

SITUATION IN BERLIN AWFUL

Observer Declares Misses Lack Clothing and Fuel and Food

Bitter Toward War Lords—Able-Bodied Men Kept Away From the Capital for Fear They Might Start a Revolt

London, Jan. 15.—From a source which it can vouch for as entirely trustworthy, the Morning Post says it is able to give the following account of conditions in Berlin.

The situation in Berlin is absolutely awful. For the great mass of the population there hardly any light, warmth, clothing, or boots, and an appalling lack of food.

The above are specimens of the many letters we are constantly receiving from men and women who have ended their suffering by using Zam-Buk.

Mr. J. McEwen of Dundas, Ont., writes—"For fifteen years I suffered with Piles and could get no permanent cure until I tried Zam-Buk."

Mr. Henry Ferguson of Pointe-a-la-Peine, N.S., says—"I suffered terribly with Piles and could find nothing to give me relief until I used Zam-Buk."

ZAM-BUK WRITE FOR FREE SAMPLE

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PAINLESS EXTRACTION Only 25c. We make the best teeth in Canada at the most reasonable rates.

We're Offering Some Specials In MEN'S OVERCOATS that are certainly worth while. Sizes 36 to 42. Prices \$10.00, 12.00, 13.50, 15.00, 18.00 and 22.00.

LOCAL NEWS. TWINS. Low prices and reliable quality are the main features of our Pre-Inventory Sale.

RE-OPEN RAILWAYS. As a result of a recent visit to Ottawa by Stanley E. Elkin, M. P., and Rupert W. Wigmore, M. P., the Halifax and Elgin railway and the Salisbury and Harvey branch are now being opened.

SALE NOW ON! AT 22 CANTERBURY STREET. Canada's Wonderful Honor Roll

CONTAINS THE NAMES OF OVER 400,000 MEN WHO HAVE ENLISTED TO HELP FREE THE WORLD FROM OPPRESSION AND MAD MILITARY AMBITION. But there is a longer list than that by far.

These Next of Kin of the gallant Canadian soldiers at the front, or who are destined to go there, deserve the recognition of all Canadians and are entitled to be on an Honor Roll of imperishable fame.

BROTHER, SON, FATHER, HUSBAND. Buttons, 25c. Each. Pins, 30c. Each. If sent by mail add 3c. extra for postage.

COUPON. St. John News Company, 22 Canterbury Street, St. John, N. B. Gentlemen—I am entitled to wear the next of kin emblems.

ST. JOHN NEWS CO. 22 Canterbury Street - St. John, N. B.

On Thursday, Jan. 17, in This Space Will Appear Complete Advertisement of Our JANUARY SALE TO LAST 10 DAYS. Among Other Attractive Features Will be a 3 CENT LIST.

Make This a Home Year. A beautiful new home this year and for years to come. All the attractive furniture, carpet squares, etc., you have desired are now within your reach at Amland Bros.' well-known low prices.

Save Money on Our January Sale. Royal Household Flour—8 lbs. \$2.40. Royal Household Flour—9 lbs. \$2.50. 10 lbs. \$2.60.

Yerxa Grocery Co. 443 MAIN ST. Phone Main 2913. FLOUR. Royal Household, 8 lbs. \$2.40. Royal Household, 9 lbs. \$2.50.

Meat Specials at Lilley's. Beef Roast 18 and 20 cts. lb. Beefsteak 25 Cents lb. Corned Beef 16 Cents lb.

LILLEY & CO. 695 Main St. Phone Main 2745. Open Evenings. TH 10 o'clock, Except Thursday. Saturdays Till 11:30 p.m.

THE 2 BARKERS LIMITED. Granulated Eyelids. Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy.

WONDERFUL PRICE REDUCTIONS IN SETS AT OUR Annual Fur Sale. These 15 to 40 per cent. reductions will not be available much longer. Furthermore, fur prices will be much higher next season.

H. MONT JONES 92 King Street St. John, N. B. The Only Exclusive Furrer in the Maritime Provinces

HON. MR. CARVELL IN NEW YORK. New York, Jan. 14.—Speaking as the guest of honor before the Canadian Club of New York tonight, Hon. Frank R. Carvell, Canadian minister of public works, said that Canada would remain in the war until the last gun was fired.

WILSON GETS IRISH PLEA. Washington, Jan. 14.—Mrs. Sherby Skeffington, widow of Francis Skeffington, the Irish editor put to death in the rising of 1916, was received at the White House today by President Wilson.

DIAMOND RINGS. Smallley & Son are offering diamond rings during their fire sale at greatly reduced prices, from \$12 to \$100. T.F.

THE STORE WHERE YOU GET Anything At Right Prices. Prunes, 2 lbs. for 25c. Oatmeal, 4 lbs. for 25c. Cornflakes, 10c. pkge. Baking Powder, 24c. tin. Cream of Wheat, 25c. pkge. Beef Stew, 19c. tin. Kumbles, 19c. tin. Tea & Tartar, 32c. bot. Cream of Tartar (Light), 10c. per 1/4 lb.

