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ALLEY WAR POSITIONS

German Push Reaches an Obstacle Which the Enemy Finds Difficult to Overcome--
French Counter-Attacks Regain Ground--Heaviest Fighting Proceeds on Front
From Marne to Oise--British Capture German Party Attempting Raid.

U-BOATS SINK TWO SHIPS ON VOYAGE SOUTH

American Destroyer Has Encounter With Submarine Off Maryland.

SEARCH CONTINUES

Enemy Craft Still Use Bombs for Wrecking Captured Vessels.

PLAN WINTER BARRACKS AT AVIATION CAMPS

General Moore Has Gone to England to Talk Over Royal Air Force Matters.

MUST HAVE LICENSE TO SELL ICE CREAM

Every Dealer Who Handles It, in Bulk or Over Counter, Must Pay for Privilege.

POLICE THINK WOMAN IS MATERIAL WITNESS

Mrs. Margaret Dyson is Arrested in Connection With Death of Dominic Zangarrie.

LIGHT ARTILLERY FIRE ALONG ITALIAN FRONT

Rome, June 5.—The war office communication issued today says: "There has been limited artillery activity along the whole front. The fire of the Italian batteries caused confusion and explosions inside the enemy lines and also brought down a captive balloon on the bank of the Piave River."

BOTH LEGS BROKEN.

Albert Peters May Also Have Fractured Skull.

ROBERTSON TO COMMAND.

Ex-Chief of Imperial General Staff Temporarily Succeeds French.

BRITISH NEWSPAPERS CONDEMN PEMBERTON BILLING STRONGLY

London, June 5.—The British press, discussing the Pemberton Billing case today, condemns Pemberton Billing "for attempting to besmirch the character of public men and women with the slightest evidence but the merest gossip to support his insinuations."

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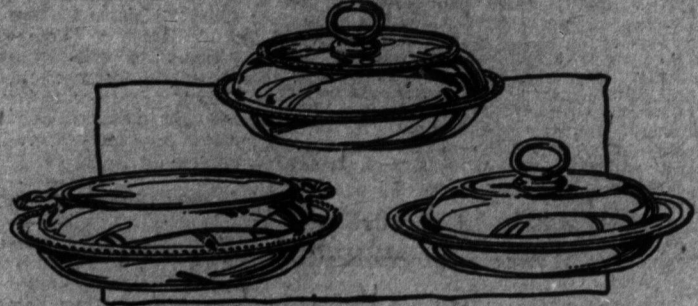
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Entree Dishes in New Designs Plain, Dignified Productions in Heavy Silver Plate---Suggested Particularly as a Present For the Bride.



NOT SURPRISING, is it, that many a woman treasures her entree dishes above all her tableware? For endlessly useful they are, standing ready for the serving of vegetables, jellies, creams, pastries, sandwiches—and always an acquisition wherever they appear.

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Smaller oblong design, the cover with detachable handle, permitting use as other dish. Price, \$10.00.

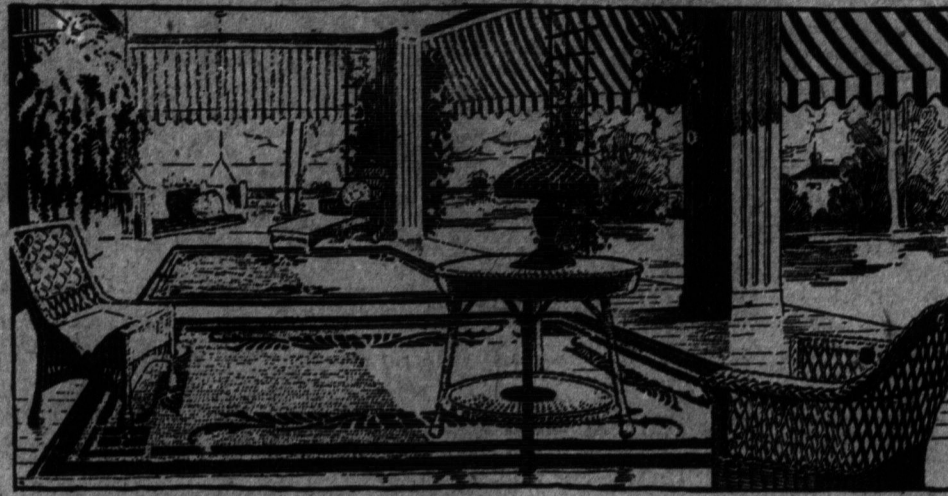
Entree dish, divided into two sections, with convertible cover, \$15.00.

In dull Butler finish is an entree dish, flat and plain, of oval shape, with detachable handle—price, \$9.00; a larger one of the same design being \$10.00.

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—Main Floor, Yonge St.

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WHAT AN INVITING PLACE to greet you on a summer day—the verandah living-room to which doubtless you've been looking forward for many a month. The question is—have you settled the first important matter of floor covering; the foundation of comfort in every outdoor sitting-room? On the cool, crisp, summery-looking rug the whole comfort and attraction of the spot depends. Hence, for your ease in choosing we mention below three groups of most popular weaves. Thus:

American Grass Rugs, woven finely and firmly of prairie grass, chiefly in border effects of artistically stenciled designs. Shades of forest green, with sometimes a touch of red and brown, are good, clean colors, while Deft blue with light blue and rose, browns with green and shades of grey are seen in charming combinations. Some have plain or ornamental block and diamond centres with band borders. Floral sprays of a conventional nature and Greek key borders are also obtainable. Many sizes from the door mat to the larger room sizes are shown, a few of which are mentioned:

- 4 ft. 6 in. x 7 ft. 6 in., \$5.25.
- 6 ft. x 9 ft., \$8.00.
- 8 ft. x 10 ft., \$11.50.
- 9 ft. x 12 ft., \$14.50.

Rattania Fibre Rugs are something different in the way of summer rugs. They are light in weight, but firmly woven and durable. They are waterproof and will be found very cool, clean and sanitary, and particularly suitable for furnishing bedrooms, sun parlors, sitting-rooms, and so forth. With motled grounds in the various colors they show to the best advantage the many attractive borders in hand, floral wreath and spray designs, in such pretty combinations as fawn, green and brown; grey, light blue and rose; green and brown, and others.

- 3 ft. x 6 ft., \$3.50.
- 4 ft. 6 in. x 7 ft. 6 in., \$6.75.
- 6 ft. x 9 ft., \$10.75.
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The ever reliable, ever popular Mourzouk Rugs are noted for their sturdy appearance and extreme durability, being ready to withstand all kinds of rough weather and hard wear. Constructed from twisted cocoon fibre. The designs are bold stenciled effects of green and brown; dark blue and a touch of red with natural color. There are many useful sizes.

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- 4 ft. 6 in. x 7 ft. 6 in., \$7.00.
- 6 ft. x 7 ft. 6 in., \$9.25.
- 4 ft. x 6 ft., \$5.00.
- 4 ft. 6 in. x 9 ft., \$8.50.
- 6 ft. x 9 ft., \$11.25.
- 8 ft. x 10 ft., \$16.50.

—Fourth Floor, James St.

A Victrola for the Bride

Or for Yourself or Your Family, for That Matter, if Your Home Still Lacks This Never-Failing Source of Pleasure, This Instrument Which Brings Within Your Own Doors the World's Greatest Music.



VICTROLA XI

WHEN GALLI-CURCI sang her last encore the other night you hated to let her go. You wanted more, more of her marvellous singing. But when you turned home was regret tempered by the prospect of hearing her again—hearing her entrancing voice in the quiet of your own living-room? Are you one of the happy multitude who makes great music your lasting joy in the owning of a Victor Victrola? If not, you'll surely be hoping to count yourself such at some nearby day.

So we draw your attention to the particular and compelling attractions of Victrola XI, illustrated here—one of the most popular of all machines for household use—of a size and volume well adapted to the living-room or drawing-room of average proportions. Moreover, it is a machine which, mechanically speaking, is identical with the higher-priced Victrolas, and meets the strictest demands for tonal perfection. It represents that beauty and efficiency in the reproduction of sound which has made the "Victor" famous the wide world round.

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—Fifth Floor, Queen St.

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"Winged Warfare," by Major W. A. Bishop, V.C., D.S.O., M.C.

In which our famous aviator tells the story of his exploits in the air, now on sale in the Book Department. Price, \$1.50.

—Main Floor.

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Goggles for Flying Men The Famous "Resistal" Made of Unshatterable Glass

AVIATORS AND CADETS in training will be interested in these Resistal Goggles. Equipped with the non-splinterable lenses for which this name is celebrated, they are goggles of the most valuable type—the only type endorsed by aviation authorities, for, needless to emphasize, the least breakage of ordinary glass in event of accident may cause loss of sight.

Resistal are the only goggles with non-shatterable glass obtainable on the market at the present time. The Optical Department is featuring them at the exceptionally moderate price of \$10.75.

—Third Floor, James and Albert Sts.

Consult Miss Newport About Your Corset

THIS experienced corsetiere, well known to patrons of the "Nemo," is here on her semi-annual visit to the Corset Department. If you are purchasing a new corset, let Miss Newport fit you. She will give you valuable advice in the matter of adjusting and lacing the model you may select. Appointments for fittings may be made by telephone.

—Third Floor, Queen St.

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DO YOU KNOW the merits of the Acousticon? It is an inconspicuous electrical instrument, light in weight, with a new, improved ear-piece, helps the hard-of-hearing to converse easily with family and friends, and to do business without embarrassment, or fear of errors arising through misunderstanding.

Returned soldiers, deafened in service, find it efficient and helpful.

Demonstrator in the Optical Department will adjust the Acousticon to your especial need. Send for descriptive leaflet.

The important thing is to HEAR.

—Third Floor.

Fashion is Very Keen About Such Dresses as These Airy, Summery Models in Organdy, Voile, Chambray and Checked Muslin---the Kind of Dresses Without Which No Wardrobe is Complete This Season



A. The white of summer's fleecy clouds, with touches of the deep blue of the sky, is the dainty dress of voiles, with its softly pleated skirt and vest and its charming fringed sash. The collar, cuffs and pockets are embroidered with heavy blue and rose silk, \$21.50.

