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PASSENGER STEAMER LOST WITH ALL ON BOARD

Government Has 60 Majority --- Bolsheviki Accept German Peace Terms --- British Capture Raiding Party --- French Destroy Enemy Defences

ENEMY PERCEIVED AS GRANTED BY BOLSHIEVIKI

Trotzky and Lenine Again Agree to Accept Germany's Terms.
WANT BIG INDEMNITY
Central Powers Also Demand Right of Policing Big Russian Cities.

London, Feb. 24.—Germany's peace terms have been accepted by Nikolai Lenine, the Bolsheviki premier, and Leon Trotzky, foreign minister, acting for the central executive of the Soviets.
This announcement is made in a Russian official statement received by wireless. It adds that Russia will send a delegation immediately to Brest-Litovsk.

REVOLUTION PREDICTED IN GERMAN EMPIRE

Dr. Cohn Makes Assertion in Reinstating, Evoking Profound Uproar.
Amsterdam, Feb. 24.—A revolution in Germany was predicted by Dr. Cohn, independent Socialist deputy, in an address to the reichstag on Friday. The Volks Zeitung of Cologne, says Dr. Cohn's address, made during the debate on the peace treaty with Ukraine, threw the reichstag into an uproar.

POWER CONTROLLER MAY BE GRANTED MORE AUTHORITY

May Enlarge Powers to Take in the Hydro Commission.
STABILIZE EXCHANGE
Premier Leaves for Washington to Take Up Questions With U. S. Government.

RUSSIAN SOLDIERS REFUSE TO FIGHT GERMAN INVADERS

Army Takes No Notice of Frantic Bolsheviki Appeals.
ENEMY YET ADVANCES
Rapid Strides Made in Ukraine—Kiev's Capture is Imminent.
London, Feb. 24.—The Germans, according to the latest despatches from Petrograd, some of which were sent there last night, are meeting with little or no opposition in their latest invasion of Russia, whose disorganized and demoralized army has no notice of the appeal of the Bolsheviki to engage in guerrilla warfare.

SIXTY SO FAR AMajority OF GOVERNMENT

Vote Taken in Canada, France and United States is Counted.
SEVEN CHANGES
Over a Hundred Candidates in Dominion Have Lost Their Deposits.

GERMANY DEMANDS LARGE SECTION OF RUSSIAN TERRITORY

Bolsheviki Will Do Utmost to Return Frontiers to Turkey.
PEACE WITH UKRAINE
Commercial Treaty Must Be Renewed for Thirty Years.
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ALL HOPE IS ABANDONED THAT ANY CAN BE SAVED

Naval Gunners Put Rocket and Line Aboard Steamer But There Was No Response.
New York, Feb. 24.—The fleeing hope that a few of those aboard the wave-battered steamship Florizel, wrecked near Cape Race, might still be alive virtually was abandoned tonight. Naval gunners who went to the rescue on a relief train sent from St. John's put rockets and a line on board shortly after 9 o'clock, but there was no response.

GUNNER ALBERT NEALS DIES OF PNEUMONIA

He is Man Who is Said to Have Been Left on Sidewalk Uncovered From Rain.
Gunner Albert Neals died of pneumonia last night in the Military Base Hospital. He was removed from his home, 78 Pruss Avenue, last Tuesday during a rainstorm. His mother raised protest because she was not permitted to cover him with a blanket to protect him from the weather while he was lying on the sidewalk before being lifted into the ambulance sent by the military. Mrs. Neals declared she would hold the military authorities responsible if her son failed to recover. Altho Gunner Neals' relatives visited him on Sunday afternoon, there was no one with him, it is said, when he died at 7:40 last night. He died very suddenly, an orderly having spoken to him only two minutes before.

Red Cross Line Steamer Florizel With 77 Passengers, Goes Ashore Near Cape Race—All on Board Thought to Have Perished.

St. John's, Nfld., Feb. 24.—The Red Cross Line steamer Florizel, bound from this port for Halifax and New York with 77 passengers and a crew of 69, was wrecked near Broad Cove, 20 miles north of Cape Race, today, and all on board are supposed to have perished. Six bodies were washed ashore during the day.

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Alleged Bolsheviki Plan to Hold Meeting

Police, However, Prevent This as There Was No Permit for Such Gathering.

President Raises New Wheat Prices

This Year's Crop Will Sell Up to Two-Twenty-Eight.

Washington, Feb. 24.—President Wilson Saturday raised the government guaranteed price for the 1918 wheat crop as high as \$2.28 a bushel in one primary market and in varying sums in all other primary markets except four. The Chicago price was put at \$2.20.

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From the position of the body on the floor the police are under the impression that the man got up and managed to shut off the gas heater, but was overcome by the large quantity of gas in the room before he could open the door or windows. The body was removed to the morgue.

Still another gas poisoning case came to light on Sunday morning when Charles Lloyd, 258 Simcoe street, was removed to the General Hospital in the police ambulance suffering from the effects of inhaling illuminating gas. He is about 40 years of age. The General Hospital authorities stated last night that he would recover.

This is the nineteenth gas poisoning case in Toronto, since Dec. 5, 1917.

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The police of West Toronto division yesterday afternoon prevented a meeting of the Bolsheviki party, intending to hold in the Wonderland motion picture house, West Dundas street.

According to the police, several hundred foreigners, some of whom are said to be Ukrainians and others of no known nationality, assembled in front of the theatre with the intention of holding a meeting. The policeman on the beat asked to see the permit for holding a meeting on Sunday in the theatre, but none could be produced by either the apparent leader of the assembly or the owner of the motion picture house.

The majority of the men immediately left the vicinity when the police stated that there would be no meeting, but a few remained loitering about the place. Zachary Zorochuk, 127 Bathurst street, claiming to be a Russian, was arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct after he had refused to move on by the police.

According to one of the men in the crowd, the organization had been holding meetings during the winter in a Queen street hall.

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DYNAMITE THE ICE IN THAMES RIVER

Has Little Effect and Serious Floods Explored in Downstream Township.

London, Ont., Feb. 24.—Dynamite was resorted to this afternoon in an effort to break up the ice on the Thames which continues to cause serious floods all thru Delaware Township. Sixteen charges of high explosives were used but the ice was too tight and little effective results were obtained.

Tonight following a spring-like day, the water again is rising rapidly. It is feared that the big bridge at Konoka may be carried away by the floods.

A heavy rain now will mean tremendous damage and loss as the ice jam tonight is estimated to be seven miles in length and packed solidly all along the river. Canadian farmers fear that the wheat will suffer severely from lack of air.

FIFTEEN GERMANS TAKEN BY BRITISH

Enemy Raid Near Broadbeinde Ends in Mishap to Assaults.

London, Feb. 24.—The report from Field Marshal Haig's headquarters in France tonight says:
"Fifteen Germans, including an officer, were captured in an unsuccessful raid by the enemy near Broadbeinde this morning. Several others of the raiding party were killed by our fire.

Early in the morning the enemy attempted a raid on two of our posts in the neighborhood of the Ypres-Comines Canal, but was repulsed each time. We had no casualties.

The hostile artillery was active during the day at a number of points along our front, particularly in the neighborhood of the Souchez River and southeast of Armentieres.

THE SNOW STARTS TO GO

The hot midday sun of Sunday played havoc with the snow blanket all over Ontario. Any number of fields were bare in the afternoon; and an immense tonnage of snow ice went running as water into the gullies and creeks.

The farmer who wants to do better than ever in the way of crop production will busy himself in harnessing the sun to get the water off his land and away from his buildings.

And the street cleaning brigades now have their chance on the city highways.

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A particular presentation of several lots of small furs that have been brought into prominence through stocktaking. Prices greatly reduced. Bargains most attractive. Dineen's, 140 Yonge street.

BRITISH ELECTION INEVITABLE

London, Feb. 24.—An official report of an address delivered at a meeting of the Liberal whips and agents on Friday shows that former Premier Asquith declared that a general election was now inevitable and that preparations should be made to meet it.

FRENCH PENETRATE BRIDGE AT ASPACH

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Eastern theatre: Feb. 22.—There was intermittent artillery activity west of the Vardar. Allied aviators carried out bombardments against enemy positions west of Demir-Hisar and directed machine gun fire against the defenders of the Bulgarian trenches south of Gjevgelii.

RUSSIA WILL DO UTMOST TO RETURN FRONTIERS TO TURKEY

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In the region of Dvinsk this line must be advanced to the eastern frontier of Courland. Livonia and Estonia must immediately be cleared of Russian troops and Red Guards.

Livonia and Estonia will be occupied by German police until the date when the constitution of the republics which are in the sphere of their social security and political order. All inhabitants who were arrested for political reasons must be released immediately.

Russia will conclude peace with the Ukrainian people's republic, Ukraine and Finland will be immediately evacuated by Russian troops and Red Guards.

Russia will do all in its power to secure the orderly return of its Anatolian frontiers. Russia recognizes the annulment of the Turkish capitulations.

