PROBS Fresh westerly winds; fair and decidedly cold.

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# UMANIANS HALT ON BUZEU LINES FOR DECISIVE BRITISH OPEN BIG BOMBARDMENT OF GERMAN LINES SOUTH **AUSTRIAN MINISTRY'S**

ment is made in a Reuter despatch

Herr Spitzmueller, who has been

sked to form the new Austrian min-

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 13 .- The Mer-

charts and Miners' steamer Powhatan, bound from Norfolk for Providence,

R.I., reported by wireless tonight that forty-six of her passengers and crew had been injured when she was in col-

lision with an unidentified vessel off Thimble Shoals. Chesapeake Bay, and

that the ship had been beached to pre-

Troops for Campaign

Amid Mud.

Feeding and Clothing

Own Soldiers.

(From a Staff Correspondent of The Associated Press).

fall and there was a somewhat gloomy

return to the wintry, weather-beaten

This winter fighting is fraught with

manifold hardships and calls for brav-

ery and determination far above that

clinging, holding mud of the shell plowed battlefields and oftentimes

water-soaked front line trenches.

Make Primeval Wastes.

It is difficult for one who has not

been the theatre of some of the bit-terest struggles of modern warfare to appreciate the conditions which the

entente allies on the western front have overcome and still are conquer-

ing. To drive the Germans from their deeply entrenched and tunneled

positions along many sectors it was necessary for the entente forces to

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GIFTS

dal Cable to The Toronto World. London, Dec. 13.—The Rumanians are lining up on the front of Buzeu-Saringa-Urzitcheni for the purpose of fighting with the aid of the Russians a big battle to arrest the invasion of their country, and if possible, to turn back the tide of Teutons, Bulgarians. and Turks, which is now inundating western Wallachia. The new battle-front is 25 to 35 miles east of Bucharest and military observers say that if the operations are favorable to the allies, it will be another battle of the

Marne.

The first task of the Rumanians was to straighten their flanks and this was done by driving the Germans back in a smart action in the direction of Ploechti Junction. The German advance on the Rumanian right wing was thus held up for several days and this action removed the allies from danger of envelopment, it is said in Petro-trad.

The Rumanians further retarded the enemy south of the high road of Mi-sil-Buzeu, by attacking him and by rearrying a row of villages, but the forces of the enemy were too strong for the weaker Rumanian force allotted to this operation and the Rumanians were obliged, under the powerful attack of the foe, to fall back.

The Rumanians who occupied an advanced position at Tsislau and south of that point were attacked by large forces of the enemy and they are religing to the east.

Foe Nears Buzen.

Regular Troops Clash With were living with just a gas illumination and keeping their at temperatures that would sidered to cause suffering here.

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approaching the Town of Buzeu in aghting their way northeastward. In conjunction with the Rumanian defence the Russians are continuing their advance in the passes of the Carpathians. Their latest success was the capture of a line of trenches south of the Trotus Valley, eight versts south Agusulia, and they also succeeded in repulsing all the Austrian attacks undertaken with the object of regaining the lost heights in this region. In the region south and southwest of Vale Putna the Russians are also continuing their advance in the face of strong hostile resistance. They have also repulsed an Austro-German ofensive in the wooded Carpathians. The Germans meanwhile are attack ing the Russians in eastern Galicia and

#### BREAKING UP OF UNITS IS NOT TO BE AVOIDED

Volhynia, but they are meeting with no

Commanding Officers Are Keenly Disappointed But Cannot Help Situation.

Canadian Associated Press Cable.
London, Dec. 13.—The C.A.P. is authoritatively informed that the breaking up of units of the Canadian force in England by sending drafts as reinforcements to battalions already in France is a military necessity and under existing circumstances at the front cannot well be avoided Costolities have been great and division. stances at the front cannot well be avoided. Casualties have been great and divisions at the front must be kept supplied with men junior officers. Natturally, commanding officers keenly feel disappointment at not being permitted to proceed to the front with their units intact, but, for reasons above stated, senior officers cannot be absorbed here.

will come into its own.

#### A NEW MORNING PAPER IN OTTAWA NEXT MONTH

Free Press and Journal Amalgamate Under Name of Journal-Press After New Year.

Allies Line Up on Front Running Thru Town of Buzeu.

Normal Switch Reporter.

Ottawa, Dec. 13.—An official announcement will be made tomorrow of the amalgamation of The Free Press, one of the Liberal evening papers here, with The Journal, the Constructive paper. There will be a new morning paper, There will be a new morning paper, The Journal will be published as on evening paper as heretofore. P. D. Ross will be in control of both papers with S. Norman Smith as associate editor. Mr. Smith was editor of The Free Press. The new morning paper will be issued on Jan. 2. The political complexity of the press here will be Journal-Press and Evening Journal, independent Conservative; morning and dependent Conservative; morning and evening, Citizen, Independent Liberal.

#### Use of Alcohol in France Will Be Further Restricted

Paris, Dec. 13.—Premier Briand announced to the chamber of deputies today he had decided to ask parlia-ment to enact legislation providing for a further restriction in the consumption of alcoholic beverages thruout

Twenty Men Lose Lives In Explosion in Kansas

Pittsburg, Kansas, Dec. 13.—Twenty men have lost their lives in an ex-plosion in a coal mine at Stone City late today. Mine officials declared 39 men were trapped in the drifts,

Foe Nears Buzeu. Enemy Represents Greek Government as Having Taken Positive Stand.

> Berlin, Dec. 18, via Sayville,—Demands said to have been made by the Greek Government in negotiations with the entente powers are contained in reports received from Athens by way of Sofia, according to the Overseas News Agency. These reports state that the number of Greek reservists voluntarily enlisting in the Service of King Constanting here. service of King Constantine has in-creased and now attained a considerthe News Agency says:
> "In the negotiations of the entente powers with Greece, apparently Eng-land maintains moderate views, while France asks for most reckless mea-

"Greece demands unhampered ac-tion by the Greek Government in old Greece, the return of all railroad lines to Larissa, that all telegraph and tele-phone stations shall be placed in Greek rands, the withdrawal of the entente thoops from Greek soil in the whole district south of Larissa, the restora-tion of confiscated Greek merchant ships, and the abolition of the block-ade against the importation of food. "Greece on her part offers to give an obligation that she will un-dertake no hostilities against the entente. The Greek Government is said to have informed the entente powers, in a firm tone, that it has decided to make no other concessions and to defend the honor and dignity of Greece against arbitrary measures.
"Public opinion in Greece is reported to be so excited that any inconsiderate step or tactless action may set fire to Was Captain in Imperial Regithe powder case."

Adam Beck Intimates ed by Reuter by way of Amsterdans, Strict Measures May Have to Be Adopted.

### WAR TIME NECESSITY

Munition Board Declares Manufacturers Must Get Double Supply

Economy to the point of self-sacrifice, reduction by half of municipal street illumination, and the prohibition of all export of power to the United States, were fereshadowed by Sir Adam Beck last light, as wartime necessary measures for the manufacture of munitions.

The imperial munities board head

The imperial munitions board, headed by the chairman, I. W. Flavelle, had waited on him, said Sir Adam, to had waited on him, said Sir Adam, to urge that double the amount of power should be supplied to munition plants to enable them to comply with the urgent demands for doubled output. Sir Adam had replied that the commission had the machinery for the distribution of power; but that this was uscless without the power to transmit.

wiscless without the power to transmit.

"We are simply up sgainst it," said Sir Adam last night. "It is not a matter of ten, or fifteen thousand horse power, but of sxty thousand." They were cutting of plants right and left and refusing customers by the hundred.

To Save Energy.

In England, said Sir Adam, they were living with just a gas jet for illumination and keeping their houses at temperatures that would be considered to cause suffering here. They

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GO TO PENITENFIARY Three of Steamer Corson Suffer Punishment for Stealing Parcels

By a Staff Reporter. Ottawa, Dec. 13.—It secently became apparent that the parcel post baskets and bags in transit between the United Kingdom and Canda were being tampered with on load of occasions and property of the British Army in France, via London, Dec. 13.—Several hours of glorious December sunshine this morning brought glad relief from a tampered with on poard of ocean steamers and their contents stolen, of aeroplanes and observation ball and a careful watch was set, with the hesult that on arrival of the steamer Corsican at St. John Nov. 25, five daylight had ended leaden clouds had sailors, ranging in age from 17 to 24 years, were arrested, and on being tried, pleaded guilty. Three of these men raye been sentenced to three years each in Dorches er Penitentiary, the other two being a lowed to go on suspended sentence.

## CRIMEAN VETERAN KILLED BY TROLLEY

Chas. Gesner Struck While seen the conditions that apply to a winter advance over ground that has Placing Danger Signs on Repair Work.

# WATCHMAN FOR CITY

ment-Inquest Will Be Held.

Capt. Chas. Gesner, 5 years of age, of 324 George street. C imean veteran, was almost instantly I lied about five THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

A N important decision in regard to the extension of the active theatre of the war has been reached by the French Government, for Premier Briand announced to the chamber of deputies yesterday that the question in the east was far from being settled and that tomorrow there will be a new front which will neutralize the enemy's forces. The premier also said that nowhere have the German successes been decisive. It was true that valorous Rumania has been forced to yield; but its army, supported by that of Russia, will come into its own.

Was almost instantly Filled about five o'clock yesterday at ermoon, when struck by a Parliament car, in charge of Motorman Michael Wulock, 68 Hamilton street, and Conductor J. T. Mawby, 63 Ravina clescent, at the corner of Gerrard and River streets.

Gesner was employed by the city as a watchman on East Gerrard street, where the car tracks are being relaid from River street to the bridge. He was placing danger flars on the road at River and Gerrard, when the car came along and struck him. He was carried along by the cere a distance of sixteen feet.

sixteen feet.

The body was removed to the morgue, where an inquest will be open-The news about the coming opening of a new front in the east to neutralize the forces of the enemy is important. It indicates that the new arena of action will be other than Salonica, for that is an old front. Turkey will probably be attacked at some vulnerable point, in Syria or in Asia Minor. It is probable that the alleged surplus ment, in which he served during the Crimean War. He came to Canada with his regiment in 1866, and had resided here ever since. His wife only Italian army of a million men will be utilized for this operation by the recently recovered from a serious all-allies. Constantinople may again be attacked, or Smyrna may be research recovered from a serious all-ness at the Aged Women's Home.

### selected as the allied objective for use as a base for operations in Prince Henry of Reass

Slain on Russian Front

# NUMBER OF CHAPLAINS More Than Sixty Notified Their Services Are Not

Required. By a Staff Reporter.
Ottawa, Dec. 13.—An order has come

from overseas to the effect that no more chaplains are required for Canadian militia. The militia department is considering which will be retained is considering which will be retained crowley, a detective, and one of the on the strength and which will be let defendants, "sometime after July 4, out. It is understood that over sixty 1315, went to New York to get money chaplains have already been notified from the German consulate" that their services will not be required at the present time.

It has been found that in many cases the chaplains have been valuable rethe chaplains have been valuable re-cruiting officers, and where such is the

#### case the chaplains will be retained. Two British Officers Taken Prisoner With Capt. Blaikie

New York, Dec. 13.-Two passen gers, Major-Gen. Rananshaw, relieved commander of the 27th British divi-Turkey. Kitchener, it is said, recommended landing at this place instead of at the Dardanelles. He also favored Alexandretta as a point of attack over Salonica, and it is said that had his advice been followith the control of attack over Salonica, and it is said that had his advice been followith the control of the Russian battle on Nov. 29 or the Russian Blaikie, captain of the Caledonia, with lowed an offensive from Alexandretta in conjunction with the offensive of Russia a year ago in the Caucasus, would have cut Turkey in two (Continued on Page 2, Columns 1 and 2)

battle on Nov. 29 on the Russian battle, captain of the Overseas News taken prisorer by the submarine which sunk that steamer on Dec. 4, according to a despatch to the Associated Press from Berlin via Sayville.

#### RESIGNATION ACCEPTED Von Koerber Cabinet Was Only in Office for Short Time. London, Dec. 14.—The Austrian Government has resigned. This announce-

signation of the Austrian ministry, aca Vienna despatch receiventrusted Alexander Spitz. East, French Premier's ith the fermation of a new Intimation.

#### WILL BATTLE TO END

nerce and a former director of the Parliament Passes Resolution The ministry of Dr. von Koerber, of Confidence in New which has resigned, succeeded that of Count Karl Stuergkh, who was as-Ministry.

> Paris, Dec. 13.—The chamber of deputies by a vote of 314 to 165 this evening adopted a resolution of confidence in the chamber of Portugal is Helping Allies evening adopted a resolution of conn-dence in the new government.
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> Premier Briand during the session delivered a speech on the German Im-perial Chancellor's peace proposal, in which he warned the country to beware of France's enemies. He added that

try on guard against possible poison-ing, said M. Briand, amid applause. "When a country arms itself to the teeth, when it selzes men everywhere in violation of the laws of nations and enforces labor upon them, I should be guilty if I did not cry out to my coun-try, Look out; take care!'

"I have the right in the first place to say to our enemies for the hundredth time, The blood is on your hands, not clearsightedness of my country but in the face of these attempts to spread dissension among the allies, I exclaim The French Republic will not do less

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#### PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND HUNS IN BAD SHAPE

More Than Three Hundred Thou-Germans Find Difficulty in sand Dollars Loss in Blaze at Summerside.

Charlottetown, P.E.I., Dec. 13.—The worst fire in the history of Summerside swept over that town today and caused nearly twice as much damage as the big fire of 1906, when the residential portion suffered. Today it was the business section, and the damage is estimated at \$325,000, with about \$175,000 insurance, spread out among thirty different companies.

The fire broke out at 6.15 a.m. in the loons aloft and quickened the pulse of

panies.

The fire broke out at 6.15 a.m. in the basement of Sinclair & Stewart's brick department store on Water street and before it was under control at 11.30 a.m. eighteen buildings were destroyed and several gutted.

At 8 o'clock a message for help was sent to Charlottetown and a special train with firemen and apparatus rushed to the scene. They arrived in time to save the eastern portion of the town from destrucscene. They arrived in time to save the eastern portion of the town from destruction. The wind, blowing a gale from the south, then from the west, carried the flames from the waterfront up into the town, and the whole place was at one time three-tanger.

# ordinarily required to face the shot and shell of battle. It is bravery against unceasing attacks of the elements, against the numbing influence of the frost, against the bleak blasts of rain laden winds and against the TO USE DYNAMITE

German Agent Confesses Being Sent by San Francisco Consulate.

#### TRIES IT IN TORONTO

State Witness Says Policeman Scared Him From Railway Yards.

San Francisco, Dec. 13.-Visits to the German consulate in Now York City, in course of his activities as an alleged agent of the German consulate in San Francisco, were described today by Lewis Smith, star witness for the prosecution in the federal government's case against Franz Bopp, German consul-general here, and others accused of conspiracy to blow up ships and railroads in the United States and Canada,

Smith related how he and C. C. "Then I'll go to the ambassador at Washington," Crowley said, according

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#### Borden and Bennett Will Address Moose Jaw Meeting

Moose Jaw. Dec. 13.—Sir Robert Borden and R. B. Bennett will address a mass meeting here on Dec. 19. This city was not included in the original itinerary of the premier, and Mayor

#### MANY WOUNDED MEN TO COME TO CANADA

Several Thousand Soldiers to Undergo Further Treatment on Arrival.

By a Staff Reporter. Ottawa, Dec. 13.-Hitherto the military hospitals commission has only had to deal with soldiers in the convalescent stage. The Canadian author-Important Move Coming in vised the commission to prepare for ities overseas, however, have now advised the commission to prepare for several thousand soldiers still needing active surgical and medical treatment. The commission is actively engaged in this preparation and has already arranged for the care of 1500 such men. They will be sent over in instalments, beginning at once.

A hospital train is being constructed, for the safe and comfortable carriage of these "bed cases" from the Atlantic ports to their destinations inland. The hospital train will run as far as Winnipeg, distributing patients at Montreal, Kingston and Toronto, or its way.

## To Hold Up Greek Vessels

area over which the blockade of Greek shirping applies, and also that the Portuguese Government is co-operating with its allies to make it effective.

British Thoroly Organize than the convention."

The chamber held a large number of Propaganda Set in Motion at Meeting Held in Toronto.

## TOWN DAMAGED BY FIRE DENOUNCE THEIR KING

Will Have Nothing Whatever to Do With Constantine.

Having as its object the raising of a volunteer Greek army in Canada to be formed of Greeks living in this country struction of a new struction of

by the present provisional president to conduct the campaign in America.
They are staying at the McAlpin
Hotel, New York, temporarily.
Neutrality laws will prevent the two ex-ministers from appealing directly in the United States for recruits to the proposed Canadian Greek army, but they propose to tour the States speak-ing in behalf of the cause of Venizelos, hoping that Greeks will voluntarily cross the border and enlist in Canada. After visiting all the important cen-

tres in the States and laying their (Continued on Page 4, Col. 5).

#### NEXT BRITISH MAIL.

After the closing of the British and foreign mail at 6 a.m. today, the next mail to include letters and registered

Bonar Law Will Today Move matter will close as follows: Regula mail at 6 a.m.; first supplementary, 3 p.m.; second supplementary, 6 p.m.

APPEAL IS DISMISSED.

Canadian Associated Press Cable.

London, Dec. 13.—The privy council dismissed the appeal of Ruddy vs. To-ronto Eastern Railway concerning compensation for land compulsorily ac-

HURT BY FALL FROM TROLLEY.

Mrs. Pigeon. 260 Delaware avenue, fell off a Yonge car at Yonge and Bloor streets yesterday afternoon. She was removed to the General Hospital, where she was found to be suffering from minor injuries and shock

BUY CHRISTMAS FURS NOW. Select your Christmas furs early this season. There is no probability of

being cheaper, and there is a present advantage in ... having a more wide- . ly assorted stock to

make a selection from. Of course, new furs are arriv-ing daily from our . workroom, but visitors coming to our

Davidson yesterday communicated with the party and arranged the date. King street west.

Yonge street, and in Hamilton, 20-22 activity follows the opening of negotiations.

Joffre to Be Technical Counsel of Government in Directing War.

#### OLD TITLE RETAINED

But Nivelle and Sarrail Are Independent of Commander-in-Chief.

Paris, Dec. 13.-In conformity with London, Dec. 13.—Lloyds reports that the Carek steamers Effichia Vergetto. Princess Sophia, Mikelis Drisros, and Constantino Embericos, have been designed at St. Vincent, Capt Verdelland against possible poison.

London, Dec. 13.—Lloyds reports that the Carek steamers Efficial Vergetto, Princess Sophia, Mikelis Drisros, and Constantino Embericos, have been designed at St. Vincent, Capt Verdelland against possible poison.

This indicates an extension of the area over which the blockade of Graels shirming.

Another degree declares that the ommander-in-chief of the armies of he north and northeast and of the army of the orient shall exercise command in conformity with the decrees of Oct. 28, 1918, and Dec. 2, 1913, which made the commander-in-chief of the armies in the field responsible directly to the minister of war.

The effect of this decree is to make both General Nivelle and General Sarrail, commander of the entente forces in Macedonia, responsible directly to the war office and independent of the commander-in-chief.

#### PROSPECTS ARE BRIGHT FOR MASONIC CAMPAIGN

Twenty-Six Thousand Raised in First Day, Making Forty-Thousand Total Up to Present.

With yesterday's canvass netting approximately \$26,000, making the total \$40,000, the campaign committee of the volunteer Greek army in Canada to be formed of Greeks living in this country and in the United States to he sent as an expeditionary force to the aid of former Premier Venizelos, a propaganda was set in motion at a meeting of Toronto Greeks last night.

Essides appointing a committee to immediately begin a local campaign, the Greeks, who assembled in a large number at the Greek Church, Jarvis street, selected Nicholas Killismanis, secretary of the Creek brotherhood, "Karteria." to go to New York today and confer with George Kafandaris and N. Aravantines. The latter two are ex-members of Venizelos' cabinet and were sent to the United States

# AT WAR COUNCIL

His Doctor Orders Complete Rest for Day or Two, However.

#### TO REPLY ON TUESDAY

Vote of New Credit.

London, Dec. 13 .- The press bureau issued the following statement to-

"The prime minister presided at a neeting of the war cabinet this merning, but he is still suffering from the chill he contracted, his voice, in particular, being affected. His doctor has ordered complete rest for a day or

Premier Lloyd George will refer to the speech of the German chancellor before the reichstag when he makes his statement in the house of commons on Tuesday of next week. The vote of credit will be moved tomorrow by Andrew Bonar Law, whose remarks will have to do solely with financial matters.

One of the factors which, according to an opinion expressed here, militate against acceptance of the Ger-man proposal is that the opening of regotiations would necessarily be fol-lowed by an armistice. No specific suggestion of an armistice is made in the proposal so far as is indicated by the unofficial reports received, but it is said the precedent of 1866, in the showrooms may shop with more leisure, and not feel hurried, as they might if the usual Christmas rush and of 1870, in the Franco-German negotiations, establishes that an armistre about through. Dineen's, 140 stice and suspension of all military

the interior. Alexandretta forms another good point of attack on

Turkey. Kitchener, it is said, recommended landing at this place in-

\* WAR SUMMARY \*

Education Board Honors British Bombard Foe on Fes-Memory of Man Whose Lovalty Was Questioned.

TO LATE PTE. H. LEE

Management Body Recommends That It Be Placed in Annette St. School.

Chairman Trustee Dr. Steele busied himself with the gavel at the last meeting for 1916 of the management committee of the board of education. and the numerous items on the order paper were dealt with very rapidly when compared with previous meet-

who was the first teacher of the To-ronto Public Schools to lay down his of Sir Douglas Haig's front. commended the erection of a special tablet in Annette Struct School by the board. The staff and pupils have already decided to hang a portrait of Pte Lee in the building. It will be remembered that the late Mr. Lee was chessed with medium. The Germans have fortified themselves, in strong positions but the big gives in strong positions but the big gives in strong positions.

required to ascertain the number of men of military age who attend night classes in the schools.

New Appointment.

In order to alleviate the congestion

at Norway Public School a portable building will be placed there. It had been proposed to send the children to Williamson Road School. J. T. Hughes of Wellesley Public School is recommended as, the new principal of Howard street and his place will be filled by J. W. O. Rogers, assistant principal at Fern Avenue

Provided the members of the board approve, children will have an extra day's holiday this Christmas. Accord-ing to statute the schools should close on Friday, Dec. 22, and reopen on Wednesday, Jan. 3. The committee passed

a recommendation calling for the closing of the schools one day earlier. FIGHTING REPORTED.

Berlin, Dec. 13.—Fighting is in progress between Greek regular troops and the French, the Overseas News Agency

The news agency says the fighting is taking place north of Katerina, about 60 miles southwest of Salonica, and that the Greeks have a force of

The Town of Katerina has been the Greeks, the news agency says, the French line of posi-The Greeks are said to have taken

FIRE IN SCHOOL.

Fire believed to be due to an overheat-ed furnace caused \$50 damage to Pal-merston Avenue School yesterday after-noon and caused the quick exit of the pupils from the building. Assiduous prac-tice of the fire drill stood the pupils in good stead, as they all got out safely and without panic.

passes leading to Rumania.

patrols from their trenches east of Armentieres.

false or at least not to be relied on.

retire towards the east.

\* WAR SUMMARY \*

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

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last spring. The object of opening up a new front would primarily

So far as France is concerned the German offer to discuss peace terms

has been rejected, for Premier Briand took occasion to warn the chamber of deputies and the country to beware of the German proposal. He intimated that France would keep on with the war, and he said that this manoeuvre

was a repetition of former manoeuvres to break up the alliance against Germany. It is probable that this timely declaration of the French premier will

head off President Wilson from attempting to use pressure against the allies.

leans certain that the allied defence will be conducted on a front so close to

for a large accumulation of shells and in the meantime she is pressing for-

The stand made by the Rumanian army east of Ploechti checked the Ger-

Buzeu-Saringa-Urzitcheni. This series of positions is iwenty-five to thirty-five miles east of Bucharest and south of the Mizil-Buzeu highway. What sort

of stand, rear guard or permanent, that will be made on these lines by the Rumanians is not yet known. The allies took the offensive south of the Mizil-

Buzeu high road, captured a line of villages and then they were counter-at-tacked by the enemy and obliged to fall back. A portion of the Rumanian army that attacked the Teutons at Tsislau and south of it was obliged to

out a surprise attack on a German salient north of Four de Paris, in the Argonne, enabling the stormers to destroy hostile mine works and to bring back prisoners. On the part of the Germans, their chief effort was directed

to the bombardment of the French trenches in the sector of Blaches-La-

Maisonnette-Barleux, south of the Somme. The French batteries energetically counter-shelled the artillery of the foe. The British bombarded the German trenches at Neuve Chapelle, Festubert and Ypres, and they drove off hostile

The modifications in the French higher command relieve Gen. Joffre of many onerous duties, including the field command of the northern and northwestern groups of the French armies, and of the supreme command of the forces in Macedonia. Joffre retains the title of commander-in-chief and he

forces in Macedonia. Joure retains the title of commander-in-chief and nebecomes technical adviser of the war office, so that his greater knowledge of war can be utilized to advantage. Gens. Nivelle and Sarrail, commanders of the French northern and northwestern groups of armies, and of the army of the Orient, become virtually independent in their command, for they are

made responsible solely to the war office. In this new system the French

cabinet is endeavoring to the war once. In this new system the French cabinet is endeavoring to do away with the friction that commonly exists among French higher commanders. The vast experience and military skill of Joffre will be still utilized in the interests of France.

In Macedonia snow is impeding operations. The Italians, on the left flank, had a lively experience when they beat off a Bulgarian attack. Germany reports that the Serbians are attacking their foes once more.

The report that the Greek royalist forces are attacking the French at Katerina, sent out by the Wolff Press Bureau, has not been confirmed from any independent or allied source, and it, therefore, may be dismissed as either

is believed by Ottawa to have foundered with all hands while on her way to Bermuda. More than fifty lives are believed lost.

The Canadian torpedo boat Grilse, a fast oil burner, and once a yacht, are at the outposts "defending our

French operations, besides the usual artillery work, consisted of carrying

In Rumania and in the Carpathians the allies are plainly still fighting

be to hold as many of the enemy's forces as possible.

## HOPE IN GERMANY AT GERMAN FRONT

Newspapers Warn Public Against Looking for Immediate Peace.

MAY LAUNCH ATTACK

emy Will Be Assailed North of Arras

tubert-Ypres-Neuve

Chapelle Lines.

**BIG GUNS POUND** 

London, Dec. 13.-The big guns continue to be the chief contestant in the war operations in northern France these days and the infantry is taking a subordinate part. On the British section of the front the German lines in the region of Festubert, Neuve Chapelle, and Ypres, were violently bombarded, according to the despatch

The great artillery actions charged with making pro-German statements, and in order to prove his loyalty he enlisted for overseas service.

Thru an enquiry made by Trustee Dr, Noble, the principals of Jarvis and Harbord Collegiate Institutes will be required to ascertain the number of levels of the Somme. They also raided German trenches near Four de Paris in the Argonne and they destroyed a German mine gallery.

## CALMER VIEW OF PEACE PROPOSALS

British Hostility is Strong, But First Irritation is Passing.

London, Dec. 13.—The German peace proposals made little apparent progress in winning favorable British sentiment during the first 24 hours of the animated discussion on the subject by the public and press. The general trend of this discussion continues highly critical, but there is some indication that the first impulse of irritation will be succeeded by a calmer and more consaryative view in influential political

This disposition not hashily to re-fuse to listen to the proposition is re-flected in the Westminster Gazette, usually classed as a Liberal journal favorable to ex-Premier Asquith, which urges that the German peace move calls for a high degree of British statesmanship and constructive policy.

Meantime, no authoritative expres-

Up to a late hour this evening the foreign office had not received the German proposals, and was unaware whether definite terms had been pre-

ANOTHER YEAR'S WAR

Expert Opinion Believes En-Berlin Opinion is That Entente Powers Will Keep on Trying.

