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To your old Winter Suit. When everybody else is blossoming out in spring things. There are many new style features this spring and you certainly do not want to trail along in the rear of the procession. Drop in any day, just to see what's what in spring suits.

With all our superior style and suit goodness we're never up in prices—never.

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Livingston's, Brock St.

A little out of the way, but it will pay you to walk.

About Linens!

We are still selling linens at last January's low prices, which is less than the manufacturer's price to-day, owing to the scarcity of raw materials.

PURE BLEACHED TABLE DAMASK—Guaranteed all pure linen, in all the new and best designs, 68, 70 and 72 inches wide, at 60c, 75c, \$1 and \$1.25 a yard.

SILVER BLEACHED TABLE DAMASK—Will launder white in a short time; the best kind for hard wear, at .35c, 40c, 50c, 60c and 75c

SETS OF CLOTHS AND NAPKINS TO MATCH, in all the wanted sizes, at special prices.

ODD CLOTHS AND NAPKINS, in various sizes from broken sets at 20 to 30% off regular prices.

BEDROOM TOWELS—Hemmed and hemstitched ends, every thread pure linen, at 12 1-2c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 30c.

REMNANTS OF HAND, ROLLER AND GLASS TOWELLING, in lengths from 1 to 5 yards, at greatly reduced prices.

WALDRON'S

PTE. WILDER LOST EYE IN LANGEMARCKE BATTLE

Pte. Sherbourne Wilder, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wilder, corner of Princess and Frontenac streets, suffered the loss of his left eye and also fresh wounds in his stomach and legs in the battle of Langemarcke. He is now in the American Women's War Paignton Hotel, South Devonshire, England.



PTE. SHERBOURNE WILDER.

A card received by his mother on Monday morning brought the sad news. It was as follows: "Dear Mother—I am at the American Women's Paignton Hotel, South Devonshire, suffering from a couple of slight flesh wounds in leg and stomach, and also the loss of my left eye. Don't worry. The right eye is first class. I expect to be out of hospital and home soon. I think that I have done my little part. "There are a lot of Kingston boys who will never come home again," said Pte. Wilder. He also states that he wants to write home oftener, but the authorities will not stand for it. He lost all of his belongings. The card was written on May 2nd, the day after the battle, stating that he had been wounded, had been received in Kingston.

Shortly after he was wounded he was taken to the base hospital in France, and later moved to England.

Pte. Wilder was a member of the machine gun section of the 2nd Battalion. He enlisted with the 14th Company, in command of Capt. George T. Richardson. When his ability as a marksman was noticed, he was immediately transferred to the machine gun section, where he did service until he was knocked out by a German bullet.

While in England last fall he got acquainted with a number of English people, who took great interest in the Kingston volunteer. When he was wounded he immediately got in communication with his English friends, and as a result his parents were informed direct from England, before the Militia Department made the announcement at Ottawa. Mrs. Wilder has also received a letter from England telling about her son's injuries.

STILL MORE MISSING

THE GERMANS HAVE CAPTURED OTHER KINGSTON MEN.

Lieut. Col. Buell, Brockville, Lost an Arm—Major R. H. Britton Suffered a Shock, But No Injuries.

Pte. William Clement, 2nd Battalion, C. E. F., is officially reported missing after the battle of Langemarck. Before enlisting for overseas service with the 14th Regiment, Pte. Clement was employed as teamster for the Grand Trunk Railway. His home is at 304 Earl street.

Mrs. Thomas Litchfield, 236 Victoria street, received word on Saturday that her husband, Pte. Thomas Litchfield, 2nd Battalion, was officially reported as missing after the battle of Langemarck. Pte. Litchfield was an Englishman by birth, coming to this country a few years ago. He was employed as crane-driver at the Locomotive Works before enlisting. His wife and seven children live on Victoria street.