The complete demobilization of the Russian army, inclusive of the detachments newly formed by the present government, must be carried out immediately.

To Disarm Warships.
"Russian warships in the Black Sea, the Baltic Sea and the Arctic Ocean must immediately either be sent to Russian harbors and kept there until the conclusion of peace or be dismantled. Warships of the type which are in the sphere of Russian authority must be regarded as Russian ships.

Merchant navigation of the Black Sea and Baltic Sea must be renewed, as stated in the armistice treaty. The clearing away of mines is to begin immediately. The blockade of the Arctic Ocean is to remain in force until the conclusion of a general peace.

Commercial Treaty.
"The Russo-German commercial treaty of 1914 must be enforced again. In addition, there must be a guarantee for the free export, without tariff, of ores and the immediate commencement of negotiations for the conclusion of a new commercial treaty, with a guarantee of the most favored nation treatment, at least until 1925; even in the case of the termination of the provisorium, and finally, the sanctioning of all clauses corresponding to paragraph 11 of clauses 2, 4 and 15 of the Ukraine peace treaty.

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GERMANS WELCOME RUPTURE AT BREST

Austrian Parliamentarian Says Wreck of Peace Negotiations Pleased Enemy.

UNTRUTH AND HYPOCRISY

Right of Self-determination Becomes Falsehood on Lips of Kaiser's Ministers.

Amsterdam, Feb. 24.—According to a despatch from Vienna to The Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin, Deputy Dazinski, leader of the Galician Socialists and member of the Austrian Parliament, said in addressing the lower house on Thursday, that the declared right of self-determination of the people has become "an untruth and an hypocrisy on the lips of the ministers of Kaiser Wilhelm."

He added sarcastically that the contract with the Ukrainians would be kept by the Ukrainians, but by Gen. von Linington.

Dr. Victor Adler declared that the German Government had evoked the greatest suspicion that the wreck of

the Brest-Litovsk negotiations was "a very welcome event." He said he hoped the German advance into Russia would be discontinued. At any rate, Austria-Hungary would neither directly nor indirectly, whether as beneficiary or by providing reserves for the west front, participate in such an undertaking. He asserted that Austria's war aim had been attained in the Austrian task was not the conquest of London or the liberation of Flanders from the Belgian yoke or of acting as a policeman.

QUELPH GETS COAL.

Special to The Toronto World. Quelph, Feb. 24.—The coal situation on Saturday was more acute than at any time during the past few weeks. There was a big crowd of people at the office of the fuel controller at 9 o'clock, but Mr. Foster was compelled to refuse permits. Some coal came on Saturday night and Sunday, however, and with the advent of milder weather, the situation should be relieved to some extent.

BELLEVILLE COLLECTOR DEAD.

Special to The Toronto World. Belleville, Ont., Feb. 24.—Wm. Williamson, a deputy collector of customs in this city, died here yesterday. He was born here 65 years ago and previous to his appointment 19 years ago conducted a grocery business in this city. Deceased had been acting as collector of customs since the death of Collector Arthur McGinnis in September last.

IDLE ALBERTA MINES CAN SUPPLY WEST

Three Million Tons of American Anthracite Could Be Devoted to East.

Special to The Toronto World.

Galt, Feb. 24.—That a repetition of the coal scarcity of this winter in Ontario can be averted if western Canada makes full use of the coal beds of Alberta was the declaration of H. C. Anderson, president of the Northern Alberta Coal Operators' Association, when in conference several hours last night with the executive committee appointed by the convention held here on Feb. 11 to consider ways of preventing a fuel shortage next winter. Mr. Anderson was one of a committee of two sent by his association to Ottawa to place before Fuel Controller Magrath and the government the fact that the Alberta coal mines can provide the entire fuel requirements of western Canada and part of the northern states. Mr. Anderson made a statement that at the present time the mines in Alberta were standing idle because of lack of orders, which situation was brought about by the fact that while Alberta could supply 3,000,000 tons of Pennsylvania coal used in competition with the Alberta product. Mr. Anderson suggested that if Ontario and that part of Quebec short of fuel made proper representations to the Ottawa authorities to have this American supply of 3,000,000 tons diverted to the needy parts of Canada it would to a great extent relieve the situation in Ontario. Toronto public bodies have been communicated with by the committee to make arrangements for a big provincial convention to take up the fuel situation and urge Controller Magrath to take immediate steps to meet the fuel shortage in this province and Quebec and to divert the American coal at present being supplied to portions of western Canada.

SIR HENRY BLAKE IS DEAD.

London, Feb. 23.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency).—Sir Henry Blake died today at his residence, Myrtle Grove, Finghall, County Cork, Ireland. Right Hon. Sir Henry Arthur Blake, G.C.M.G., was Governor of Newfoundland, 1877-87, having been Governor of the Bahamas for the preceding four years. He was captain-general and governor-in-chief of Jamaica from 1889 to 1897, his term having been twice extended at the request of the legislature and public bodies of the island. He was governor of Hongkong in 1897-1905, and governor of Ceylon 1905-7. He was born in Limerick, Ireland, 78 years ago.

Poles Continue to Censure Ukraine's Peace Terms

London, Feb. 24.—Polish members of the Austrian parliament are continuing the outspoken criticism of Germany occasioned by the terms of the Ukrainian peace treaty and the resumption of military operations against the Russians. German newspapers reflect the irritation caused by the attitude of the Poles. In a despatch from The Hague on this subject the correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company quotes a message from Vienna repeating the report current several days ago that dissolution of the Reichsrath was expected unless the Poles ceased their attacks.

GRAND RIVER GOES DOWN

Much Ice Piled up at Brantford and Thaw Will Do Damage.

Special to The Toronto World.

Brantford, Feb. 24.—The Grand River waters went down so low over the week-end that Cockshutt road was once more freed of water, and a big gang of men at once went to work clearing the huge ice blocks away to allow traffic to get thru after five days' blockade. In the city the water has dropped greatly, but the river is jammed with ice below Caledonia and Chalmersville and a sudden thaw must do damage because of the amount of ice piled up.

British Pursue Germans Thru Portuguese Territory

London, Feb. 23.—An official statement on operations in East Africa says: "The main German force, dislodged from the Lujeuda Valley, Portuguese Nyassaland, moved south toward the upper Lurio River, thence eastward along and north of the Lurio, followed by the British."

LORD BRASSEY IS DEAD.

London, Feb. 23.—The death of Earl Brassey is announced. Earl Brassey was a well-known authority on naval subjects and was a former civil lord of the British admiralty and president of the Institute of Naval Architects. He was born Feb. 11, 1838.

SWEDISH FORCES OCCUPY RUSSIA'S ALAND ISLANDS

Petrograd, Tuesday, Feb. 19, via London, Thursday, Feb. 21.—At the Bolshevik headquarters confirmation is given of the report that Swedish forces have seized the Aland islands. The landing force was resisted stubbornly by the small garrison of Bolshevik troops.

Austria-Hungary Refrains From Invasion of Russia

Amsterdam, Feb. 24.—The Austrian premier, Dr. von Seydler, addressing the lower house at Vienna Friday, declared again:

"Austria-Hungary is not participating in the military action which Germany is at present taking against Russia. There has been no advance of Austro-Hungarian troops into Ukraine, with which we are at peace."

"With regard to Rumania, an armistice exists between Austria-Hungary and that country. Peace negotiations will begin within the next few days." The premier's statement was received with applause from all parts of the house.

Durham Miners' Association Supports Man Power Bill

London, Feb. 23.—The Durham Miners' Association has decided to support the government's man power bill and also that the various miners' associations should assist in the work of selecting the 50,000 miners, who the government's bill provides, are to be drawn from the mines.

ESCAPED FROM CUSTODY.

Special to The Toronto World. Brockville, Feb. 24.—Jessie Scott, a young woman en route from Ottawa to the Mercer reformatory at Toronto, where she had been sentenced to two years for theft, escaped from custody at the union depot here. She has not yet been captured.

LEAVES FOR DUTY.

Special to The Toronto World. Guelph, Ont., Feb. 24.—Rev. George C. A. Little, pastor of Chalmers Presbyterian Church, who has been appointed chaplain in the Canadian overseas forces with the rank of captain, left this evening to report for duty. He made his congregation farewell at this morning's service.

All Britons Must Buy Meat Upon Ration Card System

London, Feb. 24.—The last day on which persons living in London and the immediately adjoining counties could buy meat, margarine and butter without producing a ration card, was yesterday. When the stores open on Monday morning the new plan will be in operation and every one will be compelled to produce a ration card before making any purchases of the above-mentioned articles, which are very scarce.

COSTA RICA IN REVOLUTION.

San Juan Del Sur, Nicaragua, Feb. 24.—A revolution is in progress in Costa Rica. Wire communication has been interrupted between the frontier and Las Casca. It is known that the towns of Alajuela, San Mateo and Heredia are in the hands of the revolutionists. It is reported that San Juan and Punta Arenas probably will fall shortly.

