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RUSSIA SMASHING AHEAD ALONG 190 MILE FRONT

Austrian Armies Fail in Every Effort. Japan Has Sent Warships to Suez. Sinking of Steamer Persia May be Last Straw for U. S. Artillery Duels in West. King Constantine says He's Friendly to Entente.

RUSSIA STRONG ON 190-MILE FRONT.

London, Jan. 3.—(Special)—Which ever side began the offensive, and whatever has been the gap in the news, the raising of the curtain on the Volhynian and Galician fighting shows that the initiative over a front of 190 miles is now firmly on the side of the Russians. The Russians seem to be securely established across the Styr River north of Czortok. They have captured the village of Khriask, three miles from the river. A flank attack, six or seven miles to the southeast of Kolki, according to the advices, has failed to shake the solidarity of the new Russian dispositions.

Inasmuch as Russian progress is also reported north of Olyka, the movement apparently is making in the direction of Kovel, along the two railways between Sarny and Kovel and Rovno and Kovel.

AUSTRIAN FAILURE AGAINST RUSSIANS.

London, Jan. 3.—(Special)—It was the Austrians and not the Russians who began the big offensive in Volhynia and Galicia, according to the Mail's Petrograd correspondent, but the attempts failed and the Russians gained ground.

General Pflanzer's efforts to take Tarnopol and break through in the direction of Koons were frustrated. Field Marshal von Mackensen is at Czernowitz for the purpose of threatening Roumania and for an active defensive against the Russian advance in Galicia.

ARTILLERY DUELS ON WEST FRONT

Paris, Jan. 3.—(Special)—The War Office last night issued the following statement:

"In Belgium a bombardment by our field artillery and trench mortars against groups of the enemy in the region of the Dunes caused heavy damage. Two fires were started, and two munitions depots were blown up.

"In the Argonne the fire of our batteries dispersed a body of Germans moving upon the road from Avocourt to Matancourt.

"On the heights of the Meuse, in the forest of Chavalliers, a heavy cannonade directed against the enemy's trenches caused the destruction of several blockhouses.

"In the afternoon two shells fell in Nancy. The enemy's gun from which they came was immediately taken under our fire.

"In the region of Hartmannsweilerkopf the enemy carried on a violent bombardment, following which our troops retired along a front of 200 metres on the western side of the ravine to the south of Rehelsen. The enemy did not attempt any attack with infantry.

"The official Belgian statement says that nothing in particular has transpired outside of the customary artillery struggles."

TURKISH WAR BULLETIN

London, January 3.—(Special)—The Turkish war bulletin states:—Dardanelles front: Near Seddul Bahr artillery and bomb fighting is proceeding actively. A cruiser and a monitor which participated in the engagement were obliged to retreat. An enemy monitor unsuccessfully shelled our batteries for an hour.

A Turkish hydroplane dropped bombs in the enemy's camp near Seddul Bahr. Our batteries on the Dardanelles successfully shelled the enemy's works at Seddul-Bahr, destroying a number of store houses.

Persian front: In an attack on the Russians north of Hamadan two Russian guns were captured. In another engagement 180 Russians were wounded.

ELEGRAPHIC WAR BRIEFS

Paris, Jan. 3.—(Special)—Prince Andrew of Greece, brother of King Constantine, and the Princess Andrew, who were at Saloniki when a recent raid was made by Teutonic aeroplanes, have returned to

WILL ATTACK AT SALONIKI

Orders for German Effort Said to Have Been Given

ALLIES READY—GERMANS WOULD CLEAR GREECE OF ALLIES.

London, January 4.—A despatch from Athens reports the arrival of thirty large transports full of troops in the Gulf of Orfano, who began to disembark. The report is unconfirmed.

GERMANS WILL ATTACK.

Berlin, January 4, via London.—The Morgenpost to-day publishes a report that orders have been given to the German and Austrian troops in Serbia to advance into Greece and attack the French and British. A Bucharest despatch to the Morgenpost credits this statement to the Outpost of Sofia. It is said Germany has communicated to Greece her desire to clear Grecian territory of the Allies.

The Germans minister at Athens the despatch says told Premier Skouloudis the best interests of Greece demanded the removal of the French and British, inasmuch as in the existing circumstances Greece would be exposed to danger from the troops of the Central Powers, which have been ordered to pursue the Allies on Greek territory.

GERMANS AT MONASTIR.

London, January 1.—Reuter correspondent at Athens says reliable information has been received there to the effect that one German battalion has reached Monastir, in south western Serbia, near the Greek border, and that an Austrian mountain battery is expected.

In consequence of reconnaissances by French aeroplanes over Monastir machine-guns have been placed on top of the highest buildings.

KING OF GREECE IS INTERVIEWED

London, Jan. 3.—(Special)—The Athens correspondent of the Daily Mail has had an interview with King Constantine, whom he credits with perfect honesty in his desire to serve Hellenic, not German, interests, and not to be drawn into the European conflict. While he wishes to avoid a quarrel with Germany, he desires to be friendly with the Allies, and has no secret understanding with Bulgaria.

The King, according to the correspondent, said: "There was never any reason for the suspicion with which we were treated. Unfortunately, there were a number of small difficulties with the French and British, but rest assured we will do all possible to bring about an understanding with the Allies. We have no desire but to accord you every facility. The possible umbrage which I felt at some of your actions has quite passed as a result of the harmony prevailing at Saloniki. I desire the closest friendship with Great Britain, but I will not be forced out of my neutrality, which I shall maintain while I am convinced that Greek interests are being best served thereby."

GERMANY AIDS FORD PARTY

Copenhagen, Jan. 3.—(Special)—The German Government has granted the Ford peace expedition permission to travel to The Hague through Germany by special train.

JAP SHIPS LEAVE FOR SUEZ

Tokio, Jan. 3.—(Special)—Announcement is made by the Jiji Shimpō that a squadron of Japanese warships will sail for the Suez canal presumably to protect Japanese shipping. It is said the armored cruisers Kasuga, Tokiwa and Chitose have been assigned for this service.

MORE STATES IN DRY COL

3,000 SALOONS, SOME BREWERIES AND WHOLESALE HOUSES FORCED OUT OF BUSINESS.

Chicago, January 3.—State wide prohibition of the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors became effective in seven States to-day, putting out of business more than 3,000 saloons, a large number of breweries, wholesale liquor houses, and distilleries, according to figures of the Anti-Saloon League to America. The addition of these seven States will bring total prohibition States in the Union to nineteen. The States which entered the dry column are Iowa, Colorado, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Arkansas, and South Carolina. Many counties in all of the seven States have prohibited the sale of liquor for a number of years under local option laws.

U. S. CONSUL VICTIM NOW

Drowned When Huns Sank Liner Persia

250 LIVES LIKELY LOST IN LATEST-SUBMARINE OUT-RAGE

London, January 3.—A message from the Admiralty to the Peninsular and Oriental Company makes the definite announcement that the liner Persia was torpedoed Thursday in the Eastern Mediterranean, off the island of Crete.

U. S. CONSUL DROWNED

London, January 3.—Unofficial despatches from Cairo state that the British steamer Persia, sunk in the Mediterranean on Thursday, was torpedoed without warning and sank in five minutes. Between 150 and 160 survivors have been landed at Alexandria, Egypt. Robert N. McNeely, American consul at Aden, Arabia, is believed to have been drowned.

Reuter's Cairo correspondent makes the unreserved statement that Mr. McNeely lost his life. Charles H. Grant of Boston was saved.

A Lloyd's despatch gives the number of survivors as 153, made up of 59 passengers, of whom 17 are women and 94 members of the crew, including 59 Americans. The survivors include ten military officers and eight persons who are not British subjects.

"The ship was struck amidships on the port side at 1.10 p.m.," says Reuter's correspondent at Cairo. "She had disappeared completely by 1.15. Survivors say it was little short of a miracle that anyone was saved. There was no panic. Four boats were launched with the utmost promptitude.

"The captain was drowned. When last seen he was swimming, after the liner had plunged beneath the surface."

BELGIAN RELIEF

Patriotic Canadians are appealed to for contributions of at least one bag of flour towards the suffering Belgians. A bag of flour costs but \$2.50, and it is life and nourishment for one Belgian family for a month. Not only will the flour be sent to Belgium, but all the money will be spent in Canada.

The following additional contributions are acknowledged by Mrs. J. H. Walsh, local treasurer, Belgian Relief Fund:

Mrs. William Farwell	\$25.00
Mrs. William Farwell	10.00
Mrs. W. A. Hale	5.00
Mr. T. D. Walsh	5.00
Mr. A. B. Gendreau, Lake Megantic	10.00
Mr. J. J. Parker, Derby Line, Vt.	2.00
Mr. Thos. Ward, Waterville	2.00
Mr. J. L. Morkill	2.50
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The following additional subscriptions have been sent to the Record:	
Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Thompson	10.00
Proceeds of Collection, Plymouth Church, Sherbrooke	21.01
	\$33.51

MARTIAL LAW FOR GREECE

London, Jan. 3.—(Special)—An Athens newspaper states that martial law will be declared on January 15, and that the Chamber of Deputies has been summoned to meet on the 15th to ratify the proclamation.

BRYAN SEES HENRY FORD

DECLINES TO REVEAL NATURE OF DISCUSSION IN NEW YORK.

