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ADVANCE BY BRITISH IN PALESTINE TORONTO TO HAVE TWO MILLION DOLLAR SHIPBUILDING PLANT GERMAN SOCIALISTS OBJECT TO TEUTON DEMANDS FOR ANNEXATIONS

WILSON WANTS MEASURES TO RUN RAILWAYS

President Seeks Legislation to Guarantee Carriers' Compensation.

PLEA TO CONGRESS

Opposition Will Develop to Federal Control After the War.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Legislation to regulate the government's operation of railroads and to guarantee the carriers' compensation on the basis of their average operating income for the last three years was asked of congress today by President Wilson in an address to both houses in joint session. Bills embodying his recommendations and carrying an appropriation of a half-billion dollars as a "revolving fund," were introduced immediately, and an attempt will be made to rush them to prompt passage.

While the president's address met with general approval among Democrats and Republicans alike, opposition is expected to develop over a provision in the administration bill that federal control shall continue after the war indefinitely, or until congress orders otherwise, and over certain of the compensation provisions. While the legislative wheels were set moving Director-General McAdoo made a busy day over the labor problem, with the heads of the four brotherhoods, and finally decided to refer the brotherhoods' pending demand for a general wage increase to an advisory board of four members to be appointed by him in a few days. This board will investigate all phases of the brotherhoods' demands and recommend a course to Mr. McAdoo. His decision will be effective as to wages from January 1.

To Affect Labor. The decision will affect only the wage demands of the brotherhoods, and also the demands which may be made later by other classes of labor. Mr. McAdoo reserves the right to make whatever decision he chooses without regard to recommendations or advisers. Some increases both as to the brotherhoods and to other railway labor are generally considered certain. The director-general, in a statement tonight, promised every employee that "his rights and interests will be justly dealt with," and that there will be a hearty spirit of enthusiasm and co-operation from every man. Mr. McAdoo explained today that while no general provision can be made under the law for exempting railroad employees from the draft, he will not hesitate to appeal to local exemption boards to defer the calling of these workers if the boards, of their own volition, do not display a tendency to regard the roads as an essential industry, from which employees should not be taken for military service. In his address to congress, President Wilson said:

RAILWAY WAR BOARD ACTS TO SPEED COAL SHIPMENTS

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Shall We Perish Like Butterflies?

In a country with an Arctic climate there is no alternative between the coal dealer and the undertaker. We have heard of a doctor who has three years' coal supplies in his cellars and outhouses. He did what everybody else did—bought all he could. Some of us, the poor children of the nation, could buy no coal in advance. In the last week we have heard of mothers burning their furniture to keep the children warm; of new-born babes, of invalids, of the dying, without coal in the house; of the hospitals, even, not sure of the next day's supplies.

We started an agitation last April about the coal shortage, and the authorities ignored it. They assured us the coal dealers would grapple with the situation. It is worse this year than last. Next winter, if the war continues, it will be worse yet. Sir William Hearst's government refused Toronto permission to have a municipal coal yard. Mayor Church can lay facts before him now that may lead him to change his mind. There must be an emergency coal depot—several of them in the city. Government theories must give way to facts.

There is no anthracite coal proper in Canada. Mr. Arthur V. White's able article, which everybody should read, tells us about the semi-anthracite of Alberta. This and a big supply of soft coal, lignite, peat, with oil, gas and wood, are all we can depend upon to keep life in our bodies if the United States fails us. All these resources should be nationalized and organized for distribution. If we do not prepare, we shall freeze to death some winter like butterflies.

BRITISH ADVANCE MADE IN PALESTINE

London, Jan. 4.—An official communication issued by the war office tonight says Gen. Almoncy reports a further advance by a part of his line north of Jerusalem, over a distance of a mile.

OPERATION OF MILITARY SERVICE ACT IS SMOOTH

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—Official reports received by the military service council from all parts of the Dominion indicate that men called up in the first draft are readily responding to the call. The reports include the military district of Montreal and Quebec, and nowhere, it is stated, has there been any serious hitch in the arrangements. It is understood that further drafts of men in class I will be called up as their cases are disposed by the tribunals and as military requirements necessitate. The man will in each case be notified by registered mail when and where he is to report for active service.

GREY, READING, CHAMBERLAIN MENTIONED FOR WASHINGTON

Trio of Leading British Statesmen Named in Connection With Appointment of Successor to Sir Cecil Spring-Rice as Ambassador to America.

London, Jan. 4.—A topic that is greatly interesting British officialdom and the public at the moment is the selection of an ambassador to the United States to succeed Sir Cecil Spring-Rice. Three names thus far are being discussed—those of Viscount Grey, former foreign secretary; Lord Chief Justice Reading and J. Austen Chamberlain, eldest son of the late Joseph Chamberlain, and former secretary for India. Viscount Grey is generally considered the strongest man of the three. He is one of the foremost of British statesmen, and his political convictions are sincerely and deeply democratic and liberal.

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CANADIANS ON WESTERN FRONT.—Collecting kit from the battlefield.

LARGE SHIPBUILDING PLANT BEING ERRECTED IN TORONTO

Two Million Dollar Project Now in Course of Construction at the Foot of Bathurst Street.

Work is now proceeding on the construction of a \$2,000,000 shipbuilding plant at the foot of Bathurst street. The plant is being erected by the Toronto harbor commissioners for the Dominion Shipbuilding Co., Ltd. Construction of six steel freighters for salt water service will be undertaken during the coming summer. From 1500 to 2000 men will be given permanent employment at the plant when it is completed. At present 100 are at work on construction. A lease for 21 years of about 15 acres of reclaimed land between Bathurst street and Spadina avenue has been taken. Government contracts for ocean-going vessels are being sought.

BRITISH MAKE ADVANCE TO SOUTH OF LENS

Local Fighting Proceeds Near Canal on Cambrai Front Without Definite Result.

London, Jan. 4.—Local fighting took place yesterday afternoon on the Cambrai front in the neighborhood of the Canal du Nord, without producing any material change in the situation, the war office reports. "We advanced our line slightly during the night south of Lens. There was some hostile artillery activity during the night in the Bullecourt sector, and also in the Ypres sector." Fifteen Acres Leased. The company is understood to be seeking government contracts for ocean-going vessels, but while awaiting these will proceed with the building of six steel freighters of the "Friedrichstadt" type. They will be somewhat similar to the standard type now being turned out in such large quantities for the imperial merchant board, and each will have a dead-weight carrying capacity of 2500 tons. They will be steam-driven. The city architect to date has issued permits only for the pile-driven foundations, which are estimated to cost about \$100,000, but the total sum that will be spent on the plant is upwards of \$2,000,000. From 1500 to 2000 men will be given permanent employment, as the company intends to continue in the shipbuilding business after the war.

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS MAKE TROUBLE FOR TEUTON ALLIES

German Socialists, as Well as Bolsheviki, Protest Intimation Central Powers Are Determined to Annex Occupied Territory—Germany's Allies Resent Her Domineering Attitude.

London, Jan. 4.—Altho the peace conference between representatives of the Bolsheviki government and the central powers was due to reconvene Friday, no news has come thru indicating whether the meeting took place. Neither have there been any advices as to whether the difficulties in the way of reaching an agreement have been surmounted, or if concessions by either side, making possible further negotiations, are intended. Dissatisfaction with the proposals of the central powers apparently does not obtain solely on the side of the Bolsheviki government, but among the delegates of the central powers as well. Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey are asserted to have disagreed with the domineering attitude of the Germans at the Brest-Litovsk conference, where they posed as conquerors while their allied delegates evinced an eager desire for peace and a disposition to compromise. The attitude of the German Socialists against the demands of the central

CIVIC YARDS ARE SHORT ON COAL SUPPLY

Twice Too Many Orders Taken and Depots Forced to Close.

SHORTAGE APPARENT

Difficulty Not All Based on Problem of Delivery in City.

Altho the warmer weather yesterday to some extent relieved the suffering in Toronto homes where there is a scarcity of fuel, the situation is still serious. If anything, it is worse than it was a few days ago, for the civic officials gave up as a hopeless task their plan of delivery of coal from the city yards. After orders had been booked for 572 tons of coal, or more than twice as much as was in sight. Property Commissioner Chisholm notified the yards not to take any further orders, and hundreds of people who had lined up at the offices were given another disappointment. "We are not bothered with making deliveries," said the property commissioner, explaining the shortage. "The coal is not in the city or else it would be delivered. It is a simple case of supply and demand and the demand exceeds the supply."

There will be plenty of coal in the city by Sunday night. The World was informed yesterday that the shortage has been brought on by the delay in lifting the embargo at Black Rock. It is expected that this embargo will be lifted within a few hours, and that Secretary McAdoo will lift the embargoes which are at present in force on inter-state shipments of fuel. "It is wrong to assume that there is plenty of coal in Toronto and that the problem lies in delivery," said a man in touch with the situation. "There is really a shortage of fuel here."

Just Election Dodge. The action of the civic officials in closing the civic fuel depots did not create any surprise yesterday. "It was an election dodge pure and simple," more than one man was heard to say, and a prominent coal man said last night: "The coal shortage would at no time have been (Concluded on Page 2, Column 3).

GUATEMALA EARTHQUAKE LOSSES EXAGGERATED

Fatalities Total Not More Than Fifty and Only One Hundred Are Injured.

San Salvador, Jan. 4.—The latest advices received here show that the first reports of the Guatemala earthquake were exaggerated. The fatalities as a result of the disturbance aggregated fifty, while only 100 persons were injured. Earth shocks continue, but they are weak. Relief committees are being formed all over the country and a section of the Red Cross will depart shortly for Guatemala, taking medicines, blankets and other necessities.

RUSSIAN ASSEMBLY'S DATE

Petrograd, Jan. 4.—The Bolsheviki have fixed the opening of the constituent assembly for Jan. 18, providing there is present at that time a quorum of 400 members.

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CIVIC YARDS ARE SHORT ON COAL

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serious had not the municipal candidates aggravated it in the manner they did. Controller Cameron and Mayor Church each tried to make political capital out of the coal situation; they jumped right in and opened coal depots, and made it ten times as hard for the retail dealers to make regular deliveries, because they have not known for four days who was getting coal from the city and who was not.

Orders for 172 tons of coal had been taken from 1225 people during the few hours the coal depots were open. The figures are as follows:
Orders, Tons Receipts
Jan. 2 598 281 2,953.48
Jan. 3 613 237 2,494.13
Jan. 4 114 53 861.83

To all these orders 176 tons of coal had been added to the city by the Rogers Coal Company. The Standard Fuel Company added an extra 104 tons to this amount yesterday, but there the supply came to an end. It is not known what will be done to fill all the orders in excess of 275 tons, but civic officials say that every order will be filled if the citizens have patience.

"I never saw so many sick people in my life," said Mr. Chisholm last night. The commissioner has been endeavoring as far as possible to see that no sick rooms are left unheated, but it has been a heavy task.