FOUR MEN UNDER ARREST

St. Thomas Alleged Thieves Had Booty Hidden in Home.

Special to The Toronto World. St. Thomas, Feb. 24.—Following up the arrest of Albert Berdan for theft, four other members of the gang, William Wiles, Milton Stacey, John Stacey and Wm. Greig, were taken into custody by the police and appeared before City Magistrate Maxwell and were committed to jail until Monday.

The Pere Marquette Railway has been a heavy loser from the operations of this gang. Among the goods taken were about \$3,000 worth of hides which were carried to the home of Berdan at Talbotville. At the home of Milton Stacey a well stocked cellar of stolen goods were found in the corner of his basement, where he had a specially constructed hiding place about five feet deep below the floor. The goods, which were covered by bricks and gravel, consisted of a great assortment of every kind of merchandise, including fine suit cases and other leather goods, automobile tires, Ford lamps and other accessories. Milton Stacey was a taxi-cab driver and used his cab to carry the stolen goods.

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WIDER EDUCATION IS LABOR'S NEED

James T. Gunn Addresses Retail Clerks' Association on Subject.

NATIONAL GROUP Unorganized Labor to Be Represented Thereon.

Labor should have a bigger voice in the decisions relating to industrial problems after the war, and also a greater part in the administration of the government. This was the gist of the address of James T. Gunn delivered yesterday afternoon before the Retail Clerks' Association at its meeting in the Labor Temple.

FIRST CHURCH TO LOSE NAVAL RECRUIT IN WAR

Rev. Dr. Hall, Senior Chaplain, Conducts Services at Cowan Avenue.

Cowan Avenue Presbyterian Church has a great interest in the navy and the military service of its members. The first Presbyterian church in Canada to form a boys' naval brigade and the first naval recruit from Canada to be killed in this war was a member of the church.

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Dominion Secretary of G. W. V. A. Discusses the Alien Problem.

FEARS REPRISALS

Word of Change of Action Here Would Quickly Reach Germany.

N. F. R. Knight, Dominion secretary of the G.W.V.A., was in Toronto yesterday in connection with the forthcoming Dominion convention which is to be held in Toronto from July 29 to Aug. 3 this year.

GENERAL EXECUTIVE OF ALLIANCE MEETS

Convention of Three Days' Duration Opens in Massey Hall Tomorrow.

Many of the leaders in the past struggle for prohibition in Ontario and the Dominion will arrive in Toronto today.

A LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

By EZRA W. PALMER, C.S.B.

Member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts

THE DISCOVERER AND FOUNDER OF CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Christian Science was discovered by Mary Baker Eddy in the year 1846. Her inquiry into the results of a serious accident through the spiritual understanding of a passage in Matthew's gospel, was the falling apple which started the scientific Christianity.

SUSPECTED SPY HELD

Leavenworth, Kas., Feb. 24.—Charles Beck, 32, whose home is said to be in St. Louis, was arrested here last night and is being held pending investigation of his possession of blueprints of a secret operation.

Why Not Try B'Well

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ole medians expels stomach... It is not only a... Phytic and Appetite... the Stomach, Liver, and...

HER'S FRIEND. ble medicine is working... one case in mind just... girl eleven years old...

comes to my memory... two years old. The mother... to me in her arms...

WOMEN TO DISCUSS STATE QUESTIONS

Delegations From All Over the Dominion Are Going to Ottawa.

ADVISE GOVERNMENT

Toronto Representatives Are Not Yet Officially Selected.

Just what women will compose the delegation which will meet the government in Ottawa next Thursday, as announced last week, is still unknown to Toronto women.

The government has sent out word, or permitted the announcement to be made, that a delegation of women from all over the Dominion would be received and matters relating to the welfare of the state would be discussed.

POLITICS IN WOMEN'S WORLD. An aftermath of the federal elections of Dec. 17 in Montreal's women circles was the serious division in the Montreal Women's Club.

Schoolgirl's Nerves Had Given Out

For Two Years Out of School—Was Thin, Sallow and Restless, But Cure Was at Last Discovered.

Cornwall, Ont., Feb. 23.—Of what value is education if the health is ruined in getting it? This question comes to many a parent whose child has fallen under the enormous strain of competition examinations.

Mrs. Archie Martelle, Cornwall, Ont., writes: "My daughter, now aged thirteen, had been sick for two years, and was unable to attend school. She had nervous trouble, and was under the doctor's care during that time, but he did not seem to do her any good. She was very thin, restless and hardly ate anything. Her complexion became sallow. I read about Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and thought I would get a box for her. Before she had finished the first box, she noticed that she was improving, and by the time she had taken the second box she was quite herself again. She is on her fourth box now, and I find they have done her the world of good. I would not be without them in the house. I cannot recommend them too highly, and have told two of my friends about them and they are now trying them. For the good of others, I give you the privilege of publishing this letter."

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, a full treatment of 6 boxes for \$2.75, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Do not be talked into accepting a substitute. Imitations only disappoint.



Are these girdles, that may be attached to any costume. Women are vying with each other in making these affairs, for they are wonderfully handy, as well as attractive. This one is of Roman striped corded silk forming belt and pockets.

SOCIETY CONDUCTED BY MRS. EDMUND PHILLIPS

Lord Richard Nevill has been in town from Ottawa spending the weekend at Government House with His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Hendrie. His worship the mayor was in Ottawa the end of the week.

arrival has been made chief justice of Nova Scotia. Mrs. Harris has recently arrived to join her husband, and they have taken a suite of rooms at the Queen's.

Lady Eaton with her younger children is leaving Toronto on Thursday for California, where she has taken a house at Pasadena. Mrs. William Dobie will accompany her, and Sir John Eaton and Master Timothy Eaton will join them later on for the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Arthur Murphy, Edmonton, is on her way to Ottawa, having been hidden by the present war council of the government. She will on her way back to the west be the guest for a few days of her brother, the Hon. Justice Ferguson, and Mrs. Ferguson Burke at 811 Palmerston Blvd., where Mrs. Burke will ask a few of Mrs. Murphy's friends to tea to meet her on the 6th of March.

Mrs. W. C. Teagle, president of the Standard Oil Co., and Mrs. Teagle, arrive at the King Edward today from New York and will occupy the royal suite.

The Hon. Justice Idington, Ottawa, has been spending a few days in New York. After a very good home-made dinner, many of the guests repaired to the conservatories to revel in the lovely flowers with which they were filled.

Among those present were: Lady Hearst, Mrs. David Jamieson, Mr. Arthur McCrea, Col. Nasenth, C.M.G., Mrs. Nasenth, Miss Scott Raff, Mrs. and Mrs. Denison Dana, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barker, Miss M. Honey Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gibson, Dr. McKelvey, Miss Nora Cooke, Miss Kayley, Mrs. Grand, Mr. Ernest Grand, Mrs. Butterfield, Miss Helen Butterfield, Mrs. M. Kirk, Mrs. M. and Mrs. Roger, Miss Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. George Gale, Mrs. Martin, Miss Bradshaw, Miss Winnifred Collins, Miss Sear, Mr. Fred Arnold, Mr. Fred Morris, Mr. and Mrs. David Dunlop, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Miller, Mrs. Ferguson Burke, Frederick Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. Kenrick, Mrs. Robert, Miss Roberts, Mrs. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Kane, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Booth, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McLaren, Mrs. Thomas Morrison, the Misses Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNaught, Dr. and Mrs. Secombe, Mr. and Mrs. Brooker, Mr. and Mrs. Connolly, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. George Irving, Mr. and Mrs. George Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blight, Mrs. Blight, Mrs. Maclellan, Miss Josephine Bronse, Mr. David Keys, Miss Keys, Mr. Kane, P.P.C., Mr. and Mrs. Ritchie, Miss Curlette, Miss Florence Smith, the Misses Keele, Miss Mary Trent, Capt. and Mrs. Hezlewood, Miss Huzzlewood, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hodgins, Mr. and Mrs. W. Eaton, the Misses William, Mrs. W. Eaton, the Misses Williamson, Mrs. Hodgson (who was assisting in the tea room, looking very pretty in amethyst satin and georgette crepe).

Lady Kingmill spent the week-end in town with her mother, Mrs. Beardon, at her house in College street. Mr. Robert Harris, a distinguished member of the Nova Scotia Bar, who has been in town for the Canadian Northern arbitration case, since his

Murray-Kay, Limited advertisement with logo and contact information.

The First Spring Shipment of "Vogue" Hats Is Now Ready for Your Admiration

Really the most poignant form of winter-weariness is that which assails us when we look at those months-worn hats of ours! How stunning they seemed when they first came home! That was in the first flush of winter—but now the beauty has fallen from these heavy-looking models of velvet—and the longing for a bright spring hat is just as strong within us as the longing for the coming of pretty spring itself.

The interesting news that we have to impart in these paragraphs is the fact that we have just received our first spring shipment of "Vogue" Hats, and truly this well-known New York house has never sent us more lovely specimens of their designers' skill.