Berlin, Dec. 13, via London.—It cannot be said that the peace offer of Germany has been received with pronounced optimism by the press. There is a decided tone of cantion against expecting immediate peace. While it is admitted that the moment was well chosen for offering peace, in view of Germany's success in Rumania, and her repeated demonstration of the impregnability of her front against France and Russia, the papers express only slight hopes that the entente allies will show a willingness to treat. It is not expected, on the other hand, that the overtures will be rejected outright, without an enquiry being made as to terms. But in view of all the recent utterances and reorganizations of the governments on the side of the entente, it is regarded as highly doubtful whether the allies will be ready to make peace on any terms without trying another year's fighting.

PREMIER INSPECTS NEW HOSPITAL AT EDMONTON

Spends Half Hour in Buildings Before Speaking Twice in Evening.

Edmonton, Alta, Den 18.—Sir Rob-ert Borden spent an interesting half-liour this afternoon inspecting the Strathcona Hospital, which has been turned over intact to the military hos-nitals, commission pitals commission.

The premier spoke briefly to ten soldiers in the wards, congratulating them on their progress toward complete recovery, and emphasizing the great debt the country was under to them.

them.

Two distinct meetings were held tonight, the first in the First Presbytehian Church, and the second in the
McDougall Methodist Church, with a
combined seating capacity of 4000.

Premier, Sifton unfortunately was
out of town. Mr. Bennett invited by
wire Frank Oliver, M.P., to speak in
aid of his campaign of national service, but Mr. Oliver was unable to
consent taking the ground that, as a
member of the parlamentary opposition, it was his function to criticize,
and that he would withhold comment
until he beard the case as set forth
tonight by Premier Borden and Mr.
Bennett.

Mayor Henry presided at the First Presbyterian Church, where Premier Borden spoke first, Others on the plat-form included Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of public works in the proment, the the press, which usually reflects the views of the leading members, is virtually unanimous against negotieties.

## WINTER FIGHTS PROCEED APACE

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blast the earth from above and be-neath them, transforming villages, reads and undulating farm lands into verifable primeval wastes.

But the task of "carrying on" over this ever widening stretch of what once was appropriately called "no man's land," when it lay between the opposing front lines, has been accomplished and the woollens of transport

plished and the problems of transport have been solved more satisfactorily. that ye're guilty o', John, Hoo can ye, a pilanthropist, be sic a bad man at the until now awention is being largely one time? devoted to ameliorating the iron-hard John: Kin you, Preach, tell me how condition of the British troops in the winter fields and trenches. Heavy Heavy 4-dek lojes an' help Humber Smith to sheepskin and leather coats and jack-ets have been issued to the men, and th' town with town lots if he aint got warm and dry rest billets provided for those in the support reserve positions. Best of all, however, Tommy in the front line gets five hot meals daily.

th' town with town lots if he aint got notice of the desire of the powers which have everything to sain and nothing to lose by a premature peace. The manoeuvre seems to have as its front line gets five hot meals daily. an' put in jail fur allowin' them in his There is breakfast at 7, dinner at 12, paper. He aint no good, he aint got no

tea at 5, and soup or stew at 9 and again at 2 o'clock in the morning. to gain time, for the Rumanian resistance to the Teuton advance east of Bucharest has been in the nature of delaying actions. The Germans are approaching Buzeu, thru which a new Rumanian line extends, but it is by no Foe Conditions Bad. From reports received from German prisoners and observations made dur-Bucharest. The German rate of progress is about thirty miles a week. It will gradually slow down as the strength of the allies develops. Russia is waiting ng raids the British have discovered that conditions on the German front are very different. Along most of the ward in the Carpathian passes. Her progress, since she has made her start, has been at a faster rate than the Teuton progress ever was in the mountain new lines formed by the battle of the strain, Preach, not gettin' th' likker ads? Somme the German front trenches are shell holes, with no deep dugouts and had nae idea that there was til be sae only a few improvised hiding holes mickle o' ads o' th' kin' til fill pages man left wing and saved the line of retreat into Moldavia. The Rumanians are now withdrawing farther and their latest line of defence is the front of

where two or three men can take cover from the shrapnel. or he'd, no consented til leave them oot. It British reports from the Somme sec- was all maist providential an we got nane ion say the German communication o' it, Pages an' pages, trenches are impassable from mud and John: See, that's what yuh get in get. the shelling of the British guns, so tin' too gay, yung man. Take it from an that all the carrying of supplies and ole lan'mark that likker ads is better'n the bringing up of reliefs have to take Sandy Klaws; an' it helps th' pore likker place over the open, without cover of any kind. That is why the British men to break even after Hurs' and Role, any kind. That is why the British suns continue to hurl shells back of the German lines in the fog and rain. Often the shells or bombs from the children's mouths. Tell Mack. to put British side throw up fountains of 'em in an' say to the jedge when he's up water high in the air from the Ger- afore him that he didn't know the crop man trenches. There are no floor boards or other trench comforts availwas goin' to be so fat. If Th' Globe an' Th' Tely both put them in an' Billy

able for the Germans owing to the unceasing fire of the British artillery.

Hun Troops Poorly Clad.

Thus far this winter German

Th' Tely both put them in an' Billy didn't we'd stan' a better chanct ov gettin' him in jail over th' Don fur not accommodath' th' advertisin' public! That's prisoners say their troops in the west my mottor-help out th' strugglin' advertiser by takin' sum ov his iron men. have not been supplied with any sheepskin, leather or fur coats. They I'll put anything onto Billy before Jedge have received only woolen vests, body bands and mittens. Normally prison-ers say they are supposed to be in breakin'. the trenches not more than from fourteen to eighteen days, but some divisions lately have remained there forty days and over without relief. The rations consist almost wholly of tinned meat, sausage, herring, dines, rice, rye bread, coffee and min-eral waters. Recently a daily ration of brandy has been served to the men in the front line. For rest the men often are crowded into damp cellars. would be bound to say of the Score's Christmas haberdashery selection, that for unique display, attractive introduction, combination of the useful, the Despite the freedom with which some of the prisoners state the con-

ditions from which they are glad to be

freed all the Germans recently taken

assert that they and all their com-rades are thoroly convinced that they

vindictive aggressors."

**SWISS PERCEIVE** 

Offer has as Object Sowing of Discord Among Entente Allies.

Peace Proposal Note is Presented to Swiss Minister at Rome.

Geneva, via Parls, Dec. 18.-The Swiss Government has transmitted whuskey ads, John; it's baith a mortal sir and awfu' near brakin' th' law o' th' lan' Swiss minister at Rome for presenta-

object the introduction of discord among their peoples. It is also a plever answer to the German Social-Democrats, whose demands for peace

capitals of the Germanic allies, where there was great joy, but anxiety over the probable reply."

WORK OF ENGINEERS It is proposed to secure the active co-

Capt. Mathieson Tells Electrical Contractors of Difficult Operations.

How important the work of the Army Engineers at the front, espe-cially from the standpoint of conservation of man-power, was explained to the electrical contractors of Toionto by Capt. Mathieson, C.E., at a
dinner held last night at the Carls.
Rite Hotel. Capt. Mathieson was 18
months in action with the 2nd Field
Co. of Engineers, first division, and won the Military Cross for good work at the second battle of Ypres and other engagements. Having been wounded. engagements. Having been wounded, he is at present home on sick leave, extached to No. 2 District Headquarters' Instructional Staff as a lecturer

Capt. Mathieson, in his speech last right, emphasized the fact that the private in the Canadian Engineers, known as a sapper, is not, as is sometimes supposed, a man who digs trenches, but has charge of working parties of men from other units in various forms of engineering work at the front. He made it plain that the competent sapper must be a man who can lay out work, and see it is properly done by the working parties. It was quite evident from what Capt. Mathieson said that any man with qualities to join the engineers could go to the front knowing that he would have every opportunity of utilizing his ability and training to the utmost.

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Independent Women Workers

Mrs. L. Harland President of

AGGRESSIVE CAMPAIGN TO OBTAIN MORE MEN

York County Battalion Has Stim-

Independent Women Workers and Looks for Successful Result.

Successful Result.

Following the tour of the County of York, which has been made during the past fortnight by the officers and mene of the 220th Battalion, it is the intention to carry on an aggressive campaign by way of canyassing men personally. The campaign thus far has been for the most part a means of stimulating interest thruout the county and bringing home to the people, the seriousness of the present war. From this standpoint it is felt that great good has been done. Beyond a doubt the many eligible men who have witnessed the world-famous film, "Britialn Prepared," are taking a more serious view of the case than they ever did before, and will get in line during the vigorous campaign to complete the west TORONTO did before, and will get in line during WEST TORONTO MASONS NAME OFFICERS.

light. One of the difficulties that re-cruiters have met with is the high wages paid to munition workers, which Annual Meeting is Held by the Shekinoh Chapter. The annual meeting and election of officers of Shekinoh Chapter N. 138 was conducted last evening in the Masconic Temple, Annette street. The chapter officers are: L. G. Smith, Z.; W. J. Sheppard, I.P.Z.; W. A. Fydell, H.; J. F. McLennan, J.; W. J. Wadsworth, scribe "E."; G. G. Elliott, scribe "N."; J. Marr Jr., P.S.; J. T. Jackson, treasurer; E. C. Tyens and S. A. Ash, auditors; C. Miller, janitor. The subordinate officers will be appointed at the next monthly meeting. attract the young men who would in all probability enlist, from the rural districts into the city. The proposed scheme of cutting down these wages is a most necessary step and one that should be adopted at an early date. A census of each village and township and carefully prepared maps showing the location of each farm, with its size and the number of men employed, are being got ready. 1: is the intention to take about 15 of the WESTON recruiting detail and itinerate thru WELCOME HEROES OF WAR. the county, concentrating their efforts in certain localities which are promis-

Arrangements Are Being Made by Mayor For Big Reception.

the detail, men will be employed who are familiar with each district visited. It is proposed to secure the active cooperation of the press, the war auxiliaries and the representative citizens in this effort. The battalion must be brought up to strength, not only for the credit of the county but also because men are needed now to bring this terrible war to a successful issue. In the present proposal for peace it is Germany that dictates the terms. Un-

In the present proposal for peace it is Germany that dictates the terms. Unless Germany is crushed now the work will have to be done by future Alights From Street Car; is Hit By Motor Car and Injured

When he alighted from and passed behind a Dundas car at the corner of Denison avenue and St. Fatrick street yesterday afternoon, Hymie Barofsky, 117 Denison avenue, was struck by a motor car driven by William H. Cutten of Port Credit. He sustained a badly cut head and leg and was removed to the Western Hospital in the police ambulance. feel confident that the men of York County will answer the call. Only 400 town and township is to be assessed. On Dec. 20, 21 and 22 plans are being

The Annual Meeting South York Liberal-Conservative

Association WILL BE HELD ON Saturday Next, Dec. 16, LABOR TEMPLE, CHURCH ST. at 2.30 p.m. Special speakers will be present address the meeting.

# An Expert's Opinion "Baking Bread at Home Costs More"

We have stated from the beginning that "Baking Bread at Home" was an expensive and needless drudgery. To think that baking at home could compete in price with the of put of a wholesale bake shop is not reasonable. On December 8th one of the Toronto papers published the report of the Graduating Class in Bread-making at the Technical School. In this report the cost per pound of Baking Bread at Home is given as below:

# Cost of Materials Used Per Pound of Bread:

- 4.8 Cents Flour Sugar, Salt, Potato Water .5 Lard Yeast

5.72 Cents Per Pound

In addition to the materials, which make Home-Baked Bread cost 17.16 cents, as compared with 16 cents for Lawrence's Bread, you must add the cost of fuel, which, whether coal or gas, is quite an item say a quarter to a half, a cent a loaf. Then add to that the drudgery of "baking day." Is it worth the bother? The answer is almost unanimous—"NO."

# LAWRENCE'S BREAD

Home-made, Vienna, Raisin Bread, Dutch Brown, Whole Wheat, etc.

Made in excellent quality. The odor and flavor of any of Lawrence's Loaves indicate a highly perfected, superior quality of bread. A trial will convince any skeptic as to whether Lawrence's Bread is equal to the home-baked article. Don't forget to order a trial loaf today. It will pay you and please you.

Order by Telephone-College 321, College 137, College 25

8 Cents for a 24-Ounce Loaf 6 Cents for Three Pound Loaf Tickets for One Dollar

THE MAN WHO PUT DOWN THE PRICE OF BREAD

21-31 CARR STREET



Weelyum was put intil tolbooth-

Hospitles and 4-dek lojes cums high. But

Preach: Ye hae a lot under ye're tow

John: I'm lookin' at yourn, Preach

SCORE'S TOGGERY SHOP.

A man on the outside looking

novel and the gentlemanly in the goods shown there are no superlatives which could overstate the pleasure and de-

light it would be to choose appropriate its for men at "The house that qual-

erin' hat, John.

sacred frontiers against covetous and ity built. R. Score & Son, Ltd., 77

There aint much to it.

INITIATED BY VIENNA

Germany's peace proposal note to the tion to the Italian foreign office.

The Swiss newspapers generally believe there is little hope of the proposal being considered by the entente allies. Saisse of Geneva says: "We will be greatly mistaken if the entente allies do not only refuse to begin convergations but decline to take notice of the desire of the powers which have everything to gain and nothing to lose by a premature peace."

standin' in the church, an' he lives right across th' Don where th' jail is. Leave th' ole lan'marks to get th' korn an' th' are ever increasing. If the allies refuse to discuss peace now, the central powers will audaciously throw respon-Preach: It would be a God's mercy gin for the continuance of the war upon them. John: How's th' Globe itself standin' th' "The peace initiative came from Vienna and is reported to be the work Preach: Th' coontin-hoose is in an somme the German front trenches are merely a broken stretch of linked-up shell holes, with no deep durguts and awfu' rage o'er it. Maister John MacKay came known simultaneously in the four

SHOWS IMPORTANCE OF

on trench warfare to infantry batta-

MOUNT DENNIS HOLD SALE OF WORK.

men are needed. To raise this each

made to show the film, "Britain Fre-pared." at several places in the

vicinity of Newmarket.

ing. By changing the personnel of the detail, men will be employed who are familiar with each district visited.

J. A. Macdonald, H. H. Ball,
President Secretary

\$11.7 \$25.0 mattin zines, at \$3. Utility

Sock and taini Hand day, Me lers, have navy borde box. day, Me diago floral are green blue day, Me silks, and a ends neckt day, Me other ton. Storm closel cardii white grey and a

green (

# we prepay shipping charges on all surfers of \$10,00 or over to your nearest station in Ontario and Eastern Provinces on both Mail Orders and City Purchases. EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

# Furniture Makes a Gift of Perpetual Satisfaction and Service

These Friday Bar. gains Offer You Chances to Save on Desirable Christmas Gifts

Here are some of the most remarkable bargains we have offered in Women's Furs-The prices tell the story! 3 only, Black Fox Scarfs, made

from selected skins, in large, flat animal style, trimmed with head, tail and paws; silk lined. Reg. \$32.50. Friday ..... 25.00 2 only, Black Fox Collars, made from extra selected skins, one style; has choker collar and long fancy ends, trimmed with 2 heads, 2 tails and 6 paws. Other style trimmed with two heads, tail and paws, silk lined. Reg. \$42.50.

large double skin effect, crossed-back, trimmed with head, tail and paws, fronts in reverse, beautifully lined and finished. Reg. \$58.50. Friday ..... 45.00 4 only Black Fox, sample musts to match above scarfs, two large ball style trimmed with heads, tails and paws, 2 large fancy pillow muffs trimmed with heads. tails and paws, down beds, and wrist cords. Reg. \$31.00 and \$35.00. Friday ..... 25.00 5 only Black Fox Sample Muffs, made from extra selected skins, 4 large ball and melon shapes, trimmed with heads, tails and paws; one large pillow style, beautifully lined and finished. Reg. \$44.00,

-Main Floor.

Irish Bleached Linen Damask Table Cloths, in several designs; sizes 2 by 2, 2 by 2 1/2, 2 by 3, 2 1/2 by 21/2, or 21/2 by 3 yards. Friday special, each ..... 3.95 Hemstitched Huckaback Bed-

\$51.00 and \$55.00. Friday, 85.00

room towels, in fine weave; size 20 by 40 inches. Reg. 65c. Fri-with blue or pink stripes; size 16 by 29 inches. Reg. 40c. Fri-

Scarfs of Irish linen, trimmed with torchon lace and have lace insertion. Sizes 30 by 30, 18 by 36, or 18 by 54 inches. \$1.85 to \$2.00. Friday, 1.39

Men's Furnishings

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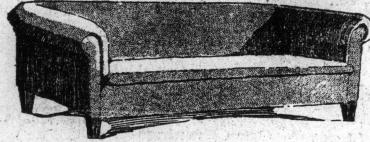
Socks, Silk Necktie, Handkerchief and Cuff Buttons. Also sets containing Leather Belt, Necktie and Handkerchief. Reg. \$1.50. Friday, each set in holiday box, .75 Men's Manufactured Silk Muf-

lers, honeycomb or fancy weave, have fringed ends. White, grey. navy, gold; also white with grey border. Each muffler in holiday box. Reg. \$1.00 to \$1.50. Fri-

Men's Silk Neckties, including diagonals, figured patterns and floral designs, have wide ends and are well sewn. Grey, brown, green, red, heliotrope, navy blue or maroon. Reg. 50c. Fri-

Men's High Quality Necktles of fine

silks, including brocades, floral design and stripes. Large shapes, have wide ends and thin, strong, easy-sliding Men's Sweater Coats, some all-wool, others with a small mixture of cotton. Plain or cardigan stitched, storm or shawl collars, 2 pockets and closely-woven cuffs. Plain grey or cardinal; also green and tan, black and white, grey and cardinal, or black and grey checks. Sizes 38 to 42. Reg. \$3.50 and \$4.00. Friday, each ...... 2.45 And Here Are Specially Selected Pieces That Combine Utility and Here and There in Home Comfort, and Which Represent Some Unusually Good EATON Values--See Special Christmas Display, Second Floor, Furniture Building, James and Albert Streets



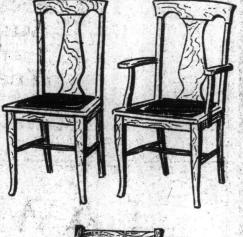
This Handsome Davenport is allover upholstered in rich green denim. It's 6 feet 6 inches in length and has soft, comfortable spring seat. Price ...... 39.00



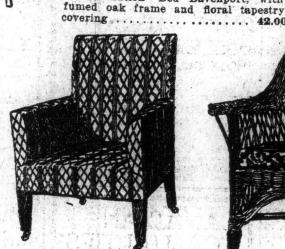
Rocker or Arm Chair, in mahogany finish; a good par-



Artistic Arm Chair, in fumed oak finish. Has loose leather cushion seat. 



A popular gift Chair. Either Arm Chair or Rocker in fumed oak finish, with soft leather seat. Price. 6.50

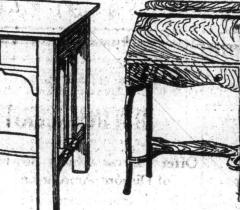


Combination Bed Davenport, with

This comfortable - looking Chair is all over upholstered in plain green denim. Price, 18.50



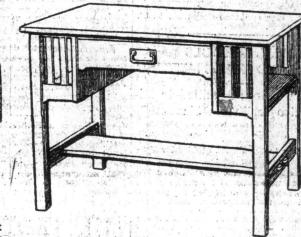
Brown Willow Arm Chair, with loose cushion seat and cushioned back, covered in chintz. Price ..... 11.75



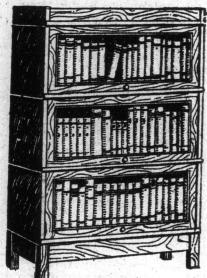
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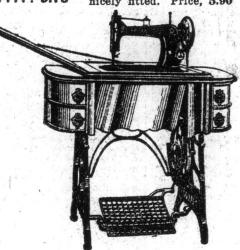
oak finish. Interior is finish, white enamel interior.



Fumed Oak Table, with 42-inch top, book shelf



Globe-Wernicke Sectional Bookcase, 34 inches long. Price, includ-



A gift the family could give to mother. This Golden Oak Sewing Machine, guaranteed for 10 years. Price ...... 27.00



Dining-room Extension Table, in fumed oak, with 44-inch top. It extends to 6 feet. Price ..... 14.50



This Beautiful Buffet in fumed oak with 48-inch top. Price at 31.00 -Furniture Bldg., Cor. James and Albert Sts.

The Universal Bread Mixer would surely make an ideal gift or the housewife who bakes her own bread. It resembles an ordinary pail and has a twisted kneading rod inside which is operated by crank on top of lid. l-loaf size is priced at .... 2.25

The Fifth Floor Christmas Bazaar affords a wealth of sug-gestion in dainty and novel Christmas gifts. The display in-cludes hosts and hosts of interesting and new things gathered from many departments. Quaint and odd China and Pottery, Picture Books, Jewelry, Fascinating Japanese Novelties, Christmas Stocking and Crackers, Handkerchiefs, Calendars, Postcards, Fancy Ribbon Novelties, Toys, Games and a great exhibit of Shells. Sponges, Cameos, Pearls and host of other articles from coral regions of Nassau.

If you want assistance in the selecting of your Christmas gifts -suggestions as to what to give, or help in buying the same-write to the Shopping Service.

If you live in town and wish to telephone, ask for "Shopping Service," or Main 3501.

The latest novelty in Gloves is of interest to motorists. It is a big black winter Gauntlet Giove with a tiny electric bulb on the back, ingeniously connected with a small battery inside the lining. By simply pressing the thumb against the first finger a connection is made and incidentally a brilliant ray of light.

It's an invaluable convenience for motorists and auto deliverymen at night for finding street numbers, locating trouble on car, etc., and for giving hand signals

while driving. The bulb and battery are detachable when gloves are worn in daytime.

Price includes a splendid pair of big, warm, black leather fleece-lined Gauntiet Gloves, bulb and battery. What a spiendic gift for the man who drives a In Glove Department — Main

Have you enough Talking Machine Needles to put you over the order by phone now a box of Diamond Steel Needles. 690 

A book containing fifty-three Christmas Carols for Piano may be purchased at Music Counter in Have you tried the New Tungs-Tone needle for your Victrola? Its unique advantage lies in the fact that it may be used for the playing of about fifty records. Incidentally it produces an excep-

tionally clear, soft tone. price of it is three for 10 cents. Take Lunch in the Grill Room

Friday Served from 11 to 2 Fried Fresh Caught Lake Trout, Lemon Butter Sauce,

Roast Leg of Prize Lamb, with Mint Sauce Mashed or Boiled Potatoes and Carrots in Cream Apple Pie and Ice Cream, or

Vanilla Blanc Mange with Peaches Club Rolls and Butter Pot of Tea or Coffee ... .50 -Fifth Floor.

### Here Are Gifts of Distinction That Any Woman Would Receive With Admiration

Cedar Chests, Beautifully Covered Utility Boxes and Many Other Dainty Christmas Gift Suggestions From the Drapery Department

M ADE of red cedar from Tennessee is the substantial-looking box illustrated below. It is mothproof and damp-proof, thus providing an ideal chest for stowing away furs, linens, woollens, etc. It is equipped with lock and key, and may be had in a size measuring about 36 inches long at \$11.75, and in various other sizes up to the splendid specimen which is 45 inches long and priced at

Qualified to take its place of usefulness in a bedroom or sitting-room is the Utility Box, covered in Japanese matting. It is found invaluable for stowing away innumerable things-blouses, lingerie, linens, papers, magazines, toys, children's wraps, etc., etc. Moreover, it may be had in four sizes, ranging from the box 27 inches long

at \$3.65, to that 45 inches long at \$6.65. Covered with a Dutch blue chintz, patterned delightfully in a Morris-like design of cherry blossoms, is another Utility Box priced at \$4.25. Another Utility Box, with two arms that give it the semblance of a settee. It is covered with a clear jade

green chintz. Price \$8.25. Everything for a comfortable, thorough shoe shine in your own dressing-room or bathroom can be had by a specially constructed box. On the top is a rest for the foot; a trifle below is a tray for polishes, brushes, etc., and in the bottom, space for keeping several pairs of boots or slippers; in mahogany, \$8.50, and in matting, \$4.75. When the sewing is being done in the living-room or bedroom there is no necessity to litter up the chairs and

tables with the materials and appliances thereof, for a cleverly designed little screen offers its services. Suspended from its chintz sides are bags for buttons, a pin-cushion, a needle-book, a shelf to hold scissors, etc., etc., supports for spools, and capacious pockets for the work itself. The frame is of white enamel, filled in with a black and white striped chintz, patterned with pink roses, price \$6.25. Is is also available in chintzes of many other tints and designs at prices ranging



### Practical Gifts for the Home Are These Beautiful Hearth Rugs

Suitable for Almost Any Room or Hall, and Featured Friday at Special Prices, Are the Following.

HEAVY Wilton Hearth Rugs with a deep, close pile of twisted Saxony yarn that will wear for years. Particularly suitable for hall, den and sitting room. They have plain centres in old blue, brown or green, with narrow Persian borders in rich color combinations. Size 27" x 54", special value \$5.25; size 36" x 63", special value \$8.25.

Heavy Axminster Hearth Rugs are shown in a splendid range of designs, reproducing the Kirmanshah, Fereghan, Sarouk, Kazac and Mosoul Oriental styles, as well as some excellent scenic designs. Size 27" x 54", special value \$3.75; size 36" x 63", special value \$5.75.

Axminster Hearth Rugs, tan grounds with medallion design in green, rose, blue and gold; and Oriental designs in Kazac style, tan and brown grounds with figures in blue, rose, cream, black and tan. Suitable for any 

in rich combinations of tan, brown, green, rose and blue. Size 27" x 54". Special low price ...... 4.25 And These Friday Bargains in Floor Coverings

Wilton and Axminster Rugs, in two-tone styles, Oriental patterns, or floral designs, in blue, tan, rose, brown, grey and olive. Size 6 ft. by 9 ft., reg. \$38.50 and \$45.00; size 6 ft. 9 in., by 9 ft., \$42.50; size 6 ft. 9 in., by 10 ft. 6 in., \$41.00; size 9 ft. by 9 ft., \$38.50; size 9 ft. by 10 ft. 6

Heavy Scotch Wool Rugs, with small allover floral or conventional designs, in blue, green, mulberry or grey. Size 10 ft. 6 in. by 12 ft., or 10 ft. 6 in. by 13 ft. 6 in., reg. \$31.50 and \$35.00. Friday, each ..... 15.75

sians, in sizes from 4 ft. by 5 ft. 9 in. to 5 ft. 10 in. by 6 ft. 6 in.; regular \$48.50 to \$65.00. Friday, each. at ...... 32.50



from \$5.00 up. -Fourth Floor,

Although somewhat increased in price owing to the continued high prices of potash, glue and other raw material, are of the usual high standard of quality which has made them famous for twothirds of a century.

## ALWAYS ASK FOR EDDY'S MATCHES

# **ENEMY FORCES TO**

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deputies who desired to witness the friand, instead of reading the declara-tion of the program of the reor-ganized ministry, outlined it ex-temporaneously. The premier said that in secret session most delicate ques-tions had been considered. The So-cialists interrupted the speaker with cries of "No," but Paul Deschanel, president of the chamber, soon suc-ceeded in restoring order. W Brigand ceeded in restorin- order. M. Briand

"The government is ready for all discussions and all explanations." He referred to the adoption by the chamber of a resolution demanding a reorganization in the conduct of the war, the constitution of a war committee and modifications in the high command. He said the war committee would sit permanently and that it would increas the production of war necessities. New Front of Battle.

"No one can say that I have ever een unduly optimistic," said M. Bri-nd. "But today, however, more than ever we must have the conviction that victory is certain.