Interferes With Garbage.
Street Commissioner Wilson's men have been keeping up the deliveries of coal as long as any supply was in sight. This interfered to some extent with garbage collections, and again the commissioner had to issue a statement asking the citizens to be indulgent. People were advised to put their cans out as usual today, but not to be disappointed if the collector does not come.

Citizens of out-of-town municipalities were given a ray of hope yesterday by an Ottawa despatch, which stated that Honorary Fuel Commissioner Harris had obtained an emergency supply of coal to be shipped to the points where the suffering was keenest. The statement was given out by C. W. Peterson, the assistant fuel controller. When seen by The World, Mr. Harris explained that this supply of coal had been issued to him and distributed "several weeks ago." Outside of that he would say nothing.

How the congregation of one church is meeting the situation is interesting. Morley Avenue Methodist Church was unable to hold its regular mid-week prayer services because of the lack of fuel, but instead prayer services were being held every evening at the homes of various members of the congregation. Nightly services will be held all next week following the special day of prayer ordered by the King.

Investigator Appointed.
In view of the fact that several glaring cases of "hoarding" have come to the attention of the civic coal distributors, a special investigator has been detailed to the property department to look after all such cases and report them to the fuel controller's office.

Interviewed. H. C. Harrington, assistant fuel commissioner for Ontario, repeated a statement made in Hamilton on Thursday that he had come to Toronto to relieve the coal situation. He said Mr. Harrington "did not meet with a single refusal."

The Salvation Army reports many needy cases requiring coal in various districts of the city. Captain Johnston of the Fairbank corps said the coal was to be had, but the transportation was the difficulty "out there." "I was tempted in several cases to carry some myself to the homes," he said. Headquarters on Albert street are supplied, as they took the precaution in the summer of arranging for the winter supply, but some of the outside corps are not so fortunate and are trusting the situation will not become so acute as to necessitate their closing.

What United States is Doing.
As Canada depends almost entirely on the United States for its fuel supply, it is interesting to note what the American fuel controller, Dr. H. A. Garfield, is trying to do to control the supplies, and what measure of success his plans are meeting with. Dr. Garfield's plan is to pool the supply of coal, just as President Wilson has pooled the "supply" of transportation. He says that there is no shortage of coal at present, but that a serious shortage is imminent. He is already preparing his case and will place it before Secretary McAdoo, in an endeavor to have the railways and the coal mines linked up in one great system. Districts which are hardest hit by the coal famine would be given first attention.

Many people are blaming Dr. Garfield's inactivity to date for the present coal shortage. Hon. Oscar E. Bland, who represents Indiana in the house of representatives, states that the fuel controller is a "splendid" man, but absolutely without any knowledge of the coal situation. In the November issue of The Forum, John Bruce Mitchell of New York says: "Dr. Garfield says there is no shortage of coal. . . The dealer keeps repeating over and over again, 'There is a shortage of coal.'"

Relief Looked For.
Relief is looked for in some quarters from the action of the United States Government in taking over the railways for state operation. There is an abundance of coal above ground, of that there is no doubt; but the situation has been brought on by the lack of transportation facilities.

"We would not be bothered with a fuel famine in Canada, if the Canadian Government would follow the plan of the United States Government in placing all the railways under government control," remarked a coal man to The World. "At present it is impossible to really control the distribution of coal, and it will remain impossible as long as Canadian railways are operated by private corporations and American lines are operated by the government, without any real co-operation between the two."

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STRUCK BY ENGINE.
Henry Clark, 157 Baldwin street, received a fractured leg when he was struck by a railway engine while working on the Canadian Northern Railway Company's bridge near Roseville Station, Don Valley. He was removed to the General Hospital.

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NEGOTIATIONS STIR UP TROUBLE

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von Kuehlmann has been instructed to reject the Russian proposal to transfer the peace negotiations to Stockholm.

During the debate a socialist member declared it would be in the interest of the empire to recognize the principle of the right of peoples to self-determination.

"Real life in the occupied territories is obstructed by military pressure, which must be removed," he said. "The negotiations in the east must be conducted in a satisfactory way. This is the will of the German people and of the German nation itself."

Germany Was Dominating.
Petropolis, Jan. 4.—Disclosure of details of the Brest-Litovsk peace negotiations make it clear that Germany assumed a dominating attitude, while Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey were very conciliatory, and disagreed with the German position.

There were difficulties also among the German delegates. Foreign Minister von Kuehlmann and Gen. Hoffmann clashed openly during the general meetings. Germany posed constantly as a conqueror, while her three allies showed eagerness, for peace, and a disposition to compromise.

A statement issued by the Bolsheviks emphasizes the fact that the enemy delegations now in Petrograd have no diplomatic standing, and are here merely to arrange details growing out of the armistice, such as the exchange of prisoners and the resumption of postal service.

Can Attend Conference.
Winnipeg, Jan. 4.—A despatch from Vienna, relayed to Winnipeg over special cable, and printed in The Free Press today, states that the Austro-Hungarian Government has issued an official statement announcing that the central powers have agreed to allow the Ukrainians and Poles to participate in peace negotiations in progress with Russia.

Keeping the Quality Up.
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SOLDIER ARRESTED.
Will Have to Face Three Serious Charges.

Joseph George Davis, of the mechanical transport in barracks in Jessie Ketchum School, was arrested yesterday by Detectives Young and Mitchell on a charge of robbery, attempted robbery and being armed.

Davis is the other soldier who, with Lloyd J. Stead, is alleged to have recently held up a Hebrew butcher in his store on Dundas street, robbing the man of over \$160 and a cheque for \$80. The second charge of attempted robbery is laid against Davis, according to the police, for holding up Solomon Zeeb, of 205 Spadina avenue. No booty was secured in this attempt.

NO SUFFERING AT KINGSTON.
Special to The Toronto World.
Kingston, Jan. 4.—There has been no suffering here thru lack of fuel. Mayor Hughes had a conference with local dealers and says there is no need for worry over the coal situation. It was decided that one ton would be the maximum amount delivered to any person. When carter finds over-supply in customers' due order will be returned to the yard.

DOUBLING UP IN KITCHENER.
Special to The Toronto World.
Kitchener, Jan. 4.—Owing to the stringency of the coal situation a number of families in the city are doubling up with relatives and friends in order to conserve on fuel. City Clerk Lyles has been empowered to issue order blanks on the dealers for a quarter of a ton at a time to relieve those actually in need of fuel.

BROKE INTO DISTILLERY.
Kitchener, Jan. 4.—Norman Beam, Clarence Beam, Tony Lougo and Oliver Storan were let go on suspended sentence in police court today after they had pleaded guilty to breaking into the Seagram Distillery in Waterloo, and also the home of Joseph Seagram, in which place they stole quantities of liquor. Full restitution was made.

BRITISH OFFICER KILLED IN ITALY

Brother of Toronto Man Was
First to Give Up Life
on Italian Front.

OF MILITARY FAMILY
He Had Seen Considerable
Fighting Previously in
France and Flanders.

Lieut.-Col. R. C. Smith, the first British soldier to give up his life for the cause of the allies on the Italian front. News has just been received by his brother, J. W. Smith, 387 Davenport road, that Lieut.-Col. Smith had been killed on Nov. 30 while he was inspecting a section of the front line trenches which were about to be taken over by his battalion, which had just reached the Italian front. He was talking with four Italian officers when he was hit by a piece of shrapnel and died of his wounds the next day.

Lieut.-Col. Smith joined the imperial army 15 years ago on his graduation from Sandhurst, and in the present war he had seen much service on the western front. He came from a long line of soldiers, his father being the late Major-General C. H. Smith, C.B., of the royal artillery, and one of the fifth generation of soldiers in the imperial army. A younger brother of Lieut.-Col. Smith was killed in action at Messines Ridge last June, and an older brother is serving with the royal artillery at the Salonika front.

DIES OF INJURIES.
Ernest Kennard, 2 Dunedin avenue, died in St. Michael's Hospital yesterday morning from injuries received when he was struck on the head with machinery while working at the Poison Iron Works. Dr. Butt will open an inquest on the body this evening.

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THE VERY CREAM of the present showing of furniture has been poured into this great January Sale attraction on Monday. The designs of the Old Master cabinet-makers reproduced by the best skill of to-day—that is what you are offered, at prices in many cases actually less than half the usual amount. What an opportunity to furnish some part of your house, or to add an interesting chair, table or cabinet, to some room in which an interesting decorative scheme is already begun!

Following are some of the special attractions for Monday:

Chippendale Dining-room Suite, of mahogany—the one our artist has sketched with characteristic grace of line. It consists of buffet, 68 inches long; china cabinet, with two glass doors; side table; oblong extension table, with square corners, and six leather-seated chairs. It is a sample from an American manufacturer, and faithfully reproduces the charm of old Chippendale. Greatly reduced in price at \$450.00.

In colonial style is another set showing the familiar wide scroll effect on the chair backs and buffet, and with massive extension table, on a heavy pedestal. It likewise is of rich mahogany and consists of 66-inch buffet, having five drawers and three cupboards; side table, extension table, and six chairs with leather seats. Also, reduced in price at \$290.00.

The ever-popular William and Mary motif is represented by a Dining-room Suite in full walnut finish. It consists of 60-inch buffet with mirror back, double-doored china cabinet, round extension table and six leather-seated chairs. Much less than half its usual price at \$160.00.

Selected walnut, in a particularly soft, brown finish, forms a delightful Dining-room Suite, in Queen Anne design. The buffet, 70 inches long, has moulded rim and rounded corners; other pieces are china cabinet with two doors, side table, closed-in cupboard effect beneath, extension table with square corners, and six chairs with leather seats. Reduced price \$390.00.

Colonial and French Furniture for Bedrooms—Exceedingly handsome is a Colonial Chiffonier of mahogany, 45 inches long, with mirror 20 x 44 ins., and six drawers. It is a sample and reduced to less than half-price at \$125.00.

A Colonial "Chiffonier"—such a convenient piece of furniture—in full finish mahogany, 48 inches wide, is fitted with four large trays and eight full-length drawers, with cupboard; reduced to half-price at \$85.00.

In quaint Colonial style is a triple-mirror Toilet Table, 48 inches long. It has three drawers and delicately-carved posts between the mirrors. Half-price, \$85.00.

Charming, indeed, is an antique Ivory Chiffonier, in Louis XVI. design, with 5 full-length trays and two long drawers. Half-price, \$70.00.

Notable Reductions on Handsome Rugs

Oriental and Wilton Weaves in Old Persian Designs, in Colorings for All the Rooms of the House.



Oriental Rugs!—do not the very words arouse your interest—conjure up visions of delicate patterns and luring colorings? And here are such carpets marked down in price for the January Sale—a beautiful collection of them, transported to the Furniture Building for the sale on Monday. Among them you'll find:

Oriental Rugs in all-over and medallion designs, some in combinations of ivory, rose, blue, and green, suitable for drawing rooms, bedrooms and reception rooms; others in the mellow effects of tan, terra and blue in such design as the warm reds and blues popular for offices and halls.

