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WILL PROPOSE TAX ON GERMAN CAPITAL TO THE CONFERENCE

French Minister Will Divulge Program During Debate on Financial Situation.

RAISE BANKS' ADVANCE

Circulation of Paper Money Has Increased by Three Billion Francs.

Paris, March 5.—The chamber of deputies today discussed the bill proposing the ratification of an agreement made by the Bank of France...

Deputy Barthélemy argued that the increased circulation of paper money was one of the principal causes for the high cost of living.

After much discussion the government bill was ratified by a show of hands, and the chamber then passed to a discussion of the pension bill.

The debate on the general financial situation will begin Friday and during the discussion M. Klotz will make known his program.

In the lobby of the chamber yesterday, M. Klotz said the debate would be most useful if he was convinced that he would strengthen his position.

"I must be sustained fully by parliament in order to propose to the peace conference a tax on German capital. How could I think of demanding heavy sacrifices from our victorious country if first I had not exacted them from the conquered?"

The senate discussed the measure adopted by the chamber of deputies with regard to a further advance from the Bank of France...

Alexandre Ribot, former premier and minister of foreign affairs, objected to the senate being asked to vote on the project without knowing what Germany would be able to pay.

NEW YORK STRIKE MAY BE SETTLED

Harbor Traffic Tied Up, But Mediator Says Good Progress Has Been Made.

New York, March 5.—Traffic in New York harbor remained virtually tied up at the end of the second day of the marine workers' strike...

Railroad administration officials met a committee representing the strikers in the office of A. J. Stone, federal manager of the Erie Railroad...

Private boat owners were not represented at the conference and they made no overtures today to their men.

Incidentally, the protest involves the issue between Italy and Jugo-Slavia. King Nicholas is the father of the queen of Italy...

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BRITISH LOSSES IN YPRES SALIENT OVER QUARTER OF MILLION MEN

Three Months and a Half Casualties in 1917, Including Canadians and Australians, Announced in Commons.

London, March 5.—In the house of commons today, replying to a question by Mr. Entwistle, Right Hon. Winston Churchill, British secretary of war, stated that the total casualties of the British, Canadian and Australian troops in the Ypres salient from July 31 to November 18, 1917...

INCREASE VOCATIONAL PAY OF WAR VETERANS

Ottawa, March 5.—An order-in-council has just been passed changing some of the regulations in force by the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment...

No additional allowances are paid by the United States government to a married man for children in excess of six.

The allowances herein shown as being those paid by the British government are the minimum paid by that country.

More time for enjoyment of home life and to enjoy the money he pays as an employee's wage. Men now getting a minimum of \$2 a day would be paid one dollar an hour.

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These regulations come into effect on the first of March, 1919.

WAR DAMAGE REPARATION LESS THAN ESTIMATED

Will, However, Run Into Billions of Dollars—Western Frontier of Germany Is Practically Settled—To Be Considered by Council Today.

Paris, March 5.—The arrival of the British prime minister, David Lloyd George, in Paris tonight is the prelude to the discussion of the main questions of the peace treaty by the council of the great powers, which will begin tomorrow.

The question to be determined tomorrow relates to the military and naval terms of the enemy disarmament as framed by Marshal Foch and the joint military and naval advisors.

The subjects of reparation for war damages and the western German frontier will follow the military and naval terms.

The western German frontier is also practically settled, one of the main features being a neutralized or "sterilized" strip along the west bank of the Rhine, which will insure an adequate buffer between France and any renewed German aggression.

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GOVERNMENT TO RELEASE THE IRISH PRISONERS

London, March 5.—The British government has decided to release all Irish political prisoners, says The Daily Mail today.

FORD TO TRY OUT THE SIX HOUR DAY

Will Experiment With Plan at Tractor Plant Sometime This Month.

Detroit, March 5.—According to a story circulated here this evening by employees of the Ford Motor Company, Henry Ford has under advisement the establishment of a six-hour working day for his thousands of working men.

As outlined the idea is to institute a program for four days a week, each of whom will work six hours straight. No stops for meals will be permitted.

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FRANCE IN QUANDARY OVER CHEAPER FOOD

Fears That Spending Specie Abroad Will Increase Cost of Exchange.

Paris, March 5.—Difficulty is being experienced in arranging for the promised abatement of the cost of living in France through the importation on the government's account of large amounts of food supplies from America because of the hesitation of the French government to expend specie in purchases abroad...

HOUSEMAIDS ASK FOR HIGHER WAGES

Want a Forty-Four Hour Week and Minimum Pay of \$15.

Housemaids and other women of the household forces are among the latest to demand a higher wage for their labor, and will ere long demand a minimum wage of \$15 for a 44-hour week.

Another meeting will be held next Wednesday night to complete plans of organization.

Returning Soldiers The troopship Megantic arrived at Halifax yesterday with several hundred returned soldiers from Toronto and district.



President Wilson delivering his address on the league of nations before the peace conference at Paris. This is the first photograph of the conference actually in action that has yet come to this country.

U. S. GOVERNMENT RETAINS CONTROL OF THE RAILWAYS

Decided to Let Roads Finance Themselves for Next Few Months by Private Loans and War Finance Corporation Advances.

Washington, March 5.—The government today determined to retain control of the railroads, despite failure of congress to provide funds for the railroad administration and to have the roads finance themselves for the next few months thru private loans on the open market or thru advances by the war finance corporation...

Effort will be made to maintain operations on a normal scale and to carry on as much of the improvement program as possible, in order to avoid throwing employees out of work or otherwise disturbing industrial conditions.

These assurances were given by Director-General Hines in a public statement and in an address to the conference of governors and mayors meeting here.

After a reference to the sons of the province who have put the name of Canada in the front ranks amongst the nations of the world, he spoke of Sir Wilfrid Laurier as a nobleman by nature, whose great worth and unselfish patriotic services have been recognized in his death by the whole Canadian people.

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SIR SAM CONTRADICTED BY SIR JOSEPH FLAVELLE

Sir Joseph Flavelle yesterday handed to the press the following categorical denial of the charges laid against him by Sir Sam Hughes in the house of commons on Tuesday:

"My attention has been called to statements made by Sir Sam Hughes in the house of commons at Ottawa, yesterday.

"I was asked to assume the duties of chairman of the imperial munitions board in Canada by his royal highness, the Duke of Connaught, who made the request at the instance of Mr. Lionel Hitchens of London, England, who at the time was the direct representative in Canada of Mr. Lloyd George, the then minister of munitions.

"I did not know of my name being associated with the position until it was offered to me. I know of no man or group of men who desired to overthrow General Bertram or the committee of the 31st, or who desired directly or indirectly, in the circumstances which led to the resignation of the shell committee.

"I have had no benefit or profit, direct or indirect, in contracts for munitions or war supplies given by the shell committee or the imperial munitions board. I have had no benefit from business arising out of the war of any character, other than the benefit which accrued to me as a shareholder in the William Davies Company, Limited, and the Robert Simpson Company, Limited, both of which corporations, in common with all commercial organizations, felt the benefit of the greatly enlarged business incident to war conditions.

"I have been at no private conference concerning matters political during the past five years. I have had no political ambitions for myself nor have I planned, nor sought for, nor been asked to assist in furthering the political ambition of anyone else. I have not sought to have influence in political matters, outside of the expression of purely personal convictions that Gordon had no backbone and that any citizen may hold, nor has my advice or counsel or influence been sought by any man or group of men in public life during the past five years.

"I never heard of the meeting of the Empire Club or the statement which Sir Sam Hughes made at it—that Gordon had no backbone and that I would have to get out. I did not attend nor have I heard of a meeting representing financial or insurance organizations or any other interests canvassing against Sir Robert Borden and demanding that he make way for another man. I had no share in the determination to form the Union government; I was not consulted concerning it, and I know nothing of the per-

OFFICES FOR RENT RYRIE BUILDING—CORNER YONGE AND SHUTTER STS.

DEBATE CONCLUDES ON THRONE SPEECH IN THE LEGISLATURE

Amendment to Repeal Election Act, 1918, is Voted Down.

ATTACK BY DEWART

U.F.O. Men Did Not Participate in the Straight Party Division.

The legislature yesterday afternoon in some faint way resembled the reconstruction poster on the boardings. "After the Storm." But there was no handsome young hero in the foreground.

