one-third off regular price.

1,500 yards Beautiful Striped Ends, every piece a bargain, in lengths from 4 to 10 yards. Special18c, 20c and 23c yard

25 dozen Pillow Slips, hemstitched, size 40 inches. Special35c each

Bleached Sheet Remnants, all nice quality, in good lengths, for small sheets, pillow cases or strong underwear. SpecialOne-third Off

20 SHEETS WAXED PAPER, 6 ROLLS FOR 25c.

These rolls contain 20 large sheets of heavy quality paper instead of 15 sheets, as usual 5c roll contains; for wrapping and keeping fresh lunches, sandwiches, cakes, etc. Saturday6 rolls for 25c

New Christmas Boxed Papeteries in good quality linen and with gift card and tied with ribbon. Per box25c, 30c, 45c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 95c

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS PAPETERIES, SATURDAY \$1.19

36 only Christmas Papeteries in the best quality linen and in fancy box, tied with ribbon, and gift card, envelopes in the square back. To clear, per box\$1.19

Every Ladies' Suit Reduced; Many at Half-Price

Saturday we offer one complete section of Ladies' Suits, in velour, gabardine, serge and poplin, all new and popular smart styles. See these—prices are just cut in half. Sale prices, each\$17.50, \$18.75, \$21.00, \$28.00 and \$27.50

Eighteen Suits, including some smart New York models, all fur trimmed, in colors of navy, rookie, black and brown broadcloth, gabardine and velvet; sizes 18 years to size 42; all specially reduced for Saturday. Sale prices\$62.10 up to \$99.00



SALE OF ORIENTAL NET LACES ABOUT HALF SATURDAY, 12½c, 19c AND 29c YARD.

These Laces have been grouped into three lots, and some will be found not only at half, but about one-third regular prices. They will be found useful for making pretty Christmas things—jabots, collars, negligees, boudoir caps, etc. See these early—quantities are not large. Sale prices 12½c, 19c, 29c yard

"ILLY WHITE" CORSET COVERS, \$1.00

A Christmas suggestion. Get these early. They are very handsome embroidery patterns, with strappings all complete. For\$1.00 each

EASY-FIT ELASTIC VEILS, 10c, 2 FOR 15c.

Special for Saturday sale, navy, purple, brown, taupe and black, no pins or ties, slips on easily. Saturday sale2 for 15c

At Veiling Counter.

CORSETS HALF-PRICE.

One table of Corsets, an excellent assortment in the lot, just a few pairs of a kind, corsets for all types of figures and all sizes collectively. These are broken lines and sizes from our regular stock. For quick sale Saturday, half-price. Sale price25c to \$3.25

LADIES' PURSES, \$1.19

Twelve dozen only Fine Crepe and Morocco Grain Leather Hand Purses, with back strap, good over-lapping frame on change compartment, place for bills and car tickets. Extra value\$1.19

Special Five-Piece Brass Desk Set, pad 19x12, with plain brass corners, paper cutter, blotter, pen rest and ink well. Special\$2.50

Special Candlestick, plain colonial style, in burnished brass, or polished silver. Special50c each

Brass Ash Tray with match safe, glass lined. Special\$1.19

Here Are Silks You'll Want For Christmas

Buy Them Saturday at Sale Prices and Save.

BLACK SATIN DUCHESSE, \$1.89 YARD.

Only 100 yards to sell at one-quarter off the former price. A Beautiful Rich Black Dress Duchesse, pure silk, fine weave and finish; a rare opportunity for a nice dress for now or future wear at a big saving; also for Christmas this would make a most acceptable gift; yard wide. Be here at 8:30, as there are only 100 yards to sell at\$1.89 yard

PUSSY WILLOW-FINISH SILKS, \$1.29 YARD.

One of the most popular and fashionable silks today, silks that are unsurpassed for satisfactory wear, may be utilized for most purposes, such as camoles, underwear of all kinds, are most durable and pretty for coat linings, dainty for separate waists, are smart and drape beautifully for dresses, will launder perfectly. This is one of the best sales in plain silks for some time. Colors are light grey, mid and dark grey, mole, taupe, champagne, sand, reseda green, castor, dark brown, dark green, old rose, Belgian rose, rose and flesh pink, and white. This price is for Saturday only. No phone or mail orders accepted. All are full 36 inches wide. Saturday\$1.29 yard

Furs Half-Price

Just twelve pieces, Muffs and Scarfs, as follows—half-price Saturday:

1 Blended Fitch Muff	\$14.50
2 Blended Fitch Scarfs	\$12.50
1 Blended Fitch Scarf	\$9.87
1 Blended Fitch Scarf	\$17.50
1 Blended Fitch Scarf	\$6.25
1 Civet Scarf	\$3.75
1 Civet Scarf	\$4.25
1 Japanese Mink Tie	\$6.25
1 Muskrat Tie	\$3.25
1 Mink Pillow Muff	\$23.75
1 Mink Pillow Muff	\$26.00

Saturday Morning, Second Floor.

LINEN SPECIALS.

Plain Scalloped Linen Scarfs at reduced price for Saturday. Just one size only, a balance of our old stock, 18x54, finished with scalloped edge, with a small embroidered design or an initial, and you have a dainty Christmas gift. Very special\$1.29

Another odd line specially priced is a Dainty Embroidered Scarf in bird design, white with bluebird, most useful size, 18x54. A few dozen only Saturday reduced to98c

One piece Pure Irish Linen, very sheer for handkerchiefs, full 36-inches wide. Special50c yard

NOTICE—Doyley Centres in plain linen, also damask, now in all sizes. Special35c yard

SPECIAL SALE GEORGIAN CREPE, 59c YARD

As a special for Saturday we have secured another range of Georgian Crepes, beautiful colors in a silk and cotton mixture, similar in weave to a georgette. Our last sale of this crepe was a great success. Many people were disappointed in getting their supply. Come early while the range of colors is complete. About 300 yards only, in plain colors of pink, rose, sky, maize, black, and white. Makes dainty waists, dresses, lingerie, etc., for Christmas presents. Georgian Crepe comes 36 inches wide. Special for Saturday59c yard

Wash Goods, Main Floor.

AT TOILET COUNTER.

Peroxide Bath Soap10c cake
Large Round Bath Tablets, lilac and rose only3 for 25c
Seaward's Sandalwood Bath Tablets25c each
Taylor's Bath Tablets, rose, English lavender, violet15c each
Oatmeal Soap4 for 25c
Vinolia Lotus Soap25c for box of 3 cakes
Hudnut's Violet See Soap3 for \$1.00
Minty's Toilet Water, violet or lilac60c bottle
Minty's Toilet Water, in fancy bottles, euphonia, rose bloom, English lilac, violet, Dorisma85c bottle
Boxed Perfumes, rose, violet, lilac, lily of the valley. Price25c, 35c and 50c each
Beautiful line of Handsomely-Boxed Perfumes\$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.50 each
Five-Piece Elite Ebony Manicure Set on card65c each
Four-Piece Ivory Manicure Set on card25c each

SATURDAY SALES IN THE MEN'S SECTION

Men's, Negligee Shirts, \$1.39

A fine lot of Men's Negligee Shirts for Saturday away below regular value. These Shirts are a delayed shipment and should have been on the counter six months ago. They are of good quality Madras percales and cambrics, made good and roomy, with French cuffs, coat style, very smart patterns, neat stripes in assorted colors. These Shirts should sell quickly at this price. Be here on Saturday morning. See window display. The sizes range from 14 to 17. Very special at\$1.39

Boys' Sweater Coats at \$1.65 and \$2.00 Each

Boys' Sweater Coats for Saturday in sizes 24 to 34, at very special prices. These Coats are all in a dark heather mixed shade, good firm woolen Sweater Coats, button close up to the neck, and will stand hard usage and look well.

Sizes 24 and 26. Price\$1.65
Sizes 28 to 34. Price\$2.00

Afternoon Tea, 3 to 5:30.

Cold Sliced Ham, Thin Bread and Butter, Apple Pie, Cup of Tea or Coffee35c

CORTESE ORCHESTRA SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

Clearing of Winter Overcoats Saturday, \$14.95

A very choice lot of Overcoats for men on sale Saturday at a price that should clear them quickly; about 35 coats in this lot, selected from regular selling lines—ulsters with shawl and convertible collar, belt back or belt all around, also velvet and self collar coats, three-quarter length box back tweeds and chinchilla naps in grey, blue, brown and grey and brown mixtures; all well made and lined; every coat a bargain; sizes 35 to 46. Price \$14.95

Men's Suits About Half-Price, \$14.95

Eighty-five Men's Suits for Saturday at about half-price. These are wonderful value—you will be surprised to find such suits at this price, all from stock selected for quick selling on Saturday; extra well tailored and trimmed, of the very smartest styles, and all of first-class materials; tweeds and worsteds in grey, brown and mixed shades with stripes and check effect, also blue Irish serge, standard and form-fitting styles, with regular and slash pockets. Don't fail to see these. Sizes 34 to 46. Sale price\$14.95

Afternoon Tea, 3 to 5:30.

Club Sandwich25c
Cold Chicken with Potato Salad40c
Buttered Toast, Strawberry Jam, Cup of Tea20c

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A communication was received by the board of control from the London and Erie Railway Company accepting the city's offer of \$7,500 for the bridge and right-of-way, on the condition that the city release the company from the payment of about \$800 taxes.

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DIED IN ENGLAND GREAT OPPORTUNITIES OPEN TO WOMEN BUT NOBLEST OF ALL AIMS IS WOMANLINESS



SIGNALER ARCHIE SKINNER, son of the late Edward and Mary Skinner, of 55 Wilson Avenue, died in Bramshott Hospital, England, on November 3 from pneumonia, following Spanish influenza.

Before enlisting, Signaller Skinner was employed by the London Life Insurance Company. Going to Toronto in the spring of 1916 he enlisted in the machine gun section, and went overseas the following fall.

He spent several months in France as a signaller, and was killed on November 1, 1917.

He is survived by two sisters, Ella and Annie, and one brother, John, all of Toronto.

Archie Skinner was a bright and popular boy, and a friend to everyone who knew him.

**WILL RECONSIDER SOME
SOLDIERS' APPLICATIONS**
Soldiers' Grants, Commission So Decides at Meeting.

At a meeting of the Soldiers' Grants Commission this morning Controller E. S. Little suggested that as the war is over the commission should reconsider several applications for participation in civic grants by soldiers' dependents.

There were several laid over from time to time.

It was decided that this should be done.

P. A. Bowen, superintendent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, addressed the commission in reference to the policies held by his company. He also thanked the commission for the help City Treasurer James S. Baker had given him.

**WINDOW LIGHTING TO BE
PERMITTED AFTER 6:30**
But Still Warning Comes To Economize
In Hydro Power.

E. V. Buchanan, general manager of the public utilities commission, reports that window lighting is now permitted after 6:30 o'clock in the evening. He points out, however, that considerable conservation must still be exercised by power users. Word has been received to the effect that forty American munitions contracts are still in effect in Canada, one of which is in London.

Mr. Buchanan was attending the convention of the Ontario Municipal Electric Association at Toronto on Wednesday and Thursday. It was reported there that a larger supply of power will be available by the first of the year.

**INFORMAL RECEPTION TO
MAJOR C. M. E. GRAHAM**
An informal reception will be held for Major C. M. E. Graham at the station on Monday afternoon. Major C. M. E. Somerville and members of the council will be present. The general public is also invited.

High School Girls Hear of New Chances Offered Them in Life and How They May Take Advantage of Them.

"The Girl in the Modern Movement" was the subject of a most inspiring address delivered last evening by Mrs. Pratt of Toronto before the 'High School Girls' Club at the club meeting for supper at the Central Y. W. C. A. building on King street.

On November 11 the curtain rang down on a scene of war and bloodshed, and now it is rising again on a new scene of reconstruction, and we are Father Time leading by the hand the long line of mercy, and with one accord the world cries out, 'It's a girl!' declared the speaker. 'This girl is coming to her own at last in this century, and a new note is being sung.'

"Over here. 'There's a call to the girls over here.' 'Because women and girls have proven themselves worthy, the legislature of the country is ready to give them an opportunity. It has taken a conservative old world a long time to realize that women really can think. Until the war, men would not believe it, and it has taken a Kaiser and a world war to make them believe it.'

All But Fight. "When women first suggested themselves as munition workers, the new ministry held up its hands in horror, but the next year, as a final resort, they accepted the offer and now too much cannot be said of these women of furnace-land. Then, too, women offered to cook for the soldiers, and the officers refused to scorn, but later they accepted joyfully. At first the farmers refused to let their girls around, but they gave in after a time, and women have been to them an indispensable help. And now that fighting, which is a relic of barbarism, and which we hope soon will die out of existence, is over, the war has proved that women are a part of the nation. Among the immortal, no one but Shakespeare attributed anything to women. In 'The Merchant of Venice', Portia, as a lawyer, showed not only wonderful intellect and good judgment, but made a plea for mercy such as the world has never heard of. If women were established in the law courts today they might bring more into them of the atmosphere which prevailed throughout Portia's trial.

New Problems Arise. "New problems will arise in the period of reconstruction which will follow the war, and you girls must remember that you are now preparing yourselves for a part in this reconstruction. When you go to school each day you should remember that you are learning lessons in citizenship to be tolerant and broad-minded.

"But the chief message I am bringing to you tonight concerns your womanliness. Whatever your career, remember your womanliness and your purity of soul, which are your birthright. Remember that what women couldn't gain through years of military training was gained in a few months after they had shown their womanliness at the beginning of this war. Some people predict that women will become more mannish in their dress and habits. I say it would be a calamity if women discarded their womanly soft dresses for more mannish attire and became loud in action like men.

Keep Conventions. "And I want to say to you at this time when there seems to be a big movement on foot to do away with conventions, that it is never safe to ignore conventions, for behind every time-honored convention there is some reason. You don't leave your spoon in your cup because you might become very embarrassed if your arm came in contact with that spoon and upset the cup.

"You girls have wonderful opportunities before you. Almost every calling is opening itself up to you, but whatever calling you choose, remember that the noblest thing of all is to be a woman. Remember that our boys died to keep their women free and pure and good. Let's have them women worth dying for."

Miss Whiteside, principal of Mount College, Toronto, was present at the meeting and spoke a few words in commendation of the club and its aims and objectives.

The High School Girls' Club is now entering upon its year of activity, which promises to be one of great triumphs. The program laid out is a greater knowledge among the girls of how London is governed. Its tax is a 'Vocational Group,' still another will be the various callings possible for a girl, calling; the last group is to be called the 'Literary Group,' and will be for those who are interested in literary knowledge of what is being done in the field of literature. For each of these groups the best authorities on the subject in the city will be procured to discuss with the girls.

MRS. H. W. HILL IS PNEUMONIA VICTIM

Wife of Former M. O. H. Dies in Minneapolis.

Friends in London have just learned of the death, which occurred at the University Hospital, Minneapolis, on Wednesday, of Mrs. H. W. Hill, formerly of Dr. H. W. Hill, formerly director of the Institute of Public Health and medical officer of health in this city.

Hill had only been sick a few days with pneumonia. The funeral will be held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Hill, at Lakeview, on Monday.

While in London, Mrs. Hill was widely known for her work in the welfare of the women of the city.

THE LATE MRS. HILL.

known for the part she took in welfare work of the women of the city.

Mrs. Hill was born in London, Ontario, and was the daughter of Mr. J. H. Hill, a prominent businessman.

She was married to Dr. H. W. Hill, who was a prominent physician and medical officer of health.

She was a devoted wife and mother, and was widely respected in the community.

Her death is a great loss to the community, and her friends are mourning her passing.

The funeral will be held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Hill, at Lakeview, on Monday.

Interment will be in the Mount Pleasant cemetery.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral.

The family is receiving friends at their home.

Funeral services will be held at the home of the deceased.

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DIED OF PNEUMONIA AFTER WAR ENDED

Former London Boy, Flight Commander F. C. Crumme, Gave Brilliant Service.

Flight Commander Francis C. Crumme, who spent his boyhood days in London, was taken ill on November 11, the day on which the armistice was signed, with pneumonia, and died nine days later in France. Although he was born in Chicago, Ill., he lived in this city for a considerable time and later went to Toronto, where his parents now reside and attended the De la Salle School and College, and when only 17 years of age.



Former London Boy, Flight Commander F. C. Crumme, Gave Brilliant Service.

He took an aviation course at Leaside Camp and later at Camp Borden. The course in both camps only covering the short period of three months.

