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BERLIN STRIKE BECOMES EVEN MORE SERIOUS

Ask for Volunteer Guards

350,000 MEN ARE NOW IDLE

Spartacus Group Has Drawn Up New Program

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Dec. 15.—British Wireless Service — The strike in Berlin has reached serious proportions, according to a despatch received here from Amsterdam. Only two newspapers are being published and these as small leaflets. It is said that 350,000 workmen are out.

Form National Guard.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 15.—The council of people's commissioners of Germany, according to a Berlin despatch, has authorized the formation of a volunteer national guard to maintain public order and safety. The organization is to be under the auspices of the commissioners and will be pledged to support the Socialist Democratic republic. The various detachments will have the right to choose their own leaders.

Socialists Resign.

GENEVA,, Dec. 15.—Havas Agency. —Hugo Hasse and Herr Barth, two of the three Independent Socialist commissioners of the six which constitute the German government have resigned according to reports received here. The reports add that George Ledebour, a leading Socialist, has also severed his connection with the government.

Spartacus Platform.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 14.—The Spartacus group, according to a Berlin telegram to the Handelsblad, has drawn up the following program for immediate steps for safeguarding the revolution:

Disarmament of all police officers, non-proletariet soldiers and all members of the ruling classes.

Confiscation by the soldiers' and workmen's councils of arms, munitions and armament works.

Arming of all grown-up male proletariet and forming of a workmen's militia.

The forming of a prolariat guard.

Abolition of the rank officers and noncommissioned officers.

Removal of all military officers from the soldiers' and workmen's councils.

Replacement of political organs and the authorities of the former regime by representatives of the soldiers' and workmen's councils.

Abolition of all parliaments and municipal and other councils.

The election of a general council, which will elect and control the executive council of the soldiers and workmen.

Cancellation of all state and other public debts, including war loans, down to a certain fixed amount of subscription.

Expropriation of all landed estates, banks, coal mines and large industrial works.

Confiscation of all fortunes above a certain amount.

POLICE GET $22,000 WORTH OF WHISKY IN CALGARY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CALGARY, Dec. 15.—Twenty-one barrels of whisky valued at $22,000 were seized in a raid in Calgary yesterday. The name of the owner is given as E. A. McKinnon, a mysterious individual who cannot be located.

BOLSHEVIKI MAY ABANDON REGIME

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 15.—The Bolsheviki leaders in Russia at present are engaged in discussions whether to abandon their entire regime, according to the Swedish naval attache at Petrograd, who has arrived here.

Nikola Lenine and Leo Kieminoff are said to favor the abandonment, but they are opposed by War Minister Trotzky, Foreign Minister Tchitcherin and M. Radek, who urge holding out to the last. The matter was brought before the central council of workmen's and soldiers' delegates and Lenine was defeated by the slight majority of 12 out of 200 votes.

The naval attache said there were many deaths from starvation in Petrograd, especially among the children and old people.

RUSS IN SOUTH WANT ALLIED AID

Milukoff, Foreign Minister, Asks for Permission to Go to Paris on Mission.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 13.—By the Associated Press.—Paul Milukoff, foreign minister in the first Russian cabinet after the revolution, has arrived here with other constitutional democrat leaders, to request permission of the allied command to proceed to Paris for the purpose of urging that an allied army be sent into Russia by way of the Black sea.

The only cure for the present trouble in Russia is that an allied force be landed in south Russia.

M. Milukoff and other members of his party painted a dark picture of the disorders in south Russia which the Bolesheviki are unable to control. The only military force is an army from the Caucasus which has had little fighting capacity. It is composed of Cossacks and an old imperial regiment.

Railroad trains too, they add, are packed with fugitives from country districts. Railway communication between Odessa and Kiev has been broken by an uprising of the Petulara faction which is opposed to the reunion of the Ukraine with Great Russia.

TELLS RESULTS OF INOCULATION

Of 1200 Treated in the City Only 20 Get Influenza—Advises Inoculation for All.

The city health department has secured enough serum to meet all demands and advises everyone to take advant e of the opportunity to be inoculated as a preventive against influenza. The efficacy of the serum as a preventive against diseases is now beyond all question of doubt, said Dr. Isabel Arthur last evening. It has revolutionized the treatment of many diseases and made what were considered incurable maladies into diseases not to be feared. It has also by its use before disease was present rendered perfect immunity from that disease. This has been demonstrated in its use for prevention of typhoid fever during the present war. It is desirous that Nelson should get back as soon as possible to normal conditions, says the medical health officer and that the *schools should be opened at the earliest* opportunity. It is pointed out that no serious or lasting result follow the use of the serum. The majority of persons inoculated have no noticeable symptoms and get over it within a few hours.

Dr. W. O. Rose and Dr. Gilbert Hartin report that out of 1200 persons inoculated in the city only 20 have developed influenza, and out of those only two were seriously ill, but no deaths resulted.

CANADIANS GO ACROSS RHINE TO BONN CITY

Long Marches Tire Troops

PEOPLE ARE NOT HOSTILE

Germans Glad That War Has Ended

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WITH THE CANADIAN CORPS AT SCLEIDEN, Dec. 10.—Delayed.—By J. F. B. Livesay, Canadian Press correspondent—The Canadian soldiers yesterday crossed the Rhine. They were outposes of the corps who tomorrow will enter Bonn. In a few days we shall proceed to take our position on the right bank 18 miles east of the Rhine.

"I enlisted in August, 1914," remarked a sergeant of an Ontario battalion, as he leaned over the bridge at Bonn. "We have been through many things since—the few of us who are left of the original company. When the armistice was signed I wanted to go right home to the wife and kiddies, but I am glad to be here today. It is what we fought for, it is worth it—Canada on the Rhine."

Steadfast in spirit, the men are tired out by the long marches which have continued without intermission almost since the capture of Cambrai, two months ago. They will welcome rest in permanent billets on their new front. It has been a long and arduous road, cut off practically from the outer world. The mail was often four to five days late; even rations were irregular, and that sense of isolation that comes from marching through mountainous country. Ever since we left the Meuse at Huys we have climbed up and up, over the great divide of the Ardennes. This town of Schleiden is situated in the heart of the hilly country. It is the centre of big game hunting and its people are more accustomed to the wallowness of Belgium than to Germany. In fact they formed, up till recently, a part of Luxemburg. They seemed to welcome us.

It was different in Bonn and Cologne where the people are true Germans and regard us with sullenness, but all express joy that the war is ended, even on such disastrous terms to themselves. As we get nearer the Rhine the need is more urgent for enforcing strict discipline and impressing the civilian population with the fact that we mean business.

The conduct of our troops is admirable. The long marches, though they have dimmed their equipment, have not dampened their ardor.

This advance has been hard on the individuals who have experienced discomforts and hardships unknown, even in the heat of battle, but their wonderful spirit is unimpaired and they have faced these difficulties with the same fortitude that impelled victory.

British in Cologne.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—British troops rapidly are completing the occupation of the Cologne bridgehead east of Cologne bridgehead, reached the general town of Olphe.

The official statement tonight says: "Yesterday our advanced troops, completing their occupation of the Cologne bridgehead, reached the getneral line of Obercassel-Seelschiede, east of Hohkpell and north of Hilden."

EX-CROWN PRINCE FLEES FROM ANGRY WOMEN

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 15.—A crowd of women from Amsterdam recently went to the island of Wierengen and made hostile demonstrations against the former crown prince of Germany, who is interned there, according to report published by the Telegraaf.

Frederick William, it is alleged, saved himself from the hands of the women by flight.

The police force on the island later took action which resulted in a German baron who was staying at a hotel there, and the Amsterdam women leaving the island.

REDUCE RATES FOR TELEPHONING IN U. S.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Sweeping reductions in long distance and toll telephone rates by the adoption of a basis charge of 6¼ mills a mile airline mileage, and half the day rate for night service up to midnight, and *one-fourth the day rate after that* hour, were announced today by Postmaster-General Burleson. They become effective next January.

ANOTHER QUAKE FELT AT COAST

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 15.—Estavan, wireless station reports a severe earthquake shock shortly after 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon, preceded by a rumbling noise. The shock was clearly recorded at the Dominion observatory here as having taken place at 5.09 o'clock with a duration of three minutes and a movement from northwest to southeast. Mr. F. Napier Dennison, superintendent of the observatory, estimates the distance of the point of origin from here as 180 miles which would locate if from 15 to 20 miles off Estevan.

GET READY FOR PEACE CONGRESS

First Plan for Early Meeting Is Changed on Account of Elections.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PARIS, Dec. 15.—Plans for the reassembling of the inter-allied conference at the meetings of the peace congress are gradually being matured. It was the first intention to have the conference meeting tomorrow or Tuesday, but owing to the inability of Premier Lloyd George and Foreign Minister Balfour to be here, because of the British elections and the approaching holidays, the formal session will not be resumed until Jan. 1.

Meanwhile President Wilson will have an opportunity of conferring with the statesmen of the allies and to visit the battlefields and perhaps Italy.

King Victor Emmanuel, the crown prince, and Premier Orlando arrived in Paris Thursday. They will dine with the president some time this week.

The merits of the questions and considerations to come before the conference thus far have developed only in their initial phases, discussions of them having been more or less informal.

May Visit Pope.

PARIS, Dec. 15.—While President Wilson has not announced that he will visit Pope Benedict, it now seems probable that he will do so. It is known here that the pope is anxious to receive the president and the Vatican officials have announced that the visit may be made without danger of embarrassment because of the difficulties between the vatican and the quirinal.

TOO MANY FIRES SAYS MEETING

Ottawa Conference Urges Campaign to Educate People on Need for Greater Care.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—Three business sessions of the Dominion fire prevention committee which met in the capital Friday, were held at which a number of resolutions were adopted. Among these resolutions was one recommending that a campaign for education be undertaken through the press and by public meetings with a view to arousing the public to the necessity of reducing fire waste.

Another favored the introduction of systematic education in the schools by means of moving pictures, lectures and pamphlets and a third favoring the government inspection of buildings, insure and uninsured, for the purpose of detecting conditions likely to cause fires, such inspection to include not only physical construction but other matters such as cleanliness, methods for disposal of waste and regulations for the conduct of employees was adopted.

Other resolutions adopted favored insurance companies reporting to the government all risks in which objectionable conditions exist and which the owner or tenant, whichever is responsible therefore, fails to remedy; better municipal bylaws and the enforcement of legislative bylaws and legislation fixing personal responsibility of fires occurring after failure of the owners to comply with the requirements of inspectors appointed or authorized by the government.

Recommendations were made for the wider adoption of sprinkler equipment and for uniform base couplings. A discussion took place on many aspects of fire prevention.

AUSTRIAN TRIBUNALS PUT 11,400 TO DEATH

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 15.—The supreme military tribunal at Vienna has announced that 11,400 persons were sentenced to death by Austrian military tribunals during the war and executed, according to a Berlin despatch.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 15.—In the last 48 hours, 153 cases and 10 deaths as a result of the influenza epidemic, were reported to the local health office.

BIG C.P.R. SHIP ON ROCKS IS A TOTAL LOSS

Corinthian on Coast Ledge

ALL ABOARD ARE RESCUED

Cannot Save Any of Big Freight Cargo

(Special to The Daily News)

ST. JOHN, Dec. 15.—The Canadian Pacific railroad ocean service liner Corinthian, which left this port Saturday morning with a cargo for the British government, struck before 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon on Bolen's ledge, Brier island, commonly known as Northwest ledge, and according to a message from the captain will be a total loss.

Captain David Lannock and crew of 86 were all rescued today by the government steamer Aberdeen and the Patrol boat Festubert of the Canadian naval service, which were despatched from this port soon after the distress signal was received, and fishing craft which put out from Freeport and Westport, N. S., and took off a few of the men. It is understood that the steamer is grounded bow-on. The last report received from rescue steamers came about 6.30 o'clock tonight to J G. Chesley, agent for the marine and fisheries department, and was to the effect that the Aberdeen and Festubert were dividing the crew and if weather conditions were favorable they would start at daybreak for St. John.

The survivors will probably arrive here early tomorrow afternoon. The Corinthian's captain is aboard the Aberdeen.

Heavy Fog

When Pilot James Bennett took the Corinthian from her dock and saw her safely past Partridge early Saturday morning there was quite a sea running and there was a fog. During the morning the sea grew heavier and the fog more dense. What happened aboard the Corinthian—whether she lost her course or the steering gear went mad—is not yet known, but at 2.55 p.m. the wireless operator at Partridge island picked up the Corinthian's distress signal. The Aberdeen arrived at the scene of the disaster before midnight and the patrol boat soon after.

Early Sunday morning Mr. Chesley got word from the Aberdeen that by 2 a.m, eight men had been rescued from the wrecked steamer. Both rescue ships were standing by. The sea was heavy but they were waiting a chance to get to the Corinthian. During the early hours of the morning and during Saturday night fishermen gallantly set out to the rescue from points along the shore and succeeded in taking other men from the steamer to safety.