New York, January 3.—William Jennings Bryan conferred for more than an hour here last night with Henry Ford, who returned yesterday morning on the steamship Bengtson from his peace pilgrimage to Europe. Mr. Bryan declined to reveal the nature of the discussion, but said he had come to New York from Washington upon receipt of a telegraphic request from Mr. Ford.

Mr. Bryan denied that he would sail for Europe on January 15, as previously planned, declaring that he has "more important work to do here for the present."

Asked what he thought of the Ford peace mission, Mr. Bryan said he believed it had achieved partial success, "even before it started," he added. "In itself an advantage and the presence of the peace party there will stimulate discussion there."

Mr. Bryan declined to comment on the sinking of the British steamer Persia.

GILBERT PARKER'S BROTHER DEAD

San Juan, Porto Rico, Jan. 3.—(Special)—Lionel Montrose Parker, a prominent fruit grower, and brother of Sir Gilbert Parker, the novelist, died last Saturday night.

FOR "PREPAREDNESS" REVENUE

Charge fee for poetic licenses. Put a land tax on our lot in life. Revenue stamp to be placed on bonds of friendship. Ditto on bonds of iniquity and stocks of speculation. When we are invented compel the inventor to patent them and

COL. RIOUX AND THE MAYORALTY

Strong Delegation Will Lay Petition Before Probable Candidate on Tuesday Night

COL. RIOUX WILL ANNOUNCE DECISION TO DEPUTATION APPOINTED TO MEET HIM.

The Record learns on reliable authority that a large delegation will wait on Col. Rioux at his offices on Wellington St., to-morrow (Tuesday) evening to present him with a unanimously signed petition requesting him to stand as a candidate for the mayoralty.

When seen by the Record this morning Col. Rioux stated that he had made arrangements to receive the delegation which requested to meet him and that his answer would be forthcoming after the petition had been presented to him.

PRES. WILSON HURRIES HOME

Hot Springs, Va., January 3.—(Special)—President Wilson will cut short his honeymoon and start back to Washington tonight because of the new developments in the international situation caused by the destruction of the British Liner Persia.

PERSIA SUNK WITHOUT WARNING

London, Jan. 3.—(Special)—The Cairo correspondent of Reuter's sends the following concerning the sinking of the Persia:—

"Nobody aboard the Persia saw the torpedo. The second officer is under the impression that he saw the ripple of it. The survivors, commander of the French forces here, John E. Kehl, American consul at Saloniki, has taken charge of the Turkish and German interests. The consulates will be delivered to him to-morrow.

SEVERAL HUNDRED LOST ON PERSIA, LATEST REPORT

London, January 3.—(Special)—The loss of life in connection with the sinking of the British steamer Persia, torpedoed in the Eastern Mediterranean on Thursday afternoon, is still a matter of doubt. The latest advices from Cairo and Alexandria indicate that 153 survivors have been landed, of whom 59 were passengers. Hope that others have been saved is diminishing, as four days have now elapsed since the vessel was destroyed.

No further word has been received concerning Robert N. McNeely, American consul at Aden, Arabia, and there seems to be little doubt that he was drowned. The safety of Charles Grant of Boston having been established it is thought Mr. McNeely was the only American who perished. It is still impossible to give even with approximate accuracy the loss of life, as the number of persons on board has not been established. The passengers numbered something more than 200, and there were between 200 and 300 members of the crew, so that apparently the death list will run largely in excess of 200. Such fragmentary accounts of the disaster as have been obtained from survivors furnish little new information concerning the circumstances of the sinking. All agree, however, that the Persia sank with extraordinary rapidity within about five minutes of the time she was struck affording small opportunity for rescue work.

thirty hours in boats, were rescued by a warship. Six officers were saved.

"The liner sank so quickly that there was no time to launch the boats. Waves soon enveloped the deck and swept the passengers and crew into the sea. Col. Bigham was standing on the deck beside Miss Hughes. He was suddenly swept into the sea, and sank. On coming up he bumped against a boat and thus was saved. Two other boats which were seen to be launched are missing. It is thought there is little hope that further survivors have been rescued."

KAISER IS OPERATED UPON

REPORTS PERSIST THAT ILLNESS IS OF SERIOUS NATURE.

Paris, Jan. 3.—(Special)—Press despatches from Switzerland and Italy continue to affirm that the illness of Emperor William is serious. It is stated that he was operated on last Wednesday successfully, but the nature of the operation is not specified.

It is stated that the Emperor is suffering from a deep-seated affection of which the cutaneous eruption is but an incidental symptom and that the malady is complicated by the re-appearance of his old throat trouble which has extended to the mouth. It is even asserted that it will be necessary to provide him with an artificial palate made of silver.

"FIGHTING IN FRANCE"

Important Announcement Will Appear in To-morrow's Paper

An important announcement will appear in these columns to-morrow relative to the "Fighting in France" pictures, to be shown in Sherbrooke.

These wonderful views of the actual war operations will be exhibited, under the auspices of the Record, at His Majesty's Theatre, Friday and Saturday of this week, with matinee and two evening performances. An announcement of extraordinary interest will appear in to-morrow's paper.

ANOTHER BRITISH SHIP SUNK

London, Jan. 3.—(Special)—The British steamer Glengyle has been sunk. There are about one hundred survivors.

The Glengyle sailed from Shanghai for London on Nov. 25th. She was last reported at Singapore on Dec. 6th. Her route would take her through the Suez Canal and the Mediterranean, and it may be assumed she was sunk in the Mediterranean, as were the Persia, Ville de La Clotat, Yasaka Maru and several other steamships.

U. S. CONSULS AT SALONIKI

Saloniki, Jan. 3.—(Special)—At the request of General Sarraill, commander of the French forces here, John E. Kehl, American consul at Saloniki, has taken charge of the Turkish and German interests. The consulates will be delivered to him to-morrow.

THE ARRESTED ENEMY CONSULS

London, Jan. 3.—(Special)—An Athens despatch to the Daily Mail says that the consuls recently arrested at Saloniki will be liberated shortly, either at Piraeus or Narbonne, with safe conduct. The Allied legations are awaiting instructions before tendering explanations to the Greek Government.

WILL APPLY TO IRELAND

London, Jan. 3.—(Special)—The statement that the new compulsory recruiting bill will also be applied to Ireland so far rests on the authority of the Press Association, which, however, is often the medium of official intimations.

HOW LONG WILL AMERICA SUBMIT

London, Jan. 3.—(Special)—The London morning newspapers, in editorials on the sinking of the steamer Persia, denounce the act in scathing terms, and ask whether the cup of Teutonic enormity, as far as America is concerned, is yet full.

DR. MACDONALD IN CHICAGO

TORONTO PREACHER—EDITOR TALKS OF WAR LESSONS.

Chicago, Jan. 3.—(Special)—"A new year in a new world," was the subject of an address before the Sunday evening Club here last night by Dr. J. A. MacDonald, of the Toronto "Globe."

"This new year," said Dr. MacDonald, "will be the most serious of the world since the coming of Jesus Christ. It may not be the most serious in the life of this American Republic. The war is not our war as yet. But for the United States it will be a year of the profoundest testing that the country has known since the civil war."

The speaker referred to Blithu Root as the greatest American authority on international law and asserted that according to Root's interpretation of the law of nations every nation had a right to protest against the violation of Belgium's neutrality even to the extent of going to war.

"There can be no security for world's peace after the war until an enlightened international public opinion stigmatises the breach of an international treaty as a crime. As a crime not alone against the victim nation but against all nations," continued Dr. MacDonald.

KING GEORGE HOTEL AT SYDNEY BURNS.

Sydney, N.S., January 3.—Fire which completely destroyed the King George Hotel, broke out shortly after twelve o'clock Saturday night.

FORD SPEAKS OF PEACE TRIP

Still Hopeful But Views Have Changed some

NOW BLAMES THE PEOPLE, NOT BANKERS OR MUNITION AND ARMAMENT MAKERS.

New York, January 3.—Henry Ford, who led the peace expedition which left here December 4 on the steamship Oscar II, for Copenhagen, in the hope of bringing about a conference of neutral nations that would end the war, arrived here yesterday on the steamship Bengtson. He confirmed cable reports that his return had been hastened by illness, but said it made a difference of a few days, as he intended when he left to come back this month.

Mr. Ford declared his views regarding the cause of the war have undergone a marked change. When he left, he said, he was of the opinion that bankers, manufacturers of munitions and armament were responsible, but he returns with the belief that it is the people themselves, those now being slaughtered, who are responsible. The men doing the fighting have been too content to let those who rule them do their thinking, and they have not taken advantage of their divine right to say for themselves what they shall do and think, the pacifist asserted.

"Republics are no better than monarchies in this respect," he said. "Even in the United States we let those whom we had elected to office be swayed from their duty. We do not assert ourselves. Personally, I have been a voter 31 years, and in all that time I have voted only six times, and then because my wife made me."

Of the eventual success of the mission, Mr. Ford declared he had no doubt. "The movement is now organized and under way. People are talking about it, and while some criticize, when people talk they think, and when they think they think right."

"If what I have done will bring peace only one day nearer I shall be more than repaid," said Mr. Ford. "Every day the war is shortened will save 30,000 lives, and 30,000 lives will mean much toward restoring order and normal conditions."