There were many grey heads in the speakers' gallery, causing no little anxiety among the legislators below who are feeling quite scared of "an onslaught" on their part. On one side there is a disposition not easily controlled by party influence to break away. Members who cut loose do not know where to go.

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HAVE YOU A "D. A."?
A deposit account is one of the greatest conveniences in ordering goods by telephone. Apply for particulars at the "D. A." Office on the Fourth Floor.

EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

At Yonge, Queen and James Street Doors are boxes where orders or instructions may be placed. These boxes are emptied every hour until 1 p.m., and twice in the afternoon.

1869—GOLDEN JUBILEE—1919

Special Today, Boys' Suits at \$8.75

Boys' Suits, made of wool and cotton, and cotton and wool mixed tweeds, in grey and brown, in stripes, checks and diagonals, in belted style, with all-around belt with buckle fastener. Some have loose belt, while others are stitched at back; have slash or patch pockets, fancy pleated, form-fitting or box back; full-fitting bloomers, with side, hip and watch pockets, finished with governor fasteners at knee. Sizes 26 to 35. Today \$8.75.

—Main Floor, Queen St.

Boys' Boots

Black gunmetal blucher, fibre rubber soles, mahogany calf lace, with Neolin sole, and gunmetal lace with Goodyear welted soles. Sizes 1 to 5½. Today, pair \$2.65.

—Second Floor, Queen St.

Boys' Ribbed Overstockings or Hosiery in all wool worsted, or worsted wool and cotton mixture. Colors include scarlet, white and black. Not all sizes in each color, but sizes 5 to 8½ in the lot. Reg. 75c to \$1.50 pair. (For this item we cannot take phone or mail orders, the quantity being limited.) Today, 3 pairs for \$1.10, or, per pair, 39c.

—Main Floor, Yonge St.

Men's \$4.75 to \$7.50 Soft Hats, Today \$3.75

Men's Soft Hats, from a well-known American maker; in crease crown fedoras, with the well-known Cavanagh edge, in the popular crowns and brims; in brown, grey and green. Sizes 6½ to 7¾. Reg. \$4.75, \$6.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50. Today, \$3.75.

Note These Other Bargains in Hats for Men and Boys

Men's and Boys' Caps, of wool and cotton, and cotton and wool mixtures, blanket cloth, chinchilla, Whitney or tweed materials. In one, four or eight-piece crowns, with or without fur or sanitary earbands, in grey, brown, fancy mixtures and stripe effects. Sizes 6½ to 7¾. Today, 98c.

Boys' and Children's Hats, of plush, velvet or velveteen, in rah-rah dome crown, diamond or oval crown; shapes have curling or drooping flexible brim; in green, navy blue or black. Also corduroy rah-rah hats of brown or blue, with overstripe. Sizes 6 to 6¾ in the lot, but not in each line. Reg. \$1.75, \$1.85 and \$2.25. Today, each, \$1.35.

Children's Hats of tweed or felt or fancy mixtures of mackinaw and tartan effects, with dome crowns and drooping brims, some having straps with buckle across top; others plain top. Sizes 6 to 6¾. Today, 49c.

—Main Floor, James St.

Take Advantage of These Bargains in Men's Furs

Men's Raccoon Coats, in natural color, heavily furred and well made, with a twill quilted lining and deep storm collar, in shawl style. Sizes 40 to 46. Today, each \$125.00.

Men's Fur-lined Coats, made of evenly matched and well made muskrat skins, beaver cloth shell; Persian lamb or otter collar in the shawl style. Sizes 40 to 46. Reg. \$82.50. Today, \$64.50.

Black Goat Robes made of thickly furred pelts, with a green plushette lining. Size 58 x 80. Regular \$33.00, Today, \$23.50.

—Main Floor, James St.

Knitting Yarn

Khaki Knitting Yarn, a splendid wearing, good weight yarn, suitable for men's sweaters, socks, etc., and makes a warm, comfortable garment. Three hanks will make a sleeveless sweater or two pairs of socks. Today, per hank, 25c.

Second Floor, James St.



Men's Furnishings

Men's Flannelette Pyjamas, with military collar, pocket, fibre silk frogs, trousers have girdle at waist of same material. Colors of pink, tan or blue stripe on light grounds. Also a line of fine grey woven material with black, blue or mauve stripes. Large roomy cut bodies and double sewn seams. Sizes in the lot 34 to 44. Reg. \$1.98 and \$2.25. Today \$1.39.

Men's Grey Union Flannel Shirts, mixture of cotton and wool, made with collar attached, yoke and pocket. Balance of a few broken lines. Sizes 14 to 15½ only. Reg. \$2.00 and \$2.25. Today \$1.59.

Men's Sweater Coats, with shawl collar, plain cardigan or fancy stitch; of cotton and wool mixture. Also some light weight elastic rib stitch; V shape necks, coats of worsted with a small percentage of cotton. All have closely ribbed cuffs and two pockets. Colors are plain shades of brown, Oxford or grey and grey with myrtle. Sizes 36 to 40. Reg. \$3.95. Today \$2.95.

Men's Cotton Merino Underwear, two-piece style underwear, in light, natural shade, natural trim. Drawers have suspender tapes. Sizes 34 to 42. Special today, garment, 59c.

Boys' Combinations, clearance of broken lines in stock, including fleece lined, heavy cotton, cotton and wool or wool and cotton mixtures in fine flat knit. They have French neck, closed crotch and closely ribbed cuffs and ankles. Sizes in the lot 22 to 32, but not all sizes in each line. (For this item we cannot take phone or mail orders, and only two suits to a customer, as the quantity is limited.) Reg. \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.35. Today 79c.

—Main Floor, Centre.

Some Extraordinary Bargains in Jewelry Today

Gold-filled Bracelets, medium width, oval shape; engraved. Reg. \$3.50. Today, \$2.00.

Pendants, gold-plated, open work and filigree designs, set with brilliants and colored artificial stones. Reg. 75c and \$1.00. Today, 50c.

Necklets, gold-filled fancy designs, set with fine brilliants and French pearl drop, solid link chain. Reg. \$2.95. Today, \$2.00.

Crosses, gold-filled; some are quite plain, and some engraved on the front. Reg. \$1.00 and \$1.25. Today, 50c.

Brooches, beautifully carved pink cameos, set in gold-filled mount, with fancy rim, and fitted with safety catch. Reg. \$2.50. Today, each, \$1.25.

Pearl Bead Necklets, 26" length, graduated—French pearls. Today, 50c.

Rosaries, amber, coral, clear, dark blue and azure colored beads, and gilt crucifix. Reg. 50c. Today, 25c.

Silver Pencils, engraved and engine-turned designs, with ring for attaching to a chain. Reg. 30c. Today, 19c.

Also—Full-size Sterling Magazine Pencils. Reg. \$1.25. Today, 75c.

Silver Thimbles. Assorted sizes. Reg. 25c. Today, 19c.

Book Marks, with sterling trinket attachment. Reg. 35c. Today, each, 19c.

STORE OPENS DAILY AT 8.30 A.M. AND CLOSSES AT 5 P.M.

CLOSING SATURDAYS AT 1 P.M.

WITH NO NOON DELIVERY

Men! Here's a Chance to Save Dollars on Suits, Special, Today, \$12.75--Bargains also in \$3.85 to \$4.65 Trousers for \$3.35

Men's Suits—Odd sizes and discontinued lines. Many are fancy novelty suits of all-wool English tweeds, in herringbone patterns, in dark brown. In four-button, single-breasted, almost straight-cut style, with fancy flaps and buttons on the pockets and fancy cuffs on the sleeves. The trousers are cut semi-peg-top style. Other suits in the lot are in three-button, single-breasted, semi-form-fitting styles. For big men who can wear a 44 or 46 size there is a splendid range of patterns to choose from. The materials are firmly woven tweeds and worsteds, wool and cotton mixtures, in greys and browns, small neat patterns. Sizes 35 to 46. Today, \$12.75.

Men's Worsteds and Tweed Trousers, with strongly sewn seams. The material is made of smooth finished worsteds, cotton and wool mixtures, with stripe patterns, in medium and dark greys; also firmly woven union tweeds, in rich golden brown, herringbone patterns, 2 side, 2 hip and watch pockets. Sizes 32 to 44. Reg. \$3.85, \$4.00 and \$4.65. Today, \$3.35.