B. This demure little striped chambray adds to its youthful appearance by flaunting two little ends from its belt in the back. The pretty embroidered collar is deep and round, and the closely-fitted sleeves fasten at the wrist with pearl buttons. Tan and white, and blue and white striped chambray is also fashioned.

C. Fascinatingly youthful and delightfully tucked and ruffled is this organdy frock, which is pink as a sweet wild rose. The girle is satin ribbon of the same shade. The same model is also obtainable in blue, bisque or white. Price, \$20.00.

D. This smart-looking young lady with the drooping head is wearing a refreshingly cool-looking frock of pale green cotton crepe, with crisp white organdy collar, buttoned in, and quaint little organdy undersleeves. The patent leather belt adds a distinctive touch of character. This is also obtainable in lavender. Price, \$29.50.

E. Delightfully cool is this little frock of green and white barred voile. The spiky collar of Russian green silk gives it that charmingly careless appearance a woman will take such pains to attain. The smartly pointed tunic is also bound with green silk. This is also developed in blue barred voile. Price, \$15.00.

T. EATON CO LIMITED

Light, Artistic Draperies Brighten the Summer Home

THAT is why these offerings in dainty and attractive curtain materials and draperies are of such interest at this time, when windows are opened wide to permit the cooling breezes to blow through.

Voiles and Marisettes Yard 33c

Fancy Voiles and Marisettes are shown in an assortment of stripes and squares, some with fancy and tape edges in white, ivory, and ecru. These goods, so hard to obtain at present, make up into such pleasing and attractive curtains. Widths 35 to 38 inches. Today, per yard, 33c.

Nottingham Lace Curtains Pair \$2.75

In white, ivory and ecru, these are fine Nottingham lace curtains, 48 to 50 inches wide by 2½ and 3¼ yards long, showing many handsome insertion border effects, with neat medallion and scroll centres, having the rich appearance of Brussels lace. They're made of strong quality cotton yarn, finished scalloped overlock stitch edges. Per pair, \$2.95.

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Suitable for valances, overdrapes and heavy portieres as well as for upholstering purposes. A collection of conventional, trellis and foliage designs are shown in combinations of green and mulberry, green and rose, blue and tan, etc. Per yard, \$2.00.

Harmony Art Chintz, Yard 60c

A gay touch of color can be added to almost any room by the use of some Harmony Art Chintz, with its bright and glowing hues. There is a fine range of patterns, including stripes, checks, lattice, foliage, tapestry and conventional designs, in shadow and over-print effects in a splendid variety of color combinations. Suitable for over curtains, cushions, slip covers or light upholstering. Per yard, 60c.

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CANADIAN HEAD OFFICES MUST BE KEPT HERE, SAYS MAYOR CHURCH

Large Deputation to Go to Ottawa to Lay Matter Before the Government.

NEW NATIONAL SYSTEM

Mayor Church Thinks Toronto is Proper Headquarters for This Also.

The head offices of the Canadian Northern must remain in Toronto, his worship declared emphatically, and here must be the headquarters of the new big national railway system. The Grand Trunk is pre-eminently an Ontario enterprise. Ontario built it, paid for it, and today is suffering thru its utter breakdown. There has been too much centralization of everything at Ottawa or Montreal. We must begin to decentralize our railway, our postal system, our banking system and our railways, our vast country like this, sparsely settled, everything cannot be run from one office. The cost of the Canadian Pacific and the intercolonial, but we are not complaining about that road being operated from Montreal. Ontario paid most of the cost of the Canadian Pacific and we are not complaining about that road being run from Montreal, but we do claim that the Grand Trunk is almost altogether an Ontario enterprise and the Canadian Northern offices have always been here, and we say that the head offices of the new system, which links up the Canadian Northern and the Grand Trunk, must be in Toronto.

N. J. Reid, has just been set for the visit of the big deputation to Ottawa, but Mayor Church is not permitting any grass to grow under his feet. He has just been set for the visit of the big deputation to Ottawa, but Mayor Church is not permitting any grass to grow under his feet. He has just been set for the visit of the big deputation to Ottawa, but Mayor Church is not permitting any grass to grow under his feet.

CAPT. (DR.) G. BAILEY MUST SERVE TERM

Judge Winchester yesterday decided that if Capt. (Dr.) G. Bailey does not receive a remission by sentence of three months or the extension of some executive clemency from the minister of justice at Ottawa by next Monday the order for his imprisonment will go into effect. "You have had since May 14 to conduct your appeal and I will not grant any further delay," said Judge Winchester to T. C. Robinson, K.C., when the latter appeared in the criminal court and made an appeal for another month's delay.

BOARD TO DISCUSS HOUSING PROBLEM

The board of control at its meeting today will probably consider the housing problem, which has reached such an acute stage in Toronto. The assessment commissioner and city architect have been conferring on the subject and the board will view the question of easing up on the restrictions imposed on the situation has also been raised, and this, too, will be dealt with.

Bilious Spells Become a Habit

And It Requires Active Treatment to Break Up the Sluggish, Torpid Condition of the Liver.

Drumbo, Ont., June 5.—So often you meet people who are feeling miserable and out of sorts, unable to relish their food, and suffering from headaches and indigestion. "It is only one of my bilious spells," they will tell you. "I have had them for years."

COVER ONE HUNDRED EXEMPTIONS GIVEN

Great Proportion of Applicants Are Again of Foreign Birth.

One hundred and fourteen of the 144 applications for exemption from military service passed upon by the tribunals in Toronto yesterday were granted, and thirty refused. As on the preceding days, the cause of the big proportion of exemptions allowed was that most of the cases dealt with were those of aliens, and according to the Ottawa regulations these men are entitled to exemption.

TIME IS SOUGHT TO STUDY FIGURES

Arbitration Proceedings Regarding Metropolitan Railway Postponed.

The arbitration proceedings before the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board involving the City of Toronto and the Metropolitan Railway Company, which claims \$2,225,000 for its franchise between Farnham avenue and York Mills, came to rather an abrupt close yesterday when I. S. Fairly, appearing for the city, asked for time to consider figures submitted by the company respecting earning power and operating expenses. He asked to defer consideration of the figures until he had had an opportunity to study them, and as a consequence the case was adjourned until Friday morning.

WILLS PROBATED

Thomas H. Cleghorn, a Toronto commission merchant, who died in a hospital at Rochester, Minn., March 1917, and whose will was filed for probate yesterday, left an estate valued at \$6950. It consists of an equity of \$2475 in 106 St. Vincent street, an interest of \$1200 in the business of Cleghorn & Co., \$1500 in household goods, \$1282 insurance and one share in the Casualty Company of Canada, valued at \$30. The executor authorized to carry on the business at 88 Colborne street or to dispose of it.

FRIENDS' CONFERENCE IN TORONTO

Genese yearly meeting of Friends held conference in Toronto at the home of Mrs. D. Watson, from Saturday 3rd to Thursday 13th. All meetings are open to the public. Sunday and Monday meetings of special interest. Sunday evening meeting to be held in St. George's Hall. See church announcements on Saturday. Friends' progress at temporary headquarters, 36 College street. Phone North 1490.

SOCIAL CONDITIONS HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR MORAL FAULTS

Average Young Person Prefers Marriage, Says Speaker at Conference.

CHURCH SHOULD HELP WOMEN ACCORDED EQUAL STATUS IN COURTS OF METHODIST CHURCH.

The Laymen's Association of the Toronto Methodist conference met yesterday afternoon in the Street Methodist Church to hear the report of the executive committee. J. O. McCarthy, the president, was in the chair. In his opening address he touched on the question of immorality among soldiers overseas, and said he did not believe there was any more among them than there was among an equal number of civilians. He said the church was not doing its part in helping young people to marry. He felt sure the average young man and woman preferred marriage, but social conditions and low standards of wages prevented such a thing being possible in many cases. He felt the church should not only preach morality, but do something to make morality possible by seeing to it that such wages were paid that young people would find a married life possible. He stated that there were 100,000 unmarried young people in Ontario, and that if they were all married there would be a saving of \$2,000,000,000. He further stated that in these strenuous days the text "Faith without works is dead" was more applicable than ever before in the history of the world.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT NOTICE (EXTENSION OF EILEEN AVENUE)

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of York intends to construct, as a local improvement, the following work, and intends to specially assess the cost upon the land abutting directly on the land, namely: Concrete sidewalk, 5 feet 6 inches in width with 6-inch curb on the east side of Weston Road from the north limit of Eglinton Avenue north to the south limit of Locust Avenue, an approximate distance of 323 feet 6 inches, according to registered Plans Nos. 288, 1296 and 1588.

MUNITIONS BOARD APPEAL UNSETTLED

The court of revision yesterday reversed judgment on the appeal of the imperial munitions board against the assessment of British Acetones, a company which has taken over part of the Gooderham & Worts plant. The company was engaged in government work and was not making any profit. The city takes the ground that they have not the power to grant exemption from taxation. W. G. Gooderham said that under an agreement with the imperial munitions board it is approved and the chairman of the assessment committee, Mr. J. A. T. Duggan, said that the assessment was made on the basis of the value of the plant and the value of the stock. The assessment department took the ground that other companies similarly situated had to secure special legislation to exempt them from taxation. An appeal against an assessment of \$45,210 on Gooderham & Worts as distillers was also made, and judgment reserved. The firm says that the plant has been taken over by the government and consequently they are not distilling. The city, on the other hand, claims the company is still engaged in the wholesale business.

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W. A. CLARKE, Clerk of York Township.

DISPUTE THEIR ACCOUNTS.

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COLLINGWOOD

The history of the Town of Collingwood, as compiled by C. E. Compton, will appear in this week's issue of The Toronto Sunday World.

Collingwood, on the Georgian Bay, is one of Ontario's most progressive communities, founded by the sturdy pioneers who opened what was then Northern Ontario, and which is at present the home of the enterprising descendants of the hardy settlers.

Collingwood has many sons in France. Many others are located in other parts of Canada, and all will be interested in the history of their birthplace.

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The Toronto World FOUNDED 1890 Morning newspaper published every day...

British Labor Aims. Arthur Henderson, M.P., leader of the British Labor party has been setting forth the policy of reconstruction which his party has in mind...

Never Mind the Monocle. If you see on one of the platforms a young officer wearing a monocle, very smartly turned out, and looking rather pleased with himself, the fact that on the stage in America you have seen a similar fellow does not pardon your calling him "Algy."