Thrilling Experiences. He left for overseas on September 22, 17, where he took six months' additional training and then went to France, where he gave most valuable service as a pilot and an observer. He was in many thrilling encounters with German planes and on one occasion landed with only the body of his machine remaining. Another thrilling instance was when he made for it and thus eluded his pursuers by taking shelter in it.

Brilliant Student. All through his school days he was a brilliant student, and it has darkened the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Crumme, residing at Homewood Avenue, Toronto, sadly, he being only 19. He died in the Rouen Hospital on November 20. A cable message conveying the condolences of the air military has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Crumme.

Notice to Creditors

IN THE MATTER OF the Estate of John Edward Lewis, late of the County of Middlesex, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to R.S.O. 1914, Chapter 121, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said John Edward Lewis, who died on or about the 18th day of October, 1918, at the City of London, are required to send by post prepaid, or to deliver to Purdom & Purdom, London, Ont., their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims or demands, and statement of the nature and amount of the same, to the said Purdom & Purdom, London, Ont., on or before the 15th day of December, 1918.

Dated at London this 23rd day of November, 1918.

PURDOM & PURDOM, London, Ont.
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FRESH FRUITS for the Xmas Cake

Choice Sultana Raisins, per lb. 20c
Best Seeded Raisins, package 15c
Cleansed Currants, per lb. 35c
Finest Mixed Peel—Citron, Lemon and Orange, per lb. 55c
Shelled Almonds, per lb. 75c
Crystal Raw Sugar, 2 lbs. 25c
Glaze Cherries, per lb. 60c
Pastry Spice, 1 lb. shaker 60c
Nutmeg, 1 lb. shaker 10c and 15c
Preserved Ginger, per lb. 60c

Prepared Icings

Chocolate, Maple, Rose and White, a package 15c

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report on and prepare plans and specifications for the removal of the council chamber to the second floor of the city hall.

Mayor Somerville thought that little money should be expended on the present building in prospect of new city hall.

Controller Moore thought that it would be built for five years.

Mayor Somerville said by that time the hub of the city.

Controller C. H. Merryfield thinks the city has chosen the correct site for new city hall.

Do You Know What It Means To Make a Real Good Shoe?

Can you imagine three hundred people engaged in making a single hat?

Think of them using in this hat sixty-six items of materials from all parts of the world.

Imagine one hundred and ten machines needed to put it together for you! Impossible!

Yet all this is necessary to produce one woman's Shoe.

Now compare the relative cost of hats and Shoes.

Then reflect on the care bestowed on the pretty bit of millinery, which people too often fail to give to the pretty Shoe!

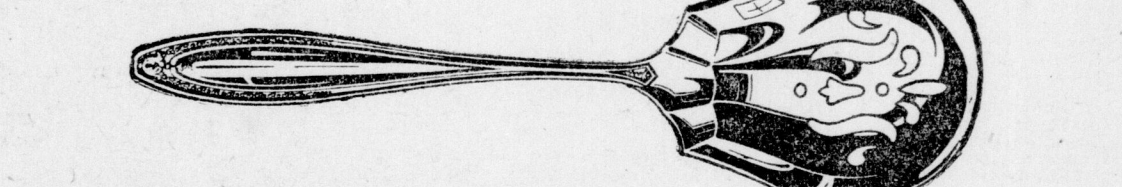
Considering its merit and its price in comparison with other necessities, the quietly stylish, well-made Shoe to-day is easily the best value in the whole range of apparel for women.



Save Time, Money and Temper

Do Your Xmas Shopping Early

When buying silverware bear in mind "Heirloom" plate in the "Devonshire" pattern. The heaviest plated silverware to be had, in a refreshingly new and beautiful design at very reasonable prices.



Teaspoons, per doz. \$7.00
Berry Spoons, each \$2.65
Pickle Forks, Sugar Shells, Soup and Cream Ladles, Knives and Forks, Etc.

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Water Sets, \$3.50 to \$25.00
Vases \$2.50 to \$15.00
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Berry Bowls, \$3.50 to \$15.00
Celery Tray, Spoon Trays, Comports, Nappies, Etc.

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Bissell Carpet Sweepers \$4.75 and up
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Franz Premier Electric Vacuum Cleaner \$45.00
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Tea and Coffee Pots \$1.75 to \$8.00
Tea Kettles \$2.75 to \$3.50
Crumb Trays 85c and \$1.25
Percolators \$5.50 to \$15.00
Casseroles at prices to fit everyone's purse \$2.50 to \$15.00

Cowan's Colossal Hardware

125-7 DUNDAS STREET. THE STORE WITH THE STOCK. TWO PHONES—3461-3462.

POWER OFF.—The street lights were off and street cars stalled for a short time last night. The trouble was thought to be due to the effects of the wind on the high tension wires east of here.

ANY STYLE—ANY SIZE MASON & RISCH PIANO, WILL MAKE THE IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFT.

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Sing a song of sixpence, a pocket full of rye,
Four and twenty blackbirds baked in a pie.
When the pie was opened the birds began to sing—
Was not that a dainty dish to set before the king?

The birds (not black, be it known) sang under the leadership of A. D. Jordan at the community sing-song in the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium last night. They were all there from the bald-headed eagle to the nightingale, and through all the selections from "Pack Up Your Troubles" to "The Lost Chord," every one sang.

Incongruities.
There was the man who never takes off his hat when he is in the hall, singing "With Your Hair Cut Short as Mine," quite unconscious that the pretty maidens at his side were convulsed with laughter at the incongruity of the situation.

Further along in the audience was the girl in her early teens, knitting at a sock, playing her needles rapidly, when "Pack Up Your Troubles" was sung, but slowly, as the words of "Juanita" escaped from her lips.

One bald-headed old bachelor persistently but not loudly called for "Love's Old Sweet Song," and finally someone ahead came to his rescue, and the word was passed by relays to Mr. Jordan.

At the finish of one of the rounds, the last line, "Life is but a dream," in girlish tones floating from one section of the hall made a striking ending.

Oh! To Be the Bugler.
Maidens whom one would expect to see free from a tiny mouse sang with all the earnestness imaginable the line, "Some day I'm going to murder the bugler," in the chorus of "Oh! How I Hate To Get Up in the Morning." One lad with an eye for beauty was heard to murmur, "How I'd like to be the bugler."

Just as Miss Lulu Somerville had sung "Why don't you look at your book instead of looking at me?" to E. N. Harding, in the duet, "A. B. C.," hydro audience saw the humor of the situation and heartily applauded. Evidently the pupils kept looking at the teacher, for the singing stopped until the lights were restored.

Interest Growing.
If the interest that was shown last night is any criterion, the Auditorium will not be large enough to hold the crowds that are bound to gather this winter for the sing-songs. Old and young, thoughtful and lighthearted, from the workshop, the office and the den, they all come to spend a pleasant evening in a family sing-song. The family spirit (not ghost) was there. All were brothers and sisters for the time being.

Despite the unfavorable weather the auditorium was well filled, and apparently each and every one enjoyed the evening. The orchestra, an innovation that was started last night, materially assisted in the various numbers. Like the audience, the orchestra is gathered from the four quarters of the city. Any musician is given a cordial invitation by Mr. Jordan to attach himself to the orchestra.

ASSORTED DOOMS FOR KAISER BILL

So many letters have come showering into The Advertiser post-box, giving suggestions as to what should be done with the Kaiser that it is impossible to print them all in full. However, the following extracts taken from many of these letters show pretty well the mind of Western Ontario on this subject:

A specially interesting one, written by one who calls himself "Layman," is, however, given in full, and reads as follows:

"Whatever restraint or retribution we would like to see imposed upon the ex-Kaiser, the swiftest war lord, the beast of Berlin and still unpunished heavy villain of the great war drama, just ended, we should first remember the old adage in making him coup. 'First catch your hare.' William Holenzoller, the sinister influence and moving spirit behind the German war lords and the German armies, is just across the border in Holland, as restless in his narrow restraint, no doubt, as was Napoleon at Elba. There is, therefore, to the Hollanders, despising them while enjoying their hospitality, a neutral fact assures.

Is It a Sham?
"We may be sure his ear is to the ground to catch any political cross-currents that would seem to favor his return to Germany as a defeated German, as its imperial head once more. Is there not a possibility that the ex-Kaiser's abdication and the bloodless overthrow of the Kaiser is a cunningly concocted sham to deceive the Allies and cloak sinister designs looking to the future not yet fully apparent? The fact that the late emperor refused to sign the humiliating armistice along with the suspicious circumstance that the brutal and blood-thirsty Hindenburg is still acceptable to the revolutionary party as leader of the German armies, is, to say the least, very disquieting to the Allies and plans, looking to the future peace of the world."

Make Holland Surrender Him.
"The first step, then, in dealing with the ex-Kaiser, is to demand his surrender from Holland and the crown prince, if not the whole staff to Allied keeping. If they are found to be murderers under the law they should suffer the death penalty, the same as the humblest criminal would under like conviction. If, however, they can only be held as political offenders, they would be a danger and a menace to the world's peace in the future, then they should be exiled, like Napoleon, to some remote and almost inaccessible island, carefully guarded for life, well fed and clothed and left to their remorse, a warning to future tyrants and enthusiasts who would deluge the world with blood and tramp rough-shod over the liberties of free peoples in order to gratify personal vanity and pride."

Another says:

"We know he has done many things against us and our country but if we do something with him now we are only putting ourselves on an equality with him. Why not let the Righteous Judge of all the earth deal with him as he seeth fit." The writer goes on to quote scriptural passages which would bear out this suggestion.

Quite in contrast reads the next letter:

"I wonder what the boys and husbands who sleep in Flanders fields between the crosses row on row, would say, if they could, what they would expect their comrades to see that the death was avenged, and I believe the poppies would refuse to bloom if they break faith with those who died for us."

Make Him Work.
"I would take him to France or Belgium, put a pick and shovel in his hand and compel him to help repair the land which he has so terribly mutilated. I would feed him well and clothe him comfortably, but by all means make him work at least ten hours daily. If this would kill him, then let him die," says Orville Eadie of Grade VII, Tecumseh School.

"I would take Kaiser Bill and his staff and make them small stones out of big ones, and feed them on bread and water as long as they live," is the advice of Frank Paisley of Woodstock, Ont.

"Deal with him as with any other criminal. Show no respect of persons. Give him an honest trial, and when convicted, be sure he is punished according to his sentence. Why should we make any exception in the case of royalty? The moral responsibility is the same for everyone. He has made Germany to sin,"—W. B. Laws, Watford.

Roll Him On Tacks.
"I would have him brought here and dressed as Adam and Eve were in the garden of Eden. Then I would give him the choice of walking or rolling from here to Springfield Park, strewn the road just half an inch thick with carpet tacks before he started, and placing a company of armed returned soldiers, armed with poles, along the road to help him on his way. Then I would let him spend the rest of his life on an island pulling out the tacks,"—George Keats, London.

This One "Terrible."
"That he should be released of this life, sliced up and put up in a cauldron and boiled, that the Entente Allies may have a social time at the conference, is the recommendation of M. Bloomfield of Centralia, who claims that the Entente Allies have formulated the plans for torpedo-proof ships used by the British admiralty, and therefore deserve a similar fate. He is the part of the authorities seeking advice in this matter."

"I believe that the Kaiser should not be allowed to run at large, as he is an old hypocrite and the devil will have to get him before his kingdom is complete. If he is left free he is sure to make trouble," says one.

Cage Him.
"I would take the beast and put him in an iron cage like any other ferocious beast and take him about the country, from town to town, and exhibit him, charging a fee to the public, the money to be devoted to the Belgians," declares another.

"The him up and burn him 'cause he's a bad person," is the advice of a wee lot of four years, whose mother forwarded her advice to The Advertiser.

"I think that inasmuch as he has made others to suffer, his body ought to be made to suffer by man. God will see about his soul. I would keep him in close confinement for the remainder of

ABOUT 180 MEN OF AQUITANIA COMPANY ARE EXPECTED HERE

Party of Returned Soldiers Probably Coming Sunday.

The London branch of the soldiers' aid society has been advised that 8 officers and 171 men out of the 4,000 returned soldiers who arrived at Halifax are expected to arrive some time on Sunday.

POSTCARD APPEARS TO SHOW CANADIANS IN GERMANY NOV. 8

German Field Card Was Sent On That Date.

That the Canadian troops were in German territory at least three days before the signing of the armistice might be proven from the fact that Thomas Walsh of The Advertiser staff has received a German field postcard written by one of the Canadian soldiers, who no doubt at the time of writing was passing into German territory along with his fellow Canadians. The postcard is dated November 8.

G. W. V. A. HERE PROTESTS AGAINST APPOINTMENT OF A CIVILIAN AT SANDWICH

The local branch of the G. W. V. A. is standing behind the Windsor branch against what it regards as the attitude of the Government in not giving a returned soldier the preference for the postmaster's job at Sandwich, where it has already placed a civilian at an alleged increase in salary.

This attitude of the G. W. V. A. was decided at a meeting of the employment committee held at the G. W. V. A. clubrooms last night. Civil service and general meeting were also discussed, and many good suggestions were made and filed. They will be taken up at the next meeting. The land question was also taken up, and many suggestions made which will be taken up at the next meeting.

These present at the meeting were: Mr. Fraser, Liberal candidate, and Mr. W. G. Coles, Lieut.-Col. W. G. Brown, Capt. J. C. Fletcher, J. H. Macdonald, F. Fleming, A. Woodcock, F. B. Foster, and J. W. Cunliffe.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

NORTH HURON BY-ELECTION.
To the Editor of The Advertiser:
The Government is quite anxious about North Huron by-election. Hon. Mr. Lucas was in the riding and held two meetings, one in Gorrie and the other in Fordwich. Both meetings were quite lively.

At his Gorrie meeting he stated that he was just out for some holidays. Mr. Lucas would like to make it appear that he was just going to the States, but he was just going to the States at that time.

At his Fordwich meeting, he got quite warmed up, and thought he had things all his own way, he had nothing to say about Mr. Spotton. In fact, he rather thought that Mr. Spotton was not such a bad fellow, and could not see why Mr. Spotton was out in opposition as an Independent Conservative. Mr. Lucas stated that Mr. Spotton was the man whom the Conservatives sent to Ottawa to plead for Mr. Masgrove's appointment to Wingham postoffice.

It must have been rather embarrassing for Mr. Spotton to ask the new Government at Ottawa to break one of its promises, that is, to do away with the patronage system. However, Mr. Spotton was the man to send. He could do it, and the Government was quite ready to grant his request.

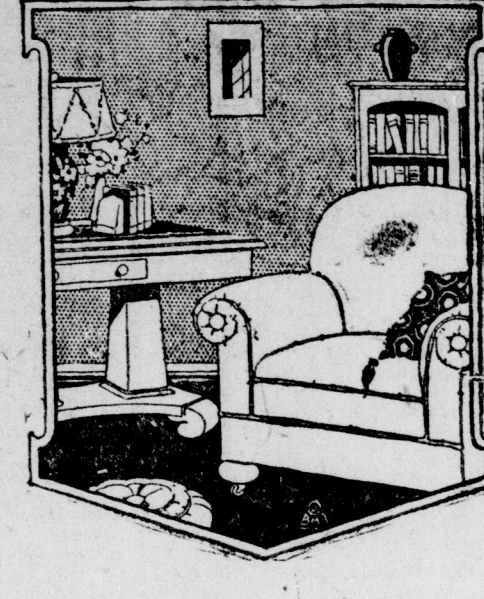
Mr. Lucas' closing remarks were about very bad, that is, to do away with the patronage system. However, Mr. Spotton was the man to send. He could do it, and the Government was quite ready to grant his request.

The trouble has arisen, it is said, on account of the G. N. W. Telegraph Company insisting that the wire chiefs be excluded from the schedule under the McAdoo award in reference to wages. These men are officials of the company. It is asserted. The men are said they say in demanding that the wire chiefs be included in the schedule.



Furniture Is An Investment Paying Constant Dividends of Satisfactory Service

In these days every dollar spent must render a good account of itself, especially since Victory Bonds and War Savings Stamps must be purchased and the national spirit of conservation carefully fostered. As Government securities are an investment of permanent character, so, too, is good furniture an investment that satisfies indefinitely. Furniture of real quality that will please and satisfy you for years to come is the only kind that you should buy these days because compromising on quality is both wasteful and extravagant. When furnishing your home make your investment of such character that it will pay dividends in long years of satisfactory service.



