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Cut and tailored by experts, with careful attention to regulation details. We are especially equipped for this exacting class of work and guarantee satisfaction and prompt delivery. Prices on application. All military necessities at right prices.

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Brock Street.

Military Tailors. Will be closed on Victoria Day.

### WILD NIGHT ON LAKES

WILLIAM LITTLE'S LAUNCH WAS NEARLY SWAMPED

When It Was Taking Out a Pilot—Steamer Mercus Released at Cardinal On Friday.

One of the wildest storms on the Great Lakes since the great hurricane a couple of years ago, prevailed on Friday night and many of the captains who came into port asserted that they experienced great difficulty. William Little, the pilot transfer man at the foot of west street, came within an ace of being swamped when he and his assistant were running out to one of the large steamers at 12.30 o'clock Saturday morning. After reaching the freighter the waves were so huge that the large boat was rolling up and down and when the twenty-five foot launch came alongside to place the pilot aboard, the two plunged together, smashing the stem of Mr. Little's launch. After much difficulty the later was able to reach shore.

**Steamer Mercus Released**  
The steamer Mercus that ran aground near Cardinal the fore part of the week, laden with coal, was released on Friday morning by the Donnelly Wrecking and Salvage Company. Three hundred and fifty tons of coal were lightered to allow the steamer to be refloated from the shoal, after which she proceeded to Montreal. The lighterage was taken to Ogdensburg.

On Saturday morning, the steamer Dognelly and outfit arrived in port from the Great Lakes. Captain Donnelly notified the Whig that he appreciated the assistance of the Government steamer Reserve that stood by and rendered assistance, keeping the Donnelly's bow in position against the current.

**Movements of Vessels**  
Steamer Fairfax down on Saturday morning; steamer Calgarian up early Saturday morning; steamer Waucondah up Friday night. Steamer Corona passed up on Friday afternoon with a cargo of pulpwood.

Steamer Rideau Queen due from Smith's Falls Saturday evening. Steamer Belleville due up from Montreal Saturday evening. Steamer McDonald, captained by Arthur Sudds, arrived in port on Friday night after making a perilous trip from Emerald, Amherst Island, with a cargo of two hundred tons of hay for E. J. Dennee, Kingston.

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

Schooner Marshall, loaded with coal from Oswego, is unloading for P. Walsh.

Steamer Shrigley cleared for Oswego to load coal for Toronto.

Steamer Missisquoi was in port from Gananoque on Saturday.

Steamer Jex cleared for Oswego.

**M. T. Company's Bulletin**—Tug Emerson arrived with the barges Hamilton and Melrose from Port Colborne and cleared for Montreal; tug Emerson will return with the barges Burma and Dunmore and will clear with them for Port Colborne; steamer Windsor cleared for Prescott with the barge Kingston to load coal at Oswego.

**PICTON MEMORIAL SERVICE**  
For the Prince Edward Soldiers Killed At the Front.

Pictou, May 22.—A public memorial service in honor of Prince Edward's dead war heroes was held in the Armory yesterday afternoon. Business in Pictou was suspended during the service hour. The Prince Edward dead are:

Kenneth M. Spencer, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Spencer, Cosmecon; Anselm C. Denke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Denke, Pictou; Sherman J. Snyder, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Snyder, Pictou; Russell Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Young, Pictou; Ralph Messett, Pictou.

Those reported missing are: Grant Haight, W. F. Head, Clarence Hime-man, Aaron Ruben, Ernest Tuttle and Sherman Young.

**SWITZERLAND NEUTRAL**  
This Assurance Has Been Given to Italy.

Rome, May 22.—The Swiss minister yesterday notified Baron Sonnino, Italian foreign minister, that he had been ordered by his government to assure Italy that Switzerland was determined to maintain the strictest neutrality, no matter what happened.

The Austrian ambassadors to both the Quirinal and the Vatican will be the first to depart from Italy, says the Morning Post, as Italy will declare war on Austria. Then, according to the newspaper, Germany and Turkey will declare war on Italy, after which Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador, and the Prussian and Bavarian ministers to the Vatican, will leave. Naby Bey, the Turkish ambassador, is making preparations for his departure.