- Anatolian, 10.1 x 13.11. Sale price, \$250.00.
- Melna, 9.4 x 11.9. Sale price, \$275.00.
- Meshek, 9.9 x 13.0. Sale price, \$375.00.
- Cashmere, 9.2 x 12.9. Sale price, \$175.00.
- Serape, 10.1 x 13.4. Sale price, \$375.00.
- Kirmanshah, 9.7 x 11.9. Sale price, \$400.00.

Fine Wilton Rugs are also included in this special gathering of odd rugs at sale prices—Broken lines we cannot repeat, small Persian designs, large Kazan and Mosoul styles, including some with medallion centers. Blue, in combinations of green, tan, rose, blue and gold, suitable for bedrooms, dining-rooms or living-rooms.

- Size 9 x 12. Sale price, \$39.50.
- Size 11.9 x 12. Sale price, \$49.50.
- Size 10.6 x 12. Sale price, \$55.00.
- Size 11.3 x 13.6. Sale price, \$64.50.

THE T. EATON CO LIMITED

THE STORE'S CONVENIENCES

The Waiting and Rest Room, Third Floor; Information Bureau and Post-office, Second Floor; Parcel Post and Check-in the Basement.

Monday--Remarkable Clearance of Furniture, Draperies, Rugs and Floor Lamps

JANUARY A MONTH OF SALES—SOMETHING DIFFERENT EVERY DAY

Table Linens at Sale Prices

Irish Damask Table Cloths and Napkins, all Greatly Reduced in Price

SURELY AND FAR FROM SLOWLY, the price of linens is soaring, as every housewife knows full well! Without a doubt then, such opportunities as are afforded by this special Four Days' Sale, should not pass unheeded.

Irish Linen Table Cloths, in satin damask finish, of exceedingly firm, even weave, are featured at \$2.75, a price much less than their usual marking, some being reduced as much as one-half. The patterns include floral and conventional designs and the sizes are 24 x 24 7/8, and 24 x 36. They are left from a purchase made in the days of pre-war prices, which fact makes it possible to offer them at \$2.75.

Sale Bargains in Floor Lamps

In Mahogany and Antique Gilt With Silk Shades.

MAHOGANY FLOOR LAMP, with turned or fluted column, carved base and indirect lighting, with eight or twelve shades. This lamp is fitted with old rose silk shade. Many dollars less than usual at \$35.00.

DRAFTEES RESPOND IN CHEERY MOOD

Larger Proportion Come Forward on Second Day Than on First.

RECEIVE INOCULATION

Names of Defaulters Will Be Sent Forward to District Headquarters.

Regarding the response of the men called to the colors yesterday under the Military Service Act, it was stated last night that the draftees had reported in larger numbers than on the day before. Yesterday 275 men were notified to report for service. They kept arriving at the camp every few minutes from 6.45 a.m. until late in the afternoon. It is expected that 500 draftees will report today.

The draftees who reported yesterday were all attached to "C" and "D" Companies of the 2nd Battalion, Central Ontario Regiment, Lieut. Col. R. K. Barker commander. Major Barrett and Major Good are the company commanders.

being sent out to the men from 20 to 28 years.

The first man to present himself was Lionel Kelly, who entered the Bellevue avenue, was a conductor on the Toronto street railway, and born in the British West Indies.

Apply for Examination. Applicants for military medical examination totaled 12 at the Toronto mobilization centre yesterday. Fifty-eight of the recruits were accepted for service, these including 45 men sent to Toronto from the United States by the British war mission.

A district court-martial was held at Exhibition Camp yesterday to try Pte. William Kebo, No. 2 Special Service Company, who was charged with "striking his superior officer in the execution of his office, in that he, at Exhibition Camp on Dec. 2, struck with his fist in the face Corp. E. Weatherill, who at the time was orderly corporal." Major G. M. Mitchell, C.O.R., presided at the court.

W. H. HUTCHINSON DEAD. Well Known Resident of Castle Frank Road, Rosedale, Dies at His Residence.

A well known resident of Toronto passed away yesterday afternoon in the person of William H. Hutchinson, who died at his residence, 33 Castle Frank road, Rosedale.

The late Mr. Hutchinson was an American, and a parishioner of Ven. Archdeacon Cody, of St. Paul's Church, York street. On his mother's side he was a descendant of the Turners, a well known pioneer family of the early 30's, which took up a homestead at the present corner of Yonge and Wood streets, about 1834, in what was then the town of Little York.

The late William Hutchinson is survived by Mrs. Hutchinson and six daughters: the Misses Edith, Warda, Rose, Mary, Gaew and Elizabeth Hutchinson. The funeral will take place from St. Paul's Church to Mount Pleasant cemetery, Ven. Archdeacon Cody officiating.

UNITED STATES IS IN WAR TO FINISH

"Until a Peace That Pleases Britain is Obtained," Says Clergyman.

AT OLD ST. ANDREW'S

Prominent Men Here on a Fraternal Visit to Presbyterian Church.

"The United States is with you, the whole of the United States is with you, the whole of the United States will be with you until a peace that pleases Britain is obtained," said Dr. John F. Carson, of Brooklyn, last night at Old St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Dr. John F. Carson, of Brooklyn, chairman of the national service commission of the Presbyterian Church of America, and Dr. Wilbur L. Chapman, of New York, president of the same, were in Toronto yesterday on a fraternal visit to the Presbyterians of this city.

and a few pro-German pacifists yet, but that they had a secret service department as efficient as anything that was ever made in Germany, and on occasions of them the pacifists were keeping very quiet. The pacifists occasionally reminded them of Belgium in ashes, Serbia conquered and Rumania in chains.

He spoke of the Kaiser's boast that God was the ally of Germany, but he said as God was love and righteousness then the Teuton host was wrong. He said the United States entered the war for no extension of territory, but for the right of every man to live out his life as God had given him the right to do. He said this was the same old struggle as at the time of the revolution, for then the states in America were fighting against the Prussian, not the Anglo-Saxon, enemy.

Presbyterians Offer Services. Dr. Chapman said he was no stranger in Toronto, having been here with Dr. Toney in a series of meetings at the Massey Hall. He said the Presbyterians of America had done in this war as they had done in the days of George Washington; they had gone to the president and said, "Here Mr. President, we offer you the resources of our church at this time of the nation's need." He said they had great reason for thanksgiving in the United States for the many staunch Christian men in the government.

Special to The Toronto World. Brantford, Ont., Dec. 4.—Returning Officer Wade is paying out some of the accounts of the deputy returning officers who acted on Dec. 17. The sum of \$400, being the deposits of Mayor Bowby and M. MacBride, is being utilized by the returning officer to square up some of the expenses of the election.

MONEY ALL DISBURSED FOR ELECTION OUTLAY

Twenty Thousand Dollar Contribution Went for Expenses, Witness Claims.

St. John, N.B., Jan. 4.—The sum of \$20,000 which Director W. B. Tennant of the Nova Scotia Construction Company gave George B. Jones, M.L.A. for King's County, for Thomas Bell, treasurer of the St. John Conservative organization, was placed in the safe of Hon. J. M. Baxter, then attorney-general of the province, according to Mr. Jones, who was called as a witness today by Commissioner John M. Stevens. Mr. Jones said Mr. Bell was not in his office when he called, and for safe-keeping he had J. Allen LeBlanc, an attorney and clerk in Hon. Mr. Baxter's office, place it in the safe. Hon. Mr. Baxter was not present when Mr. Jones said he had received money from Mr. Tennant for campaign purposes. The package in question was used for expenses during the general election. There were also other funds, and he could not tell where the money contributed by Mr. Tennant was used. It was for legitimate expenses, he said. The hearing was adjourned until Thursday next.

COL. HARDY, PRESIDENT OF G.W.V.A. EXECUTIVE

Meeting of Representatives from Five Districts for Organization Purposes.

Col. E. B. Hardy was elected president of the newly-formed York County district executive of the G.W.V.A. last evening, and Sergt. Meredith was elected vice-president. Major G. A. Sampson and J. O'Connor being elected treasurer and secretary, respectively. The meeting was in the main one of organization and included 15 members, or three from each of the five newly-formed branches of the district. A meeting is to be held to Mrs. Baxter and which will thoroughly consider the alien problem and the question of a more servicable distribution of war service badges.

SAVE TIME—SHOP WITH A TRANSFER CARD. Ask for a Transfer Card when you make your first purchase; each purchase is then added to your total at Pay-in Station, Basement.

You were Inquiring

IF YOU WANT HELP in choosing your clothes, or furnishing your house, suggestions in a guide book to be read by presents to you, or in the SHOPPING SERVICE and one of the Shoppers will advise you, and buy for you when advised—act as your proxy in the Store. Should you wish a reply from the Store, mark the corner of your envelope, "THE SCRIBE," and watch the column below for the answer.

G. G. R.—The gloves that bewitched you are still available—tan capeskin with buckles at the wrist. It suited, the price is \$2.50 a pair, and lined \$3.00. They are great favorites with women who drive their own cars, being soft and pliable—the gloves, that is. If blue does not suit your complexion, what about green? There is a most effective little frock in Georgette crepe of that shade, mounted over silk, with green satin bordering the skirt and composing the bodice, and a wee rose color waistcoat adding interest to the general aspect. The price is \$22.50. Another model of green crepe de Chine is embroidered in green and tan silk, the neck cut square and softened with folds of white Georgette. This is \$15.00.

"Hope."—Pyorrhoea Tooth Powder is 73 cents a bottle, and the postage to Woodstock would be 10 cents.

"Hope."—Hopefulness is running strong to-day, isn't it?—of both practical and romantic intent. The cheats that play a part in your rosy expectations are of red cedar, known as Tennessee cedar—fragrant in odor and impervious to moths, damp, and other corrupting influences to which your linen, wool and other household treasures are prey. One of the most popular is 48 by 20 1/2, by 17 inches in size, and priced \$22.50. Another, which is 43 by 20 1/2, by 17 inches, is \$24.00. Then at \$39.50 is a chest in window seat style, with drawers, which is made of copper by way of ornamentation. The interiors are like the old-fashioned linen chest, without rays or compartments, and with ample room for both rug and china box set.

"But the column here is always rather indulgent towards the capital 'I'—ready to lend an ear to any plaint of a matter of fact, is a most interesting perplexity. Your 'I' is a man, and you are a joy to behold. Either the amber or the lighter honey shade would make a beautiful background for your 'I'—peculiarly if you've Oriental rugs with a good deal of ivory, terra cotta and Persian blue in them, which would be pink. Let me know what your furniture is like, the size and location of your room, the shape of your windows, and we'll be able to talk over curtains, coverings, lamp shades, etc.

The Scribe



Brocades and Velvets—Many Half-Price. Exquisite Fabrics of Curtains, Portieres and Furniture Coverings greatly price reduced at \$4.95 Per Yard.

THERE ARE RICH PANNEVELLOURS, plain or striped, so much used for upholstering chairs or sofas of mahogany and walnut.

Satin brocades there are, too, in floral and Adam medallion designs. These are to be had in self-tones of grey, tan, rose, green and blue—ideal for curtains and furniture covers in the handsomely furnished drawing-room.

