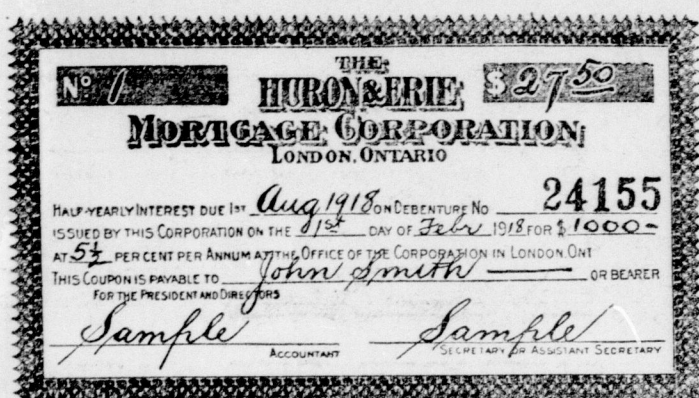


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"KEEP ON BOILING," ADVICE ON WATER OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT

M. O. H. Extends Time Until
March 5.

Over the signature of Capt. H. W. Hill, M. O. H. of London, the following statement, under the heading of "water boiling until March 5," is made: "Coming to the thaw and heavy rain of February 25 and the boiling of water should be extended to March 5. The results of our analyses run as follows: February 24—Nine bacteria per c.c.; no color. February 25—Two bacteria per c.c.; no color. February 26—Two hundred and fifty bacteria per c.c.; color present in 10 c.c. This sample of February 26 unquestionably represents the water which entered the reservoirs on February 25, for all these samples were taken from a tap in the city and the water is approximately a day in reaching the tap from the ponds."

BLAME WATERWORKS

Gas Company Employees Say Leak Was Caused by City Repair Gang. Employees of the City Gas Company called to repair a leak in the gas main in Dillabough street on Thursday declared that the trouble was caused by the employees of the waterworks department when they were digging up a frozen water pipe on this street. A pick pointed the gas pipe, causing the leak, it is claimed. Escaping gas found its way into the residence of John Barnard, 877 Trafalgar street. When Mrs. Barnard went down cellar to get something for the breakfast, she detected a strong odor of gas. She opened the windows and notified the Gas Company. Mrs. Barnard and family were indisposed from the effects of the gas.

WEATHER EXTREMES OF MONTH FAR GREATER

Lowest Temperature 21 Below and Highest 50 Above. Weather statistics for February show that the coldest day of the month was during the past month, when a reading of 21 below was recorded. The month's rainfall was 2.1 inches, while 14.2 inches of snow fell. The highest temperature was 50, on the 26th, and the lowest 21 below zero, on February 5. In February, 1917, the snowfall was 25.5 inches, and the rainfall, 0.65. The highest temperature was 45, on Friday 26, and the lowest 15 below, on February 12.

YOUR BILIOUSNESS

and constipation, headache, drowsiness, coated tongue, and a breath, bad taste in the mouth, quickly disappear if you take Hood's Pills. Many say these pills act better on the liver and bowels than anything else. Do not gripe; 25c, of druggists or by mail of C. I. Hood Company, Lowell, Mass.

Contentment

To watch the corn grow or the blossoms set, to draw hard breath over plowshare or spade; to read, to think, to love to pray; these are the things that make men happy. If you are tired in body and in soul and your nerves are all on edge, and you cannot rest or sleep, if you are worried and despondent, and you cannot be contented, Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy will soothe your disordered brain, strengthen your heart, rejuvenate your failing memory, and at the same time build up and fortify your body against disease and sickness. Contentment, and health go hand in hand with the use of Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy. Price 50c a bottle, 4 for \$2.50. From your dealer or by mail post, age paid, C. B. Hacking, Phm. B., Astoria, Ore.

Reliance Garage

Service Station

PERMANENT FEATURE OF CHILD WELFARE WORK STARTS SOON

Organization Will Launch It
Immediately.

Keenest interest prevails among those who have already enrolled as members, and outsiders as well, in the permanent Child Welfare Association, which takes place this afternoon at a meeting to be held at 4:30 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. building. In addition to the president, three vice-presidents, recording and corresponding secretaries, treasurer, and four added members of the executive, there will be several sub-committees to take charge of the various phases of the work, as follows: Prenatal care, obstetrical, infant, milk depot, pre-school, mothers' pensions, publicity, creche, and co-operation with other societies.

It is intended to launch the permanent work as soon as arrangements can be made and thus take advantage of the general interest aroused by the child welfare exhibit. A little business still remains to be wound up in connection with the exhibit.

While a number of the mothers have already received the score cards for their little ones, delay has occurred in getting all out, owing to the fact that it has been necessary to order a further supply of blanks from Toronto.

The mothers purpose taking good care of these cards. When the permanent clinics are established, they will be able to accurately measure the progress made by their little ones through comparing the first score card with subsequent records.

COMPANY INVITES FULL INSPECTION OF ITS OPERATION

Books Open to Any Investigation,
Says President.

The London Street Railway Company is ready to open its books to any investigation which the public authorities may want to make. This is the statement of Charles Currie, president of the company.

"We are preparing estimates based on our books," he said, "and these estimates are for the convenience of the council. The books are wide open for the verification of our figures or for the presentation of new estimates on behalf of the city. We are dealing with facts and nothing else. It is the hard, cold fact of increased cost which makes the increase of fares necessary."

Mr. Currie also discussed the problem of bus and cars on some of the lines. He said that bunting was partly due to the number of level railway crossings and partly due to the schedules of various lines, giving even racing on each individual line, but uneven spacing when two or more lines use the same stretch of track. If bunching of cars downtown is avoided it might result in unsatisfactory service to the outskirts of the city. It is impossible to have even spacing when some lines are on a seven-minute headway, some on eight minutes, and others on twelve and fifteen minutes.

MILITARY NOTES

The following military changes are issued in district orders today: C. E. F. Reserve of Officers. Major Bertram Ball, Depot Regiment, M. C. R. Major Everiste Nomore Richards, 98th Battalion. Lieut. Duncan Alexander Campbell Killen, W. O. R., 1st Depot Battalion. Majors Harry Brooks Madden and Andrew Macleod, 31st Depot Battalion. Donald William Fleming and William Morley Campbell have been transferred to the active list.

Artillery. 12th Brigade, 30th Battery—Lieut. A. S. Macfarlane is seconded for service with the imperial army. 12th Brigade, 31st Battery—Provisional Lieut. W. H. Robertson is permitted to retire.

Army Medical Services. To Be Nursing Sister (Superintendence)—Casandra Ethel Renwick. To Be Provisional Lieutenant—Clarance Alexander Savary, gentleman. Infantry. 25th Regiment—Lieut. J. F. Meek is seconded for service with the Royal Flying Corps.

AWFUL ATTACKS OF HEART TROUBLE

Eased by Second Dose of
MILBURN'S HEART AND
NERVE PILLS

One of the first danger signals announcing something wrong with the heart is the irregular beat or violent throb. Often there is only a fluttering sensation, or an "all-kone" sinking feeling, or again you may experience a smothering sensation, gasp for breath and feel as though about to die.

In such cases the action of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills in quieting the heart, restoring its normal beat and imparting tone to the nerve centres, is beyond question, marvelous.

Mrs. Frank Asenau, Newcastle, N. B., writes: "I had awful attacks of heart trouble for the past five or six years, and as I had tried many kinds of medicine without getting any better, I decided to give Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills a trial, and to my surprise I found ease from the second dose. I continued taking them until I had used six boxes, and now I feel as well as can be."

"At present my sister is taking them for nervousness, and finds great comfort by their use."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are sold by all dealers, mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

PUT CREAM IN NOSE AND STOP CATARRH

Tells How To Open Clogged
Nostrils and End Head-Colds.

You feel fine in a few moments. Your cold in head or catarrh will be gone. Your clogged nostrils will open. The air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more dullness, headache, no yawning, sniffling, mucous discharges or dryness; no struggling for breath at night.

Tell your druggist you want a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, and relief comes instantly. It is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer needs. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable.—Adv't.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM

CORTSE ORCHESTRA—SATURDAY AFTERNOON—TEA
ROOM AND BALCONY.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM

It Is Spring! March the First, 1918!

We have turned the corner and left behind a long and severe winter, the memories of which will not soon be forgotten. We may have a rough day now and then, but March was never quite so welcome as it is today. We face the calendar this morning with a smile, and now for the new spring fashions.

New Styles That Have Permanency! And the Most Refined Elegance!

A happy combination. The styles of this store are not selected for their striking unusualness, but are considered from the point of view of the wearer, who requires fashionable garments of superior elegance in design and tailoring. Individuality without "freakishness" is a marked characteristic. This is, indeed, a garment store for every woman who expects the newest styles and the most excellent qualities.

Novelty Skirts will be a strong feature. Special display of new models Saturday.

Novelty Silk Skirts in Stripes, Plaids and Checks Showing Tunic and Draperies

Satin Skirt, novelty stripe, black with grey and gold stripe, back showing bustle drapery, front finished with two smart pockets, crushed girde finishing waistline. Price...\$20.00

Satin Skirt in novelty plaid, in blue and green, long drape in front, pointed drape at back, gathered at waistline. Price...\$22.50

Ladies' Skirt of taffeta silk in navy and green plaid, pockets finished with ruching, short drape at back, self girde. Price...\$15.00

Taffeta Silk Skirt in stripe, shirred at waistband, shirred pockets, in green, navy and brown stripe. Price...\$7.75

BUY COTTONS NOW.

Factory Sheet, two yards wide, to make up into good sheets, easy to bleach. Special...48c yard
Madapollam, 500 yards, 42 inches wide. Special 25c yard
Ready-Made Sheets, size 70x90 inches, good strong bleached sheeting. Special...\$1.95 pair
Striped Flannelette, 35 inches wide, 20 patterns in blue, tan and pink, good-wearing cloth. Price...25c yard



COMING MONDAY, MARCH 4, FOR ONE WEEK ONLY.

Mrs. Margaret Josephine Blair, lecturer on home economics, etc., who delighted the ladies of London a year ago. Ladies, keep your afternoons free for these lectures next week. Further announcement tomorrow.

AT THE NOTION COUNTER.

Wooden Knitting Needles for socks, four in set...10c set
Celluloid Knitting Needles for socks, 9 inches long, size 10...25c set
Aluminum Knitting Needles for scarfs or sweaters...50c set
Sock Dryers to prevent shrinking, sizes 10 and 11...40c pair
Real Human Hair Net, cap shape, easily adjusted...15c, 2 for 25c
Invisible Hairpins, brown or black...5c box
Hooks and Eyes on tape, white or black...15c yard
The Atlas Safety Pin, guarded coil, one dozen, assorted sizes...7c
Gilt Safety Pins, small sizes...8c dozen
Plated Wire Coat or Suit Hangers...5c each
Gilt, Shell or Amber Bow Clasp or Ribbon Holder, no tying necessary 10c each

TOILET PAPER SATURDAY, 3 ROLLS FOR 25c.

1,000 Rolls Good Quality Crepe Toilet Tissue. While it lasts on Saturday morning...3 rolls for 25c

"DIAMOND" TISSUE, 25c ROLL.

This is claimed to be the best and most sanitary paper made, large 18-ounce rolls...25c each

AT TOILET COUNTER, MAIN FLOOR.

SPECIAL SATURDAY ONLY.

About 100 boxes of Good Quality Boxed Notepaper and Envelopes, in extra quality linen, some in mauve, buff, blue and pink. Saturday, while they last...25c box

AT STATIONERY COUNTER.

Basement Bargains For Early Buyers Saturday

We have about 100 pieces of Enamelware left over from our last sale, to be cleared at half sale prices Saturday.

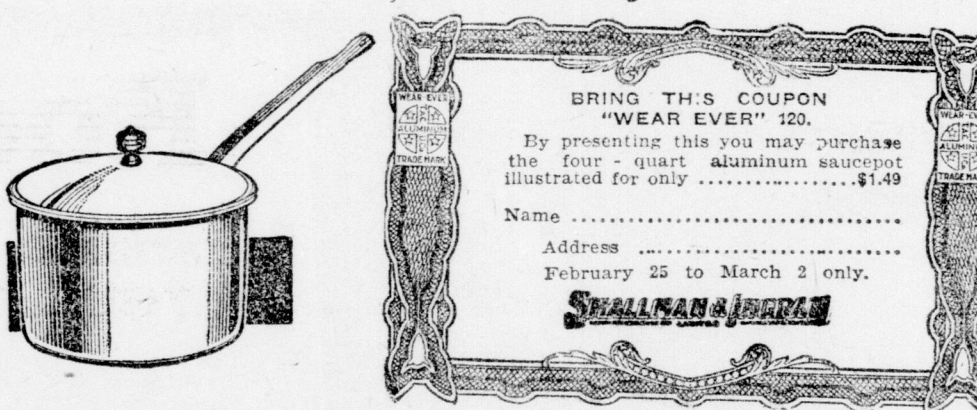
34 only Blue Enamel Preserving Kettles. Half price...39c
6 only Blue Enamel Preserving Kettles. Half price...74c
6 only Blue Enamel Tea Kettles at...59c
6 only Blue Enamel Preserving Kettles at...59c
25 only Wash Basins at...7c each
14 only Pudding Pans, half price...9c each
Also Lids, Teapots, etc., at Half Price.



Sale of China and Cut Glass

3 dozen Casserole Pie Plates, with nickel stands, at...\$1.49
3 dozen Ivory Jardiniere, special at...35c
3 dozen Star-Cut Glass Sherbets, special at...35c
5 dozen Daisy-Cut Glasses, special at...25c
50 only China and Porcelain Teapots at...15c, 25c, 35c to \$1.75

Last Aluminum Sale Coupon—None Redeemed After Saturday



MAIL ORDERS.—If ordered by mail, inclose above coupon and add 14c for mailing. Any excess postage will be returned. Saturday last day of Cooking Demonstration.

Sale of Travelers' Sample Suits and Reefers for Boys Saturday Are You Waiting For These?

The sizes are for boys from 3 to 16 years, and the suits and reefers are all 1918 spring models from one of the best Canadian makers. This is an opportunity of only once a season, and is of more significance this season (under present conditions) than ever before. As these samples are all grouped at one price—suits 3 to 6 years, \$3.95; 10 to 16 years, \$9.75, and the reefers all \$4.65—there will be some advantage in coming early for the choice of the better grades, as many will be about half regular value. These models have been carried in the travelers' trunks for a few weeks while taking the present season's orders and are, therefore, the very newest styles. Many inquiries have been made as to when the sample suits would be in, so we anticipate a quick sale. Come early Saturday and see the complete range.



MEN'S WINTER UNDERWEAR, 75c GARMENT.

Shirts and Drawers for men, broken lines at a very big reduction in price, only a few dozen garments of winter weight, woolen goods, elastic ribbed, unshrinkable, an extra good line for the outdoor man. It will pay to buy these for next season. The sizes range from 34 to 42. With this lot we will include some shirts and drawers of extra good quality merino for early spring wear. All one price Saturday for a clean-up...75c garment

WORK SHIRTS FOR MEN, 95c EACH.

Men's Work Shirts of extra good quality cotton drill, in black and white stripe pattern, at very special price Saturday. Mechanics, farmers and workmen will find a bargain here; large, roomy shirts, collar attached. This quality of goods has greatly advanced in price, but Saturday we have about seven dozen to sell at less than the old price. All sizes from 14 1/2 to 17 1/2. Price 95c each

COMING NEXT WEEK.
Mrs. Margaret Josephine Blair.
Keep your afternoons free.
Free lectures daily.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM
LIMITED

MANICURING AND HAIRDRESSING.
Shampoo, electric face massage, electric scalp treatments, etc. Six treatments for \$2.50.



