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America Gives Pledge to Send Great Army To Assist Allies on European War Fronts

Steady Flow of Enemy Reinforcements West Makes This Probable.

LOSSES ARE LIKELY

British Official Warns Public Reverses Are Not Improbable.

London, Jan. 2 .- The probability of the Germans now taking a vigorous offensive attitude on the western front was pointed out by Major-General F. D. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the war office, in his weekly talk to the Associated Press

There were two factors that contributed to this probability, the general said, the first being the steady flow of German reinforcements from the eastern front, and the second fact that the American forces were not yet ready to take any considerable part

ready to take any considerable part in the operations.

The public should be prepared, Gen. Maurice said, for some losses of both ground and men if the Germans attempt really determined offensive preparations. They would not, however, be able to inflict any such losses on the allies as the latter had inflicted on the Germans during the past year, he delayed.

sign of a new distribution of the bel-ligerent forces on the western from: The enemy is steedily bringing troops. ligerent forces on the western front. The enemy is steadily bringing troops from Russia with the aim of restablishing his superiority over the Anglo-French forces. The Germans do not possess a magic carpet and cannot transfer troops at a supernatural rate, especially under winter transport conditions. Nevertheless there is, a steady flow of German troops westward.

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troops westward.
"The Germans are still a long way would feel justified in undertak-offensive operations on a large proving numerical position will, on the sive operations by the Germans, but I can see no reason to believe that he will be able to inflict anything like such losses on us as we inflicted up-

on him during the past year. Excellent Defensive Position. "Owing to our work of the past year we are in an excellent defensive po-We must be prepared to lose ground tack with the usual artillery preparation, followed by an energetic infantry assault, for our own experience taught us that such a loss is possible under those circumstances."
Regarding the situation in Palestine

"A word of caution is necessary relative to the hopes of an immediate further advance in Palestine. The hills of Judea are an added difficulty, the weather unfavorable, and the roads next to impassable. The problem therefore impassable. The problem therefore impassable to the problem therefore impassable to the problem. lem, therefore, is likely to prevent any considerable movement there for some

FIGHTING AT IRKUTSK

End, According to Hardly-Credited Cable Advices.

Petrograd, Monday, Dec. 31 .- A despatch to the British embassy from the British consul at Harbin, Manchuria, says that the British and French residents of Irkutsk, Siberia, have been "exterminated" in the recent fighting against the Bolshevik forces. The despatch adds that Irkutsk was under heavy bombardment

The embassy is inclined to believe that the word "exterminated" is an exaggeration. Altho there are no official figures at hand, it is said that there are not more than 15 French and British residents in Irkutsk.

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We Need Wisdom

To hope for the best and prepare for the worst is always pruden advice, but it may be accepted in a more optimistic spirit at this time than for many months past. The future of the world depends upon the fate of the cause for which the entente alliance and their friend have staked all their resources. One link in the chain has been broken, but even this has an element of hope in it, because the collapse of Russia as a military orce was due to the intriguing of Germany, which was the result of and inspired by Germany's own desperate plight.

agonizing desire for peace. However badly off we and our allies may be. able to make an honest offer of peace terms, and those proposed by them were so unreasonable that even the Bolsheviki have withdrawn from the negotiations. Yet the Germans persist, and are willing to offer better terms. France, Great Britain and the United States are conferring on the terms of a reply to the German "feelers." But there is no slackening of preparations. It is this that induces the Germans to negotiate. The kaiser has no desire to make a new campaign with the armies of the United States coming into the field to reinforce the already outnumbering troops of Great Britain and France. The Italian drive has ended in failure and has locked up as many men as may be taken from the Russian front. Troops are pouring across the Atlantic from the United States. The Go mocratic disintegration of Russia is infecting Germany and Austria. Between the devil and the deep sea the kaiser sees clearly that peace is the least desperate plunge he can make. For us who have been brave as Achilles our need is the wisdom of Ulysses.

ACT UNCONSTITUTIONAL **QUEBEC PROTEST STATES**

Provincial Executive Stigmatizes as Illegal Federal Ban on Loan Flotations for Other Than War Purposes---Says Order Contravenes Provincial Rights.

on the Germans during the past year, he declared.

Numerous Enemy Raids.

"The enemy in the past fortaight has been attempting numerous raids, mostly on a small scale," began Gen.

Maurice. "At Cambrai, however, he matters which the consult which will be published in the Quebec official gazette this week, in which the executive council of this province strongly protests against the conder-in-council in question is characterized as only slightly large ber, which established in the Raifish North America Act. 1367, justifies such an encroachment; that the order-in-council in question province strongly protests against the matters which the conclusively upon them and that nothing in the British North America Act. 1367, justifies such an encroachment; that the order-in-council in question province strongly protests against the matters which the con-suitation governing us confers exclusively upon them and that nothing in the British North America Act. 1367, justifies such an encroachment; that the order-in-council in question province strongly protests against the matters which the con-suitation governing us confers exclusively upon them and that nothing in the British North America Act. 1367, justifies such an encroachment; that the order-in-council in question province strongly protests against the matters which the con-suitation governing us confers exclusively upon them and that nothing in the British North America Act. 1367, justifies such an encroachment; that the order-in-council in question only slightly large ber, which established in the graph of the province of clustering upon them and that nothing in the British North America Act. 1367, justifies such an encroachment; that the order-in-council in question of the province of clustering upon them and that nothing in the British North America Act. 1367, justifies such an encroachment of the province at the province of the province o Maurice. "At Cambral, however, he tried a larger operation with the object of getting control of a ridge on the British flank, whence he hoped he could strangle the supplies to a British salient and force its withdrawal. His attack, however, ended in an almost complete failure, for altho he gained a few hundred yards of our front trenches he failed to set foot on the ridge anywhere.

"These attempts to take the offensive," continued the general, "are a sign of a new distribution of the belligerent forces on the western front.

ernment of Canada.
"That the effect of the said regula-

from having superior numbers on this front, but the relative strength of the forces is already so altered that it is doubtful whether the allied commandgovernment of this province, insofar That the entrect of the said regular council, dated the zain December, 1917, concerning the issue of bonds and debentures in Canada, is illegal governments, and in particular of the government of this province, insofar province is concerned."

GERMANY'S DEMANDS ANGER BOLSHEVIKI

ground. On the other hand, we are everywhere on new ground, where wo must prepare new defensive systems. We must be prepared to be represented to be prepared to be prepare Likely to Be Broken Off.

> Petrograd, Jan. 2.—The chances of tions," the delegate said, "the Gera separate peace between Russia and mans insist upon those terms, Russia the central powers being effected seem will conclude peace not with the Ger-Leon Trotzky, the Bolshevik foreign minister, and his associates take the stand that the Baltic provinces are in

Foreign Minister Back to Berlin. London, Jan. 2 .- A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Amsterdam

Brest-Litovsk yesterday after a con-sultation with Emperor William. Dr. EXTERMINATES" BRITISH sultation with Emperor William. Dr. von Kuehlmann while in Berlin also had a conference with the Socialist French Residents Share Same leaders, Hugo Haase, Philipp Scheide mann and Frederich Ebert, who expressed the dissatisfaction of the Socialists over his intention. cialists over his intention indirectly to annex Russian territory now occupied by the Germans."

Russ Delegates Report. Petrograu, Tuesday, Jan. 1.—The Germany's enemies might assist Ukraine or other disaffected sections Petrograd today and reported that a joint session of the central executive committee of soldiers' and work nen's delegates and the Petrograd council

utsk was under heavy bombardment for two days and much property was sian delegation, read the German testroyed.

M. Kameneff, a member of the Russian delegation, read the German terms, which he characterized as

remote, because of what are regarded man imperialists, but with the repre-as Germany's unreasonable demands. sentatives of the people, the socialists Inacceptable Conditions.

The Russian delegation on its return from Brest-Litovsk, Thursday, laid before the council of commis-sioners at Petrograd, Germany's demands, which caused amazement and not favorable to acceptance. An elaboration of the German position in "Dr. Richard von Kuehlmann, the letters and statements which follow-German foreign secretary, returned to ed the general statement of terms, shows that the Germans hold that Poland, Lithuania, Courland Esthonia have already defined them-selves nationally within the meaning of the peace terms proposed and in-sist that they shall not vote again. The Germans also explained, thru Gen. Hoffmann, that Germany can-

> opposition to the central powers. German Peace Terms. The German terms as submitted to the Brest-Litovsk conference, were reported in substance as follows: First-Russia and Germany are to

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FIGHTS WITH U-BOATS

Active War on Subs. is Continued With Satisfactory Results.

London, Jan. 2. Eighteen British dmiralty statement tonight. Three merchantmen under 1600 tons were also sunk. This is a material increase over the previous week, when the sink ings numbered twelve, of which elever were more than 1600 tons.

The admiralty summary follows: Arrivals, 2111; sailings, 2074. British merchantmen, 1600 tons of ever, sunk, 18, including 2 previously; under 1600 tons, 3; fishing vessels,

Vessels unsuccessfully attacked, 8. Situation Satisfactory.

Altho the sinkings of ships of large tonnage in the past week have been rather heavy, the otal for December satisfactory, being than for Novemed a low record during December

order-in-council prohibiting the issue of securities unless authorized by the minister of finance was an infringement of provincial autonomy.

"We have the exclusive right of legislating for all powers of bedies incorporated here." he said.

The attention of the Quebec premier was drawn to an Ottawa despatch stating that Quebec was the conty province that protested against

only province that protested against the federal order. "That makes no difference to us." he commented. "They can do whatever they like; all we want is to protect our constitution."

GERMANY TO RETAIN CONQUERED TERRITORY

Leading Hun Papers Boast Peace Formula Given Russians Means Nothing.

Washington, Jan. 2.- Extracts from many of the leading German papers received here by cable today, contain boasts that the peace formula given the Russians by Kuehlmann and Czernin mean nothing and have no binding force upon Germany. They agree that Germany never will give up certain of the lands she has con-quered, but some of the editors sugthe declaration that the council was gest that what cannot be taken by violence may be taken by agreement Sneering references are made to the the Germans only used the phrase in twenty thousand commissioned offia polite manner.

SWEPT UP 4600 ENEMY MINES.

London, Jan. 2.—During the past year 1000 trawlers, which are used as mine-sweepers around the British not evacuate Riga, Libau and other occupied points until certain that all square miles daily. During the year Russia sanctions peace, otherwise they swept up 4600 German mines.

GUILAMAT AT SALONICA.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Gen. Guilamat, the newly appointed commander of the allied armies at Salonica, arrived to a cablegram received here today. He relieved General Sarrail, who is

AMERICA PROMISES HUGE FORCE TO OFFSET RUSSIA'S DEFECTION



This is a picture of Miss Symona Boniface, who acted as New York's woman Santa Claus this Christmas. She is head of the Santa Claus Association of New York City, which answers the letters of children mailed to Santa Claus, letters which formerly went to the Dead Letter Office. As far as possible the wish of each writer is granted, the work being done as a charity.

DEFEAT ENEMY EFFORT TO CROSS PIAVE RIVER

Italian Artillery Disperses Ten Vessels Loaded With Austrian Troops---British Successfully

United States Gives Allies Pledge to Rush Men Across Atlantic - Britain and France Will Help Provide Transportation and Equipment.

Washington, Jan. 2.—An engage nent by the United States to send a was disclosed today thru the publicaion by Secretary of State Lansing of review of the work and recommenwhich recently participated in the aled war conferences at Paris.

American fighting men are to cross the Atlantic as rapidly as they can be mustered and trained. France and Great Britain on their part undertake Great Britain on their part undertake not only to join in providing ships to carry them, but to see that any deficiencies in arms and equipment are made up on the other side.

This was one of the great decisions reached at the conference thru which the co-belligerenits planned to pool their fighting resources and move as a

their fighting resources and move as a unit toward driving the Germans and their allies out of conquered territory and crushing the Teutonic world domand crushing the Teutonic world domination scheme. There is to be coordinated effort not only in figating on land and sea, but in production at home and in the vast shipbuilding projects upon which depends the vital problem of maintaining uninterrupted transportation in spite of submarines.

Machinery in Motion.

Even before Col. House and his assistants on the American mission reached home, the machinery to again speed up war preparations here had been set in motion. In today's announcement is seen the explanation of the reorganization of war department

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relations of the Bolsheviki with Ru-manian officers are said to be becom-ing alarming. It is said the Ruma-nians have occupied the Bessarabian town of Icevo and have arrested and town of Icevo and have arrested and shot several Bolshevik leaders. Leon Tretzky, the Bolshevik foreign minister, sent a note on the subject to the Rumanian minister in Petrograd, who in his reply accused Russian troops of plundering Rumanian villages. It is said that Trotzky regarded the reply as unsatisfactory.

Regular Army Desert Bolshevik Forces.

RUMANIANS ACTIVE

Occupy Bessarabian Town and Execute Several Bolshevik Leaders.

London, Jan. 2.—The spirit of civil war is active in the Cossack territory and the entire population of the Don an official statement tonight on the Valley has been mobilized, according aerial operations. Valley has been mobilized, according to a Petrograd despatch to The Times. Thousands of officers of the regular "democratic peace" demarded by the army have joined General Kaledines, Russ'ans with the explanation that

> Cossack troops have occupied the is missing."
> Town of Alexandrovsk without opposition, and the Bolshevik garrison was disarmed, according to reports received here from Petrograd regarding the civil war in Russia. It is not stated civil war in Russia. It is not stated which Alexandrovsk was captured. (There are several towns and villages of conservation fire losses in Canada.)

burg Cossack leader, Kazatin, who reat his post last Saturday, according turned the arms after the Bolsheviki swore never to fight against the Ukrainians and Cossacks. The Cos-

Thousands of Officers of TWO HUNDRED BOMBS

Courtrai Ammunition Depot and Inglemunster Airdrome Receive Attention.

London, Jan. 2.-More than 200 bombs were dropped Tuesday on various targets, including a large aminunition depot near Courtrai and the

statement, "two hostile machines were cial German army order as follows: brought down and two others driven "The recent entry of America into the down out of control. Another was shot down inside our lines by anti- war compels our higher command to

in Russia named Alexandrovsk, but the during 1917 totaled \$23.251,604. The nearest to the Cossack territory are those in Ekaterinoslav and in Stavropol.)

1. **The control of the cossack territory are number of fires reported totaled 14,-092, but over \$15,500,000 of damage pol.)

1. **The cost of the cost Other Bolshevik regiments are said to fires for the year numbered 189, to have been disarmed by the Oren-upart from the Halifax disaster.

DINEEN'S COONSKIN COATS

Captured Official Army Order Reveals Apprehensions of Germans.

FEAR AIR MENACE

Enemy Higher Command is Anxious to Strengthen Airplane Forces.

Inglemenster airdrome, according to the pretended disregard for the entry feigned, the Reuter correspondent at "In air fighting," continues the British headquarters quotes an offishot down inside our lines by antiaircraft guns. One of our machines
is missing."

CANADA'S BIG FIRE LOSSES.

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—According to
figures' compiled by the commission forces of heavy artillery are on the way from the Russian front to the

western front. STRONG FOR NEUTRALITY

Swiss Fire on German Steamer Which Ventures Into Territorial Waters-

Geneva, Jan. 2.—Swiss troops on duty on the shores of Lake Constance the Austro Germans at Brest-Litorsk.

M. Kameneff, a member of the Russia and Germany are to state of war at an end.

Both nations are resolved to live together in the future in peace and showing the central powers, and he declared they were unacceptable in their prestifies a soon as peace is concluded with had not been discussed.

First—Russia and Germany are to declare the state of war at an end.

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GERMAN DEMANDS ANGER BOLSHEVIKI

to evacuate her present positions in

having in accordance with its principles proclaimed for all peoples without exception, living within the Russian Empire, the right of self-determination, including complete separation, takes cognizance of the decisions expressing the will of people demanding a full state of independence and separation from the Russian Empire for Poland, Lithuania, Courland and portions of Esthonia and Livonia.

Article three: Treaties and agreements in force before the war are to become effective if not directly in conflict with changes resulting from the war. Each party obligates itself, within three months after the signing of the peace treaty, to inform the other which of the treaties and agreements will not again become effective Article four: Each of the contractagainst the subjects, merchant ships

and Caurieres Wood. goods of the other parties. Article 5.—The parties agree that "Belgian communication: On Jan. 1 omic war shall cease. During the relations, there may be limitations ment, protected by violent barrage, upon trade, but the regulations as to imports are not to be of a too bur-densome extent and high taxes or duties upon imports shall not be le-vied. For the interchange of goods vied. For the interchange of goods an organization shall be effected by mixed commissions to be formed as soon as possible.

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"Eastern theatre, Jan. 1: The artility of the day there was slight artility."

New Commercial Treaties Article 6.-Instead of the commer cial treaty of navigation of 1894-1904, which is abr gated, a new treaty will

accord consideration.

Article 7.—The parties will grant one another during at least 20 years, the rights of the most favored nain commerce and navigation (This clause is apparently that carried in a German wireless message received in London and sent by cable on December 31).

Article 8.-Russia agrees that the

Article 11.—Each party is to pay for damage done within its own limits during the war by acts against the international war with regards to the subjects of other parties, in particular

sive. The enemy, meanwhile, is continuing his policy of raids against the British front searching for a weak spot. In his attack on Welsh Ridge, before Cambral, the other day, he was badly fooled, for the few trenders which he carried were

an plans in the counter-offensive.

The failure of the Bolsheviki peace negotiations with the Germans probably takes only the Bolsheviki by surprise. The Germans never intended to conclude a peace with the Russians alone on the conditions leid down by the Bolsheviki. for in German eyes the ascendancy of the Rofsheviki has paralyzed Russia and therefore Germany has no need for throwing away her advantages. The political offensive, which has so harmed Russia, was an instrument of German contriving. It had the same object as a military offensive, it aimed at destroying the Russian army thru disintegration. It has partly accomplished this object; it has succeeded in lighting the fires of civil war; it has brought about the false security of an armistice. The Russian soldlers who receive their intellectual stimulus from Petrograd do not want to fight any more. The Bolsheviki are failing, contrary to the expectations of their deluded followers. These are now

ssible, the times to be fixed by ermano-Russian commission. Article 13.—Civilian subjects interned or exiled are to be immediately released and sent home without cost

Article 14.—Russian subjects of Ger man descent, particularly German colonists, may within ten years emigrate to Germany, with the right to quidate or transfer their property.

Article 15.—Merchantmen of any of occupied Russian territory, insofar as no different inferences result from article two.

Second—The Russian Government

at been adjudged, are to be red, or if that be impossible, to paid for. Article 16.-Diplomatic and consular relations are to be resum-soon as possible.

GAIN A FOOTHOLD, BUT ARE DRIVEN BACK

Germans Leave Several Prisoners in the Hands of Belgians After Attack. Paris. Jan. 2.-The official communication from the war office to-

"There is nothing to report during the day except quite marked artillery activity in the sector of Beaumont

the artillery activity was not very intense. On the 2nd an enemy detachsucceeded in gaining a foothold in one of our posts in the region of Merckem. An immediate counter-attack by our troops drove back the Germans, who

lery was active in the region of diev-gheli and the eastern slopes of Vetri-nik. Enemy airplanes have bombard-ed ambulances behind the Monastir.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT TO SPARE ART WORKS

Article 8.—Russia agrees that the administration of the mouth of the Danube be entrusted to a European dealing with the government's proposed intention to take over the British from the countries bordering upon the Danube and the Back Sea. Above Brala the administration is to be in the hands of the countries bordering the river.

London, Jan. 2.—The representatives of American manufacturers in England are much alarmed over a bill and are much alarmed over a bill and are much alarmed over a bill first half of December, and the wast-pending in parliament providing that if the proprietor of a word trade mark to couches his mark so as to lead the public to regard it as the name of an article, it shall be removed from the public to regard it as the name of an article, it shall be removed from the public to regard it as the name of an article, it shall be removed from the countries being 2081 as against a total wastage of 3702. The dering the river.

Article 9.—Military laws limiting the private rights of Germans in Russia and of Russians in Germany are abolished.

Article 10.—The contracting parties are not to demand payment of war expenditures, nor for damages suffered during the war, this provision including requisitions.

Bans Indemnities.

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Article 10.—The contracting parties special precautions have been taken to ensure the safety of the contents of the museum which have not been removed. The announcement says that the reading-room will remain open to the public.

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sentatives as regarding their health, life or property. The amount is to be fixed by mixed commissions with neutral chairmen.

Article 12. Prisoners of war who are invalids, are to be immediately repatriated. The exchange of other prisoners is to be made as soon as

The civil war in Russia is proceeding with another new sovereign state arising from the chaos, namely, the Black Sea Republic. A government comprising radical, as well as conservative elements, to shout to assume control. It is these

* WAR SUMMARY *

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

FARMERS' INTERESTS NO TIME TO TALK OF SEPARATION

Acting Minister of Agriculture Says Representatives Were Appointed in All Counties. Ottawa, Jan. 2,-The Hon. J. D. Reid, M.L.A. for Shefford Says acting minister of agriculture, was That Francoeur Resolution asked today about complaints said to

LE CANADA'S VIEWS

is Inopportune.

Declares Empire is Traversing Crisis and Attacks Section of British Press.

Montreal, Jan. 2.-L'Journal de Waterloo, one of the champions of the of the confederation, quotes W. S. Bullock, M.L.A. for Shefford, as stating that the resolution is inopportune, and should be held over till matters have cooled down somewhat. At any rate, says he, it should not come before the Quebec Legislature at the present time.

were quite unfounded.

Representatives of the department of agriculture were promptly appointed in each county to investigate individual cases, authorized to appeal in cases where they considered such action necessary, and empowered to take a further appeal to the central appeal judge. Francoeur motion to take Quebec out of the confederation, quotes W. S. Bullock, M.L.A. for Shefford, as stat-

Mr. Bullock is quoted as taking the ground that it is practically impos-sible to separate Quebec from the other provinces, as the whole country would be the sufferer.

Le Canada states that a friend who

spent four months in London tells that paper that the British Empire is traversing a great crisis. The elements of the "crisis," according to Le Canada, are to be found in the Sinn Fein movement in Ireland, unrest in India, rivalry between Boer and Briton in South Africa, and dissatisfaction in Australia, as manifested in the recent anti-conscription vote. Le Canada alanti-conscription vote. Le Canada all ludes to "a certain English press in London" as spreading all over Europe the lie that the French-Canadians are terrorizing this country, in which they wish to establish their supremacy. The government has provoked race hatred under pretext of helping the allies and are engaged in wining the allies and are engaged in wining the allies, and are engaged in ruining the country, Le Canada declares.

British Trades-Marks Bill Affects Manufacturers of U.S.

London, Jan. 2.—The representatives

HAMILTON NEWS

ALL BY ACCLAMATION, HAMILTON DEALERS DOING THEIR BEST

Controller Wright Averse to Appointment of a Local Fuel Administrator.

C ENERAL MAURICE, noting the steady stream of German reinforcements setting in for the western front, admits that the enemy intense to undertake some sort of ottensive, presumably against the British. The allies have still a numerical superiority of forces, but their margin of superiority of forces, but their margin of superiority is large offensive operations. The British occupy much better ground than before, but they have not had the time required to perfect and elaborate their defences. General Maurice is inclined to think that the Germans may make con-

Special to The Toronto World.

Hamilton. Jan. 2.—That the council, worried because of the distress and suffering caused by the most acute coal shortage in the city's history, will summou the Dominion fuel controller to Hamilton, immediately upon his return frem Washington, is probable.

Yesterday Mayor Booker, exhausted after fruitless attempts to procure coal for the families in need, despatched a telegram to H. C. Harris, honorary fuel controller for Ontario, asking if anything could be cone to releve the situation. The mayor's appeal was apparently relayed to Ottawa, a reply being received from the federal department late in the afternoon, stating that Controller Magrath would come to Hamilton if the situation here warranted an enquiry.

Controller T. M. Wright, with whom the mayor conferred, urged that the offer be accepted.

"A visit from the Dominion fuel controller cannot do any harm and may possibly do a lot of good", said Controller said to the said to the said controller said to the said controller assibly do a lot of good", said Controller.

quired to perfect and elaborate their defences. General Maurice is inclined to think that the Germans may make considerable gains, but he denies that they will do anything equal to what the British army did in last summer's campaign. He does not say anything of the allied counter-plans, but it is hardly conceivable that they intend to sit down and submit to the German assaults without selecting in some hard retaliatory blows. The enemy also may evacuate a considerable strip in Belgium before attempting his offensive. The German operations may fail, just as they failed last spring and summer. If the Germans attack the British, the French may take the offensive, and if the Germans attack the British, the French may take the offensive. The enemy, meanwhile, is continuing his policy of raids against the British front searching for a weak spot. In his attack or Wolden Pidge before Compined. "A visit from the Dominion fuel controller cannot do any harm and may possibly do a lot of good," said Controller Wright. "I do not believe, however, that there should be any medding with the affairs of those dealers who are doing their level bet to ease the situation.

Will Close the Church.

At a meeting of the wardens of St. Phillip's Church this evening it was decided to suspend services in the church for the balance of the winter and fit up a temporary altar in the parish hall, with a view to conserving coal supplies. It

a view to conserving coal supplies is expected that other churches

To Hatt Installation.

To morrow the board of control at its first meeting of the new year will have before it the proposition of T. J. Stewart. M. P., to secure power from the Toronto and Niagara Power Company at \$15 per h.p. The offer, which is being ipersonally negotiated by Mr. Stewart, and not the Hydro board of which he is a member, is launched with a view to halting the installation of additional steam pumping equipment at the beach pumping pumping equipment at the beach pumping station, the contracts for which have al-

UNITED STATES FACES EGG FAMINE SHORTLY

Fifteen Per Cent. of Storage Stocks Remain—Soon Will Be Gone.

sea Republic. A government comprising radical, as well as conservative elements, is about to assume control. It is these new states that are deterring Germany from committing herself definitely to peace terms. The Cossacks are occupying more towns and they have cleared the Don region of most Bolshevik communities. The arrival and thoro training of the American forces will be the signal for the general offensive of the allies to begin. In order that the critical period of the allied defence may be brief, the United States will draw on the work shops of Britain and France for equipment, and she will speed up her own ship construction to replace losses by German submarining. The peril of the submarine is not over. These craft sank eighteen large and three small British merchain ships last week, a considerable increase over the preceding seven days. More submarine hunt, and the British Admirality has arranged to adopt some American war craft will take part in the submarine hunt, and the British Admirality has arranged to adopt some American war craft will take part in the submarine hunt, and the British Admirality has arranged to adopt some American war craft will take part in the submarine hunt, and the British Admirality has arranged to adopt some American war craft will take part in the submarine hunt, and the British Admirality has arranged to adopt some American war craft will take part in the submarine hunt, and the British Admirality has arranged to adopt some American war craft will take part in the submarine hunt, and the British Admirality has arranged to adopt some American war craft will take part in the submarine hunt, and the British Admirality has arranged to adopt some American war craft will take part in the submarine hunt, and the British Admirality has arranged to adopt some American war craft will take part in the submarine hunt, and the Bolsheviki peace negotiations with the Germans probably takes only the Bolsheviki by surprise.