At noon Sunday Mr. Chesley received by wireless word that Capt. Lannock of the Corinthian was safely aboard the Aberdeen and that the whole crew—87 in all—was accounted for.

Capt. Lannock, aboard the Aberdeen, said the holds of the Corinthian were filled with water and that nothing could be salved. It was a total loss.

The Corinthian, one of the best known ships coming to this port, was one of the greyhounds of the North Atlantic when she first entered the service. She was built at Belfast in 1900 by Workman & Clark for the Allan line and was, about three years ago, taken over by the C. P. R. ocean services. She was 445 feet long and had a gross tonnage of 7332. She carried a large general cargo for the British government, including 120,000 bushels of wheat, a lot of airplane lumber, a lot of apples, condensed milk, lard and nails.

Carried No Passengers.

MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—It was announced at the Canadian Pacific railway offices that the steamer Corinthian, which went ashore on Brier island this afternoon, was outbound from St. John for Liverpool. She is being used as a freight steamer and carries no passengers.

PARNELL TO RUN IN ST. CATHARINES RIDING

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., Dec. 15.—F. R. Parnell of St. Catharines was yesterday chosen candidate of the Liberal-Conservative association of the riding of St. Catharines for the provincial legislature. Formal nomination proceedings will take place Friday. The seat was rendered vacant through the death of Dr. Jessop.

Cologne Is Under Strict Martial Law

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

COLOGNE, Dec. 12.—Cologne today came under rigorous martial law for the first time since British troops arrived here and the people have begun to realize what formal occupation is going to mean.

Since the advance troops of the British army entered the city there has been little or no interference with the affairs of the population and the Germans were beginning to flatter themselves that they were going to have an easy time, when they were awakened by the orders of General Plummer.

Contained in the list of rules are two which the residents appear to dislike particularly. One provides that all males must greet British officers and the playing of the British National Anthem by raising their hats, and men in uniform by their military values. The order forbids residents to leave their homes between the hours of 7 at night and 6 o'clock in the morning, with some exceptions, such as clergymen and physicians.

On the inside of the door leading into every house must be posted a list of occupants containing information regarding their ages, occupations and other matters. No person may change his or her residence without permission and every inhabitant, 12 years old or over, must have an identification card.

The residents having these cards may circulate freely about the city, but may not leave it without permission. They are forbidden to travel on horseback or on a bicycle except for certain occupational reasons. No messages or pamphlets may be circulated without permission. Today the Cologne Gazette and other papers were not published although they expect to resume tomorrow. The manufacture and sale of liquor except beers and wines is forbidden. No street assemblies will be permitted and other assemblies must be authorized. Amusement places cannot run without authorization.

Residents must surrender all weapons and must assist the military in the pursuit of law breakers.

WILLIAM LEADS LIFE OF QUIET

Former Kaiser Is Virtually Cut Off From Advisers—Takes Walks and Motor Trips.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

AMERONGEN, Holland, Dec. 15.—The former German emperor continues to lead the life of a near recluse. He is virtually cut off from communication with the outside world. Reports that he was in constant communication with his former advisers are not true.

There is no truth in the rumors that the former empress is seriously ill. She has been troubled for years with an affection of the heart and after her arrival here she desired to have her former physician in attendance. He arrived at the castle yesterday, and said that her condition showed no change.

Whenever there is a break in the incessant drizzle customary in Holland, William Hohenzollern and his wife walk in the rain-soaked grounds with one or two attendants. Sometimes they take a trip in a closed motor car.

The correspondent inquired into the rumor that the former emperor intended to move his place of residence and learned that he is not interested in other houses in Holland and is not likely to move anywhere until he knows more regarding his future.

900 VETERANS RETURN ON NEW BOAT, MINNEDOSA

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

ST. JOHN, N. B., Dec. 15.—The scene at Sand Point Saturday morning when the magnificent new Canadian Pacific liner Minnedosa, was towed up to her berth was one which will not be soon forgotten by the host of people who lined the dock. The large vessel had completed her maiden voyage without mishap and safely landed on Canadian shores 900 gallant soldiers.

Included in the list of officers and other ranks were Canadian heroes who won decorations and promotions on the battlefield, and who are wearing D. S. O., Military Cross, D. C. M. and other medals and ribbons. There were 251 oficers in the party and 647 other ranks in addition to the civilians, 1757 bags of mail, 2161 packages of parcel post and 1800 tons of general cargo.

WOMAN LEADER AT VANCOUVER IS DEAD

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 15.—Mrs. W. H. Griffin, prominent in women's and club circles in Vancouver, died last night. She was president of the local council of women, past president of the Vancouver Women's Liberal association, second vice-president of the Women's Canadian club and regent of Carcartier Camp chapter I. O. D. E. Mrs. Griffin came here from Smith's Falls, Ont., 28 years ago.

GUNMAN KILLS THE PRESIDENT OF PORTUGAL

Dr. Sidonia Paes Shot at Lisbon

CROWD ENDS SLAYER'S LIFE

Barboza Becomes the New Leader of Government

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Dr. Sidonio Paes, president of Portugal, was shot and killed by an assassin shortly before midnight Saturday night while he was in a railway station at Lisbon awaiting a train.

Advices from Lisbon referring to the assassination said he was struck by three bullets.

The president's assailant, named Jestne, was killed by the crowd.

President Paes died within a few minutes after the shooting.

Dr. Sidoni Paes was proclaimed president of Portugal last June 9. He headed a revolution in Portugal in December, 1917, and was named president of the republic. He was professor of mathematics in the University of Coinbra, when he entered the Portuguese government in 1911 as minister of public works. At the outbreak of the war he was Portuguese minister at Berlin and remained there until 1916, when he returned to Lisbon.

While provisional president he declared that Portugal would remain in agreement with the allies against Germany. One of his first acts after being proclaimed president was to take steps for greater participation in the war by Portugal.

On Dec. 6, while walking on the streets of Lisbon, he was fired at but the shot went wild. The president's aggressor was arrested.

Assassin Lynched.

PARIS, Dec. 15.—According to a Havas Agency despatch from Lisbon, the assassin of the president was lynched by the crowds.

Tamagnini Barboza, minister of the interior, has assumed the presidency.

LETTER TO CRERAR WAS MISSENT

Civil Service Federation Asks for Immediate Action on Request for Bonus

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—The officers of the Civil Service federation gave out the following statement tonight:

"The government has on three separate occasions failed to give civil servants a definite reply to their specific and repeated request for a board to arbitrate the requested war bonus of $350 total.

"The third evasion was received long enough before the meeting on Dec. 14 to permit of an exchange of telephone messages, asking once more whether the government would answer our request.

"Civil servants went into session a few hours later with the necessity for considering an official statement that 'there was nothing to add.'

"Government has not refused to arbitrate the war bonus, government has merely said, and repeated four times, that a board to arbitrate a readjustment of salaries is unnecessary and that the war bonus is dealt with by order in council. With the first statement, no one has disagreed or will disagree; the second is the only answer we seemed able to get to repeated requests for a board to arbitrate orders in council which are unsatisfactory.

"It is impossible for civil servants not to feel a sense of keen regret that a government which has during the progress of the above mentioned correspondence has placed its machinery at the disposal of others should be so careful of using similar methods to keep the good will of its own employees.

"Civil servants see no reason to expect a fifth request to the government would even be successful in securing an answer and they feel that if the board of arbitration and conciliation which the government says is imperative in the case of others is to be secured, civil servants will have to assume the initiative in its organization. They feel that the progress of events has left them few alternatives

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DURATION OF ARMISTICE IS EXTENDED TO JAN. 17

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PARIS, Dec. 14.—The complete texts of the amendments of the German armistice which were signed this morning in Field Marshal Foch's railway train at Treves, follow:

First—The duration of the treaty of armistice concluded Nov. 11, is prolonged one month, until Jan. 17, 1919 at 5 o'clock in the morning. This extension of a month will be extended until the conclusion of preliminaries of peace, subject to the consent of the allied governments.

Second—The execution of the conditions of the agreement of Nov. 11, such as are not completely fulfilled, will be followed and completed in the period of extension of the armistice, after regulations fixed by the armistice commission.

Third—The following conditions will be added to the agreement of Nov. 11:

The allied high command reserves the right to begin, meanwhile, if it thinks wise, to assume new guarantees to occupy the neutral zone on the right bank of the Rhine to the north of the bridgehead of Cologne, up to the Dutch frontier. This occupation will be announced by the allied high command by giving six days' notice.

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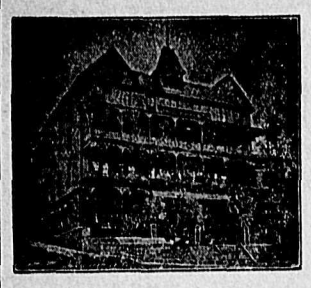

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and has amply justified this action.

"The civil servants' federation, has, therefore, decided to nominate Hon. T. A. Crerar, minister of agriculture, as the government representaive on the board of arbitration and conciliation between the government and its employees in the matter of distribution of the requested war bonus of $350 to all. Mr. Crerar's public record justifies our confidence in him as a man devoted to public service and we hope nothing will stand in the way of his acceptance. As an earnest endeavor of our fairness, we have proposed to Mr. Crerar that he select the civil service representatives. The two members so selected will appoint a third.

"All doubt as to whether the government need lay its case before such a board is set aside by the willingness of the civil service federation, not to lay its case before the board. We shall rest our case on the several communications already addressed to the government and the government in answering us has made its case similarly available.

"We shall not refuse to appear before the board on request unless the government should refuse, and its refusal, taken in conjunction with our acceptance, should rob the board of its arbitrative function.

"We hope the essential fairness of our actions, its moderation, and the fact that it has not been assumed until almost all other possible avenues of approach have been tried will commend itself to the people of Canada.

"In transmitting this information to the public we wish to express our regret that the letter to Mr. Crerar has not yet reached him."

EDMONTON BATTALION COLORS ARE RECEIVED

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The colors of the 49th Edmonton battalion were taken from Canterbury cathedral yesterday, Major Weaver journeying specially from Brussels to receive them. Only three original officers now remain. Lieuts. Stone and Clews, who received the colors, each lost a leg. Thte dean of Canterbury in handing the colors recited the wonderful record of the battalion, which sustained more than 2500 casualties and won two V. C.'s.

Eight other pairs of Canadian colors remain at Canterbury.

WAR VETERANS ARRIVE HOME

Corp. Shaw, Pte. O'Donnell of Trail and Pte. Collis of Ymir Welcomed.

Three war veterans returned to Nelson from overseas on Saturday night. They were Corp. W. H. J. Shaw, who has been repatriated from a German prison camp; Pte. Donald O'Donnell of Trail, and Pte. Colless of Ymir, both of whom have been wounded.

A large crowd was assembled at the city wharf to welcome the veterans and the following members of the returned soldiers aid acted as a reception committee: A. D. Emory, president; J. E. Annable, treasurer, and R. G. Joy, secretary.

Corp. Shaw was met at Kootenay Landing by Mrs. Shaw. He left Nelson with the first contingent four years ago and has been a prisoner in Germany for three years. He received wounds which put him out of action in 1915. He was shot in the breast, while stooping down, the bullet coming out near the spine. He was left on the battlefield for dead, but was picked up later and taken to a hospital in Ghent, where he lay for 11 days in a semi-conscious state. He was kept in the hospital for three months and was then sent to a prison camp in Freidrichsfelt, near Wesel, in Germany. He was there until October, 1916, when he was transferred to a camp at Mannheim, Baden. After four days there he was put to work in a factory for making substitute sugar. The treatment received from the managers of the factory was fairly good, he stated, but he received very rough treatment from the workers. In the summer of 1917 he was transferred to Heuberg camp, and was afterwards sent to Karlsruhe, where he had to go into hospital for two weeks. He was repatriated and sent to Holland in March of this year and was again admitted to hospital, until August, when he was sent to England. He was in hospital all the time he was in England, and expects to enter hospital in Vancouver for an operation after spending leave in Nelson until some time in January.

Corp. Shaw says that the general treatment in the prison camps was pretty rough, although he did not receive such bad treatment as the Russians who were in the same camp. These men were knocked about with rifles and brutally kicked.

Pte. O'Donnell enlisted with the 225th battalion. He was transferred to a railroad section and wounded at Ypres on March 6, 1918. Both of his legs and one arm were broken. He is the guest of the returned soldiers' committee at the Madden house while in the city and will leave for his home in Trail on Wednesday.

Pte. Colliss of Ymir, who was also with the returned party, enlisted with the 54th battalion in 1915. He was wounded in action in France.

148 SACKS OF MAIL FOR NELSON ON BOAT

One hundred and forty-eight sacks of mail came into the city last evening on the S.S. Nassokin. This is one of the largest mails received in a single shipment for many months, and does not contain overseas mail, which is expected tonight.

