



"SHORTY" DEFEATED AT GUELPH FAIR

Champion Steer Takes Second Place to "Hillcrest Lad."

Guelph, Dec. 10.—Today was one of the biggest days at the Winter Fair. Hon. Geo. S. Henry, Ontario Minister of Agriculture, was the speaker at the directors' luncheon. The guests were principally sheep and swine breeders. The minister occupied the chair of honor and occupied the chair of honor and occupied the chair of honor.

With Christmas Just Around the Corner

It is high time that you have all your shopping done and the gift you are going to give to Father, Little Joe, Cousin Henry and Uncle William, and perhaps one other, stowed away in a safe place, all done up swell and fussy.

It's gift time and this year we can all be happy, even if we can't be quite gay with the memory of what we have passed through still fresh in our minds. Peace and Gift Time are Synonymous.

OAK HALL, CLOTHIERS

Corner Yonge and Adelaide Sts. J. C. COOMBES, Manager

NO CONCILIATION WITH AFFILIATION

Police Must Sever Connection Before Commission Will Consider Grievances.

There will be no conciliation between the board of police commissioners and the organized Toronto policemen until the latter drop all affiliation with the Trades and Labor Congress, which was the final decision reached by the commission yesterday.

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VITAL PROBLEMS OF THE PRESENT

Liberal-Conservative Association Discuss Increased Penalties—Alien Question.

Problems of reconstruction in Canada, following the return of the boys from the front were discussed at the annual meeting of the Liberal-Conservative Association, held in Victoria Hall, East Queen street, last night.

The Hon. Mr. Cuddy stated that plans were complete for the promotion of technical and industrial education. Dr. Charles Sheard was in favor of raising the total disability pension to \$1,000 as a minimum for private soldiers.

Among others who spoke were Mayor Church, Ald. Beamish, A. D. Bell, Rev. C. J. Sharpe, M.L.A. A. and Ald. Risk and Mark, M.L.A.

SCORES SPECIALS FOR THE RETURNED SOLDIER

Demobilizing in our training camps, getting back for overseas, coming in civilian dress again, back to "as you were,"

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FOSTER

will fight for a lower tax rate to encourage greater industrial progress, a solution of the Housing Problem by practical men, and a sane civic administration.

PEACE DINNER OF WOMEN LIBERALS

First Officer to Leave Toronto Tells Prison Experience.

A "Peace Dinner" under the auspices of the northwest riding, Toronto Women's Liberal Association, was held at the King Edward Hotel last night, covers being laid for 250 guests.

Major Straight took his leave from Toronto with a band of 220 men in August, 1911, and who had spent over three years in German prison camps, and Rev. Peter Bryce, the much-beloved pastor of the Earlscourt Institutional Church.

EARLSCOURT

The unmarried handmen of the local Station are to be the recipients of a special concert given at St. Clair and Adelaide streets, in aid of the building fund.

TODMORDEN

Many matters of local importance were discussed at a well-attended meeting of the Township Association in connection with the annual meeting of the Township Council last night.

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YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

Members of the York Township Council are candidates for municipal honors in the coming election. A well-attended meeting of the Oakwood Ratepayers Association in Oakwood Hall, last evening, was held to discuss the proposed changes in the township.

DIAMONDS

CASH OR CREDIT DIAMONDS JACOBS BROS. Diamond Importers, 15 Yonge Street, Toronto.

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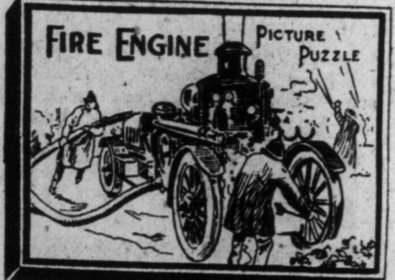
Only 12 Shopping Days Left

Two Weeks From Today is Christmas Day

Shop in the Morning if Possible

Toyland--Oh! Oh!! Isn't It the Enchanting Place?

Just look at these pictures, and they're but a few of hundreds of toys the children will love. If you haven't yet done your toy buying, we advise you to do so at once. If the children of your acquaintance have not yet seen Santa Claus, he is still here each day. Punch is entertaining as ever—do bring the kiddies to revel in the joys—you'll be well repaid! Here's a special which means early buying. Would you have one?



Picture Puzzle, Fire Engine, 75c.

Great Big Teddy Bears, Today \$2.85

Here's a lovely big Teddy, indeed; two feet high, with jointed arms, and a nice, kind face. You may have him in brown, light or dark blue shades. Special, today, \$2.85.



Doll's Bed, 13 x 8, in figured material, mattress and pillow, 25c.

Drawing Slates are always acceptable for children. Prices, 15c and 25c.

KIDDIE KARS, \$1.50 and \$2.50. Boys' Steering Sleighs, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.50.



"Needle Art" with outline cards and initials for sewing, 25c.



And a Noteworthy Special in Doll's Carriages, as Illustrated, \$3.00

"Oh, buy me one with a hood!" said a little girl. "All the other girls' carriages have hoods on." So here's a chance to fulfil her heart's desire, and practise economy! The carriages are as illustrated, with wood body, leatherette hood, seven-inch rubber-tire wheels, strong springs, and finished in black throughout. Very specially priced, \$3.00. —Basement, Albert St.



Here it is. Electric Train, with engine, buffet, two passenger cars, track control switch, terminal section and connecting wires. Complete, \$16.00.