Heavier weave velvets, monk's cloth, brocaded velvets, etc., are beautifully rich in tone and essentially suited for covering luxurious masterbeds, or all-upholstered arm chairs, which are marked at a mere shadow of their usual price, \$4.95 a yard.

Magnificent Wall Tapestry. An exceedingly handsome tapestry which would prove most decorative in entrance hall or over the mantel, some dignified reception room. It represents a troupe of strolling players, caught in a snowstorm, in the midst of a forest.

A fllet lace bedspread made for the great exhibition at Brussels a year or so previous to the war is another thing of which beauty has been reduced in price. It is a masterpiece of needlework, illustrating a tale of troubled love, outlined with handsome scrolls. The edges are finished in deep scallops, edged with linen tassels. A most distinctive and artistic bed covering, and less than half price at \$485.00.

AMERICA DISCOVERS TRANSFERS

Washington Prefers Americans at Front Should Remain With Units With Which They Are Now Associated.

London, Jan. 4.—The Associated Press has received information that the American war department has decided upon rules governing the transfer of Americans serving with the British forces to the American army by which their present status will not be disturbed except in special cases and where the transfer "is plainly in the interest of the United States."

HAMILTON NEWS

EMERGENCY COAL NOT ALL USED UP

Eighty Tons Out of Two Hundred Left in Civic Bins at Hamilton.

Hamilton, Jan. 4.—That C. W. Harrington, assistant fuel controller for Ontario, knew whereof he spoke when he let it be known that Hamilton's coal famine was largely imaginary, and the result of panic among the people, was amply proven today. In the preceding days of the week Mayor Dockett and members of the council had been appealed to by hundreds of householders, who claimed to be without fuel, and to have no prospect of getting it. Yesterday morning S. H. Kent, city clerk, drew his emergency supply of 200 tons of coal into the streets, expecting that it would be grabbed up by noon. At 9 o'clock last evening, when the stock had dropped to 100 tons, 80 tons remained to be disposed of.

Capt. Colin Gibson of Sir J. M. Gibson has been appointed to the rank of Major in the Royal Fusiliers. When he broke out Capt. Gibson was in England with the 1st Battalion. He took out a commission in the Royal Fusiliers, and in 1916 received a wound which necessitated his return to Canada. He returned to the front and during the Vimy engagement received his second wound.

WAR SUMMARY

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

THE Germans maintain their aggressive intentions against the British established in the new salient of Cambrai. They are not directly assaulting the salient, but they are pushing it into the zone of the Canal du Nord. The enemy pressure here forced four British advanced posts back a trifling distance yesterday. These operations appear to be really feeling out operations. After the enemy has tested the British strength he may feel tempted to launch a powerful attack. The presence of Canadian troops at Lens with their good storming qualities would then prove advantageous for they could begin an advance towards Douai, and thereby compel the Germans to fall back on the defensive to prevent the cutting of their communications above Cambrai. Both Douai and Cambrai are on the same railway line, and the British are also strongly on the offensive in the latter direction, where they destroyed six German machines. They also dropped 300 bombs on two German airbases near Houthulst Forest and billets nearby Lille.

By resuming his pressure against Lens, resulting in the loss of the salient, the south of that town, Field Marshal Haig is resuming his campaign where he left it off last April. The new British attack, combined with the recent regrouping of forces, probably under cover of operations near Cambrai a few weeks ago, has a tendency to ease the pressure of the enemy against the British line. In a large sense the British probably intend to begin their coming strong offensive in conjunction with the French, according to the plans recently abandoned last spring after the serious losses and outbreak of disaffection in the French army compelled the British to liberate the principal work required for the liberation of the Belgian coast has already been done. The British and the French will have to be ready to give Russia full assistance with an offensive if the peace negotiations entirely fail and both sides begin to bid defiance at each other.

General Allenby, in continuation of his offensive north of Jerusalem, has made another advance of a mile. This made progress for General Allenby, who aims at being the first to enter Jerusalem. It is not he, but the weather, that is to blame for this slowness, for troops cannot move rapidly over the hills and on muddy roads. The fighting, however, goes all the harder for the Turks, for they cannot withdraw rapidly without abandoning their heavy military apparatus. If they elect to do without the protection of heavy and light guns they suffer all the greater punishment from the British fire.

The Italians appear to have largely re-established their independence in the mountains and they are making this increased power felt by the enemy. Active operations of a general European congress are proceeding in Hailan, French and British patrol, and the general bitterness prevailing suggests allied intervention in the war for recognition, and then their future will depend upon how they have behaved themselves in the world-wide struggle for freedom.

COAL SHORTAGE INSPIRES THIS SUGGESTION IN EARLESCOURT-FAIRBANK DISTRICT

Coal Shortage Inspires This Suggestion in Earlescourt-Fairbank District.

Regarding the coal shortage in the Earlescourt-Fairbank district, Charles Day, a prominent resident in the section, in conversation with the vice-president of the Earlescourt citizens' committee yesterday, pointed out that the situation would be greatly relieved by the civic authorities making a plan to cut down the large number of old pine and oak trees along Daymont road for fuel. "The trees to the number of over 200, many of them 20 and 30 feet high, on the boulevard and slopes between Greenway and McFarland avenues and Dufferin street are practically useless, and a large percentage of them would be removed at a later date to make way for better buildings," he said. "I would also suggest that some of the great quantities of coal stacked on the railroad for many months be distributed to the needy." "I would also suggest that some of the great quantities of coal stacked on the railroad for many months be distributed to the needy."

WESTON CONTROVERSY COMES TO CONCLUSION

H. J. Church Steps Proceedings Against Controversy to Unseat Him. The local issue between R. J. Bull and H. J. Church, as to whether the Weston Water, Power and Light Company had any right to the water rights, whether, as the law states, it should secure all money for extensions and additions for the Weston water system through the town council is still a topic of conversation.

SCHOOL IS CROWDED

Room Necessary to Provide Accommodation for Children Now on Waiting List. In connection with the new Fairbank School, Vaughan road, there are over 300 pupils at present in attendance and further accommodation is necessary to receive the children on the waiting list in school section 16, according to the statement of the chairman, Ed. Birch. At a recent meeting the matter of extra accommodation was discussed, and the advisability of erecting portable buildings or having a hall was debated, and laid over to next meeting.

INDIGNANT BECAUSE RINK IS CUT OFF

Residents of Woodstock Expresses Their Indignation at the Cutting Off of the Rink. The residents of Woodstock are highly indignant at the cutting off of the rink in the town. The rink has been a great source of amusement for the children and young people of the town. The cutting off of the rink is a great disappointment to the residents.

TEACHER SAID TO HAVE PRO-GERMAN leanings

Miss Frieda Held, Carlton Public School, Denies Having Made Statements Credited to Her. The case of Miss Frieda Held, a teacher in the Carlton Public School, is a case of which there has been much talk in the town. It is said that she has made statements which are pro-German. Miss Held denies having made such statements.

DR. W. D. YOUNG DEAD

East Toronto Physician Dies After Short Illness. With the death of Dr. W. D. Young, who has been a resident of the East Toronto district for many years, the town has lost a valued citizen. Dr. Young died after a short illness.

RICHMOND HILL REVEAL

For about the twentieth time in succession H. Pugsley has been re-elected reeve of Richmond Hill. There will be a fight for the office this year, as there are four vacancies to be filled. The first four vacancies to be filled are those of Thomas Trench, Joseph Monkhouse, J. L. Young, and Edward Barker.

RESPECT KING'S CALL

North Toronto Citizens Will Attend Special Prayer Services Sunday. The citizens of North Toronto will give respect to the message from the King to recognize tomorrow as a day of special prayer for the allies. In Davisville Methodist Church, both services will partake of a patriotic as well as a devotional character. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Reynolds, will have morning services, and four laymen will have charge of the evening service.

TROTSKY RECOGNIZING REGIME OF BOLSHIEVIKI

Washington Hears Nothing Official of Reported Intention of Jap Administration.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Nothing of the reported intention of the Japanese Government to extend recognition to the Bolsheviks has been heard by the state department, and the Japanese embassy is equally ignorant of the subject. In view of the complete understanding that has existed between the entente allies as to unity of action in such matters, it is said in entente circles that a decision will be reached very soon as to the initiative in recognizing the Bolsheviks without full consent of the allied and American states department officials say that there have been no negotiations upon the subject up to this point.

BOLSHIEVIKI SEND OFFER TO EVACUATE PERISA

Petrograd Anarchists Will Retire if Germans and Turks Do Likewise. The Russian commissaires, the Petrograd anarchists, have decided to evacuate Perisa, a town in the Ukraine, if the Germans and Turks do likewise. The anarchists are offering to evacuate Perisa if the Germans and Turks do likewise.

PNEUMONIA VICTIM DRAWN ACROSS ICE

Captain Rescued Too Late From Ship Ice Bound in Long Island Sound. A captain was rescued too late from his ship, which was ice-bound in Long Island Sound. The captain was found dead on the ice.

INDIANS' TIME EXTENDED

Are Given Till End of January to Appeal for Exemption. Special to The Toronto World. Brantford, Jan. 4.—Owing to the fact that the Indians of Canada are still over such a wide territory, the government has extended the time for appeal for exemption from military service until the end of January.

LABOR PARTY REORGANIZED

Kitchener, Ont. Jan. 4.—The Independent Labor Party for the riding of Kitchener has been reorganized. The party has elected a new executive committee.

WILL DISCUSS RATE INCREASES

Winnipeg, Jan. 4.—Hon. E. H. Johnson, attorney-general for Manitoba, will discuss rate increases in his speech in Ottawa, where he will make representations as to Manitoba's interests and the proposed increase in railway freight rates.

TO TACKLE LABOR PROBLEMS

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—The personnel of a cabinet sub-committee to consider labor questions, it is expected, will be announced next week. The sub-committee will deal especially with labor problems arising out of the war. It will be presided over by Senator Robertson, minister without portfolio.

SLACKERS IN U.S.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Fifty thousand slackers in the United States are being sought by officials of the War Department. The officials are looking for men who are not doing their share in the war effort.

TWO BILLION DOLLARS U. S. SHIPPING OUTLAY

American Shipping Board Asks Congress for Big Appropriation to Cover Cost of New Shipbuilding Contracts.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Plans for a two billion dollar government shipbuilding program were revealed yesterday when the shipping board asked congress for authority to place \$271,000,000 of additional ship contracts at the same time an immediate appropriation of \$22,000,000 was asked for the extension of ship yards and for providing housing facilities for workmen.

WILSON WANTS RAILWAY ACTS

(Continued from Page One). President Wilson, in announcing his action in taking over the roads, praised the way in which railroad executives went to work to assist the government under private management, but said that the exigency demanded government operation, but only by administration absolutely unrestricted. Unembarrassed could be made of all lines and facilities. He promised that the common administration will be carried out with the assurance of the present operating organizations and personnel of the railways as possible, and repeated the assurance given in his proclamation last week that owners of railroads should not suffer financial loss because of the new plan of operation.

