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## LIVINGSTON'S BROCK STREET

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### CANADA WAR BUDGET A VAUDEVILLE CASE PROTECTION SOUGHT

#### SOME EXTRA TAXES HAVE BEEN IMPOSED.

#### Chiefly on Two Necessities of Life and Two Luxuries—The Vote Put Quickly Through.

Ottawa, Aug. 21.—Canada's first war budget was presented to parliament in a half-hour statement by the minister of finance yesterday afternoon. To partly meet a condition where revenues will be less than last year by some \$35,000,000 and expenditures greater by more than \$60,000,000, war taxes on two of the necessities of life, sugar and coffee, and two of the luxuries, spirits and tobacco, with minor consequential changes affecting some forty items in the tariff schedules, are imposed. For the balance of the fiscal year revenue from the increased customs and excise taxation is estimated by the minister at \$7,000,000, although on the basis of annual taxation the increase, based on last year's trade figures, aggregates approximately \$16,000,000. For the balance of the fiscal year the government estimates that it will have to raise at least \$43,000,000, exclusive of present sources of revenue.

#### Taxes To Be Increased.

To partially meet the special war expenditure, Mr. White proposes certain increases in customs and excise duties upon articles and commodities to the taxation of which resort was usually had in the emergency of war. Upon great coffee, more than it was proposed to place a tax of 2½c. per pound, British preference, and 2c. general, from which it was estimated the increase in revenue for the year would be \$500,000.

Upon sugar, the raw commercial article testing 96 degrees, the duty would be increased from 40½c. per 100 pounds, to \$1.03½, British preference, and from 57½c. to \$1.37½ general upon refined sugar, testing 99, the duty would be increased from 82c. to \$1.63, British preference, and from \$1.23 to \$2.07 2½ general. This increase would realize an increased revenue of \$5,000,000 for the year.

Other minor consequential tariff changes, outlined in the schedules, were necessary on account of these primary changes.

The French treaty, the minister explained, prevented any change in the duty upon wine and brandy.

Upon cigars and cigarettes the special rate would be increased from \$2 to \$3.50 per pound, and upon manufactured tobacco the increase would be 10c. per pound. This would mean an increase in annual revenue of \$200,000. The changes in the duties of wine were announced as follows: Spirits, from \$1.90 to \$2.40 per gallon; malt liquor, from 10c. to 15c. per gallon; cigars, from 2c. to 3c. per 1,000; cigar staves, from \$2.40 to \$3 per 1,000; manufactured tobacco, from 3c. to 4c. per pound. The estimated increase in annual revenue from the excise change is \$6,600,000.

#### VERY SUDDEN DEATH

#### Of Jacob VanWinkle, Formerly of Kingston.

A very sudden death was that of Jacob VanWinkle, brother of Nial VanWinkle, 117 Ordinance street, of this city. He passed away at his son's home in Midland, Mich., while on a visit. It was only on Tuesday morning, August 19th, that the late Mr. VanWinkle left Toronto, and on Wednesday morning he passed away. The deceased was a widely-known gentleman and held in the highest esteem by a host of friends. He was a descendant of a United Empire Loyalist family, having been born at Ernestown, Ont., in 1822. At the age of twenty-one, he came to Kingston, where he spent the greater part of his life. It was only a few years ago that he took up residence in Toronto. The cause of his death is not known.

The survivors are his wife, one son and one brother. The son is Winfred VanWinkle, of Midland, Mich., and the brother, Nial, of Kingston. The remains will be brought to the city on the 1:27 o'clock train Saturday afternoon. From here they will be transferred to Ontario, where the funeral service will be conducted by Rev. G. I. Campbell. The remains will then be interred in the family plot. The late Mr. VanWinkle was connected with the A.O.U.W. While living in Kingston he attended Queen Street Methodist church. His wife was formerly Miss Susan Givens, of this city.

#### Y. M. C. A. Swimming.

The Y.M.C.A. swimming tank continues to attract a large crowd of boys and the following have qualified for their button medals, which will be presented at the father and son barquet warty in October:

First—Larry Oates, Jack Prattie, James Ramsey, Harry Powers.  
Second—Armstrong, S. Quirt, Eddie Watts, H. Leach, Willie Clark.  
First aid certificates have been received from the St. John's Ambulance Association for Irwin Bruce, Frederick Broke's, W. Veale, Albert Wright and William Morahan.