The Germans never intended to conclude a about to assume constru New York, Jan. 2.—An egg famine threatens the United States, according to a statement issued tonight by W. F. Priebe, head of the poultry and egg division of the federal fond ministration. He declared that from September 1 to January 1 85 per cent. of the supply of cold storage eggs was consumed, and the other 15 per cent. will soon be gone. There is no Air raiding is the principal military oc-upation on the Italian front these days, ustrian and German aviators, in a nocrelief in sight, he asserted, for supply cannot meet the demand.
"We have got to cut down egg con-

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have been made in some counties that the government is not administering the provisions of the order-in-council passed on the third day of December, which authorized the minister of ag-

which authorized the minister of agriculture to protect the national interest in connection with the production of foodstuffs by appointing a representative to attend the sittings of exemption tribunals on behalf of farmers' sons and farm help, and to enter appeals from the decisions of such tribunals where he considered such action precessary in the nubble interaction necessary in the public interest. The acting minister stated that the complaints in question, if made, were quite unfounded.

appeal judge.

Apart from the above, it is pointed out, the Military Service Act permits any person refused exemption by the local tribunal to appeal personally Dled of wounds—W. S. Doran, Wood ord, Ont. Wounded—C. J. Gill, England. Cas burns—A. Bamper, not stated. against the decision, and even, if the time for appealing under the regulations has expired, special leave to appeal can be obtained in all proper cases upon application thru the district reg-

CANADIAN ENLISTMENTS EXCEED NET WASTAGE

-Hundred.

Ottawa, Jan. 2.-Recruiting figures showing the number of men enlisted in the infantry, artillery, railway construction and forestry units in Can-

and way construction and forestry. 311;
remiscellaneous, 87. The total number of men enlisted in Canada during the two weeks was 1310, in the United States, 768, and in England, three. two weeks was 1310, in the United States, 768, and in England, three.

The casualties overseas during the half month totaled 1217, of which 45 per cent. will, it is expected, within a period of six months, be fit for general service. A total of 972 men were discharged in England, 981 were rejurned to Canada for discharge, and 532 were discharged in Canada. The total wastage in Infantry units was

THE TYPE SELECTED

Halifax Reconstruction Committee Accepts Plans of Conservation Com-mission for Homeless. Orie

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—The Halifax reconstruction committee has accepted plans prepared by the commission on conservation for terrace-cottage types of dwellings for temporary homes for 1500 families of that city. In dealing with this matter great difficulty was encountered owing to the combined necessity for rapid and cheap construction and good sanitary arrangements in the temporary dwellings.

Special to The Toronto World.

Kitchener, Jan. 2.—Proceedings in the juvenile court here today brought to light a rather exciting few moments experience by the local librarian on Sunday. Two juvenile criminals have been making a regular thing of breaking into the librarian happened into her office and heard the pair at their work in the children's room. She phoned for police assistance, but before the police arrived she rounded up the pair of young thieves

rangements in the temporary dwellings.

The first scheme proposed involved the placing of groups of two families in tenements. Mr. Thos. Adams, town planning advisor of the commission of conservation, recommended the cottage type of residence and submitted plans to the reconstruction commission.

The first scheme proposed involved and held them.

One of the youngsters tried to frighten the librarian by pulling a gun on her, but fashioned after the model of an automatic revolver. The thieves proved to be twins. They have been handed over to the Children's Aid Society. ted plans to the reconstruction committee. B. A. Robb, architect, who prepared the sketches, has telegraphed Mr. Adams that the plans have been adopted.

TOTAL SHIPS SUNK IN WEEK OVER SCORE

(Continued from Page One).

with the increasing effectiveness of naval methods.

The total entrances and clearances

to the severe weather the submarines have been compelled to concentrate and work closer to shore. This, perhaps, accounts for the large number of submarines caught. One of these and some delicacies during the Christ-

the success of an American liner's gun crew upon another, altho this score will not be recognized by the admiralty unless confirmed from some other source, owing to the fact that the gunners saw only a smashed periscope, and the submarine might

conceivably be able to limp home.

Encounters With U-Boats.

Reports of encounters with submarines in the past three months indicate that whatever improvements have been made in the U-boats, they

Austrian and German aviators, in a nocturnal expedition, dropped a few bombs on Mestro and Treviso, doing little damp proaching famine," Mr. Priebe said.

WARNED TO PAY TAXES.

Social to The Toronto World.

Brantford. Ont., Jan. 2.—A warning is being issued to those who have not part wo enemy munition depots in the Alps. British patrols raided Austrian advanced posts. The allied aviators and batteries also brought down three enemy flying machines. The cold weather and the spow are giving the Italians an interval for strengthening their lines of defence. The work which they put in last winter in fortifying the Trentino stood them in good stead in the present campaign.

We have got to cut down egg conturnal expedition, dropped a few bombs on the sumption or else suffer a fast-approaching famine," Mr. Priebe said.

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Brantford. Ont., Jan. 2.—The Rev. Brown of the German veteran U-boat novices fall into the net easily and their chances of escape are small.

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SCHOONER'S CREW RESCUED.

Weston Wind Head aviators and batteries.

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MOUNTED RIFLES.

CAVALRY. Wounded-550296, B. R. Dunlop, 17 Yar-mouth Gardens, Toronto; M. A. Gandee, England.

ENGINEERS. Wounded-A. Jefferson, New Aberdeen

DIVISIONAL TRAIN. Wounded-J. P. Morris, Port Dalhousie, ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Wounded-J. C. Whiby, Soo, Ont MEDICAL SERVICES. Killed by explosion at Hallfax—C. Thomas, Hallfax, N.S.

RESERVE PARK, Gas poisoning—R. Franklin, England; Wm. Little, Montreal.

FIELD BAKERY. Died of wounds-A. E. Nash, Gorley,

MILITARY CROSS AND D.S.O.

Special to The Toronto World,
St. Thomas, Ont., Jan, 2.—Lieut. Hugh
Cameron of St. Thomas, who has been
awarded the Military Cros for distinguished service at Passchendaele, is
about 23 years of age. He is a Toronto
University student, and enlisted and went
ove.seas with the flist Battalion. In the
battle of Passchendaele Lieut, Cameron

total wastage in Thantry units was the son of the late Dr. Dungan McLarty.

1575.

He went overseas with the Canadian Medical Corps, and has been awarded the Distinguished Service Order while serving as medical officer of a British regiment

YOUTHFUL ROBBERS

Caught by Kitchener Librarian

DIED IN KITCHENER.

Special to The Toronto World.

Kitchener, Jan. 2.—Edwin F. G. Keuhner, aged 32, passed away at his home in this city yesterday after an illness of about two years. He was a member of the \$5rd Battalion in Toronto until discharged owing to poor health. UNITED STATES TO SEND

FOOD TO SCANDINAVIA BUILDING ACTIVITIES INCREASE. War Trade Board at Washington

Reaches Agreement Over De-spatch of Necessities.

Washington, Jan. 2.-An agreement while low for the past week owing has been reached between the war to weather conditions, were larger in trade board and the Scandinavian December than in November.

The sinkings in the past month occurred mainly in two areas. Owing Dr. Lundbohm and Axel Nordvall,

Swedish commissioners, requested to Denmark.

was rammed in the most casual man-ner by a slow-going coastal steamer gift from the United States tto Scanalmost within gunshot of land.

Canadians have already been told of the success of an American liner's ships could not be secured in time for shipment at Christmas, and the questions another, although this tion now is being worked out between the Swedish commissioners and the shipping board. It is considered likely. that two American ships will be devoted to this purpose in exchange for similar tonnage from Sweden which will sail simultaneously.

NO CONTEST IN INGERSOLL

cate that whatever improvements have been made in the U-boats, they are not nearly so efficient or deadly as they were earlier in the year. This is due partly to the lower standard of their torpedoes and also to deterioration in the quality of their crews.

In "U-boating," as in aviation, experienced men are irreplacable, and a novice stands a poor chance.

Special to The Toronto World.

Ingersoll, Ont., Jan. 2.—There will be no contests here for the clyic offices, all having been filled by acclamation, as follows: Mayor, J. V. Buchanan; councilors, R. W. G. Bloer, Jas. Henderson, T. R. Mayberry, John Mitchell, H. D. McCarty, M. E. Scott; water, light and sewer commissioner, John E. Gayfer; school trustees, Ward One. McDonald Wallace; Ward Two, George F. Jones; Ward Three, John Lee.

THREE CONTESTS IN GALT

Election Will Be for Mayor, Hydro Commissioner and Ward One Trustees.

CASUALTIES

INFANTRY.

Special to The Toronto World.
Gait. Ont., Jan. 2.—Gait's municipal election has now boiled down to three contests, and on Monday next the electors will be mavor, hydro commissioner and school trustees in Ward One, all other positions having been filled by acclamation. It was expected there would be more contests, and J. A. McIrvine surprised his friends by not quaisfying for the mayoralty contest, and J. A. McIrvine surprised his friends by not quaisfying for the mayoralty contest, since he has had a splendid record in four years' service in council. The municipal state now stands. For mayor. Alfred Taylor and Dr. W. S. Dakin. Missing—H. Brown, Argsara Falls, Ont., Wounded—S. W. Dunn, Waldeck, Sask.; S. Wise, England; S. McLachlin, South Farmington, N.S.; J. Beck, Ireland; F. Bunton, Scotland; S. McLachlin, South Farmington, N.S.; J. Beck, Ireland; F. Bunton, Scotland; S. McLachlin, South Farmington, N.S.; J. Beck, Ireland; F. Bunton, Scotland; S. McLachlin, South Farmington, N.S.; J. Beck, Ireland; F. Bunton, Scotland; South, J. Moors, Hamilton, Ont., F. Preston, J. Toronto; W. O'Brien, Ireland; D. A. McLane and D. Y. Ray, S. J. McLane and D. Y. Ray, S. J. Moors, Hamilton, Ont., F. Preston, J. Moors, Hamilton, Ont., F. Preston, J. M. Lacourt, St. Antoine, Ward Two, J. H. Wilson, Ward S. Whitby, Ont.; N. Lecourt, St. Antoine, Que, 225969, C. P. McEnteer, 238 Fair-view avenue, Toronto; G. B. Cowper, Winipeg, F. L. Ferris, Chilliwack, B.C.; R. J. Donovan, Montreal, Wounded, C. H. Dando and F. D. Clengand, Ward S. J. A. McDougal, all by acclamation, with the property of the propert

Only in Burford and Oakland Townships Will There Be a Contest.

Special to The Toronto World.

Brantford, Ont.; Jan. 2.—In the Brant. County Council for next year several old members will be found. Reeve, A., J. Mc-cann, Deputy Reeve A. J. Lee and R. Greenwood were all elected oy acclamation. Reeve Edward Pitts and Deputy Reeve Isaac Stuart, Paris, were also returnd without a contest. W. A. Douglas, by acclamation, will take the place of warden A. B. Rose as reeve of Onondega. Only in Burford and Oakland Townships will there be a contest. A. W. Eddy, B. L. Doran and Marshall Buris are rurning for reeve in Burford Township and B. L. Doran, A. W. Smith, H. A. Lester and W. H. Shellington for deputy reeve. In Oakland Township the contest for reeve will be between James Scott and E. L. Smith.

PUMP MORE WATER

Large Increase in Brantford's Consump-tion in Past Ten Years.

Special to The Toronto World.

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 2.—Ten years ago the Brantford waterworks pumped water at a daily average of 2,252,322 gallons. In 1917 the daily average was 2,893,421 gallons, and the greatest amount pumped was 3,739,012 in one day. For 1907 the total amount of water pumped was 822,005,702 gallons, while for 1917 the total was 1,057,928,511 gallons. The amount of water pumped for fire pressure has just doubled in ten years, also the number of alarms.

alarms.

The year 1917, in the matter of civic poor relief, falls far behind the record set in 1915, when the sum of \$1400 was distributed. This year the disbursements amounted to \$589, as compared with \$800 for 1916.

The votal statistics for the year are; Births, 737; marriages, 288; deaths, 385.

Coal Hoarders in Brantford

controller's regulations is provided for this offence, and the local authorities, promise vigorous prosecution for any repetition of the offence.

This morning the civic office had 100 tons to work on, and there was a large number of consumers on hand at the office opening Seven cars arrived in the city over the holiday and the situation has eased up a lot.

WILL BE FRONTIER PORT

All Goods by Pere Marquette to Be In-

Special to The Toronto World.

St. Thomas, Jan. 2.—Chief Inspector Bushy, of the customs department at Ottawa, was in the city today arranging for the St. Thomas custom office to be a frentier port for the Pere Marquette Fallway. This means that all goods consigned to Canada on this road will be inspected here, instead of at Niagara F ils and Windsor. This will largely increase the amount of business passing thru the local customs house in St. Thomas.

AWARDED THE D. S. O. Special to The Toronto World. Chatham, Ont., Jan. 2.—Major Don-ald Rispin of this city, who wena overseas with the 18th Battalion early

in 1915, as a jumor lieutenant, and since that time, by distinguished service, has received rapid advancement, until he has now attained the rank of major and been appointed district assistant adjutant general of the accord district her averaged. the second division, has been awarded the D. S. O.

Special to The Toronto World. Chatham, Ont., Jan. 2.—While the annual return of building permits for the past year shows a very marked decrease as compared with the total amount of permits issued during 1916, building activities locally have, in readity, increased during the past year. In December of 1916, the Dominion Sugar Company, of this city took out a permit of \$1,000,000, for their new factory here, which greatly increased the permits for that year Exclusive of this large permit, the total for 1917 exceeds that of 1916 by \$52,073. The total amount of the \$52,073. The total amount of the permits for 1917 was \$390,997. \$52.073

PERMITS IN BRANTFORD.

Special to The Toronto World. Brantford, Ont., Jan. 2.—The total value of new buildings for Brantford, as shown by the permit records, reached \$287,195 for the year 1917, an increase over the previous year of \$144,000. There were 303 permits in all desued and just one-third of this number were for garages, 101 in all having been built during the year The permits were classified as follows. For stores, additions, etc., \$11,-850; for warehouses, factories, \$179,-170; for public buildings, \$15.795; for dwellings, verandahs, barns, etc., \$70,-

EXPLOSION BURNS TWO AT INGERSOLL

One in Precarious Condition as Result of Gas Works Accident.

Ingersoll, Ont., Jan. 2.-Manager M. D. Montgomery of the Ingersoil Gas Light Company, and a friend, Harley Barton, son of W. H. Barton of West Oxford. were seriously burned as the result of being caught, in an explosion at the gas works this morning. Both are in Alexandra Hospital, and Montgomery's condition is precarious. Fire followed the explosion, the brigade being called out, the considerable damage was done to

FOUR IN MAYORALTY FIGHT Will Be Contests for Most of Civic Henors in Brantford.

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 2.—Four candidates for mayor, with board of education, aldermanic and other contests according to schedule. dates for mayor, with board of education, aldermanic and other contests according to schedule. This was the net
result at 12 noon today the last hour
when aspirants for municipal office
could file the necessary qualifications and
make declaration thereto. The candidates are: Mayor, Ald. I. S. Dowling,
Ald. S. A. Jones, Mayor J. W. Bowby,
Ald. M. McBride; water commission,
John Fair, Peter Noble; hydro-commission, A. McFariand (accl.); board of education, Chas E. Jeakin, J. S. Armstrong,
J. W. Shepperson, W. H. Lane, Mary
Uolter, Mrs. P. P. Balkachey (four to be
elected); street railway commission, F.
J. Colbeck, P. P. P. Secord, A. O. Secord;
aldermen, ward one, W. H. Turnbull; A.
G. Montgomery, John Hill, Grant, Jarvis,
F. Chalcraft; ward two, J. W. English, J.
H. Hall, J. J. Kelly, J. T. Burrows; ward
three, A. H. Boddy, F. C. Harp, J. J.
Hurley (accl.); ward four, W. J. Bragg,
W. J. Mel'en, A. L. Baird, A. B. Lee,
John T. Sloan; ward five, J. H. Clement,
John Hodde, Harry Symons, Henry Slapson.

YEAR'S FIRES IN CHATHAM.

Special to The Toronto World. Special to The Toronto World.

Chatham, Jan. 2.—During the past year Chatham has been especially fortunate so far as fires are concerned, figures compiled by Chief Pritchard of the fire department showing that with risks in the city amounting to about two and one half millions, the total damage done to properties in the city during the past year amounted to only \$2500.

MANITOBA LEGISLATURE.

Winnipeg, Jan. 2.—It was decided in cabinet council today to assemble he members of the legislature in session on January 17. This will be he third session of the fifteenth logisature. The term of the Manitoba legislature may not extend beyond our years.

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\$225.00 to \$250.00 Hudson Sea Coats,

Friday, \$195.00.

Hudson Seal (Seal Rat) Coats, some made in plain flaring styles, others with self belt, or imulated belt; some have self collars and suffs, others are adorned with black lynx on ollar and cuffs, and one is trimmed with kumk. Reg. \$225.00 to \$250.00. Friday. \$195

Fur Coats, six being of Hudson seal and one of muskrat; the former are in belted, beltless and fitted styles, some with large convertible collars and deep cuffs of self, others with collars and cuffs of mink, Kollnsky and grey wolf; one has huge cape of self. The coat of muskrat has deep band at base, collar and cuffs of Hudson Seal. Reg. \$265.00, \$285.00, \$295.00. Friday

Set of Crossed Fox, muff in large ball style, trimmed with head, tall and paws: neckpiece in flat animal style; lined with crepe de Chine. Reg. \$150.00. Friday\$110.00

Only, Kolinsky Cape, lined with crepe de Chine, fancy ties. Reg. \$42.50. Friday. \$32.50

Kolinsky Muffs, in melon and barrel styles, melon adorned with wrist frills, others with heads and tail. Reg. \$50.00 and \$58.50. Fri-

8 Ermine Ties, in pull-through effect, lined with white silk, Reg. \$40.00. Friday....\$30.00

8 Muffs of Ermine to match, are made in meion style, with lining of silk or satin. nicely finished with wrist frills. Reg. \$36.00. Friday. \$30.00. Reg. \$41.50 and \$45.00 eriday. \$35.00

Girls' Dresses

Pashioned of Serge and Corduroy Velvets. The corduroy velvet dresses are made in two-piece coat style, navy blue and black trimmed with red, green and Royal blue cloth collars, with three rows of colored stitching, also large buttons in color to match collars. Others are made in one-piece style. The serges, some of which are in red or brown, are in two-piece middy style, trimmed with narrow soutache braid. Also other little dresses in one - piece style with sand shade collar, cuffs and belt. Others have fancy striped collar, cuffs and pockets, and still others are trimmed with silk stitching and white pique collar. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Reg. \$6.00 to \$10.00. Friends.

Blouses

Grepe de Chine, silk and Georgette crepe blouses, smart styles, some trimmed with beading, silk embroidery, tuckings, hem-

stitching and fancy buttons. Some have labou

front and large collar with picot edge. Others have large collar and box pleats on front.

Others show clusters of tiny tucks, and con-

vertible collar, that may be worn high or low.

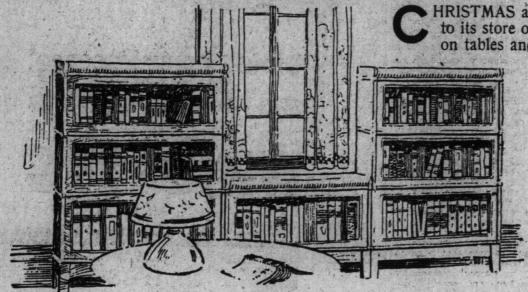
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-Third Floor, Yonge Street.

EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

An Abiding Place for Your Books? Is That One of Your Needs?

Then Why Not House Them in a Globe-Wernicke Bookcase—a Dust-proof Case of Simple Design, to Which You May Aiways Add a Section as Your Books Accumulate



A single section in this style to hold books 12 inches high, with top and base, may be had in same woods at \$10.00. Separately the pieces are priced as follows: Bases, \$3.00; top, \$2.75; sections, \$4.25 and \$4.50.

In "art mission" style with simple straight lines and square wooden knobs on the drawers three-section bookcase, with top and base. In fumed oak, price, \$24.50; in mahogany,

A handsome double-section of mahogany in Colonial design, with scroll feet and a carved top and square wood knobs, measures 50 inches across. This consists of three double-sections, with top and base, and in mahogany is \$56.00; in oak, \$47.00. -Furniture Building, Corner James and Albert Sts.

In Floor Coverings, Some Notably Good Values

Wilton Rugs, Brussels Squares, Rag Rugs, Axminster and Wilton Carpets in Many Cases at But Fractional Parts of Their Usual Markings, for the January Sale

OUGHT many months ago in anticipation of increased prices, they would be good value according to present conditions at their ordinary markings, so when these are reduced by dollars the values must appeal most forcibly to the economically inclined.

First on the list come 20 odd Wilton Rugs of very fine weaves—rugs that could be used with artistic advantage in living-rooms, dining-rooms, dens, bedrooms and offices. Both designs and colorings are attractive, numbering Oriental, conventional, floral effects and figured centres, with chintz borders.

Size 9 x 10.6. Reg. \$57.00 and \$70.00. Friday, \$42.50.

Size 9 x 12. Reg. \$65.00 and \$75.00. Friday, \$48.50.

Brussels Squares, so justly renowned for their durability, and with this further attraction—that they are easily kept clean—are obtainable in several unusually effective designs. These include large and small Oriental and conventional designs in various combinations of tan, brown, green, blue and grey.

Size 6.9 x 10.6. Reg. \$26.00. Friday, \$17.50. Size 11.3 x 12. Reg. \$49.50. Friday, \$33.50. Size 11.3 x 13.6. Reg. \$56.00. Friday, \$37.50.

Odd Rag Rugs, in pretty ors, or the and miss" effects, so dainty in bedrooms. sewing -rooms, etc., are marked at half-price and less. Size 6' x 9'. Reg. \$8.25 and \$8.50. Friday, \$4.10.

Axminster and Wilton Car-pet, in heavy weaves and in various effective Oriental and conventional designs, offers excellent choice of pretty pat-terns for rooms and halls. Some have borders to match. Reg. \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$2.75 a yard. Friday, \$1.75. -Fourth Floor, James St.

HRISTMAS and New Year's Day have gone and the average house has added to its store of books. They have doubtless found a temporary resting place on tables and chairs—or if it be a very bookish house, even on the floor! But, so that it may return to its ordinary state of tidiness,

> there is nothing for it but a new bookcase! And, here a word to the wise-let it be a Globe-Wernicke, for next time your books overflow their shelves all you have to do is to add a section. If you are not familiar with this elastic bookcase, the sketch will

> show you how it's done. In the centre is a single section with a top and base, and by adding two more sections you obtain the Standard Globe-Wernicke—like the two cases on either side—and these can be added to indefinitely, either vertically or horizontally. One of the principal advantages of these new style Globe-Wer-

> nickes is that the sections are joined invisibly—there is no band of metal work at the sides, as in the old style bookcases.

The "Standard" case aforementioned is 34 in. long, consists of three sections, with top and base, and is obtainable in golden or fumed oak and in birch mahogany at \$18.50.

Beauteous Upholstery Fabrics at Reduced Prices

Lovely Silk Damasks Brocades and Velvets at \$4.95; Tapestry at \$2.00: Double Width Chintzes and Linens at \$1.65 a Yard, Offer Golden Opportunities to Those Who Would Dress Their Furniture Anew

HE JANUARY sun comes glittering over the snow and shows up all those shabby draperies and worn, soiled fur- n niture coverings of which no one has had time to think during the "Christmas rush." Now there is a lull, and Madam Housewife can sit down and carefully consider ways and means to make her rooms look

more cheerful. So these lovely fabrics at greatly reduced prices will appeal to her as a particularly opportune of-

fering. To describe a few: Heavy handsome silk damasks and brocadesreproductions of Jacobean, Georgian and Portuguese patterns are theresplendid for portieres, for covering rather substantial furniture, etc. In the same group are lighter, daintier brocades, with little colored sprigs of flowers or bouquets, medallions, torches, etc.—Marie Antoinette design, charming for French furniture. These include such colors as champagne, gold, cream, green and crimson.

Striped velvets, in wine and champagne, in blue and fawn, also velvets with almost invisible stripe in blues and greens are beautiful indeed, and all at

the same price, \$4.95 a yard. Tapestries in verdure effect in Jacobean design, with fruit and flowers, on a light ground; in quaint Chinese designs; with little floral sprays and medallions, also offer splendid value. Many of these were bought long since, and are now reduced to a lower figure than the regular price of two years ago. Special price, \$2.00 a yard.

Printed linens and chintz in magnolia and parrot, rose and peacock, and peony designs, some on light, some on dark grounds, are particularly noteworthy, some being little more than half their usual prices at \$1.65

More of the Friday Bargains

Furniture

Large Arm Chairs, of Willow, brown finish,
Marshall cushion seats, and upholstered
backs, covered in fancy chintz. Reg. \$17.50.
Friday \$11.75

Chinaware and Japanese Goods

Wall Papers

Embossed Gilt Stripe Papers in rich cream and buff shadings, suitable for parlor, bedroom or sitting-room. Reg. 25c. Friday, single roll121/-e

Fioral Tapestry Papers, in soft grey leaf patterns with touches of blue or yellow. Reg. 35c. Friday, single roll

Rich Leaf Tapestry Papers, in soft two-tone grey and blue, or rich green, grey and buff color combinations. Reg. 75c. Friday, single roll371/20

American Partor Papers, in rich scroll and floral effects in cream or buff. Friday, single

Papers, in all-over floral pat-terns in rich shadings of buff, brown and grey. Reg. 50c. Friday, single roll......30c

Grey Ribbon Stripe Bedroom Paper with fancy floral bor-der, in soft pink and grey tones on white grounds. Reg. 9c. Friday, roll7e Border, reg. 21/2c yard. Friday,

-Fourth Floor.

If You'd Like Your Chairs Re-Upholstered

Or if you'd like them to have new slip covers, notify the Drapery Department and a man will be sent to give estimates free of -Fourth Floor.

CHRISTMAS CHIMES

Two Bright Holiday Wed-

war. These women are appointed as settlement.

The women of England and France in her little hands a miniature bow and arrow, Mary Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Lynn, was met at the ness of purpose, running everything alternative and the committee on woman's defence work. Its membership is as follows: and Mrs. James Lynn, was met at the altar, under a huge wedding bell, by the groom, Dr. Clifford Henry Allen, of Albany, N.Y. Miss Lulu Chase of St. Catharines played the Wedding March. Rev. A. Philip Brace, B.D., pastor of Gerrard Street Methodist Church, united the couple in matrimony. Much love and the very best wishes followed the happy pair as they journeyed to their new home in the second content of the couple of the next of the journeyed to their new home in the neighboring state.

GREEN-LELIEVER.

A very bright holiday wedding took A very bright holiday wedding took place the other evening in the Gerrard Street Methodist Church, when Ruby Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alice daughter of Withrow avenue, was united in marriage to Mr. Fred Green. Miss Mary LeLiever acted as bridesmaid for her sister, while the froom was supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The ceremony was performed supported by Mr. John K. Stout. The council of national defense was created by act of congress to plan for congress to plan writer; Miss Agnes Nestor of Illington Writer; Mis Stout. The ceremony was performed and has authoritative power to appoint all committees.

No country can show such remarkably well organized groups among its women as the United States; but each one of these organizations under the happiest auspices. They will reside in the city.