ALLEGED FIRE BUG SENT UP FOR TRIAL

Preliminary Hearing in Case of Burridge, Charged With Setting Fire in Hamilton. Special to The Toronto World. Ingersoll, Ont. Jan. 4.—The preliminary hearing today Van Walter Burridge, charged with setting fire to a store in Hamilton, was held in Ingersoll. Burridge is charged with setting fire to a store in Hamilton.

FINNS ASK INDEPENDENCE

Copenhagen, Jan. 4.—King Christian today received at the palace a Finnish delegation which requested the recognition of Finland as an independent nation. The King, in replying to the request, expressed the strongest sympathy with Finland's problem, and said he would do all in his power to see that Finland's independence was maintained.

CANADIAN ARTILLERIST COMMITTED SUICIDE

Major Harcourt Powell Left Note Declaring Death Wish. Canadian Associated Press Cable. London, Jan. 4.—A verdict of suicide has returned in the case of Major Harcourt Powell of the Canadian Artillery, who shot himself at a pleasure resort in London. He was a schoolmaster in Canada. He was blown up in a dugout in France, receiving serious injuries, but recovering after his return to England. He left a note saying: "The accident was entirely my own fault. This note must have been written some time prior to the shooting. It is a note which I wrote at the time of making out my record eleven successive bulletins."

HALIFAX ASKS CANADA TO PAY FOR DISASTER

Commercial Club Requests Dominion to Make Full Reparation. Halifax, N.S., Jan. 4.—The Commercial Club has adopted a resolution expressing the view that the Dominion Government should make full reparation to Halifax for the loss sustained in the recent explosion. The resolution set forth that the dreadful occurrence was one for which the people of Halifax were in no wise responsible, and that, therefore, its cost should be assumed by the country as a whole.

THREE WIN MILITARY CROSS

London, Jan. 4.—The Military Cross has been awarded to Capt. G. W. Scott, who bore the brunt of the attack on Montreal, and to Capt. M. S. Torrance of the Manchester, who was formerly King's Royal Rifles, a son of Warren Watson, Canadian trade commissioner.

DOLLARS OUTLAY

Plans for Big Ap- of New Ship- g to \$2,018,000,000. If the funds are made available...

PENNSYLVANIA WANTS COAL SUPPLY

ests Against Shipments Own Fields Till It Has Enough. Jan. 4.—Pennsylvania...

FIRE BUG

ENT UP FOR TRIAL bearing in Case of Burridge, With Starting Fire in Toronto.

JEWISH COUNCIL WOMEN

Large Number Supplies Sent to Red Cross Headquarters.

Oh! the Charm of Beauty

Let Stuart's Calcium Wafers Restore the Color to Your Cheeks and Remove the Cause of Pimples, Blackheads, Etc.

SKS CANADA

AY FOR DISASTER Requests Dominion Full Reparation. Jan. 4.—The Com-

MILITARY CROSSES

warded to Capt. G. G. Scott, who belongs to the 1st Battalion of the 4th Canadian Trench Battalion.

UNIVERSAL REGRET AT BRODER'S DEATH

Parliamentarians on All Sides Pay Tribute to Late Politician. Expressions of regret were heard on all sides at the parliament buildings...

CIVIL LINES CARRY THREE MILLION MORE

According to Works Commission's Figures There Has Been Great Increase in Year. The report on the operations of the civil railways during 1917...

DIPHTHERIA DECREASES; OTHER ILLS INCREASE

Scarlet Fever, Measles and Whooping Cough Were Particularly Prevalent in Province Last Year. Cases and deaths from communicable diseases...

PAULIST CHORISTS

Indications point to vast audiences at the concert of the boysingers in Massey Hall, January 18-19.

ENDOWMENT POLICY FAVORED

At the regular meeting of the Business Women's Club Miss W. Wiseman, the president, gave an interesting talk on insurance.

VERDUN THANKS CANADA

Secretary-General G. Emile of the Secours National in France sends a letter of thanks from the municipality and population of Verdun.

WOMEN'S PEACE MEETING

A despatch from Bern, Switzerland, states that the Swiss Women's Committee for a lasting peace has called an international women's conference at Bern for March 3 to 8.

Free Trial Coupon

F. A. Stuart Co., 503 Stuart Bldg., Toronto, Ont. Send me at once, by return mail, a free trial package of Stuart's Calcium Wafers.

CITY'S REVENUE IS BETTER THAN EXPECTED

Four Departments Exceed Estimated Income, Making Over Hundred and Sixty Thousand to Offset Overdrafts. There is every reason to believe that Toronto finished the year without a civic deficit.

CONDITIONS GOOD WITH THE SOLDIERS

Captain Best Told Patriotic League About the Men Overseas. The speaker told of the hopelessness of the first two weeks of the war...

HEALTHIEST ONE IN THE FAMILY

No Sign of Dropsy and Kidney Trouble Since Taking 'Fruit-a-tives.' HATTIE WARREN Port Robinson, Ont., July 8, 1915.

THOMAS GOLDSMITH SENT UP FOR TRIAL

Winifred Hughes, Shot Through Thighs, Said It Was Because She Refused to Marry Goldsmith. After seven weeks' confinement in the Western Hospital with a bullet wound in each thigh...

CHOICE OF LEADER PLEASES EVERYBODY

Opinions at Parliament Buildings Are All Favorable to Mr. Proudfoot's Appointment. There are none other than opinions which speak highly of the new leader of the Liberal party in Ontario...

IF BACKACHE OR KIDNEYS BOTHER

Eat Less Meat, Also Take Glass of Salts Before Eating Breakfast. Uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked, get sluggish, ache, and feel like lumps of lead.

DOCTOR IS ARRESTED

Charge is That of Performing an Illegal Operation. Charged with performing an illegal operation, Dr. J. M. Johnston, 35 Elm street, was arrested yesterday morning...

BISHOP AT CATHEDRAL

The Bishop of Toronto will preach in connection with the King's call to prayer on Sunday morning at the cathedral at 11 o'clock, and in the evening at St. Peter's Church, Carlton street, at 7 o'clock.

INSPECTORS WERE BUSY

Figures issued by the city architect show that the building inspectors employed by the city made 39,000 visits of inspection during the year 1917, or an average of 14 each a day.

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No Sign of Dropsy and Kidney Trouble Since Taking 'Fruit-a-tives.' HATTIE WARREN Port Robinson, Ont., July 8, 1915.

THOMAS GOLDSMITH SENT UP FOR TRIAL

Winifred Hughes, Shot Through Thighs, Said It Was Because She Refused to Marry Goldsmith. After seven weeks' confinement in the Western Hospital with a bullet wound in each thigh...

CHOICE OF LEADER PLEASES EVERYBODY

Opinions at Parliament Buildings Are All Favorable to Mr. Proudfoot's Appointment. There are none other than opinions which speak highly of the new leader of the Liberal party in Ontario...

IF BACKACHE OR KIDNEYS BOTHER

Eat Less Meat, Also Take Glass of Salts Before Eating Breakfast. Uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked, get sluggish, ache, and feel like lumps of lead.

DOCTOR IS ARRESTED

Charge is That of Performing an Illegal Operation. Charged with performing an illegal operation, Dr. J. M. Johnston, 35 Elm street, was arrested yesterday morning...

BISHOP AT CATHEDRAL

The Bishop of Toronto will preach in connection with the King's call to prayer on Sunday morning at the cathedral at 11 o'clock, and in the evening at St. Peter's Church, Carlton street, at 7 o'clock.

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Honeycomb, Dimity and Satin Damask also various other makes, in single and double bed sizes. Clearing at special prices.

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In assorted sizes, weights and patterns. Prices: \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$5.00 each.

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Hand-embroidered Bedspreads, Tea Cloths, Tray Covers, Embroidered Towels, Pillow Shams, Pillow Cases, etc. all marked at lowest prices.

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Ladies and Gentlemen's HATS of all kinds cleaned, dyed and reupholstered. Work excellent. Prices reasonable.

RETURNED MEN NOT ABLE FOR HEAVY WORK

Veterans' Association Looking After Problem of Unemployed Must and Effectively, But Need Help.

ARMY COMMISSIONER HERE

Is on Way to China to Take Up Work for Civilianization.

ATTACKED BY BEAR

Carl Atkins, However, Was a Match for Adversary.

LETTERS FROM SOLDIERS

Ex-Conductors on Street Railway Write to W. D. Robbins.

END IN SIGHT

Metal Polishers Reaching Agreement With Employers.

King Edward Hotel

TEA DANCE Open From 4 to 6 p.m. DAILY AND SATURDAYS From 10 to 12 p.m.

THE WEATHER

Observatory, Toronto, Jan. 4.—The Atlantic disturbance has caused rains with snow and rain in the maritime provinces. The weather has moderated in Ontario and Quebec, and in Alberta has continued mild while in Manitoba and Saskatchewan it has become somewhat colder again, with northerly winds.

THE BAROMETER

Time. Ther. Bar. Wind. 8 a.m. 29.70 5 N. W. 10 a.m. 29.70 5 N. W. 12 p.m. 29.70 5 N. W. 2 p.m. 29.70 5 N. W. 4 p.m. 29.70 5 N. W. 6 p.m. 29.70 5 N. W.

STREET CAR DELAYS

Friday, Jan. 4, 1918. King cars delayed 15 minutes at 3.45 a.m. at G. T. I. crossing by train.

RATES FOR NOTICES

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, not over 50 words, \$1.00. Additional words, each 2c. No Lodge Notices to be included in Funeral Announcements.

DEATHS

HUTCHINSON.—On Jan. 4, 1918, at his residence, 38 Castle Frank road, Wm. H. Hutchinson, beloved husband of Rachael E. Hutchinson, in his 54th year.

HON. ANDREW BRODER, EX-M.P. FOR DUNDAS.

Death Claims Prominent Member of Canadian House of Commons.

HON. ANDREW BRODER DIES AT MORRISBURG

Mr. Broder was of north of Ireland ancestry, but was born in Franklin, Huntington County, Quebec, in 1845.

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PRIVATE BILLS SOUGHT

Scarboro and Etobicoke Want Waterworks Assessment Legislation.

HOW I DARKENED MY GRAY HAIR

For years I tried to restore my grey hair to its natural color with the prepared dyes and stains, but none of them gave satisfaction and they were all expensive.

SENT SWEETS TO SOLDIERS

The executive of the Canadian War Contingent Association met yesterday afternoon at 56 Church street, when reports were given of the splendid work done during the Christmas season.

WOMAN MOTOR DRIVER

The meeting of the Heliconian Club this afternoon will be in the form of a farewell to Miss Estelle Kerr, who goes overseas shortly to drive a motor van for supplies to hospitals in France.

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Another Big Deal

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The cigar you've seen thoroughly saturated.

It comes through does it irritate, sh, peppery or

Tobacco is not ed.

About any Davis ad it mild, mellow, from any of the

try a Davis action?"

ents.