In a war such as this, in which en tire nations confront each other, deci-sive results cannot be attained rapidly. It is true that the vallant Rumanians have bent under the first shock, but let us examine the facts more closely. The Rumanian army has not been de-Tomorrow a new front of from 250 to 30 miles will be formed down there, for the eastern questin is far from being fighting against Rumania were not held there, you must admit they would be employed on some other front."

#### GUELPH PEOPLE WAGE WAR ON HIGH PRICES

Guelph, Dec. 13.-Food questions generally were discussed at a public meeting in the city hall this afternoon, but particular attention was paid to the high price of potatoes, meat, butter and eggs. price of potatoes, meat, butter and eggs. A resolution was passed calling upon the city council to purchase potatoes in carload lots and sell these to the people at the actual cost price, if the local dealers did not sell them for at least \$2 per bag. Another resolution was passed pledging the people to serve meat at their tables but once a day. Among the other resolutions was one to the effect that not more than 45 cents a pound for butter nor more than 45 cents a dozen for eggs would be paid in the city. This resolution, however, was not carried unanimously, it being pointed out that with the present prevailing prices many would have to do without either of these commodities.

## **ECONOMY IS URGED UPON COMMANDERS**

Military Authorities Take Steps to Prevent Waste of Rations.

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Northern Ontario Battalion Parades Before District Commander.

#### INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS **BOARD HOLDS MEETING**

Forty-Two Boys Admitted to Mi mico Institution Since September.

According to the report of Chester Ferrier, superintendent of the Victoria In-dustrial School, Mimico, submitted at the meeting of the Industrial Schools board in the city hall yesterday, 42 boys were admitted to the institution during the past three months. Of these twenty-four were committed for theft and ten for incorrigibility. Other committals were for burglary, horse stealing, arson, vagrancy and gross indecency. During the three months the attendance at the school increased from 291 to 306. Thirty-four boys were paroled, seven escaped and one was transferred to the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph. Of those who escaped four are known to have enlisted for overseas service and one returned to the school.

Work in the various departments is said to be progressing very favorably, and the addition of two rooms to the school buildings is nearing completion and will be ready for occupation early in Jahuary. William Eck has been appointed associate farmer to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Norris.

The report of the superintendent of the Alexandra Industrial School for girls at East Toronto shows 115 girls in attendance during the months of October and November. Twelve girls were admitted during this period, four from Toronto, two from Owen Sound and one each from Sudbury, Sarnia, Collingwood, Oshawa, Burlington and Chatham. Elight were paroled to good situations.

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Gordon Harris of 406 Perth avenue, an employe at the Willys-Overland Company, was arrested by Acting Detective Hazlewood yesterday, charged with the theft of goods from that company.

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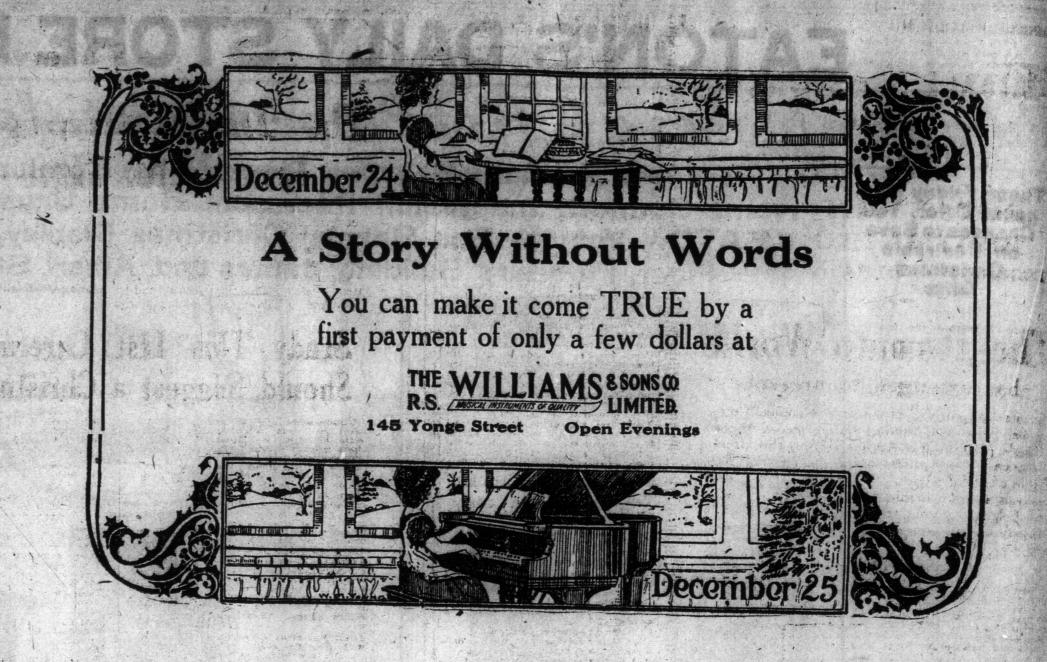
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### CANADIAN **CASUALTIES**

England.
Died of wounds—E. Prockson, nd.
Previously reported dangerously
d, now died of wounds—A.

INFANTRY. Killed in action—Thomas Herlihy, Ireand; S. P. Hodgson, England; H. R. Ieredith, Ireland; Henry Spain, Eng.

Missing, believed killed—R. S. Winslow, England.
Previously reported wounded, now missing—John Graham, England.
Previously reported wounded, now unofficially prisoner of war—E. H. Armitage, England.
Previously reported missing, now prisoner of war—A. R. Reynolds, England.
Wounded—Wm. Anderson, Scotland; Lieut. George Fisher. Sergt. Walter James, P. F. Strother, Acting Corp. Wm. Todd, Englard; Humphrey Wilson, Ireland; Clifford Allen, England; Erick Classen, Sweden; James Lindsay, Scotland.

INFANTRY.

Killed in action—M. O. Clarke, Brechin, Ont.; Sergt' J. C. Cory, Carlyle, Sask.; H. F. Lockwood, Asbestcs, Que.; W. J. McKnight, Yonkers, N.Y.; Aime Marcotte, Lowiston, Me.; 163402, Harry Morris, 100 Sussex avenue, Toronto; Samuel Thompson, Montreal; Robert Powney, Montreal; Co. Sergt.-Major George Redhead, Regina, Sask.

Previously reported wounded, now wounded and missing—N. J. Armstrong, Vancouver; Sydney Bennett, Kerrisdale, B.C.; Armand Berthiaume, Quebec; Adelard Magnan, Weedon, Que.

Previously reported missing, now missing, believed killed—James Stuart, Winninge.

Dangerously ill-Albert Roy, Grand

Dangerously III—Albert Roy, Grand Pabos, Que.
Previously reported missing, now prisoner of war—W. H. Sanford, Walton, N. S.; A. L. Schofield, Black River, N.S. Previously reported missing, now unofficially died whilst prisoner of war—E. B. Saunders, Nicholsville, N.S. Missing, believed killied — Walter Clitheroe, Teeswater, Ont.
Missing, believed prisoner of war—Wm. Apps, Rochester, N.Y. Apps, Rochester, N.Y.

Previously reported wounded, now prisoner of war—W. H. Sweeney, Thoburn, B.C.

Seriously ill—Driver George Kennett, Duncans, B.C.; W. H. Whitmore, Winnipeg.
Previously reported missing, now unofficially prisoner of war, wounded—
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officially prisoner of war, wounded136541, Frank Woodcock, 41 Morley avenue, Toronto.

Wounded—Sgt. D. R. Honeyman, New
Westminster; H. S. Simpson, England;
F. H. Vandecar, London, Ont.; A. A.
Wadden, St. John's, Nfld.: 410017, L. J.
Bateman, 316 Howland avenue, Toronto;
Corp. R. C. Boustead, Mill Cottages, Main
street, Weston, Ont.; T. H. Bussell, Winnipeg; 163294, F. S. Brett, 108 Prescott
avenue, Toronto; Capt. H. P. Coombs,
Simcoe, Ont.; Sgt. Wm. Fitzgerald, Montreal; George Friend, Vancouver; R. A.
Gordon, England: W. A. Hill, Bobcaygeon,
Ont.; Jules Lizotte, Montreal; R. H. Malin, Calgary: 139447, James Matthews, 20
Whitley street, Toronto; 410783, Frank
Rorke, 17 Bowman street, Toronto; W. M.
Townsend, Kingston, Opt.; W. S. Wickens, Bellingham, Wash.; Morris Wisberg,
Montreal; Clinton Young, Stirling, Alta.

MOUNTED RIFLES.

Killed in action—W. J. Brown, Ros-ommon, Mich.; A. R. Dallamore, Mont-eal; H. G. Sunstrom, Kronau, Sask. Previously reported wounded, now miss-ng, believed killed—C. E. Cromwell, lumber Bay, Ont.; 158174, A. R. Rodger, Crocker avenue, Toronto. Wounded—R. R. Hubbard, Boston,

ARTILLERY. . Died-Gunner F. M. Miller, Madoc, Ont. SERVICES.

Dangerously III-Sapper A. W. Hancoc

MEDICAL SERVICES.' Seriously III—H. J. Jones, Windermer

FIRE IN BUSINESS COLLEGE.

Fire from an unknown cause dam-Warsaw, Dec. 13.—Archduke Charles W. H. Guest and occupied by the Empire Business College, to the amount to be regent of Poland, with the prospect of \$1,000 about midnight last night.

## TORPEDO BOAT LOST | GREEKS TO FORM FIFTY MEN PERISH

Grilse, Canadian War Craft, Sank While Bound for Bermuda.

TORONTO MEN VICTIMS

Relief Sent in Response Wireless Appeals Proves Too Late.

of the Canadian torpedo boat Grilse which left Halifax two days ago with a crew of fifty men, has been abandoned. Two of the missing officers, Sub-Lieut. Fry and Walter Trimble, first petty officer, formerly lived in

Toronto,

The following statement has been issued thru the office of the chief press censor for Canada:

"The minister of the naval service regrets to report that it is feared that H. M. Canadian torpedo boat Grilse (Lieut. Walter Wingate, R.N., C.V.R.) (Lieut. Walter Wingate, R.N., C.V.R.) has been lost at sea with all hands.

"The vessel left Halifax at 3 p.m., Dec. 11, for Bermuda. At 4 aim., Dec. 12, a wireless message was received from her stating that a moderate southeast wind was blowing. At 3 p.m., Dec. 12, another wireless message was received stating that owing to the state of the weather she was returning for shelter to Shelburne, N.S. At 7.28 p.m., Dec. 12, she called "S.O.S.," stating her position was lating.

"S.O.S.," stating her position was lati-tude 43 degrees 40' N. longitude, 04 degrees 50' W. At 7.30 p.m., a final message was received "Now sinking." No word has been received of her since. Orders were immediatly given for all available vessals to proceed to her Orders were immediatily given for all available vessels to proceed to her assistance, and endeavors made by wireless telegraphy to inform any vessels at sea in that vicinity. Vessels are now seasoning for any signs sels are now searching for any sign of wreckage.
Missing Officers.

are awaiting further news.

The Grilse was formerly the Winchester, the fastest pleasure craft on this side of the Atlantic, owned by Peter Winchester Rouss of New York. When J. K. L. Ross bought her for the Canadian navy, her elegant fixtures were torn out, and she was fitted with guns and torpedo tubes. She left her United States port on May 28, 1915, and had two "accidents" on the way to Canadian waters. She was a 30-

knot oil-burner. NAMED POLAND'S REGENT.

# **ARMY IN CANADA**

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plan before Greeks there, the two men will come to Toronto and actively engage in recruiting the proposed military force here.

ary force here. tary force here.

The committee selected at the meeting last night to begin today in the immediate recruiting of the Greeks is composed of the following: Eleitherios Dagonas, president of the brotherhood:
Nicholas Kilismanis, secretary of the brotherhood; William Karry, Gus Letros, John Rapoulos and William Merzanis.

Too Late.

Dromised to join the new army, it is declared authoritatively, and besides promising enthusiastic support and active efforts in the work, the Greeks in year the meeting last night superited \$500 sh to be used for enlistment purposes.

The plans of the leaders of the movement provide for free transportation of the Canadian and United States Greeks from this country to Greece.

That the Greek Brotherhood, trongest organization of that nation ality in Toronto, is solidly behind the propaganda is proven in a resolution passed by that body which bitterly denounced and attacked King Constantine who dissolved the Greek Parliament

thereby deposing Venezelos as premier The resolution embodies a clause endorsing recognition by the allied powers of the Venizelos Provisional Government. The resolution in full fol-

"Resolved that we, the Greek Brotherhood Karteria of Toronto, desire to express our endorsation of the policy of the Venizelos government in Greece and our hope that the govern-ments of Great Britain and her allies will recognize that government as the representative of the Greek nation and take some prompt measures to deal with the treachery of Constantine.

"A few days ago the premier of Italy, speaking in the Italian parlia-thent, was reported as saying that the allies do not support any anti-dynastic movement in Greece nor are they trying to force Greece to fight on their side. We wish it made clear that the Venizelists in Greece are first and al-"The list of officers on board the ship at the time is: Lieut. Walter Wingate, R.N., C.V.R.; Sub-Lieut. C. McL. Winsloe, R.N., C.V.R.; Sub-Lieut. R. E. Winsloe, R.N., C.V.R.; Artificer Engineer Robert Wilkinson, R.C.N.; Wirglineer Ro ways a national party, and only op-posed to the reigning dynasty if the national interests demand such oppogineer Robert Wilkinson, R.C.N.; Wireless Operator S. A. McLean and Wireless Operator S. A. McLean and Wireless Operator E. Clement."

The officers named are from the following points: Wingate and Winsloe, British Columbia; Fry, Toronto; Wilkinson and McLean, Newfound Indi. Clement, Hamilton. The crew of 50 were mostly from British Columbia. The Grilse was about 175 feet iong.

Sub-Lieut. Cyril McL. Fry, who is reported lost on the torpedo boat Grilse, was a cousin of Mrs. J. A. Sutherland and the Misses Macdougal of 35 Tranby avenue. He was a resident of Detroit but had been in Toronto for a time earlier in the war. He was first attached to a naval unit, serving in the North Sea, He had to have an operation on his leg, and had crossed the Atlantic several times with convoys of Canadian troopships. His relatives here state that they had received word that the Grilse had been ordered south.

Sub-Lieut. Fry was 28 years of age. Walter Ernest Trimble of 17 Gough avenue was first petty officer on the Grilse, and was formerly on H.M.C.S. Niobe. His wife and two little boys are awaiting further news.

The Grilse was formerly the Winchester, the fastest plegasure creaft on the following points: Wingate and wingate and wingate and wingate and two little boys are awaiting further news.

In Greece to fight the nation's heredit, and ray enemies. But even if it was not anti-dynastic at the beginning. it could now be nothing else after the late unjustified massacre at Athens, and not Venizelos, but Constantine late the beginning. It could now be nothing else after the late unjustified massacre at Athens, and not Venizelos, but Constantine and not Venizelos, but Constantine and not Venizelos, but Constantine and his friends are deling their best to help the Germans and Bulgarians and trying to exterminate the his supporters of Venizelos within the wing on the throne to manage the state when they set if ree after freely shedding their own blood, and even paid him wages, and now when Greece's libearators are fighting for their

"For these reasons we, the Venizelists in Toronto, known as the Greek Brotherhood Karteria and recognized by the Venizelos government, denounce the intriguing King of Greece and declare to the whole world that we will have nothing to do with a king who has raised his hands against our brothers and our liberators; and while thankful to the entente allies for their past protection, we protest to them against their always conciliatory policy to the royalists and entreat them to protect our brothers and their friends, the Venizelists in Athens and elsewhere, where they are in danger. We desire that they should recognize the members of the Greek Brotherhood Karteria as their friends and allies and express the hope that after the latest happenings in Athens the entente allies will give more actual and active recognizion and protection to their sincere

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show that Constantine is the secret enemy of Greece and of the entente allies, while Venizelos is the true friend of both; and in the Venizelists are anti-dynastic or democratic now it is only because they have been compelled to take that stand in the best interests of Greece and the entente allies, who are the true friends of Greece."

Form Organization to Give Support to Moral Reformers

Forming an organization to take steps obtain the unqualified support of candidates for political office on tempercandidates for political office on temperance and other questions of social reform, a large number of citizens of ward six held a meeting in the Howard Park Mcthodist church committee rooms last night. A large committee was appointed to begin immediate action.

Tills committee will make its first report to a general meeting of church representatives on Monday night in the Howard Park Church. The organization, which is expected to assume city-wide proportions, is undenominational. The meeting was based on dissatisfaction with some of the city hall officials.

AUSTRIANS FAIL TO REPORT.

Tony Krogulski, 29 Baldwin street, and Nick Gulch, no permanent address, were arrested yesterday afternoon by Detectives Twigg and Young on a charge of failing to report to the proper authorities as alien enemies. Both men are Austrians.

DOMINION ALLIANCE IS HELPING THE OFFICERS

Committees Organized to Assist in Enforcing Ontario Tem-MUU perance Act.

The field secretaries of the Ontario Branch of the Dominion Alliance have organized, all over the province, confmittees to give any help they can to the officials who are charged with the duty of enforcing the Ontario Temperance Act, and the alliance office," which is keeping in touch with the enforcing work, expresses very high appreciation of the thorogoing manner in which most of these officials are discharging their duties. To a World reporter, F. S. Spence gave, World reporter, r. s. some interesting information concerning the results that have already pennished. He called attention to the obtained. He called attention to the fact that in many cities and towns the police are more watchful and dillethe police are more watchful and dill-gent than before in dealing with drunkenness, and that as a result there has been an increase in the arrests for drunkenness in some border towns such as Windsor, Ningara Falls and others, where many persons cross over the river, procure liquor and are an-rested on their return. With the ox-ception of these border towns, there is a surprisingly large reduction in the arrests.

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St. Andrew's Body Instal Officers Dr. Hastings Cannot Understand -Presentations Made.

The installation of the officers of St. Andrew's Lodge was held in the Masonic Hall, Bay and Richmond streets, on Tuesday evening, and was unique in the fact that three members of the lodge who took part in the ceremony tuted in 1822, ninety-four years ago. R. W. Bro. W. C. Wilkinson, who has R. W. Bro. W. C. Wilkinson, who has been the installing master for many years, was himself on the same night in December, 1875, installed as the worshipful master with R. W. Bro. S. Lovell, senior warden, and R. W. Bro. Geo. Tait as junior warden. These three prefiren, ably asisted by M. W. Bro. John Ross Robertson, M. W. Bro. E. T. John Ross Robertson, M. W. Bro, E. T. Malone, M. W. Bro. W. D. McPhor-son, M. W. Bro. Benjamin Allen, past grand masters; R. W. Bro. H. C. Tug-well, D.D.G.M.; V. W. Bro. A. E. Hagerman, V. W. Bro. C. E. Edmonds, and V. W. Bro. John Pearson, installed and invested the following officers for the incoming year: W. Bro. Wm. Llaw-rence, W. M., W. Bro. Walter J. Bolus, I.P.M., Bro. Capt. W. E. Struthers, I.P.M., Bro. Capt. W. E. Struthers, I.P.M. M.D., 216th Batt. C.E.F., Bro. Willard W. Dunlop, J. W., Bro. Chas. H. Bishop, chaptain, R. W. Bro. W. C. Wilkinson, treas, Bros. J. D. Keachie, secretary, R. E. Patterson, S.D., Jno. B. Hutch-linear, J. D. H. Buthwan McDonald inem, J.D., H. Ruthven McDonald, LG, G. C. Kirby, S. S. Whealey, organist, Geo. E. A. Gilbert, assistant secretary, E. R. Bowles, musical director, James M. Pritchard, tyler, W. Bro. L. J. Clark and Bro. P. L. Fraser,

Two other features of the occasion were the presence of two members of the lodge who celebrated their fliftieth year in Masonry, Bro. Chas. E. Butt, born in Toronto Sept. 23rd, 1841. The occasion was recognized by the members by the presentation of a beautiful gold-headed cane, inscribed "To Bro. Chas. E. Butt, commemorating fifty years' membership in St. Andrew's Lodge, A.F. & A.M. No. 16, G.R.C. R W. Bro. Wm. Rea, who in his earlier days with his family resided in Toronto, and received his education at the old Model School, later moving to Ottawa, and was for thirty-three years secretary-treasurer of the board of education of that city, retiring in 1909. Bro. Rea joined St. Andrew's Lodge on his return to Toronto, and the worshipful master, at the request of the breth-ren of the Builders' Lodge, Ottawa bresented, on their behalf, a beautiful sold locket suitably engraved commemorating his golden jubilee in Masonry. After the ceremony of installation the newly installed master, W. Bro. Lawrence, presented to the retiring worshipful master, Bro. Bolus, the disinguishing jewel of the past master. Another presentation was made to R. W. Bro. Wilkinson, installing master no was the recipient of a beautiful basket of roses for Mrs. Wilkinson.

#### TRANSFERRED TO TORONTO.

Vancouver, Dec. 13 .- Basil S. Daraccountant of the Bank of Montreal in this city, has been promoted to be assistant manager of the bank's Toronto office.

## **DEMURRAGE RATES** NOT YET SETTLED

Coal Dealers and Lumbermen Object to New Charges.

MEET RAILWAY BOARD

Also Protest Against Reduction in Time for Unloading.

The Dominion Railway Board yesterday morning reserved judgment on the demurrage question in regard to the coal dealers and lumbernnen, an agreement having been reached by all other classes of shippers and the railways that the new scale to come into effect on Dec. 20 and remain until May 1, 1917, should be as follows: 48 fours five time, beginning at 7 c'clock in the morning, 24 hours for the payment of charges and the passing of customs, and the following rates of demurrage at the expiration of this time: first and second day, \$1; third day, \$3: fourth, and subsequent days, \$5. The railways had asked for a flat rate of \$4 on each day after a free time allowage of the bourse of the surrage of the bourse of the surrage of the surrag \$5. The railways had asked for a flat rate of \$4 on each day after a free time allowance of 48 hours, ccal, coke, lumber, and lime, which now have 24 hours extra free time, to be includ-

d.

H. A. Harrington, secretary of the Retailers' Association, registered a strong protest to the change from 96 to 72 hours for unloading cars of coal. The lumbernen also objected to any reduction in the time for unloading. Mr. Harrington said that it was impossible to unload the cars in the time stated because of the scarcity of labor in Toronto, and that labor, which was obtainable, had to be divided between unloading the cars and meeting the deliveries.

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Won't Agree to Reduction.

Mr. Wash, secretary of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, pointed out that lumbownen could not agree to a duction from 96 hours, but had waivthat lumbownen could not agree to a reduction from 96/hours, but had waived all other differences and objections. They insisted on having that much time for unloading. J. B. Reid stated that the inllways were asking the lumbormen an impossibility when granting only 48 free hours. On being questioned if the \$1 per day demurrage charges after the 48 free hours were a serious objection to him its replied that that amounted to a large sum ir time and he seriously objected to the men the railways sent around to collect the money. Another reason the men the railways sant around to collect the money. Another reason why he wanted 72 hours was because of the bad conditions of the G.T.R. tracks in wet weather.

A. H. Campbell, of the Montreal Box Makers' Company, accused the railways of delay in shipping cars and said the consequent demurrage charges had to be paid. It was not the fault of the consignee. He spoke of the handicap the new rates would be to the many mill owners who were miles from the station in Quebec.

Others contributing to the discus-

miles from the station in Quebec.
Others contributing to the discussion were Mr. Patterson, E. E. Bell, of the C. A. Wilson & Co., Mr. Long, of Hamilton; C. H. Lown, of the Imperial Oil Co. The latter said that his company was quite willing to pay \$5 a day demurrage if it only had an assurance that the necessary supply of empty tanks could be obtained. SAYS BOARD OF HEALTH

At the afternoon session, judgment was reserved on the question whether railway companies be required to show why the rule in commodity tariffs filed in conformity with the judgment in the Festern Pates Case also Government.

If s filed in conformity with the judgment in the Eastern Rates Case, also Rule No. 3, of the Canadian Freight Association, West Bound Transcontinental Tariff No. 1, should not be disallowed. These Marshall, manager of oleomargarine in his opinion, was more oleomargarine, in his opinion, was more the traffic department, board of trade, and J. E. Walsh, of the Canadian Mannutritious than lots of butter at present being consumed. "It is made from ufacturers' Association, argued in nothing but the purest of animal oils," favor of the disallowance of the new were themselves installed forty-one years ago in this the mother lodge of Masonry of this district, being insticomposition. That is untrue. I canand particularly his own business, the not understand why the government prohibits its sale. It would cost the people about one-half the price of the control of the to relieve the embargo on Grand Trunk cars entering Canada by the suspension bridge at Niagara Falls, from the New York Central lines. This embargo, he said, went into force on Dec. 1, and is still on. In fact, he had been informed by Mr. Snider, assistant coal treffic manager of the New York. Controller Cameron: "That's easily Dr. Hastings, in answer to Chairman Risk's question, stated that margarine tasted almost exactly the same In fact, he said, the danger was that

traffic manager of the New York Cen-tral lines that there was more conoleomargarine could be sold for a gestion now than ten days ago. He declared that 150 cars of coal would never reach their destination in this-city. Mr Duval, superintendent car service bureau of the G.T.R., said that the greatest possible efforts were bethe greatest possible efforts were being put forth to relieve the congestion and he hoped that all would be cleaned up this week. The accumula-tion was reduced in the last week or ten days by 1000 cars. Mr. Bell was given instructions that if relief were not obtained he should telegraph the board on Saturday, when further ac-tion would be taken.

COAL SITUATION SERIOUS.

We are, therefore, featuring a heavy winter overcoat, at \$30.00, which is fin-A. Leslie, general manager of the Lake Eric Coal Co., told the board of ished in every way in keeping with Score's standard. Come and see. the serious situation of the coal sup-ply in points west of Foronto. He complained of the lack of Grand Trunk

## Was Completely Laid Up With Severe Case of Piles

Sworn Statement From a Man Who Has Unbounded Confidence in Dr. Chase's Ointment.

There is no longer any debate as to the best treatment for itching, bleeding or protruding piles. But since about one person in every four suffers more or less from this annoying ailment it is necessary to keep on telling people about Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Mr. Wm. Shaw, Island Brook, Que writes: "I am writing this to let you writes: "I am writing this to let you writes: "I am writing this to let you or less for years with protruding piles and flast winter I got so bad, I was completely aid up with them. I want to our local storekeeper and asked him if he had anything that was good for piles, and he recommended Dr. Chase's Ointment. I purchased a lox and took it home and used it according to directions, and for over one year I have not besn troubled rith piles. I had tried other remedies before, but they only gave me temperary relief, and that one box of your Ointment, 60c a box, all dealers, or light ment did more for me shan at the later of the best remedy for piles. I had tried other remedies before, but they only gave me temperary relief, and that one box of your Ointment, 60c a box, all dealers, or light ment did more for me shan at the later of the page.

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cars to carry soft coal to the manuacturers, and declared that 20,000 tons of coal was held up on Rondean because of the scarcity of cars. At the conclusion of the hearing the G.T.R. and C.P.R. both promised to supply five cars a day for the purpose of shipping coal from Rondeau. Mr. Duval, superintendent of car service for the Grand Trunk, informed the board that they had only 14 days' supply of coal on the Ontario lines, and that if a severe snowstorm came they would not have enough for their own loco-

## **REDUCE STREET** LIGHTS BY HALF

(Continued From Page 1.)

were doing it that all the energy saved might go into munitions. In Canada, houses were blazing with light and shops dazzling with Christmus illu-

The shortage of power was discussed at length in the hydros commissioners' meeting and an urgent tele-gram was sent to Hon. Mr. Patenaude, minister of inland revenue at Ottawa, before whom was held the recent investigation into the situation between the hydro and the Canadian Power Company. He replied yesterday in a telegram which promised immediate ac-tion by the Dominion Government. Previous communications from the commission have laid before the Do-minion authorities the drastic need for

speedy decision.