Don't Enjoy Your Neighbor's Home, Make Him Envy Yours



MAHOGANY Dining-room Suite, in Queen Anne design. Built by one of the foremost manufacturers of quality furniture in America, this suite represents the finest work of the cabinet-maker and furniture craftsman. Its fine quality is apparent to the most casual observer.

THE purchase of a Dining-room Suite like this will be something you will look back to with a great deal of pleasure in future years because it has all the attributes which go to make up a suite of furniture you will be proud to own, and its price is only \$250.00

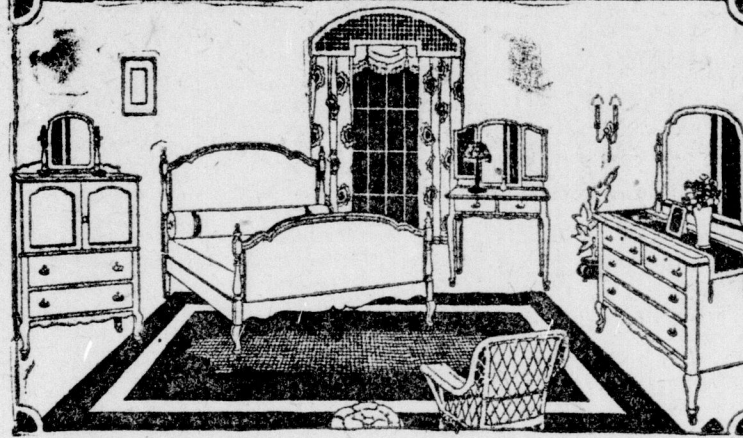


TOYS

For The Kiddies

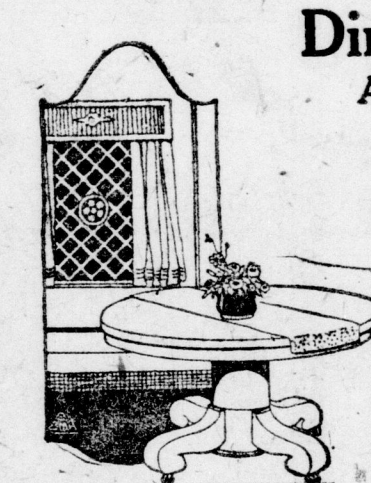
TOYLAND opens tomorrow with a fascinating array of games, dolls and mechanical toys for the little ones. Everybody with a child's name on the Christmas shopping list should visit Toyland in our Basement. Everything that's new in English, French, Japanese, Canadian and American Toys.

Here at Moderate Cost is the Bedroom You've Longed For



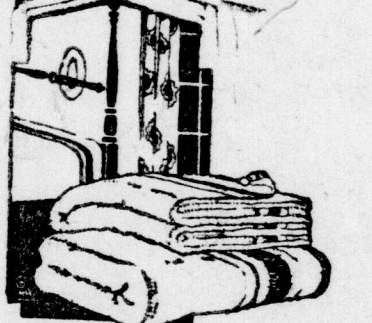
AN exhibition here you may see — the finest period suites of oak, mahogany and walnut at prices we could not duplicate were we to purchase this furniture to-day. But the chief characteristic of this furniture is its unflinching quality, which will insure service for many, many years to come.

GOOD design is essential to all worth while furniture, but in the selection of bedroom furniture quality is a matter of first importance. You can rely on furniture of this type on display at this store, and the suite illustrated above shows how quality can be secured at the moderate price of \$135.00



Dining Tables At Lower Prices

WHEN we purchased this fine assortment of Dining-room Tables we did it with a full knowledge that furniture prices would rapidly increase in the very near future. You may share in our good fortune by coming to-morrow and selecting one of these 48-inch top Tables while priced at \$29.00



GOOD Blankets of fine qualities are rare things in these days of wool scarcity, but we have an unusual selection of good, warm Blankets at prices that are a real economy.



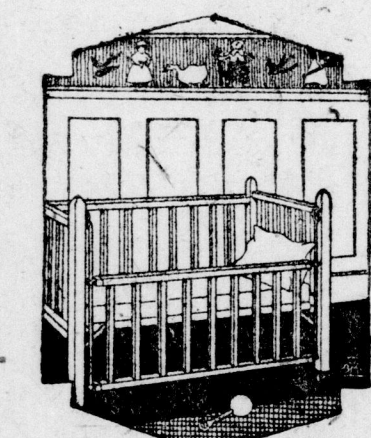
NOW is the time to purchase warm bed coverings of all kinds and at this store you will find a complete selection at prices that represent a distinct saving.

Library Tables of Unique Design

YOU will be astounded at the supreme values we are showing in fine Library Tables right now. There are many unique designs in Period styles in every favorite wood and finish at prices which we will never be able to duplicate again. These Tables are priced from \$15.00 to \$35.00



A Dainty White Crib For the Baby



crib and falling, and in addition one side may be conveniently lowered, as shown here. It is made of wood, enameled white and makes a safe, convenient bed for the baby. It is specially priced at \$4.95

THERE is just as great a difference in the design of Baby Crib as there is in any other furniture. The model we are illustrating here is one of the most practical designs with slides plenty high enough to prevent the baby from crawling out of the

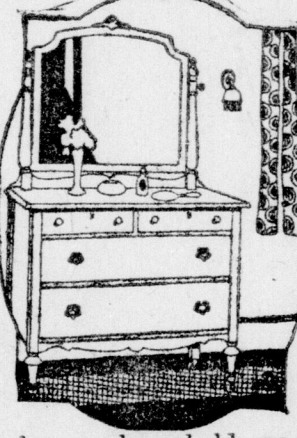


FLOOR COVERINGS WILL NEVER BE ANY LESS NOW.
ALL of the authoritative carpet and rug journals, after exhaustive investigations, report that even after the close of the war, rug prices will not return to their former standard, and those who purchase floor covering now will do so at a much lower price than hereafter.

WE have ready for your inspection a display of floor coverings unequalled at any time in our history, with many beautiful Rugs only slightly above the pre-war prices. Beautiful Brussels, Axminster, Wiltons and other domestic Rugs can be purchased on our convenient way to pay plan at decided savings at this time.

Every Man Will Appreciate The Convenience of This Dresser

HERE is a piece of furniture that is specially designed for the man of the house, giving him a place for every article of his apparel and yet built so compactly that it takes up but little space in the bedroom. For lasting satisfaction, give the man in your household one of these fine Dressers. Priced at \$35.00

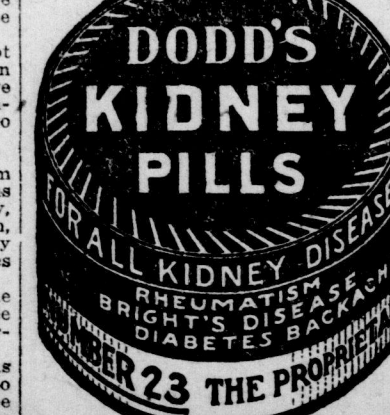


Sole Agents for Happy Thought Stoves, Pathe Phonographs, Ostermoor Mattresses.

The Ontario Furniture Co., Limited

228-230 DUNDAS STREET.

We Pay Freight Charges Within One Hundred Miles of London.



SERGT. GEO. DUGUID RELEASED AFTER 3 YEARS IN GERMANY

Mother Eagerly Awaits Return to Home Here.

Owing to a mistake in information received on Thursday, it was stated in The Advertiser that Pte. W. Duguid had been released from Germany. The released man is Sgt. Geo. Duguid, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Duguid of 240 Ottawa avenue, who enlisted in the 4th Highlanders at the beginning of the war and went to France as a sergeant. He was a victim of an enemy gas attack and was captured.

Sgt. Duguid spent three years in German prison camps, undergoing hardships of a kind that, as he has said in his letter, "no civilized person would believe possible." Eight months ago he was sent to Holland and there he regained much of his lost strength. On November 18 he reached England and he is eagerly anticipating his early return. He is a young unmarried man.

TRIBUTE TO AMERICA.
London, Nov. 28.—The Duke of Connaught, the Earl of Reading and James M. Beck spoke at a Thanksgiving Dinner at the Pilgrim's Club this afternoon. The first two said that President Wilson would receive a warm welcome in England, the Earl of Reading paying an eloquent tribute to the part America has played in the war.



NIGHT COUGH

You know it! It begins with a tickling, irritating sensation in your throat. You cough to clear the throat. In a moment—there it is again!

A minute's peace, then again you cough, and so on until you cough your throat sore, and by the time the cough is sufficiently allayed to permit you to sleep, you are thoroughly worn out. This kind of experience is particularly trying to old people.

Peps make this sort of thing quite unnecessary.

Put a Peps pastille on your tongue and allow it to slowly dissolve. Healing fumes are then liberated, which mingle with the breath and are carried to the remotest parts of the air passages and lungs, allaying the irritation and soothing the inflamed membranes, thus ending the cough and making sleep possible.

Peps are also best for bronchitis, laryngitis, asthma, sore throat and colds. Try Peps at our expense. Send this advertisement and 10¢ stamp (for return postage) to Peps Co., Toronto, to receive FREE TRIAL PACKAGE. All dealers, 50¢ box.

PEPS

SUNLIGHT SOAP is made from the sweetest and choicest of edible oils and fats. It contains no harsh or strong ingredients. It is the purest and most efficient of soaps and, if used judiciously, the most economical of soaps.

Rely On Cuticura For Skin Troubles

For free sample Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum address: "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston." All druggists.

EVEN CROSS, SICK CHILDREN LOVE SYRUP OF FIGS

Look at tongue! If feverish, bilious, constipated, take no chances.

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach; liver, bowels.

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste. When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, indigestion, diarrhea, give a tea-spoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeiters sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Syrup of Figs" company, and look with contentment and other fig syrup.

HIS MUSCLES FELT LIKE THEY'D BEEN TIED INTO A KNOT

That Is Exactly the Way Tindall Says His Rheumatism Ached.

"I had never taken a dose of Tanlac in my life till some six weeks ago, but I have received more benefit from the three bottles I have just finished than from all the other medicines I have taken put together," said George R. Tindall of 6002 Eighteenth avenue south, Seattle, Wash., U. S. A., the other day. "For several years," he continued, "I suffered terribly from muscular rheumatism and kidney trouble. The muscles of my right arm would draw up at the elbow, and feel like they were tied in a knot. I had no appetite and the little I forced down didn't do me much, if any, good. My kidneys worried me night and day. I had an awful misery up and down my spine, and my back right over my kidneys would hurt so bad that I could hardly get up out of bed. "I guess I have taken more every kind of medicine sold without getting a bit of relief, and I was in mighty bad shape when I decided to see if Tanlac would help me. Well, I can honestly say that I haven't had an ache or a pain since I started on Tanlac. I sleep like a log at night, and my wife tells me that I'm liable to eat my food out of house and home. I feel like a new man, and the appetite Tanlac has given me, I feel so well and hearty in every way that I have told the boys down at the ship yard how much good Tanlac has done for me, for I hope that my experience will be the means of helping others who may have troubles like I had."

Tanlac is sold in London by Standard Drug, Limited, and by an established agency in every town.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY HEARS ADDRESS BY J. J. KELSO AT GUELPH

GUELPH, Nov. 28.—The annual meeting of the Humane and Children's Aid Society was held at the Children's Shelter this afternoon, when the reports for the year were presented, officers elected and other necessary business transacted. The chair was occupied by Sheriff S. S. Allan, president, and the report of the treasurer showed the financial condition of the society to be in a satisfactory condition. The debt on the shelter has been reduced to \$3,000, and it is expected that this will be wiped out in a short time. The feature of the meeting was the excellent address delivered by J. J. Kelso, provincial superintendent, who pointed out many of the needs of the work among children, and suggested a number of things which the local society might undertake during the coming year. The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary president, Mrs. Chadwick; president, Sheriff S. S. Allan; first vice-president, Mrs. Thomas Goldie; second vice-president, Rev. G. H. Buckland; third vice-president, Rev. George Little; secretary, Miss J. G. Melvin; treasurer, T. G. McMaster; honorary solicitor, W. N. Buckingham; auditors, George Chapman, John Sutherland. An executive committee composed of representatives of the various churches and other organizations, and also a county representative was also appointed.

Cigarette Coupons Pass for Money in Siberia at Present

BRANTFORD, Nov. 28.—Capt. J. F. R. Wilkes of the Canadian expeditionary force to Siberia, in a letter to his father, Col. A. J. Wilkes, today described conditions in Vladivostok as rather chaotic, but with absolutely no hardships for the troops. That cigarette coupons, cigar wrappers and postage stamps are accepted as currency was one of the remarkable features of the situation. The city was a hive of war activity, with all the Allies represented in force.

HOLSTEIN GETS BAD SCARE BY FIRE

MOUNT FOREST, Nov. 28.—The village of Holstein, six miles north of here, had a close call from being wiped out by fire last night, when the large frame building containing the churning and feed mill of L. B. Nicholson and the handle factory of Bulter & Brebner, together with all machinery and equipment, were wiped out, with heavy loss. The fact that no wind whatever was blowing is considered the only thing that saved the village. The fire broke out in the boiler room of the building, which served both industries, and spread rapidly. The handle factory was located in the basement of the building. There was some insurance on both factories, but the loss will still be heavy.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT NATURAL GAS MEETING

CHATHAM, Nov. 28.—E. S. Estlin, Government gas commissioner, stated today that the meetings regarding the natural gas situation, to be held in the city tomorrow, would be largely attended. Many of the representatives will arrive in the city tonight.

LIBERAL CLUB MEMBERS TO HOLD IMPORTANT SESSION

ST. THOMAS, Nov. 28.—Tomorrow (Friday) night a special meeting of the members of the St. Thomas Liberal Club will be held in the local club rooms for the purpose of discussing very important business matters. Only members will be admitted, and all those who are actual members of the club are being urged to attend, as the business is of the utmost importance. Among other matters a report from those who went to the organization meeting of the Western Ontario Liberal Association at London last week will give a report.

LIGHTING BAN TO BE LIFTED SATURDAY, STATES OFFICIAL

ST. THOMAS, Nov. 28.—Several local merchants began dressing their windows in preparation for Christmas trade today, with the understanding that the amount of display lighting would be allowed. They were naturally disappointed when Inspector Roberts notified them late this evening that it would be Saturday at least before any change could be made in the restrictions. It is stated officially tonight, however, that on and after Saturday night next the ban will be lifted, and the show-cases and windows with the old pre-war amount of lighting, which has been on for nearly a year having been lifted for that date.

WOODMEN OF WORLD ADDING MEMBERS; HOLD EUCHRE SOCIAL

ST. THOMAS, Nov. 28.—As a means of reorganizing the local branch of the Canadian Order of the Woodmen of the World, Organizer Nicholas, a London man, has started camp in this city, which is meeting with success. He has held several meetings during the past few days, and a large number of new members have been initiated. Last night at the invitation of Mr. Nichol, an enjoyable euchre party was staged at the club rooms. The night was the first of a series to be held each Wednesday during the winter, was a huge success, a large crowd attended. Prizes in the progressive euchre were: Ladies' first, a whip cream bowl; Mrs. Lila Cox; men's first, a handsome bon-bon dish, Elias Yeo, and Miss Nolan, the consolation prize. A dainty repast was then enjoyed by the visitors.

ALVINSTON LIGHT PLANT WORTH \$2,800

ALVINSTON, Nov. 28.—The estimate of the value of the electric light plant here which was made by the electric commission has been received, valuing the plant, poles, wire, etc., at \$2,800. The plant was previously run by the Alvinston Power Company, but on account of the high cost of operating the company some months ago decided to sell it to the town, if the town desired. For the last two months the plant has been run by the town, until the estimate of the value of the plant was received. The town will take place in the purchase of the plant, and the estimated value of the plant is \$2,800. The plant is a very fine one, and the town is very pleased with it. The town is also very pleased with the service of the plant, and the town is very pleased with the service of the plant.

DIES SUDDENLY AT SARNIA. SARNIA, Nov. 28.—Thos. Davis, 59 years old, died suddenly of heart failure at the family residence, 166 De- vine street, today. He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Pearl at home and Mrs. Frank of Port Huron, and six sisters and two brothers.

One Day More for These Tremendous Reductions! SWEEP-OUT SALE

CLOSES SATURDAY

CLOSES SATURDAY

Just one day more for you to choose from the entire stock of the finest ready-to-wear apparel in the city, at a fraction of today's real value. Don't wait—for even the last of the season can't bring such an opportunity again! Remember, one more big day will bring the stock down to where we want it, and, therefore, the sale positively ends to-morrow night.



