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COMPROMISE IS

EFFECTED BETWEEN

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There were two sittings at meal time,

WILSON CONFER PRESIDENT BRITISH PREMIER

LLOYD GEORGE AND WILSON DISCUSS MOMENTOUS ISSUES AT CONFERENCE HELD TOD

Important Meeting Was Held Today at Buckingham Palace Between British Premier and American President.

London, Dec. 27.—President Wilson's conferences today with British statesmen are described in American quarters as having Theodore Wolff Believes Gov been very satisfactory. The president spent more than three 'hours before Premier Lloyd George's luncheon in most intimate discussion with the premier and Foreign Secretary Balfour at Buckingham Palace, going over the general aspects of the fourteen points of his peace program.

No one particular phrase was taken up, but the whole discussion was a general one. No official announcements were made of Scheidemann section of the Government the results of the conference, and afterwards the president con-apparently saved Berlin from an extretinued the discussions with the British statesmen at the luncheon in Downing street, and later resumed them at Buckingham Palace. CLEARED UP POINTS.

It was learned that a great deal of progress was made in remain in Berlin as part of the republi making clear some phases of the president's points which are can soldiers' guard. The compromis uppermost in the minds of the British, principally as regards the provides that the division of troops from question of British naval supremacy.

At Buckingham Palace, before the luncheon, President Wilson, the premier and the foreign secretary met in one of the rooms sponse to an appeal by the Government of the president's suite before a cheerful open fire, with no secretaries or documents to lend any air of formality to the discussion. It was an entirely informal conference intended to develop the most intimate aspects of the situation.

The president did a great deal of the talking, and it was said afterward that nothing developed to show that any substantial difference in principle or in fundamentals existed.

NO MATERIAL DIFFERENCES.

The discussion ranged about the freedom of the seas, the league of nations and the attendant proposition of the reduction of armaments. None of these three subjects were discussed specifically or by itself, as they are considered inseparable in the final analysis, so the first purpose of the conference was to develop what may be the differences of opinion to the point where they may be clarified.

ENGLISH AND U.S.

TROOPS ALONE CAN

BRING ABOUT ORDER

That Can Be the Only

Dinner at the Savoy.

London, Dec. 26 .- Forty American con

respondents who arrived here today with

by the Government as its guests. They were given a dinner tonight by Lord

Robert Cecil, former minister of block

ade, at the Savoy Hotel. The Newspa-per Proprietors' Association will give a large dinner in their honor tomorrow.

WILSON DESIRES TO MEET GREAT PERSONS WHILE IN ENGLAND

London, Dec. 26.-Dinner at Buck ingham Palace tonight was a private unction, covers being laid only for King George and Queen Mary and President and Mrs. Wilson. After dinner the president had a long talk alone with the King. The president is de- Mutinous German Sailor Says ed with the leading personages in England before beginning his more formal conversations. He had an earnest talk with Queen Mother Alexandra this afrnoon when he called to leave cards

peace until English and American troops come to keep order." is a statement attributed to one of the riotous German The president was greatly pleased

that he and his fellow cabinet members resolution, said:

President Wilson, with matchless are cuided, focussed and united the control of the war. Carlisle deline and the control of the fact that he are the control of the fact the pres.

The correspondent considers one of the most disquieting factors of the situation the part played by the sallors was a superstant of whom

EX-KAISER HAS wives and sweethearts, some participated in the fighting. NOT BEEN SHOT ALLIES HAVE NEW BY AN ASSASSIN PROBLEMS TO DEAL WITH IN THE EAST

Report to That Effect Is With out Slightest Occupation.

Paris. Dec. 27.—Rumors that the tormer emperor of Germany had been essassinated became current in Paris, botably in the Chamber of Deputies last in View of the Serious

TOMORROW-FAIR.
Toronto, Dec. 27-8 a.m.
Forecasts.
Local snow flurries, but mostly fair derate temperatures today and

Saturday Temperatures. The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 am. today:
Stations. High Low. Weather. and President Wilson were taken in charge

Duffalo ... 26 24 Snow Cloudy Cronto ... 26 15 Cloudy Kingston ... 26 15 Cloudy Kingston ... 26 16 Pair Dorchester, Dec. 26.—Gordon Harris has purchased the property of John Montreal ... 26 6 Fair Burke, north of the sideroad near the quebec ... 26 5 Clear Cloudy Father Point... 22 10 Cloudy and a fine red brick house. He is buying up cows, and is going to start a fine red brick house. He is buying up cows, and is going to start a fine red brick house. He is buying up cows, and is going to start a fine red brick house. He is buying up cows, and is going to start a fine red brick house. He is buying up cows, and is going to start a fine red brick house. He is buying up cows, and is going to start a fine red brick house. He is buying the continent this morning, and fair which is badly needed. The price paid weather prevails over the Dominion, was \$5,000.

MUTINOUS SAILORS AND GERMAN GOVT Marines Agree Not To Revolt

If Troops Withdrawn.

LED BY LEDEBOUR

ernment Is Steering Rudderless Course.

Press .-- An eleventh hour compromis gained more than they sought, and w Field Marshal von Hindenburg in re will retire and leave the capital unde the protection of two volunteer policin organizations which are dominated by the extremists. The sailors, against whom the soldiers have been antagon-istic, are known to be under the special leadership of George Ledebour, who was one of the representatives of the sailors in the perguiations yesterday with the one of the representatives of the sailors in the negotiations yesterday with the Ebert-Haase Government. The sailors agree not to participate in any future revolts against the Government.

Vorwaerts Not Satisfied.

The settlement between the sailors

The settlement between the sailors and the Government does not satisfy the Vorwaerts, which expresses hope that the sailors will subordinate themselves to the Government and show themselves good republican soldiers. Theodore Wolff, in the Tageblatt, thinks that the Government's capitulation leaves the impression that it is steering a rudderless course. The removal of the troops under Gen. Lequis, he says, may be interpreted as the temporary elimination of the only agency of law and order on which the Berlin bourgeois had set its hope.

et its hope. The Lokal Anzeiger announces the The Lokal Anzeiger announces the formation of a society for the purpose of combatting Bolshevism. The correspondent is informed that at a recent meeting of Berlin bankers one of the questions considered seriously was the problem of fixing the status of the rouble, which is circulating in German in sreiter profusion than the relations with Russla warrant. The bankers are said to have solved the mystery of the exchange of wireless compliments between Hugo Haase of the Berlin Government and Adolph Joffe, recently the Russian representative here.

and Adolph Joffe, recently the Russian representative here.

Spartacans Demonstrate.

Berlin was quiet today, except for coisy Spartacus demonstrations in the Tiergarten. Dr. Liebknecht and Deput Ledebour, addressed a crowd of about ten thousand in the Tiergarten, after which the crowd marched to the Brand deaburg Gate and to the former royal palace to demand the overthrow of the palace to demand the overthrow of th Government.

In addition to the damage already reported in Tuesday's fighting, the cathedral is badly scarred by machine gun fire, and one of the marble columns forming the background of the monument of Emperor William I. was completely shot away by a battery from a

with the warmth of his reception in London, which, in the opinion of some of his suite, exceed even that of Paris.

CARLISLE VOTES

FREEDOM OF CITY

TO U. S. PRESIDENT

Carlisle Eng. Dec. 27.—The city council of Carlisle this morning voted the freedom of the city to President Wilson, who will pay a visit here Sunday morning. The mayor, who moved the resolution, sald:

"President Wilson, with matchiess state:"

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""" on the w

quartered there. Sallors and soldiers quartered there. No authoritative list of casualties is yet available. Estimates of the number of dead vary for twelve to sixty. That a great number were not killed is considered extraordinary. Santa Claus Did Not Call On the

Custom of Exchanging Gifts

700 PRESCRIPTIONS FOR LIQUOR FILLED ON DECEMBER 24

Day Before Christmas Was a Busy One in Vancouver.



CURRIE'S CHRISTMAS MESSAGE TO THE CANADIAN TROOPS

Ottawa, Dec. 27.—On Christmas Day a special order addressed to all ranks of the Canadian Corps was issued by Lieut.-Gen. Sir Arthur Currie the corps commander. The message read: "I wish a very happy Christmas to

all ranks of the Canadian Corps 'Christmas in each year since 1914 brought a message of hope, but the hearts of our people at home were heavy and full of forebodings. We on the torn fields of battle could

only harden our purpose to keep on fighting until Christianity and civilization were vindicated and re-established. "And now we have reached our goal. The foe is vanquished, the powers of darkness are defeated. We can this

year celebrate with joy the anniversary of the birth of Christ, the Prince of Peace.

QUESTION OF PEACE TERMS

Proposals Have Met With No Response From Entente as They Emanate From Government Not Recognized by the Allies.

London, Dec. 27 .- The Allied governments, since Christmas, have again been approached by the Bolshevik Government of Russia regarding the terms of peace. These differ in no respect from those put forward by M. Litvinoff, the former Bolshevik ambassador at London, through the Norwegian Government in Novem-

The proposals have met with no response, as they emanate from a government which is not recognized by the Allies. The an whole Russian question is at present under discussion among the Allied Governments.

DECLARES THAT THE EX-RUSSIAN CZAR IS STILL ALIVE

Folks of Munich Nephew of Gen. Skoropadski Offices of Newspaper Vor-Says Allied Government

CEREALS WILL BE
SHIPPED TO EUROPE
Boston, Dec. 26.—Eighteen thousand tons of cereais, brought into New Finance of the first time since the war beaution of the central food administration of t

czar. Documents describing the czar's escape were in the hands of German Consul Koenig at Petrograd, who forwarded them to Berlin." M. de Tchihatchef said the Allies should send an army of occupation into Russia to re-establish a stable government and business condition.

He said the cost of living in Russia was appalling, a pound of butter costing 120 rubles and a pair of trousers 1.000 rubles. Frequently, however, there was no food obtainable at an

FORMER LONDONER

SPARTAGANS ARE STILL IN CONTROL OF SOCIALIST PRESS

waerts Was Seized by

men, and several of these started use the linotype machines. Spartacan writers provided copy for handbills, which were issued under the caption, "Red Vorwaerts." Meanwhile the red guards had posted sentries at the doors and windows to repel invasion. One of these sentries was an unkempt Spartacan carrying a rifle in one hand and an umbrella in the other.

The handbills contained a report of umbrella in the other.

The handbills contained a report of the demonstrations and explained the seizure of the newspaper, which was declared to be warranted "under the new law born with the revolution."

however. COUNTESS READING

United States ambassador, and Mrs. H. H. Asquith.

Canadian Soldiers Who Came Home On Northland Declare Food Was "Not Fit For Dogs"

GERMAN SHIPS **FLYING RED FLAG** MAY BE SUNK BY THE BRITISH

Admiralty Will Take Drastic Measures To Stamp Out Bolshevism.

Amsterdam, Dec. 27.—The Brit-ish admiralty is prepared to take drastic measures against the pro-pagation of Bolshevism in that part of the German fleet remaining in German hands, according to a Ber-lin dispatch today. The sinking of vessels displaying the red flag and the execution of crews infected with Bolshevism is threatened it is dethe execution of crews infected with Bolshevism is threatened, it is de-

EARLY SOLUTION OF FOOD PROBLEM MAY **MEAN EARLY PEACE**

Austria Is Nearest On Brink of Starvation.

CANADA HAS SUPPLIES

Efficient System of Distribu tion Must Be Formu

London Dec. 27.—Special caple from John W. Dafoe: The food situation in Europe is a matter of much moment to inter-allied interests, because there is a close connection between the solution of this problem and the conclusion of an early and satisfactory. Seec. Within the past six weeks inter-allied food agencies have been carrying on extensive in Austria Near Starvation.

Some of the European countries are known to be in great need. Among the allied and friendly peoples perhaps the Serbian and the Czeche-Slovaks are

political instrumentality among the first importance. They may be used in bringing about and maintaining stable and desirable forms of Government and plans are in process of elaboration for the purpose of dealing with the whole

the purpose of dealing with the whole situation effectively and promptly. In these matters the prime minister of Canada and the members of the Canadian peace conference mission are taking their parts. Moreover, in carrying out of the program of the inter-allied food council for the supplying of food to allied countries, which continue to have the first claim on the exportable surpluses many matters of importance to Canada have come up from time to time and the representations made on behalf of Canada on those questions are welcomed. Adjustments have been made and action taken affecting Canadian bacon and lard and packers of offals. In peas, bears, apples, canned vegetables.

peas, beans, apples, canned vegetables etc.. Canada has become one of the chief sources of supply and her part-nership in furnishing food is recognized as having been a sound and strong sup-**GREATEST RELIGIOUS** GATHERING EVER

HELD IS PLANNED More Than 100,000 Delegates

To Attend Columbus

Columbus O., Dec. 27.—Plans already are being completed for what is expected to be the greatest religious gathering in the history of America to be held here early next summer in celebration of 100 years' of foreign missionary work by the Methodist Episcopal Church. Directors of the big centenary celebration which will mark the end of the church's campaign to raise \$115.000. celebration which will mark the end of the church's campaign to raise \$115,000.