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Service and Comfort

Our shoes for the working man work hard and faithfully to fulfil his expectation of long wear and comfort.

Warranted from sole to upper, top to toe. In them is the full round dollars' worth of satisfaction for every dollar the working man spends for them.

Three essentials characterized in our lines of working boots—High Quality, Good Fitting Lasts, Moderate



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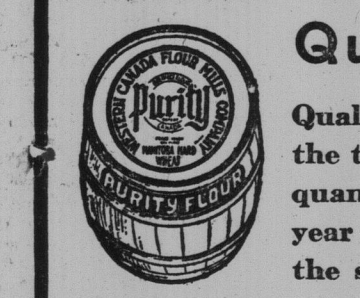
MILLIONS LEFT BY MRS. PAGET

Will of William C. Whitney's Daughter—A Good Many Bequests Made

New York, Jan. 14.—The appraisal of the estate of Mrs. Pauline Paget, who was the daughter of the late William C. Whitney, and wife of Almerie Hugh Paget of London, and who died Nov. 22, 1916, shows that she left a total estate of about \$5,000,000.



which has nourished three generations of infants



Quality Counts

Quality alone is responsible for the tremendous increase in the quantities of Purity Flour used year by year. This tribute to the supremacy of

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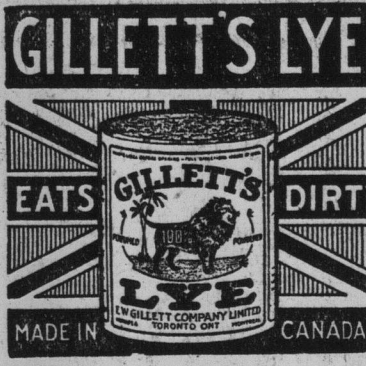
will, we hope, influence you to place a trial order, if you are not already using it.

More Bread and Better Bread---and Better Pastry, too.

This name & can - your guarantee of "Coffee Satisfaction"

In 1/2, 1 and 2 pound sealed tins - also for Percolators.

Every lover of delicious coffee should have our booklet, "Perfect Coffee - Perfectly Made". Write for a copy.



War Menus

How to Save Wheat, Beef and Bacon for the men at the front. Issues from the Office of the Food Controller for Canada.

MENU FOR THURSDAY

Breakfast: Oatmeal Porridge, Toast, Tea or Coffee. Dinner: Rabbit in Casserole, Mashed Potatoes, Banana Shortcake. Supper: Creamed Celery on Toast, Peanut Bread, Apple Sauce, Tea.

ST. JOHN BAKERS' WAILING

The local bakers, yesterday afternoon, met at the board of trade and conferred with Robert Harcourt, professor of chemistry at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, who is here on a special mission from the food controller.

SPLENDID PROPAGANDA

London, Jan. 15.—The National War Aims Committee have decided that the prime minister's war-aims speech offers a fruitful field for educational propaganda.

Mrs. E. A. Smith, who at the request of the relief board went on a visit to Halifax last week, returned yesterday and reported that matters were running smoothly. A large amount of work remains to be done.

Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited Our Stores Open at 9 a.m. and Close at 6 o'clock Daily.

Immense Showing and Sale of New Whitewear

Commencing Thursday and continuing for the balance of the week the counters and display tables in the Whitewear Department will be filled with the most desirable garments of the kind made.

- NIGHT DRESSES, 75c., 80c., 95c., \$1.15, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 up. ENVELOPE CHEMISES, 75c., \$1.15, \$1.35, \$1.75, \$2.30 up.

January Corset Sale

Three Special Sale Inducements for This Month No. 1—Low bust, medium length Corset, made of good quality brocade, elastic section at back. Size 20 to 27. Reg. \$3.50. Sale Price, \$2.25

Annual Mid-Season Sale of Men's and Boys' Winter Overcoats and Suits

Splendid money-saving opportunities offered in this big sale, which includes the balance of our stock of Winter Overcoats and Tweed Suits for Men and Boys.

- OVERCOATS MEN'S OVERCOATS Former prices from \$10.00 to \$28.50. Sale Prices, \$7.95 to \$22.80. BOYS' AND YOUTHS' OVERCOATS Former prices from \$6.00 to \$15.00. Sale Prices, \$4.80 to \$11.95. MEN'S SUITS Former prices from \$18.50 to \$28.50. Sale Prices, \$10.80 to \$18.80. MEN'S MACKINAW AND REEFERS AND REEFERS Sale Prices, \$8.95 to \$11.25. BOYS' SUITS Former prices from \$6.75 to \$12.00. Sale Prices, \$5.40 to \$9.50. BOYS' MACKINAW AND REEFERS Sale Prices, \$4.80 to \$6.40.

Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

ECONOMY SALE January Bargains at Brown's

Rush Specials in Every Department This Week

- DRESS GOODS 50c. yd. Black and White Check, Sale, 35c. yd. 65c. yd. Black and White Check, Sale, 45c. yd. 1.50 yd. Black and White Check, Sale, 95c. yd. 60c. yd. Tweeds for Children's wear, Sale, 39c. yd. .60c. yd. Union Serge, Sale, 39c. yd. 1.50 yd. All-Wool Navy Serge, Sale, \$1.25 yd. \$2.25 yd. All-Wool Navy Serge, Sale, \$1.69 yd. \$1.00 CORDUROY VELVETS Sale, 69c. yard Twenty-seven inch Corduroy Velvet, in a good heavy cord, fast pile and a quality that will give the best of wear. Colors on sale are: Navy saxe, Alice, electric, marine, sapphire, myrtle, laurel, slate and cardinal. BEST CANADIAN PRINTS Value, 20c. yard... Sale, 16c. yard Balance of last season's stock of light and mid. colors only. SILK WAISTS All Colors—All Sizes Value, \$2.50... Sale, \$1.98 each BOYS' HEAVY FLEECE SHIRTS AND DRAWERS Value Next Season, 75c. each Sale, 50c. each (All Sizes) MEN'S HEAVY RIBBED WOOL UNDERWEAR Value \$1.50... Sale, 95c. gar. HOSIERY SPECIALS 35c. pair Ladies' Fleece Hose... 25c. pair 50c. pair Cashmere Hose... 35c. pair 75c. pair Penman's Cashmere... 59c. pair WHITE COTTON SALE Value, 16c. yd. ... Sale, 12 1-2c. yd. One thousand yards 35-inch Pure Canadian Cotton, good weight, suitable for every purpose that cotton can be used for. Economy Sale, 12 1-2c. yard. BLEACHED SHEETING Value, 50c. yard... Sale, 38c. yard Only 250 yards to Sell. TABLE LINEN BARGAINS 50c. yd. Unbleached Damask, Sale 39c. yd. 65c. yd. Unbleached Damask, Sale, 50c. yd. 50c. yd. Bleached Damask... Sale, 38c. yd. 65c. yd. Bleached Damask... Sale, 50c. yd. 90c. yd. Bleached Damask... Sale, 76c. yd. GLASS TOWELS Value, 20c. each... Sale, 15c. each STAMPED H. S. PILLOW SLIPS Value, 35c. each... Sale, 25c. each EMBROIDERY SILKS Value, 5c. Skein... Sale, 2c. each All Standard Makes. CORSET SALE 65c. pair Corsets... Sale, 50c. pair 89c. pair Corsets... Sale, 76c. pair \$1.25 pair Corsets... Sale, 96c. pair \$1.50 pair Corsets... Sale, \$1.25 pair \$2.00 pair Corsets... Sale, \$1.50 pair Every Pair Guaranteed.

Compare Our Prices With Other Stores and See What You Save

I. CHESTER BROWN Next Imperial Theatre 32 AND 36 KING SQUARE

FINANCIAL
NEW YORK STOCK MARKET
Quotations furnished by private wire of J. M. Robinson & Sons, St. John, N. B.

Table of stock prices including Baldwin Loco, Bethlehem Steel, and various other industrial and utility stocks.

REAL ESTATE
House Properties of Every Description

With the approach of February, "Notice Month," many will have resolved to quit paying rent and own their own home instead.

CITY PROPER
Two and Three-Family Houses
Hazen St.—Two-family house, freehold.

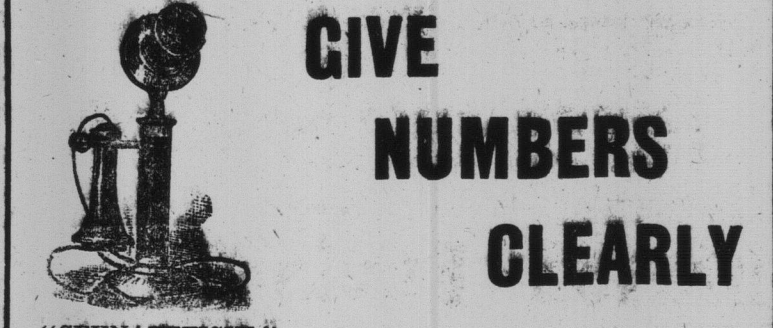
LOWER-PRICED PROPERTIES
Thorne Ave.—Leasehold, two-family house. Price \$2,500.

NORTH END
Two and Three-Family Houses
Douglas Ave.—Leasehold, two-family house, hot water heating.

WEST END
Summer St.—A one-family house and a two-family house, both freehold.

TAYLOR & SWEENEY
Real Estate Brokers
56 Prince William Street
Phone Main 2596

This advertisement is the sixth of a series of tele, designed to effect closer co-operation between the company and its subscribers.