Why Not Give an Umbrella? Today There's a "Special" at \$2.95

Wouldn't a smart, serviceable Umbrella be splendid for that gift you intend giving "her" or "him"? They'd be bound to appreciate one of these umbrellas, in this clearance today, for they are well finished and made. Under ordinary circumstances they'd be much more than this price! They have fine, durable covers of silk and cotton mixture, mounted on close-rolling frame. The handles are in the popular styles, being trimmed with silver or bakelite, and if desired, will be engraved free of charge. The men's handles are in the crook and opera shapes, and the women's are in the long, straight style or the short-handled effect with wrist loops. All are cased. Special, today, each, \$2.95.

Also Men's and Women's Umbrellas, Some at Half the Usual Price and Less, Today at \$5.45

Another golden opportunity for the gift-seeker to secure an acceptable gift at a considerable saving, for some of these umbrellas are being offered at half, and less than half, the usual price! They are made with sample handles, and therefore are very smart and in a splendid array of styles. The covers are of silk and cotton mixture of good quality, mounted on neat rolling frames. The handles are trimmed with bakelite and silver, and are of ebony, snakewood, pimento, malacca woods, etc. The men's are in the crook and opera shapes, and the women's are in the long, straight style, or the short-handled effect, with wrist rings, loops or straps. Take advantage of this offer and come early today, and be assured of first choice. Some at half, and less than half, the usual price. Today, each, \$5.45.

—Main Floor, Yonge St.

These Books Would Be Acceptable as Gifts

In the Heart of a Pool—Wm. Allen White—\$1.00. The Spindlers—Eden Phillips—\$1.00. Where Your Heart Is—Beatrice Harradan—\$1.35. Adventures of Hindle—Herbert Jenkins—\$1.25. Too Many Crooks—E. J. Rath—\$1.50. A Girl Named Mary—Juliet W. Tompkins—\$1.50. The Village—Ernest Pool—\$1.00. The Laughing Girl—Robt. W. Chambers—\$1.50. Shavings—Jos. C. Lincoln—\$1.50. The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse—Translated from the Spanish by Charlotte Jordan—\$1.00. The Magnificent Ambersons—Booth Tarkington—\$1.35.



Mechanical Books—Of interest to those who wish to study these different branches: Hawkins' Electrical Guide, in 10 vols., Per vol., \$1.10, or set, \$10.00. Complete Modern Carpentry, a practical manual for carpenters, by Hodgson, in 2 vols., Per vol., 75c.

Automobile Repairing Made Easy—Page—1918 edition, \$2.25. Two Elementary Principles of Wireless Telegraphy, by R. D. Bangay, Parts I and II, per vol., \$1.10. Essentials of Electricity, by Timble, \$1.35.

—Main Floor, James and Albert Sts.

Christmas Stockings for Decorations and Gifts

The Candy Department Has an Exceptionally Fine Array.

Of course the children wouldn't consider the tree a success minus its usual quota of these fascinating decorations, neither would they deem it Christmas had they not a net stocking or two to delve into after goodies and surprises during the day. So it behooves grown-ups to see the splendid collection of net stockings filled to the brim with things the children love. Make your purchases soon as possible. You'll be better satisfied.

Christmas Stockings—Made of transparent net and some adorned with bells. Filled with an assortment of toys and novelties. Small Stockings, containing such novelties as cracker, horn, whistle, picture book, etc. Each, 15c.

Larger Size Stocking, including similar novelties. Each, 20c. Santa Claus Stockings, decorated with bells, contains toy whistles, horns, games and other novelties, packed in separate folder. Each, 30c.

Christmas Stocking, decorated with bells and packed in separate box, contains a good assortment of toys and novelties. Each, 50c. Larger Stockings, decorated with bells, contains a good assortment of small toys, novelties and games; packed in separate boxes. Each, 75c.

Large Size Stocking, having a fine assortment of novelties, small toys and games, decorated with bells and packed in separate box. Each, \$1.00.

Large Santa Claus Stocking, filled with a fine assortment of novelties, including toy dominoes, knife and fork set, picture frame, Japanese tray, toy horse, soldier, gun, doll and other interesting games, and toys decorated with bells and packed in separate box. Each, \$1.25.

Other Large Size Stockings, decorated with bells, packed in separate boxes, filled with a fine assortment of toys, including dolls, whistles, guns, dominoes and other interesting novelties. Priced at \$1.50, \$1.65, \$2.00 and \$2.25. —Basement, Main, Fifth Floors, and Toyland.

Men's Fine Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs. Special, 2 for 25c

The Handkerchiefs are of fine Irish lawn, finished with hemstitched hems, are a good large size, and wear splendidly. Take advantage of this offer now, and come early! Special, at 2 for 25c.

Men's Heavy Japanese Twilled Silk Handkerchiefs, with a large hand-embroidered fancy initial in one corner. They are 2 1/4 inches square and finished with hemstitched hem. All initials available, with the exception of Q, X, Y, Z. Priced, each, 75c.

Men's Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, with hemstitched hems. Put up in neat box. Priced at 3 for 87c and 6 for \$1.74.

Women's Hemstitched Fine Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, in white only. Priced at 3 for 59c.

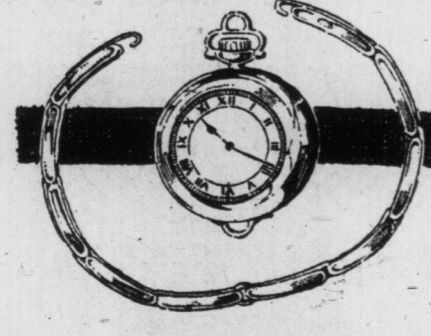
Women's Fine Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, with hemstitched hems. Special at 6 for 25c.

Children's Colored Border and Picture Handkerchiefs, in a good range of designs and colors. Something that will please the children as a Christmas gift. Special at 5 for 25c. —Main Floor, Centre.

