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tamily and Mrs. Sweet may share with you the abundant and satisfactory blessings of the Eternal Spirit. (Signed) Rev. G. A. Wocdside, act-ing president, Rev. D. E. Martin, Secretary."

sccretary." Following the reading this address, a number of the members of the asso. ciation spoke briefly, commending the good work of Mr. Kelly. There

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The retail rise for January was 1¹⁻² per cent., according to the Board of Trade Labor Gazette, which points out that the upward trend has been in flour and bread, six per cent., and in fish and granulated sugar five

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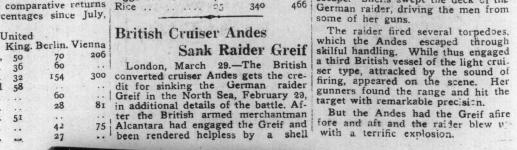
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AUTOMATIC AND BELL Editorial

Wednesday, March 29, 1916.

The Situation.

The French troops have repulsed another violent German attack in the Verdun region. The Paris official report states: "The successive waves of assault were all swept back with heavy losses inflicted by our barrier and infantry fire."

All reports agree that there is desperate fighting between the Huns and article in which it pays unreserved the Russians in the Dvinsk regions. tribute to the British fleet. Follow-It is said that both sides, realizing the ing are some extracts: closeness of the spring deluge, are "Shadowy ships of the German fleet making every sacrifice to secure posi- are often seen by cuticusiastic Gertions on high ground. The desperate man correspondents coming out of manner in which the Kaiserites are Kic! Harbor or cruising in the Baltic

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....Commercial. Campaign. Sir George Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce, made an im-bortant address last night before the Trade and Commerce, made an im-portant address last night before the Toronto Board of Trade. He review-Baltic. The German fleet has stayed dustrial situation in Canada since the strations for home effect. ed the commercial, financial and in- bottled up the te commercial, financial and in-dustrial situation in Canada since the war and the changes that will follow the declaration of peace. Canada was now passing through the transition period, as was the rest of the world A mighty revolution was taking place, the age of individualistic effort wea dawning. Few could scarcely under-stand the immensity of the transition that was taking place. With the close of the war we would come face to face with conditions such as never be fore existed: it would be a changed world. It was the duty of all to down and carefully think over what to base changes meant and to praper paredness had been the curse of the prove a big curse after the war unless a determined, concentrated, persisti ent and sustained effort were made to memcial, industrial, financial and sro-cial life of Canada had to be made. was the duty of the Government, was the duty of the Government, was the duty of the fort were made to ial life of Canada had to be made. was the duty of the Government, was the duty of the Government, was the duty of the fort were made to ial life of Canada had to be made. was the duty of the Government of the such text limits has that world to such perty limits has that world to such perty limits has that world to such perty limits has that should up. The text has built up with is incentrating of products shrunk-to the mark and to products shrunk-to the asting of the dovernment, the mater shrung of the doverner and to such perty limits has that world the interchange of products shrunk-to the east in file. The runge of the expired copyright the british fleet. Germany is the British fleet. Germany is the methany of the governing the file the such as the world the interchange of products shrunk-to the east is fluits has that world to the state and dot period to the text many do or not do, there is the British fleet. Germany is the as that will not make peace. The the posibi war and the changes that will follow If the Germans are ultimately beatcters and merchants, in fact of every-one who had the welfare of the coun-try at heart, to endeavor to find a so-lution of that immense problem. In this regard he announced that he will shortly establish, probably in Ot-tawa, a commercial museum, the plans for which are nearing complans for which are nearing com-pletion. Sir George stated that it her strivings for victory will be imwould be complete in every detail and potent."



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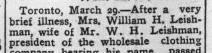
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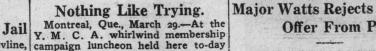
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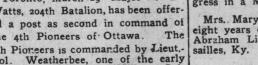


