



RAINCOATS

Are garments that are always on the job. We are now having lots of rain and the prudent man desiring protection for his clothes as well as his body will provide himself with one of these garments. One smart model has the raglan shoulders, another is the Garbardine in loose box effect. You'll not find such values anywhere else as we can give you at

\$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$12.00 or \$15.00.

We have also the Zephyr Weight Rain coat, that can be folded small enough to go into a hand bag or pocket, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$13.50 and \$15.00.

Livingston's

Brock Street.

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

Lunch Cloths and Napkins

We are showing a very attractive assortment of these useful Linens in both plain and fancy, at extremely low prices.

Plain Linen Hemstitched Cloths; sizes 32x32 in., 36x36 in., 45x45 in. and 54x54 in., from 75c to \$1.50 each

Plain Linen Hemstitched Napkins; sizes 15x15 in. and 18x18 in., at 25c and 35c each

Damask Lunch Cloths, hemstitched and scalloped, in handsome patterns, 36x36 in., 40x40 in., 45x45 in. and 54x54 in., from \$1.00 to \$3.50 each

Damask Napkins to match Cloths, hemstitched and scalloped, 15x15 in. and 18x18 in., at 25c, 35c, 40c. and 50c. each

Maderia Embroidered Cloths and Napkins—the finest needle-work known, a very large assortment at attractive prices.

A Great Variety of Fancy and Plain Tray Cloths, Runners, Centre Pieces, Doylies, etc.

WALDRON'S

IT IS A STAPLE FOOD

SOAP FAT WANTED IN THE AUSTRIAN CAPITAL.

As a Result of Demand for Table Consumption the Price of Soap Has Risen 130 Per Cent.

Paris, Aug. 10.—There is a dearth of soap in Budapest. The fact is undeniable, and the explanation curious. The price of soap has risen 130 per cent. Soap manufacturers lay the blame on the public. "The public eats soap," they say. The explanation is that the public now consumes the raw material of soap. There was a time when no one thought of eating suet in the Hungarian capital. Now it is in such demand that the price has quintupled. There is a sharp competition for all odds and ends that usually go to make up sausage and for the brown grease which is skimmed off the water ham has been boiled. This fat, despised of the public before the war, was sold to soap manufacturers at three and a half pence per pound. The price at present is one shilling and eightpence. Vegetable fats are off of the question as the substitute; cocoa oil, for instance, has quadrupled in price, and is scarcely to be had at that. Budapest soap manufacturers have now turned to oil of Scandinavian fish, which can be transformed into white and solid fat, but it is feared the public will now discover this also.

SHAW MAY BE RELEASED.

On Suspended Sentence If He Will Enlist.

An effort is being made by the friends of Frederick Shaw, a former attendant at the Rockwood Hospital who was committed to custody on trial on the charge of theft, to have him released on suspended sentence, on condition that he enlist for war service. Shaw, who it appears comes from a very good family in the Old Country, is very desirous to go over to England to enlist in British army. His wife and children are there at the present time.

The men from whom he took the money are very anxious that his request be granted. His mis-step was due to his desire to get home and see his wife who is very ill. The money at Rockwood Hospital was too small for him to save enough to pay his passage, and for that reason when the attendants asked him to cash his check the man saw his chance to get some "easy" money and he yielded to temptation.

One of the men from whom he took the money stated that if he had known that Shaw wanted the money to pay his passage, he would gladly have lent it to him.

Justice of the Peace George Hunter, who committed Shaw to stand his trial has taken the matter before the County Crown Attorney, who it appears is very favorable to allowing the accused his liberty on suspended sentence on condition that he joins the army.

WENT ONCE AROUND COURSE

In Order To Retain The Staples' Trophy.

After leaving the entry sheets open almost to the last minute to see if any American sportsmen would enter a speed yacht against him to compete for the Staples' trophy, which he won last year in exciting races at Alexandra Bay, R. S. Waldron was deprived of showing off his speeder, the Kiota III.