The Josie and Centre Star at Rossland are again shipping to Trail.

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Wanted—For Kootenay Lake General hospital, a matron and head nurse. Applications with testimonials to be in the hands of the secretary not later than Wednesday, Dec. 25. (950)

ANY CUT YOU LIKE FROM: Beef, pork, veal, mutton, lamb, chicken, salmon, halibut, black cod, ling cod, soles, white fish, grey cod, crabs, shrimps, clams, salt mackerel, herring, cod, smoked salmon, smoked cod, kippers, kippered cod, finnan haddie, Digby chicks, spare ribs, smoked and fresh sausages, chopped suet, hams, bacon, lard, butter, eggs, we have it. Come on in the days of real bargains. at the West Kootenay Butcher Co. (974)

See D. McAlman for short slabs and kindling wood. Phone 425R. Express and baggage. (982)

CARD OF THANKS.

W. J. Labadie and family wish to thank Nurses McKim, Shaw and Dawney, also Nurse Carter of Grand Forks and the kind neighbors who assisted during the illness of the late Don Labadie. (983)

You can make your old piano look like new by using Mason & Risch piano polish. Call and take a 25-cent bottle home with you. Sold only by Mason & Risch, Limited, Annable block, Ward street. (986)

Kokanee chapter Daughters of the Empire will open their rooms from 3 to 4:30 Tuesday afternoon when articles may be handed in and workers may obtain wool. (984)

Come and be inoculated at my office between the hours of 2 and 4 any day until further notice; no charge. Isabel Arthur, medical health officer. (985)

The funeral of the late Edward Richard Clarke will be held from St. Saviour's church tomorrow (Tuesday) afternoon at 1:30. (987)

PTE. LANE WAS IN GERMAN HANDS

Pte. T. H. Lane of the infantry, who has been a prisoner of war in Germany for about a month, has been repatriated and arrived at Dover, England, on Dec. 9, according to a wire received yesterday by his mother, Mrs. T. W. Lane. Pte. Lane, who owned a livery business at Ainsworth, left Vancouver for overseas last summer. He was reported wounded and missing about a month ago.

SLIDE DELAYS K. V. TRAIN NEAR COYKENDAHL

The Kettle Valley train was delayed 15 hours and reached Nelson at 1.15 Saturday afternoon as a result of a snowslide near Coykendahl about 43 miles west of Nelson.

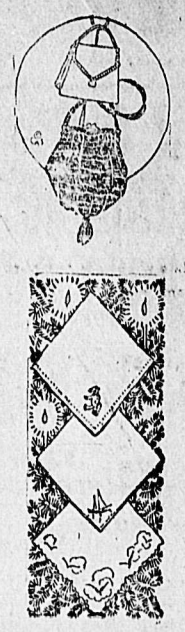
A few rails were torn up when the engine left the track.

STEAMER ARRIVALS

New York—Caracas—Laguaira.
Stockholm—Gothenburg, Parima.
Demareria—Monterey, Vera Cruz.

At Princeton 72 mineral claims will be sold for taxes on Dec. 27.

A fire in the coal mine at Princeton has been causing some trouble lately. It is now said to be under control.



Our Christmas Stock Wins Approval

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GIFT NECKWEAR—Boas, Marabou Capes, Lace Collars, etc.
GIFT GLOVES—Dent's and Perrin's French Kid.
GIFT HOSIERY—In Cashmere, Silk and Lisle.
GIFT READY-TO-WEAR—Skirts, Dresses, Coats.
GIFT BLOUSES, CAMISOLES, UNDERWEAR.
GIFT BOUDOIR CAPS.
GIFT NECKTIES FOR MEN

JOIN THE CROWDS OF HAPPY CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS TODAY

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NELSON MEN GET COMMISSIONS

Wm. Hull and Allan Shaw Promoted as War Ended—Shaw Gets Croix du Guerre

William Hull and Allan Shaw, who enlisted at Nelson in the 54th battalion ,have both received commissions according to a letter received by William Fraser from Dick Humparies, formerly an employee at the Silver King and Lucky Jim mines, and who is now a blacksmith with the Canadian expeditionary forces.

Before leaving Nelson Lieut. Shaw was on the staff of the British Columbia Telephone company. While fighting in France he won the Croix de Guerre. Lieut. Hull was employed by the Star grocery before going overseas.

Both officers were on their way back to France after taking a training course in England when the announcement was made that hostilities had ceased.

BLIND VETERANS MAY GET LAND

Premier Borden Tells St. Dunstans Inmates That Government Will Consider Proposal.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Dec. 15.—(Special Cablegram from John W. Dafoe)—The Canadian mission visited St. Dunstan's institute for the blind yesterday and met the blind Canadians, some 30 in all. A petition was presented to the premier asking that the government give to each one of the blinded Canadian officers or men 320 acres of homestead land, without stipulation that it must be personally cultivated and suggesting the method by which this land can be located for them by proxy.

Lieut. Hitchings, who spoke supporting the petition, pointed out also that in Australia each blinded soldier had been given free permanent transportation over government railways.

Sir Robert Borden made a sympathetic reply and promised careful consideration of the requests. It is estimated that there are only about 80 cases of total blindness in the Canadian army. Sir Arthur Pearson, head of St. Dunstan's, goes to Ottawa next week.

Provision for accommodation for the flood of Canadian soldiers on leave in London for the holidays is a serious problem. The city is congested to a degree unknown in the war by the number of soldiers of all armies on leave and the returning prisoners of war. The Maple Leaf club expects to extend its accommodation by 1000 beds. Lady Drummond, head of the organization, is in receipt of $5000 from Huntly R. Drummond, of Montreal, collected in Quebec, and $25,000 from the war contingent association of Manitoba, which is to be applied to this purpose.

Beds will be put in warehouses and other large buildings that can be obtained, while four large houses on Grosvenor Gardens equipped by the Ontario government, are now open. Lorries are to be stationed, with staffs, to pick up Canadian soldiers as they arrive and transport them to the clubs. It is expected that the pressure on accommodations will continue during the whole period of demobilization.

Canadian prisoners of war have returned to England to the number of 2000 and are now arriving at the rate of 25 a day. They reach the country at Dover or Rippon and are there taken charge of by the Canadian army authorities. Each man is fully questioned as to his treatment in Germany and a statement is drawn up for his signature. While this information may be said that it more than confirms the stories of German brutality and shows German civilians in a specially bad light. This information will be available for part of Canada's case at the peace conference.

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SAWMILL ON GRANITE ROAD STARTS OPERATIONS

The sawmill operated by Baskin and Steadman, which is located a short distance from McPhail's ranch on the Granite road, will start operations this morning and will be running full blast before the end of the week. A gang of between 40 and 50 men will be required in and around the mill. While some of these men are on contract work, the larger part of them will be on the payroll.

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TRADING IS QUIET ON MONTREAL EXCHANGE

MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—Irregular price changes accompanied a quiet session on the Montreal stock exchange Saturday. The two most active stocks were preferred issues, Canada Car yielding nearly 2 points, while Spanish River advanced 1 point. Car, after falling to 83, rallied to 83¾ bid at the close. Spanish River sold at its best price in the final dealings, namely 62, after opening unchanged at 61.

Other changes included an advance of 2 points to 40 in Asbestos common, which thus equalled its high record price, with the preferred ½ higher at 61½ and Shawinigan was 1¼ higher at 111¼.

The steel stocks were dull and unchanged in light dealings, as was also Steamship common. Steamship preferred, however, displayed a stronger tone, showing a net gain of ¼ at 77¾, with small lots selling at 78.

In bonds there was a further recovery in Bell Telephone 5s which sold at 91, a gain of 1 point for the day and of nearly 4 points from the recent low price.

Sales: Shares, 1449; bonds, $5300

BELIEVE 76 MEN DROWNED ON BOATS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SAULT STE. MARIE, Dec. 15.—All hope that the two missing French mine sweepers Cerisoles and Inkerman had escaped the storm of Nov. 24, when they became separated from the Sebastopol, a third vessel of the fleet, which was enroute from Fort William, Ont., to France, was abandoned tonight by Capt. Leclerc, who has returned from an exhaustive search of the north shore of Lake Superior.

No trace of the vessels which carried 76 men, was found. Leclerc says all of the victims were French sailors except two pilots.

Capt. Leclerc will leave here tomorrow in an effort to reach the Atlantic before the St. Lawrence river is closed by ice.

Ao-lin-bey Pasha—The chief general of death.

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EGGS 80 CENTS AT LOCAL MARKET

Home Made Christmas Plum Puddings in Demand.

The demand for beef and pork was good at Saturday's market and there was very little oversupply. Strictly fresh ranch eggs were offered at 85 cents and fell to 80 cents, with very little demand. Home made Christmas plum puddings made an appearance and sold well at 40 cents to $1 a pound.

Toys, dolls' furniture, and needlework was again offered at attractive prices.

Fresh vegetables were much in demand, especially greens. There were practically no potatoes offered. Apples were displayed in several varieties and grades. Sales were more numerous than at last week's market.

Market Prices.

Following is the list of market prices:

Fresh killed beef, lb.	.18@$ .35
Fresh killed veal, lb.	.20@ .35
Fresh killed pork, lb.	.25@ .35
Potted meats	.20
Chicken, lb.	.35
Fowl, lb.	.30
Fresh eggs, dozen	.80
Fresh butter, per lb.	.60
Homemade cheese, lb.	.45@ .50
Cream, ½-pint bottles	.25
Honey, extracted, jars	.35@ .40
Homemade jams, 1 lb. jar	.30
4-lb. tins	.70@ 1.00
Potted plants	.15@ .50
Vegetables.	
Potatoes, 10 lbs.	.25
Potatoes, 100 lbs.	2.00
Carrots, per lb.	.02½
Beets, per lb	.02½
Parsnips, per lb.	.03
Turnips, per lb.	.04
Onions, per lb.	.05
Green onions, bunch	.05
Leeks, per bunch	.05
Celery, per bunch	.10
Savoy cabbage, lb.	.03
Purple pickling cabbage	.03
Endive, two heads for	.05
Kale, per head	.10@ .15
Squash, per lb.	.03
Pumpkin, per lb	.02½
Marrows, per lb.	.03½
Citron, per lb	.04
Quinces, per lb.	.10
Pears, lb.	.10
Apple cider, gallon	.75
Apples	
N. W. Greening, No. 1	2.25
N. W. Greening, No. 2	2.00
R. I. Greening, No. 2	2.00
Half Boxes.	
Golden Russets, fancy	1.50
Red Cheek Pipins, fancy	1.50

AUSTRALIA FINDS WORK FOR SOLDIERS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MELBOURNE, Australia, Dec. 15.—Canadian Press despatch from Reuter's, Limited.—Minister of Repatriation Milen states that encouraging results have attended the efforts of his department to find employment for returned soldiers and the vocational training schemes for ex-soldiers have been successful. Liberal pensions have been given to disabled soldiers and to widows and children of the fallen. Hostels are already being opened in the capital city of the commonwealth where disabled men may live in pleasant surroundings and receive skilled medical attendance.

24 SHIPS TO CARRY MEN BACK TO FREEDOM

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 13 (Canadian Press Despatch, Reuter's Limited),—From Dec. 17 and onward four large transport steamers will ply between Helsingfors and Le Havre, and 20 smaller steamers will be continuously employed repatriating prisoners of war from Germany. Two steamers with British troops aboard arrived here yesterday.

MORE INFLUENZA CASES REPORTED IN CALGARY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CALGARY, Dec. 15.—Sixty-five houses have been quarantined owing to influenza between Friday noon and Sunday night with a mimimum of 130 cases. Dr. Fisher of the local health board states that the epidemic is nearly as bad as before.

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1 5-h.p. A. C. Motor, 220 volts.
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Mining and Markets

LITTLE CHANGE IN FRUIT QUOTES

Ocean Rate on Apples to United Kingdom Is Changed to $5 a Barrel.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 12.—By Mail.—A cable just received from the fruit trade commissioner from London, England, announces a change in the ocean rate on apples to United Kingdom which is as follows: One pound-plus primage approximately, $5.00 per barrel; and 5 shillings and primage approximately $1.25 per box.

All prices are for Wednesday and are wholesale, unless otherwise quoted.

Vancouver and Victoria—Delicious $3.50; Winesaps and Yellow Newtons, $2.50 to $2.75; Northern Spy $2.50; Spitz, $2.50 to $2.75; Winter Bananas, $2.75; Wagner, 2.25 to 2.50; Jonathans $2.50 to $2.60; Baldwins Greenings, White Winter Permaine $2.25; King David and Ganos, $2 to $2.25; No. 2 apples, 25 cents a box less. These prices are for single box lots, a reduction of 10 cents a box on 5 and 10 box lots; No. 3 apples and crated stock from $1.25 to $1.75 according to quality.

Pears: Winter, $4 per box No. 1; local cooking pears, unwrapped stock $1.75 and up.