Asked if the 15,000 h.p. which the commission claim should be supplied by the Canadian Nagara Power Company, this year, would relieve the ritu-ation, Sir Adam replied that the need was far greater now than could be

was far greater now than could be met in that way. Far more stringent measures were necessary. The export of Canadian power was simply feeding the "power bugs" in the United States, said he.

Plants Need Supply.

In the past they had been cutting off from industries to keep the municipalities supplied. Sir Adam intimated last night that this policy might have to be reversed and the municipalities might be called upon to give up light that munition plants might ip light that munition plants might have the power for which they stand

dire need. While Sir Adam did not say so, it is believed that this course of action was urged upon him by the munitions board. It is believed that Sir Adam, in return, solicited the co-operation of the board in securing action by the Dominion authorities to shut off the export of all power to the United States that it might be used in Canada for the manufacture of shells.

BEEKEEPERS DINE.

Approximately 120 members of the Ontario Beekeepers' Association were present last night at the banquet held in the Carls-Rite Hotel. The event days' convention of that organization.

Army and Navy Veterans Hold Annual Election of Officers

The annual meeting of His Majesty's Army and Navy Veterans was held in Occident Hall last evening. Quite a gathering of the old and new veterans was present. The report respecting those on the "firing line" showed that 45 veterans who had already "done their bit" and were fit for further service had again joined the colors. Three of these had been killed, 14 wounded, 1 prisoner of war, 4 invalided home, remainder still on duty. A number of returned soldiers were initiated. The officers elected for 1917 were:

Hon. president, Capt. H. S. Walker, late 13th Hussars; hon. vice-presidents, Hon. Lt.-Col. Herbert Cox, Hon. Lt. lins: vice-president, Quartermaster S. Sawyer, E. A. L'Estrang; auditors: T. W. Chiddinton, H. Algar; sick committee: A. J. Bennett, J. Brown, Chas. Bolton: marshal, W. P. Bull (returned



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J. Porter, W. J. Elliott (returned soldier); inside sentry, E. Ludford; outside sentry, Comrade Crowhurst; exceptive committee: the officers of ecutive committee: the officers of the association and Comrades Austerbury (returned soldier), Lloyd Tellett (re-turned soldier), Kirkpatrick and Cans-

MIGHT-GIVE A BONUS.

Montreal, Dec. 12.—A broker stated here today that the Dominion Steel Corporation might give a Christmas bonus to its shareholders, and that a dividend would be considered in March

FEW MONTREAL RECRUITS. Montreal, Dec. 13.-Capt. Ruper

Guinness, in an address before the Canadian Club here today, said that so far Montreal, tho a seaport, had pro duced only 32 recruits for the Royal Navy, whereas Winnipeg, 1000 miles from the nearest ocean port, had give

PREMIER NOT ILL. Premier Hearst is not ill.

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THURSDAY MORNING, DEC. 14.

"World Power or Smash!"

There is a satisfactory unanimity in the press comments on the German proposals for peace. Except by the pro-German press in the United States, which is probably subsidized, the proposals are not taken seriously as bona fide suggestions. A frequent commen is that they are intended to manoeuvre the entente allies into a position of apparent wilful bloodshedding, when the peaceful and innocent German Kaiser wished to end it. There can be no delusions about this in the mind of any who have followed the course of events for the last three years. Some native Germans may accept it, but not

But there can be no doubt that the peace offers were intended for home consumption in Germany, nor that they were inspired by the pressure put upon the government there by a hungermaddened populace. Germany is getting ready for a revolution and the peace proposals are the notable indicartion of this fact. It may suit the Affi-Highest in Germany to think that his people can be fooled by proposals ace made to an unbeaten enemy. but the flat rejection of his proposals will prove to be a demonstration for the German people that their enemies are not defeated nor dreaming of peace at present. The one definite essential of peace has not been touched upon in the peace proposals. That essential is the elimination of Hohenzollernism from the affairs of Europe. Not only 's there no suggestion of this indispensable condition in the peace proposals, but there are actually demands that Hohenzollernism shall be bolstered up

more strongly than ever. A thousand voices of the greatest men of Christendom have been raised to protest against the continuation of birth. The people know little about it; shall be distributed during the war to the Prussian blood-thirst with its iron it is complicated by the zone system, despotism, and the cruel necessity it and the rates are extremely high. No imposes on neighboring nations to com- effort has ever been made to get any pete with it and rival it in armaments and military and naval forces. It is to panies. If the zones were enlarged, end this that the war is being fought, if the rates were reduced, if many of and Germany's peace proposals include the restrictions placed upon the size to each clurch. The sum of \$10,000 is to go to Bobcaygeon "to be used diabolical system. Ill-informed peace" we have no doubt the system would the community spiritually." agitators declare that it is unchristian to reject peace proposals at this time, but it would be far more unchristian of the farmers in Canada as it has been to leave Belgium weltering in her blood and raided by ruthless slave-drivers, and Serbia, Poland and Rumania desolated under the German policy of conquest. If it be the spirit of Christianity farmers' institutes, and other places. to protect the weak then it is right and imperative to reject these pro-

Nor do the entente allies look forward are fighting so that popular government, in Lincoln's phrase, shall not perish from the earth. The German paid to the courier.

We notes and even money orders. An ometation special doing such work should receive about double the compensation now must be used for God only."

Pays Damages. leaders are fighting so that it shall perish from the earth and their own military tyranny take its place. There is no other choice for a Christian who believes in popular government than to fight on,

The happiest aspect of the situation created by the peace proposals is touched upon by the editor of The Paris Matin, now in New York. It will be a revelation to the German people as a whole when they learn that the 'we. feated" allies have flatly rejected the proposals for peace. Germany will then begin to learn something of the true state of the case. Two years ago, after a quarter of a century of preparation, Germany started out to overrun Europe with the national motto, "World Power or Smash." No one else but Germany was ready for a world-war, and Germany made many advances. But she was halted at the Marne and she found

The Toronto World Russia more than she had counted upon. Now, after two years, the entente allies are becoming prepared and the Germans would like to make peace. But it cannot be so yet.

The Kaiser has made a bed and he must lie on it. The German people have been willing to listen to his preposterous boastings and assertions They are now beginning to realize what a mockery his will-to-power means for them. Four millions of them are dead, wounded, imprisoned, and the rest of the seventy millions are starving in a slavery which is hopeless because it rests on the enslavement of others. When these German prodigals come to themselves, weary of the husks that their swineherd has provided for them, they may learn that. there is food enough and to spare under a more, beneficent system than that which desired "World Power or Smash." They have come to smash, and however long the end may be delayed every day must bring a fuller consciousness of it home to the German nation. When they determine to rise, as other downtrodden nations have risen, and throw off the chains of Hohenzollern tyranny, they will find peace a less difficult thing to negotiate than Kaiser Wilhelm ever

#### R., F. D. Couriers Demand a Decent Wage.

Editor World: I am another one glad to see you are trying to do something for the most oppressed of all men in the government em-ploy, the rural mail man. I don't think most people know the case think most people know the case as it really is, or there would be more said in their behalf. Perhaps in the near future our poli-tical speakers will be telling the people what great things they have done for them in giving them rural free delivery. We must admit it is a blessing to every farmer, but if a groan is heard in the audience it will be from a poor rural mail courier. Will they be able, Mr. Editor, to figure how a man can live in these times on \$480 per year and \$1 per box, say \$520, and keep a horse, and sometimes two, and oats at 75c and hay at \$12.00, and everything else in proportion? You may ask, what did he take it for? Some made a mistake; others ex-pected a raise when the parcel post came (as every other department got); but now they have got to serve out their weary four years and not kick or it is up to their bondsmen (of which I happen to be one). If the rural mail system is a success, and we believe it is, a fair price should be paid the employes, or cut it out. Compare the price paid here and on the Ameri-can side. Now, Mr. Editor, try and do what you can to help at least the short route man who has just as much expense as the longer

Our correspondent puts the case for the rural mail courier in a way that people of Canada. The postoffice department has never been so well able to pay as at present, with annual sur-

pluses running up into the millions. Two excuses are offered by the govniggardly. One is the expense of main- 24 last, leaving an estate valued at taining the small country postoffices, localities where their work is or could be done for them by the R. F. D. system. The other is that the parcel post service has been a disappointment as a revenue producer.

The truth is, the parcel post has been more or less chloroformed from its business away from the express compay, and pay well. The parcel post has not been brought to the attention brought to the attention of the farmers in the United States, where the government has spent enormous sums

We are often told that the government ought to nationalize all the railways, which would mean taking over
passenger, freight and express busithousand as a fund is to be used in
localize the description of the property of the second of the se to the future with any perturbation. ness. Might it not be well to begin lending to deserving people, men or lit may be hard and bitter to face an- at once with the express business? The women, to buy small homes or farms. other year's warfare, but it will not be R. F. D. courier should be authorized so hard nor so bitter as it would be not only to collect and deliver parcels to continue to maintain great armies but to deliver them C. O. D. He should and navies, and to train the children be supplied with postage stamps and of the world to meet the war of conwe see no reason why he should not the truth as revealed in the Bible and quest for which Germany would be authorized to issue and pay postal which has been unlocked thru the repromptly set about organizing. We notes and even money orders. An offi-

#### HONORED SOLDIER MISSING.

St. Thomas, Ont., Dec. 13.—Pte. R. H. Burgus of Talbotville, who enlisted and went overseas with the 18th Battalion, is

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ligh Court to Construe Unusual Will of Miss Mary

rightful beneficiaries under the will of Miss Mary Helen Orr of Bobcayernment for paying the couriers so geen, who died in Toronto en June \$201,599.20, the matter will be brought which are being continued in many up in the high court at Osgoode Hall. Miss Orr made no personal legacies. most of the moncy being left for the promotion of "uplift." Probate has been granted to G. S. Haddock of Boston, and Alfred Farlow of Los Angeles. Christian Science practitioners, and to William C. Moore of Bobcaygeon, on any beneficiary or creditor who is an

alien enemy.

Ten thousand dollars is bequeathed to the Mother Church at Boston, for the spreading of the truth and a sin-ilar amount is to be used in encouraging those building Christian Science churches, from \$100 to \$300 to be given

The following is the concluding clause of the will:

All for Uplift. "Fifty thousand will be held as a fund towards helping to supply such institutions as may in the near future be demonstrated to show that in demonstration work at county fairs, to see the light that is so real, near and universal for all who will receive. These institutions may take the place of what are at present called hos-This money can be lent at 6 per cent. or whatever is lawful on good security. The profits accruing can be utilized as said before, in such work as is helpful to men and women who

velation as given in 'Science and Health'

By the terms of a settlement ratified yesterday morning by Mr. Justice Sutherland the Kerr Lake Mining Company will pay \$500 damages went overseas with the 18th Battalion, is whose home was in Geneva, N.Y., was a shareholder of the Kerr Lake Comwas received here today. Pte. Burgus a shareholder of the Kerr Lake Company. While inspecting the property last July, a blact went off and he and his guide, W. S. Eldridge, were

Suit was brought by the dead man's tion the receiver of the one-eighth in-terest held by Isaiah W. Kinzle in the estate of his father, the late Jacob D. Kinzle, of Waterleo Tewnship, Isaiah Kinzle, who lives at Success, Saghetahawan over the corporation

will serve in the appellate division. Mr. Forguson being appointed to the first, and Mr. Rose to the second di-

Military and Matonic Honors

Belleville, Dec. 13.—With full mili-tary and Masonic honors the remains of the late Lieut. William C. McGinnis H. Orr.

of the late Lieut. William C. McGinnis of this city were this afternoon interred in Belleville Cemetery. The bands of the 285th and 254th Battalions were in attendance, and a firing party from the 285th Battalion fired the volley over the grave. Officers were present from both battalions, also officers to represent the Canadian Engineers, of which the officer was a member. The pallbearers were three officers from the two battalions represented at the funeral.

Supposed Million Dollars Buried Forms Inducement for the two battalions represented at the funeral.

## In order to determine who are the MEN WHO COUNT IN GREAT STRUGGLE

Will Be Seen in Wonderful figure in the Quebec district. The count, as he was called, went to France War Picture at Strand Theatre.

SHOWN NEXT WEEK

King's Visit to His Armies Presented by The Toronto World.

In the greatest and most remarkable historical film. "The King Visits Ilis Armies in the Great Advance." which will be shown under the auspices of The Toronto Daily World from Dec. 18 to Dec. 23, inclusive, at the Strand Theatre, there is not only a record of events but it discloses the spirit, the very germ of vitality which knits together this huge force of fighting men to crush tyranny.

The World can be proud of this film No epic poem ever rol'ed in majestic hythm like this paean of praise for an ally's stern resolve. No man can now gairsay that the motion picture camera is the supreme means by which ideas and records can be furnished to in St. James' Cemetery. The funeral the people. There is the story of the took place from St. James' Cathedral, colossal struggle told in this latest film. All the forces that are concennim. All the forces that are concentrated upon the western front have Queen's Own Regiment, and Canon continued. "I asked a man at a quarry now been recorded for the screen. Two great countries are pictured in

all their mighty grandeur in the sternest resolve they ever whipped their energies to perform. Featuring in this greatest film of modern times are the men who count—the men who will make success possible and victory a certainty, and the medium that golden seal has been set upon motion photography and the motion picture

#### Call Upon Federal Government To Adopt Form of Conscription

Chatham, Dec. 13.-At a meeting o of the presbytery of Chatham, held in Q.O.R. and 216th Bantams Battalion. St. Andrew's Church last night, it was Major A. E. Murdoch of the 9th M.H. moved and unanimously agreed that Suit was brought by the dead man's mother for \$25,000 and in defence, the romany claimed it owed no duty to Foote, who knew the mine was being government should adopt some method who knew the mine was being of conscription to meet the waste of operated in the usual way. Mr. Justice Sutherland continued the crder of Judge Hanning of Kitchener, making the Toronto General Trusts Corporation to meet the waste of conscription to meet the waste of conscrip a mighty struggle to maintain the prin ciple of right and justice to all na tions, whether great or small."

LEFT FOR FRANCE.

# STIRS UP QUEBEC

Desecration Case in Montmagny County Arouses

cited over the desecration of a grave of Madam Carbonneau in the Ceme-try of St. Paul, County Montmagny. Some years ago, a person named Charles Emile Carbonneau cut a great the Quebec district. The and sold shares in Brazilian Railway, which it appears never existed, and when the French officers of justice came here, neither Carbonneau or any of his belongings could be had, and there sprang up a legend to the effect that the morey, to the extent of a mil-lion or over, had been hidden away in the village graveyard, where the so-called count's mother was also sleeping her last sleep.

Day before yesterday it was discovered that the woman's coffin had been disturbed and the remains removed hence the supposition that the grave robbers were hunting for the hidden

#### LAST HONORS ARE PAID MAJOR J. R. MEREDITH

ohn R. Meredith, son of Sir William Meredith, of the 95th Battalion, who died in England, and whose remains were laid to rest yesterday afternoon where Ven. Archdeacon Cody, orary colonel and chaplain of the Plumptre, rector of St. James', offi-

The escort of two hundred men was furnished by the 204th Battalion in charge of Major Switzer. The casket. covered with the Union Jack and with the sword and hat of the dead of-ficer, was placed just outside the eron of the Governor-General's Body Guard; Major R. S. Wi'son of the 48th Highlanders and the Third Battalion. C.E.F.; Major V. E. Henderson of the

SALE OF CATTLE. Oxford County Holstein Breeders Hold Successful Meeting.

Woodstock, Dec. 18.—One of the most successful sales ever held by the Oxford County Holstein Breeders! Club, was held here today, when 57 of the surplus stock of the members

Officer Accorded Military Funeral to St. James' Cemetery.

Final honors were paid the late . Major

chancel during the singing of the has been chosen is the camera. The hymns and the chanting of the service golden seal has been set upon motion for the dead. A large number of civilians and military filled the church, world can be justly proud that it has while the main body of the escort reduced to the industry. done its bit to raise the industry to the level where such "a thing" is possible.

While the main body of the escort remained lined outside the cathedral during the services. The pall-hearers were: Major R. F. Angus of the 9th Mississauga Horse; Major M. C. Cam-C.O.T.C.; Major Alex. C. Lewis of the and 216th Battalion; Major R. B. Mc. Giffen, camp engineer, and Major A. B. Colville of the 228th Battalion,

Woodstock, Dec. 13.-One Isalah Kinzie, who lives at Success, Saekatchewan, owes the corporation 36,588.32 on a judgment.

Hon. W. N. Ferguson, K.C., and Hon. Hugh E. Rose, K.C., the two judges designate, will not be sworn in for their judicial duties until January. Both their judicial duties until January. Both

By a Staff Reporter.

Montreal, Dec. 13.—The entire country east of the City of Quebec is ex-

# Smith.

road tunnel and a horse train. didn't do it.

pital from a Chinese restaurant at 124 York street in an unconscious condi-tion on the evening of Nov.

"Did you do your level best to make dynamite?" asked United States District Attorney Preston.
"Yes, but it didn't make any

the dynamite they were forced to make themselves failed to explode. It was then, Smith said, that they "went broke," and made the trip to New York

#### Two Brantford Men Have Been Awarded the Military Medal

Brantford, Dec. 13 .- The military medal has been awarded to Corporal Colin G. Standish, who previous to enlisting was in J. S. Hamilton and Co.'s office. He left with the first contingent, was wounded twice, and has returned to the trenches. The medal las also been awarded to Lance-Corp. Julius Klepper, of Brantford, at present in No. 4 General Hospital, France minus his right arm. After going thru several Ypres battles unscathed he was recently wounded. He enlist-ed in Orillia and went overseas with the 4th Battalion.

#### WILL SEEK RE-ELECTION.

Galt, Dec. 13 .- The entire council o 1916 will seek re-election, and Mayor Edwards will probably be returned unoposed. So far no new candidates have been mentioned, and prospects are for a very quiet electio

# Two Wonderful Books of the

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# The Worn Doorstep

By MARGARET SHERWOOD

This is really one of the great books of the year, and the story has taken the country by storm. Thousands are reading it, and thousands will send it to their friends as a Christmas gift. The book is already a best seller, and is now in the third Canadian edition. All the reviewers are unanimous in praising this book. Just read the following:

"The Toronto World" says: "The Worn Doorstep" has already achieved a reputation on both sides of the ocean. . . The story is one of the utmost familiarity, but it is translated into the language of paradise by the transcending spirit of love. This is actually the magic of the book that all commonplaces become sacred, all ordinary things shine with newer, light, all baser metals are changed to gold. . . "The Worn Doorstep" is one of the love stories the reader will never forget.

"The New York Times Book Review" says: Occasionally, very, very occasionally, it happens that a book appears whose merits one would like, if possible, to shout from the housetops, and such a book one of those rare satisfying books which are really and truly worth while. We offer heartiest congratulations and thanks to Margaret

"Saturday Post," Winnipeg, says: Seldom indeed does one lay down a book with so genuine a feeling of reverence as "The Wern Doorstep" inspires. Filled with the charm of the beautiful English countryside, touched with the most delicate sympathy and humor, as well as brimming with human interest, "The Worn Doorstep" is worthy of a large audience, and is certain to make a wide appeal.

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(Continued From Page 1). to the witners. Their appearance in New York followed a series of attempts to plant bombs and mix dynamite in Michigan and Carada, according PERCIVAL MARSHALL & CO, 66 T Farringdon Street -:- London, E.C.

After leaving New York, Smith said he went to Detroit, where he met Gow-ley. "Then we went to Port Haron, where we planned to dynamite a rail-

"We went from there to Toronto where Crowley told me to plant a bomb under a horse train in the West Toronto Railroad yards. I saw a policeman in the yards and left hurriedly. "After that Crowley and I went to Grosse Isle, Canada, with nitroglycerene cotton, sawdist, a tin pan and otler things o mix dynamite and make some bombs behind a cemetery there."

Tried to Make Dynamite.

was suffering from tubercules's in an advanced stage and was on the point of developing puenmonia, which affliction hastened his death. when it went off," Smith replied.
"Then Crowley sent me back to De-A treat for you and your family is the Christmas number Sunday World. Stories the children will enjoy are contained in it. near Detroit to sell me some. He went to a telephone and I got scared and when he asked when I wanted it, I told him next Tuesday."

They next went to St. Thomas, Ont., to plant bombs, the witness said, but the dwarp its they were forced to make

hoping to get more money.

# What a Boon Good Eyesight Really Is!

Finds Luitje Van Der Veen

Died From Natural Causes

A verdict of death from natural

causes was returned by the jury under Coroner J. R. Gibson at the inquest at

the morgue last night into the death of Luitje Van Der Veen, who died at the Western Hospital on Dec. 3 last.

tion on the evening of Nov. 30. The post-mortem revealed the fact that he

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### PLAYS, PICTURES AND MUSIC

THOMAS A. WISE.

The public sale of seats opens toay at the box office of the Alexandra Theatre for the engagement of Wilam Shakspere's rollicking comedy, "The Merry Wives of Windsor." which will be seen there next week. The play is produced by Silvio Hein, and has an all star cast with Thomas A. Wise as Falstaff, Constance Collier as Mistress Ford and Isabel Irving as Mistress Page. In addition, there is Mistress Page. In Mistress Page. In Mistress Page. Mistress Page. In Mistress Page. Mistre ed players, an in portant member of which is W. Lawson Butt, who plays

#### THE MASQUERADER.

Guy Bates Post, who has been playing up and down the land for the past several seasons in the fascinating and exotic "Omar, the Tentmaker," will appear at the Alexandra Theatre, week of Dec. 25, in a new play, entitled "The

### WATCH YOUR STEP" COMING.

"Watch Your Step," the musical comedy production which registered successes of a sensational nature in both New York and London, will be offered at the Grand Opera House next week. "Waten Your Step," is far and away the best of its kind that theatregoers have been regaled with in many days.

#### LOEW'S THEATRE.

the biggest and finest musical comedy of "The Crimson Stain Mystery." productions shown at the theatre this season. Another big feature on this bill will be Arthur Lipson, musical comedy tenor, making this one of the most notable engagements of the sea-Lipson has a singing act, especially written for him by Blanche Merrill. Another notable act on this bill will be the Three Shelvey Boys. hers on this bill will be Quinn and Lafferty, Three Xylophiends, "The Truthful Liar," will be shown, and Grundel and Esther. June Caprice in "The Ragged Princess" and Charlie Chaplin in his latest release, "The Rink," will be an added feature.

#### SHEA'S.

new and original dance productions headline the bill at the Shea's Victoria Street Theatre next week. The feature of the bill will be Bernice Howard and Jack White in their one-act comedy, "The Gadabouts." Van and Bell. flying missile experts and boomerang throwers: James B. Donovan Marie Lee, Corbett, Shepard and Do-novan, Joe Towle, Frank Hartley and feature film comedies complete the

#### HIPPODROME.

"Somewhere in France," the Triangle picturization of Richard Harding Davis' gripping story, will headline the bill at the Hippodrome next week. The world's greatest tight wire artists, The Zandelle Six, have a marvelous acrobatic offering. Nancy from Virginia, Dora Deane's Phantoms, Connors and Maxson, Lew Barth and Keystone film comedies complete the bill.

At the Star Theatre, commencing Monday, "The Girls From Joyland."
will present two burlesques, especially
written to suit the comedians. "Stagger Inn." and, "A Night in a Harem,"
are the titles of the vehicles. The
cast is headed by "Funny" Billy Gilbert and includes: Lew Williams, Jack Oakley, Eugene West Ann Montgem Amalgamated Association, said that in some instances manufacturers had a chorus of pretty singing and dancing girls.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Dec. 13.—(8 p.m.).—Light snow has fallen today over western Ontario; otherwise the weather over the Dominion has been fair. It has turned quite cold in Ontario and Quebec and continues decidedly cold in

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Prince Rupert, 30-44; Victoria, 36-44;
Vancouver, 34-36; Kamloops, 12-18; Calgary, 12-26; Medicine Hat, 5 below, 16;
Moose Jaw, 28 below, 12 below; Regina, 28 below, 13 below; Battleford, 30 below, 4 below; Prince Albert, 28 below, 8 below; Prince Albert, 28 below, 8 below; Prince Albert, 28 below; Winnipeg, 14 below, 8 below; Port Arthur, 14 below; Parry Sound, 4 below, 12; London, 11-25; Toronto, 11-18; Kingston, 2ero, 12; Ottawa, 2 below, 8; Montreal, 4-8; Quebec, 2-8; St. John, 16-26; Halifax, 28-36.

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#### STREET CAR DELAYS

Wednesday, Dec. 13, 1916.
Parliament cars, northbound, delayed 7 minutes at
9.02 a.m. at Front and York
by horse down on track.
Harbord cars, westbound,
delayed 8 minutes at 8.28 a.m.
on Adelaide between Parried on Adelaide between Bay and Yonge by wagon stuck on

eastbound, delayed 6 minutes at 3.00 p.m. at Don Bridge by horse down on track.

Church cars, southbound,
delayed 7 minutes at 5.22
p.m. at Church and Alexander
by auto on track.

In addition to the above
there were several delays of
less than 6 minutes each, due
to various causes. horse down on track.

## Rates for Notices

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pect Cemetery. QUINLAN-In Barrie, on Wednesday, Dec. 13th, Mary J., daughter of the late Michael Quinlan.

Funeral from the residence of her brother, Daniel Quinlan, on Friday, at 9 a.m., for St. Mary's Church and Cemetery.

MITHSON-At his late residence, King street, Weston, on Tuesday, Dec. 12, Edward Smithson, in his 62nd year. Funeral on Friday, Dec. 15, at 2.30 p.m., to Riverside Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this

#### GOOD BILL AT STRAND.

The romantic photo drama. "The Prince of Graustark," which is draw-A wonderful bill of all-star features will be presented the coming week at Loew's Yonge Street Theatre, to be beaded by "A Bit of Scandal," one of the bill for the balance of this week will also include the fourth episode of "The Crimson Stain Mystery" adding Artillery Brigade.

#### AT THE REGENT.

Canadians will find much of patriotic interest in "Nanette of the Wilds," which opens at the Regent today, and the Countess Nada De Tory. continues on Friday and Saturday. Beyond the fact that the leading role is played by Pauline Frederick, the photo-play itself should appeal to loyal Canadians. The story is built up around the life and work of the Northwest Mounted Police. The filmed with the control of the player of Miss P. E. Prideaux, Winnipeg, is giving a reception this afternoon in honor of Miss Phyllis Nielson Terry. views of the Ontario Military Hospital at Orpington, Kent, will be an added feature for the balance of the week. Another Sidney Drew Comedy, "No-body Home," adds the seasoning to Lew Brice and Helene Coyne in their the Regent program for the balance

#### MADISON.

With Elliott Dexter as her leading nam. Mae Murray gives some remarkand able interpretations in "The Plow Girl," which will be shown at the Madison Theatre for the first time this evening. Her adventures in this play take the audience from the South African yeldt to the drawing rooms of

#### CLOTHING STRIKE SUCCEEDS. Eight-Hour Day and Wage Increases Granted. ... ...

New York, Dec. 13.—Representatives of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America,, \$0,000 of whose members in this city, were said to be affected by the strike which began today, announced tonight that 19,500 had returned to work, after settlement had been made with manufacturers at the union's terms, which include an

eight-hour day and wage increases of not less than \$1 a week. Sidney Hillman, president of the

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Sir Thomas White will return to town on Friday morning from Ottawa, and will address a mass meeting under the auspices of the board of trade in Massey Hall on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Wilson spend Christmas with Mrs. Botsford at Deancroft, in the absence of Colonel and Mrs. Gooderham in England.

General Sir Sam Hughes, who has Thomas Harold Moore, in his 7th year, been at the King Edward for a few dost son of Edgar J. and Elizabeth doys, asked a rew littinate literature.

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Funeral (private), Dec. 13th, to Prostine district with a party of the guest of Mrs. C. S. Scott. eldest son of Edgar J. and Elizabeth days, asked a few intimate friends C.N.R. officials.

The marriage of Miss Brenda Williams Taylor to Mr. F. D. Frazier, takes place in Montreal this after-

Ottawa.

