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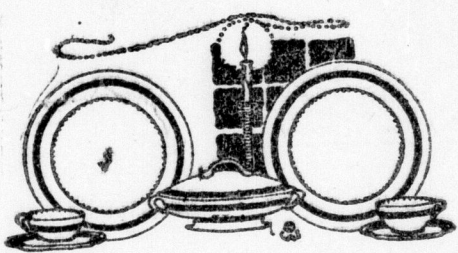
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The Christmas Store

A Transfer Card

Will Simplify Your Christmas Shopping

With your first purchase ask for a transfer card, which you will receive with your name and address and amount of your purchase marked thereon. Present your card and have it marked when finished in each department, and when your list is completed you will find all your purchases collected at transfer desk, where you will arrange for delivery and payment of same. No confusing of making change or leaving your purse or parols on counter. This is the safe and sure way when shopping on busy days.



English and French Dinnerware

In 97-Piece Sets and Open Stock Patterns.
FRESNO—Dainty design, in mauve and tan, 97 pieces, \$27.50.
CAMERONIA—New design, with black border and pink roses, square vegetable dishes, 97 pieces, \$35.00.
PALMERIA—Pink rose pattern, 97 pieces, \$30.00.
ALMERIA—Very pretty pattern in gold and pink, 97 pieces, \$25.00.
FRENCH CHINA—Gold and white, Elite Limoges, Open stock.
Bridal Rose, Nippon China, open stock pattern or 97-piece set, \$60.00.
Indian Tree Coalport China; also Royal Crown Derby, and a few pieces of Mikado Crown Derby.
A complete set of Fancy China, Nut Bowls, Sugar and Creams, Cocoa Sets, Bon-Bons, Fancy Salt and Peppers and Condiment Sets.
A complete line of Pyrex Ovenware.
Rich Cut Glass in many pretty designs.

BASEMENT.

Novelty Silk Gloves For Gifts



Another pretty style, with laces at the wrist, and side closing, and embroidered backs of black, colors, mode, pongee, white and black and white. A very dainty glove. Price \$2.00 pair.
Heavy quality double silk glove, "Niagara Maid," a warm, comfortable glove, and lined throughout. Colors—Mode, grey and black. Price \$2.50 pair.
Another double silk glove, with heavy backs, in brown, grey and black. Price \$1.50 pair.

MAIN FLOOR.

Gift Suggestions

We Want to Emphasize ----

That this Christmas store contains so wide an assortment of new goods so well displayed and conveniently arranged that you can decide upon your purchases more quickly and shop here most satisfactorily. Do you remember Christmas week last year, when you vowed that, never again—oh, no; my Christmas shopping will be done in November next year. You'll have to hurry—this is December 4. We have a suggestion: begin now and shop in the mornings, if possible. You'll soon catch up.

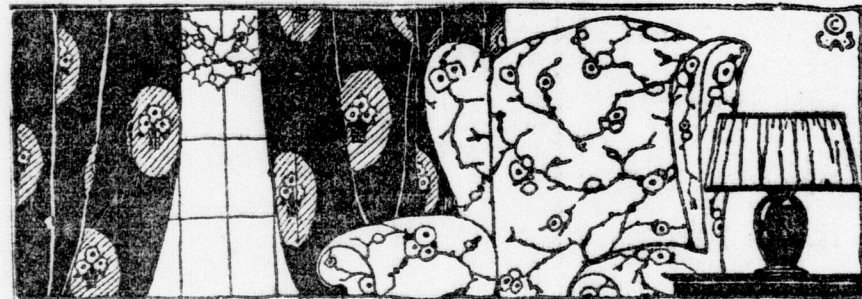
A Silk or Satin Petticoat

Ladies' Shot Taffeta Petticoats, fancy full elastic band. Price \$7.75.
Habutai Petticoats, pleated from hips, adjustable band, in all shades. Price \$10.50.
Novelty Striped Satin Petticoats, accordion pleated flounce. Price \$12.50.
Shot Taffeta with novelty border at bottom of pleated flounce. Price \$8.75.
Silk Jersey Petticoat, satin or silk flounce. Price \$10.50.
All Jersey Petticoat with novelty trimming at bottom. Price \$12.50.
Silk Moire Petticoat, in beautiful shot and plain shades. Prices \$5.00 to \$8.75.

Japanese Padded Jackets and Vests

Ladies' Japanese Padded Satin Jacket to hip, in all shades. Price \$6.50.
Japanese Jacket in silk, all shades, including black. Price \$3.95.
Padded Vest with sleeve, satin, all shades. Price \$3.95.
Padded Vest, black and shades, with sleeve. Price \$3.00.
Sleeveless Vest, a variety of shades. Price \$1.95.
Sleeveless Vest in silk, all shades. Price \$1.75.
Ladies' Eiderdown Dressing Jackets, in all shades, satin trimmed, in sky, rose and helio. Price \$6.50.

SECOND FLOOR.



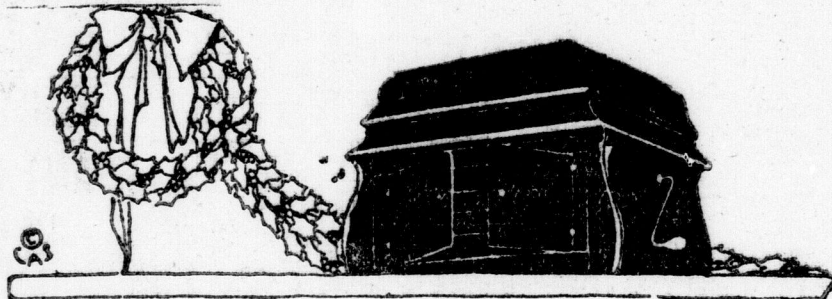
Gift Furniture

SPINET DESKS, reproduced in mahogany and walnut from original designs. Priced at \$70.00, \$80.00 and \$100.00 each.
SEWING TABLES, made in mahogany, walnut, oak and wicker; some very neat designs in mahogany and oak priced at from \$10.00 upward, and in wicker priced at \$8.00, \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$14.50.
TEA WAGONS in oak, mahogany and walnut, made in the Queen Anne and William and Mary period designs. Priced, in oak at \$35.00, and in walnut and mahogany at \$45.00 and \$50.00.
WICKER CHAIRS AND ROCKERS are inexpensive and will give comfort to the recipient for many years. These Chairs and Rockers are made with spring seats and with tapestry-covered cushions. Priced at \$20.00, \$30.00, \$40.00, \$42.50, \$45.00 and \$50.00 each.

BEDROOM MATS.

Brighten the sleeping-room with one or more Lambton Mats. They are reversible and are easily laundered. Two sizes, 27x54 inches and 36x63 inches; rose, blue and grey. Priced at \$6.00 and \$8.50.

THIRD FLOOR.



Christmas Records

18627, 10-inch, double, 90c—"When the Preacher Makes You Mine."—Adele Rowland; "Granny."—Adele Rowland.
Hear these songs. The first one is in happy ragtime vein, while wedding bells ding-dong in the pauses. The second is a memory-song by the little girl who used to crawl up on granny's lap.
18628, 10-inch, double, 90c—"I Love You Just the Same, Sweet Adeline."—Lewis James-Chas. Harrison; "Pretty Little Rainbow."—Sterling Trio.
The first song is composed by the same man who wrote "Sweet Adeline," that popular favorite of long ago. Hear this record on the Third Floor.
45171, 10-inch, double, \$1.25—"Tell Me."—Lambert Murphy. "Yearning."—Lambert Murphy.
These popular songs, sung by this well-known tenor, are sure to meet with your approval. Hear this record on the Third Floor.



Gift Suggestions at Lace Counter

Lace Camisole Yokes, complete, ready to make up, with silk or ribbon or on teddies. Prices \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 each.
"Lily White" Corset Covers, Swiss embroidery, in dainty designs, shaped, including strapping to match. Prices \$1.00 and \$1.25.
Embroidery Flouncing for baby dresses, 27 inches wide, with frill. Price \$1.50 yard.
Embroidery Flouncing, scalloped, 27 inches wide. Price \$1.75 yard.

Better Quality Bedspreads

A GIFT THAT WILL BE APPRECIATED.

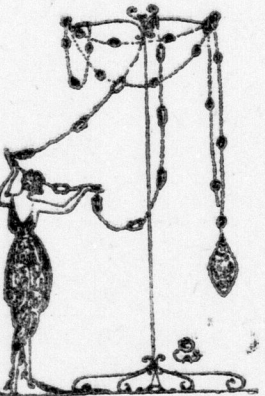
A shipment of Finest Quality Irish Embroidered Spreads, purchased for last season's business, and now just to hand, marked at very attractive prices; delightful quality linen-finished spreads, with extra wide hemstitch, also scalloped edge; a limited quantity at the following prices. See these early.
Sizes 72x90 inches. Each \$5.25, \$5.95, \$6.50.
Sizes 90x100 inches. Each \$6.95, \$7.75, \$8.75.
Irish Embroidered Envelope Day Slips at \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.50 pair.
Irish Hand-Embroidered Pillow Cases at \$2.50 and \$3.00 pair.
Heavy Linen-Finished Cotton Embroidered Scarfs in several dainty designs, marked at extremely low prices. Each \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.25.

HAND-MADE INDIA CROCHET.

Another lot of this delightful work at special prices. You will find many Christmas gifts in this work reasonably priced.
6-inch Doilies 18c to 35c.
8-inch Doilies 50c and 59c.
9-inch Doilies 75c and 85c.
10-inch Doilies 95c.
11-inch Doilies \$1.25.
12-inch Doilies \$1.35 each.
Centres \$2.75, \$3.25 up to \$8.75 each.

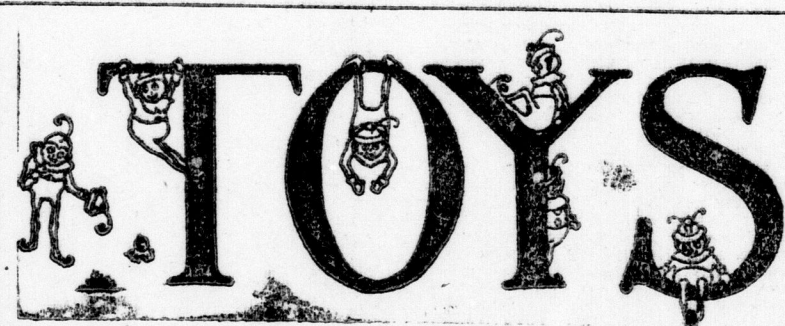
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Jewelry Gift Suggestions



Ingersoll Watches, for the boys. Price \$2.75 to \$5.50.
Gold Wrist Watches, 15-jewel movement. Price \$15.00 to \$20.00.
Ribbon Watch Bracelets, with gold clasp. Price \$1.00.
Lingerie Chains. Prices \$25c, 35c, 75c pair.
Special line of Pearl Earrings, small, medium and large. Price \$50c pair.
Oriental Pearl Earrings, medium and large, extra value. Price \$98c pair.
Fancy Colored and Jet Earrings, with or without drop. Price 75c and \$1.50 pair.
Fancy Bar Pins, in sterling and silver, with white brilliants, smart styles. Price \$1.00 to \$5.00 each.

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Haven't Been in Toy Town Yet?

Why, you are missing part of Christmas. Get yours now while they are here.

MECCANO—SIZES AND PRICE.	Transformers
0 \$1.50	Steel Toys 35c to \$4.25
O.A. \$1.50	Cap Pistols, 10c, 15c and 25c; Caps, 5c package.
1 \$3.00	Pop Guns, 50c; Repeating Cap Rifle, 65c.
2 \$6.00	Long Tom Disappearing Cannon. \$2.00
2.A \$3.00	Cannon on wheels; can also be used as cart. 60c
3 \$9.00	Boat on wheels \$1.00
3.A \$6.00	Bright Colored Wooden Carts \$1.00
4 \$15.00	Electric Merry-Go-Rounds 30c, 35c, 60c and \$1.25
4.A \$5.00	Climbing Monkey 50c
5 \$20.00	Blitz Andy 75c
Meccano Electric Motor \$2.00 and \$4.00	Alabama Con Jigger 35c
Meccano Electric Transformers \$3.00	Sandy Andy \$1.00 and \$1.15
Special prices in Erectors, One-third off regular prices.	Cyclone Pumps \$1.15
Microscopes, \$4, \$5.50, \$9.50, \$12.50, \$14.50.	Panama Pile Driver \$1.50
Steam Engines, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.65, \$2, \$2.50, \$4, \$4.25.	Tin Drums 25c and 50c
Steel Soldiers, 65c, 75c, \$1.25, \$1.75.	Calf Skin Drums 65c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$3.75
Windup Trains on Tracks, \$5.00, \$1.65, \$2.25, \$3, \$3.50, \$4.25.	Electric Merry-Go-Rounds \$4.25 and \$5.25
Electric Trains, \$7.25, \$7.50, \$9, \$10.50, \$12, \$16.50, \$21, \$27.	Register Banks \$2.00 and \$2.50
Jumpy Tinker, 35c; Tom Tinker, 50c; Miss Lily Tinker, 85c; Tinker Toy, 75c; Tinker Pins, \$1.75.	Combination Safes \$50c, 60c, \$1
	Lion Banks 25c
	Wheelbarrows, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2
	Rocking Horses \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.25
	Kiddie Cars \$2, \$2.50 and \$3
	Hornets, \$6.50, \$12, \$13.50, \$15, \$18

BASEMENT.

Christmas Hosiery

Ladies' Novelty Two-Tone Silk Hose, newest hose worn; neat and dainty. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Price \$2.25 pair.
Ladies' Pure Silk Hose, with jersey ribbed tops, very elastic. Colors white, black, navy, champagne, gunmetal, pearl grey and brown. Seamless, double feet. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Price \$2.00 pair.
Ladies' Black Lisle Hose with ribbed garter tops, very elastic, seamless, spliced feet. Sizes 9 to 10. Price 75c pair.
Ladies' Fleeced Lined Black Cotton Hose, soft and durable, made especially for those who cannot wear cashmere. Ribbed garter tops and double feet. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Price 50c pair.
Eiderdown Bed Socks, warm for chilly nights. Price 50c pair.

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Ribbons Ribbons

Duchess Ribbon, bebe width, in pink, pale blue, red, green and mauve. Price 6 1/2c and 7 1/2c yard.
Duchess Ribbon, 1 1/2-inch wide, in white, pink, pale blue, red, green and purple. Price 10c yard.
Duchess Ribbon, 3/4-inch wide, in white, pink, pale blue, red, green and purple. Price 15c yard.
Duchess Ribbon, 1-inch wide, in white, pink, pale blue, red, green, mauve and alicia. Price 25c yard.
Duchess Ribbon, 1 1/4 inches wide, in white, pink, pale blue, red, green, mauve and alicia. Price 35c yard.
Duchess Ribbon, 2 inches wide, in white, pink, pale blue, red, green, mauve and alicia. Price 45c yard.
Duchess Ribbon, 3 1/4 inches wide, in white, pink, pale blue, green and mauve. Price 65c yard.
Duchess Ribbon, 3 3/4 inches wide, in white, pink, pale blue, green. Price 75c yard.

Gifts for Men

Sweater Coats Silk Shirts



Men's All-Wool Sweater Coats, extra good quality, in shades of tan, maroon, grey, brown, cardinal and navy; sizes up to 44; neat shawl collar with or without collar. Extra good value. Prices \$7.00 to \$12.00 each.
MEN'S HAND-KECHERS—Pure Irish Linen, hand embroidered. Initial. A very suitable gift, boxed, half dozen in a box. Prices 45c, 50c and 60c each, or \$2.50, \$2.00 and \$3.50 per box.
Plain Linen Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, 1/4-inch hem. Prices 50c and 60c each.

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SILK SHIRTS—Handsome patterns, in a variety of shades; the large stripe effect is most popular, all pure silk and made to fit. Sizes 14 to 17. A very appropriate gift. Prices \$7.50, \$9.00, and \$10. Also extra quality pure white silk at \$8.50.
Raw Silk Shirts, Pongee shade, \$5.
MEN'S PAJAMAS—Nothing more highly appreciated at the Christmas season than a suit or two of Pajamas. We are showing a splendid range of silk, silk mixtures and flannelette, all the regular sizes. Prices \$3.50 to \$11.00 suit.

Gifts for Men

Men's Gloves Neckwear

Men's Grey and Tan suede and Grace finish Gloves, all silk lined, extra fine quality, in sizes 7 1/4 to 9 1/4. Prices \$2.50 to \$3.00 pair.
Men's Tan and Grey Mocha Gloves with soft fleece and pure wool knitted lining. Sizes 7 1/4 to 10 1/4. Prices \$2.50 to \$3.00 pair.
MEN'S WOOL GLOVES—Scotch knit, in tan, grey, black and heather mixtures. Very fine, soft finish, warm and comfortable. These gloves will give service. All sizes. Prices \$1.25 to \$3.00 pair.