"If necessary, I will again go to Europe, and if it will help matters I will charter another ship. I am not doing it for personal glory, gain or advertising. I have more money now than I can use, and I feel I am simply custodian of what I have. It was entrusted to me by the people, some of whom are to-day fighting in the trenches."

MAY AID IN CODERE CASE

N. K. LAFAMME, K.C., MAY GO TO ENGLAND, IT IS SAID.

London, January 3.—It is probable that N. K. Laflamme, K.C., of Montreal, will go to England to assist in the defence of Lieut. Codere, of Sherbrooke, who will face at the February assizes a charge of murdering Sergt. O'Connell. Although an English barrister and solicitor will be necessary, Mr. Laflamme's counsel in regard to various Canadian aspects of the case would undoubtedly be helpful. Mrs. Codere is remaining here on advice from Sherbrooke, although her passage had been booked for the Ste. Catharine, which sailed yesterday. She has twice visited her husband in Winchester jail. He eats well, and appears indifferent to the seriousness of his position.

FIGHT BLAZE IN QUEBEC

ROCK SHOE COMPANY'S BUILDING WAS THREATENED WITH COMPLETE DESTRUCTION.

Quebec, January 3.—A fire which for a time threatened to wipe out an important section of Quebec's manufacturing district broke out shortly before six o'clock yesterday evening in the building of the Rock Shoe Manufacturing Company, Limited on Ste. Helene Street, and at the time of writing, the blaze, while confined to the Rock Shoe building, and in no danger of spreading had damaged the premises to such an extent that the building, machinery and stock are considered a total loss.

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Two Lots 10c and 15c.**

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Store Closes at 6 Tonight
Bell Phones 126 - 127

Our Big Annual White Sale Starts Tomorrow And Offers Many Chances to Save on Whitewear and Cottons

Ladies' Night Gowns

Extra quality materials, full sizes. Ask to see the very special line at 49c

Other interesting lines:

.85 line for	.....	.68
\$1.00 line for	.....	.85
\$1.25 line for	.....	.98
\$1.50 line for	.....	1.25
\$2.00 line for	.....	1.65
\$2.75 line for	.....	2.25



Ladies' Undershirts

A very special line at 49c

.75 line for	.....	.59
\$1.00 line for	.....	.85
\$1.25 line for	.....	.98
\$1.50 line for	.....	1.35
\$2.00 line for	.....	1.65
\$2.75 line for	.....	2.25

Combinations

Corset Cover and Drawers in one piece. Sizes 34 to 40 bust:

\$1.25 line for	.....	.98
\$1.65 line for	.....	1.35
\$2.00 line for	.....	1.65

Ladies' Drawers

Ask to see the Special Line we offer at, per pair:

Other interesting lines:

.35 line for	.....	.25c
.40 line for	.....	.35c
.50 line for	.....	.45c
.65 line for	.....	.55c
.75 line for	.....	.65c
1.00 line for	.....	.85c

Ladies' Corset Covers

Ask to see the very Special line at 19c

Other interesting lines:

.85 line for	.....	.65c
.40 line for	.....	.35c
.50 line for	.....	.45c
.65 line for	.....	.55c
.75 line for	.....	.65c
1.00 line for	.....	.85c

Princess Slips

One very special line, \$1.25 quality, for..... .95
Also \$1.65 line for..... \$1.35
Also \$2.00 line for..... \$1.65

Children's Whitewear

Good materials, nicely made.

Girls' Drawers

Sizes 4 to 12 years. 15c
Sale price, pair.....

Girls' Drawers

Sizes 4 to 12 years, extra quality. 25c
Sale price.....

Girls' Night Gowns

Sizes 4, 6, 8 and 10 years. Special Sale 55c
Price.....



Girls' Night Gowns

Sizes 4 to 14 years, extra quality. 65c
Special Sale.....

Girls' Undershirts

for girls 8 to 14 years; nice quality material, embroidery trimmed. Sale price..... 68c

Corsets

70c Corset for 49c

Long Corset, with extended hips, four hose supporters, well made and finished, good Cutliff Cotton; sizes 18 to 27; 70c value, Big White Sale Price

49c



A special purchase of five hundred pairs direct from the makers for our Big White Sale.

\$1 Corset for 69c

Long Coat Corset, extended hips, good boning, good hose supporters—a good-fitting Corset and stylish model; \$1.00 value, Big White Sale Price

69c

BRASSIERES—A very special line for this special sale. Per pair..... 45c

Sheetings

Our values will be found very interesting for this sale:

English Sheetings

2 yards wide, 25c line, for	.....	22c
2 yards wide, 35c line, for	.....	30c
2 yards wide, 45c line, for	.....	30c

Best Canadian Sheetings

2 yards wide, 45c line, for	.....	38c
2 yards wide, 55c line, for	.....	40c

Pillow Cottons

Heavy Canadian make, soft finish, free from starch, 42 in. wide, circular style, 24c value. Sale price..... 22c

Nainsook

A very soft, fine quality Cotton, 36 in. wide, desirable for ladies' and children's fine undergarments; 25c value. Sale price..... 20c

Lonsdale

Soft finish, 36 in. wide, free from starch or dressing, 15c value. Sale price..... 12c

Towelings

For Dish Wipers. One line at..... 65c
15c line at..... 12c

Indian Head Cotton

A desirable cotton for nurse aprons, dresses or skirts, 34 in. wide, round weight, extra durable. 25c value. Sale price..... 21c
15c line for..... 12c

White Lawn

A nice quality that generally sells at 13c. For this Big White Sale..... 9c

White Flannelette

Good quality soft, fleecy, white flannelette, 34 in. wide, 14c and 15c value. Sale price..... 12c

Roller Towelling

Various lines of 14c and 15c values for..... 12c

Cotton Webs

Bleached White Cotton or Factory Unbleached Cotton, 36 in. wide. Both are good, serviceable cottons, selling at 10c and 11c yard. Ten yards in each web. Sale price..... 89c

White Quilts

Fine quality, pretty designs, 70 in. wide and 90 in. long, \$2.00 value. Sale price..... \$1.65

Linen Towels

Fine White Huck Towels, all-linen quality, good big size. Value 45c pair. To-morrow..... 35c

Ladies' Waists

3 Big Special Values

At 49c

Fine Muslin Waists, white ground with colored spray; white collar and cuffs. Sale price..... 49c

At 98c

A splendid array of fine White Waists; various styles. Sale price..... 98c

At \$1.98

Various lines of Silk Waists, white, black and colors, \$2.50 to \$3.00 value. Sale price..... \$1.98

Embroideries

A special lot containing 3,000 yards of fine embroidery for this big sale as follows:

EMBROIDERY INSERTIONS AND BEADINGS—12c, 15c and 18c values. for..... 10c

EMBROIDERY INSERTIONS AND BEADINGS—20c, 25c and 30c values. for..... 15c

A Few Rousing Bargains from the Ready-to-Wear Section for the Big Sale

Ladies' Coats

Just think! \$12.50 and \$14 values. Big Sale..... \$8.90
Price.....
Others equally reduced.

Girls' Coats

Warm Winter Coats, in black, colors and tweeds. All this season's goods. Sizes 4 to 14 years. Values running up to \$6.90. Big Sale Price..... \$3.75

Flannelette Gowns

Soft, white Saxony Flannelette, full sizes, warm and comfortable for this cold weather, 95c value. Big Sale Price..... 68c

Knitted Petticoats

Light grey Wool Knitted Petticoats, knee length, snug fitting, \$1.45 value. Sale price..... \$1.25

Flannelette Drawers

White or pink, 65c line. Sale price..... 49c

JANUARY CLEARING SALE STARTS TOMORROW WITH THIS LIST OF SPECIAL OFFERINGS

Silks

Yard wide Messaline Silks, in black and colors, \$1.00 value. Sale price..... 89c

Cloakings

All 54 in. wide; black, mixed tweeds and colors. All good warm winter goods, \$2.00 values. Sale price..... \$1.75

Wool Blanket Cloth

Heavy, strictly all-wool Blanket Cloth, 54 in. wide, tan, red, grey, navy or white. Specially adapted for the long sweater loose coats; \$1.50 per yard. To-morrow..... \$1.45

ELECTRIC OIL

25c, for..... 20c

BUTTER

Fine Creamery, pound..... 35c. EXTRACTS—Lemon or Vanilla, big 10c. bottles. Sale price..... 15c. FROSTING SUGAR—Redpath's finest Frosting Sugar. To-morrow, 2 lbs. for..... 19c. NEW PRINER—2 lbs. for..... 25c.

NEW CANNED VEGETABLES

Our new stock is now ready! The very best quality Tomatoes, Early June Beans, Corn or String Beans. Sale price per doz., assorted..... \$1.10

POP CORN

From the south; 2 lbs. for..... 15c. PURE GINGER—40c. pound. To-morrow..... 30c.

CORN FLAKES

Fresh supply, 3 pkts. for..... 25c. PUTZ CREAM—For shining all sorts of metals, 25c. tin. To-morrow..... 20c.

CHLORIDE LIME

Per packet..... 10c. WORCESTER SAUCE—12c. size for..... 9c. COFFEE, 37c.—Our Special Java and Mocha Fresh Roasted Coffee ground to your special order in our electric grinder. Sold in most stores at 50c. To-morrow..... 37c.