The confusion induced by the de-

UNITED STATES WOMAN ON NATIONAL DEFENCE

ARE WEDDING BELLS President National Council Talks About Patriotic Education for American Women.

The president of the National Council of Women of the United States, into one great clearing house.

dings Are Celebrated During

Christmas Week.

Mrs. Philip North Moore, is now devoting her whole time to the work of the women's committee of the council of national defense. Mrs. Moore, in reference to patriotic edulation, says:

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Italy of the remarkable work of women in every line of relief.

In the United States the terrible world war implied a nation's lack of preparedness. Utmost confusion prevalled both as to the service men might give and equally the unknown service of women.

Carrie Chapman Catt of New York process.

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Woman Suffrage Association; Mrs. Antoinette Funk of Illinois; Mrs. Special to The Toronto World.

Kitchener, Ont., Jan. 2.—Judge Reade, president of the National Society of the Colonial Dames; Miss Ida Tarron 74 cases heard by him on The last day half of New York problems.

sire of women to serve their country, duplication of effort it was unaniand the receipt of many offers of mously decided to make a clearing service from organizations and indihouse, thru which all organizations viduals, led to the consideration of should report their activities, to find some means of co-ordinating these. the number of organizations in each There came to this council the vision to place in the hands of women themselves the power to co-ordinate the work of different organizations into one great clearing house

FT. EATON COMITES

Mrs. A. J. Glazebrook, whose splendid work for returned soldiers at the Maple Leaf Club, College street, is now known to men on both sides of the Atlantic, was recognized by the "boys" in a New Year presentation of a beauther of the regular stock pot going and into the regular stock pot going and the regular sto

SCRAP BASKET IN PANTRY

Keep the Stock Pot Going to Reduce Cost of Living.

"Don't put into the garbage can what should go into the soup kettle," Housekeeping, and continues:
"Nourishing soups can be made from scraps of meat and from vegetables that are usually thrown away.

tive vegetable leftovers as required. The soup course, planned and supplied in this way, need hardly cost 25 cents extra a week, the milk soups being served on those days when sur-plus from the regular milk supply permits of them."

HOME TO RECUPERATE.

Special to The Toronto World.

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 2.—With frame weakened by the malarial fever, which laid him low after a year's work as chaplain with the forces at Salonica. Capt. (Rev.) A. E. Lavell has returned to the city to recuperate.

Here and There

The annual banquet of the Social writes Herbert Hoover in Good Science Study Club was held at the

> ciety are still coming in thru the Or- of returned soldiers. ganization of Resources Committee, A big Christmas tree with a fine toy

Thru the soldiers' comforts department, Mrs. Arthur VanKoughnet president, a reception was given to several hundred returned soldiers to mark the New Year. Refreshments were dispensed by the Women's Volunteer Corps under their president, Mrs. Hermon. A musical program was given by a number of local artists, and addresses by Col. R. S. Wilson and Col. Cool. Williams.

Hon. Wallace Nesbitt was the lucky winner in the drawing for the gold watch bracelet given by Mrs. W. H. Cawthra to be raffled in aid of the prisoners of war fund.

A harbinger of spring was met on New Year's Day in the shape of a well-contented robin who was seen happily preening his wings perched on the branch of a tree on Walmer road.

Galt tendered a civic reception to Sister Madeline F. Jaffray, who has returned from the firing line in France wounded and decorated for conspicuwounded and decorated for conspicu-ous bravery with the Croix de Guerre. The mayor presented an illuminated address and addresses were made by several of the aldermen. The council chamber was filled with citizens. After the reception Nursing Sister Jaffray the reception Nursing Sister Jaffray was the guest of the Daughters of the Empire at a cabaret tea and dance given in the armory.

Official reports from Ottawa announce that among those who have recently arrived in England are Canagiven in the armory.

WIDOWS AND ORPHANS ENJOY ENTERTAINMENT

"B" Company Give Christmas Party to Widows of Fallen Comrades,

A most delightful time was enjoyed home of Mr. and Mrs. Sumbling, Dav-members of "B" Company branch of enport road, when T. J. Harris, was the Great War Veterans' Association toastmaster and the guests appeared entertained the widows and children of their comrades who had died on ac-Subscriptions to the Red Cross So- tive service and the wives and children

parliament buildings, and in addition for each child was the feature of the to the \$885,000 which Toronto contri- afternoon. Games and music prebuted about \$1,602,000 has been real- coded the serving of the supper. Three hundred were served at supper, and after the repast a frolic and merry time were enjoyed by all.

AWARDED MILITARY CROSS.

PRICE OF CEMENT ADVANCED.

Brantford, Ont., Jan 2.—The wholesale price of cement was advanced this morning 15 cents per barrel, and it is now selling at \$2.05 per barrel. The city secured a supply before the advance went into effect.

KENT CUSTOMS DECREASED.

Special to The Toronto World. Special to The Toronto World.

Chatham, Jan. 2.—Embargoes which have been placed on a tices coming in from the United States have declosely affected the customs returns in Kent County. The total returns for the month of December amounted to \$65,641.41, as compared with \$101,685.82 in December, 1916.

OFFICIAL FIGURES

SINGER PROMISES **SOME REVELATIONS**

Will Brighten Up Final Meeting of Old Council Next Week.

CHOOSING CHAIRMEN

Unofficial Naming of Heads of Committees is Being Carried On.

Having effected a general shake up in the personnel of its city council, Toronto is sitting back and waiting to see what its 25 "city fathers" have to offer. The inaugural meeting of the new council will be held on Monday, Jan. 14. On this occasion the committees will be formed and their chairmen appointed. As the board of control does not hold its first meeting until after the inaugural meeting of the city council it will be almost a month before any business can be

The date has not been officially set for the final meeting of the old city council, but if the precedent established in former years is followed it will be held on Friday, Jan. 11. Farewells are the chief items on the unof-ficial order paper for the final meeting, but retiring Ald. Louis Singer promises to make things exciting. He says that he has some sensational revelations to make concerning the manner in which the vote was taken in ward four Tuesday. A great many ratepayers were disqualified from voting because the assessors had classified them as "alien enemies," and as Ald. Singer counted on these votes he is greatly disappointed and angry. Picking Chairmen.

Already the city hall gossips are be-ginning to pick the men who will occupy the chairmanships of the various committees. There is an extra \$100 a year for each alderman who is lucky enough to get one of these "plums." Controller O'Neill, as the man who headed the poll and the only surviving member of last year's board of control, is mentioned as vice chairman of the board for the fourth consecutive year. Of the committees, the works committee is probably the most important. Ald. Ramsden heade dthat body last year, and it is prophesied that he will again be its chairman, altho Ald. Pall has been mentioned. Chairman Ald. Gibbons of the parks and exhibition committee and Chairman Ald Me-Brien of the property committee will probably be re-elected. The elevation of Ald Maguire to the board of control leaves the chair of the board of health to be filled. There is really no reason why the controller should not occupy the position again, but it is felt that Ald. Hiltz will get the ap-

Rule of Brevity. One thing that is generally conceded is that there will be some radical changes in the manner of conducting the business of the board of confrol. Mayor Church's rule in the past has been brevity. Two meetings a week has been the average, and each meeting lasted about half an hour, except on special occasions, Controller McBride, it is pointed out, will de-mand longer and more frequent sessions in order that contentious items may be thoroly threshed out before going on to council. Controller Ma-guire will probably back up his colleague in this demand.

There are some important matters to be settled by this year's council, the most important of them concerning transportation. The Metropolito be paid by the city for the line, but the workings of that body are tain. An increase in the fares on the for some time, but any attempt to week to accommodate the people. raise the fare from "six-tickets-for-a-dime" will meet with much opposi-

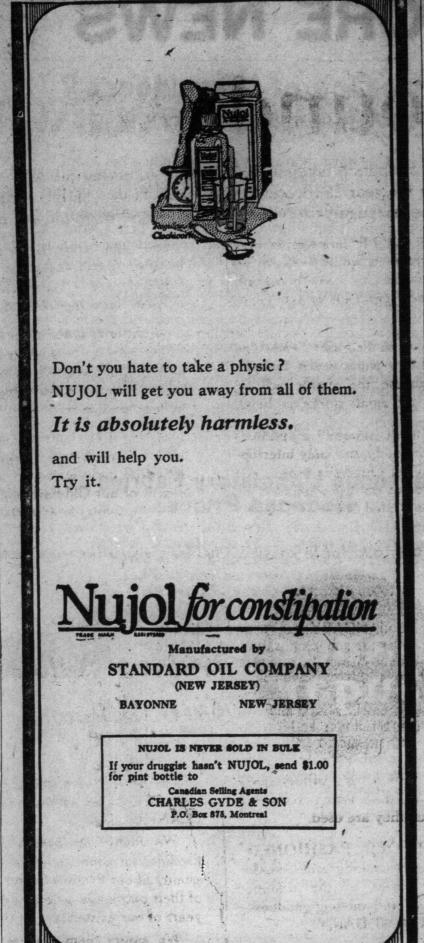
Higher Water Rates. Another thing that is looked for is an increase in water rates, especially in the meter rate to large consumers. This is Ald, McBrien's "pet" project, and he will fight it thru to the finish. The general fee'ing is that, altho Street Railway franchise is three or four years distant, this year's council should play an important part in preparing the city for the purchase. The transportation problem was one of the chief topics of discussion at the pre-election meetings, and will rrob-



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FREE SAMPLE COUPON PYRAMID DRUG COMPANY. 658 Fyramid Building., Marshall, Mich. ily send me a Free sample ramid Pile Treatment, in

Street Toroncomerces of the extension commissioner reports that 62.779 made use of the showers during 1917. In



CITIZENS BESIEGE FEW ARE UNABLE **CIVIC COAL YARDS**

ing, But Supply is Limited

at Present.

and at several times during the day

that a supply of these slabs will be given free of charge to any people who

240 cars were en route

SMELLS BEING ABATED.

Report of progress regarding ef-

ITALIANS REMANDED.

Commissioner Wilson's

Banks Have Busy Day Hand- Deliveries Begin This Mornling Victory Loan Bond Business.

The majority of the downtown banks | Street tan Railway must be acquired with- and many of the outlying branches drivers will begin the delivery of fuel out delay if the representatives of the ware swamped with work vesterday from the city's yards this morning. were swamped with work yesterday from the city's yards this morning. people are going to live up to their promises to the electorate. The On- owing to the Victory Loan payments. Orders were booked yesterday for uppromises to the electorate. The Ontario Railway and Municipal Board
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Owing to the heavy subscriptions the wards of 100 tons, altho much less than has been appealed to fix the price time for making payment has been that amount is available at present. at Monteith is now open to all reextended to Jan. 11. The banks, how- All the orders will be filled in rotation turned soldiers desiring to take up slow, and, whenever the interests of ever, closed yesterday at the usual as received, but preference will be farming as a profession. The offihour, but expect to keep open in the given to a few urgent cases. civic car lines has been "hanging fire" evenings the last three days of the Disregarding Property Commissionwould be available only for a few

terday. "Four of our tellers have kept at it steadily all morning," said the accountant at the Bank of Toronto. "We were fairly swamped this morning." he

"We have had a big rush all day," the accountant at the Union Eank, "but the heaviest time was the moon hour, when many of the business people took time to make their payments.'

We find about half of the people are paying up in full," said a teller at the Bank of Nova Scotia. "Our savings bank ledger-keepers

were so busy they couldn't get off for said the Standard Ban's. People were paying up in full presty

Unable to Pay Up. "We found only about ten per cent are in want. of the subscribers are making complete payments." said the official in charge of the card system at the Bank of Commerce. "Between 7000 and 8000 subscriptions are to be received at this branch alone. There has been a American points. ine in front of all the wickets right thru the day. We will have to keep open nights at the end of the week." "Are many letting their deposits go and not fulfilling their obligations?

forts being made to lessen the smells in West Toronto were heard yester-'We have had several who reported as unable to make the payments, so we changed them to the card system, where the bank finances the bond for them and they pay one dollar a week. In that way they don't lose and al-

most every one is able to pay one dollar a week." dollar a week."

The Royal Bank, the Sterling Bank and the Northern Crown all had a busy day. "But we are afraid there stand until March 1. will be a terrible rush at the last," said one man. "People should not wait till the last day or so or they may have to wait in line a long time

Stephen Rosselli and Giuseppe Dedo-na, Italians were yesterday found guilty by Judge Winchester in the court of general sessions on the charge of flim-flamming the sum of \$135 from Louis Dansky of West Queen street. BATHS WELL PATRONIZED. At the east end baths, the property 1916 the figure was 64.344. At the that there were previous charges of Harrison, baths the figures were: conspiracy and robbery against the 1916, 114,249; 1917, 119,055. Almost two prisoners. They were remanded 35,000 people used the plunge bath. for sentence.

Mayor Church Exceeds Opponent by Nine Thousand Six Hundred and Ten.

City Clerk Littlejohn officially de clared Thomas L. Church mayor of Toronto for 1918, yesterday. Those present in the council chamber when the official returns were read were Mr. Littlejohn, Assistant City Clerk Sanderson, six newspapermen and two other clerks from Mr. Littlejohn's office. The revised count on the mayor-

aity is as follows: Majority for Church . . 9,610 Controller-elect Robbins will have no dimenty in remembering his vote. me poned exactly 19,000 votes, according to the omicial ugures. The other candidates stood as 1000ws:

Archibaid 8,922 Meek 2,262
The official figures for the various ards were as follows: Wacd One. Hiltz ... 4,744
Johnston, F. M. 4,837
Honeyford ... 4,068
Fenwick ... 8,699
Brown

Stubbings 918 Ward Two. (Acclamation.) Ball Ward Three. Ramsden 2,213 McBrien Johnston, F. W. 1,135

Ward Four. 2,813 Singer 2,855 Ward Five. Graham ore Vallentyne

Plenty Jarvis Ward Six. 6,954 4,411 3,789 3,789 2,701 Ward Seven. 1,461 1,151 783 BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Douglass 3,115 2,252

SOLDIERS' FARMS ARE NOW ALMOST WORTHLESS

McClelland

Some Who Enlisted in New Ontario Come Back to Find Land Overgrown With Weeds.

A three or six months' course at cials at the Carlton street headquarters said that there were a number er Chisholm's warning that the coal of men who had enlisted from north- Provincial Treasurer Received Many people neglected to turn in their provisional certificates, and so were not able to get their scrip yesterday. Would be available only for a few people, almost 400 citizens besieged the city yards yesterday clamoring for only slightly improved at the time of their enlistment. Today their farms making enquiries and booking orders. tanglewood and other forest growths, there was a long queue of people lined up. Only a quarter or a half ton was allowed to each person and the price charged was \$10.50 a ton.

Looking in the best of health and disclaiming anything to the contrary, list, had prospered exceedingly, due selves of the tall pile of slabs in the and G. R. Ferguson, the minister of

Symington avenue yards. Property lands, is attending to the claims of Commissioner Chisholm points out the men affected. "THE TELLER" IS OUT.

can produce a certificate from a re-putable citizen to the effect that they issued a splendid copy of "The Teller" containing New Year's greetings. A Coal is moving very freely into the city from the border. Thre were 126 cars of coal in the Mimico yards of December issue of the bright little monthly. A picture of the new monthly. A picture of the new-branch of the bank at Thornhill adorned one of the pages. Some the Grand Trunk Railway yesterday, good articles on different phases of the Victory Loan made interesting reading. The publication is a credit to the editor, R. D. Little.

MARKET PATRONAGE.

day by Judge Winchester in the gen-The number of people making use eral sessions. There were indictments against the Swift Canadian Company. of the North Toronto open market during 1917 was 2888. At St. Law-Ltd., and the Harris Abattoir Com-pany. Mr. Gideon Grant, who, ap-peared for the Swift Company, stated that no government had indicated the rence market 4983 people found buyers for their products.

FEWER PEOPLE DROWNED. Twelve people were drowned in To-

ronto last year, as compared with 32 for 1915, and 27 for 1916. CIVIC LABOR BUREAU. The civic labor bureau found em-

CITY HALL WELL USED.

No less than 1946 meetings of various kinds were held in the city hall during the past twelve months. Pro-

During convalescence. and when appetite lags

WRIGLEYS

brings to the hot, dry mouth a freshness and a soothing balm that coaxes back the enthusiasm of health.

Thousands of soldiers in Europe have cause to thank Wrigley's for its tonic effect.

The Flavour Lasts



CHEWING GUM THIN

Keep your

fighter

supplied

MADE IN CANADA

All Callers at His Private Office Yesterday.

The street commissioner had a gang to the care and attention they treasurer, met all comers in his prior of men at the Rogers yards on Law-had been able to bestow upon vate office at the parliament bulkaton avenue all day long bagging the their farms. The returned men who ings yesterday and assured each one coal and delivering it to the four city have come back only to find their that he had no intention of resignyards. There are about 80 tons of coal farms worthless feel that they should altogether at Lawton avenue, but orders were taken for almost double that ing to them thru the exigencies of rumor to the effect that the minister's the war. The G. W. V. A. is taking health was failing was responsible citizens have as yet to avail them-

While it may be that a session of the disgislature will be held, commencing about the second week in February, no definite date has been With the federal elections a The staff of the Sterling Bank has thing of the past and the municipal campaign over, attention is more or

> last session of the present provincial parliament. So far the matter has not been discussed, according to Pre-mier Sir William Hearst, but outside the buildings the opinion is expressed that immediately following the next sitting would be the best time for the contest.

The man on the street can advance many reasons for this, among others the fact that the Liberal party in Ontario is in a disorganized state ing to the absence of a leader. There is to be a caucas today, presumably in the offices of the Ontario Reform Association, Toronto street, and it is hinted strongly that William Proud-foot, K.C., M.L.A., will be chosen. However, it is pointed out that from ployment for 9954 people during 1917. In 1916, 6644 people were placed in

the best time to strike; The action Mr. Sw

of the opposition members today may have considerable bearing upon the question, and it is known that they are coming to Toronto from many quarters to take up the problem where they left off some three months

of some that an extension of the life Bent A. McCreath, assistant manof the present legislature will be asked for if it is true that in accepting
a place on Premier Sir Robert Borden's cabinet Hon. N. W. Rowell succeeded in averaging that Sir Robert
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circulated a poster for the purpose ceeded in arranging that Sir Robent request Premier Sir William Hearst to withhold an election for at least don Waldron, who ran for a seat in

MRS. MARGARET PRATT DIES AT HOSPITAL

Relict of Late James Pratt, of Port Union, Was III Two Weeks of Blood Poisoning.

Mrs. Margaret Pratt, relict of the late James Pratt of Port Union, and daughter of the late George Pratt of the British or any other flag," dedaughter of the late George Frank
Coupar Fife, Scotland, died Wednesday
clared the complainant.

The chief event referred to in the afternoon in the private patients'
building of Toronto General Hospital
from blood poisoning, after two weeks'

When some men entered to

dale, and Margaret Pratt and Mrs. H.
H. Demers of Toronto. She was in her
67th year, and had been pre-deceased
by her husband in 1907. The funeral,

Weldron also denied that he had which will be private, will take place Friday from her son-in-law's home at 43 Waverley road.

NO ACTION BY PROVINCE. Any Developments in Swan Case Must Come From Ottawa.

provincial attorney-general, yesterday, when spoken to regarding the Swan case. "Anything in that line must come from Ottawa." When the sub-However, it is pointed out that from the government standpoint "the sooner the better."

In view of the way in which the province voted in the federal election and of the stand which some of the Ontario Liberals took on the issue, it is said that while these things are fresh in the memory of the people is the best time to strike. The action of the stand which some of the left the policy of the department is the prisoners must be treated to the department is the prisoners must be treated to the department is the prisoners must be treated to the department is the prisoners must be treated to the department is the prisoners must be treated to the department is the prisoners must be treated to the department is the prisoners must be treated to the department is the prisoners must be treated to the department is the prisoners must be treated to the court of general sessions yes—

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paign Results in Police Court
Action by Candidate.

Parkdale in the general election. The poster complained, and charged Waldron with having trampled upon the British flag, advocating liquor traffic, declaring there was no British Empire, and stating that too many Canadians had been killed at the front as the result of incompetence of the officers. The accused admit-ted printing, publishing and circulat-

ing the poster.
"I never made such statements. when some men entered the office of

campaign over, attention is more or less directed to provincial politics and of a sudden interest seems to be centreing in Queen's Park. There is little pre-session activity as yet, however, altho the exact date can not be far away.

Election dates are connected with the date for the legislature in the public mind for the next will be the last session of the present provincial and margaret Pratt and Mrs. H. when some men entered the office of Mr. Waldron, which is in the buar Building, and shut out the light by stretching a huge placard over the windows. The placard referred to an American adventising convention. Several bunches of flags were also placed in the windows of Waldron's office. Waldron objected and threatened to summon the police.

"I would have chopped the thing of the present provincial dale, and Margaret Pratt and Mrs. H.

Waldron also denied that he had ever trampled the flag underfoot.

Magistrate Denison convicted the accused and imposed the minimum fine of \$100, remarking that the pos-ter had distorted the facts. There was no justification for its circula-

"There is no action we can take in fied in pulling down the flags under the matter," said Hon. I. B. Lucas, the circumstances," concluded his

SENTENCED TO YEAR.

prisoners must be treated Commer, \$410 from Harry Peskovitch, d that was the case with \$310 from Mike Commer and \$240 from John Delanwayder, all boarders.

FIVE HUNDRED MEN

Names of These Are. However, Not to Be Made Public.

REPORT DEFAULTERS

Colonel W. A. Collins.

and on Saturday 250 men more are to re-port to the colors, a total of a thousand against Middleton for throwing a pottle port to the colors, a total of a thousand new troops will be in khaki in Toronto within less than three days. Much interest attaches to the calling out of the drafted men today because it is the first time in the history of the Dominion that compulsory military service has been put into operation.

All arrangements had been made for the publication day by day in the press of the names of the men called to the colors, but a special message received yesterday by Toronto military headquarters from Ottawa forbids the publication of the names, it being stated, that the cancellation order. A Toronto member of the military service council explained that the council had taken this stand because it had been advised by the militiar staff at Ottawa that for military reasons it would be unwise to indicate the numbers of men dated.

staff at Ottawa that for military reasons it would be unwise to indicate the numbers of men drafted.

It is stated, however, that the nemes of the men who fail to report for service will be published, but a few days will be allowed to clapse in order to afford the officials time to check over the lists.

The military authorities state that after the drafted men are uniformed and their papers made out they will be placed in the ranks of the infantry battalions and training will commence at once. All the Toronto drafted men will be trained in Toronto. To facilitate the making out of the drafted men's papers, Lieut. Zimmerman and a staff of stenographers from the Toronto mobilization centre will go to Exhibition Camp this morning.

nouncement is made that Brantford been decided upon as the headquar-for the 2nd Battalion, 2nd Central has been decided upon as the headquarters for the 2nd Battalion, 2nd Central Ontario Regiment.

Altho it was understood that the wives of members of the Royal Flying Corps would receive exactly the same separation allowances as the wives of members of the Canadian expeditionary force, it would appear that the R. F. C. members' wives are not to be included among those entitled to receive the increased scale, to have come into effect this month. It was announced that the allowances would be increased from \$20 to \$25 and that as the order would be dated back to Dec. 1 last, the January separation allowance cheques would be for \$30. The wives of the R.F.C. men state they have not been paid the increased amount.

Officers who are detailed to proceed overseas with drafts as conducting officers are to be shown as "on command" panding their return to Canada, states a military headquarters order just issued.

"If retained in England, the notification to that effect will be given and the officers will be struck off the strength. If returned to Canada they will resume duty with their unit unless their services are not required. These officers will resume duty with their unit unless their services are not to be struck off the strength. If returned to Canada they will resume duty with their unit unless their services are not required. These officers will be struck off the strength. If returned to Canada they will resume duty with their unit unless their services are not to be for the case and last night assigned to the case and l

Detection of Disease The Dominion Board of Pension Commissioners is calling attention to the fact that in spite of medical examinations of men before enlistment and subsequent thereto, disability or disease finally leading to disability must have existed at time of enlistment; tuberculosis, asthma and epilepsy being cases in point

point.

Medical officers have been directed to notice the necessity of detecting such conditions not later than the final medical boarding before the troops proceed overseas, with a view to the discharge of such cases from the service. The order states that officers in medical charge of effective troops should particularly be held responsible for the detection of such cases prior to the soldjer's despatch overseas.

Overseas,
One hundred and forty-nine recruits were examined yesterday by the Toronto mobilization centre, 51 of them being accepted. These included 46 recruits secured in the United States by the British Mission, The recruits were attached as follows: Central Ontario Regiment, 40; Hospitals Commission, 3; Forestry and Railway Corps, each 2; Canadian Engineers, U. of T. Company, Water Transport and N.C.O. Training Company, each one.

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The funeral of the late Lt.-Col. W. A. Collins took place yesterday afternoon, attended with full military honors. The funeral service was held in St. John's Church, Portland street, conducted by Lt.-Col. G. H. Williams and Major (Canon) Dixon. The pallbearers were Lt.-Cols. R. C. Windeyer, G. H. Williams, W. A. McCrimmon, J. I. McLaren, G. F. Morrison and W. P. Butcher. The remains of Col. Collins were conveyed to Mt. Pleasant Cemetery on a gun-carriage provided by the Exhibition camp artillery brigade. A firing party and escort of 300 soldiers was furnished by the Royal Canadian Dragoons and the Army Service Corps. The camp band from Exhibition Park marched in the funeral procession.

W. Miles has received a cable from his London, England, office that the bodies of Flight Lieutenant Osbourne, Flight Lieutenant Coutts and Flight Lieutenant Ryder are on the steamship Sardinian, C. P. R. Line, The military funerals will take place

NEW PENSIONS OFFICER. Donald E. Campbell Transferred From London to Toronto.

Donald E. Campbell, pensions officer for No. 1 military district, with head-quarters at London, has been appointed to take charge of the Toronto pensions office. He will assume his new duties on January 15. Mr. Campbell has seen service in

France during the present war. He went overseas with the 16th Canadians, a Vancouver unit, and was wounded by shrapnel at the battle of Festubert. He returned to Canada two years ago, and for some time was o e editorial staff of The London Ad-When the London pensions ce was opened he was placed in

TO DEDICATE CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. Chown left last night for t. John, N.B., and Halifax, N.S. On anday next he will dedicate a church Aylesford, N.S. Before returning will go to New York to attend the In missions conference of North ica, and a meeting of the joint chodist commission on education in

COCOA FOR HALIFAX.

stealing money. rbert Cowan, of the Cowan Cocoa was stolen from oo, Ltd., has donated 2000 tins of the Halifax Relief Commisfrom Harry Peskovitch, Commer and \$210 from ion as a New Year's gift. der, all boarders.

POLICE MAKE ARREST

DON KHAKI TODAY Andrew Middleton is Charge With Wounding John Shea Following Argument at Hotel Last Night.

Andrew Middleton, 63 Duchess street was arrested at his home late last right by Detective McConnell on two charges, one of wounding and one of oing malicious injury to property. Middleton is alleged to have drawn

knife and stabbed John Shea, 41 Hazelwood avenue, in the right thigh Military Funeral of Lieut. at the corner of Sherbourne and King streets following an argument which took place in Chadwick's Hotel, Sherbourne and Duchess streets.

