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Made from the Big Rich Oats. Have you tried it yet? We are sure you will be delighted. Helps to solve the economy problem. Helps out the National Food Program.

Robin Hood

Give them to the hungry children home from school. The Crothers' Co., Limited Manufacturers Biscuits and Confectionery.

FOUND KINGSTON HUMMING BELLEVILLE VISITOR SAW NOTHING BUT PROSPERITY.

Which Is Brought By the Soldiers—Pretty Plot at Railway Station—Did Not See A Drunken Man. J. J. B. Flint, Belleville, writes to the Belleville Intelligencer regarding a recent visit to Kingston.

The presence of so many soldiers is filling the coffers of merchants and grocers. Prosperity everywhere! The boys spend their money lavishly on the girls, and young recruits are having the time of their lives.

REICHSTAG WEDDED TO U-BOAT WAR

Agreed That the Campaign Should be Unrestricted—To Push Construction. Amsterdam, May 14.—In a debate in the Reichstag Saturday the second reading of the naval estimates, as reported in a Berlin despatch.

Make Russia Hun Province. Washington, May 15.—Germany has delivered to the Russian Soviet an ultimatum, which, if met, will make Russia virtually a German province.

General Meyburn has cabled overseas asking permission to raise a second tank battalion.

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MRS. CLARK FEELS 10 YEARS YOUNGER

Before Taking Tanlac She Often Cried Over Her Condition, She Says.

"Positively, with all the work and worry I have had to go through with the last year or two I don't believe I could have kept up if it hadn't been for Tanlac," recently said Mrs. Henrietta Clark, of 273 Woburn avenue, Toronto.

TRAPPER MURDERED WHILE HE WAS HUNTING

Son Fifty Yards Away Said He Heard No Shot Fired. Pembroke, May 15.—Jacko Comandina, a trapper belonging to the Indian reserve at Golder Lake, was murdered on Thursday last while out hunting in company with his youthful son, about 28 miles from the reserve.

Three years ago another of his sons was killed three miles from the spot where the father was shot by a policeman's rifle as he was attempting to escape from a posse attempting to arrest him on a charge of murdering Turckey Coxford, of the Pembroke Jail.

U.S. Railway Rates. Washington, May 15.—Estimates made by railroad administration officials indicate that an increase of at least 25 per cent. in freight and passenger rates will be necessary this year to meet the higher costs of fuel, wages, equipment and other operating expenses, now set at between \$500,000,000 and \$650,000,000 more than last year.

Exemplifying duty is better than explaining it.

ACHING HEAD, PAINS IN BACK

Heart Action Was Weak and Nerves Greatly Exhausted—Now in Extra Good Health.

Tweed, Ont., May 15.—This is a cheering letter from Mrs. Wagar, because it describes the condition in which many women find themselves and tells how cure was effected. Once the food cure was resorted to the system was gradually and certainly built up and reconstructed.

Mrs. H. E. Wagar, Tweed, Ont., writes: "My system was in a run-down condition, I could not sleep well and was very nervous. I had frequent headaches and pains through my back, and my nerves used to twitch. I took weak spells, was short of breath and my heart action seemed weak. I was in very poor health generally. I went to a doctor and he advised me to take a rest, and give me medicine, but it did not help me. My husband got me some of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food one day, and this treatment gave me such relief that I took many boxes. I cannot tell just how many, but enough to build up my system, and rid me of the old symptoms. I gradually began to get stronger, until I could get around and do my own housework. I am not bothered now with sick headaches, and am enjoying extra good health. I would recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to all suffering from nervousness of any kind."

Told In Twilight

(Notice—Hereafter, the Whig, in common with other papers all over Canada, will make a charge of 50c for inserting an engagement, marriage or reception announcement.)

Many informal affairs have been given in farewell to Capt. and Mrs. Morton Hall, who will be very much missed by a large circle of friends in Kingston.

Miss Kathleen Saunders, Alice street, entertained at the tea hour on Tuesday in honor of her guest, Mrs. Robinson, of Hamilton.

Miss Bessie Sanderson left to-day for Chaffey's Locks, to do voluntary aid duty at "Fettercairn."

Mrs. H. Plinkle, Earl street, entertained informally at the tea hour on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Joseph, Montreal, will spend a few days in town this week. Miss Hazel Browne arrived from Ottawa to-day to remain until July.

Mrs. E. J. B. Pense and Miss Marjorie Pense returned home to-day.

Miss Edna Booth, New York, will visit her sister, Miss Marion Booth, early in June, and will later go to Tremont Park to spend the summer with Miss Cooley, of New York.

Col. and Mrs. Naamith, Toronto, entertained at the tea hour on Friday in honor of Miss Phyllis Neilson-Terry.

Mrs. George Graham was in town from Belleville for the week-end. Col. and Mrs. Smart and their family have taken a cottage at Dead Man's Bay for the summer months, and will move shortly.

Mrs. C. L. Parkinson is expected from Montreal next week to be the guest of Mrs. F. Harold Hughes, Gore street.

Courtland Johnston, Toronto, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. William Ballie, Barrie street.

Miss Jean McEldan, Earl street, returned from Montreal this week.