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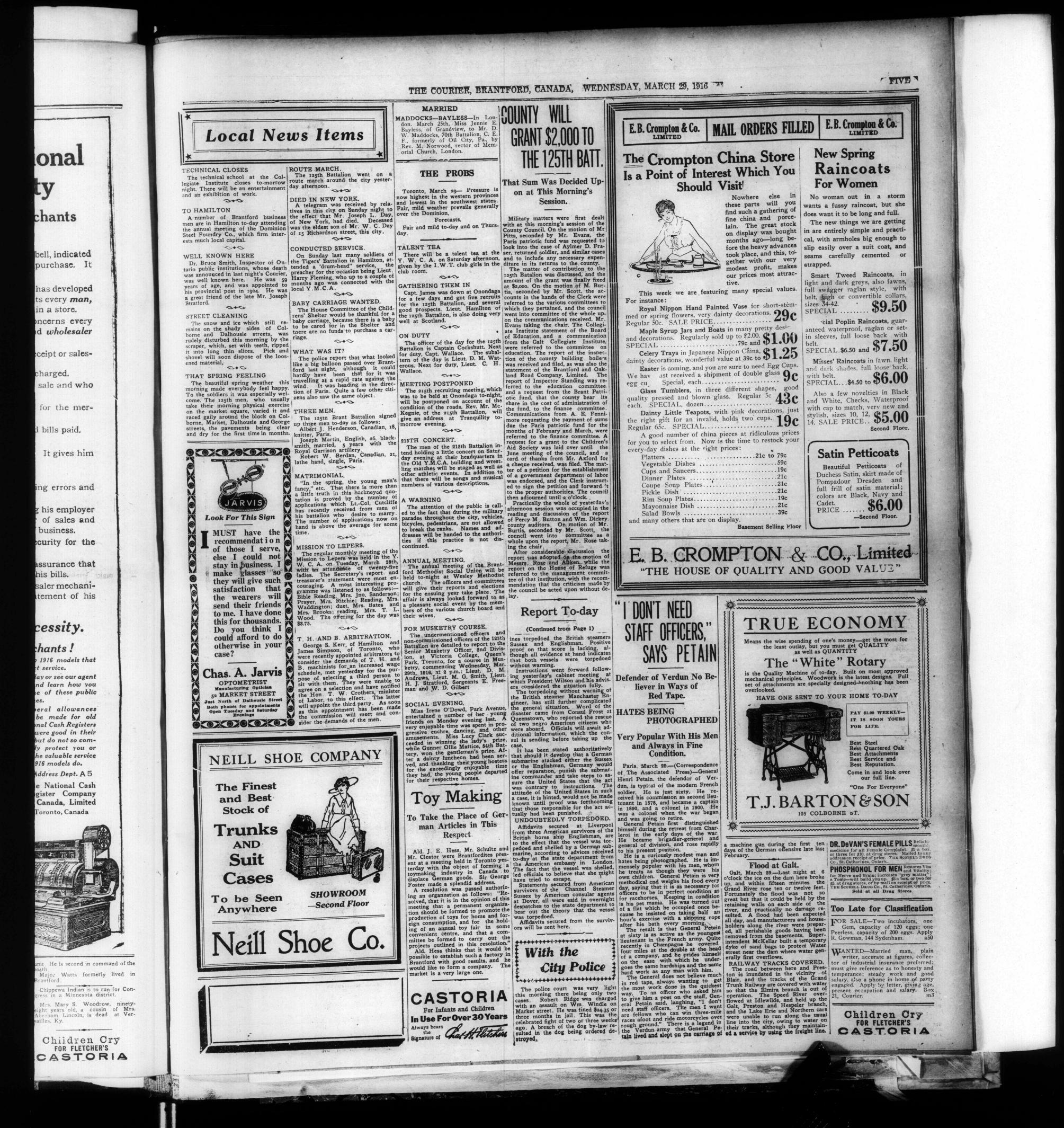


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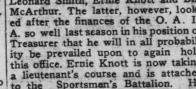
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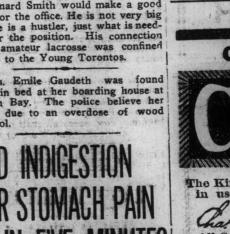
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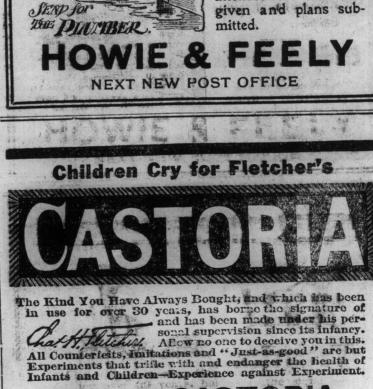
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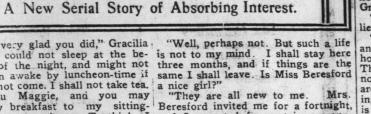
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nnipeg, March 29-True bills nst Sir Rodmond Roblin, Hon. ge R. Coldwell, Hon. James H. den and Thomas Kelly were reto Mr. Justice Prendergast in size Court yesterday afternoon he Grand Jury which has been stigating for some weeks charges ng out of the construction of the toba Parliament Buildings. e Grand Jury recommended that ials be held in June, and a date be set for argument, since it is expressed desire of the defence the charges be held immed