The members of the Somme Club met at the home of Mrs. William Har-

per. St. Andrew's Gardens, to say good-

bye to Mrs. Roy Hubbell, who is re-

turning to her home in New York, and presented her with a beautiful

bouquet of roses. Mrs. Hubbell, who has resided in Toronto for over a year

has been most energetic in patriotic work. She was a member of the Lord

Salisbury Chapter, I.O.D.E., and was also secretary of the American Women's

War Relief Association, her sterling qualities gaining her many friends,

who sincerely regret her departure. Tea was served by Mrs. Harper, assist-

ed by the Misses Audrey and Mary

Harper. Some of those present were: Mrs. V. Robertson, Mrs. John A. Ross,

Mrs. H. L. Mason, Mrs. H. Hinman,

Mrs. A. T. Channell, Mrs. W. Jury, Mrs.

Miss Mildred Day was the hostess of

a miscellaneous shower on Tuesday evening at her house on Spadina, for

the Red Wing Club, in honor of Miss

ENGAGEMENTS.

Mr. E. O. Taylor announces the engagement of his daughter, Luella, to Mr. Floyd Arthur Noe, only son of the late Mrs. Sara Dexter Noe, New the late Mrs. Sara Dexter Noe, New Lace

York. The marriage will take place quietly Wednesday, Dec. 20.

Organization Reports Splendid

Results From Month's Efforts.

in the Arts and Crafts Building, Yonge

street, yesterday morning, the executive

of the Toronto Women's Liberal Associa-

At their first meeting in new quarters

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with a bouquet of carnations.

The marriage takes place in Londor today of Mr. George Little, C.E.F., to Miss Amy Vere Brown, Winnipeg. Dean Kerr of the University of Al-

berta is in town for a few days and is at the King Edward. Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Fox. have moved to 111 Lyndhurst avenue, and are leaving for Florida next week on a month's

The marriage of Miss Dorothy White, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred White, to Lieut.-Col. C. H. Maclaren, D.S.O., Ottawa, took place

Major-General F. L. Lessard is staying at the Chateau Frontenac.

Lady Kirkpatrick was among the guests at the wedding and reception to Prince George of Battenberg, H.S.H. Eric Kirkpatrick, King's Own York-shire Light Infantry, was also invited

Mrs. P. E. Prideaux, Winnipeg, giving a reception this afternoon i honor of Miss Phyllis Nielson Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Acland have left for New York and will sail for England to join their son, Mr. Perregan Acland, who was severely wounded recently, and is at present very ill in

Mrs. Frank Cochrane is spending a week in town.

One of the prettiest bazaars was held yesterday in the Excelsior Life Building by the junior Rosary Hall Guild. Everything in the decorations was made of colored tissue paper, each booth being a different color, and the booths were very effectively lighted. The lavender and old lace booth was in charge of the Misses Maria Hearn and Irene Finn. the Red Cross booth the Misses Miller and Ryan, the basing the Misses Figure and Clerk sinette the Misses Evans and Clark, candy, the Misses Veronica Brown and Roland, Vanity Fair, the Misses Herson and Hackett, dolls, the Misses Winona Carroll and Helen Seitz, homemade booth, the Misses McCarron and MacNab. Miss O'Donohue was in charge of the tea room and bridge. Miss Kathleen Lynch managed the fish pond, which was a great attraction

of the Toronto Women's Liberal Association reported splendid results from the month's efforts for soldiers, and decided to continue the good work.

It was decided to send \$300 to Miss Church towards the soldiers' home fund, and to Miss Leishman of the tubercular hospital at Freeport three dozen flannelette sheets. The Christmas present to the base hospital will be the furnishing of the recreation room.

To the French wounded emergency fund in London the society sent during the month the following articles: Ten grey for the children. Dr. Charles Harriss of Ottawa is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Goldman, Rus-

sell Hill road. Wiss Brenda Macrae, who has been in Staunton. Virginia, will be in To-ronto for Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Smellie.

Miss Edith Cochrane spent the week

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flannel shirts, 21 pneumonia jackets, 43 pairs of cloth hand-made boots and slippers, 46 hospital shirts, 1 flannel quilt, 1113 pape sponges, 235 pairs of pyjamas, 103 bed jackets. Several letters were read from privates at the front who received sox from the association, and to each of these a box of good things will be sent,

Rita Miles, whose marriage takes place on Saturday. Russell, Tommy, Dill, and Edgar, four boy friends of the guest of the evening, presented her Harper, customs troker, 39 West Wellington st., corner Bay st. SEVEN KNOWN DEAD.

Mrs. H. B. Morphy, who has been Victim of Peterboro Fire Passes Away. visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Badgley, in Ottawa, has returned Another Peterboro, Ont., Dec. 13.-Patrick Mrs. John Garvin will leave Ottawa O'Connell, aged 50, who was severely

shortly after Christmas to visit her burned about the head and arms by brother, Mr. Cameron, who has some the fire at Quaker Oats plant, suchurned about the head and arms by south for his health. Miss Alex. Garvin will spend the winter in cumbed to his injuries early this morning, making the seventh known death ramily. Mrs. R. S. Wilson, 208 Bloor street west, will receive on Friday afternoon Mrs. Stuart Irving Wilson with her, for the first time since her marriage,

#### Announcements

Amusements

Notices of any character relating to frture events, the purpose of which is the raising of money, are inserted in the advertising columns at fifteen cents a line.

Announcements for churches, societies, clubs or other organizations of future events, where the purpose is not the raising of money, may be inserted in this column at two cents a word, with a minimum of fifty cents for each insertion.

Temperance Union meet at Willard Hall, Gerrard street, today, at two o'clock. Every member urged to attend. TORONTO District Women's Christlan

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Granites, Queen City and Lakeview Clubs Open Season on Good Ice.

The curiers went off to a good start yesterday. The notable feature of the year was the fact that Queen City did not play first, but was content to open up same time as Lakeview and the Granites. There was a real rink game at the Granite in the afternoon between two well-known skips, viz. Major T. H. Brunton, the president of the club, and Larry Shea, the result being as follows:

F. L. Ratcliffe, W. Murray,
Dr. Laflamme, A. E. Huestis,
Jas. Haywood, S. Crocker,
Maj Brunton, sk..10 L. Shea, skip..... 9
The ice was firm and keen and was fully occupied at night.

At Queen City they would have started on Tuesday night only for a bad spot at the observation end, which froze over nicely yesterday. In the afternoon one rink was going and at night the five sheets were occupied.

It is no longer little Lakeview. This year the Harrison street clubhouse will accommodate, besides the home brithers of the besom, the rinks of the West Toronto Curling Club, whose thirty members will take their regular turn at Lakeview. The ice was in fine shape for the opening last night, and all four sheets were going from eight to nearly midnight.

At High Park, they have started to sprinkle, and expect to get going by Saturday. As last year, the Parkdale rinks will hold forth at High Park.

The Toronto curlers will open tonight at the Victoria Rink. They started making the ice yesterday. If the cold weather continues, the players will be in fine form for the annual matches, president v. vice-president, always scheduled for Christmas Day,

#### Here's a Man Taller Than Willard Ready To Fight Champion

If Georges Carpentier does not come over from France an enterprising man-ager has selected a man bigger than Willard to fight the champion. He is colored and a world-beater. His man-ager is Johnny Mack of New York and has name is Bill Tate. "Bill is the largest man that ever ager is Johnny Mack of New York and has name is Bill Tate.

"Bill is the largest man that ever fought," skys Johnny. "He is larger than Willard. Jess is 6 feet 5½ inches tall, while Tate foots up. 6 feet 7 inches. He's a negro and will be the best man in the world in a few years. He has a reach of 84½ inches, while Willard measures 81. He is 21 years old and has fought Jos Jeanette three times. He beat Sam Langford in Syracuse on Thanksgiving Day in a bout that cpened the eyes of the old-timers. Just wait for that big darky. They can't keep Bill Tate from the championship."

clinch after clinch, and always Mitchell cautioned Paddy to "be a gentleman and step back clean without hitting." Paddy began to believe in Mitchell, and his suggestion that major league ball clubs, on their training trips, carry with them some first-class professional golfer, who also knows something about baseball, to teach them the "follow thru" when they are batting. This, he opines, would increase the hitting ability of the athletes to a material extent. He says that the batsmen do not have the knowledge of stance, grip and manner of swinging that the more successful golfers possess. Maybe they don't. But it is a fact that a lot of ball players are good golfers. It is also a fact that every major league club in the country has put a ban on golf after the season starts. Ty Cobb, who is rated a fair hitter, and who has made some study of the subject of swaf, decided two years age that the only way to continue hitting the golf ball. Other hatsmen agree with him. A golf ball is stationary, and the golfer has all the time he wishes to aim. A baseball may

### Schedule at Kitchener Osler Playgrounds

Athletic night at Osler brought out a large field of contestants in the four sections. In the jumor class B. Scott proved the best point winner. The jumor class honors were carried off by C. Mc-Cullough. The intermediate section provided real contention, Badstone getting the decision over Smith by one point. The senior honors went to R. Clarke. In the intermediate class A. Smith turned in a creditable performance when he ran the 100 yards on a circular track in the fast time of 144-5 seconds. Following are the results:

Kitchener, Ont., Dec. 13.—Group No. 5 in the junior O.H.A. series held their meeting here tonight and arranged the schedule for the season. Percy Pearce of this city was convenor. This group includes Kitchener, Preston, Elmira, New Hamburg, Stratford and Guelph. The delegates from the various centres were: Stratford, W. F. Nickel; Elmira, P. Hendrick; New Hamburg, O. Rit; Guelph, J. Hebden; Preston, A. Schlegel; Kitchener, H. Sturm.

Dec. 27—New Hamburg at Kitchener.

Dec. 29—Stratford at Elmira.

Jan. 1—Preston at Stratford.

Jan. 2—Elmira at New Hamburg.

Jan. 3—Kitchener at Guelph.

Jan. 5—Stratford at Guelph.

Jan. 5—Preston at Kitchener.

Jan. 9—New Hamburg at Stratford.

Jan. 19—New Hamburg at Guelph.

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Jan. 12—Elmira at Preston.

Jan. 13—Guelph at Kitchener.

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Jan. 23—Guelph at Kitchener.

Jan. 24—New Hamburg at Preston.

Jan. 25—Greston at Guelph.

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Jan. 26—Preston at Kitchener.

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Jan. 28—Stratford at New Hamburg.

Jan. 26—Elmira at Guelph.

Jan. 30—Preston at Elmira.

Jan. 28—Stratford at New Hamburg.

Feb. 1—Guelph at New Hamburg.

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Leferees: Stratford, C. Lightfoot, D. Forbes; New Hamburg, A. Hahn, I. Bruder; Kitchener of Seibert, A. Leroux, E. Rosehman; Elmira, H. Weichel, E. Otto; Preston, A. T. Kinder, W. A. Dennils; Guelph referees were not named.

ome to the plate in any one of three or four ways—curve, fast with some raise or with—the break, or spitter. The bollect in driving in golf is to hit the ball in the air. In baseball it is the opposite. Evans was talking with Weeghman, the Cubs president, when he advanced his idea, Maybe that explains his aberration.

The pari-mutuels were given a big boost at Havana track the other day. Both the books and the machines are used for betting at the Cuban track, and when Juaquin, winner of the fifth race, paid off in the machines at the rate of 308.80 to 2, while the biggest price offered on the horse in the books was 20 to 1, there was some mild exc.tement. It was another case of the machines winnin an argument over the books.

Paddy Gorman died the other day, but Young Mitchell's stayr of his fight with the stormy Australian will keep Paddy's name alive for many a day. Paddy was one of the hardest-hitting middleweights that ever came from the far-off land of the Southern Cross. Mitchell was the knew all about Paddy's great Infighting. They met one night in California. Mitchell was a heady fighter, and he began to work on Gorman's sense of dignity. When they came into the first clinch, Mitchell was a heady fighter, and he began to work on Gorman's sense of dignity. When they came into the first clinch, Mitchell said:

"Be a gentleman, Paddy; now step back like a good boy, and don't hit, in the breakaway." Hitting on the break was Gorman's forte. They went into clinch after clinch, and always Mitchell cautioned Paddy to "be a gentleman and step back clean without hitting." Paddy began to believe in Mitchell, and his guard stol lover and lover the higher of the season.

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Paddy figured that he had all night, anyway.

They came into a final clinch. It was to be the final one, as far as Mitchell was concerned.

"Now, drop your hands and be a gentleman, Paddy." The unsuspecting Gorman did drop them, and "Bang!" Over went Mitchell's right to his unprotected jaw, and Gorman hit the floor on his shoulder-blades. Mitchell stood over him and dared him to get up. Poor Paddy was nearly out, but he did manage to say:

The Broadview Y. Wednesday night basketbail games last night resulted in victories for the Braves, Tigers and Dodgers, and a three-cornered tie. Scores:

Jennion's Braves 18, Hogarth's Red Sox 11; Woods' Tigers 22, Wellings' Cubs 18; Clifford's Dodgers 19, Percy's Giants 9.

# FARR CASTS HIS LOT

Former Argonaut Player for the Champions Sullivan a Newcomer Also.

Toad Farr, the good centre player of last year's Argonaut team, made his initial appearance of the season with the Riversides last night. Toad will play with the east end club and will help to round out their forward lins.

Three senior clubs held practices last night, and Aura Lee trotted out the largest squad. The north end club had over twenty players out, and Bill Marsden will have no trouble in rounding out a classy team. Harry Watson and Jimmy Green were absentees. Watson went to Ottawa yesterday to be examined for the aviation corps. Adams, the 70th Battery player, showed a lot of class at the practice, and when he is given a little brushing on the fine points he will be one of the best men in senior hockey. Adams will play with Aura Lee. 100-yard dash—1, B. Scott, 15 1-5 secs.; 2, C. Heyd, 15 2-5 secs.; 3, B. Elliott, 15 3-5 secs.; Standing broad jump—1, H. Bell, 7'; 2, W. McNicholl, 6' 10't; 8, B. Scott, g".

Several of the candidates for the junior team turned out with Aura Lee seniors, and some lively-looking youngsters were in the outfit. Anderson, a boy from Pickering College, will surely catch a place. Hudson, of last year's champions, led the boys in back-checking. Brown, the former Collingwood junior. again showed a nice performance. A few of those out were: Wilkinson and Crooks, in the nets; Adams; Maloney, from De La Salle; McCullough of Ridley; Dickson, St. Pauls; Wagner, from De La Salle; Little, Hudson and Rennie of last year's team, and the following juniors: Henderson, Chinn, Cameron, McQueen of Petrolea, Mullins of Beaches and Anderson.

St. Patricks had a large turnout for their practice, and the men are nearly all newcomers to the Arena patrons. Hayden, the former Simcoe goaler, was in one net, and Redmond, the Owen Sound boy, was between the posts at the other end. Green, the 227th Battalion player, who is attending the machine gun school, worked with the Irish Club. Tunnison, a soldier from the camp, was sent down by Goldie Prodgers, and looked good. Murphy, McWilliams, Christensen, Smith, Kelly and McCarthy were a few of the others out.

Corbett Denneny is trained down fine, and will only take light work for the next few days. The blue shirt centre was an absentee from the Toronto practice yes-

Ernie Parkes left the hospital yester-day, but it will be some few days before he dons his togs and practices with Riv-ersides.

That Aura Lee Club must have some kind of a magnet in its make-up. Every time the north end club practises it draws new players from some corner. An Ingersoll despatch says: At an en

thusastic and well-attended meeting this evening, the ingersoil Junior Hockey Club organized for the season. The majority of last season's players will be rallied, and it is expected several others will be recruited. The following officers were elected: Honorary presidents, J. A. Coulter, Chas. White, C. C. L. Wilson, Mayor W. J. Elliott, R. B. Hutt, E. Lee, A. T. Lowe, W. C. Johnston; president, S. A. Gibson; vice-president, Jas. Grieve; first vice-president, Chas. Woolson; second vice-president, Dr. Murray; third vice-president, Wm. Gemmill; executive committee, Dr. Furlong, Ross Mayberry, Vincent Wilson, Percy English, Geo. Gregory; secretary-treasurer, T. N. Dunn. In their schdulued league fixture Mc-Cormick defeated St. Andrews on Monday night. McCormick piled up a comfortable lead in the first half, but were hard pressed to hold the fast coming St. Andrews in the final period. Creighton, on the defence for St. Andrews, is one of the cleverest bell handlers in the league, his playing on Monday night being all that could be desired. Following are the teams:

McCormick (29)—Talbot, Reeves, forwards; Cook, centre; Linton, Langdon, defence.

St. Andrews (19)—Lister, Sasks, forwards; Potts, centre; Creighton, Axsunith, deferce.

The schedule for O.H.A. junior group No. 10: Jan. 4—Barris at Collingwood. Jan. 10—Collingwood at Barrie. Jan. 26—Collingwood at Barrie. Gren Caldwell was chosen as official referee.

Skating continues to be a popular attraction at the Arena Gardens. Sessions will be held every afternoon and evening until Saturday night, and every afternoon and evening next week. On Saturday evening the 228th Battalion will meet a team of N.H.A. stars in the first professional game of the season. The all-stars will have another Toronto squad available, as well as Lalonde and Pitric of the Canadlens and Marks of Quebec, while strong efforts are being made to have Sprague Cleghorn of the Wanderers for the deferce. This will be the first appearance of the soldier team in Toronto. Reserved seats are now on sale at the Arena.

Playing thirteen minutes overtime Vancouver defeated Captain Foyston's

# THE STATE OF THE S ILSON'S "The National Smoke" The choice of the discriminating-Largest sale of any high-

team at Seattle Tuesday night in a Pa-cific Coast League game by a score of 7 to 6. Spokane, the league leaders, won from Portland, last year's champions, 7 to 5. The league standing to date:

Seattle 1 3 14 21
Portland 1 3 17 18
Holmes, Carpenter, Walker, Wilson and Foyston of the Seattle team formerly played with the Torontos.

Goldie Prodgers wraps his damaged ankle in several yards of rubber bandage before he practices, but he forgets all about it the minute he hits the ice.

The Dentals did not practice last night Upper Canada College had out the same squad that worked earlier in the week, and they were divided into two teams, and worked hard for half an hour.

The O.H.A. playing certificates will be n the hands of the clubs on Saturday norning, as they will be mailed from O.H. L. headquarters on Friday night.

Group No. 10 Intermediate O.H.A. chedule:
Jan. 5 —177th Bn. at Midland
Jan. 3 —Collingwood at Bracebridge.
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Gren. Caldwell appointed official referee.
He will be home this week.

W. F. "Bill" Scott, who has been prominently connected with the Monarchs of Winnipeg, the Allan Cup holders on two occasions, is playing in a new role this season, that of manager of the arena at Portland, Ore., where several of the ex-Monarchs are located.

The schedule for O.H.A. Intermediate Group No. 2 is: Jan. 2—Lindsay at Peterboro, Picton at Cobourg. Jan. 5—Peterboro at Picton, Cobourg Jan. 5—Peterboro at Picton, Cobours

Jan. 9—Lindsay at Cobourg.

Jan. 12—Cobourg at Picton, Peterboro

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Jan. 16—Cobourg at Peterboro.

Jan. 19—Picton at Lindsay.

Jan. 23—Lindsay at Picton, Peterboro

Jan. 26-Picton at Peterboro.

BELLEVILLE-KINGSTON JUNIORS. Belleville, Dec. 13.—The meeting of representatives of junior O.H.A. teams in this district was held this afternoon at Hotel Quinte and the following schedule drawn up:

Monday, Jan. 1—Kingston at Belleville, Friday, Jan. 5—Kingston at Battery,

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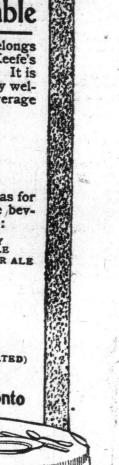
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ston.
Saturday, Jan. 27—Kingston at Battery.
Friday, Feb. 2—Belleville at Battery.
Referees—Ernie Lang, A. Cook, George
Vanhorne and K. Crawford.









SIGNS A CHINAMAN Honolulu, Dec. 13.—Vernon Ayau, shortstop of the local Chinese baseball team, which visits the mainland annually, signed to play shortstop for the Seattle club of the Northwestern League. William Leard, manager of the Seattle club, now in Honolulu with a team of touring professionals, offered Ayau the contract. Ayau is said to be the first Chinese ball player to enter organized baseball circles. RACING YACHT WRECKED.

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New York, Dec. 13.—The old racing yacht Fleetwing, which in 1866 gained international fame as one of three contestants in a transatlantic race for sailing vessels from New York to England, was wrecked Nov. 11 on the east coast of Cuba, it was learned today from members of her crew who have just returned here. The yacht left here last August for Faval, the left here last August for Fayal, the Azores, and was returning from that port to Bermuda when the disaster



## STAR PLAYS AND FREAK FEATS IN U. S. RUGBY

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New York, Dec. 13.—In tabulating individual feats or the eastern football season we must go to m.nor couege elevens for some of the most striking accompushments. The greatest trick of the campaign was turned by moss of Rensseaer Poly, who picked up a rumble only a footform h.s own goal and ran 100 yards for a touchdown that defeated Hamalton.

Hamilton had worked its way to within inches of the Rensseaer goal line and as the ball was snapped for the play that would probably give Hamalton a louchdown and victory the oval was fumbled. Moss scooped it up and ran the length of the field. The feat has many features to commend it for the nighest place on our records—t privented defeat, accomplished victory and registered the season's longest dash for a score.

According to records here tabulated there were thirty-eight runs of fifty yards or more their resuited in touchdowns during the eastern season. The greatest number—ten—were made from scrimmage, with Johnny Gilroy's eighty yard dash against Albright heading the list. Harry Le Gore of Yase is the only player with two such feats to his credit. He ran sixty-seven yards against Lehigh and fifty-two yards against Carnegie Tech. Gilroy's name stands out most prominently in the long run records. He ran sixty-seven yards for a touchdown from a kickoff against George Washington and ninety-one yards after receiving a punt against the same team. It will be seen that the Georgetown streak made his best dashes against the weakest opposition. In addition to Le Gore, Sermon of Springfield Y. M. C. A. College is the only player who has more than one long run for a score to his credit. Sermen caught a punt against Amherst, and ran eighty yards across the line. Against Colgate Sermon caught a forty-five yard forward pass from Gayle and ran thirty yards more for a touchdown.

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## About Late Lieut. Kelly Diamond Sculls Winner

Details by mail of the career of Lieut. F. S. Kelly, the Diamond Sculls winner, whose death in action was reported by cable, say that he enlisted when war broke out and served thru the Gallipoli

broke out and served thru the Gallipoli campaign, being one of the three officers who remained to the last at the observation post in the front trenches when the final evacuation took piace. He was 35 years old and unmarried.

A remarkable thing about Kelly's sculling was that he was self-taught. When he first won the Diamonds in 1902 he was the only competitor who had not been trained or coached by a professional. In 1899 he stroked the Eton eight that won the Ladies' Plate at Henley, was in the Oxford eight of 1903, and the same year won the Wingfield Sculls, the University Pairs, with A. K. Graham as partner; the University Sculls, and was also in the Balliol crew that secured the University Fours.

Balliot crew that secured the University Fours.

Lieut. Kelly was in the brilliant Leander Club eight that triumphed over the Belgians at the Olympic Regatta of 1908. In earlier heats Leander had beaten the Canadian eight, and the Belgians had scored over a strong Cambridge crew. The final, looked upon as a "battle of styles," produced a splendid triumph for the English method when the Leander eight won by a couple of lengths. At Oxford Lieut. Kelly was Nettleship musical scholar. He studied music at Frankfort from 1903 to 1908, and made his debut as a pianist and composer in Sydney in 1911. In the following year he gave a series of recitals in London.

### Sporting Notices

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### POES NOT LOOK LIKE CARPENTIER FIGHTING L'Ouvre suggests that this is an indication of the French authorities attitude, and that it seems unpropitious for Carpentier to obtain permission at this time to fight in the United States. DOES NOT LOOK LIKE

Paris, Dec. 13.—There is a decided switch in the arrangements to bring Georges Carpentier to the United States to fight Jess Willard. Francis Descamps, manager of the European champion, fars that he will be unable to prevail upon the French War Office to allow Carpentier four months' leave of absence to make the trip. Carpentier is a member of the French Aerial Corps and the winner of several medals for bravery. Descamps also is not satisfied with the conditions.

"Rickard offers 5000 francs for moving picture rights, which is ridiculous. He also thinks \$20,000 equals 100,000 francs, whereas by present-exchange it equals nearer 120,000 francs.

"Another thing. I will not agree to match Carpentier against any individual until we arrive in New York. That's time enough to pick an opponent.

"The principal thing is, however, to obtain Carpentier's furlough or permission to go to the United States. Another thing certain is that a percentage must be provided for the French Red Cross, as Carpentier insists that Red Cross must

PLAIN.CORK & GOLD TIPS

The St. Mary's Club applied yesterday for admission to the O.H.A. intermediate series in Group No. 8, with Seaforth, Mitchell and Milverton. Convenor A. W. Dick of Seaforth has charge of the group meeting, and it rests with the cherclubs whether or not the late-comers will be admitted. University Schools have applied for ice at the Arena, and the 220th Battalion is another club to line up for practice.

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gages."

Several French newspapers comment doubtfully on the wisdom of matching Carpentier against Jess Willard, recalling that Joe Jeannette best the Frenchman, altho Jeannette never was good enough to fight Jack Johnson, whom Willard defeated.

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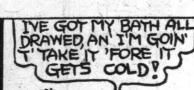
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**CHARGED WITH THEFT** FROM RAILWAY YARDS

Herbert Godfrey, a C. P. R. Switchman, Stands Trial in the Sessions.

Arrested in connection with the numerous thefts which have taken place recently at the yards of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Herbert Godfrey, eppeared before Judge Coatsworth, in the sessions yesterday. He was charged with stealing pieces of carpet, boots, clothing and liquor from the company's

Detective Maurer testified that he had searched the man's home at 47 Fermanagh avenue, accompanied by constables, who recognized pieces of carpet on the floors as C.P.R. property. A representative of the Toconto Manufacturing Company identified the carpet as a pattern manufactured for the C.P.R. exclusively. "I understand that a large dep

interposed W. Henderson for the de-The witness replied that was im-

possible Another C/P.R. employe, Lewis Hastings, who is at present serving a 70 days' sentence, told how he had stolen liquor from the company. He stated that on one occasion he and Godfrey had kept watch while a man, Drucy, for whom the police are now searching, stole whisky out of a box car. He received two cases, but he could not whether Godfrey had got

Godfrey in his own defence, denied the accusation, and also denied that he had anything to do with the breakng of car seals. Judge Coatsworth ment this morning. give judg-

gental store sells the same carpet,' be held in the new technical school auditorium, near Bloor and Bathurst street, on Tuesday, Dec. 19, at 3 p.m. Mrs. W.H. Hearst will unveil our honor

### WILLS PROBATED

William Tatley, an insurance man william Tatley, an insurance manager of Montreal, who died in Montreal, Nov. 20, left an estate valued at \$153,335. By a will, dated March 19, 1895, he left a life interest in his home in Montreal to his wife, who is now dead and the property passes to three daughters and two sons living in that city.

and Lieut.-Col. D. M. Robertson, of Toronto, are the executors of ar. estate valued at \$8,427, left by Mrs. Adelaide A. McLennan, who died in Toronto on Nov. 27 last. A diamond ring is bequeathed to her daughter, Adelaide, and in view of the fact that the three eldest children have been well provided for by their uncle. Colonel provided for by their uncle, Colonel Roderick R. McLennan, the testatrix directs that the estate be held in trust for her research that the colone to the co her youngest children, Adelaide A. and Angus McLennam

Brig.-General G. N. Cory Given Russian Order for Gallantry

The Russian decoration, the Order of St. Anne, has been conferred on ment this morning.

In that city.