Do You Know Someone Who Would Like a Watch for Christmas?

Such an important part of a modern woman's equipment is a Bracelet Watch—so convenient to carry, such a boon to possess, and ornamental into the bargain. So you may be sure that "she" whatever her age—who does not already own one, will regard one of these pretty gold ones as a thrice-welcome Christmas gift.

In both 10k and 14k gold, there are many designs, with extension bracelets and 15 or 17-jewelled movements of Swiss make. Some have white, some gold faces, with Arabic or Roman numerals, and some are convertible and can be worn without the bracelet—just as an ordinary watch. The prices for such delightful, reliable little watches are most moderate. In 10k gold, with 15-jewel movement, \$18.50; with 17-jewel movement, \$21.50; in 14k gold, 15 jewels, \$25.00. All are guaranteed for one year. —Main Floor, Yonge Street.



Have You Thought of These for Gifts?

—Aluminum Coffee Percolators for mother, \$6.00, \$6.25 and \$6.75.

—Eaton Beauty Electric Toaster or an Eaton Beauty Electric Iron for mother. Each, \$3.95.

—An Adjustable Reading Lamp for father, \$3.50.

—Silk Hosiery for mother or sister. Have drop stitch pattern, in black, white, brown or grey. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 for women. Per pair, \$2.50.

—Leatherette Club Bag, size 18 inches, for brother. Price, \$3.00.

—A Bath Robe for grandfather, is made of heavy cotton blanket cloth, in rich colorings. Price, \$4.50.

—A Gold-filled Watch Chain for father. Price, \$3.50.

—Brother would appreciate a good Watch, too. Prices, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50.

Men's Neckwear in Gift Boxes, Special 29c

Men's Four-in-hand Neckwear, of fibre silk and cotton or mercerized cotton materials, in figured, all-over or diagonal striped designs. Cut in generous shape, with thin, strong neckband. In attractive gift box. Each, 29c.

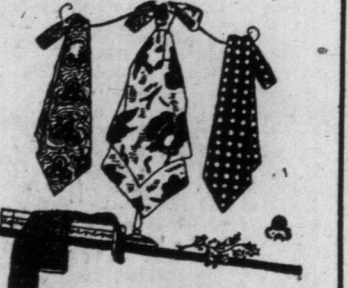
Men's Pyjamas, of flannelette, in medium weight, solid 2-color striped patterns of pink and tan, pink and green or blue and tan, with military collar, breast pocket and slippover cuffs, and girdle at waistband. Sizes 34 to 44. Suit, \$2.00.

Men's Winter-weight Shirts and Drawers, of a mixture of cotton and wool; shirts are double-breasted style, with snug-fitting cuffs and saffron facings. Sizes 34 to 42, \$1.15. Men's Colored Cotton Shirts, in a variety of striped patterns, in blue, black and mauve, in coat style, with laundered cuffs and neckband. Sizes 14 to 17 1/2, 98c.

Men's Sweaters and Sweater Coats (the former are all wool). In cardigan style, with double roll collar and cuffs. The coats are of cotton and wool, with shawl or military collar, in brown with tan, or Oxford with natural grey trim. Sizes in the lot, 36 to 42. Each, \$3.95.

Men's Bath Robes, of heavy-weight cotton blanket cloth, in conventional designs, on grounds of grey, blue or brown. With neat turn-down collar, tie string at neck, and girdle at waistband. In the lot are small, medium and large sizes. Each, \$5.50.

Men's Wide Reeler Mufflers, in tubular style, with deep corded fringe. Some in fine crepe effects; others of Swiss silks, and some of French faille, in rich Oriental patterns, in purple, red, green, blue, brown or grey. Each (in fancy gift box if desired), \$3.50.



—Main Floor, Centre.

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Freedom of the Seas.

No question has interested the British so much in the fourteen points with which President Wilson has punctured the diplomatic schedule, as the freedom of the seas.

The object of the British policy is to secure the freedom of the seas for the purpose of carrying out designs of harmony with the general welfare which the former freedom of the seas secured.

What, then, does Mr. Wilson mean by the freedom of the seas? British statesmen refuse to consider any suggestion of curtailment of the liberty of the British navy to enforce the code of justice and righteousness for which the navy has existed for many decades.

Occupying Germany. Occupation of Germany goes on apace. French, Belgian, American, Canadian and British troops are marching into the buildings that were to have echoed to the triumph over our defeat.

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Should this occupation prove to be a little heaven to be hid in the measures of the German meal, we can only hope for some results in those parts of Germany which are not absolutely permeated by the poison of Prussian policy.

Free the Armenians. Now, that Europe is being remodelled and four great new states are to arise, Phenix-like, out of the ashes of Austria and the Balkans, it is a matter of considerable interest to millions of other unreconstructed peoples how far the new forces are going to operate eastwards.

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ALLIED CONFERENCES ON FOOD SITUATION. London, Dec. 10.—A survey of the shipping and food situation as set forth in the conference centring around Edward N. Hurley of the American Shipping Board, and Herbert C. Hoover, the American food administrator, lends allied food and shipping heads to believe that there is available at present enough tonnage to handle present food needs.

TANK TOWING BARGES ON THE MARNE CANAL. Paris, Dec. 10.—Industrial use already has been made of one of the notable war implements evolved during the recent conflict—the tank.

Capt. S. Laferriere of Hull Receives Victoria Cross. Ottawa, Dec. 10.—Capt. Septimus Laferriere, son of J. O. Laferriere, of St. Helene street, Hull, who is a member of one of the oldest and most respected families in the Transmontane City, has been awarded the Victoria Cross for distinguished gallantry on the field of battle.