ALL Our Newest Style COATS Sacrificed!

Absolutely no reserve! Even the latest mid-season styles, with Dame Fashion's most approved ideas in trimmings of fur and fur fabrics, which we have just recently received, are all included in the following range. Don't miss such a phenomenal chance for buying at January prices, yet having a full season's use!

Regular to \$30.00 Coats for

\$16.75

Regular to \$32.50 Coats for

\$18.75

The Famous Make of Hind & Harrison

Matalamb COATS

Regular \$30.00 for

\$19.75

Regular to \$35.00 Coats for

\$24.75

Regular to \$40.00 Coats for

\$29.75

Regular to \$50.00 Coats for

\$32.75

Regular to \$60.00 Coats for

\$37.75

Salt's "MAXIM"

Plush COATS

Regular \$40.00 for

\$27.75

To experienced buyers, the label "SALT'S MAXIM" which is on every coat, is a stamp of quality, and a guarantee of service.



There Won't be ANY Worth Looking at Under \$50.00 Next Spring—But Note These Prices for NOW!

SUITS

—New Advance Styles That Are Good for Two Seasons' Wear

Don't make the mistake of thinking wool goods will drop. Experts in this business claim that two years must pass before there's a normal supply! This is your one big chance to economize on next season's suit—and you'll enjoy wearing it on many occasions right through this winter too.

Regular to \$30.00 Suits for

\$19.90

Regular to \$40.00 Suits for

\$29.90

Regular to \$55.00 Suits for

\$37.90

Regular to \$65.00 Suits for

\$43.90

Sweep-Out Prices on All SKIRTS

—Both Cloth and Silk

Reg. to \$7.50 Reg. to \$12.00

\$3.95 \$7.95

Reg. to \$9.00 Reg. to \$15.00

\$5.95 \$9.95

COME EARLY

SALE POSITIVELY CLOSES TO-MORROW. COME EARLY!

THE RAPHAEL-MACK CO.

236 Dundas Street

Sweep-Out Prices on FURS

Muffs, Ties, Capes and Matched Sets

\$12.50 Siberian Wolf Muffs for \$8.95
\$15.00 Taupe Coney Muffs for \$8.95
\$18.00 Muskrat Melon Muffs for \$9.95
\$18.00 Clivet Coat Muffs for \$9.95
\$20.00 Stripe Sable Sets for \$12.95
\$25.00 Natural Wolf Sets for \$14.95
\$25.00 Natural Opossum Sets for \$14.95
\$27.50 Hudson Seal Muffs for \$17.95
\$30.00 Jamaica Cat Sets for \$18.95
\$45.00 American Lynx Sets for \$29.90
\$10.00 Fine Muskrat Ties for \$5.95
\$20.00 Taupe Coney Capes for \$12.95

"Get the Business! Turn the Stock Into Money!" That's Our Order—And That's Why We Are Offering

Dresses

—At Prices That Do Not Cover Today's Cost of Materials Alone!

Never were our styles more charming and distinctive; never were such great arrays of the season's NEW frocks, suitable for any and all occasions, ever offered at such drastic price-cuts in November! To miss such a chance is to turn your back to economy!

Reg. to \$22.00 Reg. to \$30.00

\$14.85 \$19.85

Reg. to \$25.00 Reg. to \$35.00

\$16.85 \$22.85

Reg. to \$45.00 Dresses for

\$27.85

COME EARLY

Sweep-Out Prices on All WAISTS

—New Styles and Shades

Reg. to \$5.50 Reg. to \$9.00

\$3.95 \$5.95

Reg. to \$7.50 Reg. to \$12.00

\$4.95 \$6.95

SHAVES GO UP TO 20 CENTS AT SARNIA

SARNIA, Nov. 28.—Local barbers at a meeting last night raised the price of shaves from 15 cents to 20 cents. The price of haircuts remain at 35 cents.

DIES SUDDENLY IN AYLMEYER HOTEL

AYLMEYER, Nov. 28.—Edward Sumner, a respected resident of Corinth, died suddenly from heart disease in the Central Hotel this afternoon. He was apparently in good health and came to Aylmer to transact some business, expecting to return home at 2 o'clock. He followed the occupation of a farmer for many years in Bayham, and lately moved to Corinth, where he lived retired.

DIES AT HIGHGATE

HIGHGATE, Nov. 28.—The death

occurred today at the family residence of Samuel Gosnell. He is survived by his widow, one daughter, Ethel, nurse-in-training at Victoria Hospital, London, and two sons, Frank of Detroit and Floyd of Highgate.

GALT DID WELL

GALT, Nov. 28.—Final figures of the Victory Loan campaign in South Waterloo were given out today by headquarters here, showing total subscriptions of \$2,625,360. Of this amount Galt contributed \$1,807,550, which is an average of about \$150 per head of population.

THAT LIVER IS NO GOOD

That is so lazy it lets the skin do part of its work. The skin turns yellow doing it. Such a liver upsets the whole system. Take Hood's Pills, they put the liver to work; beat for biliousness, yellowness, constipation. Do not irritate nor gripe. Price 25¢, of druggists or C. I. Hood Company, Lowell, Mass.

GRAFTON & CO., Limited

Canada's Greatest Men's and Boys' Furnishiers

Great Christmas Sale

It's Time To Select Your Gifts

Many months ago we planned ahead for December selling. We saw that prices were going higher, and believed no better investment could be made than to buy earlier than usual, and in larger quantities. Therefore our position of leadership is even more pronounced than ever, and we were never better prepared to assist you in choosing your Christmas gifts for your friends than we are this season. Never was our stock so complete. Save yourself time and worry by trading at GRAFTON & CO.'S.

A Stupendous Sale of OVERCOATS and SUITS

Men's Ulsters

BUY TOMORROW.

Splendid Ulsters with convertible collar, long lengths and heavy tweed linings.

\$12.98 \$14.98 \$15.98
\$18.00 \$20.00 \$22.00

Men's Fine Overcoats

Made from finest imported cheviots, in grey, brown and green effects, and in all up-to-date models.

\$16 \$18 \$20 \$22
\$25 \$28 \$30

Men's Dress Overcoats

These are made from Meltons and Beavers that you will find impossible to procure elsewhere. Greys, blues and blacks. Choice goods, and all-wool linings.

\$16.00 \$18.00 \$20.00
\$22.00 \$25.00 \$30.00

GRAFTON'S LEAD IN VALUE-GIVING IN

Men's Suits

All our Tweeds, Serges, Worsteds and Linings were bought before the heavy advance in prices; made in our own factory, in the latest up-to-date models of today, and sold direct to you at manufacturer's prices. Investigate.

\$ 9.98 \$11.98 \$12.98 \$13.98
\$14.98 \$15.98 \$18.00 \$20.00
\$22.00 \$25.00 \$28.00 \$30.00

MEN'S HOSIERY

MEDIUM HEAVY SOCKS

18c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1
LIGHTWEIGHT WOOL SOCKS
25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.25
COTTON, LISLE AND SILK
25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00

Men's Mufflers

In amazing richness of color and designs; every beautiful pattern and color combination one could desire. A most useful and acceptable gift.

\$1.50 to \$6.00

Men's and Boys' Sweaters

At a third less than regular; some with knitted-in shoulders, strongly reinforced pockets and corded silk buttonholes.

MEN'S SIZES
36 TO 46 \$2.25 to \$11.50
BOYS' SIZES
22 TO 32 \$1.25 to \$5.98

Beautiful Wide Flowing End Scarfs

Rich brocade, two-tone iridescent effect, dotted, figured and novelty striped patterns. Regular \$2.00 and \$2.50. At

\$1.50



Shirts

A wonderful selection of the best-looking Shirts any man can find in London. Limitless variety to choose from.

99c to
\$4.98



AN ENDLESS VARIETY OF HOUSE COATS and ROBES

Beautiful designs at attractive prices.

\$7.98 to \$14.98

MEN'S GLOVES

In Cape and Mocha, unlined, fur lined and silk lined.

\$1.50 to \$5.00



What a Man Likes for Christmas---

A Nice Dress Shirt. A Handsome Tie.
A Pair of Silk Braces.
Half a Dozen Linen Handkerchiefs.
A Handsome Sweater.
A Suit Silk-Mixed Underwear.
A Suit Fine Wool Underwear.
A Handsome Pair Gauntlets.
Beautiful Silk Shirt. Fine Pervale Shirt.
An Elegant House Coat.
A Silk Muffler. A Pair of Silk Socks.
A Pair of Fancy Socks.
An Umbrella. A Silk-Lined Cap.
A Pair of Cuff Links.
A Pair of Silk-Lined Kid Gloves.
A Pair of Fur-Lined Mocha Gloves.
A Nobby Cap. A Fur-Lined Overcoat.
A Comfortable Bath Gown.

Look at Above List for
Christmas Suggestions

Extra Special Values in UNDERWEAR

Men's Heavy Fleece-Lined Underwear
68c, 75c, 85c
Men's Heavy Ribbed Underwear
88c, \$1.00, \$1.25
Men's Heavy Scotch Knit Underwear
88c, \$1.00, \$1.25
Boys' Heavy Fleece-Lined Underwear
48c, 68c
Boys' Heavy Scotch Knit Underwear
50c, 75c
Boys' Long Stockings 38c, 50c, \$1.00



Handsome Silk Four-in-Hand
Ties at Special Prices

39c, 50c, 68c, \$1



Large Boys' Overcoats

BELTER AND PLAIN MODELS
AGES 10 TO 18 YEARS

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PERU AND CHILE STILL LONG WAY FROM BEING ON FRIENDLY TERMS

Peruvian Cabinet Approves of
Strong Protest Against
Riots.

TO DEMAND INDEMNITIES

Chilean Consul Will Leave
Lima Today, Says a
Dispatch.

LIMA, Peru, Nov. 28.—The cabinet and senate have approved the action of the foreign minister in strongly protesting to Chile against the anti-Peruvian riots at Iquique.

It is understood that Peru will demand indemnities for these incidents. The Entente ministers at Lima called separately upon the foreign minister yesterday.

The Chilean consul here will leave for home late today or tomorrow.

It was reported in dispatches from Santiago and Lima Monday night that Chile and Peru had recalled their respective consuls.

AFRICA NOT SETTLED.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Nov. 28.—No communication has been received from Peru since the protest of the Peruvian foreign minister against anti-Peruvian riots at Iquique, Chile, and attacks on Peruvian consuls, it was said at the foreign office today.

It was added that the announcement of Carlos Castro Ruiz, Chilean consul in New York, that the difficulty between Peru and Chile had been settled by an apology on the part of the Peruvian Government, was evidently due to a misunderstanding.

ALLIES WILL DEMAND THE EX-KAISER

LONDON, Nov. 29.—The Entente Allies have decided to demand that Holland surrender the former kaiser emperor to justice, according to the Daily Express.

OTTAWA ATTACHES TOO MANY STRINGS TO SUIT THE WEST

Concessions Offered Are Not
Worth Accepting.

MOTHERWELL, INDIGNANT

Acceptance Would Leave the
Question of Natural Resources Unsolved.

REGINA, Nov. 28.—"The Dominion Government, even if it has decided to return to the western provinces their natural resources, attached so many strings that it seems scarcely worth while bothering further with the problem at present," was the statement made today by Hon. W. R. Motherwell, minister of agriculture for Saskatchewan, on his return from Ottawa.

Certain important reservations, which were stated by Hon. Arthur Meighen, include:

The administration of the school endowment; the retention by the Dominion Government of all public parks; the retention of all forest reserves; the retention of all waterways, and the right to supply the railways from the coal resources of the province, coal areas to be reserved for this purpose.

Mr. Motherwell pointed out that after these reservations had been made there was little or nothing left except the agricultural lands, timber areas and some coal mines, of which the best had already been alienated from the province.

The reservations stipulated by Mr. Meighen, said Mr. Motherwell, were of such a nature that it would be leaving the question of natural resources unsolved.

CURED OF DYSPEPSIA BY USING BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

The symptoms of dyspepsia are so numerous and diversified in different individuals that probably no description could exactly represent them as they occur in any given case, but a few of the most prominent are a rising and souring of food, pain, flatulence and distention of the abdomen, a sensation of discomfort after every meal, which is sometimes followed by sickness and vomiting.

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Leave your order, if you can, to-morrow, but if not, come some time before Monday night if you are interested in getting a real Overcoat at this extraordinary saving. It matters not what kind of a Overcoat you want, we are quite sure you can get it here—and the patterns and materials are so plentiful that surely every man can be satisfied, who will just take time enough to go through the big stocks.

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When you go back to "civies" let Canada's largest one-price Tailors make your Suit or Overcoat. Our plan of concentrating on one price, taking orders through our coast-to-coast chain of stores and tailoring everything in our enormous central tailoring shop, saves you all the middlemen's profits, etc. Come and see for yourself the advantages our one-price coast-to-coast plan offers you.

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DINNER SERVED IN PLANE HALF A MILE UP IN AIR DEDICATES MAIL TERMINUS

Nine Persons Enjoy Thanksgiving Feast During Twenty-Two Minute Flight—Nation-Wide Mail Service by Air Predicted for United States.

ELIZABETH, N.J., Nov. 28.—The first aerial banquet in history was held today on an airplane, 2,800 feet above the new flying field of the United States air mail service here, marking the inauguration of the field as the terminus of the aerial mail service between New York, Philadelphia and Washington.

A few minutes after the mail plane, in charge of Pilot Max Miller, left the field at 12:10 P.M. afternoon, a big Hadley-Pago machine rose under control of Capt. E. B. Waller of the Royal flying forces, and during a flight of 22 minutes above the grounds a real Thanksgiving dinner was served to nine persons.

Among the guests were Capt. Benjamin B. Lipsner, superintendent of the air mail service, and Allan R. Hawtry, Augustus Post and other officials of the Aero Club of America.

Speaking of the proposed nation-wide extension of the mail service Captain Lipsner said: "We will have machines which will carry a ton and a-half of mail, and the days of freight and parcel post by airplane are coming."

DISTRICT CASUALTIES

KILLED IN ACTION

3132565 G. Shewfelt.

3132546 J. McPherson.

DIED

3139611 M. Shannon.

273446 C. Dewbury.

PRISONER

NIAGARA FALLS.

350469 A. Lovell.

ILL

3134144 D. Nisbet.

154508 W. Bayley.

2010273 E. Haveling.

Lieut. W. Copeland.

WOUNDED

127469 G. Mitchell.

GASSED

57011 R. Sewell.

1954 W. Nixon.

PRISONERS REPATRIATED

THORNDALE.

24071 R. Mooney.

REPATRIATED

AMHERSTBURG.

7939 J. Fore.

27149 J. Cameron.

18245 L. Salter.

PRESUMED TO HAVE DIED

142557 A. Walker.

\$550 FOR HOSPITAL

WOODSTOCK, Nov. 28.—As a result of the rummage sale conducted by the ladies' auxiliary to the hospital trust the sum of \$550 was realized.

BRITISH REACH GERMAN BORDER BEYOND BELGIUM

Since Armistice Was Signed
1,400 Guns Are
Taken.

LONDON, Nov. 28.—Advance guards of the British troops have reached the German-German frontier in the region between Heho and Stavelot, and are in possession of more than 1,400 surrendered German guns, according to an official communication issued tonight.

Text of the communication follows:

"Our forward troops have reached the German frontier between the neighborhood of Heho and Stavelot. The number of German guns which have passed into our possession since November 11 exceeds 1,400."

W. M. S. WILL HOLD BAZAAR AT KOMOKA

KOMOKA, Nov. 28.—The annual bazaar of the W. M. S. will be held in the town hall on Wednesday afternoon and evening, December 4. There will be a large collection of useful articles on sale, and the mission band will have "the old lady with the hundred pockets," which will no doubt furnish considerable amusement.

The annual thank-offering meeting of the Women's Missionary Society was held in the Presbyterian Church Sunday evening. Rev. Mr. Gale, the pastor, and Rev. Mr. Monteth of Amherstburg, gave very interesting and helpful talks on missions.

DIES AT KOMOKA.

KOMOKA, Nov. 28.—Miss Ida Steel died suddenly late Saturday night after only a few hours' illness. The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Deceased was a life-long resident of Komoka, and was held in high esteem by everyone, and will be greatly missed.

Bronchial Asthma

Mrs. Graf Says Vinol Cured Her.