On Monday afternoon, which would have been the first day of the races had any challenges been entered, Mr. Waldron went once around the course, that would total six and one-third miles, in order to retain the trophy, according to the rules as set down in the constitution. The whole course would have been two to three miles, or three times around the area marked out, commencing at the Yacht Club buoy, to Lake Ontario Park buoy, to Snake Island, around the Myles Shoal and Waterwork's buoys to the starting point.

Col. Staples wished to send the hydroplane P.D.Q. VI to coast with Mr. Waldron, but having broken rules enough by allowing the American ample time to secure a fast displacement launch, Mr. Waldron would not hear of such a scheme. If Mr. Waldron can win the trophy another year it will become his personal property.

ARRESTED FOR THEFT.

Sixteen Year Old Girl Accused Of Stealing Bicycle.

On Tuesday morning Police Constable Jenkins placed a sixteen-year-old girl under arrest charged with stealing a bicycle. It is stated that she rented the bicycle from a local livery and then sold it to a second-hand dealer. She was placed under arrest on Princess street about twelve o'clock.

Smith-Sergeant Wedding.

At an early hour on Tuesday morning a quiet wedding was celebrated in St. James Church when Miss Clara Mabel Sargeant, second daughter of Mrs. Isabella Sargeant, 28 Frontenac street, was united in marriage to Robert Melville Smith, B.Sc., also of this city, by Rev. C. L. Bilkey. After the ceremony the bridal couple returned to the home of the bride where a wedding breakfast was served. Later the newly-weds left on a wedding tour to Ottawa and other points.

Tax Rate the Same.

The Portsmouth tax rate will be the same as last year, with the exception of the war tax, was the decision of the Portsmouth Council at its meeting on Monday evening. The rate is thirty-two mills. All the members were present with the exception of Councillor Graham.

Recovered a Bicycle.

On Monday Police Constable Jenkins recovered a bicycle owned by a man named Graham, employed at the firm of H. W. Newman, Electric Co., which was stolen in front of the shop.

PITH OF NEWS.

Despatches From Near and Distant Places.

Britain will declare cotton contraband. Hamilton's machine gun fund now amounts to \$167,000.

The Germans evacuated several posts in the Kameruns. Toronto harbor employees will receive \$20,000 in back pay.

Wheat cutting has been started in the West. The crop is excellent. W. G. Anderson, a Vancouver capitalist, was freed from Ellis Island.

Toronto Council has contributed a million dollars for patriotic purposes. The French aerial fleet did great damage to German stores at Saarbrücken in Alsace.

Sixteen-year-old Mary Jacobs, Toronto, locked herself in a room, put a tube in her mouth, and turned on the gas.

A board of judges is preparing to revise the voters' lists in northern Ontario, in view of a possible general election.

Sir Charles Ross, president of the Ross Rifle Company, has been given the temporary rank of colonel in the Canadian militia.

The magnificent library of the University of Warsaw could not be removed in time to prevent its falling into the hands of the Germans.

The British Foreign Office notified the United States Embassy at London that all Americans in Britain were subject to the registration.

The cheery tone of the comment by the Berlin newspapers on the fall of Warsaw has completely changed since the first announcement of the German victory.

Andrew Malcolm, ex-M.P.P. for Centre Bruce, a leading furniture manufacturer of Kincardine, and Mayor for several terms, is dead, aged seventy-five.

The date of General George W. Goethal's resignation as governor of the Panama Canal zone is designated as November 1st in his communication sent to Washington.

The Canadian Railway Company is to take over the Allan Line steamship business, a new organization having been formed in Montreal, named the Canadian Pacific Steamship Limited.

Caroline Aetlic, employed at the stone crusher on the Welland Canal, went to sleep Sunday morning on the large belt connecting the dynamo with the machinery, and when it started was crushed to death around the pulley.