"Vogue" Hats are the acme of perfection in every way. They are always modeled in exquisite taste, and they're beautifully made of the finest materials. These new arrivals are TAILORED SAILORS IN LISIERE, MILAN TAGEL AND MILAN, in black and all the smartest colors. The trimming in most cases is heavy corded ribbon, the tailored effect being adhered to in the simple bands and bows that are always so effective.

You must come and see these new "Vogue" Hats soon if you want a good choice—for they begin to sell the minute they reach the Millinery Room.

Warm Nightgowns of Flannelette, \$1.75 to \$3.00. Flannelette Nightgowns, striped, pink or blue, apicoid values at \$1.75 and \$2.00. White Flannelette Nightgowns, a variety of styles, \$2.00; high neck trimmed with linen lace, \$2.75; square neck trimmed with linen lace and embroidery, \$3.00.

Our Two Lunch Rooms For the Best Service. Shopping is getting to be more interesting every day. You never come in now-a-days that you don't see something new to admire, for every department in the store is fairly a-dutter with charming spring things.

These New Model Dresses From New York And From Paris. Grey Taffeta Dress, the sleeves and bodice of grey Georgette, lovely embroidery in French blue wool and beads on the bodice. The collar, which is of grey taffeta, lined with French blue, is of the new Joan of Arc variety—a little flat cape on the shoulders, and rolling high at the back. This charming dress is \$37.00.

Exquisite New Cotton Fabrics for Spring Including Gingham in Glorified Form. If you want to get a real breath of spring—then betake you to our Cotton Wash Fabrics Section—we promise that you'll go into ecstasies over the delectable array of new Ginghams, Zephyrs and Organdie Zephyrs, that have just been taken from their wrappings.

The colors are exquisite—they show infinitely greater delicacy in treatment than those of 1917—and the weaves are beautifully fine. We mention in particular:

"Lockeley" Plaid and Check Ginghams, a delightful variety of colors, both small and large patterns; the width 32", the price, per yard, \$1.00. Pride Zephyrs, in pretty checks and plaids, the colors showing the widest choice; the width 27", the price, per yard, \$1.00. Flare Organdie Zephyrs, in lovely stripes and checks; the width 32", the price, per yard, \$1.00. Everday Suitings, a heavier weight than

gingham, in stripes and plain colors, the width 22", the price, per yard, \$1.00. Kiddie Cloth, still heavier than everyday suitings, in stripes and plain colors, the width 22", the price, per yard, \$1.00.

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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 25 cents an agate line.

AWARDED SECOND BAR. London, Feb. 24.—The following are awarded a second bar to their Military Medal: Corp. R. Green, Sergt. E. Slettery, who also holds a Distinguished Conduict Medal.

Don't Look Old! But restore your gray and faded hair to their natural color with LOCKYER'S SULPHUR Hair Restorer.

By Toronto Women. Bread Pudding. You were asking for a recipe for bread pudding recently. Here is one we use all the time, and it is quite sufficient to serve four people.

Beef Leaf. Three pounds lean beef, half-pound salt pork ground fine, two eggs, one cup bread crumbs, one tablespoon sweet cream, one teaspoon summer savory, two teaspoons salt, half-teaspoon pepper. Mix all together, mould in oblong pan, bake one and a half hours, basting occasionally.—Mrs H. B. Somerville, 28 Macdonell avenue.

PA WAS "CLEANED" COLD. I've saw a heap of foolishness in my time, but this winter bathin' takes the cake!

GOOD FATHERS PAW! HAVE YOU LOST YOUR MIND? NO, THANK GODDNESS, I STILL GOT THAT!

WAL' THEN, WHY THIS WINTER BATHIN' OUT FIT? WINTER BATHIN' ME EYE!! I JESS COME BACK FROM PLAYIN' POKER WITH HANK HARKINS!



By Sterrett

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on Avenue, To-rite 73 Niagara

The Toronto World

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Keeping Open Good Roads in Winter.

In many parts of United States, especially during the past three months of unusual snowfalls, the good roads have been kept open for motor traffic; also for team traffic, through the entire winter.

The World has been giving some attention to the subject and was able to point out that one mile of the five miles of good road on the Don road had been kept open all winter—good for motors and sleighs—by a private user of the road, by five treatments of a grader pulled by horses.

The Railways and Electric Power and Public Ownership.

Desperate efforts are being made all over Canada to head off public ownership of the railways; so also are they doing the same thing in the States.

The Real Evil.

We are now in a fair position to judge of the results of the liberation of destructive forces from the work of the Bolsheviks in Russia. The history of the past informs all thinking men that the path of progress is the path of constructive evolution.

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NEW LABOR PARTY UNDER DISCUSSION AMONG LOCAL MEN

Action Will Be Taken to Get Views of Workers in the Other Provinces.

NEW SYSTEM OF RIDINGS

Allotments of Land to Soldiers Was One of the Matters Brought Up.

The formation of a new Canadian Labor party was discussed yesterday at the meeting of the Greater Toronto Labor party, and it was decided that the secretary of the branch in Toronto communicate with the provincial secretaries with a view to the consideration of the formation of such an organization comprising not only labor men proper, but also all those men and women who champion the cause of the workingman and woman.

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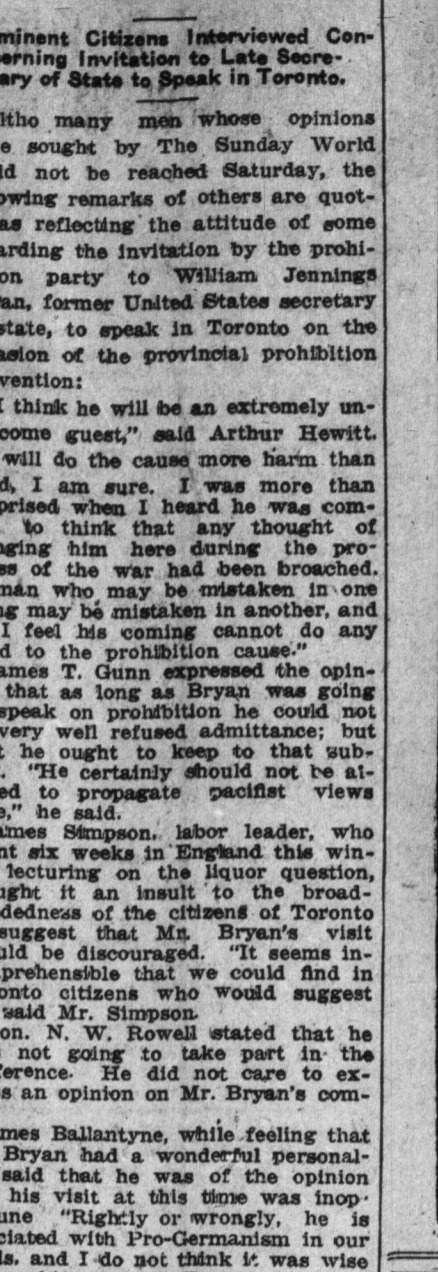
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THE WOMAN WHO CHANGED

BY JANE PHELPS

An Offended Husband.

CHAPTER XIII. Merton Gray made his way to my side as soon as the men came into the drawing-room. I was so glad to be freed from the necessity of answering questions and making myself agreeable to the women of the party that I welcomed him gladly.

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This is the best wool for spinning. It is soft, strong, and lustrous.

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Real Shetland light and strong. Also in various colors.

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THE E. B. EDDY COMPANY LIMITED
HULL, CANADA

MERCHANTS FIND WAY TO FOOL SIR HENRY
Hydro Power Cut Off, They Erect Gas Arc Lamps.

An aftermath of the recent order of the power controller restricting the use of electricity for illuminating signs and store exteriors is seen in the city council's bill of fare for Monday.

MOTION-PICTURE MEN SEEK LAW AMENDMENT
Regulations Governing Juveniles Present Some Complications at Present, They Say.

MANY CANDIDATES OFFER FOR EXHIBITION BOARD
Eight Positions Are to Be Filled, and Twenty-two Are Out for Election.

The Grand Lodge of the Loyal Order of the Moose in the Dominion of Canada
The Grand Lodge of the Loyal Order of Moose hereby gives notice that it has ceased to transact business in Canada...

ROB ROY MILLS, LIMITED.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that under the first part of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, known as The Companies Act, the present notice has been issued under the seal of the Secretary of State of Canada...

Tenders. TENDERS FOR CUTTING WOOD
Tenders, addressed to Charles G. Booker, Esq., Mayor, Chairman of Board of Control, Hamilton, Ontario, will be received by the undersigned up to 11 o'clock a.m. on Monday, March 4th, 1918...

TENDERS
TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned at Ottawa, and endorsed on the envelope "Tender for increasing, by the addition of two to twelve o'clock noon of the day of March 1918..."

FLORIDA FARMS FOR SALE.
FLORIDA FARMS and Investments. W. R. Bird, 48 Richmond West, Toronto.