PURE WHITE PEPPER

40c. pound. To-morrow..... 32c. HEALTH SALTS—Per tin..... 10c. CANNED LOBSTER—New stock Canned Lobster; the finest grade. Usual 30c. tin. Big Sale To-morrow..... 25c.

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ST. FRANCIS DISTRICT LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Gatherings by Daily Record Correspondents in Various Communities

MARTINVILLE.

There were no services in the Methodist Church on Sunday last owing to the funeral services of the late Mr. William Sharman, which were held at the home of Mr. W. A. Sharman, on Sunday afternoon. In spite of the severe storm the funeral was well attended, relatives coming from Scotland, Bury and Coaticook. Old favorite hymns of the deceased were sung, including "Servant of God, well done," "Some day the silver cord will break," and "Abide with Me." Rev. Mr. Miller spoke comforting, helpful words and read the beautiful Scripture lesson for the dead and offered prayer after which the body was reverently borne to the last resting place at Compton.

The Christmas entertainment held here on the evening of the 23rd was considered up to the usual standard. The church was beautifully decorated and the trees were a marvel of taste in their adornment and were also, well loaded with presents. The Cantata in which nearly all the S. S. took part, was very good. The singing by the children was especially enjoyed. The superintendent, Mr. C. F. Cass, and the organist, Miss Pearl Martin, each received presents from the Sunday School in appreciation of their efforts in the work of the S. S.

Those who entertained family parties on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. Furse, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Kathan and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cass.

Those who were guests out of town were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Parsons and family to Sherbrooke; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pierce to Lennoxville to Mrs. Pierce's home; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Smith to Birchton at Mr. Hollis Smith's; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cass to Hatley to their daughter's, Mrs. G. Sharman, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sharman and family to Moe's River, at Mr. C. F. Haseltine's, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Goudie and family to N. Hatley guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Merrill.

Visitors for the holidays as follows—Miss Isobel Parsons home from Island Pond, Vt.; Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Martin and Mr. John Martin, of Springfield, Mass., at Mr. Joseph Martin's; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lane and son, of Cornwall, Ont., at Mr. Ed. Sharman's on Sunday and Monday; Mr. Wm. Caswell and family were the guests on Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Groom; Mr. L. Austin was home from Stornoway for the holidays; Master Foster Martin, of Lennoxville, is staying with his grandmother for a few weeks.

Mrs. Emily Pierce and Mrs. Eliza Macdonald who have been ill are recovering now.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bridgette and children, of Birchton, were the guests on Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Merrill.

Mr. George Groom in Coaticook on Thursday on business.

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HATLEY. Miss Ruby Kenney, of Coaticook, whose marriage to Mr. Rufus King, of New York City is announced to take place on New Year's Day, is the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kennedy and niece of both Mr. Avery Ives and Mrs. Hetherington of this place. For several years Miss Kenney's talent and ability as a pianist has been recognized not only in her home town but in the larger centres as well. When passing the severe tests at the College of Music, in Toronto, Miss Kennedy attained the perfect number, in rank, among students from all parts of the Dominion. Although a citizen of the Empire State and a resident of one of its chief cities, Mr. King is not altogether a stranger in this town, having spent some time at different periods with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. King, during their summer sojourns at Elmwood Park, on the Lake.

The force of the old adage, "as the days begin to lengthen the weather begins to strengthen," was well exemplified on Wednesday night and Thursday morning, when the mercury fell lower in this place than at any previous time this winter, suddenly dropping to ten degrees below zero.

Misses Bessie and Ruth Emery who are taking the work of III. Academy or Grade XI. at Waterville, and Master Ernest Boyes who is in the same grade at the Academy at North Hatley, are at their homes near this place for the holidays. It is worthy of note that these clever, earnest young students are still leaders in these institutions, as they were formerly at the Hatley Model School.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fowler and Miss Florence Fowler were at the home of Mrs. Fowler's sister, Mrs. J. N. White at Coaticook, at Coaticook.

Miss Cora Powell, of Ayer's Cliff, is stopping a few days at the farm with her cousin, Mrs. Wooten.

Messrs. Arthur T. Rowell and Harris Levitt, of Ayer's Cliff, recent guests at "The Butternuts."

SCOTSTOWN. Mrs. P. A. Roy entertained on Wednesday evening a number of young people in honor of her niece, Miss L. Delphis of Windsor Mills, and her nephew, Master Frank Miller, of Chicago. The evening was spent in progressive games, music, etc. The hostess served a delightful lunch and a happy evening was spent by the young people. Miss Delphis and Master Roy Wells were the prize winners for the event.

Mr. Archie Black spending the week-end with friends at East Angus; Mr. G. A. Sherman to Lingwick the guest of his sister, Mrs. M. Macaulay.

The Misses Jessie and Alexis Duncan, accompanied by Miss MacRobbie of Sherbrooke, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Pasen Sherman from Manchester, N.H., spending Christmas with his wife and little daughter.

Master Frank Miller of Chicago the guest of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Roy.

Miss Soles and Miss Stella Soles, of Cowansville, have been guests of their brother, Mr. C. Soles.

Mrs. Blair and son, Hugh, of Ottawa, were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. R. MacLeod at the Manse.

Mr. Donald MacKay entertained at a nice little dance in Strathcona Hall on Wednesday evening. Cookshire orchestra furnished excellent music. Those present were Mrs. A. MacKay, Miss E. MacKay and Miss Ingram chaperoned by Mrs. Harry Cowling.

Mr. Mack McLennan, from McGill College, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McLennan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scott and Miss Pearl Scott were in Sherbrooke on Thursday.

The week of prayer will be observed this year by services in the Protestant Churches. Beginning Monday evening January 3rd there will be meetings every night except Saturday night. The first meeting will be in the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church and on Tuesday evening it will be in the Adventist Church.

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Start the New Year right early by having us examine your eyes to-day. I will have your glasses ready to-morrow.

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LAKE MEGANTIC.

The Saturday night express from Montreal to Halifax and the Sunday night express from Halifax to Montreal was suspended on January 1st, 1916, until further notice.

CITY NEWS

Dr. L. Charpentier, of South Durham, will sing at the W.C.O.F. church in Richmond, tonight, Jan. 3rd.

Miss Lucy Paige, of Lennoxville, is spending a few days with friends in Montreal.

Mr. B. Bloomer, of Lennoxville, spent the holidays with his daughter, Mrs. Gilbert, Belvidere street.

Mr. Claude Gilbert has returned to Queen's College, Toronto, after spending the holidays at his home in town.

Big reduction on Ladies' and Gentlemen's Suits made to order. For prices look at our windows. N. T. Dussault.

Mr. Gordon Odell spent part of Christmas week in Montreal, the guest of his cousin, Dr. Alex. Penoyer, Mackay street.

Rev. Canon Allnatt, vice-principal of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, is spending part of the vacation in Washington, D.C., the guest of the Rev. Dr. J. H. Nelms.

Mr. D. C. Robertson, K.C., and Mrs. Robertson, who spent Christmas in Lennoxville, the guests of Dr. E. A. Robertson and family, have returned to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Genest and daughter, and Mr. Rosario Genest, from Montreal, are the New Year guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Genest, Gordon street.

The friends of Miss Phyllis Wright,

daughter of the late Dr. T. P. Wright and Mrs. Wright, formerly of Lennoxville, will be interested to learn that Miss Wright is engaged in hospital work in Shorncliffe, England.

All the baby sleighs at Edwards' to be cleared out at once at bargain prices. See window display.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Blanchard, from Addington, Mass., are in town, the guests of Mr. R. B. Yates, Prospect street. Mrs. Addington, whose health is not good, will remain for some time for rest and change.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown Parker, Mrs. Parker and Master James Parker arrived to-day from Portland to spend the New Year with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mitchell, "Elmhurst," Dufferin avenue.

J. A. Robert will continue the fur business as usual. Anyone having furs to be made to order or repaired should call at his temporary premises, room 5 Premier Bldg., 18 King Street, Phone 963.

Captain Locke's lecture "Feeding the Sick" which was to have been given to the pupils of the First Aid and Home Nursing Classes on Tuesday evening has been postponed until next week. The date will be announced later.

DEATH OF MRS. R. N. ARKLEY. An old resident of Sherbrooke passed away on New Year's Day in the person of Mrs. R. N. Arkley.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday at the house, Montreal street, at 2 p.m., leaving the house at 2.30.

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In Sherbrooke

SOLDIERS' CLUB ROOM.

The soldiers' club room at Murray Hall, King street, will be opened on Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. The Duke of Wellington Chapter cordially invites the regents and members of the other chapters to be present, also other interested citizens.

CHRISTMAS TREE ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The Entertainment Committee of the Sherbrooke Patriotic Association wish to acknowledge gifts from the following donated to the supper and Christmas tree given in the Armory on Christmas Day: W. R. Webster & Co., Sherbrooke Cigar Co., A. E. Kinkaid, J. Rosenbloom, Mrs. L. H. Olivier, Mrs. Bachand, Mrs. Spier, Mrs. Edgell, Mrs. Dumblin, Mrs. Tracy, Miss Williams, Mrs. Bissell, Mrs. Desbriels, Mrs. W. Morris, Mrs. Bruce Fletcher, Mrs. Tuck, Mrs. Rioux.