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TOUCHSTONE REVISED



AUDREY (Germany): "A poor thing—but mine own."

CANADIANS CROSS GERMAN BORDER. Toronto Battalion Was First to Pass the Saluting Point. DEFEND BRIDGEHEADS. Obsequious Disposition of Part of Enemy Reported by Advance Parties.

With the Canadian Corps in Germany, Dec. 4.—(By J. P. E. LeMay)—The Canadian troops crossed the German border today, the first Canadian division at Poteau and another Canadian division at the frontier, which is a very narrow strip of land.

Canada Triumphant. They began their long march thru the Belgian plain and thence had climbed steadily up and over the height of land of the Ardennes patiently and cheerfully. They have suffered deprivation and discomfort, but they bring with them the same conquering spirit that carried them thru bitter years of trench warfare.

SHERBROOKE RECORDER DIES. Sherbrooke, Que., Dec. 10.—Recorder H. J. Duffett died this morning after a lengthy illness. The deceased practiced law in Sherbrooke for over 20 years.

A Line of Cheer Each Day of the Year. By John Kendrick Bangs. Just as the rose leaf in the earthen jar brings to some wintry day the summer far, So does the sunshine of a summer day stored in the heart drive winter's cares away.

POLITICAL NOTES AND VIEWS

The Hamilton Herald suspects that the western grain growers might be willing to hold off on their demand for tariff reductions if the Ottawa government conceeded the farmers \$2.25 for their 1919 crop of wheat.

The Winnipeg Tribune, whose editor, R. J. Richardson, M.P., was a colleague some years ago of Hon. Walter Scott in the federal house of commons, hasn't much use for Mr. Scott in his charges against the Union government.

The Regina Leader (Liberal-Laurier) wants a commission representative of all sections of the Dominion to investigate reconstruction, there will be no division of finance, taxation, production, trade, and the effect the National Policy of 40 years ago is having on these great national questions today.

The Guelph Herald says: It must be done if the country is to be saved from serious division, as by farming and the industrial community. The one wants free trade, which it is felt would be ruinous to the working classes. It ought to be possible to arrange matters so that at a period when co-operation is required in regard to reconstruction, there will be no division over tariffs—each side showing a disposition to be fair to the other.

Imperial preference, according to The Peterboro Review, would, for Canada, have only one result—commercial self-destruction.

The Ottawa Citizen is a firm advocate of a national tax—such as a starting point on the capitalist land revenue value. Such a tax would force settlement of unoccupied lands.

Kingston Whig: The Union government is in no way committed to a tariff policy or any other policy save the carrying on of the war and the reconstruction following the great conflict. The tariff must be an issue at the next election.

Winnipeg Free Press: How far the Union government in Canada, or any similar ministry in Britain or elsewhere can successfully solve the problems of reconstruction no man would dare to prophesy. In Canada, at any rate, no better administration is now in prospect.

THE HOME BANK OF CANADA. "A bank is an employment agency where work is found for idle dollars." Full compound interest paid at highest bank rate on Savings Deposits of One Dollar and upwards. Branches and Connections Throughout Canada. HEAD OFFICE AND EIGHT BRANCHES IN TORONTO.

THE WIFE. By JANE PHELPS. Brian Declares His Intention. CHAPTER VIII. Brian did have something to conceal. At least he thought he had, which amounted to the same thing.

SITTING ON POWDER KEG. Scheideemann Threatens to Resign From German Government. Berlin, Dec. 10.—"I will not put up with these conditions another week. I will get out," declared Philipp Scheideemann, a member of the government, in a speech today, defending the government and himself against the attacks of the Spartacus group.

QUEBEC THIEVES TAKE THOUSANDS. Quebec, Dec. 10.—A gang of thieves, housebreakers and shoplifters that had been operating in this city for the last few weeks is now in the hands of the police, according to a statement made today by the chief of police.

FRENCH SENATOR DEAD. Paris, Dec. 10.—Emile Chautemps, vice-president of the senate, and who was minister of marine in the Ribot cabinet of 1914, died today.

Current Events. Pictured in this week's issue of The Toronto Sunday World, are scenes from the big railway wreck at Merriton; views of the international soccer game, played at Varsity Stadium, last Saturday; first pictures of Canadian camouflaged vessels; "When the British navy gammed," several views that show the cause; Canadian prisoners from Germany, illustrating the goose step; terminal postoffice, showing distributing methods; pictures of a munition plant banquet for their women workers; latest pictures from the west front, showing Germans retreating thru French villages; group views of Canadians overseas.

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JOHN CA. LAND SETTLEMENT. The meeting which took place on M. C. A. building was held by an and by a brisk L. A. Hamilton.

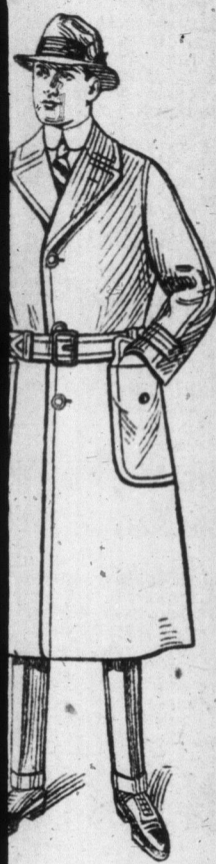
Peace. A letter from Catt, asking that he take up the matter on the Senate was read and angles. Mrs. W. that it was only reason should be motion for representation by Mrs. Owe supported by Mrs. that a place be demanded while their sons and possible. The meeting was held in the presence of a large number of people.