Farms For Sale.
FARM FOR SALE—Stock and dairy farm, consisting of 210 acres, clay loam, situated in Vaughan Township, lots 24 and 25, eighth concession, near Kleinburg...

Farms Wanted.
FARMS WANTED—If you wish to sell your farm or exchange it for city property for quick results, list with W. R. Bird, 48 Richmond West, Toronto.

Cottages to Let.
TWO FINE FURNISHED COTTAGES to rent at Lakeview Summer Resort, Sturgeon Lake, for full particulars write N. Day, Cameron, Ont.

Rooms and Board.
COMFORTABLE, Private Hotel, inglenook, 235 Jarvis street; central; heating; phone.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

Properties for Sale.
Brick House Surrounded by Ornamental Trees
BANK BARN, hog pen, chicken house; 2 acres of good garden land; on Metropolitan Electric Railway, on county road. This is a beautiful home. Price \$4000; half cash, balance arranged. Open evenings. Stephens & Co., 136 Victoria St.

Articles for Sale.
ROSEALINE Auto, Furniture and Linoleum Polish is the best. Rosealine Roach Powder and Rosealine Bed Bug Exterminator is guaranteed to clear out these pests. Rosealine Odorless Disinfectant kills all odors.

Articles Wanted.
WANTED—Old false teeth, don't matter if broken. I pay \$2 to \$15 per set. Send by parcel post; and receive cheque by return mail. F. Teri, 403 N. Wolfe St., Baltimore, Md.

Building Material.
LIME—Lump and hydrated for plastering and masonry work. Our "Beaver Brand" is guaranteed to be the best finishing lime manufactured in Canada, and equal to any imported. Full line of building supplies. Contractors' Supply Co., Limited, 132 Van Horne street, Toronto, Ontario.

Bicycles and Motorcycles.
BICYCLES WANTED for cash, McLeod, 151 King West.

Electric Fittings.
SPECIAL prices on electric fixtures and wiring. Art Electric, 27 Yonge.

Home Moving.
HOUSE MOVING and Raising done. J. Nelson, 115 Jarvis street.

Herbalists.
ALVER'S HERB CAPSULES, nerva tonic, cure catarrh, asthma, rheumatism, stomach, liver, kidney and back pain. Direct to hotel, courier, 24 Queen west, and Alver, 501 Sherbourne street Toronto.

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CANADIAN AEROPLANES, LIMITED
DUFFERIN AND LAPPIN
OFFICES TO RENT
Desirable office space to rent at our prices. WEBSTER BUILDING 53 YONGE STREET.

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For Arrears of Taxes.
Township of York, County of York, to wit: Notice is hereby given that the list of lands now liable to be sold for arrears of taxes in the Township of York, Ontario, prepared and is being published in an advertisement in the Ontario Gazette...

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ITEMS FOR AND ABOUT THE FARMER

SCOTCH SHORTHORNS BRING GOOD PRICES

Ninety Head Sold at Union Horse Exchange on Saturday.

BRING RAPID OFFERS

Little Over Three Hours Required to Clear Off the Lot.

It is doubtful if in the sale of Scotch short horns in Canada a more successful one has ever been held than that of Saturday afternoon at the Union Horse Exchange in West Toronto, when Col. Carey Jones, the renowned American auctioneer from Chicago, Ill., in three hours sold 90 head of Scotch short horns at an average price for the breeders of \$1600 and for the bulls, about a dozen of them, a trifle less; the whole for the magnificent total of \$95,000.

The 90 head were selected from the herds of W. A. Dryden and John Miller of Ontario County, whose names are prominent for the highest prices among the many well-known breeders in Canada.

It was a wonderful sale, not alone in the prices obtained, but also in the tremendous interest manifested from first to last and the keenness with which the bids were placed and the extra choice animals snapped up. Col. Carey Jones, started out to sell the 90 head in three hours and practically finished the job on time. Anyone who wanted to bid had to do so on the dot or the lot went by.

There was a big crowd of prominent short horn breeders present from all over Canada and the United States, a good many of the choice ones going across the line, but the Canadians got a good share of them, too.

Highest Price.—"Clipper Favorite," an imported cow, about five years old, went to L. A. Grigley of Belleville, N.Y., at \$1300, and the next, a magnificent bull, was sold to J. Haut & Sons of Wyoming at \$1200. "Emma," a roan heifer, calved on Jan. 3, 1917, and bred by Senator W. C. Edwards of Rockland, sold for \$2000. The senior himself was practically finished by the bid of \$1000 as the case might be.

T. A. Russell of the Willys-Overland was one of the bidders on the other side, paid \$2000 for "Beauport Waterloo," a roan cow calved in 1914.

McLaughlin Bros. of Oshawa bought some extra choice lots, among others, "Lavender Snowflake," for which they paid \$1025. Other prices paid by McLaughlin Bros. were \$225, \$1150, \$1450, \$1500, \$1250, \$1450.

Many Cross Bred.—Warwick & Sons of Colorado were big buyers, paying fairly high prices for several choice lots.

Other buyers represented were McDonnell Bros. of Woodstock, Stein of Strathville, E. C. Ross of Woodville, Joseph White of St. Mary's, H. New of Lafarge, W. Wilson of Campbell's Crossing, McKinnon of Saskatchewan, Alex. Watt of Essex, J. Sutherland of Galt, C. Fraser of Eden Mills, A. G. Farron of Oakville, Gray Bros. of Elora, T. B. Ralph of Canby, R. E. Moore of Moffat, P. Smith & Sons of Scotland, Ont., L. A. Pettit of Burlington, J. M. Gardhouse of Weston, V. V. Scott of Highgate, P. Bennett of Fremont, U. S. A., who paid \$1875 for a roan cow; J. Murray and Morley Bros. of Alton.

Among the representatives from the commission houses on the Union Live Stock Exchange were George Rowntree, A. F. Hall, A. B. Quinn, P. F. McLean and a number of others, many of whom are deeply interested in the retention in Canada of the best of the Scotch short horns, and expressed great gratification at so many of the good heifers and cows being retained in Canada.

Col. Carey Jones, the auctioneer, who has conducted many of the leading short horn sales in the big American centres, said to the World on Saturday at the close of the sale that the transaction and Miller offerings would compare well with the best sold in the United States during the past year. Robert Miller of Strathville, one of the best Canadian short horn authorities who was present, saw in the action of the Ontario breeders an intention to leave no stone unturned to increase enormously the best production of the province.

Col. Jones was assisted by Scotty Milne of Chicago and W. C. Taylor of Guelph.

RECENT FARM SALES.

George Fraser has bought D. Horner's farm at Whitfield.

Bert Bailey of Hill's Corners has sold his farm to J. H. Harrison of Toronto.

Laughlin Sinclair of Grand Valley has rented the W. P. Tolton farm at Waldemar.

Gibson Richardson has bought the west half of lot 25, con. 3, Amaranth, from Thos. B. Reid.

Thos. B. Reid has bought the 200-acre farm of his uncle, Joshua Reid, just west of Shelburne.

W. J. Platt, East Garafraxa, has purchased the farm of the late John King, 100 acres, near Grand Valley, for \$6000.

Wm. Noble of Whitfield has bought the east half of lot 3, con. 3, Amaranth, from F. H. Silk and John Latta.

Ed. Mills, having sold his farm, will move to Dundalk, where he has purchased the residence of Jas. Arnott, East Main street.

Sasael G. Shaw, who has bought an \$10,000 farm in Essex Township, has sold lot 31, con. 2, E.H.S., Mono, 170 acres, to David Horner of Whitfield for \$2000.

At the sale of the Mark property on Saturday, Samuel H. Platt bought the homestead of 100 acres for \$2000. It is just across the road from Mr. Platt's other properties, giving him over 400 acres in a block. The transaction vests the pleasant fact that farming is profitable in East Letcher, for about 20 years ago Mr. Platt came with very little of the world's goods, and today is comfortably situated, due to hard work, thrift and perseverance.

STRANGE.

Some of the farmers in this vicinity are having great difficulty in getting their clover thrashed. The heavy engine has to be taken across fields and thru some very deep drifts which necessitates a great amount of snow shoveling.

Mrs. Hawbuck-Effram, it takes you twice as long to drive the pigs as it used to.

Farmer H.—I know it. You wouldn't expect me to speak harsh to a lot of critters worth \$50 apiece, would you?

FARM IMPLEMENTS

REPAIRS OF ALL KINDS
GEO. W. SMITH COMPANY
Cor. Jarvis and Duke Sts., Toronto

WHOLESALE FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

There was only the usual light trade on the wholesale Saturday, receipts being fairly light and prices keeping practically stationary on most offerings.

Strawberries.—The promise of milder weather made two tanks of Florida strawberries, which arrived to White & Co., around noon, sell well. The one tank was of exceptionally choice quality and brought 75c per box; the other, not doing quite so good, sold at 65c to 60c per box.

Apples.—There has been a much better demand for good quality apples lately, any good ones selling well at firm prices.