Educate Them. Mayor Hyman of New York is not doing so badly as many thought he would. For one thing, anti-loafing law is being strictly administered in Manhattan, and everybody of adult age has to go to work.

The British Libel Scandal. There has been no greater civilian sensation since the war began than the trial of Noel Pemberton Billing, M.P., for libel at the instance of Maud Allan, the American dancer, and J. T. Grein, manager of the theatre in which she appeared.

Other People's Opinions. Englishwoman Speaks Up. Editor World: I am glad that some one else has resented Major Brumton's remarks on the Englishmen. I think that the time has come to stop all this kind of insults offered to the brave English men and women.

and a crank by some, but he has let in the light in many places. Maud Allan had appeared as Salome in Oscar Wilde's play of that name, and Marie Corelli, the novelist, wrote to Mr. Pemberton Billing suggesting that he get a list of the subscribers to these performances, which were private and, she intimated, were intended to attract "the 47,000."

This allusion is to a German list of names of prominent people in England said to be addicted to vice. Lord Alfred Douglas, who had cause to speak, was one of the witnesses who testified to the immoral tendency of the production. He registered his association with Oscar Wilde, whom he described as the greatest force for evil in Europe in 300 years.

Backed by such authority, Mr. Pemberton Billing made his charges in his paper, The Vigilante, was sued for libel, and has been acquitted. What has caught public attention were the statements about the German list of 47,000 prominent persons, among them men like Justice Darling, who was trying the case; Viscount Haldane, ex-Premier Asquith, and the like.

It will be sufficient for most people that the book was "made in Germany," but fifty allegations of the kind indicated always leave a taint, and there is usually a section of the public willing to believe the worst about people who hold any prominence in the world. Among the various intrigues and conspiracies which the Germans organized in preparation for the war, nothing could be better from the German point of view to shake the confidence of the British people in their leaders than such a list.

Several lively protests against the change were made. One speaker said "it would create an intolerable situation." One member pointed out that some of the leading clergy were not on the list of those who had paid the optional assessment. One lay delegate said it would only cost a few cents a member for the congregations to maintain the fund.

Full Military Honors For Airplane Victim. An impressive funeral service in St. Thomas Church, Huron street, and the according of full military honors accompanied the burial yesterday afternoon of the late Capt. E. A. Baker, of the 43rd wing, R. A. F., Leaside, and No. 1 repair section flying party, Leaside. The members of the squadron were under command of Capt. E. A. Baker.

TONS OF FOOD DESTROYED. According to Commissioner Wilson 69,255 tons of foodstuffs were destroyed last month at the incinerator. During April 121,455 tons were destroyed.

CLERGY'S PAYMENTS TO BE OBLIGATORY

Synod Discusses Support of Superannuation Fund of the Church.

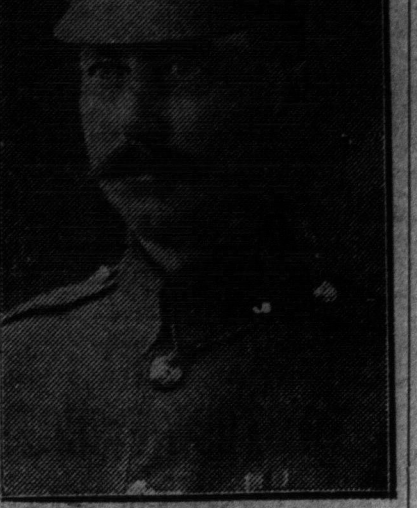
Toronto Anglican synod members had lively times at both sessions yesterday at St. James' parish hall. In the morning liveliness was interjected by Capt. (Rev.) Frank Vipond, W. G. Home advocated more prayers for the Germans on the theory that "they know not what they do."

Before long, with a flash of fervor in keeping with his chevron-marked khaki uniform, declared, "They know perfectly well what they do." An attitude of forgiveness towards the Germans of the Germans would be "casting pearls before swine."

At the afternoon session an animated discussion of the duty of the clergy towards the superannuation fund was held. Missionaries Pay Up. Provost Macklem, in supporting a change in the canon with respect to superannuation, said that the missionaries were the only ones who paid regularly to the fund.

MRS. STONE COMPLAINS SHE WAS LIBELLED. In the issue of The Toronto World of May 24 in connection with the report of the acquittal of Dr. R. J. Turner and M. Joffe in the case of the death of Marion Stone, a report of an anonymous letter received by Dr. Arthur Jukes Johnston was published. The World has now been served with a notice on behalf of Ellen Stone, mother of Marion Stone, deceased, complaining of the said report as a libel on her.

AND THE DRUM SAID--'COME!'



SERGEANT-MAJOR DONALD McHUGH, W. O.

SERG. MAJOR McHUGH RETURNS TO CANADA

Battalion Sergt.-Major Donald McHugh, W. O., 123rd Battalion, Royal Grenadiers, is expected to arrive back in Toronto today after two years' service overseas.

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THE WOMAN WHO CHANGED BY JANE PHELPS

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Spe Trim Milli

Guarantee... We can't give you the chance to talk with Mr. Howard, I repeated.

Do Be Unselfish. "But it will be really doing a kindness to wait for me. Do be unselfish and do so!"

YOUNG MOTOR THIEVES ARE SENT TO JAIL. The greater part of yesterday in the county judge's criminal court was taken up in hearing the various charges against seven young motor car thieves.

JUDGMENT FAVORS RAILWAY. In the session yesterday Chief Justice Meredith gave judgment in favor of the Toronto Street Railway.

HOUSING. Guelph, Ont. June 5. (Special) Guelph is confronting a serious housing problem.

STATEMENT. BRIT. London, June 5. (Special) The British government has asked the foreign minister to deal with the situation.

THE DUTY. In Reply to Seat At Windsor, Ont. people, including the river, are here the day.

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THE TENACIOUS DEFENCE OFFERED BY FRENCH

Captured German Letter Admits Allies' Troops Resist Capture Like Madmen.

London, June 5.—A letter written by a German officer and sent to The Morning Post by its war correspondent...

STATEMENT TO SHOW BRITISH TRADE POLICY

London, June 5.—In the house of commons, R. D. Horne, minister of commerce...

THE DUKE AT WINDSOR.

In Reply to Welcomes Refers to U-Boat Attack on U. S. Coast.

DR THIEVES SENT TO JAIL

Part of yesterday in criminal court was trying the various seven young men...

HOUSING PROBLEM ACUTE.

Guelph Board of Trade Appoints Committee to Consider Financing.

WORS RAILWAY.

Yesterday Chief Justice judgment in favor of street railway.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Toronto, June 5. The weather has been fairly with moderate temperature from Ontario to the maritime provinces...

FOOD BOARD ISSUES NEW REGULATIONS

Apply to Public Entertainments and Private or Semi-Private Luncheons and Picnics.

A MEAL IS DEFINED

Sausages Definitely Included in Exceptions to Beef and Veal Restrictions.

STREET CAR DELAYS

Wednesday, June 5, 1918. King cars, westbound, delayed 10 minutes at 5:40 p.m. at G. T. R. crossing, by train.

RATES FOR NOTICES

Notice of Birth, Marriage and Death, not exceeding 20 lines, 25¢. Additional words, each 2¢. No charge for notices in Funeral Announcements.

MARRIAGES.

SCRIPTURE—DENTON.—At the residence of the bride's parents, 31 Foxbar road, Toronto, on Wednesday, June 5, 1918, by the Rev. James Henderson...

DEATHS.

CLARK.—At the Western Hospital, on Wednesday, June 5, 1918, Isabelle Clark, in her 40th year.

FLOWERS FOR FUNERALS

Simmons & Son, 1159 YONGE & ELM STS., TORONTO.

ONLY LOCAL FIGHTS MARK BATTLEFRONT

New Factor Only Will Upset Stability Upon Front of Aisne River.

COURTS-MARTIAL AT NIAGARA CAMP

One Man Tried for Violence to Superior, and Three Conscientious Objectors.

MAY USE ELGIN COUNTY JAIL FOR MILITARY PRISONERS

St. Thomas, June 5.—Lieut.-Col. W. J. Brown, A.A.G. of this district, was in St. Thomas today inspecting the Elgin County jail with a view to using it for military prisoners.

QUEBEC FUEL CONTROLLER.

Montreal, June 5.—Herbert M. Marler, notary, of the firm of W. de M. and H. M. Marler of this city, yesterday appointed fuel controller of the Province of Quebec, in place of the Hon. Alphonse Racine, who died last week.

HANGED HIMSELF ON A TREE.

Montreal, June 5.—Grieving over his younger brother, who had been called to the colors, and whose leave of absence was drawing to a close, Leon Truchon, of Petit Ruisseau, a village near Rigaud, in Quebec Province, was found dead today, hanging to a tree.

FRENCH WILL IMPROVE WORK OF ARTILLERY

Paris, June 5.—Deputies Benzoulet and Poincaré have been used in the chamber of deputies a proposition to create in the war office a bureau which will direct its activities to the development of work of artillery in offensive. It will be similar to the bureau in charge of the aviation service, and will be based upon the importance of the present and in future of attacking artillery.

PASTORS ALLOTTED TO NEW CHARGES

Stationing Committee of London Conference Submits Its First Draft.

Windsor, Ont., June 5.—The first draft of the stationing committee of the London Methodist Conference was announced this evening as follows:

AIM TO CONVERT GERMAN PEOPLE

Henderson Denies British Laborites Want to Negotiate Peace.

London, June 5.—"We are willing to converse but not to negotiate with German labor," says Arthur Henderson, labor leader, in the house of commons, in a statement referring to an announcement made by Chester A. Wright, a member of the American labor union, visited England, which implied that the policy of the five democracies is the west that we will not submit to a German victory like that imposed on Russia.

FLUCTUATING NATURE OF BATTLE DISCLOSED

London, June 5.—The fluctuating character of the battle was strikingly illustrated yesterday. There was every reason to believe that the enemy had but made another desperate effort between the Aisne and the Ourcq, apparently endeavoring to capture the Cotterets, which he failed to capture.

TO PROBE CHARGES AGAINST THE Y.M.C.A.