OLD PLUNKET BECOM. The plans are of a \$50,000 home of Soldiers' ment. The site of Woodbridge is in the old Plunkett purchased for the C. P. R. and is Dominion Government. The provincial Government end of five years will pass into Dominion Government. The date cannot be set yet.

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Hockey League Officers

Dec. 10.—The eighteenth of the Northern Hockey League here this afternoon at 7:30 p.m., and everything points of the winter pastime in organization.

UP NORTH.

Dec. 10.—At an in- of the Thunder Bay, it was practically the junior players and six-team junior league.

EMING TRAINING.

Dec. 10.—Frankie Fleming yesterday for his bout on Dec. 18. Fleming is not at his best in burns last week, and is slowed down by re- long. He is anxious and settle all argu- ability.

Dec. 10.—The following games have been played since last reported: Queen City v. G. W. Veterans, 15-3; Overseas v. P. & S. Union, 6-4; Overseas v. S.O.E. Athletic, 21-15; Leaside v. Overseas "B", 17-12; Wilby-Overland v. Queen City, 10-12; S.O.E. "A" v. Kenith Association, 24-12; Windsor v. W. Veterans, 21-15; and Hammersmith v. B. & S. Union, 21-15.

WANTED HORSES THAT LOOKED LIKE RACERS

Sea Froth Scythian and Rock Silk Brought Top Prices at Seagram Sale?

The Seagram sale of thirty-four thoroughbreds, held at the Repository yesterday, was attended by horsemen from all over the province, many of whom were attracted by the unusual opportunity of securing racing material. The sale included some high-class colts and fillies, many of which are entered in the Kings Plate, Stanley Produce and other stakes.

- Inferno, ch. h., by Havoc—Bon Ino—J. Frisby, Toronto; \$310.
Rockville, ch. h., by Rockett—Aurien—John Meagher, Toronto; \$225.
Mandarin, ch. h., by Havoc—Royal China—Lou Simon, Broadview Hotel, Toronto; \$180.
Church Hill, ch. m., by Burgomaster—Vesper—Mr. P. Cowan, Bowmanville; \$150.
Sweet Colleen, by Havoc—Irish Lass II—Richard Gimiet, Toronto; \$120.
Galacia, b. m., by Galatine—Fairlie Head—Cowan, Bowmanville; \$100.
Dolores, b. m., by Saraband—La Cuche—W. P. Fox, Toronto; \$80.
Frolic, b. m., by Kendal—Jones—James Forsyth, Toronto; \$75.
Fairlie Head, by Ayrshire—Ardevuile—J. W. Mitchell, Toronto; \$70.
Laird, b. m., by St. Anant—Rose Madrigal—J. Frisby, Toronto; \$60.
Frou Frou, b. m., by Meddler—Hypocrite—George Finch, Toronto; \$50.
Crouche d'Or, ch. m., by Cheval d'Or—Cruiskeen II—J. L. Ross, Etendale; \$45.
Furtania, b. m., by Meddler—Rose Standish—G. Walsh, Stratford; \$40.
Stanic, ch. m., by Despair—Cloote—J. Frisby, Toronto; \$35.
Rustling, b. m., by Marta Santa—Frou Frou—P. Cowan, Bowmanville; \$30.
Statim, 4 b.f., by Havoc—At Once—A. Wilson, Toronto; \$25.
Gold Galore, 4 b.f., by Galatine—Crouche d'Or—James L. Ross, Etendale; \$20.
Scythian, 3 b.r.g., by Inferno—H. S. Wilson, Oakville; \$15.
Sea Froth, 3 ch.f., by Inferno—H. M. Graydon, London; \$10.
Gallic Lass, 3 ch.f., by Galatine—Sir Adam Beck, London; \$10.
Twelve Bells, 3 b.f., by Inferno—R. E. Whitehead, Toronto; \$10.
Pewter Jug, 2 b.f., by Ypsilanti II—E. K. Drummond, Toronto; \$10.
Rocky Hill, 2 b.f., by Rockville—Harry Sproule, Toronto; \$10.
Antiphon, 2 ch.f., by Ypsilanti—Rich and Gimiet, Toronto; \$10.
Arenal, 2 b.e., by Inferno—T. Murphy, Hamilton; \$10.
Prince Lucifer, 2 ch.e., by Ypsilanti—Alex. Walsh, Stratford; \$7.50.
Pilot, 2 ch.e., by Rockville—John Meagher, Toronto; \$7.50.
Bay colt, 1, by Galatine—Geo. Finch, Toronto; \$5.
Bay filly, 1, by Galatine—Thomas Killachy, Toronto; \$5.
Bay colt, 1, by Galatine—Thomas Murphy, Hamilton; \$5.
Chestnut filly, 1, by Galatine—Alex. Walsh, Stratford; \$5.
Bay colt, 1, by Galatine—Sir Adam Beck, London; \$2.50.
Greek Patriot, 4 ch.g., by Ypsilanti II—George Bailey, Toronto; \$2.50.
Chestnut mare, by Galatine—James French, Hamilton; \$2.50.

Newly Landed and Pitre Are Going as Fast as Ever

Montreal, Dec. 10.—Hockey practice for the professionals was inaugurated at the Jubilee rink tonight when the members of the Canadiens held their first workout. The work consisted of skating and passing, no line-up work being included in it. Only four of the regulars of the team, Lacombe, Barilouette, Pitre and Verza were in uniform while the others were men anxious to be given a tryout with the club. The most promising of the newcomers was Campbell, who played with St. Ann's in the Montreal Hockey League last season. Campbell is a promising player and was one of the best in the east and last year ago. Couture, who was to have reported tonight, missed his train connections and will not be here until Thursday. When another practice will be held. Harry Dandurand, who played in lacrosse at the coast with Newly Landed last summer, was another of those out of Montreal in a likely player and must be given a chance. He played with New York last year ago. The local season will open at the Jubilee on Saturday night, Dec. 21, when the Canadiens will play either Ottawa or Toronto. A year ago Canadiens opened away from home and are entitled to the first game at home this winter. Newly Landed and Pitre are going as fast as ever at any time in their career, and showed themselves in good condition tonight.