The English language is to be substituted for German in most of the commercial schools of Russia as one of the compulsory subjects of the curriculum. This step was ordered by the Minister of Finance at the request of the school authorities.

Indictments against ten persons, possibly fifteen, are expected to be returned by the Federal Grand Jury this afternoon at Chicago when it resumes consideration of the cause and responsibility for the capsizing of the steamer Eastland in the Chicago River, July 24th.

The British Foreign Office notified the American Embassy in London that Americans resident in the United Kingdom as well as all aliens will be subject to registration under the British National Registration Act. New arrivals henceforth will be allowed twenty-eight days in which to report themselves.

One company of the 73rd Royal Highlanders, the new Scottish overseas battalion which is being recruited in Montreal, will be raised in Ottawa. It will be a "Kiltie" regiment, and is being raised by the 5th Royal Highlanders of Montreal. Recruiting in Ottawa will start as soon as the present 77th Battalion is up to strength.

PTE. CROMIEN KILLED.

At the Dardanelles—Wife Lives On Albert Street

It was only on Monday afternoon that Mrs. Lawrence Cromien, 472 Albert street, received word that her husband, Pte. Lawrence Cromien had been killed in action at the Dardanelles in a fierce engagement on June 30th.

An August 25th, 1914, the deceased left Kingston and sailed for Ireland to join his old regiment the First Inniskillen Fusiliers. He sailed from England to fight the Turks on the Gallipoli Peninsula. Mrs. Cromien received the last letter from her husband on July 29th, which had been written by him on June 27th, stating that he was going into the firing line next day.

This was the last message until L. Hanlon, C.S.M., on July 7th wrote to Mrs. Cromien informing her of the sad news.

The late Pte. Cromien was born in Belfast, Ireland, twenty-five years ago and a little over a year past he married Miss Mattie Lambert, daughter of Mrs. Mark Lambert, Albert street, this city. A seven-month-old boy is left.

A father and a sister of deceased live in Ireland.

Funeral of Former Warden.

Pictou, Aug. 10.—The funeral of Henry P. P. Benson, ex-warden of the County of Prince Edward, who died very suddenly on Saturday, took place at his residence, Wellington, yesterday. Mr. Benson was a retired farmer, aged fifty-three years.

For some years past he had owned and operated an apple evaporator in the village of Hillier. He was a brother of J. E. Benson, Public School Inspector for Prince Edward county.

Cripple's Remarkable Recovery.

Niagara Falls, Aug. 10.—Mrs. Lucy Einstein of Ashland, across the river, walked for the first time in seven years Sunday when she attended mass at the Sacred Heart Church. She attributes her recovery from many years' illness to her constant devotions at the shrine of Our Lady of Mount Carmel at Fallsview, Ont.

Sweetwater Peaches.

From Grimby Park, 40c baskets, at Carnovsky's Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Lois Edgely, Rockport, receiving treatment in Brockville General Hospital, died on Saturday, aged fifty-five years. She had been ill for three months. Mrs. Edgely was born in Rockport, the daughter of the late Thomas Seaman.

Don't Forget to Help the 'Baccy Fund

Considerate people are thoughtful of others—especially of the soldier boys at the front. All kinds of funds have been generously subscribed to, but few, we surmise, will tend to relieve the trying hours of trench life in quite the same way as the Whig's Tobacco Fund. Letters from the soldiers themselves testify to the solace of a smoke when through their duty in the trenches. Here is one.

Pte. P. Woodford, of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force, writing to his uncle, George Lawes, letter carrier, this city, pays a tribute to the gifts of tobacco sent him:

"Mother sends me tobacco every week," he writes, "and that is the only thing that we care about. We are allowed to smoke in the day. Anybody can send it. I have a lot of friends, so I don't want to be left out if you don't. So send along your contribution to-day. Anything from 25c up will be acceptable."