MAIN FLOOR.

Always in great demand at Christmas; easy to make a selection here. The designs are handsome, the quality of silk is superb; a very large assortment to choose from. Prices \$1 up to \$3.
MEN'S MITTENS—Every man needs a muffler; they are a protection to the neck and also keep your collar clean; wool or silk as desired. Think of mufflers when you are planning your gifts. Jacar Pure Wool, in grey, brown and natural shades; also Knitted Silk Scarfs, in plain and mixed shades. Prices \$2.50 to \$5.00 each.

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY

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To Consumers of Bituminous Coal

The Fuel Controller for Canada, having succeeded in securing a daily allotment of Bituminous Coal for Canada, is obliged, in view of the great demand, to confine shipments to public utilities and hospitals.

All other users of Bituminous Coal must secure their requirements from the stocks of coal now in storage in Ontario until such time as public utilities and hospitals have secured a supply sufficient to carry them through the winter, or until the United States Government increases the present allotment.

Importers of Bituminous Coal are cautioned not to order shipments forward, as no coal will be permitted to leave the United States until so ordered by the United States Government.

H. A. HARRINGTON
Fuel Administrator for Ontario.

Toronto, December 2, 1919.

Nelson Parliament Chosen as Speaker in Ont. Legislature

TORONTO, Dec. 3.—Nelson Parliament, Liberal M.P. for Prince Edward, has been elected by the Ontario Legislature as speaker in the new Ontario Legislature.

Premier Drury has issued a denial of the assertion that Major Thomas Kennedy, Conservative, elected for Peel, was offered a Government position if he would retire from his seat in the Legislature in favor of Hon. Manning Doherty, minister of agriculture.

The standing of the members in the House since the last election is: U. F. O., 45; Labor, 11. The coalition thus has a total following of 56, a majority of one.

Mr. Parliament's acceptance of the speakership gives the Government a majority of two, as it decreases the Liberal following by one.

Mr. Parliament has been a member of the Legislature since 1914. Before the U. F. O. movement assumed political importance, Mr. Parliament was a member of the organization in his riding.

Mr. Parliament is 42 years old, having been born at Ameliasburg, where he still lives. He is of United Empire Loyalist stock, and was educated at Belleville. He was married in 1899.

PROBE IS AUTHORIZED.
WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 3.—Investigation of the Ford-Newberry senatorial election contest in Michigan was authorized today by the Senate, which adopted a resolution by Senator Pomeroy, Democrat, Ohio, providing for the inquiry.

"Pussyfoot" Declines Money Testimonial; Blind School Benefits

LONDON, Dec. 3.—William B. Johnson, the anti-saloon organizer, for whom the Evening News opened a testimonial because of injuries received in a recent "ragging" by students, has written to the paper, asking that the money thus raised be sent to St. Dunstan's Hostel for the Blind.

Mr. Johnson, whose eye was removed a few days ago, is progressing satisfactorily and will leave the nursing home tomorrow.

Poincare Will Not Retire at End of Presidential Term

PARIS, Dec. 3.—(Havas).—President Poincare does not intend to retire from public life upon the conclusion of his presidential term in February, according to an article published today in the Journal.

"I do not believe I have come to the age of retirement," he is quoted as saying. "I have declared that my seven-year term should coincide with the greatest disturbance of history. I have acquired ideas which I will place at the service of my country as long as I keep my strength, and I confess that I do not feel at all exhausted."

KING IS PLEASED BY SUCCESS OF PRINCE'S VISIT

Glad That New Link Formed
Between Canada and the
Motherland.

IS PROUD OF HIS SON

Particularly Appreciates Good
Will Engendered in the
United States.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—(By the Associated Press).—Although the welcome home dinner to the Prince of Wales at Buckingham Palace Monday night was a private function, King George greeted his son in a set speech, addressing him as "my dear son," and adding, "I wish you a most hearty welcome on your return home, safe and sound."

The King expressed his pleasure at the remarkable enthusiasm with which the prince had been received everywhere and because he had forged a new link between Canada and the motherland. In this connection the King referred to a telegram he had received from Prime Minister Borden conveying his congratulations to the King and Queen on the remarkable success of the visit of the prince and the wonderful impression the heir to the British throne had made on the people by his untiring labors and irresistible charm of manner.

Extreme pleasure was expressed by King George that the prince had been able to see President Wilson, and that the president was progressing toward recovery. He also spoke in appreciation of the "cordial and may I say affectionate, welcome you received from the Government and New York."

The King proceeded to say that it always had been his earnest wish for the closest and friendliest relations with the United States, and that his trust was that the prince's visit had assisted to that end.

Entirely Satisfied.
"I wish to say," King George continued, "how entirely satisfied I am with the way in which you carried out these two very important missions I entrusted to you. Although your staff has been of the greatest help, I feel that the success has been mostly due to yourself for you have played up from the beginning to the end. You have shown the highest sense of duty. Your speeches have been excellent. Your personal charm and your smile have won all hearts. Both your mother and I are proud of you."

The prince, replying to his father, began: "Your Majesty, I feel very diffident in attempting to reply to this toast. When you bade me farewell I felt very proud of the mission you had entrusted to me. I was following your footsteps, setting out to see the empire for myself, and I meant to do my utmost to be worthy of your confidence."

Deeply Grateful.
"It is still a proud moment for me when I hear from your lips that you are pleased with the way in which I carried out my task, and I am deeply grateful for the far too kind words you have said about me. I have had a wonderful journey, a wonderful experience, and can never adequately express my gratitude for the universal kindness and hospitality shown me."

"But I am not conceited enough to suppose that all this was personal to myself."

"Wonderful welcomes were given me, as your son and heir, in one of your own dominions where the happiest memories of your and the queen's visit eighteen years ago are deeply cherished today."

"I also greatly enjoyed my visit to the United States. I was received with the utmost cordiality and am most grateful for the kindness of the public welcome, both in Washington and New York."

"I had the honor of being received by the president, despite the illness which has afflicted him, and am happy to say that I found him steadily recovering."

The prince concluded by tributes to his staff and expressing an intensified desire to see more of the British Empire.

**LIBERAL CANDIDATE
IN EVERY RIDING IN
NEXT ELECTION**
Not Out to Fight Labor,
Farmer, Soldier Candidates
A BROAD PLATFORM
Has No Regard for Class,
Race or Creed—Can Be
Universally Applied.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
OTTAWA, Dec. 3.—A comprehensive but compact system of organization, coupled with a campaign of education by publication and word of mouth, has been decided upon by the convention of Liberals which has just finished its conference at the capital. Delegates declare that the gathering was eminently successful and have returned to their homes imbued with an enthusiastic desire to further the Liberal cause along the lines laid down at the conference.

The conference decided that there should be no "string" upon any funds contributed for the purpose of organization. It is fully anticipated that those who desire the furtherance of Liberalism and who favor the Liberal platform will subscribe fully to the organization. The party does not

desire, in the event of its being called upon to form a ministry, that its hands shall be tied because it has handed down the giving of which was tacitly conditional upon the carrying out of the wishes of the giver.

Early in the new year a speaking campaign will be launched and the best speakers of the Liberal party available will visit various points of the Dominion and expound the Liberal platform as laid down at the recent national convention. Among the speakers will undoubtedly be Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, who contemplates a tour of the west; Ernest Lapointe, M. P. for East Quebec, who will likely tour Ontario; A. R. McMaster of Bromfield, W. S. Fielding and others.

There will be a Liberal candidate in every constituency at the next election. It is not a question of opposing the farmers, the soldiers or labor," said one of the delegates last evening. "Liberalism is the largest democratic convention ever held in the Dominion laid down a platform for the people, farmer, soldier and labor included. We believe in that platform and would be remiss in our duty if we did not commend it to the people through a candidate in every county of the Dominion. We are not out to fight any candidate of the farmers, the soldiers or labor. We are out to place our policy before the people of Canada and to request their approval of it. That platform has no regard for class, race or creed. It can be universally applied, and if properly presented we believe it will commend itself to liberal-minded people all over the Dominion."

For the purpose of keeping in close and constant touch with the central organization here an executive committee composed of prominent Liberals living close to or in the vicinity of the capital is to be appointed.

**BLACK FOXES VALUED
AT \$5,000 ARE STOLEN**
MONCTON, N. B., Dec. 3.—Last night near Petit Codiac, about 22 miles from here, sixteen black foxes, valued at \$5,000, were stolen from the ranch of C. P. Munroe. In the adjoining woods this morning the eight carcasses were found stripped of their pelts.

DEMANDS RECOUNT.
WINNIPEG, Dec. 3.—Alderman R. H. Hamlin, representative of Ward 6, declared defeated by J. Blumberg in the civic election, has formally asked for a recount. The vote stood, Blumberg, Labor, 2,149; Hamlin, Citizens party, 2,038; Kaplanovitch, Independent, 74; spoiled ballots, 69.

"The Music Centre"

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"The Music Centre."

Join Our 1919

Christmas Phonograph Club

Have Your Phonograph Now
---at Christmas...

THIS popular club, for the easy purchase of a phonograph, will open to the public tomorrow morning at McPhillips' Music Store. This club will give members a choice of any style of Phonograph, and there will be no limit set as to the number of memberships.

To start the club off with a rush tomorrow we are offering this fine outfit on special terms:

McLAGAN
Phonograph
together with

12 Selections,
600 Needles,
1 Record Brush.

Only \$10 Down and
\$1.50 Per Week

Sent to your home at once.

This complete outfit represents extraordinary value at the price. This Phonograph furnished in mahogany or fumed oak. Plays all records, automatic stop, double spring motor, tone modulating device, McLagan-Fletcher reproducer, automatic lid support, all wood sound chamber.

Not only musically, but as an addition to the furniture of the home, it is in a class by itself. Out-of-town customers are granted the same terms. Write for full particulars.

W. McPHILLIPS

238 Dundas Street London

Xmas Neckwear

See the big display in our windows for the next few days. Prices,

50c, 75c, \$1,
\$1.25
\$1.50, \$2

John Graham & Co.

From Out the Night
You Hear the Cry:

"Oh! Why Can't I Get to Sleep?"

Thousands of people all over the country ask this question, but still continue to toss, night after night, on sleepless beds, or walk the bedroom floor until near dawn. Their eyes do not close in the sweet and refreshing repose that comes to those whose heart and nerves are right. Worry or disease has so debilitated and irritated the nervous system that it cannot be quietened. Or, again, there is palpitation of the heart, the sleep is broken by terrible dreams, you wake up with smothering spells, sinking sensations and a fear of impending death.

To be able to lie down at night and in a few minutes fall asleep—to know no dream or waking until morning—then to bound out of bed full of vigor, freshness and good spirits, ready for each and every duty the day may demand, is a blessing that can be easily achieved by using

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

They soon induce healthful, refreshing sleep, not by deadening the nerves, but by restoring them to healthy action and removing all symptoms of heart trouble, which is often the cause of nervousness and sleeplessness.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Dec. 4.15

Busy Savings Wickets!

Extensive alterations are in progress at the Main Branch of the Huron & Erie, Richmond Street:

- to improve our service to old depositors,
- to accommodate scores of new depositors,
- to eliminate delays at busy wickets,
- to provide more working space.

The work will soon be completed. As a result you will have more convenient and commodious offices in which to transact Savings and Debenture business.

Our good savings rate of

3½% per annum
payable half-yearly

means extra dollars for each depositor.

The Huron & Erie
MORTGAGE CORPORATION
"Older than the Dominion of Canada"

T. G. MEREDITH, K.C., President.

HUME CRONIN, General Manager.



London Branches:
RICHMOND STREET,
Chas. J. Clark, - Manager
MARKET SQUARE,
Walter T. Wootley, - Manager
DUNDAS STREET
Opposite Restory Street
A. H. Whitlow, - Manager

Plan Campaign for Good Citizenship in Alberta Province

EDMONTON, Dec. 3.—In the interests of good citizenship throughout Alberta, Premier Stewart is about to inaugurate a scheme that will involve a province-wide campaign of lectures by men who know how. The premier will go to Calgary and Lethbridge shortly to lay his plans before the Canadian Clubs in those cities, it being his intention to do the foundation work largely through that organization.

Mr. Stewart believes that a series of lectures of that kind throughout the province will be extremely timely and will do much to offset the evils of ignorance and un-Canadian propaganda now more or less evident.

DON'T LET YOUR COLD DEVELOP INTO LA GRIPE OR INFLUENZA

Don't give it a chance to lay you in bed for several weeks with a bad attack of Grippe or make you fight for your life to escape the clutches of Pneumonia. "A simple little cold" is a very dangerous malady to belittle.

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MONTREAL, Dec. 3.—In connection with the sensational recession of Lyall common stock to 97 today, a fall of 68 points within a month, the Gazette tomorrow will say:

"To spread broadcast unfounded rumors affecting the quoted value of a security is equally as vicious and reprehensible as to circulate absurd reports calculated to enhance its price. Present holders of Lyall would do well

to turn a deaf ear to the many grotesque stories afloat in market circles, and if possible avoid precipitate action until the situation becomes more clarified through some official statement as to the condition of affairs prevailing. Professional traders, too, might refrain in the interval from taking undue advantage of the situation."

"If the inventor of the motor has disagreed with his associates in the enterprise it is safe to assume that the company is well protected in its possession of the patents and other proprietary rights pertaining to the experiment."

"It is also possible to state that the report that the vice-president of Lyall Construction, J. E. Caine, has severed his connection with the company, or is about to do so, is as untrue as most of the rumors recently in circulation."

WILL REDECORATE ST. JOHN'S TOWN HALL

PARIS, Dec. 3.—The supreme council decided today to extend the time allowed Roumania in which to remit a reply to the latest allied note by six days. This will give Roumania until December 9, to answer the council's note, which fixed December 3, as the original time limit for a response.

\$20,000 FOR PAINTING.
PARIS, Dec. 3.—A painting by Firmin Auguste Renoir, the French artist, entitled, "Le Pont Neuf a Paris," was sold yesterday for 100,000 francs at a sale of works of art. The price for which Renoir disposed of the painting in 1872, was 300 francs.

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PROGRESSIVE LIBERALISM.

The progressive ideas of the August Liberal
Convention are being strictly carried out by
the National Liberal Organization Committee
at Ottawa. It is announced that no contribu-
tion to party funds will be accepted if there
are "strings" to it. We are to have clean politics
in Canada if Liberalism has its way.

Who will subscribe, then, if there is to be
"nothing in it?" some of the anxious old hacks
will be asking. Particularly old dyed-in-the-
wool Conservative campaigners will be disposed
to rub their hands and chuckle at the enemy's
foolish innocence. "We expect help from the
tens of thousands who support our principles,
we intend using the funds not for 'campaign-
ing,' but for the spread of the Liberal gospel of
industrial, social and political freedom; we do
not look for the support of special interests and
privileged groups, but the Liberalism of this
new age will unite and harmonize what is best
in the demands of the various elements of our
population, and will thus deserve and win the
support of Canada's rank and file"—that is
what the Liberal leader and his associates say,
and they say it in accents of confidence.

If the old hands laugh for a moment at such
virtuous bearing, they suddenly turn sober at
the thought of what happened to the Hearst
Government and its liquor friends. Money in
plenty was available for their campaign, but the
public is in no humor to be dominated by big
interests and their henchmen. Liberalism at Ottawa,
led by a simple, honest man, perfectly trained
in finance, economics and the school of life,
scorning the dodges of old-line politics, has
caught the trend of these after-the-war times.
It throws over the stale professionalism, the
wire-pulling and place hunting, and thinks to-
day what the old hands will regretfully think
tomorrow. There is no shadow of a doubt that
since the war the general public takes a dif-
ferent attitude towards government. "Our
world has passed away in wanton overthrow,"
signed Kipling. Some of that old "world"
can be dispensed with to our gain, especially the
unchallenged dominance of money in politics.
The public calls now for openness, clean hon-
esty, fair fighting and a square deal for all,
in place of the old underhandedness and Pharisa-
ism. Liberalism is doing its part valiantly to
ring out the old, ring in the new.

WHY GERMANY BALKS.

The German Government refuses to sign the
protocol to the peace pact guaranteeing that
the armistice terms will be put into effect.
This action is just what might have been ex-
pected, following the American Senate's rejection
of the treaty. Germany's main official reason
for refusing to ratify the agreement is that
it cannot be held responsible for the sinkings
at Scapa Flow. The real reason is that the
German Government hopes to secure better
terms through what it believes to be a split
in the Allied ranks. It is known that for
weeks German and political circles at Berlin
have been secretly rejoicing over the Sen-
ate's efforts to "Americanize" the treaty. They
consider it quite likely that the United States,
in the event of President Wilson "pocketing
the pact," will negotiate a separate arrange-
ment. In that case the whole peace business
would be up in the air. The negotiations
would necessarily be prolonged, adding to the
exasperation of the situation. At some points
American conditions would be certain to clash
with those laid down by the Versailles confer-
ence. It is not to be supposed that politics
would not play a part in the matter. The
American pro-German and Irish vote would not
be neglected with a presidential campaign at
hand. If she did not derive any great relief
Germany would, at least, have a magnifi-
cent opportunity to encourage discord be-
tween America and the Entente nations, and
the chance would not be neglected.