CRIBBAGE.

Table with columns for teams and scores. Includes S.O.E. Athletic, Windsor, Overseas, P. & S. Union, Leaside, S.O.E. Hammersmith, Queen City, G. W. Veterans, Wilby-Overland, Kenith Association, Overseas "B".

OLD COUNTRY SOCCER.

Table with columns for teams and scores. Includes London, London Combination, Cleburn Orient, Tottenham, West Ham, Bursley, Bradford, Leeds, Huddersfield, Blackpool, Burnley, Bury, Manchester U., Stockport, Stoke.

NORTHERN RUGBY UNION.

London, Dec. 10.—Northern Rugby Union games today were as follows: Bradford, 2; Hull, 20; Dewsbury, 1; Halifax, 2; Leeds, 2; Halifax, 4; Houghton, 10; Swinton, nil; Wigton, 2; Salton, 2.



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NORWAY PROFESSOR ON FREEDOM OF SEAS

London, Dec. 10.—Professor Christian Collin of Christiania University, writing on "the freedom of the seas," in the Norwegian paper Tidensstjen says: "A voice is heard in Norway, a voice from Germany loudly pleading for freedom of the seas. No human being will deny that Germany has indeed done her best to free the seas, that is to say, free them from carrying living men and ships. "Those who really liberated the seas from being a place of ceaseless agony, from whose depths rose like bubbles the last dying breath of those sunk 'without a trace' by the most destructive band of brigands ever known—these were not the Germans, but Britain and her colonies, France, Italy and the United States, and it is they alone who have the right to speak loudly of 'freedom of the seas.' "Those others, who have scattered broadcast the fruit of a million labors should be silent. The very seas themselves might well pray for deliverance from these hydropetes, who dare speak of the freedom of the seas."

NEW MAYOR FOR CALGARY.

Calgary, Alta., Dec. 10.—By a majority of 194, Alderman B. C. Marshall was elected to the mayor's chair over his opponent, Mayor M. C. Costello. The commissioner'ship was never in doubt. Commissioner A. J. Sains had a substantial majority over his opponent, A. A. Fawkes.

Lack of Uniformity Causes Garbage Collection Complaints

Brantford, Dec. 10.—Inspector Glover was at his wit's end in regard to complaints over garbage collection through the city. The lack of uniformity in the garbage receptacles was one of the causes of the trouble, said

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Government Extends Bonus To More of Civil Service

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—The government has decided to extend the provisions of the recent order-in-council granting a bonus to the civil service. The new order will affect the class of employees who heretofore were not eligible for the bonus grants, inasmuch as they were not regular members of the civil service as defined by the department of justice. As distinguished from clerks, etc., all employees, without regard to the nature of their work, who are paid on a monthly or yearly basis, will be eligible for the bonus of \$150 in the case of single persons, and \$250 in the case of those married or with dependents.

IMPROVE FAIR GROUNDS.

Kingston, Dec. 10.—The city council will put a bylaw to the ratepayers to raise \$25,000 to improve the buildings at the fair grounds.

GERMAN GUNS FOR KINGSTON.

Kingston, Dec. 10.—Mayor Hughes had an interview with the minister of militia. He promised he would endeavor to get for Kingston the two German guns captured by the 4th Battalion.

BRAZILIAN WARSHIPS RECALLED.

Rio Janeiro, Dec. 10.—The British admiralty has notified Brazil that there is no further need of Brazilian warships for patrolling European waters. The vessels, therefore, have been ordered home.

Union of Municipalities To Aid Reparation Work

Montreal, Dec. 9.—The Union of Canadian municipalities has been invited to co-operate with the reparation committee thru four of its members, and the representatives selected by the union are the mayors of Toronto and Ottawa, probably the mayor of Calgary, and W. D. Light-hall of Montreal. In addition, Harry Braug has been appointed on the staff of the director of reparation, and in consequence, relinquished temporarily his duties connected with The Canadian Municipal Journal.

BRANTFORD LEVEL CROSSINGS.

Brantford, Dec. 10.—A day for a hearing will shortly be set by the Dominion Railway Board to take up the question of the protection of level crossings in this city.

MONEY FOR FALSE ARREST.

Kingston, Dec. 10.—A jury in the county court, presided over by Judge Laville awarded W. Albertson, aged 15, a verdict of \$25 damages for false arrest. The youth spent two hours in the police cells on a charge of theft, and he was acquitted by Magistrate Farrell.

EDMONTON ELECTION.

Edmonton, Alta., Dec. 10.—With a majority of 487 votes, ex-Alderman Joseph A. Clarke was elected to the mayoralty of Edmonton for 1919 in succession to the present incumbent, Mayor Evans.

Passenger Traffic.

WHITE STAR DOMINION LINE. CANADA, MAINE—LIVERPOOL. Canada, about Dec. 14. WHITE STAR LINE NEW YORK—LIVERPOOL. Atlantic Dec. 16. Baltic Dec. 21. HALIFAX—LIVERPOOL. OLYMPIC Dec. 21. DRAFTS AND MONEY ORDERS. BRITAIN—IRELAND—ITALY—SCANDINAVIA. Passenger Office, H. G. Thorpe, 4 King St. East, phone M. 554. Freight Office, J. W. Wilkinson, 1005 Royal Bank Bldg., King and Yonge, Toronto.