Latest donations to the fund are as follows:

- Mrs. David Campbell, city... \$.25
- G. McFarlane, Batterssea... 1.00
- Mrs. J. A. Wilson, R.M.D. No. 1, Kingston... .50
- Miss H. Hall, city... .25
- A Friend... 1.00
- W. H. Montgomery, city... 1.00
- John G. E. Routley, city... .50
- Homer K. G. Routley, city... .50
- Mrs. A. K. Routley, city... 1.00
- Master Logan Gallagher, city... .50
- James Noble, city... 2.00
- Miss M. Volume, city... .50
- Violet Birley, city... 1.00
- W. G. LeSage, city... 1.00
- Mrs. M. Hanson, city... 1.00
- Katie Elliott, city... 1.00
- Mollie Robertson, city... 1.00
- Louise Roy, city... 1.00
- Mrs. James Clark, city... 1.00
- Mrs. David Amey, Wilton... .25
- G. Eastwell, city... .25
- Mrs. H. Akerley, city... .25

TWO DIVISIONS ABROAD.

Nearly As Many More in Canada Undergoing Training.

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—Upwards of 80,000 Canadian soldiers have already been despatched abroad for service in the war. Of these nearly 13,000 appeared in the casualty lists, so that there are still about 67,000 men in England and in France. This comprises two divisions for service, one of which has already received its baptism of fire and has been reorganized and reinforced at least twice, and the other of which has been in training at Shorncliffe, and should soon be ready for service at the front. In addition, the 67,000 will provide a large number of reinforcements when needed. In Canada, it is estimated, there are between sixty and sixty-five thousand men in the various camps, many of whom are already in a high state of efficiency.

It is considered probable that four divisions of Canadian troops will be abroad at an early date, two divisions for service at the front and two drafts of reinforcements. The present method of sending drafts when required from Canada is in some respects unsatisfactory, as it breaks up the units from which the drafts are taken, and in some degree destroys the esprit de corps of the troops.

Milliners Picnic and Dance.

On Tuesday afternoon, the United Millinery Association of this city held its first annual outing at Lake Ontario Park. A programme was followed out and in the evening after tea has been served by Reid and Hambrbrook caterers, a dance will be held in the pavilion. Crosby's orchestra will furnish music.

Big Excursion Coming.