Woodstock, June 5.—At this afternoon session of the city council a committee consisting of Councillors G. W. Wood and J. W. Wood was appointed to make investigations and report to this session concerning the rumors about the workings of the Y. M. C. A. affairs caused considerable discussion, and was finally left to the finance committee to decide.

Wool Now Grading at Guelph Will Yield More Than Expected

Guelph, June 5.—The grading of the wool under the auspices of the Ontario Sheep Breeders' Association, which only began on Monday is progressing rapidly. The amount of wool which will come here to be graded will amount to at the very least 800,000 pounds, which is far in excess of what was expected.

DIED OF APOPLEXY.

Kitchener, Ont., June 5.—Just before noon today F. W. Wahn, aged 55, succumbed to a sudden attack of apoplexy. He had been in poor health for some time, and it is believed that he died of apoplexy.

ADD TO GRANT.

Guelph, June 5.—The county council of Wellington County at its session this afternoon decided by a unanimous vote to contribute an amount equal to three-quarters of a mill on the dollar to the Y. M. C. A. Red Triangle fund, exclusive of any grants which have been made by any of the municipalities in the county.

TORONTO GIRL TO WED.

London, June 5.—It is announced that the marriage will take place shortly of Capt. Constable of the Cold, of the Guards, and Irene, eldest daughter of Frederick Hyland, Toronto.

DEATH OF COL. CRANSTON.

London, June 5.—The death has occurred of Col. R. E. Cranston, who came to England with the first Canadian division in 1915, and was subsequently in command of an Argyl and Sutherland battalion.

MURDERER STILL AT LARGE.

Montreal, June 5.—A coroner's jury today found Nicholas Tomasso criminally responsible for the death of Dominico Pietro, murdered on the broad daylight on Sunday last in this city, while large crowds were passing his house. Tomasso is still at large.

WEDDING AT KINGSTON.

Kingston, Ont., June 5.—The marriage took place in St. Andrew's Church today of Miss Katie Reid, daughter of R. J. Reid and Mrs. J. C. Connell, to the Rev. of Lieut.-Col. J. C. Connell. Rev. J. W. Stephen officiated.

AMERICANS BROUGHT ENEMY TO STANDSTILL

London, June 5.—The enemy's correspondent at French headquarters says: "On Friday, when the Germans were already in the outskirts of Chateau Thierry, an American machine gun unit was tried whether in motor lorries, Chateau Thierry lies on both banks of the Marne, which is spanned by a big bridge. A little to the northward a canal runs parallel to the river and is crossed by a small bridge."

BOUND HAND AND FOOT.

Rockwood Constable Brings Youth to Guelph on Serious Charge.

ONE SENTENCED, OTHER GOES FREE.

Chatham, June 5.—Benoit Gerand was this afternoon sentenced to one month in the county jail on a serious charge of assault preferred by Mrs. Gerand, a boarding-house keeper in this city, with whom the defendant was staying at the time of the offence. Gerand was tried at the special sittings of the county judge's criminal court. B. Fitzpatrick, of Morpeth, also charged with a serious offence, was found not guilty and discharged by His Honor Judge Stanworth.

MAY INVESTIGATE.

London, June 5.—A resolution from the finance committee that the grant of £10,000 which was promised the Young Men's Christian Association for its overseas work among the soldiers here made was carried by the Middlesex county council at its session this afternoon. The question of whether the grant should be withheld pending an investigation into the Y. M. C. A. affairs caused considerable discussion, and was finally left to the finance committee to decide.

TO ABOLISH SCHOOL FEES.

Chatham, June 5.—The abolition of all fees in connection with pupils attending the public schools of the city and also the collegiate institute was unanimously agreed upon by the members of the board of education at their regular meeting last night. For some time a nominal fee had been in vogue, the board desiring to abolish it and make education free for all city scholars.

CAUGHT IN SAW BELT.

Renfrew, Ont., June 5.—William A. Brady, aged 19, son of the late Robert R. Brady of Korton, was instantly killed about noon yesterday. While at work at a portable saw mill his feet became caught in the belt.

JEWEL SMUGGLING PLOT.

New York, June 5.—An alleged plot to smuggle into America the crown jewels of the deposed Romanoff dynasty, stones valued at \$2,000,000, is believed to have been discovered by United States custom officials, it was learned here today.

STADIUM FOR SOLDIERS.

London, June 5.—A magnificent stadium is being erected for the purpose of staging boxing and other athletic contests for the entertainment of soldiers in England.

CREW WAS ARRESTED.

Kingston, Ont., June 5.—The members of the crew of the tug Magnolia, were placed under arrest this afternoon as they were about to leave the city, charged with having deserted a vessel when under contract.

AMUSEMENTS.

ADOLEN TO-DAY

GLARA KIMBALL YOUNG "THE HOUSE OF GLASS" and Bennett Comedy Screen.

STRAND TO-DAY

MOLLA DANA BREAKERS AHEAD A Story of Romance & Heroism

Regent

MADISON BLOOR AT JUNE ELVIDGE "BROKEN TIES"

AMERICANS BROUGHT ENEMY TO STANDSTILL

London, June 5.—The enemy's correspondent at French headquarters says: "On Friday, when the Germans were already in the outskirts of Chateau Thierry, an American machine gun unit was tried whether in motor lorries, Chateau Thierry lies on both banks of the Marne, which is spanned by a big bridge. A little to the northward a canal runs parallel to the river and is crossed by a small bridge."

BOUND HAND AND FOOT.

Rockwood Constable Brings Youth to Guelph on Serious Charge.

ONE SENTENCED, OTHER GOES FREE.

Chatham, June 5.—Benoit Gerand was this afternoon sentenced to one month in the county jail on a serious charge of assault preferred by Mrs. Gerand, a boarding-house keeper in this city, with whom the defendant was staying at the time of the offence. Gerand was tried at the special sittings of the county judge's criminal court. B. Fitzpatrick, of Morpeth, also charged with a serious offence, was found not guilty and discharged by His Honor Judge Stanworth.

MAY INVESTIGATE.

London, June 5.—A resolution from the finance committee that the grant of £10,000 which was promised the Young Men's Christian Association for its overseas work among the soldiers here made was carried by the Middlesex county council at its session this afternoon. The question of whether the grant should be withheld pending an investigation into the Y. M. C. A. affairs caused considerable discussion, and was finally left to the finance committee to decide.

TO ABOLISH SCHOOL FEES.

Chatham, June 5.—The abolition of all fees in connection with pupils attending the public schools of the city and also the collegiate institute was unanimously agreed upon by the members of the board of education at their regular meeting last night. For some time a nominal fee had been in vogue, the board desiring to abolish it and make education free for all city scholars.

CAUGHT IN SAW BELT.

Renfrew, Ont., June 5.—William A. Brady, aged 19, son of the late Robert R. Brady of Korton, was instantly killed about noon yesterday. While at work at a portable saw mill his feet became caught in the belt.

JEWEL SMUGGLING PLOT.

New York, June 5.—An alleged plot to smuggle into America the crown jewels of the deposed Romanoff dynasty, stones valued at \$2,000,000, is believed to have been discovered by United States custom officials, it was learned here today.

STADIUM FOR SOLDIERS.

London, June 5.—A magnificent stadium is being erected for the purpose of staging boxing and other athletic contests for the entertainment of soldiers in England.

CREW WAS ARRESTED.

Kingston, Ont., June 5.—The members of the crew of the tug Magnolia, were placed under arrest this afternoon as they were about to leave the city, charged with having deserted a vessel when under contract.

AMUSEMENTS.

OVER THE TOP

BEST OF ALL WAR PICTURES GRAND OPERA Performance

THE EYES OF THE WORLD

ALEXANDRA MAT. SAT. 25c

THOS. A. WISE AND ROBINS PLAYERS

THE FIRST STOCK PRODUCTION GENERAL POST

LOEW'S

"THE WHISPERING CHORUS" Featuring KATHLYN WILLIAMS

HIPPODROME

TOM BROWN'S MUSICAL REVUE

STAR MAT DAILY BURLESQUE

WIRTHFUL MAIDENS!

MORE URGENT DEMAND FOR MEN THAN EVER

London, Jan. 5.—There is now a more urgent call for men for the fighting forces than ever before.

LOCAL ATTACKS ONLY ALONG BATTLEFRONT

Paris, June 5.—The war office reports: "Local attacks continued last evening and during the night. On the northern outskirts of Carpent wood two German machine guns were destroyed by fire of French machine guns. East of Domancourt a German machine gun was destroyed by fire of French machine guns. In the region of Aisne, east of Domancourt, a German machine gun was destroyed by fire of French machine guns. In the region of Aisne, east of Domancourt, a German machine gun was destroyed by fire of French machine guns."

BRITISH RAID GERMANS BY LA BASSEE CANAL

London, June 5.—The war office reports: "A few prisoners were captured by our troops last night in successful raids in the neighbourhood of Lens and south of La Bassée Canal."

LIVELY ARTILLERY FIRE.

Paris, June 4.—A Belgian official communication issued reads: "There was rather lively artillery activity today, especially near Neuport. Our artillery vigorously bombarded the enemy batteries and its destructive fire effectively quieted the enemy cannon east of Neuport."

AUTO TURNED TURTLE.

Kingston, Ont., June 5.—Morris Fox was terribly crushed and suffered internal injuries when his auto turned turtle on the Seely's Bay road.

The Toronto Morning World Has Resumed Delivery at Toronto Island

Order your copy by telephone or through the carrier. Prompt and efficient service is guaranteed. The Sunday World is for sale by the carrier every Saturday night, at five cents per copy.

Advertisement for GED featuring a portrait of a woman and text describing a chance to visit returned.

Advertisement for Sore Eyes Granulated Eyelids, Eyes inflamed by exposure to sun, dust, and wind.

Advertisement for DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS, THE GREAT URINARY DIETETIC.

Advertisement for THE TORONTO MORNING WORLD, Has Resumed Delivery at Toronto Island.

NURSING SISTERS HOLD CONVENTION

Many Helpful Suggestions Brought Out at Meeting at University.

The sphere of the nursing sister was defined at the convention of nurses now in session at the University, by Miss Isabel Stewart of Columbia University.

The kind of nurses we want today are fearless vigorous women, said Miss Stewart, who can stand on their own feet, who can voice their own ideas, and who will inspire confidence and carry weight with people.