Shea was found at the corner of

Before noon today the 500 Toronto men forming the first day's quota of Military stable carried the man to a nearby Service Act draftees will have mobilized at Exhibition Camp ready to be uniformated and after rendering first aid had the man removed to St. and accommence training for active in Michael's Hospital in the police ametantry service overseas. As tomorrow bulance.

Jos. R. Renaud was arrested last night by Detectives Taylor and Levitt on a charge of illegally altering a legal document. It is a leged that Renaud and Mrs. George H. Bennett, of St. Catharines, left that town together, Mrs. Bennett giv ng Renaud her marriage certificate, which he altered by striking out Mr. Bennett's name and inserting his own. He is also alleged to have ante-dated the document from 1916 to 1910 in order to evade the Military Service Act. The couple were living here under the name of Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith. They have one child a few weeks old.

DISTRIBUTE LITERATURE.

Cel. J. W. S. McCullough Announce Steps Are Being Taken.

letter from Col. J. W. S. McCullough, provincial medical officer, giving him the information that he was taking steps to have put into the hands of every physician in Ontardo literature dealing with the prevention and cure of venereal diseases. This action fol-lows on the recent discussion of the

When heir toboggan upset while coasting on the Riverdale slides Festerday afternoon, Victor Wing, 220 First avenue, had his right arm broken; John Dennis, 9 Sumach place, was badly injured about the head and eyes, and William Crowe, 76 Sydenham street, was injured about the stomach. The three youths were coasting down the slide when their toboggan struck the ridge which runs between the chutes, throwing the boys into the air. They were removed to the Hospital for Sick Children in the police ambulance, All are reported as doing well.

THE

ON STABBING CHARGE TALENTED ACTRESS IS HAPPY IN WORK

Clever Miss Dunn Admires Toronto Girls for Their Beautiful Complexions.

LIKES CANADIANS

Our Tommies, With Their Quiet Strength and Good Looks, Have Attraction.

M. L. H. "Your young eyes are looking forward, mine are looking back. Love, love, love—that's what they both see."

both see."

Like the epitome of a wonderful poem the concluding words came out to the listener at the back of the stage of the Alexandra Theatre, the crescendo of emotion in the rich voice of the speaker giving the old, yet ever new, subject a fresh beauty and to the phrase a wonderfully pleasing climax. The curtain came down slowly, shutting out the enthralled audience, then out from the footlights tripped the quaintest picture of a sweet old

the quaintest picture of a sweet old lady, with curls bobbing about her smiling face and holding up the skirt of her old-fashioned merino dress in most approved manner. And the little old lady was lilting. The voice was old lady was litting. The voice was not that of age, but of a happy young woman so full of joy in her work that even at the moment when she had finished a hard, taxing matinee she was bubbling over with the vitality of inspiration.

"You seem very happy," said the woman from The World as Miss Dunn held out her hand in response to the introduction of her manager, who had been the guide thru the semi-dark-

been the guide thru the semi-darkness of the house in the moments of
the concluding act.

A merry laugh in keeping with the
litt was the reply of Miss Dunn, and
with a wave of the hand and instrucwith a wave of the hand and instruc-tions to "go into the room at the first door," she turned to say a word to someone before entering her dressing-room. She followed in a moment, and giving a chair to her visitor, began to

chat.

"Where did you get your enthusiasm?" seemed the most natural leading question in the world, because all the things that one can conceive of as meaning buoyancy that radiates to everyone and everything about her seems to be the all-pervading atmosphere of this little five feet of femininity that is just now attracting big and little alike to the Alexandra."

"I don't know," was the smiling reply. "I was born in Cheshire, England, but I left it when I was ten years old, tho I've been back nine times since."

times since." "There must be Irish somewhere, one ventured, convinced that the animation could scarcely have found its origin in dignified Cheshire.

"No, but I'm Weish and Scotch My mother was a McVey and my grand-mother a Jones, and they're all the same, aren't they?"

This, then, was the explanation.
Miss Dunn, who is doing such exquisite work in the fascinating play,
"Old Lady 31," owes much of her talent and spirit to the Celtic strain,
which is always so valuable a factor
in an appreciation of the ideal.

Then the actress told some more
facts about herself. She is married to
a southerner, John Stokes, who, like
herself, is an actor, and has three
daughters at school. "We had two
boys," she said quietly, "but they are
dead."

The clever little woman.

The clever little woman, who is as tender as she is talented, is filled with

TRAIN CREW EXONERATED.

A verdict of accidental death was returned by the jury at an inquest at the morgue last night into the death of Jas. Stewart, who was killed on Dec. 25 when he endeavored to jump from a light yard noticed in the dining-room of the first warmly. She told of two she had motived in the dining-room of the hospitals.

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KEWPIE KORNER

By ROSE O'NEILL

Oh, fie upon all pessimists,

Don't be their dreary dupe,

Copyright, 1918, by Rose O'Neill.

But meet each trial with a smile

And try to be a Kewp!

Sound Advice

THE best information obtainable at present indicates plentiful supplies of raw sugar for the year 1918, and, PROVIDED THAT SHIPS ARE AVAILABLE to transport the raw sugar, everybody should be able to obtain a reasonable supply.

This is a great big "I F" however, to overcome, and therefore it would be safer for consumers and dealers to make plans only for eighty to hinety per cent of last year's consumption.

It will be well on in February before any large supplies of raw sugar reach Canada, and in the meantime the supply will be limited owing to the small stocks on hand.

During 1917 this Company has operated its Refinery continuously, the only interruption being two days at Christmas time. We believe this record has not been equalled by any refinery in the United States or Canada.

During the whole year it has been our constant aim to keep the Canadian public supplied with "LANTIC PURE CANE SUGAR" at reasonable prices.

In order to accomplish this extraordinary feat in view of the actual sugar shortage that occurred, we were obliged at different periods, to purchase raw sugar at highest prices when such action was most unprofitable.

During 1918 we will continue our Advertising Campaign of our celebrated "LANTIC SUGAR" and, in addition, will make a feature of our Old-Fashioned Brown Sugars, known to the trade as soft or yellow sugars.

These sugars are available in three different grades, under the names of



Light Yellow Brilliant Yellow Dark Yellow

Such sugars as these have a pronounced flavour all their own that adds richness to everything for which they are used.

Try "LANTIC OLD FASHIONED BROWN SUGAR" for Cooking and Cereals and on homemade bread for the kiddies. Its rich deliciousness and melting goodness will induce you to USE IT DAILY.

For sale by all first class grocery stores in any quantity. The Red Ball Trade Mark appears on each 100 lb. bag and your grocer will be very glad to show you that the sugar you are getting is out of a "LANTIC" bag.

We thank our friends, the people of Canada, for their generous approval of the quality of our Products and the liberal share of their patronage given us during the three years of our existence.

We assure them that in the future the same high standard of quality will be maintained so that our Red Ball Trade Mark will always be recognized as the "SEAL OF PURITY".

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St. John, N. B.

ple," Miss Dunn confided, "and I love the climate. It gives the women such beautiful complexions. Marie, the L.T.B. The ceremony was performlittle French girl whom we have in ed by G. Carley, D.D.G.M., assisted by me, I'm enjoying it so much that I'm W.M.; Mrs. Smith, D.M.; Miss Con- Minty, P.C.R., Court Toronto. hoping for a return engagement.
You've no idea of the happiness of the You've no idea of the happiness of the Etherington, T.; Mrs. Richardson, D. Court Hope, of Canada, and follow-

is filled with praise for the man who R. Black, I.T. The chair was taken wrote her play and for everyone tak-

"Mr. Crothers is a wonderful writer," she declared, "and the construction of the play is unequaled. It is unique in being the only play on the American stage today that deals with old people. It required a good deal of courage to put it on and to keep it going, but that the producer was wise in his action is proved by the success which is now assured."

The representative of The World the matinee. As a consequence a resolution not tto impose on the privilege had been arrived at before enterand was forgotten in the friendly hospitality of the hostess, and it was with a feeling of saying goodbye to a warm and long familiar friend that one shook

hands at parting.
When one recalls that this talented artist played with the finished actor Richard Mansfield in "Peer Gynt," as Mary Slade in "The Governor's Lady," and as Mrs. Warren in David Belasco' "Warrens of Virginia," it is easy to understand the delicacy and intelligent understanding she brings to the sweetly human and poetic character of Angie in "Old Lady 31."

GETS A THIRD TERM.

Fort William, Jan. 2. — Mayor Harry Murphy is re-elected for a third term by acclamation. In two wards of the city, the first and second, only two nominees qualified, leaving one vacancy in each ward to be filled by an election to be ordered by the new council when it takes office.

LODGES

TRUE BLUE INSTALLATIONS. Lady Erne and Lord Erne Lodges Hold Joint Meeting.

In Victoria Hall last evening a joint installation meeting was held by as she sees on the girls about. As for Lady Erne Lodge, No. 5: Mrs. Farley, company this week. The theatre is so intelligently run and there is such a feeling of welcome about it. I don't know the man who owns it, but he must be very efficient, and any wish I express is always carried out."

Next to the animation and naturalness which mark Miss Dunn is generosity in her judgment of others. She is filled with praise for the man who the business of the evening refreshments were served.

> HOLD JOINT INSTALLATION. Court Hope of Canada and Court Toronto Work Together.

Court Hope of Canada, No. 5604, and Court Toronto, No. 7136, A. O. F., held a joint installation meeting last evening in St. George's Hall, the cerehad been told that Miss Dunn had mony being performed by District never before given an interview after Ranger G. Add son. The following officers were installed: Court Hope of Canada—Chas Fry, C.R.; W. T. ing the stage door. But this had flown son, treasurer; W. H. Henley, secre-

DODD'S

tary; C. E. Woodstock, R.C.; J. W. Haynes, S.W.; A. J. Porter, J.W.; J. J. Mansell, SB.; W. J. Smith, J.B.; Dr. G. S. Parker, physician. Court Toronto—J. P. Wilcox, C.R.; W. J. Simms, sub-chief ranger; A. E. Simms, sub-chief ranger; A. E. Ree, Reeves, treasurer; R. J. Minty, sectors of the common support of the ceremony being performed by Distance of the ceremony being pe retary; H. Cooling, S.W.; J. A. Irvine, J.W.; R. Schoefield, S.B.; D. J. Pettigrew, J.B.; J. E. Forman, sub-secretary; Dr. S. G. Parker, physician were many distinguished visitors of the order present, including the following high court officials: our company, jumps about hoping something may happen that she may remain here and get such a nice skin ing officers were installed for 1918: Veal, D.C.R., No. 8; W. Thorne, C. H. Court Cosmopolitan; R. Moffatt, P. Court Cosmopolitan; R. Moffatt, P. C. R., Court Cosmopolitan; and R. S. ing the installation, a banquet was held, when the usual toasts were hon-

GLENDALE LODGE OFFICERS.

ored and addresses were given.

The regular business meeting Glendale Lodge, No. 437 I.O.O.F., was held last evening in the Oddfellows' Temple, the chair being taken by W. Wells, acting N.G. The following are the newly-elected officers for 1918, the appointed officers to be elected on initiation night; W. Wells, N.G.; E. J. Kirby, V.G.; C. S. Longbotom, F.S.; J. Black, R.S.; A. J. Peters, T., and Dr. A. E. H. Howard, physi-

TURKEY SUPPER FOR OFFICERS.

a special meeting followed by a turkey supper in the Euclid Avenue Orange Hall last evening, when the outgoing officers were honored. The chair was taken by H. Kelly, W.M., and during the evening a presentation of a past master's jewel was made to F. J. Connor, P.M., and gold cuff links to H. Cook, R.S., and W. Weise, F.S. At the meeting Wor. Bro. A. A. Gray, P.C.M., presented to the A. A. Gray, P.C.M., presented to the lodge, a framed portrait of the late Lieut. J. S. Connor, one of the members who was killed in action in July, 1916. The following county of the present of the county of the c 1916. The following county officers were present; T. Self, C.M.; W. H. Elliott, D.C.M.; A. A. Gray, P.C.M.; C. King, D. M. West Toronto; W. Stewart, D.D.M.; R. Robinson, D. S.

WILLIAM III. LODGE.

At last night's meeting of William III., L.O.L., No. 140, in Victoria Hall, it was reported that one member, Lt. Burgess, was lying seriously ill at taken by Wor. Bro. McDowell. W.M. and the vice-chair was taken by

the ceremony being performed by District Deputy Grand Master T. Love, assisted by his officers.

Reservoir Bursts and Causes Much Damage to Tall Building

Damage to the extent of \$10,000 was caused to stock and building at 215 Victoria street yesterday when the water reservoir which is connected with the fire sprickler system froze up and fire at the building, which is five storeys high. Several firms which for storerooms and manufacturing purposes lost considerable stock. George M. Hendrie & Co. the first floor, places its loss at \$2000. press lost considerable stock. George M. Hendrie & Co. the first floor, places its loss at \$3000; the Sidway Mercantile Co., on the second floor, suffered to an extent of the second floor, suffered to an extent of the second floor, suffered to an extent of the second floor, second floor, second floor as a stockroom, was unable to give an accurate estimation of its loss. The fifth floor was divided into stockrooms and was used by the firms in the building.

GIFTS FOR SAILORS' GUILD.

Lady Willison, president of the National Ladies' Guild for Sailors, acknowledges the following: The Twenty Club, per Mrs. A. Wilson, \$20; Miss Fiedlia Davies and Mrs. H. V.
Taylor, \$10 each; Mrs. J. W. Morse
and Mrs. Richard Russell, \$5 each;
Ingersoll Ladies' Patriotic League,
special meeting followed by a tur-

bridge, Medicine Hat and Regina.

For the new Royal Naval Institute just opened at Esquimalt: Scarboro Township, per Rev. C. E. Luce, honorary chaplain, \$100; the Collegiate Institute Students' Council, Regina, \$100, for a cabin; Killan Village School, Alberta, \$20 for a bed; total

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THURSDAY MORNING, JAN. 3.

Give Public Ownership a Fair Chance.

The Grand Trunk, including the Grand Trunk Pacific, does not earn enough money to meet its operating expenses and fixed charges. The same thing is true of the Canadian Northern Railway Company. The the papers of eastern Canada opposed Free Press avoids saying a word earnings of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, on the other hand, are much more than sufficient to pay its operating expenses and fixed charges. If the roads were all unified into one system, and the strong overtime and literary gems from that Canadian Pacific Railway Company linked up with its weaker brethren, enough money would be earned without increasing passenger and freight rates to more than pay the working expenses of the unified system and the fixed charges of its constituent companies.

Nationalization of all the railways would permit the government to but believes that the government conduct the transportation facilities of the country without a deficit. It should revert to its old custom of there be no such nationalization then one of two things must follow. annual financial handouts to the weak-Either the government must year after year vote money out of the public thing except nationalizing the Canatreasury to make up the deficits of the Canadian Northern and the Grand dian Pacific Railway Company, and treasury to make up the deficits of the Canadian Northern and the Grand its editorial is being extensively distributed and reprinted. Needless to ably 25 per cent. Such an increase would enable the Canadian Northern say, The London Advertiser gives it to meet its fixed charges, but it would not be sufficient to save the Grand great prominence. The Advertiser, to meet its fixed charges, but it would not be sumcient to save the Grand indeed, breaks out in several places in its defence of and apologies for the twenty-five million dollars per year the mammoth revenue and surplus of railway companies. It is almost a rash. the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. That the government is taking In the same issue which carries The over the Canadian Northern and will take over the Grand Trunk Pacific a long despatch from Montreal saying is beside the point. The operating expenses and fixed charges have to be that the railways are not satisfied met whether the legal title to the roads be in the government or in pri- with the 15 per cent. increase in rates, vate corporations. Those charges can only be met by voting money from but intend to come back, like Oliver the public treasury or by increased rates.

The only policy of government ownership that can effect any relief But the cream of the issue is to be will be the nationalization of all the railways, including the Canadian found in a charming article supposed Pacific. Then we start off with a system big enough and strong enough to have been written by one of The to pay its own way. Such a system can pay all working expenses, and Advertiser's staff. Perhaps it was, but can meet all fixed charges without increasing the burdens of the people, we venture to think it was written in without raising rates and without receiving subventions from the public the Canadian Pacific offices at Mont-

treasury. Up to this time public ownership has been tried out by the national government on hopeless undertakings. We have a national telegraph readable an article is canned news. system of ten thousand miles extending along the north shore of the St. paid for by the line. It opens in such Lawrence to the wastes of Labrador, and running thru thinly populated an easy, offhand way that you are regions of British Columbia. But the private companies have been fairly engrossed in the subject before allowed to monopolize the telegraph business in populous provinces and you get down to the array of figures busy centres where telegraphy paid. We have a national railroad running from Montreal to the Atlantic seaports, subjected to water competition for a thousand miles, traversing in part an almost uninhabited thought to railway freight rates until country, and more or less handicapped by an implied agreement that low a few weeks ago when he accidentally railway rates shall be given to the people of the maritime provinces as overheard a discussion in a Pullman an offset to the free canals of Upper Canada. Heretofore we have per- car about the high cost of living? To mitted the private corporations to monopolize the railway business where quote: the railway business paid. Now the time has come for public ownership to take the fat as well as the lean of the business; to enjoy the tenderloin as well as the flank. With all the roads of Canada united in one system under public ownership and control the government can serve the people efficiently, keep down passenger and freight rates, meet all working expenses and fixed charges, and give government ownership of railways for the first time on this continent a fair chance. .

Removing a Reproach.

One of the first tasks the city hall authorities must undertake is the placing of the civic services on a paying basis. Until recently no one appears to have known just exactly what the costs of the public services were. Improved methods of bookkeeping and a closer inspection of details have brought the facts into clear light. The old charge that public service does not pay is constantly brought by those who prefer to have the opportunities which private ownership gives to make profit out of the public by reduced service.

There is no reason why public service should not be full and adequate, but it need not be extravagant. Necessary and convenient service should be supplied and at cost. From private corporations it is the experience of municipalities that the service given is not full and adequate but inferior and stinted, and a premium has to be paid for it.

Public ownership means good service at cost, and it must be the aim of the city to adjust charges so that cost, and no more or less, shall be

exacted from the citizens for the services rendered them. The civic car lines have been showing a deficit of about \$60,000 yearly. This is not a deficit on operation, but on sinking fund charges, and it should and must be met out of the fares. This will only be for less than four years, because as soon as the street railway system is taken over in 1921 all the lines will be merged in one system, and one fare anywhere in the city will be the rule. But until that is accomplished the

civic car fares must be raised. The waterworks system is not paying its way. This must also be attended to. Very slight adjustments will meet the case. No surplus is required, but simply what will meet costs. Ground for reproach against IMPERIAL SERVICE MEN public ownership will then be cut away.

A Poet Passes.

William Wilfrid Campbell has died unexpectedly. He is the first to go of the group of Canadian poets celebrated some years ago by Dr. Logan as born in 1861. Mr. Campbell's aspirations and ideals were greater than had served at Mons and other great his powers of expression, which were rhetorical rather than poetic, but he has left a sufficient body of his best work to perpetuate his name in distribution of the latest service Canadian Merature. He rated his work at a much higher level than this badges, that Secretary O'Connor, of because he was conscious of what he meant to convey, and did not realize the Toronto district of the Great War when he failed of his purpose. The magic sway of language was not the matter in collaboration with Proalways his; the only word, the inevitable phrase too often missed him, vincial Secretary W. E. Turley, especially in his more ambitious work. But in his lyrics he not infre-ficulties of the situation, was Tearned quently touched the white flame that subdued the stubborn metal of lan- esterda. C. E. F. men, who have guage to his purpose. No better example of this could be had than the seen service at the front proper, are of the grand work you have done, tofine poem inspired by the war which he wrote at Ottawa some months ago. entitled to wear both the A Class

In other respects Mr. Campbell served Canada faithfully in the field of battle, and the B Class butarchives department at Ottawa, and his historical tastes were recognized ton which signifies service abroad in in a recent appointment to the work of collecting the records of Canada's no further than Britain is entitled to

Well-Merited Honors.

Among the New Year honors none will be regarded as more deserved the colors in time to take part in the than the K. C. M. G. conferred on General Steele. His long service in very first battles of the war. the northwest prepared him, for still more important work across the he is not entitled, according to the ocean, and those who have read his "Forty Years" will be glad to hear other than the B button, This means of this recognition of his merits.

Locally, the knighthood conferred on Sir William Gage is a tribute who has been no farther than Brito his indefatigable labors for the benefit of tubercular patients. The tain. distribution of honors is never so well justified as in distinguishing devotion of this description.

The Press and the Railways

question accumulate. Some merely and government ownership. time in passenger and freight rates. and take possession of all the roads supreme issue of the hour. Editor

partment of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company is evidently working source begin to appear in the secular the Dominion Government to imme-

We have already quoted from The Winnipeg Telegram, which not only justifies the increase in freight rates annual financial handouts to the weak-Winnipeg Telegram's editorial we find

real, and will be found duly printed in many papers. The innocent reader will never suspect that so nice and guile in a writer who never gave a

Recently a friendly discussion took place in the observation car in regard to the present high cost of living. A produce merchant present, on being asked what caused the alarmingly big increase in the price of various articles in everyday use by the average family, gave various reasons, such as the higher cost of production, due to the enhanced price of labor of all kinds, and turning to a man connected with one of our railroads, said:

"Then, as you know, Mr. -----rates of freight have been insulted in an advance in price." "Well," replied the railway man, "that, I find, is a fairly general idea held by a large number of veople, including business men like

"Not long ago," he continued. "a similar remark was made by one of our prominent business men, except that he emphasized more than you do the statement that higher wreight rates were a large contributing factor to the increasing cost of living. More out of curiosity than anything else, I decided to make a little study of the matter, and confirmed what had all along been my understanding: that the rate of freight is an exceedingly small part of the cost of various articles of common household use, and further, that any increase which the railways have been able to secure can hardly be noticed in the increased prices of the different articles of

But we are not surprised to find The Advertiser against public ownership of railways. It has quite a record in this province as the opponent of the hydro-

Press comments on the railway electric and every form of municipal

Others call upon the government to licity to the railway's side of the railfollow the lead of President Wilson way question and stands mute on the for the period of the war. The west- jally The Free Press endeavors to sit ern papers are practically unanimous on the fence. It has a long in demanding such action, and there and learned editorial on government is a general feeling in the west in ownership, which has a great deal to favor of complete railway nationaliza- say about public ownership in Russia and China but steers clear of The Winnipeg Telegram strikes a public ownership in Canada. In discordant note, and we find some of this deliverance, at least. The to public ownership. The publicity de- in favor of the nationalization of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

The Calgary Albertan calls upon diately take possession of and admin ister all the railways of Canada, and The Calgary Herald, usually less radin the railway question, and in the course of a long editorial, entitled "Union Government Should Take Over a Raflways" The Leader says:

In a statement handed out by him a few days after the election Hon. J. A. Calder declared it would be the duty of the Union govern-ment to proceed without delay to give effect to the will of the people, and that this must be done "in a big and aggressive way" if the government was to reltain the con-fidence of the people and not merit their censure.

Hon. A. L. Sifton in a somewhat similar statement declared that many matters of vital importance were awaiting the attention of the government, and he ed would perhaps astonish many people and be more than satisfactory to western people, who were looking forward to radical de-

elopments."
At a reception tendered to him at St. John on Thursday last Hon. F. B. Carvell, in speaking of the prohibition order-in-council, is reported to have said that his hearers need not be surprised about once a week to learn of something just as drastic being

Well, the time has arrived for one of these prompt big, aggressive, drastic, radical moves. It is called for because of the order of the railway commission approving of an increase of 15 per cent. in railway passenger and freight rates thruout Canada.

The action which the people of

Canada have a right to expect from the Union government is the taking over of all the railways of Canada in the same man-States Governments have taken

increase in rates is reasonable, but finds fault with the railway commission for delaying judgment until after the election. It says:

It is reasonable to assume that the railway commission suspended judgment from June till atter the elections on the application of rail-ways for a 15 per cent. increase of freight and passenger rates for the convenience of the government and the railways. Had judgment been given in due course a troublesome topic would have been added to the election dehate, and it is possible that the project might have been lost before the popular tribunal. The incident will destroy confidence in the Drayton-Acworth suggestion of a non-political, permanent and selfperpetuating board for the manment of publicly-owned rail-

The belated judgment is, we understand, only a recommento the government, which con-templated action last June, under the large powers given by the War Measures Act of 1914. In view of the opposition which the recommendation arouses, action ought to be left to the new parin two months.

COMPLAIN ABOUT BADGES

Heroes of Mons and Other Battles May Wear Only Class B Service Buttons.

battles of the present war have good Veterans' Association, is acting in lief committee at Halifax: relief committee and our suffering peoentitled to wear both the A Class Britain only. The man who has been the B Class button only. Now, in many cases, the imperial reservist seen more service than even the C. E. F. warrior from the fields of regulations in force, to wear any that a reservist has no means of dis-tinguishing himself from the mo-

affairs is that as yet the Canadian built this year and there were only Government has no power to give two factory additions.

the reservist a button for service France, since he is subject only to the British Government, This is a hardship which Secretary O'Connor expects will be adjusted very shortly.

ARMY OFFICIALS THANKED. Evidence of Splendid Work Performed at Halifax by Salvationists.

The following letter was received by Lieut.-Col. Hargraves, the men's social secretary of the Salvation Army, from the chairman of the Halifax re-"On the eve of your departure from Halifax allow me, on behalf of the

ple, to express our deep appreciation gether with your noble band of tireless officers, in helping to alleviate the sufferings of the injured and in searching out and seeing that the wants of the needy were supplied."
Brigadier Miller, the property secre-Army, who also went to Halifax to assist, has received a letter of appreci tion from W. S. Davidson, chairman of the executive of the emergency shelter department in Halifax.

GALT BUILDING PERMITS.

Galt, Ont., Jan. 2.—City Engineer J. H. Fairchild reports that during 1917 he issued 105 building permits, with value of \$186,430, while in 1916, 145 The reason given for this state of of \$253.795. Thirty new buildings were

A DARK OUTLOOK



CHANGING ART OF WAR

By Patrick O'Flaherty.

"Perhaps when your American officers get into the fighting line, they, with their freshness and new ideas, will be able to show us some way out of the bearty mess which trench-fighting has made of the military art," a British star officer told me recently.

That led to some very interesting disclosures of the marvelous change which has come over the trenches in the three years in which the British armies have been inhabiting trenches. It is a change, I think, which is not widely realized, and which may be of wide public interest.

The difference between the trenches of 1917 is the difference between safety with great discomfort, and great peril with comfort.

In 1914, a soldier might eat and drink and sleep around the clock without hearing a dezen shots. Today, raids, trench mortars, rifle grenades, hand bombs and sniping make the day a round of continuation of the market of the meriting the continuation of the more than the continuation of the more than the continuation of the meriting the continuation of the continuation of the meriting the continuation of the continuation of the meriting the continuation of the con

over the railways of those countries. Nothing less than this will meet the needs of the situation and be in keeping with the desires of the great majority of the Canadian people.

The Weekly Sun, altho a farmer's paper, does not express itself in a vigorous way on the railway question. It is half inclined to think that the increase in rates is reasonable, but ingresses in rates is reasonable, but ingresses in rates is reasonable, but ingresses in rates is reasonable.

ded with Madonna lilies, mignonette and roses.