Oranges, $7 to $8 per case; lemons $9; grape fruit, California, $5; Florida $7; grapes, lugs pretty well cleaned up; drums from $8 to $10; cranberries 35c per lb.

Potatoes: Locals, $30 to $35; Chilliwack, $38 per ton; Ashcroft and Lillooet, $40 to $45, good commercial stock. Potato market dull; too many to be picked over before storing. Onions, $2.50 to $3 per sack, No. 1 stock. Some soft onions or not fit for storage at prices to move. Beets $1.50; carrots, $1.25; turnips, $1.25; parsnips, $2 per sack.

Car of potatoes in bulk 96994 C.P.R. has been seized by the Canada food board—under orders in council 597 and 3430—this car has been in the yards about a month.

Vernon and Okanagan points—Delicious, $3; Rome Beauty, Yellow Newtons, $2; Wagners and Jonathans $1.75;; No. 2, 25 cents a box less; No 3 and crates, $1 to $1.25. Potatoes $27; onions, $30 to $35 per ton. Shipments from Okanagan to date by freight and express amount to 1802 cars of fruit, 826 mixed fruits and vegetables, 736 vegetables.

Calgary, Alta.—B. C. car arrivals since last report: 3 apples, 1 cabbage, 1 mixed vegetables. Prices same as quoted last report. No. 1 B. C. and Washington apples, all varieties, $2.50 to $2.75 per box.

Saskatoon, Sask.—Weather cloudy and cold; fruit business quiet; both British Columbia and imported apples showing heavy waste. In boxes, Spy, No. 1, $3.20; No. 2, $2.75; Wagners, Jonathans No. 1, $2.55; No. 2, $2.45; *other assorted varieties, $2.45.* In barrel, Spy, No. 1, $9; No. 2, $8; other assorted varieties No .1, $7; No. 2, $6.50. Pears: Anjou, $4; Winter Nellis, $3.75 per box. Onions, $3.50 per cwt.; potatoes, $1.60 per bag.

Winnipeg, Man.—Weather mild, snowing. Arrivals: 2 cars of British Columbia apples and two cars of Ontario apples. No change in prices. Ontario box apples Greenings, Baldwins, Pippins, No. 1, $2.75; No. 2 Baldwins and Russets, $2.25 to $2.50; Spys and Stark, No. 1, $3; No. 2, $2.75; B. C. Spys and Snows, No. 1, $3.50; Winter Bananas and Delicious $1.75; Cox Orange, Jonathans, Grimes Golden, $3; No. 2, 25 cents less. Onions, $3.50 per cwt.; celery, 8 cents per pound.

St. Catharines, Ont.—Barrel apples nearly packed, a few to box yet *Prices slightly advanced.*

Toronto, Ont.—Ontario, Kings, Baldwin, Greening No. 1, $5.50 to $6; No 2, $4.50 to $5; No. 3, $3.50; Spys, $1 higher. Boxed Greening, Baldwin 2.15 to $2.25; Kings, Spys, $3.40 to $2.50 No. 1. B. C. McIntosh, No. 1 $2.90 to $3; Jonathan, $3.15 to $3.25 No 1. Imported Rome Beauty, Winesaps $3.25 to $3.50 No. 1. Onions, 1.90 to $2 per hundred. Ontario potatoes, $1.50 to $1.60; N.B, Delawares, $1.90 to $2 per 90 lbs.

PETROLEUM FEATURES MART AT TORONTO

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Dec. 15.—A further advance in International Petroleum and reactions into the listed issues, Twin City and Mackay in sympathy with the break in New York were the chief features of Saturday's market. Petroleum was the most active stock in the list, with sales at 16.30 to 16.40, as compared with 16 on Friday.

Still more significant of the scarcity of Petroleum was the moving up of the bid to 16.75 with no stock offered below 17.

Mackay, selling ex-dividend 1½ per cent, came out at 72½, as against cumulated dividend sales at 75½, so that the actual loss was 1½, while Twin City at 52 showed the loss of a point.

Bank of Toronto at 193 was 2 points above the closing sale of the previous day. Canada Steamships common closed unchanged at 49¼ and the preferred unchanged at 77¼, a gain of ¼, after touching 78.

A small lot of Cement was marketed at 64½, an advance of ¾.

BIG DROP IN ORE RECEIPTS

3295 Tons Shipped During Week Ending Dec. 7 Compared with 7522 Previous Week.

Shipments to the Trail smelter during the week Dec. 1 to Dec. 7, took a big drop. Only 3295 tons were shipped in that weeks tas against 7522 the previous week. There were no new shippers recorded.

Rossland.		
Centre Star-Le Roi	...	89,374
Josie (Le Roi No. 2)	601	18,416
White Bear	...	1,409
Totals	601	109,199
American Mines.		
Amazon lease	...	185
American Flag	...	58
Brown's Lake	...	21
Cons. Mines	...	702
Electric Point	31	4,594
Golden Seal	...	14
High Grade	...	82
Hudson	...	25
Illinois	...	2
Knob Hill	...	717
Loon Lake	...	322
Metaline	...	61
Reardan	...	478
San Poil	...	3,650
Silver Basin	...	28
United Copper	...	2,841
Totals	31	15,028
Miscellaneous.		
Blue Grouse	...	250
Caledonia	...	19
Couverapee	...	979
Cross, J. R.	...	1
Foggy Day	...	9
Iron Mask	53	2,759
Inland	...	32
Lightning Peak	...	2
Ma ine	...	18
Mandy	...	5,788
Mountain Chief	...	570
Silver Standard	...	92
Sunset	...	19
Sunnyside	...	6
Sandberg	...	5
Torpedo	...	43
Triune	...	46
True Fissure	...	41
Waterloo No. 2	...	5
West Minerals	...	2
Nelson and Salmo.		
Aspen	...	7
Emerald	...	3,176
Eureka	...	766
Lost Cabin	...	13
Monarch	...	170
Ore Hill	...	37
Queen	...	14
Spokane	...	20
Yankee Girl	...	143
Totals	...	4,326
Boundary.		
Bell	...	73
Black Diamond	...	2
Bounty Fraction	...	30
Emma	110	20,249
Hennessy	...	3
Lakevale	...	5
Rambler B.	...	5
Sally	...	10
Standard Fraction	...	9
Providence	...	65
Totals	110	20,419
East Kootenay.		
Daly-Burton	...	34
Isaac	...	28
Mable R.	...	17
North Star	112	1,882
Paradise	...	2,434
Silver Belt	...	50
St. Eugene	37	1,099
St. Eugene lease	...	161
Sullivan (zinc)	1,856	90,402
Sullivan (lead)	183	7,993
Totals	2,188	103,910
Slocan and Ainsworth.		
Anna group	...	17
Arlington	102	167
Bell	...	255
Best	...	37
Black Prince	...	30
Bluebell	...	5,319
Canadian Group	...	11
Cork-Province	...	749
Eastmount	...	49
Echo	...	90
Evening Star	...	20
Florence	...	2,029
Freddie Lee	...	40
Galena Farm	...	1,215
Gallagher	32	64
Gem	...	7
Grant	...	4
Highland	...	772
Idaho-Alamo	...	127
Ivanhoe	...	52
Jessie-Bluebird	...	7
Jo Jo	...	10
L. T.	...	22
Little Phil	...	110
Lucky Jim	57	1,842
Lucky Thought	...	129
Maestro	...	69
Mohawk	...	5
Molly Gibson	19	1,870
Molly Hughes	...	19
Montezuma	...	106
No. One, Ainsworth	...	6,054
No. One, Sandon	...	81
Noonday	...	2
Ottawa	...	49
Payne lease	...	40
Queen Bess	102	2,608
Rambler-Cariboo	...	545
Reco	...	19
Republic	...	14
Retallack	...	105
Richmond-Eureka	...	69
Silver Hoard	...	21
Silversmith	...	318
Skyline	...	35
Slocan Payne	...	26
Sovereign	...	84
Spokane-Trinket	...	226
Standard	...	5,742
Surprise	...	1,142
Tam O'Shanter	...	38
Tariff	...	26
Thompson, J. H.	...	35
Van Roi	...	838
Wonderful	...	32
Totals	312	31,019

MONTREAL PRODUCE.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—Potatoes were steady Saturday. Quotations.

Cheese: Finest easterns, 24 to 25.

Butter: Choicest creamery, 51 to 52.

Eggs: Selected, 55; No. 1 stock, 50.

Potatoes: Per bag, carlots, $1.70 to $1.75.

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Pimples Broke Out All Over Face, Arms and Neck

Pimples are a sure sign that the blood is not in its proper shape.

While the skin is the seat of the irritation, unsightly pimples, the real disease is in the blood.

Medicated lotions and powders may allay the itching and irritation, but never cure, no matter how long and faithfully continued and the condition is often aggravated and the skin permanently injured by their use. The disease is more than skin deep; the entire circulation is poisoned.

Burdock Blood Bitters quickly and effectually cures blood and skin troubles, because it goes direct to the root of the disease and stimulates and restores normal, healthy action to the different organs, cleanses and enriches the blood, and thus relieves the system of all poisonous secretions.

B. B. B. Cures permanently because it leaves none of the original poison to ferment in the blood and cause a fresh attack.

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CORN PRICES DOWN.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 14.—Pronounced weakness developed in the corn market Saturday, owing largely to the outlook for an increase of receipts. The close was heavy, 2¼ cents to 3⅛ cents lower, with January at $1.35⅝ to $1.36 and May the same. Oats finished 1⅜ to 2 cents off, and provisions were down 50 cents to $1.

COAL DUMPED IN SEWER; SO LUNCH ROOM FREEZES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK—It grew increasingly colder in the Horn & Hardart restaurant on Eighth street and the manager finally telephoned to another branch eating house. The branch promised to send coal at once.

Time passed and no coal arrived in the cellar. More telephoning.

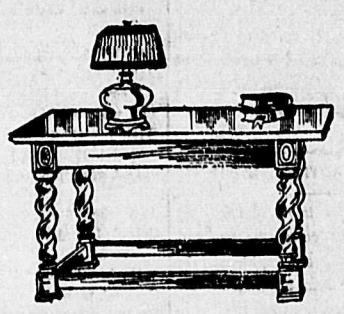
"But we sent four loads of coal a little while ago," was the reply.

Investigation developed there are two coal holes or what look like coal holes, in front of the Eighth street place. One leads to the cellar, the other connects with a sewer.

Four loads of perfectly good anthracite went into the wrong place.

Only Eight More Days for Christmas Shopping

SUGGESTIONS FOR SOMETHING USEFUL AS GIFTS:



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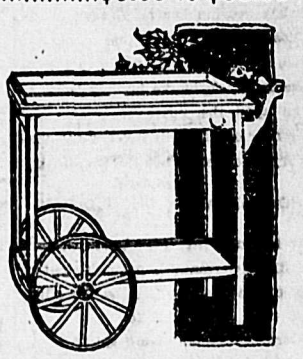
Library Tables at ..... $18.00 TO $55.00
Library Lamps, at ..... $6.00 TO $38.00

Dinner Wagons
$20.00 TO $45.00



Hall Trees ..... $5 to $15
Jardiniere Stands— $2.25 to $8.50
Smokers' Stands, $5 to $12
Ladies' Desks ... $10 to $30
Sewing Stands ..... $6 to $15
Magazine Stands .. $8 to $15
Down Comforters $12 to $28
Easy Chairs ... $4.50 to $75
Children's Doll Beds— $1.50 to $6.50
Doll Gocarts ..... $4 and $5

Kindergarten Sets $3
Napkins, per doz. $1 to $6.50

Table Cloths, pure linen— $2 to $10

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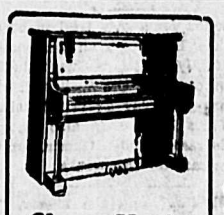
COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHERS BAKER ST., NELSON, B.C.



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THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS ABROAD IN THE LAND.

Not for five years has the Christmas spirit been as general or wholehearted as this year, the first Christmas after the driving home of the victory over Germany.

The smiles of Father Christmas are abroad in the land. Presents are being purchased for everyone. Christmas trees and decorated homes will illustrate the general desire to observe the happy occasion.

This is as it should be. Christmas is the season of the year when the world "loosens up," forgets its struggles and difficulties, its disappointments and failures, and looks upon the bright side of things.

It's a pity that the spirit of Christmas could not last for longer. The bright side of things is, after all, usually uppermost, if we can only see it that way.

A PRETTY PRACTICAL IDEALIST.

President Wilson is an idealist, but the history of the course he has followed in this war shows him to be something more than an idealist. He is a practical idealist.

That is the important point. An impractical idealist often does more harm than good. He often sets back, instead of furthering, the movement tending toward the ideal upon which he has set his heart. But President Wilson does not make that mistake.

He is not likely to make that mistake in any influence he may bring to bear upon the peace congress. His talk may occasionally savor of the visionary, but his actions are practical.