Men's Winter Weight Ulsters, broken sizes. The materials are all of all-wool and union tweeds, in fawn diagonals, plain brown and brown overcheck patterns. In full-fitting, double-breasted style, convertible storm collar, with half belt at back. Sizes 36 to 42. Today, price, \$14.75.

—Main Floor, Queen St.

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U.S. MUST JOIN IN COLLARWORK

Otherwise League of Nations Will Be Useless, Says London Journal.

London, March 5.—President Wilson's speech in New York last night arrived in London too late for extended editorial comment in the afternoon papers, but it occupies a prominent place in the news columns.

The Pall Mall Gazette, referring to the president's expressed conviction that an overwhelming majority is prepared to support the league when it is formed. Unless America is prepared to share in the "collar work" of the league, she can have no voice in its policy.

The Westminster Gazette, in expressing the hope that the league will be much more than a debating society, says that even if it is a debating society it probably would have prevented this war had it been in operation in 1914, and it will be an insurance against other wars springing from the same motives.

Referring to the report of Senator Lodge and 36 other Republican senators

RUSSIAN SOVIET HOPES TO RAISE LOAN IN U. S.

Stockholm, March 5.—The soviet government of Russia hopes to be able to arrange a big loan in America and is prepared to offer in exchange important mining and railroad concessions, according to Petrograd advices received here.

Reports show that the internal war in Russia has cost four billion rubles during the past two months and that an extra levy of ten billion rubles has been insufficient to cover the total deficit of the soviet government. It is said that the Bolshevik treasury is hardly able to raise 450,000,000 rubles.

Two Polish Officers Killed On Allied Mission Train

Warsaw, March 5.—Two Polish officers were killed when the Ukrainians fired on the train bearing the international commission to Poland after its departure from Lemberg on Sunday. The officers had boarded the train by mistake.

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GERMANY IS RESTIVE OVER SHIPPING TERMS

Cabinet Said to Have Refused to Submit to Coercion by the Allies.

Paris, March 5.—At a meeting of the German cabinet on Monday morning attended by party leaders and delegates of shipowners, it was agreed unanimously, it is understood, that Germany could not submit to coercion from the entente powers, either in the armistice negotiations or in the peace parliaments proper, according to a Zurich despatch to Le Journal.

Ukraine Food Consignment Requisitioned by Bolsheviks

Berne, Tuesday, March 4.—A large consignment of food has reached Moscow from Ukraine, where it was requisitioned by the Bolshevik army, according to a telegram given out here by the Ukrainian press bureau today.

The shipment consisted of 60 carloads of flour, two of manufactured articles and 30 of sugar. The requisitioning of these supplies was approved by M. Rakowski, premier of the Ukrainian soviet ministry, it is said.

BOLSHEVIK FORCES ACTIVE IN UKRAINIA

At Opening of Manitoba Fair, D. C. Coleman Refers to Tariff

Warsaw, March 5.—Strong forces of Bolsheviks are still active in Ukraine. They still hold Kiev, where they are reported to have levied a contribution of 200,000,000 rubles and have forced the bourgeoisie class to exchange houses with the population of the slums and ghetto quarter of the town.

EXPECT PORT OF ST. JOHN TO BE NATIONALIZED

Ottawa, March 5.—The nationalization of the port of St. John, N. B., is now the subject of conference between the government and representatives of that Atlantic coast city, and it is probable that the government will take over the harbor and shipping facilities and make it a national port.

Major R. T. Hayes and T. H. Bullock, commissioner of harbors, ferries and lands of St. John, have been in Ottawa since Sunday attending conferences with members of the government.

SHIPPING SHORTAGE PREVENTS RELIEF

British Expert Says Only Hope is for America to Release More Vessels.

London, March 5.—Sir John Deale, who recently resigned his position as British representative on the various inter-allied organizations for the distribution of food, is quoted by The Times in an interview as saying that it will be extremely difficult to prevent widespread famine in southeastern Europe, Germany and Poland. Financial relief is available, he said, but the difficulty is due to the shortage of shipping.

President Wilson Sails; Departure Was Quiet

New York, March 5.—President Wilson sailed today on his second voyage to France. The transport George Washington bearing the presidential party left the Hoboken, N. J., pier at 8:15 a.m.

The chief executive's departure was marked by a simplicity which contrasted with the noisy demonstration accorded him on his first journey to Paris, last December. Today there was only a small crowd of persons assembled at the army transport pier.

STRIKE IN CUBA BEGINS.

Havana, March 5.—The third general strike that Cuba has faced within the last six months began at midnight when union men estimated to a number of 75,000 quit work. The strike is a result of the failure of the building trades union to effect a settlement of their demands for an eight-hour day, a Saturday half-holiday and a considerable increase in wages.

At Opening of Manitoba Fair, D. C. Coleman Refers to Tariff

Brandon, March 4.—The Manitoba night with what is said to be the finest exhibition of prize-winning Winter Fair was formally opened last night.

Mr. D. C. Coleman, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who opened the fair, made a plea for reasonableness in the customs tariff, and asked that his company be given an opportunity to prove its value before adverse judgment is passed.

As the army transport turned here, the almost strike-paralyzed harbor, an escort of destroyers got under way ahead, and a presidential salute of 21 guns was fired.

Somebody is Always Taking the Joy Out of Life : : : By BRIGGS



JURY BLAMES MOTORIST FOR GIRL'S DEATH

Driver of Car Ran Miss Wilcox Down Through Negligence, is Finding.

"We, the jury, find that Rose Victoria Wilcox came to her death on Feb. 28, the result of a fractured skull resulting from her being struck by a motor car driven by John Warren. From the evidence submitted we believe that the death of Rose Wilcox was caused through negligence on the part of the said John Warren."

The above verdict was rendered to Coroner C. Becker by the jury at the request of the morgue last night. The inquest was held on the body of Rose Wilcox, who was so badly injured when run down by a motor car at the corner of Fairbairn street and Bloor street on the evening of Feb. 27, that she died the following morning in the Western Hospital. John Warren, of Buchanan street, driver of the motor car, was arrested at the scene of the accident and is being held in custody on a charge of having committed manslaughter.

At present the decision is to evacuate the Canadians from France through the legal department has returned to the city after serving with the R.A.F. for two years. He enlisted in 1916 and in that year was injured while making a landing. He was again wounded in France in 1918, but not until after he had made 150 flights over the lines.

Spontaneous combustion caused fire which did \$120,000 damage to a building in the rear of 240 West Bloor street at 8 o'clock last evening. The two-story building was damaged to the extent of \$200, and some antique furniture valued at \$1,000 was damaged. The building is owned and occupied by John McFarlane at 12 Sherwood avenue last night.

Defective wiring started a \$100 fire in an apartment house owned by Mrs. Bicker at 1424 West Dundas street last night.

At the Allen. William Faversham, the eminent English dramatic actor, is scoring a tremendous hit at the Allen in a film adaptation of the famous Drury Lane melodrama, "The Silver King."

VETERANS

Terms of Interest to Returned Soldiers Will Be Printed in This Column if Phoned or Sent in.

The monthly meeting of the Toronto Sapper Association was held in the armories on Monday evening, D.C.M., was in the chair. The honorary president, Col. W. R. Lang, G.S.O., in an interesting way reviewed the formation of the engineer units in Toronto.

The nomination of officers to be elected at the annual meeting on the first Monday in April was as follows: Honorary president, Col. W. R. Lang; president, Capt. C. B. Ferris, D.C.M.; secretary and treasurer, D.C.M.; secretary and treasurer, D.C.M.; secretary and treasurer, D.C.M.

The Canadian "Y" plans are not quite complete, for it is a large proposition. Up to date some hundreds have been taken over from the British, and 240 feet long and beautifully equipped, to which the Canadian "Y" will make additions. A cinema costing \$15,000 and seating 1,500, is being built.

Leut. Sumner Graham of the city legal department has returned to the city after serving with the R.A.F. for two years. He enlisted in 1916 and in that year was injured while making a landing. He was again wounded in France in 1918, but not until after he had made 150 flights over the lines.

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FATHER BURKE PREACHES OPENING LENTEN SERMON

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In keeping with this spirit was the sermon of Rev. Father John E. Burke of Newman Hall, who, as the speaker of the evening, inaugurated a course of sermons which he will deliver on the Wednesdays throughout the month of Lent.