WORK COMMITTEE.

The Work Committee gratefully acknowledges the following donations from Miss Edna Beerworth \$4.00; Mrs. A. S. McCaw, Bedford 17 pairs socks.

for future life created within us, and those hopes cause a passage which I have just read from the Gospel to be very precious to us. It tells us how those hopes are certain of fulfillment. Here we are told how our frail human life is to be redeemed from sin and death and become complete. We shall be perfect, as our Father in Heaven is perfect. Death is but a stage in the process of His working in us. The grave is but the hiding place of His power in which He is preparing the mortal to put on immortality. I will come again, that I may receive you unto myself, that where I am ye may be also. I refer to this now because Mrs. Gordon cherished that faith and it was very precious to her. It sustained her during the days and months of failing strength and the approach to the end of her life. It is very appropriate that we should gather here for a few moments. Her whole life was deeply influenced by the Christian faith. From her childhood she was trained in a Christian home, and she loved the Word of God. The first minister of this congregation, the Rev. Dr. Douglas, visited us about a year ago. I remember how he spoke of Mrs. Gordon's home, in which she was but a little girl at the time of his pastorate. The Cross of Christ was an unfailing and commanding constraint in her life and character, and the love of Christ was her method of thought, her habit of mind. She was identified with the activities of this church fellowship throughout the long years. The Apostle tells us that one of the results of Christian faith is 'abounding in the works of the Lord.' This was eminently true of her life, and I am glad to acknowledge with gratitude the deep interest she took in the Lord's work and the labor which she gave so unselfishly to assist in every endeavor. Our church was enriched by her presence, and her example has stimulated others to good works. Dying, she leaves a good name in our midst, and resting from her labors, her works do follow her.

At the conclusion of the service the mortal remains were borne to Elmwood Cemetery and there interred in the family lot. The chief mourners were Mr. Clark Gordon, husband of the deceased; J. Wesley McKee, son-in-law; Lloyd McKee, grandson; D. G. Loomis, J. H. Gordon, C. and L. Gordon, A. H. Foss, Roy and Donald Foss, H. G. Ranshouan and Dr. J. Maguire, relatives by marriage. The pall bearers were Messrs. B. C. Howard, J. F. Morkill, D. W. Hyndman, R. E. Bradley, J. C. Waterhouse and George Armitage. The bearers were Messrs. W. H. Wilson, J. F. Kerr, Herbert Irwin, E. S. Stevens, Walter Armitage and Dr. G. E. Hyndman.

The lovely floral tributes included a pillow from the family; wreath, Sherbrooke Curling Club; wreath, president and officers Sherbrooke Hospital Committee; sheaf, Ladies' Aid, Methodist Church; sheaf, Daughters of Rebekah, with many offerings from personal friends of the deceased and the family, marks of regret and sympathy.

The late Mrs. Gordon was born in Sherbrooke, February 5, 1841, her maiden name being Miss Eliza Rankin. She was the daughter of the late William Rankin and his wife, who were among the early pioneers of the Townships, and much respected residents of what was then a little village. She was married to Mr. Gordon fifty-six years ago, and spent her entire life in this city, to which she was much attached. In addition to work in connection with the church missions, etc., Mrs. Gordon was warmly interested in the Sherbrooke Hospital, and for many years was president of the Ladies' Committee, and to the day of her death its honorary president.

Her health had been failing for more than a year, but the end was not anticipated, as Christmas and the following day were passed comfortably and happily with her family. Monday night she was suddenly stricken, and she passed away Wednesday at noon without recovering consciousness. To the husband of her youth, the only daughter, Mrs. J. Wesley McKee, the son-in-law and grandsons, the sympathy of the community is extended in their bereavement.

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EAST SHERBROOKE

The Christmas and New Year's services at the Church of the Advent were conducted by the incumbent, Rev. Philip Callis, ably assisted by the Rev. E. G. Swindlehurst, who has enlisted as a private in the 2nd P.A.D. An eloquent address was given by Pte. Swindlehurst at the Sunday evening service, and the incumbent spoke a few words of gratitude and appreciation for his kind services during his stay in the parish. Pte. Swindlehurst expects to leave this week with the men who are being removed to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gorham, East Angus, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bryant, "The Locusts."

Mrs. Carl Lebourveau and her cousin, Miss Gladys Price, Indian Head, Sask., arrived in town Friday evening for a visit to relatives and friends.

Miss Ruby Price, Hubbard avenue, left Sunday evening for Bridgeport, Conn., to enter the General Hospital as nurse-in-training.

Pte. Swindlehurst, 2nd P. A. D., was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Callis for the Xmas and New Year's holidays.

Y.M.C.A. NOTES.

Y.M.C.A. GYMNASIUM CLASSES. The regular classes in the Gymnasium will re-open with instruction on Monday, Jan. 10th. Members of the various Boys' and Men's Classes may



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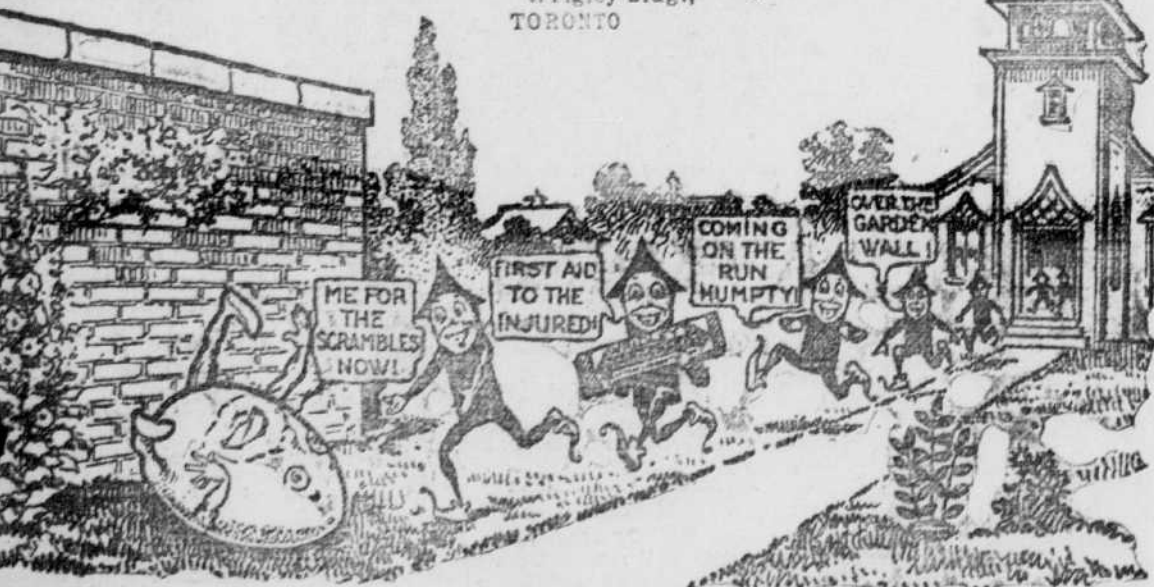
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A FEMALE MEAT AND PASTRY cook wanted for hotel. Apply Box 42.

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BLACK ANGORA CAT—STRAYED from Sherbrooke Hospital. Finder please telephone Mrs. H. E. Goodhue, 48 Victoria St.

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MARRIAGES**GLASSEY—LANCE.**

Richmond, Jan. 3.—(Special)—On Friday evening, December 31, at 8 p.m., in St. Anne's Church, Richmond, the marriage was quietly celebrated of Jessie, second daughter of the late A. L. Lance and Mrs. Lance, to Mr. Arthur Glassey, editor of the Times-Guardian, Richmond. The Rev. J. F. B. Belford, Rector of St. Anne's Church, performed the ceremony. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. W. L. Lance, was unwedded. She wore her travelling suit of brown broadcloth, with sable fur trimmings, brown nixon blouse and hat to match, and wore a corsage bouquet of pink roses. Her furs were sable, the gift of the groom. After the wedding supper, which was served at the bride's home, the young couple left for western points on a brief wedding trip, and on their return will take up their residence in Richmond.

UNITY OF FRENCH PEOPLE**ALSACE AND LORRAINE MUST BE RESTORED, BELGIUM AND SERBIA FREED**

Paris, Jan. 3.—The National Congress of the Socialist party, which has ended its session here, voted a resolution affirming that the Socialists would continue to support a vigorous carrying-on of the war until French territory is freed, Belgium and Serbia are raised from ruins, Alsace and Lorraine are restored to France, and a durable peace is assured.

"But the duty of the Allies as the champions of the right and the guardians of the world's future does not end here," says the resolution.

"An organization of international law seems to the Socialist party the most effective guarantee of a lasting peace. By establishing among themselves and publishing to the world arbitration clauses to deal with every species of litigation that might arise, the Allies would set an example for which the neutral nations would be grateful to them, and would open the way to the only complete guarantee of lasting peace."

"The Socialist party is aware that as long as the policy of capitalism exists, with its system of economic competition, which has developed to the extreme colonialism and imperialism, the dangers of war will exist with it. But the world is faced with these alternatives:

Either it will retain the practice of ultimatums, and war, with an increasing weight of armament will plunge Europe in some new catastrophe, in which human civilization will perish with her, or else nations will inaugurate international arbitration, limitation of armaments, democratic control of treaties, abolition of occult diplomacy, and the establishment of economic and military penalties to be applied to nations violating international law."