In 1914 the trenches were shallow and so muddy that the sticky clay frequently pulled one's boots off Men stood in water with low walls of oozing mud about them until their legs rotted and blackened with what was thought to be frost-bite. Decent Englishmen from good homes, accustomed to dressing immaculately, were crawling with lice. Men who didn't know what it was, shuddered at the mention of cerebro-spinal meningitis, and bronchitis and pneumonia did more damage than the Germans.

Today one may walk with speckless

In 1914 there were continual truces, and at Christmas the strange spectacle of Germans and English fraternizing in large groups in No Man's Land. Army orders had to be issued against it, but for months Germans and English in conforming trenches had secret arrangements by which each fixed up targets for the other to fire at to keep up appearances. From the German trenches, a German officer would signal, "I have six of your men here; what shall I do with them?" An English officer would reply by signals, "I have three of yours; this is

Gas has proven the hideous stimulant which has brought about the unceasing activity of the front line today. When the British trenches are "down-wind" today, there is constant watchfulness for that tap of the bell which means "gas alert." There is constant sniping all day; bombs are apt to land in the trench at any instant and an aeroplane is likely to swoop down and turn a machine gun on the front lines. At night there are patrols in No Man's Land, wire parties, salvage parties, small there are patrols in No Man's Land, wire parties, salvage parties, small reconnaissances to be carried out. And if, on top of all this activity, any disposition toward a live-and-let-live attitude makes its appearance in the trenches, a good-sized raid is ordered for no other purpose than to keep sharp the men's appetite for German blood. The business of the front line today is to kill Germans, and the front line sticks to business night and day.

So much for what German gas has So much for what German gas has

Soldiering was a simple affair in the peaceful days before the Germans sent that first cloud of gas over at Ypres.

The old soldiers of the "Contemptibles" wouldn't have admitted, after they had gone thru the ordeal of Neuve Chapelle, that they worked the the they were soldiers.

ON HIS WAY TO CHINA STOPS OFF IN TORONTO

Army Arrives Here Today.

Commissioner Charles H, Jeffries, who arrived in the city this morn is on his way to take charge of the Salvation Army's work in northern China, with headquarters at Rekin. During recent years the commissioner has been field secretary for the United

Mrs Jeffries, who is an Australia to keep a home for their soldier some who are five in number. They all en listed before the days of conscription England, and the commissioner gratulating Mrs. Jeffries and himself upon the patriotism of their boys. One has been awarded the Military Medal and another has been given a commission. The commissioner will address meetings in Toronto during

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WAY TO CHINA

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AMERICA PROMISES ALLIES BIG ARMY

(Continued from Page One).

with the United States were also agreed upon. Available in Present Year.

Before the present year ends the United States' full war resources will be available, in the opinion of the mission officials. The third recommendation of the

mission is for extension of the American shipping program. "Systematic co-ordination of resources of men and materials" to produce the necessary ships is urged upon government and people alike.
Under a resolution adopted by the

inter-allied conference, a unified use of ship tonnage was agreed upon which would permit "the liberating of the greatest amount of tonnage possible for the transportation of American troops. A policy to govern the use of neutral tonnage was agreed upon. Port facilities at debarkation points for American forces were inspected and

steps taken to permit the return of vessels to their home ports with the least possible delay. Conference in Paris.

Even as the nature of this agreement, which has bound all the resources of more than half the world into one force to defeat Germany, was being published, definite action toward making it good was in progress also in Paris. Assistant Secretary Crosby of the treasury department, who remained in Europe as president of the inter-allied council officially described as a financial board, met there to-day with the financial boards of the other allies to discuss further Ameri-

can loans. To keep American troops moving to Europe in a steady stream marks another advance in the government's war plans. Originally it was proposed to use all available tonnage for the transportation of supplies and munitions, and to send no soldiers over until they had been given a year's training. This was changed when Marshal Joffre came to the United States with word that France wanted at once any number of Americans who could come to put the Stars and Stripes on the firing line and hearten the French soldiers, wearied by their long battle against the invader.

TURGEON WONT GO TO BENCH.

wan Government to go on the bench. handsome quota. Mr. Turgeon, within the last few weeks, was offered the position of chief justice of the court of Kings Bench, but declined.

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THE WEATHER

Observatory, Toronto, Jan. 2.—A heavy snowfall has occurred today in Cape Breton, while in all other parts of the Dominion the weather has been fine. The temperature has been much the same as yesterday in all the provinces.

Minimum and maximum temperatures.

—Edmonton, 30-38; Caigary, 36-54; Battleford, 10-18; Saskatoon, 2-25; Prince Albert, 4 below-16; Regina, 7-20; Medicine Hat, 32-48; Winn.peg, 6 below-8; Port Arthur, 4 telow-8; Parry Sound, 4 below-4; London, 3-15; Toronto, 5-15; Kingston, 6 be.ow-12; Ottawa, 16 below-6; Montreal, 6 helow-2; Quebec, 16 below-6 below; St. John, 10 becow-4; Halifax, 2-18.

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Lower lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate to fiesh northerly winds; continued fair and cold.

Upper St. Lawrence and Ottawa valleys—Fresh northerly winds; fine, with continued low temperature.

Lower St. Lawrence, Guif and north shore—Fresh westerly winds; fine, with continued low temperature.

Maritime—Northerly winds; fair and condinued cold.

Lake Superior—Easterly winds; fair and cold

Manitoba—Fair and moderately cold. Saskauchewan—Fair; mouerately cold in orth; mild south.

Arberta—Fair and mild

THE BAROMETER.

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STREET CAR DELAYS

Wednesday, Jan. 2, 1918. King cars delayed 5 min-utes at 8.06 a.m. at G. T. R. crossing, by train. King cars delayed 6 min-utes at 6.40 p.m. at G. T. R. crossing, by train.

King cars, eastbound, de-

layed 9 minutes at 9.35 a.m. at Don bridge, by wagon Yonge, Church and Rathurst cars, eastbound, delayed 8 minutes at 1.55 p.m. at York and Front, by motor truck stuck on track.

Bathurst cars delayed 5 minutes at 9.20 p.m. at Front and John, by train. Bathurst cars delayed 7 minutes at 9.35 p.m. at Front and John, by train.

RATES FOR NOTICES

DEATHS. BOYLAN-On Jan. 1, 1918, Catharine, beloved wife of John Boylan, 431 Annette street, in her 70th year.

Funeral from above address Friday, Jan 4, at 10 a.m., to St. Cecilia's Church, Interment in Mount Hope Cemetery. Orangeville papers please CROWLEY--On Wednesday, Jan. 2, 1918,

at his late residence, 66 Macpherson avenue, John, beleved husband of Jane Anne Crowley, in his 76th year. Funeral Friday, Jan. 4, at 2 p.m., to

Mount Pleasant Cemetery. NESs-On Wednesday, Jan. 2, 1918, at the Toronto General Hospital, William Ness, in his 63rd year, beloved husband

Funeral private, from 1531 Queen street east. ORR-At Los Angeles, Dec. 30, 1917,

Funeral Monday, Jan. 7th, at Oak-PRATT-In the Private Patients' Build-

ing of the Toronto General Hospital, on Wednesday, Jan. 2nd, 1918, Margaret, relict of the late James Pratt of Port Lobor wants to have any other policy.

Funeral Friday, Jan. 4, at 2 p.m., at 43 Waverley road. Interment at St. James' Cemetery.

SCHLENKER-Suddenly, on Tuesday Jan 1, 1918 (New Year's Night), Jacob Schlenker, in his 85th year. Funeral Friday at 1.30 p.m. from his late residence, 272 Main street, East Toronto. Interment at Knox Church Cemetery, Agincourt.

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FIFTY PRINTER HEROES.

International Typographical Union comprises 1518 locals. More than 50 Canadian members of the union have paid the supreme penalty on the fields of Flanders and the union has paid out \$17,025 to their Regina, Sask., Jan. 2.—Hon. H. A. dependents, while the international Turgeon, Saskatchewan's attorney- has spent \$60,000 in Liberty Loan general, will not leave the Saskatche- bonds, the local unions subscribing a bonds, the local unions subscribing a

HOW SARAH BERNHARDT SHOPS.

Sarah Bernhardt is a woman who dislikes shopping thru and thru, and had she her way she never would be annoyed by going into a store. She rarely does go, but at that she pro-bably buys more than a dozen other Ottawa, Jan. 2.—At a meeting of the cabinet today it was decided in order to conserve the coal supply to close down the parliamentary library.

The portable engineers and the portable engineers which she is desirous of brought to her door where she can make her an increase in wages from 55c to 60c selection in page 25 and 15 and 25 and selection in peace and comfort with an hour, and the same increase has no one urging her to buy and no one been accorded the structural iron looking hurt or crabbed because she workers. didn't buy .-- Exchange.

NOTHING DOING THERE.

The seedy looking man took his seat at the table and scanned the menu.
"Waiter, I've only thirty cents on me. Now, what would you recom-

The waiter gently removed the card from his would-be patron's grasp.
"Another restaurant," he said.

BRITISH LABOR ASKS NO ANNEXATIONS

Manifesto of Party Urges WESTON TRUSTEES Abolition of House of Lords.

ment of a national minimum, democratic control of industry, a revolution in national finance and the surplus wealth for the common good—these are the four cardinal points of the Labor reconstruction policy after the war as submitted in a draft report of the British Labor party, prepared by a sub-committee of the executive committee, for submission at the party conference next June, or before should a general election render it necessary. The title of the draft report is "Labor and the New Social Order," and the report declares that what has to be reconstructed after the war is not this or that government department or social machinery, but "society itself." "If," continues the report, "we are to escape the decay of civilization it self, which the Japanese statesman, Count Okomui foresees, we must complete the building up of social order." Regarding democratic control of inclusive, the report complains that neither the government nor sither of the demobilization of solders, and says:

Care for Soldiers.

"Any government allowing discharged soldiers or munition workers to fall into the clutches of charity or the poor law would have to be instantly driven from office by an outburst of popular indignation. The labor party has refused absolutely to believe that the Eritish people will permanently tolerate any reconstruction or the perpetuation of the disonganization, waste and inefficiency involved in their abandonment to a jostiling crowd of separate private employers, with minds bent, not on the service of the community, but, by the very law of their being, only on the utmost possible profiteering.

"The labor party holds that whât ever may have been the shortcomings of govarament importation and construction of the declaration of the London, Jan. 2.—Universal enforcement of a national minimum, democratic control of industry, a revolution Burton Resign Their Court Endorse Suggestion

trol, it has demonstrably prevented a lot of profitering. Nor can it end immediately on the declaration of

"The people will be extremely fool ish if they ever allow indispensable industries to slip back into the unitaliets tered control of private capitalists, who are actually, at the instance of the government itself, now rapidly combining, trade by trade, into mono-

of speech and publication, and declares against the continuance of con scription a moment longer than is imperatively required by the war. It insists upon the abolition of the house of lords and strenuously opposes any new second chamber. It demands asse the nationalization of the land, railways, mines, and the production of electrical power and urges the taking of the manufacture and sale of alcoholic out of the hands of private enterprises "whose interest is to promote the utmost possible consump-

No Gains in Territory. The report concludes by stating that the party seeks no increase of territory and disclaims all idea of an

economic war. Ness, in his 63rd year, beloved husband of Agnes Dick, late Edinburgh, Scotthe immed.ate establishment, as part of the treaty of peace, of a universal league or society of nations a siner national authority with an interna tional high court to try all justiciabl Annie L., wife of the late W. A. Orr of Cakville. Ont. common laws as can be mutually agreed upon, and an international council of mediation, to endeavor to settle without ultimate conflict, even Labor party to have any other policy than lasting peace."

BURIED TREASURE IN JAPAN.

Gold and silver coins were recently unearthed at Omote Jimbocho, Kan-da, Tokio. The ground in which the treasure was found was owned by the Y.M.C.A., and the discovery was made by a coolie, Osada Chojiro, in excacating for a foundation of the association's new building. The find was reported and the police made investiga-tions as to the ownership of the coins. Inquiries showed that in the Tempo era (1830-1843) a hatamoto (a Tokugawa retainer) named Soga Otoyemon, and his steward, Ikeda Otoyemon, lived in the compound. Documents in the hands of Otoyemon's descendants proved that the treasure had been buried by the steward. Satisfied of these facts, the police delivered the money, on Sept. 27, to Ikeda Otokichi, grandson of Okeda Otoyemon, living in Tokio. Mr. Otokichi is 60 years old, and until recently was principal of a normal school. He gave \$350 to the who unearthed the jar containing the treasure.

ENGINEERS GET INCREASE.

Among the local unions which met

ARRESTED FOR THEFT.

Edward Shields, 27 Kelvin avenue, was Edward Shields, 27 Keivin avenue, was arrested last night on a charge of stealing a package of drygoods from a wagon of the Canadian Express Co., which was standing outside a wholesale house. It is said Shields was seen to take the package from the wagon by an employe of the express company, who followed him and pointed him out to a policeman, who took him into custody.

YORK COUNTY

LEAVE THE BOARD

MARKHAM RE-ELECTS REEVE BY ACCLAMATION

A. Fleming Again Chief Magistrate, But Seven Are Aspiring For Seats on Council Board.

WOMEN ARE ORGANIZING. Will Take Part in Alleviating Earlscour Coal Situation.

Owing to the seriousness of the coal situation in the Earlscourt and Fairbank districts and which has been receiving the close attention of the members of the Earlscourt citizens' committee; G. W.V.A., local branch; Rev. Peter Bryce, Earlscourt Central Methodist Church, and various other bodies for some time past, a women's branch of the citizens' committee is now being organized, and many cases of overcharging on coal recently delivered will be brought to the attention of the fuel controller at Ottawa.

STRUGGLE TO CONTINUE FRANCE REQUIRES IT Co-operation of United States Be-comes More Powerful Every Day.

is here. The struggle must continue. The fate of France requires it. Be patient, be persistent.

"In the attack, as in the defence

you have shown your worth. Each time you have attacked the enemy has retired. Each time he has attempted to break thru you have stopped him. It will be the same tomorrow.

"The default of the Russians has not shaken your faith. I take this oc-casion to assure you that the co-operation of the United States is becoming more powerful every day. You are firmly determined to fight as long as necessary to assure peace for your children because you know that if those who are most impatient call for peace those who are most presented. peace, those who are most persistent

"I salute your flag, and in addressing to you my most affectionate wishes for 1918 I express to you once again my pride in commanding you and my full confidence in the future."

CALDER'S MAJORITY 4130.

fix the conditions of peace

Moose Jaw, Sask., Jan. 2.—Returning Officer P. A. Munns, made his declaration today in the Moose Jaw constituency election. Hon. J. A. Calder's majority was announced as 4,-130. James Sommerville, the inde-pendent labor candidate, lost his deposit by 619 votes.

P J. SHERIDAN DEAD

Irish Leader Who Figured Prominently in Parnell Trial. Monte Vista, Colo., Jan. 2 .- P. J. Sheri-

dan, Irish political leader, who figured to arrive here soon to take cargoes prominently in the trial of Charles Stewart Parnell, in England, in 1890, and who once was an editorial writer on The New York Hereid, died at his ranch home near here Monday, it became known today. He was 77 years old.

ITALY TO INTERN ENEMIES.

MASS MEETING ON **ALIEN QUESTION**

court Endorse Suggestion From "B" Company.

A reorganization meeting and election of officers in connection with the Great War Veterans' Association, Earlscourt branch, took place last evening in the Belmont Assembly Hall, West St. Clair avenue. Platoon Sergt Chas. T. Lacey occupied the chair. The reports of committees in connection with the branch were adopted and the following officers were elected:

President, Comrade D. Campbell; vice-president, Arthur Nicholls; secretary, Chas. T. Lacey; delegates to the Toronto and York G.W.V.A. Council, Comrades J. Graham and Joseph Wines.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the late secretary, Comrade Joseph Wines, for his services to the branch since his appointment.

Comrade I, Roughiey, chairman of the entertainment committee, reported a cash balance on hand of \$156.24.

A letter was read from B company, requesting joint action regarding the holding of a mass meeting in Massey Hall on the alien question, which was favorably considered, and also a communication from President J. R. MacNicol of the B.I.A., enclosing a contribution of \$5 and promising co-operation and assistance if required at any time.

Comrade Chas. T. Lacey reviewed the work of the branch since its inception and pointed out the good work accomplished in connection with the patriotic fund and the assistance rendered by the members of the Earlscourt branch to the soldiers' dependents in the section.

FIRE CAPTAIN HONORED. Captain Thomas Graydon, Wychwood, Given Fountain Pen.

Captain Thomas Graydon of Wychwood Fire Hall, who has been in charge of that department for the past one and a half years, was made the recipient of a handsome gold-mounted fountain pen by the men under his command last evening, as a token of esteem.

Captain Braydon, who has been 28 years in the fire department, is now promoted to No. 23 Station, Howland avenue, and will be succeeded at Wychwood by Captain James Gordon.

Lieut, Harry Simpson made the presentation, and Captain Graydon responded, and pointed out that nothing but goodfeeling existed between himself and the men during his period in Wychwood, and he was sorry to leave on the eve of the opening of the splendid new district fire hall, which is almost completed.

SATISFIED WITH ELECTIONS.

In connection with the York Township Council elections, Ed. Birch, on behalf of Platoon Sergt, Chas, T. Lacey, who unsuccessfully contested the vacancy for first deputy reeve, expressed satisfaction at the result of the election and stated that a contest for all positions on the York Township Council may be expected at the next election.

SYKES' ELECTION POPULAR. Much satisfaction is expressed in Earls-court on account of the election of Ald Brook Sykes, who is the first resident of the district to be elected to the city

HANNA TO INCREASE USE OF FROZEN FISH

Food Controller Starts Campaign to Provide Substitute for Meats.

Paris, Tuesday, Jan. 1.—In a New thru the fish committee of his office, Year's order of the day General Pe- is starting a campaign to increase the tain, French commander-in-chief, says to his troops:

use in Canada of frozen fish. This lister of customs; General Mewburn minister of militia; Hon. Martin Buro his troops:

"Officers, subalterns, soldiers, 1918 kinds of fish in order to release beef, Crothers, minister of labor; Hon.

A member of the fish committee ister of inland revenue. said today that an increased demand for frozen fish should result in the GERMAN RAID BEATEN. decrease in market price, as an abundant supply was available. people have a prejudice against frozen fish simply because they do not un-derstand the proper method of handling it. Whatever may have been the practice in the pust, the present me-thod of freezing fish shortly after they are caught prevents deterioration, and

UNITED STATES HAS

Forty to Hundred Million Bushels More Than Required is Reported.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 2.-A. D. Wilson, state food administrator, speaking before the members of the Minnesota Farm Bureau Association, today declared there was a surplus of from 40,000,000 to 100,000,000 bushels of potatoes in the United States. "Eat more potatoes," Mr. Wilson urged. "Farmers must realize a loss

on their potatoes this year, even below the cost of production. They are per-ishable, and as a war food fall below corn, beans and wheat." SWEDEN TO GET SUPPLIES.

An Atlantic Port, Jan. 2.—Several Swedish steamships, including the passenger liner Stockholm, which have been detained at Gothenburg and other home ports for several months because of the American embargo, are of food and certain other supplies for their home country, shipping circles heard today.

ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION.

Brockville, Jan. 2.-The Brockville

Regent FIRST SCREEN APPEARANCE MARY GARDEN IN "THAIS"

NEXT | CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG

JOSEF SHLISKY-Tenor.

A TO-DAYL MARGUERITE CLARK "BAB'S MATINEE IDOL" OTHER ATTRACTIONS

Next Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: DOROTHY DALTON in "LOVE LETTERS" THRILLS-MYSTERY-INTRIGUE

TO-DAY JACK PICKFORD In Mark Twain's

"TOM SAWYER"

A special matinee for school children at 11 a.m., Saturday—10 cents to all parts of the



MADISON BLOOR AT WILLIAM DUNCAN and CAROL HOLLOWAY

"THE TENDERFOOT"

Mutual News Weekly; Vitagraph Comedy. HOCKEY Tonight, 8.30 DE LA SALLE v. AURA LEE

Alderman Hiltz

in Ward One for their votes and assistance in the recent Municipal Election, and trusts that all may have a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

FIRST CABINET SITTING DESPATCHES BUSINESS

Government Settles Down to Work With Opening of New Year.

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—Considerable routine business accumulated over the holidays was disposed of to-day at the first meeting of the cabinet held Ottawa, Jan. 2.—The food controller, were: Sir Thomas White, minister of finance; Hon. J. D. Reid, minister of railways; Hon. A. L. Sifton, mu bacon and other meats for export to the allies.

Arthur Meighen, minister of the intensity, and Hon. Albert Sevigny, min-

GUNS GET MORE ACTIVE

British Front Experiences Little Action -Bombardments Proceed in Ypres Region.

London, Jan. 2.—The report from Field Marshal Haig's headquarters tothe fish is delivered to the consumer night says:
in ideal condition. in this morning's communique, the enemy attempted last night to raid one of our posts in the neighborhood

BIG POTATO, SURPLUS of Oppy, but was driven off before reaching our trenches. "This afternoon the enemy's artillery has shown increased activity in the neighborhood of the Ypres-Comines Canal. On the remainder of

the front there was nothing of special NONAGENARIAN DEAD.

Special to The Toronto World. Galt, Jan. 2.—John Milroy, aged 91, and for 90 years a resident of North Dumfries, passed away this morning after suffering for the past five years with paralysis and spending the last two years of his life in bed. He was born in Wigtonshire, Scotland, and came to Canada when only a year old, settling in North Dumfries. He had farmed all his life, and at one time took an active part in the municipal affairs of the township, serving for years in the council and county coun-cil. Two sons and one daughter sur-

MORE ACCLAMATIONS.

Essex, Ont., Jan. 2.—Qualifications fer councillors closed at 12 noon today. Complete council also complete public school board are elected by acclamation. Mayor—J. R. Gay. Reeve—C. M. Johnston. Councillors—T. W. Weyburn, Ralph Roberts, Arthur Raines, A. Croteau, D. Johnston, S. H. Saddler, the last three being new

PRINCESS Evenings at 8.20. Sat. Mat. at 2.20. GEORGE IN A NEW PLAY ARLISS "HAMILTON" \$2, \$1.50, \$1, 750, 500

NEXT WEEK

ELSA RYAN SEATS SELLING Eves., \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c, 50c Wed.-Sat. Mats., \$1. 75c, 50c.

ALEXANDRA | MAT. SAT. LEE KUGEL PRESENTS

EMMA DUNN "OLD LADY 31" Prices: 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00. one seated during the Prologue NEXT WEEK—SEATS TODAY

THE WANDERER ever organized. Prices, 50c to \$2.00. Mat. Wed., 50c to \$1.00. Company of 200 people; 120 real sheep. Ballet of 90 dancers. GRAND OPERA Mat. Sat.

TIM MURPHY Eminent Comedian in the Comedy PALS FIRST NEXT WEEK — Seats Now on Sale THE POPULAR ACTOR-SINGER WALTER IN COME BACK LAWRENCE

REAL DRAMATIC TREAT

ELSIE FERGUSON
in "The Rise of Jennie Cushing Herman Becker presents "The Yucatan' Players; Chas. H. Smith presents "Lulu's Friend"; Griffith & Mack; Alberto; Savannah & Georgia; Bays' & England Zara Carmen Trie. Loew's First-run Comedy Pictures.

Matinees HIPPODROME Evenin Prices, Saturday

MARY MILES MINTER

Barnie Williams & Co.; Pleriert and Schofield; Arthur Barrett; Dingley and Norton; Martini and Maximilian; The Two Violets.

"The Mate of the Sally Ann"

SHEA'S ALL WEEK Chas. Anna
GRAPEWIN and CHANCE
KIMBERIEY and ARNOLD
JANET ADAIR Tom—SWIFT and KELLY—Mary Potter and Hartwell; Bensee and Baird; Nolan and Nolan; The British Gazette.

BURLESQUE BROADWAY BELLES

Next Week-French Frolics. DAILY MATS LADIES ION **BROADWAY FROLICS**

LON HASCALL

JOE MARKS

Next Week-Million Dollar Dolls. MASSEY HALI TUESDAY, JANUARY 8. MME. LOUISE HOMER

Bai. Front \$2.00 Res. \$1, \$1.50 SEATS NOW ON SALE. COMING TUESDAY, JAN. 15 MISCHA

ELMAN THE GENIUS OF THE VIOL Reserved, \$1, \$1.50. Balcony Front, SEAT SALE MON., JAN. 7

MASSEY HALL

FRIDAY, JAN. 11 OIT Frank S. Welsman, ME. ADA NAVARRETE, Reserved, \$1.00, \$1.50. Bal. Fri t, \$2.00.

Seat Sale Wednesday, Jan. Subscriptions Close

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Tooker, P. W. Vout, W. N. Throop, J. Curtin, S. L. Vineberg, Mayor, John A.

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Hockey

Toronto 6
Ottawa 5



Skips Scores



Winter Baseball

THE BLUE SHIRTS **SCORE AT OTTAWA**

One of Most Brilliantly-Played Games Ever Seen at Capital.

Ottawa. Jan. 2.-In one of the most brilliantly-played hockey games ever seen in the capital the Torontos defeated the Ottawas tonight by six goals to five, and deserved the victory, altho their margin of play was not very great at any stuge of the game. The contest was replete in brilliant individual work, and in this respect the rival goal tenders were outstanding figures, both Sammy Hebert and Clint Benedict playing remarkable

The victors were better balanced and their play more consistent and it is to this they ewe victory. The Ottawas had men in the line up who only played in

this they ewe victory. The Ottawas had men in the line up who only played in spots, while on the other hand every man of the blue shirts was in the game at all times. This applied to the regulars and to the subs.

In the earlier stages of the play the teams showed remarkable equality, although the through the first period the Ottawas had a shirt de the better of the argument and they scored the only goal just before time was up. In the second period the visitors started out like winners and had the Ottawas on the defensive for six or seven minutes, during which time they scored two goals on good work by Mummery and Noble. Then the Ottawas came to life and when Darragh tied up the score they were going like whirlwinds. Cy Denneny put the Senators in the lead and dihe period ended with the home team lending three goals to two. The third period was Toronios, Randall, Noble, Corbett Denneny and Harry Cameron carrying the ruck in long dashing rushes that kept the tOtawas on the defensive for the greater portion of the time. Randall tied up the score in ten minutes and the Toronto Lenneny put has team in the lead. Shortly afterward the play became much rougher and the visitors came more often under the eyes of the officials. Mummery and Cameron pad visits to the penalty bench, but it made no difference, the team keeping its margin of superiority. Meeking prictically cinched the match for his team when he seed the eighth goal after 13 minutes of play in the final period. General made it five to four in less than two minutes, but Noble made it six to four in short order, and with only a minute to relay Gerard again scored for the home club.

Harvey Pulford and Charlie McKinley of Ottawa (5)—Benedict, Gerard, Shore, Crawford, Cy Denneny and Darragh. Subs., Poucher and Lowery.

Ort. Benedict, Gerard, Shore, Crawford, Cy Denneny and Darragh. Subs., Poucher and Lowery.

Ort. Benedict, Gerard, Shore, Crawford, Cy Denneny, Skinner and Noble time Randall, Meeking, Coughlin and Brocks.

Summary.

IT'S SIMPLY TERRIBLE

FOR MONEY.