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GLOBE MAYORALTY CONTEST.

Moose Jaw, Sask., Dec. 10.—S. A. Hamilton was elected mayor of Moose Jaw yesterday, receiving a majority of 60 over his nearest opponent, W. F. Dunn.

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ARGO AT CHICAGO... Dec. 10—An embargo...

IDES AND WOOL... Dec. 10—The minister...

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ON GERMAN COAST... Dec. 10—The minister...

CAMPAIN POST... Dec. 10—Mayor Hughes...

WOOD DRY DOCK... Dec. 10—Arrived...

SIMON APPOINTED... Dec. 10—The government...

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TO BE HOPEFUL IN WALL STREET

Optimistic View is Taken of Industrial Outlook, and Buying is Confident.

New York, Dec. 10.—Predicted largely on the sanguine views of the chairman of the United States Corporation...

United States Steel and standard rails were almost the only exceptions...

The backwash of United States Steel was attributed to a measure to the publication of November tonnage figures...

Domestic and foreign bonds were steady excepting Liberty issues, and second six falling to the year's low...

Steel Group Most Prominent in Trading—Spanish River is Strong.

Montreal, Dec. 10.—Canadian stocks continued strong and active today with the Union Stock Exchange...

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—The war trade board announced: "In view of recent developments which have made the steel situation somewhat easier, and especially in the event of a recent certain United States orders...

UNFILLED ORDERS OF U. S. STEEL FALL OFF

TORONTO FIRM GETS BONDS. The City of Windsor has sold an issue of \$174,000 of local improvement bonds...

GERMAN EXCHANGE DROPS. Paris, Dec. 10.—Despatches from Geneva report that German exchange in Switzerland has fallen considerably...

HOLLINGER STRONG; DOME IS WEAKER

Wasapika Sells at Record Price—Trading is on Broader Scale.

Strength of Hollinger and Wasapika and weakness of Dome were diverse features of yesterday's more active trading on the Standard Exchange...

Hollinger recovered the ground lost on Monday, selling at 3.30, an advance of 10 points, and thereby making the price of the year...

Gold stocks in general were inclined to sell slightly higher, since a number finished the day without net change...

LOWER GRADE MINES WILL BE BIG FACTOR High-Grade Ore Has Saved the Situation This Year.

Another Small Vein CUT ON THE GIFFORD A private despatch over the wire from Ontario...

GEORGE WRIGHT IS ON PETERSON LAKE BOARD It was announced yesterday that George Wright, proprietor of the Walker House...

SMELTERS EX-DIVIDEND. Consolidated Mining and Smelting was ex-dividend yesterday at 2 1/2 per cent.

PRICE OF SILVER. London, Dec. 10.—Bar silver, \$1.014.

PRICE OF SALT RISES. Montreal, Dec. 10.—Local wholesale prices report an advance of ten cents...

Record of Yesterday's Markets

TORONTO STOCKS. Table with columns: Name, Bid, Ask, Bid, Ask. Includes Amos-Holden com., Barcelona, Brazillian, etc.

STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE. Table with columns: Name, Bid, Ask, Bid, Ask. Includes Steel of Canada, Canada Cement, etc.

STANDARD SALES. Table with columns: Name, Op. High, Low, Cl. Sale. Includes Gold, Cotton, etc.

VICTORY BONDS. Table with columns: Name, Offered At, etc. Includes Dec. 1, 1922, etc.

TORONTO SALES. Table with columns: Name, Op. High, Low, Close, Sales. Includes Amos-Holden, etc.

NEW YORK STOCKS. Table with columns: Name, Bid, Ask, Bid, Ask. Includes J. P. Bickell & Co., etc.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE. Table with columns: Name, Bid, Ask, Bid, Ask. Includes Amos-Holden, etc.

NEW YORK CURB. Table with columns: Name, Bid, Ask, Bid, Ask. Includes Beaver, Buffalo, etc.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE. Table with columns: Name, Bid, Ask, Bid, Ask. Includes London, Paris, etc.

NEW YORK COTTON. Table with columns: Name, Bid, Ask, Bid, Ask. Includes J. P. Bickell & Co., etc.

STEEL OF CANADA SHOWS STRENGTH

Canada Cement Sells Off in Afternoon—Bank Shares in Demand.

Steel of Canada provided the chief feature on the Toronto Exchange yesterday, with a sharp rise to the accompaniment of some activity in the morning session...

Steel of Canada opened firm at 63 1/2, advanced to 63 3/4, and closed in the morning at 64 1/4, a net gain of 2 1/2...

Weather is Bad in the Corn Belt Fear Shown Last Crop Movement Be Seriously Delayed or Curtailed.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Unfavorable weather put the bears in corn at a general disadvantage today.

BOARD OF TRADE. Table with columns: Name, Bid, Ask, Bid, Ask. Includes Manitoba Flour, etc.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET. Winnipeg, Dec. 10.—Cash market continuing to be firm...

TRAGIC SHOOTING BY BOY. Kingston, Dec. 10.—Word has reached the city of a tragic shooting in the Township of Miller...

NO NOBEL PEACE PRIZE TO BE AWARDED IN 1918. Christiania, Dec. 10.—The Nobel committee has resolved not to award a Nobel peace prize in 1918.

DEMOCRACY AN ARMY. Chatham, Dec. 10.—"Autocracy is an army," declared Dr. M. S. Rice, of Detroit, foremost American orator...

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GERMAN EX-CHANCELLOR IS ANGRY WITH ALLIES. Amsterdam, Dec. 10.—Prince Maxmillian of Baden, formerly Imperial German chancellor...