The gun like a juggernaut scattered into the brick of the village.

ed on to the cross roads and on top gear thru more were collecting and came sh bullets, to safety.

their party of railway men friends of the British battalions completely surrounded and snipers. Their escort consisted of a full score of Germans un-snappy little officer.

ed up the Cambrai road to the British lines and they had given up hope of an imperial battalion.

La Vaquerie, his and Canadians, although supplied with their guards picked up the British party, which was with the line that rescued them.

Missing Return. A roll was called later in the morning and each night not only the Canadian railway men showed fight as well as they and special congratulations been given them from

HUNDRED DESERT. Jan. 4.—The authorities deal with a number of desertion under the Military today. Two hundred and called up in the first draft.

restored to active standing.

ARRESTED FOR BEATING HIS WIFE. n. 4.—Sprague Cleghorn, a professional hockey player, today on a charge of assault.

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ROBINSON ON TWO WINNERS ON FRIDAY

Ender, Handicap Winner, Piloted by Robinson at New Orleans—Results.

New Orleans, Jan. 4.—The races here today resulted as follows: FIRST RACE—Purse \$600, claiming, 3-year-olds, 5/8 furlongs: 1. Juanita III, 101 (Mooney), 6 to 1, 2 to 1.

SECOND RACE—Purse \$600, claiming, 4-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs: 1. Ina Kay, 104 (Johnson), 7 to 5, 3 to 1.

THIRD RACE—Purse \$600, claiming, 4-year-olds and up, 1 1/8 miles: 1. Blue Thistle, 116 (F. Robinson), 3 to 1, 5 to 2.

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The World's Selections

BY CENTAUR

NEW ORLEANS.

FIRST RACE—Blaise, Refugee, Ampere II, Buzz Around.

SECOND RACE—Sharp Frost, Tartlet, Primly, Getup, Brobeck and Snip also ran.

THIRD RACE—Three-year-olds and up, claiming, purse \$400, 5/8 furlongs: 1. Quin, 103 (Wingfield), 6 to 5, 3 to 1.

FOURTH RACE—Three-year-olds and up, claiming, purse \$400, 5/8 furlongs: 1. Miss Gove, 111 (Murphy), 2 to 1, 7 to 10, 1 to 3.

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NINTH RACE—Three-year-olds and up, claiming, purse \$400, 5/8 furlongs: 1. Time 1.45 3-5. Prince Palithorpe, Tito, Queen Margot also ran.

TENTH RACE—Three-year-olds and up, claiming, purse \$400, 5/8 furlongs: 1. Time 1.46 2-5. Amphion, Virginia W., Regresso and Erin also ran.

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SECOND RACE—Purse \$600, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs: 1. Sharp Frost, 111 (Mira), 3 to 1, 5 to 2.

THIRD RACE—The Old Glory Handicap, 3-year-olds and up, purse \$700, one mile: 1. Labyan Sands, 100 (Moscow), 10 to 1, 5 to 1.

FOURTH RACE—The Gentry Handicap, 3-year-olds and up, purse \$100, 5/8 furlongs: 1. Gipsy Queen, 123 (Poacher), 10 to 1, 5 to 1.

FIFTH RACE—Purse \$600, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one mile and 70 yards: 1. Good, 108 (Herrman), 10 to 1, 5 to 1.

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GUELPH SHIVERS; FUTURE IS DARK

Little Coal in City and Mayor's Efforts at Relief Unavailing.

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McGREGOR'S Horse Exchange. AUCTION SALES MONDAY THURSDAY Jan. 7th Jan. 10th. Private Sales Every Day.

Sold Baseball Stars: Lost in Gate Receipts. Connie Mack has received a fortune for former stars of the Athletics.

THE REPOSITORY. Simcoe and Nelson Streets Toronto. 200 HORSES. Consigned for our Auction Sales on TUESDAY, JANUARY 8TH AND FRIDAY, JANUARY 11TH.

Deserter of a Year Arrested; Was Hiding on Farm in Harwich. Special to The Toronto World. Chatham, Jan. 4.—A search which commenced over a year ago, when Cyril Parker deserted from a Toronto unit, has at last resulted in his capture.

Charles Unwin Was for Many Years on Toronto's Civic Staff. Charles Unwin, who attained the age of eighty-eight last Sunday, died yesterday morning.

Clothes Tailored For You Personally. EVERY man likes his dress to be different—individual. HOBERLIN Suits and Overcoats are individually measured and cut by hand for each customer.

DR. SOPER DR. WHITE. Specialists in the following Diseases: Piles, Eczema, Asthma, Catarrh, Diabetes, Blood, Nerve and Bladder Diseases.

DR. STEVENSON'S CAPSULES. For the special ailments of men, Urinary and Bladder troubles. Guaranteed to cure in 5 to 8 days.

SPERMZOZONE. For Nervous Debility, Nervousness and accompanying ailments. \$1.00 per box.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. CORALS KIDNEY DISEASES. BRONCHITIS, RHEUMATISM, BRIGHT'S DISEASE, DIABETES, GRAVEL.

That Son-in-Law of Pa's Will Pa Dare to Return Home After This? BY G. H. Wellington. A comic strip featuring a man and a woman in a domestic setting.

SOCIETY FASHIONS ADS FOR WOMEN

WOMEN'S SECTION

HOUSEKEEPING RECIPES FOR COOKING CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

ALARMING EPIDEMIC OF HAIR TROUBLES

1,000,000 HAIR HEALTH PARCELS FREE

Remarkable interest has been aroused by the ever-increasing number of cases of hair troubles reported from all parts and more especially in the great munition-making centres. Thousands of men and women are finding their hair falling out and becoming thin and brittle.



At this time, when men and women are all concentrated on their hair, the great "Harlene Hair-Drill" is proving so universally successful.

This is your hair-health gift: 1. A bottle of "Harlene," the true liquid food and natural tonic for the hair.

POST THIS FREE GIFT FORM. Fill in and Post to Frank L. Benedict & Co., 45 St. Alexander Street, Montreal, Que., N.W.

Announcements. Notices of any character relating to future events, the purpose of which is the raising of money, are inserted in the advertising columns at 10 cents a space line.

"CHRIST'S SECOND COMING."—An address by Albert E. S. Smythe, for the "Theosophical Society," Sunday seven-fifteen, Canadian Foresters' Hall, Violin solos: Miss Dorothy Wade.

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SOCIETY

CONDUCTED BY MRS. EDMUND PHILLIPS

His worship the mayor left town yesterday on a week's holiday, after the unanimous election campaign.

Mrs. C. A. Ross, Admiral road, is leaving for Los Angeles on the 15th inst., and will not return home until late spring.

Lady Eaton, accompanied by Miss McCrea and Madame Goadis, leaves today for New York and Washington and will be away for a week or ten days.

Mrs. Miller Lash and Mrs. Rykman were among those giving young people's dinners last night before the Sir John Gibson Chapter dance in Columbus Hall.

Mrs. W. Sanford Evans and her two daughters, the Misses Eleanor and Katherine Evans, returned to Ottawa after spending Christmas with Mrs. Edward Gurney.

The Hon. Frederick Nichols gave a dinner last night. Col. and Mrs. B. Maclean gave a dinner party last night.

The advent of Mr. Poulteney Bigelow next month to address the Women's Canadian Club is looked forward to with much interest.

Mr. Charles Moss of the United States Interpreter's Corps left yesterday for abroad, with only a few hours' notice.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Barry Hayes gave a small dinner before the dance last night. Lady Duff-Gordon gave a treat at the Ritz-Carlton for Mrs. W. E. Wren.

Col. and Mrs. John Moss are spending a few days in Ottawa. The junior members of the Lady Ross Chapter, L. O. D. E., gave a party at the Parkdale Canoe Club.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cameron, the present of the chapter; Mrs. R. C. Harris, Mrs. W. H. Graham, Mrs. A. A. Hobson, Mrs. J. Kennedy, Mrs. H. F. Barker, Mrs. Charles Jolliffe, Mrs. H. A. Giffman, Mrs. John Medland, Mrs. W. F. Plewes, and the committee consisted of Mrs. A. E. Koppe, Mrs. J. Lindsay, Miss Gwendoline Cameron, Miss Ella Canham, Miss Millie White, Miss Jessie Barker, Miss Irene Calder, Miss Hazel Horswell, Miss Vivian Harris, Miss Dorothy Smith.

ceived in the ballroom. Mrs. Cameron wearing black chiffon with crystal trimming, and Mrs. Egan wearing silver grey duchesse satin.

Mrs. and Miss Chapin are leaving tonight for the 15th of January for Los Angeles, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. J. B. Marlon and her son, Rapids des-Joachims, Que., are visiting her mother, Mrs. M. L. Johnson, 85 Fairham avenue.

The dance given last night by the Sir John Gibson Chapter, W.D.E., in Columbus Hall, was a most successful one from every point of view—money for the good deeds of the chapter, of which Mrs. A. E. Goudeham, Jr., is the regent; pretty girls, pretty frocks, and plenty of cash, chiefly of the Imperial Royal Flying Corps, some Royal Military College cadets, and a very few black coats.

The full-dress uniform of the Flying Corps being very imposing. Those receiving were: Mrs. Gooderham, in pink, embroidered with silver tulle over white and silver, with pearls, and a corsage bouquet of violets; Lady Hearst, black lace and jet, with diamonds; Mrs. Muesis, black satin over black and steel embroideries, the corsage of jet and steel, and a corsage bouquet of orchids and lilies.

Mrs. Miller Lash, black velvet and lace, with pearl and diamond ornaments; Sir John Eaton; Lady Eaton, in pure blue tulle, with ropes of pearls; Mrs. Burson, shot blue and gold tulle; Mrs. Stuart Nelson, very bonny in gold satin and white lace corsage; Mr. and Mrs. G. Barry Hayes, the latter beautiful in black tulle and jet; Mrs. Hayes wore an exquisite frock of orchid satin and tulle; Mr. Hearst, C.E.F.; Miss Hearst, in rose satin and white tulle; Mrs. O'Flynn, pale blue satin and lace, with diamonds; Miss Gladys Young, lovely in grey silk and pink tulle; Mrs. Fenwick, in blue tulle and silver, with diamonds; Mrs. Reed, New York, silver lace, with overskirt of rose satin and blue tulle; Mrs. O'Flynn, Mrs. C. B. Henderson, black tulle and jet; Mrs. Snead, lovely in black, with silver.

Miss Clara McCall and the ladies of the Khaki Club, King street, gave Christmas and New Year dinners to forty returned soldiers and Royal Flying Corps cadets, who had just arrived in town, and having no friends in Toronto, do not appreciate the turkey and plum pudding and other gifts given by the women.

"This is the nearest to heaven I have ever been," remarked one soldier, as he enjoyed his good coffee and cigars, and who a few months ago had been a prisoner in Germany. Dancing, music and cards filled in the evening, the officers in command having graciously granted "late leave."

Works in Laundry, So It Can't Be Rheumatism. Have been bothered with a stiff shoulder for some time. I then do it every time the clock strikes the hour. Think of it when you are aching. Live it when you are working or doing anything. A sure fire tonic, take my word for it.