Miss Johns, Winnipeg, opened the discussion on the standard curriculum for small hospitals, and suggested that instructors with special training should be brought in to teach the nurses.

An interesting paper on the "Development of the Red Cross Nursing Service" was given by Miss Johnson of Washington.

The following officers were elected: President, Miss Flaws, Wellesley Hospital; vice-president, Miss Randall, Vancouver; treasurer, Miss Hersey, Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal; secretary, Miss Dickson, Toronto Free Hospital at Weston.

Many Thousand Pairs Footwear Being Prepared for Shipment

The Friends of France at the headquarters of their boot and shoe campaign are still busy and are likely to be for some time on the aftermath of the work.



ROYAL EAST

The Safest Matches in the World

Also the Cheapest ARE

EDDY'S "SILENT 500'S"

SAFEST because they are impregnated with a chemical solution which renders the stick "dead" immediately the match is extinguished.

CHEAPEST because there are more perfect matches to the single box than in any other box on the market.

War time economy and your own good sense will urge the necessity of buying none but EDDY'S MATCHES.

THE E. B. EDDY COMPANY LIMITED HULL, CANADA

Announcements

Notices of any character relating to future events, such as marriages, the raising of money, are inserted in the advertising columns at 10 cents a space.

MILITARY CROSS FOR CANADIANS

Another Large List of Awards Captain Topp is Honored.

Canadian Associated Press Cable. London, June 5.—The military cross has been awarded to the following Canadians: Captains William Abbott, Clifford Aikland, Lieut. Wm. Adams, Sergt-Major George Allen, Lieut. Thomas Atkinson.

Lieut. Douglas Balmain, Capt. Alfred Batchelor, Sergt-Major Samuel Bennett, Capt. George Blackstock and George Bond.

Lieuts. John Church and Arthur Clarke, Capt. Harry Clark, Lieut. Edward Clarkson, Norman Cliff, Michael Cook.

Lieut. Gerald Davidson, Capt. Eric Davis, Sergt-Major Joseph Depper, Capt. George Dodge, Sergt-Major Thomas Double, Capt. Leonard Drummond Hay, Major Wm. Weing.

Capt. Harold Fowler and Lionel Francis, Lieut. Ernest Gullie.

Capt. Arthur Hartley, Sergt-Major Howe Hewlett, Capt. Rufus Holden, Lieut. Harry Holloway and Powell Horton.

Capt. Wilfred Jolliffe, Lieut. Harold Kennedy, Capt. Michael Kennedy, Capt. Shirley Layton, Major Edward Leadlay.

Lieut. Harold MacKenzie, Douglas Maxwell and Joseph McMonmond, Capt. James McDermid, Alexander McFaul and Frederick McGiverin, Lieut. Henry McFordale, James Melville, Fred Mills, Capt. John Mitchell, Lieut. Bernard Moberly, Capt. Henry Morgan, Lieut. Charles Morris, Lieut. Abram Nealand, Lieut. Charles O'Keel and Eric Osborne.

Lieut. Ronald Parker and Samuel Parkett, Capt. David Paton, Major Wm. Pearce, Lieut. Arthur Pritchard, Capt. Walter Rawlinson, Lieut. Charles Read, Capt. James Reith, Lieut. Allen Richmond, Ernest Retzele, and Robert Robertson.

Capt. Robert Saunders and Lawrence Slack, Lieut. Thomas Stegman, Capt. John Stems.

The Royal Red Cross of the first class has been awarded to Nursing Sisters Alberta Armstrong, Lillian Pidgeon and Kathleen Shaw.

Of the second class to Edna Auger, Mary Bilas, Irene Brady, Isobel Davies, Lily Gray, Katherine Pierce, Frances Rice, Gwendolin Spalding, Sarah Young and Charlotte Young.

SOCIETY

CONDUCTED BY MRS. EDMUND PHILLIPS

Mrs. A. E. Gooderham gave a delightful tea yesterday afternoon at Deaneport for some of the delegates to the I.O.D.E. annual meeting who are still in town.

Lady Eaton left for New York yesterday, and will be away a month, before going to her country house in Muskoka.

Mr. R. J. Christie gave a small tea yesterday at her house in Queen's Park.

Captain and Mrs. A. E. Gooderham are moving to their house at the island today.

Captain and Mrs. Rooney are leaving shortly for England.

Captain and Mrs. Harold Macdonald are expected home from their wedding early next week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Langmuir and the Misses Langmuir will be married on Saturday at the residence of Captain Jack Langmuir to Miss Comstock.

The Misses Elizabeth and Daisy Boulton are leaving on Saturday to spend a few days at their country house in Muskoka.

Mrs. W. D. Spence, Calgary, is the guest of Lady Kemp at Castle Frank.

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REV. DR. C. FLETCHER CHOSEN MODERATOR

General Assembly, for First Time in Twenty-Five Years, Elects Rural Minister.

A LAYMAN NOMINATED J. K. Macdonald's Name Offered, But Assembly Votes Motion Out of Order.

London, Ont., June 5.—The farmers' movement manifested in the field of national politics for some months scored a triumph in the church today when Dr. Colin Fletcher, of Thames Road, in the Presbytery of Huron, was elected moderator of the general assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

For several days other nominees had been considered likely winners, but on the eve of the opening of the assembly at St. Andrew's Church, a "boom" for the veteran minister who, for the past 40 years, has served the same little countryside church, developed. A warm contest appeared to be developing when the election was proceeded with at the opening session tonight.

Rev. Dr. Campbell of Montreal, the octogenarian solon of the assembly, came to his feet with a defiant protest. He claimed that the moderator's chair is normally to the ministry and to introduce no more debatable questions into the assembly during the continuance of the war, inasmuch as many compromise resolutions had been passed.

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CONFERENCE ENDS WORK AT OTTAWA

Final Draft of Stations, With a Few Changes, Presented and Adopted.

Ottawa, June 5.—The Montreal Methodist conference concluded its sessions tonight, when the final draft of stations was presented and adopted.

There are several revisions from the first draft made public a few days ago, notably in the Ottawa district, where Rev. George S. Clendinning, president of the conference for this year and pastor of Brock Street Church, Kingston, is transferred as pastor of Bell Street Church, Ottawa, succeeding Rev. T. A. Halpeny, who takes up other work.

The present pastors of Rosemount avenue and Wesley churches remain at their posts, while a new pastor comes to Ottawa South Church.

A National School System. One of the resolutions concurred in this morning and ordered to be sent on to the general conference favored the adoption of a national school system, while others included in the social service and evangelized department's report urged compulsory registration and treatment of those suffering from venereal diseases, and also urged the minister of justice to urge his influence to secure from the house of commons legislation raising the age of consent to 13 years.

At the opening of the conference Rev. J. K. Curtis of Montreal, referring to the resolution, had been passed yesterday, expressing the conference's admiration for the work of the Y.M.C.A., moved, seconded by Rev. Isaac Norman, that the conference place on record its high appreciation of the splendid service rendered by the chaplains, whose devotion to duty, he commended, and that it be admitted that the recent temperance legislation of the federal, Ontario and Quebec governments was praised and recommended to do their utmost to make the legislation permanent.

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WAR GARDEN BULLETIN

PRACTICAL DAILY GUIDE FOR VACANT LOT AND BACKYARD ENLISTED IN GREATER PRODUCTION CAMPAIGN.

After the war, it continues, there will be a social reconstruction as a consequence of which property and wealth will not be centre of gravity. Human life and health will be industrialized.

Church Will Do More. The church has done much to awaken the social conscience. It will do still more toward Christianizing all life—economic, social and political, concluding the social and economic cause.

For the purpose of the home; for the right of the child to be well born, well developed, well educated; for the betterment of the masses of the people who are being demoralized by the war.

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FORCE ONLY MEANS TO END PRUSSIANISM

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Polly and Her Pals

MATACHEWAN DISTRICT TO SURPASS PORCUPINE?

Ottise Gives Promise of Outrivaling Hollinger, and Davidson, With its Enormous Volume of Ankerite, is a Most Impressive Proposition.

Special to The Toronto World.
Elk Lake, June 4.—We are here at the terminus of the Elk Lake branch of the C. & N. O. Railway and the entrepot for the Matatchewan gold area. The new fields as mapped by the Ontario Bureau of Mines comprise the townships of Powell, Saden and Alma in the district of Timiskaming. The great bend of the Montreal River is made in the township of Saden, the northwesterly township of the group. In Powell, immediately south, the river is running northeasterly, while in Cairn, to the east of Powell, its course is to the southeast.

Fort Matatchewan, for many years a post of the Hudson Bay Company, is on the river in the northwestern corner of Cairn. This is the identical river crossed by the railway at Latchford, ten miles south of Cobalt.

The Access to the Region.
As the crow flies the new gold fields are only 21 miles northwest of the town from which this letter is written, but by the combined water and land route used in the summer the mines are a good 36 miles away. Motor boats run the route to the Indian Chutes, a distance of 15 miles. Here there is a short portage over a steep hill where a second boat is available for Fox Rapids 12 miles further up the stream. Owing to the very swift water in this section of the journey the fare for one passenger is \$1.50 up and only 75 cents down stream, whereas the charge from Elk Lake to the Indian Chutes is only \$1.00. The greater consumption of gasoline and longer time in breasting the current accounts for the variations in fares.

A Prospector's Cabin.
On the Davidson there is a unique dwelling place ready made. Two large pyramidal blocks of ankerite stand up to 12 feet. They come together at the top and all round the bottom, except for a space about six feet wide. This space continues within for a length of about 10 feet, the roof getting lower away from the opening. This opening was closed by vertical timbers, leaving only room for ingress and egress. The result was a complete shelter from the elements, and these masses of ankerite, and here Davidson lived while prospecting the camp. There was water in the creek near by, and all around the bottom. Except the wild life of the woods and the mighty works of nature, on this white of the magesian limestone mingled with the rusty brown of the iron carbonate, gave a touch of the picturesque to the scene. It is a unique spot, and here the veteran prospector at first believed that he had secured a house of gold.