A. A. McKinnon had a car of Ontario potatoes, selling at \$2.25 per bag; New Brunswick, Delaware, at \$2.40 per bag.

McWilliams, Everts and heavy shipments of radishes, selling at 40c per dozen bunches; lettuce at 25c to 30c per dozen, and a small quantity of tomatoes at 50c per lb. for No. 1's and 30c per lb. for No. 2's.

H. Peters had a car of Florida grapefruit, selling at \$4.50 to \$5 per case; a car of Florida oranges, selling at \$5 to \$6 per case.

White & Co., Limited, had a car of Ontario apples, selling at \$2.50 to \$3 per box; other varieties at \$2.25 to \$2.50 per box; a car of bananas, selling at \$2.50 to \$3 per bunch; a heavy shipment of choice large green peppers, selling at \$3 to \$3.50 per dozen; and cucumbers at \$3 to \$3.50 per dozen.

C. S. Simpson had a car of navel oranges, selling at \$5.75 to \$7 per case; butternut squash at \$2.50 per dozen; and cucumbers at \$1.50 per bag respectively.

Wholesale Fruits.
Apples—Ontario Spys, \$4 to \$7.50 per box; other varieties, \$3 to \$5.50 per box; Nova Scotia, \$2.50 to \$3.50 per box; Russia, \$3.50 to \$4.50 per box; western boxed Winter Bananas and Roma Beauties, \$2.50 to \$3.25 per box.
Bananas—\$2.50 to \$3 per bunch.
Grapes—California, \$4 to \$5.50 per case; California, \$7.50 per case.
Grapefruit—Florida, \$4.50 to \$5 per case; Florida, \$5.75 to \$4 per case; Jamaica, \$3.25 to \$3.50 per case.
Oranges—California navel, \$4.50 to \$7 per case; Florida, \$4.50 to \$6.50 per case; Pineapples—Porto Rico, \$5.50 to \$7 per case; Pomegranates—\$2.50 to \$2.75 per half-tray.
Tomatoes—Hothouse, No. 1's, 25c to 30c per lb.; No. 2's, 25c to 30c per lb.
Wholesale Vegetables.
Beans—Japanese hand-picked, \$6.75 per bushel; other varieties, \$5 to \$6 per bushel.
Cabbage—\$4 to \$4.50 per bushel; California, new, \$2.50 to \$4 per case.
Cauliflower—California, \$4 to \$4.50 per case; \$2.25 per half-case.
Celery—California, \$5 and \$6.25 per case; \$2.25 per half-case.
Cucumbers—Hothouse, \$3 to \$3.50 per dozen.
Eggplant—Florida head, \$2 to \$2.25 per ordinary hamper, \$3.50 per large hamper; California, \$3.75 per case.
Green Beans—Florida, \$5 to \$6 per dozen; Mushrooms—Imported, \$7.75 to \$4 per 4-lb. basket.
Lettuce—\$2.25 to \$2.35 per 75-lb. bag; \$2.50 to \$3 per 100-lb. sack; Spanish, \$4.50 to \$5 per case.
Onions—Green, imported, 80c to 90c per dozen bunches; home-grown, 25c to 30c per dozen bunches.
Parley—Imported, 85c per dozen bunches.
Peppers—Green, 60c to 75c per dozen, large, \$1.25 per dozen.
Potatoes—Ontario, \$2.35 to \$2.40 per bag; New Brunswick Delaware, \$2.40 per bag.
Turnips—60c to 65c per bag.
Whole Sale Raisins, Dates, Figs, Nuts.
Cocoanuts—\$7.50 per sack of 100.
Peanuts—Jumbos, green, 21c lb.; roasted, sack lots, 22c lb.; smaller lots, 23c lb.
Walnuts—New, bag lots, 22c lb.; less, 23c lb.
Figs—25c per lb.
Filberts—15c to 20c per lb.
Cocoanuts—\$7.50 per sack of 100.
Peanuts—Jumbos, green, 21c lb.; roasted, sack lots, 22c lb.; smaller lots, 23c lb.

NORTH TORONTO AND ST. LAWRENCE MARKETS.

There was only an average attendance of vendors at the markets Saturday, and as the buyers turned out in large numbers, trade was brisk on most offerings, at slightly higher prices.

New-laid Eggs.—The market was very erratic on new-laid eggs. They opened at 75c, and 70c per dozen, and were so slow that the 70c that they dropped to 65c with a few at 60c, and sold so clear at those figures they were soon cleared up; small numbers which were brought in later in the day, or those who had their eggs at the 70c per dozen, closing their affairs at the 70c per dozen, closing bringing 80c at the very close of the market. However, if more birds laid the 75c and 70c per dozen at the beginning, the close would have been weaker.

Butter.—Butter was quite firm, partly because quite a large quantity was not delivered by the express company; prices ranged from 45c to 57c per lb., with the bulk of the choice quality going at 50c to 52c per lb.

Apples.—Choice Greenings sold at 65c per 11-quart basket, and Spys at 25c per California fruit basket; some inferior Spys selling at 10c per measure.

Poultry.—Poultry continued to bring high prices—chickens selling at 35c to 40c per lb.; fowl at 30c to 35c per lb.; ducks were quite scarce; a couple of choice quality selling at 35c per lb., while 30c per lb. was asked for a goose.

Vegetables.—Old vegetables sold at practically unchanged prices—potatoes at 55c per 11-quart basket; onions at 35c and 40c per six-quart basket; carrots and parsnips at 35c per 11-quart; artichokes at 25c per six-quart; beans at 20c per six-quart; celery at 15c per bunch; cauliflower at 10c, and 15c per head; leeks at 25c bunches for 30c.

Hothouse Produce.—Rhubarb was quite plentiful and there was some exceptionally choicely quality selling at bunches for 25c; leaf lettuce at 3 for 10c; parsnip at 3 for 10c; pepper and mustard greens at 2 for 10c.

Grain—
Fall wheat, bush, \$2.14 to \$2.40
Good wheat, bush, 2 03
Barley, bush, 1 65 1 67
Oats, bush, 1 06 1 07
Buckwheat, nominal 1 70
Rye, bush, 1 90 1 92
Hay and Straw—
Hay, new, No. 1, ton, \$19.00 to \$21.00
Hay, No. 2, per ton, 16.00 18.00
Straw, rye, per ton, 20.00 24.00

WHOLESALE SUGAR.

Wholesalers quote on Canadian refined sugars, Toronto delivery, as follows:
Royal granulated, 100 lbs., \$8.54
Royal Acacia, gran., 100 lbs., 8.04
Reddish granulated, 100 lbs., 8.54
St. Lawrence granulated, 100 lbs., 8.54
No. 1 yellow, 100 lbs., 8.84
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LIVE STOCK MARKET.

UNION LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.
Receipts of live stock of all kinds at the Union Yards for today's trading are 148 cars, with more to arrive—2554 cattle, 77 calves, 2247 hogs and 152 sheep and lambs.

MUNICIPAL ABATTOIR KILLING.
List of week's killing from Feb. 16 to Feb. 22, 1918:
Total number of cattle dressed by city, 43
Total number of cattle dressed by owner, 91
Total number of small stuff dressed by city, 186
Total number of small stuff dressed by owner, 92
Total number of live stock slaughtered, 362

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.
East Buffalo, N.Y., Feb. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; strong. Calf receipts, 150; easier \$7 to \$18. Hogs—Receipts, 2500; steady. \$18 to \$18.15; mixed and Yorkers, \$18.15 to \$18.30; light Yorkers and pigs, \$17 to \$17.50.