It is true that Foch has an army of occupa-
tion a million strong and at any moment the
Allies can apply the blockade in order to en-
force obedience at Berlin, but the United
States is still a member of the Versailles con-
ference. To put on the screws in order to
compel Germany to sign a treaty which the
United States Congress has not ratified, would
be inclined to cause bad feeling between the
Entente cabinets and Washington. This is
what Germany counts on to help evade well-
deserved chastisement. Discord in the ranks
of her enemies is what she has been plotting
and hoping for.

Senator Lodge and his band of treaty-
wreckers appear to have brought about a
touchy situation that might easily explode into
another catastrophe.

EXIT EMMA.

Emma Goldman, anarchy's high priestess
in the United States, is about to return to her
native land, Russia, impelled by Uncle Sam's
boot. Emma's career in the republic specula-
rily illustrates the tolerance and patience of
democracies. For many years she has been ac-
tive in preaching Red revolution in the United
States. She has been directly associated with
outlaws of society who are today serving life
terms for dynamiting and murder. Cologues,
who slew President McKinley, was this
woman's close friend, and his abominable deed
she openly praised. She actively supported
every move for the destruction of constitutional
government. Yet, outside of an occasional
brief visit to some penitentiary or jail, she has

been left free to preach her infamous doctrine.
It was only when she attempted to interfere with
the American people's war preparations that the
patience of the United States Government
came to an end and she was ordered de-
ported.

Emma does not appear to thrill over the pros-
pect of returning to the happy hunting grounds
of the Red where the anarchists never cease
from anarchy, and the decent and liberty-loving
are sent to their rest. She has fought desper-
ately to prevent expulsion. Maybe Emma knows
that while in the new world she is a sort of
Red queen, in Russia she will be outclassed by
those supreme experts in murder and destruc-
tion, Lenin and Trotsky. Emma's most lurid
stunts are dark as the shadows in a coal bin
compared to the doings of the detestable pair
who have prostrated Russia. She is a piker
compared to the Red chiefs who have pulled
down a great nation, foully murdered tens of
thousands and brought misery to millions. In
Russia Emma will be an also ran, a third or
fourth rate to this pair who think nothing of
putting entire cities to the torch, merely to
advertise their coming. Nick and Leon pro-
pose to grab all the limelight in Red Russia and
unless Emma sings low when she gets back
home she may swing high. That's a way the
Bolshevik leaders have of treating possible
rivals or aspirants to leadership. Probably the
real reason behind her unwillingness to de-
part is that she hates to exchange the safety
and comfort of "tyranny" for the peril and
discomfort of "liberty." It is cold in Russia,
and there isn't much to eat or wear. Under
such conditions it would be difficult to enjoy
the glorious industrial and social ruins which
the application of the methods she preaches
has achieved in Russia. America, the "downtrodden"
looks pretty good to Emma just now.

A REAL BIOGRAPHY WE LACK.

The publication in the Century Magazine
of Professor Skelton's "Life and Letters of Sir
Wilfrid Laurier" can hardly fail to suggest to
anyone interested in Canadian political history
the lack of a really great biography of Laurier's
predecessor, Sir John Macdonald. We are not
without biographies of Canada's first premier,
for we have several, but no one can read any of
them without feeling that the real biography
is yet to be written. It is probably true that
not until the present could Macdonald's career
have been dealt with properly, because the
letters and papers of the Canadian statesman
were not available until recently when they
were turned over to the Canadian archives. In-
deed, it is quite possible that some of them may
still be under certain reservation.

Of Macdonald's biographers in the past, Sir
Joseph Pope had best facilities for his work.
As private secretary to Macdonald he secured
the intimate view of his character, which is of
incalculable value to understanding him. But
Pope's large two-volume life practically closes
with the election of 1878, leaving thirteen
most uneventful years unrecorded. A later,
brief account of Macdonald's career by the
same writer, published in the Chronicles of
Canada series, added nothing to our knowledge
of his subject. Earlier lives by Collins and
MacPherson are sometimes valuable for the
documents they reprint, but are too partisan in
character to be satisfying. Parkin's life, in the
Makers of Canada series, while less partisan in
its character, nevertheless bears some stamp of
propaganda in its general tone and has a ten-
dency to pass lightly over questionable political
tactics in Macdonald's career.

Fulsome eulogy is the last thing that is
needed in the case of John A. Macdonald. He
lived in a time when politics was far lower in
tone than today, and he did not hesitate to
adopt tactics that would injure his opponents,
however questionable they might be. His gerry-
mander of the Ontario ridings in 1882 was a dis-
graceful piece of business for which there was
no excuse and was described rightfully by an
Opposition paper as "An act to keep the Con-
servative party in power until the next census."
Equally despicable as a piece of political trick-
ery was his Franchise Bill of 1885, which, even
his own best friends found a bitter pill to swal-
low. For the rebellion of 1885 there is abun-
dant evidence that the Government was directly
responsible. In 1879 provision was made by
Parliament for settling the claims of the Sac-
atchewan Metis, but for six years the whole
business was pigeon-holed. Macdonald must
take personal blame for this, because after the
election of 1878 he, himself, took charge of the
department of the interior for a number of
years. Col. George T. Denison in his "Soldier-
ing in Canada" deals cautiously with the in-
action of Ottawa at this time. Warnings came
from every quarter that trouble was brewing,
but the Government was indifferent. Says Col.
Denison:

The whole dispute was mainly about
or 60,000 acres of land in a wilderness of tens
of millions of acres, for which the Govern-
ment was trying to settle. It cost Canada
the lives of two hundred of her people, the
wounding of many others, the expenditure of
about \$6,000,000 in cash, and the loss of time
and business that cannot be estimated.

The whole dispute was mainly about
some red tape regulations as to surveying.
It is not often a country suffers so severely
and so unnecessarily.

These were some of the blemishes on Mac-
donald's career to which the Pacific Scandal
might, of course, be added, and knowledge of
these is quite as essential to an understanding
of his character, and his place in history as know-
ledge of the great constructive work that he did
in bringing about Confederation, building the
Canadian Pacific Railway, settling long-stand-
ing disputes with the United States, and weld-
ing stronger the ties between Canada and the
Motherland. One might wish that the fine judg-
ment, historical insight and literary accom-
plishments of Sir John Willison might be turned
to the writing of a biography of Macdonald.
Sir John Willison has the advantage of having
been a close observer of Macdonald's career
from the early eighties on, and would bring to
a work of this kind certain qualities that per-
haps no other Canadian possesses in like
degree. It would be a worthy work to set along
side the new biography of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

The Prince of Wales is busy telling the
folks at home how he did it.

From Here and There

CRUEL MAN.

[Owen Sound Sun-Times.]

Dora—What shall I sing for you, Jack?
Jack—Have you a song with a refrain?
Dora—Yes.
Jack—Well, then, please refrain.

ABSENT-MINDED.

[London Opinion.]

He—You know I love you. Will you marry me?
She—But, my dear boy, I refused you only a
week ago.
He—Oh, was that you?

EASY!

Elsie—My grandpa has reached the age of 96.
Isn't that wonderful?
Bobbie—Wonderful nothing! Look at the time
it's taken him to do it.

A FAMOUS NAME.

[London Opinion.]

Sir Walter Raleigh, who is searching for the
missing records of several squadrons of the Royal
Flying Corps, has a famous name to live up to.
When he went to Philadelphia, he was to be met
by a professor from the University of Pennsylvania.
This U. of P. professor had never seen
the English scholar, but had obtained a fairly
good description of him. The first man to get off
the train seemed to tally with it—so this is the
conversation that ensued:
"Excuse me, sir, are you Sir Walter Raleigh?"
"No, you fool! I'm Christopher Columbus. Sir
Walter Raleigh is in the smoking-car, playing
checkers with Queen Elizabeth."

THE FUMBLERS.

[New York World.]

Yale lost and Princeton won because of a fumble.
Thus many prizes in life are lost and won.
The physician and the lawyer profit from the fumbles of
others. In speculation the bull makes on the
fumbles of the bear, and the bear makes a living on
fumbles of the bull. The brothers of Joseph fumbled,
and Joseph won an imperishable place in history.
Lot's wife was too curious, fumbled, and was turned
into salt. Nero fumbled and lost his crown. The
fugitive Kaiser fumbled and lost his empire. Life
is a game in which some win and others lose. Some
gain the prize because others fumble. Perhaps the
fumbler is a necessary part of the scheme of things.
Philosophers say evil is necessary, for without evil
there would be no good. Be that as it may, there
is nothing escaping bad in the fumbles of the
world. They merit neither condemnation nor scorn,
provided they fumbled in a good cause. To lose a
battle is no disgrace. He who bravely loses, even
if he fumbles, is none the less a hero. The man
who fumbled at New Haven deserves to be con-
sidered not as a vanquished player, but as one who
fought to his utmost, lost, and yet smiles.

"This easy enough to be smiling
When the world moves along like a song;
But the man worth while
Is the man who can smile
When everything goes dead wrong."

Yale and Princeton are noted for being good
sports because they are good losers. They cheer
their fumble as they do their best. If the fumbler
who fumbled at New Haven had not done their
best, defeat would be less hard to bear—victory a
less taunting triumph.

HUNTING THE MOOSE.

[Daily Ontario.]

I have seen and hunted moose under many cir-
cumstances and conditions; often have I watched
them when they felt the presence or fear of neither
man nor beast; I have followed and observed them
in the summer months, and in the winter's snows;
I have seen the bull with the hairy tusks of spring
and the gallant antlers of fall, and I have seen
the ungainly mother and her funny
kid, writes William H. Henshaw in his "Portage."
In fact, I have known the noble but
incongruous, the powerful but awkward moose so
long, and under such varying circumstances that to
me he is no longer an animal to seek and kill for
sport, but a sort of balmy, overgrown, over-
muscled freak of a fellow to watch with interest
and amusement. When I first see him each season
I have an instinctive desire to first admire his un-
gaily, foolish, strength, and then walk up to
him like an old country friend, slap him on the
back and say: "How are you, old fellow? I sure
am glad to get back in the country again."

To me the moose is different from any other
animal in appearance, action, habits
and food. Compare his appearance. Note the long
but useful upper lip; the long, awkward, but reliable
ears; the humped-up fore-quarters, that make me
sometimes think of a circus artist portending a
combination elephant and donkey. Compare his
actions. What other animal can trot like a Maud S.
through down timber, brush and jackpine, and yet
with a noiseless speed; swim for hours in the
lake, dive to the bottom for food, and walk through
quicksand with a natural desire; is equally at home
on high land and low land, on snow, ice and water.
In open glade and thicket brush; and yet so awk-
ward, bulging, like a fat, defenceless giant, the cold-
blooded, skilful, calculating attack of the wolf.
Surely the moose is different. The "last" of a van-
ished type of the distant, misty past. A hold-over
of the Carboniferous age, the last of the bear
type. But I like him at any rate, and I
never regret that I killed the first one long
ago. Now I kill him for a useful purpose or
not at all.

Some of my first hunting experiences were with
moose. I well remember one frosty morning
in New Brunswick, Hubert Martin was the guide's
name, who hailed me on a springless wagon many
miles above the St. John River, over deep snow banks,
but mostly up creek beds we drove, until, after
several days, we came to the "Portage," and sent
our driver back, while we pitched our tent and ate
our potatoes and butter in great content.
Day after day we waded down stream, never
lifting our feet above the water, to avoid the splash
of a "break water" step. At last "the" morning
came. How fast my heart beat as we cautiously
waded around each rock and bend and perched down the
next stretch. How fervently I prayed the good God
to bless us. We were rounding the bend. How the
primal instinct came back! There on a low,
gravelly-bare island, unconscious of us, stood the
largest animal to me in the whole world—a veritable
mammoth. The Lord was with me and I feared not.
I could feel Hubert tremble. The shots rang out
on the frosty air. He turned; few faltering steps;
a dead moose; crimson waters; I, the happiest
hunter of hunters.

With true Latin emotions Hubert grasped my
hand, threw up his hat and shouted: "Ain't you
glad! Ain't you glad!" He could not understand my
apparent indifference. True, I felt proud and happy.
A dream had come true. But when I look over now
at that noble head, I feel that same sad desire to
put him back in his "bogen."
The days passed, I had killed "my moose," but I
could not resist that heavenly country of it and
game. With back packs we went to a long-aban-
doned camp to stay two days. There were many
ponds and much "sign." Slowly we walked up an
old tote road. Down we crouched as two moose
came around a bend, cow and calf. The wind in
our faces, we held our breath behind a screen of
moose weeds. Slowly the two moose came down the
road nibbling, unafraid. The calf wandered off the
road, the mother, with proper solicitude, now and
then calling it back. But all is not well. Full well
that cow knows it. Instinctively she feels some-
thing is ahead. She stops and silently looks around.
Perhaps she hears my breath, or my small, odd God
pipe. A warning, authoritative snort; the calf comes
back at once, while the cow drives it ahead as they
slowly but surely leave that country.
Another fall has come, and again I am back in
the New Brunswick woods; this time by canoe to a
chain of lakes that head the Green River and
Rimouski. We cross the little divide with back
packs. Many moose are seen, but not the big bull.
He must be near there, as so many odd God
calves. Pierre knows it. "We go ride; well test;
maybe dusk; bull come to cow. We stop for tea;
no smoke must be there; we break small, dry twigs."
Pierre lays out the fagot pile to start the little
smokeless fire. Is he crazy? Just as the fire catches
he falls on it, puts it out, grabs his gun and jumps
behind a big tree. I do likewise. A "Wuff, wuff!"
very close, as with flashing eyes looms large the
big bull, that misunderstood our cracking of dry
limbs for that tea kettle fire. No other bull could
sneak through the thicket for his harem. "Wuff,
wuff!" again. Two shots. A bull staggered against
a little tree and fell, and again an excited "Latin"
voiced his joy. And so, next day, after a night
under the trees, two happy men staggered camp-
ward, one with huge horns, the other with green
scalp.

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DECORATING FOR DAVID.
By Dorothy Douglas.

more swiftly away. When the pink
roses were ordered—then would David
Trevor pass out of her life. Something
strangely compelling had gripped her
heart. She would not allow herself
to realize that out of a whole world
of men she had found only one, and
that she was furnishing an apartment
for that one's wife. The thought sent
the blood from her cheeks and David,
watching her, felt his own heart beat-
ing unsteadily.

He, however, mastered any emotion
that made the earth tremble under his
feet and said quickly, "If you don't
mind and if it wouldn't interfere with
your ideas—could we not have those
four prints you so admired in my
office framed and hung in the dining-
room?"

"I wanted to buy them myself,"
he said softly, "but didn't feel I
should be so extravagant. They would
be just the finishing touch to these
walls."

David's business was the handling
of old English prints, and it pleased
him not a little to know that he could
with complete artistic taste use some
in his own home.

"I'm hoping when the apartment is
finished and I am no longer your
client, that you will come in occasion-
ally and look over my collection. I am

just next door."

"When your wife is back," said Mo-
nica in a curiously hard voice, "you
will not be knowing who is next door
to you—nor caring."

This was the only dangerous bit of
ground she had stepped on during
their acquaintance, and she realized
it the moment the words left her lips.
She laughed quickly, giving him no
time to reply, then went over and let
her fingers run idly over the keys of
the splendid toned grand piano they
had bought together and installed in
the big studio. It was dusk now and
David switched on the light. One of
the exquisite rose shades sent its
charm wandering softly through the
room. Monica continued to play in
order to still the thumping of her
heart. She wanted to gain calm be-
fore again essaying speech.

David came and stood behind her,
looking down at her golden head.

"Now sit in that comfy Chesterfield,"
he commanded gently, as if for many
days he had been picturing her there
and was now actually seeing her.

The color flamed swiftly into Monica's
cheeks—cheeks that had grown too pale
during the strain of David's companion-
ship. "I'm knowing when the apartment
that obeying his whims was the better
part to play."

"Now," he said softly, and with a

great amount of controlled emotion he
neath his tones, "if you just had some
sewing—"

"David—don't," she cried swiftly.