Future of Camp.
Much more work must be done before we can arrive at a sane and certain conclusion as to the future of the camp. But, so far as appears, the future of the camp is a real challenge to Porcupine. We could expect from the Ottise a production fully, if not more than, that of the Hollinger Consolidated. It is fairly safe to say that the ore bodies at present disclosed have a total value of \$1,000,000. The schists, both grey and green, are soft, and composed of fine silica with carbonate of lime, magnesite and iron. In Porcupine they are often found interbedded with quartz, but as the matrix of gold, a homogeneous body of iron, is largely an innovation in New Ontario.

Porcupine May Be Surpassed.
Among our northern gold regions, Matatchewan seems second only to Porcupine. In fact, we would hesitate to say that it will not ultimately surpass the older camp. In one sense, however, it can be regarded as a portion of the same auriferous region. Porcupine is 30 miles to the north west, West Shining Tree 25 miles to the south west, and Kirkland Lake only 20 miles to the north east. There is porphyry very similar to that in Powell, while the ankerite mine in Deloro is a partial counterpart of the Davidson. It shows schists, both green and grey, as well as ferro-dolomite and porphyry, while its gold is not carried in ordinary veins of quartz, and there is a connection between Powell and West Shining Tree that dikes of diabase with a northwest strike are intrusive in both places.

Other Properties.
Northeastward from the Davidson and Ottise there is a very considerable over-burden of the strike of ankerite, auriferous bed and it is difficult to form an opinion as to the extent of the mineralization. The Mining Corporation have begun work on a portion of the same auriferous region. Porcupine is 30 miles to the north west, West Shining Tree 25 miles to the south west, and Kirkland Lake only 20 miles to the north east. There is porphyry very similar to that in Powell, while the ankerite mine in Deloro is a partial counterpart of the Davidson. It shows schists, both green and grey, as well as ferro-dolomite and porphyry, while its gold is not carried in ordinary veins of quartz, and there is a connection between Powell and West Shining Tree that dikes of diabase with a northwest strike are intrusive in both places.

Lafrique's Misadventure.
A few miles up the Montreal River from Otisse Landing is the Hudson Bay fort. For 20 years or more this trading station of the big company has been in charge of Stephen Lafrique, and it is said that in each one of these successive years Stephen has been bringing out specimens of gold ore from the Davidson, now regarded as the greatest prospect in the camp. But no one shared his enthusiasm and the gold he brought out was regarded as a mass of broken red bricks has been intensified by forest fires.

Carbonates But Little Quartz.
Then on the Davidson in contact with the orthoclase there are by far the largest masses of ankerite, and ferro-dolomite known in northern Ontario. This brings in the carbonates as an element in the formation. Prior to the recent inspection we had been led to believe that this element was wholly lacking, and so it appears to be in the porphyry.

No large veins of quartz were noticed on any of the properties. The precious metal seems to occur mainly in schist and porphyry.

The Otisse Described.
On the Otisse there is a narrow band of the ferro-dolomite, a wider band of a soft grey pyritic schist, and a still wider band of a green chloritic schist also charged with fine grained iron pyrite. The gold is found in both types of schist. Outside of these there is a considerable bed of feldspar porphyry less important in our judgment as the host of gold, but still worthy of considerable attention.

The Otisse is certainly a very big property. The various bands just mentioned, in the actual contact, are quite distinct and well defined. The conditions seem to suggest that the schists have been derived from ankerite, very thoroughly worked over and impregnated with gold which it did not originally carry.

Veinlets in the Porphyry.
On the Davidson, and to a lesser degree on the Otisse, there are numerous veinlets of secondary silica in the porphyry, and these seem to account for the greater part of the gold in this rock. Where they do not occur there is very rarely any visible gold, and if the porphyry is worked en masse we would expect it to give low values.

The Davidson Property.
The Davidson is a most impressive proposition. In fact, in two respects, it surpasses anything we have ever seen, namely, (1) in the enormous volume of ankerite and (2) in the extent to which the current has been sheared, schist and shattered. But the ankerite is not payable auriferous, nor is the veinless porphyry. We cannot, however, avoid the conclusion that by skillful methods very large bodies of ore can be opened up in face of the Otisse. The mining problem is, however, not quite so simple as it is on the Otisse, and the exploratory work so far does not indicate that the peculiarities of the formation have been mastered.

Visible Gold.
There is a very considerable amount of coarse gold to be seen in the porphyry on the Davidson, principally in the veinlets which here and there break its continuity for short distances. Fine gold also shows in the schist on the Otisse, and it is also reported in conglomerate on one property of the Sutherland group adjoining the Davidson, but as a rule the sedimentary rocks, of which there are considerable areas in Powell and Cairn, do not hold auriferous veins.

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OPHIR IS WEAK SPOT

Cobalt Issue Sells at Lowest of Year — Newray Distinctly Firmer Among Porcupines.

Further light on the annual report of the Dome Mines appears to afford some explanation of the recent dip in the price of the stock, but evidently the recession has well discounted the statement, as Dome sold yesterday at 7.50 on the Standard exchange, as compared with 7.25 the previous day. The market, in general, was quiet and inclined to be irregular. Newray after being conspicuously among the firmer issues, while Ophir was a noticeably soft spot in the Cobalt list, its closing quotation of 5 1/2 being the lowest of the year to date.

According to a New York despatch, the ore reserves of the Dome mine are estimated to be worth roughly \$10,000,000, the average value of the ore in sight being placed at \$5.10 a ton. The showing is a poor one in comparison with that at the end of the fiscal year on March 31, 1917, the estimated ore reserves at that time being given as about 2,500,000 tons, at an average of \$5.25 per ton, a total of \$13,125,000. The cost of mining and milling at that time was estimated at \$2.70 per ton, or \$4,975,000, leaving a favorable balance of \$8,150,000.

An interesting announcement is made by President DeLamar in the newly issued report as follows: "Since the shut down of the mill on Dec. 1, 1917, only a limited amount of development work was done, for all the good men obtainable were put to work sinking the main shaft, which had reached a depth of 1200 feet on May 20, and should be completed early in June to the desired depth of 1250 feet, when a lateral drift will be started to the dividing line of the Dome and Dome Extension Mines, where, at a depth of 1150 feet, was cut by diamond tests, which was promising as to size and value."

Operations at the Davidson mine continued encouraging, and the stock closed yesterday at 23. Newray at 21 showed a full recovery from the recent depression. McIntyre was actively traded and receded a point to 1.25 with the closing bid 1.24. A more hopeful view of the immediate future of the Schumacher is being taken on the stock sold yesterday at 16. The new survey work, as being better pleased with the conditions, and the last monthly report is considered one of the best of the year. The report that the mine would close down soon is believed to be in error.

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Gold Production Essential

The importance of the gold mines of Canada in the present fight for national existence is not generally appreciated. In fact, by some economists, it has been held that the production of gold in war times is an industry which should be discouraged.

This argument has been refuted satisfactorily on numerous occasions, and the recent Federal order-in-council, prohibiting the export of the precious metal, except under special license from the government, emphasizes the need for greater production of gold.

During the last four years the national debt of Canada has grown to unprecedented proportions, while the gold reserve has not by any means kept pace. In addition, the importation of manufactured and raw products has increased tremendously, particularly from the United States, so that a critical situation with regard to the rate of exchange has resulted. Drastic measures have had to be adopted by the government to remedy the existing high rate of exchange between United States and Canada, chief among which has been the order restricting the importation of many articles from the United States, which in war times are considered as luxuries. Shipments of gold have also been made from Ottawa to offset the unfavorable trade balance.

When it is considered that in the Porcupine Camp alone, among the mines which are on a producing basis, fully equipped with the necessary machinery to turn out gold bullion, there are millions of dollars worth of gold actually blocked out in ore underground waiting to be taken out, and in view of the world-wide demand for gold, it seems strange that the output is allowed to decrease, as has actually occurred. Lack of adequate labor has been the chief cause for such a decrease in production. The advancing prices for supplies has also been a material factor, but this obstacle could be successfully overcome even by the smaller mines if there were sufficient labor at reasonable wages, as the average grade of ore in Porcupine is high as compared to other gold camps on the American continent, and the margin of profit relatively greater.

The last annual statement of the Hollinger Consolidated Mines showed ore reserves of \$40,000,000; the Dome Mine has upwards of \$12,000,000 in ore blocked out; while the McIntyre must have at least \$6,000,000 in gold ore in reserve. These are the three biggest mines of Porcupine, but there are numerous other properties in Porcupine—Kirkland Lake and other camps of Northern Ontario—which have ore blocked out ready to be hoisted and treated, which should bring the total ore reserve to upwards of \$100,000,000. With the large amount of alien labor in the north country, which should be available for this most important industry, there seems to be no reason why greater efforts should not be made to increase the production of gold at the present time.

The efforts of individual mines to speed up production, especially in the case of the Hollinger and the McIntyre, has met with considerable success, but in the process the competition for labor has become more acute, and the foreign miners—who comprise the main source of labor in the camps—have developed an exaggerated idea of their own importance.

Fortunately, a concerted movement is at present on foot among the mine operators to secure some form of supervision over the foreign element on the part of the government, and there seems to be good reason to believe that some action, beneficial to the interests of the producing mines, will result.

The redeeming feature of the situation from the investor's standpoint is the fact that the existing conditions are abnormal; they have grown out of the exigencies of war times and will not be enduring. Prices of the gold securities have shrunk without any regard to intrinsic values, so that when normal times return the appreciation in the market value of these shares will be proportionately great. The leading gold stocks have actual value behind them, in some instances many times the purchase price in the mining market. This fact is fully appreciated by the insiders, and probably at no time in the history of the mining industry were the gold stocks held in such large blocks by strong interests as at the present time.

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PROMISING OUTLOOK

Mining Corporation of Canada Said to Be Buyers of Option.

The Davidson property in the Township of Powell, Matatchewan gold area, has just been placed under option. Weldy Young and Robert McKay, K.C., of Toronto are interested along with Davidson who staked the claim. This property was last winter by Frank Loring, E.M. on behalf of the interests now controlling the mine. No deal was made, but it is understood that the report was favorable. It is, however, said that the price was raised from \$60,000 to \$1,000,000.