#### Yellow Bantam Sweet Corn.

White cauliflower, wax beans, green peppers, white plum eelery, lettuce, parsley, mint, etc., at Carnovsky's.

"Rubber Sponges," at Gibson's.

#### HEARD IN POLICE COURT ON FRIDAY MORNING.

#### Performers Charge Manager of Griffin Theatre With Non-Payment—Manager Says There Was No Contract.

The vaudeville performers booked for the Griffin theatre for the last three days of this week, were in the police court on Friday morning, when Michael J. Whitty, manager of the house was summoned by the two "artists" for refusing to pay the sum of \$33.25 which they claimed as wages.

The case which was very complicated required about one hour and a half to hear the evidence, after which the case was enlarged until Monday morning.

Harvey Thomas, the complainant, claimed that he and his wife were engaged to put on an act at the local theatre for three days, for which he was to be paid \$25 minus a commission which is sent to the booking agency.

He told of arriving at the theatre on Thursday afternoon and having a rehearsal and putting on one performance at about 4.30 o'clock. He stated that Manager Whitty told him that he could not use the act after he and his wife had put on the one performance and was told to get out of the theatre. Thomas stated that he had no signed contract, but had a telephone message with the manager of the theatre and was told to come to the city and put on the performance.

Manager Whitty, when called, stated that he had told Thomas that his act was closed, as it was not first-class. When cross-examined, witness stated that he had two lots of actors on hand, due to some mistake at the booking agency in Toronto. The second lot of actors are performing at the present time.

Mrs. Thomas when called corroborated the statements of her husband.

As the contract which was drawn up by the booking agency, ordering this couple to come to Kingston, was not on hand it was decided to enlarge the case until Monday morning. As all the evidence was taken on Friday morning, the two "artists" were allowed to leave the city.



COLONEL V. A. S. WILLIAMS, Adjutant-General of the Canadian militia, who will command the mobilization camp at Valcartier.

#### GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S TERM

#### in Canada Has Been Extended Indefinitely.

Ottawa, Aug. 21.—Upon the common orders of the day it was announced by the prime minister that the term of his royal highness the governor-general had been extended indefinitely so that Canada might have the value of his advice and experience during the continuance of the war.

Replying to a question Sir Robert Borden stated that \$100,000 had been placed by the government with the acting high commissioner in London for the relief and assistance of Canadians abroad.

#### Be Reasonable, Parson.

At a small country church a newly married couple were receiving some advice as to their future conduct.

"You must never both get cross at once; it is the husband's duty to protect his wife, and a wife must love and obey her husband and follow him wherever he goes."

"But, sir," pleaded the young bride.

"I haven't finished yet," remarked the clergyman. "She's just—"

"But, please, sir, can't you alter that last part? My husband is a postman."

#### Trenton Gives For Hospital Ship.

Trenton, Aug. 21.—Lord Sincee Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, and many loyal citizens of Trenton are contributing \$300 to the hospital ship fund. Many young Englishmen are returning to England to fight in the war, and also numbers are volunteering from Trenton, Pitton, Frankford and other points in Hastings and Prince Edward counties.

#### Who Are These Men?

Residents of Barriefield are complaining at the actions of men hanging around the end of the bridge. A little girl, on Thursday evening, who was passing along, was forced to go across the road and walk around them, as they would not leave her alone. They are accused of insulting several women residents and if it is not stopped there will be trouble.

"Barkache Plaster," at Gibson's. The man least worthy of it usually demands the greatest amount of tribute.

"Blaud's Pills," at Gibson's. There's lots in having grit to endeavor to make good yesterday's failure.

"Kodak Films," at Gibson's. The devil is always on hand to encourage the boy who wants to be a tough.

#### STRONG APPEAL MADE IN BEHALF OF WORKERS.

#### Organized Labor Asks Government To Take Measures to Prevent Unemployed From Losing Their Homes.

Ottawa, Aug. 21.—"What about the common people?" is a leading question in an appeal sent by the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress to every member of parliament, issued last night. Appeal is made for due consideration to the workers of Canada in whatever legislation will be enacted at the present session of parliament whereby they are likely to be affected.