"And in this case only can Europe and the world look forward to a normal development of peace between nations and progress of men-through Socialism."

The resolution goes on to say that the French Socialist party could not resume relations with the German section of the International Socialists until the Social Democrats or the dissident minority of them repudiate imperialism, affirm the right of peoples to be the masters of their own destinies, and protest against violations of international law and of neutrality.

The resolution concludes by instructing the Socialist deputies to facilitate in every way the work of national defence and declaring that the party adheres to the words of Premier Asquith in the British House of Commons affirming that there should be no separate peace.

BURY.

The monthly Red Cross tea at the Armory will in future be held on the second Tuesday of each month commencing on January 11th. Work meetings every Tuesday are now resumed. Wool for knitting can be obtained at the Rectory.

The annual meeting of St. Paul's Guild will be held on Wednesday, the 12th inst.

Service in the school house, Cross-bury, on Friday next, 7th inst.

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We wish our many friends and patrons all prosperity and happiness during the year 1916, and hope that we will receive their esteemed patronage that we have had during the past.

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CITY NEWS

Rev. P. A. Begin, of St. Charles Seminary, is spending the vacation with his relatives in Montreal.

Dr. Charles Holbrook, from Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. H. A. Odell, Melbourne street, for a few days.

Miss Mary Marceau, from Biddeford, Me., is visiting Mrs. J. Marceau, Quebec street.

Mr. E. C. Tanquary, of St. Charles Seminary, spent the New Year festival with his family at Weedon.

Mr. C. Mercer, of Bishop's College School, is spending the vacation in Boston, accompanied by Master Aylmer Morris.

Mrs. Duncan McCallum and young daughter of Montreal, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Farwell, Dufferin Ave., for a week or two.

Miss Brooke, from Coaticook, is the guest of the Rev. F. G. Vial and Mrs. Vial, at "Divinity House," Lennoxville.

Mr. J. P. Wells, K.C., is being warmly congratulated on his new appointment as King's Counsel.

Among other letters received a personal letter from His Honor Justice Gloag, who refers to the honor as being a well deserved one.

The engagement is announced of Miss Alice Villiers England, daughter of the late R. W. England, and Mrs. England, Knowlton, to Lieut. Frank Leslie Drayton, 80th Battalion, C.E.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Drayton, of Barbadoes, B.W.I.

Mr. S. E. Francis has been appointed acting secretary of the Eastern Townships Agricultural Association during the absence of Captain Miller, second in command of the 35th Overseas Battery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Walsh entertained the members of the Loyola Hockey Club from Montreal at dinner at their home, Bowen Avenue, East Sherbrooke, on New Year's night. Their son, Mr. Ted Walsh, is a student of that famous college and is much interested in its sporting record.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice T. Stokes, of Bury (formerly Miss Eva Doyle), returned to the city today from Coaticook, where they spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Baldwin, Mr. Stokes' sister and brother-in-law. Mrs. Stokes will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. B. C. Doyle, London street, for a week or so.

COUNCIL MEETS TO-NIGHT.

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council takes place this evening at the City Hall at 8 o'clock.

AMBULANCE CALLS.

Lord's private ambulance was called by Dr. Browning to remove Mrs. Martin of Birch Street to the Sherbrooke Hospital.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

The first of the meetings of the Week of Prayer will be held in Wesley Hall to-night at 8 o'clock. The address will be given by the Rev. G. Whitfield Brooker, on the subject of Home Missions. The meeting to-morrow night will be held in the Baptist Church, when the Rev. A. Bright will speak on The Church and The Children. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

SNOWFALL, 14 INCHES.

Following the cold spell of Thursday night and Friday morning, a steady snowfall set in on Saturday and has continued until this morning when fourteen inches were registered. It is many years since such a deep fall of snow occurred in Sherbrooke at this time of the year. In many places churchgoers yesterday had much difficulty in going to and from public worship on account of the drifts. The road department ploughs were out yesterday morning clearing the sidewalks and this morning the city teams were busy taking the beautiful from the principal streets.

This is the kind of weather to cheer the lumbermen and traders generally.

LATE MRS. JOS. ROISVERT.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Joseph Roisvert took place at the parish church of St. Jean Baptiste, East Sherbrooke, in the midst of a large assemblage of mourning parents and relatives. The requiem mass was sung by the Rev. J. A. Lapointe, and the bearers were Messrs. William Ramsay, J. B. Duford, M. Asselin, J. Dutil, M. Lecours and Pierre Simoneau. Mr. Pierre Gosselin, of Lennoxville, acted as funeral director.

Among those present were Mr. D'Amours, of Richmond, and several prominent citizens. Deceased, who was 97 years of age, is survived by four sons and four daughters, Mrs. Thomas Courchesne, of Sherbrooke; Mmes. Bloomey and Gignas, of Manchester, N.H., being among the latter.

The remains were laid to rest in St. Michael's Cemetery, East Sherbrooke.

In thoughts, as in life, you reap what you sow.

THE GREAT BLOT ON NATIONAL LIFE

Rector of St. Peters Describes This as the Dishonesty in Municipal, Provincial and Federal Governments

IN ELOQUENT ADDRESS LAID NATIONAL SINS AT THE DOOR OF INDIVIDUAL INDIFFERENCE.

In his address at the New Year's service for men held in St. Peter's Church yesterday afternoon, the Rector, Rev. H. R. Bigg dealt particularly with the slackness and indifference of Christian men in this age and God's curse thereon. Referring to the comparatively short time in which all would stand before the Judgment Seat of God to answer for the deeds done in the body, he said they would be judged not so much for the things done as for the spirit and motive, the earnestness and sincerity of what they had attempted to do—or for the slackness and indifference which they had displayed towards what they knew to be true. Indifference was a bad fault in anyone, but how infinitely more so in Christian men who were pledged to fight against evil wherever they met it, either in themselves or the world around! Generation after generation the battle was lost, because the soldiers of the King and of the Lord of Lords fought an indifferent and slack battle.

FAULT LIES IN INDIVIDUALS.

Proceeding he said the fault lay in the individual—the person—and not in a man's neighbor; in that respect a man's neighbor had nothing to do with another. The fault lay in one's own self, because one liked to be indifferent and slack and it was so much easier than being enthusiastic and getting out and fighting life's battle. The world was very attractive and there were so many things to attract attention that the one thing which should be done, Bit by bit the indifferent Christian stripped himself of his armour and rendered himself unfit to fight the battle, and instead of being true warriors of the King were only too often his direct enemies. "He that is not with Me is against Me, and he that gathereth not with Me scattereth."

SLACKNESS CAUSES NATIONAL SIN.

The preacher continued that the result of personal slackness was seen in national sin. No one could look round on this country and feel content, nor look upon the life of the cities and towns and say, "All is well." Anyone with a grain of manhood could not view it without feeling disgusted and heart weary at the sight of what went on in open day after 1900 years of the Gospel. The national sins were the sum of our personal sins showing themselves in the character of the community.

THE TRUE CHURCH GOES TO THE TITHE.

Dealing with the proper idea of going to church (which had to a large extent been deprived of its real meaning) Mr. Bigg described it as "the outward and visible sign of an inward and spiritual grace." In this connection he deprecated the judgment passed on regular churchgoers by others. "What business have you to judge your acts and your duties by the life of this man or that?" he asked. "It is your spiritual life that is showing itself in your actions and not that of other men. His spiritual life is between him and his God."

BELIEF AND ACTION.

Why was the nation on the whole irreligious? Much had been done for the church and religion, and the spread of the Gospel, but not one tithe of what should have been done if men sincerely and earnestly believed in what they professed to believe, because what people believed was what they did, and those who said they believed in God and Christ, and did not help to forward their cause among men according to their opportunity were denying it by their actions and bearing false witness.

THE GREAT BLOT ON NATIONAL LIFE.

"Another great blot upon our national life is that dishonesty in municipal, provincial and federal governments, that so disgusts every man with a grain of honesty that such things should be, and the existence of which drives honest men from the government of our country. We have yet a few here and there, but the best men of our communities do not take the part they should as servants of God in seeing that their city or province or country are gradually bit by bit brought from the slough of dishonesty into the firm ground of pure life. Nothing is impossible where men and God work hand in hand but if we through slackness or indifference hinder the progress of God working out His way among our people so long shall we be hindering that time when good and honest government will be the common heritage of each and everyone of us. We may never live to see it, but if we earnestly begin to teach our children to carry on the work which we have begun, in God's good time that blot will be wiped off our national escutcheon."

The latter part of the address dealt in an able manner with national intemperance of all kinds, the need of self-control, the white slave traffic, the importance and power of prayer and the call to service and sacrifice in the New Year.

SIR JOHN

SIMON RESIGNS

FIRST MINISTER TO QUIT CABINET THROUGH COMPULSION

BILL.

London, January 3.—The Chronicle announces definitely that Sir John A. Simon, secretary of state for home affairs, retires from the Cabinet, thus breaking his brilliant ministerial career for conscience sake.

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Sporting News**HOCKEY**

MEETING OF CITY LEAGUE CALLED FOR TUESDAY NIGHT.