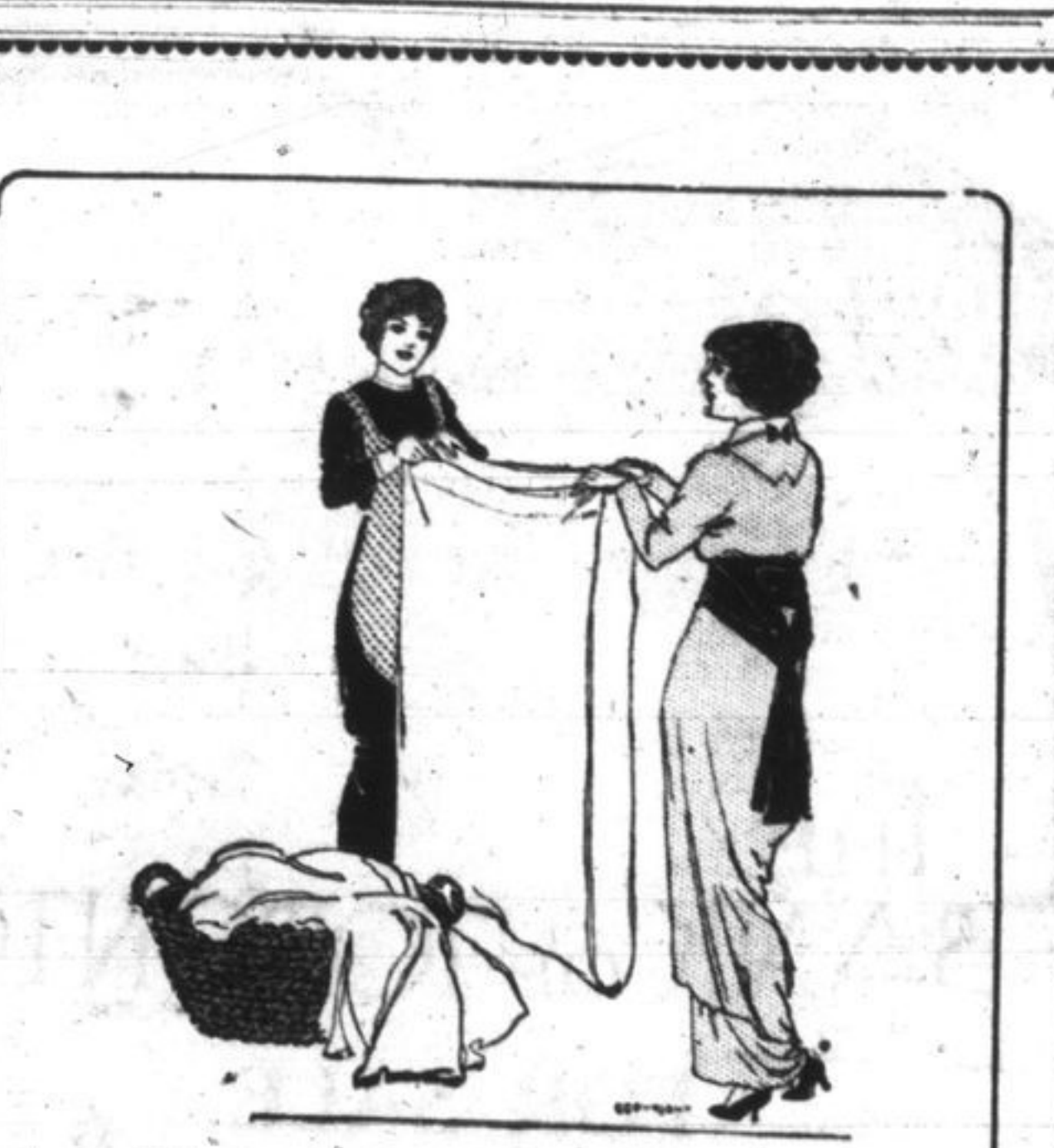
About seven or eight hundred of the employees of the Ogdensburg Silk Company come up to Kingston on Saturday on the steamer Thousand Islands. The excursionists will arrive in the city about noon and will spend the afternoon at Lake Ontario Park.

The Cheese Markets.

Lindsay, Aug. 9. — 533 cheese boarded here to-day; 11 1/4c highest bid, 12c asked, refused; no sales made.

Utica, N.Y., Aug. 9.—On the Little Falls Dairy Board to-day the following sales of cheese were reported; 3,822 boxes all kinds, at 12 1/2c.

Smith's Falls is to borrow \$15,000 for local improvement works. "Buy Face Creams" at Gibson's.



We are fortunate in having secured a large quantity of

English White Cottons

And these will be sold at prices now impossible to repeat later on.

Anticipate Your Needs

- English Longcloths . . . 10c and 12 1/2c
- Horrockses' White Cottons, 12 1/2c, 15c
- Horrockses' Longcloths, 15c, 18c, 20c
- Fine Nainsook Cottons, 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c, 25c
- HEAVY WHITE COTTONS FOR MEN'S NIGHTGOWNS.

Sheetings

Fine English makes in good quality White Cottons, all wanted widths, at prices that means a saving if bought now.

Pillow Cottons

All widths in best makes, both circular and plain.

JOHN Laidlaw & Son

Keep Things Moving

To help things move along during August, we are putting on sale this week Ladies' Black Canvas Strap Slippers and Black Canvas Colonial Pumps, covered heel; a nice, comfortable, cool shoe—a shoe everybody can afford to buy at the price,

\$1.28

The Lockett Shoe Store