Fashion's Decrees for Spring Have Arrived at Brick & Dundas'

Some of the most artistic and bewitching suits, coats, dresses and fancy skirts that have been shown here in many months.

Ladies' & Misses' Spring Coats

Our first arrival of Ladies' and Misses' New Spring Coats are here. No previous season ever offered such a delightful variety of smart styles. This splendid stock is so large and varied that becoming modes can be found for every style of figure. They come in a wide selection of the season's newest materials, such as Hopsack, Velour, Serges, Whipcord, Broadcloth, Gabardine, Chinchilla, Silvertone, Tweeds, Cheviots, Basket Cloth, checked Tweeds, Silk Moire, Taffeta Silk, Panne Velvets and Satins.

The New Spring Skirts

Crepe de Chine, Plaid Silk and Striped Silk are greatly in vogue. Satin Skirts with fancy pockets or silver cloth, Jersey silk poplin, charmeuse, serges or taffeta silk skirts are also worn extensively. All the newest shades in light and dark colors. We invite our patrons to see them.

NEW SPRING DRESSES

We have just received a remarkably handsome group of Ladies' and Misses' Dresses. Charming creations of the newest and daintiest styles, each dress sparkling with originality and artistic beauty. Smart dresses for present wear, and featured at such popular prices that will appeal to all women. They are made of Serge, Georgette, Crepe, Satin, Messaline, Taffeta, Poplins, in all the newest colorings for spring and summer wear. Many are exclusive in designs, therefore giving a large selection to choose from. All the newest trimmings.

SUITS

Suits of individuality and moderately priced are now on display. Our spring suits, made of fine Poirer Twill, Tricotine, Gabardine, Silvertone, Serges. Developed in the season's most authentic fashions.

London **BRICK & DUNDAS** St. Thomas

SPRINGWOOD CLUB TO HOLD SATURDAY SHOOT

Arrangements have been made for a shoot at the Springwood Gun Club on Saturday afternoon between the members of the Port Stanley Gun Club and the Springwood Gun Club. It is expected that there will be ten members from each club, and the idea is to have an event for a team shoot, as well as separate events.

MILITARY EUCHRE

Mobilization Centre Staff Hosts at Enjoyable Social.

A military euchre party and dance was given in Duffield Block Thursday evening by the members of the local mobilization staff. The following were the prize-winners, representing "Canada" in No. 3 section: Miss Fitterly, Miss MacQueen, E. H. Gairbairn and P. Kirkland.

After the dance, refreshments were served by the members of the Overseas Chapter, I. O. D. E.

A substantial sum was raised for the Soldiers' Comfort Fund.

PAL'S TESTIMONY FAILS TO SHIELD RAILWAY CAR THIEF

Contradicts Former Evidence, But Sentence Imposed.

George Lee, tried and convicted before Judge Talbot Macbeth today, on a charge of stealing from a bonded C. P. R. freight car on the night of January 25, was sentenced to an indeterminate term in the Ontario Reformatory of not less than three months and not more than two years.

The sentence imposed was the same as that handed out by Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon in the case of William "Bunny" Austin, who was tried and convicted on the same charge, the evidence showing that the pair were together the night the theft was committed. Lee's sentence will commence from February 15, the date on which Austin was found guilty.

Arthur Borland, a special C. P. R. constable, testified that on the night of January 25 he discovered two men near a bonded car. He approached and found one man, the pair were together the night the theft was committed. Lee's sentence will commence from February 15, the date on which Austin was found guilty.

Both were arrested and started towards the Quebec street C. P. R. station.

NO CASES HERE

Toronto has had numerous cases of gas poisoning this winter, a number of deaths resulting. Medical men here state that there have been practically no cases under their care, and certainly no deaths.

The City Gas Company has had no reports of trouble, and has as a result a clean bill of health. The company's pressure has been uniform, and in consequence no trouble has been reported.

MEETING ON MARCH 9

Nationalization of Railways Will Be Discussed Here Then.

Gordon Philip, commissioner of industries, has arranged for a public meeting in the Masonic Hall on March 9, to discuss the nationalization of the C. N. R., G. T. R. and the G. T. P. Mayor Somerville will preside.

Sir Adam Beck will speak, and it is expected that J. W. Lyon and T. J. Hanigan, Guelph, will also be present to take part in the session.

CITY BREVITIES

RETURNS TO DUTY.—John Wilson of the McCormick Manufacturing Company has returned to work after being confined to his home through illness.

R. M. C. EXAMINATIONS.—Examinations for entrance to the Royal Military College at Kingston will commence on June 4, 1918, at places to be announced later, according to militia district orders.

FALL BUSINESS SHAPING WELL.—London reports Bradstreet's that wholesalers are completing shipments of spring goods, although they have been retarded by delayed deliveries from manufacturers. Late orders will be filled with difficulty. Fall business is shaping up fairly well. Country trade is held back by the conditions of roads, caused by recent thaws.

MUST ARRANGE SERVICES.—Until a new Protestant chaplain is appointed for the troops here, officers commanding will arrange all details for church service, and will be responsible that they are properly conducted. Capt. J. M. MacMillan, until recently camp chaplain here, proceeded eastward about a week ago, preparatory to going overseas.

\$16,000 FIRE LOSSES.—The fire station for the month of February shows that there were 25 alarms turned in, 21 of these proving to be fires, in addition to one chimney blaze. Four fire alarms were sent in. The largest fire of the month was at the Knowles Printing and Lithographing plant, where damage to the extent of \$12,000 was done. Other fires would bring the February fire loss up to \$16,000, a little higher than in February, 1917.

SURPRISE PARTY.—A surprise party was held at the home of Thomas Batty, 1000 York street, on Tuesday night. The guests included the members of the church and school, and a number of friends who have just recovered after being confined to his house through illness, was given by the members of the church and school. A pleasant evening was spent. Several musical selections, and speeches were given by the members. Refreshments were served by the ladies.

NEGATIVE WON.—A debate held in the Hamilton Road Presbyterian Church on Tuesday night, between the Entente Allies, such as dropping Bombs on the Defenceless German Towns are justified in the present war. The negative, which was taken by C. O. Wideman and Mrs. E. Bourne of the Hamilton Road Presbyterian Church, was given. The affirmative was upheld by John Jackson and Miss Edith Maltby of the Hamilton Road Presbyterian Church. The debate was one of a series held under the auspices of the Presbyterian Young People's Union.

RETURNED OFFICER DEPUTY INSPECTOR OF DOMINION FORCE

Lieut. C. H. Atkinson Takes Charge of District Police.

PROMISES MORE RAIDS

Says Every Eligible of First Class Will Be Brought Into Army.

Lieut. C. H. Atkinson, a veteran of the 1st Battalion and later O. C. of the district cyclist platoon, has been appointed to take charge of the Dominion Force in this district. Capt. Thos. Flanagan, delegated to supervise the work in this district, has been named as his deputy. Lieut. Atkinson is in charge of the London District No. 1. The Dominion police will open an office in the London district and will have a number of local officers to work with in the militia. Lieut. Atkinson was in Toronto Thursday in connection with his duties and watched some of the rounding-up of draft-evaders there. It proved a rude shock to the young men who believed they were safe, and the new deputy inspector predicts that some young Londoners will be treated to a similar experience. It is the intention to get every man liable for service in the first draft into the army as soon as possible, and strenuous efforts are to be put forth to find them. The recent Winter Garden raid was a surprise. There are more coming.

ST. JOHN'S NURSES SAY FAREWELLS TO DEPARTING MEMBERS

Unique Dual Purpose in Annual Meeting.

Final goodbyes were said to the nurses of No. 4 Nursing Division, St. John Ambulance Association, who are going overseas, Thursday evening when a large number of friends and relatives gathered in the division rooms, 449 Talbot street. Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gart, St. John Ambulance, who is in command of the division, presided. He spoke of the excellent work being done by the nurses of No. 4 Division overseas and expressed the hope that the four sisters about to join them would have good luck in their new endeavors. Ex-Mayor H. A. Stevenson also spoke briefly on the work of the division, stating that the city and the province were indebted to this branch of the St. John Ambulance work, for in addition to being a school of instruction it maintained an actual working ambulance station which cared for the city's patients.

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A meeting of the board of agriculture of West Middlesex will be held in the town hall at Wardville on Thursday, March 7th. W. C. Shearer will address the meeting.

LICENSE SYSTEM FOR RETAILERS OF PRODUCE EXPECTED

New Order Brings No Surprise Locally.

SEE GOOD IN NEW MOVE

Butchers and Grocers Believe It Will Stop Hoarding and Regulate Volume.

"I am not at all surprised, we have been expecting this for some time," was the statement made to The Advertiser today by Robert H. Harley, secretary of the London Retail Grocers' Association, in regard to the announcement today from the Canada Food Board that after May 15, only merchants and dealers obtaining a license can engage in retail sale of foodstuffs for example, said Mr. Harley, "we heard that the Government had taken up the idea of licensing. We took it for granted that the list had been compiled with a view to imposing a tax of some kind, or taking some step to keep a tab on prices. The licensing system will effectively do away with hoarding goods, both on the part of dealers and consumers. It will also make impossible excessive charges."

So far as the licensing of butchers is concerned, A. E. Dawes of Fauds & Dawes takes the view that the Canada Food Board not only proposes regulating prices, but also controlling the volume of business. "For example," said Mr. Dawes, "since we will be obliged to report on our turnover, it is possible that a butcher has been selling ten cattle a week, the food board will step in with instructions to him to only sell five cattle. He will either be obliged to curtail his trade, or sell less to customers. This has been done in England for a considerable length of time, and I have been expecting it would come sooner or later here. Over in England, it has been done to one head of cattle a week per butcher."

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MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT NEEDED, SAYS CONTROL BOARD

Mass of Legislature Bills Provokes Suggestion.

MORE SCALES REQUIRED

Economy Regulation Prevents Installation This Year, However.

The board of control had a long session today, but the business transacted was largely routine in character. City Engineer H. A. Brazier suggested more weighing accommodation for the city. He pointed out that there were only two city scales, one on the market and one in the east end, and these were altogether inadequate to serve the citizens. He suggested that a set of scales be placed at the incinerator, and, if thought advisable one at No. 4 fire hall, and another at No. 5 hall. If the council would not undertake this expense, he stated that he would see what terms could be made with the railways for the use of their scales.

WILL APPROACH RAILWAYS

The board did not favor much capital expenditure this year, and the controllers will ask Mr. Brazier to see what terms he can make with the railway companies.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT NEEDED

"The Government should establish a department of municipal affairs, where all such bills can be referred," said Controller John M. Moore. "It is impossible for the municipalities to know what is going on, but if there were a department, proper legislation would be evolved. This is not fair to the public nor to the councils."

THINKING WILL BE MADE

This suggestion will be made. Mr. Baker will make a list of the bills, and refer them to the various council committees which might be interested in them.

THE ADVERTISER JOB PRINTING COMPANY

The Advertiser Job Printing Company was not at the convention. The bookbinding was divided between A. A. Langford and C. H. Beck. The firm's insurance was awarded to Beddome & Brown, who have been carrying the risks for some years, at \$12 per \$100,000. The policies are for \$2,000 each.

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DEATHS AND FUNERALS

OLD LONDON CONTRACTOR

The death of John Bryan occurred Thursday at the family residence, 237 Hill street. Mr. Bryan was one of the oldest contractors in this city. He was a member of the Independent Order of Foresters and also a member of the Chosen Friends. He is survived by his widow and two daughters, Mrs. J. J. Allen of Minneapolis, Minn., and Mrs. T. G. Beatty of Toronto.

The funeral will be held from the family residence on Sunday afternoon, services will be conducted at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. W. J. Ashton of Wellington Street Methodist Church. Interment will be made at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

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MEETS AT WARDVILLE

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First-Aid Special Announcement

R. J. Orr, D. C. O., formerly in charge of the Orthopedic Department of Blackford's, Toronto, but now of the Arrow-smith "First Aid" Foot-Relief Service, will be at our store four days beginning Monday, March 4, 1918, demonstrating the well-known Arrow-smith "First Aid" Foot Specialties, for the relief and cure of all foot ailments.

Mr. Orr is a specialist of broad experience and can diagnose and prescribe for any foot ailment.

Come and have him examine your feet; it costs you nothing.

REMEMBER THE DATES

March 4, 5, 6 and 7

See Window Display

EXAMINATION AND ADVICE FREE

Orthodonts

Only Three Cars Arrive Today, But Conditions Far Better.

Only three cars of coal have come into the city during the past 24 hours. The situation, however, is not nearly as acute as at this time a week ago. Large shipments, which have been fairly well divided, combined with the mild weather, have brought a great deal of relief. The majority of the independent dealers have received shipments of late and this has hastened delivery. The three cars reported this morning were all for independents.

Wood continues to be in good demand, however. Many housewives have continued burning it, though they could have secured small supplies of coal.

STEADILY IMPROVING. R. J. Young, who underwent a serious operation in the hospital yesterday, was reported early today as steadily improving.

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Let Us Have Facts and Fairness.

IN 1895

In 1895 there were only 23 miles of street railway track in London. Today there are 36 miles.

In 1895 the cars in use cost \$1,500.00. Today they will cost over \$6,000.00.

In 1895 the fares as established then were fair and reasonable. Today the 1895 fares are too low.

In 1895 motormen and conductors received 12½ and 15 cents an hour. Today they get 23 to 28 cents an hour.

In 1895 eggs cost 8 cents a dozen. Today they are 65 cents, yet the same kind of hens lay them.

If eggs have gone up, with little or no change in the method of obtaining eggs, is it not fair that the street railway should be allowed to increase fares when its cost of producing transportation has skyrocketed?

What would YOU do if you owned the Street Railway?

LONDON STREET RAILWAY COMPANY,
C. B. KING, Manager.

March 1, 1918.

Food Conservation

Means the Tapping of Every Available Tree This Year
DO YOUR PART. Doubtless You Will Need Sap Buckets, Spiles, etc.

SAP BUCKETS	SPILES	AUGER BITS
Per hundred\$21.00	Eureka\$1.50 hundred	Any size; any price.
AXES\$1.25 and up	Warren (Solid Piece)\$5.00 hundred	BRACES\$1.00 and up
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BUY YOUR PAINT NOW

PRICES WILL BE A LOT HIGHER VERY SHORTLY.

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For inside or outside use; covers most space; lasts longest; looks best; costs no more than the cheapest brands . . .
... 35c, 60c, \$1.10, \$2.10 and \$4.00 tin
White and special colors a little higher in price.



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Made to walk on, dries hard overnight with a good gloss 60c, \$1.10, \$2.10 tin

"JAPALAC"

Is unexcelled for all interior work, floors, stairs, furniture, etc.
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Flat Tones, a sanitary washable paint for walls and ceilings
... 35c, 60c, \$1.10, \$2.10 and \$4.00 tin



STEPLADDERS

Any length, light and strong
.....\$1.00 and up



**HAVE NO CONFIDENCE
IN CAPTAIN BAILEY**

Officers Who Served With Scandal-Monger, Call Him Erratic.

Local A. M. C. officers, with whom Capt. George T. Bailey was associated in Army Medical Corps Training Depot, No. 1, here, before he went overseas, place little credence on his recent statements in Toronto regarding the Canadians at the front being drunk last Christmas.