HOW GERMANY SHOULD PAY.

It is true that the total present wealth of Germany is not sufficient to pay off the debts she owes the allies. But that signifies little.

Germany is not being asked to liquidate the debt immediately. The allies' war expenditures are represented by bond issues. Some of these issues are redeemable in five years from date of issue, some in 10 years, some in 20 years, some extend over longer periods.

What Germany should be forced to do is to pay the interest on these loans, together with the sinking fund which must be put up annually to assure their redemption on the due dates, together with the interest and sinking fund of any new loans, issued by the allies or Germany itself, which are necessary to pay for the reconstruction of the areas devastated by the German armies in the war.

Blackguards is more appropiate than red guards.

Eight shopping days to Christmas.

Don't leave your Christmas shopping until too late.

Old Father Christmas will be heavily laden this year.

Another earthquake shock has been felt at the coast. The alleged wholesale selling of whisky in Vancouver at $2 a bottle must have caused the disturbance.

Bolsheviki leaders in Russia are debating whether it is worth while going on with their plans. They'll have to act quickly if they want any voice in the matter.

Because it would be impossible for the government to take an inventory of his assets, the United States has agreed to accept John D. Rockefeller's own statement as to how much he is worth, with a view of ascertaining his tax on income. His wages 62 years ago were 64 cents a day; and he lived in a shabby boarding house, and regularly gave one cent each week to Sunday school. Now John's income is estimated at $60,000,000 a year: $114.15 every minute; $1.90 a second. Yet John says: "Great wealth is a burden and destroys the real zest of life."

A memorial driveway is a proposal in St. Thomas in memory of the soldiers from that city who fell in the war.

WHAT THE PRESS IS SAYING

Lodge Philosophy

Do not try to own the earth, and take a pointer from the fate of Bill. He was once king, but now he is no bigger than a torn deuce in a greasy pack of cards. He has no chance to loom great again, except as the leading actor in a hanging match.—*Greenwood Ledge.*

TOLD IN RHYME

THE DEATH OF THE LAST DOLLAR

I gazed upon his wrinkled face,
The last survivor of his race,
From all his brothers parted;
And loth was I to let him go,
For gone, he'd leave me, don't you know,
Famished and broken-hearted.

His other brothers, one by one
I'd spent, and had the greatest fun;
I joyed to see them flying;
But now his loneliness was such
That as he wrinkled to my touch
I seemed to hear him sighing

"And must you, too, with me dispense
For clumsy quarters, dimes and cents?
I pray you, master heed me."
I wept salt tears and whispered, "Nay,
I have not tasted food today,
You must be changed to feed me."

I ordered beef and apple pie,
At which the dollar seemed to cry:
"I feel my back a-breaking!"
Still hungry, cried I: Coffee, cheese!"
The dolair sank on pleading knees:
"My very heart you're taking!"

And he spoke right, for at the end,
Reluctantly I gave my friend;
I saw his lifeblood trickle;
The waitress thrust him out of sight,
Cash registered him and said "Good-night."
And gave me back a nickle.

And when I saw my broken friend
Crippled and maimed too much to mend,
My heart was filled with sorrow.
O cruel man! O cruel deed!
To kill a friend that you might feed!
O would to heaven I'd taken heed
Of breakfast for tomorrow.

Roland Goodchild.

COLD STORAGE

A mother went into a footwear shop to buy a pair of shoes for her little son, who accompanied her.

An assistant came briskly forward, and, learning that shoes were wanted for the boy, looked at his feet intently for a moment.

French kid?" he asked.

"'Tis none of your business whether he's French or Irish," flashed the mother. "I want a pair of shoes for 'im."

Fixing the Joker

Ominica Herald (B.C.), says: "A fresh joker, who signed himself Von Blankenstein of Francois Lake, wished to use the Herald News columns to ridicule one of his fellow settlers. We could see neither humor nor truth in the letter and take this opportunity to inform Mr. Blankenstein that we have forwarded his letter to the party he wished to poke fun at. We trust that the party will give him the thrashing he deserves."

WALTER KEITH OF CALGARY DIES IN PHILADELPHIA

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

EDMONTON, Alta., Dec. 15.—Word was received here today of the death in Philadelphia of Walter Keith of Calgary, connected with the Keith milling company and South Alberta manager for the Dominion Life. He was 44 years old and leaves a widow and five children. He was a brother of Rev. H. J. Keith, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church, Edmonton.

BEATS WIFE; GETS 10 LASHES AND 3 MONTHS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Dec. 15.—Three months in Burwash reformatory, with five lashes when he enters and another five at the end of 60 days, was the punishment handed out to David Goodman, wife beater, by Magistrate Ellis on Saturday.

Goodman's wife, the mother of seven children, the eldest of whom is seven years, appeared in court with a badly blackened eye and bruised limbs as evidence of her husband's brutality.

FOUR TRAINS DAILY CARRY FREED PRISONERS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 13 (Canadian Press despatch from Reuter's, Limited, via London Dec. 15).—Regular transport of entente prisoners of war began today. Four trains leave daily for France, each carrying 700 to 800 soldiers. It is estimated there are 75,000 French and British prisoners to be repatriated. The prisoners in northern and central Germany will be repatriated by a more direct route.

THINKS KAISER WILL SURRENDER TO YANKS

It is not beyond a reasonable expectation that the former kaiser of Germany will surrender to the American army, that portion of it which is near the Rhine.

Municipal Judge William N. Gemmill is authority for this. He thinks the former kaiser is going to emulate Napoleon and surrender to a power believed by the former ruler of the German empire to be more friendly to him than any other of the allies.

"We could do nothing with him," said the judge, "if he does surrender to our army. We could not banish him, nor could we prosecute him in this country for murder. Under our army regulations he could not be tried by court martial. Nor could we, under extradition treaties, deliver him into the custody of any of our allied nations.

Napoleon surrendered to the British. If the clouds over the head of the former kaiser become a little more threatening he is likely to adopt the course of Napoleon and surrender to the allied power, which, in his judgment, will be most friendly. That power, in all probability, will be the United States."

HAS NAVAL SCHOOL

Spain has established a nautical school at Seville for boys who have received an elementary education, with special courses on piloting and engineering.

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MET VANCOUVER TURK IN MESOPOTAMIA

(The Vancouver World.)

From the forest-clad mountains of British Columbia to the gates of the Holy City is a long, long trail, and from the lumber camps of the Fraser, the mines of the Kootenay, the fishing villages of the coast and the great white silences of the northland to the battlefields of France, Italy and Mesopotamia is a memorable journey. But the sons of British Columbia have tramped the long trail and many and unique have been their experiences. Particularly interesting has been that of Lieut. W. J. Kane, of Port Moody, who left for overseas with the 102nd battalion and after six weeks in France was wounded and sent to Etaples to convalesce.

On his recovery he received his commission and was drafted to the Inland Water Transport, leaving for Mesopotamia in October, 1916. While serving on a hospital ship in lower Mesopotamia Lieut. Kane was severely injured when the ship was blown up by a bomb dropped by an enemy airman, receiving injuries to his arm, shoulder and ear. After many months in hospitals in Bombay, India and Capetown, South Africa, Lieut. Kane was sent back to England and invalided home, returning to Victoria.

Of Interest to Antiquarians

His collection of souvenirs includes one which will be of considerable interest to antiquarians, a very fine helmet and spearhead taken from an ancient tomb in Mesopotamia. The tomb had been used by the Turks as a sniping post, and when captured by British troops, the helmet was found among a number of treasures unearthed during the shelling. Fashioned of steel, exquisitely engraved with gold and silver, and with a protective chain pendant from the back, the whole of the helmet is covered with symbolic characters and around the edge is a band with an inscription characteristically Persian.

At British Museum

While in London Lieut. Kane permitted the authorities of the British Museum to examine the trophies and for two weeks they were on exhibition, there being no similar helmet among the Asiatic collection. Various estimates were made as to the age of the trophy, but nothing conclusive could be decided by the museum authorities. The inscription on the helmet reads

"The doughty warriors who kindle fiery sparks and snatch a victory with the aid of powerful armor," evidently a quotation from an epic to celebrate the victories of the wearer or the armor. Owing to the excellence of the material and workmanship, the helmet is in a wonderful state of preservation, but exposure to the air, after its being immured for countless years, has considerably weakened the woven chain, which is in danger of falling to pieces.

Turkish Pistols

A Persian bowl, one of a pair unearthed near Bagdad, is truly representative of the coppersmith's art of the early days. Its fellow was stolen from Liet. Kane while on his way home from the east.

Redolent of more modern times but characteristic evidence of the Oriental love of trappings, is a pair of Turkish pistols, the stocks and barels of which are inlaid with gold and silver. Much of the silver decoration has been stolen by thieves and the weapons are somewhat battered, but nevertheless are interesting specimens of Osmanli workmanship. A particularly fine sword fashioned of silver steel, the hilt emblazoned with the Star and Crescent of the Ottoman empire, belonged to a Turkish general captured by the British. The officer before he died presented the sword to Lieut. Kane, who at that time was on the hospital ship to which the dying man was conveyed.

Gen. Townshend's Telescope

A sentimental interest which will appeal to all Britishers clings to a battered telescope, which bears the inscription, "Gen. A. F. Townshend." This telescope was the property of the gallant defender of Kut-el-Amara and was with him when he was captured by the Turks. Later it was recovered when the British took Bagdad from the Ottomans.

Lieut. Kane also brought back a bayonet used in the Franco-Prussian war of 1870. He also has a "kukri," found on a battlefield in France, and conveying some idea of the damage which could be inflicted by these weapons in the hands of the Ghurkas.

Turk From Vancouver

An amazing event in the overseas life of Lieut. Kane was the meeting of a Turkish prisoner in Mesopotamia who had formerly conducted a fruit store at the corner of Howe and Robson streets. The Turk recognized Lieut. Kane and spoke of the latter having purchased fruit in his store. He gave the officer a photograph of himself and friend.

Lieut. Kane has received an appointment as inspector of machinery for the provincial government.

ALL IS FAIR IN LOVE AND SWAPPING HORSES

CROMWELL, Conn.—John Cavanaugh of this place has a reputation locally as a David Harum.

Recently when a customer swapped with him for a fine looking horse Cavanough told him the animal was blind. The purchaser thought he was joking. Later, when the customer returned and demanded his horse back, having discovered that Cavanaugh was telling the truth, Cavanaugh informed him he had sold the customer's horse for $225 and agreed to take back the blind one for $100.

Having no redress, the customer accepted and Cavanaugh pocketed the $125 profit.

"YELLOW KID" WEIL ILL; NEW TRIAL PLEA DELAY

A motion for a new trial in behalf of "Yellow Kid" Joe Weil was continued recently by Judge Guerin in the criminal court because Weil is ill with influenza. Attorney Everett Jennings, one of his lawyers, is also ill, and for this reason Judge Guerin continued the case for two weeks.

"Well, Pat," said the visitor, "we must all die once."

"That's phwat bothers me,' replied the very sick man. "If Oi could die half a dozen times Oi wouldn't mind it."

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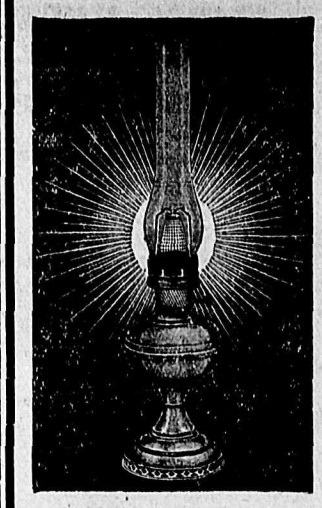

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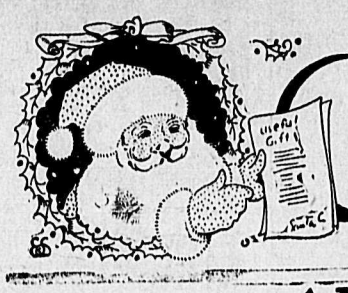

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SAYS PRICE OF SODA BISCUITS IS REASONABLE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—The cost of living branch of the labor department, after an investigation into the price being charged by manufacturers of soda biscuits, has come to the conclusion that 15 cents a pound in bulk lots in a reasonable charge for this commodity. Dr. R. J. McFall, cost of living commissioner, in his report, draws attention to the fact that soda biscuits are composed chiefly of flour and lard, the lard being about one-tenth of the total weight of the ingredients used. In the process of manufacture, however, a portion of the lard, as well as the moisture in the flour, is evaporated, so that the net weight of finished soda biscuits is only about the same weight as the flour used. When the price of the various commodities used is added to the cost of manufacture, the price charged by the manufacturers for the finished product does not, he states, appear to be excessive.

A. K. MACLEAN WILL DEAL WITH CIVIL SERVICE BONUS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—It was officially announced this evening that Hon. A. K. Maclean has been selected by the government to deal with the matter of the civil service bonus, the order in council granting the bonuses provided for the appointment of a cabinet minister to have complete charbe of the administration.