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Elaine the Fair

CHAPTER VII. Gracilia came back in the afternoon from a long walk, which she had taken to brace herself up after her sleepless Mail that." "She has a very interesting face. Those grey eyes with her black hair and olive complexion are original. She is not in the least like her moth-"""I suppose it was Mr. Grantly," she said, trying not to color, and fail-ing. "He is the only person who knows us both." "Precisely, my dear! And I listen-

A murmur of voices and a tinkle of

tea cups as she entered the hall ap-prised her that visitors had arrived.

to find herself blushing. I did not know you were here." "Why I told you yesterday that Mr Grantly was coming," cried Elaine, looking at her with surprise. "Mrs. Beresford, this is my cousin, Miss Latimer, who has taken pity on my loneliness and come to stay with me." Mrs. Beresford, a fashionable and distinguished looking woman, bowed slightly as she turned to take a cup of tea from a gentleman whom Gra-cilia discovered later to be Lord prixton.

Drixton. "Lisabel, I need scarcely introduce Miss Latimer to you," said Elaine. "My letters lately have been about pothing and pohoey also. I hear "When is your birthday?" "In a fortnight—barely time to see after our dresses. Lisabel, what will you wear?"

Miss Latimer to you, said Blane, "My letters lately have been about nothing and nobody else. I know you and she will be great friends, for you are kindred spirits."
"Delightful!" said Miss Beresford. She held out her hand with a frank smile to Gracilia. "It saves so much trouble when these things are settled and announced to us. I dare say it would have taken me at least three days to find out that we were kindred spirits, and now it is all comfortably arranged without any trouble. As to your letters, my dear Elaine, I am afraid they were neither as numerous nor as voluminous as people would imagine from what you have said. Still, I own to having heard something of Miss Latimer."
"What are the marks, Miss Verinder?" "It is a woman's duty to make her first considerations. Don't you, Mr. Grantly?" thing of Miss Latimer." "What are the marks, Miss Verin-der?" asked Lord Brixton. "Cast yourself into a trance, and tell me if I have any kindred spirits here. I am "I every woman had your genius it might. It would be energy expend-ed in vain in some cases." "Meaning minc," said Lisabel ser-"Meaning minc," said Lisabel serpining to know." "Lisabel may be one," said Elaine, pouting. "I am certain I am not." "How jolly! And it follows that Miss Latimer is another. How do you do it? Have you any private divining rod?" "Meaning mine," said Lisaber set-enely. "But I promise not to appear in the odious green frock." They separated soon after, and Gra-cilia invited Miss Beresford to her sitting room for a chat before dinner. "What a perfect room! It was here noor liter spent most of her time." do it? Have you any private divining rod?" "I sha'n't tell! I am descended from a great enchanter who bequeathed to me his book of magic spells. So let everyone beware!" "What a perfect room! It was neve woor Lucy spent most of her time." "Why 'poor Lucy'? Do you know anything about her? I have wished so much to know." "Has Elaine not told you? Then, perhaps, I ought not to have men-tion at least," Colin Grantly said. "My friend Eberhardt is fast in your toils He has no words to express his "Elaine does not care to speak of Mise Carden but just on that account "My friend Eberhardt is fast in your toils. He has no words to express his estacy over your voice." "Do you mean the great composer?" "Sked Lord Brixton. "Yes; he said Miss Verinder, if she went on the operatic stage would elec-trify the universe, or words to that effect." "My father at the time, and I don't uite know the details. Lucy was en-gaged to Sir Everard Denham, and they were to have ben married in a went on the operatic stage would elec-trify the universe, or words to that effect." "How was it, Elaine, that I never knew this?" cried Gracilia. "I did not even know you were musical." 'You never asked. I sing every day, but it is in my own rooms. I never could bear an audience, and it was quite by accident that Professor Eb-erhardt heard me. But if you like, and if you let me manage things in my own way, I will sing for you this evening." A chorus of thanks followed, and when it was over, Gracilia found Co-lin Grantly beside her. "I knew you were here," he said in a low voice, emphasising the pro-"I knew you were have come but

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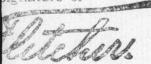
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a low voice, emphasising the pro-nouns. "I should not have come but "Nobody knows," replied Lisabel

for that" "Well, I had not the least idea about you." "Miss Verinder's announcement does not seem to have made a deep impression." "It certainly did not. But then I don't believe she made it. She men-tioned your name some time ago, but the state of th

tioned your name some time ago, but that was all-not that it matters..." goes." "Why, is there any talk about her?"

"You are very rude. But really I see scarcely anything of my cousin. We meet at luncheon and dinner, occas-

ionally drive or walk together, some-times spend an hour in the drawing-room after dinner, and that is all. I do "Perhaps she knows as little about you? She may not suspect that you are musical." have never heard her sing, and the

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