THE WAY MEN EXPECT THEIR WIVES TO ECONOMIZE.

ME A CENT UNLESS I

EVERLASTINGLY KEEP ASKING

HE IS ALWAYS COMPLAINING ABOUT EXPENSES AND YET HE SAYS NOTHING ABOUT WHAT

HE SPENDS. HEAVENS KNOWS

MONEY LIKE WATER, I JUST

KNOW HE DOES

- HE SQUANDERS

I CAN'T BUY HALF THE THINGS

HOCKEY SCORES

O. H. A. Kitchener.....12 Preston Toronto......6 Ottawa5

Cornwall League.
Union Jacks.....2 Westerns0

that an extension of time of his departure will be given.

Away From Preston

Kitchener, Ont., Jan. 2.—The Kitchener senior sextet walked away with the first home game of the O.H.A. series here tonight by pinning it onto Preston in the ratio of 12 to 1. Kitchener had the game easy after the first nine minutes and a half of play, when they had four goals to the good in contrast to zero for Preston.

Kitchener played a fast game thruout, Accurate shooting, excellent combination

ONE GOAL—CPEAT GAME.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 2.—Seattle won the first local game of hockey of the season last night from Portland, I to 0 in one of the "greatest games ever played in this city. For the usual sixty minutes both teams battled without scoring, and in the extra twenty minutes period with but three seconds to so. Morris goals to the Prestonians, who were outplayed at every point. Hiller, Parkes and in the extra twenty minutes period with but three seconds to so. Morris goals to the product of the play. Some of the over-ardent from the loc after a collision, both men hends badly jarred. A large crowd attended.

The Port Colborne intermediate team defeated Dunnville by 7 to 6 on New Year's night. The line-up:
Port Colborne (7)—Goal, Wilson; left defence, Brown; right defence, Brown; right defence, Brown; right defence, McDonald right wing, Agnew; left wing, Agnew; left wing, Knoll and Telfer: centre, Irwin.

Dunnville (6)—Goal, Green: left defence, Robins of the content of the play in the pl

Ladies' Night

AW WHO CARES TO

HEAR OUR TROUBLES!

MONTREAL CLUBS LOSE EQUIPMENT

... Hockey Arena, Scene of Many Conflicts, Completely Destroyed by Fire.

Montreal teams are without a nome owing to the fire yesterday.

University Schoo's had a big turnout for practice yesterday. U.T.S. look real strong and will take some beating in that prep. college group.

Two junior fixtures are scheduled in the O.H.A. tonight. Aura Lee and De Las Salle play here and Oshawa goes to Whitby.

Hughie Fox. who is now a member of the Royal Flying Corps, is reported to have received notification to leave for overseas on Jan 20. Fox has been practising with the St. Patricks, and was counted upon to play on the defence for the Irish this seeson. It is just possible that an extension of time of his departice.

Oshawa, Jan. 2.—Of last year's intermediates who are in rown for the hockey season there are Childs, Bowen, Hall, Sowon, Hall, Whomps Junior Business Charley Blanchard, formerly of Whitby and Oshawa intermediates who are in rown for the hockey season there are Childs, Bowen, Hall, Whomps Junior Business Charley Blanchard, formerly of Whitby and Oshawa intermediates who are in rown for the hockey season there are Childs, Bowen, Hall, Whomps Junior Business Charley Blanchard, formerly of Whitby, and others. The opening of the champlorship season here are Childs, Bowen, Hall, Rowell Bunior Business Chappell, Thomps Junior Business Charley Blanchard, formerly of Whitby, and Oshawa intermediates who are in rown for the hockey season there are Childs, Bowen, Hall, Rowell Bunior Business Chappell, Thomps Junior Business Charley Blanchard, formerly of Whitby, and Oshawa intermediates who are in rown for the hockey.

Who have put in an appearance are Business Chappell, Thomps Junior Business Charley Business Charley Business Chappell, Thomps Junior Business Charley Business Chappell, Thomps Junior Business Chappell, Thomps Junior

Q. C. TANKARD AND CUP SKIPS

G. Valentine and T. Sheppard Win Lakeview Bonspiel Semi-Finals.

Queen City skips met last night and elected their skips for the two-day Ontario Bowling Association's competition, as follows:

Tankard—R. B. Rice, W. Philip.

District Cup—C. H. Kelk, C. A. Tobin.

TOLD MY HUSBAND

THAT IF HE WOULD LET ME TAKE CARE OF THE MONEY

I'D SEE THAT IT WOULD BE SPENT

THINGS I

NEED

SENSIBLY. THERE

ONLY YEISTERDAY,

These Ball Players Want More Money

New York. Jan. 2.—Holdouts among major league players promise to break all records during the next three months all records during the next three months. major league players promise to break all records during the next three months, according to a prominent baseball man here today. In some cases the players are already making big demands. The case of Roger Hornsby, of the Cardinals, is one of the most interesting. Hornsby has informed Branch Rickey that he will not play ball next season unless he receives \$10,000 for his services. Hornsby is bound to be a holdout, for the St. Louis Clul is not going to fork over a \$10,000 contract to Hornsby just because he is demanding it. Take Rickey's word for it. In other cases players will hold out because of cuts in salary, or because they have not received increases. The magnates, as usual, will trim salaries in some instances and add a few hundred dollars somewhere else. An example of how few players are under contract in the big le gues is furnished by the three cubs located in Greater New York. Only, eight players of the Glants. Dodgers and Yanks are said to have holdover contracts. Of this number five are members of the Yankees, two are Dodgers and the one remaining is Charley Herzog, of the Glants. Shawkey, Pipp, Baker, Gedeon and Nunamaker are safe in the Yankee fold and Daubert and Coombs are the only Dodgers with unexpired contracts.

WEST END JUNIOR BOYS MAKE IT CLOSE

School and Business Classes Engage in Dual Championships.

For some time past there has been very keen rivalry between junior school and junior business classes; and the debates that took place when any of the classes met would have put to shame many that aspired to aldermanic or civic benears.

finally decided.

The junior business boys had things their own fay in the baseball and basketball matches, but in the relay race on the track, 20 men in a team, the junior school boys had a shade the better, and in the swimming relay (fourmen teams) they had it over their opponents like a tent.

The results were as follows:

—Basketball.—

Junior Business (9)—Breternity, Awde, Chappell, Thompson and Abbott, Junior School (2)—Bradley, Greer, Andrews, Towers and Murray.

—Baseball.—

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—Baseball.—
Junior Business (26)—Parfitt, Cowan,
Hall, Unsworth, Green, Bell, Taylor.
Junior School (7)—Andrews, Greer,
Carnall, Smith, Towers, Archer and Rob-

Arnall, Snac.,

-Relay Race.—

1. Junior School; 2. Junior Business.

Time 2.54 4-5.

-Swimming.—

Junior.

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Junior.

20 yards, speed.

1. H. Bell

20 yards, speed.

1. H. Newall
2. Smillie
2. K. Hall
3. W. Leeson
3. J. Davidson

-Diving
1. H. White
2. J. Smart
3. H. Newall
2. R. Breternity
3. J. Davidson

-Long Phynge.

1. R. Smillie, 31'
2. R. Andrews, 30' ½"
2. Bell, 35' 0"

-20 Yards, Back.

1. R. Smillie
2. H. Newall
3. Bell
3. Bell
4. Newall
3. Bell
5. Davidson, 10'
2. R. Andrews, 30' ½"
3. Bell, 35' 0"

-20 Yards, Back.

1. R. Smillie
3. Bell
4. Newall
5. Davidson
5. H. White
6. Davidson
6. Smillie, 12 pts.
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BY GENE KNOTT

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SALWAYS LIKE THIS -

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PLANNING SPORTS WHEN PEACE COMES

Games Following the War.

New York, Jan. 3.—Sentiment in favor

the opportunity would be a lamentable thing. To selze it and carry intercollegiate athletics, football especially, far away from its ancient abuses toward the clearly-suggested ideal, will be splendid. Believing this, and working for this now, will win half of the battle."

Cornwall, Jan. 2.—The second match of the Cornwall Junior Hockey League was played tonight between the Westerns and the Union Jacks, and was the best junior match seen in Cornwall for a great many years. The new schedule games will be a double-header, the Moccasins making their first appearance of the season against the Sons of Canada, while the Westerns will be pitted aaginst the French Flyers.

The teams and officials were: Westerns (0)—H. Kinghorn, McCutcheon, Legault, Riviere, Miller, O. Kinghorn; spare, McCormick.

Union Jucks (2)—Gailinger, Lane, Atchison, Tilton, Perry, Eamer; spare, Larose.

Referee—John Denneny, Judge—Neil

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The World's Selections

NEW ORLEANS. To Encourage Sane Ideas for FIRST RACE-Onward, Valais, Alma SECOND RACE—Executor, Lady Worthington, Fas de Chance.
THIRD RACE—Slumberer, Andes, Meddling Miss. Meddling Miss.
FOURTH RACE—Dolina, Sayonarra, Southern League.
FIFTH KACE—Bell Boy, Grumpy, Red-

| S. H. Newall | 5. D. Derternity | 1. D. Davidson | 1. R. Smillie, 31' | 1. Davidson | 37' | 6' | 2. R. Andrews, 30' | 2. Bell | 30' | 2. Bell | 30' | 2. Bell | 30' | 3. Bell | 30' | 3. Bell | 3.

Football Was the Big Money-Maker at Pensy

F. KEOGH RIDES THREE WINNERS

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At New Orleans, Including Marianao, Long Shot, in Closing Race.

New York, Jan. 2.—Sentiment in favore of a reconstruction of college atheires of a reconstruction of the strings of the s New Orleans, Jan. 2.—The races today esulted as follows: resulted as follows:
FIRST RACE—Three-year-olds, 51/2

FIRST FACE—Claiming, 3-year-olds, \$400, 6 furlongs:

Betcha Million... 100 xFarnum...... 100
KKale....... 104 Dr. Nickell 106
Harlock...... 106 Twin Six 106
3. Brown Prince, 105 (Cummings), 5 to

Time 1.10'3-5. Parlor Boy, Piquette, E., Albee, Thirst and Brown Baby alse ran.

OURTH RACE—Six furlongs, three-year-olds and up, claiming, \$400:

1. Lady Spendthrift, 112 (Howard), 1 to 2, 1 to 4 and out.

2. Joaquin, 114 (Holma), 2 to 1, 4 to 5 and out.

3. Freedom, 112 (Ball), 6 to 1, 2 to 1 and out.

Time 1.17. Betterton, Spizzerrincktum also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs, three-year-olds and up, claiming, \$400:

1. Duchess of Lizwell, 109 (Taplin), \$ to 5, 1 to 2 and 1 to 4.

2. Lady Matchmaker, 112 (Crump), 5 to 2, 7 to 10 and 1 to 3.

3. Gorsoon, 106 (Ballman), 15 to 1, 6 to 1 and 3 to 1.

Time 1.16'2-5. Andrew O'Day, Marie C., Molly Maguire, Elizabeth McNaughton and Fronella also ran.

SIXTH RACE—One mile and twenty yards, four-year-olds and up, claiming, \$400:

1. Evelina, 112 (Cummings), 3 to 1, even

As Charlie Says:

Maybe, perhaps, possibly, peradventure, some day, someone may find a better cigar than ARABELA. But why wait? They're 10 cents.

SCALES & ROBERTS, Limited,

Toronto

PENNY ANTE

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.-The races today (F. Robinson), 5 to 107 (W. Obert), 15 nolly), 8 to 1, 5 to

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C-5½ furlongs, fou claiming, \$400: er, 105 (Gaugel), 4 to ver Bey, Sangon II., Dr. and James G. also ran. —5½ furlongs, three-claiming, \$400: an, 101 (Wingfield).,4 to (Pitz), 7 to 2, 6 to 5 (Cummings), 6, to 1, 5 Parlor Boy, Piquette, E. and Brown Baby also E—Six furlongs, three-claiming, \$400; nrift, 112 (Howard), 1 to (Holma), 2 to 1, 4 to 5 tterton, Spizzerrincktum Six furlongs, three. claiming, \$400: Lizwell, 109 (Taplin), \$ 1 to 4. imaker, 112 (Crump), 5 to 3. (Ballman), 15 to 1, 6 Andrew O'Day, Marie re, Elizabeth McNaugh-also ran.

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se'all Club announced tracts for the coming sent to all players on with the exception of lerzog, whose contract to run. According to r to run. According to the club the contracts sent for relatively the same rmer years.

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DEFIANCE OF QUEBEC

prevents the heating of houses, and even parliament, the palace and the clubs were without heat today. There have been numerous deaths in the treets as a result of the cold. In northern Portugal the tempera-ture has fallen as low as twenty de-grees below zero, Centigrade.

NEWFOUNDLAND PREMIER RESIGNS

Sir Edward Morris' Successor Likely to Be Dr. Lloyd, Minister of

St. John's, Nfid., Jan. 2.—Premier Morris, now in London, announces his retirement from politics and resignation of the premiership. He has been in London since October on official business, and proposes to reside there henceforth. Possibly he may be appointed high commissioner for the colony. His successor will likely be Dr. William Lloyd, now minister of justice, and at present acting premier. Dr. Lloyd is the parliamentary head of the party formed by a union of former Liberal associates of Sir Robert Bond and representatives of the fishermen's union, led by Mf. Wm. Coaker. These coalesced the past summer and formed a union government with followers of high commissioner \$50,000 for the St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 2.-Premier

Why?

never raw, harsh,

bitter or

peppery?

ACTUAL

Why are Davis cigars

BAD DIRECTION MISLED FRENCH-CANADIANS

People of Quebec Will Lose None of Rights-Must Bow to Will of Given Sufficient Clothing and Majority.

and representatives of the fishermen's union, led by Mf. Wm. Coaker. These coalesced the past summer and formed a union government with followers of high commissioner \$50,000 for the

"Perfection" Cigars are made by Davis'.

LAY CASE BEFORE MINISTER OF JUSTICE

Provincial Government Publi 1s off in Opposition to Consequence of the Public State of

To carry on the work, the members of the league were appealed to for money and for suggestions. Monthly contributions were requested and all were urged to submit for publication such articles as they believed might be used in furthering the cause on the central powers.

Branches of the league have been formed in Concepcion, Santiago, Varparaiso and other cities, and a propaganda committee has headquarters

Brockville.

Special to The Toronto World.

Brockville, Ont., Jan. 2.—In order to assist in the conservation of the local coal supply, the two large Presbyterian and Methodist congregations in Brockville have decided to unite for the winter months, holding serpaganda committee has headquarters

Because

in the 70 years that the house

of Davis has been making good

cigars, it has learned many trade

secrets of blending, curing and maturing

EIGHTY-FIVE MEN RETURN YESTERDAY

Rev. Moses B. Puryear to Come University Avenue Baptist Church.

went thru the recent disaster and assisted in the relief work there.

GOVERNMENT CONGRATULATED.

A resolution was passed by the members and adherents of Woodgreen Tabernacle, congratulating Sir Robert Borden and the Union government on the passing of the recent order-incouncil affecting the manufacture and importation of alcoholic liquors. A copy of the resolution was forwarded to the premier.

At the Hippodrome.

Charles Ray, the clever young Paramount star, will headline the bill next week at the Hippodrome in probably the greatest of all Thomas Ince's productions, a five-part photodrama, entitled "The Son of His Father." It is a stirring feature, which tells of a young man's fight against odds to win

PLAYS, PICTURES AND MUSIC

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bination of musical and vocal special-ties. Other new acts on the bill in-clude Chris Smith and Henry Troy in A unanimous call has been extended to Rev. Moses B. Puryear of Halifax to become the pastor of University Avenue Baptist Church: He will succeed Rev. S. L. McDowell, who has gone to Nashville, Tenn. Mr. Puryear is now pastor of Cornwallis Street Baptist Church; in Halifax. He series of artistic song studies, and went thru the recent disaster and as Series of artistic song studies, and series of artistic song studies.

uccess. How he achieves the goal after surmounting many difficulties is told in a series of interest-compelling scenes, which holds the attention of the audience until the last foot of film The picture will be shown at 1.55, 4.15 and 3.15 p.m. Besides the feature pic-

A powerful western photodrama with a strong heart interest and a wide human appeal is "The Tenderfoot," which, with William Duncan and Carol Holloway as co-stars, will be presented at the Madison Theatre today, tomorrow and Saturday. No-body who likes a drama of love, adventure and daring should miss this

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Dutch Apple Cake—

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Three teaspoons sugar.
Three teaspoons baking powder.

One teaspoon salt.

One feaspoon salt.
One egg.

Eve apples.

Sift dry ingredients together; cut in the fat with a knife and add graduelly the ear wel beaten with the milk, mixing with a knife. Put on a floured board, roll out as thick as for biscuits, and put in a greased, floured, shallow pan. Pare, core, and quarter the apples; cut the quarters into three or four slices, lengthwise, and press the sharp edges of the apples fatto the dough, arranging them imparallel rows. Sprinkle the apples with sugar, and bake till the cake is done and the apples soft. Serve hot with lemon sauce.

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The Royal Alexandra.

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Dr. and Mrs. Alan Kennedy, Macleod, Alta., are visiting Mr. Percy Manning.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Johnston gave a tea on New Year's afternoon as a house

DAUGHTERS OF EMPIRE

Mrs. Stephen Duncan, Mrs. Burritt and
Miss Marguerite Hess, Cobourg, are in
New York,
Mrs. Robert Lyon gave a New Year's

I.O.D.E. home for unclaimed children
The subscription list is Mr. John F. Fitzpatrick, who went overseas with the 3rd Toronto Battalion, and, after being wounded was granted a Fast Bloor street and very gratefully commission in the 14th Battalion, has arcommission in the 14th Battalion, hawarrived in Toronto on sick leave.

Mrs. Glenholme Moss left yesterday for New York to visit a school fr'end.

The Sir Henry Pellatt Chapter, I. O. D. E., entertained 55 orphans from the Boys' Home, George street, at a Christmas perty at "Jack and the Beanstalk" performance at the Grand Opera House.

The Women's Art Association opened the New Year with a most successful musicale. The program was arranged by Mrs. A. W. Austin, and given by the Academy String Quartet, Mr. Luigi von Kunits, first violin; Mr. Arthur Ely, second violin; Mr. Alfred Bruce, viola, and Mrs. R. S. Wilson. Previously and Mrs. R. S. Wilson. Previously acknowledged, \$850; Liege Chapter, \$200; Veterans of '66 Chapter, \$50; St. Andrew's Chapter, \$25; the Misses Tuller, Lapeer, Mich. \$25; the Misses Tuller, Lapeer, \$2: Miss Jean Ross, \$2; total, \$1332.

"Major Rasher, I saw a man today who would like the pleasure of kicking you," said a friend.
"Kicking me!" exp'oded the major.
"Kicking me! Give me his name at "I insist upon knowing," sold the major,
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MORE NATIONAL FACTORIES.

The erection of four new national munition factories in Britain, at a cost of over \$10,000,000, has just been sanctioned. Extensions on a smaller scale are also being carried out in war works in many areas.

CHAPTER XX.

In the house of Jesse all was sadness, Huldah came and went, but her heart and he: thoughts were elsewhere. Naoni worked upon her embousiery, and did the ural limeschold tasks with the assistance of the faithful Rissah, but there was a subduced atmysphere in the household, with never a sound of laughter or gayety. Stem cod Jesse never once mentioned the absent boy and it was an understood thing between the three yomen never to even alude to the erring Jether in the presence of the aged patriarch.

Only Gral dared to speak of Jether and he colly once, for the remark called forth these words from Jesse:

I have but one son now, Gaal, and thou art he The boy whom once we loved is deed — speak never of the dead."

Yet even Jesse was not able to banish entirely thoughts of the absent boy, which came to him ever with the fall of night, for one day he came to Gaal in great excitement and said:

"On the way from Hebron I met a

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Odor From the Nose

A question often asked by readers is this: "Flease tell me whether a had cord from the nose (Catarrh) can be considered. Adversion of the nose (Catarrh) can be coured if it is taken in time." is neiting, exercise—these things must be regulated in order to obtain graps at what is the poor from the nose (Catarrh) can be coured if it is taken in time." is neiting in the poor from the nose (Catarrh) can be coured if it is taken in time." is neiting whether a had cover from the nose (Catarrh) can be coured for the time of the poor of the nose or throat or any other cavity, nor constitutional, neither something in the patient's band, excepting for clean probability of the patient's band, excepting for clean probability and probability and the patient's band, excepting for clean probability and probabili

here? And my mother—does she still live and sit with sad eyes looking at the place where I was wont to sit at table? And gentle Naomi—is she perchance now the w'o of Gaal? I dread to go forward and find out the truth—vet if I turn back now. I shall starve. But could I bit see my mother from afar—only for a moment, secretly, so that she might not know. There they ist and eat, no doubt, even the meanest servant, while I would grasp at/what they would throw to the dogs.—But my mot ask.

I will but see my mother once that I will not lie to her," answered Jeth my mind the meanest servant.

if Jesse. The newcomer appeared to be the veriest beggar clad in the least garments in hich possibly clothe a human being. The sandass upon his feet were fragments of leather. His hair was long and ratted, his face covered with dirt and grime, and upon his legs were many cratches and sores. He could scarcely tand, yet with faltering steps he gained he eminence overlooking the home of esse, and sighed with relief. Yet there was pain in the sigh, also.

The beggar came closer to the house and slowly descended the hill. He pausal when but a stane s throw away, and ank upon a rock, wearled to exhausion.

"How still it is," he murmured. "As f death were about—or is it peace? In mese days of famine upon the land when so many are starving, is it possible here, too, they suffer? And yet while I hunger, I fear to go forward, Should father seeme, I cou'd not face the fire in his eye, or are those eyes forever closed in sleep, and is my brother Gaal now the master here? And my mother—does she still live and sit with sad eyes looking at the content of the course of the course

"Then this thou shalt do and still be a truthful man," continued Naomi "For thou hast traveled much, I shali tell Master Gaal that thou perchance may know where crops failed utterly, an where the people must buy. That will delight him well. Then he must pay thee money and give thee garments, for thine are past all use. Wait here but a little while, and I will send thee food."

And before Jether could refuse the gir had fied into the house, and he was alone.

"In mine own heart," answered Jether simply.
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clation, 56 Church street—The executive committee will meet at the hear quarters on Friday, January the fourth, at two-thirty p.m. Adelaide M. Plumptie, secretary.

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ys my wish that one should rest that he sows." con-sermonizing. "Thou didst and dreams and scorn of us in the fields. Now thou in the fleus, nger and beggary. Thou nger and now thou hast

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Big Economic Union.

Germany's fundamental war aims, M. Pavlovitch added, is to create an economic union stretching from Ham-burg to the Persian Gulf, giving Turmissior of Ontario, and approval of such has formally been obtained. By order, By order,
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of Tripoli. Negotiations for a general peace at Brest-Litovsk were adjourned on Dec. 25 until January 4. Since then, at Brest-Litovsk and in Petrograd, representatives of Russia and the central declaration

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Chronicle pleads the "urgent need of bringing fresh blood into a service

WEST LAND REGULATIONS

The sole head of a tamily, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion and in Manntoba, Saskatchewan or Alerta. Applicants must appear in person at the Dominion Lands agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion and a stand of the peace negotiations was held, and there is possibility that the report refers to an alleged rupture of negotiations several days ago when the government and people of Canada, a message of goodwill and confidence. We are now far of the warriant to the peace negotiations which is the properties of the peace negotiations with regard to the breaking off of the peace negotiations, was held, and there is possibility that the report refers to an alleged rupture of negotiations, was held, and there is possibility that the report refers to an alleged rupture of negotiations, was held, and there is possibility that the report refers to an alleged rupture of negotiations, was held, and there is possibility that the report refers to an alleged rupture of negotiations, was held, and there is possibility that the report refers to an alleged rupture of negotiations, was held, and there is possibility that the report refers to an alleged rupture of negotiations, was held, and there is possibility that the report refers to an alleged rupture of negotiations, was held, and there is possibility that the report refers to an alleged rupture of negotiations, was held, and there is possible into the Right Hon. David Lloyd George, the British Prime Min-land is the possible is a stant of the war is a stant in the resource of the war is a stant in the report refers to an alleged rupture of negotiations, was held, and there is possible into the Right Hon. David Lloyd George, the British Prime Min-land is a stant in the fourth Right Hon. David Lloyd George, the British Prime Min-land is a stant in the resource of the war is a stant in the fourth Right Hon. David Lloyd George, the British Prime Min-land is a stant in the resourc

ADVOCATED IN QUEBEC

Le Canada Publishes Letter to Show

Montreal, Jan. 2.—Le Ganada publishes a letter from J. M. Savignac, notary, showing how Quebec can get even with the Province of Ontario, which he designates as "our enemy."

"It is a secret for no one that industrial Ontario especially subsists on her customers in Quebec. The Province of Quebec is particularly industrial and commercial so why should ince of Quebec is particularly industrial and commercial, so why should not our own province, with all her wealth, also become an important com-mercial and industrial centre like Ontario? There must be no longer any hesitation, but we must at once engage in battle.

Boycott Ontario business in our province," he says. "From this out our French-Canadians should deposit all their savings in French-Canadian their savings in French-Canadian banks, which offer quite as much guarantee and security as the banks of Ontario which have branches in the Province of Quebec. Let our departmental stores in French-Canadian centres instal without delay a mail order department, like certain stores in Toronto, and distribute their goods in Toronto, and distribute their goods.

Comps, \$6.50 to \$11; bulls, \$9 to \$10.50. Dave Rowntree, for the Harris Abattori, bought 75 lambs at 18½c to 19c; 13 cull sheep at 7c; 10 cull kmbs at 12½c; 5 calves at 16½c to 16½c.

J. B. Dillane sold a load of cattle on the exchange yesterday, weighing 775 lbs, at \$8.75.

Joseph Atwell & Sons.

Ollie Atwell (Joseph Atwell & Sons) bought 100 cattle so far this week.

He bought 1 load, weighing 900 lbs., at

Live Stock Market

Prestige of British Ambassadorial Service Stands None Too High, Chronicle Says.

London, Jan. 2.—In announcing that Sir Cecil Spring-Rice and Lord Bertie are on the eve of retiring from the embassies at Washington and Paris, and in reporting the rumor that Sir George Buchanan is about to resign from the Petrograd post, The Daily Chronicle pleads the "urgent need of the market held around 18% to 18% c. fed and watered.

There was a light run of cattle yesterday, about 450, with some that arrived late on Tuesday, and were not offered for sale. There was a good steady market for practically everything well cleaned upearly in the day. Buyers for the big packing houses said the market was a strong one, and that some of them figured out an advance of 25 cents, but it was a good market all right, for the good, choice stuff. Sheep, lambs and calwes were all steady and the strength of the market for lambs may be gathered from the fact that two or three lots of extra choice black face brought 19c per jound, a figure unheard of until recently. They were, of course, the exception, but the market held around 18% to 18% c. Hogs.