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CLIMBED OFF SHED INTO ARMS OF POLICE. Chased thru backyards and over fences for over a block yesterday morning, during which time a shot was fired from the roof of a shed and placed under the charge of burglary, Sheppard is Smith. He is alleged to have committed fifteen burglaries during the past year, three of these having taken place recently.

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OFFICE PEN 10 p.m. Daily from Satisfied Customers

TEN YEARS. May 12, 1917. He came, head and all, with a large worm for me to be pleased to receive at any time.

Staples, April, 1916. I received the package of yours on March 20, and I send me \$6.00 worth of goods.

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Plumbing Firm Accused by Counsel at Education Board Probe.

TOO MUCH HARMONY Judge Lennox Says He Has Conclusions Strongly Forced on Him.

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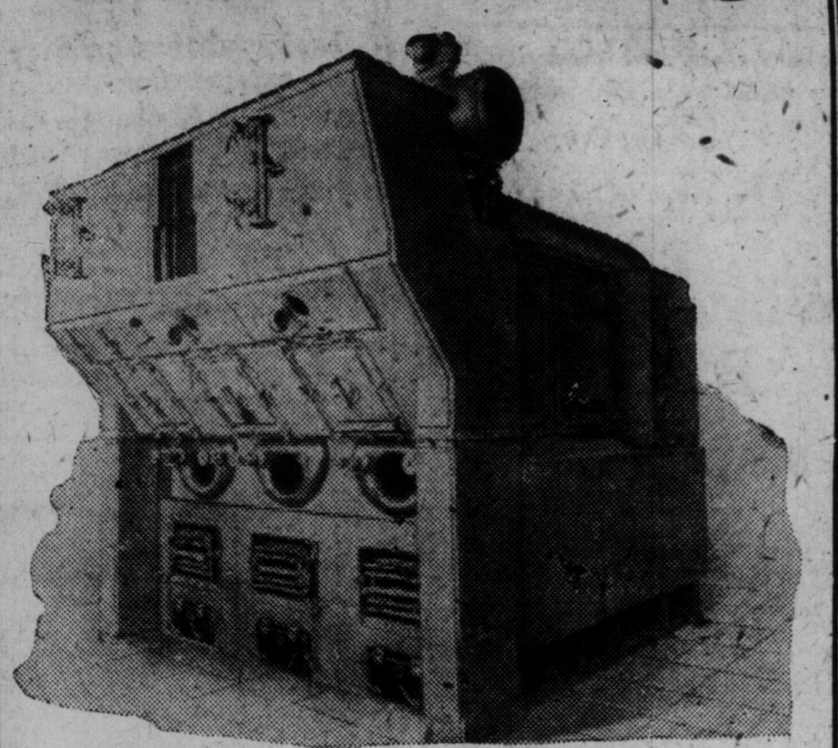
Mr. Millan: "There is no fraud; every account was well checked." Fred Armstrong was represented by his solicitor, Mr. Fasken.

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Osgoode Hall News

Appellate Court—Second Division. List of cases for Thursday, March 6, at 11 a.m.

City Fathers Lectured BY LOCAL MEMBER Mark Irish, M.L.A., Complains of Way Toronto's Legislation is Handled.

Mark H. Irish, M.L.A., representing North-east Toronto in the provincial house, in a letter to the city solicitor, criticized the manner in which the city took up the matter of legislation with the government.

Southampton, New Port of Cunard Line. According to cable advice just received by A. P. Webster & Son, 52 Yonge street, from the directors of the Cunard Steamship Company, Limited, in Liverpool, the home port of the large passenger vessels of the Cunard Line will in the future be Southampton.

Is Charged With Theft Of Eight Hundred Dollars J. T. Loftus, a barrister, appeared before Judge Coatsworth in the criminal sessions yesterday, charged with the theft of some \$800 belonging to Mrs. Essie McGinn, a widow, who resides at 13 Napier street.

MEGANTIC TROOPS EN-ROUTE HOME

Special Train Leaves Halifax and Arrival to Be Announced Later.

The S. S. Megantic reached Halifax yesterday morning with the following men on board, who are all, with few exceptions, for Toronto. They left by special train, and the time of their arrival will be announced later.

A—Sergt. W. E. Andrews, Pte. T. Aswood, Spr. A. Adams, Spr. A. Alder, Spr. A. G. Alexander, Pte. E. C. Allingham, Spr. W. Anderson, Spr. J. Angus.

B—Sergt. C. C. Butterworth, Gnr. C. A. Babcock, Pte. H. Ball, Pte. T. E. Banting, Spr. G. S. Barnett, Spr. W. S. Barnett, Spr. J. Barras, Spr. F. V. Bates, Lt.-Corp. A. Beattie, Spr. J. Beavan, Spr. C. Bedford, Spr. F. C. Bell, Spr. J. E. Bennett, Spr. W. G. Bertram, Gnr. R. Best, Spr. W. Burk, Spr. J. B. Blaikie, Spr. J. Boardman, Spr. D. H. Buckles, Pte. J. Boorman, Spr. S. Buchanan, Cpl. W. Bourton, Spr. J. B. Boyd, Cpl. F. Bremner, Cpl. C. G. Brooks, Gnr. C. Brown, Cpl. F. N. Brown, Pte. C. E. Burd, Pte. J. Burges, Spr. J. Burk, Spr. G. E. Burton.

C—Sgt. J. J. Coulin, Spr. T. H. Cameron, Pte. T. Capper, Spr. R. L. Cato, Spr. W. Cay, Spr. B. E. Chapelle, Spr. R. Charbonneau, Spr. M. Chevrato, Pte. P. Clarke, Pte. H. Clayton, Lt.-Cpl. R. E. Cluby, Pte. T. Coull, Pte. L. G. Cockburn, Spr. H. Collins, Spr. W. G. Comras, Spr. E. Cooper, Pte. S. Corbett, Pte. E. Cornford, Pte. R. Cowan, Gnr. H. Craig, Spr. W. J. Crawford, Spr. G. Crawley, Pte. E. Crockett, Spr. E. Crimp, Spr. T. Cupples, Spr. G. Curley, Spr. L. G. Currie, Pte. J. F. Currier.

D—Sgt. W. Dennis, Spr. H. Daniels, Pte. W. Darlington, Pte. D. Davidson, Pte. F. Davey, Pte. G. Dettman, Pte. R. Detweiler, Pte. R. Devins, Pte. H. Donohue, Pte. F. Downthwaite, Pte. E. Doty, Spr. W. Draper, Gnr. J. Drow, Pte. G. Drinkwater, Cpl. S. Dryhurst, Spr. F. Durkin.

E—Spr. G. Edwards, Sgt. D. M. Emmott, Lt.-Cpl. J. Ellis, Spr. E. Ernest, Pte. G. Evans, Cpl. L. Evans, Sgt. L. Fielding, Spr. V. Falles, Pte. B. Faithful, Spr. G. Farrows, Cpl. F. Flannigan, Cpl. E. Fleming, Bar. P. Bleah, Cpl. G. Flannery, Cpl. W. Ford, Pte. T. Foster, Pte. A. Foxley, Pte. P. Fraser.

F—C. Q. M. S. A. Gladman, C. Q. S. H. Gordon, Pte. E. Gray, Pte. H. Gallagher, Spr. R. Geggie, Pte. J. Germaine, Spr. A. Gibb, Spr. C. Goad, Pte. H. Gorman, Pte. A. Grant, Dvr. F. Grant, Pte. A. Green, Pte. R. Greenwell, Pte. P. Guiley, Pte. J. Guyler.

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MURINE EYE REMEDY. Red, Weak, Watery, Itchy Eyes For Sick of Chicago and Granulated Eyelids. L. L. Lincum Co. Chicago.

PARASITE CASE FIXED FOR EARLY NEXT WEEK. In a decision handed down yesterday, Justice Sutherland at Osgoode Hall, his lordship refused to stay proceedings against Rev. D. Spence, who is charged with publishing a book banned by an order-in-council.

WRIGLEYS' IS SEALED! LOOK for the sealed package, but have an eye out also for the name WRIGLEYS' That name is your protection against inferior imitations. Just as the sealed package is protection against impurity. The Greatest Name in Goody-Land.

MOST OF LAND OFFERED FOR TAXES WITHDRAWN. Of the 2,195 parcels of land advertised for sale by the city for arrears of taxes approximately 1,750 settlements were made before the actual auctioning began at the city hall yesterday.