IRISH ELECTIONS SHOW STRENGTH OF SINN FEIN

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BELFAST, Dec. 15.—The feature of Saturday's elections in Ireland was the strength shown by the Sinn Fein. It is reported that Cardinal Logue and Archbishop Walsh both supported the Sinn Fein.

The defeat of John Dillon, Irish Nationalist leader, in East Mayo, is anticipated when the final count is completed. The Sinn Feiners polled a heavy vote in the county and city of Dublin and in Cork. The Northwest Ulster Sinn Feiners will carry the city of Derry, three seats in Donegal and Northwest Tyrone.

The Unionists expect to retain all their seats in the north. Joseph Devlin, Nationalist for West Belfast, has been reelected by several thousand majority.

REGISTRATION AT VARSITY IN EDMONTON IS GREATER

EDMONON, Dec. 15.—The senate of the University of Alberta has voted to establish three new chairs at the university, namely: An economics and political economic, mining engineering and soils. The registration was reported to be 429, the largest since the outbreak of the war.

Kootenay and Boundary

TRAIL BANKER TO PRINCETOWN

George Stewart is Honored by Friends Before Leaving for Similkameen Town

Wednesday morning George A. Stewart, who was the accommodating manager of the Bank of British North America in Trail for the last four years or more, until the recent amalgamation of that institution with the Bank of Montreal, left for Princeton, says the Trail News. He will relieve the manager of the Bank of Montreal at Similkameen town for a couple of months and then will take a much needed vacation before getting into the harness again, perhaps visiting in Trail on the way.

Tuesday evening a few friends of Mr. Stewart gathered in his rooms in the old bank building and expressed themselves in no uncertain accents of regrets at his leaving Trail. James H. Schofield, M. L. A., in a few well chosen words, expressed the feelings of those present and a slight token of regard presented the banker with a case of pipes. Mr. Stewart made a response that was fitting. On account of the flu ban the occasion was made rather quietly, but the following were present J. H. Schofield, Harry Wright, G. F. Pritchard, Fred Chapman, R. C. Crowe, Chas. Dodimead, L. F. Tyson, C. E. Tyson, H. E. R. Bedfor, Father F. X. Teck, Hughie Palmer, A. J. Martin, G. R. Thompson, Donald MacDonald, T. A. Robley and James Williamson.

During his residence in Trail Mr. Stewart made a host of friends, every one of whom, it is safe to say, regret to see him leave this city, and wish him the best of luck in whatever new field his work may take him. What is Trail's loss is Princeton's gain.

PROCTOR POSTMASTER BACK FROM OLD COUNTRY

(Special to The Daily News)

PROCTOR, B. C., Dec. 15.—Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Daniel returned from Vancouver last week. Mr. Daniel, who is postmaster here, went to England in 1915 and has been serving in the army postoffice there. He has just got his discharge and is going to receive three months' treatment at the Balfour Sanitarium.

Mrs. W. A. Ward, who has been spending a holiday with her parents in Wyoming, returned last week after a month's absence.

There have been no cases of the flu here as yet, but the school will remain closed for the remainder of the term as a precautionary measure.

Pte. Frank Syford, who went overseas with the 54th battalion and arrived back last week, was wounded in the shoulder last July.

ROSSLAND NOTES

ROSSLAND, B. C., Dec. 13.—At the regular convocation of Alpha Chapter No. 1 Order of Eastern Star, held Wednesday night the following officers were elected for the coming term: Worthy matron, Mrs. Violet Anderson; worthy patron, H. C. Bowers; association matron, Mrs. Matilda Henderson; secretary, Mrs. Zeta Bowers; treasurer, Mrs. Hattie Wilson; conductress, Mrs. Gertrude Chamberlain. Installation of the above willtake place at the first meeting in January. Mrs. Emma Stevens is the retiring worthy.

Dr. and Mrs. McNaughton were visitors to the city Wednesday evening, the guests of Mrs. A. Inches.

Mrs. Walker and daughter of Trail were visitors to the city Wednesday evening.

In New York state 120,000 youths

Smile!

A good smile makes its own way. Right living makes the smile.

INSTANT POSTUM

instead of tea or coffee puts many a man on the way to smiling health and success. *"There's a Reason"*

Farmers' Special Chop
AND
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We have installed a grain crusher, and are now griding Oat Chop, Barley Chop, Feed Corn Meal, etc., right in Nelson, so now can guarantee above chopped feeds to be pure and of the best quality.

The Taylor Milling and Elevator Co., Ltd.

NO NEW CASES AT GRAND FORKS

Flu Epimedic Has Apparently Been Stamped Out—Local Items and Personal Notes.

(Special to The Daily News.)

GRAND FORKS, B. C., Dec. 15.—No new cases of the flu have been reported since Thursday.

Charles Pearson is quarantined at home on account of his family being ill with the influenza.

Don Manley is confined to his home with a mild attack of influenza.

A typical London fog enveloped Grand Forks Saturday evening.

Claud Smith, formerly an employee of the Grand Forks foundry, and a member of the Siberian contingent, has received his discharge. He arrived in Grand Forks on Wednesday for a few days' visit, leaving Saturday for Seattle, where he expects to spend the winter.

A. B. Sharp, cashier at the Canadian Pacific freight office, is leaving the first of the week for Vancouver and Victoria on a holiday trip.

Sergt. Pete Barker, who went overseas with the 54th battalion, is expected to arrive in Grand Forks Monday.

G. B. Garrett, agent at the Canadian Pacific freight depot, after a two months' illness, has again resumed his duties.

A. Cooper, for several years baggageman at the Great Northern depot, who enlisted with the Siberian regiment and later was transferred to the engineering department, has received his discharge from the service and returned to the city Saturday and will resume his duties as baggageman at the Great Northern offices Monday.

PROCTOR TEACHER QUITS; TRUSTEES HAVE RESIGNED

(Special to The Daily News)

PROCTOR, Dec. 14.—A meeting was held at Balfour recently for the election of two school trustees in place of S. S. Fraser and W. A. Slater, resigned. A. H. Green and J. McKay were elected to fill the vacancies. Miss Halldoes has resigned her position as teacher.

Church services at the Paris have been resumer according to schedule.

MRS. SELLENTIN DIES AT INVERMERE HOSPITAL

INVERMERE, B. C., Dec. 12.—Kathleen Margaret Sellentin, wife of E. F. W. Sellentin of this place, died in the general hospital here today after an illness extending over two weeks. She leaves three small children and a widower. The youngest child is only one month old. Before coming to this part Mrs. Sellentin had resided in England, coming here as a bride.

TWO BOYS DROWN IN RIVER AT SASKATOON

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SASKATOON, Dec. 15.—Two little boys, John, 4 years old, and Charley 2½ years, sons of S. T. Kempthorne of this city, were drowned this afternoon in the Saskatchewan river close to their home.

The parents had been attending the morning service at the church, leaving the children in the care of a relative. On their way home they met the little ones playing with a wagon on the street. A few minutes later Mr. Kempthorne went to call the children in for dinner , but could not find them. After a search the father found the wagon on the top of the slope leading to the river and later found tracks where his children had walked down to the water. The tracks clearly showed how they walked down the slope side by side and on to the ice, until they came to where there is a narrow strip of open water. The younger boy had walked straight into the water. His brother had run along the ice close to the water for a distance of about 20 feet, presumably in an attempt to help his brother, and then he, too, had fallen into the river and was swept away by the strong current.

Later in the afternoon a woman stated that she saw what she described as resembling two dolls floating in the water under the bridge. Searchers at once started out, but it was not until late this evening when the body of John was found under the Canadian Pacific railway bridge. The other body has not yet been recovered.

SOLDIERS AT HALIFAX START AT ONCE FOR WEST

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

HALIFAX, Dec. 15.—The returned soldiers from the Olympic were got off with great despatch from Halifax on Saturday. The big ship docked at 10 o'clock and at noon the first train was ready to start. Thereafter the trains left with not more than half an hour between them until 8 o'clock evening, when the eleventh train was gone.

Two trains were despatched today with passengers who were boarded here. The railway had 145 cars here for the Olympic. The trains had an average of 13 cars each. They made a running time after leaving Halifax of 27 miles an hour, including stops.

LAUNCH TWO MORE SHIPS AT SEATTLE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 15.—Launching of two more steel freighters by local shipyards today brought Seattle's contribution to the world's fleet for the year up to 58 vessels. Today's launchings, each of 8800 tons dead weight capacity, were the West Helix, built by J. F. Duthie and company, and the Western Knight, built by the Ames Shipbuilding and Drydock company.

Rheumatic Pains

Quickly Eased by Penetrating Hamlin's Wizard Oil.

A safe and harmless preparation to relieve the pains of rheumatism, sciatica, lameback and lumbago is Hamlin's Wizard Oil. It penetrates quickly, drives out soreness and limbers up stiff, aching joints and muscles.

You will find almost daily uses for it in cases of sudden mishaps or accidents such as sprains, bruises, cut, burns, bites and stings. Just as reliable, too, for earache, toothache, croup and colic.

Get it from druggists for 30 cents. If not satisfied return the bottle and get your money back.

Ever constipated or have sick headache? Just try Wizard Liver Whips, pleasant little pink pills, 30 cents. Guaranteed.

Mothers!

Your little one won't smile
If its liver's full of bile.
Cascarets set things right
When kiddies' tongues turn white
They bring relief and joy
To constipated girl or boy.
Children think them dandy—
They are mild cathartic candy.

Children gladly take Cascarets when cross, feverish, bilious, constipated, because Cascarets taste like candy. If your child has a tainted breath, coated tongue or a cold—give Cascarets as directed on each 10 cent box. Then don't worry. Cascarets work like a charm and can not harm the child's tender little stomach, liver and bowels.

LOOKING INTO HOUSING PLAN

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—In furtherance of the Dominion government housing system there has been appointed a member of the cabinet to the housing committee. The committee will consist of Hon. N. W. Rowell, president of the privy council; Senator Robertson, minister of labor; Hon. A. K. Maclean, vice-chairman of the reconstruction and development committee of Canada, and Hon. T. A. Crerar, minister of agriculture. Mr. Rowell will be chairman of the committee.

The committee is authorized to take up without delay with the several provinces the question of their need for additional housing accommodation and the housing program they have in view.

The committee will further:

1. Formulate the general principles which should be followed in any housing schemes in order to secure the results aimed at.

2. Communicate with the governments of the several provinces, with a view to agreeing with them upon any general scheme of housing, that the fund of $25,000,000 authorized to be set aside for housing by the Dominion government may be applied for the purposes contemplated.

The committee is authorized and empowered to do and "perform all such further acts as may be necessary in order to carry out and give full effect to the order in council of Dec. 3, 1918. "Authorization is also given to the committee to secure the assistance and cooperation of Thomas Adams, town planning expert of the conservation commission, and of any other person or persons specially qualified to advise and assist the committee in carrying on its work."

The order in council of Dec. 3, 1918, to which reference is made, authorized the minister of finance, upon request of any of the provincial governments, to make loans to a provincial government "for the purpose of promoting the erection of dwelling houses of modern character to relieve congestion of population in the towns of their respective provinces, the aggregate of such advances to all the provinces not to exceed $25,000,000."

HAD WEAK and FAINTING SPELLS

Those feelings of faintness, those weak, "all gone," sinking sensations, which come over some people from time to time, are warnings that must not go unheeded.

They mean an extremely weakened condition of the heart and a disordered nervous system.

When the system is in this condition there is no time for delay. One fainting spell may be recovered from—will the next? One dizzy spell may pass off but the next may be serious.

Those who are wise will start taking Milburns Heart and Nerve Pills before their case becomes deep rooted and perhaps hopeless.

They will act directly on the disordered heart and weakened nervous system and restore them to full strength and vigor.

Miss Mary McCoy, Algoma Mills, Ont., writes: "I was awfully troubled with fainting and weak spells and I could never get any doctor's medicines to help me. One day a friend of mine was at the house when I took one of those spells and she got me a box of Milburns Heart and Nerve Pills. That was six years ago and from that day to this I have never had any of those spells. I would not be without your pills for any money and can highly recommend them to any one."

Milburns Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c a box at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

News of Sport

TORONTO RUBGY ALTERS RULES OF THE GAME

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Dec. 15.—The annual meeting of the Toronto Ruby football union was held here Saturday. Officers were elected and some changes made in the rules that should go a long way toward clearing up the disputed points.

Perhaps the most important change waws when it was decided that a team working up the ball and crossing their opponents' line should gain more points than the team that takes advantage of their opponents' mistake to secure a try. The rule amended now reads:

"A try scored by a player crossing his opponents' goal line with the ball in his possession and retaining its posession stops it so that it is dead, counts five points. A try scored through an error of the opposing side and when behind the goal shall count three points."