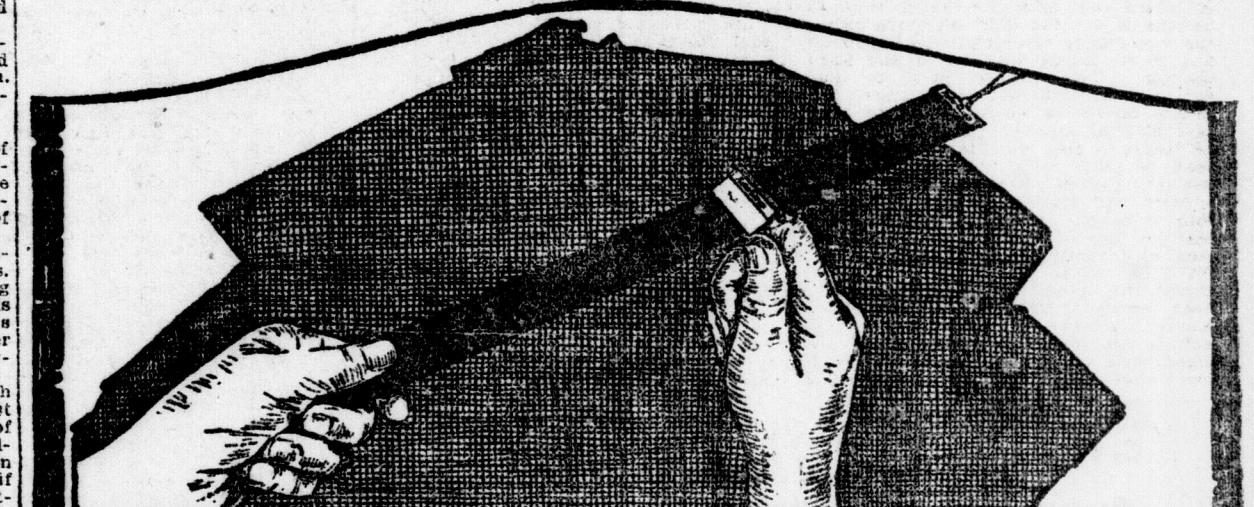
"I will," he said and held her close
within his arms. "I have loved you for
ages. I loved your voice over the tele-
phone when I could hear you talking
with upholsterers, rug men, furniture
men and too many times with other
men with whom you made lunch en-
gagements. All this I could easily hear
when our windows were open." David
was speaking swiftly now, for Monica's
hair was brushing his face and her
lips were trembling and he had to hold
her fiercely in order to still the quiv-
ering of her body, "and once I saw you
entering your office. It was that day
I decided to have a wife—I want you
dear, as soon as you can make up
your mind to come."

Monica looked slowly about the won-
derful studio—just the kind of home
she had dreamed of—then back to the
love in David's eyes, just the kind of
eyes she had dreamed of.

"September's only three days off,"
she said, "and I have three estimates
to get out before—"

"Then will my wife come home?"

"She couldn't help coming even if
she wanted to—David."

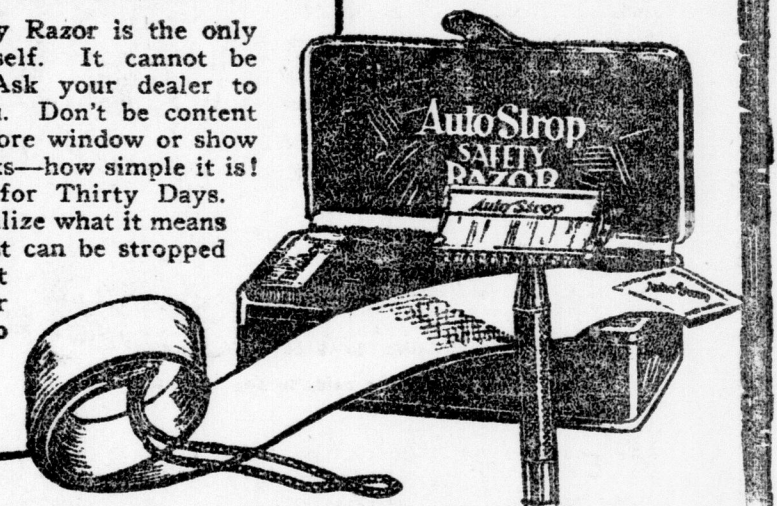


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BLenheim, Dec. 3.—The matter of erecting a monument in memory of the soldiers from here who made the supreme sacrifice overseas is attracting attention again. At a meeting of the council held this week it was brought up again by Councillor McEwen. After some discussion it was decided to lay the matter over until December 15, when the council will decide whether or not a vote of the electors shall be taken on it. The council seems quite favorable towards doing something. The Canadian Cannery Company is closing contracts for 1920 tomatoes, and is offering the farmers contracts guaranteeing 50 cents per bushel.

BAKERS AND MILLING INTERESTS ALLEGED TO HAVE CONSPIRED

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MASTER BAKERS HEARD

Protest Against Decrease in
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OTTAWA, Dec. 3.—That a conspiracy had been unearthed between certain milling interests and some bakers in Montreal and that action might be taken against them from 100 to 125 persons, was the statement of Commissioner W. F. O'Connor, K.C., of the Board of Commerce, to a deputation of master bakers who waited upon the board this afternoon. Flour had been sold to bakers, he asserted, with the agreement that a certain fixed minimum price should be charged to the consumer.

VOCATIONAL TRAINING

What the New Order-in-
Council Means to Ex-
Members of Any of His
Majesty's Naval or Military
Forces Regarding Vocational
Training.

(1) Ex-members of His Majesty's naval or military forces, discharged before November 1, 1919, must apply for vocational training on or before February 1, 1920.
(2) Those discharged after November 1, 1919, must apply within three months from date of such discharge.
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bread. They also presented various other complaints. They were heard by Commissioners O'Connor and Murdoch. The deputation was headed by Mark Bredin of Toronto. After an hour's round-table discussion with Commissioners W. F. O'Connor and J. A. Murdoch they left, feeling, apparently, much more kindly disposed toward the Board of Commerce and its work.

Harry Neal, Windsor, who introduced the members of the deputation, said they had come with the idea of placing before the board the reasons under which the bakers of Canada were working. Mr. Bredin told of the formation of a committee at the recent meeting of the Master Bakers' Association, with the present visit as the result. Press dispatches had intimated that the Board of Commerce was seeking to reduce the cost of mill feeds and thus add 20 cents a barrel to the cost of flour. It meant adding half a cent a loaf to the cost of bread, and that meant one cent increase to the consumer, who could not afford to pay it.

Commissioner O'Connor informed the speaker that the Board of Commerce had nothing to do with the price of mill feed. The board was not a price-fixing organization, though it had limit profits, and the cost of mill feed was a matter for the Canadian Wheat Board. He questioned why, if half a cent more were added to the cost of bread, the cent more a loaf.

Mr. Bredin replied that his colleague had himself to half-cent price. The board, said Mr. O'Connor, could overcome that by ordering the sale of tickets at so many per dollar. The farthing would not then matter.

Mr. Bredin claimed that many bakers were working on so small a margin that the addition of half a cent a loaf to their costs would enforce the increase of a cent to their customers. This was the last straw, Commissioner O'Connor asked the witness whether or not the bakers were the only people responsible for sending the deputation here.

Mr. O'Connor stated that at Montreal it had been found that as a result of persons connected with the milling interests selling their product to bakers with the proviso that they charge a certain amount for the bread a conspiracy had been unearthed in which from 100 to 125 persons in the milling and baking interests were mixed up, and action might be taken against them.

Mr. Bredin said the deputation was also representing the interests of the people to whom an increase of one cent in the cost was a vital matter. Much more so, he thought, than a cent on a quart of milk. Commissioner Murdoch challenged this, pointing out that cheaper millfeeds, which the bakers objected to, would not only bring about cheaper milk but also cheaper meat and dairy products.

In the Wrong Few.
Mr. Bredin had appealed to Mr. Murdoch to tell him as a labor man, if he was "in wrong." "You're in the wrong few," replied the commissioner, adding that the board of commerce had not dealt with the price of millfeeds; that it was a matter for the wheat board. "You should go to the wheat board and ask that no increase in the cost of flour be allowed," he said.

Mr. Bredin then turned to the reports of cost the bakers were required to submit. They had so many reports to make and so many requests for information about their business that the bakers were tired of them. They wanted to have the board reach the minimum soon. They had been bandied about from one living branch of the labor department to the food board, then to the board of commerce. Some bakers were spending from \$2,000 to \$2,400 a year in supplying reports, while others were neglecting reports altogether.

Of 100 bakers in Montreal, not more than twenty or thirty were reporting, and the same was true in other cities. All should be required to report or none at all. The bakers, however, were always ready to co-operate with the government departments, but they wanted this matter placed on a fair basis.

Mr. O'Connor explained that as soon as the board was able to it would see that every one of the bakers was reporting. That was the law, and it would be enforced. If the bakers did not wish to make reports they must have the law changed. As to the falling off in the number of reports, that had come as an unpleasant surprise to him when he returned to the cost of living work after an absence of a year and a half. The war had made government supervision of business necessary, and when there had been an attempt to drop it a loud outcry had arisen from the people, but by that time the reporting system had fallen off considerably. The only way the board could conduct its work properly was by getting accurate reports, and these it meant to have.

Mr. Bredin then said that the constant flood of letters to the bakers should cease. Some time there were three or four on the same question. "Then they no longer care," he said. "Then they don't care," asked Mr. O'Connor. The bakers' spokesman said it was not always possible to tally the number of leaves produced from the amount of flour used. Mr. O'Connor replied that the experts who received those letters and tabulated the monthly summary, which many bakers said was valuable to them, made allowance for all necessary losses and wastage. Mr. Bredin admitted that the reports were very valuable and that the bakers were pleased with the work the board was doing at present.

Dent Harrison, Montreal, said the necessary accounting for the reports was costing his firm \$2,000 a year. He admitted that the record obtained was valuable. John Bridge of London, Ont., and G. C. Morrison of London, Ont., the former suggesting that there might be group gatherings at which the bakers of a district or province could be met by the board of commerce and have explained to them just what the board wanted them to do.

At the conclusion of the hearing Mr. O'Connor thanked the bakers for their visit and said he thought there would be a result be a better understanding of the board's work.

SAYS A PROSPEROUS RURAL POPULATION FIRST THING NEEDED

Canada's Wealth Comes From
Soil, Declares Drury.

UNBRIDGE, Dec. 3.—Premier Drury spoke at a meeting held here tonight in the interest of H. H. Hulse, president of the U.F.O., and the farmers' federal election. In addition to the premier and Mr. Halbert, Hon. Peter Smith, provincial treasurer, addressed the gathering.

Premier Drury said the first thing needed in Canada was a prosperous and contented rural population. Canada's wealth came from the soil, he said, and it would be many hundreds of years before Canada would become chiefly a manufacturing country. Anything that interfered with the development of agriculture interfered with the development of the whole country. The whole question of the country was a federal one. "It is your big question in the Dominion elections," he added.

"Touching on the farmers' movement the premier said: "All over Canada the farmers are taking the lead in a great clean-up reform movement. It is a great thing these days to be a farmer, because you are taking a lead in a movement that will shortly be a people's movement."

Behind Tariff Wall.
President Halbert assured the meeting that the farmers were not out to hurt the businessmen of the towns. One way to lessen the cost of production, he said, would be to knock the top off the tariff wall, behind which the manufacturers of the country had been puffed for years and had grown fat and had put lots of money into Victory bonds that were exempted from taxation.

The next Dominion election would be fought on the tariff issue, Mr. Halbert said, adding in conclusion: "I am beginning to believe that the

corporations and subsidized interests rule Canada today more absolutely than the autocracies rule Russia or Germany."

Hon. Peter Smith said the U.F.O.-Labor Government of Ontario was not out for class legislation. All the farmers were asking for was a square deal. The farmers' movement's greatest asset, he said, was its plan to help the farmers along educational lines rather than in a financial way.

**SMALLPOX OUTBREAK
RESULT OF NEGLECT,
SAYS HEALTH BOARD**

TORONTO, Dec. 3.—Failure of the municipal authorities of Toronto to carry out the law in respect to compulsory vaccination against smallpox is given as the direct reason for the United States authorities establishing quarantine regulations at the border and requiring persons traveling to that country to show evidence of recent vaccination, according to the monthly report of the provincial board of health which was issued tonight.

"Toronto will be fortunate if the neglect of its board of health and council in fulfilling the vaccination law does not invite damage suits on behalf of outside points which have suffered on account of this neglect," further reads the report.

According to the reports made to the board by the municipal authorities throughout the province, there were 1,723 cases of smallpox during the month of November. Most of these were in Toronto, the smallpox figures here being 1,356.

The outbreaks in various parts of Ontario, the board states, are traceable to Toronto. So far this year there have been seven deaths from the disease. The diseases throughout the province in mild form, and that was the reason some cases as far back as last spring were diagnosed as chicken-pox.

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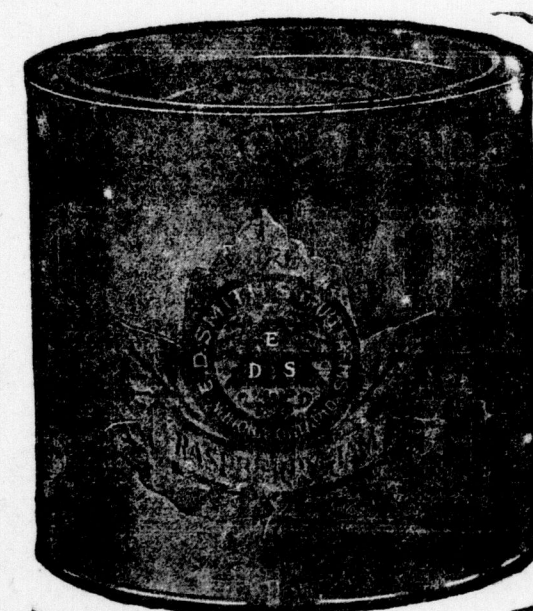
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Since the signing of the armistice the United States and Great Britain have resumed trading with Germany, as shown in reports made public today by the department of commerce.

Exports from the United States to Germany for the first ten months of the year totaled \$52,420,095, and imports from Germany \$4,914,727.

Great Britain, from the signing of the armistice to October 1, exported to Germany goods valued at more than \$80,000,000 and received imports from Germany valued at \$1,085,000. Of the total American exports to Germany \$20,608,831 were exported in October. Officials of the department of

commerce stated that although Great Britain apparently had started off with a rush in the German trade, the United States was overhauling her rapidly.

Exports from the United States to South America amounted to \$39,590,045 in October, against \$17,431,621 a year ago. Argentina received \$13,974,154, or nearly three times as much as in October, 1918. Brazil at \$12,275,000 received almost six times as much as a year ago, while Chile at \$3,149,293 decreased her purchases by about a million dollars.

Imports from South America to the United States for October amounted to \$68,287,021, of which Argentina contributed \$23,773,398, Brazil \$24,171,680, and Chile \$5,318,281.

Europe with a total of \$67,398,353 received the largest amount of American exports in October, according to the reports, classification by grand divisions. Imports were greatest from Asia, totaling, \$118,839,211 for the month.

CABINET CRISIS IN CZECHO-SLOVAKIA

Prague, Tuesday, Dec. 2.—As a result of the withdrawal of the National Socialists from the coalition with the Social Democrats, a cabinet crisis seems impending in Czechoslovakia. This action was taken as a protest against the alleged development of a radical element in the social democratic ranks, and it is reported the cabinet which is headed by Premier Vlastimil Tusar may be succeeded by one that is more conservative and which has a larger bourgeois representation.

BELGIUM IS RAPIDLY REGAINING PRE-WAR ECONOMIC POSITION

Is Already Well On the Road to Restoration.

OUTLOOK FAVORABLE

Whirr of Factory Wheels Is Again Heard and Chimneys Belch Smoke.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Prostrate under the German heel for more than four years little Belgium, in the twelve-month which has elapsed since the signing of the armistice, already is well on the road to industrial and economic restoration. In spite of the complete stagnation of some industries and the partial cessation of virtually all, and despite the systematic spoliation by the invaders, which, in some instances, amounted to complete destruction, the whirr of factory wheels again is being heard and the smoke is beginning to pour from the stacks of the country's great manufacturing plants.

Probably no other of the war-torn nations of Europe has recovered so much in such short time as the kingdom of Albert, according to reports received from C. E. Herring, trade commissioner in Brussels for the department of commerce. And in the beginning of this restoration, he says, all classes of the population have had a part—workmen, manufacturers, bankers and traders.

While there have been numerous localized labor disputes since the end of the war, Mr. Herring reports, there have been no general strikes such as have occurred in others of the combatant countries, and on the whole, he says, labor is probably more free from ultra-radical tendencies than in any other nation in Europe today. While the enforced deportation of many Belgian workmen and the

forced idleness of others made for demoralization in industry, this was balanced, in part, by the comparatively small loss of man-power, due to the suddenness with which the country was poured upon. So unexpected was Germany's descent upon the hapless people that it was impossible for Albert to mobilize his full military strength, with the result that many men of service age were unable to join the colors.