PROVINCIAL FINANCE. Treasurer Will Not Take Off the Mill From Municipal Taxpayers. Today the legislature goes into supply. The address of Hon. T. W. McGarry will disappoint the overburdened taxpayers who may be looking forward to the removal of the war tax with the end of the war.

WOULD HAVE CITY RUN BELL COMPANY. Greater Labor Party Asks Board of Control to Take Action. A communication was received by the board of control yesterday from the Labor party of Greater Toronto concerning the acquisition of the Bell Telephone Company by the city.

The Toronto World

FOUNDED 1880. A morning newspaper published every day in the year by The World Newspaper Company, Toronto, Limited...

Stony Creek Advising Hamilton.

There is no slackening in the organized attempt to persuade the people of Hamilton that a radial railway from Niagara to Toronto, with Hamilton in the apex of the angle...

entirely under their own control, for their own profit, and there will not be a cent of outlay required from Hamilton in cash.

But The Herald complains that the radial railway is for the benefit of the whole province, and that anyone can travel over the electric road when it is built.

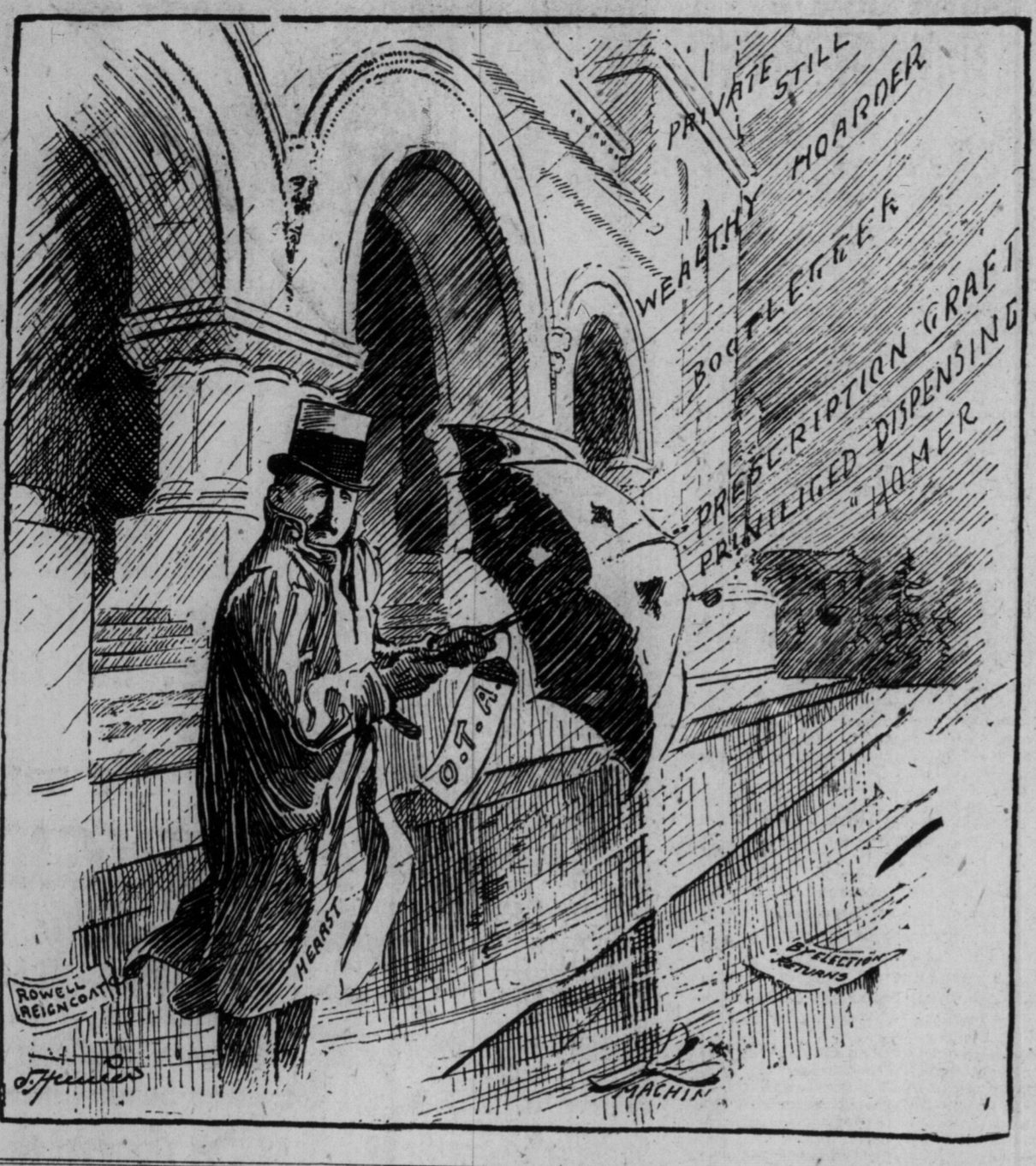
Now this is the sort of piffle to which the Hamilton papers are reduced in their effort to oppose the building of a radial railway...

When the whole province guaranteed the bonds for the transmission lines of the Hydro power system it was the Cataract people and their allies among the private electric interests...

The financial obligation of Hamilton for the radial railway will be like the obligation for the Hydro power system, purely a nominal one.

Hamilton will specially gain from the road, and that is why the private electric interests in Hamilton are making such a strenuous effort to defeat the bylaw.

A "WET" SPELL



THE DAY AT OTTAWA

By TOM KING

Ottawa, March 5.—The western Unionist members of parliament who are here over the holiday put in most of their time today holding another conference, to which, as usual, the western ministers were not invited.

The views of the west on the tariff may be brought before the caucus of Unionist senators and members to be held tomorrow morning, although it had been understood all along that the main purpose of tomorrow's meeting was to discuss the patronage question and the complaints against the civil service commission.

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THE PROMOTER'S WIFE

By JANE PHELPS.

Barbara Tells Mr. Frederick He is Mistaken in His Surmises.

I was stunned, unable to make any reply to Mr. Frederick for a few moments. He waited, saying "nothing more. All the foreboding sensations more. All the foreboding sensations more. I had experienced concerning Nell's business affairs rushed over me with increased impetuosity. Then suddenly came a sort of indignation. Who was this man that dared to say such things about my husband, my Nell? He was accusing him of dishonesty—at least it amounted to that.

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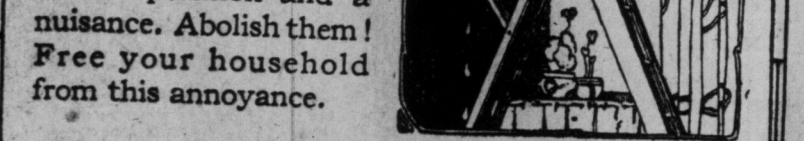
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First... WANTED... THE DAVIS CUP... Tennis Cham...

STRIKE AT HAVANA; RACES CALLED OFF

Wednesday's Entries Stand for Today—Favorites Win at New Orleans.

Havana, March 5.—The races at Oriental Park were called off today on account of the strike on the transportation line...

AT NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, March 5.—Entries for tomorrow are as follows: FIRST RACE—Four furlongs, two-year-olds and up, claiming, purse \$600...

Baseball Stories Well Worth Reading

Billy Evans was asked recently to relate the funniest incident he ever saw on a ball field. "Cleveland was playing at Chicago," replied Billy...

The World's Selections BY CENTAUR.

NEW ORLEANS. FIRST RACE—Hello Partner, Helen Hartman, Saint Rose...

G. Preece Rides Two New Orleans Winners

New Orleans, March 5.—Today's races opened as follows: FIRST RACE—Three-year-olds and upward, claiming, purse \$600...

Repository Finds Undiminished Call For the Horse

The auction sale at the Repository on Tuesday was a wonderful spectacle, fully equaling any former record of its own...

MISTAKES OFTEN END IN USEFUL DISCOVERY

It is surprising how many useful things come into general use simply on account of a slip of the tongue...

ALLIED OCCUPATION MAY LAST FEW YEARS

Two previous historic events afford a basis for an opinion as to how long the allied occupation of Germany may be expected to last...

DR. SOPER DR. WHITE

Advertisement for Dr. Soper and Dr. White, Specialists in various ailments like Piles, Eczema, Asthma, etc.

MEGANTIC ARRIVES WITH MANY TROOPS

Twelve Hundred Returned War Heroes Are Landed at Halifax.

PRISONERS OF WAR Home Again After Many Months of Suffering in Germany.