HIDES AND WOOL.
Prices delivered in Toronto, furnished by John Hallam:
City Hides—City butcher hides, green flats, 15c; sheep skins, green flat, 20c; 77 calves, 2247 hogs and 152 sheep and lambs, take off \$5 to \$6; sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.50.
Country Markets—Beef hides, flat country, 15c to 16c; country solid barrels, \$1.50 to \$2.25; horsehides, country take-off, No. 1, \$6 to \$7; No. 2, \$5 to \$6; No. 3, \$4 to \$5; No. 4, \$3 to \$4; No. 5, \$2 to \$3; No. 6, \$1 to \$2; No. 7, \$1 to \$2; No. 8, \$1 to \$2; No. 9, \$1 to \$2; No. 10, \$1 to \$2; No. 11, \$1 to \$2; No. 12, \$1 to \$2; No. 13, \$1 to \$2; No. 14, \$1 to \$2; No. 15, \$1 to \$2; No. 16, \$1 to \$2; No. 17, \$1 to \$2; No. 18, \$1 to \$2; No. 19, \$1 to \$2; No. 20, \$1 to \$2; No. 21, \$1 to \$2; No. 22, \$1 to \$2; No. 23, \$1 to \$2; No. 24, \$1 to \$2; No. 25, \$1 to \$2; No. 26, \$1 to \$2; No. 27, \$1 to \$2; No. 28, \$1 to \$2; No. 29, \$1 to \$2; No. 30, \$1 to \$2; No. 31, \$1 to \$2; No. 32, \$1 to \$2; No. 33, \$1 to \$2; No. 34, \$1 to \$2; No. 35, \$1 to \$2; No. 36, \$1 to \$2; No. 37, \$1 to \$2; No. 38, \$1 to \$2; No. 39, \$1 to \$2; No. 40, \$1 to \$2; No. 41, \$1 to \$2; No. 42, \$1 to \$2; No. 43, \$1 to \$2; No. 44, \$1 to \$2; No. 45, \$1 to \$2; No. 46, \$1 to \$2; No. 47, \$1 to \$2; No. 48, \$1 to \$2; No. 49, \$1 to \$2; No. 50, \$1 to \$2; No. 51, \$1 to \$2; No. 52, \$1 to \$2; No. 53, \$1 to \$2; No. 54, \$1 to \$2; No. 55, \$1 to \$2; No. 56, \$1 to \$2; No. 57, \$1 to \$2; No. 58, \$1 to \$2; No. 59, \$1 to \$2; No. 60, \$1 to \$2; No. 61, \$1 to \$2; No. 62, \$1 to \$2; No. 63, \$1 to \$2; No. 64, \$1 to \$2; No. 65, \$1 to \$2; No. 66, \$1 to \$2; No. 67, \$1 to \$2; No. 68, \$1 to \$2; No. 69, \$1 to \$2; No. 70, \$1 to \$2; No. 71, \$1 to \$2; No. 72, \$1 to \$2; No. 73, \$1 to \$2; No. 74, \$1 to \$2; No. 75, \$1 to \$2; No. 76, \$1 to \$2; No. 77, \$1 to \$2; No. 78, \$1 to \$2; No. 79, \$1 to \$2; No. 80, \$1 to \$2; No. 81, \$1 to \$2; No. 82, \$1 to \$2; No. 83, \$1 to \$2; No. 84, \$1 to \$2; No. 85, \$1 to \$2; No. 86, \$1 to \$2; No. 87, \$1 to \$2; No. 88, \$1 to \$2; No. 89, \$1 to \$2; No. 90, \$1 to \$2; No. 91, \$1 to \$2; No. 92, \$1 to \$2; No. 93, \$1 to \$2; No. 94, \$1 to \$2; No. 95, \$1 to \$2; No. 96, \$1 to \$2; No. 97, \$1 to \$2; No. 98, \$1 to \$2; No. 99, \$1 to \$2; No. 100, \$1 to \$2.

SECURED MORE MONEY BY TESTING THE COWS

Income per Cow Increased Thru Becoming Active Members in Cow Testing Association.

Six Jackson County, Missouri, dairymen, who have been members of a cow testing association for the last three years, were able to increase milk production 1606 pounds, and butterfat production 81 pounds for each cow over the average production of their herds the first year. The increased income from each cow was \$46.90. The average production of their herds for the year before they joined the cow testing association is not known, but it is safe to assume that it did not exceed 175 pounds of butterfat per cow. The average production of each cow in these six herds, which is the result of three years of cow testing association work was 810 pounds of butterfat per cow.

This means that the butterfat production was increased 153 pounds per cow as a result of three years of keeping records and testing, and because of improved methods of feeding and management and a closer study of the business by the farmers which has been brought about largely thru the cow testing association. At 68 cents a pound for butterfat, the average received by the association members during the last year, this increase was worth \$71.55 for each cow. There was an average of \$10.90 more received by the association members during the last year, which meant an increase of \$82.45 a year for their dairy products above what they received from the same number of cows before they became members of the cow testing association. Also, this does not take into account the increase in the value of the herd because of the higher average production of cows before they were offered for sale of the cows and their offspring.

—Holstein Friesian News Bulletin.

KESEWICK.

The farmers of North Gwillimbury are having a meeting at Smith's Hall, Keswick, on Monday, Feb. 26, at 8 o'clock, to discuss the proposed formation of a farmers' club. Mr. Steadley, district representative, with another good speaker, will be present and address the meeting. It is to be held today, Monday, at 2:30 p.m. There should be a grand rally of the farmers. Co-operation is what will tell these times?

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Feb. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 6000; market steady. Beves, \$7.50 to \$14.15; stockers and feeders, \$7.50 to \$14.15; cows and vealers, \$6.50 to \$11.00; calves, \$7.75 to \$14.25.
Hogs—Receipts, 24,000; market unsettled. Light, \$15.00 to \$17.50; mixed, \$15.00 to \$17.50; heavy, \$15.00 to \$17.50; rough, \$15.00 to \$17.50; pigs, \$12.75 to \$16.25; bulk of sales, \$12.00 to \$17.45.
Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3000; market steady. Native, \$10 to \$12.25. Lambs, \$12.50 to \$13.75.

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MAKE PLANS NOW FOR YOUR GARDEN

First of Series of Lectures on Vegetable Growing in Backyards.

PURCHASE SEEDS NOW

Johnston Advises Planning Garden at Once for Planting in May.

On Monday last at the Technical School the first of a series of lectures on vegetable growing was delivered by S. C. Johnston, B.S.A., vegetable specialist of the Ontario department of agriculture. These lectures are for the benefit of city and town dwellers who are desirous of producing vegetables for their own table, thus helping to conserve food for the allied armies.

Mr. Johnston stated that the intending gardener can plan now what varieties he would like to grow and can also make a plan of the bed which is to be planted. It is essential that the garden be planted according to some definite plan or rule, as haphazard planting will prove a failure. In laying out the garden remember:

1. Tall plants will be most effective if placed behind low ones, not intermingled with them.
2. The fences may be decorated with vine crops, which may be supported on the fences by means of strings or lattice work.
3. All quickly maturing vegetables should be planted in a portion of the garden by themselves so that they may be harvested and the ground used for other crops later on.

When to Plant.
Seeds should be sown now or as soon as the plan is completed, but it is important that no seeds be planted till the soil is sufficiently warm. The beds should be prepared at an early date, but the actual planting should be postponed until about the middle of May.

Suitable Varieties.
A list of varieties suitable for gardens made by city, town and village dwellers follows:
Asparagus—Palmetto, Conover's Colossal.
Beans—Davis White Wax, Golden Wax, Refugee.
Beets—Crosby's Egyptian, Detroit Dark Red.
Brussels Sprouts—Dalketh.
Carrots—Chantenay.

Put Farm Implements In Repair in Winter

When housing the farm implements for winter make a list of repairs needed to put them in shape for efficient service next year. Order these repairs at once and have them on hand when needed. Such precaution may easily save days of delay next spring. Materials are so short that manufacturers will not carry more parts than seem absolutely necessary. An order placed now means that you will not be disappointed next spring.

INCREASED YIELD BY TESTING MILK

Test Showed Farmer How to Improve His Herd Average.

"Mr. A. C. in 1915 sold some poor cows, again in 1916 he sold his five poorest; he has fed better, has put in a silo, and has a good herd. From being one of the poorest dairymen in the section he will now rank among the best." So writes a keen observer of dairy progress in Quebec.

From a yield of 3021 lbs. milk in 1915 the above dairyman increased the production of ten cows to 2246 lbs. milk and 225 lbs. fat in 1917.

How did he know which cows to keep, which cows to sell? The answer is very simple. He kept dairy records, weighing the milk of each cow night and morning every tenth day right thru the lactation period, so that there was no mistake about it. He also found that it pays to feed well and grade up.

Consider that milk yield a moment. From three thousand up to over six thousand pounds; doubled in three years. What a transformation! That's real encouragement; better returns for labor, more cash, more home comforts, more real use to humanity.

Yes, of course his experience can be duplicated. Just write to the dairy commissioner, Ottawa, for milk record forms—they are free—and get started weighing right away, as soon as the first cow freshens.

C. F. W.

THOSE WONDERFUL SEEDS.

It is in "Bombastes Furioso" that the immortal lines are written:
"Hope told a flattering tale,
Much longer than my arm."
Much longer than my arm, it is in the American seed catalog that the expectations of the suburban commuter are raised to the limit. Year after year the American seed catalog puts forward photographs of garden products designed to enthrall the amateur gardener, and year after year the amateur gardener hopes to produce something like them in his back lot, only to realize, later on, that it is impossible for one who gardens to compete with catalog designers and engravers. But the man who has seen his expectations dashed from season to season, is not going to give up dreaming this spring, with the latest catalog on his lap. He will go on believing indefinitely that he can produce, for instance, such a tomato as never grew outside an artist's studio.—Christian Science Monitor.

GENERAL INCREASE IN PRICE OF IMPLEMENTS

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Be Opened Today With a Brilliant Display of the Newest and Most
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New Spring Styles in Marquissette Curtains

Made of brightly mercerized mar-
quisette, each curtain being "cut by
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hanging, trimmed with fine quality
lace insertions and edgings, having a
row of silk hemstitching which adds
wonderfully to their good appearance.
Choice of white, ivory or ecru. Popu-
lar sill length, 2 1/2 yards. Especially
recommended for use in your dining-
room, living-room or bedroom. To-
day, per pair, \$2.95.