Financial Outlook Favorable. Another important factor in the early recovery of Belgium is its comparatively favorable financial situation. The public debt in Belgium in 1914 was slightly less than 5,000,000,000 francs. This amount largely represented advances for the purpose of the Belgian railways and the improvement of waterways. Both of these yielded a profitable return to the government, with the consequence that taxes were light. Interest on the pre-war debt was almost met by the net profits of the state railways.

Before the war also the per capita debt of Belgium was estimated at 7,247 francs, a figure exceeded in Europe only by Great Britain, France and Switzerland. The national debt now has grown to 19,780,054,000 francs. This amount includes 1,347,500,000 francs represented by interprovincial bonds covering German lines; 7,500,000,000 francs for the retirement of German currency; 1,250,000,000 francs borrowed from allied countries; and 600,000,000 francs for foreign loans not yet contracted. German indemnities, stipulated by the peace

treaty, amounting to 2,500,000 francs, are being relied upon to be paid before May 1, 1922. The retirement of the German mark and the restoration of the franc circulation already is virtually completed.

A principal factor in the restoration of Belgium is the industrial efficiency which characterized the country before the war. The metallurgical industries suffered more than any other group. The heavy iron works, with their buildings and equipment intact were those exploited by the German forces. Despite the reparations provided for by the peace treaty, it is expected some years may elapse before the industry can equal its pre-war production. The trade commissioner's report says that of 3,707 pieces of machinery taken away from these plants by the Germans, 5,999 had been returned by the end of October.

Cotton Mills Near Full Headway. Textile industries suffered less than the metallurgical group, because the Belgian cotton and wool trades were considered less formidable rivals to Teutonic industry. The cotton mills of Belgium have attained 70 per cent of their normal output, and it is expected that by January 1 full normal production will have been restored. Necessary repairs for looms and spindles all have been ordered from England, and deliveries are being made satisfactorily.

Labor costs from 125 to 150 per cent more than it did before the war, but some part by shop reorganization and increased efficiency in production. The eleven-hour workday of pre-war days has been cut to nine hours. Approximately half the workers are women. One interesting feature has been the substitution of an entire week's holiday for the various minor holidays to which the workers were accustomed. The mills of Ghent are booked well ahead with orders, and goods are being exported to Holland, Great Britain, France and to South America. Resumption of normal production in the woolen mills of the Verviers district has been delayed longer because of the difficulty of obtaining raw materials. At present the woolen mills have reached about 35 per cent of the normal pre-war production, and the situation is steadily improving. Coal mining suffered least of all the

Belgian industrial properties which were under German control, and production already has attained 55 per cent of the standard before the war. Exports are going forward to Switzerland and Rumania in return for foodstuffs. The scarcity of coke has retarded unfavorably upon such of the steel plants as have resumed operation. Only 643 ovens out of 2,554, which were producing in 1914, were in full operation when Mr. Herring made his report.

Most of the minor industries also are said to have been more or less embarrassed by the lack of fuel and the uncertainty of delivery of raw materials. There is no lack of sugar in Belgium, and a surplus is available for export. Nearly all the sugar mills were kept in operation by the Germans throughout the war.

To avert labor disturbances, the government has taken an active part in disputes between the workers and employers with gratifying results. While wages have increased in most industries at least 100 per cent, and in some instances considerably more, they have not kept pace with the increase in the

cost of living. Labor union leaders have been generally disposed to adopt conciliatory methods where possible, and the government has been able to force arbitration in nearly all cases where trouble has arisen. During the war 1,386 miles of Belgian railways were destroyed. All but about 35 miles has been restored, and recovery of rolling stock from Germany has been going forward. There is still an acute lack of locomotives. In agriculture, the entire country except the devastated regions of West Flanders, Fries and Dixmude were put under intensive cultivation last spring, and the harvest is generally satisfactory. The yield of wheat, oats, barley and rye was particularly good. While Belgium still has many hard problems to solve before restoration can be regarded as complete, it is the opinion of many observers, Mr. Herring writes, that she will be among the first of the belligerents to recover from the war.

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We have always taken the lead in the reforms effected in the bread making business, because these reforms were in the interests of our patrons as well as ourselves. In all our reforms the bread-consuming public has stood by us, knowing that we were giving them better bread and better service than they could obtain elsewhere.

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Suggests Agitation in Canada Against Titles Camouflage

LONDON, Dec. 3.—(Canadian Associated Press).—A dispatch to a Manchester daily paper says there are signs that Canada is beginning to think over again on the question of conferring titles, and notes that a Montreal paper has recently described the resolution of the Canadian House of Commons, deprecating such conferrals as the work of professional democrats.

MONTREAL CAPITALISTS PROPOSE TO BUILD A SIXTEEN-STORY HOTEL

MONTREAL, Dec. 3.—Representatives of New York and Montreal capitalists waited on the board of commissioners at the city hall this morning and asked for permission to build a sixteen-story hotel to cost \$3,000,000. They urged that the city bylaw which limited the height of buildings in Montreal to ten stories should be lifted for the hotel, because it would not pay if of less height than sixteen. The site of the proposed hotel is the corner of Peel and St. Catherine streets.

The Montreal capitalists behind the venture include Lord Shaftness and E. W. Beatty of the C.P.R.

"HUSH MONEY" PAID IN TRANSACTION BY STANDARD RELIANCE

Former Manager Says \$250
Paid to G. H. Cooper to
Secure Silence.

TORONTO, Dec. 3.—When W. S. Dinick, former manager of the Standard Reliance Mortgage Corporation, which is being judicially investigated here, stopped out of the witness box this afternoon he was promised a few days' respite and a week's time in which to refresh his memory and produce documents in connection with the Grand Valley transactions of 1905. He was unprepared this afternoon to go into details of the probe will go on tomorrow with M. J. Kent, manager of the London Loan Company, as witness. It was stated today that Mr. Kent was being called at his own request to straighten out financial tangles in connection with the Huron and Bruce.

In connection with the taking over of the Canadian Homestead Loan and Savings Mr. Dinick said that a certain \$10,000 check from the Homestead to the Standard never went into the latter company's assets, because A. J. Pattison, president of the former concern, got it for retiring from office. It was shown that the Standard also purchased \$10,200 of bonds in the Grand Valley, which transaction was somehow involved with the other.

In connection with the transactions of the Canadian Savings Company Mr. Dinick frankly admitted that a payment of \$250 had been made to Geo. H. Cooper, a director of the Canadian Savings, to secure his acquiescence, or against this type of thing at every purchase," he said. "After a deal was made people would write and threaten, and amounts were paid to stave off these threats."

CALGARY MAN APPOINTED.

OTTAWA, Dec. 3.—Arthur Edward Resborough of Mount Royal College, Calgary, has been appointed junior magistrate of the Dominion observatory, by the civil service commission.

WITNESS SAYS STRIKE LEADERS URGED UPRISING

Detectives Tells of Speeches
Made at Meeting in the
Majestic Theatre.

"MUST BE REVOLUTION"

R. B. Russell, on Trial at
Winnipeg, Stated to Have
Used the Words.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 3.—Reports of speeches made by George Armstrong, R. J. Johnson, R. B. Russell, and Blumentberg, at a meeting in the Majestic Theatre featured the evidence at the trial today of R. B. Russell for alleged seditious conspiracy.

The reports were prepared by W. F. Feppery, a Macdonald Agency detective, who had attended the meeting at the instance of the city police authorities, and taken shorthand notes of what he called "startling alarms." They were brought to the attention of the court by counsel for the crown with the object of showing that the necessity for a revolution, bloodshed if possible and preferably, in Canada had been urged at the meeting.

In the report of Russell's speech the accused was stated to have said labor had never done anything by legislation, and that there must be a revolution. Russell was also said to have declared, with a snap of his fingers: "We don't care that much for the city, provincial and Dominion governments of Canada."

Praised Bolsheviki.

Russell also asserted, according to Feppery, that the only places in Russia where anarchy prevailed were the places where the allies were in control, and that the Bolsheviki were giving good order and government in that country.

Armstrong did not say "anything startling," according to the witness, but Jones, who "seemed kind of excited," asserted that revolution was coming, and that he was present for the purpose of educating labor to seek control of everything throughout the country, with or without bloodshed.

Blumentberg, whose witness characterized as the most vigorous speaker at the meeting, took occasion to correct previous speakers, who had said that the Socialists were not advocating revolution. Feppery's report stated:

"If they were not advocating revolution they would not be here," was another remark attributed to Blumentberg.

Talked Too Fast.

The witness was put through a sharp cross-examination by Robert Cassidy, K.C., senior counsel for the defense, and to the test of the ability of the witness as a shorthand writer Mr. Cassidy dictated a passage from a document.

The lawyer read the passage at the rate of 200 words a minute, and the witness soon gave up the task of taking notes and protested that he was not supposed to write shorthand at such a speed. He explained that he did not profess to be an expert shorthand writer, and only claimed that he could write longhand and found it useful for his own purposes on that account. He maintained that his report was a true report of portions of the speeches of the time of the court was taken up with the evidence of the Northwest Mounted Police in different parts of Canada. More than a dozen "mounties" were called in this connection, the familiar and popular red and gold of their uniforms giving a welcome touch of color to the scene.

At the suggestion of Mr. Cassidy the judge ruled that the jury should get a chance of reading the documents put in as exhibits, and when the proceedings closed for the day his lordship turned over a huge batch of exhibits as something to write on to beguile the time on their "first night" of regular court work since the jurors decided on holding night sessions four nights a week.

Afternoon Session.

Evidence of the seizure of documents was given by various police officials in the afternoon. Searches, it was shown, had been conducted at Vancouver, Edmonton, Bruce Mines, Alton, Windsor, Toronto, Montreal, North Bay and other places. A crowd then recalled witness Percy, a court reporter at Fernie, B.C., who reported the miners' convention at Calgary in February, 1919. He had been told to stand aside until the shorthand notes which he took were ready to be obtained. These, said Mr. Andrews, were now available. The witness was asked to name any individuals at the miners' convention who were also present at the Calgary convention in March.

He gave the following names: H. Baird, E. McNabb, Alex. Roberts, E. Davis, M. D. Pachut, J. O'Sullivan, H. Smith, S. Marzole, A. Benson, W. J. Keene, Ed. Brown and E. McKinnon. The witness said that there might have been some more that he could not remember.

DENY PUBLISHING SEDITIONS LIBEL

WINNIPEG, Dec. 3.—F. J. Dixon, M.L.A., and S. J. Woodworth were arraigned in the assize court today and pleaded not guilty to charges of publishing seditious libel. Both Dixon and Woodworth appeared in their own defence with no assistance of counsel. At the request of Hugh Phillips, K.C., for the crown, the hearing was postponed until January 7, 1920.

CHICAGO HOTELKEEPER STARTS THE MOVEMENT TOWARD LOWER PRICES

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Managers of Chicago's biggest hotels today showed no inclination of following the action of the Hotel LaSalle, one of the largest in the city, which yesterday ordered a sweeping reduction in the prices of rooms and food. Ernest J. Stevens, manager of the hotel, explained today that the reductions were made in the hope of starting a general movement "back toward reasonable profits."

SIX MEN KILLED BY EXPLOSION IN MINE

CLINTON, Ind., Dec. 3.—Six men were killed late today by an explosion in Boyle coal mine No. 3 at Jacksonville, five miles west of Clinton. Three others were seriously injured. The cause of the explosion has not been determined. Officers of the company and officials of the mine were among the killed.

TWO MORE DIE FROM SLEEPING SICKNESS

WINNIPEG, Dec. 3.—Two more deaths from "sleeping sickness" and one new case were reported today, bringing the total of deaths from the mysterious disease to twelve, and the number of cases to 38.



The Phonograph Brings Christmas Cheer

WHAT is home without good music? Your wife will cherish such a gift because of the cheer and contentment it will bring into the home; your children will delight over the phonograph because of the added joy it brings. Consider the phonograph as a gift, first as a producer of cheerfulness and secondly as an embellishment to the home. The choicest varieties of machines and records are shown here.

"Rayola" Phonographs

Have stood the test for four years and are gaining favor daily with the people. We have sold between \$15,000 and \$20,000 worth of Rayola Phonographs and every customer is a booster for the Rayola. If you do not believe this, give us your name and we will give you the names of owners of Rayolas who live near you.

Rayola Table Phonographs - \$50 Finished in mahogany.	Rayola Table Phonographs - \$75 Finished in oak.
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The above Rayolas are all fitted with double spring motors and tone reducers. They play all makes of records without attachments by the use of diamond or steel needles. Call and see our display and be convinced that the Rayola is

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Just received a shipment of BLISS SPEAKERS, which surpass all speakers we have ever seen. There is no rubber or mica used in this speaker, the diaphragm of which is made of prepared silk. The longer it's used the better it gets. We expect a shipment of the most simple attachment yet invented to arrive any day for the Edison machine, which will take the above speaker. Price, complete, \$12.00. Every owner of an Edison should have one of these attachments, which enables an Edison to play all makes of records.

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Send us three of these ads—all different—for a FREE trial size cake of INFANTS-DELIGHT.
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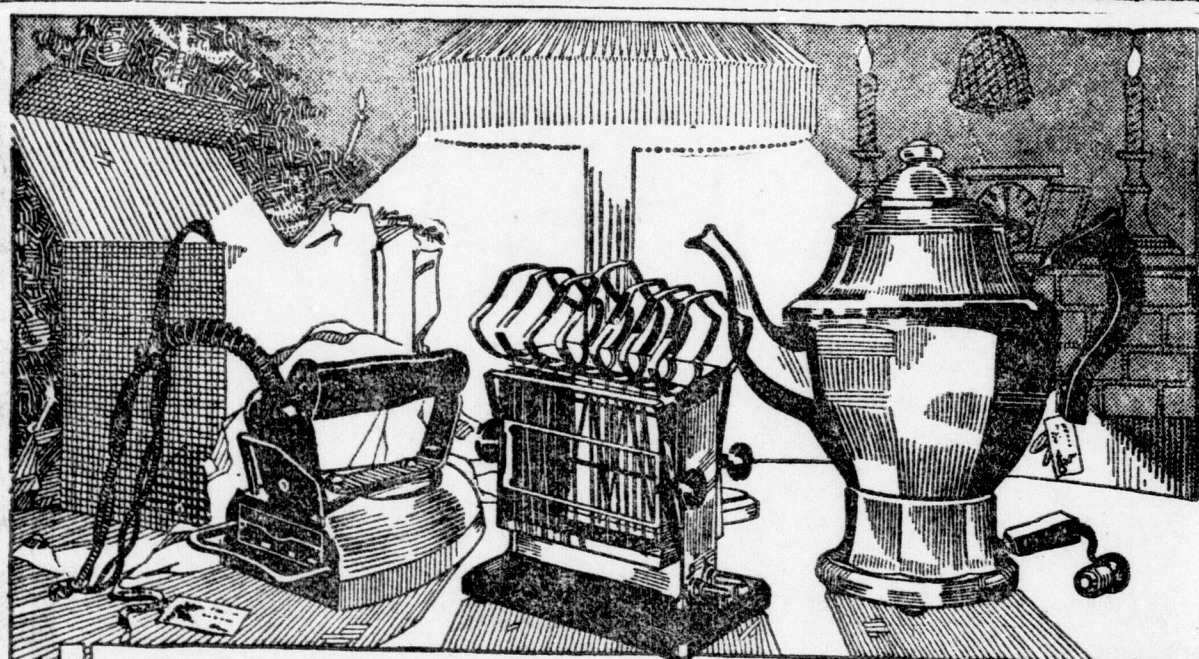


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who has the good fortune to receive a Nordheimer Apartment Upright has a treasure for a lifetime. Compact in size though it be, yet it has a depth, a quality, a responsiveness of tone, like unto a fine grand. Every inch a musician's piano. Designed to conform to the most artistic surroundings. The musical ear and the discerning eye recognize in it a masterpiece. It goes into the best homes. What gift can compare with a

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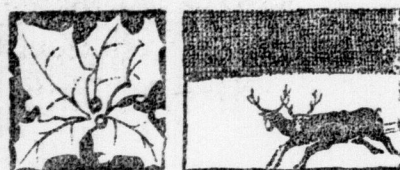
The Store of the Christmas Spirit



Extra Special!