Halifax, March 5.—The White Star liner Megantic arrived here today from Liverpool with 49 officers and 1154 other ranks of the Canadian expeditionary force...

Back From Prison Camps.

A number of former prisoners of war returned on the Megantic. Pz. E. W. Dinsie of Murphy's, Ont. was wounded, gassed and taken prisoner in the second battle of Ypres...

Next Week at Shea's.

Leona La Mar, known throughout the amusement world as "The Girl With One Thousand Eyes," comes to Shea's Theatre next week as the feature attraction...

At Leew's Theatre.

It is proposed to marry a man without love and later learn to love him? This is the theme of "The Heart of a Woman," an absorbing drama of love and heartache...

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Pauline Frederick in her latest picture, "Out of the Shadow," is the rarest picture offering at the Strand today and for the balance of this week...

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DOMINION INCOME WAR TAX ACT TO WHOM APPLICABLE. Every person who in 1918 resided or ordinarily resided in Canada...

PLAYS, PICTURES AND MUSIC.

"The Passing Show." Judging from the size of the advance sale "The Passing Show of 1918," which comes to the Royal Alexandra on Monday night...

Belasco Comedy Hit Coming.

The opportunity of witnessing David Belasco's remarkable comedy hit, "The Boomerang," at the Princess during the week of the first of the month...

Fiats Start at the Grand.

A former of the Grand romantic star, comes to the Grand next week in a new three-act play called "Marry in Haste." The story tells of the first marriage of a young girl...

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Advertisement for Dominion Rubber System Rubbers, featuring various brands like Jacques Cartier, Merchants, Maple Leaf, Granby, and Daisy.

Protect Your New Shoes With Perfect Fitting Rubbers

It is sound advice the shoe man gives you when he suggests that you have your new shoes fitted with rubbers. He knows that both shoes and rubbers will wear better and hold their shape longer...

Advertisement for Dominion Rubber System, featuring the brand name and logo.

SHAKSPERE'S TRAGEDIES OFTEN PROVIDE MIRTH

Shakspeare's tragedies have at times provided much mirth. A cannie Scot went to see "Romeo and Juliet" in the Henry Irving classic days of the Lyceum...

FRENCH WAR REGIONS PLOWED BY GERMANS

In conjunction with Lord Harcourt's agricultural committee, the British Farmers' Union, their agricultural organizations, are continuing the plowing and cultivation of the derelict areas behind the front...

HE WANTED A TREE.

On an American transport, two days out from New York, a French sailor who is really enjoying the sea, to his dark companion, who has just gone to bed...

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GOOD ROADS WILL NOW GET IMPETUS

Large Government Grants Are About to Be Made.

LOCAL CONDITIONS Construction of Highways to Be Undertaken to Meet Requirements.

Ontario Good Roads Association are holding its 17th annual convention in York county chambers this week.

The first session opened yesterday morning almost 150 attended, representing almost every county in the province.

The president addressed the delegates on the importance of good roads. He said that during the last year the work had been at a standstill.

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Never before had the problem of good roads been such a live issue and an active and progressive program of road building was essential.

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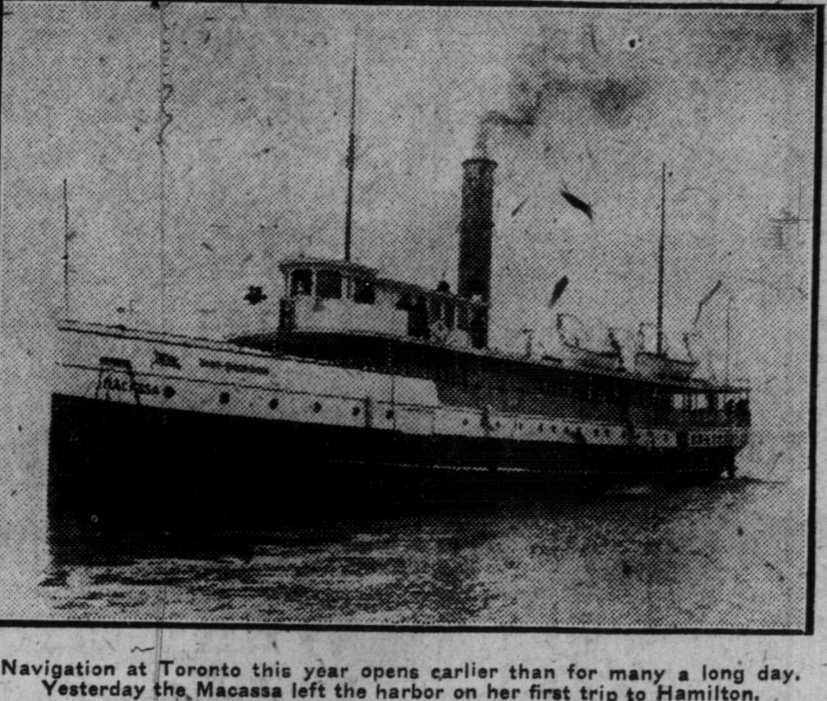
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Advertisement for Sunlight Soap featuring an illustration of a woman washing clothes and text describing the soap's benefits.



Navigation at Toronto this year opens earlier than for many a long day.

BOWMAN DEFINES U.F.O. PLATFORM

Public Ownership and Operation One of Most Important Planks.

People Must Rule Referendum Principle Should Be Adhered to, Says Man-toulin's Member.

The speech of Beniah Bowman in the legislature, Tuesday night, made a notable impression upon the house.

The speaker, Hon. G. MacLennan, minister of public highways, spoke of the importance of the good roads movement.

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Chocolate the Ready Luncheon

When business prohibits your leaving the office at lunch time, yet you are hungry and tired—eat chocolate! for chocolate is a sustaining food.

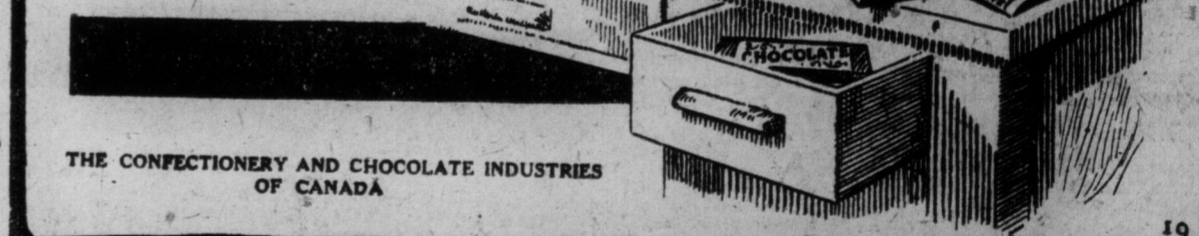
All through the war the value of chocolate has been demonstrated. The Allied soldiers found that when fatigued, eating chocolate renewed their energy.

Chocolate has proven its vitality-restoring qualities to every Canadian soldier. Profit by this war lesson. Apply it to civil life.

Keep a few bars of chocolate in your desk drawer. Eat them when you feel fatigued—they will help relieve the strain of your work.

"Chocolate is a most nourishing fat food and a delightful stimulant, especially valuable in cases of extreme fatigue or exposure."

It is a Splendid Food.



THE CONFECTIONERY AND CHOCOLATE INDUSTRIES OF CANADA

TWENTY-SIX MILLIONS IS THE CITY'S BUDGET

This Year's Tax Rate is Expected to Be Highest on Record.

The city budget now stands at \$26,369,795, after the several committees and the board of control have made their initial cuts.

Of this amount \$1,701,207 will be collected from ratepayers benefited by local improvements and \$511,674 which will be paid by the Hydro Commission as Hydro debt charges.

The remainder of the budget, \$24,156,914 to be raised by taxation and general revenue which compares with the \$21,045,602 of 1918.

Concluding, Mr. Wheeler reminded the delegates of the "get together" meeting and banquet to be held at the King Edward hotel tonight.

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SOCIETY

Sir John and Lady Eaton, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Williams have arrived at Greenbrier Hotel, White Sulphur Springs, Va.

The first ball of the University Arts Society was held at the entrance of the ball room, which was decorated with flags.

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Lacon, Mrs. Hubble, Mrs. Kirkland, Mrs. R. C. Davison, Mrs. Elin Carroll, 99 Elm avenue, accompanied by Mrs. J. A. Carroll.