A meeting for the purpose of forming a City Hockey League, will be held at the Stadium on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Any teams wishing to enter this League are requested to send delegates to this meeting. It is expected that teams will be entered by the 35th Battery, 117th Regt., Sherbrooke Hockey Club, and others.

PRACTICES.

The team of the 35th Battery will practice at the Stadium to night from 7 to 8 o'clock.

The Sherbrooke Hockey Club will practice from 8 to 9 p. m. to-night.

CURLING

The President vs. Vice-President's annual was played off on New Year's Day, the match starting on all three sheets in the afternoon and being continued in the evening. Many new members took part in the game and showed some promising material for the coming season. After the evening game the entertainment committee provided refreshments for the visitors and curlers.

At the end of the afternoon session the President had a lead of 13 points, but the evening rinks turned the tide of victory to a defeat of 6 points on the total score for the day's play.

The rinks and scores are as follows:

AFTERNOON.

President Vice-Pres.

Dr. Lamby T. J. Harding

Harry Moe T. M. Cowan

Rev. R. W. Wright F. B. Wilson

Rev. H. R. Bigg C. W. Cate

Skip 19

R. W. Read A. E. Wiggett

G. A. Harrison F. Dinning

A. D. Brodie F. N. McCrea

Dr. Parrock C. N. Martin

Skip 7

C. S. White R. W. Hogg

R. A. E. Aitken C. S. Spafford

Rev. H. C. Burt N. Dinning

Ir. Irwin W. H. Wilson

Skip 11

President Vice-Pres.

J. Rosenbloom L. A. Darcy

G. Carson John Duff

F. T. Vaughan F. J. Southwood

J. W. McKee J. P. Watson

Skip 4

Dr. Lamby J. Phelan

Sgt. Dunsmore H. A. Hyndman

J. R. Sangster Lt. J. E. Smith

J. F. Kerr W. H. Fuller

Skip 13

C. J. Wright J. C. McConnell

R. W. Hogg Capt. H. B. Miller

C. Beauchessne H. Irwin

C. G. Thompson F. N. McCrea

Skip 7

Total.....61 Total.....67

Majority for Vice-Presidents, 6 shots.

To-night the first of the club matches will be played. The rinks have been arranged and the drawings made. J. H. Bryant plays R. McMurray's, and C. W. Cate's plays J. W. McKee's rink. Great interest is being taken in these matches this year and the arrangement of the schedule is very interesting.

At the regular weekly meeting of the club held last Thursday, it was decided to take part in the Governor-General's Competition and the Audley Trophy this year. The foreign rinks will be picked at once and begin practicing immediately.

STOCK MARKET

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Friday's close	Open	12.30	a.m.
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460 Beth Steel.....	450	450	
183 C.P.R.....	183	183	
110 1/2 N. Y. Central.....	109	110 1/2	
84 Reading.....	82 1/2	83 1/2	
104 Sou. Pacific.....	102 1/2	103 1/2	
100 1/2 St. Paul.....	100	101 1/2	
138 1/2 Union Pacific.....	138 1/2	138 1/2	
89 U. S. Steel.....	88 1/2	88 1/2	

78 Cedar Rapids.....

49 Dom. Iron.....

231 Dom. Bridge.....

190 Laurentide.....

238 1/2 Mont. Power.....

100 1/2 Scotia.....

89 1/2 Steel Canada.....

.....Steel Can., Pfd.....

.....Shawinigan.....

.....MONTREAL

.....Cedar Rapids.....

.....Dom. Iron.....

.....Dom. Bridge.....

.....Laurentide.....

.....Mont. Power.....

.....Scotia.....

.....Steel Canada.....

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GRANBY MAY BECOME A CITY

Movement for Incorporation is
Now Under Way

POPULATION SUFFICIENT, IN-
CLUDING SOME OF THE
SUBURBS.

Granby, Jan. 3.—(Special)—A movement is on foot to have Granby incorporated as a city. The recent census taken at the instance of the Council shows a population of 5,632 souls within the limits of the village corporation. The population necessary for a town charter is 6,000, but if the suburbs of Kentville, Denison avenue, Mountain street and the reclaiming works can be brought into the limits of the new city municipality, the population would easily pass the 6,000 mark.

An adjourned meeting of the Council was held on Tuesday night, and a deputation consisting of Councillors Miner, Bolvin and the Secretary, W. S. Bullock, M.L.A., and Geo. H. Boivin, M.P., were appointed to go to Quebec and urge the claims of Granby for incorporation as a city. According to the census of 1911, the population of Granby village was a little over 4,000. When the assessors took the census in June of 1914 the population had increased to a trifle over 5,000, being an increase of over 600. Some are skeptical in regard to the correctness of the recent enumeration, but it may be regarded as approximately correct.

PROPOSED NEW INDUSTRY.
A meeting was recently held of the Board of Trade to consider the proposition of several parties from Bos-

DEATH OF PRIVATE DUNCAN MASON

Member of E. T. Battalion Suc-
cumbed to Pneumonia

WILL BE GIVEN A MILITARY FU-
NERAL TO-MORROW AFTER-
NOON.

Duncan Mason, a private in the 117th E. T. Battalion, died at the Sherbrooke Hospital yesterday morning from pneumonia. He was born at Williamstown, Ont., and joined the E. T. Battalion on December 20, 1915.

At the request of his brother, Mr. Ben Mason, of Cornwall, Ont., the interment will take place to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock from St. Michael's Cathedral.

Private Mason will be given a military funeral, the cortege to leave Lord's Undertaking Parlor at 2.45 on Tuesday afternoon.

ROCK ISLAND AND DERRY LINE.
Miss Jennie Audinwood entertained at a sleigh ride on Wednesday night. There were about fifty guests. After a ride the party returned to the Columbian Club rooms where a supper was awaiting. After supper dancing and card playing was enjoyed by all. Mr. John Young, of Newport, in town on Wednesday.

ton in regard to establishing a rubber manufactory in the Walpole building, which has been vacated. A committee was appointed to wait on the Council in reference to the proposition, which it is understood involves the guaranteeing of the bonds of the company.

EXPERIMENTAL FARM BANQUET

Mr. J. A. McClary Entertained
Employees at Royal Hotel
Friday Night

INTERESTING SPEECHES WERE
DELIVERED AND PRESENTA-
TION MADE TO PTE. CLIF-
FORD SMITH.

A gathering of a very happy and fraternal nature was held at the Royal Hotel on Friday evening on the occasion of the second annual banquet given by Mr. J. A. McClary, Superintendent of the Lennoxville Experimental Farm, to the employees.

Amongst the invited guests were: Messrs. L. G. T. Lynch, W. G. McDougall, Stewart and others. An apology for inability to be present, owing to family illness, was received from Mr. R. McMurray, Mayor of Lennoxville.

After a very dainty and enjoyable supper admirably prepared by Host Southwood had been done full justice to, "The King" was duly honored.

MR. MCCLARY SPEAKS
Mr. McClary extended a cordial welcome to his guests and referred to the assistance rendered by the Lennoxville Town Council and Board of Trade in connection with the establishment of the Experimental Farm and to the railroad and educational advantages enjoyed by the municipality.

He expressed his appreciation of the loyal way in which the employees of the farm had helped him during the

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Daily News Specials From Eastern Townships

GLEN SUTTON MAN HAS SHOCK.
Glen Sutton, Jan. 3.—(Special)—Mr. Joao Oliver, a well-known bridge and building employee of the C.P.R., had a shock on Tuesday night and has been in a serious condition since, though reports now say he is improving.

BRITISH COLUMBIA APPLES.
Sutton, Jan. 3.—(Special)—Mr. D. Bickford has just received a box of apples from his son-in-law Frank Black's fruit ranch in British Columbia. Those who were fortunate enough to sample them pronounce them of beautiful flavor.

REAL ESTATE DEAL AT SUTTON
Sutton, Jan. 3.—(Special)—Mr. Ernest Wyatt, who is here from the West, has sold his farm near this village to Mr. A. Duvernay for \$5,000. There are 120 acres in the farm, seventeen cows go with the farm, and all the farming utensils. There is a sugary of 1,300 trees. Mr. Duvernay has leased the farm for five years to Mr. Fabien Berger, who owns another farm nearby.

DEATH OF HARVEY BROCK, DUN-
KIN.

Sutton, Jan. 3.—(Special)—The death of Mr. Harvey Brock, a well known farmer of Sutton, took place at his home early on Thursday, December 30, after an illness of several weeks. Mr. Brock had been reported on the gain, but death came rather suddenly at the last. He was about 60 years of age. His residence was one mile west of Dunkin on the Glen Sutton road. His wife predeceased him by some fourteen years. She was Calista Parsons, of Sutton. Mr. Brock leaves three daughters. They are Mrs. Daisy Stowe, Mrs. C. A. Miller, of Dunkin, and Mrs. Arlin Newell, of Barington, N.H.

PRESENTATION TO ANOTHER
SUTTON MAN GOING TO
THE FRONT.

Sutton, Jan. 3.—(Special)—The members of Sutton Valley Lodge of Odd Fellows and their friends spent a very pleasant social evening in their fine new hall last Tuesday. The most interesting item on the programme was the presentation of a solid gold wrist watch to Private Robert Hill, of the Grenadier Guards. Dr. R. T. Macdonald made the presentation with a very appropriate and patriotic speech. Mr. Hill has been a citizen of our village for several years and is very popular. He underwent quite a serious operation some time ago in order to fit himself to pass the examination. His many friends hope to see him back

safe and sound when the war is over.