Mrs. William Kelso, 14 Vine street, received word from the Militia Department on Saturday that her son, Lance-Corp. William Kelso, 2nd Battalion, C. E. F., was officially reported as missing. He was a plumber, employed by the firm of McKelvey & Birch, and left the city in Capt. G. T. Richardson's company.

Daniel McDonald, 114 Bagot street, received word on Saturday that his son, Pte. D. E. McDonald, 2nd Battalion, C. E. F., was officially reported as missing. Pte. McDonald was an employee in the Locomotive Works before going overseas with the 14th Regiment detachment.

George Hagan, Orchard street, received word on Saturday that his son, Pte. George Hagan, 14th Regiment company of the 2nd Battalion, was officially reported as missing. Pte. Hagan was employed in the Davis tannery before enlisting for overseas. He was an Englishman, coming to this city some years ago. His brother-in-law, Pte. O'Hanlon, Fifth street, was reported missing in Friday's casualty list.

Lost An Arm. Lieut. Col. Buell, of Brockville, has suffered the loss of an arm. He was injured some time ago, and it was found necessary to amputate the arm.

Luckily Was Not Injured. In a letter from one of his command to friends, it was stated that Major Britton, Canadian, had been thrown to the ground by concussion from a shell which struck the ground close to where he was standing, but that he was not injured in any way.

Lieut. Bishop Wounded. Lieut. A. L. Bishop, 2nd Middlesex Regiment, was seriously injured but not dangerously, in the eye, at Aubers ridge, according to cable receive by Major R. W. Leonard, St. Catharines. Lieut. Bishop is a graduate of the Royal Military College.

Brockville Man Missing. William Kelly, G. T. R. inspector of Brockville, who received the sad intelligence last Monday that his brother Alfred Kelly had been killed in action on Saturday, received official word that another brother, Thomas Kelly, with the Canadian troops at the front, is reported as missing.

Pte. A. T. Kelly was in Rochester, N.Y., when the war broke out and at once made his way to Kingston where he enlisted for overseas service, and was one of three brothers serving with the First Contingent, Alfred, who was killed in action as reported Monday, and Charles Kelly, who, as far as known, is safe thus far. Pte. A. T. Kelly served in South Africa.

Trip Up the Rideau. On Saturday morning a tourist party composed of P. S. Van Kirk, H. G. Strickler, H. P. Haldane and D. P. Byers, Paterson, N.J., arrived in the city in a private yacht, taking luncheon at the Frontenac Hotel and later proceeding up the Rideau on a cruise to points of interest along this well known waterway. The Rideau route will be well patronized this coming summer.

"Red Cross Bandages 5c" Gibson's.

IN MARINE CIRCLES.

Movements of Vessels Reported Along the Harbor.

The steamer Barn Whittaker arrived from Port Colborne on Sunday morning with a cargo of oats for Richardson's elevator.

The schooner Katie Eccles arrived from Oswego with a cargo of coal for Sowards.

The schooner Julia B. Merrill, coal-laden from Oswego, is discharging at Anglin's.

The schooner Charley Marshall arrived from Oswego with coal for P. Walsh.

The schooner Abbie L. Andrews arrived at Crawford's wharf from Fairhaven, with coal.

M. T. Co.'s Bulletin: Steamer India passed down with grain from Port Colborne for Montreal; tug Emerson is due to arrive to-night with two barges from Port Colborne; tug Bronson is due to arrive to-night from Montreal, with three light barges.

The schooner St. Louis is at the penitentiary wharf, discharging coal from Oswego.

The Collingwood Shipbuilding Company, Collingwood, has received an order for a steam barge from the Imperial Oil Company of Sarnia, and the announcement will be received with unusual satisfaction in Collingwood, especially as there is said to be a promise of a second contract later.

Steamer Belleville up Saturday night.

Steamer City of Hamilton up Sunday night.

Steamer Rideau Queen up Saturday evening, and cleared Monday morning for Smith's Falls.

