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Pattern table cloths with napkins to match, in all the desirable sizes.

Table damask by the yard, in new patterns.

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Fancy towels, with damask borders, and hemstitched ends.

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Tray cloths, runners, doilies, lunch sets, in damask and plain linens.

All pure linen at prices below what is now being asked for cotton and mercerized goods.

Waldron's

ABOUT TWO BATTALIONS

THIS DISTRICT HAS ALREADY SECURED 2,062 MEN.

Major Cook's Office is Compiling Statistics—There Are Many Appeals From the Tribunal Judgments.

The office of the District Registrar under the Military Service Act is compiling statistics for this district and on Thursday morning gave out the following:

A2 men available 2,062
Already reported 1,117
Claims for exemption 28,763
Dealt with 26,029
Allowed 23,574
Disallowed 3,455

No appeals from the decisions by the exemption tribunals have been made yet, and these being included in the number of claims for exemption, it will be seen that only a very small number are allowing the first decision to stand, but are appealing to the county judge for his decision.

The Theatres

The Lilac Domino.

The greatest musical success of many seasons, "The Lilac Domino," will be presented at the Grand for one night, next Monday, December 10th. This is the rare treat of the musical season and is conceded to be the brightest, cleanest and most thoroughly enjoyable musical production that has been presented here in many seasons. It has fun, dancing and every variety of modern dancing up to the present time, a fashion display of magnificent up-to-the-minute costumes and every other feature of popular entertainment, but all subservient to the wonderfully seductive charm of the music and score, sung by artists who would do credit to the most expensive grand opera. J. Humbird Duffy, New York's favorite baritone, Marjorie Dunbar Pringle, with the brightest and sweetest of high soprano voices, Doris Payne, Sidney De Grey, Herbert Standing, Teddy Wilde, Marion Whitney, Clara Thropp, Cesar Gonzales and Joseph Standish comprise the notable cast. The chorus is composed of forty lovely young girls of the peach-blow variety and the orchestra is in charge of Howard Cooke, late conductor of the New Amsterdam Theatre, New York City. The whole production is on an unparalleled scale of magnificence.

"The 13th Chair."

Theatre-goers who have waited patiently for the coming of "The Thirteenth Chair," will be well rewarded when the sensational melodrama will be presented here on Dec. 12th in the same elaborate setting in which it was shown at the Forty-eighth Street Theatre, New York. To attempt a description of "The Thirteenth Chair" in a few brief sentences would be well nigh impossible. Suffice it to say that from the moment the curtain descended on the last act of the play on its opening night, it was the most talked of play seen in New York in an entire theatrical season. Its continuous run at the Forty-Eighth street theatre for more than a year bears eloquent testimony to the interest taken in the play by those who love the drama. "The Thirteenth Chair" is by Bayard Weiler, the author of "Within the Law," who is known to theatre-goers the world over as a master hand at writing sensational dramatic plays.

At Griffin's.

For to-day, Friday and Saturday Florence To-Bodie, the beautiful and talented screen star, will be one of the features of our programme, appearing in one of the most pictures produced in months, "War and the Woman." It is not too much to say that Miss To-Bodie's work in this picture is a revelation. She looks marvellously beautiful, and her acting in the kind that can be counted upon to thoroughly satisfy and please everybody. Douglas Fairbanks in the best picture of his career, "The Man From Painted Post," is another interesting feature on our programme. A special treat is in store for the many admirers of the genial "Bony." In the role of Fancy Jim Sherwood, the immaculate dude, who wipes out a powerful gang of cattle rustlers, the smiling star offers a characterization that will meet with popular favor among patrons of clean pictures. To complete a first-class bill the management is also showing, beginning to-day, the first episode of Pathe's new romantic serial, "The Fatal Ring," starring the greatest of serial stars, Miss Pearl White. This is an entirely different serial, and should meet with unanimous approval from all patrons. Don't fail to see the first episode, entitled, "The Violet Diamond."

At the Strand.

George Walsh returns to the Strand to-night for a three days showing of his latest Wm. Fox production "The Yankee Way." This is another of George's smile-a-minute comedies and is up to the Fox standard in every respect. The action of the story takes George to Lithuania, a small Balkan state to manage his father's cattle concession. Woven throughout this fine comedy theme is an exciting story of love and adventure. George has fallen in love with a princess. A Keystone comedy and George Ode's Fables in Slang will also be shown for the last three days of this week.

County Court.

County court, before Judge Lavelle, meets next Tuesday, with three jury cases and four non-jury cases, as follows: Hattie Lee vs. Daniel Graves; S. Lee vs. D. Graves; J. McGregor vs. C.P.R.; S. Anglin & Co. vs. P. Gayford; J. A. Richardson vs. H. Harper; C. Millward vs. City and L. Abramson; J. Diamond vs. H. F. Norman. Owing to shortage of space the docket will not be published till to-morrow.

The Whig's Classified columns have what you are looking for. Don't forget meeting, City Hall to-morrow. Good speeches.

Military News

Toronto Globe: When the members of Queen's Alumnae went to the meeting at the home of the president, Mrs. John A. Cooper, in Rosedale, they provided themselves with an admission fee in the form of socks for the "Buffs," the battalion of which Col. Cooper is officer commanding.

Lieut. Edward Malloch reached the city on Wednesday and will be attached to the Depot Battalion. He went overseas in August, 1915, and crossed to France. He was through many engagements. He returns as an instructor officer.