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A vertical column of various small advertisements including "CLASS ADVERTISING", "HELP", "TEACHER WANTED", "BILLIARD AND", "BICYCLES AND", "ELECTRIC WIRE", "LATHING AND PLASTERING", "MARRIAGE", "HAMBONE'S", and "WANT QUICK ACTION ON METROPOLITAN DEAL".

Advertisement for a medicine for biliousness and feverishness, featuring text like "DON'T SCOLD, MOTHER! THE CROSS CHILD IS BILIOUS, FEVERISH" and "Look at Tongue! If Coated, Clean Little Stomach, Liver & Bowels."

ACTIVE TRADING IN BRAZILIAN SHARES

Dominion Cannery and Steel of Canada Easier—Victory Bonds Strong.

Brazilian was the centre of interest in the trading on the Toronto Exchange yesterday...

The market in general was steady, showing little effect of the reaction...

GOOD EARNINGS SHOWN BY DOMINION CANNERS

Hamilton, March 5.—The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Dominion Cannery, Limited, was held at the head office here today...

BLACK LAKE ASBESTOS HAS FAIRLY GOOD YEAR

The report of the Black Lake Asbestos and Chrome Co. for the year ending December 31, 1917, shows a larger revenue, offset partly by larger operating costs...

TORONTO RAILWAY EARNINGS.

Toronto Railway earnings for February were \$45,771.20, of which the city percentage was \$96,621.31.

CONSUMERS' GAS DIVIDEND.

The directors of the Consumers' Gas Company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 1/2 per cent.

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THE ATLAS GOLD MINES, LIMITED

(No Personal Liability) PAR VALUE OF SHARES, \$1.00 Authorized Capital, - - \$2,000,000 \$900,000 Reserved for the Treasury

To make a great dividend payer, there must be sufficient money and efficient management.

On 1st January, 1919, the Hollinger Consolidated was the richest of the raw, forest covered, entirely unexplored, in an absolutely new district...

We believe in the great possibilities of the ATLAS. It has far richer ore than Hollinger had at the start.

As to the merits of the ATLAS, we welcome and invite your investigation.

IN THE MEANTIME THE SHARES ARE SELLING AT THE VERY LOW PRICE OF 25 CENTS.

J. P. CANNON & CO. (Members Standard Stock Exchange) Phones Adel. 3342-3343 56 King St. W., Toronto, Ont.

RAILWAY STOCKS LEADERS IN BREAK

New York Close is Weak, With U. S. Steel Freely Offered.

New York March 5.—The protracted advance in the stock market came to an abrupt halt today, further offerings of railway shares soon extending to various speculative issues...

This view was supported by Director-General Hines, who issued a statement in Washington emphasizing the gravity of the latest conditions...

B. C. PACKERS' PROFITS SMALLER LAST YEAR

The statement of the British Columbia Packers' Association for 1918 shows profits for year, after providing for depreciation, of \$425,359...

HILLCREST EARNINGS.

Montreal March 5.—Net profits amounting to \$119,295, an increase of \$29,714, or 37 per cent, was shown in the annual financial statement of the Hillcrest Collieries Limited...

UNITED STATES COAL UNDERSELLING BRITISH

London, March 5.—American tonnage was described today as undoubtedly a distinct menace to British coal export trade in a statement by Alexander Lee...

Record of Yesterday's Markets

TORONTO STOCKS. STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE.

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including Dominion Cannery, Steel of Canada, and various railway stocks.

STANDARD SALES.

Table listing standard sales for various commodities like Gold, Silver, and various metals.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Table listing New York stock market activity, including various industrial and financial stocks.

TORONTO SALES.

Table listing Toronto sales for various commodities like Wheat, Flour, and other goods.

UNLISTED STOCKS.

Table listing unlisted stocks and their prices, including Abitibi Power, Brompton, and others.

MONTREAL SALES.

Table listing Montreal sales for various commodities like Wheat, Flour, and other goods.

NEW YORK CURB.

Table listing New York curb market activity, including various commodities and their prices.

TOPEKA CONTINUES GOOD IN MONTREAL MARKET

Power Issues and Textiles Are Leaders—Bond List Shows Strength.

Montreal, March 5.—Altho there was less activity in the Canadian securities market today, the tone of the market continued good...

Without any increase in activity, the list again showed strength, the 1917 Victory showing strength at 105, and the 1923 holding firm at 102 1/2.

MAY DROP DIVIDEND ON TORONTO RAILWAY

Montreal Takes Gloomy View of Postponement of Action

Montreal, March 5.—The postponement of the dividend meeting of the directors of the Toronto Railway, which was to have taken place on Monday, is being commented upon in different quarters on the local street.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

J. P. Bickell & Co. Standard Bank Building, report the following prices on the Chicago Board of Trade...

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

Liverpool, March 5.—Beef, extra India mess, 370s. Pork—Prime mess, western, 330s.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

London, March 5.—Money 3 1/2 per cent. Discount rates, short and three months' bills 3 1/2-3 3/4 per cent.

DIVIDEND NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that a quarterly dividend of twelve and one-half cents per share upon the capital stock of this Company has been declared for the three months ending March 31, 1919...

GOOD STOCK SALESMAN WANTED

APPLY BOX 60, WORLD

FLEMING & MARVIN STOCK BROKERS

Members Standard Stock Exchange 1102 C. P. R. BUILDING. High and Low Quotations on the Mining Stocks Free on Application.

LOUIS J. WEST & CO. MINING SECURITIES

Members Standard Stock Exchange. 427 LUMSDEN BUILDING

Banking Service

YOUR banking requirements may be entrusted to this Bank with every confidence that careful and efficient service will be rendered.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

Imperial Oil, Abitibi Pulp, Black Lake preferred, Canada Machinery.

UNLISTED ISSUES WANTED

Imperial Oil, Abitibi Pulp, Black Lake preferred, Canada Machinery. Members Toronto Stock Exchange, 4 Colborne St., Toronto.

HERON & CO.

Members Toronto Stock Exchange, 4 Colborne St., Toronto.

If Not, Why Not?

Are You Profiting by This Advance? WASAPIKA January... 36c 41c February... 41c 43c March... 43 1/2c ?

Present Price of WASAPIKA 45c Per Share. There's a Reason. Write Us.

ISBELL, PLANT & CO.

Main 272-3. Standard Bank Building.

PORCUPINE KEORA

We consider the shares of this company an excellent purchase. We will be glad to send engineer's reports and maps on request.

KIELY, SMITH & AMOS

Members Standard Stock Exchange, 902 C. P. R. Building, Telephone Main 5348. Toronto, Canada.

PETER SINGER

Member Standard Stock Exchange. Main 3701 504 Standard Bank Building, Toronto, Ont.

COBALT PORCUPINE STOCKS

Bought and Sold. Latest News Upon Request. HAMILTON B. WILLS Private Direct Wires to New York, Cobalt and Porcupine.

CHAS. A. STONEHAM & CO.

23 MELINDA ST., TORONTO. 41 BROAD ST., NEW YORK. Cobalt, Porcupine, Oils, Motor and Curb Stocks for cash or moderate margin.

HOLLINGER

Write MARK HARRIS Royal Bank Bldg., TORONTO. (Stock Brokers) Dominion Bank Bldg., Add. 1366.

J. P. CANNON & CO. STOCK BROKERS.

Members Standard Stock Exchange, 58 KING STREET W., TORONTO. Adelaide 3342-3343.

CONSTRUCTION

uncertainty in earnings. Dominion Bank

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Store Opens at 8.30 a.m. Daily

SIMPSON'S

Store Closes at 5.30 p.m. Daily

Important Value-Giving Offerings for Men and Boys Today



100 Men Can Buy New Trousers for \$2.95 Pair

Comparison will reveal better than usual quality at the price. It is a fine chance to get an extra pair to finish out the old coat and vest sometime discarded. These trousers are made from hard finished tweeds in serviceable dark shades. Correctly cut and tailored to fit comfortably and hang properly. Sizes 32 to 44. Today, \$2.95.

Overcoats to Wear Rain or Shine, \$18.50

And equally stylish and comfortable whichever weather prevails. Models for men and young men. They are developed in grey and black English proofed tweed, trencher model with all-around belt, natural shoulders, convertible collar. Slash pockets—small cuff on sleeves—fancy plaid lining. Sizes 34 to 42, \$18.50.