Another change is as follows:

"A player must not deliberately delay the receiving or picking up of the ball. This means that a player must pick up the ball at once. If this is not done, the penalty will be the loss of the distance, but not the loss of possession. Should the ball have passed over the goal line it must be taken out 10 yards and scrimmaged."

Another rule makes it clear just how the players must stand on the line of scrimmage. The amended rule says that it must be one yard apart.

The following change is for the guidance of players and spectators alike:

"In scrimmaging the ball it must be placed on the ground by one of the scrimmagers and then put in motion in any direction by the scrimmager."

EASTERN HOCKEY FIXES WINTER SEASON SCHEDULE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Dec. 15.—Three teams will be represented in the National Hockey league which met here Saturday, the Arenas of Toronto, the Senators of Ottawa and the Canadiens of Montreal. Ottawa and Montreal will open the season at Montreal next Saturday, and the following Monday George Kennedy's squad will play the Arenas at Toronto. There will be prohockey Tuesday nights in Toronto, Wednesday nights in Ottawa and Saturday nights in Montreal. The reason that Montreal receives the Saturdays is due to the smallness of the rink.

Applications were received from Toronto teams for a franchise and one from Quebec, but were refused admittance.

The schedule was drawn up as follows: Dec. 21, Ottawa at Canadiens; Dec. 23, Canadiens at Arenas; Dec. 26, Arenas at Ottawa; Dec. 28, Arenas at Canadiens; Dec 31, Ottawa at Arenas; Jan. 2, Canadiens at Ottawa; Jan. 4, Ottawa at Canadiens; Jan. 7, Canadies at Arenas; Jan. 11, Arenas at Canadiens; Jan. 14, Ottawa at Arenas; Jan. 16, Canadiens at Ottawa; Jan. 18, Ottawa, at Canadiens; Jan. 21, Canadiens at Arenas; Jan 23, Arenas at Canadiens; Jan. 25, Arenas at Canadiens; Jan. 28, Ottawa at Arenas; Jan. 30, Canadiens at Ottawa; Feb. 1, Ottawa at Canadiens; Feb. 4, Canadiens at Ottawa; Feb. 6, Arenas at Ottawa; Feb. 8, Arenas at Canadiens; Feb. 11, Ottawa at Arena; Feb. 13, Canadiens at Ottawa; Feb. 15, Ottawa at Canadiens; Feb. 18, Canadiens at Arenas; Feb. 20, Arenas at Ottawa; Feb. 22, Arenas at Canadiens; Feb. 25, Ottawa at Arenas; Feb. 27, Canadiens at Ottawa; March 1, Ottawa at Canadiens.

DECIDE ON FIVE CLUBS FOR JUNIOR HONORS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—Five clubs will compete for the championship of the Junior Amateur Hockey association this season, owing to the return of the Victorias and the Montreal A. A. A. to competitive sport. At the 31st annual meeting of the association Saturday night representatives from the Victorias and M. A. A. A. announced they would operate their franchise after an absence of two years from the association.

The reports presented showed that the Melville club had won the championship and had successfully defended the Deery cup against the St. Regis club of Sherbrooke.

It is the feeling of the delegates that they should follow the example of the Montreal city league and that all the clubs in the association become affiliated with the A. A. A. of C.

The delegates also decided not to allow clubs to ask players to sign contracts because it would not be in accordance with the amateur rules.

RED CROSS GETS $1500 FROM GOLFERS' DONATION

WINNIPEG, Dec. 15.—Some $1500 was realized from the Red Cross fund as the result of a drawing for prizes presented by "Chick" Evans, the renowned American golfer, which closed here Saturday. Members of the Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta clubs took part in the event, but all three prizes went to Winnipeg members. Hon. Thomas Johnson, attorney general, pulled the numbers out of the hat and the set of golf clubs went to Mr. Solberg, the second prize, two dozen golf balls, was won by W. W. Hall, while the third, a free lesson from Evans, goes to George Milne. The affair proved a great success in every way.

DENTALS WIN SECOND IN TORONTO RINK

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Dec. 15.—The Dentals of the Ontario Hockey association made their secon win of the Sportsmen's Patriotic league Christmas tree series when they defeated a team of the Royal Air force last night by a score of 7 to 5. It was a fast, clean game and the winners had to earn what they got. The R. A. C. were finishers and put over two of their goals in the last period, during mose of which they kept the puck driving toward the Dentals' goal. Six thousand or more fans were present and thoroughly enjoyed the contest.

KNOCKOUT LOUGHLIN OVERSHADOWS BARTFIELD

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 15.—Knockout Loughlin of South Bethlehem, Pa., had slightly the better of a 6-round bout with Soldier Bartfield of New York here last night. Trying for a knockout, both men missed many wild swings.

Joe Burman of New York won from Frankie Conway in six rounds.

AUTO RACE MAY 30.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 15.—The 500-mile Victory sweepstakes at the Indianapolis speedway will be run on Saturday, May 31, instead of May 30.

RICE FOR CORNELL.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—"Jim" Rice, rowing coach for Columbia university, was reported here tonight to have reached an agreement with Cornell university to accept a similar position there. He will succeed Charles F. ("Pop") Courtney, who retired because of ill health.

MISKE-FLYNN BOUT.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 15.—Billy Miske of St. Paul will box Jim Flynn of Pueblo here Monday night. The bout is scheduled for 15 rounds to a decision.

GIBBONS-BARTFIELD.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 15.—Mike Gibbons and Soldier Bartfield have been matched for a 10-round no-decision fight here on Jan. 14, it was announced tonight. The weight will be 158 pounds at 3 o'clock the day of the fight.

NAVIGATION ON RIVER AT BROCKVILLE CEASES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Dec. 15.—With the picking up of the buoys among the Thousand Islands, which was completed yesterday by the steamer Reserce means the cessation of navigation on this portion of the St. Lawrence river.

The Copper Farm, four miles east of Princeton has built a chute and ore bin.

INTESTINAL PARALYSIS

"Fruit-a-tives" Quickly Relieved This Chronic Trouble

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"In my opinion, no other medicine is so curative for Constipation and Indigestion as 'Fruit-a-tives'.

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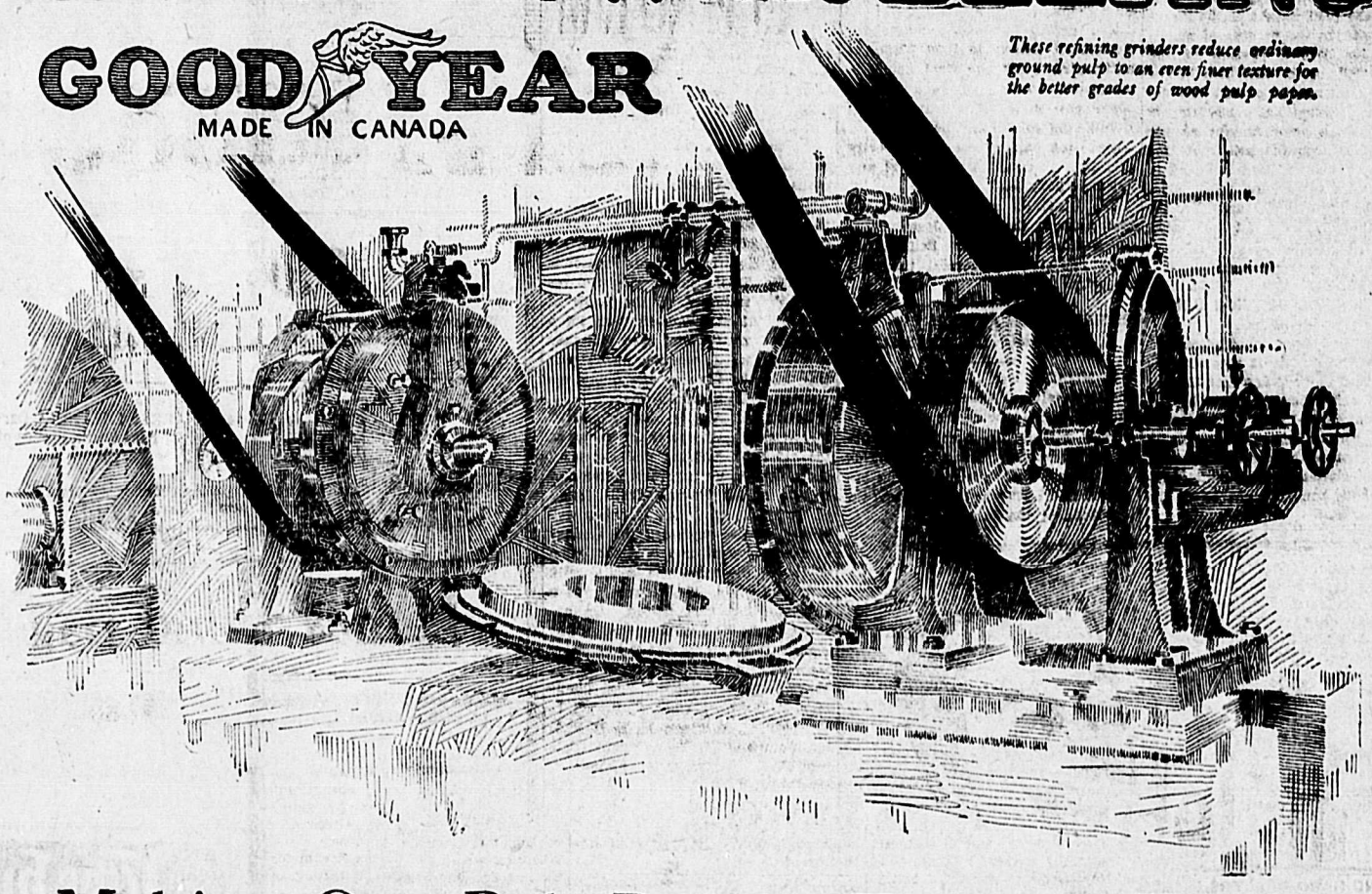

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Ten months from 8-ply belts was considered exceptional service.

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In computing the number of words in a classified or Nelson News of the Day advertisement count each word, dollar mark, abbreviation, initial letter and figure as one word.

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The News reserves the right to revise any copy submitted for publication.

MALE HELP WANTED.

NELSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—W. Parker, 309 Baker St., Phone 283.

WANTED—2nd class engineer, very desirable, all year round place, wage $175.

WANTED — Stationmen for earth, loose rock and solid rock. Good prices for all grades of work. Building railroad out from Yahk. W. A. Dutton, Contractor, Yahk, B.C. (936)

NEW GOOD MINERS and muckers wanted at Florence Silver Mine, Ainsworth. Good accommodation, steady job. (932)

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

WOMAN COOK wants situation, camp preferred. Box 951, Daily News.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

TWO bright active ladies wanted in Nelson and Kaslo to represent high class woman's magazine. Good money easily earned. References required. Apply box 960, Daily News. (960)

WANTED—A woman or girl for housework and cooking. Mrs. T. J. Lloyd, New Denver, B.C. (955)

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Phone 298. Postoffice box 4. (973)

ROOM AND BOARD.

ROOM AND BOARD—Reasonable terms; 912 Vernon. (854)

SECOND HAND DEALERS.

THE ARK pays cash for secondhand furniture, stoves; 606 Vernon; Ph. 65L. (912)

14 FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms, 8 per month. Over Poole Drug. (867)

FURNISHED SUITE—All conveniences. Campbell's Art Studio, 715 Baker. (774)

KERR APARTMENTS. (877)

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms for rent over Horswill's grocery store; brick block; $10. Apply C. W. Appleyard, prone 444. (878)

CLEAN, comfortable rooms for men; central location; hot and cold shower baths. Rates moderate. Y. M. C. A., Stanley and Victoria. (879)

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35 FOR RENT.

SEVERAL HOUSES FOR RENT.—Appleyard. (881)

13 SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

EXPERIENCED fruitgrower, general farmer, wants to take charge of a fruit farm. Apply box 957, Daily News.