EX-KAISER IS WRITING STORY OF HIS LIFE. London, Dec. 10.—William Hohenzollern, the former German Emperor...

ENVIABLE WAR RECORD. Galt, Dec. 10.—The Town of Havelock, with a population of 3,000, has an enviable war record.

GODERICH ARRIVALS. Goderich, Dec. 10.—Steamer Argwa, Fort William, wheat; Steamer Home Smith, Fort William, wheat.



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Lamp, \$35.00

Illustrated, dull old gold finish, with polychrome touches of green, old ivory and rose. Olive green shades.

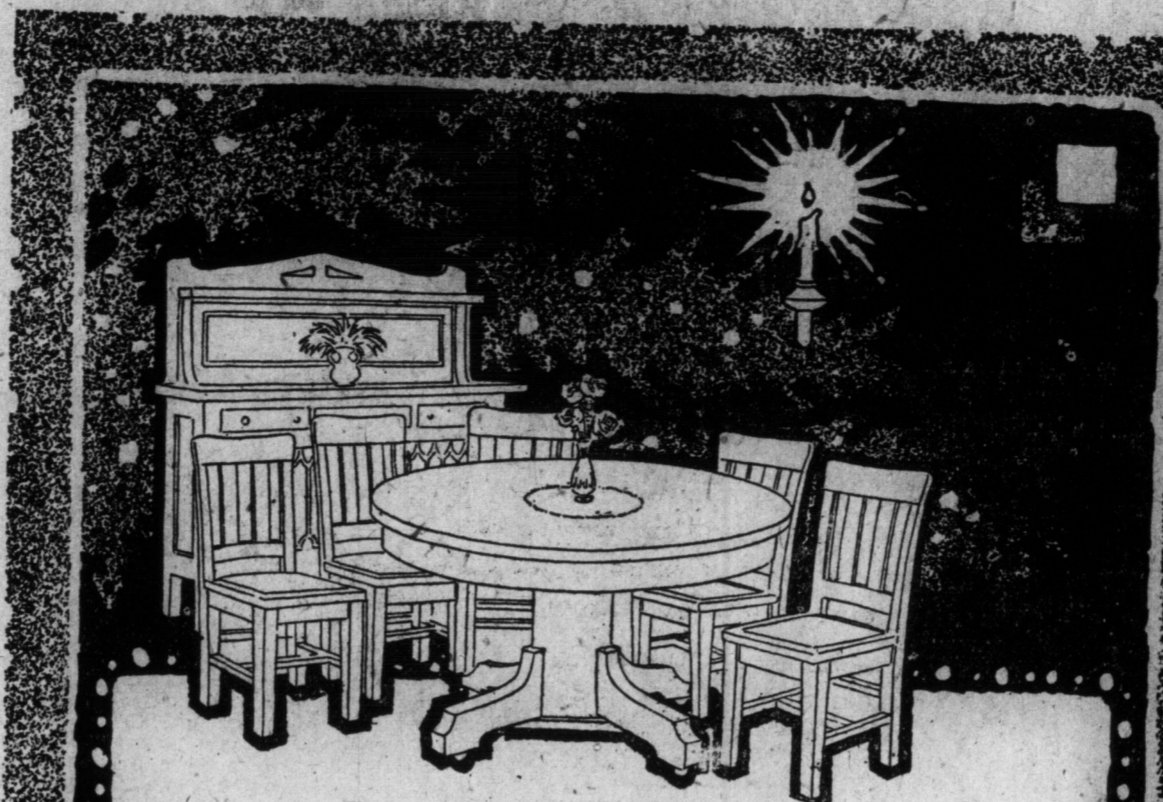


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Music Cabinets—Genuine black walnut and mahogany, William and Mary design. \$20.50.

Morris Chairs—Solid oak frames—fumed finish. Deep spring seats and backs. \$13.25.

Women's Secretaries—Solid oak—fumed finish. Deep writing desk, good accommodation for writing material. \$13.25.

Tea Wagons—Birch mahogany finish—movable glass tray, rubber tired wheels. \$14.25.

Sewing Tables—Black walnut, drop leaves at side, 2 small drawers. \$21.75.

Living-room Chairs—Frames of solid oak, spring seats, upholstered in genuine leather. \$11.00.

Bookcases—Solid oak, adjustable shelves. Double glass doors, fumed and golden finish. \$23.00.

Candle Sticks—Solid oak, Jacobean finish. \$4.50 pair.

Smokers' Stand—Solid oak—birch mahogany finish. Complete with glass tray. \$4.50 pair.

Jardiniere Stands—Mahogany finish—oval top platform. Base dull satin finish. \$5.00.

Pedestals—Solid quarter-cut oak—fumed finish. Jacobean design. \$5.75.

Combination Desk and Bookcase—Solid oak, fumed finish. Adjustable shelves. Glass doors. \$30.50.

Folding Card Tables—Green baize top. \$4.50.

Children's Reed Rockers—Roll arms, deep seats. \$4.50.

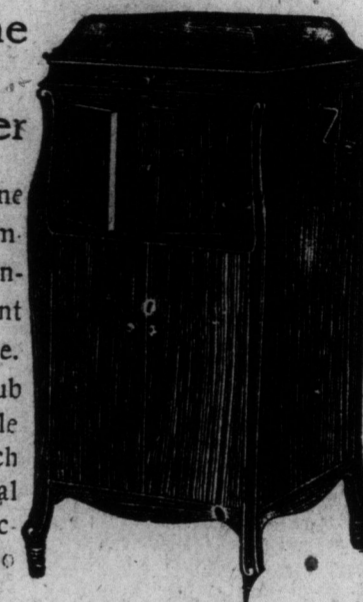
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