Steamer City of Ottawa is due in port Monday en route to Montreal.

Steamer Ralph T. Holcomb up Saturday night from Cardinal, and will clear Monday for Oswego.

Steamer Plummer down Sunday night.

Steamer Bickerdike up Monday morning.

JUNE 3RD CELEBRATION.

Arrangements of the Committee Are Progressing Well.

The arrangements for the King's Birthday celebration are coming along splendidly. The advertising matter is being distributed all through the country and the men who are doing this work report that great interest is being taken by the farmers.

One of the events arranged by the Sports Committee, of which S. E. Trotter is chairman, will be a motor-cycle race between three men from western parts of the province. The three are scheduled for a relay race between Windsor and Ottawa on June 5th.

A platform will be built for the vaudeville artists who will give an exhibition in front of the grand stand in the afternoon.

City Baseball League Practices.

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of this week, the Athletic baseball team will have the Cricket Field for practices. On Tuesday and Thursday evenings the Victorias will have the field. The Ponies, as they have the bye, will not have a practice, but will take the days of next week used by the Athletics this week. From now until the end of the season the team that has the bye on the following Saturday will not have any practice that week.

The rain on Saturday evening greatly helped the men working on the diamond.

Cancelled Her Trip.

A Kingston lady whose husband is at the front had her ticket purchased and all plans made to spend the summer with relatives in England, but after the sinking of the Lusitania, cancelled her passage, hearing that the steamer on which she was going to make the trip might be attacked by the Germans.

Confirmation Service.

Confirmation service was held in St. George's Cathedral Sunday evening. Bishop Bidwell officiated. The candidates numbered twelve males and seventeen females.

"Buy Grape Juice" at Gibson's. William, the sixteen-year-old son of Charles Knight, Paris, Ont., was accidentally killed while shooting.



Items of Interest in Women's Wear For To-Morrow

You will be interested in these new things we have ready for you to-morrow.

- NEW BLOUSES
- NEW VOILE DRESSES.
- NEW PALM BEACH LINEN DRESSES
- PONGEE SILK DRESSES
- PONGEE SILK WAISTS
- WHITE LINEN SKIRTS
- WHITE PIQUE SKIRTS

Silks You Should Know

We are now showing a large stock of silks for summer wear, and some of these are very special in price and cannot be duplicated later. We can only mention a few here:

- BLACK DUCHESE SILKS, 36 inches wide; special at 75c yard
- BLACK DUCHESE SILKS, 36 inches wide . . . \$1, \$1.25, \$1.49
- BLACK PAILLETTE SILKS . . . \$1, \$1.25
- BLACK CHIFFON TAFFETAS, at . . . \$1.25
- BLACK CHIFFON TAFFETAS . . . \$1.50
- BLACK CORD DE SOIE . . . \$1.50
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Colored Silks for Summer Dresses

- NAVY TAFFETA . . . \$1.49 and \$1.25
- DUCHESE, 36 inches wide, in the following colors: Copenhagen, Pink, Maize, Navy, Sky, Tan, Havana, Reseda, Amy-theat, Tango, Currant, Ivory . . . \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50

Silk Crepe de Chenes

For Waists, for Dresses; 40 inches wide, in the following colors: Ivory, Pink, Black, Coral, Maize, Beetroot, King's Blue, Navy, Copenhagen, Nile, Reseda, Kinora, at . . . \$1.50 yard

Navy Reefers for Boys and Girls

Just the thing for summer, these smart coats, for all ages, 2 years to 14 years, and the prices are lower than usual . . . \$3.99 to \$4.99

John Laidlaw & Son

The New Style Summer Shoe

A neat low lace Shoe with only three eyelets, and grey or fawn cloth back. We have this Shoe in one width only (D), and at the popular price of \$3.50. This style is new this season and is very smart. P. S.—A large shipment of Trunks just received.

The Lockett Shoe Store