The identity of the present optionees has not been disclosed nor the price or terms. It is believed, however, that the Mining Corporation of Canada are the lucky buyers. This property is not as favorably regarded as the best of the recent important developments was discussed thoroughly. It was announced that arrangements had been made to start the sinking of a deep well into the Trenton formation on the company's property, which is the same formation as that in which the Union Company recently made a spectacular strike in West Dover and the work will be proceeded with at once.

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VACUUM OIL COMPANY WILL SINK DEEP WELL

Hopeful View of Future Taken at Yesterday's Annual Meeting.

FEDERAL OIL EARNINGS

New York, June 5.—The Federal Oil Company according to sources close to the company is earning at the rate of about \$60,000 a year after deducting \$24,000 for the special interest on the \$2,000,000 of preferred stock. This is equal to 46 cents a share on the \$7,500,000 outstanding common stock. Deliveries of porcupine Imperial to the Cumberland Pipe Line Company are now running at the rate of 500 barrels a day which brings an income largely net of \$1000 a day.

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QUEBEC POWER IN BETTER DEMAND—TWIN CITY MAKES LOW RECORD.

The Toronto market pursued the even tenor of its way yesterday, dealings which totted up little more than 600 shares being without any particular significance. Resumption of buying of Quebec Light and Power on a moderate scale was the most outstanding incident, the stock advancing a point to 30, but edging off at the close to 29.5. Little interest in taken locally in this issue, and buying was understood to be for Montreal account.

The steel was almost wholly neglected, but showed an inclination to advance, selling a point higher at 64, the stock was later on offered at 63.5 with 68 bid. Dominion Iron, which was trading at 1.4 per cent, was not traded in, but was held at 59.5 with 58.5 bid, as compared with sales the previous day at 59.5. Brantford was a shade firmer at 54.5-55.5, announcement of the passing of the Twin City dividend resulted in the stock making a low record at 2.2 points below the previous low, but the bid strengthened at the close to 40.5 with a point higher asked. A few shares of Toronto Railway sold at the minimum, 58, two points under the level at which sales were made in Montreal yesterday.

The war loans were in somewhat better demand, the second issue showing a firmness at 97.75, while the first and third issues were without change. The day's transactions—Shares, 606; war bonds, \$35,200.

BANKER CHAMPIONS VESTED INTERESTS

K. W. Blackwell Sees Danger in Free Trade Sentiment Among Farmers. Montreal, June 5.—An appeal to the public for fairer treatment to what he called the vested interests was made by K. W. Blackwell, vice-president of the Merchants Bank, who presided at the annual meeting today. He said vested interests must be guarded against the free trader. The fact cannot be overlooked, Mr. Blackwell pointed out, that amongst the agricultural community there are many who are favorable to taking down the tariff bars, in order to cheapen articles that come to their own daily use, without thinking of the consequences. They do not seem to realize that if they discard the present tariff, the result would be a greater share of the taxation must undoubtedly fall upon their own shoulders.

SPECIALTIES STRONG IN MONTREAL MARKET

Woods Manufacturing and Ottawa Power Sell at Highest Prices of Year. Montreal, June 5.—The strength of a couple of specialties and a steady to firm tone in the general list were the principal features of the market for stocks here today. Woods Mill and Ottawa Power both sold at new high prices for the year in response to a light demand. The former at 70 added 1/2 points on transactions in 125 shares, while the latter 30 shares of Ottawa Power were dealt in on a further gain of a point to 85. The gradual rise in Woods has netted a gain of about four points in the past six weeks, with the prospects brightening in view of the light demand prior to the opening of negotiations for purchase by the city.

U. S. BUSINESS FAILURES.

Numbering only 880 and involving \$13,164,672 of liabilities, commercial failures in the United States during May, as reported to R. G. Dun & Co., maintained the highly favorable features which have characterized the insolvency record for a long period, and demonstrated that the economic readjustments arising from war conditions and necessitating many revolutionary changes in trade and industry are being accomplished with a minimum of disturbance.

CANADIAN CAR PROFITS.

Montreal, June 5.—The net profits of the Canada Car and Foundry Company for April, 1918, after payment of bond interest, were the largest in the history of the company, and the surplus earnings for the first seven months of the current fiscal year were over \$2,000,000, exclusive of government war taxes, according to an official circular issued today.

NEW YORK STOCKS LOSE EARLY GAINS

Setback Largely Due to Profit-Taking Invited by the Recent Advance. Public Support is, However, Lacking—Copper Stocks Heavy on Dividend Outlook.

POOLS STILL ACTIVE

New York, June 5.—Stocks opened with a demonstration of strength today, but reacted very generally in the later dealings on moderate offerings. The setback was accepted as a natural result of the recent advance, which invited considerable profit-taking. War news was mostly favorable, but offered little promise of an early passing of the strain along the French front. The submarine shock subsided completely, shipping details playing a better tone than any other group.

The strength of marines, especially the preferred, as an extreme advance of 2 1/2 points, accompanied the news of a special meeting of the directors tomorrow. It is expected that further details of the deal with British interests will then be announced. Coppers developed sudden heaviness in the latter part of the session and reacted 1 to 2 1/2 points. China copper showing marked weakness. The reversal evidently anticipated advance dividend action on some of the properties in the near future.

TWIN-CITY COMMON DIVIDEND IS PASSED

Action Taken Pending Decision on Application for Six-Cent Fare. The directors of the Twin City Rapid Transit Company, while declaring the annual dividend of 1 1/2 per cent on the \$1,000,000 of common stock for the quarter to end June 30, have passed the dividend on the \$2,000,000 common stock.

MINISTER OF FINANCE IS BUSY ON NEW LOAN

Bonds to Be Ready for Delivery at Time of Flotation. Ottawa, June 5.—The minister of finance is giving his attention to the details connected with the next Victory Loan, which, it is thought, will be issued about October or November next. It is his intention this year to have, if possible, the bonds engraved and ready for delivery at the time of the flotation, so that subscribers upon paying in full at any time may receive their securities. This will do away with an immense amount of work connected with the issue and surrender of interim certificates, and will also greatly economize the clerical labor, which in the last issue was very great. The Victory Loan of last fall had to be organized very quickly in order to meet the unexpected demand for large British credits for the purchase of munitions and foodstuffs in Canada. This year the problem is known well in advance and preparations for the issue are already under way.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

London, June 5.—Money, 3 1/2 per cent. Discount rates, short bills, 3 1/2 per cent. Three-month bills, 3 1/2 per cent. Paris, June 5.—Trading was quiet on the bourse today. Three per cent. rent 50 francs for cash. Exchange on London, 27 francs 15 centimes.

TORONTO RAILWAY EARNINGS.

Toronto Railway Company's earnings during May were over \$38,000 greater than in May, 1917, the city's percentage exceeding that of the same month last year by 75.8. The figures: Earnings, Percentage. May, 1917... \$10,869.55 102.06% 98. May, 1918... \$45,777.80 109.75% 57.

FILE NEW TARIFF.

Washington, June 5.—Canadian railroads which asked the interstate commerce commission for permission to increase rates on their lines within the United States to the basis of increased American rates were allowed to file their new tariffs today without investigation.

INCREASE IN DIVIDEND.

Announcement is made of an increase of one per cent in the dividend on Canadian Convertible shares. The increase has been on a four per cent basis, but quarterly dividends of 1 1/4 per cent, payable Aug. 15 to stock of record July 31, was declared yesterday, putting the stock on a five per cent basis.

Record of Yesterday's Markets

Table with columns for New York Stocks, Toronto Stocks, and Montreal Stock Exchange. Lists various stocks and their prices.

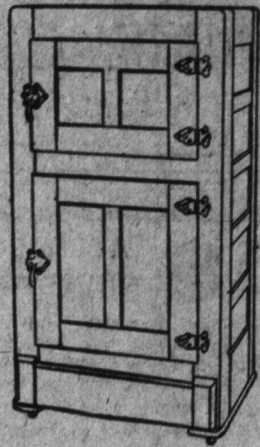
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Buy Your Refrigerator Today and Save



Refrigerator, hardwood, natural finish, galvanized ice and food chamber, movable flues and shelves, \$9.50.

Refrigerator, natural finish case, rounded corners, panel ends, food chamber has white enamel interior, \$14.00.

Refrigerator, selected maple, golden finish, large ice and food chamber, white enamel interior, wire movable shelves, \$15.00.

Refrigerator (illustrated at left), large size, made of hardwood golden finish, all metal shelves, no wood supports, and ice chamber, special locks and trimmings, \$22.50; with white enamel interior, \$25.25.

Refrigerator, solid oak, dull finish, high box, food chamber white enamel, two movable shelves, ice chamber has movable rack and sides, \$33.00.

Refrigerator, solid oak, golden finish, divided food chamber, white enamel interior, special lever locks, 3 movable wire shelves. Price, \$38.00.

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Every yard of the following lines is absolutely guaranteed sun and tub-proof. They come to us direct from the foremost American manufacturer of sunfast draperies.

\$2.50 New Striped Goods, Special at \$1.59 Yard.

New material, linen color ground, with small conventional designed stripes in green, blue and yellow. Especially nice for summer furniture covering, also makes effective curtains and cushions, etc.; 50 inches wide. Regularly \$2.50. Today, yard, \$1.59.

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Imported English Casement Cloth in the most wanted

colorings of pretty greens and browns, all fully 50 inches wide. This material is fine in texture and makes inexpensive yet nice looking hangings for the sun parlor, guaranteed sunfast. Today, per yard, 75c.

Mercerized Casement Cloth at \$1.75 per Yard.

A beautiful collection of popular tones in lightweight casement cloth, having a rich mercerized finish. Choose from rose, old rose, blue,

brown, yellow and green; 50 inches wide; sunfast. Yard, \$1.75.

Silk-finished Crepe Casement at \$2.75.

One of our most effective fabrics for sun-parlor curtains. It has a new crepe weave with a very bright, silky appearance, and is shown in beautiful shades of blue and brown; 50 inches wide; guaranteed sunproof. Yard, \$2.75.

NOW is the Time to Save on Rugs!

Wilton, Velvet, Brussels and Grass Rugs Are Marked Low

Heavy Wilton Rugs—A closely woven and heavy quality Wilton rug suitable for living room, den or hall. Oriental patterns, brown, green and blue colorings. Size 4.6 x 7.6. Today, \$21.00.