**Queen's Stationary Hospital.**  
Previously acknowledged, \$7,505.85.

\$100—Queen's Alumni Association, Toronto.

\$35—(bed)—Knox Church, Aylmer West.

\$25—W. P. LeSueur, Ottawa.

\$25—High School and Public Teachers' Association, Ottawa.

\$10—Dr. J. D. Bissonnette, Stirling; Rev. W. Stott, Queneau, B.C. W. Mason, Toronto; Miss Elizabeth M. McNab, Prince Albert, Sask.

\$5—Ernest Day, Kingston.

\$5—K. B. Macdonnell, Mowat Memorial Hospital.

**Queen's Hospital Supplies.**  
The first shipment of supplies for No. 5 Stationary Hospital (Queen's) will be made the first week in June. All donations received up to that time will be forwarded directly. The organization of the Canadian Red Cross Society will be utilized to ensure speedy delivery. The local Red Cross Society is working in the new Medical Building, where all packing will be done. Shipments will go forward at least every month.

Order your corsets now. Dutton's.

### NO ORDERS RECEIVED

FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF A NEW BATTALION.

Bars Out of Bounds For the Soldiers in Barrieffield Camp Until 6 p.m.—General Otter Inspects Fort Henry.

No orders have yet been received for the establishment of a new battalion of the surplus overseas volunteers in this division. The information that one was ordered was given out in Ottawa, but the details have not yet been sufficiently worked out to be communicated to the divisional headquarters yet. The battalion will be on the same establishment as the 21st Battalion of 1,134 men. There are now over 500 men ready to be drafted into the overseas battalion, and hundreds of officers are waiting for a chance to go overseas. When this battalion is recruited up to strength, it will make 2,264 overseas volunteers for the infantry branch of the service at Barrieffield camp. Col. T. D. R. Hemming, Commandant of Barrieffield camp, has issued standing orders for the camp. Some of the orders of interest are:

All ranks are cautioned against eating meals in their tents.

All ranks are forbidden to throw refuse of any kind around the camp grounds. Same must be taken to the incinerators provided for the purpose.

All saloons and bars in the city of Kingston and environs (including Portsmouth) are placed out of bounds until after 6 p.m. daily.

General Sir W. D. Otter arrived in the city on Saturday morning, and, accompanied by Col. T. D. R. Hemming, made an inspection of Fort Henry. Gen. Otter is in charge of all internment camps in the Dominion.

**COLLECTING ENEMY DEBTS**  
U. S. Courts Cannot Be Used By Foreigners For Purpose.

New York, May 22.—Federal Judge Veeder, dismissing a suit brought by English firm against an Austrian company to collect \$45,000 admittedly due, ruled yesterday that the United States courts cannot be used by foreigners where the payment of such debts had been prevented because of the European war.

The plaintiff in the suit, Watts and Watts, of London, delivered to the Austro-American Navigation Company made an inspection of Fort Henry. Gen. Otter is in charge of all internment camps in the Dominion.

A case, similar in many respects, came up in the United States district court when an answer was filed by Bawo and Dotter, Limited, a Canadian corporation, with offices in New York, to a suit filed by Mathias Banerle, of Germany, and an Austro-Hungarian porcelain ware firm, following the appointment of receivers for the Canadian concern in an equity suit.

The answer of the Canadian firm sets forth that the petitioning creditors and the alleged bankrupt firm are "alien enemies," the petitioners being subjects of Germany and Austria-Hungary and the alleged bankrupt and all its officers, stockholders and directors subjects of Great Britain, and that by King George's proclamation "all persons within the Dominion of the British Empire are prohibited from paying out any sums to an enemy." The answer claims that to disregard the royal mandate would be a penal offence and that the filing of the involuntary petition in bankruptcy "constitutes a breach of the neutrality laws of the United States in that it is an attempt to compel the company to pay or compromise claims of alien enemies in violation of the laws and proclamations of the King of Great Britain."

**BASEBALL ON FRIDAY.**  
International League.

Richmond, 3; Montreal, 1. All other games postponed; rain.

National League.

Chicago, 3; Boston, 2. All other games postponed; rain.

American League.

St. Louis, 5; New York, 8. Philadelphia, 11; Detroit, 8. Chicago, 3; Boston, 2 (17 innings).