GIVE NUMBERS CLEARLY

Everyone realizes the possibilities of error in telephoning when 7-5-6 is asked for in that way. When numbers are given to our operators in that disconnected, hurried or otherwise indistinct fashion, it is more than likely that there will be an error and a wrong connection made.



REAL ESTATE BY AUCTION

Exceptional Chance in Freehold Properties
Douglas Avenue Freehold.—Two New Houses, each Containing 2 Separate Flats

CORN AND OATS

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Corn prices sagged today owing to the fact that weather conditions were better than had been looked for.

SAYS THAT HE WILL FORCE GLEMENCEAU TO GIVE WAY

French Deputy Writes Premier.—Madame Caillaux Speaks of Arrest of Husband

SHIPS IN WAR WORK MUST HAVE EARLY CALL ON COAL

Washington, Jan. 15.—Ships carrying food and munitions for the American overseas forces and the allies must be supplied with bunker coal even at the expense of domestic consumers and factories manufacturing war supplies.

COAL SITUATION IN NEW YORK CAUSES THE SHUT-DOWN OF PLANTS

New York, Jan. 15.—With more than 100 industrial plants in New York state already closed because of lack of fuel, hundreds of non-essential industries faced a similar situation when the new system of enforcement of distribution became effective today.

TEN AND QUARTER OF BOMBS DROPPED UPON KARLSRUHE

British Carry Out a Very Effective Raid
London, Jan. 15.—An official statement on air operations issued last night follows:

Very Large Fire Started in Factories — All Machines Safely Back—Notable Results in Sunday Air Raids

Observers report that a very large fire was started in factories along the railway. This was confirmed by photographs taken after the raid.

TEN MEXICAN ARMY OFFICERS PUT TO DEATH

General Among Them — Plot to Kill Commander and Governor and Loot Toluca

Mexico City, Jan. 15.—Ten army officers, including General Leonado Parr, were put to death in Toluca.

DEMANDS FROM WEST

Windsor, Jan. 15.—The Army and Navy Veterans Association are asking the government to take a prompt action for the relief of alien labor.

Children Had Whooping Cough

Whooping cough, although specially a disease of childhood, is by no means confined to that period, but may occur at any time of life.

ULSTERS

AT—
Bargain Prices
"Bargain" is oftentimes a misused word, but these ulsters were selected for their bargains—that is they are good goods at cheap prices.

Gilmour's

68 King St.
EYES EXAMINED BY THE LATEST METHODS
GOOD GLASSES PAY
In dollars and cents, this and ten-fold. They will not cost so much in repairs. They will hold their shape better, and will be serviceable long after others are thrown away.

WHY I BELIEVE IN NUXATED IRON

A Strength-Builder for the Nation
By Dr. Sauer, M.D.
Probably no remedy has ever met with such phenomenal success as has Nuxated Iron. It is conservatively estimated that over three million people annually are taking it in this country alone.

THERE IS NOTHING FOR THE LIVER SO GOOD AS MILBURN'S LAXA-LIVER PILLS

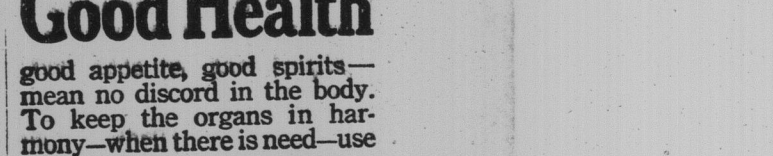
They regulate the flow of bile to the liver, and purify the blood, and have every result of liver trouble from the temporary, but disagreeable biliousness, to the severest forms of liver complaint.

SELF DEFENSE

DEFEAT BACKACHE AND KIDNEY TROUBLE WITH ANURIC.
Many people in Canada have suffered from rheumatism and kidney trouble and have found Anuric to be the most successful remedy to overcome these painful and dangerous ailments.

Good Health

good appetite, good spirits—mean no discord in the body. To keep the organs in harmony—when there is need—use BEECHAM'S PILLS



Large Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 50c.

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 1918

ANNIVERSARY SALE
Oak Hall's 29th Anniversary Sale

OUR 29TH ANNIVERSARY brings us to a time in our business career which has never been equalled before. It is hardly necessary to point out to the average buyer the fact that the cost to us of every article in our store is soaring in price and the end is nowhere in sight.

MEN'S SHIRTS
Wonderful values in Men's Fine Negligee Shirts, coat style, cuffs attached, neat patterns. Sizes 14 1/2 to 16 1/2. Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25. Anniversary Sale Price 90c.

Men's Overcoats, Mackinaws, Reefers
Men's Overcoats, Mackinaws, reefers. Special No. 1—Sixty men's all wool melton overcoats, light or dark grey, velvet collar, extra good linings.

Ladies' Winter Coats
Special \$9.85—At this price we have grouped a number of ladies' fine winter coats. Only 85 coats in the lot, so come early. Regular prices of these coats, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$22.50, \$25.00.