Government today to urge that the time limit within which they are entitled to transport native wines be extended. Owing to ambiguity in the original orfone the United States and Canada there will be 100,000 accredited delegates. Scores of natives in costumes from Cinia, India and the South Sea Islands. Africa and Asia and exhibits from every missionary field in the world will be be day by the Countess Reading. The day by the Countess Reading. The guests included Mrs. David Lloyd George Mrs. John W. Davis, wife of the United States ambassador, and Mrs. H. United States ambassador, and Mrs. H. The Government promised consideration which will mark the end of the church's campaign to raise \$115,000.

Government today to urge that the time limit within which they are entitled to transport native wines be extended. Owing to ambiguity in the original order, some difficulty has arisen. The either that besides the thousands of visitors from the United States and Canada there will be 100,000 accredited delegates. Scores of natives in costumes from the United States and Asia and exhibits from every missionary field in the world will be be year, and the order has been in terpreted as implying that the right to transport wines within the province shall cease at the same time. The delegates are the same time to transport wines within the province shall cease at the same time. The delegates are the same time. The delegates are the same time that the right to transport wines within the province shall cease at the same time. Africa and Asia and exhibits from every missionary field in the world will be conducted by the countest are the same time. The delegates are the same time that the ri board of bishops and allied church or-

Returned Men From Western Ontario Allege That Conditions On Board Troopship Were Extremely Bad-Claim Is Made That No System Prevails On Transports.

to the chief steward myself and tell him that the food wasn't fit for the patients to eat," the latter declared.

Not only was the food poor, accord-ARE ON THEIR WAY HOME.
Hallfax, Dec. 27.—The returned solders from the Northland, bound for the Ottawa district, should arrive in Ottawa about 8 o'clock Saturday morning. The special train with the men for the Ottawa-Kingston military district was scheduled to leave Hallfax at midnight, but did not get away until 2 a.m.
On the same train with the Ottawa men are those destined for the London, Toronto and Montreal military districts. The first train, with men for the Quebec, Winnipeg. Victoria and Calgary districts, left at 10 o'clock last night. men declared that the stewards were selling food on the voyage, and they had to buy sandwiches to satisfy their appe-

There were two sittings at meal time, and, according to the men, the plates from the first sittings were not washed, and the second batch of men had to eat from the dirty plates of their predecessors or starve.

"Even the sailors and firemen on board were kicking about the food," the correspondent was told. One of the Northland's stewards confirmed all that the Ontario men alleged. "The Northland is not fit for cattle." he said. "The conditions on board were vile." The food question was only one phase of the seneral complaint. Halifax Dec. 27.—"Rotten" was the mildest epitaph applied to the food on board the troopship Northland by Ontario soldiers who came back on this Last night, in the casualty clearing

hip's hospital was borne out by an or-stuck on the erly who attended him. "I had to go cers strolled

HINDY AND WILHELM DUCKED FOR THEIR DUGQUTS WHEN BULLETS BEGAN TO FLY

Germany's Supermen Spent Greater Portion of Their Time in Luxuriously Equipped Shelters Deep Underground.

Spa. Belgium. Dec. 16.—Correspondence of the Associated Press.—The former headquarters of the kaiser and his general state of the way. his general staff is disclosing some extraordinarily queer facts these days about the men who engineered the world war. Take one, Hindenburg, Germany's superman around whom reams of poetry have been written disclosing him as a fearless Napoleon leading his troops to victory. As a matter of fact, he spent a great deal of his time in a wonderfully constructed "funk hole" or dugout, underneath the grounds of his villa here. the allied and friendly peoples perhaps the Serbian and the Czecho-Slovaks are in the greatest danger of real privation, but all the European neutrals require to import foods. Of the enemy nations Austria appears nearest the brink of atarvation. Reports from Germany are conflicting and contradictory, but the known facts indicate that the home produced foods there will not suffice in full beyond April.

The United States, Canada, Australia and the Argentine are the countries which have considerable exportable supplies and the partial liberation of shipping will permit these supplies to be brought to Europe in sufficient quantities to enable all actual needs to be met, if an efficient system of distribution as a fearless Napoleon leading his troops to victory. As a matter of fact, he spent a great deal of his time in a storops to victory. As a matter of fact, he spent a great deal of his time in a wonderfully constructed "funk hole" or dugout, underneath the grounds of his villa here.

Spa. it may be noted is almost on the German border, and so far from where battle lines used to be that it was almost a day's journey in a fast work and the Argentine are the countries which have considerable exportable supplies will permit these supplies to the big guns. The kaiser, too, had a similar hidding-place at Neubois, near a brought to Europe in suffcient quantities to enable all actual needs to be met, if an efficient system of distribution is adopted.

Canada Has Supplies.

The conditions under which foods can be obtained and distributed become a political instrumentality among the first importance. They may be used in

> Meanest Thief On Earth Is Caught

Stole Coins From Poor-Box In Cathedral.

New York, Dec. 27.-While a priest Eighty Billion Marks Is the vas celebrating mass at 6 a.m. yester Amount To Be Secured. day at the high altar in St. Patrick's Cathedral, a man who had entered, av parently for his devotions, worked his lesigned to raise about eighty billion

of a poor box. John Read, a watchman noticed the man's peculiar actions and ng a Berlin dispatch to the Deutse et him work until he had taken out a Zeitung. The dispatch said that oin, and then pounced on him, took him ion he gave his name as Louis Lam- ever legitimate mert a cigarmaker. He is charged with ciple of the tax of

GRAPE GROWERS WANT TIME LIMIT EXTENDED

Ottawa, Dec. 27.—Representative Ortario grape growers interviewed the Government today to urge that the time

GERMAN MINISTER TO TURKEY HAS

GERMAN GOVT. IS

PLANNING TO RAISE

BIG SUM IN TAXES

UTILITIES IN FAVOR OF OPEN-AIR RINKS FOR HOCKEY GAMES

Two Deputations Present, One For, Other Against Open

TENDERS FOR PAVILION

in mind the probability of Sun-to Springbank. It was suggested ders be called for in order to much the rent of the pavilion TWO PRISONERS

The Red Cross asked that the com-

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city hall switchboard. It stated that the switchboard costs \$198 a year, whereas by using direct lines it would cost only \$93 for the same service. No action

was taken.
Commissioners. J. Vining and F. G.
Mitchell, were appointed to attend the meeting of the Western Fair board.
During the meeting Ald. W. A. Wilson came in and asked that certain lights on Talbot street near Ann street, which were out, be replaced. The general manager declared that he would have them replaced.
At the close of the meeting Chairman Philip Pocock thanked the members of the commission for their good work during the year. The work for the year had been very hard, he said.

HEARS MUNICIPAL

ISSUES OUTLINED

PROVED TO BE ONLY

MILD GINGER WINF

Real Goods.

MILITARY CROSS FOR LATE LIEUT. J. ELDER

That Does Not Affect Head.

f nominating a president residents for the Ontario St. George's Anglican Church at ciation was referred to Thorndale will be reopened on Sunday next by His Lordship the Bishop of Farland and F. G. Mit-Huron, assisted by the rector, Rev.

Your Friends Have Given You

Victor Records for Christmas, but have they chosen your favorite

pieces? Heintzman & Co, suggest a few popular selections, both comic and secular, which should be in your musical library:

60143-"It's Nice To Get Up in the Morning" —Lauder 90c 70096-"She's the Lass For Me"-Lauder \$1.50 70114-"Nanny, I Never Loved Another Lass But You''--Lauder \$1.50 18305-"Blue Bells of Scotland"; "The Last Rose of Summer"-Himmelreich..... 90c 64432-"Mary of Argyle"-McCormack. .\$1.25 74409-"My Ain Folk"-Evan Williams. . \$2.00 31869—Songs of Scotland—Victor Mixed Chorus \$1.25

These are just a few of the many selections offered. Select your records from the largest and best equipped Victrola parlors.

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HEARS MUNICIPAL

BYLAWS WERE DISCUSSED

Strong Appeals For Medical

TENDERS FOR PAVILION

May Get Increased Revenue
From Pavilion in Event
of Sunday Cars.

After some discussion, the utilities
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the banners at the stations will be chosen with this object in view. They will be in place early next week.

TWO PRISONERS

THE PROBLED FROM JAIL

Parole was granted yesterday to two character be allowed to character be allowed to method with the public stion was taken.

In did Sell Buffalo.

Was the bound of the public stone was passed on him, but the other had spent some time at Burwash and was brought here as a witness in a case at the December criminal secsions from R. J. Mills of St. of the county court. He has been at the first period of the county court at the county court. He has been at the first period of the county court. He has been at the first period of the county court. The most significant piece of news in the first period of the county court. The most significant piece of the county court. He has been at the demands in report to the filthy condition o

use of its tonic and laxative their influence in support of the dam that succeeded. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE bylaw. He also asked their support that succeeded that succeeded for the grant of \$5,000 to the Navy foolish though it spects, the Bolsl Ald. Watt urged all present to use

THORNDALE CHURCH

St. George's Anglican Church at Thorndale will be reopened on Sunday next by His Lordship the Bishop of Huron, assisted by the rector, Rev. A. C. Cummer, The church was erected in the year 1861. During the last summer it was remodeled by placing a basement under the auditorium.

Thorndale will be reopened on Sunday next by His Lordship the Bishop of Huron, assisted by the rector, Rev. It is well and favorably known among all the medical men of the Dominion and in the United States. Its standard is such that pupils of this school are admitted to Montreal Medical School of Toronto University or the medical school of London, England with the same standing they held that there was to be another St. Barland with the same standing they held that there was to be another St. Barland with the same standing they held that there was to be another St. Barland with the same standing they held that there was to be another St. Barland with the same standing they held that there was to be another St. Barland with the same standing they held that there was to be another St. Barland with the same standing they held that there was to be another St. Barland with the same standing they held that there was to be another St. Barland with the same standing they held that there was to be another St. Barland with the same standing they held that there was to be another St. Barland with the same standing they held that there was to be another St. Barland anuncine of the Bussian daumened by the scuring the last chash seven with the Russian daumened by the scuring the standing they had a cursian danuation. It is a curious fact that t

As a result of a loaded freight car eing derailed Wednesday evening at Kerwood, the eastbound track of the Grand Trunk Railway was blocked for

engine 646, was in charge of Conductor on Victory Day, November 11, while Harris of Sarnia Tunnel, and was en handling his father's revolver, accident-route from Sarnia to Toronto. The blocksde was not a serious one, as the westbound track was open. The London auxiliary was sent to the scene of the derallment and cleared the track.

Howes, Water street north, the lad who on Victory Day, November 11, while handling his father's revolver, accident-ally wounded his brother, died this morning after one week's illness with pneumonia and influenza.

YOUR BILIOUSNESS

RECRUITS WANTED

FOR HOME SERVICE Recruits are wanted for home service, according to instructions received by Major W. H. Irvine of the local mobilization centre here. All volunteers are asked to report at the mobilization centre offices in the Carling block. gripe; 25c, of druggists or by mal C. I. Hood Company, Lowell, Mass.

National Cash Registers

JULIUS MADDI, SALES AGENT. The N. C. R. Co. of Canada, Limited, 250 DUNDAS STREET, LONDON, ONT.

"LIQUOR" IN BOTTLE PROVED TO BE ONLY

After an amalysis of the contents of a ottle labelled "unfermented wine," which was found on William McDougall on Monday, he was discharged, as it was ound that the bottle contained only

Ald. F. E. Harley is arranging for the people allowed uals out of businesseer, who had been forced to join ing, now that the "Free rinks are." Lancaster. n as to what was to the rental of bank. W. Lowry, vilion in the past, \$1,000 per year, robability of Sunday. It was suggested 1 for in order to 2 for in order to 1 for in order to 1

Dr. Robert Ferguson was not flattered by the size of the audience, which attributed in part to the short notice, papers last night for the fermion of the food of propaganda launched by the survivant appears has night for the fermion of the flattered papers. The food of the Russian bureaucracy.