Darlington, Pa.—"I suffered from bronchial asthma so badly I would often have to sit up half of the night or lean over the back of a chair, and so weak I could hardly walk across the floor. I had spent lots of money for different asthma medicines without help—but Vinol helped me so I sleep well, and am so well and strong I am doing all my work on the farm."

—Mrs. Emma Graf.

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you need Taylor's BORAX SOAP, because it contains just the right amount of borax to soften the water and loosen the dirt. Hard water is injurious to the clothes and wastes the soap. Taylor's BORAX SOAP is economical in use. It is hard, washes away slowly, lathers quickly, cleanses thoroughly, and CANNOT injure the finest of lace. Woollens washed with this soap, according to directions, will retain all their fluff "newness" and will not shrink. Just try it once. Sold everywhere.

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Handsome suits, made of the very best Wool Velours, Broadcloths, Gabardines and Serges, all fully lined and interlined, handsomely trimmed with fur; others with velvet and self cloth, in a good assortment of shades. Sizes to 44.

A Wonderful Sale of Trimmed Hats (Second Floor.)

REGULAR UP TO \$8.50 HATS AT \$3.50.

Every woman who knows the consistently high quality of "Artistic" Millinery will appreciate these wonderful savings. These are all new, smart winter hats, black and all the best winter shades, beautifully trimmed with ribbon and fancy ornaments.

Artistic Ladies Wear Co.
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211 DUNDAS ST.

**FLYING CROSS FOR
INGERSOLL FLIER**

INGERSOLL, Nov. 28.—That his son, Capt. R. B. Sutherland, had been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross in recognition of the services rendered during the advance of the British forces in Palestine under Gen. Allenby, was the word that has just been received by Donald Sutherland, M.P. for South Oxford.

Capt. Sutherland is a former student of the Ingersoll Collegiate Institute. He is still with the British forces in the east. Prior to joining the R. A. F. he was in France and Belgium for about two years. He went to Egypt in 1916 to complete his training, and during the British advance on Jerusalem was promoted to a captaincy and given the rank of flight commander.

**BENMILLER BROTHERS
DIE OF INFLUENZA**

CODERICK, Nov. 28.—Influenza cases are numerous around Benmiller. Clifford Fisher, son of Wesley Fisher, was buried on Sunday, and another son, James Fisher, also died from influenza today. Other members of the family are seriously ill with the disease also.

**CUBA SENDS \$20,000
TO CANADIAN RED CROSS**

OTTAWA, Nov. 28.—Sir Thomas White, acting premier, is in receipt of the following telegram from Senator Cosma de la Torre, president of the Cuban National Commission for war propaganda and help to war victims, established by decree of May 15, 1918, has agreed, with the approbation of the president of the republic, to send to you by mail the sum of \$20,000 to be dedicated to the Canadian Red Cross in the name of the Republic of Cuba, for the assistance of soldiers of Canada who are victims of the great war, which has terminated so victoriously for the Allies, and to which Canada has contributed so splendidly.

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Plated Ware, Knives, Forks, Spoons, etc. Razors (straight or safety), Razor Strops, Honers and Shaving Brushes, Hand-sleighs, Boys' Wagons, Kiddie Cars, Skates, and don't forget a STOVE or a RANGE makes a very useful present.

HEATERS, \$10.00 UP. RANGES, \$22.00 UP.

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ROGERS SAYS PARTYISM IS CANADA'S ONLY HOPE IN STRUGGLE TO COME

Straight-Line Tory Campaign Is Launched in Toronto to Overthrow Union Government and Ride Back Into Power—Col. Currie One of Prime Movers.

TORONTO, Nov. 28. — Hon. Robert Rogers, former minister of public works in the Borden Government, was given a banquet in the King Edward Hotel here tonight which was attended by about 700 men, presumably all old line Conservatives. The motive of the banquet has been a question of more or less guesswork on the part of newspapers on both sides of politics and supporters of the Union Government, and the promoters were not known to the public.

The motive was revealed tonight in a small hint from the Hon. Robert Rogers, himself, and in a straight declaration from North Simcoe, and it proved to be the first step in an attempt to restore the Conservative party as a party and to overthrow the Union Government. The organizers still were not made known, except that they were chiefly Toronto Conservatives, with Lieut.-Col. Boyd Magee as the chairman of the committee having the matter in hand. Col. Magee was referred to in a complimentary manner by "Bob," the chief guest.

Every Constituency in Ontario. Col. Currie was responsible for the statement that every constituency in the province of Ontario was represented at the banquet. He himself wore a committee badge.

One senator, Hon. W. H. Bradbury of Selkirk, Man.; seven members of the House of Commons; one ex-M.P., Lieut. Col. J. J. Carrick of Port Arthur; three members of the Ontario Legislature, and one M.L.A. from Nova Scotia, Frank Standfield of Truro, were present, and most of them contributed something to the general praise of Mr. Rogers in his speeches. The seven M.P.'s, besides

Col. Currie, were, John Best, Dufferin; Thomas Foster, East York; Lieut.-Col. J. P. Arthur, East York; Lieut.-Col. North Huron; W. A. Clarke, North Wellington; and William Wright, Muskoka. The three M.L.A.'s of Ontario were: Lieut.-Col. Arthur Pratt, North Norfolk; Major J. I. Hart, East Simcoe, and J. A. Sexsmith, East Peterboro. One of the visitors was James Carruthers, president of the Canada Steamships, Limited, Montreal.

Mayor Church of Toronto presided. A large white sheet at the back of the head of the table was lettered in red as follows:

Slogan of Flag-Waving.
"The Liberal-Conservative Party. The party of confederation. The party of the people. The party of the war. The party of the soldiers. God Save the King."

The opposite side of the dining-room was the following motto:
"Welcome to the man from Manitoba."

The welcome to Mr. Rogers was enthusiastic, but little more so than that given to Col. Currie. The ex-minister's speech was lengthy and he read it. At the conclusion he was lustily cheered.

In introducing Hon. Mr. Rogers, Mayor Church said: "The committee tells me that the banquet is to show a deep debt of appreciation to Hon. Mr. Rogers, who is of the people and for the people."

Champions Partyism.
After referring to the occasion as a compliment to himself, and as an evidence of the lasting welfare of the Conservative party, Mr. Rogers said:

"Unquestionably we live in troublous times. Never before in the history of our country has there been evidence of unrest, apprehension and general uncertainty of the kind which exists today. It is very evident that our different schools of politics have not of late been working their proper functions. History tells us that the death of party is the origin of faction. This to my mind is the primary cause of our general uncertainty and apprehension today. The school of Liberalism, as known and understood, does not appear to be able to render very useful service, for the present at all events, in the very pressing and necessary work for reconstruction and the restoration of confidence."

Demobilize Quickly.
The speaker paid a tribute to the gallant soldiers of the Dominion, and touched on the necessity of quick and businesslike demobilization. He also voiced the pride of Canada in the achievements of the British navy.

In speaking of reconstruction and Canada's future, Mr. Rogers touched on the manufacturing interests and labor as follows:
"With real efficiency Canadians will be quite as able as Europeans or Americans in manufacturing—and just as cheaply—the articles we require. We have abundance of raw material, abundance of natural products, abundance of cheap power, and we also have an abundance of capable labor in Canada. There is nothing too difficult or too intricate for us to undertake."

"We can be ready, even now, if we take advantage of our industrial possibilities, possibilities that are almost without limit, to produce what we will, provide not only the way through which we can achieve the future conquests of our own markets, but provide as well the way for an enormous and rapid extension of our export trade."

A National Policy.
On the question of a Canadian national policy, Mr. Rogers said:

"I will be told that a progressive Canadian national policy is just that same old policy. Believe me, when I say that no community in any part of Canada will be safe in future unless it knows and fully understands what the value of a progressive Canadian national policy means for our country. Today, more than ever before, Canada's future depends on the safe and sound exercise of our inherent right to regulate our fiscal policy according to the needs and requirements of our own Dominion."

"This is no time for experiments; we are face to face with vast after-the-war problems that are abnormal. A progressive Canadian national policy will admit of no exploitation of any one class or section by any other class or section. It must be broad enough and strong enough to safeguard with advantage alike our great agricultural developments, our peaceful industrial development, and the labor interests of our country. There should be no lack of united feeling, no lack of good will, no lack of harmony between all the provinces of Canada."

Careful Immigration.
Indiscriminate immigration would not help Canada, in the opinion of the former minister of public works. "Virtually much for Canada depends upon our immigration policy," he said. "First of all, we must in future have a selected immigration. We have been strictly in mind that we will have the competition of all other belligerent nations. We should be ready in every desirable way to attract to our shores, to attract to our shores, to attract to our shores the best of the world, to attract to our shores the best of the world, to attract to our shores the best of the world."

"The question I put to you is, shall we lose, not thousands, but millions of possible Canadian citizens because we lack the foresight to prepare to compete with all the world for that population which is bound now to flow outward from Europe? This is no trivial matter for Canada, no place for playing petty politics."

"We must not allow other nations to beat us in discovering how best to attract the homeseeker. If our immigration work is systematically and intelligently done, we can make this country so prosperous that it will not feel the burden of our war debt."

Playing to the West.
As a western man Mr. Rogers expressed his natural pride in the four great western provinces and confidence in their future.

"This great Empire is waiting in the glorious sunlight of our prairie provinces for millions of new immigrants waiting only to be scratched with the plow to burst into harvest. We have in those three prairie provinces the best and most extensive and richest food-producing area in the world, the man, to transform into new and happy homes."

"Our one difficulty in the west is that, as a result of our generous homestead laws in the past, coupled with generous land subsidies and land allotments, we find today many, many millions of acres of our virgin soil lying vacant, because of the fact that much of it has found its way into the hands of speculators, of the idle rich class, and strong corporations, many of which make no attempt at cultivation whatever. This is a serious drawback to the proper development of these provinces. A remedy for this must and will be found. The speculators and corporations who are hoarding the land, should be given the opportunity to convert them into intelligently-managed and cultivated farms."

Hopes to Save Canada.
Mr. Rogers said the large number in attendance at the banquet was due to any merit of his, but as an evidence of a lasting interest in the great Conservative party. "The party will save Canada from ruin," he said, "and he said a greater and more prosperous and happier country than ever before."

He added that the day was not far distant when "the learned gentlemen" in the Union Government "would retire to the lucrative practice of their own professions."

The Conservative party had ever fulfilled its duty to Canada, he said, "and that party will not fail today in the great work of reconstruction."

Lieut.-Col. Currie declared that there had not been so representative a political dinner given in Toronto in many years as that of tonight.

"Hon. W. S. Fielding is tapping his little drum in Halifax," said the colonel, "and is going to make music for the old Liberal party."

Oh, He! Listen to This!
Col. Currie harked back to the recent campaign of the Liberal party, and gave Hon. Mr. Rogers credit for having done much towards turning the tide in the general elections of 1911 in favor of the Conservative party. "If reciprocity had carried, I think," he said, "neither Canada nor the United States would have gone into the war for the benefit of humanity."

Col. Currie said Hon. Mr. Rogers was largely instrumental in the passing of the military service act as it first stood, when it was selective conscription. Unfortunately the act was not administered

When a Girl Leaves Home

AND COMES TO LONDON TO WORK,—SUPPOSE SHE HAS NO FRIENDS IN LONDON. AND SUPPOSE SHE HAS ONLY ENOUGH MONEY TO LAST A DAY OR TWO, AS OFTEN IS THE CASE?

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FOR ONE YEAR.

4,917—Number assisted by Travelers' Aid Worker.
1,000—Attendance at Bible Classes.
620—Attendance at Weekly and Special Prayer Services.
550—Attendance at Educational Talks.
500—Attendance at Physical Exhibitions.
374—Enrollment in Physical Classes.
380—Attendance at Special Social Occasions.
8—Weekly Noon Factory Meetings.
7—Self-Governing Clubs formed, meet weekly.
229—Members of Clubs.
5,000—Articles made for Red Cross, by Clubs.
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1,380—Transients accommodated for a night or longer.

Have you any idea what all this means to the girl away from home?

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Are the good people of London under any obligation to lend that girl a hand, to see that she finds a decent place to live and a place to work, and a few friends, and a little sociability, and a meal or a bed for a few days, if she has trouble finding work and runs out of money?

Of course! If a young woman thinks enough of London to come here to work and live, we are ready to do our part to help her find her place of service in the community safely.

Well, who is going to look after this business? Who is attending to it—for YOU?

The Young Women's Christian Association!

Their Travelers' Aid Secretary meets every train on all the railroads entering London. Most of the time her services are just the little attentions and courtesies you would appreciate under similar conditions, but very often a helping hand comes just in time to avert serious consequences.

Home, the counsel and ready help of good women. Then there are the Girls' Clubs, the Noon-day Meeting, the Physical Culture Classes, the Boarding

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Of better cloths and better styles, at prices that save you money. You will be astonished at these values. Regular \$28.00 and \$39.00, selling at \$19.50 to \$27.50

For the Kiddies

We have received a large shipment of Girls' Coats, all-wool material, quilted sateen lining; velours and pompom cloth, in all shades and sizes, 2 to 12. From \$4.95 and up

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Made of fine all-wool serges, broad-cloths, gabardines, poplins. Regular \$28.00 to \$55, on sale \$19.50 to \$39.00

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Forty only, Sweater Coats, extra heavy wool, storm and shawl collars, in green, mauve, white, rose, brown. Regular \$3.50 to \$8.50, on sale \$2.45 to \$6.45



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The very newest style, in all-wool serges, gabardines, silk taffeta. We advise early shopping, as exceptional values are included in this lot. We should sell them \$20.00 to \$30.00, to clear \$11.95 to \$22.50

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THIS MAN WORE RUBBERS

THIS MAN DID NOT



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There are six brands of Rubbers, sold by the leading shoe stores, any one of which will give you long wear and satisfactory service—

"Jacques Cartier"
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"Merchants"
"Dominion"

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These are made in all styles and shapes to perfectly fit all shoes worn by men, women and children.

Ask for these brands—they are the best to buy.





Good shoes are necessary to children. A correct last and a shoe made for service are always demanded by careful thinking parents. Models made in Black or Brown leather.

Consider the Extra Dollar

A PAIR of shoes at a dollar more may easily wear twice as long as a similar-looking pair at a dollar less. That dollar of difference buys as much as all the rest of your investment.

Watch these extra dollars carefully. Consider what they will buy before you spend or save them. Spend them wisely, for real service rather than for mere appearance, and they will buy many times their own value.

You can buy quality shoes at fair prices if you will do this. But don't spend too much. Watch the extra dollars at the other end of the scale. An extra dollar spent for "frills" is a dollar wasted.

To buy wisely in these days of high prices, do this:

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HON. G. H. FERGUSON FARES NO BETTER IN HURON THAN LUCAS

Voluble Oration Draws Cheers for Wrong Man.

SPOTTON ECLIPSES CASE

Merry War Between Conservatives Bears Out Lucas' Prophecy.

[Special to The Advertiser.] WINGHAM, Nov. 28.—Geo. Spotton, the independent Conservative candidate, North-Huron, must have suffered burning ears at Gorrle tonight. Certainly he was the subject of enough questionable compliments at the Case-Ferguson Conservative meeting at Wingham to consume his whole carcass.

The henchmen of the Government had not a word to say against the Farmer-Liberal candidate, William Fraser. Many referred to him, but that was all. However, Spotton is the man that caused the election, according to hot shots from the platform of the Wingham town hall, though the majority of the constituents believe that it was the Hearst Government's desire to reward A. H. Musgrove for his staunch political support that brought on the election.

Saw the "Handwriting." The Hearst-Proudfoot political truce was on yet, Mr. Musgrove resigned his seat for a more solid one as postmaster of Wingham. It is just possible that he, like Hon. Isaac Lucas, saw the handwriting on the wall and wanted to play safe. The Wingham meeting brought out a goodly number of the natives, but they left 25 per cent of their enthusiasm at home.

Hon. G. Howard Ferguson was the big speaker. He took up the task which Mr. Lucas discarded. Mr. Lucas entered the riding about a week ago to pull out Spotton and win the seat with Dr. Case for the Government. He held two meetings. He gave it up as hopeless. He reported when he got to Toronto that the seat was lost, and that Mr. Fraser would win the seat easily. His opinion is shared by a great portion of the riding.

Dr. R. C. Redmond, who presided at the now famous convention which Mr. Spotton says was stolen from him, presided tonight. John Joyce, P. H. Bellamy, a returned soldier, Mrs. Allison, and the candidate, Dr. Case, spoke. Perhaps it is an exaggeration to say that Dr. Case made a speech. He attempted to. He proved unequal to the occasion. He just said that he did not think that conservatism was necessary to get candidates for the riding and quit.