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REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

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Dunn & Levack sold 12 loads yesterday:

Butchers—9, 970 lbs., at \$11,25; 13, 920 lbs., at \$11; 12, 890 lbs., at \$10.75; 13, 890 lbs., at \$10.75; 13, 890 lbs., at \$10.75; 13, 890 lbs., at \$10.810 lbs., at \$9.50; 10. 810 lbs., at \$9.40; 4, 1140 lbs., at \$11; 4, 880 lbs., at \$9.25; 23, 1050 lbs., at \$10.75; 22, 880 lbs., at \$10.35; Stockers—7, 620 lbs., at \$2,25. Bulls—1, 1650 lbs., at \$10; 2, 980 lbs., at \$9.50; 1, 940 lbs., at \$10; 2, 980 lbs., at \$8.75; 1, 1280 lbs., at \$8.75; 1, 1260 lbs., at \$9.50; 1, 150 lbs., at \$9.50;

\$9. Lambs—75 at \$18.25 to \$18.75. Sheep—\$9 to \$15. Calves—\$14 to \$16.50. Milkers and springers—9 at \$85 each; 2 at \$70 each; 1 at \$65.

Harris Abattoir.

George Rowntree, for the Harris Abattoir, bought: 200 cattle, \$10.25 to \$11,25; cows, \$6.50 to \$11; bulls, \$9 to \$10.50.

Ontario which have branches in the Province of Quebec. Let our departmental stores in French-Canadian centres instal without delay a mail or der department, like certain stores in Toronto, and distribute their goods in Toronto, and distribute their goods by mail all thru the province. Why send our money and our orders to the Boches of Ontario and receive in exchange insults and injury?"

NEW REPUBLIC SET UP
IN BLACK SEA REGION

Coalition Cabinet, Including Extreme Democrats. Takes Control.

Petrograd, Jan. 2.—A new republic has been set up in the Black Sea territory with Novorosysk as the capital. A coalition cabinet, including extreme democrats, has been formed. The new republic includes a long, narrow strip on the coast of the Black Sea and on the west slope of the Caucasus.

Delegates from Ukraine to the constituent assembly will arrive in Petragrad tomorrow. No effort was made to open the assembly today.

FINLAND INDEPENDENT.

Petrograd, Jan. 2.—The Bolsheviki news agency announces that the council of workmen's and soldlers' delegates recognition of the political independence of the province of the province of the province of the political independence of the province of the province of the political independence of the province of the pr

decidedly strong, and all other lines steady.

Corbett, Hall, Coughlin Co.

Corbett, Hall, Coughlin Co. sold six loads: Choice butchers at \$11 to \$11.75; medium at \$10 to \$10.20; cows at \$7.50 to \$19.25.

The firm sold 2 decks hogs at 18½c, fed and watered

Fancy Boxed Apples

Much cheaper than oranges. All the finest varieties grown in the West in all sizes. Rome Beauties, Delicious, Staymans, Black Twigs, Winter Bananas, Spitzenbergs, etc. ALSO BARRELED APPLES. OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT.

WHITE & CO., Limited

POTATO MARKET FIRMING! TWO CARS, VERY FINE, WHITE STOCK ONTARIOS IN CELLAR.
IMMEDIATE DELIVERY THIS WEEK-\$2.20 PER BAG. UNION FRUIT & PRODUCE, Limited PHONES: MAIN 5612-1996. 82 FRONT STREET EAST.

FANCY BOX APPLES. BARREL APPLES. **POTATOES AND VEGETABLES** JOS. BAMFORD & SONS

WHOLESALE FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Potatoes.—Potatoes advanced in price, the New Brunswick Delawares seiling at \$2.35 per bag, and the very few Ontarios offered bringing \$2.20 per bag.

Onions.—All varieties of onions have been a decidedly slow sale lately; in fact, it has been amost impossible to seil any, and they have, therefore, declined in price, the latest arrivals of Spanisn selling at \$4.75 to \$5 per large case, the 100-lb. sacks at \$3.25, and 75-lb. sacks at \$2.50.

Oranges.—Both California payel and

Beauty boxed apples, seiling at \$2.50 per box.

The Union Fruit & Produce, Limited, had a car of Ontario potatoes, selling at \$2.20 per bag.

Stronach & Sons had a car of Spanish onions, selling at \$2.75 per half-case; a car of New Brunswick Delaware potatoes, selling at \$2.35 per bag.

Chas. S, Simpson had a car of Spanish onions, selling at \$4.75 to \$5 per large onions, selling at \$4.75 to \$5 per large case.

Dawson Elliott had Jonathan boxed

Beef, common.

Lambs, spring, lb. ... 0 26

Yearlings, lb. ... 0 23 0 24

Mutton, cwt. ... 13 00 18 00

Veal, No. 1, cwt. ... 19 00 21 00

Veal, No. 1, cwt. ... 19 00 21 00

Hogs, 120 to 150 lbs., cwt 22 50 23 50

Hogs, heavy, cwt. ... 19 50 20 50

Poultry Prices Being Paid to Producer.

Live-Weight Prices—

Chickens, milk-fed, lb. \$0 21 to \$...

Chickens, ordinary fed, lb. ... 0 19

Grapes—Spanish Maiagas, \$6.50 to \$11 per keg.

Lemons—Messina, \$5.50 to \$6 per case;
Californias, \$7 per case.
Grapefruit—Florida, \$3.75 to \$4.75 per case; Cuban, \$3 to \$4 per case.
Oranges—California navels, \$4.25 to \$6.50 per case; Floridas, \$4.75 to \$6 per case.
Pineapples—Porto Ræos, \$6 per case.
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Pears—\$4.25 per box.

East Buffalo, Jan. 2.—Cattle—Recipts, 500. Easier.
Calves—Receipts, 300. Stow; heavy, mixed and yerkers, \$16.50 to \$17; light yorkers and pigs, \$16.50 to \$16.75; roughs, \$15.75 to \$16; stags, \$13.50 to \$14.50.
Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2400. Lambs slow at \$13 to \$17.75; others unchanged.

ket.
Onions—\$3.25 per 100-lb. sack, \$2.50 per 75-lb. sack; Spanish, \$4.75 to \$5 per case, \$2.50 per half-case; green onions, 80c per dozen bunches.
Parsley—Imported, 90c per dozen

Parsicy—Imported, 90c per dozen bunches.

Parsnirs—\$1 to \$1.25 per bag.

Potatoes—Ontario, \$2.20 per bag; New Brunswick Delawares, \$2.35 per bag.

Sweet potatoes—\$2.75 per hamper.

Turnips—50c to 60c per bag.

Wholesale Raisins, Dates. Figs, Nuts.

Raisins—Extra desserts, \$6 per case of 22 packages: quarter-boxes, \$2.

Dates—Excelsior, \$4.50 per case of 36; Dromedary, \$6 per case of 36; Dromedary, \$6 per case of 36; Brazil nuts—Bag lots, 15c lb.; small lots, 16c to 20c per lb.

Almonds—Bag lots, 21c lb.; smaller lots, 22c lb.

Walnuts—Marbots, 21c to 22c per per lb.; Bordeaux, new, 25c per lb.
Pecans—25c per lb.
Filberts—19c to 20c per lb.
Cocoanuts—\$7.50 per sack of 100. ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Fall wheat, bush. \$2 14 to \$.
Goose wheat, bush. 2 08 2
Barley, bush 1 31 1
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Buckwheat—None offered.
Rye—None offered.

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Rye—None offered.

Hay and Straw—

Hay, new, No. 1, ton. \$18 00 to \$20 00 Hay, No. 2, per ton... 15 00 17 00 Straw, loose, per ton... 9 00 10 00 Straw, oat bundled, per ton... 16 00 18 00

Dairy Produce, Retail—

Eggs. new, per dozen. \$0 75 to \$1 00 Bulk going at ... 0 80 ...

Butter, farmers' dairy. 0 45 0 55 Spring chickens, ib... 0 30 0 35 Spring ducks, ib... 0 28 0 35 Bolling 'owl, ib... 0 25 0 28 Geese, ib... 0 27 0 30 Turkeys, ib... 0 35 0 50 Farm Produce, Wholesale.

Butter, creamery, freshmade, ib. squares... \$0 48 to \$0 50

500-BAGS ONTARIO ONIONS FOR SALE AT \$1.75 PER BAG OF 75 LBS. Also car of Carrots, car of Turnips, car of Ontario Potatoes and car of Delaware Po-

W. TILL,
Phone M. 288. 241 Queen St. East.
Phone evenings, after 6 p.m., Junct. 7888.

ing at \$4.75 to \$5 per large case, the 100-lb. sacks at \$2.50.

Oranges.—Both California navel and Florida oranges are extremely scarce, the smaller sizes especially so, and they are, therefore, commanding increased prices in fact, the outlook is far from promising, and we may have to do without oranges in the near future. The navels yesterday sold at \$4.25 to \$6.50 per case, and the Floridas at \$4.75 to \$6 per case, and the Floridas at \$4.75 to \$6 per case.

White & Co., Limited, had a car of Cuban grapefruit of exceptionally fine quality, 54's to 70's selling at \$4 per case, and 95's at \$3.75 per case; a car of Caifornia celery, selling at \$4.25 per case; a large shipment of mushrooms, selling at at \$4.25 to \$2.75 per 4-lb, basket.

Jos. Bamford & Sons had a car of Rome Beauty boxed apples, selling at \$2.50 per box.

The Union Fruit & Produce, Limited, had a car of Ontario potatoes, selling at Mutton ewit. 12 00 14 00 lambs, spring, lb. 0 26 0 28 Yearlings, lb. 0 26 0 28 Yearling

Fowl, 31/2 lbs. and under Chickens, milk-fed, lb.. \$0 28 to \$.... Chickens, ordinary fed,

Ducklings, 'b. 0 26 Geese, lb. 0 24 Turkeys, young, lb.... 0 35

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

Oranges—California navels, \$4.25 to \$6.50 per case; Floridas, \$4.75 to \$6 per case.

Pineapples—Porto Ræos, \$6 per case.
Pears—\$4.25 per box.
Tangerines—\$3.50 per half-strap.
Tomatoes—Hothouse, No. 1's, 25c to 30c per lb.; No. 2's, 18c to 20c per lb.

Wholesale Vegetables.
Beets—90c to \$1 per bag; new, \$1 per dozen bunches.
Brussels sprouts—15c per box; imported, 35c per box.
Cabbage—\$2 to \$2.50 per bbl.
Carrots—\$5c to 75c per bag.
Cauliflower—California, \$4.25 to \$4.50 per case, \$2.25 to \$2.50 per half case.
Celery—California, \$6 to \$6.50 per case.
Cucumbers—Home-grown, hothouse, none offered; imported, \$2.75 to \$3.25 per dozen; Cal., \$6 per case (4 dozen).
Lettuce—California head, \$4 per case of 3½ to 4 dozen; domestic leaf, 25c and 30c per dozen.
Mushrooms—Canadian, 65c to 75c per lb.; imported, \$2.25 to \$2.75 per 4-lb. basket.
Onions—\$3.25 per 100-lb. sack, \$2.50 per to \$2.50 per dozen.
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Prices delivered, Toronto John Hallam:
City Hides—City butcher hides, green
flats, 20c; calf skins, green flat, 23c
veal, kip, 20c; horsehides, city take off
\$5 to \$6: city lambskins, shearling and
pelts, \$1.50 to \$2.25; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.
Country Markets—I of hides, flat,
cured, 18c to 19c; deacon or bob calf,
\$1.50 to \$1.75; horsehides, country takeoff, No. 1, \$5.50 to \$6; No. 2, \$5 to \$6;
No. 1, sheep-skins, \$2.50 to \$3.50. Horsehair, farmers' stock, \$25.
Tallow—City rendered, solids, in barrels, 13c to 14c; country solid, in barrels,
No. 1, 12c to 16c; cakes, No. 1, 14c to 16c.
Wool—Unwashed fleece wool, as to
quality, fine, 60c; coarse, 58c. Washed
wool, fine, 70c; coarse, 65c.

TROOPS FROM CANADA ARRIVE IN ENGLAND

Ottawa Officially Announces Safe Passage of Number of

Units. Ottawa, Jan. 2.-It is officially announced that the following troops have arrived safely in England: Canadian Officers' Training Corps. candidates for army commissions.

Royal Flying Corps, officers. Draft: E. Yorkshire Regiment from Bermuda. Drafts: Artillery, horse, siege and field, from St. John, .B., Montreal, Ontario, Saskatchewan and British

Signallers from Ottawa. Forestry from Montreal, Levis, Toronto, Winnipeg and Prince Albert. Medical Corps from Ontario. Canadian Nursing Sisters and V. A P. nurses from Toronto. Newfoundland troops, imperial re-

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Cattle, Sheep, Lambs, Calves and Hogs Union Stock Yards, Toronto, Canada

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Cattle Salesmen—WM. B. LEVACK, WESLEY DUNN and JAMES DUNN
Hog Salesmen—WESLEY DUNN, Park, 184; W. J. THOMPSON, Junction 5579
Sheep Salesmen—ALFRED PUGSLEY, FRED DUNN
Sile Stock in your name to our care. Wire car number and we will so the cost
Office Phone, Junction 2627

QUEST OF NEW COBALT IS NOT YET ABANDONED

Elk Lake-Gowganda District Offers Most Promise and is Newray, Hollinger and McIn Attracting Increasing Attention As Old Camp's Ore Reserves Dwindle.

The world's annual production of silver is about 175,000,000 ounces. In 1915, the last year for which statistics of all countries are available, the United States produced 74,961,000 ounces, Mexico 29,570,000 and Canada 28,401,000 ounces. The balance of the annual total is made up by Peru, Japan, Spain and Australia in the order named.

The total output of Cobalt to the end of 1917 is about 275,000,000 ounces, having a value of \$154,000,000. The mines reached their maximum in 1911 with an output of \$1,507,991 ounces. Since then

The official report of the result of the vote of Timiskaming shareholders submitted to yesterday's adjourned proxies and ballots representing 1,774,-986 votes, and of these 804,471 were in opposition.

President Culver in a circular to that the Morgenstern interests want shipped does not give an accurate idea the annual meeting called on Feb. 2, while the Timiskaming directors are But as already stated the shipments understood to favor a later data in rebruary.

But as already stated the snipments do show whether mining on a large scale is being done or not.

During 1917 the demand for silver,

MOVE BY TRETHEWEY TO ACQUIRE PROPERTY

A move to acquire another property announced in a circular sent to the shareholders, in which the directors nounce that they have secured an on on 51 per cent of the stock in Castle Mining Co pany, a Gow-da concern, with \$1,500,000 capital, at 20 cents a share. A special meeting of Trethewey shareholders is called for 11 o'clock on Friday, Jan. 11, to consider the deal. Some of the Castle claims—the company has eleven in all—adjoin Gowganda's chief producer, the Miller Lake-O'Brien.



ONTARIO'S WEEKLY

If you want reliable news of all the mining camps of Northern Ontario, subscribe for The Northern Miner, Cobalt, Ont. Canada, \$1.50; U. S., \$2 per

SAMPLE ON REQUEST.

COBALT SHIPMENTS

Ore shipments from the Cobalt camp on the projected Kirkland Lake deal in the final week of the year were the submitted to vesterday's additional lightest for the month of December meeting was practically as published back as June. Four companies shipin The World of Tuesday. There were ped 368,926 lbs. of ore, as against 474,-078 for the preceding week. Shipments for the year, however, cast in favor of the deal and 970,515 of 1916, when 15,813.01 tons of ore were sent out, being given as 17,951.55

with the consequent advance in price of the metal, encouraged many old properties to reopen, many new pro-perties to start up and practically all of the big producers to augment their output as much as possible. The result of all this is shown in the increase in the amount of ore shipped out. It must also be remembered that the advance in silver has made possible the treatment of low-grade ores

hitherto of little value. The following table gives the annual shipments of ore in tons since the inception of the Cobalt camp: Year

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1909						30,057,58
1910						34,710.29
1911						25,733.22
1912				900		
1913				***		22,442.89
1914	•••	•••	• • • •			21,229.06
		***	***			18,419.83
1915						16,064.23
1916						15,813.01
1917						
						17,951.85
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CLOTHING CAUGHT FIRE. Kingston, Ont., Jan. 2.-When her clothes caught fire from the kitchen drawn into stove, Mrs. J. E. Glover ran scream-than before.

Christiania, Jan. 2.—A system of strict rationing went into effect to-day and the government warned the nation that suffering and danger were nation that suffering and danger were in store for it during the coming year, as the food supply was poor, while the chances of Norway being drawn into the war were greater than before.

The papers criticize the government for withholding information as to whence the danger threatens.

Vanced seven-eighths. Home rails and Argentine and French bonds improved on reinvestment of dividends, and mining, rubber and shipping shares showed several strong features Guatemalan bonds declined two points.

Money was in good supply and discount rates were quiet. ing into the street to-day. A letter carrier, who was passing, saved her life by rolling her in the snow.

MINING STOCKS ARE IN DEMAND

tyre Respond Well to Pressure of Buying Orders.

BUOYANCY IS GENERAL

Peterson Lake and Other Co-

The series and change 3 45(1000 comes and 15) street and the series of the last present or which statistics of all the series of 1971 is about 57(1000 comes and 1971 is about 57(1000 comes a

activity in Kenabeek there is a report in circulation that the work of developing the property will shortly kirkland Lake 28

we had at the outset a latip correct pictures of the future of Conference of Conferenc garding the appeal of the Dominion Reduction Company concerning the ownership of tailings, and if Pete Lake wins again its earning capacity will be placed on a good basis. Timiskaming was firmer at 25, and Trethewey, in which there is more interest in the light of its move to acquire the Castle property, was bought at 14. Ophir re-

DECREASED LAST YEAR

shareholders sent out yesterday fixes

Jan. 22 as the date for a special meeting called for by the Morgenstern interests. At this meeting the disposition of the company's funds will be discussed and the date of the annual meeting decided upon. It is stated that the Morgenstern interests want the analysis of the company's funds will be discussed and the date of the annual meeting decided upon. It is stated that the Morgenstern interests want the analysis of the company's funds will be discussed and the date of the annual meeting decided upon. It is stated that the Morgenstern interests want the analysis of the company's funds will be discussed and the date of the annual meeting decided upon. It is stated that the Morgenstern interests want the analysis of the company's funds will be discussed and the date of the annual meeting decided upon. It is stated that the Morgenstern interests want the analysis of the company's funds will be discussed and the date of the annual meeting decided upon. It is stated that the Morgenstern interests want the analysis of the company's funds will be discussed and the date of the annual meeting decided upon. It is stated the morgenstern interests want the analysis of the company's funds will be discussed and the date of the annual meeting decided upon. It is stated the morgenstern interests want the analysis of the company's funds will be discussed and the date of the annual meeting decided upon. It is stated the morgenstern interests want the morgenstern interests want the morgenstern interests want the morgenstern interests are supported to the company's funds will be discussed and the date of the annual meeting decided upon. It is stated the morgenstern interests want the morgenstern interests want the morgenstern interests and the date of the annual meeting decided upon. It is stated the morgenstern interests want the morgenstern interests are supported to Gold—
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P. Vipond 17 18 17

Preston 2½

Schumacher 40

T. Krist 7½

W. Dome C. 13½ 13% 13%

V. N. T. 16½

Wasapika 27

Silver—

Ağanac 11

Total 29,170,509 \$11,586,905.57 MINES ON CURB.

Closing prices yesterday on the Cobalt and Porcupine stocks on the New York Curb, as supplied by Hamilton B. Wills, the Royal Bank Building:
 Beaver
 Bid.

 Dome Extension
 23

 Dome Lake
 13

 Hollinger
 5.10

 McIntyre
 145

 Vipond
 145
 La Rose 32 McKinley - Darragh 56

NORWAY RUNS DANGER OF INVOLVMENT IN WAR

CONFIDENT UNDERTONE System of Strict Rationing Goes Into

London, Jan. 2.—The stock market opened the year's trading with a confident undertone. The war news was regarded as favorable, and consols ad-

Mining Stocks During the Year

Dividends. 25 p.c. 250,000 690,000 4 p.c. 299,725 42,032 8,428 995,012 300,000 3 p.c. 738,000 541,542 180,000

STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE. COBALT'S PROSPERITY MONEY AND EXCHANGE London, Jan. 2.—Money, 5½ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 41-32 per ent.; three-month bills, 43-32 per cent. Sterling exchange on New York was unchanged yesterday at \$4.75 3-16 for demand and \$4.76 7-16 for cables.

Local exchange on New York was about the same at the premium of one-half of one par cent

BRAZILIAN EARNINGS Brazilian Traction Company's earnings for November (in milreis) follow:
Gross, 7.695,000; increase, 535,000. Expenses, 4,203,000; increase, 805,000. Net, 3,492,000; decrease, 270,000.
Gross earnings from Jan. 1 are 84,131,000; increase, 6,558,000. Net from Jan. 1 are 43,376,000; increase, 721,000. BANKS' BUSY DAY.

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Peterson Lake
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Provincial Ont.
Shamrock
Silver Leaf

STANDARD SALES

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IN LONDON MARKET

Open. High, Low. Cl.

Yesterday was probably one of the busiest days of the year for Canadian chartered banks. Not only were they concerned with the usual cashing of dividend and interest cheques for the security holders of some four-score Canadian companies, but, in addition, there were enormous payments made on the Victory Loan.

LIVERPOOL COTTON. Liverpool, Jan. 2.—Cotton futures closed steady.

New contracts: January, 22 99. Feb.

steady.

New contracts: January, 22.99; February, 22.94; March, 22.75; April, 22.70;

May 22.62.

Old contracts: January, 21.73; January and February, 21.63; February and March, 21.84; March and April, 21.45; April and May, 21.37; May and June, 21.29; June and July, 21.21. COTTON'S OUTLOOK UNCERTAIN. J. P. Bickell and Company received

the following closing cotton letter:
"For the present we continue to advise the long side of the market, tho we venture to suggest that the situa-tion is so fraught with surprising pos-sibilities that it would be part of wisdom to surround transactions with ample safeguards."

SHARP REACTION DUE.

J. P. Bickell and Company received the following closing stock I tter:

"The market responded to a flood of outside buying in the afternoon by speculators who had sold out at lower levels."

"Floor traders fought the advance but had to buy stocks back at a loss. The technical position has been radi-cally weakened and a sharp reaction is due."

MONTREAL CUSTOMS.

Montreal, Jan. 2.—The customs duties collected in Montreal in 1917 totaled \$37,857,723, as against \$33,014,-618 in 1916, an increase of \$4,843,105 in 1917. The inland revenue receipts this year were \$15,685,451.63, as compared with \$12,954,263.15, an increase of \$2,731,188.48 for the year just ended

PRICE OF SILVER.

Loadon Jan. 2.—Bar silver closed at 43½d per ounce.

New York, Jan. 2.—Bar silver closed at 86%c per ounce.

Gold & Silver

How About That Newray? It's Going Higher

We have not changed our opinion of NEWRAY. We strongly urge you to buy all you can. There's

The New Year has begun, and in order to make it as happy and prosperous as your friends have wished it for you, we would advise that you begin well by making the right investments.

The "steels," the "coppers," and other metal stocks have had their day, and a mighty prosperous day it was for those who anticipated the extraordinary demand that would come for the metals necessary in the carrying on of warfare. The boom in the baser metal stocks is now ancient history.

The "silvers" and the "golds" are the only remaining metal stocks which have not experienced an upward movement commensurate with the demand for these precious metals.

MARKET JUDGES ARE NOW PREDICT. ING THAT THE "SILVERS" AND THE "GOLDS" WILL BE THE NEXT STOCKS TO ADVANCE.

SILVER

The price of silver for the year 1917 will show an average of approximately 82c per ounce, as against 65½c in 1916, 49¾c in 1915, 54¾c in 1914, 57¾c in 1913. The highest average price for silver received since the inception of the Cobalt Camp in 1904 was in 1917, the next highest being in 1906, at 663/4c.

The price of silver for the years 1918 and 1919 is to be fixed by the government officials of the United States and Great Britain, and the whole output of the United States and Canada taken at the price, as will be announced shortly from Washington. Reports indicate that the price to be named will be in excess of 90c per ounce, making the price that the Cobalt companies will receive for their product about 10c per ounce higher than the average for 1917, which, as has already been stated, is the highest average in the history of the camp.

Assuming that the output of silver from Cobalt for the year 1918 will be about the same as in 1917, which is estimated at about 20,000,000 ounces, the value of the 1918 output at 90c per ounce will be \$18,000,000, the highest amount ever received for the annual silver production of the camp.

As costs of production in Cobalt average approximately 35c per ounce, a net profit of at least 55c per ounce is indicated, equal to a total net profit for the camp of about \$11,000,000.

CAN THE SILVER STOCKS IGNORE THIS POTENT FACTOR?

The price of gold is fixed at approximately \$20 per ounce, so that it is to the costs of production that we have to look to determine net profits for the producers of the yellow metal. Since the war started the gold mines have been handicapped by advancing costs, and the markets have discounted this feature fully. The time has now come when investors are basing their calculations not so much on a war basis as on the conditions which will arise at the conclusion of hostilities. It is in this respect that the gold stocks loom up as important-too important for the judicious investor to overlook. Wise investors now are in the happy position where they can buy the leading gold stocks of Canada at rock-bottom prices. We feel quite safe in predicting that such genuine bargains as Hollinger around \$5 per share, McIntyre at \$1.42 per share, Dome around \$8.25 per share, or Newray at 47c, can not be equalled in any market, and the real money is to be made in these.

WE ARE ESPECIALLY INTERESTED IN NEWRAY.

WE FEEL SATISFIED THAT NOT ONLY IS IT GOING TO HIGHER PRICES, BUT ALSO THAT IT HAS ALREADY STARTED, HAVING ADVANCED FROM 32c TO 47c IN THE LAST TWO OR THREE WEEKS.

Don't Let This Opportunity Slip

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Are Features in Active Trading.

The new year began with a flourish on the Canadian, as well as the
New York exchanges, the local market being the broadest and most buoyant known for months. The bullish
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With United States Steel seling above 86 yesterday as against a level below 80 a short sine ago, 44 was is attracted to highest levels in the factor of the andian steel stocks should respond sympathetically. Doominion Steel at 55 1-2 and Steel of Canada at 52 1-2, each showed a gain of 2 1-2 points, while Nova Scotia. Steel, which was on offer as late as last Monday at 63 1-2, sold at 70. The most active trading was in Brazilian, which was dealt in to the extent of 882 shares and sold as high as 22 2-4, closing at 22 1-2. This was the first time in, weeks that Brazilian showed a decided tendency to rise above the minimum. The November, statement of earnings is only fairly satisfactory, however heavy operating costs more than off-setting a gain in gross revenue for the month. Cement was strong at 57 exclividend with 57 3-4 bild at the close; Smelters on brisk dealings, gained 1-2 and Maple Leaf yms as point higher at 93. General, Electric falled to rise above the minimum of .99 1-2.

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Trading in the war loans was on a moderate scale with the prices of all three issues steady to firm. The day's transactions amounted to 2135 shares and \$21,300 in bonds.

BY NORTHERN CROWN

IMPROVED SHOWING

Winnipeg, Jan. 2.—The Northern Crown Bank's statement for the year to November 30, 1917, shows decided improvement, as these comparative figures of the profit and loss state-ment show:

Net profits 206,608	128,761
\$341,563	\$150,391
Dividends 70,466 War tax on circula-	
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bonds, debentures, and stocks amount to \$281,695. Other current loans and

UNION BANK'S PROFITS LARGEST IN HISTORY

Total Assets Show Large Gain Dur-ing the Past Year.