Mrs. Annie Minnes is another Kingston girl who will graduate from the Toronto General Hospital, and Mr. and Mrs. James Minnes are going to Toronto on Friday for the graduating exercises.

Mrs. J. S. Smith, Johnson street, is leaving for Montreal at the end of the week to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Gurd.

Mrs. R. Cartwright, University avenue, has been spending a few days in Napawan.

Mrs. C. T. Dickson and Mrs. Hugh C. Nickle are going up to Toronto to-morrow for the graduating exercises at the Toronto General Hospital on Friday, when Miss Jessie Dickson will receive her diploma.

Mrs. Alexander Laird is leaving for Montreal and Miss Hilda Laird is going to Toronto to be the guest of Mrs. Robert Laird.

Miss Aileen Rogers was hostess at the last meeting of the Tuesday evening Bridge Club this week.

Prof. and Mrs. E. A. Stone, Union street, have returned from Ottawa. Capt. and Mrs. Morton Hall and their two children left to-day for Minneapolis. Later Capt. Hall will return to Kingston before going overseas.

The Excellencies the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire called on Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier on Monday morning to congratulate them on the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage, and presented them with a portrait of themselves in a handsome leather frame, with the Cavendish Crest, in gold on the frame.

Capt. Malcolm J. Gibson, C.A.M.C., late of No. 15 Field Ambulance, has returned overseas after two months' furlough in Canada.

Mrs. M. M. Duchesneau, Kingston, and her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Campbell, of Grand Mere, are staying at the Ritz-Carlton, Montreal.

Mrs. H. A. Courtney, Duluth, Minn., arrived yesterday to be the guest of her mother, Mrs. John Gillespie, 49 Princess street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Whitham, Cornwall, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Mary Eliza, to R. H. V. McCarty, Cornwall, Ont., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCarty, Beekmantown, Ont. The wedding will take place shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Spafford, Switzerville, Ont., announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Fanny M., to H. Wray Kayler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kayler, Milton, Ont. The marriage will take place early in June. (Continued on Page 10.)

NATIONWIDE ARSON RING

THEIR OPERATIONS ARE HALTED BY BETRAYAL. A Woman Gave the Scheme Away—Sixteen Arrests Made in Detroit Break-up of the Combine.

Detroit, Mich., May 15.—Work of a nationwide arson ring has been halted, it is believed, by sixteen arrests made in Detroit after eleven weeks of investigation. Even as the arrests had been confessed, according to an announcement made yesterday by prosecuting Attorney Jasnowski, the confessions were more than 200,000, all of which have occurred in less than a

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To our customers! Bring your Panama in NOW.

Don't wait until you are ready to wear it. One business has increased so rapidly this season that we will have to disappoint those who wait until the rush is on.

Kingston Hat Cleaners. Princess street, Phone 1488. Man'trs. of Pan-a-Lac—It waterproofs and does not rot your Panamas.

year. There have been 90 fires of incendiary origin in Detroit since January 1st, and hundreds of others are under investigation and between 50 and 60 persons are involved already. Evidence obtained by Justice Weston, agent of the department of justice, the city and state fire marshal, the city detectives as well as the confessions, show that these fires were the result of an organization carried to such a fine degree that there was no loss of life and in only a few instances was there failure to have a "good fire," that being, of course, a fire where insurance was collected and there was no suspicion.

A woman whose name is withheld, was responsible for betrayal of the gang, which has operated in principal cities of the country. Three persons have fled the city and are being sought by city, state and government officers. Three are under arrest also whose names are withheld.

Morris Colman, who lives in an apartment on Brewster street, near Rivard, is under arrest, as the chief torch or master mechanic. Colman admits having "contracts" for fires in New York and his chief regret, when taken into custody, was that he could not be present to set a fire Tuesday.

"I hate to disappoint my good customers in the east," Colman is alleged to have said.

Included in the list of those for whom warrants have been issued is Harry Cohn, a furniture dealer on Michigan avenue, who is reputed to be worth \$200,000. Cohn is accused of having acted as agent in four fires. Nearly all the persons involved are Jews.

Forty Per Cent. Oats In. Regina, Sask., May 15.—Wheat seeding is completed and forty per cent. of the oats are now sown in Saskatchewan, according to reports received by the Provincial Department of Agriculture from its correspondents throughout the province.

All platinum, iridium, and palladium held by refiners, and palladium manufacturing jewelers, and large dealers has been commandeered by the United States Government.

LIVER ILLS

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EVERYTHING TO FRESHEN AND BRIGHTEN YOUR HOME. Attractive designs in piano and ready to wear it. One business has increased so rapidly this season that we will have to disappoint those who wait until the rush is on. Experienced help in this business is not to be found in this part of the country, so if you want to have yours done right, bring it in now. Call for it at your leisure. Get the number right, 163. Victrolas and Victor Records and White Sewing Machines. T. F. HARRISON CO., LTD Phone 90.

Alkali In Shampoos Bad For the Hair

If you want to keep your hair looking its best be careful what you wash it with. Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else that contains too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulsified coconut oil (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified coconut oil at any pharmacy. It's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

The Prussian Lower House rejected the motion for equal suffrage in the Prussian franchise Reform Bill by a vote of 230 to 185.

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