Men's Winter Underwear
Men's Heavy Ribbed and Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers. Regular \$1.10. Anniversary Sale Price 75c per garment.

Men's fancy suits—Tweeds, worsteds and chevots, two and three button styles.
Regular \$13.50. Anniversary Sale Price \$10.85

Ladies' Fine Silk Waists
Special—Creme de chine, Georgette, Jap. silk and novelty silk waists. Regular prices of this lot of waists were \$3.95 to \$5.00. Anniversary Sale Price \$2.95.

Men's Cashmere and Heavy Half Hose
Men's Fine Black Cashmere Half-Hose, guaranteed fast color. Regular 50c. Sale Price, 3 pairs for 90c.

BOYS SUITS—REGULAR AND JUNIOR STYLES.
Special—50 Suits only, fine grade tweeds in medium grey and brown patterns, best of workmanship. Every suit in this lot is a bargain.

Boys' Winter Overcoats
BOYS' WINTER OVERCOATS, 11 to 18 years, splendid assortment of all the new cloths and models. Regular \$7.00. Anniversary Sale Price \$5.95

Men's Gloves and Mitts
Men's Tan Mocha Gloves, wool-lined. Regular \$2.00. Anniversary Sale Price \$1.48.

Ladies' Fine Tailored Suits
If there is one special article in this sale which we would call special attention to, it is these splendid tailored suits. The prices quoted would scarcely buy the materials today.

BOYS' FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.
Sweaters, Jerseys, Underwear, Pyjamas, Stockings, Braces, Neckwear, Gloves, Shirts

LADIES' ENGLISH SATIEN UNDERSKIRTS.
Fine quality underskirt in black, navy or fancy colored sateen. Regular \$1.25. Anniversary Sale Price 90c.

Men's Hats and Caps
Our entire stock of Men's Hats and Caps at Anniversary Sale Prices. Men's Golf Caps with eye bands. Regular \$1.25, Anniversary Sale Price \$1.00;

Extra Salespeople No Goods on Approval OAK HALL - Scovil Bros., Ltd. Store Closed Wednesday to Arrange Stock for Sale

Many More Men For The Army

Important Statement By Sir Auckland Geddes In British House of Commons

London, Jan. 14—Nearly half a million men from Great Britain alone are to be recruited into the British army at the earliest date possible and it is probable that many more will be added to that number in the coming months.

This announcement was made in the house of commons today by Sir Auckland Geddes, minister of national service, whose statement of the government's man-power proposals was replete with interesting details of Britain's strength in the struggle into which she means to throw her full resources.

Going into the details of the situation, the minister said in part: "The plain facts do not support the statement that the armies are melting for lack of recruits and that recruiting has broken down."



If you knew—actually knew to a certainty—that C. P. R. stock was going up to 150 this week—you would jump right in and buy.

Since the label was put in the pocket of the Semi-ready Suits and Overcoats we are selling—wool prices have advanced 25 per cent.

In Boston last week British wool was snapped up at record prices—\$11.10 a pound. The prices surprised dealers. "Outrageous!" was the way some dealers characterized it, and yet at the close of selling 4,786 bales the prices went higher.

It would be wise to buy good clothes as an investment—right now.

All the finest Suits and Overcoats—genuine Semi-ready Tailoring—are offered still at reduced prices. The label in the pocket tells the true value of a year ago—but the values today are much higher.

Overcoats—Ulsters—Trench Coats—double-breasted and single-box coats, velvet collar coats—kimono-sleeve coats—in staple patterns and in a riot of fancy weaves—all British woolsens.

Suits—single-breasted sack models—double-breasted effects—in fine English worsteds, silk mixtures, Seasmies, Tibets, Chevots, Tweeds—in a wide variety of browns, blues, greys, greens and sombre mixed effects.

Prices now—\$14.40, \$15.00, \$20.00, \$24.00, \$28.00. Labels from \$18.00 to \$85.00.

It is real war-saving to buy now—for it looks like terribly high prices for any kind of a good suit during this year.

Even Peace would not bring a decline in Men's Clothes for a year—for forty million men must then return to civilian dress.

Semi-ready Stores King and Germain Sts.

THE VICTIMS OF LA GRIPPE

Every winter la grippe sweeps over Canada like a scourge, leaving behind hundreds of health-wrecked victims. Ask any of those who have been attacked by la grippe what their present condition of health is and most of them will answer: "Since I have the grip I have never been well."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

JAPANESE PICTURE AT IMPERIAL DELIGHTFUL

Fine Photo Play is "The Call of The East"—Good New Musical Talent

In The Call of the East, a remarkable photoplay at the Imperial, Sessue Hayakawa returns once more to his native Japan which he deserted some time ago to come adventuring to the great United States.

The Imperial's musical features this week are especially entertaining. Frank Fene plays a miniature cello with wonderful mastery and his numbers are chosen with a due regard to taste and popularity.