"The maximum of protection is given to the great financial interests," states the open communication, which is addressed to Premier Borden and members of the Dominion cabinet, and reads further:

"You have made legal tender the note circulation of the banks; legislation is proposed to extend the credit of the banks enormously. You are about to suspend the redemption of dominion notes for gold."

A great many of the workers never earned enough to obtain a chance to purchase a home. Many by struggling themselves could tell the best, have purchased homes by a deposit of cash and assumption of mortgages. Their only means of revenue is the selling of their labor power. They pay interest and principal out of the wages they earn. Now big industries are shutting down, adding to a fearful unemployed problem existing. Failure of the workers to be able to sell their labor means they will be unable to meet the payments on mortgages. The loss of the home is inevitable if the great financial institutions and others take advantage of legal rights.

"Inasmuch as the government is protecting the great interests to an enormous extent, we desire that the protection of the government shall also be extended to the common people whose interests are as dear to them as the interests of great corporations to the shareholders. We ask that you afford that protection now to the common people at this session."

#### Great Revenue From Fisheries

The Prince Rupert Fisheries are developing very rapidly and during the month of July the fleet gathered in a catch valued at \$400,535. This included salmon taken in the canneries or used otherwise. Of that quantity 6,800 pounds were either frozen or used in a fresh condition. In a canned form there were 8,150,000 pounds made up of, while for mild curing 1,289,000 pounds were utilized.

Halibut is easily the next most important fish for the month with a total catch of 1,016,000 pounds. The only other variety that was represented in any quantity was the cod to the extent of 6,000 pounds, all of which was used in a fresh condition.

There was also an ever increasing production of fruits and vegetables in the district around Prince Rupert. These have been of exceptionally good quality. Fruits ripened earlier than usual this season, bringing them into close competition with produce grown farther south.

One grower, H. D. Lemhart, at Mile 87, on the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, along the Skeena river, has received \$700 for the strawberries grown on one and a-half acres of land, while much of his crop still remains to be picked.

#### Hard To Get News.

Toronto, Aug. 21.—News about the actual fighting in Belgium has practically ceased to come over the wires today. This is in part explained by the fact that telegraphic communication with all Belgian points except Antwerp is cut off. News reaching Antwerp and thus coming to Canada via London must be brought in by runners, horsemen, bicycles, or men in motor cars.

#### Expect Winter Campaign.

Ottawa, Aug. 21.—A number of letters from Canadian women have been received by the militia department asking what would be suitable gifts for the Canadian troops. The reply is made that Balalaeva caps and warm knitted stockings would be gratefully accepted as it is inevitable that there will be a winter campaign and the boys will need warm clothing.

#### Horse radish root, Carnovsky's.

"Togin Hair Tonic," Gibson's. The Ontario cabinet are in consultation with Ottawa as to the form of the province's war gift.

General Carranza, the new president, entered the Mexican capital and received a great ovation.

"Rubber Sponges," at Gibson's. There are plenty of prodigals today who are eating better food than they deserve.

# New Arrivals

The following special purchase of silks, shipped early in July, has just reached us, as these are from one of the most renowned French manufacturers, and we will not be able to get any more when present stock is sold.

## Duchess Patricia Satins

This is a beautiful dress satin, absolutely free from filling and is perfect for draping. A great range of the best colors for fall. 36 inches wide and the price is only

**\$1.00 Yard**

## Black Duchess Silks

36 inches wide, special at.....	\$1.00
36 inches wide, special .....	\$1.25
36 inches wide, special .....	\$1.49

These are exceptional values

## New Fall Coats

A large shipment of new fall and winter coats have just arrived and you are invited to see these new models. Even if not prepared to buy, you will be welcomed to see this fall display.

## New Fall Suits

Arrived to-day and placed in stock for your visit tomorrow. Come and see these. Many new models with only one of a design.

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## Men's Boots at \$3.50

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Calf Uppers, solid soles, Good-year stitched, button or laced styles. Sizes 6 to 10.

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38 Ladies' Raincoats, extra quality, fine Gaberdine, double texture, ventilated and finished in the very best style. These are some of the finest coats in the trade and never sold less than \$10 to \$15. A good assortment of sizes.

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Special for 98c

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