"I would put no confidence in what he says," one A. M. C. man told The Advertiser. "He left here about eight months ago, after training here some time, and only got as far as England. He never got to France. He was erratic while here and was known as somewhat of a religious fanatic. What he said in Toronto was probably told to him in England by someone of his own ilk."

Other A. M. C. officers here expressed similar opinions to The Advertiser, and stated that they would put abso-

**NO DEFAULTERS FOUND
BY MILITARY POLICE**

All But One Ordered To Report Had Papers.

Twenty-five men appeared before the military police at the armories Thursday night, and all except one produced their papers, which they did not have with them when caught in the raid made at the Winter Garden last Saturday night by the civil and military police.

The man who did not have his papers was a Syrian by birth, and had no reason for not having them. He is employed as a cigarmaker, and at the present time is making a large salary. He was allowed to go by the military police, as he was not a defaulter. The majority of the men who appeared Thursday night came from St. Thomas, others being from small towns and cities in Western Ontario.

**LATE PHILLIP MATTHEWS
RESIDED HERE 40 YEARS**

Phillip Matthews, aged 72, a resident of London for over 40 years, died on Tuesday at Gleichen, Alta. He was employed by the Canadian Express Company here for seventeen years, and was a member of the Talbot Street Baptist Church. The remains are being brought home for burial, and the funeral will be held on Monday at Woodland Cemetery from the residence of his brother, James Matthews, 7 St. George street. His wife died six years ago. Two sons and two daughters survive. Rev. W. D. Matthews of the Broadway Baptist Church, Winnipeg; George R. Matthews, formerly of London, now of Gleichen, Alta.; Miss Elizabeth, superintendent of the hospital at Winnipeg; and Miss Ida, Mrs. Mary Douglas of St. Paul, are sisters, and David and James of this city. Benjamin of Altona, Craig, and John of Detroit, are brothers. The late Mr. Matthews was a native of Denfield.

**BUY COAL EARLY, IS
ADVICE OF DEPUTY
FUEL CONTROLLER**

Give Order to Regular Dealer and Follow It Up.

NO REASON FOR ALARM

Speaking to Clay Workers, However, Dominion Official Urges Speedy Ordering.

At the afternoon meeting of the Western Ontario Clay Workers, Deputy Dominion Fuel Controller Peter Peterson, discussed the coal fuel situation. He stated that this year conditions were abnormal on account of the speeding-up of manufacturing industries and the extremely cold weather.

"More bituminous coal has been received by Canada this year than last year or the year preceding," he said, "and this fact distinctly shows that there is coal to be had. When a thing is obtainable, and someone does not get it, the reason is that he does not go the right way about it. Manufacturing has increased to such an extent that the supply of coal for power purposes is not sufficient, and thus there is a deficiency."

"I would advise you to place your order for next year's supply early with your usual dealer, and follow it up and see that he orders enough coal to take care of you."

The fuel controller cannot help the manufacturer much, he said, but if the coal dealer places his order with the mine, and does not receive his supply, the controller can intervene and speed the shipment if conditions warrant.

Regular Channels. Coal must be bought through the regular channels, he said, and the principle laid down by the fuel administration is to buy coal during the year from the same dealer that supplied them last year. Just what conditions will prevail next year is not known, the speaker stated, but it is certain that Canada will receive fair treatment in regard to coal at the hands of the United States.

There is no reason to suppose that the supply of coal is going to be short this year, he said, but every person should get his order in early.

Mr. Peterson invited questions from the meeting, and one member asked what steps the fuel controller is taking to force railroads to haul the coal instead of sidetracking it for more remunerative freight. The member stated that he had read in a regular mind magazine that there was lots of coal on sidings not more than a few hours' distance from New York during the recent cold snap, and the roads refused to haul it.

"It is a known fact," he stated, "that coal is not a profitable freight, and it is natural for the roads to carry the freight that pays the greatest dividends."

Praises Railways. Mr. Peterson replied that the railroads had done everything possible to relieve the fuel distress, and that the member had been misinformed. Shortages of cars had seriously hampered the roads, and early in the season there were 20,000 Canadian cars in the United States, and the railroads, in the face of these difficulties, did their best.

The Canadian fuel controller has no jurisdiction in the United States, he stated, but the Canadian fuel administration has always received courteous treatment from the country to the south.

The president asked if it would be advisable for the association to order coal as a unit. Mr. Peterson replied that each individual should order his own supply, adding that the manufacturers could reasonably claim more consideration from the fuel controller on account of the need of the fuel for farms than some other manufacturers.

The deputy controller advised the users of natural gas to order a supply of coal early, as the old customers would naturally receive first consideration, and the new customers would have to get in their orders early. Some dissatisfaction was expressed by the members at the recent order cutting off the natural gas supply from manufacturers, and it was intimated that it made no appreciable difference in the gas supply. Mr. Peterson affirmed that this question rested with the Provincial Government.

ENTERTAINED SOLDIERS. The Henderson Kiltie Band gave another splendid concert in the Y.M.C.A. hut at Queen's Park on Wednesday evening. The place was filled, and every number was thoroughly enjoyed and vigorously applauded. The new hut at the heights will be formally opened on Tuesday evening with a concert by the Henderson Kiltie Band.

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**Lemon Juice is
Skin Beautifier,
Also a Whitener**

Many women use just the juice of lemons to bleach or whiten the skin, but pure lemon juice is acid, therefore irritating, and should be mixed with orchard white.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quart pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan, and is the ideal skin softener, smootheners and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It should naturally help to bring back to any skin the whiteness, the sweet freshness and flexibility of which it has been robbed by carelessness or trying atmospheric conditions.

**CHILDREN HATE
PILLS, CALOMEL
AND CASTOR OIL**

Give Fruit Laxative when cross, bilious, feverish or constipated.

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver, bowels.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hate them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. Their children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean out their bowels and soothe the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits and hereafter insist on the "California Syrup of Figs" brand. Refuse any other kind with contempt.

**SHE COULD NOT
STAND OR WORK**

But Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health and Stopped Her Pains.

Portland, Ind.—"I had a displacement and suffered so badly from it that at times I could not be on my feet at all. I was all run down and so weak I could not do my housework, was nervous and could not lie down at night. I took treatments from a physician but they did not help me. My Aunt recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I tried it and now I am strong and well again and do my own work and I give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound the credit."

—Mrs. JOSEPHINE KIMBLE, 935 West Race St., Portland, Ind.

Thousands of American women give this famous root and herb remedy the credit for health restored as did Mrs. Kimble.

For helpful suggestions in regard to such ailments women are asked to write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its long experience is at your service.

**Lift Corns Off! Doesn't Hurt!**

Don't let corns ache twice! Lift any corn or callus off with fingers—Here's magic!

For a few cents you can get a small bottle of the magic foot powder discovered by a Cincinnati chemist. Just ask at any drug store for a small bottle of foot powder. Apply a few drops upon a tender, aching corn and instantly that old bothersome corn stops hurting, then shortly you can lift it out, root and all, with the fingers.

Just think! Not one bit of pain before applying foot powder or afterwards. It doesn't even irritate the surrounding skin. Hard corns, soft corns, or corns between the toes, also hardened calluses on bottom of feet shrivel up and fall off without hurting a particle. Ladies! Keep foot powder handy on your dresser. Wonderful!

Springtime Fashion Features

IN
**'Women's Suits, Coats, Dresses,
Skirts and Blouses**

The spring fashions are so delightfully varied and so fascinating that our new models must appeal to lovers of distinctiveness in dress. Where all is beautiful and stylish, it is difficult to emphasize any particular characteristic in the new spring models.

FINE TAILORED SUITS.
In sizes for women and misses. Very stylish, very smart appearing, decidedly dressy, in the new spring models. We have a wonderfully complete, early in the season showing of distinctive models, designed by America's foremost designers. All the new fabrics in Sand, Taupe, Brown, Grey, Green, Navy and Black, very reasonably priced. . . . \$17.50, \$22.50, \$27.50, \$60.00

NEW SPRING COATS.
\$15.00, \$20.00, \$25.00 TO \$45.00.
Wonderfully attractive models, silk lined and illustrating the very latest thought from Paris. Rarely have garments in such very evident style and quality been offered at such modest prices. Fabrics are the New Velours, Coverts, Delhi, Gabardines, Poplins, Serges and Tweeds, in all the new shades for spring.

NEW SPRING MILLINERY

UNTRIMMED HATS, \$2.00 TO \$7.50.
TRIMMED HATS, \$5.00 TO \$15.00.
New fashions from the great milliners of New York and creations from our own workroom are daily making their appearance. Smart turbans, close-fitting toques and flare types in rough straws, crepe and satins.

**DRESSES FOR AFTERNOON
AND STREET WEAR.**
Very smart costumes in the newest silhouette, beautifully developed in Georgette Crepe, Silk Jersey, Novelty Foulards, Satins and combinations in Eton Tunic, Panel and Straight Line Models. Many are beautifully embroidered in wool or silk or fancy beads, reasonably priced. . . . \$15.00 to \$50.00

NEW SPRING BLOUSES.
\$3.00, \$5.00, \$7.50 AND \$10.00.
Blouses which embody entirely new effects. Delightful simple models of Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine and Fine Silks, many beautifully embroidered and new shawl collars, in flesh, sand, grey, white and black.

Artistic Ladies' Wear Co.

211 Dundas Street

**SATURDAY MORNING
BARGAINS, 8:15 to 12:30 Noon**

UNUSUAL VALUES OFFERED AS INDUCEMENTS TO GET A BIG MORNING'S BUSINESS. YOU'LL BE WELL REPAID IF YOU COME OUT SATURDAY MORNING; THE EARLIER THE BETTER.

BOYS' BLACK RAINCOATS, just the thing for spring wear for school. Regular \$3.00. . . . \$1.50
MEN'S GOOD STRONG WORSTED TROUSERS for every day or second best wear. Worth \$3.00, for . . . \$2.00
MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SMART SPRING CAPS; odd sizes of lines up to \$2.00. On sale . . . \$1.00

CHILDREN'S JUVENILE SUITS in tweeds, medium and dark colors, smart styles, ages 3 to 6 years. Worth \$5.00 \$2.50
MEN'S BLACK AND WHITE DRILL WORK SHIRTS; "Star Make." Regular 75c and 85c. On sale . . . 55c
PENMAN'S NATURAL COLOR MERINO SOCKS, dark heels and toes. Regular 25c. Saturday a. m. . . . 18c

MEN'S FINE ENGLISH WORSTED SUITS

in dark grey and brown shades, neat self-checks and bird's-eye patterns. Smart standard coat styles, three-button models that fit perfectly, and are well tailored and trimmed. Values that speak for themselves . . . \$19.75

MEN'S SOFT HATS, in factory half dozens; blues, browns, greys, at qualities up to \$3.00 . . . \$1.25
SAMPLE NATURAL WOOL UNDER-SHIRTS, summer and spring weights. Values to \$1.25. For . . . 50c

NEW RAINCOATS

A great showing of real British fabrics in swaggy new tweed effects, in plain shades and new overplaid and checks; slip-on and new belted models, with and without pleated back effects. These are the latest English qualities we will likely have, so an early choice is advisable . . . \$12, \$14, \$15, \$16 to \$20

**Help the Silver Thimble and Trinket Fund
Next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.**

It's for the Y. M. C. A. workers in France, the ones who hand out the hot coffee and the cheering word to our boys in the fighting line. Gather up your discarded jewelry and have it for the canvassers. You'll know it's going for one of the greatest causes in all history. **DO IT NOW. IT'S WORTH WHILE.**

R. J. YOUNG & CO.**You Must Think of
the Children, Too**

Little bodies can't throw off colds easily. Many cases of deafness and chronic bronchitis had their beginning in attacks of grippe, tonsillitis and earache of childhood days.

Dry-shod is the great preventive of colds.

Dry-shod during March and April, means

"Wear Rubbers"

Make sure that the children's rubbers are free of cracks or worn spots. Rain or slush will seep through—and a leak may mean a severe cold, or worse.



Take the children down and have them fitted with rubbers.



There's a style and shape for every shoe—for men, women and children—in these six brands of staunch, well-fitting rubbers, carried by the leading shoemen.



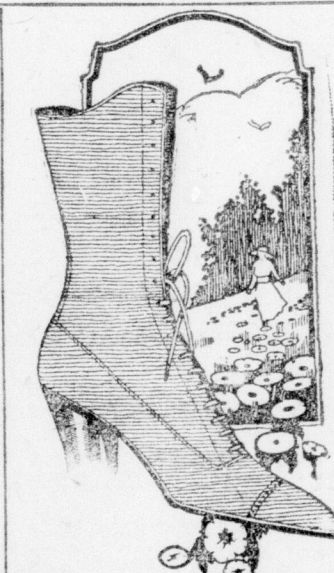
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Ask for these brands—they are the best to buy

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Announcement

Kaufman's
new and up-to-date
Boot Shop

**OPENS
SATURDAY,
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A full and complete line of Men's, Women's and Children's High-Grade Shoes and Rubbers will be carried at all times.

**KAUFMAN'S
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245 Dundas Street. Next to Chapman's.
Branch Store, 132 Waterloo Street.

ANOTHER DRAFT FOR
RAILWAY CORPS DEPOT

Forteen Men From Engineers' Service
Company Leave for Hamilton.

Reinforcements for the Railway Construction Training Depot at Hamilton are going forward from here in large numbers at present.

At noon today 14 men from the Service Company, Canadian Engineers, left for Hamilton, via G. T. R., for further training at Hamilton. They were in charge of Capt. W. H. Robinson, and were all specially trained and experienced men who will train as skilled railway employees.

Nursing the Wounded

It takes strength and courage to nurse the wounded. Every woman should make herself fit for war's call at home or abroad. Health and strength are within the reach of every woman. They are brought to you by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Take this medicine, and there's a safe and certain remedy for the chronic weaknesses, derangements, and diseases peculiar to women. It will build up, strengthen and invigorate every "run-down" or delicate woman. It assists the natural functions. At some period in her life, a woman requires a special tonic and nerve.

If you're a tired or afflicted woman, turn to "Favorite Prescription." You will find it never fails to benefit. Sold in tablet or liquid form. Send Dr. Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. (or branch, Bridgeport, Ont.), 10c for trial pkg. tablets.

Toronto, Ont.—"I found 'Favorite Prescription' a splendid tonic for women. Some time ago I became all run-down, weak, nervous and could not eat or sleep. Had severe back-aches, pains in my right side. I took 'Favorite Prescription' and it completely built me up in health and relieved me of all the annoying pains and aches."—Mrs. Thos. Grantham, 425 Front street.

Niagara Falls, Ont.—"During middle age, I began to go down in health. I would become dizzy, black spots would appear before my eyes. I also suffered with severe pains in the back of my head and my back would ache continually. I was most miserable until I began taking 'Favorite Prescription,' but by its use I came through this critical period in a good healthy condition. It is a splendid medicine for women at this time of life."—Mrs. W. F. Teetzel, 131 Bridge street.

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IRON

Increases strength of delicate, nervous, run-down people in ten days' time in many instances. Used and highly endorsed by the United States Senators and Members of Congress, well-known physicians and former Public Health officials. Ask your doctor or druggist about it.

SOLDIERS AT FRONT
PREFER CONCERTS TO
MEALS, SAYS SINGER

Would Rather Go Without
Food Than Entertainment.