It is a curious fact that

is such that pupils of this school or the medical school of Toronto University or the medical school of Toronto University or the medical schools of London, England with the same standing they held in this one.

"Apart from the lack of building, we have the same standard as Toronto or Montreal! Our quarters are too crowded now. We must have more room. We have to refuse students who wish to enter the school. We have not the room, Our classes are overcrowded, and we are greatly handicapped in this respect. Some of the brightest men in the medical profession have graduated from this school.

"Further urging the citizens to support the bylaw, the speaker intimated that the stizens generally do not realize what a valuable asset to the city the medical schools by a speaker shall be supported by the citizens. They were almost the tailing sene, at any rate. Hethought that all the haumber present was not large, the number present was not large, the number present was not large, the number of the school. However, a shall be supported by the citizens. They were almost to the city from all general and proves that would acrue to London which some of the school is outlined the advantages that would acrue to London it the school bylaw, he said that Londonest had never spent one cent towards appointed out that if the school is pointed to the city from all parts of Western Ontario. He also pointed out that if the school is pointed to the city from all parts of Western Ontario. He also pointed out that if the school is pointed to the city from all parts of the school is pointed to the city from all parts of the school is pointed to the city from all parts of the school is pointed to the city from all parts of the school is pointed to the city from all parts of the school is pointed to the city from

BOY DIES AT GALT. GALT, Dec. 26. — Harley Howes, 16-rear-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E The freight train was drawn by extra Howes. Water street north, the lad who

> YOUR BILIOUSNESS and constipation, headache, drowst-ness, coated tongue, bad breath, bad taste in the mouth, quickly disappear if you take Hood's Pills. Many say these pills act better on the liver and bowels than anything else. Do gripe; 25c, of druggists or by ma

STORE OPENS AT 9 A.M. AND CLOSES AT 6 P.M.

Last Saturday Sales For Year 1918



Year-end sales lead all other occasions, and Saturday will be the climax. These sales encompass opportunities for our patrons to put their wardrobe and household expenditures to the best use in months. The great holiday bombardment has left stocks shattered, which odds and ends must be cleared to make way for the oceans of white goods waiting for the great January sale. Many sale lots will be found in too small quantities to advertise—the smaller the lot the smaller the price, and the very thing that may interest you most may not be in the advertised list. Make an early start Saturday.

All Ladies' Winter Coats At Winter Prices

This includes all cloth coats, fur-collar coats, coats in black and colors and fur-collar plush coats. Although the drain upon our coat stocks has been tremendous. We still have a splendid assortment of winter coats for clearance. Women should anticipate future wants in selecting a coat or two from these

Two Racks Ladies' Coats 1-3 and 1-2 Off

The coats at one-third off are cloth coats with fur collar and fur trimmings. All the season's smartest models. Sale prices \$30.00, \$35.00, \$45.00 and \$50.00

One rack of winter coats, black matalamb and colored tweeds, chinchilla, polo cloth and velourette, in belted models and convertible collars. Every coat at half price Sale prices, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$20.00

7 Fur Coats About 1-4 Off

One only Beaver Coat, size 38. Sale price	\$298.00
One only Hudson Seal Coat, beaver trimmed, size 38. Price	\$275.00
One only Hudson Seal Coat, coon collar and cuffs. Sale price	\$225.00
Two only Hudson Seal Coats, cape collar, size 38. Sale price.	\$185.00
One only Mink Marmot Coat, size 36. Sale price	\$85.00
One only Muskrat Coat, size 40, 45-inch length. Sale price .	

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The balance of all White Furs will be cleaned Saturday at half price, together with ten only Siberian Wolf Muffs and four Mink-Marmot Muffs.

10 only Siberian Wolf Muffs half price. Sale prices. \$6.25, \$7.50, \$9.25 and \$10.00 4 only Mink-Marmot Muffs half price. Sale prices\$7.50 and \$8.75 Sale Saturday morning at 9 a.m.

Clean-Up Sale of Batts Special For Saturday Only

numbers; some were sold out completely. We have decided to clean up on these batts, and for Saturday only we will put on the balance of these batts (bought over a year ago) at the same special prices of our recent batt sale

CLEAN, GOOD-QUALITY BATTS, OPENING THREE FEET WIDE AND SIX FEET LONG 50c each, special 3 for \$1.40 COMFORT SIZE BATTS OPENING SIX FEET WIDE AND SEVEN FEET LONG.

These open up in one piece ready for use. We cannot duplicate these qualities today at anything like these prices. Come early. Some

of these numbers will be sold out by noon. Wash Goods, Main Floor.

Year-End Clearings In Men's Section

Men's Overcoats, \$17.50



COLD ROAST TURKEY.

Cold Roast Turkey with Potato Salad

Orange Marmalade, Buttered Toast, Cut

Preserved Pineapple, Cup of Teal. 55c

Cake, Cup of Tea25c

Saturday at a very attractive price, a clearing of about 35 coats, broken lines from regular stock, greatly reduced in price for Saturday. This lot includes tweeds and meltons, in sizes 34 to 44. The meltons are doublebreasted, body-fitting style, and Chesterfield. The tweeds are ulster style with convertible shawl collar, belt back and belt all around. Only a few of each line. Be here on Saturday if vou can use an overcoat. Very special at

Men's

Clearing of Silk Muf-

Silk Mufflers At Half Price

flers on Saturday at half regular price. Several dozen Fine Silk Mufflers, with fringed ends, very handsome patterns, some light and others dark shades, medium and large size. all one price Saturday \$1.89 These are great value.

Very Special In Men's Shirts Sale Price \$2.95

About thirteen dozen Extra Fine Quality Shirts to clear on Saturday, silk and Madras, some silk and other fine fabrics, the very newest designs, assorted colors, all shirts of quality, in sizes 14 to 16½, broken lines, and every shirt a genuine bargain. See these on Saturday. Sale price \$2.95



Clearing of Men's Ties 98c Each



High-Grade Quality Men's Ties to be cleared Saturday, a real bargain, superior grade, large loose flowing ends, handsome designs in a great variety of attractive colors, pure silk; a rare chance to get a tie of this quality at 98c. A big range to choose from. Saturday your choice for 98c each

Fried Oysters with Thin Bread and Butter, Cup of Tea or Coffee.....35c Waldorf Salad with Thousand Island Dressing, Thin Bread and Butter, Cup

of Tea or Coffee35c

UTILITIES MANAGER MAKES OBJECTIONS TO CLERK'S FIGURES

Writes His Statement to the Council.

ALLEGES DISCREPANCIES

and Claims That Comparison ade Between 1910 and 1917 Unfair.

p blic utilities commission of statements issued by City Clerk Baker, a letter has been prepared by E. V. Buchanan, manager of the public utilities commission, and it will be sent to the council of 1919. City Clerk Baker says that he took the figures from the reports of the auditors and the city treesurer. the city treasurer. "In any event the enson, a returned soldier, has arrived statements from the public utilities on the steamship Grampian for London." pommission are very mush like its sur-bluses, from which a great deal may be deducted," says Mr. Baker. Mr. Buchanan, in the letter, takes exception to several statements, among which the first one is concerning the Siberia have yet been mad tem of \$32,100 expended by the comssion in 1917, which took of the taxes. "I find that \$15,000 of this was a waterworks surplus which this was a waterworks surplus which taxes are levied.

THREE MORE FOR LONDON.—In the amended list of the names of the returned soldiers who are expected to returned soldiers who are expected by

Another Objection.

Exception is also taken to the influsion of \$929,481 of the electrical contruction account in the statement of the estimated expenditures in city activities during 1918. Mr. Buchanan points out that this is the total amount invested in the hydro-electric system ince the commencement of the project and has nothing whatever to do with the estimated expenditures for ploved on the staff of the Lordon with the estimated expenditures. For ploved on the staff of the Lordon ploved pl with the estimated expenditures for 1918 nor for any year as far as the lax rate is concerned.

In the same table the estimated appropriation for the parks board for Alexandra School, each invalided solpropriation for the parks board for 1918 is given as \$18,900, while according the commission manager it was only

nated expenditure for public parks and

Mr. Buchanan also takes exception to be fact that while comparative staterks during the years 1910 and 1917 no intion is made of the fact that in 1910 names and Chelsea Green parks did t exist, nor was the nursery in existec. No tree trimming was done in at year, either, it is said. Included in 17.297 spent on Springbank in 1910 been completed.

Dispensing Quality

> Care Reliability

work. Established 1874. Four gradnate druggists.

STRONG'S

Drug Store 184 DUNDAS ST., LONDON, ONT. While at the top of the page is shown a decrease in receipts of 20 per cent for six years at the bottom of the same page is shown an increase of 24 per cent in the same period, according to the letter which has been written. The amount of the assets in 1917 is given as \$1,475,-746. This is used as the investment on which is based the percentage of surplus. According to E. V. Buchanan, this is not the net investment of the city of London in the waterworks, but represents the total assets, including construction account, stock, accounts receivable, ac-WARDEN D. GRAHAM **DECIDES TO RETIRE** unt, stock, accounts receivable

NO ARRANGEMENTS YET .- No ar-

BIG SOCIAL EVENT .- A meeting

crued water rates and cash on hand or in bank.

Wide Difference.

The net investment is given in the annual report of the waterworks iepartment for 1910 as \$350,284. The actual surplus handed over to the city in that year would be 7½ per cent, instead of 2 per cent, he intimates.

Mr. Buchanan further claims, that while comparison is made between the years 1910 and 1917 in the waterworks receipts, no mention is made of the fact that the rates were reduced during this period by 14.3 per cent.

City Clerk S. Baker said concerning this letter coming to the council: "Let it come. I would like to see it." Private Affairs Demand All rued water rates and cash on hand His Attention.

WHO WILL FILL PLACE?

FROM PUBLIC LIFE

Arthur Wright Believed Likely If Re-elected at Glencoe.

ownship and warden of the county of iddlesex for 1918, will retire from pub-



Thistle Euchre Tonight

ed.

It is thought in medical circles that the height of the second epidemic of Spanish influenza has been reached, and that the number of cases will always.

CARMANIA ON WAY.—The soldiers the steamship Carmania has left England with 2 officers and 296 other ranks, for this district.

AUTOMOBILE SKATES

Model A\$4.00

Model B\$5.00

Model C\$6.50

Model D\$7.00

Model T\$6.00

Ladies' Auto\$4.00

Other Styles\$1.90 to \$3.25 Buster Brown Wagons \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.50

"NORWESCO 1220"

Radiator Protection with the guesswork left

This Christmas Stirred the Souls Of Men Who Had Spent Other Yuletides Facing Hun Onslaught

One Veteran Describes How Tears of Joy Streamed Down His Cheeks as He Watched Children Playing in Security From Danger.

o the Editor of The Advertiser time since 1914, the Christmas dawn revealed to us a snow-covered Canadian

A MORE HALLOWED CHRISTMAS

FRED YOUNG,

May I Exchange This For One a Little Smaller and This Other For Size Larger? Usual Requests

People Busy Thursday Getting Rid of Misfit Presents and, in Some Instances Trying To Barter Goods Purchased Ye ars Ago.

about the same as during the last look days. Victoria Hospital and St. Joseph's light. It will not be long now until the stones will be trundled out and the members intend to make what possibly may be the last regular cuchre one to Victoria Hospital, and two have ded. At St. Joseph's, the same number have been admitted as have been discharged. repeated present was returned for one more rare.

The Amusing Kind.

CHRISTMAS MAIL NOT SO HEAVY AS SOME YEARS, BUT PARCELS DEPARTMENT EXPERIENCED RUSH

Everything Handled With Ease at the Local Office, Carriers Hiring Their Own Boys To Help Deliver Letters and Six Extra Teams Being Used for Parcels.

Postmen and clerks at the postoffice itoday, and a small amount came vesterthis Christmas did not have to handle such a deluge of mail as in former years. Everybody seemed to have posted his or her mail on Sunday, because Monday was the greatest receiving day, and Tuesday was the day of the heaviest. delivery. This two days' record for re- The parcel post department had much celpt and delivery beats any other that was ever made, according to Thomas C. Duncan, assistant postmaster. The rush of mail didn't start as early this year as in previous years.