MIDDLE AGED MAN will do bookkeeping, collecting, private investigations; good correspondent; knowledge of common law; whole or part time Box 1026, Nelson. (925)

29 LOST AND FOUND.

LOST OR STOLEN—On or about December 1st, one light chestnut mare, small stripe in face, weight about fourteen hundred pounds; had halter on. Reward for *information that will* lead to recovery. E. P. Mills, Route 1, Nelson. (945)

33 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

FOR SALE—Four varieties winter apples, $2.00 per box Anton Streloff, corner Baker and Falls streets. (981)

XMAS APPLES—Cox Orange Pippin, $1.50 per box. Phone 449R, G. H. Fraser. (956)

28 MISCELLANEOUS

HOUSE FOR RENT; house for sale cheap; ranch for sale, cheap; brick for sale, $16 per thousand at kiln, kiln run. William Hancock, box 977. (959)

25 FOR EXCHANGE.

WILL EXCHANGE Edmonton city cottage, value twenty-five hundred, *for partly improved fruit farm.* H. E. Dill. (968)

23 PROPERTY FOR SALE.

10 ACRES for quick sale, $350 cash or nearest offer. Lot 56 Castlegar. Apply T.S., box 411, Lethbridge. (934)

A SNAP—32 acre ranch, black loam soil, close to Grand Forks; excellent range *adjoining property, could run* any number of cattle; usual buildings. Price $1200.00. S. T. Hull, real estate, *Grand Forks.* (943)

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20 LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

FOR SALE CHEAP—Draft horse, eighteen hundred pounds. Would exchange for young stock. John Graham, Perry Siding. (977)

FOR SALE—Pure, thoroughbred Jersey cow, due to freshen January 26th, *second calf. George Jansen,* Kuskanook. (978)

FOR SALE—Grey mare, weight fourteen hundred, and harness, or exchange for 5 h.p. gasoline engine or good cow. Albert Marsland, Makinson, B.C. (975)

ONE AYRSHIRE COW, 6 years, 8000 lbs. milk last season, *fresh before* Xmas, $150; one Ayrshire bull, 20 months old, $85; one heifer, 20 month *fresh July 4, 1919. Charles Karsten* West Demars, B.C. (958)

FOR SERVICE—Magnificent Yorkshire boar (Crystal Prince) registered, $3 at time of service. T. Roynon, Fairview. (946)

FOR SALE—900 lb. horse, harness, saddle and cart, $65, a snap; or will exchange for heifer. *E. Paul, Rossland,* B.C. (944)

FOR SALE OR SERVICE—A pure-bred Yorkshire boar; also pure-bred Duroc-Jersey boar. Marsden, Cloverbrook, *Taghum.* (964)

21 LIVESTOCK WANTED.

WANTED—Calves over four months at reasonable price. John Graham, Perry Siding. (976)

WANTED—Heavy mare or horse, 3 to 5 years old. Box 933, Daily News.

42 MATRIMONY.

MARRY—Many rich. Particulars free. *F. Morrison, L 3052 W. Holden,* Seattle, Wash. (883)

32 MISCELLANEOUS—WANTED

OLD FALSE TEETH BOUGHT—Sound or broken—vulcanite or metal; *also bridgework. Post them to J.* Dunstone, postoffice box 1236, Vancouver. Highest cash prices sent by *return mail.* (942)

WANTED—CLEAN COTTON RAGS. 5 CENTS A POUND; SMALL PIECES NOT WANTED. DAILY NEWS. (329)

18 ARTICLES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Wicker baby buggy, nearly new, with runners for snow, cost $37, will sell for $18; also baby walker cost $5, will sell $2.50. Box 980, Daily News. (980)

GOOD CUTTER—Upholstered back and seat complete, $20 Wills, Granite road, Nelson. (966)

PIANO—Quick sale, No. 1 condition, $150; $182 new Edison phonograph, with one dozen selected records, any reasonable offer accepted. Household furniture and effects, including kitchen utensils, etc. Mrs. B. J. McKenzie The Bluff, Phone 381L1; P.O. box 484. (935)

34 TEACHERS WANTED.

SCHOOL BOARDS requiring teachers write or wire to B. C. Teachers' Agency, 1601, 3rd Ave., Vancouver. Expert service, promptness and care. *Fullest details concerning teachers.*

WANTED—A teacher for Cascade school; salary, which includes allowance for janitor work, $95 per month. Must be experienced and with not lower than second class certificate Duties to commence after Christmas holidays. Apply to R. G. Ritchie, secretary, Cascade, B.C. (952)

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WHEN REPLYING TO ADVERTISEMENTS in Condensed Columns, kindly mention you saw it in The News—it will help you.

Casualties

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—The following Western Canadian soldiers and officers are reported casualties in today's list

Infantry

Died of wounds, Dec. 9.—*Louis Daem* of Revelstoke.

Prisoners repatriated—Capt. F. W. Belle, England; Capt. J. E. Bell Scotland; W. R. Colgrave, Arrow Lakes, B. C.; G. W. Knight, Chilliwack, B. C.

Prisoners released—D. Gillis, Yennadon, B. C.; A. Yahner, Britannia Beach, B. C.; H. Whyte, Cumberland, B. C.

Wounded—Sergt. E. Crute, South Vancouver, B. C.; A. Whitehead, Vancouver, B. C.

Medical Services

Died at sea—Lieut. R. W. *Lalonde,* Soo, Ont.

Machine Guns

Ill—J. Partington, Vancouver, B. C.

ALASKA FACES FAMINE OF COAL; 4 DAYS' SUPPLY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 15.—Coal on hand at Juneau is only sufficient to last four days and nearly all of southeastern Alaska is threatened with a coal famine, was the word received *here today from Juneau to the chamber* of commerce. An investigation immediately begun is here is said to have discovered that Alaskan shortage was due in considerable measure to the shortage of coal at British Columbia shipping centres. One steamer will sail northward today, however, with coal, and an effort is being made to obtain another vessel for immediate loading.

REV. H. BINGHAM OF LONDON GOES TO CALGARY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CALGARY, Dec. 15.—Rev. H. H. *Bingham, pastor of Talbot Baptist* church, London, Ont., has accepted a call to become pastor of the first Baptist church, Calgary. The date when he will begin his pastorate here not not yet been set.

NAVIGATION CLOSES SAYS SOO REPORT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., Dec. 15.—The steamers Glenfinnan, Ebester, Ionic and G. A. Richardson arrived Friday night and remained here until Saturday morning. The Grant Morden locked down yesterday, the last freighter *from Lake Superior.* Both American and Canadian locks will lay up Monday morning, closing navigation for the season.

TWO CANADIAN SOLDIERS WILL NOT BE SHOT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Dec. 14.—Canadian Press despatch from Reuter's.—The home secretary after consultation with the presiding judge of the court of criminal appeals, has advised the remission of sentence of corporal punishment, recently passed on two Canadian soldiers named Swenson and Caba.

Great developments are expected next year in the Beaverdell camp.

WATER NOTICE.

Clearing Streams.

Take notice that the Western box & Shingle Mills, Limited, whose address is Nelson, B.C., P.O. box 91, will apply for a license to use the waters of Duhamel or Six-Mile Creek for "Clearing-streams" purposes (i.e. clearing and improving the stream for the driving, booming or rafting of logs). The points on the stream between which it is proposed to clear are where the stream crosses the north *line of the T. L. to the mouth.* The estimated mileage between the said points is about 5 miles. The term *proposed for the license is 10 years.* This notice was posted on the ground on the 12th day of December, 1918. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant there to and to the "Water Act, 1914," will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Nelson, B.C. Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper The petition for the approval of the undertaking will be heard in the office of the Board of Investigation, Victoria, B.C., at a date to be fixed by the Comptroller. Any interested party may file an objection thereto in the office of the Camptroller at Victoria or of the Water Recorder at Nelson, BC., where copies of the petition will be filed. The date of the first publication of this notice is Dec. 16,1918.

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By W. H. Kreyscher, Agent.

TIMBER SALE X1319.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 26th day of December, 1918, for the purchase of License X1319, to cut 1,622,000 feet of Hemlock, X1319, to cut 1,622,000 fet of Hemlock, Fir, aTmarac, White Pine, Spruce and Cedar and 111,500 lineal feet of Cedar Poles on an area situated on Eagle creek, near Nelson, Kootenay District. Three (3) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief *Forester, Victoria,* B.C., or District Forester, Nelson, B.C.

This Is the Last Week Before Christmas

AND WE WOULD ASK FOR YOUR COOPERATION OF ALL IN MAKING THEIR PURCHASES EARLY.

THE RUSH ON THE LAST FEW DAYS IS ALWAYS VERY GREAT AND WE CANNOT GIVE OUR USUAL SERVICE

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Snow White Dimity Bedspreads, splendid quality for *washing and wear;* suitable for hospitals, etc.; hemmed ready for use; size 60x80, each **$5.95**

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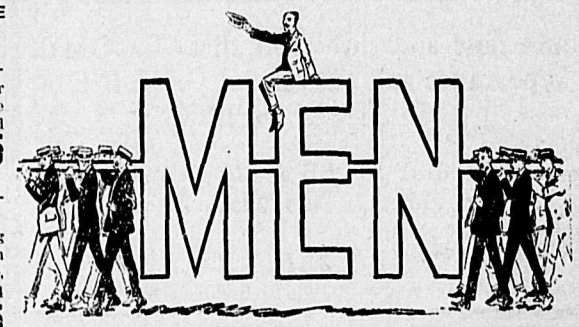

A MESSAGE FROM SANTA

My Dear Children:
I have been so busy looking up my lists to see who have been good boys and girls and who have been bad boys and girls that I have not found time to answer any more letters. But there are several letters not called for yet. Please do not write me any more letters, as I have answered over 400 already and I must get busy *and look up my stock of toys.* Watch for the show opening announcement. SANTA.

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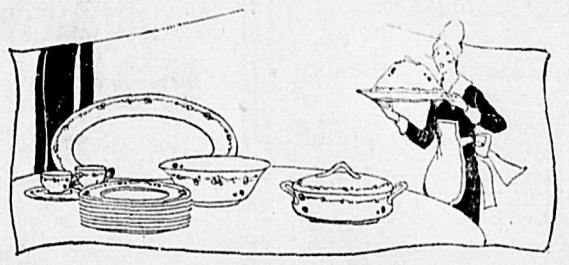

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Reserve officers in the United States are allowed to wear their uniforms for three months after transfer from the active list.

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The Millie Mac at Burton City has closed for the winter.

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J. W. HOLMES

Social and Personal

F. Hardy of Spokane was a guest at the Strathcona yesterday.

S. Smith of Regina was at the Strathcona last evening.

G. McConnell of Toronto was a guest at the Strathcona yesterday.

S. G. Silverhorn of La France, B. C., was at the Strathcona yesterday.

A. G. Larson came into the city Saturday night from Spokane.

Mrs. J. E. Bell is recovering at her home from an attack of influenza.

C. Anderson came in yesterday on the coast train from Princeton and is a guest at the Queens.

Among the guests at the Strathcona yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. K. Sweet of Port Albernie.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvill Jones of Moose Jaw were among the guests registered at the Strathcona yesterday.

W. J. Mohr, who is suffering from a paralytic stroke at the Kootenay Lake general hospital, is progressing favorably.

Miss Marion Bard arrived in the city Saturday night from Spokane to spend the Christmas holidays with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Henderson and son left yesterday morning for Regina, where they will spend a two weeks' vacation.

J. Mulholland of Cultus Creek was a weekend visitor to the city.

J. J. O'Loughlin has returned from a visit to Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Rear of Hall arrived in town on Saturday and intend taking a vacation in Spokane. They registered at the Queens.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Steel was buried yesterday afternoon in the K. of P. plot, the Rev. F. H. Graham officiating.

Last night there was a slight improvement in the condition of Ivan Bergstrom, who is ill with typhoid at the Kootenay Lake general hospital.

Pte. Herbert Laird returned home last night from Camp Lewis. The men at the camp have been demobilized, and Pte. Laird has received his discharge.

Mrs. F. J. Goldsmith, widow of Pte. Goldsmith, who was recently killed in France, will leave tomorrow morning with her three children to visit Mr. Goldsmith's mother in Moose Jaw.

Harold Hodge, who recently recovered from a severe attack of pneumonia at the hospital, is now recovering from inflammation in the left arm. He expects to leave the hospital in a few days.

Among those winning prizes at the New Denver poultry show last week was A. F. Atkinson of Nelson. He received the following prizes: Cock, 1; hens, 1, 2, 3; cockerel, 2; pullets, 1, 2, 3, and pens, 1 and 2.

C. D. Goepel arrived in the city from Calgary, bringing Master Jerry McCrohan, who has been with Mrs. F. J. McCrohan's sister for some months. Mr. McCrohan was reported at the hospital last night as steadily improving.

C. M. Lucia is expected home tonight from Camp Nichols, New Orleans. He was called for service in the United States army last October, but has received his discharge, as the camp has been broken up through demobilization.

Pte. J. T. Mitchell, who has been a prisoner of war in Friedrichsfeld, near Wesen, Germany, for 15 months, has been repatriated and is in 36 Camp Ricon, Yorkshire, England, according to a cablegram received yesterday by his wife. Pte. Mitchell enlisted from Nelson in December, 1915, and was taken prisoner at the battle of Lens.

At Voigt's camp big development is expected to begin next month.

GAMES

Ludo, Parchesi, Lotto, Snakes and Ladders, Crazy Seven, Flinch, Checkers, Dominoes, Military Checkers, Siege, Fig Mill, Spear, 'Em, Fish Pond, Hickory Dock, etc., etc.—everything in popular games 25c and up.

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Black Codfish, per lb.	22½c
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Grape Juice, pints	30c
Grape Juice, quarts	55c
Ginger Cordial, bottle	40c
Corn for popping, lb.	25c
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