SCOTSTOWN SOLDIER GIVEN A
SEND OFF

Scotstown, Jan. 3.—(Special)—In the Odd Fellows Hall on Thursday evening the Scotstown citizens gave Lieut. Ralph Dearborn Farley, of the 117th E. T. B., a farewell reception on the eve of his departure for Sherbrooke. The Hall was nicely decorated with the Union Jack and the flag of our country in honor of the occasion.

The Rev. P. R. Roy acted as chairman and the Revs. J. R. MacLeod, J. J. Roy, J. S. Rowe, were also on the platform.

A number of the citizens together with the clergymen were called upon to speak and all responded in tones of admiration and respect for Mr. Farley who has for months past been anxious to serve his king and country.

In the departure of Mr. Farley Scotstown will lose (for a time) one of their highly respected citizens who have always taken a keen interest in the welfare of the town. For ten years Mr. Farley has been station agent for the Canadian Pacific Railway and at all times has been most courteous, patient and obliging to the public. Aside from his daily avocation he held the position as chairman of the school commissioners for three years and during this time the school ranked as one of the very best in the whole province.

For two years he was a member of the Town Council, park and road committee, also chairman of the finance committee. He was also interested in fraternal matters being four years financial secretary of the Canadian Order of Foresters, also a member of the I.O.O.F. For five years he held the office of clergyman's warden of St. Alban's Church. An eloquent address was read by the chairman, preceding the gift of a beautiful gold wrist watch as a slight token of the deep appreciation and high esteem in which he is held, by the whole community.

The presentation was made by the chairman and Mr. E. A. Sherman placed it upon the arm of Lieutenant Farley, who was surprised and overwhelmed by the memento, and in a few well chosen words thanked the people saying it was an occasion that would never be forgotten by him.

Everyone joined in the song "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," after which lunch was served followed by an hour or so of social chat, dancing and cards.

year and alluded with satisfaction to the cordial relations existing between them. The same faces were gathered round the festive board as last year and he hoped to meet them all again at the next annual gathering.

Mr. McClary hoped all the employees would do their best in the future as in the past, and endeavor to make the Lennoxville station one of the best and most attractive in the Experimental Farms system. He read a letter from Director J. H. Griesdale which contained congratulations on the results already achieved, and eulogized the work of Macdonald College in elevating the standing of agriculture and improving the home life of the farmers in the province. He also paid a fitting tribute to the boys from the Experimental Farm who had enlisted for the cause of freedom and civilization, especially mentioning Cameron Harrison.

"TOWN OF LENNOXVILLE."

"The Town of Lennoxville" was responded to by Mr. Lynch, who said that the citizens of Lennoxville were proud of the Experimental Farm and also felt that Mr. McClary was the right man in the right place—he was recognized as one of the best men engaged in that work and everywhere it was realized that he had made a good success of the farm.

The Experimental Farm was helping and advertising Lennoxville in every way and its superintendent was a public spirited man always ready to help any good cause. Mr. Lynch spoke very eloquently of the natural advantages possessed by Lennoxville, of the friendship and good fellowship existing among its citizens and the bright future before it.

"OUR GUESTS"

Mr. Ritchie was the first to reply to the toast of the evening. As head of the horticultural department he would do everything possible to make that branch interesting to the Eastern Townships people, and already a large number had availed themselves of the opportunities offered by the farm. They were anxious to get people more interested in the importance of orchard growing and flower gardens. People had neglected these in past years and too many of the table necessities had been imported whereas they should have been grown at home.

Mr. St. Marie of the forage crop department told of the pleasure he felt in being privileged to work amongst the people with whom he had been brought up. The Eastern

Townships was the coming place for livestock raising, and more and better crops must be grown for that purpose; the farmers could best learn to do this by visiting the Experimental Farm. The speaker also touched on the link between the farm and Macdonald College.

Mr. Young, foreman, appreciated the kindness of their superintendent and the privileges enjoyed by the employees. The men had done their duty well. Co-operation was the only way in which the work could be successful.

Messrs. Robinson (gardener) and Morton (livestock department) also replied.

MACDONALD COLLEGE

Mr. W. G. MacDougall, the local demonstrator, replied to the toast of "Macdonald College," and in doing so referred to the benevolence of Sir William Macdonald who established the college in 1907 and had provided sufficient funds to carry it on after his death. He spoke of the educational, investigation and extension work of the institution, and the school farm work, one of the objects of the latter being to get the pupils interested in nature study and agriculture so as to inculcate in them a desire to remain on the farm.

Mr. McDougall appreciated the reference of Mr. Ritchie to the co-operation between the two institutions, and emphasized the advantages enjoyed by the employees on the farm.

OTHER TOASTS

The remaining toasts were "The Ladies," "The Press" and "The Superintendent."

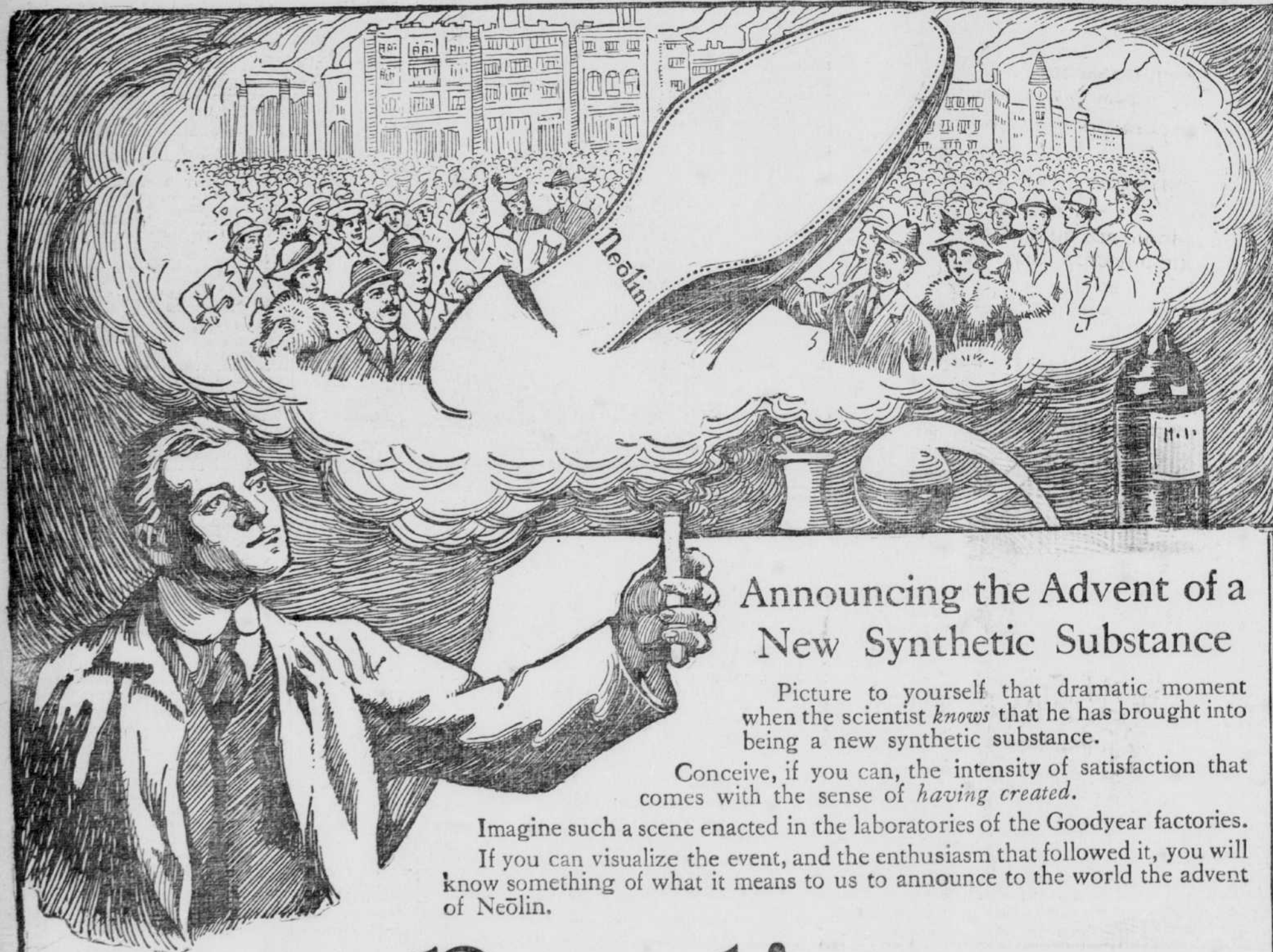
PRESENTATION TO EMPLOYEE

A pleasant feature of the gathering was the presentation to Private Clifford Smith of a fountain pen, who has enlisted in the B. T. Battalion. A suitable address accompanied the gift. The Superintendent assured the recipient that his place would be kept open for him.

Mr. Stewart added to the enjoyment of the evening with several songs and was ably accompanied by Mr. J. O. Jones.

KINGSEY

Recent arrivals and departures include Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gurnham, Valleyfield, are spending New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Shaw. Mrs. Geo. Self and son have returned to Valleyfield after visiting relatives here.



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