The English mail did not come on Christmas Day, but there, was a larged amount of mail from the old country.

whom were officers, arrived in the city at 12:05 o'clock (noon) today via C. P. Members of Former Royal Family of R. Lieut.-Col. G. W. Nelson, who rep-R. Lieut-Col. G. W. Nelson, who represented the military authorities, was present. The Canadian Garrison Regiment Band was also on hand. The men were taken direct to their homes. These men left St. John on Christmas night, after coming from England on the Corsican.

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THREE MEN ARRIVE;

OTHERS ON THE WAY

Party of Veterans To Reach City Tonight.

The following men arrived on the R.M.S. Corsician at St. John, N. B.: Sapper Clark, Exeter: Sapper Culver, Stratford; Cdrp. Fred. Eraser, Clinton; Sapper Hall, Corinth; Ont.: Corp. Jackson, London, Ont.: Sapper Reseam, Thamesville, Ont.: Corp. Rock, Guelph, Ont.: Sapper Spahr, Goderich, Ont.: Corp. Szadokierski, Chicago, Ill.: Sapper Szczopinski, South Chicago, Ill.: Sapper Tremblay, Wallaceburg, Ont.: Sapper Wabon, Toledo, Ohio; Sergt. Weeks, Chelsea, Mass.

SEEK SAFETY

THE WAR HAS TAUGHT US

to save and to serve. Don't waste food or fuel. When you eat wheat be sure it is the whole wheat. It is all Food

Shredded Wheat

is the whole wheat nothing wasted, nothing thrown away. Ready cook ed, ready-to-eat. Saves fuel, saves food, saves health. For any meal with milk or cream or fruits.

BALLANTYNE HAS GRIPPE

New Layer Table Raisins

CRISP CELERY.

MIXED NUTS.
Almonds, Filberts and English

A pound, 35c.

PRESERVED APRICOTS.

BANQUET COFFEE.

Wyckoff & Gafeny

Dundas Street at Ridout.

Canada Food Board License No. 8-5992.

Fresh, ripe Camber heavy syrup. Two sr 25c and 45c.

Ballroom Footwear



Watching the Sad Old Year Out and the Glad New Year In.

Will be a gala occasion this New Year's of all New Years

Dress up for the occasion Boots and Evening Slipper are most essential.

New Satins, in white and black, are here along with New Kid Pumps of the latest type.

Ask to see the New Patent Low Cut—it's a beauty.



TO DISCUSS LEAGUE OF NATIONS TOMORROW

Press Advertising Sold Victory Bonds

EFORE the war, bond buyers were "marked men." In number they were 40,000 in March, 1917—this is shown by the chasers of the Government War Loan of that date. But in the autumn of the same year, their number increased twenty times—to 820,000! This was the number purchasing the Victory Loan, 1917. Last month-November, 1918-over 1,000,000 persons purchased the Victory Loan, 19181

These wonderful results were accomplished by Press Advertising.

Before the war one-half of one per cent of our people bought bonds. Now quite twelve and one-half per cent of our people are bond buyers!

Before the stupendous amount of \$676,000,000 worth of bonds could be sold to our Canadian people in three weeks a most thorough and exhaustive campaign of education was necessary, and this campaign was carried through by advertising in the public press. The power of the printed word never had a more convincing demonstration.

By means of the printed word, through the medium of advertisements in the press of our country, the Canadian people were made to know what bonds are, the nature of their security, their attractiveness as an investment, and why the Government had to sell bonds.

Every point and feature of Victory Bonds was illustrated and described before and during the campaignin advertisements. No argument was

overlooked. No selling point was neglected.

The result is that Canadians today are a nation of bondholders.

They know what a convenient, safe and profitable form of investment bonds are. Instead of one man in two hundred owning bonds, now one Canadian in eight-men, women and children-owns a Government

This complete transformation in the national mind and habits was brought about by advertising in the press of the nation. Press advertising has justified itself as the surest and speediest method by which a man's reason can be influenced and directed.

The Minister of Finance acknowledges this. His own words arg:

"The wonderful success of the Loan was due in large measure to their (the press of Canada) splendid and untiring efforts dur-

ing the whole of the Campaign." Mr. E. R. Wood, Chairman of the Dominion Executive Committee having

oversight of the campaign to raise Victory Loan, 1918, said " . . . The press publicity campaign . . . will rank as one of the most remarkable and efficient publicity campaigns ever undertaken in any country," and Mr. J. H. Gundy, Vice-Chairman of the same committee, said: "I have been selling bonds for a long time, but I never found it so easy to sell them as at this time. The reason is the splendid work the press has done. I take off my hat to the press of Canada."

The success of Victory Loan, 1918, and the knowledge which Canadians now possess of bonds are a straight challenge to the man who doubts the power of the printed word, in the form of advertisements, to sell goods—and this applies not to bonds alone, but to the goods you are interested in selling.

After Christmas Specials

next few months are James Doane

INFUENZA SITUATION .- The in-

150 CUT GLASS SUGAR and CREAM SETS

Arrived Christmas eve. Worth regularly \$2.50. While they last

SILVERWARE AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES Toboggans, 3 feet to 8 feet .. \$2.00 to \$8.00



Keeps your auto radi ator from freezing. One the season.

package sufficient for

Johnson's "Freezeproof"

1 gallon cans\$1.70 can Mahogany Smoking Stands\$1.69 each 3 gallon cans\$5.10 can

Cowan's Colossal Hardware

125-127 DUNDAS STREET.

PHONES 3461-3463.

INTERCEPTOR SEWER AT THAMES STREET

Pumps will be installed there to raise the sewage to the level of the King street sewer through which the sewage will be carried to the sewer farm at the In addition to this the sewage now

MANY INQUIRING ABOUT VOLUNTARY ENLISTMENT

Voluntary enlistment is again permissible according to a report received FOR NEW FACTORY

In addition to this the sewage now emptying if the river from six outfalls between dout and King streets will be taken to of by the interceptor. There is a probability that the sewer emptying into the river at Dundas street may also be connected with the new plant.

This will be one of the first works under the direction of the city engineer during the coming year. Work streets, which is intended to take care of the sewage from the new Pennan factory being erected on Thames street. by Major W. H. Irwin, officer in charge

FOUR GENERATIONS MEET TO CELEBRATE 89TH BIRTHDAY OF URIAH GETTY OF CARADOC

Has Read The Advertiser Sinc e First Issue, and Was Can-

vasser, Securing 27 Subscriptions For That

Edition—Born in London.

Uriah Getty, of lot 16, concession 6, Caradoc Township, who today celebrates his 89th birthday, has been a reader of The Advertiser since the first issue of this paper. While he does not give all the credit for his long life to this fact, he says that it no doubt has been one of the contributory causes.

Horn in London on Ridout street, near the court house, on December 27, 1829, Mr. Getty moved to Caradoc in his early life. There he has lived a life of usefulness to his country. For many years he served on the council there, and sefulness to his country. For many years he served on the council there, and for 30 years he performed the arduous duties of assessor for Caradoc to the

While Mr. Getty has long ago passed the allotted span of life he is still



daughter; Baby Wilbert McLeish, Mrs. Donald McLeish, daughter of Mrs.

Another instance of his early life to which he refers with pride is that he ras one of the first canvassers for The London Advertiser, having secured 27 subscriptions for the first issue of this paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Getty braved the hardships that were common to life in the fourth generation.

Mrs. Stephen Loomis of Parkhill, a daughter; Mrs. Donald McLeish, also of Parkhill, daughter of Mrs. Loomis, and Wilburt McLeish, the little son of Mrs. McLeish, and great-grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Getty, are the members of the family who appear in the photo with Mr. and Mrs. Getty.

London in 1842. Mrs. Getty was born September 24, 1835, at Christina, in

LT. RUPERT CROUCH **ARRIVES HOME WITH**

oital this morning from pneumonia, wing an attack of Spanish influenza, is survived by her husband and e children, two sons, Robert and lam, and one daughter, Thelma, The ly formerly lived at Wheatley, Ont. he body was shipped to Wheatley for interment in Wheatley Cemeon Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mr. Rutherford will conduct the lees. DEATH OF MISS HODGINS. era M. Hodgins died on Trusday af oon in Victoria Hospital from Span

s. Interment will be made in Mount

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

DEATH OF MRS. DUNDAS.

FUNERAL OF MRS. McFARLANE. The funeral of Mrs. C. E. McFarlane was held on Tuesday afternoon from the family residence in Delaware at 2:30 o'dlock. Rev. Mr. Crawford of Wilton Grove conducted the services. Interment was made in Southwold Cemetery. The pallbearers were: M. McFarlane, J. McFarlane, M. Leach, Peter Love, C. Parsons and George Mawberry.

The body of Hugh Sloane, a former ondoner, who died in Wardsville on

DEATH OF MRS. FLANNIGAN.

DEATH OF JOSEPH BARRY.
loseph Barry, aged 80 years died in
Axed People's Home on Christmas
Well known in that vicinity and
bund Lucan. The body will be shipped

BEFORE COURT MARTIAL

Three members of the Western Ontario Regiment, Pites, J. A. McIntosh, G. Drulard and G. A. Schneider will appear for trial by district court-martial at Wolseley Euraceks tomorrow. The charge against McIntosh is one of desertion. Drulard is charged with attempted desertion, and Schneider with stealing money from a comrade. Lieut-Col. H. L. Milligan, D. S. O., is the president of the court which will try the men.

TRY TO BRING HARMONY

Efforts at Reconciliation. Havana, Thursday, Dec. 26 .- Leaders

The departure of the draft of fourteen men warned to leave London yesterday for British Columbia to reinforce the Canadian Siberian Expeditionary Force was postponed until 1:30 p.m. today, and this morning the orders were again dancelled. It is expected now that the men will leave via the C. P. R. tomorrow but at present the hour of their departure has not been fixed.

quickly as possible their conflicting interests.

As a result of the exchange of views, it is declared, messages are to be sent immediately to Former President Jose Miguel Gomez, and Crestes Ferrara, former speaker of the House of Representatives, both of whom are now in the United States, asking them to return at once to this country to form that part of the committee to be named by the Libbert and the country to form the part of the exchange of views, it is declared, messages are to be sent immediately to Former President Jose William (Somez, and Crestes Ferrara, former speaker of the House of Representatives, both of whom are now in the United States, asking them to return at once to this country to form that part of the exchange of views, it is declared, messages are to be sent immediately to Former President Jose William (Somez, and Crestes Ferrara, former speaker of the House of Representatives, both of whom are now in the United States, asking them to return at once to this country to form that part of the exchange of views, it is declared, messages are to be sent immediately to Former President Jose William (Somez, and Crestes Ferrara, former speaker of the House of Representatives, both of whom are now in the House of Representatives, both of whom are now in the House of Representatives, both of whom are now in the House of Representatives, both of whom are now in the House of Representatives, both of whom are now in the House of Representatives, both of whom are now in the House of Representatives, both of whom are now in the House of Representatives, both of whom are now in the House of Representatives, both of the exchange of the Hous

TRAFFIC DECREASES

mount of Shipping Passe Through Soo Canal.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 26. marked decrease in the movement of freight traffic through the canals here shown in the reports of the United

Write the Words for a Song

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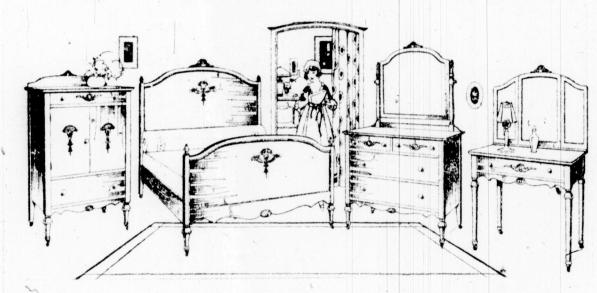
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There is with such furniture as this a keen satisfaction of knowing that it is a once-for-always purchase. For not only does the present beauty recommend this suite. It is built of woods of strength and wearing qualities that make the beauty

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Period "Adaptation." Too much furniture, nowadays, has the design glossed over with the phrase "period furniture." In this bedroom suite you have the true William and Mary theme-the very same design that charmed the royal folk of England in 1700. The same quaint curves that characterized the first furniture of this

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Specials at Chapman's

Ladies' Ready-To-Wear

LADIES' ALL-WOOL WINTER COATS-It is not often one finds coats such as these. made in very interesting styles of wool velour, cheviots and beaver cloths, trimmed with

buttons, buckles and plush and fur fabrics, a full range of sizes. Selling from

CHILDREN'S COATS in tweeds, chinchillas, blanket cloths and velours, a splendid range

of sizes from 4 to 14 years, all reduced for quick selling. From\$4.75 to \$14.75

DRESSES OF YOUTHFUL INDIVIDUALITY in a splended range of serges, satins, poplins

TWEED SKIRTS, smartly made, with pockets and gathered back. Special at \$4.75

ALL WOOL UNDERSKIRTS, FLEECE-LINED UNDERSKIRTS with jersey top, GREY UNION UNDERSKIRTS. To clear Friday and Saturday at \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50

SWEATER COATS

LADIES' HEAVY WOOL COATS, in Paddy green, trimmed with white, Copenhagen

blue trimmed with white, corn trimmed with black, old rose and white, pink and white,

MISSES' PULLOVERS, in corn, old rose, green, peach, taupe, purple and white. At \$5.98

BOYS' SWEATERS, in pullover and coat styles, in red, navy, cardinal and black. From

TWO SPECIALS IN LADIES' KIMONOS

LADIES' PRETTY KIMONOS, in artistic Jap floral patterns, in rose, copen, grey and

LADIES' HEAVY EIDERDOWN BATH ROBE KIMONOS, in rose, copen, grey, with

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sleeves and high neck, or short sleeves and INGS, in black and red only, sizes 7 to 10.