Velvet Rugs in Plain Colors—Quite up-to-date, fine quality and woven in one piece in plain shades of grey, green, rose and blue, with plain band and line borders. Size 7.6 x 9.0. Selling today, \$27.75.



Useful Brussels Rugs in small patterns. Hard-wearing Brussels rugs suitable for any room. Size 6.0 x 10.6. Today, \$19.75.

Summer Grass Rugs—Heavy prairie grass and strongly bound, cool, pleasing appearance for bedroom, sunroom or for general purposes. Shades green, brown, blue and rose. Size 8 x 10, today, each, \$9.50; size 6 x 9, today, each, \$6.50.

Green Matting for Veranda—A heavy quality cocoa fibre matting, dyed a dark green shade in fast colors, for sunroom or veranda use. 36 inches wide. Today, per yard, \$1.45.

Reversible Smyrna Rugs—A splendid rug for wear, made reversible from a heavy quality woollen yarn, in mixed shades and mottled effects with plain line borders at each end. Size 2 x 4. Today, \$2.49.

Tourist Trunks \$4.95.

The saving you make will go a long way on fares. Waterproof, canvas covered, stout hardwood slats, large dome brass corner protections, strong lock and bolts, deep tray with covered hat box. Sizes 22, 24 and 26-inch. Regular price up to \$8.00. Today \$4.95.

Matting Suit Cases All edges bound, leather corners, swing handle, brass lock and bolts, linen lined, with pocket. Today, size 24 in., \$3.50; 26 in., \$3.95.

They'll travel fast at that price. Walnut grain, have leather corners, strong locks and catches, with pockets inside. Sizes 16 and 18 in. Regular prices \$2.50 and \$3.75. Today \$2.98.

Mirrors at 29c Special purchase. Size 8 x 10. A good clear glass, framed in 1 1/2-in. polished oak moulding. On sale today 29c. Inexpensive Framed Pictures 19c.

For the summer cottage. A host of good colored pictures. Framed in stained wood mouldings; 1,500. Today 19c.

Two Big Specials!

4-Light Fixtures \$13.95.

With shades, with amber panels and solid brass frames, Flemish finish. Has an 18-inch pan of very pleasing design, as shown. Regularly this outfit is sold at \$15.95. Today, special price, \$13.95. Installation free in city limits.

8-in. Electric Fans, \$9.85.

When old Sol's rays get stinging hot you'll be glad to have a fan in your home or office. Sold late last season for \$14.00, now selling while they last \$9.85. These fans will run on any kind of current (110, 125 volts only), either 25 or 60 cycles, or direct current.

Pictures A Clearaway

ORIGINAL WATER COLORS AND OILS—SOME HALF PRICE.

Beautiful water colors and oil paintings, all handsomely framed. Coming at this season of weddings, the sale suggests gift-giving possibilities.

- One Janzen—Potato Gatherers, reg. \$125.00, for \$75.00.
- One Brunnech—Norway, reg. \$50.00, for \$25.00.
- One Stannard—English Garden, reg. \$25.00, for \$15.00.
- One F. T. Widber—Scotch Moor, reg. \$40.00, for \$20.00.
- One Shannon—Copri, reg. \$40.00, for \$20.00.
- One Tom Bell—Storm Off Irish Coast, reg. \$27.50, for \$15.00.
- One Chavignaud—Gaspé, reg. \$30.00, for \$20.00.
- One Atkinson—Holland, reg. \$25.00, for \$15.00.
- One Sims—Portrait of Girl, reg. \$30.00, for \$15.00.
- One Chavignaud—Gaspé, reg. \$30.00, for \$20.00.

A group of various artists fill up this offer, too numerous to list, ranging from \$5.00 to \$15.00, for \$4.00 to \$8.50.

(Picture Dept., Sixth Floor.)

Custom Tailored Suits to Order \$30

Choose From 75 Imported Suit Lengths



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Note—Orders Must be Placed Thursday or Friday, June 6-7.

Good wools and good dyes are scarcer than ever. But, true to our custom, we offer, at a substantial saving, handsome English worsted and Scotch tweed in beautiful patterns. There are no two alike. They are in grey and brown checks, in two-tone effects, also plain blue and black ground, with white pin stripe and colored stripe combinations, and in a few plain greys and tropical weights. Your choice of these, made to your order from measurements taken on Thursday or Friday, with best trimmings, for \$30.00.

Youths' 'First Long Trousers' Suits

At \$12.50—Single-breasted, 3-button, soft roll sacques, three-quarter belted, military back effect and patch pockets, of a neat black and grey tweed mixture, in sizes 32 to 35. Price, \$12.50.

At \$14.00—The semi-Norfolk, single-breasted, two-button, soft roll, semi-fitted sacque, with sewn-on belt and shoulder straps to waistline, of a smart fawn and grey tweed mixture, in sizes 32 to 35. Price, \$14.00.

At \$15.00—The Trencher, single-breasted, three-button, soft roll sacque, with all around belt and metal buckle, patch pockets, of a neat grey with black stripe tweed, in sizes 32 to 35. Price, \$15.00.

All these lines have well-tailored vests and trousers, the latter finished with belt loops and cuff bottoms.

Youths' Khaki Duck Trousers \$1.50.

Finished with five pockets, belt loops and cuff bottoms, in sizes 26 to 30. Price, \$1.50.

Men's \$1.25 to \$2.00 Summer Underwear 97c

1,300 Suits When the Sale Starts. An average saving of 90c, or anywhere from 28c to \$1.53 on every suit you buy. They're TRU-KNIT Combination "seconds," but skillfully repaired so they will wear satisfactorily. In many instances you'll find that only a slight oil stain puts the garments in "second" class. Choose them in natural or white shades, short or long sleeves, knee or ankle length. It's great underwear to spend the summer in, so get yours while these \$1.25 to \$2.00 combinations are just 97c. Sizes 32 to 44. We cannot promise phone or mail orders.

Men's 65c to \$1.50 Summer Underwear, Shirts and Drawers, 49c Garment.

TRU-KNIT seconds, but they'll give good wear and service. 900 garments in the sale. They come in natural, white, blue and pink shades—balbriggan, porous knit and athletic styles. Sizes 34 to 44. Regularly 65c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50. Today, the garment, 49c.

Boys' Blue Sarge Suits at \$9.45. Values Which Today Are Worth One-third More.

Made in single-breasted, three-button model; novelty pinch-back style, with all-around three-piece belt; regular pockets, with top flaps; full-fitting bloomers, having belt loops, four pockets, expanding knee bands. Sizes 26 to 36, 8 years to 18 years. Today, 8.30 special, \$9.45.

Boys' \$2.25 to \$2.75 Wash Suits \$1.98

All Sizes, but Not in Every Model.

Tan and blue linen; Norfolk style, with white pique collar, grey and white striped galatea, with grey collar and belt. Sizes 2 1/2 to 8 years. Regular \$2.25 and \$2.75. Today, 8.30, \$1.98.

Folding Sulkies \$4.45.



24 only, Steel Frame Sulkies, full collapsible style, 10-inch wheels, with 1/2-inch rubber tires. Special today, \$4.45.

8.30 a.m. Special.

8 Only Imported Models of Baby Carriages Regular \$40.00 to \$50.00, Today \$33.00.

No mail or phone orders. No exchanges or refunds.

8 only, sample models of Baby Carriages, Reed Pullmans and Gondolas, combination reed and wooden bodies; white enamel, cream and grey finishes. Regular \$40.00 to \$50.00. 8.30 a.m. special today, \$33.00.

The Basement Sale Offers Many a Thrifty Saving!

Kitchen Tables \$9.75

With enamelled steel top. Size of top 25 x 41 inches. A very pale blue color. 25 only to sell today, each, \$9.75.

Enamel Tops Only

To put on the kitchen table you have pure white, with blue edges; two sizes, 25 x 41 1/2 and 27 x 40 inches. Today, each, \$6.95.

Oil Cook Stoves

New Perfection Oil Cook Stoves, the improved kind, with glass front and brass burners. 2-burner size, today, \$16.75. 3-burner size, today, \$21.75.

Ice Boxes, \$6.75

Ice Boxes, galvanized steel, watertight ice compartment. Size of box 28 1/2 x 16 x 16 inches. Today \$6.75.

Steel Refrigerators, white enamelled, a very convenient and useful style for summer cottages as well as city use. No. 1 size, 14 x 20 x 35 in., today \$9.75; No. 2 size, 16 x 22 x 40 in., \$12.95.

Folding Porch Gates at \$1.49 and \$2.49

Keep the kiddies on the veranda with one of these folding Porch Gates, made of natural finished varnished wood, in two sizes. Specially priced for today. No. 1 size extends to 4 ft., today \$1.49; No. 2 size extends to 8 ft., \$2.49.

7 Rolls for 27c

10,000 rolls Great West Crepe Toilet Paper. Reg. 5c.

Aluminum Tea Kettles \$1.98

2-quart size, with insert to transform it into a double boiler. A very useful combination. 500 to sell today, each, \$1.98.

Simpson's Palm Room

"Way up on the sixth floor, far from the busy, bustling street, is an ideal place to dine. It is quiet and restful. You'll enjoy the home-like cooking, the efficient service and moderate prices."

Breakfast, 8.30 a.m. to 10.30 a.m.
Lunches a la carte at all hours.
Dinner, 11.30 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Afternoon Tea, 3.30 to 5.30 p.m.

—Sixth Floor.

China Dinner Set 97 Pieces at \$32.50

Beautiful quality, thin translucent clear evenly finished China, dainty new brown trellis and rosebud border decoration, gold line on edges, full gold handles; 97 pieces. An open stock pattern. Specially priced for today, the set, \$32.50.

Covered Stoneware Crocks 56c

For preserving butter, eggs, pickles, etc. No. 3 size, covered. Capacity for packing eggs, 9 to 11 dozen. Today, complete, each, 56c.

Phone Your Order for Fruit Jars MAIN 7941

CROWN JARS	PERFECT SEAL
Pints, doz., \$1.00.	Pints, doz., \$1.20.
Quarts, doz., \$1.20.	Quarts, doz., \$1.30.
1/2-gal. doz., \$1.40.	1/2-gal. doz., \$1.50.
Red Rubber Jar Rings, per doz., 5c.	Metal Rings for Crown Jars, doz., 25c.

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