Winnipeg, Jan. 2.-Net profits of the Union Bank for the year enging November 30 have just been announced, and are found to be the largest in the history of the bank.
They amount to \$763,463. This ompares with \$651,183 a year ago, aing an increase of \$112,280, or of about 17.2 per cent. Earnings this year are 15.2 per cent. on the capital the bank as compared with 13.02 Per cent a year ago.

One year ago the bank took out of net profits \$400,000 for div.dends; \$50,000 for bonus; \$150,000 contin-

sent account; \$10,000 for officers' pen-sion; \$5,000 for British Sailors' Re-Mef, and \$50,000 for war tax, a total

The total assets of the bank amount to \$143,000,000, or about \$40,000,000 higher than a year ago. In every respect the year was the most successful in the history of the bank.

DULL, NARROW MARKET IN GRAIN AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Jan. 2.—The cash market today was very dull and narrow, with offerings light and only a few buyers for
the ccarse grains.
Oat prices were lower. Barley prices
unchanged, and cash flax selling 7 cents
under the May future for No. 1 N. W. C.
Trading was quiet in the future market.
N oday
Future cats closed 14c lower for May
and 14c lower for July.
Barley closed 4c down for May.
Flax closed 1c higher for January and
4c higher for May.
Winnipeg market—Oats: New contract:
May, 842c to 853c: July, 84c to 82%c.
Barley—May, \$1.45% to \$1.46%.
Flax—January, \$3.18; May, \$3.24 to
3.554.

MARKET AT MONTREAL IS STRONG AND ACTIVE

Steel Stocks Advance Sharply-Good De-mand for Brazilian.

Montreal, Jan. 2.—Expansion marked the opening of the stock exchange today. It was attributed largely to the encouragement derived from the much better aspect in New York, but the assumption that local money conditions are considered.

was found to be the most two in demand. Next in activity came name is a lister, with Iron and Steel of sale using both active and buoyant. There is also quite a demand for Smelters, asilian rose to 22% and reacted to Dominion Iron rose to 56. Steel canada worked up as high as 52%, acting to 52. There was a marked important in Scotia, which sold for a sali amount at 70.

U. S. STEEL LEADS MARKET UPTURN

Steel Stocks and Brazilian Wall Street Begins New Year in Decidedly Cheerful Mood.

PEACE RUMORS **DEPRESS CORN**

Net Profits for the Year Are in Excess Oats Rather Heavy and Provisions Down in Chicago

to November 30, 1917, shows decided improvement, as these comparative figures of the profit and loss states ment show:

Previous balance \$122,955 \(\) \$1.630
Net profits 206,608 128,761

Less:

Dividends 70,466
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The bank has invested in Canadaan and Provincial and public securities of various kinds here and abroad, \$3,014,489.

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Liverpool, Jan. 2.—Beef, extra India mess, 360s
Clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 459s.
Long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., 160s.
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Clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 459s.
Long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., 160s. discounts in Canada reach a total of \$7,720,416. Long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., 150s. Short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., 157s.
Shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., 128s.
Ard. prime western, in tierces, 133s;
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MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

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Tallov, Australian in London, 72s.
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Petroleum, refined, 1s 6%d.
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Petroleum, refined, 1s 6%d.
Linseed oil, 61s 6d.
Cottonseed oil, 68s 6d.

Bank of Hamilton to Hold
Annual Meeting in April

The Bank of Hamilton is sending out notices to shareholders that the annual general meeting will be held on April 15, not in the month of January as usual, and that the financial year of the bank will close at the end of February so that the next the can War Loans.

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Malting-\$1.32 to \$1.34.	T P Rickell & Co. Standard

Montreal, \$9.85 Toronto, \$9.80 bulk, seaboard.

Millfeed (Car Lots, Delivered, Montreal Freights, Bags Included).

Bran, per ton, \$35: shorts, per ton, \$40: May ... 45.20 45.20 44.52 44.62 45.45 Jan. ... 45.00 45.10 44.75 44.76 Jan. ... 45.00 45.10 44.75 Jan. ... 45.00 45.10 44.75 Jan. ... 23.77 Jan. ... 23.85 Jan. ... 23.87 Jan

Record of Yesterday's Markets TORONTO STOCKS. NEW YORK STOCKS. J. P. Bickell & Co., Standard Bank New York stocks, as follows: Op. High. Low. Cl.
Trunk Lines and Grangers—
B. & Ohio... 52% 53½ 51½ 52%
Erie........ 17 17 16 16%
do. 1st pr... 28 28 26% 27
Gt. Nor, pr.. 90 90 89½ 89½
New Haven... 32% 32% 31½ 31½ 31½
N. Y. C...... 71½ 72 70% 71½
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Yesterday. Week. Year.

10 Receipts ... 542.000 881,000 10 Shipments . 142,000 221,000 534,000

Cheese-Finest westerns, 21%c; finest draftees here for the winter. emerer, Matthes & Co. report the fol-ing closing prices on the New York easterns, 21½c.

Butter—Choicest creamery, 44½c to

VIOLATED FOOD LAWS

fined £80. Miss Corelli was charged with hav-

ing purchased excessive quantities of sugar. In her defence she said the sugar was to be used in making jam. I ady Langton was accused of having over by Town Clerk Jardine on the purchased excessive quantities of tea, coffe, sugar and other provisions.

GIFT TO Z. HERBERT.

a pair of white gloves at the annual meeting of the board in honor of his having attended every meeting of the board during the past year. It is ex-pected that the president of the board of trade this year will be A. M. Black,

HINDUS SAILED ABOUT PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

Group of Would-Be Rebyls Started for

San Francisco, Jan. 2.—A group of Hindus, leaders in the alleged conspiracy to fome t in the United States a revolution against British rule in India, cruissed around Sula Province in the Philippine Islands in a small sading vessel on their way to India in 1915, according to textimony today by Captain John J. McCollister, U. S. A., former lieutenant-governor of the province, at the trial of 31 alleged conspirators in the United States district court.
Captain McCollister said he had been aunt-governor of the party and had questioned Rhagwan Singh, prominent defendant in the present proceedings, concerning his actions, Bhagwan admitted.
Captain McCollister said, that the group w s composed of members of a revolutionary party, and was on the way to India.
Captain McCollister said he detained Bhagwan Singh until he could examine him thoroly, and then turned him over to the customs officials of the Jolo Province, who liberated him.
John S. Rebertson, formerly a member of the customs service on the Island of Mudanao, in the Philippines, testifed that he kept Bhagwan in custody half a day and he was then released by the customs authorities, who saw no reason for detaining him Turther.
Bhagwan's purpose in visiting Mindanao was to secure recruits for the India revicution, Rubertson testified. He also said that Bhagwan told him he had been deported from Vancouver, B. C. by the captain authorities, but escaped from a ship at Hongkong and made his way back to the United States.

CUSTOMS RETURNS ARE UP Inland Revenue Decreased in Brant-ford Owing to the War.

cial to The Toronto World.
Brantford, Offic., Jan. 2.—War conditions worked in opposite directions, in the collection of customs and inland revenue for the port of Brantford.
The customs revenue increased by

Special to The Toronto World.

Gait. Jan. 2.—With P. Bernhardt and Dr. Oaks withdrawing from the mayoralty acclamation for a second term as mayor of Preston. A. N. W. Clare and F. Fisher are sected by acclamation for a second term as mayor of Preston. A. N. W. Clare and F. Fisher are sected by acclamation for a second term as mayor of Preston. A. N. W. Clare and F. Fisher are sected by acclamation as light and water commissioners and also the following school trustees: T. Hepburn, N. A. R. Bernhardt and C. E. Hurlbut. There will be contests for reeve, deputy reeve and aldermen, with the following remaining in the field: Reeve—Dr. A. Oaks and Fred Peiz; deputy reeve—Wm. Sobisch and Moses Wismer; aldermen—Thomas Campbell, Carl Homuth, George Everson, W. Red, S. H. Parker, R. A. MacG llivery E. Duck, E. Underhill, G. Mathers, C. B. Shantz, Alex. Thompson, W. Nuttall, H. J. Schultz.

FEW CONTESTS IN SIMCOE.

Special to The Toronto World.

Simcoe, Ont., Jan. 2.—The only contests in Simcoe next Monday will be for deputy reeve and for public utilities commissioner. all the nomineers and the nomineers.

tests in Simcoe next Monday will be for deputy reeve and for public utili-A feature of the local egg market today was the stronger feeling which developed for storage eggs, and prices were
advanced ic per dozen. This was due to
the very limited supply of new-laid and
fresh eggs coming forward on account
of the cold weather. There was no
change in prices for new-laid or fresh
eggs.

The butter market was quiet today, but
the tone remained firm, and prices were
unchanged. There were 118 packages of
butter received today, as compared with

The cheese market was quiet and
without any new feature.

Corn—American No. 2 yellow, \$2.15 to

\$2.30.

Oats—Canadian western, No. 3, \$2c;

fatigue party feeve and for public units
for the other offices beyord the needed number having dropped out. The
slate now stander: Mayor, A. T. Sisfer; reeve, H. A. Carter; deputy reeve,
Th s. E. Langford. G. A. Curtis and
Roger Cropp; commissioner, L. F.
Aiken, Geo. Williamson; councillors,
Henry Crabb, A. Jaques, A. C. Lea,
J. A. Calder, W. G. Jackson, B. B.
Baillie.

FIXING UP THE TABERNACLE.

Special to The Toronto World.
Brantford, Ont., Jan. 2. — A
fatigue party of ten n.c.o.'s and men

ALLOCATE MILITARY VOTES.

Marie Corelli and Lady Langton
Were Heavily Fined for Hoarding.

London, Jan. 2.—Marie Corelli, the novelist and Lady Mabel Gore Langton, sister of Earl Temple, were among today's vistims of the food controller's regulations against hoarding food, the former being fined £50 and £20 costs while Lady Langton was fined £80.

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—Allocation of military votes cast in England and on the continued in France and Belgium the votes were allocated to the various constitued in London. It is not expected that he result will be known before the end of the month, Allocation and counting of military and neval votes cast in North week.

WILL DISTRIBUTE COAL,

Special to The Toronto World.
Galt, Ont., Jan. 2.—The distribution authority of a proclamation by Mayor

HAVRE GIVES TO HALIFAX. Montreal, Jan. 2.—Z. Herbert, the retiring president of the Montreal Board of Trade, will be presented with to relief of the Halfax sufferers.

LORD ATHOLSTAN PRESIDENT.

London, Jan. 2. — Lord Atholstan has accepted the presidency of the Canadian branch of the Empire Press

MINING STATISTICS

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ASKED BY STATIONMEN

General Committee of International Brotherhood Formulates Demands in Montreal.

Montreal, Jan. 2.—An increase of 50 per cent. in pay was decided upon today as necessary to keep within hailclothing, etc., by the general commit-tee of the International Brotherhood of Railway Stationmen, which began ing distance of the high cost of food, tee of the International Brotherhood of Railway Stationmen, which began a two-day session in the Windsor Hotel here this afternoon. This committee represents all railway stations between Portland, Me., and Windsor and Sarnia, Ont., on the Grand Trunk Railway System. Besides drafting a schedule of wages for the various classes covered by the organization, the committee is formulating a set of rules to govern working conditions. J. A. De Gagne, who proposed the 50 per cent. increase in wages, stated that in Portland, where he resides, freight packers had received an increase of 120 per cent. in wages since 1915, and the longshoremen had received an increase of 180 per cent. in the same period, yet the members of the International Brotherhood of Railway Stationmen had received only 12½ per cent. increase in this time, tho over the freight packers and longshoremen. Robt. P. McNeil, president of the increase in salary had been granted at the Bonaventure freight station here since 1911.

New York Stocks. Canadian Securities. Cobalt and Porcupine Stocks a Specialty.

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Petrograd, Jan. 2.—The teachers in the Petrograd primary and secondary schools have gone on strike as a protest against the failure to call together the constituent assembly. The Moscow teachers have also gone on strike for the same reason. Only 31 of the four thousand working universities are unaffected.

Former army officers in Petrograd mobilization.

Montreal, Jan. 2.—The recount of votes cast in the election of P. R. Du TO HAVE MAYORALTY CONTEST. the Laurier-Outremont division in this city on Dec. 17, when the minister was defeated by a majority of over 2000, which was fixed for today in the practice division of the superior court, was put off till Feb. 18 by Mr. Justice Bruneau. Du Tremblay's counsel qu'ir pointed out that a recount might prove useless and an unnecessary expense, man pending the results of the soldiers' Adde vote being made known.

WELL-KNOWN FARMER DEAD.

Special to The Toronto World.

Belleville, Ont., Jan. 2.—Mr. Howard Huff, a prominent farmer and stock raiser, residing in Ameliasburg Township, Prince Edward County, died suddenly yesterday from heart follows. failure. He was forty-eight years of age. He was a member of the A. F. New England were agreed upon late and A. M. and A. O. U. W. Societies today by Fuel Administrator Garfield and prominent in church work. FORTY-SIX YEARS ON STAFF.

pecial to The Toronto World. Kingston, Ont., Jan. 2.—Forty-six years on the staff of the Portsmuth

years on the staff of the Portsmouth penitentiary, 34 of which have been spent as messenger, is the record of Michael J. Kennedy. The officers of the institution today presented him with a gold engraved watch in appreciation of his long services.

Special to The Toronto World.

Kingston. Ont., Jan. 2.—Johnson Larue, aged 27, a recently discharged soldier, was found walking on the street early this morning attired only in his pyjamas. He suffered terribly from the cold. He is a dope fiend.

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Galt. Jan. 2.—With P. Bernhardt and Dr. Oaks withdrawing from the mayoralty contest E. B. Reist was today elected by contest E. B. Reist was today elected by acclamation for a second term as mayor of Preston. A. N. W. Clare and F. Fisher are elected by acclamation for a second trustees: T. Hepburn, N. A. R. Bernhardt and C. E. Hurlbur, N. A. R. Bernhardt and C. E. Hurlbur, There will be contests for reeve, deputy reeve and aldermen, with the following remaining in the field: Reeve—Dr. A. Oaks and Fred Pelz; deputy reeve and aldermen, with the following remaining in the field: Reeve—Dr. A. Oaks and Fred Pelz; deputy reeve—Wm. Sobisch and Moses Wismer; alderman, with the following Petrograd, Jan. 2.—The teachers in the foolishness."

Canada Than it imports.

Montreal, Jan. 2.—The Gazette says:

"A boycott of Ontario business firms is being advocated by some people in this province. Those concerned are positions occupied by the conspirators of the Rumanian hierarchy.

To WORK AS LABORERS

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Petrograd Teachers Go on Strike as Provinces sell to Quebec for consumption, so the boycott might prove to be unprofitable. Also from a national point of view, boycotts are condemned as mischelf-making. Business men know this and will in their own way settle the foolishness."

of the four thousand work sities are unaffected.

Former army officers in Petrograd have organized a union and have accepted work as baggage handlers and street cleaners. Unemployed educated men, especially lawyers, clerks and former officials, are also organizing a union and will offer their services as a kaborers.

London, Jan. 2.—The central powers within the next ten days will make new declarations regarding Germany's peace conditions, a despatch from Geneva to The Daily Express quotes The Munich Nachrichten as saying. It is said demobilization may be introduced owing to the attitude of the entente powers.

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Belleville, Ont., Jan. 2.—There will be a contest for the mayorality in this city, the aspirants being Ald. Woodley and Ald. Platt. Only nine qualified for aldermen, which is the required for aldermen, which is the required to constitute the council. cii. Those qualifying were Alderman St. Charles, Alderman Whelan, Alderman Parks, Alderman Robinson, C. Hanna, S. P. Treverton, W. Donahoe, S. P. Hagerman and S. Curry. All the retiring school trustees were re-elected excepting in Fos-ter Ward, where Col. L. W. Marsh takes the place of Judge Wills.

TO EXPEDITE COAL

Washington, Jan. 2.—Further orders to expedite the movement of coal into and the director-general of railroads. Both mines and railroads will be affected by the new instructions

ATTIRED IN PYJAMAS.

Dividend Notices

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THE STANDARD BANK OF CANADA

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND NOTICE NO. 109

Notice is hereby given that a dividend, at the rate of THIRTEEN PER CENT. PER ANNUM upon the capital stock of this bank, has this day been declared for the quarter ending flist of January, 1918, and that the same will be payable at the head office in this city and at its branches on and after FRIDAY, the 1st day of February, to shareholders of record of the 28rd of January, 1918. The annual general meeting of the shareholders will be held at the head office of the bank, in Toronto, on Wednesday, the 27th of February next, at 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the board.

C. H. EASSON, General Manager.

Toronto, December 21st, 1917.

The Simpson's Men's Store Like the New Year, Is Young in Spirit

But Old of Experience

As he boarded No. 2872 and attempted to move forward in the car, he was met with the opposition of a crowded rear section. In vain did the conductor request those wedged in to "kindly move forward." Finally the young man in question began to elbow his way forward, and in a few seconds had succeeded in reaching his objective—the very front of the car.

As the car came to a stop at the transfer corner the conductor slammed the rear door and in a pert tone of finality said, "Front way out, please"—Mr. Young Man leading the way to fully two-thirds of those that had occupied the car. Thus do we find life all through—one leader in every

This store is ever striving to maintain its leadership by going into the world's markets at opportune times, seeking the best for its patrons—the best values—the best styles—the best assortments—FORE!

Nestle Into One of These Warm Mufflers

Lack of wearing a muffler does not discredit him as a well-dressed man, but chilly, frosty winds demand just such good-looking mufflers as these. Note the moderate

Men's Reefer Style Mufflers of pure silk, in neat patterns, with fringed ends. Price, \$1.50.

Men's Reefer Style Mufflers of imported English and American silks; fringed ends.

Men's Reefer Style Mufflers of newest Swiss and Italian silks; fringed ends. Price, Men's Large Reefer Style Mufflers of best quality Swiss and Italian silks; fringed ends. Price, \$3.00.

Men's Bandana Square Mufflers of Japan silk; red, green and blue grounds. Price, \$1.50.

Men's Japan Silk Bandana

You-Need-a-Cap?

Down over the ears and close over the forehead these well-cut, good looking caps will give you both comfort and appearance—you need only pay a moderate price to have one. Materials in them are wool, of course, in winter weight-

some lighter than others. There are caps with convertible one-piece flap, which folds neatly in the crown, and which can be worn over the ears when weather warrants.

There are also four and eight-piece caps without the attachment. Prices 75c, 95c, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

"Collar Corner" and Some'Arrow' Collars That Don't Stop Long

We have in stock all the old favorites, as well as the newest styles in Men's "Arrow" Collars. Which of the following

Ashby Humbert Arthon Hurlston Albardo Kempton

Lindsay Ancover Marley Height 21/2-21/6 in Aurania Height 2%-1% in Berwick Margate

Contour

Claridge Meyrick Height 25%-21% Cantab

Merion

Newport Capron Height 21/4-11/8 Devon Putney in in Radnor

Doncaster Talbot Falcon Tyrone Height 21/4-2 in Gordon

Yonge and Richmond Sts.



Tabhurst Gothic

You'll Select at Least Two When You See These New

ARROW SHIRTS We were fortunate in securing such a wonderful collection of handsome shirts. Men who choose them will be doubly fortunate in getting such good value and such handsome character designs.

The styles, the patterns and the weights are there to make men appreciate them-and what man does not appreciate "Arrow Shirts"?

"Arrow" Silk Shirts

"Arrow" Brand Silk Shirts, in the popular wide cluster stripes of two and three-tone effects. Also fine stripes of blue, green and mauve. Each, \$6.00.

Arrow Wool Taffeta Shirts

Soft, warm and dressy, they are the proper shirt for those men who are susceptible to chilly winds and who require something warm, yet

These are obtainable in cluster pin stripes, and in fancy wide stripes—guaranteed color fast. Priced at \$4.00.

Also Wool Taffeta Shirts in wide cluster stripes on cream ground. Priced at \$2.50.

Arrow Shirts of Crepe, Percale, Dimity and Madras

Take Lunch in The Palm Room Today Sixth Floor

Wool Gloves for Men

Men's Black Woolen Gloves of extra heavy weight; knitted, close-fitting wrist. Per pair, 59c and

Men's Imported Englishmade Woolen Gloves, with one dome fastener; natural shade; wrist leather-bound. Per pair, \$1.25 and \$1.50. English-made Grey Mix-ture Woolen Gloves, with close-fitting wrist; fleecelined. Per pair, \$1.00.

practical everyday wear there are wool gloves, fancy knitted, in colors; heavy weight. Per pair, 59c and 75c.

"Arrow" Brand Shirts of fine imported crepe cloths, showing a wide range of new and exclusive designs, such as wide cluster stripes of blue, green and mauve and many combinations of stripes. Each, \$2.50.

"Arrow" White Shirts-mushroom bosom shirts—that are good form for either dress or day wear.

cale Shirts-"Arrow" Brand-in a wide range of attractive cluster, plain and fancy stripes. They also have soft double cuffs. Each, \$2.00.

Also Fine Percales and Dainty "Arrow" Brand Shirts, having smart single, double and triple stripes, in the more conservative tones of blue, black and mauve. A serviceable, good - looking shirt. Each, \$1.50.

Repp, Zephyr, Dimity and Per-

There May Be Other Stiff Hats, But None is Better Value Than the Christy Hat

There are many little features about the Christy hat which make it superior. It is made of real first quality felt, dyed by a secret process, which prevents the crown from softening or

The Christy style and shape is original and correct. Also it conforms to almost any shaped head without discomfort to

We have all the new styles at \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

The SIMPSON Company Robert SIMPSON Limited



Overcoats

At \$37.50

Designed in trench style. Convertible collar. Full back is without vent. Sleeves and shoulders satin trimmed.

At \$40.00

breasted trench ulster with deep convertible collar, centre

vent, and patch pockets with top flaps. Sleeves and

At \$45.00

in double-breasted trench ulster style. Deep convertible

collar, slash pockets, inverted centre pleat at back. Sleeves and shoulders satin trimmed. Belt all around, \$45.00.

At \$50.00

Men's Overcoats of brown Whitney cloth with invisible green stripe. Double-breasted French style ulster.

Twin inverted pleats in back; no centre vent. Slash pockets. Sleeves and shoulders satin trimmed. Belt all

Men's Overcoats of brown and red soft finish tweed,

shoulders satin trimmed. Belt all around, \$40.00.

Belt all around, \$37.50.

around, \$50.00.

Men's Overcoats of heather mixed Whitney cloth.

Men's Overcoats of grey Whitney cloth. Double-

Each year finds the Simpson Men's Store DOING THINGS A BETTER WAY, TOO. You'll find MANY IM-PROVEMENTS in these "New Year" Overcoats and Suits. They not only embrace good wool fabrics, but also the finest finishings and workmanship, and you can do no better than

buy yours today.

Of course there are other coats at \$20.00, \$22.00 and \$25.00.

Let Every Man Go

Forth Into the New

Year With New Clothes

and New Courage to Do

The beginning of a new year finds many men and many institutions possessed of much

Good clothes of the right sort stimulate courage, give

courage and confidence to accomplish that

which makes for improvement, where it is

needed-TO DO THINGS A BETTER WAY.

Things a Better Way

prestige and promote confidence in every man.

Winter Suits

At \$28.00

Suits of brown cheviot in double-breasted, two-button style, with slash pockets, yoke back, and twin inverted pleats. Belt all around. Single-breasted vest. Regular style trousers. Price, \$28.00.

At \$30.00

Suits of grey and black fine check tweed, in single-breasted, three-button style. Semi-fitting ventless back. Single-breasted vest. Regular style trousers. A spirited, high-class model for young men. Price, \$30.00.

At \$40.00

Suits of dark green rough-finish cheviot. Two-button, double-breasted style. Slash pockets, centre vent, belt all around. Single-breasted vest. Regular style

At \$42.50

Suits of dark green vicuna, showing invisible gold stripe. Three-button, single-breasted style. Crescent shape pockets and deep centre vent at back. Belt all around. Single-breasted vest and regular style trousers. Price, \$42.50.

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The Simpson Music Studio Now Carries a Complete Stock of VICTOR VICTROLAS and Victor Records---Hear Them in the Spacious Studio Today

Men --- The Kind of Hose That Keep Away Pneumonia

All-wool Plain Black Cashmere Finely-knitted Hose of excellent weight. Per pair, 75c.
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All-wool Heather Mixture Worsted Hose of slightly heavier than usual weight. Very popular. Per pair, 50c and 59c.

Lovely slik and wool cashmere, grey shade. Per pair, 65c.

Pure Silk Socks, in splendid quality and weave. Leading shades.

Jack Frost and These Attractive Prices Are Making Underwear Jump

We negotiated for present stocks when the underwear market was sound and going strong—when we were able to contract for large purchases that in some cases resulted in SPECIAL PRICE CONCESSIONS.

Our patrons are sharing the benefits now. Men who have not yet stocked fully in their underwear needs SHOULD NOT FAIL TO SEE THESE LINES,

Men's Fleece - lined Underwear, shirts and drawers. Sizes 34 to 44. Per garment, 65c. Men's Fine Union Merino Shirts

and Drawers. Sizes 34 to 42. Per garment, \$1.15.

Men's Elastic-ribbed Cotton Fleecy-lined Shirts and Drawers; cream shade. Sizes 34 to 44. Per garment, \$1.00. Combinations as above, suit, \$2.00

Men's Winter Weight Natural Cashmere Shirts and Drawers. Body Guard brand. Per garment, \$2.00. Men's Soft, Fine Silk and Wool Shirts and Drawers. Sizes 34 to 44. Per garment, \$2.25. Combinations at \$4.50.

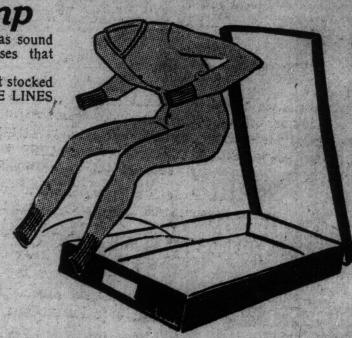
collar, \$2.00.

Men's Fine Silk and Wool Combinations. Sizes 34 to 44. Per suit,

Penman's Preferred Merino Com-binations. Sizes 38 to 44. Per suit, Men's Fleece-lined Combinations.

Soft, fleecy lining. Sizes 40 to 44. Per suit, \$1.50. Men's Winter Weight Merino Com-binations. Sizes 34 to 44. Per suit,

Men's Medium Weight Natural Wool Cashmere Shirts and Drawers. Sizes 34 to 44. Per garment, \$1.50. Combinations, same as above, at



Wise Men Will Be "Warming Up" in One of These Big Woolly Sweater Coats

Big values, superb stocks and assortments that cover only the better kinds of sweater coats at surprisingly moderate prices.

Heavy Winter Weight shades, with storm collars. Wool Sweater Coats of the Special at \$2.00. fancy kind, with high storm

Union Elastic Knit Sweat- bed Sweater Coats, with big er Coats in slate or khaki storm collars, \$3.00.

Warm Winter Weight Wool and Cotton Sweater Coats, with military collars, Union Knit Elastic Rib-

Pure Wool Sweater Coats stitch. with great storm collars. \$8.00.

Maroon and Grey, \$6.50. All-wool Sweater Coats of heavy English-spun yarns, hand made. Fancy knit High storm collar,