All-Wool Spencers, \$2.50 and \$3.50

All-Wool Spencers, in black, white and grey, heavy, honeycomb stitch, with long sleeves or sleeveless. Extra special value, \$2.50 and \$3.50



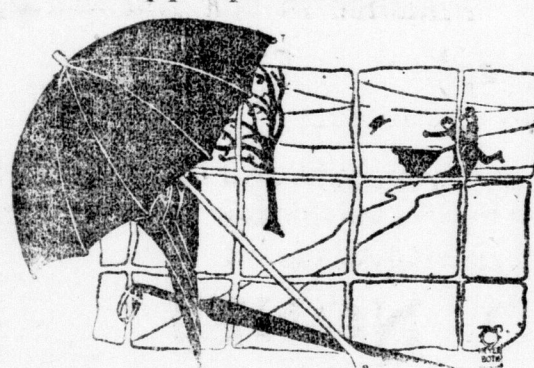
Give Silk Camisoles

Camisoles made from good quality silk habutai, in white, flesh or maize, lace yoke and shoulder straps. Special at... \$1.25
Black Silk Camisole, with short sleeves, lace yoke. Special... \$3.98
Extra Special—Silk Camisole, in a large variety of styles and colors, embroidered and lace trimmed, with and without sleeves... \$2.98
Silk Camisoles, white and flesh, lace yoke, short sleeves. Special... \$1.98
Camisoles of extra quality wash satin, slip-over style, trimmed with real lace, medalion front. Special... \$4.50

Give Silk Underwear.

Silk Envelope Combinations, made from pink and white habutai silk, daintily trimmed with val, lace and insertion. Special... \$4.25
Envelope Combinations, made from good quality Wash Satin, prettily trimmed with laces and insertion, finished with ribbon. Special... \$4.95

Umbrellas Are Always Recognized as a Sensible, Appropriate Gift.



And with the rainy season ahead, who wouldn't appreciate an umbrella for a Christmas gift? Surely you couldn't possibly give anything more appropriate, anything more sensible, or that would be appreciated more. And please don't think that it is absolutely necessary that your gift of an umbrella be one that has a gold handle and made of the very finest quality silk for a cover. Quite true, if you can afford to give this kind of an umbrella, so much the better, but on the other hand, thousands of people will appreciate a good, serviceable umbrella—the kind that will stand wear and service. Here you will find umbrellas at various prices from... \$1.25 to \$9.75

Time for Warmer Bedding

Crib Comforters, size 27x36, silkline covering... \$1.98
Crib Comforters, size 36x42, silkline covering, pink or blue... \$2.98
Bed Comforters, silkline covering, size 66x72. Special... \$3.50
Bed Comforters, silkline covering, in assorted patterns, sizes 66x72... \$3.95
Bed Comforters, silkline covering, in floral designs, size 72x72 inches... \$4.50
Bed Comforters, covered with turkey red chintz, size 66x72 inches... \$4.95
Same style, 72x72 inches... \$5.95

For Baby's Christmas Give a Gift That Will Please the Mother, Too.

Babies' Long White Dresses, made from lawn, voile and batiste, neatly trimmed with baby embroidery and baby lace... \$2.50 and \$2.98
Baby Shortening Dresses, made from rice-cloth, lawn, batiste and voile, neatly trimmed with baby lace and embroidery. Special values... \$1.50, \$1.98, \$2.50, \$2.98, \$3.95

Santa Claus Extends the Helping Hand In Making This a Sensible Christmas

If old Santa himself could come into London and have a personal talk with you he would no doubt say to you the identical words used here. This store is pursuing a Christmas policy according to what the wishes of a practical Santa Claus would be, and all our stocks reflect this to the highest degree. If your gift making is to be moderate in cost, if you want practical, useful gifts that will give real service and pleasure, then the suggestions below will appeal to you at once.

Blouses That Answer the Call of Fashion

Better Quality Georgette Blouses, \$8.00 to \$12.50

Special showing of new models in High-Grade Georgette Blouses, in white, navy, flesh, peach, beaded and embroidered fronts, round and V neck collars. Special... \$8.00 to \$12.50

Round-Neck Crepe de Chine Blouses, \$4.95

This Blouse is made from extra quality crepe de chine, in round neck or V-neck style, neatly embroidered front, hem-stitched collar and cuffs; colors, white, flesh, peach, rose, navy, brown, taupe; sizes to 44. Extra special value... \$4.95

New Cascade Back and Push Combs, 50c to \$2.50

Jeweled Cascade Back and Push Combs, done up in attractive gift boxes... 50c to \$2.50

New Strap Purses and Vanity Bags

Special Christmas showing of Strap Purses and Vanity Bags, in a range of styles and colors, moderately priced. From... \$1.00 to \$3.50 each

New Beads, 25c to \$3.00

Christmas showing of Beads, in pearl, rose, black and colors, short, long and medium sizes. Priced from... 25c to \$3.00

Turnbull's Fall and Winter Underwear.

Children's Black Tights, elastic on sateen band... 75c to \$1.30
Children's All-Wool Vests and Drawers, plain and ribbed... \$1.00 to \$1.50
Infants' All-Wool Vests... \$1.25 and \$1.50
Ladies' Short-Sleeve Vests... 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.98
Ladies' Long-Sleeve Vests... 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00
All-Wool Vests and Drawers, natural or white... \$2.50 to \$3.95
Children's Union Combination Suits... \$1.00 and \$1.50
Ladies' Combination Suits, short sleeve or long sleeve... \$2.00 to \$7.50
Ladies' Bloomers... \$1.25 and \$1.50

Choose Your Gift From the Remnant Counter.

Here you will find remnants of various materials suitable for waists, skirts, dresses, kimono, etc., at a considerable saving.

Sample Imitation Fur Sets \$3.50 to \$8.75

We have just received a shipment of English Imitation Fur Sets, seal and caracul, in black, grey and brown, large pillow muff and long stole, in throw-over style. Priced 40 per cent less than regular. Per set... \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.75, \$5.50, \$6.75, \$8.75

Girls' School Dresses

Parents will find this a thrift offering because these Dresses are very unusual in style and quality of material, made from navy blue cotton serge and black and white shepherd checks, in a variety of trimmings; sizes to 14... \$2.95



Crepe de Chine and Silk Waists, \$3.75

This lot comprises Crepe de Chine and Silk Waists, in round neck and V-neck style, some have embroidered fronts, others plain; sizes from 34 to 44; regular value to \$4.95. Special sale price... \$3.75

Complete Showing of Christmas Voile Blouses, \$1.50 to \$5.50

Blouses made from voiles, in various qualities, in a range of styles \$1.50 to \$5.50 each

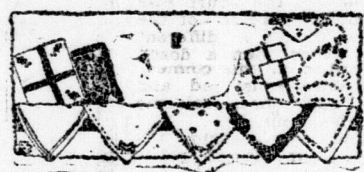
White Silk Waist, \$2.50

This Blouse is made from good weight Jap silk, in neat, plain style, hemstitched collar and cuffs, finished with pearl buttons; sizes to 44. Each... \$2.50

New Georgette Blouses, \$7.50

New Georgette Blouses, daintily embroidered fronts with bead work, including the new bib effect; colors of white, flesh, maize, navy, brown, taupe, grey; sizes to 44. Extra value... \$7.50

Handkerchiefs Should Undoubtedly Occupy First Place on Your Gift List



There will probably be more Handkerchiefs given this Christmas than for many years. You can't possibly go wrong in giving Handkerchiefs, for one can't possibly have too many. There are Handkerchiefs in plain and embroidered styles, lace trimmed, and many in Christmas boxes, and Handkerchief Calendars.

The first big feature of our display is the collection you will find at 25c. Included in these are a lot of sample Handkerchiefs that are worth double.

Gift Handkerchiefs, in Christmas boxes. A box... 35c, 39c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50

Children's Handkerchiefs, boxed. At... 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c
Men's Handkerchiefs, each... 15c to 45c
Hand-Embroidered Madeira Handkerchiefs at... 45c and 50c
The Popular Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs in a range of colors, at... 25c
Special showing of Colored Border and the corner embroidery at... 15c
Seal-Pack Envelope, three in a package. Special... 3 for 25c
Children's "Mannequin" Movable Handkerchief Folders... 20c each
Special Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, extra quality... 25c each
Special Boxed Handkerchiefs, containing two Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 25c box
Special Boxed Handkerchiefs, containing three children's Handkerchiefs... 25c box
Special Boxed Handkerchiefs, containing three and four Handkerchiefs... 50c box

Hosiery Is Favored By Every Woman



Black Cotton Hose, with natural merino sole, full fashioned and seamless; sizes 8 1/2 to 10... 75c pair
Seamless Plain Cashmere Hose, double heels and toes, sizes 8 1/2 to 10... \$1.50 pair
All-Wool Black Cashmere Hose, white or black, Mercurry, full fashioned, sizes 8 1/2 to 10... \$1.98 pair
Ribbed Cotton Hose, 1-1 ribbed, sizes 5 1/2 to 10; a good serviceable hose... 35c pair
Winsome Maid Guaranteed Silk Hose, in white, navy, brown and black. Special... \$3.00 pair
Novelty Silk Hose, lace stripe, in black and navy... \$2.75 pair
Cashmerette Hose, in black and nigger brown, sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Special... 39c pair
Cashmerette Hose, in black, nigger brown and cream, good weight stocking, 49c pair

Christmas Sale of New Model Corsets, \$1.25 and \$1.98

LOT NO. 1 AT \$1.25

A Comfortable Lightweight Corset, designed for slight and medium figures, made from white coutil, with elastic top, sizes 19 to 26. Special... \$1.25

LOT NO. 2 AT \$1.98

A smart new model, designed for slight and medium figures, fine hook, Paris clasp, medium bust, long hip and skirt with hook below front clasp, four hose supporters... \$1.98

"Electra," the New Knitting Yarn for Sweaters, Scarfs, Tams, Etc., 45c for Two-Ounce Skein

We have just received a shipment of Electra Knitting Yarn, in all the new shades, also black, white, grey and brown... 45c for 2-oz. skein
Knitting Needles, 12-inch 25c pair, 15-inch 35c pair

Ladies' All-Wool Serge Dress, \$14.50

Ladies' All-Wool Serge Dresses, navy, black and brown, plain round-neck style; sizes from 18 years to 40 bust measure. Extra special... \$14.50

Special Values in Good Black Silks

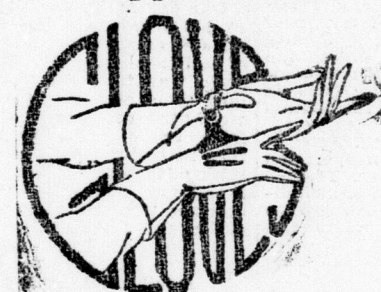
Heavy Satin Duchess, \$3.50

One piece Heavy Black Corded Silk, 32 inches wide, Swiss make. Special, per yard... \$2.50

Extra Large Black Underskirts, \$1.98

Extra Large Black Underskirts, made from heavy quality Farmer's satin, shirred flounce, drawstring top. Special... \$1.98
Spun Glass Underskirt, in floral effects, pleated flounce. Extra special... \$3.50

Gift Gloves Are Always Appreciated.



You know how it is—you dearly love to get Gloves for Christmas yourself, so you may be very sure that your friends are of much the same mind.

Fownes' Chamois Gloves, in grey, fawn, natural and white. Special value... \$1.25
Fownes' Black Suede, two dome fasteners, old value... \$1.75
Fownes' Washable Cape Gloves, with black points. Special... \$1.98
Washable Chamoisette Gloves, white, chamois, black, grey... \$1.00 pair
Children's Unlined Cape Gloves... \$1.50
Boys' Lined Kid and Mocha Gloves... \$1.50
Children's White Chamoisette Gloves, 75c
Wool Gloves from... 65c to \$1.00

Two Christmas Specials in Quality Silks, \$1.98 Yard

Georgette and Crepe de Chine, in range of wanted colors and shades, 36 inches wide... \$1.98
Silk and Cotton Poplin, in navy, brown, grey and sand, 36 inches wide. Special... \$1.98

Children's Fur Sets Moderately Priced.

Children's Fur Sets, in white Thibet lamb, white ermine, French cone, blue Angora, Chinese wolf, round or pillow muffs, scarfs and stoles to match, trimmed with heads and tails. Priced at... \$4.50, \$5.50, \$6.75 to \$19.50

Girls' Warm Winter Coats, \$14.50

Girls' Blanket Cloth Coats, in blue, brown, green, grey, plaid effects, finished with high waistline, belted styles, convertible collar, sizes 8 to 14 years. Special... \$14.50

Girls' Warm Winter Coats, \$10.75

Check and Plaid Blanket Cloth Coats, in brown, green, grey and purple, finished with belt, in high-waist effect, sizes 8 to 14 years. Extra special... \$10.75

Guaranteed Black Taffeta, \$2.85, \$3.00 and \$3.50

Special values in Imported Black Taffeta, including Bonnet's well-known make, full 36 inches wide. Priced at... \$2.85, \$3.00 and \$3.50
Black Silk Poplin, 36 inches wide, good black, excellent finish. Special \$1.98 yard

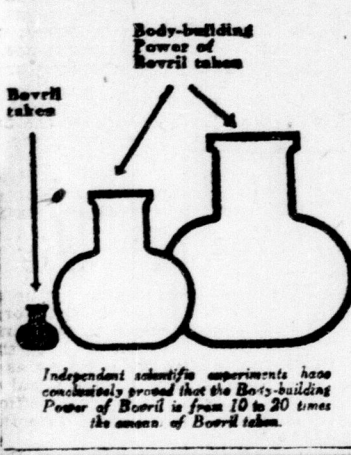
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The great "key food" that makes other foods more nourishing.



MUCH DISTRESS CAUSED BY THE MINERS' STRIKE

Wednesday Was Marked by More Shut-Downs and Restrictions.

PRODUCTION IS SMALL

Several States Relying on Volunteers and Soldiers to Work Mines.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—More strenuous efforts were put forth today by state and municipal officials and representatives of industry over the country to conserve the remaining supply of bituminous coal and in the producing states to replenish this supply.

The day was marked by more shut-downs and restrictions and added reports of distress, especially in the west and southwest. There were almost no reports of increased production.

Summarized, the fuel situation tonight stood as follows: Federal troops were ordered to Oklahoma tonight to protect volunteer miners.

Governor Gardner of Missouri announced that his state would take over the surface mines in Barton County or operation by volunteers unless the miners resumed work by tomorrow night at the 14 per cent increase in wages. State troops are on the ground for emergency purposes.

Trouble Encountered. Eleven strip mines were in operation by the state today in Kansas. Trouble was encountered there when a switching crew on the Santa Fe refused to move a train hauling volunteers and soldiers to the pits.

Governor McKelvie of Nebraska continued to enlist volunteer workers for the mines in producing states, and an offer was made to furnish Missouri with such a contingent.

Wyoming was another state that today was facing the system of volunteer mining as a result of the chaotic coal situation there. Although union officials had ordered strikers to resume work many of the mines were idle.

Chicago and Northern Illinois industry and business will be put on a six and one-half hour a day working basis tomorrow, the Illinois public utilities commission announced today. A similar order will be issued for Southern Illinois.

An Ultimatum. Operators in Iowa prepared an ultimatum giving the union miners until December 8 to return to work. If work is not resumed by that date the mines will be reopened with whatever competent labor can be obtained.

At Indianapolis the Government filed information charging eighty-four officials of the United Mine Workers of America with criminal contempt based on allegations of violation of Judge Anderson's injunction against the strike.

The railroad administration announced a system of discounting credit slips, acceptable to all major reserve banks, to pay operators immediately for coal shipments.

Four of the twelve blast furnaces of the Gary Steel Works were banked and a shutdown of two more this week was in prospect.

With nearly zero weather in some of the western states, the situation was becoming almost unbearable. At Imperial, Neb., not a pound of coal was in the town, and the people were buying fence posts for fuel. Belfast and Weymouth, Neb., also are out of coal. At some places ear corn is being burned.

Scores of telegrams were received by executives of many states appealing for relief from the precarious situation.

VILLA CAPTURED BY OWN MEN AND HELD AWAITING REWARD

State of Chihuahua Offers 50,000 Pesos for Mexican Criminal.

JUAREZ, Mexico, Dec. 3.—Francisco Villa has been captured by a force of his own men and is being held for a reward from the Mexican Government according to advices received here late today by Superintendent Caballero of the Chihuahua division of the National Railways of Mexico.

Two Villa rebels are reported to have presented themselves at the federal headquarters at Parral and notified the commander there that Villa had been captured and was being held for surrender to the Carranza forces. The state of Chihuahua has already offered \$50,000 pesos as a reward.

UNITED FARMERS MAKE PLANS TO ENTER FIELD OF POLITICS IN N. B.

FREDERICTON, N.B., Dec. 3.—The United Farmers of New Brunswick have made their first definite move in the field of provincial politics, confirming previous intimations that they were preparing for a general provincial election.

They have called a convention in Carleton County for Dec. 15 for the purpose of considering the selection of candidates in the constituency, which forms the major portion of the federal riding in which they recently elected T. W. Caldwell as member of parliament. It is expected that conventions in all the other counties of New Brunswick will follow that in Carleton County.

FINED AT GODEFRICH. GODEFRICH, Dec. 3.—Norman McPhail appeared before Magistrate Rehn today on a charge of breaking in liquor illegally under the O. T. A. He pleaded guilty. A fine of \$50 and costs was imposed, amounting in all to \$85.