Capt. Sissons, C.A.D.C., has transferred to Cobourg for duty.

Lieut. R. P. Watt has been struck off the C.E.F.

Major G. H. Marsh, 26th Battery; Capt. W. Warren, 199th; Lieut. H. M. Taylor, 38th; and Lieut. G. Shouldis, 15th, have been put on the C.E.F. reserve of officers.

Lieut.-Col. G. H. Gillespie left on Wednesday for Ottawa.

Major W. J. McManus left on Thursday for Renfrew on duty.

Twenty-six returned men were expected to arrive in the city on Thursday afternoon. The names were published in Wednesday's Whig.

The announcement from Ottawa that Capt. W. E. Steacy, artillery, has been wounded is received with regret by his many friends in military circles.

APPEALS TO BE HEARD ON 18TH.

Judge Lavelle announced on Thursday that he had notified Major Cook, District Registrar under the Military Service Act, that on December 18th the Court of Appeal from the decisions of the Exemption Tribunals will commence its work. It has been found absolutely impossible to commence this work sooner owing to pressure of other business.

WARNING TO ELECTORS

To Examine Voting Lists and See if Their Names Are There.

The work of the enumerators has been so faulty that even the names of most prominent citizens do not appear on the lists. Every man and woman of Kingston who has a vote at the coming election should see to it that his or her name is on the list. Go to the Union headquarters on Princess street and make enquiry. If your name is not listed you will have to make appeal to the judge, and Thursday is the last day for doing this. In case of delay, visit the Union headquarters to-night and there you will be supplied with the necessary forms to make appeal.

Potatoes Under Weight.

On Thursday morning, Market Clerk William McCammon seized a bag of potatoes which were under weight and sent the potatoes to the Home for the Aged. The bag should have weighed 90 pounds but only weighed seventy-three pounds.

Appoints Warden McKnight.

George O'Halloran, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, according to information received by The Whig, is appointing Warden C. G. McKnight to investigate cases in which farm labor would be interfered with by the action of the Military Service Act.

Special Sale of Babies' Dresses.

We have on sale this week babies' silk and muslin dresses, special prices, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. —Corrigan's.

Hear J. M. Godfrey at City Hall to-night.

DAILY MEMORANDUM

See top of page 3, right hand corner, for probabilities.
Remember Princess St. Methodist church concert, 8 p.m., admission, 15c.
Personal Xmas Greeting Cards, Exclusive designs. The Jackson Press, Wellington St.
Grand opening tonight at Palace skating rink, full band in attendance. Skates and boots for hire.

MARRIED.

GORRIE-HAYWARD.—In Kingston, on Nov. 28th, 1917, by St. George's cathedral, by Rev. C. Whalley, Ida May Hayward, to George Walker Gorrie, both of Kingston.

DIED.

WISDOM.—At Acme, Alberta, December 3rd, 1917, Sarah A. Guy, widow of the late William Wisdom, and mother of Mrs. Armstrong, wife of Fire Chief Armstrong.
Interment at St. John's cemetery, East Toronto, on Monday morning, December 10th, 1917.

Memorial Cards

Acknowledgment of Appreciation Cards, Bordered Calling Cards, Etc. See our samples.
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Familiar Quotations

Few intellectual men would really tolerate the world as it is if it were not for smoking and drinking. Certainly these things soothe the restlessness in men's minds, deaden their sceptical sensibilities.
—TOJSTOY.

FRIDAY

IS A HOLIDAY EVENT HERE FOR THE WOMEN—A TRULY CHRISTMAS OFFERING IN WINTER COATS, DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

Every woman interested in receiving or giving necessary garments at Christmas, should read this advertisement for her own personal advantage. It contains several highly interesting pieces of news.

CHRISTMAS GIVING LINKED WITH PRACTICAL ECONOMY

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS OFFER IN LADIES' AND MISSES' FASHIONABLE WINTER

Coats

Is there anything more pleasing to a woman than to know she is stylishly clad?

If this is so, and we know it is pretty usually true, why not make your daughter, sister, mother, or wife a Christmas gift of one of these exceedingly smart coats.

In plush, sealette, broadcloth, chinchilla, velour, bolivia, burella and English tweed. Prices, \$18, \$20, \$25, \$29, \$35 to \$75.00.



Xmas Specials in Silks.

Laidlaw's silk dept. has prepared for the Xmas buyers a most interesting and attractive line of goods, for waist, skirt and dress, each put up in a lovely gift box.

Crepe De Chenes

In all wanted shades, flesh, maize, blue, Nile, green, brown, rose, white and black, Copenhagen, grey. Prices, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2 yard. Taffetas and Paillettes in all popular colors: burgundy, brown, grey, taupe, cop, flesh, blue, green, rose, mahogany, purple. Prices \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25 yard.

Xmas Specials in Wool Fabrics

Laidlaw's dress goods dept. has many beautiful woolen materials for your selection at this season. The prices help to make these patterns a wise as well as satisfactory gift choices. French wool serge, practical, fashionable, and in all beautiful colors, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00.

SUITINGS—Gabardines, Broadcloths, Tweeds, Jerseys, Wool Poplins, in all shades, from \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 upward.

COATINGS—Burella, Whitney, Chinchilla, Velours, Plush Sealottes, in all colors from \$2.00 upward.

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