LADIES' GREY RIBBED DRAWERS, splendid school stocking, sizes 6 to 10. At ankle length, a splendid weight. At ... 79c | 60c and 65c per pair

Ladies' Hose

LADIES' BLACK CASHMERE HOSE.

double heel, toe and sole, two-inch hem, sizes

CHILDREN'S ALL-WOOL OVERSTOCK

At \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25 and \$1.35 pair

BOYS' 1-1 RIB WEARWELL HOSE, a

Ladies' Undergarments

A very pretty assortment of Wash Silk

Camisoles, in pink and white trimmed with

LADIES' FINE RIBBED VESTS, long

low neck, with drawers to match. At, per

garment \$1.00

\$17.00 to \$45.00

And It Is a Practical Suite.

The bed and dresser are full size, and sturdy. The toilet table has a triplicate mirror top. The opening of two doors in the chifforette brings most of the clothing instantly within reach. The pieces purchased separately would certainly total forty or fifty dollars more than our special price.

HIS WIFE AND BABY

Only Intimate Friends Knew

The Ontario Furniture Co., Limited

wittey Camp, near bramshott, where he became officer in charge of physical training to the 4th Reserve Battalion, the unit to which all drafts from Western Ontario were attached on their arrival in England. He sailed for Canada on the Grampian, and states that the passage was a pleasant and uneventful one Before his enlistment, Lieut. Crouch

was a member of the staff of the local branch of the Bank of Toronto, and was well known and very popular among the younger people of London. For the present he is staying with his mother at the latter's home at 331 King street. Lieut. Bayley Back.

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Lieut. Bayley Back.

Lieut. R. C. Bayley, another London officer, was with Lieut. Crouch on the Grampian and on the train as far as Toronto, where he stayed over long enough to hand over a draft of which he was in charge. He went to England in August last with a draft of Royal Military College Cadets. Directly after his graduation from the Collegitate institute here, he went to Kingston, and after a period of training, was given a commission as an artillery officer. Later he went to Petawawa, and went overseas from there. He was expecting to go to France when the signing of the armstice deprived him of the hoped for opportunity to see actual fighting. He is expected to reach the city some time today.

The family residence, 956 Colborne street, en Thursday, from Spanish Influenza. She was the wife of Thomas F. Flannigan, who is overseas with the 185th Battalion in France. She is survived by her hisband and five small children, three of whom were taken to Victoria Hospital on Thursday, and two victoria Hospital on Thursday, and two the same disease. All the members of the family were taken ill at the same time.

[The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the underteny. The funeral services will be conducted under the direction of the Bible Students' Association.

DEATH OF JOSEPH BARRY.

Joseph Barry, aged 80 years died in the Aged People's Home on Christmas Day. He was a native of Biddulph, and

TROOPS ON WAY TO CITY FROM HALIFAX

Two Trains Have Left—More Men on Tunisian.

DEPARTURE OF DRAFT

HAS BEEN POSTPONED

THREE WILL APPEAR

CUBAN LEADERS WILL

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OTTAWA, Dee, \$6.—Parliament will be called, it is expected, for the second week of February, Although the cabinet has not yet decided on a definite day for the epening, arrangements are being made with the middle of February in view.

It was at first expected that the second week of January, Such a course was, however, found to be impracticable.

For the last few weeks there have been frequent daily sittings of the cabinet council, with preparatory work under consideration.

Illugate restrictions on inter-provincial trade in beer and light wines. Hon. N.

We Rowell, president of the privy council, stated tonight that in order to do this it would be necessary to cancel a portion of the order-in-council dealing with the manufacture and sale of such liquors, and no action in this direction had been taken.

L. T CABLE RESTRICTION.

OTTA A. Dec. 26.—It is announced by the calle censorship that on and after January 1, 1919, the prohibition of the use of abbreviated telegraphic

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No Action Taken To Change Order-in-Council, Says Rowell.

OTTAWA, Dec. 26 .- There is abso lutely no truth in the rumor that the Federal Government intends cancelling the restrictions on inter-provincial

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agencies working independently in the interests of public health in this city ack of systematized co-operation between these, and the consequent overapping and waste of time and service inevitable under such circumstances. The rtance was emphasized of re-organization of the department of publi ealth and enlargement to co-ordinate in it these various agencies in the in ests of efficiency, and in order to eliminate unnecessary machinery. In the weeks that have intervened, plans suggested by Miss Fidlar, vita statistician of the Institute of Public Health, and Miss Friend, public health nurse, for co-ordinating these activities have been explained, the plans aireads mitted by them to the board of health. In the meantime the Local Counc Women has placed itself on record as favoring such a step, and has forwarded opies of its resolution, signed by representatives of the various affiliated solution, to the Trades and Labor Council, the Chamber of Commerce, his wor the mayor, and the chairman of the board of health. The Trades and Labor Council has shown its wide awakeness in regard to

welfare of the city by indorsing the resolution of the Local Council of Wo The question has been left over by this year's council to the council of Chamber of Commerce a week ago, and some action will be taken on the

esses himself in no uncertain terms in regard to what he terms the viticessity of re-organization, or rather as he terms it, "organization" of the

made a close study of the local situation, upon which a flood of light wa sed upon thorough knowledge, and is valuable accordingly Miss Armstrong, Editor Consumer's League Depart

ment, Advertiser: Madam Editor.—The interesting letter of December 20 issue, under the caption "Look Before You Leap, by "Graduate Nurse," is well worthy of much consid eration, and should be clipped by those interested in city nursing service. Like several other letters, it pre sumes, or infers, we have something to reorganize whereas the word organize would more aptly describe the present situation. It is true there are several nursing units operating under different names, some voluntary, some partly commercial, some receiving grants from the city, some paid by the board of education, some paid by the board of health, and there may be others, all specializing more or less, and working independent of each other. These various interests with the school teachers, medical students and others, and the assistance of the Red Cross were marshaled into some semblance of temporary order by, and under Mrs. J. B. Me Killop during the epidemic. The Health Institute (Provincial Government) was the base of operations. The statistician (Miss Fidlar) and the public health nurse (Miss Friend) formed the pivotal point round which revolved some fifty-five nurses, a small army of women cooks, under Miss MacPherson and Miss Craig, and the mass of detail incidental to a city in dire distress, ten ! square miles in area and approaching sixty thousand inhabitants. The men did their part and did not get in the way more than usual, and the work went on to a successful conclusion. The average citizen has no idea of the magnitude of the work done, or the social conditions rerealed in some of the homes. Then there are also the kindred subjects of relief and charity, and of these. nurses have really authentic and intimate knowledge, and these are dealt with by still other organizations. The whole considered in the mass seems somewhat bewildering, yet all this essential work, vital to a growing city, can be readily organized without interfering unduly with the various units, or their work. A central office and competent direction will add to the efficiency of each, and overlapping and much wasted energy will be eliminated, without necessarily adding to the present number or expense. The board of health is practically committed to the idea of a central office, and it seems to me that if the women of the city can manage these things in such an efficient way at a moment's notice and during such a crisis, they may safely be trusted to develop and work out the details, and bring the whole into coherence and logical order. By divine dispensa-

hope of yours faithfully, E. H. RUSSELL. The "One Woman" Hen Ranch

tion it is enacted that women shall not only produce the race, but also preserve it. This is surely the funda-

mental basis of all, and nothing is more important. That

the new year, and with it the new board of health, shall

see this vital necessity put into operation is the earnest

Sask., this week contributes further interesting information in regard to making poultry pay in a climate where, in the severest weather, the thermometer cometimes drops to fifty and sixty below zero. A good deal of her advice approximately plies to poultry-raising in any clamate, and consequently is not only interesting but valuable to Western Ontario readers. She says:

"It's DOGGED that does it," as Anthony Trollope says in his 'Last Chronicle of Barset." I am sure poultry-raising is a business that with patience and

perseverance combined, success is sure to come.
"I have no helper, and that is why I call my hen-ranch, in fun, the 'One "I should like to know if any reader can give me a tip in regard to turning hen manure and white feathers into cash."

Telling of the constant care of the early Rock in the spring, necessitated by the cold and wet, Miss Plummer states that after the birds are hatched, she in a brooder. "One can generally be sure of the birds being warm and cosy three on cold nights," she says. nuing, she tells of her discovery in regard to treating her birds to lice

"Last winter I was shown a very novel way of lice-powdering. I tried to powder the birds with a powder gun, also holding the birds by the legs and owdering under the wings, etc., as shown in all the poultry books, but I found got more powder in my eyes than the fowls got under their feather, my sight was hurt and eyes sore for a week. The new way is to nail the end of an old bed-tick up in the chicken house. One person holds the bird, and the tick open, while another lightly powders the bird, then drops it gently into the tick. By the time the bed-tick is half full of fluttering birds, you find they are lusting themselves, and the lice powder is quite a good distance from your eyes When you find the birds cease moving about take them out and put another

bunch in, and so on. "Some people are experimenting this winter with dug-out chicken houses There is one near the C. P. R. station at Saskatoon. I examined it the other day. Next spring I hope to interview the owner and see if it paid (the digging out), in winter eggs. The hens scratch all day about three feet below the ground. The scratching part of the house is kept light by a storm window arranged lengthwise at a certain angle, so that the light falls below. I am afraid when the heavy falls of snow come this window will get blocked up; also when the thaw comes the wet will get inside the house.

"Soon after my winter when I had such a good return of winter eggs "Soon after my winter when I had such a good return of winter eggs (mentioned some weeks ago), evil days of bad luck came upon me, and then came the war. This made feed go up and up, and I had shot at me by my friends and neighbors this kind of shrapnel: 'You'll never make fowls pay with feed at this price. 'Fancy a dollar a bushel for wheat to feed fowls!' I don't see how you can begin to make fowls pay when you have to buy everything. Of course on a form, it is different, and so Of course, on a farm, it is different, and so on.
"These remarks only made me feel more stubborn and determined to try

and show, although not on a farm, there was some way of making fowls pay. To save on the hard grain feeds last spring, I shut off one of the yards and planted a chicken pasture with rape, oats and winter rye, and this was a great success. The birds simply lived in it, as soon the grain was high enough up for them, to be let into the yard.

"It was a novel idea here, and many stared at me, when I explained what

I was planting. My idea was 'Farmers have cattle and hog pastures, why

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MUNICH, Tuesday, Dec. 24.—(By the Associated Press.)—The Munich Post today prints a startling charge that

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654087 Sergt. G. W. Schaefer EXPLOSION IN FRENCH MINE.

he attacks of germs, particularly that f pneumonia. "Influenza germs attack and devous he red corpuscles in the blood," said is. "This leaves only the white corpuscles, and a condition closely allied o pernicious anaemia. This condition veakens the system to such a degree that it is really dangerous."

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THE LONDON ADVERTISER COMPANY, LIMITED.

London, Ont., Friday, Dec. 27. MORE NAVAL PROPOSALS.

HE ADMIRALTY proposal assented to by Prefnier Borden, that Sir John Jellicoe of an empire naval policy, brings home once again the sanity and soundness of the Liberal naval policy. Learning that the premier had east aside all "contribution" theories and declared unthinkable. himself for a Canadian navy, the Conservative press gets into line and declares that it knew all along Canada must have an armada of its own to protect its thousands of miles of coast day in old London at a gathering of the line, but secures past conduct by pleading that line, but cuses past conduct by pleading that the whole matter was made a political football.