Application for the probate of the will of Job Mouldry, a foreinan iron-worker, who died in Toronto Nov.

The ex-pupils of Borden Street, Bathurst Street and King Edward Schools are cordially invited to be present at the Christmas entertainment to street and the control of the probate of the probate of the probate of the probate of the worker, who died in Toronto Nov.

27, 1916, has been made by his wife. Mrs. Annie Mouldry, the sole beneficiary and executrix. The estate is soldiers now splendidly equipped, have been doing the biggest portion of the fighting about Monastir. Gen. Cory. entertainment to F. D. McLennan of Cornwall, Ont., is on the Salonica front at present,

## THIRTY-FOUR ADDED TO ROLL OF HONOR

Five of the Number Reported to Have Given Lives to Cause.

# TWENTY WOUNDED

wo Citizens Are Stated t Have Been Lost on Torpedo Boat.

in the latest casualty lists. Two are reported lost on the torpedo hoat Grilse, one has died of wounds, two have died while prisoners of war, two are missing, three are ill, and one is a prisoner, and over 20 are wounded. Lt.-Col. F. F. Clarke, who has been

Lt.-Col. F. F. Clarke, who has been ill with preumonia in hospital in England, has now recovered, according to word just received in Toronto by his wife. Col. Clarke states his battalion, 127th York County, when it goes to France, will be part of a large army used for construction purposes.

Lieut. Arthur B. McCormick, reported wounded, is an fist Battation officer, who spent last winter in Toronto at Exhibition Camp. His home is at Welland, Ont. He was a student at the outbreak of the war.

Lieut. Cyril McL. Fry, reported lost on the torpedo boat Grilse, was a cousin of Mrs. J. A Sutherland and the Misses Macdougall of 35 Tranky avenue. His home was in Detroit, but he had recided in Toronto.

nue. His home was in Detroit, but he had resided in Torento for some time earlier in the war. He had also seen service with the navy in the North

Aubrey Melchin William Patch, reported killed in action, was a graduate of Toronto University, in 1908, with degree of B.S.A. Prior to enlisting he had been in the C.P.R. ferestry department at Winnipeg.

First Petty Officer Walter E. Trimble, also reported lost in the C. ble, also reported lost in the Grilse, was a Toronte man. He was formerly on H.M.C.S. Niobe. His wife and two on H.M.C.S. Niobe. His wile and two boys live at 17 Gough avenue.
Pte. George Blackburn, reported as killed in action, for several years was with the Lawrence Bakery. Rev. W. L. Baynes-Reed, chaplain of the unit in which Pte. Blackburn enlisted, has sent a letter conveying the symptometric of the symptometric states. sent a letter conveying the sympa-thy of his comrades, and states that the soldier fell during a brilliant

charge. Lance-Corp. James F. Walker, son of Mrs. Sarah H. Walker, 8 Pendrith Rosary Hall Guild Opens avenue, and nephew of former Con-troller James Simpson, has been killtroller James Simpson, has been killed in action in the fighting on the Somme front. Before enlisting he took an active interest in the Boy Scouts connected with Bathurst Street Meconnected.

parents reside at 7 Edgewood crescent, Ptc. W. D. Taylor, previously listed

ers. He was employed as a messenger for the Quebec Bank. He formerly lived at 104 Moscow avenue, and is survived by his widow and two chil-Pte. H. Lewis, formerly reported missing, is now believed to have been killed. A letter received by Miss Warren, 33 East Roxborough street, states that Pte. Lewis was instantly killed while attending wounded commides.

Before enlistment with the 75th Battalion he had been with the Canada life Assurance Co., and lived at 20 Pembroke street.

### FREED OF CHARGE.

Lambrose Stoycheff, a Bulgarian, was discharged by Judge Ccatsworth in the sessions yesterday. He was charged with stealing \$50 from Demetis



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# Bazaar in Excelsior Building

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Pte. J. A. Smith, reported missing on Oct. 8, is now unofficially reported to have died on Nov. 1, while a prisoner of war in Germany. He was 20.

Christmas offerings, and the bevy of

soner of war in Germany. He was 20 years of age, single, and enlisted last year with a Winnipeg battalion. His parents reside at 7 Edgewood cressent cient inducement to make the attendas missing, has died while a prisoner of war in Germany. He was 22 years of age, a native of London. England, but had been in Canada 11 years beliated and been in the agent Highland. ance large and assure the bazaar's fore enlisting in the 92nd Highland- of assistants, and Miss Marie Mac-

#### Arraigned on Two Charges Of Violating Temperance Law

In the police court yesterday E. J Convey, 300 Royce avenue, was arraigned on two charges, selling or bartering for liquor directly or indirectly, and canvassing for or receiving an order.

Witnesses told of leaving their orders at McConvey's, and not received and \$300.

Ing their liquor because of its seizure The fine by the police. Counsel for McConvey 20.

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claimed that there had been no sale of Ontario liquor. It was Quebec liquor that was sold. On the selling charge the fine can be anywhere between \$200 and \$1000: and for soliciting orders, between \$50 The fines were suspended till Dec.



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#### LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

Oshawa, Dec. 4, 1916.

Dear Santa Claus: I would like you to send me a military suit. If I was older I would be a soldier and fight for our king and country. The trouble is I am only nine years old. This Christmas I think that you should help the poor kiddles. My idea, of this is that you bring me all my tors and presents because its Christmas. I believe in you because every Christmas morning when I get up my sthocking is full of toys that you bring me. Yours truly, Max Collis.

Dear Santa Claus: I am writing to you and telling you what I would like a soldier dol; a Japanese rencil box, a black leather school bag, two hair ribbons, a wrist watch, a black leather purse and that is all, I will close now with love from your loving friend.

Helen Flavin.

Newtonbrook, Ont., Dec. 2, 1916.
Dear Santa Claus: Dear Santa Claus how are you getting along this year. I hope you are well. There are a lot of things I would like this year, tho I do not expect to get them. I think it is a very nice thing to have a Santa Claus. He helps to make Christmas happy for everyone. This year I would like a new sult or a rifle. Tho I would like something that will be useful to me, such as a school bag. I think this year you should not give so many toys away, but help the soldiers instead.

Willie Ford, age 9½ years. Willie Ford, age 91/2 years.

Dear Santa: My name is Jack Head. My mother said you would not give two prizes to one house, but I hope if I don't get a prize you will send me a gun with some good bullets. Then when I get a man I car. get after that big German my sister told you about that got my dear uncle and daddy. As I am the man of the house now, my mother tells me so, I want to feel she is safe.

Jack Head, Age 6 Jack Head, Age 6.

12 Paisley Ave., Toronto, Dec. 6.

Dear Santa Claus: I would like a box of paints and a pair of skates. I really do think there is a Santa Claus because he comes to cheer the poor little boys and girls. And hope he won't forget the soldiers at the front, who are fighting for us, for they need cheering, too. And don't think there would be any Christmas if there was no Santa Claus. And I am just counting the days till Christmas. I will be 10 next birthday. Your friend,

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all the poor children. Good-bye, from

240 Pape avenue, Toronto, Dec. 5th, 1916. Dear Santa Claus: Will you please bring me a doll's bed and some chairs and table, and my little brother a house and waggon. I think that is all he wants now.

I am 7 years old.

My name is Kathleen Long.

Toronto, Dec. 5, 1916.

Dear Santa Claus: I want you to bring me a train, a track and a puzzle. I do believe you are a real Santa Claus, a big man with long white whiskers and a happy face, please do not forget what I would like you to bring me.

Ross Von Zuben.

125 Winchester street.

Wrote by Ross Von Zuben, 125 Winchester street. Age 7 years.

661 Gerrard street east,
Toronto, Dec. 5, 1916.

City.
Dear Santa Claus: I am just writing

101 Bolton avenue, Toronto, Dec. 6, 1916.

Dear Santa Claus: I am glad you will soon be coming again. I am writing to let you know that I have a baby brother four months old. I will hang up his little white stocking, so you will be sure to know he is here. My brother Fred, 5 years old, wants a train and a horse. I would like to see Santa, but all good girls are in bed when Santa would like a black board and some games. Don't you think it would be nice to remember the soldiers. My uncle is a soldier. They say you are not real, but I'm quite sure you are. I hope you reach the North Pole safely.

Guerita Bolton,

30 Gertrude St. Age 8 years.

North Toronto.

Can Santa Claus: Will you kindly call on me at Chnistmas, as my daddy is at the front. I would like to see Santa, but all good girls are in bed when Santa comes around. I hope theth's lots of snow for his reindeers, and would like a black board at set of dishes agd a telephone. Wishing you a heappy Christmas. Yours truly, Ivy Luther, 203 Lippincott street, city.

Stanley Luther.

203 Lippincott street, Dear Santa Claus: Aline to ask you-to

12 Paisley avenue, Toronto, Dec. 5.
Dear Old Santa: I want an artillery car and a box of soldiers. I should rather think there is a Santa Claus. That is why boys and girls are so fond of Christmas time. And I nope you won't forget to keave the soldiers something good. Santa don't you get very tired taking all the presents round and getting the table for a cup of ceffic and a piece of cake. I am eight years old. Your friend Ennest Fortescue, P.S.—Will leave cellar window open.

Toronto, Dec. 4, 1916.

Dear Santa Claus: I hope you will be able to come to our house on Christmas and I am going to write you a letter to let you know what I would like as school bag with a strap to hang on my shoulder and a hockey stick. We are watching for a picture of you in The Sunday World. I hope you will call on Sunday World. I hope you will call on Sunday World. I hope you will call on Age 9 years.

661 Gerrard street east,
Toronto, Dec. 5, 1916.

Dear Santa Claus: I am just writing you are will come down to see you are will come down to see you are not there, and will come down to see you are not there, and will come down to see you were not there, and will come down to see you were not there, and will come down to see you are not there, and will come to see you are not there, and like very much if you are not had like very much if you are not had loue of children to see you are not had like very much if you are not had loue you are n

Dear Santa Claus: I would like for Christmas, doll; dishes, paino, writing desk, doll carraige, dolls' house I think Santa should bring toys too poor first. I think he is real man. He brings presents to make people happy, because it's Christ's birthday. I believe in Santa.

Do you answer our letters?

Dear Santa Claus: Would you kindly call on me at Christmas, as my daddy is at the front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France. I want a teddy bear and a set of dishes. I he front somewhere in France.

Dear Santa Claus: Aline to ask you to call on me at Christmas eve. My daddy is at the front, and if Santa don't call on me and my little sisters we will not have any thing. I would like a sleigh and a hocky-stick, if you would call I will be very glad with Dear Santa Claus. Wishing you a Happy Christmas.

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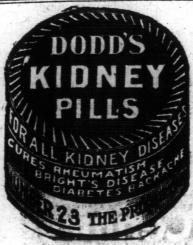
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last few months that there will not be GERMAN LOSSES TOTAL more than forty or fifty thousand men kept in training in the Dominion all winter. This will be the minimum. Recruiting is continuing at the rate of from six to nine thousand men a month and about the same rate will be continued in forwarding reinforcements. Under the system of forwarding drafts, rather than full battalions, the men will not have to remain in Canada so long as formerly before going overseas.

LEAVING FOR CANADA. Number of Officers to Receive Further Treatment.

London, Dec. 13.-The following are London, Dec. 13.—The following are going to Canada for further medical treatment: Majors F. E. Hicks, L. P. Lafleche, A. G. Nutter, Captains, H. P. Bell, H. W. Clifford, H. S. Edwards, C. E. Kilner, D. L. McKeand amd H. A. Taylor; Lieuts. W. L. Aitken, G. S. Andrews, E. W. Brookfield, H. Brunton, A. D. Cockrill, F. D. Elliott, E. O. Hessel, W. E. L. Irwin, A. McKenzie, B. J. Miller, E. McCuaig, C. E. McDonald, C. B. Reilly, 3. C. Sneigrove,

London, Dec. 13, 2.30 p.m.—The total German casualties, excluding those in the naval and colonial services, re-brick residence of Chas Pottcarry, ported in the German official lists for Mr. and Mrs. Pottcarry, an aged November, says a British official statement issued today, were 166,176 officers and men, making the total Gerficers and men, making the total German losses in killed, wounded and missing since the war broke out 3,921,-

REPORT A MISTAKE. Pte. Fred Groves, Reported Missing, Was Killed in Action.

St. Thomas, Dec. 13.—Thos. Groves, of this city, whose son, Pte. Fred Groves, was reported missing, today received a letter from Major W. L. Baynes-Reed, chaplain of the 75th Battalion, stating that Pte. Groves was killed in action on Saturday, November 18, during an offensive in which the battalion was highly successful.

DESTROYED BY FIRE NEARLY FOUR MILLION Aged Couple Rescued With Difficulty From Burning House.

St. Thomas, Dec. 13.—Fire destroyed at an early hour this morning the critical condition suffering from the effects of inhaling smoke. He was



#### A PRACTICE THAT SHOULD BE STOPPED



Now that the snow has arrived, this method of sleigh-riding by children in Toronto should be stopped. The children slide down the boulevard into the road. What chance have they if a motor car comes suddenly around the

## **BUILD HOME FOR** FEEBLE-MINDED

Board of Control Sends Recommendation on to City Council.

#### AT INDUSTRIAL FARM

To Spend Hundred and Fifty Thousand-Mayor and Foster Object.

With Controller Foster and the mayor dissenting the board of control yesterday recommended to council that \$150,000 be expended in the erection of an institution on the industrial farm for the care of the feeble-minded. A huge deputation, headed by Dr. Clarke of the General Hospital, and Dr. F. J. Conboy brought the matter to the attention of the board.

Dr. Charke in introducing the sub-Sect reminded the members that 60 per cent. of the women of the streets came from the ranks of the feeble-minded. Dr. F. J. Conboy suggested that there

that the board of education pay \$100 Finish Nineteen-Sixteen With per year and the government \$50 for each inmate. If we take care of our own feeble-minded it will cost us less than it would in provincial institu-

Mayor Church in reply declared that Mayor Church in reply declared that care of the feeble-minded was a question absolutely for the provincial government to handle. "If you go into this you are letting yourself in for all sorts of trouble. Why, you will have to undertake to care for certain classes of returned soldiers also." He believed cally one-third. returned soldiers also." He believed the province should pay at least half the cost of the new building.

with no overdraft

Controller Cameron's motion recom-

#### Dr. Hastings Starts Probe Into High Cost of Living

Dr. Hastings yesterday detailed ten officials of his department to visit and inspect every plant and also the premises of every company in the city hand-ling food products wholesale. Today he expects to have reports on the Littlejohn to prepare a suitable badge. quantity of supplies being held.

The medical health officer only received his appointment to handle the food inquiry Tuesday, and it was not

## Practically No Overdrafts

Outside of a few war matters, the board of control of 1915 and 1916 has

In 1915 the city finished the year with no overdrafts, as compared with mending that the institution be provided if the government and board of education will play \$50 and \$100 per last year with small surpluses, and year per capita maintenance, was car-ried.

## CITY HALL NOTES

Controller Thompson urged the board of control yesterday to make a suitable presentation to Fireman Dean

To put the firemen's benefit fund on a sound financial basis, Commissioner Bradshaw says, will require an annual increase in revenue of \$30,000, which be two institutions, one for boys and the other for girls. He would like to see both buildings under one management. "There are 725 acres of available fand in connection with existing lable fand in connection with existing institutions," he said, "and we propose, is factory results."

Increase in revenue of \$30,000, which is equal to an extra assessment of 44-5 per cent. On the salaries of the men. As the firemen are already contributing 5 per cent, of their pay it means the city will likely have to come institutions," he said, "and we propose, is factory results."



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We hold in His Majesty's Bonded warehouses (No. 44 and No. 49), 215 St. Paul St. West and 84 Fortification Lane, respectively wer one-half million dollars' worth of pure Imported Wines and iquors, comprising:

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References: OUR BANKERS, THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE HEAD OFFICE: TORONTO

# Lawrence A. Wilson Co., Limited

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MONTREAL

## **IMPROVE CONDITION OF CITY FACTORIES**

Medical Officer Reports Favorably on Industrial Hygiene.

### NEGLECTED BRANCH

Number of Plants Classified as "Bad," Reduced to Fourteen.

Satisfactory progress, Dr. Hastings reports to the health board, is being made in Toronto in improving hygienic conditions in factories and industries. For years, he says, industrial hygiene has been a lamentably neglected branch of progressive medicine. He asks, inasmuch as industrial diseases are for the most part preventable, why not prevent?

A year ago when the department inspected various industries it was found that in numerous places em-ployes were innocently inhaling lead and other trade dusts and chemical fumes, exceedingly injurious. A reinspection shows that devices have been and are being installed, such as hoods, fans and blowers. "It is gratifying," he concludes, "to find the manufacturers of Toronto realize he importance of industrial hygiene." In his statistics, the medical health officer reports that whereas in 1915 1293 factories were classified as good, the number is increased in 1916 to 1400. In 1915 62 were classed as bad. year the figure had been reduced

### A. Y. P. A. CONCERT.

St. Michael and All Angels A.Y.P.A. held a most successful concert on Tues-day, Dec. 12th, The following artists received great appliause: Miss Clarke. Miss Veadle, Miss Misener, Miss Hird Miss Bastide. The members presented one-hot entertainment entitled "Whiskers," which received great apcause. Much credit is due to Mrs. Beal for the splendid way the members

# ENTERTAINMENT IS

Men Who Ran Theatre Program Alleged to Have Defrauded

In the police court yesterday, Ernest B. Bredin and Thomas Harris, appeared on a charge of conspiracy to defraud the public. Bredin, who is alleged to be a deserter from Kingston, posed in Toronto as a sergeant-major, and recently advertised and performed a week's entertainment at the Fark Theatre, Bloor street and Lansdowne avenue, supposedly under the

Evidence of Detective McConnell showed that Bredin and Harris had agreed to divide the receipts and pay ecours National five per cent. of the They were committed for

Bredin was also committed for triation a charge of fraudulently obtaining \$57.80 from his employers, the Keen

Sales Specialty Co., for whom he work-CONDUCTED AT LOSS have turned in false orders.

## PUBLIC LIBRARY GETS VALU-

The Public Library has again been the recipient of very practical kind-ness, in the presentation to the referness, in the presentation to the reference library of a file of The Toronto Daily Telegraph, which was published from 1866-1872, interesting and critical years in our national history. This, like the many other gifts, was from J. Ross Robertson.

#### GIRL GETS DAMAGES.

downe avenue, supposedly under the auspices of Secours National. On the strength of his representations, he was given credit for advertising space in an evening newspaper to the value of \$87. avenue, near Queen street, in November, 1915, Miss Geneva Matthews was awarded \$200 by a jury in the county court.

profits. Coursel for the prisoners stated that the entertainment had been a loss and the promotors had received Ottawa, Dec. 12.—It is reported today that negotiations have been comleted whereby The Ottawa Free Press (Lib.) is to be merged with The Even-ing Journal (Con.), and issued as a

morning edition of the latter.

### Doctor Tells How to Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent. In One Week's Time In Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home.

Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weaknesses? If so, you will be glad to knew that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for afteen days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting clear of the regular use in almost every family." G. Tamblyn sells it.—(Advertisement).

Tenders



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and marked on the envelope "Tenders for Ontario Blank Drawing Books," will be received until noon of Monday, December 18th, 1916, for the publishing of two blank drawing books for a period of three and a half years, to be computed from the 1st day of January, 1917.

Specifications, with all necessary in-

Specifications, with all necessary information, will be furnished on application at the Department of Education after ten a.m. on Thursday, December 14th, 1916.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque for three hundred dollars, payable to the order of the undersigned, which will be forfeited if the successful tenderer declines to enter into a contract based on such tender when called upon to de so.

The successful tenderer will be required to furnish a bond in satisfactory securities for the due observance and fulfilment of the terms and obligations of the contract. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted. The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement will not be paid for.

(Signed) R. A. PYNE.

(Signed) R. A. PYNE,
Minister of Education
Department of Education,
Toronto, December 13th, 1916.

CONSERVATIVE WINS ESQUIMALT

Victoria, Dec. 12.-The Esquimalt election was reversed today when the tecount judge decided that Harry Fooley won by two votes. In the general election, McCurdy, Liberal, had been

#### SHORTEN SOLDIERS' LEAVE

Canadian Associated Press Cable.

London, Dec. 13.—Canadian army orders contain notice that owing to the necessity of reducing railway traific in England, leave will not be grant. ed except in very special circumstances

-week-end leave for home service men or for those in munitions works.
Christmas leave will be confined to five per cent, of any unit and none be tween Dec. 22 and 25. This will not interfere with the four days' leave invariably granted men proceeding to the front, nor with leave granted troops already in the field. MASSAGE ment, 69

VIBRATO

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#### Help Wanted

AT ONCE, men for office work, 25 to 30 WANTED for shaft work two drill run-ners and two helpers for steam drill. Good wages to right men. Write J. P. Williams, Kinmount, Ont.

#### Motor Cars For Sale.

BREAKEY SELLS THEM-Reliable uses cars and trucks, all types. Sale ket, 46 Cariton street.

#### Articles For Sale

WAGON FOR SALE. Phone Beach 2768.

#### **Typewriters**

TYPEWRITERS—Genuine rebuilt Under-wood typewriters, received periodically from the American factory, as low as fifty dollars.

why BUY FROM AGENTS who adver-tise anonymously, when you can pur-chase second-hand Underwoods here at thirty or thirty-five dollars? Satisfac-tion guaranteed or money refunded.

strong Remington machines, with offi-cial text-book, "Sight to Touch," only \$15, from which a boy typewriting. NO. 10 REMINGTONS, visible, two-cold ribbon, back-spacer, tabulator, rented at 2 months for \$5.00, which is deducted from the price of \$50 if you decide to buy. A limited number of Underwoods on the same terms.

TYPEWRITERS at the lowest prices an most liberal terms in Toronto.

#### DOMINION TYPEWRITER COMPANY 68 Victoria Street. Cattle Wanted.

REGISTERED HOLSTEINS—Want to purchase some good heifers, eight to eighteen months old. State number you have, lowest cash price, also sire and dam's name and registered number, prefer lot from one sire. Apply Box 86, World, Toronto.

#### Dancing

MR. AND MRS. S. T. SMITH, Riverdale Academy, Masonic Temple. Telephone Gerrard 3587 for prospectus, correspon-dence, 4 Fairview Boulevard.

#### Building Material.

UME—Lump and hydrated for plasterers' and masons' work. Our "Ecaver Brand" White Hydrate is the best finishing lime manufactured in Canada, and equal to any imported. Full line of builders' supplies. The Contractors' Supply Co., Limited, 182 Van Horne street. Telephone Junct. 4006, and Junct. 4147.

#### Personal.

A GOOD CHANCE to learn Hair Dressing, Manicuring, etc. Positions guaranteed: work done reasonable. 43

#### Contractors.

J. D. YOUNG & SON. Carpenters and Contractors: warehouses, tobbing. 835 College street. Legal Cards.

RYCKMAN & MACKENZIE, Barrister Solicitors, Sterling Bank Chamber corner King and Bay streets.

#### ratents.

M. J. S. DENNISON. solicitor, Canada United States, foreign patents, etc. 19 West King street. Toronto.

CHARLES H. RICHES, Solicitor for Canadian and foreign patents, Dinnick Building, 10 King St. East, Toronto. Books on patents free.

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#### Live Birds

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### Educational.

EMPIRE BUSINESS COLLEGE, Three-Forty-Six Broadview avenue. Enter any time. Six months, day, forty dollars; night, twenty.

#### Dentistry.

DR. KNIGHT, Painless Extraction Spe-cialist; nurse assistant. New address, 167 Yonge (opposite Simpson's). WE MAKE a low-priced set of teeth when necessary. Consult us when you are in need. Specialists in bridge and crown work. Riggs, Temple Building.

### Medicar.

DR. ELLIOTT, Specialist—Private Dis-eases. Pay when cured. Consultation free, 81 Queen street east. DR. DEAN, specialist. Diseases of men, piles and fistula. 38 Gerrard east. OSTEOPATHIC TREATMENTS — Dr. Martha McTavish, 90 College. North 7294. Ladies and children only.

### Herbalists.

PILES—Itching, bleeding, sweiling, pro-truding piles are instantly relieved by Alver's Pile Cintment. Druggist, 84 Queen West and 501 Sherbourne street, Toronto, fifty cents.

#### Massage.

MASSAGE PARLOR, under new management, 699½ Yonge. Lady attendants.

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Rooms and Board COMFORTABLE Private Hotel, ingle-wood, 295 Jarvis street; central; heat-ing; phone. GOOD TABLE BOARD at 745 Markham.

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HOUSE MOVING and Raising Done. J Nelson, 115 Jarvis street.

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### LIVE STOCK MARKET STEADY YESTERDAY Properties For Sale

MARKET GARDEN

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To Let.

SMALL HOUSE TO RENT. Phone Beac

Farms Wanted.

FARMS WANTED—If you wish to sell your farm or exchange it for city property for quick results, list with W. B. Bird, Temple Building, Toronto.

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Estate Notices

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—IN THE Matter of The Hall-Borchert Dress Form Company of Canada, Ltd., of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, Manufacturers, Insolvent.

NORMAN L. MARTIN.

Synopsis of Canadian North-

west Land Regulations

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta, Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency) on certain conditions.

Live stock may be substituted for cultiva-tion under certain conditions.

R. Bird, Temple Building, Toronte

Good Cattle of All Grades Firm-No Change in Prices Yesterday.

#### HOGS WERE STRONG

FOUR ACRES, close to Yonge street, between Richmond Hill and Bond Lake, soil is a black clay loam, suitable for gardening, fruit-growing or poultry raising. \$10 down and \$10 per month will pay principal and interest. If you anticipate building we will loan you \$200 for each \$100 you pay cash. Call, phone or write us and we will arrange to take you to see this property. Samples of vegetables grown on the land can be seen at this office. Open evenings. Stephens & Co., 136 Victoria street. Choice Veal Calves Were Firm -Sheep Strong-Lambs Steady.

> Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards yesterday consisted of 155 cars, 1885 cattle, 264 calves, 4666 hogs, 1169 sheep and lambs. 1169 sheep and lambs.
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> The demand for christmas and good to choice cattle of all grades continues steady. There were nearly 1906 on sale, and the proportion of good to choice animus was thuch better than the day previous. Sam Hisey sold 10 steers, average weight 1010 ios., at \$9.15; 1 steer of 1290 lbs. at \$10.10 per cwt. Corbett, Hall & Coughlin sold 1 steer, 1250 lbs., at \$10.85; 10 heirers, average weight 1050 lbs., at \$19.85; 10 heirers, average weight 1050 lbs., at \$19.85; 10 heirers, average weight 1050 lbs., at \$19.85; McDonaid & O'Hadigan sold 1 lot of heifers at \$9.76 per cwt. while a large number of straight loads sold at from \$10.85; The demand for cows was steady at Tuesday's quotations, and the same may be said for canners and cutters. Bulls, stockers and feeders were steady. Good milkers and springers were steady to firm, but the common kind were slow and a shade lower. Sheep, lambs and calves were steady. The hog magket was somewhat uneven. Some puckers insisted that \$11.75 was the price for fed and watered, while others admitted paying 10c to 15c more. The bulk sold at \$11.75, fed and watered.

### LIVE STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Heavy steers—Choice, \$9.75 to \$10.25; good, \$8.75 to \$9. Butcher steers and heifers—Choice, \$8.75 to \$9.25; good, \$8 to \$8.50; medium, \$7 to \$7.75; common, \$5.50 to \$6.50. Cows—Choice, \$7.25 to \$7.50; good, \$6.75 to \$7; medium, \$6.25 to \$7; common, \$5.75 to \$6.50.

to \$6.

Canners and cutters—\$4 to \$5.

Bulls—Best heavy, \$7.50 to \$8; good, \$7 to \$7.25; medium, \$6 to \$6.50; common, \$5 to \$5.75.

Stockers and feeders—\$5.50 to \$7.25.

Milkers and springers—Best, \$85 to \$120; medium, \$60 to \$70.