MENNEN'S COLD CREAM

Off to the Rink? Protect your complexion by using Mennen's Cold Cream.



forward," said the minister, "there has been no great difficulty in obtaining sufficient numbers for the work for which they are required. Nearly three-quarters of a million women have been placed in employment of one kind or another in the last eleven months. But it is clear that a great further call will be made on women of all classes."

1. Lowering of the military age. The Germans were taking boys of seventeen, but lowering the age below eighteen was contrary to natural instincts and economically un sound and the fighting value of the average youth of eighteen was not commensurate with his value in civil life.

MAJOR HYLAN WANTS PERSONAL ASSESSMENT RAISED TO LIGHTEN BURDEN ON REAL ESTATE

New York, Jan. 15—The wealthy men of the city, and particularly John D. Rockefeller, should pay more taxes on their personal property, according to Mayor Hylan.

The burden on real estate must be lightened and all wealth made to bear an equal share of the cost of city government. Small property owners are losing their equities because of excessive taxation and a depression in real estate values.

Among the pictures shown in this Mill were some splendid scenery trips—The Tonic Towns of England—health resorts and in the Central Auvergne Valley, France. These were prettily colored and most picturesque.

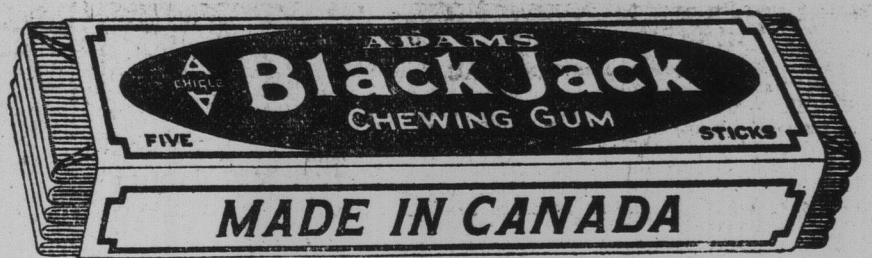
FAVORS TAX INCREASE FOR J. D. ROCKEFELLER

the personal property tax law the bulk of personal property in this city escapes taxation. In consequence real estate bears an undue share of the burdens of government.

capex taxation in Cleveland on the ground that he lives here. Here he pays on \$5,000,000 personal property. Do you not think this assessment should be increased? The federal government levies heavily on the largest incomes and an extra tax on excess profits. Do you not think excessive wealth, which comes from excessive income, should also be taxed heaviest for city purposes?

ADAMS BLACK JACK

They're chewing it now from one end of Canada to the other because they like the unusual, long-lasting flavor and because a stick a day keeps illness away.



ADAMS Pure Chewing Gum

termine their content of nitric and nitrous nitrogen. About 1,000 samples were examined and the results were compared with the records of the weather conditions under which the rainfall occurred. The general conclusions are that, for a given type of weather, the concentration of oxidized nitrogen in the rainfall varies inversely as the amount of rainfall, and that the total amount of oxidized nitrogen per unit area found in the rainfall accompanying a storm depends upon the type of weather and is practically independent of the amount of rainfall.

MUTT AND JEFF—IN THE ARMY, "ORDERS IS ORDERS." BY "BUD" FISHER



WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

OPERA HOUSE VAUDEVILLE TONIGHT 7.30 and 9 RUTAN'S SONG BIRDS

VAUDEVILLE AND PICTURES The Innocent Sinner

SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY HOME AND ABROAD BOWLING Actos Win Four

Today and Tomorrow Only For Parentage at Lyric

Two Excellent New Musical Features IMPERIAL THE TONIC TOWNS OF ENGLAND

TODAY UNIQUE TODAY WHO WILL WEAR THE FATAL RING? AMERICA'S AID TO HALIFAX

THE WHIP LYRIC King Handles Million

Table with columns for Bowler, Total, Avg, Runs, Wickets, etc. for various bowlers like Jarvis, McShane, etc.

For the First Time in the History of Theatricals A massive drama, telling why you should tell your children the vital truths of life.

THE ZIMMERMAN RANKS AMONG THE ELITE OF BASEBALL

heals of bashful Benny, with a mark of 288 for 815 games and 14 in the class with Zimmerman.

THE AVIATORS LEARN OBSERVATION FROM A VERY REMARKABLE MAP

HAVE YOU VISITED The Biggest Sale KING SQUARE - OPPOSITE THE MARKET

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Maritime Salvage Co. - OPEN EVERY EVENING -

FOR BARGAINS IN SOAP
SEE OUR WINDOW
12 Cakes For \$1.00
THIS WEEK ONLY
The Ross Drug Co., Ltd
100 KING STREET

LARGE SHOWING OF
Correct and Becoming Millinery
For Mourning Wear
PRICES MODERATE
Mourning Veils in all the wanted styles
MARR MILLINERY CO., LTD.