There has been no navai demonstration presented since war began that did not strengthen the claims made for the Liberal naval program those which declared for a Canadian-built, Canedian-manned, Canadian-maintained navy. But Quebec, the Liberal party would never have been recalled to be made chief of staff. overthrown.

a program of naval construction on the mere very words to his friend, "See what has come est intimation of his design, will form a battle- looked for some sympathy, some word of broground over which more political strife will be therly affection, even this giant of military waged. We all realize the wonderful work of the leaders. And best of all, he got it. The simple British navy, the extent of which is being re- advice of his old fighting comrade, to go home. realed to us as the curtain of secrecy is with to say nothing, to trust that the scales would drawn. But does the end of the war and a declar. fall from the eyes of those who had misjudged atton of what may be looked forward to as ever-thim, may have been the key to Allied victory. lasting peace, impose upon the people of Canada Had Foch raised his voice angrily, or appeared the necessity of constructing a navy? We do before France a disgruntled man, perhaps the rot wish to be a helpless victim of warlike na- result would have been different. Had he paraded tions of the future, but the hope of the Domin- his disappointment, instead of showing the Sparion will be dimmed if, after the peace conference tan spirit in defeat he might never have been has ended, the world has not been made safe for called to supreme leadership. But, whatever he the future. There are those who, in their extreme would have done himself, he appealed to his admiration for the pomp of military and naval friend and he found a friend in need. The plainpower, will begin to see an Asiatic menace for est, act or word may shape the destiny of the which we must prepare. Many would have us believe that the Japs are the Huns of the far east, has been written of two great men of France and that sooner or later the yellow hordes will than that which concerns the one who became make a bid for empire. The possibility of treach- premier and the one who came out from dismisery will never be overlooked, but at the same sal to the kingship of democracy time, could any eastern nation or group of nations, themselves no doubt members of the new league of nations, for a century to come, look Is that a signal for the rest of us? upon the fate of Germany without reading the lesson?

A Canadian navy may be regarded by as a necessity at this time, but the people of Can- finest ada must be heard before any extensive program is set down. The presumption of the premier in committing the country to any naval undertakings without the consent of Parliament is of a piece with his other actions in the prodigal use of order-in-council, whereby the legislative function of the House of Commons was almost completely nullified.

THE RUSSIAN CAMPAIGN.

status of the Allied nations regarding Rus- over. sia. The United States has issued an order that no more troops are to be sent to Vladivos-American Government had exceeded the number ly local production, be regulated under the latof men apportioned to it in the policing of the est order-in-council? country and the frustrating of Bolsheviki designs. The Japs have taken advantage of the American breach of agreement, which Washington says was simply a blunder, and have refused to be bound by the declaration which specified the number of troops each nation was to send.

In Britain the Allies are being called upon to make a statement of purpose, and throughout Canada various organizations and journals are calling upon the Government to withdraw all Canadian troops from Siberia. The Toronto Star length and breadth of the land since we entered the world says we should not send an army to Russia until tion; if it is wicked, except as a part of warfare, to destroy make have more information, and averages a fear an autocracy in Russia.

tional police, the Allies are to prevent the murder into a Government transport. Why don't we sink her and of individuals in Russia, and a realliance of the the Leviathan, formerly the German Vaterland, and all enine-Trotzky gang with the Germans, troops will be necessary. But the nations have little be just as much sense in so doing as there is pirit for the task, and the individual soldier annot be inspired to the task of saving a people form of stable government in Russia.

MORE HUN IMPUDENCE.

THAT WITH merry-making at Berlin, triumphal home-coming for Prussian Guards and the launching of a new army organzation by the Hun, sometimes we are inclined to

Now comes the editor of the powerful Berlin propriate ageblatt with a boastful proclamation in which impudently threatens the Allies with trouble they do not fall in with Germany's "deands." He brags "our front was unbroken," ad that Germany has not been humbled to the oint of powerlessness. Also he "demands" that peace terms shall be "negotiated, not dicited," and that Alsace-Lorraine's fate shall deon a vote of the people. This is high and ighty talk from a leader of a nation armies have just been booted out

it at the signing of the armistice.

The choicest bit of impudence of the whole brazen statement is the reference to "Allies" brutal might." Nothing could be more decent or humane than the behavior of Allied soldiers in the Rhinelands. German methods would have made of Cologne, Coblenz, and other places more or less of a shambles. Possibly the Tageblatt, peeved at the humiliator, and humiliated. is merely working off its distress after the popular Prussian method of bluster. On the other hand it is worth noting that this belligerent attitude fits in with the establishment by Hindenburg of another of his "lines" fronting the most advanced positions of the Allies.

Whese things might cause the Allied world? some disquietude were it not aware that the capable Foch is on the job. Anything they can "put over" on the little generalissimo they are entitled to. If the Tageblatt and the other junker influences really believe that the peace conference is to be one of negotiation rather than dictation they are due for a rude awakening. The Allies do not consider that Germany has a case, therefore, there can be no negotiations, no compromise. no give-and-take. When the Allies have decided should visit Canada, among other over- upon the method and the measure of the punishseas dominions, with a view to the establishment ment Germany will be called in for sentence. German "demands" as to Alsace-Lorraine or any other subject which the conference shall pass will be disregarded. Any other course is

A LITTLE STORY OF FOCH.

French colony, he said:

We have seen each other in the worst days, and in the finest. I saw Marshal Foch one day when, suddenly and without any reason, he had been hanked and placed on the unemployed list. It was and said: 'See what has come to me.

Clemenceau advised him to go home, to say for the falsity of the other party's attitude at nothing, to utter no recriminations, and that bethat time, when it linked itself with Bourassa fore many weeks had passed he would be wanted. and strengthened that conspirator's hold upon And it was only a few weeks before Foch was

How keenly the old chief must have felt the Apart from past considerations, however, the stab, who lived to master the situation and to immediate prospect of this country plunging into bring peace by victory, is plainly evident. His word of its prime minister and without the slight. to me," spoke of deep and crushing despair. He

EDITORIAL NOTES

The fuel controller says his worries are over.

'Safe and sane' was the compliment Lon-

When the boys come home it's a pity if they cannot have ample food and blankets when travelling on Government-owned railways!

Sensations like paper bag cookery, how to burn ashes and Friedmann's alleged tuberculosis cure will soon come back to old news values.

The proposal to sink the German ships is just about as sane as would be a proposal to sink FEELING of uneasiness prevails as to the German locomotives and ears which were taken

Chatham has tackled the price of milk. But suys. Marie's cheeks got red and she tap ok, following an accusation from Japan that the ean any other commodities except those of strict-

> It is stated that some 100,000 Canadian soldiers overseas have signified their willingness, through the medium of questionnaires, to go on the land. But the Government should remember that the boys just now will feel like having their

WHY THE WASTE

we have more information, and expresses a fear any property which can be applied profitably to the uses of mankind, then the proposed destruction of the captured German warshing is a grave mistake German warships is a grave mistake.
President Wilson went to France on the steamship

It becomes a vast problem. If, as internaGeorge Washington, a German merchantman which was selzed by the United States in American waters and turned the other German vessels which we have thus appropriated our own use by virtue of the war power? There would the German warships that were surrendered to Admira Beatty in order to afford "material support to Presiden from themselves. Sooner or later, the very first gression or the acquisition of property.

At the worst, there must be hundreds of thousands of

dollars worth of material worth saving in the German fleet. Why cannot this be turned into he relief of innocent sufferers in the war?

A GERMAN MADAME SANS GENE

[New York Herald.] From Amsterdam comes the announcement that the German Bolsheviki, who control the Duchy of Brunswick. have appointed a wash-woman as minister of education, recalling Napoleon's creation of the Duchess of Dantzie, think that President Wilson's "peace without so delightfully portrayed in Sardou's comedy of "Madame sans Gene." The fact that there is a lot of dirty linen to be washed in Brunswick makes the appointment

AFTER CROSSING THE BAR

That's how we do things in the army," said Tommy pointing to a news heading which bore the words: "Five Hundred Germans Drowned in Coampagne." Got nothing to beat that in the navy, I'll bet." "Five Hammond didn't have a chance in a othing thousand, especially in this storm. He "Oh, haven't we?" retorted his sailor friend. "My iad, that's nothing to get excited about—nothing at all. In that last little affair along the Belgian coast we sank three German submarines in port!"

MORE THAN SUSPECTED.

[Kingston Whig.] invaded territory, whose fleets lie in British Henry Ford, "are the ones who are trying to get away with probes, and a large section of whose territory is supied by Allied armies. Perhaps Foch may yet many entitled to."

have to resume that trouncing where he dropped MR. HENRY PECK - - By Fonlaine Fox

THE LONDON ADVERTISER, LONDON, ONTARIO, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1918.



Poor old Henry Peck had to tramp all over the village Sunday morning laying newspapers.

didn't get lost and wander int

Marie carried her back to bed.
"You must go to sleep. Santa never admonished.
On him.

that night the villagers were

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SANTA'S RED GUIDE. By R. Ray Baker.

ne door of the dwelling part of the thouse opened, and a young man, sed in a fur coat, came out, placing up, also of fur, on his head. He 'Merry Christmas," said the fur-clad e. grinning, as he passed on to the

emerged. 'Seems he's getting in a nurry about it. Christmas don't come There was nothing about the sailor to

ago, because a large share of Lake Michigan had an icy blanket, and Harry

"Hello, Emeline," he said, and he too Santa and what she expected the old centleman from the north to bring her.
"Big doll's what I want," she told him, trying to spoil the part in his lair, and failing because there was not any there to begin with. "Pat's all—" ust big doll." er dark-eyed girl of nineteen, wiping

had kept his thoughts to himself, for girl flared up.
'Yes," she said, with a tinge of de

'Wouldn't do much good if I did," he "You an' he's gettin' prett

"Looka here, Harry Hammond," she

his arms. He kissed the child on the forehead, then put her back on the floor and went out, remarking to him-

the older girl and listened to the how

orother Frank, who was Emel lather, and he was at Sloan City would not attempt the trip in

Frank was the lightkeepe

About 5 o'clock, through the storm,
Marle heard an automobile horn and
presently came a knock on the door.
Ben Clark, blanketed with snow, stood there when she opened it.
"I can't stay," he said, "or I won' "I can't stay," he said, "or I won't be able to drive back, because the road is drifting badly. I came because I heard some news you'll be interested in. Harry Hammond went out on the ice this morning with his dog team, and up at the village a fisherman just came in with the news that the ice had cracked and part of it went out.

thousand, especially in this storm. He surely must have drowned." Marie started back, horror in her "Harry drowned!" she cried. "It doesn't seem possible. Are you sure? Can't you do something? Take me out on the ice in your car. Perhaps he's

freezing. The ice must be firm for a long ways out."

"What?" exclaimed Ben. "Go out there in this howling blizzard? The ice might hold us up for a long ways, but I'd with the control of the control of

to the fire, watched it turn to ashes and went back to her light.

For hours she remained at the post, watching and waiting, all but hopeless. Midnight found her asleep in a chair close by the light, exhausted by her "Then let me sell you a cyclopedia for long vigil."

long vigil.

A scream from below made her wide tawake. She stumbled down the stairs and groped her way to Emeline's room. To her surprise a lamp was burning and there was Emeline seated on the bed, bouncing a doll, fully as large as herself, on her knee.

"Santa tame?" cried the little girl. and now Marie realized that it had been a scream of joy that awakened ther.

When Pat asked Biddy for a kiss.

'Santa tame!" repeated the tot. "I found this right on my bed."

Unable to understand, Marie went out into the living-room and lighted a lamp. On the lounge lay a man, his clothes crusted with ice.

She went to him and put her arms for a cound him.

around him.
"Harry," she sobbed. "They told me you were dead, that the ice cracked and let you through." The big sailor opened his eyes and The big sallor opened his eyes and yawned.

"I'm dead, all right—dead sleepy." he grinned. "The ice opened up, all right, but I was on the other side of the crack, an' by drivin' the dogs like the dickens I got over the danger place before she cracked on the other side. I got to Sloan City without trouble, an' a pail hangs over the Club. The crack of the cracked the shore. At the crack of the cracked of the other side. I got to Sloan City without trouble, an' a pail hangs over the Club. The crack of the cracked of the cracked

got to Sloan City without trouble, and comin' back I skirted the shore. At that, I'd got lost only for the ol' light."