Chairman Redmond introducing the next speaker, saw fit and considered it necessary to apologize for Dr. Case's speechless speech to the election. Some local humorist has said that if elected the doctor would use a gramophone to place the needs of his riding before the House.

Meeting a Dead One. It was a dead meeting, Dr. Case was



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Shall America Stint Herself To Feed Germany?

An examination of the American press shows that the German war for food, which was the first sign of life of the new-born German Government, has not aroused any large amount of compassion over here. To many observers this "propaganda" is important as the opening gun of Germany's fight for victory at the peace table. All our late full-Germans pro-Germans and pacifists, are expected to come out of hiding forthwith and "show mercy to the defeated." "They will come," predicts the Kansas City Star, "bearing bouquets, asking permission to offer consolation to the prisoner and to leave tracts and flowers in the cell. Heaven spare us now from such." On the other hand, Mr. Herbert C. Hoover, the food administrator, says "there has been a great deal of unnecessary furore in this country about feeding the Germans. We are not calling upon the American people to make any sacrifice with a view to feeding the Germans. Remove the watertight blockade and the Germans will take care of themselves."

The leading article in THE LITERARY DIGEST this week—November 30—takes up the latest phase of the peace negotiations and by presenting the sentiments of editors of all political persuasions gives the reader a concrete idea of how America feels upon the subject of feeding Germany this winter.

Other articles that will be of great interest to the American people upon subjects that concern them intimately, are:

How the War Was Won

The Contributing Causes of Germany's Defeat as Adduced by Authorities in America, England, France and Germany.

Wilhelm to the Bar of Justice
The Coming British Elections
The Swiss Centre of Bolshevism
The World's Strongest Fibre
Curing Madness by Tooth-Pulling
Praise for American Poets
Cold Water for French Good-Will
A Call to Repentance
Meeting the Test

(Prepared by U. S. Food Administration)
News of Business and Finance
The President at the Peace Table

Many Illustrations, Including Maps, Half-Tone Portrait and Cartoons.

Full-Page Colored Map in The Digest This Week.

This instructive map will be eagerly welcomed by the readers of The Digest, for on it they can easily trace the progress of the great Allied army of occupation in its triumphal march toward the Rhine. The map also shows the German territory to be occupied by the American and Allied armies under the terms of the armistice. The "bridge-heads" along the line are clearly indicated, with the neutral zone

Germany Playing "The Baby Act"
How Aviation Has Done the Impossible

How Influenza Got In
New York's First Statue to an Actor
Tolstoy Still Dreaming
Foch—"The Grey Man of Christ"
"The Great Army That Died"
The Best of Current Poetry
Personal Glances of Men and Events

shown in color; also the battle line as it stood when hostilities ceased at the eleventh hour on the eleventh day of the eleventh month of the year. Briefly, the entire region that will be most prominent in the news for a long time to come will be available for ready reference through this map. It is worthy of permanent preservation.

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Mooney Will Not Be Electrocuted

Governor of California Commutes Sentence to Life Term.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Nov. 28.—Governor Stephens tonight commuted Thomas J. Mooney's death sentence to life imprisonment.

Mooney was sentenced to be hanged on December 13 for the death of ten persons killed by a bomb explosion in San Francisco during a "Preparedness Day" parade, July 1916.

Court action to save Mooney from the gallows was exhausted by the United States having recently decided it could not review the case. Threats of a national strike in case the governor did not intervene had been made in time ago it was reported that President Wilson had written the governor to see that Mooney suffered no injustice. The trial judge had also requested a new trial for Mooney.

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this coalition are not patriotic men."

Col. Currie said he thought that thousands of Liberals would stay with the Conservative party when the patriotic question of reconstruction came up for consideration.

Col. Currie urged all present to get ready to organize, as an election was coming on soon.

"I say to the Conservative party," he

concluded, "to your tents, O Israel!"

W. Smith, M.P., as a farmer, said he would not go so far as Colonel Currie in organizing as a party, and John Best, M.P., who said he had been a farmer all his life, said he favored the organization of the farmers. He said he had recently acquired considerable property in the Dominion of Ottawa without consulting the representatives of the people.

James Carruthers of Montreal, his verbal tribute to Hon. Mr. A. Clarke, M.P.

MILK 14 CENTS A QUART. ST. CATHARINES, Nov. 28.—Milk dealers of this city announced after December 1 the price was raised from 12 to 14 cents per quart.

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4,000 TROOPS OF CANADIAN FORCE REACH HALIFAX

Aquitania Arrives at Atlantic Port With Returned Men.

THOUSANDS GREET HEROES

Major C. M. R. Graham, Former Mayor of London, in Party.

HALIFAX, Nov. 23.—The giant Cunarder Aquitania, 45,000 tons, reached here today with 4,000 returned Canadian soldiers on board.

The names of the officers from District Nos. 1 and 2 on board follow: Former London Mayor.

District No. 1: Major C. M. R. Graham, former mayor of London; Capt. J. D. S. Fleck, Lieut. H. C. Cameron, J. C. Cullen, G. L. Murray, G. C. Proctor, G. S. Wright, Capt. J. N. McLean.

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ATTENDANCE TRIPLED AT ELGIN WINTER FAIR ON THURSDAY

Rain Fails To Stop Throngs at West Lorne.

BANQUET IN TOWN HALL

"Keep More Stock," Is Advice of Minister of Agriculture in Address.

BY STAFF REPORTER.
WEST LORNE, Nov. 23.—Those who attended the Elgin Winter Fair today were more than repaid for their trip through driving rains. The program, though slightly altered, was of a high order, and the attendance three times that of yesterday. The fair, which started Tuesday, will finish up tomorrow.

Hon. George S. Henry, provincial minister of agriculture, was the principal speaker at tonight's meeting in the lecture room of the old wagon works. Mr. Henry made his initial appearance before an Elgin audience, and created more or less of a good impression. He touched on agriculture in its various branches, rural credits, the war and its relation to the farmer, provincial highways and the Victory Loan. Mr. Henry complimented the officers of the fair on the exhibits.

"I am more than surprised that you have such a fine showing of corn after the crop failures in 1917," said Mr. Henry. "I came from a district (York) where seed corn is not grown. We have come to look for our corn from this direction. I feel that these southern counties have a great field in this line. We didn't get the results this year from Kansas seed corn. You have the market in the northern counties once you have the supply for silage."

Appreciate Results.
"The results of the last four years we have come now to the period of reconstruction and we will not fail here any more than our boys did overseas. Agriculture has been a big thing the last four years, but we can get more off our land than we got this year. Sometimes I think we have too much land. But we can get results if we grapple them. There is nothing in the world as necessary as an ample supply of food. There will be keen competition in the world's markets later on and we want to take them by the forelock and specialize on quality in our foodstuffs."

Mr. Henry exhorted the farmers to keep up production. There would be no chance of prices dropping and the Allies must be fed and the enemy as well. Foodstuffs will command a high price for some time. The speaker thought that many of the numerous workers would go back to the farm, many men were anxious to go back on the land.

Keep More Stock.
"Keep more stock," urged Mr. Henry. "Grain crops are merely a means to an end. Livestock is our future and the sooner we realize it the better."

Peter Stalker, vice-president of the fair, expressed his pleasure at the interest the people took in the fair. He has watched with pride the growth of the association for the past ten years. A practical man, Premier Hearst had no business being minister of agriculture, declared Mr. Stalker amid applause.

What does he know about farming? Lawyers, or no one else who has any license to tell us how to farm."

W. A. Baker, ex-reeve of West Lorne, presided at the meeting.

Banquet in Town Hall.
In the absence of President Carmichael, J. B. Ferguson, reeve of West Lorne, presided at the banquet in the town hall, tendered by the association to the directors and judges, at 6 o'clock this evening. The Women's Institute was heartily congratulated on the bountiful feast spread. R. A. Penhill of St. Thomas was the first speaker. He declared that agriculturists did not have enough voice in matters of import. City people believed they had a divine right over the rural population, as witness the price-fixing on farm products that had been distributed. The city people could charge what they liked for their products, and never a word said.

Best Fair Yet.
Wm. Todd, reeve of Yarmouth, had attended the fair for many years, but this was the best yet, both in quality and quantity. The show should be broadened out and be strong for a field crop competition, with some hundreds of dollars for prizes.

Hon. George S. Henry gave a short address, in which he advocated a system of rural credits. He spoke of a banker friend, Mr. Elliott of Belleville, who presided at a banquet of 400 farmers last week. Mr. Elliott assisted these men in all their undertakings, financial and otherwise. The Government was useful, giving careful consideration to all rural problems.

Surprised at Size.
J. W. Clarke of Cainsville declared he was greatly surprised at the size of the poultry show. He asked that the Government do something to make poultrymen refrain from advertising "best to lay" chickens. The O. A. C. had a stranglehold on this class of bird and poultrymen were feeding the public by advertising stock they did not possess.



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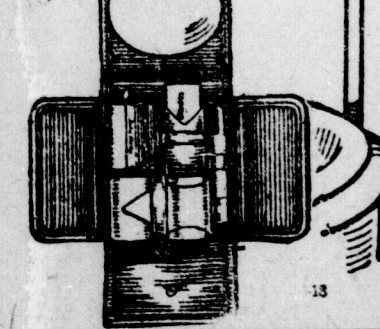
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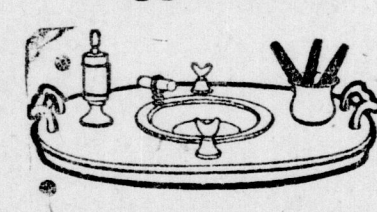
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of wool that brings the best prices." He advised the farmers to see that she sheep had plenty of pasture, water and salt—all three were necessary. Exercise and fields were also important. In judging sheep, the speaker stated that a knowledge of type and character was absolutely necessary, and then to go over the animals in a systematic way starting from the head. Mr. Gardhouse judged several sheep for the large crowd present and illustrated his points.

Finished Poultry.

J. W. Clarke of Cainsville finished judging poultry late this afternoon. Mr. Clarke expressed himself as being more than pleased with the birds, a number of the cases being extremely difficult to judge. The special prize for the largest number of chickens in the show was won by H. McKenney of Aylmer who had 116 entries. D. Bogue of Byron was second with 80 birds at the fair. The best bird in West Lorne belonged to T. W. Sims & Son of West Lorne. He was a white Plymouth Rock cock. Mr. Sims & Son, thereby, won the Finlay MacDiarmid silver cup.

Best collection of Leghorns and best Leghorn cockerels were won by Charles Hodge of Florence. F. H. Tristram of Clachan was the owner of the best hen of Barred Rocks. The prize for the finest hen in the American class was won by Sims & Pierce of St. Thomas. In the Mediterranean Chase, Hodge of Florence was the winner. The Asiatic pen was won by Webster & Hurley

REPATRIATED PRISONERS MAY RETURN AT ONCE

OTTAWA, Nov. 23.—Information has been received that Canadian prisoners of war on repatriation will at once receive necessary issues of clothing and be granted leave of absence if desired. They will then be given priority with respect to return to Canada, if such is their desire, as soon as they are judged medically fit to travel.

VIENNA WILL PUNISH INSTIGATORS OF WAR

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The Vienna Government intends to bring to trial all persons responsible for the war, including Count Berchtold, Austro-Hungarian foreign minister when the war broke out, and Count Czernin, foreign minister at a later period, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen today.

COMMANDANT OF DISTRICT NO. 2, OTTAWA, Nov. 23.—As a temporary measure, Military District No. 2 will be

commanded by Col. John A. Gunn, C.M.G., D.S.O., and he will take over his new duties on December 2.

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In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache, dizziness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh will be gone.

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after the war. Now that peace is as-
sured, and the men are returning home



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ticipating that at least some of the work
will be started next summer. The by-
laws have already been passed author-
izing the paving of nine miles of
streets, and Mr. Brazier thinks the
time is opportune for commencing the
work.
Piccadilly, Pall Mall, Hamilton road
east of Egerton, Wellington from G. T.
R. to the river; Quebec from Dundas
to the C. P. R.; Matilda, from Picca-
dilly to Chesapeake; Craig, from the
streets that are slated for asphalt
paving. Several others are to be paved
for short lengths. Which of them will
be done next year Mr. Brazier could
not say. It is more than probable that
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**COUNTY COURT WILL
HEAR EN MORE
CASES IN DECEMBER**

Total Is Now Nineteen—Ten
for Jury.

Ten more cases have been entered
to be tried before Judge Macbeth in
the county court, which is to be held
on Tuesday, December 3. The num-
ber of cases entered now totals nine-
teen, ten of which are jury cases.

F. S. Orr, fish merchant, is suing
Justin Barker, a St. Thomas merchant,
for \$400. He alleges that on June 26,
1918, he was driving his car on York
street on the right side of the street,
and that the defendant's car turned
out from behind a water wagon on
the wrong side of the street and col-
lided with his car. He claims that he
had to pay \$200 for repairs. The
defendant denies the allegations, and
says that there was no negligence on
his part.

Another Accident Case.
Another auto accident case is that
of Guy Maynard, a farmer of West Ni-
ssouri, against J. E. Mills, a Thames-
ford merchant, for \$300 and costs. He
claims that the accident was due to
the negligence of the defendant who,
he alleges, was speeding. The de-
fendant counter-claims that the plain-
tiff was damaged to the extent of \$171.00,
and that the plaintiff was speeding,
while he himself was driving slowly.
He also alleges that his wife was se-
riously injured, and that the costs of
caring for her and the loss through the
loss of her services amounted to \$384.
He asks that the case be dismissed
with costs, and that he be awarded
his claim for damages.

Selling a Horse.
Hall Brothers horse dealers, of this
city, are suing Edward Turner, a
farmer of London Township, for sell-
ing them a horse which was owing
unpaid, for \$320. The plaintiffs
claim that the horse had the "heaves,"
and that the defendant sold the horse
when he found that it was unsound.
They are claiming \$320 damages for
breach of warranty and \$500 for spe-
cial damages.

James McNair, a farmer of Lobo
Township, is suing Warren Daniels, of
the same township, for alleged failure
to deliver 1,000 bushels of oats as or-
dered in an agreement. The plaintiff
claims that the defendant only deliv-
ered 320 bushels, and sold the re-
mainder at an excessive price. The
plaintiff also claims that he wanted to
re-sell the oats, but as they were not
delivered to him he lost \$200. He
claims this and the costs. The de-
fendant asks that the case be dismis-
sed with costs.

The above cases will all be tried by
jury. The non-jury cases follow:
The Northern Electric Company is
suing the Western Electric Company
for \$15,000, which it claims is owing
on goods sold to the defendants. A
T. Taylor of the Western Electric Com-
pany claims that the defendants
had with the plaintiffs were paid,
and that a man named Keene man-
aged the Western Electric Company
before he took it, but he says that to
his knowledge Keene paid all accounts
which he had with the plaintiffs. W.
G. R. Bartram for the plaintiffs; Mac-
pherson & Perrin for the defendants.

Levi Welch, a farmer of North Dor-
chester, is suing G. M. Ross, a farmer
of the same township, for \$473.30 for,
he alleges, not keeping an agreement
which was made when he leased cer-
tain lands belonging to him. The de-
fendant denies all allegations of the
plaintiff, and counter-claims \$50.50 for
improving the farm which he leased.
He asks that the case be dismissed
with costs. Jarvis & Vining for the
plaintiff; J. M. McEvoy for the de-
fendant.

Jarvis Henry Smith of Lobo is suing
George Thody of the same place, for,
he alleges, allowing his poultry and
domestic animals to trespass on his
land and destroy the crops. He claims
\$500 damages, the costs of the case,
and other relief. The defendant claims
that the plaintiff's animals got on his
land and he counter-claims \$107.50
damages. Meredith & Fisher for the
plaintiff; J. M. McEvoy for the de-
fendant.

Balance on Sale.
Thomas H. James, of this city, is
suing Harry Evans, also of this city,
for \$300. Balance alleged due on the
sale of a house. The defendant claims
that he agreed to pay when the house
was in a satisfactory condition, and will
pay the amount when the house is
made satisfactory. J. M. McEvoy for
the plaintiff; McKillop, Murphy &
Gunn for the defendant.