RELIEF AT LAST. I want to help you if you are suffering from bleeding, itching, blind or protruding piles. I can tell you how, in your own home and with any one's assistance, you can apply the best of all treatments.

PILES TREATED AT HOME. I promise to send you a FREE trial of the new absorption treatment, and return from your own locality if you will but write and ask. I assure you of immediate relief. Send no money but tell others of this offer. Address: MRS. M. SUMMERS, Box 65, Windsor, Ont.

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Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes are twenty-five per cent richer in comparative food values than any whole wheat preparation on the market.

MOST ECONOMICAL BECAUSE—A thousand calories (food units) in Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes cost less than a thousand calories in butter or a third of the cost of a thousand calories in lamb chops and chicken or a quarter of the cost of the same in eggs, beefsteak and haddock.

PROVEN—By a report made by the Chemist of the Russell Sage Institute of Pathology. These facts are from official reports and are indisputable.

Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes do just what the Food Controller asks everyone to do—SAVE WHEAT.

If your dealer's stock of Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes is low owing to the past uncertainty he will have plenty on hand in a day or so, because Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes is now officially licensed by the Food Controller to be sold in the same Red, White and Green packages in which you have always bought it, and that means a continuous unstinted supply for everyone.

The Battle Creek Toasted Corn Flake Co. Limited

Head Office and Factory: London, Ont.

NATURAL CAUSES. A verdict of death from natural causes was returned by the jury at the morgue last night inquiring into the death of Rebecca Lawson, who was admitted to the General Hospital some time ago under peculiar circumstances.

CHARGE OF THEFT. Harry Meekin, 88 John street, was arrested last night by Detective Thomson, charged with the theft of some shirts from the Grand Trunk Railway.

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NEW JERSEY CUTS OFF COAL FOR NEW YORK

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WHOLESALE FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Oranges.—Both California, Navel and Valencia, are still quite scarce, and the fact there were hardly any wholesalers yesterday.

California Celery and Cauliflower Florida Oranges

McWILLIAM & EVERIST 25-27 CHURCH STREET. POTATOES! New Brunswick Delawares ARRIVING FREELY—\$2.25 PER BAG, ONTARIO \$2.10. ALSO ALL OTHER VEGETABLES, BOXED AND BARRELED APPLIES.

FRESH STRENGTH IN CORN MARKET

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Fresh strength developed in the corn market today owing largely to scantiness of receipts. The market closed firm, quarter to half cent net higher at 12 1/2¢ for January and 12 3/4¢ for May.

Properties For Sale

Ten Acres Market Garden ON METROPOLITAN RAILWAY, at Eversley, land suitable for vegetables; a neighbor had five hundred bags of potatoes off five acres last year; rock on this and you will see how you can grow this on one acre; price \$500.

Government Control Obtains During War

Many American Officials Believe American Railways Will Never Return to Private Hands. Washington, Jan. 4.—While President Wilson in his address to Congress laid stress on the importance of properly operating the railroads for the return of the administration bill, it provides that government control shall be continued until after the war.

GERMANS IGNORE POPE, CONTINUE BAR RAISING

Protest From Vatican Evokes No Response From Austria-Hungary. Rome, Jan. 4.—In the face of the note of protest from the Vatican, the Austro-Hungarian government today announced that it would not be influenced by the pope's protest.

BOARD OF TRADE

Manitoba Wheat (in Store, Fort William, including 7 tax). No. 1 northern, \$2.25; No. 2 northern, \$2.20; No. 3 northern, \$2.15; No. 4 northern, \$2.10.

Belleville Pastor Inducted

Special to The Toronto World. Belleville, Jan. 4.—Rev. D. C. Ramsay, formerly of Toronto, was inducted into the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church of this city, was inducted into the charge this evening.

Attention College Students and School Boys

Early Rising Begots Good Habits. THE DAILY WORLD REQUIRES CARRIERS TO DELIVER MORNING ROUTES. GOOD MONEY PAID FOR CAREFUL WORK.

UNSOLD WOOL STOCKS

Annual Census in United States Shows More Than Last January. Boston, Jan. 4.—The annual census of the unsold stocks of wool throughout the country made by the commercial bureau of Jan. 4 shows 6,890,138 pounds, compared with 6,890,138 pounds in January, 1917.

Live Stock Market

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK. East Buffalo, Jan. 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 500. Steady. Hogs—Receipts, 500. Steady. Sheep—Receipts, 500. Steady.

Polson Iron Works Limited

STEEL SHIPBUILDERS, ENGINEERS AND BOILERMAKERS. NEW CALGARY FLOUR MILL. Calgary, Jan. 4.—A permit for a \$500,000 building has been issued by the city to the Alberta Flour Mills.

Lost Home and Contents

Special to The Toronto World. Kingston, Ont., Jan. 4.—Pte. R. Hearn, a Toronto soldier, suffered the loss of his house and entire contents. He went overseas with the 75th Battalion, was wounded and sent to the Movar Memorial Hospital, Portsmouth, just outside the city.

General Business Taxation

Winnipeg, Jan. 4.—It is learned today that there will be submitted to the provincial legislature at the coming session a bill imposing a tax on every business in Manitoba. It is said that while the tax will not be onerous in every case it will bring the province back to the normal level.

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DAVID Remarkable Informant The David's industry has been the men are as the new m the appoint February 1 On the being work opening, the was to m the inspection opening on. KIRK ago the letter say "in spite of his days of his work has been Lake camp uniforms remain dress to m the existin ere and ne new are T new are T which are if very good by both. NEW BA Winnipeg the director of the John Stone, who was promoted to the position of general manager of the Associated Press, was reported to have died in his retirement.

Cauliflower... EVERIST

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Do your share by building up a Savings account or investing in war securities.

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STRENGTH CORN MARKET

Receipts Causes... Oats Reach Highest Point.

Fresh strength... corn market today... receipts scantiness.

Higher at \$1.27 1/2... unchanged at 1/2... provisions unchanged to 1/2 cents.

outlet corn prices... tendency to advance... traffic conditions on wheat.

substantial increase... of wheat yet taken place... big quantities appeared to be still available.

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Wool... Toronto John... 25 to 30 cents... 30 to 35 cents.

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ONE WAY OUT FOR EXHAUSTED MINES

Timiskaming, Like Other Companies, Needs New Property to Prolong Life.

Opposition to one successful mining company taking over other properties or participating in financing other mining companies is not well founded.

The very best mining properties must become exhausted at some time and if the companies are to keep in existence they can only do so by purchasing into other properties or companies.

Timiskaming has been a wonderful producer of ore and it seems to be now generally admitted that the palmy days of the camp are gone and that the life of some of the properties is about done.

It would certainly be a great mistake to have past successful companies liquidate themselves out of existence when there is so much to be done in development in the north country.

The old and successful companies have an organization which has been built up at considerable expense, and this, together with the life of the company, is a valuable asset.

Advances in the mining industry, within moderate limits, have led to the highest point in the history of the industry.

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Record of Yesterday's Markets

TORONTO STOCKS. Standard Stock Exchange.

Table with columns: Bid, Ask, Gold, Standard Stock Exchange. Lists various stocks like Am. Cyanamid, Apex, Boston Creek, etc.

STOCKS SAG AFTER MAKING ADVANCES

President's Message, Dealing With Railroads, Acts as a Damper.

New York, Jan. 4.—Trading in stocks was characterized by a succession of confusing reversals, the list recording less than half a dozen advances and declines.

Unsettled started with the issuance of the president's message dealing with federal control of the railroads, which had recommendations on this important question were a line with popular expectations.

Immediately declined one to three points, bringing out most gains in that quarter. Rallies, probably resulting from short covering, effected partial improvement, as much as two points in some instances.

United States Steel, which again contributed heavily to the day's fairly large turnover, fluctuated between 96 1/2 and 94, closing a fraction over its minimum and a net loss of a point.

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BULL MOVEMENT LOSING IMPETUS

Steel Stocks Lapse Into Quietude—C.P.R. and Brazilian Sell Lower.

The bull movement which began in the local market with the new year lost some of its impetus yesterday.

President Wilson's address to congress on the railway question dampening enthusiasm in Wall street with reflected heaviness on Canadian exchanges.

Deals on the Toronto market fell off noticeably in the afternoon and there were few rumors.

Small price recessions in C.P.R. which fell to 12 1/2 in New York stock held unchanged.

Steel stocks afforded the most striking evidence of the flagging out of the bull campaign.

Domestic Steel was not traded in at all, the former being held at 66 with 67 1/2 offered.

Steel of Canada was unchanged. Steamships common, concerning which dividend rumors are revived, also failed to provide any sales, but the bid was steady at 49.

The preferred stock of the Montreal Trust Co. sold at 113.50 for a good account of itself.

Monday's transactions, exclusive of mining stocks, totaled 1211 shares and \$16,400 in war bonds.

MARKET AT MONTREAL BROADENING IN SCOPE. Smelters, Brazilian and Steamships Are Most Active Features.

Montreal, Jan. 4.—Altho the volume of business in the local stock market fell off considerably today compared with the two previous days, it gave a good account of itself.

Operations displayed a further broadening tendency. One of the most notable features was the lifting of the price of Smelters above the minimum by a small fraction for the first time.

Most of the buying was at 25. Brazilian was the most active, but the price did not vary much. Steamships was active at 46 to 47.

The steel issues were on the quiet side, iron selling at 55 1/2. Steel of Canada at 53 1/2. Car was strong at 19 to 19 1/2.

Railway Earnings. Montreal, Jan. 4.—For the final week in December track earnings of Canadian Pacific Railway aggregated \$4,779,000.

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GET FEDERAL CHARTERS

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—Joint stock companies incorporated this week include the following: Payne Mfg. Co. of Canada, Ltd., Montreal, capital \$100,000; The Modern Paper Box Co., Ltd., Guelph, \$100,000; Lumber Sales Service, Ltd., Toronto, \$50,000; Dominion Metallurgical Co., Ltd., Montreal, \$45,000; Albert Liqueur, Ltd., Montreal, \$50,000; Colborne Trading and Transportation Co., Ltd., Montreal, \$100,000; St. Lawrence Ship-ping and Steel Co., Ltd., Sorel, \$1,000,000; Cutter Bros., Ltd., Winnipeg, \$50,000; International Ore Corporation, Ltd., Toronto, \$1,000,000; J. E. A. Garvin, Ltd., Montreal, capital \$50,000; In-ternational Paper Co., Ltd., Montreal, \$100,000; Canada Needleworks, Ltd., Georgetown, Ont., \$50,000.

Winnipeg's Inland Revenue. Winnipeg, Jan. 4.—Inland revenue collections for the port of Winnipeg for the month of December, 1917, totaled \$24,247.28, as against \$18,634.53 for December, 1916, an increase of \$5,612.75. Of the current figures \$218,608.56 were collected on spirits and \$778.00 on malt, tobacco, cigars and cigarettes realized \$27,735.72. War tax amounted to \$15,027.73, and fines \$1005.