The February Furniture Sale Grows Bigger and Better Every Minute---You Can't Afford to Miss It---Ends After Four Days

Close inspection of the furniture in this sale will reveal solidly-constructed furniture of the handsome but common-sense type—pieces that bear only the best of selected woods and finishes. Each piece was selected for its quality and appearance, rather than for a low price without quality. If you have not yet shared the sales benefits, do so before closing time today. Values and assortments are as good now as the first minute of the first day. Note these:

Brass Bed Outfit
5 Pieces \$23.70 Regularly \$30.85
Complete

5-piece Brass Bed Outfit, comprising bed, spring and mattress, and pair pillows. Polette finish, 4 1/2 bed has heavy 2-inch posts, extra large caps, specially trimmed. Spring with all-metal frame and closely woven wire fabric, well supported underneath. Mattress of seagrass, centre of jute, felt at both sides and ends. Pair of all-leather pillows, encased in good grade of art ticking; 5 pieces complete. Regular price \$30.85. February sale price \$23.70.

Extension Tables, with 48-
inch tops, made of solid quar-
ter-cut oak in fumed finish; has
deep rims, double locks, heavy
round pedestal, colonial shaped
pillars and feet. Extends to 8
ft. Regular price \$36.00. Feb-
ruary sale, \$29.50.

William and Mary Buffet, of
solid quarter-cut oak, 50-inch
case; has long linen drawer and
three small drawers, one lined
for cutlery. Regular price \$43.50.
February sale price \$34.50.

Chiffonier of genuine quarter-
cut oak, in fumed or golden fin-
ish, with large beveled plate
mirror. Regular price \$22.75.
February sale, \$17.25.

Divanette of solid fumed oak,
back and seat imitation Span-
ish leather. Has link fabric
spring with helicals at each end
and heavy mattress deeply tuft-
ed. Complete. Regular price
\$41.00. February sale, \$32.95.

Extension Tables of solid
quarter-cut fumed oak, has 45-
inch top, platform base and oc-
tagon barrel. Regular price
\$22.75. February sale, \$16.55.

Colonial Dresser of genuine
quarter-cut oak, golden finish,
highly polished. Regular price
\$33.25. February sale, \$26.50.

Brass Bed Outfit
5 Pieces \$38.70 Regularly \$50.00
Complete

5-piece Brass Bed Outfit, comprising brass bed, spring, mattress and pair pillows. Bed has heavy 2-inch posts and top rail, five 1-inch fillers and extra heavy special trimming. Iron spring with woven wire fabric, rope edge interlaced. Mattress of jute felt, built not stuffed, deeply tufted and deep borders. Pillows, 6 lbs., of choice chicken feathers; size 19 x 26; 5 pieces complete. Regular price \$50.00. February sale, \$38.70.

Time Grows Short Only Three More Days of the Five-Day Fixture Sale



Important!
Every Fixture and Wall Bracket in our immense and magnificent stock now at a reduced price, and you may buy any piece through the Home-Lovers' Club.

This sale will save you both time and money—everything is conveniently arranged and each piece shows you the regular and reduced price, so that you can see just how much you can save. The immense variety of styles (more than 500) covers only the better types. The reduced prices apply to every fixture and wall bracket in stock. Here are special values:

No. 1—Three-light Flemish Fixture, simple and effective; for bedroom and den, at \$6.66.	No. 5—Flemish, beautifully finished with bowl, \$8.40.
No. 2—Rich gold Flemish, with shades in dainty colors, \$6.93.	No. 6—Silver finish, with shades; artistic, beautiful and well finished, \$63.15.
No. 3—Flemish or gold, with shades in amber and brown, \$18.95.	No. 7—Flemish finish, 4-light with shades. Complete, at \$13.68.
No. 4—Flemish type with moulded shades. Complete, for \$4.32.	No. 8—Flemish large size, with shades. Complete, for \$14.36.

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500 yards of heavy quality
Tapestry in reversible shades
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for any style of furniture,
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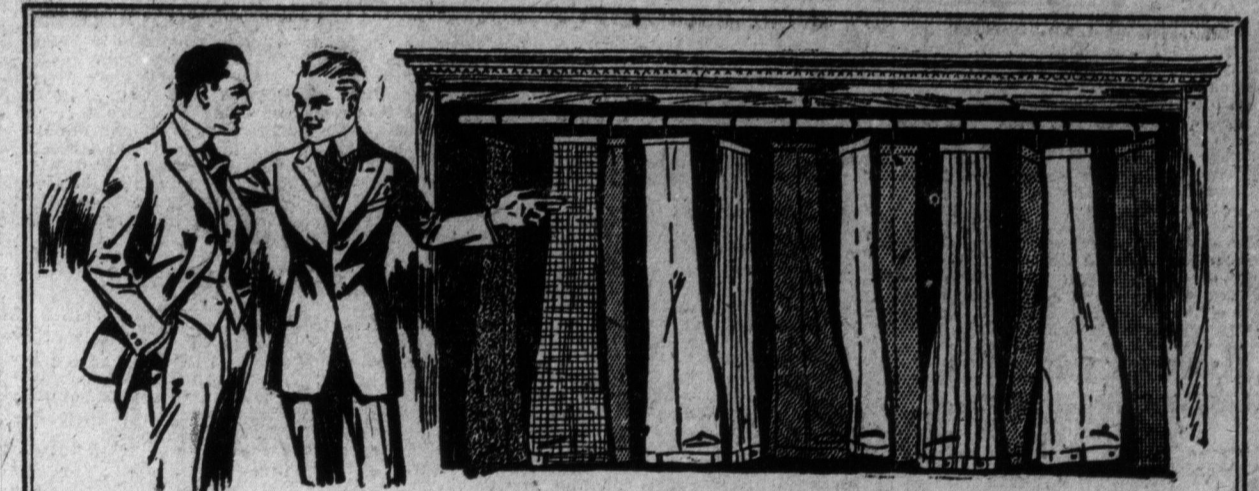
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Those Good Boots for Men at \$5.45 Are Still on Sale

They are dressy boots in dongola kid, gunmetal, patent colt and mahogany calf leathers, in straight lace and Blucher styles. Sizes 5 to 11. There is quite an assortment of shapes, both the full and round toe lasts and those with narrow recede toe. They are well built boots of excellent quality, and very good value. The pair \$5.45.



Proving Our Claim to the Title of TROUSER HEADQUARTERS

Seven Lots of Men's Pants of Superb Style and Quality,
Ready Today in the Men's Store at Seven Attractive Prices

Grey and Blue Striped Tweed Trousers, with belt loops, side straps and buckle. At \$2.50.	Men's Grey and Black Stripe Worsted Trousers, made with four pockets and belt loops. At \$3.00.	Men's Grey and Black Broken Stripe Pattern Worsted Trousers, with five pockets and belt loops. At \$4.50.	Men's Grey with Black Hairline Stripe Worsted Trousers, with five pockets and belt loops. At \$5.00.	Men's Blue Worsted Trousers, with five pockets and belt loops. At \$6.00.
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14,000 Perfect Pieces of Rogers' Table Silver at Attractive Prices

Opportunity such as is manifested in this sale is certainly rare, indeed. Rogers' first quality silver pieces, of which this sale is composed entirely, are conceded the standard of value at all times. But today, through a special purchase, we offer you 14,000 pieces in two of this celebrated maker's best selling patterns, "Graylock" and "Leyland," at prices so amazingly attractive that you will want to buy for seasons to come.

Tea Spoons. Value \$2.50 per dozen. Today, per set of 6, for \$3c.	Butter Knives. Value 55c each. Today, 35c.	handles. Value \$12.00 per doz. Today, set of 6, for \$4.49.	ing knife, fork and spoon. Value \$1.50. Today, 95c.
Dessert Spoons. Value \$4.50 per dozen. Today, set of 6, for \$1.50.	Cold Meat Serving Forks. Value \$1.00 each. Today, 59c.	Bouillon Spoons. Value \$6.00 per dozen. Today, set of 6 for \$2.15.	Food Pushers. Value 50c each. Today, 28c.
Dessert Forks. Value \$4.50 per dozen. Today, set of 6, for \$1.50.	Medium Forks. Value \$5.00 per dozen. Today, set of 6, for \$1.65.	Bread and Butter Spreaders. Value \$6.00 per dozen. Today, set of 6, for \$1.98.	Sugar Shells. Value 55c each. Today, 35c.
Table Spoons. Value \$5.00 per dozen. Today, set of 6, for \$1.65.	Dinner Knives, with solid handles. Value \$5.50 per doz. Today, set of 6, for \$1.75.	Fruit or Berry Spoons. Value \$1.50 each. Today, 95c.	Coffee Spoons. Value \$2.50 per dozen. Today, set of 6, for \$8c.
	Dinner Knives, with hollow handles. Value \$5.50 per doz. Today, set of 6, for \$1.75.	Child's 3-piece Sets, includ-	Individual Salad Forks. Value \$6.75 per dozen. Today, set of 6, for \$2.20.