Gibbons & McKenzie are suing A. R.
Murdock, gardener, for \$200, the
amount alleged to have been advanced
on the purchase of some land on Mount
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Nothing better in a Hand-
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Regarding the true meaning of
that big word "extradition."
It's something that the Allies
want to do to the ex-kaiser.
But if they pull their stunt off
we shall not be any wiser.
And we're very, very anxious to
see Bill put through the loop
in a thorough-going fashion that
will make his mustache droop.

We have read a fool suggestion
about boiling him in oil.
While others want him put on
ice for fear that he might
spoil.
Some say just hand him over to
the bereaved wives and
mothers.
Some want him hustled off to
hell with Hindy and the
other.
A lot of folks would have him
feel the lashings of brute
force.
But we'd like to see him exiled
to a long-life keen remorse.
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bite him.
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Leaf Lettuce, crisp 5c and 10c
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Horseradish, per lb. 50c
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DELAWARE PATRIOTIC LEAGUE

Mrs. Robert Ford has very generously placed her home at the disposal of the League for the winter months to hold their weekly meetings on Thursday afternoons. Although hostessing their work and have hopes of further work.

ALVINSTON YOUNG LADIES' RED CROSS

The Young Ladies' Red Cross Auxiliary was reorganized at a meeting held in the Red Cross rooms recently. The purpose of reorganizing is to assist the Red Cross Society and to help the soldiers when they return from overseas. The town people are wishing them the best of success in this effort.

KERWOOD DONATES CHICKENS.

The Women's Institute made a shipment of nine chickens and 6 eggs to the Soldiers' Relief Commission at Halifax.

EMBRO AND WEST ZORRA PATRIOTIC MEETINGS.

The regular monthly meeting of the Embro and West Zorra Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. E. J. Cady on Thursday, December 12, when Mrs. Lane will give a feature of the meeting will be the singing of "Onward, Christian Soldiers." This is a patriotic meeting, and a collection will be taken in aid of Red Cross work.

Daily Bible Question Club

SUGGESTIVE QUESTIONS ON THE UNIFORM LESSON FOR SUNDAY, ONE GOLDEN TEXT SUGGESTION.

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D., Joseph sold by his Brothers.—Gen. xxxvii, 18-28.

QUESTIONS FOR TODAY.

13. Verse 25.—What reason is there to believe that the righteous at the time of his sorest trial is more blessed than the wicked at the time of his greatest triumph?

14. Verses 26-27.—"What profit" is there in the most delicious sin?

15. Was Judah's plea to sell Joseph as a slave rather than let him slowly die in the pit, prompted by pity or by profit, and why?

Golden Text: Hatred stirreth up strife; but love covereth all transgressions.—Prov. x, 12.

LOVE HAS A KEEN VISION FOR VIRTUE.

There is a good deal of practical philosophy and true religion in the words of the man who said, "To my fault, it takes love, and divine love, to be blind to faults and to be keenly alive to virtues. Such is the depravity of the human heart that many will not see their faults and magnify them, but under-value or explain them away."

So John the Evangelist said, and it is true; but love has a keen vision for virtue. I would not say that it magnifies, but it certainly appraises it at its full value. This being so, let us all wear the glasses of love.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Readers Are Invited to Phone All News of This Kind to the Society Editor, Phone 3670.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Anson, Langton, Ont., announce the engagement of their daughter, Marion Levee of Cleveland, Ohio, to Frank Levenworth Gilbert of New York, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gilbert, Broadlands, Ill. The marriage will take place quietly the latter part of December.

A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mrs. Wm. Harmer, Ailsa Craig, on Saturday evening, when her youngest daughter, Florence May, was united in marriage to Charles Edward Werbena of Newmarket, Ont., by Rev. Mr. Wells of the Methodist Church. The marriage took place under an arch prettily decorated for the occasion. The bride looked very pretty in a gown of white silk and georgette crepe with veil, and was given away by her uncle, Samuel Harmer, assisted by her little niece as flower girl and ring bearer. After the ceremony the guests adjourned to the dining-room, where a dainty luncheon was served. The young couple will make their home in Toronto.

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MUTT AND JEFF—Jeff Almost Qualifies As a Sharp-Shooter—Almost.

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BY "BUD" FISHER



SEAFORTH BOWLING CLUB HOLDS FIRST EUCHRE

SEAFORTH, Nov. 28.—The local bowlers held a very enjoyable smoker-euchre in the council chambers last night. Prizes were awarded the successful winners as follows: First, Jas. E. Willis; second, Wm. Amest; third, L. T. DeLacey. Club champions for 1918, (Class A), first, John MacTavish; second, Dr. Burrows; (Class B), first, John Broderick; second, Gordon Thompson.

A pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation of a handsome club bag to Col. Alex Wilson, secretary of the Seaforth bowlers, who will be leaving town in the early part of the winter, having disposed of his home here.

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BASEBALL PLAYERS BEING DISCHARGED FROM U. S. A. ARMY

Earl Smith of Rochester Baseball Nine Receives Release.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—The demobilization of ball players in the army who had not been sent overseas is already under way, and it is probable that before the end of the current year most of the players called last summer will be mustered out of the service. Reports have been received in New York of the demobilization at Camp Pike, Arkansas, which means the return to civil life of two members of the Highlanders, and one member of the Robins. All were young players who had shown great promise.

Catcher Herold Ruel, whom Miller Huggins pronounced as good a young catcher as he had ever seen in action, left the Highlanders in mid-season to report to his old team at St. Louis. He was sent to Camp Pike and showed up so well in his work that he was recommended for admission to the training corps for officers. He was about to receive his commission when the armistice was signed and now comes word that he was in the first group to be released from the Arkansas camp.

Another ex-Highlander who left the club to join the national army, was infielder Aaron Ward, a promising talent. Ward was also in the officers' training corps at Camp Pike up to a few days ago, but he has been discharged and is now at his home in Alabama ready to answer when called upon to report for baseball.

The Brooklyn player who has been affected by the early discharge of soldiers at Camp Pike is Ray Schmandt, who made his debut with the Robins last spring after showing up strongly during the previous season with the Lincoln Club of the Western League. Schmandt made quite a hit in his few games with the Robins last spring, playing first base and second base at times, and showing plenty of skill in

ANNUAL MEETING OF ST. THOMAS CURLERS

Robert Coffey Elected President of St. Thomas Granite Curling Club.

ST. THOMAS, Nov. 28.—The annual meeting of the Granite Curling Club of this city, which was held this week, for the purpose of electing officers and organizing for the coming year, was attended by one of the largest representation of "knights of the stone" that ever gathered in this city.

The officers elected include the following, all of whom have made a name for themselves on local ice in the years that have passed: James Briscoe, honorary president; Robert Coffey, president; J. D. Lamont, vice-president; W. K. Cameron, secretary-treasurer; Rev. (Capt.) N. H. McGillivray, chaplain; H. W. Scarff and J. N. Kirby, auditors.

Executive Committee—Dr. Smith, J. Rivard, H. P. Gough, R. D. Embley, R. Marlett, N. D. McLachlin.

Skips for the ensuing year will be charged to the club. The question of entering rinks for the Ontario tankard and other large tournaments will be decided later.

ORDERLY ROOM TEAM WINS FROM OFFICERS

WITH THE BOWLERS

The Orderly Room staff added another victory to their list when they whitewashed the Officers team of the C. O. R. on Wednesday afternoon. The game was one of the fastest played this season on Carling Heights. At all stages of the game the staff team were in the lead. Lieut. Bartlett, the Officers moundsman, was knocked off the rubber early in the game, and was replaced by Lieut. McCrimmon, who started well by retiring the soldiers with three strikeouts to his credit. In the sixth inning the soldiers batted the pill to all corners, putting the game on ice. Col. Milligan starred for the losers, while for the men, Capt. Atkins made some sensational catches, also starting at bat, by laying the pill for four cushions. Capt. Carling made a good umpire and did not favor his better officers. The final score was 14 to 6 in favor of the Orderly Room.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Toolmakers	9	3	750
Office	8	3	667
Operators	4	8	323
Inspectors	3	9	230
Totals	24	100	127-321
Bradshaw	34	100	127-321
Dutton	37	115	130-342
Cupps	107	167	161-463
McLaren	140	208	183-493
Murphy	106	155	151-472
Totals	687	713	647-2,047
Office.	152	155	169-476
Wilkey	144	124	173-441
Orendorff	172	138	102-402
Rouletson	119	146	149-428
Gough	167	106	156-489
Totals	754	719	774-2,247
Inspectors.	142	115	400
Challoner	113	148	132-393
Gleeson	106	120	109-335
Hammond	145	143	163-443
Robinson	180	160	126-476
Totals	687	713	647-2,047
Toolmakers.	141	156	174-451
Pierce	107	117	139-363
Abraham	146	130	157-493
Watts	148	153	153-464
Bege	121	167	142-430
Totals	688	783	745-2,191

LONDON CURLING CLUB EUCHRE MEET TONIGHT

The opening smoker and progressive euchre match of the London Curling Club will be held at the club rooms, Lyle street, this evening at 8 o'clock. These matches will continue every Friday night until curling starts.

ANGLERS WIN EASY FROM THE HUNTERS

Trappers Drop Game to Trappers by Score of 18 to 14.

THE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Hunters	3	1	.750
Anglers	3	1	.750
Trappers	2	2	.500
Scouts	1	3	.250

The Scouts defeated the Trappers by the score of 18 to 14 in the Harriers' Basketball League at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday evening.

H. Gillies was the star of the game, running up a score of 12 points. Thomas also showed up well for the winners. Giesberger and Roberts played a good forward game for the Trappers. The first period of the game ended with a score of 11 to 5 in favor of the Scouts.

The Anglers won an easy game from the Hunters the game ended with a score of 22 to 11. By winning the game last night the Anglers led the Hunters for the lead of the league. Dunk McLean was in the limelight for the winners. Arcott played a steady game.

The teams lined up as follows:

First Game.

Scouts: Roberts, 6; Left Forward, H. Gillies, 12; Giesberger, 8; Right Forward, Thomas, 5; Cook, 6; Centre, R. D. Embley, 0; Shupson, 0; Left Guard, Weir, 0; Clinger, 0; Right Guard, George, 0.

Trappers: 14.

Second Game.

Hunters: Taylor, 4; Left Forward, Clinger, 0; Ferguson, 0; Right Forward, Arcott, 7; Henderson, 3; Centre, McLean, 12; Detweiler, 2; Left Guard, McCouch, 2; Smith, 2; Right Guard, Scott, 0.

Final Score: Anglers 22, Hunters 11.

INTERMEDIATE TEAM FOR GODERICH THIS WINTER

GODERICH, Nov. 28.—It is altogether likely that Goderich will enter an intermediate team in the O. H. A. this coming winter. A meeting of the hockey fans will be held next Monday night, when the officers will be elected for a hockey club. The coming season promises to be a good one for Goderich.

DEMPSEY AND MISKE FIGHT SIX ROUNDS

Only Half a Dozen Hard Blows Landed in Philadelphia Match.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 28.—Jack Dempsey won the popular decision from Billy Miske of St. Paul, Minn., in a slow six-round bout here today at a Thanksgiving Day matinee. Only half a dozen hard blows were landed during the match.

In the semi-final Jeff Clark of Atlantic City had the better of Sam Langford, Boston.

Jack Thompson of St. Joseph, Mo., knocked out Janakia Kid of New York in the fifth round.

THE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Leafs	5	3	.625
Maroons	5	3	.625
Browns	2	3	.400
Braves	1	5	.167

The Maroons won from the Braves by the score of 23 to 14 in the C. A. C. Basketball League Thursday evening.

The game was fast, but the teamwork of the Maroons was superior to that of the Braves. Mulhall and Henry were the stars for the winners. O'Hara, P. Mohan and L. Callaghan played a good game.

The line up:

Maroons: W. Mohan (8), Left forward O'Hara (5), Mulhall (8), Rt. forward P. Mohan (5), Henry (12), Centre L. Callaghan (7), Sansone (6), Left guard Forrietal (6), McCartney (4), Right guard, Cook (6), Sub. McGinnis (6)

FLEMING PREPARING FOR RACING SEASON

Hamilton Driver Makes Entries in Canadian and American Stakes.

HAMILTON, Nov. 28.—Vic Fleming, one of Canada's best drivers, left yesterday for training quarters at Manchester Park, Galt, Ontario, where he will prepare his string for the winter campaign over the ice in Canada and the United States. He has already entered his horses in all the large stake events in both countries.

The following comprise his string: Mussel Shell, chestnut, 5, 2:08 1/4; Hal Edo, bay, 2, 2:06 1/4; E. J. L., b., 2:11 1/4; Billy Sunday, b., 2:24 1/4; and All Patches, b., who is a green pacer. Fleming has in past seasons trained and driven to their mark Billy Brino, 2:06 1/4; Battle King, 2:09 1/4; Texas Jim, 2:04 1/4, and others of lesser note.

BRITT GETS DECISION IN TEN-ROUND BATTLE

Brook Knocks Out Britt's Second After Bout Is Ended.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 27.—After outclassing Matt Brock of Cleveland all the way in their ten-round bout here tonight, Frankie Britt of New Bedford, Mass., was given the newspaper decision. As Britt was going to his corner Brock struck him with such force that he was unable to rise. For several minutes the ring was the scene of a rough and tumble encounter between the adherents of the boxers. The principals were weighed in at 130 pounds each.

As an explanation of his striking Britt after the decision had been rendered, Brock said that owing to the excitement he did not know that time had been called.

Brook also knocked out one of Britt's seconds, both of whom jumped into the ring during the confusion. Brock's share of the purse was ordered withheld until investigation of the affair by the boxing commission.

FRENCH RIDERS OUT AFTER NEW RECORD

Spencer and Hill Reach New York and Prepare for Six-Day Race.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Marcel Dupuy and Rene Gerwig, the two French riders who will participate in the six-day bicycle race, which starts on Sunday at midnight at Madison Square Garden, arrived here tonight on board the French liner Espagne from Bordeaux. The visitors almost immediately took up headquarters in Newark for the purpose of completing training for the race.

Both Dupuy and Gerwig will compete in the sprint race Saturday night. In addition they will start in the ten-mile race for cyclists who are to compete in the six-day grind. A four-cornered race in five heats will be held between Kramer, Francesco Verri, Dupuy and Bob Spears, and there will also be a ten-mile motor-paced race, in which George Wiley, champion, will compete against Verri, Frank Corry, Vincenzo, Mat and Clarence Carman. In a half-mile handicap race, Gus Lang and Lloyd Byron will start from scratch.

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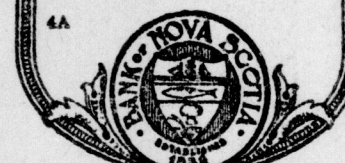
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SECRET OF BETTER GOVERNMENT IS EDUCATION IN PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Jared Vining Delivers Address at First of a Series of Educational Meetings Conducted by Women's Liberal Club.

"Our Government," was the subject of an address given last evening in Human Hall before the Women's Liberal Club by Jared Vining, this being the first of a series of educational meetings which the club proposes to conduct.

"I am inclined to think that we shall have a general election in the country before long," declared the speaker. "And for this reason the electorates of the country should become educated along the lines of public affairs. We are now supposed to be a democracy, but in reality we are an autocracy, in that the males of the country have done the governing for both men and women. We have also been an autocracy for some time past in that we have been governed by order-in-council. But these have been extraordinary times, and it is well to forget the past except in so far as we can profit from it, and look to the future."

Senate an Anachronism.

Mr. Vining reviewed the whole system of government in Canada from the governor-general, through the Federal and Provincial Houses, down to the community. In speaking of the Senate he declared: "The sooner we do away with this anachronism the better for the country. It has no weight concerning the government of Germany, and it is simply a fifth wheel to the coach."

Must Get People Interested in Public Affairs.

Speaking of democracy, Mr. Vining mentioned the hopeless democracy which the laboring masses of Germany were trying to form, and in connection with this said that a democracy could be a success only where all of the people of every class were electors, and where the electors all took an interest in the governing of their country. "It is a disgrace," he declared, "that at the time of elections men have to go from door to door to coax the people to vote, not merely for them, but even to vote at all. We have no right to complain that our Government does not represent us, because as a rule we do not get representation, for we send to Ottawa people who represent us in our own affairs, and not public matters. We cannot get any better government at Ottawa until we can get all the people interested in the Government of their land. I congratulate you women in forming a organization of this kind to educate the people along public lines. We men have failed in this, and if you succeed, then your admission to the electorate will be amply justified. As soon as all the people have a knowledge of public affairs, so that they can exercise the franchise intelligently, then we shall have a democracy."