Stories from the front were related with gripping power last evening in the First Presbyterian Church lecture-room by Miss Lillian Dillingham of London, England, who told of her experiences with concert parties in France since the outbreak of war. Touching the hearts and playing upon the emotions of her listeners, the entertainer moved them alternately to laughter and tears as she narrated incidents after incidents giving revealing glimpses of life in training and rest camps, and in hospitals in France.

During the evening, the young artist related some of the songs and told a number of the amusing anecdotes with which she had heartened up the young artists just before they left for the front line; as they enjoyed a breathing time in the rest camp, or in the hospital, and to stimulate them with interest in recovering and to aid their progress towards restoration.

Concert Before Meal. "The men want to hear a concert," said Miss Dillingham, telling of the long lines in which they stand to get in to the concert, sometimes fainting from exhaustion. "We were just ready to give a concert one Sunday night at an amusement tent," she said, continuing, "when the clouds came and the rain fell. The men were so wet and cold that they would not go out to hear a concert again. Without a word, the men filed out to give their places to their comrades who were so soon going into the front line. That is the spirit of our fighting men. You see it everywhere."

Referring to the nerve strain endured on concert tours at the front on account of the air raids which are prevalent all over France, she said: "They think they have the worst of it in London, England, but there is no comparison between the steadiness of the raids in Calais, in Dunkirk and other French coast cities, and the occasional raids in London."

"In one of the hospitals one day in Calais, I saw a new patient, a man who told me he had been buried with a number of comrades in mud in a shell hole. They struggled through up to the neck in mud. They could stand it no longer. They sank down to die. Two of the party were rescued and brought back to the hospital. That's what it means when it rains in England, more mud for us over here," said the man to me. And it always came back to me with force when I went back to London and heard the people rejoicing because it was a dark, rainy night. It meant there would be no raids in London that night, but it meant more mud for the men at the front."

Wonderful Message of Gifts. Telling of witnessing the opening of Christmas boxes in a hospital at the front one Christmas day, "Please don't think anything is too little to do or send," said the speaker. "You wouldn't if you could only see the joy everything brings to the men. Sometimes I thought it wonderful the way Canadian people keep going, doing their part, carrying on so far from the theatre of war. Then, one after another comes to me

QUESTIONNAIRES TO
DISTRICT MEN WILL
BE MAILED SATURDAY

First of Important Documents
Go Out Then.

Lieut.-Col. T. R. Mayberry of Ingersoll recently appointed agricultural representative of the exemption review board, assumed the duties of his office Thursday.

The preliminary work in connection with the sending out the questionnaires containing a blank questionnaire sheet will be sent to every man in the district who has been granted exemption. The first of these registered letters will be mailed from Deputy Registrar Wismer's office on Saturday, and the recipients will be required to reply within three days after the receipt of each letter. They will be sent out by registered mail, and a card accompanying each, upon which an acknowledgment must be signed by the recipient and given to the postman. This card is returned to the registrar's office, and the man who does not receive the questionnaires will be sent to the registrar's office, and the man who does not receive the questionnaires will be sent to the registrar's office.

MORELLO WAS TAKEN
TO PENITENTIARY BY
SHERIFF LAST NIGHT

Young Gunman Apparently In-
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George Morello, confessed burglar, gunman and jailbreaker, was taken from the county jail last night to Kingston penitentiary, where he will spend the next seven years for the crimes to which he pleaded guilty. Morello was taken to Kingston by Deputy Sheriff B. F. Waterworth and County Constable Arthur Corsant. No chances were taken with Morello, the deputy sheriff informing him that he would not be given the slightest opportunity to escape during the all-night trip to the eastern city. Seats were reserved for the officers and their prisoner in one of the coaches on the Eastern Flyer.

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3 ends Scotch Tweed, 44 inches wide, good strong material for suits and skirts; present value \$1.50. Clearing, per yard85c

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Medium weight, all sizes, Penman's and other makes. Clearing for5 pairs for \$1.00

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White and Colored Voile\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50
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All sizes in these lines. Make sure of a supply. Delay means disappointment.

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One only Rose Silk Sweater, middie style, with sash; regular \$10.50. Clearing\$5.25

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Two only Nile Green Silk Sweaters; regular \$8.50. Clearing\$4.25

One each Green and Blue Silk Sweaters, buttoned front, with sash; regular \$14.00. Clearing for\$7.00

Brush Wool Scarfs; full length; variety of colors. Very special. Clearing75c and \$1.00

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Regular \$3.00, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75. Clearing\$2.98

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Good colors and cannot be duplicated.

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Popular makes, Dent's, Perrin's, etc., kid and chamois, all sizes. Ladies', per pair\$1.00

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Made of good percale, hemstitched, white collar and cuffs, good range of patterns. Special, each\$1.25

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Made of good print, square neck, buttoned at the side, good value\$1.25

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Made of good percale, assorted colors, trimmed with large white collars, middie effect. Special price\$1.50

Bungalow Aprons

Full range of patterns, good values. Each69c

Over sizes, each\$1.00

EARLY SHOPPERS HAVE BEST SELECTION.

What Union Labor Thinks of
Strike Weapon in War Time

Two weeks ago striking carpenters in Eastern shipyards were called to their tasks only by a direct message from the White House, in which President Wilson concluded his remarks by asking them, "Will you co-operate or will you obstruct?"

For the benefit of our readers who may have been led to wonder whether labor really intends to co-operate or obstruct, we have asked the editors of many journals representing organized labor whether in their opinion disaffected labor in war industries should accept Government arbitration instead of striking.

The replies are published in this week's issue of THE LITERARY DIGEST, March 2. While the minority which speaks for Socialists and "working class" Radicals insists that labor, in the words of the Wheeling Majority, "should never in war or peace give up its right to strike," other labor editors reflect a different opinion. For instance, the Labor World (Duluth) says that "No American workmen who have any regard for their country and the great principles of human liberty and democracy which are at stake in this war, will do one act that will delay for a single moment the building of a ship or the production of an article needed to feed, clothe, or equip our boys in France or in training at home."

Get THE LITERARY DIGEST this week if you would obtain a clear insight into the attitude of American labor toward the war. Other articles of great interest in this number are:

The Need for a Bolo Pasha Verdict in This Country

Editorial Opinion on the Marked Difference in the Treatment of Spies and Traitors in the United States and the Same Types of Individual in Europe.

Bone-Dry Canada
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HOT SHOT FOR CAPT.
BAILEY DELIVERED
IN THE LEGISLATURE

Major Hart Suggests That
He Is Deranged.

Toronto, Feb. 28.—The charges made by Capt. G. T. Bailey, now under arrest, against the Canadian troops were reviewed in the Legislature today.

Major J. J. Hart, Simcoe, started the discussion.

"The O. C. 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. R., with at once notify the military authorities that the military authorities should be notified of the leave of absence of the soldiers and will furnish a descriptive roll to the assistant provost marshal, who will take the necessary action."

Precautions to prevent the spread of contagious diseases are being taken by the military authorities here, and in future all men reporting under the military service act will be segregated for a period of two weeks before joining the balance of their unit.

In addition, proper precautions are to be taken to prevent contagious diseases which may develop during the period of segregation from spreading to other troops in the unit, camp orders state today.

QUIT MEAT IF YOUR
KIDNEYS ACT BADLY

Take tablespoonful of Salts if
Back hurts or Bladder
bothers.

We are a nation of meat eaters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says Dr. J. C. Elliott (West Middlesex), "before breakfast treatment in a glass of water. When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have stinging pains in the back or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night; when you have severe headaches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleeplessness, acid stomach, and rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist a tablespoonful of Jad Salts; before breakfast treatment in a glass of water. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in urine so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus ending urinary and bladder disorders."

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PROMOTE
A CLEAR
SKIN

New York City spends \$185,000 yearly in teaching German. The American Defence Society has declared against its compulsory teaching.

The war netted the Federal Government \$127,359 in January.

President Falcone of Toronto says German cannot be barred from the schools of Ontario. Father Foster, president of Assumption College, Sand-

wich, says it would be a mistake from a literary and scientific standpoint.

New York's assistant crown attorney says a western oil man lost close to half a million, gambling in New York. An investigation into vice and gambling conditions is on.

British troops have come in contact with violating United States neutrality by conspiring to start a revolution in India, denounced British Government rule in India. The district attorney decried council's statements to be unpatriotic and almost treasonable.

On the eve of the city clean-up of the underworld, Detroit had another murder. It came as a challenge to the 1,000 police and soldiers conducting the greatest man hunt in the city's history. Louis Lillian was sitting in an all-night restaurant, when a man stepped in the door, put a revolver to Lillian's head and fired three shots. He escaped before the police arrived.

Bandits in Detroit blew the safe of the Egar Sugar Company and got away with \$10,000 cash.

Five men are under arrest on a charge of conspiracy to start a revolution in India.

NERVES RESTORED
YEARS AGO

Strathroy Man Confirms His
Statement of 1905, and Tells
How Many Have Been
Cured as the Result of
His Experience.

Strathroy, Ont., Feb. 28.—Our town people are not slow to recognize an article of merit, and the experience of Mr. Branton with Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is a good example of how the good word is passed along from one to another.

In 1905 Mr. Wm. Branton of Victoria street, Strathroy, wrote as follows: "Before using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food my nervous system seemed all unstrung. I could not sleep, had no appetite, hands and feet were cold, my digestion was poor and I had jerking of the limbs. The first box of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food helped me, and I continued until I had written you a letter of recommendation, but have told others what it did for me."

It is cures like that that make Dr. Chase's Nerve Food a recommendation, but have told others what it did for me."

On June 25, 1917, Mr. Branton confirmed his cure as follows: "I have found anything in all my trouble to me so much good. Why, I feel better than I have in years. I never bothered any more with indigestion and my tired, fagged-out feelings are gone. Tanlac seems to have rid me entirely of stomach trouble, and put my nerves in good shape. My appetite is fine, I feel strong, and I am able to do my work on the road have congratulated me on how much better I'm looking. I'm more energetic and have more strength. In my opinion Tanlac is the best medicine out, and I will unhesitatingly recommend it to anyone."

Tanlac is sold in London by Standard Drug, Limited, under the direction of a special representative and by an established agency in every town.

The Belgian army reports having repelled three enemy thrusts.

Hon. W. H. Hanna has been elected president of the Imperial Oil Company.

POPULAR SALESMAN
IS CONGRATULATED
BY HIS CUSTOMERS

"Everybody Notices the Great Improvement," States "Knight of Grip."

One of the most noteworthy features in connection with Tanlac is the large number of traveling salesmen throughout the United States and Canada who have testified to the benefit they have derived from its use. Among the latest of these well known "Knights of the Grip" to realize the power of the medicine is William Goulding, who represents the Ontario Cap Company and resides at 175 Macdonnell Avenue, Toronto. Mr. Goulding has been selling goods out of Toronto for the past thirty years, and is undoubtedly one of the most popular commercial travelers in Canada.

"This summer, regarding the value of Tanlac in his case, follows: 'I have been bothered more or less with my stomach for a long time, due no doubt to my inability to eat and never realized anything to eat and was distressed a great deal of the time by the gas on my stomach. I most always had a tight, uncomfortable feeling in my stomach and often had dizzy spells. My nerves became so shattered that I couldn't rest well, and I had that down and out feeling all the time. I was really in a very bad condition, and got to where I just had to stop off entirely to regain my health.'

"So last April I went down to Galt on a visit to my sister to doctor up and try to recuperate, and it was while there that I began taking Tanlac. The medicine was so strong and I was so much better. This trying it that I got a bottle and, it's a fact, when I finished the first bottle I felt much better and noticed an improvement in my general condition. I have taken six or seven bottles in all and think it simply remarkable the way it has helped me. I have never found anything in all my trouble to me so much good. Why, I feel better than I have in years. I never bothered any more with indigestion and my tired, fagged-out feelings are gone. Tanlac seems to have rid me entirely of stomach trouble, and put my nerves in good shape. My appetite is fine, I feel strong, and I am able to do my work on the road have congratulated me on how much better I'm looking. I'm more energetic and have more strength. In my opinion Tanlac is the best medicine out, and I will unhesitatingly recommend it to anyone."

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THE GREAT NEED.

DR. J. W. ROBERTSON of the food control board has made the statement that there are 200,000 farmers in Ontario, and more than half of them don't understand the urgency of the present situation, that is, the need for greater production than ever before.

It is hard to believe that this estimate is correct in view of the fact that almost every farmer reads his daily paper and sees there, presented day after day, the facts of the food situation as it concerns the Allied nations, yet there is no doubt that there are many who do not realize the urgent need for individual effort.

How can this state of affairs be remedied in time? It might be possible for the Government to send out scores of speakers to address meetings, during the next month or six weeks, in most of the agricultural districts, and, if these were thoroughly versed in their subject, good would result. The difficulty would be to get the producers to attend the meetings and let the facts be presented to them.

Another way, the one on which greatest dependence is placed in every crisis when publicity is desired, is the daily press. If the Government would prepare a concise, clear statement of facts, accompanied by statistics, showing the needs and the duties of each farmer in connection with them and cause this to be inserted in every paper which reaches the farmers, as an advertisement, in bold type and with generous space, its effect would more than justify the expense. Let the man with 50 acres be impressed with the absolute necessity of cultivating three or four acres more than he has cultivated previously; let the man with 100 acres be told what he must do, and those with larger farms be urged to increase production in proportion; let an effort be made to mold public opinion in all districts so that he who fails to live up to his opportunities will be considered a luke-warm or indifferent patriot, and the crops will increase.

There are selfish and grasping farmers as there are profiteers in other branches of industry. These ought to be shown that lack of food-stuffs here will affect them, personally, as well as city dwellers and soldiers; that if the scarcity occurs, they will not be allowed to keep what they have grown for themselves, but will have to share it with those who are in want until everyone has some, even if none have enough.

Through their news columns and editorial pages, newspapers have done what they can to point the way to producers. The advertising space ought to be enlisted to augment the effort. The time is short and the necessity vital. Those agriculturists who have not yet been awakened must be reached immediately.

RUMOR RIGHTLY TREATED.

CONGRATULATIONS are due the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance for the way in which it received and denounced the statement that 80 per cent of the Canadian soldiers were drunk last Christmas day. The assertion was made by Capt. Bailey, A.M.C., a returned officer, who gave as his authority "an officer who was in a position to know conditions." The Alliance, by standing vote, protested against and expressed its disbelief of the statement.

The vile aspersion on Canada's troops evidently applied to those in France as well as to those in Britain, for the unnamed "authority" is said to have told Capt. Bailey that had the Germans known the state of affairs they would have broken through. The impossibility of any one man being in a position to know that 80 per cent of the soldiers were drunk on any one day is apparent to anyone who gives the report one moment's thought, which is more than it deserves. It is more probable that not an eighth of 1 per cent were drunk.

This kind of wild and harmful talk is detrimental to Canada's interests generally, and ought not to be allowed to pass unnoticed by the military authorities. The rumor should be traced to its source and an example made of the original trader, if not of all those who are found to have helped spread the untruth.

BRITAIN SHINES AS EVER.

SOMETIMES the whole British people get very "dumpy." Public men glare at one another, newspapers snarl at governments, generals get their walking tickets, commissions smite at neglect, and for a time it looks as though all the traditions and prestige of the race were being shattered, as though there was a danger of both tradition and prestige toppling and the whole giving away to disintegration. What has gone before, the triumphs of arms and organization, the upholding of the machine, the silent watch of the navy, the wonders accomplished by individuals now lost sight of—these things are sometimes obliterated in the awful strain of today, the present. The past, the future, what might have been cannot be considered. And so the morale changes, not weakening, but translated from high hope to grim anxiety.