Lambs—Choice, \$12 to \$13; culls, \$8 to \$9.50 NOTICE is hereby given that the above named has made an assignment to me, under R.S.O., 10 Edward VII. Chapter 64, of all its estate and effects for the general benefit of its Creditors.

A meeting of Creditors will be held at my office, 64 Wellington Street West, in the City of Toronto. on Monday, the 18th day of December, 1916, at 3.30 p.m., to receive a statement of affairs, to appoint inspectors, and for the ordering of the estate generally.

Creditors are requested to file their claims with the Assignee before the date of such meeting. Lambs—Choice, \$12 to \$13; culls, \$8 to \$9.50

Sheep—Light, \$8.50 to \$9.75; heavy, \$7.50 to \$8.50.

Calves—Choice, \$11.50 to \$12.50; medium, \$8.50 to \$10.50; common, \$6 to \$8.50; heavy fat, \$7 to \$9.50.

Hogs—Fed and watered, \$11.75 to \$11.85; weighed off cars, \$12 to \$12.10.

Less \$2.50 to \$3.50 per cwt off sows, \$4 to \$5 per cwt. off stags, \$1 to \$2 per cwt. off light hogs and \$2 to \$3 per cwt. off thin feeder pigs, and one-half of one per cent. government condemnation loss.

#### REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

claims with the Assignee before the date of such meeting.

And notice is hereby given that after thirty days from this date the assets will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have then been given, and the Assignee will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claim he shall not then have had notice. Dated at Toronto, this 12th day of December, 1916. All persons having claims against the control of Newark, in the State of New Jersey, U.S.A., widow, who died on or about the 12th day of March, 1916, are required on or before the 80th day of December, Tai6, to send by post, prepaid, or delivered to the undersigned, solicitors for the administrator with the will annexed of the said estate, their full names, addresses and descriptions, the particulars of their claims and a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after such last mentioned date the said administrator with the will annexed will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased's estate to the particular thereto entitled, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof to any person or or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Toronto this 1st day of December 1918 Dated at Toronto this 1st day of December, 1916.
COATSWORTH & RICHARDSON,
157 Bay Street, Toronto, Solicitors for the Administrator with the will an-

Cows—Choice, \$7.50 to \$8.25; g 1, \$6.50 to \$7.25; medium, \$5.05 5.0.

Canners and cutters—\$4.25 to \$4.75.

Bulls—Choice, \$7.50 to \$8; good, \$6.75 to \$7.75; medium, \$6.05 \$6.50; common, \$5.75; medium, \$6.05 \$6.50; common, \$5.50 to \$8.

Mikkers and springers—Best, \$85 to \$1.0; medium, \$69 to \$70.

Three hundred lambs at 12c to 12%c lb.; the bulk at \$12.25; \$1 good sheep at \$c.00 \$c.00; common, \$6.00 \$c.00; Duties.—Six months residence upon and unlivation of the land in each of three years. A hone-metader may live within nine miles of his nomestead on a farm of at least boares, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required, except where residence is performed in the vicinity. In certain districts a nomesteader in good

Duties.—Six months' residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent, also 50 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price, \$3,00 per

rs and springers—6 cows at \$80; cow at \$65.

Lambs—400 at 12c to 12%c lb.; culls at 8c to 9%c lb.
Sheep—Light, 8%c to 9%e lb.; heavy, 7c to 8%c lb.
Calves—Choice, 11%c to 12%c lb.; medium, 8%c to 10%c lb.; heavy, fat, 7c to 9c lb.; common, 5%c to 8c lb.
Eleven decks of hogs at \$11.75, fed and watered.

#### REPRESENTATIVE PURCHASES.

REPRESENTATIVE PURCHASES.

H. P. Kesnedy bought 50 cattle, 700 to 800 lbs., at \$6 to \$7, and sold two loads on order, one load, 700 to 800 lbs., at \$6.50; one load, 950 lbs., at \$7.25.

J. Atwell & Sons bought 100 cattle, 850 to 950 lb. steers at \$6.75 to \$7.25; 750 to 850 lbs. steers at \$6.75 to \$7.25; 750 to 850 lbs. steers at \$6.75 to \$6.75. And sold one load choice yearlings at \$7 per cwt.

J. B. Dillane sold 20 feeders, 875 lbs., at \$7.10, and 30 stockers, 760 lbs., at \$6.90.

C. McCurdy bought 100 cattle: One load steers, 800 to 1000 lbs., at \$8.50 to \$9.25; 70 steers and heifers, 600 to 800 lbs., at \$6.50 to \$7.25.

Adex. Levack bought for Gunns, Ltd., 200 cattle: Butcher steers and heifers, \$7.75 to \$9.50; cows, \$5.85 to \$8; canners and cutters, \$4.60 to \$4.85; bulls, \$5.60 to \$7.75; 150 lambs at \$12.50 to \$12.75 cwt.; 20 caives at \$10 to \$12 cwt.

W. J. Neely, bought for Matthews, Blackwell, 75 cattle: Butcher steers and heifers at \$8.25 to \$8.75; cows, good, \$6.50 to \$7.50; medium, \$5.50 to \$6.25; canners, \$4 to \$4.55.

\*Hogs—100 hogs, fed and watered at \$11.75, weighed off cars at \$12.

R. Carter bought for Puddy Bros. two carloads of hogs at \$11.75 to \$11.90 for fed and watered, and \$12 to \$12.15 weighed off cars.

Ed Mitchell bought for Armour & Co., Hamilton, 75 cattle: Butcher steers and heifers, 1000 lbs., at \$8 to \$8.50.

J. H. Dingle bought for Gunns, Led., 700 hogs, fed and watered at \$11.75, and weighed off cars at \$12.

The Swift Canadian Co. purchased 400 cattle: Butcher steers and heifers at \$8.56; cows, good, at \$6.75 to \$7.50; medium at \$6 to \$6.50; canners and cutters at \$4.50 to \$5.50; canners and cutters at \$4.50 to \$6.50; canners and cutters at \$4.50 to \$6.50; canners and cutt

77.50. Calves—178 at \$5 to \$6; 20 at \$10 to \$18. Lambs—300 at \$12 to \$12.75; 30 choice black-face lambs, 87 lbs. each, at 13c lb. Sheep—50 at \$5 to \$9.50. Hogs—400 at \$11.75) fed and watered.

## BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

; steady. Veats—Receipts, 250; active, \$4.50 \$14. Hogs—Receipts, 2500; slow; heavy, \$10,40 to \$10.50; mixed, \$10.35 to \$10.40; yorkers, \$10.25 to \$10.40; light yorkers, \$9.25 to \$9.75; pigs, \$9 to \$9.25; roughs, \$9.25 to \$9.35; stags, \$7 to \$8. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 600; active; lambs, \$8.50 to \$13.50; others unchanged.

"I have no faith whatever in Germany's peace proposals, said Premier Hearst yesterday. "Peace will have to be dictated by Great Pritain and her allies. Instead of any relaxation on the part of the people of Canada, they should redouble their afforts to bring about the day of final triumph and lasting peace.

#### Important Decreases Noted in Number of Serious Diseases

The number of deaths in Toronto in

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## CHRISTMAS SPIRIT IS SEEN ON MARKET

Many Gay Decorations and Arrivals of Fruits and Nuts, Etc.

### GOOD QUALITY CELERY

First Car of California Growing Reaches the Wholesale.

The spirit of Christmastide is daily becoming more manifest on the wholesales, with the increasing arrivals of fruits, with the increasing arrivals of fruits, nuts, etc., and the gay decorations with which some of the firms try to brighten their surroundings.

White & Co. have an especially effective scene, with the evergreen trees, holly, fruits, etc., and a lifelike figure of jolly old St. Nicholas, with his usual pack on his back.

The first car of California celery for this season came in yesterday to Mc-William & Everist. It is of splendid quality and is selling at \$7.50 per case.

Hothouse tomatoes have been rather scarce this past few days, and consequently they have a firming tendency, No. 1's yesterday sold at 25c to 27c per lb., the No. 2's being mostly low-grade, selling at 15c to 20c per lb.

White & Co. had a car of California navel oranges, selling at \$3.25 to \$3.75 per case; a car of boxed apples (Rome Beauty); a car of cauliflower, selling at \$1.75 per case; a car of mat figs, selling at 7%c per lb.

Jos. Bamford & Sons had a car of Sunkist navel oranges, selling at \$3.75 per case; a car of Rome Beauty boxed apples, selling at \$2.50 per box; a car of Delaware potatoes, selling at \$2.25 per bag.

McWilliam & Everist had a car of navel bag.
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per case.

A. A. McKinnon had two cars of New Brunswick Delaware potatoes, selling at \$2.15 per bag,

Wholesale Fruits. Wholesale Fruits.

Wholesale Fruits.

Apples—20c to 35c per 11-quart basket;
extra choice, 50c per 11-quart. Barrels—
No. 1s, 35.50 to 37 ser bbl.; No. 2's, \$4
to \$5.50 per bbl.; No. 3's, \$3 to \$4 per bbl.; boxed apples, \$1 to \$1,25 to \$2 per box; British Columbis bered Delicious, \$2.65 to \$2.75 per box; Jonathans. Wagener, Spys, Gano. Salome. Spitzenbergs and Rome Beauty, \$2.25 to \$2.50 per box; Washington Rome Beauty and Spitzenbergs, \$2.25 to \$2.50 per box.

Bananas—\$2 to \$3 per bunch.

Cranberries—\$9 and \$9.50 per bbl.; latekeeping, \$10, \$11, \$1.25 and \$11.50 per

keeping, \$10, \$11, \$1.88 and \$1.80 bbl.

Dates—11c to 12c per lb.; Fard dates,
16c per lb.
Figs—84c to 12c per box.
Grapefruit—Florida, \$3.75 to \$4.25 per case; Porto Rico, \$3 to \$3.50 per case;
Jamaica, \$2.75 to \$3 per case; Cubans, \$3 Jamaica, \$2.75 to \$3 per case; Cubans, \$3 to \$3.50 per qase.
Grapes—Malaga, from \$6.50 per keg up; Emperors, \$5 per keg.
Lemons—Messinas, \$3.50 to \$4 per case.
Melons—Casaba, \$4.50 per case.
Oranges—Naveis, \$3.25 to \$3.75 per case; Florida, \$2.75 to \$3.75 per case; Mexican, \$2.75 per case.
Pears—Imported, \$4.50 per case; Canadian, boxed Anjous, \$2.75 to \$3 per box.
Pineapples—Porto Rice, \$4.75 to \$5 per case. Pomegranates—Spanish. \$4 to \$4.50 per

Case.
Tangerines—\$2.75 and \$3.25 per case.
Tangerines—Hothouse, No. 1's, 25c to Tomatoes—Hothouse, No. 1's, 27c per lb.; No. 2's, 26c per lb. Wholesale Vegetables. Wholesale Vegetables.
Artichokes—50c per 11-quart basket;
French, \$1.50 per dozen.
Beets—\$1.50 per dozen.
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Beets—\$1.50 per bag.
Beans—Dried, hand-picked, \$6 per bushel; Lima, 10c per lb.
Brussels sprouts—Imported, 23c per box; home-grown, 10c to 12½c per box.
Cabbage—Canadian, 2½c per lb., \$2.50.
\$2.75 and \$3 per bbl.
Carrots—\$1 to \$1.25 per bag; new, 50c per dozen bunches.
Cauliflower—Home-grown, \$2 to \$3.25 per bbl.; California, \$1.50 to \$1.75 per case.

The number of deaths in Toronto in November, 1916, was 410, which was 57 less than in November of last year and two less than in November, 1914. In the causes of death important decreases are noted in pneumonia and bronchial pneumonia, cerebral hemorrhage and apoplexy. The only notable increase is found in cancer, which is nine above last November.

In the statistics of acute contagious diseases, diphtheria jumped from 74 cases in November, 1915, to 150 in November this year.

PIC PULP LIMIT.

J. J. Carrick, M.P., former member of the legislature here, was yegterday announced as the successful tenderer for the Pic River Pulp Limit, covering 1400 square miles, on the usual terms.

The tender was a bouus of 50 cents

hamper, \$2.50 per small hamper.

Mushrooms—\$2.25 to \$2.50 per 4-lb. bas-ket.

Onions—Spanish, \$4.75 per 100-lb.
\$2.50 to \$2.75 per half-case, \$1.75 per sack.

Onions—B.C.'s \$3.50 to \$3.75 per 100-lb.
sack; Americans, \$4.25 per 100-lb. sack: In the statistics of acute contagious diseases, diphtheria jumped from 74 cases in November, 1915, to 150 in November there were only \$4 this year.

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There was practically nothing doing on the North Toronto Market yesterday, only two people bringing in produce, one of whom had to pick up his vegetables of whom had to pick up his vegetables and go elsewhere.

Butter brought 48c per lb. Nine new-laid eggs sold for 80c, and a couple of chickens, 25c per lb.

Hay and Straw—

Hay, No. 1, per toa. .\$1\$ \$6 to \$14 00

Hay, No. 2, per ton... 12 00 13 00

Straw, rye, per ton... 17 00 18 00

Straw, loose, per ton... 9 00 10 00

Straw, oat, bundled, per ton... 15 00 16 00 Straw, oat, bundled, per ton 15 00 16 00

Dalry Produce, Retail—

Eggs. new, per doz. \$0 75 to \$0 90

Bulk going at. 0 75 0 80

Butter, farmers' dairy 0 45 0 50

Spring chickens, 1b 0 19 0 25

Boiling fowl, b 0 16 0 20

Geese, lb 0 18 0 20

Live hens, lb 0 18

Turkeys, 1b 0 30 0 35

Butter, creamery, fresh-

Farm Produce. Wholesale.

Butter, creamery, freshmade, lb. squares....\$0 47 to \$0 48

Butter, creamery, solids...0 44 0 45

butter, separator, dairy...0 43 0 44

Butter, dairy......0 40 0 41

Butter, dairy........0 40 0 41 Butter, dalry 0 40
Eggs, new-laid, in cartons,
dozen 0 65
Eggs, fresh, selects, case
lots, dozen 0 50
Eggs, cold storage, selects,
per dozen 0 45
Eggs, tresh, case lots, 0 42
Cheese, June, per lb 0 26
Cheese, new, twins 0 261½
Honey, 60-lbs., per lb 0 12
Honey comb, per dozen 2 50
Honey, glass jars, dozen 1 00
Fresh Meats, Wholesale.
Beef, hindquarters, cwt 11 06
Beef, choice sides, cwt 11 08
Beef, medium, cwt 9 00
Beef, medium, cwt 9 00
Mutton, cwt 11 00
Lambs, spring, lb 0 17
Veal, No 1 14 50
Veal, common 8 50
Dressed hogs, cwt 14 00
Hogs, over 150 lbs. (not

Fowl, 4 lbs. and over it.

Fowl, under 4 lbs., lb. 0 10

Dressed—

Spring chickens, lb. \$0 18 to \$...

Spring ducks, lb. 0 16

Geese, lb. 0 16

Turkeys, lb. 0 28

Fowl, 4 lbs. and over, lb. 0 16

Squabs, per dozen. 3 50 4 00

Hides and Skins.

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front street, Dealers in Wool, Yarns, Hides, Calfskins and Sheepskins, Raw Furs, Tallow, etc.:

Lambskins and pelts. \$1 50 to \$2 00

Sheepskins, city 2 50 3 50

Sheepskins, city 2 50 3 60

City hides, flat 0 25

Country hides, cured 0 24

Country hides, part-cured 0 22

Country hides, green 0 19

Calfskins, lb. 0 45

Kip-skins, per lb. 0 37 Calfskins, lb. 0 45
Kip skins, per lb. 0 37
Horsehair, per lb. 0 38
Horsehides, No. 1 7 00
Horsehides, No. 2 7 00
Wool, washed 0 44
Wool, rejections 0 35
Wool, unwashed 0 34
Tallow, No. 1, cake, lb. 0 09
Tallow, solids 0 08

### FARMERS' MARKET.

Fall wheat—New, \$1.65 per bushel; old, \$1.60 per bushel.

Goose wheat—\$1.65 per bushel.

Barley—Maiting, \$1.18 to | 20 per bushel. ushel. Oats—New, 65c to 66c per bushel. Buckwheat—Nominal.

Rye—According to sample, \$1.30 per bushel.

Hay—Timothy, \$13 to \$14 per ton; mixed and clover, \$11 to \$12 per ton.

Straw—Bundled, \$14 to \$18 per ton; loose, \$12 per ton.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET.

Winnipeg, Dec. 13.—December wheat closed 4c lower, May closing 4c lower after a fluctuation of 44c. Outs braced up near the close and showed a gain for the day of 1%c in December and 7c in May. Barley broke 3c in December and 5c in May. 

JUDGMENT RESERVED

# Pte. J. Shannon Found Guilty of Assault in the Sessions.

Charged with assaulting Elgin Weatherell and A. Campbell on Yonge street on the night of Nov. 2, Pte. J. Shannon of the 204th Battaflon, appeared before Judge Coatsworth in the sessions yesterday. It was alleged that Shannon was drunk at the time of the occurrence, but he refuted this statement, saying he had taken (all statement, saying he had taken (all statement, saying he had taken (all statement). that Shannon was drunk at the fime of the occurrence, but he refuted this statement, saying he had taken only three drinks on the night in question. A verdict of gullty was returned by the jury who were cut ten minutes and his honor reserved judgment, fixing half at \$1000. and his honor reserved judgment, fix-ing bail at \$1000.

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## WHEAT REBOUNDS ON WAR OUTLOOK

Unfavorable Reception to Peace Proposals Stimulates Chicago Market

#### BUYERS, DO BIG TRADE

Final Bulge Results in Purchase of Two Million Bushels.

Chicago, Dec. 13.-Notwithstanding that nuch nervousness was shown in the wheat market today, the excitement and Quotations closed firm at \$1.67\(\frac{1}{2}\) for May and \$1.43\(\frac{1}{2}\) for July, with the market as a day's finish to 24c higher. Corn gained day's finish to 24c higher. Corn gained 1%c to 1%c, and oats %c to %c. The result in provisions varied from 20c decline to a rise of a shade.

It was a day of rapid but not wide changes of price in the wheat pit. On all the breaks, there was free buying, during which strong commission houses, were conspicuous. Every advance, the brought about a return of selling pressure, largely because shorts were disposed to take profits whenever a good opportunity offered. Nothing except what seemed to have some bearing on the peace outlook was able to command the attention of traders. Foreign newspaper comment, which a majority of dealers took to be adverse to any immediate cessation of hostilities, formed the basis for a great deal of the buying. On the other hand, the most pronounced setback in values resulted from headlines that implied a possibility of counter-proposals from Great Britain and her allies.

In the end, buyers of wheat appeared to be decidedly more numerous than sellers. The final bulge was the result of the purchase of 2,000,000 bushels supposed to be for a couple of bull leaders.

For the most part, corn merely reflected the action of wheat. Scarcity of railway cars tended greatly to restrict business, holding back in particular offerings from the country.

In oats, as in other grain, bears were again at a disadvantage. Shorts bought liberally on the declines.

Provisions weakened because of less optimism regarding peace. 1%c to 1%c, and oats %c to %c. The

### Board of Trade Official Market Quotations

Manitoba Wheat (Track, Bay Ports).

No. 1 northern, new, \$1.87%.

No. 2 northern, new, \$1.84%.

No. 3 northern, new, \$1.79%.

No. 4 wheat, new, \$1.76%.

Old crop trading 4c above new crop.

No. 4 wheat, new, \$1.76½.

Old crop trading 4c above new crop.

Manitoba Oats (Track, Bay Ports).

No. 2 C.W. 62½c.

No. 3 C.W., 59½c.

Extra No. 1 feed, 59½c.

No. 1 feed, 58c.

American Corn (Track, Toronto).

No. 3 yellow, new, \$1.02½. Decembershipment, subject to embargo.

Ontario Oats According to Freights Outledon, 3 white, 60c to 62c, nominal.

No. 2 white, 60c to 61c, nominal.

Ontario Wheat (According to Freights Outledo).

No. 2 winter, new, per car lot, \$1.63

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No. 2 winter, new, per car lot, \$1.63
to \$1.65.
No. 3 winter, new, per car lot, \$1.61
to \$1.63.
Peas (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2, \$3.30.
Barley (According to Freights Outside).
Maiting, \$1.18 to \$1.20.
Buckwheat (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2, \$1.36 to \$1.38.

No. 2, \$1.36 to \$1.38.

Manitoba Flour (Toronto).
First patents, in jute bags, \$9.90.
Second patents, in jute bags, \$9.40.
Strong bakers', in jute bags, \$9.40.
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Ontagio Flour (Prompt Shipment).
Winter, according to sample, \$7 to \$7.10, in bags, track, Toronto.
Millfeed (Car Lots, Delivered, Montreal Freights).
Bran, per ton, \$33.
Shorts, per ton, \$35.
Shorts, per ton, \$37.
Middings, white, per ton, \$38 to \$40.
Good feed flour, per bag, \$2.70 to \$2.80.
Hay (Track, Toronto).
No. 1, per ton, \$10 to \$11.50.
Straw (Track Toronto).
Car lots, per ton, \$9 to \$9.50.

Liverpool Markets.

# LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

Liverpool, Dec. 13. — Wheat — Spot, steady; No. 1 Manitoba, old, 17s 8d; No. 2 hard winter, 16s 11d.

Corn—Spot, steady; American mixed, new, 13s 10½d.

Flour—Winter patents, 47s.
Hops in London (Pacific coast), f4 15a to 55 15s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 96s.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbe., 93s; clear belies, 14 to 16 lbs., 96s.
cers, square, 11 to 13 lbs., 95s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, new, 95s; old, 96s; American refined, 98s 3d; in boxes, 97s. 95s; old, 96s; American refined, 98s 3d; in boxes, 97s.
Chease—Canadian finest white, new, 128s; colored, 131s.
Tallow—Australian in London, 54s 9d.
Turpentine—Spirits, 54s 6d.
Rosin—Common, 23s 6d.
Petroleum—Refined, 1s 1½d.
Linseed oll—53s.
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot, 51s.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

J. P. Bickell & Co. report: Open. High. Low. Close Close, Wheat—
Dec. ... 156¼
May ... 167
July ... 144
Corn—
Dec. ... 89½ 156¼ 150¼ 154 154 167¾ 163% 167¾ 165¾ 144% 140% 143% 143

PRIMARIES.

Yester. Last wk. Last yr.

NORTHWEST CARS.

Yester. Last wk. Last yr.
Winnipes ... 761 1085 1011
Minneapolis ... 422 434 884
Duluth ... 123 109 46

"Our First Christmas Without Booze"— read the story in The Sunday World Christmas number.

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# KIRKLAND LAKE HAS ITS "GOLDEN MILE"

of Mines of Australia in North Country.

#### WAR UPSET DEVELOPMENT

McKane Property This Year's Sensation in the Kirkianu Lake Camp.

Swastika, Dec. 13.-In its palmy days Kalgoorlie was wont to boast of mines stretched for a measured mile like beads on a string. Harry Cecil, the English promoter, with considerable experience in Australia, says that Kalgoorlie has its counterpart in the Kirkland Lake district from three to six miles east of this burg. Mr. Cecil would have poured millions into the district had not devastating war played havoc with his plans. But the visitor of today sees six mines and near importance. The shaft was sunk on a spectacular surface vein, which dipped away almost immediately, and the new discovery is believed to be an entirely separate and distinct ore body. At the present time the vein is running 5 1.2 feet in width, and carries in its centre a remarkably rich pay circal 43 inches wide, which runs on assay over \$46 in gold to the ton. The ore is healthy quartz and everything points to the fact that the vein will prove an exceptionally high grade milling ore head of the string that the same and the new discovery is believed to be an entirely separate and distinct ore body.

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One Producer at Present.

At present there is only one producer—
the Tough-Oakes—but at least three more will be brought to that stage before the end of 1917. Operations have been somewhat de-

layed by want of hydro-electric power, but the transformer station is now about finished and when the "juice" is turned on there will be greatly in-

In one respect at least this gold field resembles Kalgoorlie. It has tellurides of gold, silver, bismuth and lead. Tellurium itself is a mineral of no econo mic importance, but it is associated with gold at Cripple Creek, Colorado, and in Kalgoorie and is generally con-

The old McKane property, now known as the Kirkland Lake, and owned by the Beaver Consolidated of Cobalt, has furnished the sensation of end of the gold belt, as at present opened up. Very large bodies of ore, running from \$8 to \$10 per ton, have lately been tapped on the 800-foot level and below. These finds have caused much excitement in the discaused much excitement in the district, for heretofore the veins exploited at most of the mines are rather narrow. Now enthusiasts see a greater future for the camp, and the the ore bodies at the McKane are not as large or rich as those recently developed at the McIntyre, Porcupine, still they add greatly to the importance of the camp. The transition from small to large ore bodies, tho as yet only in one mine, has begotten very lively hopes of increasing tonnages at all the mines. But the descape. lively hopes of increasing tonnages at all the mines. But the developments at the McKane, the very promis-ing, have not proceeded far enough to enable one to say whether there will be larger tonnages and consequently values thruout the whole camp. But in any case progress has been sufficient to enable one to predict that there will probably be a dozen paying mines developed within the next three years, and had we no Porcupine we could safely rely on this district to maintain the reputation of Northern

Ontario as a great mining region.

Some Similarity to Porcupine. Here we find many features in common with Porcupine and at the same time many marked differences. At Porcupine the sedimentary or fragmental rocks have not been productive, nor has the quartz or feldspar porphyry, tho at the Preston, Little Pet and other properties south of the Dome, small but rich veins occur in the porphyry. Here the mines are working, so far as one can now see, entirely in the sediments and feldspar porphyry.

The veins cut both formations and carry high values in both. It has been noted, however, by the officials of the Ontario Bureau of Mines that the veins are stronger and better defined in the more easily fractured sediments. The volume of the igneous intrusions is also greater in sediments of the Timiskaming series than in the harder and tougher keewatin greenstones, and this raises a question as to what, if any, change will take place when the sediments are bottom-ed and the veins have to live wholly in the igneous rocks. In other words, will this be a deep mining camp?

Rock Formations. The ore now coming to the surface is largely a salicified and altered porphyry. The gold-bearing solutions ascended in narrow channels and seem to have saturated the country rock on both sides of these channels. Without these additions to the vein stuff proper the volume of ore would be

The question of depth and quantity of ore is one of very great importance in this camp, for no one can doubt the existence of values even beyond the average. At one time tellurides were considered to spell depth, but that theory must now be given up in view of the results at the two prominent telluride fields, Kalgoorlie and Cripple Creek. Should values here continue to great depths, say 5000 feet, this will undoubtedly be a very great gold producing district, a worthy rival to Porcupine. Should they go only to 1000 feet it will still be a region with very good rewards for the investor.

Unfortunately the rocks are not only hard but tough. Mining and milling costs are high, and this, of course, affects profits. This feature of the "country" is not favorable to large and deep ore bodies but rather to those that are small and rich. But on the whole it seems probable that the "golden mile" of Kalgoorlie will in pro-

duction at least be duplicated here. As yet there has been no failure in say of the gold regions of Northern Ontario in which capital has been skilfully employed, and it is only reasonable optimism to look for much greater progress, as our exceptionally rich regions are better understood and de-

### RAPID PROGRESS MADE

AT DAVIDSON MINE

Six Months Since Development Work Was Resumed.

F. C. Sutherland & Co., say of the Counterpart of Famous String Davidson: As development work preceedes, everything points to the fact that this mine will prove one of the surprises of the Porcupine camp. It surprises of the Porcupine camp. It is only six months since the property was reopened but in the interval the main shaft has been continued to a depth of 316 feet, the ore body located and partially developed on the 200 and 200 foot levels, the No. 2 shaft started on the south claim and a second rich vein discovered at this point.