Great Sale
OF
HUDSON SEAL and MUSKRAT COATS
See Page 8 of This Issue
F. S. THOMAS
539 to 545 MAIN STREET

Twenty-five per cent. for cash on Ladies' Fur Sets, Fur Coats,
Ladies' Coats and Suits of all kinds. Special reduction on Rain coats. Call and see for yourself.
The American Cloak Mfg., Co.
32 Dock St. Phone M 833

Winter Drinks
Fragrant Hot Chocolate, Coffee, Malted Milk, Beef Drink, or Hot Lemonade is grateful and comforting these winter days—touches the right spot. But is especially delightful as served with a bit of lunch, if you like, in the picturesque GRAPE ARBOR.
GARDEN CAFE — ROYAL HOTEL
Entrances King and Germain Sts. MUSIC AFTERNOON Open Noon Till Mid- AND EVENING night and on Sundays.

Come in and Hear The New Edison—The Phonograph with a Soul
Make Bread IN 3 Minutes—Universal Way
Have done with the wearisome, old-time kneading way, which takes so long, and is, even then, somewhat uncertain. Bread-making becomes actual fun, and takes only three minutes with the
Universal Bread Maker
which we are showing in our King Street window, where we also display the Eclipse Bread-Mixer and a very comprehensive line of culinary requisites.
Ice Creapers
Market Square **W. H. THORNE & CO., Ltd.** King Street

LOCAL NEWS

FUNERAL ON THURSDAY

The funeral of Albert G. Smart, which was to have taken place on Wednesday afternoon, will not take place until Thursday.

WON SKATING RACE

Daniel McLaughlin defeated Gordon McEllan in a half-mile match race in the Victoria rink last evening. The winner's time was 1m. 28 4/5s, which was exceptionally good.

ACCEPTS CHALLENGE

George Fraser has accepted the challenge issued in the Times last evening to skate Alphonso Moore a half-mile race on the Victoria rink. He says he will skate any person in the city for a half mile on the rink, one side, not upon the edge of the rink.

PROMOTED TO BE SERGEANT

George Prosser, Pettitoclad has received word that his son, Pte. Asa Prosser, who went over with the 104th and was promoted to be sergeant. The young man was on furlough in England when he wrote to tell of his promotion.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Thomas Britney took place this morning from his late residence in Erin street to the Cathedral, where high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Francis Walker. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

FOR HALIFAX BLIND

Haveyock Samson, manager of the Tobacco Lumber Company, Campbellton, arrived this morning from Halifax, and will go to Campbellton this afternoon. Mr. Samson is especially interested in the movement to aid the unfortunate people blinded in the Halifax disaster. In Halifax yesterday it was decided to establish a fund called the Halifax Home and Blind Fund, with the following committee of management: Sir Frederick Fraser, chairman; Haveyock Samson, secretary; I. A. G. Fraser, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith of St. John, and Mrs. P. M. Fielding, editor of the Windsor Tribune, whose husband is a captain in a forestry battalion overseas. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Jenner, wife of Rev. J. Hugh Jenner, will give illustrated addresses in behalf of the fund in every part of the two provinces.

GELDART-WILSON

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride, 198 Melcol street, extension on Monday evening, Jan. 14, when Mrs. Sadie Wilson became the bride of Talbot Geldart. The bride was becomingly gowned in a dress of grey silk, carried a bouquet of white carnations and maiden hair fern. Miss F. Gilchrist acted as bridesmaid and Mr. McKennie supported the groom. After the ceremony a dainty supper was served. The bride received many useful and costly gifts, consisting of cut glass, silver, china, linen. The groom, who has been employed with the McClary Co. for some years, received from the firm a beautiful union oak chair, and from the employers a salmon china tea set. Mr. and Mrs. Geldart will reside at 877 Germain street. They have the best wishes of many friends.

"PAT" McAVITY IS QUITE SERIOUSLY INJURED

"Pat" McAvity, seven-year-old son of Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. J. L. McAvity, while coasting in the vicinity of Dochester street yesterday afternoon, collided with a passing automobile and as a result his skull was fractured and he received several other injuries about the head. It was learned this morning that his condition is fairly satisfactory. He was taken to the St. John Infirmary and Dr. W. W. White called in attendance. From what can be learned he and other children were sliding down Dochester street. He had come down the hill and at the corner of Dochester street and the City road he collided with an automobile and was thrown violently off his sled to the ground.

PROBATE COURT

In the matter of the estate of Michael Nyhan, the last will has been proved in common form and letters testamentary granted to Dennis Nyhan, the executor. J. A. Barry is proctor.
In the matter of the estate of Thomas S. O'Brien, letters of administration have been granted to John V. O'Brien and Joseph P. O'Brien. G. H. Ferguson is proctor.
In the matter of the estate of Lee Chester, Inc.'s estate, letters of administration have been granted to Frederick W. Vincent. J. M. Truman is proctor.
In the matter of the estate of Francis Gallagher, a citation has been ordered to issue, returnable March 11, 1918, at 11 a.m. C. F. Sanford is proctor.
In the matter of the estate of William Lockhart, second engineer on the government steamer "Simcoe," letters of administration have been granted to William H. Lockhart. G. H. V. Belyea is proctor.