The Severest Part of Winter is Yet to Come---Choose One of These Big Warm Coats at Simpson's Today

"Carry On"

The British Tommy regards "perseverance" in a remarkably light-hearted Irish manner and calls the act "Carrying on."

The Canadians are the best of all, we hear, at "carrying on." There is a cheery optimism in the manner of these boys, says a well-known American writer—a jaunty determination to make the best of every situation that has won for them and Canada the admiration of the world.

Calmly, but with perseverance—with a tenacity of purpose—has this store been "carrying on," having in mind one object, one purpose, namely, to "keep the home fires burning," by supplying the public's demands with sound, dependable merchandise at the lowest possible price.

We are everlastingly on the lookout for special price con- signments, trade discounts and the like, in the hope of saving our patrons as much as possible. Whenever fortune favors us, it also favors you. "Carry on!"

EXCERPT FROM THE KING'S CALL TO PRAYER

"I, therefore, hereby appoint January 6, the first Sunday of the year, to be set aside as a special day of prayer and thanksgiving in all the churches throughout my dominions."

Two Inducements for Boys and Their Parents

Special--Boys' Ulsters at \$10.95

The finely-finished imported English and wool ulsterings from which they are made would alone make them wonderful value. Add to that the hand-tailoring and the latest style features, and you will then know it is an occasion not to be missed.

Double-breasted models, with patch pockets, convertible collars, etc.; lined throughout. For boys 10 to 17 years. Special price, \$10.95.

Boys' Suits Specially Priced at \$5.95

Contrary to what you might expect at such a remarkably moderate price, these manly little suits are tailored with neat lapels, form-retaining front, soft natural shoulders, patch pockets and three-piece belt.

The single-breasted pinch-back coats and the full-fashioned bloomers are lined throughout. For boys 7 to 17 years. On sale today, special at \$5.95.

Long before winter breaks you may find need for just such a coat as the one pictured.

Enveloped in its big warm folds you can brave the coldest day and enjoy solid comfort. It will also safeguard you against the uncertain dangers resulting from winter's cold sweeping blasts.

You have only to look at its uncommon, dashing appearance to know that it belongs to the smarter set of tasteful, refined models. It is a recognized fashion leader. We can also show you other models different in design but altogether quite as popular.

Step into the men's store today and slip into one of these handsome coats. You will then know how vastly superior they really are—not only in style, but also in workmanship and in the material they embrace.

We show this and many other models today at \$25.00, \$28.00, \$32.50, \$35.00, \$40.00, \$45.00 and \$50.00.

Men's Belted Overcoats

Men's Overcoats of grey and black check design in mackinette overcoating, double-breasted trench style, patch pockets with top flaps, inverted pleat in back, belt all the way around. Price, \$30.00.

Men's Overcoats of dark grey Whitney in double-breasted trench style, slash pockets, inverted pleat in back, belt all the way around. Price, \$35.00.

A Quick Dispersal Sale of Men's Overcoats \$14.95

Reduced From \$18.00 and \$20.00

This is a sale of real good coats—good styles, good materials, well made. There are handsome dark grey and brown Whitney cloths, tweeds, chevots and vicunas.

There are fashionable slip-on, avenue and ulsterette styles, some with self and others with velvet collars. Sizes 36 to 42. Regularly \$18.00 to \$20.00 coats. On sale at \$14.95.

Two Handsome Suit Styles

Men's Suits of brown, blue and red mixed cheviot, in stripe pattern. Single-breasted, three-button model with form-fitting back with deep centre vent.

Latest style trousers and vest. At \$20.00.

Men's Suits of cassimere worsted with black and silver hairline stripe. Two-button, single-breasted model, with form-fitting ventless back.

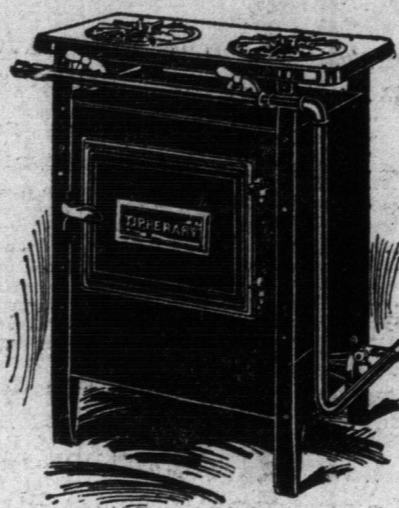
Latest style trousers and vest. At \$22.50.



This Two-Burner Gas Stove at \$7.95 Means That It Goes To You at a Big Saving Today

This is Gurney's "Tipperary" Gas Stove. It is very well constructed and possesses many features which are found only in much more expensive ranges, including star-drilled removable burners, with needle point valves and air mixer. Also it has two oven racks.

This is a discontinued number with the factory. We are therefore able to sell them at about two-thirds of the regular price. Today, each, \$7.95.



Hardware Prices Are Down in the Basement

Ready Roofing, a thoroughly reliable grade, 108 square feet in a roll, complete with nails and cement. One-ply, today, \$1.25; two-ply, \$1.50; three-ply, \$1.75.

- Handy Pliers, side cutter, wire cutter, gas burner and flat nose combination, 7 and 8-inch size. Regular 76c and 86c. Today, pair, 56c.
- Measuring Tapes, Lufkin Rule Co. high-grade make, 50 ft. length, today, 39c; 66 ft. length, 49c.
- Nest of Saws. This very handy outfit, a handle interchangeable with a keyhole, compass and prying saw block. Complete set, today, 75c.
- The Daisy Dustless Ash Sifter, galvanized iron, separates the ashes from the coal quickly, easily and with little dust. \$1.39. Today, 76c.
- Furnace Shovels, D-top, steel scoop. Today, 76c.
- Hollow-ground Razors, a good grade, well-finished razor, with 1/4-inch hollow-ground blade and black handle. Today, 95c.
- Shaving Brushes, bristles set in rubber, a good 40c brush. Today, 25c.

Phone Your Order--M. 7841

Men! Men! Men!

Sweaters! Pyjamas! Underwear!

Men's Sweater Coats, made from imported English yarns, fancy knit stitch, all wool, high storm collar. Grey, brown, navy and maroon. Regular \$6.50. Today, \$4.89.

Men's Flannelette Pyjamas, of fine soft quality, good weight, neat striped pattern, pearl buttons and frog loops, military collars. Today, per suit, \$1.75.

Boys' Union Knit Sweater Coats, grey only, elastic ribbed, with close fitting military collar and two pockets, warm and comfortable. Regular \$1.00. Today, 89c.

The Robert SIMPSON Limited

Curtains?

\$2.00 Madras Curtains at \$1.49

50 pairs of exceptionally dainty cream madras curtains in floral design, portraying delicate pale blue roses scattered over the centre. This style of curtain is particularly tasteful for your bedroom. The length is 2 1/2 yards. Regularly \$2.00. Special today, per pair, \$1.49.

Border Scrims

This is one of the nicest curtain materials for your bedroom, dining-room or kitchen windows. It gives excellent wear and is easily laundered. Several very effective drawn-thread borders to choose from in either white, ivory or ecru. 36 inches wide. Per yard, 29c.

Madras Mustins

This is a special purchase of genuine Scotch Madras muslin, imported direct from the maker in Glasgow. It wears well and does not need starching when laundered. A score of beautiful patterns in floral and conventional designs. 42 to 44 inches wide. White or cream. Per yard, 29c.

Have Your Picture Framed

January Reductions

Here is an excellent opportunity to have old unframed pictures or pictures that you have received as Christmas gifts, framed at a very low price.

500 feet, 1-inch Antique Gilt Moulding is on sale today.

There are many patterns, some having gold-burnished tips. Suitable for water colors, hand-colored prints, and photographs. Regularly 15c, 18c and 20c. Today, per foot, 9c.

Screw Drivers Today 19c

Screw Drivers, crucible steel bit, with secure handle, 3, 4 or 5-inch size. One price, today, 19c.

Hats Off to the VICTOR When You Want RECORDS in a Hurry!

Run Your Eye Over These:

- \$2.00 Love Divine—Andante—Eli-
- \$1.50 The Swine Back to Dixie—
- \$2.00 Lakma—bell song—Gall-
- \$1.50 Midsummer Night's Dream
- Overture—Victor Concert Or-
- Prelude (in G sharp minor)—
- Requiem—Victor Concert Or-
- 90c You Never Knew About Me
- (from "Oh, Boy")—Brown-Han-
- lilton.
- An Old Fashioned Wife (from
- "Oh, Boy")—Alice Green.
- \$1.50 Aloha Oe (Farewell to
- Thee)—E. K. Rose.
- Pia Salmia (Gardenia Flower)
- E. K. Rose.
- 90c The Maiden in Grey—Duet
- Elsie Baker-F. Wheeler.
- Somewhere a Voice is Calling
- Tenor Solo—H. McCaskey.
- 90c Abide With Me—Duet—
- Olive Kline-Elsie Baker.
- Whispering Hope—Duet—Olive
- Kline-Elsie Baker.
- 90c Washington Post March—
- Sousa's Band.
- El Captain March—Sousa's
- Band.

We will be pleased to play these records for you today whether you wish to purchase or not.

Bed and Bedding Prices Have Taken a Drop

- White Enamel Beds in several different designs with brass trimmings and continuous posts. Some have rails and knobs. Sizes 7.0 and 8.6. Price, \$3.95. Today, \$2.90.
- Child's Cots with white enamel drop sides and good fittings. Sizes 2.8, 2.6 and 2.0. Regular price, \$6.50 to \$11.25. Today, \$4.63.
- White Enamel Beds with fancy scrolls and chills. Some have brass trimmings. Sizes 3.0 and 3.6. Regular prices, \$5.00 to \$6.50. Today, \$2.85.
- Bed Springs of closely-woven wire fabric, strongly supported. Steel frames. Special today at \$7.25.
- Mattresses with seagrass centres, jute both sides. Deeply tufted, with full depth border. Special today at \$2.49.
- Pillows, all feathers, in good grade of ticking. Per pair, 95c.
- Pillows, all feathers. Size 19 x 26, 4 pounds per pair in art ticking. Per pair, \$1.50.
- Old White Enamel and Ivory Chairs and Rockers. Used as samples and slightly defective in finish. Regular price \$6.00 to \$9.00. Today, \$4.65.

Today in One of Our Display Rooms Nothing But Hall Lights Will Be Shown

The display will comprise over 40 different kinds. The lights are also useful for dens, small rooms, alcoves, etc.

The Lantern to the right is real leaded work in amber and hammered brass. Price, \$5.25.

Another Lantern has amber panels in mission frame of brushed brass. At \$2.90.

Other Hall Fixtures and Lanterns comprise hammered brass, Old English, Colonial, Flemish and Renaissance designs, in all finishes. Priced at \$4.10, \$4.95, \$7.50 up to \$41.60.

Comfort in Electric Heaters

Electric Heaters are a great comfort these cold days. Anywhere you have a cold corner or room a Majestic or Hotpoint Heater will bring quick warmth. Prices, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$15.00, \$16.50.