"Tinker Bob" Stories

by Carlyle H. Holcomb

When Tinker Bob saw young Red Fox and his brothers lingering near the spot where Mr. Muskrat had been caught in the trap he knew that some mischief was in their mind. "Why did you frighten Mr. Muskrat until he gnawed off his foot?" asked Tinker Bob.

Young Fox granted and shook his head. "But he would never have thought of such a thing if you had not threatened him in some way."

"I only thought it would be better for him to be killed by his friends than by his enemy, the Hunter," said young Fox.

"But how easily you could have told me that Mr. Muskrat was in trouble, if you were his friend? He knew you were not his friend or he would not have been so desperate. Now I am warning you: If you are not careful, someone will catch you." Tinker Bob walked away. But young Red Fox and his brothers went on up the river path toward the Hunter's den.

"I am not to be frightened so easily as that," said young Red Fox to his brothers. "We will have chicken."

Now the Hunter's denhouse was not far from the forest, and it was full of openings large enough for young Fox to get in. When they came close young Fox stationed his brothers at the edge of the forest while he went forth to catch a hen.

There was an opening that led through the forest to the back of the hen yard. A few fat hens were scratching in the yard close to the fence. Young Red Fox followed the opening cautiously, then climbed the fence.

There was not time to wait for the hens to scatter. So he jumped from the fence. But when he landed he was a different thought in his mind: for, one front foot caught firmly in the Hunter's trap!

Now he began to think of how Mr. Muskrat felt with a steel trap pinching his foot. It wouldn't be wise to try to beat the Hunter's might hear and then he would be killed. He didn't like the thought of gnawing his foot off, as that would be painful.

As he thought on these serious questions he heard footsteps approaching from behind. He shivered, thinking his end had come. Then Tinker Bob appeared on the scene.

"I thought you would soon need help," said Tinker Bob. He then proceeded to let young Red Fox out of the trap. Not another word was said by the young Red Fox. He had learned a painful lesson. With his tail between his legs he walked away, limping but very thankful to think the King of the Forest did not have a revengeful disposition such as his own.

Making friends is a business familiar to everyone. Tinker Bob, King of the Forest, was especially glad to meet the young Red Fox in the great forest. Mr. Ground Hog had gone into his winter quarters, he had been a welcome addition to the dwellers of the great woodland.

One day as Tinker Bob was returning to his forest palace, he noticed some piles of sticks and stones about the size of a bushel basket. They were not a great way from the throne. He examined them closely and found that there were little roads leading into these piles from every side. It seemed strange that he had never noticed these peculiar stick piles before. "These have not been here long," said he to himself. "I'll wait and see who comes to this place without asking my permission."

He lingered about until sundown and as the twilight gathered he saw the head of a small creature appear at one side of the odd-looking pile. Two large black eyes looked about to see if everything was safe. Then the little creature came out in full view. His fur was delicately colored above with soft shades of grey, and below with snowy white. His tail was long and fully covered with hair. He was really a beautiful creature.

Tinker Bob ventured to speak to him. "Who are you?" said he, "and where did you come from?"

"Please, sir," said the creature, "you will do me no harm?"

"Indeed I will do you no harm," said Tinker Bob.

"My name is Jack, I'm the Wood Rat."

"But tell me when you came," said Tinker Bob. "I have never seen your house before."

"We came last night," replied Mr. Wood Rat. "We always travel by night. In fact we do all our work at night."

"Surely you couldn't build this pile of sticks and stones in one night?"

"We can build many piles of sticks in one night," said he. "When we work we work hard and do not stop to rest until the work is done."

"Have you any family or brothers or sisters?" asked Tinker Bob.

"Oh yes," said he. "We live in the other piles of sticks. You see, each one lives in his own house."

The Wood Rat smiled at Tinker Bob. "We have learned that each one will be happier if he lives in his own house."

FUEL SITUATION IS GRAVER THAN DURING WAR

Dominion Fuel Controller Calls for the Most Rigid Economy.

MAY REACH A CRISIS

Could Invoke Govt. Regulations But Prefers to Trust People.

OTTAWA, Dec. 3.—"The fuel situation in Canada was never as grave at any time during the war as it is at the present moment," declared C. A. Magrath, Dominion fuel controller, in an appeal to the public for fuel conservation issued this evening.

He drew attention to the fact that Canada had received practically no soft coal during the month of November and that the allotment of 150 cars a day which had been made was extremely small as compared with normal imports. From necessarily appearances, he said, all that could be expected was to keep the public utilities and institutions supplied with fuel in addition to meeting the domestic needs. Many industries might have to close down before winter was very far advanced.

Mr. Magrath drew attention to the fact that he could call upon the Government to pass regulations limiting the use of fuel as was done during the war. He believed, however, that an appeal to the public setting forth the gravity of the situation would result in the fullest possible response, and he therefore resorted to this means. The statement given out this evening follows:

The Statement. "While I have made two appeals to the public to conserve fuel in every possible way in view of the existing coal strike in the United States, I admit that I believed that the dispute would have been settled before this. Finally, I concluded to wait for three days in the present month and see if the miners would accept the increase of fourteen per cent offered and effective from the first instant. There is no evidence of the miners returning to work and the public of central Canada, depending upon supplies from the United States, might as well face the facts."

"We have received practically no soft coal during the month of November and are now being allotted 150 cars a day, whereas had no strike occurred we probably would have imported during the months of October and November approximately two million tons. Should the strike continue, we are now being allotted a few days we have lost so much tonnage that the situation is becoming very serious. It is quite critical. It never was as grave at any time during the war as it is at the present moment, and there is but one thing for our people to do, and that is to restrict the use of coal in every possible way. I could call upon the Government to pass regulations limiting the use of fuel as was done during the war, but I believe it is only necessary for me to make this appeal and that the public will respond to the fullest extent."

"I assume for instance that sign displays have already disappeared. If not, let the use of coal for such purposes cease immediately and street lighting likewise should be reduced to a minimum. I repeat, the situation never was more grave. I have confidence that I have only to state the facts and there will be a prompt response. From present appearances all that can be expected is to meet the domestic needs and keep the public utilities and public institutions supplied with fuel. It is quite evident, however, that many industries may have to close down before we are well into the winter."



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PREMIER OF ALBERTA APPEALS TO OTTAWA

EDMONTON, Dec. 3.—A wire has been sent by Premier Stewart to Hon. Gideon Robertson, federal minister of labor, asking for early action by his department in connection with the coal situation in Alberta. In view of the present conditions in the United States coal field, and of the urgent fuel needs of the eastern provinces, the somewhat uncertain condition of the mining industry in Alberta is considered by the premier sufficiently serious to demand prompt attention by the Ottawa authorities. Such action as will tend to stabilize the industry, and thus avoid the possible danger of further strikes and stoppage of coal from the ministry of labor.

This suggestion from the provincial to the federal authorities follows a similar request that went from Fuel Commissioner Armstrong last week.

MATERIAL SHORT, CARPENTERS SCARC, REPAIRS DIFFICULT

GALT, Dec. 3.—Farmers who had buildings damaged by Saturday's storm are finding it hard to have them repaired. Shingles are not only scarce, but carpenters are not to be had. The situation at this time of year makes it serious.

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ELLIS-BAKER WEDDINGS

INGERSOLL, Dec. 3.—The Church of the Sacred Heart was the scene of a pretty wedding at 10 o'clock this morning when Miss Marion MacFie Baker, daughter of Mrs. M. E. Baker of Durham, Que., became the bride of George Lloyd Ellis of Montreal, son of Mrs. R. J. Ellis of Calgary, Alta. Rev. Father Gnam officiated in the presence of immediate relatives and friends.

The bride wore her traveling suit of blue silverstone, trimmed with beaver and a corsage bouquet of bridal roses. She was attended by Miss Pauline Tripphorn of Detroit, while George Dyer of London, cousin of the bride, was best man. Miss Marguerite Enright presided at the organ and solo were rendered in excellent voice by Fred O'Callaghan.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the Ingersoll Inn by George Peters, caterer, London. Among the out-of-town guests was Fred Baker, brother of the bride, of Swanville, Que. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis left on the noon train for Montreal.

THORNDALE FOWL SUPPER. THORNDALE, Dec. 3.—A fowl supper was held in Harding's Hall on Monday evening under the auspices of St. George's Church. It was well attended and the proceeds amounted to over \$175.

SUBSTITUTE TRIAL BY JURY. London, Dec. 4.—Both the Daily News and Express state that the Cabinet has decided to suspend trial by jury for Irish volunteers and substitute a commission of three judges.

When Pasteur proved the relation of germs to infectious disease, he marked a big advance in that development of medical science which reigns today—the Idea of Sickness Prevention.

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Problems of This Continent
Must Be Faced Unflinch-
ingly.

New York, N. Y., Dec. 4.—Addressing the thirteenth annual convention of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents, Sir Henry Drayton, Minister of Finance for Canada, spoke of reconstruction problems.

"The great underlying principle of reconstruction as it appears to me," he said, "is that reconstruction is not a mere matter of improved state of society, as such a reconstruction, which, while preserving the right to initiative, also provides incentive for effort, will at the same time to the fullest extent possible."

INFLAMMATORY
RHEUMATISM
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Rheumatism is a constitutional disease, caused by the acid blood. It manifests itself by pain and lameness attacking the muscles and joints of the body, which often swell and become hot and inflamed.

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Sir Henry urged the fullest production, the greatest amount of useful work and the practice of economy and thrift everywhere.

International Trade Increases.

Referring to trade between Canada and the United States, Sir Henry said that during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1919, Canadian imports from the United States amounted to 45.5 per cent of the whole. But during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1919, the other hand, the percentage of purchases made by the United States from Canada exports, not only has increased in a like ratio, but has declined, as the percentage of Canadian exports to the United States in comparison with total Canadian exports for the year ending March 31, 1919, was 24.7, only amounting to 37.56.

"The problems of the North American continent," Sir Henry concluded, "will have to be worked out by its respective countries and to an ever-increasing degree the problems of the world will be solved by your great republic and the confederated nations of the British Empire. With a history with laws, interests, traditions and aspirations so largely common, the essential elements for civilization and humanity ought to be, and I am confident, will be, harmonious and effective."

PERTH COUNCIL FOR
LIMITING LIABILITY
IN HIGHWAYS ACT

STRATHMORE, Dec. 3.—At this afternoon's session of the Perth County Council the report of the county property committee was adopted, increasing the salary of Jailer Hugh Nicol from \$300 to \$1,000, commencing with the first of the year.

A resolution was passed and will be forwarded to other councils, petitioning the Government to amend the Highway Act, relieving the municipality from liability for damages to any motor vehicle or person riding in the same, except in the case of physicians or veterinary assistants when engaged in professional duties.

DIES IN DETROIT.

Dr. J. H. B. B. died at his residence in Detroit of the death of Mrs. Edward Berrin, formerly Miss Teresa Berrin, who was organist at the Church of the Immaculate Conception for five or six years, and was a resident of the city for many years. She died at her residence in Detroit at 7:30 Thursday morning.

TECHNICAL SCHOOL.

The question of the proposed technical school was discussed at a meeting of representatives of the college and university of the city, held at the city hall, on Monday evening last. The meeting was held at the city hall, on Monday evening last. The meeting was held at the city hall, on Monday evening last.

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TORONTO, Dec. 3.—Inland revenue officers this afternoon found a still, fully equipped and ready for business, which they invaded premises near the city hall, owned by the W. C. T. U. The still was found in a room in the building, which was occupied by two Italian women, who were found in possession of the still. The still was found in a room in the building, which was occupied by two Italian women, who were found in possession of the still.

WOOL IMPORTATION
WILL HAVE LITTLE
EFFECT ON PRICES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Importation of Australian wools to the auction at Boston will have little effect on the prices, according to a report today by the tariff commission. It was said that the Boston auction merely placed the Australian transactions of normal years.

Should importations prior to next June depress prices appreciably, the report stated, the effect on the price of the 1920 clip, based on the assumed carry-over of Australian wool, would be less than if no importations were made. The report added that a gradual rather than a sudden decline should be desired by producers.

MARINE NEWS

PORT COLBORNE, Dec. 3.—Up North—Lakewood, 6 a.m.; Imperial, 2 a.m.

The steamer Riverton will go to winter quarters here tomorrow.

SARNIA, Dec. 3.—Up—Wolvin 11 a.m., Dunham 1:30 p.m., Stadacona 2:30 p.m., Wolf, Steel, 2:30 p.m., Muncy 6:30 p.m., Down—Orishon 10 a.m., Boston 12:30 p.m., Chas. Warner 4:30 a.m., Paine 7:20 p.m., Richmond 10:30 a.m., S. H. Robbins 11:20 a.m.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

Fifteen loads of hay were sold on the local market this morning. The top price was \$1.25 per ton, dressed.

Dressed hogs were a little firmer. The whole were selling at \$21 to \$22.25 per hundred, with two loads of quarters offered and they also were firmer. Front quarters sold at 24 to 25 cents a pound, and hindquarters sold at 25 to 26 cents.

Apples are a feature of the market. They sell at 35 a barrel. Hides have shown a considerable increase in all classes except horsehides and kip.

Potatoes were firm at \$2.60 to \$2.75 a bag. No butter or eggs were offered.

Turkeys are a little firmer, selling at 40 to 42 cents a pound, dressed. New oats, cwt., \$2.30 to \$2.32. Wheat, cwt., \$2.08 to \$2.17. Barley, per bu., \$1.30 to \$1.35. Grain, Bushel—

Wheat, per bu., 93% to 94%
Wheat, per bu., 92% to 93%
Barley, per bu., 1.34 to 1.35
Dry corn, 1.00 to 1.05
Cabbages, per dozen 1.00 to 1.05
Cabbages, per head, 5 to 15
Home-grown potatoes, per bu., 1.70 to 1.85
Lettuce, per doz., 45 to 50
Parsley, per doz., 40 to 50
Spinach, per doz., 40 to 50
Rhubarb, per doz., 50 to 60
Vegetables, per doz., 50 to 60
Onions, per peck, 1.00 to 1.05
New carrots, doz., 40 to 45
New celery, doz., 40 to 45
New cauliflower, doz., 40 to 45
New Brussels sprouts, doz., 40 to 45
New green beans, doz., 40 to 45
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Direction of Jule and J. J. Allen.

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The "POP" concert will go off with
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evening, Dec. 4, and Friday afternoon
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Tuesday Evening December 2,
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Pupils of J. Parnell Morris
Assisted by
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Friday Evening, Dec 5

Under the auspices of Florence Night-
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A. B. O., in

MASONIC TEMPLE
TICKETS 50 CENTS.

Informal Dance
Under auspices of the Good Cheer
Club, Ontario Hospital Assembly Hall,
Friday, Dec. 5, dancing 8:15 to 11:30.
Proceeds for hospital comforts. Lombard
Orchestra. Tickets 35c.

MEN'S BANQUET
of Askin Street Brotherhood, FRIDAY,
DEC. 5. Hot supper served at 6:30.
Speakers: Rev. J. W. Williamson, New-
foundland, and Rev. J. T. C. Morris.
Tickets, 30 cents.

Ice Skating Tonight
EAST END RINK
York Street, Near Fair Grounds.
ADMISSION 15c.

MEETINGS.
meeting will be held in G. W. V. A.
rooms on

FRIDAY, DEC. 5, AT 8 P.M.
714 W. G. HURRELL, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a
special general meeting of the mem-
bers of The Western Christian Asso-
ciation of London will be held at the
residence of J. W. C. Morris, 352 Wel-
lington street, London, Ontario, on
Friday, December 12, 1919, at 8 p.m.,
for the purpose of considering and (if
deemed advisable) assenting to a resolution
authorizing the sale to The Western
University of those portions of Lots
Numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4 on the east side
of St. George street, containing land
now owned by the association, on
which is located the Annex to the
Aged People's Home, situated at
St. George street, between the
residence of Helen Marshall, president,
and D. Macdonald, secretary.

Will hold a meeting in the
Army and Navy Veterans' room,
714 Dundas street, 7:30
Thursday evening, Dec. 4.

ELDER J. M. PENTON OF PHILA-
DELPHIA, Pa., expects to preach
for the Old School Baptists in the
county court chamber, county
building, on Sunday, Dec. 7, at 10:30
a.m. All lovers of the truth are
cordially invited.

REGULAR MEETING ST. GEORGE'S
A. P. in Masonic Hall, 4th inst., 6
o'clock p.m. Election officers, con-
ferring first degree. Visitors wel-
come. Robert Syme, W. Master; A.
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DR. LOUIS WOOD WILL ADDRESS
the Lord Roberts' Memorial Club on
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THE 25TH MASONIC OFFERING
of the Women's Mission Circle of Tal-
bot Street Baptist Church will be held
Thursday evening, Dec. 4, at 8 o'clock.
Address by Rev. Thomas Sheridan
Ray. Phone 1974.