Federal League.

Pittsburgh, 3; Baltimore, 2. Chicago, 9; Brooklyn, 2. Newark, 4; St. Louis, 3. Kansas City, 8; Buffalo, 3.

**A Black Cloud Lifted.**  
Winnipeg Tribune.

The Tribune is not in the confidence of the Norris Government, but it lives in the same hope as the vast majority shall, we not say all the people of Manitoba—that the new men will give to this province an administration that will fill us with a glow of pride when we speak of government, instead of having to blush, as we have had to do under Robbism, at the mention of government in one of the fairest parts of God's universe. Tens of thousands feel to-day as though a great, black cloud hanging over the province has been lifted.

**Called to the Colors.**  
Prof. J. M. Lanos, Royal Military College staff, this week received from the French War Office an order to report for military duty, the call being sent out to the men of 1890. Eager as he is to go, Prof. Lanos cannot respond to the call of his native land owing to physical disability. Last fall he volunteered to the British War Office for service at the front as an interpreter, but was rejected by medical officers. Prof. Lanos came to Canada when seventeen years of age, and became a British subject.

\$1.50 black blouse, \$1.00. Dutton's.

Dinner every Sunday at British American Hotel, fifty cents. 12.30 to 2 p.m.

Do your share, buy handkerchiefs for sale at Dr. Chow's.

### JOHN LAIDLAW & SON

Store Closed All Day Monday

### Victoria Day

To-Night From 7 to 10

The following is a carefully planned list of articles in readiness for Victoria Day.

## 150 New Blouses Just Received

All chic, new styles, in a great variety of the latest designs. The materials are Voiles, Marquisettes, Organdies, Batiste and Lace Fabrics. These will be appreciated when seen. 99c., \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, to \$4.50.



### New Crepe de Chene Waists

Stylish models at three prices, \$2.99, \$4.75, \$5.00—in white, sky, black and flesh pink.

### Victoria Day Stockings and Gloves

From the largest and most complete stock of dependable Hosiery and Gloves in Kingston.

**WOMEN'S STOCKINGS**  
In Black Cotton ..... 20c, 25c  
In Black Lisle ..... 25c, 35c, 45c  
In White Lisle or Cotton.  
In Black Silk; special at ..... 50c pair  
In Black Silk; special at ..... 75c pair  
In Black Silk; special at ..... \$1.00 pair

**WOMEN'S SILK STOCKINGS**  
In White, Nile, Paddy, Sand, Putty, Helio, Pink, Champagne, Grey, and other shades. Several qualities.

**KID GLOVES** in all wanted sizes—best makes.  
**SILK GLOVES** in all wanted sizes.

### Dainty Neckwear

A most interesting department just now is the display of New Neckwear for Summer.

Plain Organdie Collars, Embroidered Organdie Collars, Oriental Lace Military Collars, Embroidered Muslin Collar and Cuff Sets, Swiss Muslin Collars ..... 25c, 35c, 49c, 75c, 90c.

### Spring Knit Vests & Drawers, Knit Combinations

Made of soft fine cotton, which is very elastic and fits perfectly. Low neck—short or no sleeve; high neck and long sleeves.

### JOHN LAIDLAW & SON

GET BUTTERICK'S JUNE FASHION BOOK FREE TO-NIGHT.

## Special FOR TO-NIGHT

### Sale of Curtain Scrims and Madras

25c, 30c and 35c Qualities for

## 19c a Yard

All this season's newest styles and patterns, plain and hemstitched, with fancy and colored borders, in white and cream; 25c, 30c and 35c qualities, for to-night only ..... 19c a yard

### 15 Dozen Maids' and Nurses' White Aprons

Made from linen finished lawn, Princess style, 40c quality for

## To-Night 19c

FLAGS IN ALL SIZES; BEST QUALITY ENGLISH WOOL BUNTING.

This store open all day Monday.

### WALDRON'S

## Special For Saturday

We have received a case (60 pairs) of Ladies'

Black Velvet Pumps; nice for house or street wear

and very fashionable. Last year we sold these at \$3.

## Saturday on Sale for \$1.68

### The Lockett Shoe Store