FAIRVILLE AND THE CARS

The street railway service is still a very lively topic in Fairville where the situation remains unchanged except that "the ancient and honorable" car 94, which jarred the new bridge, has given place to a car two numbers her junior, No. 92. Just at present there is no definite organization to take up a matter of public interest, but it is reported that several citizens have already expressed the view that a better arrangement might be made, even with no more cars, if one of the cars now running from Fairville were put on the West End service and the remaining car run up and down Fairville to meet each West End car from the city.
Fairville people could then take the West End cars, which are providing a ten-minute service, as far as Fairville crossing and then transfer to the waiting Fairville car.
The long wait of twenty minutes or more at the foot of King street these cold nights is unpleasant.

Two Killed, Sixteen Hurt.
Louisville, Ky., Jan. 15.—Two persons were killed and sixteen others injured, thirteen of them seriously, last night when a traction car bound from Indianapolis to Louisville crashed into the rear of an inter-urban car on the approach of the Big Four Railway bridge.

THIS LIQUOR CASE BRINGS ANOTHER

Charges Against James McIayre and William Foster—Girl to Be Sent Home

James McLarty was before Magistrate Ritchie this morning in the police court on the charge of having part of a bottle of liquor in his possession in the street. He was arrested last night by Inspector Barrett, who saw him, together with two soldiers, enter an alley off Union street. He then arrested McLarty, on whom he found the liquor. The prisoner this morning pleaded guilty and was remanded for sentence.
On being brought to the station last night, he informed the police that he had got his liquor from William Foster of City Road. Foster this morning faced a charge of selling liquor. McLarty swore that yesterday morning he went to Foster's house in City Road and bought a bottle of whiskey for \$2.
"Your Honor," said Foster, "I wish you would postpone the case until I can get a lawyer."
"My dear man," said Magistrate Ritchie, "don't you know that all the lawyers in the world couldn't save you if what McLarty says is true?" The case, nevertheless, was postponed for the present.
Matilda Jardine, aged seventeen, was before the magistrate on a charge of vagrancy. She was arrested by Detective Duncan. This is the young girl who was arrested last summer in Fredericton in man's clothing. She will be sent back to her home in Blackville, Northumberland.

LANCASTER CHRISTMAS STOCKING WAS ENVY OF ALL IN HOSPITAL

Lancaster Red Cross Society met last evening and the following articles were packed for shipment: Twenty-four hospital shirts, thirty suits pajamas, two dressing gowns, seventeen neckties, thirty pair slippers, 408 pair socks, six pair caps, 128 property bags, fifty-six handkerchiefs, twelve pairs bed socks, twelve pair socks (from junior branch), twelve pair pillow slips, twelve towels, thirty pillow cases.
In addition to this list, which represents one month's shipment, it was announced that the Lancaster Red Cross had sent 188 towels to Halifax at the time of the disaster.
Several letters were read from boys overseas expressing thanks for Christmas stockings of which the local society sent 100, filled with useful articles as well as some extra comforts, including a dinner bill. The recipients were from men formerly living in Vancouver, Winnipeg, Central Ontario and one Nova Scotia.
In one case a soldier wrote that in the hospital he was in there were forty beds, but he was the only Canadian, the other wounded men being English Tommies and Australians. These received gifts of cigarettes at Christmas time, but they saw his Christmas stocking from the Lancaster Red Cross filled with good things he was very of the in-situation. He expressed warm thanks. The following letter is one from the many—
Somewhere in France,
12-26-17.
Lancaster Red Cross,
To Whom It May Concern,
Dear Friends,—Just a few lines thanking you for your Christmas stocking and much more so for the dollar bill I received the stocking at one o'clock Christmas Day when I didn't have a penny to my name, so you can imagine it came along just at the right time to just the right man.
I am No. 6 Convalescent Hospital at present and was wounded last August for the third time. I expect to get back to my unit about the first of the year.
With hearty thanks,
PTE. GEO. S. MCGAUGHTON,
25 Canadians.

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Soldier Writes of Hit Made On Reception — Red Cross Prepares Large Shipment

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Our buyer was fortunate in securing this lot of Boys' Norfolk Suits when in Montreal last week. When you see the values you'll appreciate what a snap these suits are. Fine grade Tweeds in medium grey and brown pin checks and mixtures. Even if the boy does not need a suit just now it will pay you to anticipate his spring needs. These suits are made in the new Norfolk models; bloomers are lined throughout and have patent fasteners at knee.
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Solid Mahogany Secretary.....	39.00	30.00
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Persian Lamb Muffs for \$15.00, \$18.50, \$20.00, \$23.50. They were all more than \$20.00. Some were as much as \$35.00.
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