Placing Britain and Germany side by side, isolated from the other powers, has it been a "fifty-fifty" split? Has Germany made the British people "look sick," as one man expressed it yesterday from the aching gloom in his breast? Britain is a sea power. She cannot be accused of unpreparedness on that score. She kept her ships ready. She made the kaiser scrap his men-of-war. Her destiny was to defend herself from the waves of all the oceans. Her war on land was the chance condition that came through German treachery, the Judas thrust from which the greatest cause was not immune. And on the

seas GREAT BRITAIN HAS NEVER FALLEN DOWN. The Germans have been smashed or sent scurrying back to gather the barnacles of Kiel whenever they faced Britain at her own game. She has not failed there, and she has swept the German flag from every colony.

What about the land fighting? This was not Britain's natural "game." But Britain has whipped the Germans in several important military actions in a decisive manner, whipped the Germans when it was a case of going against a war machine built and perfected for more than forty years with a war machine built in four years, under adverse conditions, and while the enemy was being held off with one hand, so to speak. At least a match for the Germans on land, with the records from Mons down to the present crying out, "They have never beaten us decisively at their own game," the British should never sink before their problems, no matter what may come in the future.

The record of the British nation since war began has been consistently meritorious. There have been blunders of almost a criminal nature, but from the maddening confusion of certain periods of depression up come the shining deeds of glory on the field and at home, the overwhelming confidence that comes to a race that has fought a clean war and must have a clean peace. When a British subject gets depressed, let him bring out the little seeds of reason and justice, and on the one side will be found a weight of accomplishment that will counterbalance, as though it were a feather, the dread weights of failure that sometimes seem to be matched with fate against us. The great, round, mighty, staring lesson is that Germany on land and sea has been beaten and balked in her attempt to betray humanity. The wonder is that the British were not beaten decisively in 1914.

A FUTILE THREAT.

GERMANY has not yet learned that the Allies cannot be frightened by words. On what is supposed to be the eve of the great Teutonic onslaught on the west front, one of Berlin's newspapers comes out with the statement: "A most monstrous, terrible thing is waiting this continent. Never in history will the memory of this February be effaced."

What do the Germans hope will be the result of this terrifying prognostication? A chill of horror is expected to creep over the Allied armies. The knees of the men of France, Britain, Canada and the United States are to weaken and knock together, and the arms of the gunners who work the great batteries are to become palsied and useless. Fear, deadly, paralyzing fear, is to accomplish what German arms have failed to bring about—breaking of the Allies' morale.

The actual effect will be a hearty laugh among Allied peoples and forces. No one doubts terrible things will happen before the month is spent. Every time a valiant soldier dies it is a monstrous calamity, and every day in which Germany is able to work her will on Belgian civilians is full of terror. But for those who have seen what the Huns have done in the past, the future holds no fears. The enemy has done his worst, and it has not brought him victory.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The most terrifying attribute of the new German air monster is its name, "Riesenflugzeug."

Headline says: "Borden is presented to President Wilson." Wonder who gave the premier away.

It would help in solving pressing problems if the fiff between Emperors Charles and Wilhelm should develop into a break, but—

Japan is ready to take an active military part; the Allies should not be backward in joining hands with her and meeting conditions.

It is to be hoped none of those police motor cars now being used in Detroit's man hunt will be stolen, but there's no telling in that city.

It is generally admitted that Germany aims at creating as much talk about peace as possible in Allied countries, which is an excellent reason for abstaining from all such talk.

Why should there be any objection to W. J. Bryan's speaking in Toronto while Bourassa is allowed to write and speak as he does? Bryan at least dropped his pro-German attitude when his country entered the war.

Russia is an example of what the propagandist and spy may achieve. For this reason the campaign to be launched in March by the Associated Ad Clubs of the World to silence Dame Gossip's tongue on war subjects, is one that should be encouraged by all.

A statement from the Government of all expenses in connection with the Victory Loan flotation and a statement of what has been done with the money up to date should be given out soon. There are many stories which, if left uncontradicted by facts, will hinder materially a duplication of the loan's success.

THE EVE OF BATTLE.

A mighty plain, seeming to move, of thousands breathing prayers,
A sky overhead with dawn's first streaks, and ghastly lights and flares;
Away with every petty thing of interest in life,
To do or die, they only aim, each heart with courage rife,
All silently those thousands move, equipped in full array,
Yet, tho' they walk among a crowd, each treads a lonely way;

No cheers, or song, or voices heard, their faces sternly set,
Rigid and firm, eyes straight ahead, about to pay a debt!
And nearer, nearer, still they draw, to lonely No Man's Land.

Into that shadow land of death, which waits with beckoning hand;
Into the foremost trench they pile, gripping the cold dull steel,
The tremors, fears and glories now, waiting in tense appeal.

Loud bursts the awful barrage of a thousand booming guns,
Bearing a living message from a horde of savage Huns,
Breathing a wind of rushing fire, all hell's gate open wide,
Leaving a maelstrom in its wake—and little else beside!

And this is war! At each a cost must freedom's peace be won.
Those shell torn bodies lying now so calmly, e'er the sun
Again shall sink to rest that night of fierce and furious fray,
In grand acclaim make one appeal and who dare disobey?
"Oh God of Battles! for this cause, the cause of peace, good will,

The sacrifice supreme we made, and tho' now stark and still,
Let retribution true and just, swift follow on our trail,
From humanity so poor, so helpless, and so frail!
From traitor's power and fearful yoke, Avenge! In glory

Make manifest that justice rules in power in the skies.
Our fathers' God! and ours as well! Ah, leave us not alone,
For all our various sins of yore, let blood rivers alone!
The broken hearts, the broken homes, the years of misery's sway,

Redeem, and give us peace the world can never take away;
A lasting peace, on justice based, until the appointed day,
When shadows flee, and darkness breaks, and earth shall pass away."

—A. H. M. REED.

Bits of Byplay

by Luke McLuke

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No Joke.
"A watched pot never boils," said Fize.
"The pot's not making any,"
But coal piles watched by anxious eyes
Grow smaller every day."

The Wise Fool.
"Patience is a virtue," quoted the Sage.
"Not when it is patience with the faults of those we dislike," commented the Fool.

Paw Knows Everything.
Willie—Paw, what is the difference between a controversy and an argument?
Paw—A controversy is a dispute between highbrows and an argument is a dispute between regular fellows, my son.

Boy, Page Ananias!
He surely is a lying gink.
I cannot understand Bill Hutch;
For he told me he didn't think
That his wife ever talked too much.

Gosh, and We Missed It!
[From the Christian Endeavor Weekly.]
Several devoted young members who had resolved not to miss a single Endeavor service during a year attended "South Methodist League" meeting when electric lights in the church were out of commission.

Things to Worry About.
A Nashville (Tenn.) man has figured out that if a cent had been loaned out at six per cent interest, compounded yearly, in the year 1 A.D., it would today amount to a mass of gold twenty-five thousand million times the size of the earth. One cent loaned out at six per cent for 1,200 years, compounded annually, would represent the sum of \$4,689,320,322,631,107,829,967,519,671.88.

Mercy!
We suppose the light prosecutor does get to see a lot of prisoners have convulsions and spasms when Uncle Sam grabs them. Anyhow, and he that as it may, Will C. Pitts is Assistant Attorney-General in Washington, D.C.

Famous Heads.
Red.
Cabbage.
Swelled.
Big.
Bulk.
Marble.
—ache.
—the.
—quarters.
cheese.
Bone.—Billie Wood.

Serves Him Right, George!
[Houston Post.]
Luke McLuke—Sir J. Geography of this city has been doing a lot of legging. He covered entirely too much ground to suit the authorities and gave no recognition to the rights of water.

Hogg Raises Pigs.
Ronald Hogg of Salem, Oregon, member of the Oregon Boys' Pig Club, won \$11 at the Oregon State Fair for the best litter of pigs raised by a boy.

Wuff!
George Fuller is discreet, though he makes mistakes at that.
One day he told his lady friend: "I think you're growing fat!"
She looked him in the eye—he knew his words were out of place.
So he said: "I merely meant, you're looking Fuller in the face."

Our Daily Special.
Most of Us Need More Education and Less Experience.

Luke McLuke Says.
Anytime when women do get the vote and a man's pet candidate is defeated, he can blame it on his wife and use it as an excuse for staying out at night.

Millions of men who are only two classes of men who can afford to look steady.
Some men can't understand how other men will waste their time in playing cards when they could occupy it in arguing politics.

As a rule when an old-timer is sighing for the Good Old Days, he is really sighing for the Good Old Niggers.
What has become of the old-fashioned girl who used to embroider her own sheets and pillowcases when she was engaged to a man?

It makes a fat-chested girl green with envy when she notices how a Corn Fed girl can fill a sweater.
Never take down your friends when you are down and out and need them. If you do, the census will make a sorry showing.

Some men would be worth more if they didn't do their work with the belief that they are not being paid what they are worth.

Wait a Minute!
By J. H. F.

A correspondent, who was kidding us a trifle, wrote of us as "humorists of wisdom." The inspired composer made it "humor of wisdom." A lot of gents will not quit telling us that we are positively and incurably fat. Tough world.

An old-time reporter, a chap, who is on the staff of a newspaper, says: "I'll bet all how much had good folks can discover. I have been parading this town for years and while I know of some immorality, I feel like an ignorant plus, when I hear some good folks wickedness. I feel like a good fellow, when I hear some wicked folks really is. I am a flivver at finding out things, I should join an uplift society, and get an air fall."

Capt. Bailey says that 80 per cent of the Canadian soldiers were drunk at Christmas time. If we had a rotten imagination like that, we would not mind being chloroformed or otherwise disposed of, because that would be the proper fate.

Titles have been given to Canadians

NINE BOILS KEPT COMING ON NECK ONE AFTER THE OTHER

Anyone who has ever suffered from boils knows how sick and miserable they make you feel.

When you think you are about cured of one, another seems ready to take its place and prolong your wretchedness. All the poulticing and lancing you may do will not cure them, and stop more coming.

Boils are simply bad blood bursting out, and the bad blood must be made pure before the boils disappear.

Burdock Blood Bitters is the greatest blood purifier known. It cleanses the system and removes every particle of foul material from the blood, then never another boil comes and the cure is permanent.

Mr. Geo. Ayers, 202 Gloucester street, Ottawa, Ont., writes: "I wish to tell you what I know about your wonderful Burdock Blood Bitters. In the spring I suppose my system needed cleaning out, for I had nine boils come on my neck, one after the other. I quickly got a bottle of B. B. B., and before it was half finished I felt a great change, and it certainly put an end to my boils. Otherwise I might have had a lot more. I recommend B. B. B. to all I can, for I know it to be a great remedy."

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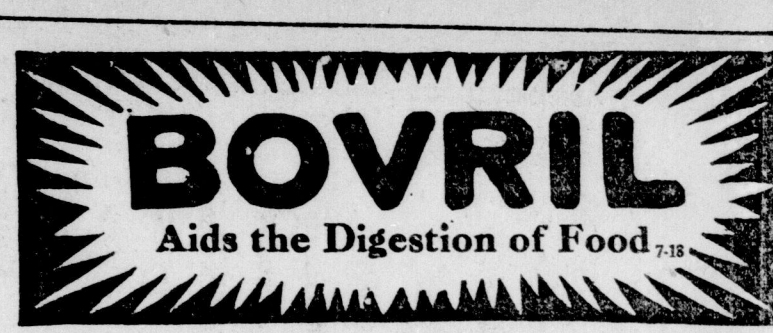
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Made of good quality white cotton, trimmed with lace, slipover styles, kimono sleeves. Very special values at 75c and 85c

Slipover and open-front Gowns, lace and embroidery trimmed. Excellent value at \$1.00

Fine White Cotton Gowns, slipover style, lace and embroidery trimmings. Special sale price.....\$1.29

Two numbers in slipover styles, made of good quality white cotton, lace and embroidery trimmed. Sale price.....\$1.39

Fine Cotton Gowns, open-front and slipover styles, short and three-quarter sleeves, garments that are muslin and soiled, selling regularly at \$1.75 and \$2.00. Sale price.....\$1.49

White Cotton Drawers

Plain styles, with tucks, open or closed, sizes 23, 25 and 27. Sale priced at, per pair.....23c

Drawers of fine white cotton, embroidery trimmed, open or closed styles, sizes 23, 25 and 27; these are odd lines that are worth up to \$1.00. To clear at.....49c

Ladies' Drawers of good quality white cotton, dainty embroidery trimming, open or closed. These are new spring lines marked as an anniversary special at, per pair.....95c

Specials in the Art Dept. MAIN FLOOR.

Stamped Gowns in pretty effective designs, made up; good values. Priced from.....98c to \$1.50

Stamped Envelope Combinations, in dainty patterns, in fine white nainsook, made up. At.....\$1.00

Special Values Corset Covers

Corset Covers, lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes 36 to 42. At.....25c

Corset Covers, lace trimmed, sizes 36 to 42. Sale priced at.....39c

Corset Covers in a great variety of dainty styles at.....50c

Fine white nainsook Corset Covers, with dainty lace and embroidery tops, sizes 36 to 42. Special at.....79c

Extra Special Values Are These Two Items

Corset Covers of fine quality that are slightly soiled and muslin, sizes 34 to 44; worth from 75c to \$1.25. To clear at.....59c

Camisoles, made of pink or white mull, with lace tops and sleeves, sizes 36 to 42. Very special at.....79c

A Big Special in White Underskirts

Sample Underskirts of fine white cotton, trimmed with lace and embroidery, lengths 36 to 42; values up to \$2.00. Anniversary Sale price.....\$1.29

Envelope Combinations and Chemise. Priced from.....75c to \$1.95

Splendid range, made in good quality white cotton, lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes from 36 to 42.

WHITEWEAR DEPARTMENT ON THIRD FLOOR.

Splendid Showing New Wash Fabrics

ON SECOND FLOOR.

An excellent range of fashionable weaves and colors. Here are just a few very special lines:

White Repp, 36 inches wide for skirts, middies and children's wear; selling at less than present wholesale cost. Per yard.....25c

A warranted all pure linen fabric of Irish manufacture, to be had in pink, open, rose and grey, 45 inches wide. Very special value at, per yard.....75c

Good Values in Flannelettes

Beautiful, soft, downy qualities, in stripes and all white, 36 inches wide; buy all you need at this special price. Per yard.....29c

Grey Flannels

Selling at Less Than Present Wholesale Cost.

Just because we bought them months ago, before the big advance, are we able to sell at the following prices

.....35c, 40c and 50c per yard

Ladies' Chamoisette Gloves

NEW SPRING LINES.

In the well-known Kayser make, just fits like a kid glove, obtainable in mastic, white and natural with fancy black points or white or black with self stitching or black with fancy white points, sizes 6½ to 7½. Special value at, per pair.....\$1.10

House Dresses at \$1.00

Still a few left in prints and gingham, stripes and checks, long and short sleeves, broken sizes. Very special value at.....\$1.00

Special Values in Feather Down Pillows

Priced at \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.95, \$3.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50 a pair

Special Values in Blankets

Nashua Woolnap Blankets, to be had in white or tan, with blue borders, or tan plaids, very large size. Very special value at.....\$4.95

Blanket Comforters, Cortex finish, in tan or grey, patterned, suitable for beds, couches, etc. Price, each \$3.95

Knitting Needles

Steel Knitting Needles just received in sizes 10, 11, 13. At, per set.....15c

12-inch Celluloid Knitting Needles in sizes 5, 6 and 7. Per pair.....25c

15-inch Celluloid Needles, sizes 4, 5, 6, suitable for knitting sweaters. Per pair.....40c

Anniversary Specials For Saturday in Staple Dept.