Government Under Control of Manufacturers.

"At the present we have not a democracy at Ottawa, because the Government there legislates for the benefit of the cliques. I don't mean this to apply to the present Government alone, for the Liberal party has been guilty of the same thing. But I do say that at the present time in Ottawa we have a Government too much under the control of the manufacturers. So long as this state of affairs is permitted to exist by us we shall not have a safe, popular or democratic government, and that will be so long as our whole electorate refuses to show its influence in Parliament."

Mr. Vining stated that the Women's Liberal Club, to be of any practical use in the time of an election, should organize in a way that would be no pink tea affair. He mentioned how the organization of women on behalf of the Union Government had been successful in securing almost the entire women's vote at the last election, and also threw out the Liberal party's principles to the extent which we claim we do, then it is our duty to get busy and see that these principles prevail," declared the speaker.

Officers Re-elected.

This meeting, in addition to being the first of a series of educational meetings, was also the annual meeting of the officers of the past year being elected by acclamation as follows: Honorary presidents, Mrs. George S. Gibbons, Mrs. McEveoy; honorary vice-presidents, Mrs. Thomas Coffey, president, Mrs. W. N. Manning; vice-presidents, Miss Lasham, Mrs. W. B. Robinson, Mrs. D. Regan; recording secretary, Mrs. U. A. Buchner; corresponding secretary, Mrs. T. H. Purdon; further members on the executive, Mrs. Ed. Reid, Mrs. Whitman, Mrs. Brighton and Miss Mills.

Mrs. Manning presided at last night's meeting, urging the women to form the past and start afresh from the future with a program of education in public affairs. Miss Geraldine Regan played a much appreciated violin selection.

WILL PRESS GOVT. TO START DEPT. OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

Associated Boards of Trade of Western Ontario Will Also Urge Town Planning Act—Thomas Adams' Message—Banquet Held.

Thomas Adams, town planning adviser of the Dominion commission of conservation, was successful in getting home his message last evening to the Associated Boards of Trade of Western Ontario, when a resolution was taken in the form of a resolution.

The message was to the effect that in view of reconstruction after the war, town planning is the biggest business of the people of this city or any other municipality in Canada, because of its relation to the really vital thing in the national life, the building up of human life.

Two "first aids" to town-planning were named which the Government should be urged to supply, a department of municipal affairs, and a town-planning act. The first aid, a department of municipal affairs, should be able to settle many of the questions related to municipalities which now unnecessarily take up the time of the Legislature. Further, the department of municipal affairs should be a medium for putting municipalities in touch with the best money market, providing the lowest rates for borrowing.

In the second place, through such a department, a uniform system of auditing could be evolved which would do away with the danger of misrepresentation which attends the "every town its own system" method. In the third place, such a department would stand prepared to give expert engineering advice, without interfering with local consulting engineers.

Town-Planning Act.

A town-planning act would provide for the logical development of towns or cities, thereby enabling the water, light, sewers, etc., to keep up to the building of homes, without planning too heavy a burden of taxation; do away with building lot speculation in outside limit sub-divisions, make it possible the depriving neighbors of light and air and breathing space by a greedy individual or corporation, which is based upon covering all of the available ground with a building.

T. J. Hamilton of Guelph, seconded by ex-Mayor Lemon of Owen Sound, moved that the delegates present go home to their own municipalities and work up interest in bringing pressure to bear upon the Provincial Government to establish a department of municipal affairs, and to pass a town-planning act. This was enthusiastically endorsed by the representatives from outside the London Chamber of Commerce who were present.

Relation To Housing.

In the course of his address, Mr. Adams dealt with town-planning in its relation to housing; in its relation to industry; in its relation to reconstruction.

With regard to town-planning and housing, he declared, "If we don't begin town-planning now, we will have to clear away slums at a great cost in the years to come." At that, he placed the building of a house as secondary to the conditions that surround it. Supremely important are water, light and air to come in at the windows, playgrounds, and provision that the house be newer and cause a depreciation in the value of surrounding property. The town-planning act stands for the assuring of right conditions.

Glowing descriptions were given of towns in England and Scotland which sprang up in a few months during the war, built on the basis of permanency, to provide a war-work need for housing for munition makers, etc.

Recognized Need.

"If the British Government recognized the need of housing people properly to win the war," said the speaker, "we are so blind as to think we do not need to do these things to win the victory of peace." The British Government, moreover, has as its definite reconstruction housing policy, involving the meeting of the expense of building houses by the Government to the extent of 75 per cent of the cost. In the words of Lloyd George, Mr. Adams said, Britain is not afraid of the establishment of a department of municipal affairs, and Miss Vander Flier, a visitor from Holland, who made an eloquent appeal on behalf of Belgian refugees in Holland, especially widows and orphans, who cannot return to their own country because their homes have been destroyed by the Germans. A visitor from one of the Western Ontario boards of trade proposed that the delegates be allowed to drop contributions in the hat on the way out for the cause which Miss Vander Flier represented. As a result, the crowns of two hats were well piled up with substantial bills.

Plans presented for consideration the proposition that the accumulated expenses of the war should be met by the Government by developing the yet "almost unscratched" natural resources of the country, instead of by taxing on machines, which in the end comes out of the pockets of the consumers.

C. Cook of Brantford made a happy little speech after Mr. Adams' address at the Masonic Temple, the greater part of this being delivered in the dark during one of those intervals when hydro-electric instilled upon playing a joke. When Chairman Bridge, in the excitement of the occasion, forgot to call for the singing of the National Anthem as a proper wind-up, it remained for a

Kitchener man to start up "God Save the King."

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SUCCESSFUL WORK SHOWN IN BAPTIST MISSIONS' REPORTS

Two-Day Convention of Western Ontario Societies Ends.

The two-day convention of the Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of Western Ontario closed last evening. This was the largest attended convention yet held in the history of the Baptist denomination here. At this convention the main object of the delegates was to grasp new ideas and ways of carrying on mission work in their own societies more successfully than last year.

The main feature of the last session was the presentation of reports of the work done among Scandinavians, Slavs, Germans and other foreign elements, was given in Mrs. Cameron's report, showing that the last year had been very eventful in the Baptist missionary work, and rapid progress had been made in every district where Baptists were teaching the Gospel.

Young Members Keen.

Mrs. B. E. Marshall, secretary of the mission, read the various reports of what the young bands were doing, and she stated that young members seemed to be developing a keener interest in missions. She also reported that fifteen new bands had been organized in the past year.

President W. S. Shearer, Listowel; vice-president, James Stewart, North Bay; secretary-treasurer, John Densted.

The executive is composed of the officers of the following churches:

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FUNERAL OF J. MCRTICHELIE.

BOTHWELL, Nov. 28.—The funeral of the late James McRitchie, one of one's most prominent men, was held at

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Fresh Shoulders of Pork, pound	34c	Choice Corned Beef, per pound	28c	Loin of Spring Lamb, pound	34c
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Choice Young Ducks, pound	35c				

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WINIFRED BLACK

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The Little Woman who has never done anything in her life that she didn't want to do has started out to make her own living. She's been trying to support herself for nearly a year now and she's awfully disappointed. It isn't a bit of good world she thought it was. It isn't nearly so good-humored or so agreeable—and it isn't half as clever as she thought it was. Take men, for instance—she always felt things, who went downtown and turned straw into paper money and so brave, and so ambitious, and so industrious, and so brilliant—when they got down town. At home she knew that they were rotten human—just like women. They ate too much, and they smoked more than was good for them, and they told far-fetched tales about the size of the fish they caught and just how they run the golf game. They were not particularly courageous about pain. Her brother went to

but she is just the same. This is the way she shows it: She never goes into an office and starts to work without telling the person at the head of her department just how that department ought to be run before she's been there for a short time. Most of the time the things she says about the department sound all right, and she seems to know. She judges everything by what she sees on the surface. The first place where she went to work she thought the head bookkeeper ought to be discharged at once, because he smoked a particularly unpleasant pipe, and was sometimes a little slow about getting down to the office. She didn't know that he'd been with the firm for twenty years, and that several of the best ideas in the business had come from him. In the next place she went she thought the salesmen were inefficient and she told the head salesman so. Very kindly, of course—but very distinctly. She thought she was doing him a favor. Just a Little Cog. In the next place she favored with her society—she didn't approve of the way the office was ventilated, and went around making speeches about fresh air. And in the last place she wouldn't have anything to do with the stenographer because she thought "don't you know?" And this particular was a sister-in-law of the man who paid her salary—and she's going to try to get something to do where there are no one but women. I wonder if she'll begin to make amazing discoveries about them too, and if she has all this trouble is the reason not realize that she's just one little cog in a great big machine and that she machine and not the whole thing.

HOUSEKEEPING IS A BUSINESS. ECONOMICAL COOKING IS A SCIENCE.

Our Consumers' League

BY ISABEL C. ARMSTRONG.

Peace Christmas Giving

A peace Christmas! It almost seems too good to be true that anything so wonderful should be known on earth again. People, young or old, are looking forward to Christmas with an interest perhaps unknown before the war. Christmas for many people, and to relate, in the old days of peace, was getting to be more of a time for "getting even" with those who had given presents, returning as good or perhaps a little better than had been received. Remember all the things that used to be written and said about the wisdom of being a S. P. U. G. And, ten to one, the people who did so much talking, turned around and passed along just as foolish, useless articles as did their neighbors.

What do those letters, "S. P. U. G." stand for? Why, nothing more nor less than membership in the Society for the Prevention of Useless Giving. Then the shadowed by the knowledge of hardships, and the Christmas gatherings possibilities on the action front. The war brought people face to face with the realities of life, and corrected their vision. The first care was for the boys there, and it was wonderful how much more responsible everyone became to patriotic calls multiplied. But these facts alone were not responsible for the new value placed on money. It was no longer something to spend for the sake of representing a real desire for goods, and the result of careful choice and consideration of taste, use, and so on. One naturally evolved into a "S.P.U.G."

SENTIMENT VS. "GRAB-BAG" GIVING. Did this in any measure rob gift-giving of sentiment? Not unless commercialism in gift-giving, promiscuousness and picking out presents on the grab-bag plan constitutes sentiment.

One may send just as much money after enrolling as a member of the Society for the Prevention of Useless Giving, but the presents are really selected, and of the kind which prove a blessing to him who gives and him who takes. A diamond necklace is just as much a "Spur" gift as a load of coal, provided the one who purchases can really afford it, and the one who receives it has occasion to wear it, or, at least, will be given great happiness by receiving it.

Though many homes are to be made happy by the arrival home of boys from overseas in time for Christmas, or the knowledge that they are actually coming home, Christmas-giving hasn't ceased with the signing of an armistice. Ever so many of the men in khaki who have done such a big bit in freeing the world from autocracy are going to eat their Christmas dinners in the British Isles, or somewhere in Europe. Ever so many will know a hospital Christmas, numbers of them right in this city. The soldiers' families are here, just as they have been for the last four years. The Orphan's Homes, the Children's Aid Society, those who under no consideration should be neglected, the inmates of aged people's homes.

And there are the people who suffered great hardship through the epidemic. It begins to look as if it were going to be very much of a giving Christmas again, this first wonderful Christmas of peace after war.

150,000 POUNDS OF PLUM PUDDING.

Can you imagine 150,000 pounds of Christmas pudding, rich with raisins, peel and spices? This enormous quantity has been made up during the past fall at the Canadian Red Cross fruit kitchen in Hamilton, and is now being packed up and shipped overseas. It was intended that every man in the Canadian overseas forces should have a share of this gigantic Christmas pudding. Some of them will miss it, for the very happiest of reasons. They are going to be home for Christmas, or on their way home. That is about the one thing which could compensate for the loss of such a fine pudding. It is a delicious pudding, according to those who sampled it before it went away, and it is a war-time thrift pudding into the bargain. It will be remembered that Canada is still under obligation to keep a food pledge to Britain, and her allies, and that there must still be substitution for the wheat flour which is such an essential food.

Mr. Fred W. Macbeth, honorary manager of the Hamilton Red Cross kitchen, weeks ago promised to send along the overseas forces a pudding formula for their use. He has kept his word. More than this, he has worked out the recipe on a "domestic size." The housewife who wants to make a five-pound pudding, with directions for making it, together with the exact proportions. They are given herewith, with directions for making it. Mr. Macbeth says: "We got the plum puddings all away, together with the sauce, totalling about 150,000 pounds, thanks to the splendid support afforded us by the women of Hamilton."

OVERSEAS PUDDING.

INGREDIENTS.
5-Pound Pudding.
1 lb. Bread.
1 lb. Raisins.
1 lb. Peel.
8 oz. Oatmeal flour.
8 oz. Flour.
8 oz. Sugar—brown or raw.
10 oz. Water.
1/4 oz. Soda.
1/4 oz. Salt.
1/4 oz. Each ground cloves, cinnamon and nutmeg.
Grate carrots, stir in soda, let stand for four hours.
Cut up bread, add water, let soak until the bread can be minced very fine through the hands.
Add sugar, carrots and peel.
Mix sugar, oatmeal, flour, salt, spices and raisins together, then thoroughly mix the whole and add the carrots and raisins. If the mixture is too dry, add a little water. Place lid on can and cook for four hours.

"LAYING, NOT DYING."

(Continued.) Miss C. E. Plummer of Melton, Sask., was told in this department of what she regarded as the four G's of poultry-raising, Grains, Grits, Gumption, and Greens. To these she added a fifth "G," namely, egg-ery. This week she tells how she manages to keep her hens laying, and not dying, in a climate where the thermometer dropped as far down sometimes as 60 below last winter. She says: "For several years past I have been raising White Wyandottes, and was first in this neighborhood to adopt the cotton-fronted houses. I commenced with three colony houses. In these I mean aged to get a good number of eggs during the cold weather, for, from November 2 (when the pullets commenced to lay), until the end of February, I had 922 eggs from 36 pullets, and during the twelve months the total reached 5,109. One day a neighbor said to me, 'These very cold days are severe for your birds in the small houses; I suppose they are dying.' 'Dying, no, they are laying,' I replied. 'For the winter months I have the colony houses backed up to the roofs on three sides with stable manure in the late fall, so that when the snow comes the houses look in the distance like miniature haystacks. 'A strip of flour sacking is nailed over the wire on the inside of the houses, so that on a bright, warm day the screens can be removed and shutters raised. By this means the birds are not open to the weather. They are so inquisitive in trying to see outside their cages that they are liable to become frozen. 'I had last winter a prize cockerel's comb badly frozen before I adopted this plan. He had won first prize at Prince Albert, also third prize at Winnipeg for eggs, during three consecutive years at our local fair. I have won first prizes for eggs, during one, even for a very small family. 'I use the narrow fish boxes for egg collecting trays. They are light to handle, and make a good substitute until one can afford a proper cabinet."

AUNT JEMIMA'S FINNAN HADDIE.

Along a description of her method of preparing this "fish in season" for the table. She says: "From now on we will have finnan haddie at least once a week for dinner, and my family thinks nobody cooks it just like mother. When you compare the cost of haddie with the cost of meat it recommends itself for cutting down the bills. I always select a good, plump finnan haddie. It doesn't pay to buy a small thin one, even for a very small family. 'There are so many attractive ways this tasty fish can be made over a second and third time. After washing the finnan haddie, I place it in a deep pan, skin side down, and cover it well with water. I cook it either on top of the range or in the oven, whichever is most economical and convenient. I let it after it has reached the boiling point. I then drain off the water and turn over the platter piping hot, and slip the fish right onto that. 'I serve it sometimes just with melted butter. It seems to go further when a white sauce is used. I garnish it with parsley, and occasionally with rings of hard-boiled eggs. A little paprika adds an attractive bit of color, and some people like the flavor. 'Sometimes I serve the hot fish with the melted butter and rice potatoes the first day. The second time it appears, for either dinner or luncheon, with drawn butter sauce. Any that is left over then goes into fish balls to serve with crisp bacon. 'Apart from the fact that good finnan haddie is only 23 cents a pound, it is good economy, because the only waste is the skin and bones, and the rest can be used to make the last scrap. 'When I haven't help and want to conserve in dishwashing, I choose a large platter for the haddie, and place it in the centre. Around the fish heap rice the fish and potatoes, and place it in the centre. I then draw the drawn butter of three. If you care to have it, I'll send you my recipe for salmon loaf with the peas."

(Aunt Jemima's salmon loaf recipe will be published next week or the one after. Has anyone else a good fish recipe to send us?)

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