LABOR REPRESENTATION COM-
MITTEE—A general meeting will be
held at the Army and Navy room,
714 Dundas street, 7:30 p.m. All
unions which have not sent delegates
please fall in line. W. T. St. George,
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WOMEN OF THE WORLD, FOR-
EST City Camp No. 1, elect officers
Thursday evening, Dec. 4. A good
welcome. W. Saunders, Clerk.

CANDY AND BISCUIT WORKERS,
Local 284, will hold its regular meet-
ing Thursday, Dec. 4, at 7:45. All
members must please be there. Broth-
er Walsh of the international union will
occupy the chair.

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to do general housework by the
week. references. Mrs. William
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GENERAL MAID OR WOMAN BY
day for housework. Wash and
out, family of three. Mrs. Abbott,
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BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

ROWE—At his late residence, 164 Ox-
ford street, West London, on Dec. 2,
1919, Elizabeth Coombe, widow of the
late Geo. O. Rowe.

JOYCE—In loving memory of our dear
mother, Rebecca Joyce, who died Dec.
4, 1917.

Oh, we miss you, dearest mother,
And our hearts are filled with pain;
This world would be all sunshine,
If we could see your face again.

McQUILLAN—In loving memory of
James McQuillan, who died three
years ago today, Dec. 4.

Three long years ago today,
Since my dear father passed away,
I've been in heaven for him,
Friends may think the wound is
healed.

But the little know the sorrow
That lies within our hearts concealed.
Our love for him will still keep green,
And never fade away.

—The Loving Daughter, L. E. M.
HUSTON—In loving memory of our
dear son, Wilfrid, who passed to his
eternal home, Dec. 4, 1918.

A year in heaven for him,
What is the learning of holy things.
Of things divine and true?
What glorious visions they are still
unfolding.

Which here he never knew!

A year on earth for us without his
presence,
A year of loneliness and grief and
pain,
But still we smile amid our tears in
thinking
Our loss is but his gain.

We miss him in our joys and in our
sorrow,
We miss his life, our centre and our
sun;
And yet we would not call him back,
For whisper, "O God, thy will be
done."

For heaven and earth are very close
together;
Though he is there, he is not far
away;
He could not leave the dear ones loved
so fondly,
Even in heaven to stay.

But still his spirit, like a guardian
angel,
Is bending over us with his own fond
care,
And sometimes he brings heaven so
very near.

We almost think we're there.

A year in heaven for him of rest and
bliss;
For us a year on earth with him
above;
But heaven and earth are both to
gether blending,
And love is love.

—Father, Mother, Sisters and Brother.

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WANTED—TEACHER WITH SEC-
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Protestant, for S. S. No. 12, West
Williams. Duties to commence first
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No. 4.

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commence Jan. 5, 1920. Apply H. D.
Steele, R. R. 1, Komoka, stating
experience, qualification and salary
present teacher's rating on account
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EXPERIENCED TEACHER WANTED
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Camden, Kent County. Salary \$700 per
annum. Duties to commence January
5, 1920. Apply Leamon S. Shaw, sec-
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No. 2.

PROTESTANT, SECOND-CLASS
lady teacher, for S. S. No. 9, Ennis-
ville, Lambton County. State salary
and experience. Duties to commence
January 5. Apply John Louis, sec-
retary, Inwood, Ont. R. R. 1.

TEACHER WANTED—SCHOOL SEC-
TION No. 13, Westminster. State
qualifications and salary. Duties to
commence January 2, 1920. R. G.
Rose, R. R. No. 2, Secretary, Glen-
worth.

PROTESTANT LADY TEACHER FOR
S. S. No. 7, in the village of Gran-
don, Lambton County. State salary
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VAUDEVILLE FEATURES.
The Juvenile Follies, the clever kiddy act, which so delighted Grand patrons the first three days of this week, will be unable to appear at today's performance. In order to fill an engagement in McKessport, Pa., today, they were obliged to leave the city last night, the management of the Grand has substituted another act which is sure to be warmly received. This is Leopold Warner's Novelty Singing and Orchestra, consisting of six talented musicians and vocalists.
P. A. Webster, the celebrated baritone; Howard and Craddock, colored comedians; A. H. White and Company as the comedy sketch "The Mirror" and several other film features will complete the bill.

GALLO ENGLISH OPERA CO. AT GRAND TOMORROW AND SATURDAY.
No company, which has been here in years, has made such an impression upon the London theatre-going community as has the Gallo English Opera which returns to the Grand tomorrow night for a special engagement of two nights and Saturday matinee. The engagement will open tomorrow night with the company's very first rendition of "The Chorus of Normandy," which so delighted our opera lovers two weeks ago. It will mark the first appearance in this city of the talented California mezzo-soprano, Ada Louise Armstrong, as Germaine, with the old favorites, De Angelis, Park Casavant and Denton in the same parts which they sang before, and Rosemond Whiteside giving her sparkling version of Serpolette. "H. M. S. Pinafore" is to be the Saturday night offering, with De Angelis as Sir Joseph Porter, Albert Parr as Captain Corcoran, Louis Casavant as Dick Dada, and Marie Berno as Josephine. At the Saturday matinee the company will render the never-dying "Mikado" with the delightful Hans Shimozumi as Yum-Yum, the formidable Jefferson De Angelis as Ko-Ko, and the droll Louis Casavant as Poo-Bah. Seats for all performances are now on sale.

NO AGREEMENT REACHED AT FRIENDLY MEETING
At the meeting of London Township Council in the town hall, St. Johns, Reeves Robson reported re Haskett ditch friendly meeting that he had waited until after the hour appointed and that no one had appeared.
Councillor Taylor reported that no agreement had been reached at the friendly meeting held at the Wallis ditch. It was decided that unless agreements be made in the legal time in the Haskett case and within five days from the date of the friendly meeting in the Wallis case the referee be authorized to sign a requisition for the township engineer to make awards according to the provisions of the D. and W. act.
A telegram was read from H. A. Harrington, fuel controller of Ontario, asking that the "town" proceed immediately to appoint a fuel commissioner and to report the name to him. No action was taken, as the municipality is a township, not a town.
On motion of Thomas Clark, seconded by W. G. Taylor, it was decided that the interior of the town hall be cleaned and redecorated. The motion was referred to Thomas Clark and E. Douglas with power.

200 SHRINERS CROSS HOT SANDS AT MOCHA TEMPLE CEREMONIAL
Shriners From Many Oases Attend Meeting of London Shrine.
After a day that from every standpoint was most successful, 1200 Shriners, who had made pilgrimages from all parts of Ontario and the adjoining American states to the Mocha oasis in the Masonic Temple, dispersed for their homes at an early hour this morning. During Wednesday evening 200 initiates crossed the burning sands. In the morning and afternoon business sessions were held and incoming delegates were welcomed at the railway stations by the St. Marys, Stratford and local bands of the order. The Stratford patrol brought a goat to the ceremonies.

MORRIS RESIDENT BURIED.
BLVTH, Dec. 3.—On Friday William Phelan, an old resident of Morris Township, died. Mr. Phelan was born in York County 64 years ago, and with his wife and four sons, James, Thomas, William and Louis. Interment was made in Morris Catholic Cemetery on Monday.

For Chest Colds, Head Colds, Grip, Influenza and Pneumonia.
A few external applications of GROVES' O-PEN-TRATE SALVE will be found very helpful. It opens the pores and penetrates the skin. Its Stimulating and Healing Effect is very comforting. Price 50c per box. If your Druggist hasn't any, send 35c in postage stamps to Paris Medicine Co., 193 Spadina Ave., Toronto, and a full-size box will be mailed to you promptly.

GIFT SUGGESTIONS FOR MEN
It is always a hard job to find something suitable for a man. Below are a list of some of the useful articles that he would appreciate.

If He Hasn't a Watch You Could Get Him Nothing Better----
15-jewel Swiss movement in 20-year gold-filled case \$17.00
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Watch chains, gold and gold-filled \$2.50 to \$30.00
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Emblem Rings of any Lodge or Order from \$5.00 to \$25.00
All these rings are Solid Gold. Some are enameled and others are engraved.
If you do not find a suggestion here, drop in, and we will be glad to show you anything that would be suitable for a Gift.

YOUNG'S FINE DIAMONDS AND WATCHES.
London. East London.

At the Majestic today, Friday and Saturday. Also a comedy, a News Weekly, a Chester Outing Picture and Esther burns in up-to-the-minute songs.

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COUNTY COUNCIL TO RECOMMEND GRANT FOR NEW HOSPITAL
Majority of Councillors Are in Favor of Children's Hospital.
In all likelihood the Middlesex County Council of 1919 will recommend to the council of 1920 that it grant \$12,000 to the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire to aid in the building of a children's hospital, thereby granting the request of the deputation from the organization which waited on the councillors on Wednesday afternoon.
Miss Mary Grant, speaking on the matter, declared that the hospital would be kept in operation by the City of London and would be under the jurisdiction of the Victoria Hospital trust as the other buildings on the hospital grounds were. It would be built across the road from the main hospital and would be used by residents of all the counties of Western Ontario.
At present there were only 20 beds for children in the hospital, and as 300 children were treated last year, many of them had to be placed in the adult wards. The hospital was to be a memorial to the Victoria Hospital, and equipment were to cost \$100,000. It was said that the ladies of the county were to be approached.
Warden Curry favorable.
"If it was in my hands I think I would grant it," declared Warden Curry. This statement resulted in much applause from the council.
Mrs. Arthur H. Smith and Mrs. F. Greenaway also spoke. Other members of the deputation were: Miss Stanley, Mrs. Joseph, Mrs. E. Wilson, Mrs. McCallum, Mrs. H. T. Campbell, Mrs. Galloway, Mrs. A. E. Miller, Mrs. G. Graham, Miss Pritchett, Mrs. E. Johnston, Miss Anderson, Mrs. A. King, Mrs. F. J. Well and Mrs. J. Williams.
The report of the finance committee advising the granting of the Soldiers' Aid Commission of \$500 was adopted. Regarding several claims for damages alleged to have been done to automobiles on the county roads no action was taken.
Accounts for county patients in Byron Sanatorium amounting to \$629 were referred to the finance committee.
No action was taken on the matter of joining the terminals of the county roads of Elin and Middlesex. Warden Curry has been given power to ask the attorney-general that County Clerk John Stuart be appointed a justice of the peace as well as the clerk. This was done on the motion of W. E. Gries and the seconding of James Peters.
The evening session of the council was devoted principally to a discussion of county memorials to the soldiers who fell in the great war. S. Oakes of Stratford had collected money to be devoted to a memorial to be erected in that town, and he did not favor a Middlesex memorial to be erected in London.
Warden John Curry thought the entire matter was one for the 1920 council to take action on. It was late in the year to do anything definite. The councillors had seemed apathetic when the subject was brought up for discussion at the council session last June.
People Will Remember Soldiers.
"I think that when the people of the County of Middlesex realize just what the boys did for them at the front they will remember them in some suitable way, either through a monument, hospital or along educational lines," declared Mr. Curry.
J. J. Poore of McMillan declared that his township had already given orders for a memorial. The people in that section did not come to London very often and he thought it was wise for each township to have its own way of showing its appreciation of the soldiers.
By way of diversion J. L. Robson of London Township suggested that the council advanced last session of having a station erected on county property in London might be one worth following up. The council then adjourned to meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

THIS GREAT 3-DAY Sale of Furs
Marks the Season's Record for Value-Giving at Raphael-Mack's---Come Tomorrow or Saturday
\$45 Australian Opossum Cape, sale price \$29.90
\$35 Australian Opossum Cape, sale price \$19.90
\$45 Grey Fox Set, very handsome, sale price \$24.90
\$150 Lucille Wolf Set, high class, sale price \$89.90
\$25 Taupe Opossum Tie, sale price, \$12.90
\$25 Taupe Nutria Tie, sale price, \$12.90
\$75 Mink Muffs, very fine quality, sale price \$37.90
\$25 Lynx Cat Set, for misses, 14-20 years, \$12.90
\$100 Hudson Seal and Russian Fitch Set, \$79.90
\$125 Sealine Coats, beautiful style, sale price, \$69.90
\$75 Black Coon Set, large cape and melon muff \$39.90
\$25 Taupe Cooney Cape, sale price, \$14.90
\$12 Kit Cooney Muffs, up-to-date melon shape, \$6.90
\$35 Hudson Seal Neckpieces, sale price, \$19.90
\$20 Sealine Muffs, for use with seal-collar coats, \$9.90
\$50 American Lynx Sets, look and wear like wolf, \$29.90

Only the fact that the continued mild weather right up to December has left us with an immense overstock could induce us to mark such drastic reductions as these at the very start of the real fur-wearing season. Just two days more to profit by our loss. Come tomorrow. What better Christmas gift than Furs?

The RAPHAEL-MACK co.
236 DUNDAS STREET

200 SHRINERS CROSS HOT SANDS AT MOCHA TEMPLE CEREMONIAL
Shriners From Many Oases Attend Meeting of London Shrine.

MORRIS RESIDENT BURIED.
BLVTH, Dec. 3.—On Friday William Phelan, an old resident of Morris Township, died. Mr. Phelan was born in York County 64 years ago, and with his wife and four sons, James, Thomas, William and Louis. Interment was made in Morris Catholic Cemetery on Monday.

For Chest Colds, Head Colds, Grip, Influenza and Pneumonia.
A few external applications of GROVES' O-PEN-TRATE SALVE will be found very helpful. It opens the pores and penetrates the skin. Its Stimulating and Healing Effect is very comforting. Price 50c per box. If your Druggist hasn't any, send 35c in postage stamps to Paris Medicine Co., 193 Spadina Ave., Toronto, and a full-size box will be mailed to you promptly.

GIFT SUGGESTIONS FOR MEN
It is always a hard job to find something suitable for a man. Below are a list of some of the useful articles that he would appreciate.

If He Hasn't a Watch You Could Get Him Nothing Better----
15-jewel Swiss movement in 20-year gold-filled case \$17.00
Special 21-jewel movement in 20-year gold-filled case \$23.50
Waltham Movements in Gold-Filled Cases from \$20 up. These and all of our Watches are Guaranteed.
Watch chains, gold and gold-filled \$2.50 to \$30.00
Waterman Pens \$2.75 to \$15.00
Large Shaving Sets, with large mirror \$5.50, \$7.50 to \$15.00
Eversharp Pencils, up to \$2.75
Auto-Stop and Gillette Safety Razors \$5.00, \$7.50, \$12.00
Emblem Rings of any Lodge or Order from \$5.00 to \$25.00
All these rings are Solid Gold. Some are enameled and others are engraved.
If you do not find a suggestion here, drop in, and we will be glad to show you anything that would be suitable for a Gift.

YOUNG'S FINE DIAMONDS AND WATCHES.
London. East London.

At the Majestic today, Friday and Saturday. Also a comedy, a News Weekly, a Chester Outing Picture and Esther burns in up-to-the-minute songs.

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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE
THE FORWARD MOVEMENT.
To the Editor of The Advertiser:
I would dare to ask through your columns if Gipsy Smith's work in London was the work of God? Not in any doubtful manner, as I am as positive it was as I am that I am writing these lines. If so, and the Forward Movement in the united churches is also the work of God, why is it that not one word of recognition was made of this city-stirring work which surely was a movement of God, when men who have not seen the inside of a church, for many years have made public declaration to live for God. To bring men to a knowledge of their standing in God's sight and to move them to do right and start off on the right road is a wonderful work. But I fear blind and deaf prejudice are keeping the eye-gate and ear-gate of the town of Mansoul in many cases Christians, or shall I say professing Christians, who would not trust themselves to get into touch with the evangelist because they were afraid of, or did not like excitement (some of them) of the most excitable nature when it comes to social, dance, show, etc. The advertisement delivered in the Americas on Tuesday night were magnificent. The lack of the spirit of co-operation and unity was most evident. I am not writing for posterity, but I have felt during the last ten years as if I have been in a refrigerator, having been active in the Forward Movement for twelve years prior to coming to Canada in the Church of England. God bless the Forward Movement, give us the charity of brotherly kindness and readiness to acknowledge in all its work, whether it be in operation to cure or not, Jesus God and His glory. RAYMOND SMITH, 85 Front St.

YOU Are Boss of a Worker Now
WHEN your union went to the boss asking for a fair living wage you stood firmly on the ground that it is just and proper that the product of your work should sell at a price to insure for you and your family the necessities and a decent share of the comforts of life.
The man who works for the street railway has paid more for his food, his clothes, his fuel and his home, and he has done it uncomplainingly because it raised your wages.
He is able to deal with the company, but he can't take blood out of a stone.
The increase asked is so small that you will never notice it—one-third of a cent on workingmen's tickets and half a cent on unlimited tickets.
If you oppose this reasonable readjustment of fares you are burdening the Union members of Division 741 of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees who man London cars.
Remember as you mark your ballot on New Year's Day that you are dealing with a worker's wage, and

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Vote "YES" on the FARES BYLAW