50 pairs Colored Bath Towels. Excellent value at, per pair.....75c

300 Huck Towels, splendid weight. Anniversary Sale price, each.....19c

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PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. and Mrs. E. Clarence Mitchell announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Henrietta, to Capt. Richard Hume Cronyn of the Royal Flying Corps, son of Major Hume Cronyn, M.P., and Mrs. Cronyn, the marriage to take place in the middle of March.

Miss Peever and Miss Percival have returned to Victoria College, after spending a few days at the First Methodist parsonage.

Mrs. George McBreem is visiting her son, Dr. Wilbert McBreem, Bloor street, Toronto.

The Misses McPhillips have returned from Seattle, where they went to see their brother, Capt. McPhillips, who has left for overseas.

Mrs. Ruth Keyes of the London Conservatory of Music, returns from Toronto on Monday en route for overseas to serve as V.A.D.'s. A banquet will be tendered them on their arrival Monday evening by Sir Henry Pellatt.

Controller E. S. Little and Mrs. Little left today, via the G.T.R., for Coronado Beach, California, where they will spend two months. The controller's health has not been of the best lately, and he is taking a rest.

Mr. and Mrs. Little will return by the Canadian West about May 1.

Mrs. G. McDougal returned from Toronto on Wednesday, after attending the Mendelssohn choir concert.

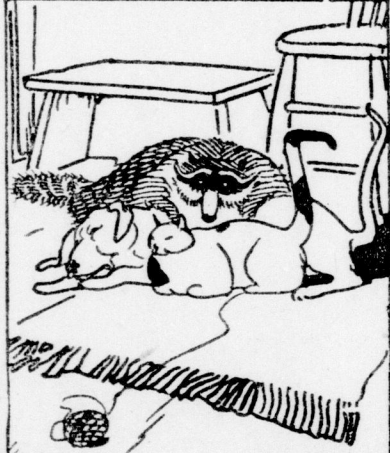
Mrs. T. F. Kingsmill has returned

Jimmy Coon Stories

By Dr. Warren G. Partridge.

Jimmy Coon Fools the Dog Ranger. Everybody on the Jones' Farm was delighted when Jimmy Coon turned over a new leaf, and decided to become a happy pet. For when Jimmy Coon quaked and pouted and acted like a spoiled child, he made the whole house unhappy. I suppose you have seen little people do that. But Jimmy Coon reformed, and life was worth living on the Jones' Farm. And you wouldn't have known Jimmy Coon, that he was like a sunbeam in the Farmer's house! He became so tame that he ate out of the Farmer's hand. And they took him into the house, and he made friends with the dog, Ranger, and with big yellow Puss.

And all the family loved Jimmy Coon, and they petted him and gave him the best things to eat he ever



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Patriotic Western Ontario

Address All News for This Column to the Editor of the Women's Page.

BURGESSVILLE.—A Red Cross tea is being held on Friday afternoon, March 8, at the home of Mrs. Daniel Hughes.

TILBURY.—The Tilbury Chapter, I. O. E. held its second annual meeting on Monday afternoon, when the annual reports submitted by the editing secretary, Mrs. W. A. Hutton, and the treasurer, Mrs. H. Johnston, gave ample proof of a year's successful work. The receipts for the year were \$2,312.84 and expenditures \$2,102.80.

HONORARY REGENT, Mrs. C. Kimmberly; regent, (re-elected), Mrs. D. S. Smith; first vice-regent, Mrs. E. Dalgle; second vice-regent, Mrs. G. S. Richardson; third vice-regent, Mrs. A. Pearson; secretary, Mrs. E. S. Odette; echoes secretary, (re-elected), Mrs. W. A. Shaw; educational secretary, (re-elected), Mrs. H. Johns; standard bearer, (re-elected), Mrs. H. W. Lewis. Ten councillors were elected as follows: Mesdames Sharp, W. A. Shaw, Patton, Hallott, McCall, Callwood, R. H. Shaw, Scriven, Edgcomb and Wilson. Mrs. M. Sharp was reappointed packing convener, and Mrs. W. A. Shaw, wool convener.

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Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

Letters for "Boy Farmer."

"A Reader of The Advertiser for Fourteen Years"—Please send name and address at once, as several replies to your letter are already at the office.

"Riddle's" Answer.

"Clayton"—The answer to riddle No. 1 is "Your teeth," and the answer to riddle No. 2 is "An English plum pudding."

"One Who Loves to Help."—"In a Little Rosewood Casket" has been duly received by me, and I shall deliver it to the one who asked for it. Thank you, very much.

Directions for Mitt.

Dear Miss Grey.—Would you kindly send me directions for a knitted mitt for a boy of 8 years? If you do not send it privately, please put it in The Advertiser. Yours, BROWNIE.

Ans.—Can any of the readers supply "Brownie" with these directions?

Dear Miss Grey.—I would like to adopt a soldier, preferably a Canadian, who has no friends. I would endeavor to write cheery letters, also to send an occasional parcel.

Would you kindly give me full directions for sending parcels. Also how many pounds can be sent to France, and how many pounds can be sent to prisoners of war in Germany?

You will greatly oblige, ONE OF YOUR READERS.

Ans.—In sending parcels overseas you must be sure to pack everything firmly so that there is no chance of the contents being damaged.

It is best to wrap the whole parcel in cotton and sew it up. The address should be written (with indelible pencil or ink preferably) on at least two sides of the parcel and a declaration slip affixed.

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DAILY BIBLE QUESTION CLUB

Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School Lesson, March 3, 1918. One Golden Text Suggestion, by Rev. T. S. Lincolnton, D.D.

Jesus Preaching Peace.—Mark IV, 35; Luke V, 26.

QUESTIONS FOR TODAY.

12. Verses 39-41.—What did Jesus mean by his kind rebuke of their prayer?

14. Chapter V, 1-7.—What reason is there to believe that violent insanity, sometimes gives what may be called super-human strength?

15. How did this poor man probably know Jesus?

18. Presuming that this man was actually possessed with devil, would it have been possible for him to have known Jesus, other than by ordinary human means?

Golden Text.—Jehovah had done great things for us; whereof we are glad.—Isaiah cxxvii, 2.

JEHOVAH IS THE DOER OF GREAT THINGS.

Our Scripture lesson for today tells of some wonderful things which Jesus did in the story we read that he spoke and a great storm at sea was stilled. He met a man possessed with an unclean spirit and he cast the devil out of him; a heart-broken father met him and said that his little daughter was at the point of death; when they got to the home the child was already dead and he brought her back again to life. On the road to the house he met a poor woman with what was supposed to be an incurable disease, and he made her perfectly whole. Jesus did this kind of work during all the years he was upon the earth, while God our heavenly Father is always doing similar great things.

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RESULTS OF CONSERVATORY
MID-WINTER EXAMINATIONS

The following are the results of the examinations recently held in London and at local centres by the London Conservatory of Music.

LONDON.
Pianoforte.
Grade 6, piano—Honors—Emma Park.
Grade 5, piano—Honors—Reta Loft.
Grade 4, piano—First-class honors—Barbara Daly, Kathleen Gibson, Arva Laszlo, Honors—Cecilia Lewis, Pass—H. E. Sowers.
Grade 3, piano—First-class honors—Muriel Jarvis, Ardel Tennant, Honors—Edith Glad, Esther Richmond, Pass—Mary Hoskin, Dorothy Keene.
Grade 2, piano—First-class honors—Blanche Copeland, Eleanor Ferguson, Luther Jackson, Dorothy Morgan, Honors—Jack Heaman, Pass—Annie Ormond, Dena White.

Singing.
Junior—First-class honors—Mrs. Burton, Grace Smith, Honors—Gertrude Du Mare, Mrs. Sheritt.
Harmony, Counterpoint, Etc.
Grade 5, harmony—Honors—Olive Shadlock.
Grade 4, counterpoint—First-class honors—Mildred Granger.
Grade 3, harmony—Honors—Laura Kirkwood, Pass—Rosa Bloomfield.
Grade 2, harmony—Honors—Rosa Bloomfield, Gladys Wanless.
Grade 1, history—First-class honors—Laura Kirkwood, Pass—Rosa Bloomfield.
Grade 4, form—First-class honors—Rosa Bloomfield, Lena Coates, Myrtle Robinson, Gladys Redding, Gladys Wanless, Lillian Webster, Pass—Elsie Parker.
Grade 3, rudiments—First-class honors—Gertrude Du Mare, Grace Smith, Grace Udy, Honors—Alice Coy, Pass—Medeline Baker, Margaret Scott.
Grade 2, rudiments—First-class honors—Mary Hosie, Gladys Pink, Mary Wilkey, Honors—Rosa Daly.

MENSALL.
Junior singing—First-class honors—Ola Cook, Mrs. Gertrude, Gladys Hardie, Jureen Murdoch, Honors—Vera Geiger, Margaret Lamont, Mayne Leppert, Muriel Prester, Florence Welsh, Pass—Margaret Wilson.
Grade 3, piano—Honors—Mary McDonald.

PARKHILL.
Grade 3, piano—Honors—Blanche Anderson, George Leary.
Grade 2, piano—First-class honors—Annie Nichol, Nora Robertson, Honors—Lorraine Ferguson, Victor Lloyd.
Grade 1, piano—First-class honors—Leon Kannehan, Gernie Trevelthick, Honors—Cora Foster, Pass—Jean Elliott.

BLENHIM.
Grade 2, piano—Honors—Alice Thompson.

Junior Violin—Pass—Leonard Adams.
Primary Violin—First-class honors—Winifred Mann.
Grade 1, rudiments—Honors—Leonard Adams, Pass—Winifred Mann, INGERSOLL.
Grade 2, piano—First-class honors—Doris Rowsa, Pass—Marguerite Sturges.
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Grade 2, rudiments—First-class honors—Emile Ford, Edna Wise.
ST. MARYS.
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Grade 2, piano—Honors—Irene Bridgman, Pass—Olive Spearin.
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RAILWAY EMPLOYEES DEMAND LOWER HOURS
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BORDEN AT WASHINGTON.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Sir Robert Borden, the premier of Canada, went to New York tonight after three days of conference on war problems with officials of the American Government. He will spend several days in New York, and before starting for Ottawa may return to Washington to further discuss some questions taken up during his visit.

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Little Mary McAllister, proclaimed by many critics as the screen's most winsome child star, is now being featured in "Pants," a five-part comedy-drama showing at the Patricia Theatre today and Saturday.

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Vigorous Appeal Vibrates Sympathetic Chords in the Premier's System.

(Special to The Advertiser.)
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The appeal was warmly supported by J. C. Elliott, Liberal member for West

Middlesex, who thought the special grant of \$10,000 to the Western University looked pretty small alongside the special grant of \$100,000 to the University of Toronto. Mr. Elliott pointed out that the Western University was centrally located in the best section of Ontario, and was splendidly equipped to serve Western Ontario. It had been handicapped in the past through lack of funds, and he hoped that in future the Government would deal more generously with it.

The prime minister, Sir William Borden, was deeply impressed with the remarks of the Middlesex Liberal, and promised sympathetic consideration. There would be a readjustment, he said, but the Government felt that wartime was not the time for readjustment.

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Secrets of Health and Happiness

Too Much Transfused Blood as Useless as None at All

By DR. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG,
A. B., M. A., M. D. (Johns Hopkins University.)



Your blood is no better or no worse than the next man's—if you are both in good health. Inheritance, race and family are not distinctive in the blood. All healthy human blood is about the same. You ask for "thin blood," pure blood, "blood bones," "new blood" and blood with no acid in it. All words, words, words.

When there is less of much blood through hemorrhages or defects in the blood, as in such diseases as pernicious anemia, lymphatic leukemia and cancer, the red bone marrow in the ends of certain long bones helps to put forth more new red blood corpuscles than usual.

In new-born infants and in the bone marrow and blood of those whose scarlet fever has been depleted or injured in some fashion, the red blood corpuscles—usually increase to as much as 10 per cent of the red ones. Indeed, in some asphyxiated or asphyxiated children, the red blood corpuscles with their woven skins, mount to 20 per cent.

Calmed into inaction. Strange to say, by the correct employment of another person's healthy blood, transfusions, these youthful, blood-making corpuscles are increased in number.

If, however, too much blood is transfused into the patient it interferes with the blood and growth of these embryonic corpuscles. In other words, there is as much menace in overdoing a good thing as in not doing it at all. The explanation of this is to be found in the bone marrow. Less than a little strange blood bestir the mother marrow to give augmented birth to the infant corpuscles. Too many strange blood corpuscles dampen the marrow.

What Every Woman Should Do to Beautify Her Hair

By LUCREZIA BORI

The Famous Spanish Prima Donna

A beautiful picture surrounded by an ugly frame loses half its charm. A lovely face framed with faded, lifeless hair loses its attractiveness.

Even though a face cannot boast of cameo-like features it can be improved by crowning with long, luxuriant hair that will keep it.

It is not a vain ambition to make the hair beautiful, because women do not give it the attention necessary to stimulate its growth.

The hair needs light, air, exercise and nourishment. Exercise is given by vigorous brushing. Select a good brush for this purpose. Pay more attention to the back of the head. The hair should be brushed from the scalp, but the brush should be firm enough to stimulate the circulation of the blood through the scalp. The best result from brushing, divide the hair into strands, and then brush each section separately. It is also very important that the brush be kept scrupulously clean.

The hair gets their sustenance from the scalp. You can aid by massaging the scalp systematically with the fingertips. If the scalp is dry, rub vasoline or castor oil into it. This makes the hair soft and glossy.

Persons who do not care to use this form of tonic can apply a good hair tonic made according to the following formula:

Phenol 1/4 dram
Tincture of nuxvomica 7 1/2 grains
Tincture of cinchona 1 ounce
Tincture of eufrasia 1/2 ounce
Sweet almond oil 4 ounces

Apply to the roots of the hair with soft toothbrush or small sponge, once twice a day. This tonic is particularly good for very dry hair.

Sometimes the oil glands of the scalp are overactive and the hair becomes heavy and greasy looking. To remedy this condition the following is an excellent formula:

Sulphate of quinine 1 dram
Rosewater 8 ounces
Distilled sulphuric acid 2 drops
Cologne 2 ounces

In these ingredients, then add 1/2 ounce essence of rosin, 1/2 ounce essence of rose, 1/2 ounce essence of sandalwood, 1/2 ounce essence of vanilla.

Apply to the roots of the hair every day. In the strenuous rush of business, household or social duties it is inconvenient for a woman to have her hair air-dried and sun-bathed every day, but she should spend half an hour a week for this attention. The hair should be allowed to hang free over the shoulders so that the sun dries every strand. Give it an occasional shake so that the breezes may roughly ventilate the scalp.

You should keep your hair as clean as your face. Wash it with a shampoo of rainwater and a white soap, or any one of the soaps that are highly recommended for particular purpose.

Rinse the hair in clear water several times, taking care that every particle of soap has been removed. Then dry it.

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ens its ardor. It is deceived into too much chemical comfort. That is to say, the marrow is calmed into inaction, because there seems to be plenty of healthy blood present.