She took one of his hands, found cold, and rubbed it vigorously.
"But why—why did you go?" she to the shore of the shor nd rubbed it vigorously.

why—why did you go?" she zard of Brighton, O., has advertised his He tried to stifle another yawn, but farm for sale and is going to move

did no succeed.
"Well, Emeline was lookin' for Santa,
and I couldn't let her be disappointed,"
he answered.

startled to see a red bar of light A lie can travel fast, that's so, shoot from Clayton Point. It was the irrst time in history that the light, which had guided many a ship through summer gales, had shone forth into a But in the long run Truth will win

Up in the light tower grood Marie looking through the great glass wall, striving to pierce the darkness and storm with eyes that were red from wacaning. weeping.
"There's not much hope," she mused, Gabb. "And what do you tell her to

but there's just a chance he's still do that she obeys you so nicely?"
live, and the old light might help "I tell her to do as she please She thought Emeline was sleeping, plied Mr. Younghubby.

The little girl, clad in her nightlothes, presently appeared at the head

No Joke.

narrow, winding stairs and "You'll find a man is vain." Lookin' for Santa? When'll he "I know he is," said Ned; "For if you pat him on the bac

on her way back to the tower she noticed that the blaze in the fireplace was dying, so she placed a fresh stick of word on the flame. As she did so her eyes caught a picture on the table. Smiling somewhat grimly she added it to a ranch and tried to get the old man

She gave him this answer so neat: "Sure, Pat, 'tis something I'd hardly But I'm conserving on all things

sweet.

Names Is Names. Will Hatch is selling incubators fr Pembroke, Maine.

ness in Urbana, Ohio. One is Dr. Bible and the other is Dr. Butcher. We ex- guised,

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she is indignating about the High of Living.

they may make it an even dozer

more sense than some other dead you know of.

It is a lucky man who draws a wife who looks better in a bungalow aprov than she does in a Tango gown.

You may have noticed that the me who uses his ingers as a backst when he is loading food onto a kni

ever needs any tonic for his appet

Maybe there wouldn't be so maily orces if the average girl could m

pancakes as well as she can mak

Maybe you have noticed it yourself But, on the level, isn't it hard to get chummy with a man who wears long whiskers?

by exploring her husband's poo

consola- guised, they are so doggone consola- guised that they look like trop

Luke McLuke Says.

And maybe there wouldn't be so many divorces if a girl could learn to cook the way she can learn to dance.

Maybe if a women had a sense of

Maybe they make explosives out of peanuts. Anyway, during the war peanuts became so scarce that you got releast eleven of them in a sack for nickel, and now that the war is over they may make they

WHAT GERMANY MUST PAY

Germany has had her war-dance and must now pay the piper. In 1871 Germany made France pay the full price of defeat. If she had won the present war, to use the words of a German businessman, "she would have dictated peace at Buckingham Palace and annexed the entire continent from the Ural Mountains to the Bay of Biscay." There is no indication that the Allies will dictate any such robber's peace, but they are determined, to judge from the pledges of Allied rulers, the emphatic declarations of the Allied press, and the stern comment of the man on the street in London, and Paris, and Antwerp, and Chicago, to make Germany pay for the wreck and the ruin she brought upon the world.

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HAPPY GIGGLES HELPS BOBBY. Bobby looked up and down the road. here wasn't a soul in sight, for all he other boys had gone off to the hill



the former teseiner's resignation to be because smell in comparison with the street of the street of

Secrets of Health and Happiness

How Tonsils Become Nest of Germs and Menace Well-Being

> By DR. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG. A. B., M. A., M. D., (Jo has Hopkins University.)



Richard in Almanac, and discovered that some of the same matter that was in the tonsils was also In 1990, twenty-three years later, two acteriologists, Drs. Poynton and Pain, and that the bacteria in inflamed bints reached there from the tonsits Answers to Health Questions

WM. B. Q.-Kindly advise what to Markiev neously, the ears, the nose, and the accessory, "sinuses" bran biscuit, oatmeal and vigorous deturbed by he additional lives in the additional lives in the agents which produces a little of the following line agents which produces agents which produces a little of the following line agents which produces are agents which produces a little of the following line agents which produces are agents which produces a little agents which produces a little agent little agents which produces are agents which produces a little agent little agents which produces are agents which produces a little agent little agen Petroleum .

MRS H. Q.-Kindly advise how to sions of crypts in them. These pockets pold bits of food and become nests and feeding grounds for germs. This helps to enlarge the tonsil and "pour forth vials of wrath" into the rest of your

head noises or deafness. As far back as 1877, Dr. Alfred Mantle, from investigations made then, held that many for readers of this paper fevers, aches, pains, rheumatisms and hygienic and sanitation sugout were traceable to the decayed and are of general interest. the material from tonsils by persons ters will be answered personall stamped and addressed envelopes suctioned out of the knee joints with a closed. Address all inquiries

MY SOLDIER HUSBAND ADELE GARRISON'S CONTINUATION OF REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

What the Advertisement Brought To Madge. 'X. Y. Z., ---. Dear Madam:"

her to be done.

e at But Bay View was the neck from Marvin, on the line

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Mr. Oscar Odall is spending the win-ter in Southern California. He is at present in Long Beach, near Los An-

Strathroy announce the engagement of their daughter, Mrs. Nettle Lanz, to Mr. Lorne J. Petch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Petch of Strathroy, the marriage will take place early in Janu

The wedding of Lida M. Goodhue to Alfred S. Wilson was solemnized at Ridout Street Methodist parsonage on Tuesday afternoon, December 24.

Following the ceremony a dainty luncheon was served at the home of Mrs. Hanson, 2 Chester street. The happy couple left for a short honeymoon.

A very pretty wedding took place on Thursday at the country residence of Mr. John Gowdy, when his younge daughter Beysley was ceremony was performed un-arch of evergreens trimmed hted candles. Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McGugan, 182

ori om-oeen Jack and Helen of Montreal are visit-had ing Mrs. H. Ashpiant, 466 King street. oming of Mr. Stockbridge.

I explained matters as well as I could, but she remained distinctly disapprovable.

Mrs. S. E. Blachford of Toronto will spend the New Year holiday with Mrs. Ashplant, King street.

> CYNTHIA GREY'S MAIL-BOX

Nice Romper Pattern. ar Miss Grey,—The season's com-ents and a short letter. For Mrs. vill object to my nom-de-plume REALLY ANXIOUS TO HELP —Greetings to yourself, Anxious Ans.—Greetings to yourself, Anxious o Help, and if you care to cut off spattern for Mrs. All Trades, I shall gladly mail it to her.

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Just now I am nursing an influenza patient. I was never intended for a nurse. I am too much afraid of negative them to be and twenty-four pounds. Am I very fait my patient and I are the only

inches high, and weigh and twenty-four pounds. Am I very LOBSTER. Ans.—Rather taller weighty than the average age.

One hundred glecting something and it worries me. Eut my patient and I are the only people on the farm at night, with kind neighbors doing the chores by day. The hired man and four of his family are all laid up with it at their home.

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So Father Beaver sald: "All right. I portions are in one piece, want each one of you to get a little may be made in wrist or bottle of perfumery, and put it safely Gingham, khaki, galatea, I in the inside pocket of your it safely." inside pocket of your fur coat, sucker and chambray are good for

Father Beaver said one winter evening, as they were all studying in their rosy living-room: "Now, children, I want you could have seen Mother Beaver and all the children scurrying around in their houses, and each getting a little bottle of perfumery.

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Why Reavers word a second for this sucker and chambray are good for this suckers. The pattern is cut in seven sizes: 34, 35, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust their houses, and each getting a little bottle of perfumery.

Now, let me whisper it in your ear that Beavers had perfumery in silver or stamps.

Name why, Beavers used perfumery even before Adam walked around in the Garden of Eden, smelling of the odors of Province

fussy about perfumes, and they think there is no fragrance in the world like misk

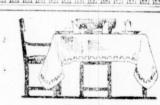
So they use musk very freely on their fur sults, in summer and winter, and they use it on their pockej-handker-chiefs, and on their bodies in their bath. The old people use it, and also the young people, and the children. And if you met a Beaver in the Great Forest you would probably say, "Why does that Dandy use so much perfumery on his handkerchief?" It was funny to see some Beaver children use so much perfumery on his handkerchief?" It was funny to see some Beaver children use so much perfumery that you would have to hold your nose! But what were they going to do now?

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London and Port

Stanley Railway

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St. Patricks, Toronto, Lead All Teams in O. H. A. Listing.

TORONTO, Dec. 26 .- The St. Patrick's TORONTO, Dec. 26.—The St. Patrick's Club of Toronto was the first to register players with the O. H. A. today. The St. Patricks were quickly followed by Dentals with their complete team. London had the distinction of being the first outside team to register players. The London registered are:

London (Intermediate)—1, Arthur Davenport: 2, H. C. Leckey; 3, Fred Kelly; 4, Hiram H. Ferguson.

London (Junior)—1, Geo. MacCallum; 2, Harold Boyle; 3, John L. Burgess; 4, Harold C. Logan.

IMPORTANT SESSION OF N. C. A. A. IN NEW YORK

College Athletic Problems To Be Discussed by Large Gathering. NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Various college athletic problems will be considered at the annual meeting of the National College Athletic Society, which begins in this city tomorrow. It will be the thirteenth convention of the N. C. A. A., and not since its inception has the association before been confronted with such momentous questions of policy.

Many members, who have favored athletic reforms in the past, hold the opinion that the present is a propitious time for a complete reconstruction in this department of student activity. NEW YORK, Dec. 26 .- Various

FAMOUS PRINCETON FOOTBALL PLAYER FALLS FROM PLANE

Capt. Hobey Baker Killed in France, Is Word Received by a Friend. NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Capt, Hobart A. H. Baker, the famous Princeton athlete, known in his college days as "Hobey" Baker, an aviator in the American army in France, has been killed in the fall of his airplane. News of his death was received here today by his friend, Percy Lane.

BLUE SHIRTS SIGN

TWO GOALKEEPERS Ottawa, Dec. 27.—At the conclusion of last night's opening game. Manager Dick Carroll of the Toronto Arena Hockey Club announced that two Ottawa gosikeepers had been secured. The pair are Lieut. Fred McCulloch, M.C., formerly of Regina and the Pacific coast, and Bert Lindsay, the local veteran. Both will be carried until a definite selection can be made.

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dvantage, but, despite reports of Carpentier's speed, it is certain he will be
at some disadvantage when pitted
against the flashy methods of Gibbons.
The bout would create much interest,
for it would establish sports relations
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Gibbons and Carpentier together the
prometers would be displaying the
bishest type of boyer from each coun-

KNABE NAMED COACH FOR CHICAGO CUBS

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May Result in Effort To Reinstate the Kaiser-Allied Membership Will Be Between ecupation of Rhine Brid geheads May Be Lengthy.

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YENCE, Dec. 26 .- Allied occupation of the Rhine bridges promises to be a very lengthy one in the opinion of General Mangin, commander of the French Tenth Army, speaking at his headquarters today.

The new constitutional form of government in Germany has also become dangerous because of the policy of rearming troops and reinstating German officers-a condition which may lead to anything-even an attempt to replace the kaiser. General Mangin commented to me lengthily on the servile attitude of the German people, who, he said, "seem even to have lost their

The French zone of occupation is the quietest, according to the general, who announced that not the slightest disturbance on the part of the population or reclamation for damage by the troops had yet occurred. Occupying a portion of the zone are the French first and second divisions from Northern France, whose homes were despoiled in the most ruthless manner by the enemy. These men have shown no spirit of reprisal or revenge, and there is not the slightest danger from them, but danger may result from the unstableness of the German Government which can lead to renewed chaos.

CANADIAN FORCE MAY BE BROUGHT BACK FROM SIBERIA IN THE SPRING VICTORIA- Dec. 26.—Two thousand men under command of Drigger and Market and State and Health and Drigger and Market and State and State and State and Market and State and State and State and Market and State and State

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MAKE A START JAN. 67
NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—A special cable to The Tribune from Paris says private sittings of peace delegates will begin January 6, nearly a fortnight earlier than previously announced. Only the four biggest powers will participate in

PARIS, Dec. 26.—The personnel PARIS, Dec. 26.—The personnel person negotiations soon actor of the new year, of the new year, a number of the main details of the position of the congress are now rely well settled as a result of rest conferences. These indicate that total membership of the congress 1 be between 100 and 120. There will 27 countries represented by delebe 27 countries represented by delegations, including those which declared war and a number which have come into existence as a result of the

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Third) .- The Medical School will be a valuable city asset, enhancing the city's prestige and property values, will raise the standard of work of local doctors and nurses and improve the condition of public health. •

Fourth).-It also makes it possible financially for the average wagecarner in London to educate his son, or daughter, to become a doctor.