During the past week a vein of considerable promise was run into at a depth of 50 feet in the south shaft, and from the results that have been ob-

from the results that have been ob-tained to date, the management antici-pates that the find is of the utmost importance. The shaft was sunk on a

prove an exceptionally high grade milling ore body of great merit.

Work on the 300 foot level is proceeding rapidly, and at this depth the main ore body is proving fully as consistent in values and width as on the two upper levels. two upper levels. The drills are still in ore and until the hanging wall is reached, the width of the vein will not e known, but it is already assured that a very extensive tonnage of high grade milling ore is being put into

For Vipond Merger

Homer L. Gibson, in his fortnightly review, has the following: A circular has been issued, calling with gold at Cripple Creek, Colorado, and in Kalgoorhe and is generally conceded to mean rich ore.

In this district the Tough-Oakes lies at the eastern end of the "golden mile." It is the only property that has yet shipped to the smelter exceptionally valuable ore. One hundred and one tons from this mine gave returns of over \$46,000. The mine is now milling its own ore and the run of mine is from \$15 to \$20 per ton, but the total production measured according to Porcupine standards is not large, being about \$700,000 per year.

This Year's Sensation.

The old McKane property, now known as the Kirkland Lake, and owned by the Beaver Consolidated of the company in an enviable financial position. The price of this underwriting is understood to the company in an enviable financial position. The price of this underwriting is understood to the company in an enviable financial position. The price of this underwriting is understood to the company in an enviable financial position. The price of this underwriting is understood to the company in an enviable financial position. price of this underwriting is under-stood to be considerably above the present market price of the stock. N. J. Evercd, at present local manager of the North Thompson Co., is to be re-sident manager, and C. H. Poirier, who has been manager of the Vipond, will ac. as consulting engineer. The amalgamated company will thus have the benefit of the long experience of both ance in the camp, and production will almost immediately reach the same

#### DEALS ON SLIM MARGINS.

The strength of Newray and Boston Creek in the face of general market weakness on Tuesday and early Wednesday was a prominent feature in the mining market and accepted as evidence of the confidence holders have in these two issues. Newray was absorbed without the slightest reaction and Boston Creek actually advanced on strong buying. A weak speculative following in some of the other issues left an opening for attacks which were evidently successful in forcing many accounts to liquidate. Mining stocks like any other securities cannot be successfully dealt in on sim margins.

### PLANT FOR CEDAR LAKE.

It is stated that boilers, hoist, drills and pumps have been ordered for Cedar Lake property of the Rand Consolidated. Property shows high-grade gold, silver and copper ore; and exploration work is expected to show up considerable ore.

#### Rise in Silver Will Promote Development

The price of silver yesterday advanced to 76 1-2 an ounce or within 7-8 of a cent of the high price for the year and the highest price reached in a decade. The present advance is expected to go very much farther and builion brokers in their private information say that one dollar an ounce will readily be paid at no distant date. The benefit of such a rise in silver to Cobalt and other silver properties in northern Ontario is impossible to estimate, but the effect will certainly be to stimulate development and cause the opening up of many old and new

Samuel Montague & Co. of London, in their most recent letter, have the following: It cannot be challenged that the present condition of the market is more sound than when the spectacular movements in May last carried the quotation to 37 1-8. During the intervening period the Chinese stock has been greatly reduced, America has been relieved of certain accumulations she then held, and the Indian currency figures, notwithstanding large continuous purchases for the Indian mints, show a declining tendency. The silver market has often lived up to its reputation of doing the unexpected, but the situation is such that further advances may be expected before the close of the year, provided no new factor intervenes.

## Peace Talk and the Stock Market

In an article headed "One Boom Finishes and Another Starts" in The World of two weeks ago, a prominent local financial man of of many years' stock market experience, was quoted as follows:

'My advice, therefore, is to clean up with New York while the cleaning up is good, and to get into the promising New Ontario gold and silver stocks before the real rise has started. And it must be remembered that all kinds of money has been made in the United States during the past two years, that a large amount of this will be invested in Ontario gold and silver camps, and in fact has already started."

How opportune and correct this advice was is borne out indisputably by the following table in which the prices of ten American stocks are given on the day the advice was tendered, and the same two weeks later, and a comparison for the same period of ten of the active listed mining stocks at the Standard Stock Exchange:

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	Newray121 131	
	Chambers-Ferland . 13 181/2	
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Baldwin 80 1/2 73 3/4	Boston Creek 48 88	
	Hargraves 61/4 171/4	
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The reason for the big decline in the New York market was the prospect of peace owing to the overtures of the German chancellor. The terms of a peace as suggested along the German lines are, of course, ridiculous in the eyes of the allies, but American financiers are astute enough to recognize that they mean a basis for the beginning of the end. Stock markets discount events a long distance ahead. The New York market long ago discounted the enormous demand for steel, copper and other commodities demanded on account of the war, and the prices of the stocks of the companies concerned in their production. The next thing Wall Street intends to discount is peace, and altho this is some distance off, the New York financiers might be relied upon to have the stock market duly prepared for that event.

Finance Minister Sir Thomas White has advised Canadians to invest in home securities. This is both patriotic and wise, and in helping to build up the gold and silver mining of New Ontario a big help is being given the empire in carrying on the war and making provision to assist in defraying the cost after its conclusion. At the same time it should be remembered that many American financial men are seeing the opportunities of the Ontario mining fields, and are turning much money into this channel.

The nearer peace the stronger will become the interest in properties developing silver and gold, especially the latter, and whenever you get a concentration of interest a boom inevitably follows. It will be the part of prudent investment to watch the Canadian mining securities from now on and for a long time.

Plant at the Apex Mines of

Dom. Reduction Co. Attracted by

Showings of West Shining

Tree.

One of the largest mining deals put

thru in the north country for some time was consummated last Saturday

in Toronto when a controlling interest

in the Caswell property of West Shin-ing Tree district was sold for a large

sum to the Dominion Reduction Co. at

The Caswell property, formerly con-trolled by Buffalo interests, is the most

Tree district, and samples brought

No. 1 shaft there is a gold showing two inches wide and four feet long.
They also have over 50 bags of \$400

The deal was negotiated by Frank C. Lorring, of Toronto, and Frank G. Moller, of Buffalo.

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CONTROL OF CASWELL

#### DIAMOND DRILLING TO COMMENCE AT ONCE

Krist-Thompson Directors' Meeting to Award Contracts.

The directors of the Krist-Thompson Mining Company will meet on Saturday next to consider and award contracts for diamond drull to commence without delay. It is also the intention of the directors to appoint a prominent consulting engineer to act in conjunction with Resident Engineer Bryce, formerly at the McKinley Darragh mind in Cobalt. The public offering of the Krist-Thompson stock was a marked subscriptions came from the north country. The company's treasury is now well supplied with money to prove up the claims which are excellently located in Porcupine, and early results are looked for. The drive against the hares in the market on Tuesday and Wednesday by short traders did not meet with much success as the price rapidly rose from 34 to 39, and the peace rumors worked for the drive did not long survive.

#### Rumors of Gold Values In Inspiration Cores

Special to The Toronto World. Timmins, Dec. 13.—According to statements made by those in close touch with drilling results on Inspira-tion Gold, the greater the depth attained the more encouraging becomes the outlook. Every core now coming up shows good mineralization, but so far no assay results have been obtainable, altho it is rumored thru the camp values as high as \$7 to the ton ni gold have been found by the drillers, and over a substantial width. It is also a favorable factor that the formation underlying the sandy surface on Inspiration is identical with that of advanced prospect in the West Shining Hollinger Consolidated and the pro-

ducing mines in this vicinity. The miners are apparently not in-fluenced by the market fluctuation in this stock and are positive in their opinions, which they express freely, that before another year has passed Inspiration Gold will have passed from the prospective into the proven mine stage, also that market values will be materially enhanced during this

## SHAMROCK IN ORE.

F. C. Sutherland Co. in their weekly etter say: Continued good reports reach us from Cobalt concerning this property, and we are advised that as work proceeds in the raise from the 300-foot level the vein recently discovered is showing very satisfactory results. The face of the stope is in 30 feet, and the vein is now running about 1½ inches wide and shows heavy silver. The ore is the best that has been found on the property, and if the present indications are realized the management anticipates that the property will join the list of producers in Cobalt early next year. The Shamrock adjoins the Beaver on the north, and it is believed that the company has run into an exten-sion of the Beaver vein series which carried such high values along the

#### PORTO RICO EARNINGS.

upper contact.

Porto Rico Railway gross earnings for November were \$67,046, an increase of \$4480 and net \$32,679, a decrease of

For eleven months gross was \$758,-281, increase \$73,455, and net \$373,765, increase \$32,229.

#### PRICE OF SILVER

New York, Dec. 13.—Bar silver is 76c.
London, Dec. 13.—Bar silver, 36%d.

# MINES SHOW SIGNS OF RETURNING CONFIDENCE

Quick Recovery in Market Anticipated—Technical Conditions Strong.

The mining stock market yesterday had a more confident tone than on the preceding day, but there were still signs of nervousness, accompanied by some scattered l'auidation. In a few stocks lower prices were registered such recessions were almost invariably the signal for good buying, with consecuent sharp recoveries. The consequent sharp recoveries. The market has not yet entirely recover market has not yet entirely recovered from the reverse of Tuesday, but there is a strong, healthy tone to trading which gives promise of an early come-back on perhaps even a larger scale than before. The fact that the mines were able to so vigorously withstand the influence caused by the bad slump in New York, speaks volumes for the underlying strength of the market.

Silver made a sharp upward move again to 76½, coming very close to the high record at 77 3-8. This should be a very potent factor in the Cobalt stocks, and should tend to counteract the present disturbing rumors.

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Boston Creek Strong.

Boston Creek continued one of the firmest stocks on the board, being to all intents and purposes totally unaffected by the disturbed conditions. It even bettered its position slightly yesterday by gaining 14 point, to 9014. firday by gaining ½ point to 30½. Some very spectacular showings have been made by this property, and the interests who are backing it are intensely optimistic as to its future success. Higher prices are a distinct possibility.

Newray Stands Firm.

Newray was another issue which failed to show any sign of weakness. This stock sold thruout the day at its high record price at \$1.81. Apex receded ½ point further to 13½, but at this point sufficient buying power developed to bring about a recovery to 14, with ½ point higher being paid for an odd lot.

Dome Group Steady.

Dome Extension was unable to maintain its position around 26½, easing off to 25½. Dome Lake held at 64, while Big Dome changed hands at \$22. This latter stock is affected to a much greater extent than the others becarse of its activity in New York. Gold Reef, one of the smaller gold prospects, which has received considerable attention recently, strengthened, its position by rallying to 5 in the afternoon market.

McIntyre Firm.

McIntyre was given good support, the stock selling around 184, closing at this figure bid. The meeting of the shareholders to pass on the merger proposal submitted by the directors last week, will be held in two weeks time. In the meantime McIntyre stock is marking time, but those in close touch with the situation are locking for some interesting developments marketwise in the near future, McIntyre Extension was inactive, but closed steady at 54½ bid. Jupiter was unchanged at 30 to 30½.

Teck-Hughes Rallied.

Teck-Hughes, which experienced a substantial reaction on Tuesday, displayed a rallying tendency, advancing from 74 to 86 and closing at 24 bid. Mointyre Firm.

played a rallying ten from 74 to 86 and closing at 82 bid. Vipond yielded a couple of points from

the opening at 47, closing at 45.

West Dome Consolidated.

The new issue, Thompson-Krist, seems to have come thru a trying experience fairly well. It was unfor-tunate that the stock should meet with such a disturbance so soon after its initial appearance. After receding still

further to 34 yesterday, the stock ral-lled strongly to 39, closing at 38 ½ bid. Vac. Gas Met Reverse. Vacuum Gas stock displayed the only real weakness in the market, breaking back to 96 and closing at 94 bid. It was pointed out between bid. It was pointed out, however, by a broker, that this issue has had one of the most remarkable markets in he history of the exchange, rising as it did from around 30 to 135 in a few weeks' time. The company is in a flourishing condition, and extending operations rapidly. More will be heard

of the stock yet.

The Silver Stocks.

The Cobalt issues made no apparate the furn in silver. rent response to the jump in silver, holding almost steady, with little in the way of feature. Beaver sold at 44 to 45. Timiskaming changed hands at 62 to 62. Nipissing went up to \$9. Ophir eased off to 12. Hargraves was n good demand around 16, and Great Northern sold at 161/2 to 17.

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# MARK HARRIS MINES and MINING

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This looks like the initials of some new stock.

Instead it represents a problem that city, province and government officials are endeavoring to solve.

H. C. of L. is the high cost of living, and it is without doubt the most vital issue of today for both rich and poor.

Investigation has already proven that in different sections of this country human beings that call themselves men have combined for the purpose of gambling in foodstuffs, and in many instances have succeeded in forcing up prices.

Newspapers tell of one man in Chicago who has 72,000, 000 dozen of eggs in cold storage which he refuses to sell for less than fifty cents a dozen. If reports are correct this manpurchased those eggs at less than twenty cents only a few months ago, and now because we must have eggs to eat he calmly tells us to pay his price or go without.

The funny part of the whole business to me is the fact that with all our laws the government seems powerless to cope with such an absurd situation.

The truth is we have too many silly laws and too few of the right kind.

Not long ago I read an article stating that no less than 45,000 laws had been passed in the United States in the past ten years, but out of all these there does not seem to be one that is applicable to the rascals who conspire to hold up and rob 100,000,000 citizens.

What we need is less law and more action, and the official who had the nerve to confiscate those 72,000,000 dozen of eggs and to sell them at public auction at twenty-five cents a dozen or less would be acclaimed a national hero even if he did stretch his official authority.

It costs nearly twice as much to live today as it did a few years ago, therefore the average man who enjoyed an income of \$1,000 a year and was able to live decently and raise a family a few years back is now struggling hard to make both ends meet.

If the high cost of living is here to remain, then it is high time to readjust the income value of the Almighty Dollar. The ablest financiers have for years maintained that the

dollar was entitled to five or six cents a year in interest, but this was the outside limit for an investment that was classed as "safe and sane."

The savings banks paid only three to four per cent, and this is the rate in effect foday.

A man who had \$20,000 invested in high-grade securities received an income of from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year, and although he may be receiving the same income today he finds it will buy only half what it formerly did.

As I said before, there must be a readjustment. Either the cost of living must go down or the interest on the "dollar" go up.

Many far-sighted investors have already anticipated these abnormal conditions by selling out the securities that returned five or six per cent. and reinvesting the funds in newer securities that return eight to ten per cent.

This, however, can only apply to individual cases, for if everybody followed this plan who would buy the five or six percenters?

Railroad securities were classed as excellent investments only a few years ago, but today, with but few exceptions, they are given a wide berth by intelligent investors because the future is anything but bright.

Every state has its own railroad laws, and as every local reformer for years has looked upon railroads as "fair game" the result is so many bad laws that railroads find it difficult to

A few years ago the average net earnings of all the railroads in America was between seven and eight per cent., while today it is between three and four per cent.

The railroads have practiced rigid economy to such a degree that it is now reacting on the public, and we find that although there is plenty of coal at the mines the railroads are short of cars to bring it to the market.

The railroads will not be able to buy new cars without financial assistance from investors, and no one can blame investors for refusing to invest until they know they will have a fair return on their dollar.

I believe the high cost of living question can be partially solved by investing in mining shares, for whereas railroads return a meager interest when they return anything at all, the copper, gold, silver, lead and zinc stocks return eight, ten, twelve, fifteen and twenty per cent., and in my opinion they are as a class much safer than railroads, industrials or even

Investors desiring to increase their income in an effort to cope with the high cost of living can secure full information on many high-class mining stocks that return ten per cent., or better, by writing my local office. 

Last week I told you about Newray, a gold stock then selling at \$1.22. Today this stock is \$1.32, which represents a fairly good profit for seven days.

I expect to see Newray selling above \$2.00, and have no hesitancy in recommending its purchase now-today.

NOTE.—An article on mines and mining by Mr. Harris will appear every Thursday.

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United States Steel Fluctuates Within Narrow Range on Wall Street.

New York, Dec. 13.—Irregular but very ubstantial recoveries were recorded toay, the improvement being mainly due of covering of short contracts by profesional traders who professed to believe that no immediate change in technical onditions would result from the Teutonic sease proposals.

conditions would result from the Teutonic peace proposals.

There was also substantial buying by operators who favored the rails, that group contributing largely to the strength of the general list, with advances of about 2 points in Union Pacific, Canadian Pacific, New York Central, Reading and Norfolk & Western, and as much more in low-priced shares, like Rookingland, Southern Railway and Western Maryland. The Eries, Missouri Pacific and other minor rails made gains scarcely less substantial.

Maryland. The Eries, Missouri Pacific and other minor rails made gains scarcely less substantial.

The course of munitions and equipments was observed with much interest because of their severe impairment in the preceding session. Recoveries in these stocks ranged from 2 to almost 5 points, with similar advances in coppers, sugars, petroleums and Central Leather.

Shipping shares were irregular at the outset by reason of the pressure exerted against Atlantic, Gulf & West Indies, but that stock later made an extreme gain of more than three points, as did also the Mercantile Marines and United Fruit.

United States Steel rose and fell within a narrow range during the forencom, but steady absorption in the later dealings caused an advance of two points to 120%, with only a slight reversal at the end. Lackawanna and Crucible Steels, Gulf States Steel and Republic Iron were variably higher, but Bethlehem Steel closed at a net loss of 6 points after having shown an extreme decline of 14 points. Dealings in unclassified shares were comparatively light, but almost wholly at gains, with pronounced advances in International Paper, Harvester, American Woolen and Pittsburg Coal. Total sales amounted to 1,725,000 shares, steel supplying almost. 25 per cent. of the whole.

Marks and Austrian exchange were notably higher, but the improvement was sentimental rather than actual.

International bonds held, their recoveries of the previous day, but domestic issues were irregular. Total sales (par value), \$4,460,000.

# MARKET WAS NERVOUS

Good Buying of Dominion Steel Resulted in Two Point Rally -Others Irregular.

Yesterday's Toronto stock market, while still nerveus, had a better undertone and an improvement on Wall street lent it assistance also. Tuesday's liquidation left the market open for some rally at no great cost to supporting, interests, and they pools took advantage of the cccasion, Dc. 47 per cent of the total freight revenue. Barcelon Brazil took advantage of the cccasion, Dc. 47 per cent of the total freight revenue. Barcelon Brazil took advantage of the cccasion, Dc. 48 per cent of the total freight revenue. Barcelon Brazil took advantage of the cccasion, Dc. 48 per cent of the total freight revenue. Barcelon Brazil took advantage of the cccasion, Dc. 49 per cent of the total freight revenue. Barcelon Brazil took advantage of the cccasion, Dc. 49 per cent of the total freight revenue. to what was accepted as good buying, and closed up two points at 78 3-4. Cement also had a fair recovery, but elsewhere in the list the rallies were not altogether convincing. Steel of Canada was placed at every opportunity where it was thought the stock would stick and not come back again would stick and not come back again to exact profits. Maple Leaf gave evidence of weakness and Brazilian showed no real rallying tendency. Pulp was doled out in smaller quantities, and buyers as low at 11 3-4 were accommodated. Some local stocks are meeting investment buying, and these may be expected to hold firm, but the pool specialties are subject still to speculative vagaries that will probably make for lower prices.

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#### ALBERTA COAL LANDS DEVELOPED BY C. N. R.

Coal Moved in Six Months Shows Hundred Per Cent. Increase.

A marked development of the coal-hearing lands in Alberta traversed by lines of the Canadian Northern Rail-way, is indicated by figures handed out yesterday by D. B. Hanna, third vice-president, upon the handlings of the road for this year and in 1915. For the six months ended Oct. 31 this year, the Caradian Northern Railway has moved, in round figures, 200,000 tons of ceal from the mines, in the Cardiff and Drumheller districts alonn, has compared with 100,000 tons for the similar period of 1915, or an increase of 100 per cent.

This coal, almost entirely of semi-bituminous character, is marketed throut the Canadian pratries to points as far east as Winnipeg, where it meets the competition of the an-thracite from the fields of Pennsyl-vania. No decrease in the demand is, in evidence. On the conference

movement appears to be gaining gradually in power, and the Canadian Northern expects to improve upon this showing for the next period of comparison.

Pre-Cambrian Shield Holds Out Wonderful Possibilities to Prospector.

#### INDUSTRY IMPORTANT

A. A. Cole, Government Mining Engineer, Gives Instructive Address on Mineral Production.

One of the most able addresses on the wonderful possibilities of northern Ontario was given by Mr. Arthur A. Cole, mining engineer for the Canadian Government, and president of the Canadian Mining Institute, before the Empire Club of Canada recently. The speech in part follows:

"Canada is a construct because of the canada recently."

"Canada is a country of large raifway development when we consider it on a per capita basis. Most Canadians, if asked why we have so much railway development, will answer that it is primarily with the object of opening up our vast agricultural areas.

is primarily with the object of opening up our vast agricultural areas, and likely they would be right.

"Now I do not wish for a moment to minimize the importance of the agricultural industry. It is our most important basic industry, but we should try to see things in their true perspective. Now that we have the sailways, who supplies the business for ihem?

"Let us take for example, our own little railway, the Timiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway. The T. & N. O. was projected as a colonization railread to open up the large agricultural areas to the north of Lake Timiskaming, known as the "Cley Belt" of northern Ontario; now let us see who provides the freight for this rail-way.

"During the last fire were the rail-

47 per cent. of the total freight revenue, while agriculture gave only 13 percent. or a little over one-quarter that of the mining industry. Let us consider the figures covering the whole of Canada. In the report for the fiscal year, 1913, the department of railways and canals of Canada publishes figures from which we may gather the following. For the year 1913, the canadian railways formed is per cent. Of the total and during the same period the products of agriculture handled by the Canadian railways formed is per cent. of the total, or more than twice as much and these percentages are fractically the same for the six years previous. The manufacturer need not think that he makes a better showing that that, for manufacturers cane one per cent, less than agriculture. "These are facts that we can not get away from and must show us that from a railway standpoint, at least the mineral industry is of immense importance,"

With reference to the mineral industry, of Canada, Mr. Cole said:
"Our total mineral production now amounts to 150 million dollars an-

not give the mineral industry the careful attention that it deserves.

"Forecasts for the future may be considered superfluous, but I think in this case that they may help us in a campaign of better preparedness for the future. Again, let us turn to our northland for inspiration. Anyone who looked over the unbroken forests of northern Ontario a dozen years ago and predicted that this district would soon be producing twenty millions in and predicted that this district would soon be producing twenty millions in gold and silver annually would have been put down as a fantastic dreamer. But that is a fact today, and the output is continually increasing. 'And yet only a small portion of the country has been prospected. Running mortheast and northwest from Cobalt and extending to the Arctic Ocean is the great Canadian pre-Cambrian shield, the basement formation of the continent. It contains thousands of square miles and offers to prospectors better chances of locating valuable mineral deposits than can be found in any other country of the world.

London, Dec. 13.—Money was in shorter supply on the market today, and discounts supply on the market today, and discounts were steady. On the stock exchange the supply on the market today, and discounts were steady. On the stock exchange the supply on the market today, and discounts were steady. On the stock exchange the supply on the market today, and discounts were steady. On the stock exchange the supply on the market today, and discounts were steady. On the stock exchange the supply on the market today, and discounts were steady. On the stock exchange the supply on the market today, and discounts were steady. On the stock exchange the supply on the market today, and discounts were steady. On the stock exchange the supply on the market today, and the market washing the supply on the market today, and the market washing the supply on the market today, and the market washing the supply on the market today, and the market washing the supply on the market today, and the supply on the market today, and the market supply on the market today, and the market washing the supply on the market today, and the supply on the market supply on the market today, and the supply on the market today, and the market supply on the market today, and the supply on the market today, and the supply on the market today, and the supply on the marke

"Turing from such a past record and looking forward into the future, it requires no very vivid imagination to see other Cobalts and other Portupines converting the wilderness into thriving hives of industry."

THE GOLD MOVEMENT.

New York, Dec. 13.—Gold to the amount of \$9,000,000 was received from Canada to the converting the wilderness into the deposited at the assay office there.

# Record of Yesterday's Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS. Bid.

J. P. Bickell & Co., Standard Bank
Building, Toronto, report fluctuations in
New York Stocks, as follows:

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Trunk Lines and Grangers—

B. & Ohio. \$5.4 86 834 85 3.990

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N. Y. C. 1045 106¼ 1045 106¼ 66 64 66 680

Rock Island. 363 39 39 15,900

St. Paul. 91 92½ 91 92½ 2.600

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Atchiscon. 108% 108½ 106¼ 104% 106½ 106%

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Miss. Pac. 16½ 166% 164¼ 166 1,900

K. C. S. 25% 26½ 25% 26¼ 2.00

St. Pac. 97% 98½ 97% 98½ 29.800

Union Pac. 165½ 166% 149¼ 104 2.400

Sth. Ry. 28% 52½ 28% 29 29.800

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Bonds—

Anglo-Frn. 93½ 93% 93½ J. P. Bickell & Co., Standard Bank

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MONEY RATES.

NEW YORK COTTON. TORONTO SALES.

150 Oct. 18.30 18.36 18.51 19.02 17.06 18.30 18.30 17.90 18.06 18.42

FEW DAYS TO SETTLE DOWN. Heron & Co. had the following at

accumulation of buying orders overnight, and the market held strong all night, and the market held strong all day. The steel issues were the most active and most persistently strong. Paper stocks were irregular and rather heavy. The market may take a few days to settle down after yesterday's excitement, but so little credence is given to peace stories that the German proposals will cease to be a market factor.

LONDON OIL MARKET.

London, Dec. 13.—Calcutta linseed (Dec. and Jan.), 110s: linseed oil, 53s; sperm oil, £46 10s; petroleum, American refined, 1s 11½d; spirits, 1s 2½d; turpentine, spirits, 54s 6d; resin, American strained, 25s 3d; type "G." 25s 6d.

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The weak holders are now practically removed, and the gold and silver issues are more firmly held than those of any

Important matters are now transpiring in the Porcupine and Cobalt Camps, which I will deal with in THIS WEEK'S ISSUE OF MY MARKET DESPATCH.

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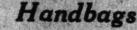


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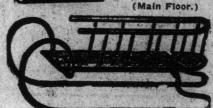




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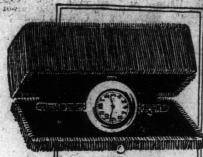
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Women's Cashmere Hose at 29c



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do all their Christmas shopping in the daytime, it is the custom of this store to remain open a few evenings before the holiday.

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Two evenings this week-Friday and Saturday, December 15th and 16th.

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The First of These Will Be

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Smoked Fillets, per lb
Golden Ciscoes, per lb
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Blade Roasts, per lb
Round Steak Roasts, per lb
Porterbourge Prost Street
Porterhouse Roast, finest centre cuts, per lb.
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Loin Roast Young Pork, per lb
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All Pork Sausage, our own make, lb
GROCERIES
4,000 lbs. Finest Creamery Butter, special, per lb4
One car Standard Granulated Sugar, in 20-lb. cotto
bags, per bag
Choice Manitoba Flour, Quaker Brand 24 th

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Finest Bleached Sultana Raisins, per lb. 143
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Dates, Excelsior Brand, package 12
Finest Featherstrip Cocoanut, lb. 23
Shelled Wainuts, per lb. 54
California Seedless Raisins, lb. 16
Finest Canned Tomatoes, not more than four tins
to one customer, 2 tins 34
Edwardsburg or Beehlve Table Syrup, 5-lb. pail 35
Fresh Flaked Wheat, 7 lbs. 39

FRUIT SECTION,

One car Choice Sunkist Oranges, per dozen ... .25
Choice Grapefruit, 6 for ... .25
Finest Spanish Onions, 5 ibs. ... .28
Choice Table Apples, per dozen ... .20
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Santa Claus Stockings, filled with good things for girls or boys, each ... .25
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Collar

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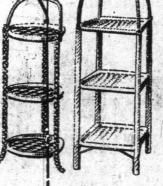


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