Must Work Own Salvation. This same principle holds much for all living tissues. Whenever a muscle, stomach, a blood-making structure or what not gets too much artificial help either its best work, or, in fact, any work. On the other hand, it is stimulated just enough to make it "get busy" to defend itself and the other parts dependent on it, and soon acquires capacity to do more than is normally expected of it.

Dr. O. H. Robertson of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research has lately proved this fact for bone marrow. Experimentally, he brought about various amounts of transfused blood in animals.

The useful aspect of this discovery is that surgeons who devote their skill to blood transfusions must use exact quantities—much less than usual. In blood when there is need to transfuse it into jaundiced, anemic or convalescent persons, if an excess is transferred it will check new blood formation and notify the bone marrow falsely that its efforts are not wanted by the blood-starved veins and arteries.

Answers to Health Questions
Mrs. K. Q.—Will you please tell me what causes varicose veins?

Dr. H. Q.—Varicose veins have many causes. They are due to trouble with the force behind the blood flow, such as the heart or kidneys or liver, or some obstruction to the flow of the veins, as pressure on the large vein that the small ones empty into.

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The Afternoon Blouse at the Right is of Finest Net in a Darned-Lace Pattern.

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High Collars Are Found on Latest French Models

By ANNETTE BRADSHAW

HERE has been a general revival of the lingerie blouse, and the high collar comes into its own again.

Note the model with the vest effect. The material is finest handkerchief linen. The vest is fashioned of handrun, pinch tucks and frills of Val. lace. A row of tiny, pearl buttons extend from the top of the choker collar to the waistline. Each side of the vest is trimmed with groups of tiny tucks and frills of lace.

The sleeves are three-quarter length trimmed with tucks and bands finished with wide, pleated frills.

Finest net is the material used for the dainty afternoon blouse with the low neck. It is elaborately ornamented in a darned lace pattern which completely covers the front and terminates in a group of eyelets. The square neckline is finished with a narrow turnover collar of darned net.

The full sleeves are also richly ornamented with the exquisite needlework. The woman who desires to be considered "smart" will look to her blouse this season.

ponder further the meaning of his badly concealed agitation at my statement concerning the waitress.

Could it be, I asked myself, that he was but an unwilling accomplice in the plot against our country in which Lillian was so sure Grace Draper was engaged? Had he, though some coil of circumstances, become entangled in the plot with himself being in sympathy with them? Was the atrophied organ he called his conscience feebly endeavoring to make itself heard? The rush of color to his face, his undeniable embarrassment as he looked at the French girl, who had in all probability given her all to her country, were to me significant of a latent, decent manliness struggling to assert itself within him.

With rising excitement I bethought myself of a test that all unwittingly I had led him to face. The manager of the Fleur de Lis was a most fiery patriot. A daughter of the Revolution. At half after twelve each day, it was his custom to stand before the piano, breaks into the strains of "The Star Spangled Banner," and plays one verse thoroughly. The manager, then, looking over her crowded tables to see if any recalcitrant remains seated while the martial music rings out. Should there be such a one, or one who is even too ignorant in rising to suit the prejudice of the patriotic manager, he or she is quietly invited never again to enter the doors of the Fleur de Lis.

It lacked but a few moments of the time for the daily ceremony. What would Harry Underwood do?

What Madge Thought.

"I think that is the idea of the whole place," I answered, and then hurried on in idle, inconsequent chatter about the tea room and others of the kind. I wished to afford Mr. Underwood no opportunity for further comments. I also wished, underneath the cover of my banal remarks, to

"I raised my head and looked him squarely in the eyes. He dropped his own after an instant and spoke nervously, rapidly.

"Sorry, truly," he said. "I promised you I wouldn't annoy you, and I mean it. I won't. But oh, girl, if you knew what it means to me just to see you after all these weeks! Now, that's all."

As I moved restively, "Aren't these the siffy chairs though? They're real home, mother's-sitting-room-like chairs."

"Anything they have is all right for me."

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KITCHEN ECONOMIES

BY ISOBEL BRANDS
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How You Can Turn the Skins of Fruits and Vegetables to Delicious Uses.

We pay for the skins of fruits and vegetables just as much as we do for their pulp. In some instances there is even more value near the skins than in the pulp itself. Why then do we so often sin by paring and throwing away the skins?

Probably the potato offers the best example of this waste. It takes an experienced housewife to peel a potato without waste. More generally the skin of the potato is sliced off rather than peeled off. But the best method is not to peel a potato at all before cooking. In fact, if the potatoes are well scrubbed and then baked they can be eaten skin and all. There is a peculiar nut-like flavor to the potatoes eaten in this way. But particularly the valuable mineral salts, which lie close to the skin of the potato, are in this way taken into the body instead of being lost through thick peeling.

If skins have to be removed—as in the case of beets, carrots, onions, etc.—they should either be scraped off or otherwise thinly peeled off after boiling. Fruits, such as apples, pears and others, need not be peeled at all for cooking purposes, but quartered and cored and cooked with their skins on. The toughest outer layer of skin can be removed after cooking by pressing the fruit through a sieve, and this method of skin removal prevents the waste of the mineral content.

In many cases skins by themselves can be prepared as a separate article of food. The peel of grapefruit or oranges makes a delicious and wholesome candy. Simply cut the peel into strips, cover it with cold water, boil it until it is tender, and then drop it into boiling syrup. Cool it until clear, then remove it to a plate until cool and roll it in granulated sugar.

Even apple skins can be converted into an excellent home drink—a wholesome and harmless tea. This is made by drying the apple skins just as you would dry any other fruit, packing them in boxes or jars and covering them closely. Whenever desired, simply drop some of the dried skins into a cup, pour boiling water over them and sweeten to taste. It has an excellent flavor, although, of course, it does not resemble tea at all, but simply tastes like a heated fruit juice.

Some Vegetables Leaves. The outer leaves of cabbage and lettuce and the celery tops are other things which we pay for, but usually throw away, because they are not good enough to serve or cook with the other parts. All of these, however, can be

used in making soup or flavoring sauces.

In fact, if you will use your discarded celery leaves when cooking cabbage you will find that the unpleasant cabbage odor does not appear, because of the stronger aroma of the celery, and the humble dish of cooked cabbage tastes more like the more expensive stewed celery.

Have you a housekeeping problem upon which you wish an expert's advice? Write to Isobel Brands, Applicroft Experiment Station, Greenlawn, N.Y., and enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope for a personal reply.

Good Night Stories

Illustrated by Gruella
HOW DICKY USED HAPPY GIGGLES' RECIPE.

"Oh, dear!" exclaimed Dicky one day late last spring. "I wish mamma and Dotty would hurry home. I can't play alone."

"Yes, that is hard!" laughed a merry voice, and Dicky's little friend, Happy Giggles, hopped from the rosebush in front of Dicky.

"Oh, Happy Giggles!" exclaimed Dicky.

"To enrich the soil and to make the corn grow faster," replied John. "After the holes are filled with dirt well so back and press the dirt down real hard, so the rains won't wash the grains of corn out and the birds carry them away."

"Up one row and down another they went, old John humming and whistling as he worked. Dicky following after him. "Finished planting corn so soon?" asked Dicky's mamma.

"Yes, indeed!" replied John, "but I'd never been through it Dicky hadn't helped me."

"Happy Giggles says if you're lonesome to find something to do," laughed Dicky, "so I helped John."

"Happy Giggles is right, dear," mamma smiled. "Busy hands make time fly, and one who is busy never has time to grow lonesome."

Then she handed Dicky a nice box of candy and they all had a feast.

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BRYAN—At his late residence, 257
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Queen Street East. Interment at Mount Pleasant
Cemetery.

CAMBRIDGE—In this city on Thurs-
day, Feb. 28, 1916, John Cambridge,
beloved husband of the late Clara
Cambridge, in his 72nd year.

Funeral strictly private from the
residence of his daughter, Mrs. L.
Cambridge, 1000 Queen Street East,
March 3, at 3 o'clock, service at
2:30. Interment at Mount Pleasant
Cemetery. In kindness omit flowers.

PITCHEY—At his late residence, 357
Watling Street, on Wednesday, Feb. 24,
1916, William Pitchey, in his 78th
year.

Funeral private from above address
on Saturday morning at 8:30. Re-
quiem high mass in St. Mary's Church,
Dorchester. Interment at St. Peter's
Cemetery.

MATTHEWS—At Glenora, Alta., on
Feb. 26, 1916, Philip Matthews, in his
72nd year.

Funeral private from the residence of
his daughter, Mrs. D. A. Matthews, 724
Elgin Street, on Monday, March 4, Inter-
ment at Woodland Cemetery.

PHILLIPS—In this city, on Wednesday,
Feb. 23, 1916, William Phillips, late of
London Township, in his 87th year.

Funeral from the residence of his
son-in-law, Mr. D. A. McKellar, 724
Elgin Street, on Saturday, March 2, at
2 p.m., service at 1:30. Friends and
acquaintances please accept this in-
formation. Interment at St. John's
Cemetery.

DEATH—her daughter's residence,
Mrs. Albert Ellery, Mount Elgin, on
Wednesday, Feb. 23, 1916, Sarah El-
lery, formerly of 1 Brighton Street, Lon-
don.

Funeral on Saturday, March 2,
from the residence of her son,
Charles Ellery, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2,
Dorchester. Service at 1:30 p.m. In-
terment at Putnam Cemetery.

SCREATON—Died at his late resi-
dence, 26 Craig Street, on Wednes-
day, Feb. 23, 1916, Samuel Screaton.
Funeral service Friday at 2:30
p.m. (private) at 3 p.m. Kindly
omit flowers.

IN MEMORIAM.

LAWRENCE—In loving memory of
P. T. Lawrence, 72nd Battalion,
missing at Vimy Ridge, Jan. 1st,
1916.—Wife.

MEETINGS.

ONTARIO COMMERCIAL TRAVEL-
ERS—All are invited to attend the
monthly meeting of the associa-
tion's rooms, Dominion Savings
Building, Saturday, March 2nd, at
8 p.m. in connection with the
overseas tobacco fund. 20c

REGULAR MEETING OF ST. JOHNS
Lodge, 2094, A. F. and
M. E. in Masonic Hall, Queen's
avenue, this (Friday) evening,
7:30. General business and degrees.
Visitors welcome. P. S. Campbell, W. M.;
J. E. Keenleyside, secretary. P

PROF. W. SHERWOOD FOX, FOR-
merly of Princeton University, will
address the Literary Society tonight
at 8 in University Gym, Oxford
Street, on "Classics as a Utilitarian
Subject." 20c

HONORABLY DISCHARGED SOL-
DIERS' Association—General meet-
ing of all interested in the associa-
tion of this organization will be
held on Monday, March 4, at 8 p.m.
in the Y. M. C. A. at 430 Queen's
Street, on "Classics as a Utilitarian
Subject." 20c

THE ADJOURNED GENERAL MEET-
ing of the Child Welfare Association
will be held in the Y. M. C. A. on
Friday afternoon, March 3, at 2 p.m.
and interested in the work of the
new organization are invited to be
present. 13c

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES, TALBOT
Street Church every night, 8 o'clock.
Welcome.

WONDERFUL HOMES, LIGHTED
with the new electric light, was
death, no bills to pay, in a wonderful
city, by a wonderful benefactor, in
a wonderful way. Hear about it. 217

WE HAVE A FEW FORD TOURING
and runabouts left, recently over-
hauled and painted. Call and see
them before you buy. Universal
Motor Sales, next to Ford Assembly
Plant. 13c

USED CARS FOR SALE.

1916 FORD TOURING CAR—Newly-painted
and in excellent condition. Exceptionally low price for quick sale.
1918 McLAUGHLIN TOURING CAR—Model E35, Four
Cylinder. This car has been used for a short time as a
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RICHMOND AND BATHURST STREETS.
PHONES 2873-4708.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—VAMPER SIDE LASTER.
No. 5 operator. Must be fine shoes.
Steady. E. T. Wright & Co., St.
Thomas.

WANTED—SHOE SALESMAN.
Experienced. Apply giving full par-
ticulars and references. C. E. Raven,
St. Thomas.

WANTED—TWO FIRST-CLASS
agricultural implement salesmen for
Western Ontario to handle a line of
engines, ensilage cutters, silos,
threshers and tractors. Must be ex-
perienced and furnish references
with application. Apply Box 31, Lon-
don Advertiser.

GET BACK TO THE LAND.
Ye men and boys! Good houses for
married couples, wages right. Carpen-
ters and plasterers off to Halifax.
March 5.

ONTARIO GOVERNMENT EMPLOY-
MENT BUREAU.
108 Dundas Street. Phone 5296.

JEWELLERS WANTED, ALSO STONE
setters. State experience and wages
expected. Jackson, How & Jackson,
34 Adelaide Street West, Toronto. 20c

YOUNG MAN WANTED FOR SHIP-
PING ROOM. Apply A. B. Greer &
Sons, York and Talbot.

MIDMECHANICS WANTED.—SHEET
metal expert for responsible position.
Good opening for skilled mechanic
with ability and education to design
and estimate. Address Canada Ingot
Iron Company, Guelph.

WOODTURNER WANTED.—ONE
with some experience on a Mattison
machine preferred. The F. E.
Coombe Furniture Company, Limited,
Kincardine.

TELEGRAPHERS AND STATION
agents in great demand owing to mil-
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says: "These men are on active ser-
vice, and are performing a national
service. They are steady, reliable,
young men with a good opportunity.
Free book explains why." Send for
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road, Toronto.

WANTED.—TO ENGAGE CLEAN,
hardy man or woman for general
truck farm work. Must be willing
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15c

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Linscott Company, Brantford, Ont.

A RELIABLE SALESMAN WANTED
—In town and district in Western
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planting list now ready. Send for
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YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST WITH
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WANTED—GENERAL MAID—NO
washing. Apply 517 Princess Avenue.
13c

TWO WAITRESSES WANTED FOR
dining-room. Apply Metropole Cafe.
20c

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Monday. Apply Box 27, The Adver-
tiser.

WANTED—WOMAN OR GIRL TO
do light housework during day and
sleep at home. Apply J. B. Hay, 130
Dundas Street.

SOME GOOD GIRLS WANTED

For Biscuit and Candy Departments.
Apply Tinseltown.

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Apply Mrs. J. M. Moore, 383 Dufferin
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WOMAN WANTED FOR KITCHEN
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WANTED—GIRL WITH SOME EX-
PERIENCE in marking and sorting
steady work. Apply Parisian Lau-
ndry. 13c

DRESSMAKER WANTED—ROOMS
machines, fire, light free. Established
trade. Apply The Wm. Geary Com-
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GIRLS WANTED IMMEDIATELY FOR
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ply Employment Department, McCor-
mick Building, 100 Dundas Street.
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WANTED—WOMEN DISTRIBUTORS
for various non-rubbing washing
tablets and non-alcoholic food fla-
vors, etc.; make 43¢ daily; sample out-
fit for four washings free on receipt
of 5¢ stamp and promise to work
spare time of full time. Bradley-
Garcia, Limited, Brantford, Ont.
Mar. 15

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McNee & Sons, 381 Canine
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ONE LARGE ROOM, SUITABLE FOR
two gentlemen. Apply 411 King

Another Chance to
"Beat the Game" by Ordering Tomorrow!

SAVE! EVERYBODY'S
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GREAT NEWS!