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(Sixth).—This is an important step towards the realization of London's hope to make this an important university city. London will be looked upon as the centre of medical education and research, will become the meeting place of medical conventions, and be advertised throughout the world as the Alma Mater of hundreds of graduates in the years to come

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RELL APPLICATION FOR RATE INCREASE WILL BE HEARD IN JANUARY of the Bell Telephone Company to the rallway commission for an order - increase their rates will, it is understood, be heard about the second week of January. There will be hearings in Toronto and Montreal The case has been The adoption of that policy has to date been kept a profound secret. Sir Robert Borden did not condescend to take parliament into his confidence

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he endangered daily, for his work requires a clear brain, a steady and a strong constitution. The lowing statements from some of the best-known railroad engineers in the country tell how Tanlac relieved them best-known railroad engineers in the country tell how Taniac relieved them havy. Thereafter Sir Wilfrid Laurier provided to carry the policy out, and provided to carry the policy out, and the Niobe and Rainbow were purchased.

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When a railroad engineer's health that since coming to power the Borden Government has not only done is impaired, the lives of thousands may be into the lives of the lives of the lives of thousands may be into the lives of the lives of the lives of thousands may be into the lives of the lives o sease, disabled, missing and prisoners aggregate 2,800,000, according to Col Pazzarello of the Italian army, who arrived here recently on a mission for his government. He gave out figures

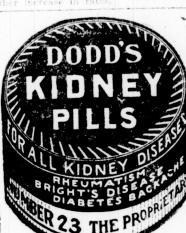
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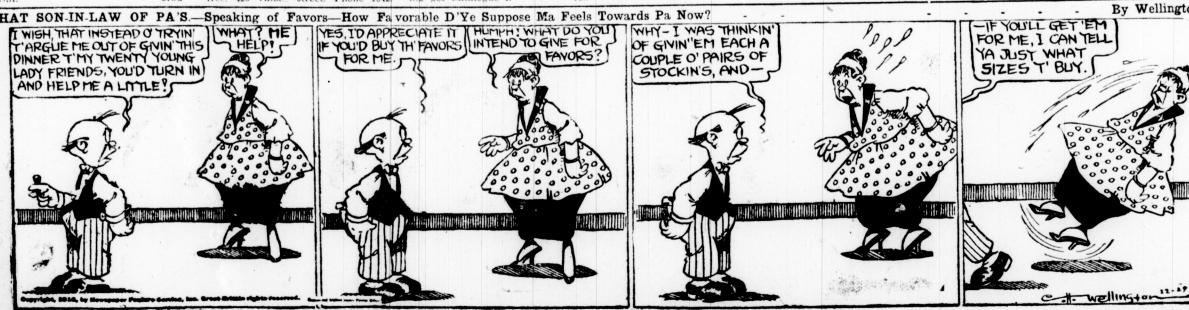
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1:30 p.m.—United States Steel and affiliated equipments rallied at midday and other shippings were lifted by the strength of United Fruit, but rails developed an uncertain tone and utilities weakened. Twin City Transit lost 3½ points, and Adams Express 4%.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Thomson & McKinnon, brokers, Royal Bank Building, report fluctuations in New York stocks for The Advertiser

New York, Dec. 27.

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TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

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TRAFFIC EARNINGS

Montreal, Dec. 26.—The only new developments in the hay trade was the fact that the Government have extended the time to the fourth of January in order to allow dealers to complete their present contracts with them. The contracts for local buyers was steady.

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Assistant Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs Ottawa, Dec. 17, 1918. D. 25,27,30 Demand deposits, however, continued to increase. At the end of the month they stood at \$666,36,359, as compared with \$644,220,998 in October. Call loans both

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Great Problem of the Balkan States Appears To Be Nearer a Solution Tha n Ever Before.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Dec. 2.-(Correspond- ance are now transpiring. The foreign ence of the Associated Press).—Bulgarian political leaders profess to be gratified by the entrance of the Entente fleet into Constantinople, and express the belief that it assures an equitable and reasonable solution of the interminable question of who shall control the straits and the Dardanelles. This problem has been a constant nightmane for most of the Balkan states.

This fear was one of the causes which led Bulgaria to take sides with the central powers in the war. Later, when Russia abandoned her exclusive claim to Constantinople, Rumania's entry into the war on the side of the Entente was facilitated.

Turks Are Overjoyed.

Political circles in Bulgaria are profoundly impressed by the rapidity with which events of far-reaching importence of the Associated Press).—Bulgar- policy pursued by the former King Fer-

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

Oats took another jump in price on today's market and are now selling at \$2.20 per cwt. The hog market will be unsettled till after the new year. Geese are plentiful, but turkeys are not expected to drop in price for New Year's mainly because nearly all the birds have been bought up by the wholesaler. Potatoes are slow. No other changes are reported.

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Butter, creamery, lb.
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Butter, crocks, lb...

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GRAIN. Chicago, Dec. 27.—Opening: Corranuary. \$1 424; May. \$1 374. Oats—January: 6842c; May. 694c.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Fresh advances in the corn market today resulted from scantiness of offerings and from the fact that receipts were even more meagre than has recently been the case. Unsettled weather that points to further restriction of the crop movement operated as a bullish factor. Opening prices, which ranged from %c to 1½c higher, were followed by continued upturns. Oats reflected the strength of corn Euying, however, was of only a scattered sort. After opening %c to ¾c higher, the market scored substantial further gains.

Winnipeg, Dec. 27.—Oats opened %c to %c higher for May, at 78% © 78% c. 1 Flax, ½c higher for May, at \$3.51½. Inspections on Thursday totaled 987 cars for all grains. The contract grades cars for all grains. The of wheat were 543 cars. CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

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[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]
Corn— Open High. Low. Close Jan. \$\$1 42½ \$1 44 \$1 42 \$1 43½ \$1 43

WERE INVESTED IN VICTORY LOAN

Deposits, However, Continue To Increase—Call Loans Also

Show Jump Up, As Do Also Demand Deposits.

indicated in bank returns for November, made available by the finance department today. At the beginning of the month savings deposits in Canadian banks

in and outside Canada show an increase. The principal figures are:

Note circulation ... 234,902,978

Notice deposits 939,329,271
Deposits outside Canada 221,299,711

Current loans in Canada 1,082,709,655

Demand deposits

Deposit general gold reserve

Current loans outside

Total liabilities

OTTAWA, Dec. 26 .- How savings deposits were invested in Victory Loan is

85,675,063

Buffalo, Dec. 27.—A temporary embargo on the receipt of hogs went into effect at the East Buffalo stockyards Buffalo, Dec. 27.—A temporary embargo on the receipt of hogs went into effect at the East Buffalo stockyards today, and will continue until Sunday night. Excessive receipts, totaling about 100,000 head for the current week, was the cause. The receipts for the period a year ago were 22,000.

Liverpool, Dec. 27.—Beef—Extra India mess, 370s.
Pork—Prime mess western, 330s. Hans—Short cut, 137s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 152s; clear ellies, 160s; long clear middles, light, 0.8; do, heavy, 159s; short clear backs, 75; shoulders, square, 128s, Lard—Prime western, in tierces 149s 6d; American refined, in pails, 152s;

do, in boxes, 150s. BUTTER AND EGGS. Chicago, Dec. 27.—Butter—Unsettled: creamery, 55@66c. Eggs—Higher; receipts, 869 cases: firsts, 62½@63c; ordinary firsts, 59@60c; at mark, cases included, 60@62c.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Potatoes—Receipts, cars; unchanged. POULTRY. fowls, 24@30c; 57rings, 29c; turkeys, 32c per lb.

Liverpool, Dec. 27.—Tallow—Austra-ian (in London), 72s. Turpentine Spirits—125s. Rosin—Common, 64s 6d. Petroleum—Refined, 1s 6%d. Linseed Oil—62s. Cottonseed Oil—68s 6d. War Kerosene—No. 2, 1s 2%d.

London, Dec. 27.—Calcutta Linseed—
Moat, £32 10s.
Linseed Oil—58s.
Sperm Oil—£54.
Petroleum—American refined, 1s 8½d;
pirits, 1s 5½d.
Turpentine Spirits—105s.
Rosin—Type G, 55s.

cent.
Discount rates—Short bills and three months, 3 17-32 per cent.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE. Montreal, Dec. 27.—Morniny sales:
Brazilian, 11 at 51 to 52¹/₄; Car, 135 at
28³/₄ to 29; do., pfd., 25 at 86¹/₄; Steamships, 86 at 49; Smelters, 20 at 25; Dominion Steel, 96 at 61 to 62; Laurentide,
540 at 192 to 198; Maple Leaf, 205 at

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Chicago.

Chicag BANK RETURNS WOULD INDICATE BE ERECTED BEFORE CLOSE OF THE YEAR

STANDARD STOCK AND MINING

THAT \$143,000,000 IN SAVINGS Mayor Refuses To Have His Government.

Welcome banners, which it was decided to erect on Richmond street for the returning men, will be erected by the first of the week. The banners at the two stations will bear the words, "Lendon Welcomes the Great Washerse."

Alderman F. E. Harley wanted to have the photo of Mayor C. R. Someriville in the centre, of the Richmond street banner, but the mayor strenuously objected. The picture of two dian Pacific railway systems will be placed one on either end of the banner. In the centre will be shown the hand of a civilitan clasped in that of a returned soldier.

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BILL TO BE CONSIDERED.

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FULL VALUE PAID FOR They have begun to ill-treat women, which is something new to Bolshevism. For instance, if they cannot find the husband or father they wish to arrest, they take the wife, mother or daughton.

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'Clean-Up' Sale In Men's Store

Interesting "cut-price" attractions in broken lines of many kinds will be featured here this week. New Year's gifts in abundance for the ones you forgot at Christmas.

Boys' and Girls' Knitted Toques, in fine wool qualities; many colors; 75e grades..........50c Big clearance of High-Grade Holiday Neckwear, in splendid Swiss silks and sateens; \$2.00 and \$2.50 grades at \$1.45

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goods. Special value \$3.75 Silk Shirts, in heavy corded and fine crepe styles; smart colors and patterns; sizes 14 to 151/2. Values today up to \$6.00, for \$3.65

EXTRA!

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38 Fine Overcoats for Saturday; every one an odd garment, all this season's; long and short styles, belted or plain models; greys, browns, greens, tans, etc. Sizes in the lot, 35 to 42.

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and colors; sizes 36 to 42. Value \$9.75, for \$7.65

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cial quality; the old reliable Lyons dye; a deep, rich shade, full 36 inches wide . . . \$1.75 Colored Habutai Silk, 36 inches, in shades of brown, navy, copen, rose, grey and black. A very satisfactory silk. Per yard \$1.35 White Habutai Silk, splendid for waists and dresses; elegant quality; washes perfeetly. Per yard 98c

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black. Pair .. \$2.50

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BOLSHEVIKI NOT CONTENT WITH SOCIALISTS MAY QUIT THE CABINET SLAUGHTERING MEN OF RUSSIA ARE NOW ILL-TREATING WOMEN

Press-Midnight) .- As a result of to- Hororrs of Anarchy in the Vol hynia District Are Described

Who Escaped.

by Prince Radziwill, a Wealthy Polish Landowner.

the returning men, will be erected by the first of the week. The banners at the two stations will bear the words, "London Welcomes the Great War Heroes."

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Annual Stocktaking

A SPECIAL OMITTED.
One of the big specials offered by the Standard Drug in their big stockreducing sale of Friday and Saturday was left out by mistake. It was Palm Olive Soap, which sells regularly for 15 cents a cake, and which is being sold on the above days at 3 cakes for 25 cents.

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\$6.50 Pants for \$3.95
\$5.50 Pants for \$2.95
\$4.50 Pants for \$2.95
\$11.25 Sweater Coats for\$6.95
\$4.25 Sweater Coats for \$2.39
\$23.50 Raincoats for : \$14.50
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\$3.00 Hats for \$2.00
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