Men Who Want to Pay \$20 for Suits

Will be interested in this offering of smartly styled models, developed in dark brown mixed tweed. Three-button, soft roll, semi-fitted sack. Sizes 36 to 44.

Simpson's—Main Floor.

Quality Hats in New Spring Styles For Men

No uncertainty. You'll see hats here that become you exactly—not just nearly. The correct style—the right shade. And priced fairly.

Soft Felt Hats at \$3
This popular price offers big choice from shades of steel grey, pearl grey, moss green, myrtle, brown, navy and black. Today, \$3.00.

Soft Felt Hats at \$4
"Leeds" quality hats in many new and strikingly attractive shapes and colors. Today, \$4.00.

Lincoln Quality Hats
The Lincoln black stiff hats at \$5.00, and the Lincoln soft felt hats at \$5.00 are two especially good offerings from the standpoint of quality and pricing.

Also worthy of special mention are the Christy, Stetson, Borsalino and Vanity hats, in a noteworthy collection of newest models.

Simpson's—Main Floor.

Men's "Simpson Special" Boots \$7.75 They're Regular \$8.50 Grades



Stylish street boots, made of chocolate kid leather, on London straight last. Neat perforated toecap; medium weight oak tanned sole and flat heel. Sizes 5 1/2 to 11. Widths C, D and E. Today, \$7.75.

Men's Victor Gold Medal Boots Reduced to \$12.00.
Style 6305-4—Made of Russian calf leather. Cosy medium shaped toe; extra heavy single best English oak sole; flat heel. Sizes 5 1/2 to 10. Today, \$12.00.

Men's Kangaroo Straight Lace Boots, straight toe last, lightweight leather soles; flat heels. Today, \$12.00.

Classic Low Shoes for Girls.

About 1500 pairs new spring strap slippers. Brown patent and white buck leather, with instep, ankle strap and brown bearfoot sandals. Turn and McKay sewn soles—also welt soles. Wide toe styles. Sizes 11 to 2, regularly \$3.00 to \$4.00, for \$2.95; sizes 7 to 10 1/2 at \$2.29; sizes 3 to 7 1/2, regularly \$2.50 to \$3.00, for \$1.69; sizes 1 to 5, regularly \$1.75 to \$2.50, today, \$1.49.

Simpson's—Second Floor.

Boys! Here Are Better Class Suits Stylish and Durable, and as Comfortable as You'd Wish

At \$12.00 Durable grey and black herringbone tweed suits, in single-breasted model. All-around three-piece belt at waist; bloomers have belt loops and governor fasteners. Sizes 13 to 16 years—\$12.00.

At \$12.50 Dressy blue cheviot suits, developed in smart two-button single-breasted model. All-around loose belt with buckle and vertical pockets. Full fitting bloomers with belt loops and expanding knee bands. Sizes 13 to 16 years—\$12.50.

At \$15.00 Dark grey tweed suits, showing red and green subdued striped pattern; three-button, single-breasted model; all-around loose belt and patch pockets. Full fitting bloomers with belt loops and governor fasteners. Sizes 13 to 16 years—\$15.00.

At \$21.00 Extremely smart, plain brown cheviot suits, in the new waist seam model. Double-breasted, two-button style with vertical pockets. Full fitting bloomers with belt of self material, belt loops and governor fasteners. Sizes 13 to 16 years—\$21.00.

Simpson's—Main Floor.

A Tempting Market List for Today Phone Adelaide 6100

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| <p>MEATS AND FISH.
Canada Food Board License No. 9-229.
All meats sold in Simpson's Market are inspected and approved by Government inspectors.
200 only, Cottage Hams, boneless, peamealed; 3 to 5 lbs. each, for frying or boiling. Special, per lb., 36c.</p> <p>GROCERIES
Canada Food Board License No. 8-1331
2,000 lbs. Finest Creamery Butter, per lb., 55c.
Campbell's Soup, assorted, 2 tins, 35c.
2,000 tins Finest Canned Peas, 14c.
2,000 tins Finest Canned Tomatoes, 11c.
Only 5 tins to a customer.
Morris' Oleomargarine, lb., 24c.</p> | <p>1,000 lbs. Gunn's Brand Breakfast Bacon, boneless, mild cured, whole or half piece, per lb., 45c.
1,000 lbs. Chuck Roasts, choice young beef, Today's special, per lb., 26c.
Round Steak, Simpson quality, per lb., 35c.
Sirloin Steak, finest beef, per lb., 35c.
Minced Shoulder Steak, per lb., 25c.</p> <p>One car Standard Granulated Sugar, 20-lb. bag, \$2.25.
1,000 pale St. Williams Raspberry Jam, No. 4 size pail, 90c.
Dingman's Napha Soap, 7 bars, 45c.
Assam Tea, regular 6 lb., 35c.
Ogilvie's or Purdy Flour, 24-lb. bag, per bag, \$1.49.
Seedling Raisins, lb., 17c.
Magic Baking Powder, 1-lb. tin, 38c.</p> | <p>Domestic Shortening, 3-lb. pails, gross weight, per pail, 85c.
Finest Baked Ham, per lb., 60c.
Winter-caught Whitefish, dressed, per lb., 15c.
Fresh Frozen Mackerel, per lb., 12 1/2c.
Fresh Frozen Lake Herring, per lb., 7 1/2c.
Finest Red Sea Salmon Steaks, per lb., 35c.
Fresh Smoked Finnan Haddies, per lb., 18c.
Shredded Salt Cod, per pail, 12 1/2c.</p> <p>Red Salmon, tall tin, 54c.
Choice Olives, gem jar, 55c.
Salt, 2 packets, 15c.</p> <p>FRUIT SECTION
California Navel Oranges, Sunbelt Brand, dozen, 48c.
Choice Grapefruit, 3 for 55c.
California Lemons, dozen, 15c.
Plant Cooking Onions, lbs., 25c.
Choice Parsnips, 7 lbs., 15c.</p> |
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Bath Mats \$1.95—Heavy Oilcloth 79c Sq. Yd. Fourth Floor

Blue Bath Mats—These have been scarce for many months, but we have just secured a large shipment. Blue and white effects—all cotton. Heavy quality and washable. Size 2 ft. 3 in. x 4 ft. 6 in., at, each, \$1.95.

Heavy Oilcloth, 79c Square Yard—After many months we have just received the first shipment of Canadian-made oilcloth. New designs and good colors, suitable for any purpose. Different widths at, square yard, 79c.

Hardwood Floors—Thousands of feet of best selected quarter-cut white oak flooring, thoroughly seasoned. Phone the Carpet Department—and a man will take measurements and give you estimate free of cost. Satisfactory workmanship guaranteed. Laid and waxed complete; 26c and 28c per square foot.

\$107 8-Piece Dining-Room Suite for \$82.55

Consisting of buffet, extension table and set of chairs in quarter-cut oak. Buffet, colonial design. Extension table, top 45-inch; pedestal base; 5 small and 1 arm chair. Movable seats, upholstered in genuine leather; 8 pieces complete, \$82.55.

Buffet—Genuine quarter-cut oak, fumed or golden finish, colonial design; 48-inch case. Bevelled plate mirror. Regularly \$44.75; for \$32.35.

Extension Table—Quarter-cut oak, 45-inch top. Fumed or golden finish. Regularly priced \$28.00. On sale today for \$20.95.

Simpson's—Fifth Floor.

TELEPHONE MAIN 7841
MARKET, ADELAIDE 6100

5-Light Hammered Brass Fixture, \$23.85

Illustrated. The amber panels in the lanterns impart a cheerful glow to its surroundings—\$23.85.

Semi-Indirect Fixture, \$9.70—The bowl measures 16 inches across. It is toned down from rich amber brown to light amber. The hanger is brushed brass—\$9.70.

Simpson's—Sixth Floor.

Charming New Chintzes to Beautify Home Interiors

The wonderful colorings and striking designs are displayed to best advantage and suggest what effects can be made by combining chintzes with plain fabrics in harmonizing shades. The prices are surprisingly moderate and the range of chintzes almost unlimited.

Draperies Made to Order—Our man will call to take correct measurements and advise as to the most appropriate style for your windows. No charge for this service.

Chintz Slip Covers Made to Order—For any style chair or chesterfield. Nothing will brighten your rooms more than slip covers of carefully selected chintz—besides preserving the under covering.

Simpson's—Fourth Floor.

Special Values in Wall Papers for Today's Selling

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