"Tip Top" Old Price Extended
UNTIL MONDAY

The tremendous business of last Saturday prevented many men from getting measured. These men (also any others who desire to take advantage of it) will be given

Another Opportunity Saturday and Monday to
"Get In" at the Old Price and Save the Advance

Last Saturday a large number of men—eager to save the advance price—left their measures at \$16. Many others, however, could not get waited upon. Consequently we feel duty bound to give these patrons one more opportunity to order before our new price becomes effective, as it will positively when the Tip Top chain of stores open for business at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday, March 5th.

To Those Far-Sighted Men
Who Believe in Getting the
Most for their Money--

This announcement will be of the utmost importance. Our new spring materials are included, and nowhere will you find a larger or more correct assembly. There is a variety in suitings and overcoatings that will enable every man to select the fabric and style that suits him best.

Now that we have decided to extend the \$16 price until Monday, we are willing to take as many orders as possible. We know full well that every suit and overcoat will be a walking advertisement for us for a long time to come, and cannot be duplicated elsewhere for less than at least \$10 more than our price.

SATURDAY
AND
MONDAY



TIP TOP TAILORS
A CHAIN OF STORES FROM COAST TO COAST

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Every Garment Made to Measure

Financial, Market and Commercial Section

THE LOCAL MARKET

Forty-two loads of hay reached the market on Thursday, selling from \$14 to \$16 a ton. Oats remain at \$2.30 per cwt. Eggs are expected to drop in price in a short time owing to the mild weather. Live hogs are firm. Small vegetables are scarce, only a few being offered on the market today. Nine loads of straw were brought in Thursday. The price remained the same. Hides and wools are unchanged.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, March 1.—Receipts, 9,000; market steady; beefs, \$8.50; 14 50; stockers and feeders, \$7.00 to \$8.00; cows and heifers, \$5.75 to \$11.00; calves, \$9.00 to \$15.00. Hogs—Receipts, 42,000; market weak; light, \$10.00 to \$11.00; heavy, \$10.00 to \$11.00; pigs, \$11.00 to \$12.00; bulk of sales at \$10.00 to \$11.00. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; market steady; lambs native, \$13.00 to \$14.00; sheep, \$10.00 to \$11.00.

East Buffalo, N.Y., March 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 300; opened steady, closed easier. Cows—Receipts, 1,200 head; steady, at \$7.00 to \$7.50. Hogs—Receipts, 3,200; irregular; heavy and mixed, \$17.00 to \$17.50; Yorkers, light Yorkers and pigs, \$17.00 to \$17.50; roughs, \$15.00 to \$16.00. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; active and strong; lambs, \$13.00 to \$13.50; ewes, \$12.00 to \$12.50; mixed sheep, \$12.00 to \$12.50.

Chicago Grain Market. [Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] Chicago, March 1. Corn—Open, High, Low, Close. May, \$1.27 1/2, \$1.27 1/2, \$1.27 1/2, \$1.27 1/2. May, \$1.27 1/2, \$1.27 1/2, \$1.27 1/2, \$1.27 1/2.

Chicago, March 1.—Opening: Corn—May, \$1.27 1/2. Corn—March, \$1.27 1/2; May, \$1.27 1/2. Winnipeg, March 1.—The oats market opened 1/4c lower for May at 55c. Flax opened unchanged for May at \$3.65. Barley was not quoted.

Chicago, March 1.—Trade today in future deliveries of corn came near to a complete standstill. Knowledge that until March 10 the food administration would take 500,000 to 600,000 bushels daily for export, had a tendency to disconcert the market. On the other hand, the fact that the market for futures was not far from the maximum price limit left but little incentive to speculate. Opening figures, which showed an advance of a shade, with May at \$1.27, were steadily maintained. Late in the day, continued scarcity of arrivals gave strength to oats. Owing to preference being given to the transport of corn, no important increase of oats supplies was looked for soon. After opening 1/4c off to 3/8c to 1/2c higher, with May at \$1.27 1/2, the market scored moderate further gains.

WALL STREET. New York, March 1.—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Advances outnumbered declines at the opening of today's stock market, but the tone continued irregular. St. Paul common gained a substantial fraction, while the preferred lost 1/4 point. United States Steel, selling minus its dividends of 4 1/2 points, made slight gain, and minor equities were fractionally higher, with Bethlehem Steel, Crucible Steel, Marine, Sumatra Tobacco, and Canadian Cane Sugar. Liberty bonds were strong. Noon—Stocks developed heaviness before the end of the first hour, reactions of 1 to almost 2 points being registered by representative such as United States Steel, Marine preferred and Reading. Other active equipments and war specialties for solid early gains, with pronounced weakness in tobacco. Short selling was invited by latest aspects of the war. There was a moderate rally toward noon, but trading continued cautious.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE. Thomson & McKinnon, brokers, Royal Bank Building, report fluctuations in New York stocks for The Advertiser as follows:

Trunk Lines and Grangers—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Baltimore & Ohio	33 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Erie, com.	15	15 1/2	15	15 1/2
Erie, 1st pfd.	24 1/2	25 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Great Western	20 1/2	21 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
New York Central	71 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
Rock Island	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
St. Paul	41 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Southern	11 1/2	12 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Union Pacific	122 1/2	123 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Ches. & Ohio	55 1/2	56 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Norfolk & West	34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Reading Railway	78 1/2	79 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Trunk Lines	30 1/2	31 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Brooklyn Transit	30 1/2	31 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Allis-Chalmers	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
American Can	41 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
American Car	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Am. Locomotive	65 1/2	66 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Am. Smelter	81 1/2	82 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Am. Tel. & Tel.	107 1/2	108 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	77 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Central Leather	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Corn Products	35 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Col. Fuel & Iron	35 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Distillers	25 1/2	26 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
General Motors	117 1/2	118 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
Goodyear Rubber	41 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
G. Northern Ore	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Inland Nickel	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Marine, com.	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Marine, pfd.	30 1/2	31 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Pacific Mail	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2

ALL SCHOOLS MAKING AN EFFORT TO OBSERVE LAWS REGARDING BILINGUALISM

LEGISLATIVE BUILDINGS. TO ROSTER, Feb. 28.—Thirty-five per cent of the English-French schools of Ontario are complying absolutely with the law, and others, though not strictly complying with the law, are making a sincere effort to improve the standard of the province. This was the assertion of Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, Minister of Education, at a session of the Legislature. Mr. Ferguson said outside of the city of Ottawa the condition of the English-French schools had much improved in the last two or three years, particularly in the north country, and even in Ottawa the official reports indicated that a better effort was being made to comply with the requirements of the law. Sam Carter (South Wellington) thought that the membership of the House should be reduced, in the interests of economy, to the same number as the Ontario seats in the Dominion House.

"We have voted to extend our life as a Legislature," he continued. "I am willing to take \$1,000 instead of \$1,400 indemnity until that extension is made. I am standing (East Hamilton) did not agree with Mr. Carter on reduction of indemnity. He recalled that he had had the whole twelve months of the public service, and the indemnity was all he had. He gave the \$100 to charity."

A. Pinard (East Ottawa) agreed with Mr. Stuchin.

ROOFING. SLATE, GRAVEL AND CEMENT ROOF. Paint for iron roofs. Walter Scott, 506 York street.

SLATE ROOFING—OUR SPECIALTY. Slate, gravel, cement, J. Whitaker, 531 King street.

SURVEYORS. F. W. FAIRBANKS, CIVIL ENGINEER, Surveyor, Room 307, Dominion Savings Building, Phone 552.

ACCOUNTANTS. WM. H. WILLIS, PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT—Audits, Investigations and Systems. 344 Burwell street. Phone 2720.

WILD RUMOR AFOAT

Body Alleged to Have Been Found in Reservoir, Say Scandal-Mongers. A wild rumor was in circulation both yesterday and today that a body had been found in the Springbank reservoir. Of course, there is no truth in it. "There are 16 feet 3 inches of water in the reservoir, nothing more," said General Manager E. V. Buchanan.

SIX MORE CAPTURED.—The trail of apprehended men from various points throughout Western Ontario to the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. Regiment, continues. Although the battling average of the police dropped slightly Wednesday, when they failed to net any draft dodgers, yet they recovered themselves Thursday, capturing six more men to add to the depot unit.

INQUEST TONIGHT.—The inquest into the death of Samuel Barr of Clinton, who was found dead beside the G. T. R. tracks at Hyde Park last Saturday evening, will be held in the hall at Hyde Park tonight. Dr. C. C. Ross will conduct the inquiry.

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STANDARD STOCK AND MINING EXCHANGE.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, March 1.—Mining sales: Davidson, 1,000 at 25 1/2; Dome Lake, 2,000 at 25, 2,000 at 25 1/2; McIntyre, 500 at 14 1/2, 4,000 at 14, 1,700 at 13 1/2, 2,600 at 13 1/2; New Ray, 500 at 20, 2,000 at 20 1/2; Porcupine Crown, 1,000 at 18; Vipond, 1,000 at 22; Preston, 500 at 23; Schumacher, 500 at 24 1/2, 2,000 at 25, 1,000 at 24; West Dome, 7,000 at 12 1/2; Adams, 1,000 at 10 1/2, 1,000 at 10; Bailey, 1,000 at 4; Provincial, 1,000 at 52.

S.O.S.

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SATURDAY MORNING BETWEEN 9 AND 10 O'CLOCK

—16 RAINCOATS—

Dark Grey Paramatta, English make, sold everywhere for \$10.50. One-hour price ... \$3.95

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LOOK AT THIS LIST:

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- 17-Quart I.X. Retinned Seamless Dishpans; worth 90c, for.....29c
- 12-Quart Seamless Steel Retinned Pails; worth \$1.00, for.....60c
- 2-Quart Tin Teapots.....15c
- Japanned Knife-Boxes.....17c
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thresher's son, and my father ap-
plied for my exemption and got
it. My exemption paper states that
I am exempted until I cease to be a
farmer. 1. Can my father withdraw
my exemption?

2. Do I have to thresh every fall?
A. He cannot withdraw it. He could
notify the deputy registrar that the
conditions on which it was granted had
changed; in other words, that you were
no longer necessary on his farm or
threshing outfit. If you were to obtain
employment at something other than

as a farmer your exemption would ter-
minate automatically. As you would
cease to be employed as a farmer.
However, you would even in that case
have 30 days' grace before it would
terminate.

2. Yes.
3. According to the terms of your ex-
emption you do not.

M. S. Q.—Is a man of military
age exempted if he had no vote in the
last election because he did
not reside in his present riding
long enough to qualify?

A. No. The war-time elections act
exempts from combatant military ser-
vice certain naturalized British sub-
jects of enemy nationality.

L. J. K. Q.—Is it possible for me
to secure my railway fare to Har-
rison for my medical examination?
I paid my own expenses there.

A.—If you were ordered to go there,
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R. M. Q.—I have any class A
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Military District No. 1?

2. Will they be given out in order
of date of discharge, or date of
application?

3. Who will receive class A
badges?

4. Under the M.S.A., are returned
discharged men liable to be called
out?

5. How often does a discharged
man on pension appear before a
medical board?

A.—1. Yes, quite a large number.
2. Apparently, no definite order is
being followed, but those who apply
first stand the best chance of getting
them first.

3. Briefly, those who have served in
France. Apply to Major C. O. Fair-
bank, Wolseley Barracks, London, Ont.,
for fuller information.

4. The act exempts from service men
who have been dishonorably discharged
after serving in any theatre of actual
war. This was at first taken to mean
service in France, but later local mili-
tary authorities included those who had
served in England among those ex-
cluded.

5. About once every six months
usually.

G. A. B. Q.—To whom could I
write for information regarding the
V.A.D. course at the military hos-
pital?

A.—Mrs. J. F. Thomson, 404 Talbot
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Are the men who sit in our Dominion
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under any kind of an oath of office
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how in handling the affairs of the na-
tion? If they are, how does their oath
fit on the doings of our Government
during the last four years? Is there
any provision in the statutes of Can-
ada for the violation of an oath? Were
the acts of the Borden Government,
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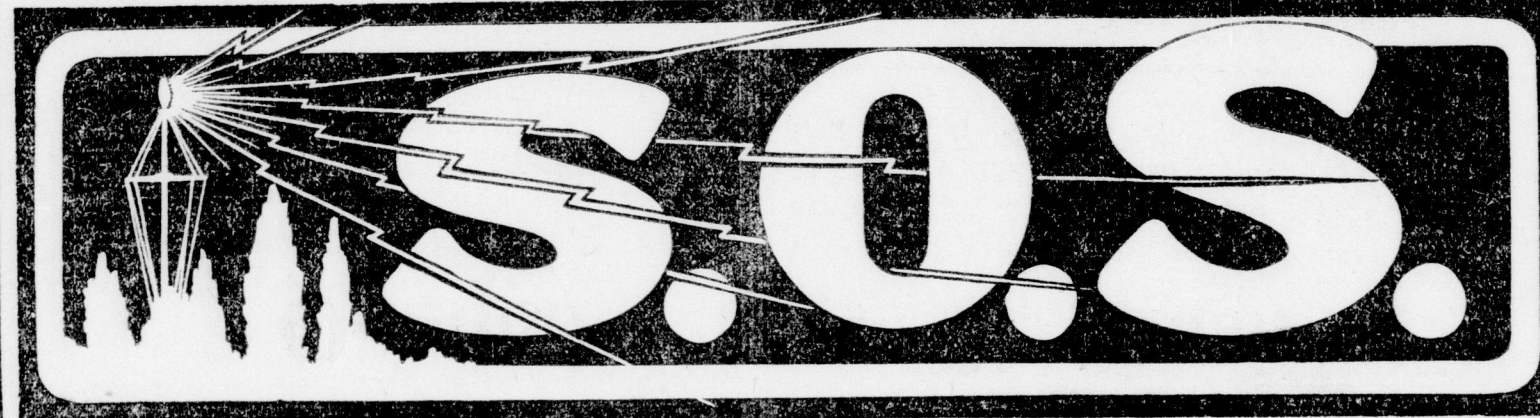
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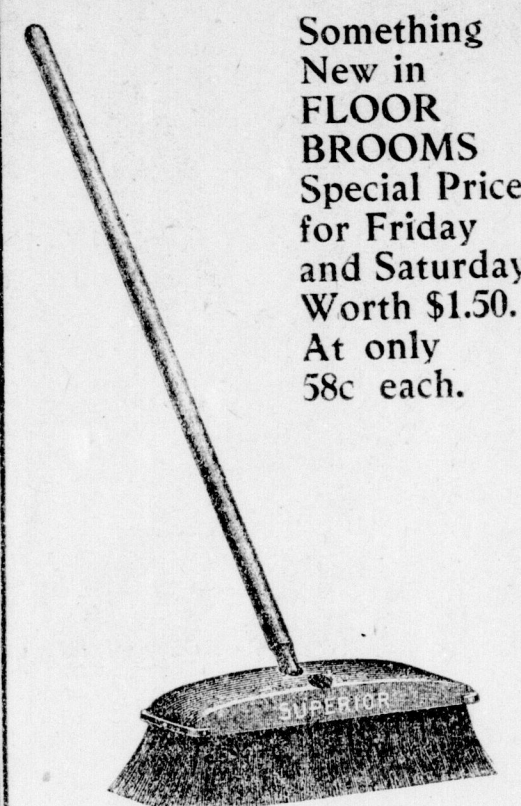
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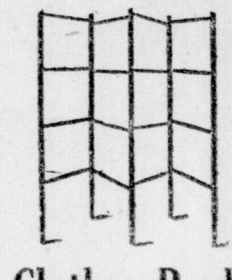
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sandwiches will be served without
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this occasion. Peanut butter, which
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