

**ATHENS GETS SOME COAL**

**M. B. HOLMES IS AGAIN ELECTED AS REVEE.**

**This Is His Fifteenth Term—A Number of Property Changes—Several Deaths Reported.**

Athens, Jan. 8.—After only a few days' illness of pneumonia, George Campbell, an aged resident, passed away on December 28th at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gibson, corner of Joseph and Mill streets. Funeral services were conducted on Monday afternoon following at the house, by Rev. T. J. Vickney, interment being made in the local cemetery. Besides Mrs. Gibson, two other daughters, Mrs. McClelland, Brockport, N.Y., and Mrs. Alfred of Alford, Sask., survive.

On Saturday afternoon the remains of Mrs. S. Beakwood, Brockville, a victim of influenza, arrived for interment in the family plot at Glen Elbe cemetery. Deceased was a native of this vicinity, being a daughter of the late Jonas Steacy, who resided about two miles from the village. Mrs. Steacy had leased her mill property only a few weeks ago and had gone to Brockville to spend the winter with her daughter. Her young husband, two small children, two broth-

ers and three sisters, also survive. Mrs. R. C. Latimer had the misfortune to fall upon the ice a few days ago, and fracture her right arm near her wrist.

The public school re-opened Thursday, Jan. 2nd and the high school on Monday the 6th inst.

The fuel situation is brightening. Two immense car-loads of coal have arrived, a car-load of wood, and farmers are busy handling in slight loads of wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scovil are making some improvements on the McLean property which they recently purchased.

A. E. McLean and family have moved to part of Horace Booth's house.

Mrs. M. Rappell has sold her Central street property to John Fortune. The former will take up residence with her brother, Robert, Mackie on White street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brown have returned to their White street residence following the close of the dairy season at Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnston, New Dublin, have leased the west side of Mrs. Robb's double house on Main street.

Harold Sheffield and family are moving to the Henderson house, Mill street.

William Towriss has leased Mrs.

R. Bonsteel's farm for pasturage.

Vernon Baker, for some time, teller in the local bank, has gone to Crosby to engage in mercantile business.

Forty-six pies were donated by Athen's ladies to the Soldiers' Christmas dinner in Brockville.

James Hawkins has arrived from overseas and is being warmly welcomed.

The monthly canvass for cash contribution for the Red Cross took place last week. Red Cross sewing has also been resumed following a brief holiday.

Village elections took place on the 6th inst., and resulted as follows: Revee, M. B. Holmes (for the fifteenth consecutive year), Councillors, M. C. Arnold, George Gifford, William Jacob, and S. Taylor. The reeve-elect left this morning on a business trip to Toronto.

An action brought by Robert Perry Sager, an infant, for damages for injuries alleged to have been sustained by the plaintiff in Deseronto owing to a side-walk being defective and unsafe, was withdrawn from court.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Timlin, situated a few miles from Elgin on the Morton-Jones Falls road, was totally destroyed by fire on Tuesday.

**"SYRUP OF FIGS" CHILD'S LAXATIVE**

Look at Tongue! Remove Poisons From Stomach, Liver and Bowels.



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs as the best for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious, fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear.

**MOTHERLAND**

By Eleanor Robbins Wilson.  
So short a time at my command,  
These children that I hold tonight,  
Let me not idly dream the thing,  
God give me grace to understand,  
Wisdom to guide their steps aright,  
That I may be throughout the night  
A lamp unto their feet for light.

So short a time do small hands cling  
With confidence of babyhood,  
Let me not idly dream the thing,  
But live the noble part I should,  
That henceforth from such mothering  
They shall instinctively seek good.

So short a time for my embrace,  
For love, cheer, comfort, lullabies,  
God help me hallow the brief space  
That turns to gold each sacrifice—  
So surely does a mother's grace  
Build her soul's mansion in the skies,  
—January Good Housekeeping.

**Two Theories Exploded.**

William Allen White in January Yale Review.

The decisive end of this war will bring in a new epoch, and it will mean the rise of that portion of the population, of over civilization in Germany as well as among the Allies, which, during the last and passing epoch, has been discredited, because of the manifold injustices that have befallen it. We shall see a sane attempt to abolish grinding class poverty in the world. And that does not mean of course that we shall have socialism. That does not mean that the Omek garrison bread ticket from the city hall; that the world shall be levelled downward; that the talent of man will not count in the world; that the strong man will not rise faster and go further than the weak! It does not mean that the fool and the weak man will share and share alike in this world's goods. It does not mean that Marxian socialism or anything like Marxian socialism will be the order of the new day. Two things have been everlastingly blown up by the big shells bursting on the battle front: one is Marxian socialism and the other is unrestrained capitalism.

On Wednesday the death occurred at Toronto of one of the leading residents of Kitley Township in Thomas Garvin. He was seventy-three years of age and had spent all of his life in that township.

**How Fat Actress Was Made Slim**

Many stage people now depend entirely upon Marmola Prescription Tablets for reducing and controlling fat. One clever actress tells that she reduced two to four pounds a week by using this new form of the famous Marmola Prescription and now, taking Marmola Tablets several times a year, keeps her weight just right. All druggists sell Marmola Prescription Tablets at 75 cents for a large case. Or you can get them by sending price direct to the Marmola Co., 864 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. If you have not tried them do so. They are harmless and effective.



**HANDS ACROSS THE SEA**  
Admiral Frewhill, R.N., and Admiral Rodman, U.S.N., saying good-bye in the North Sea.

HERE'S THE STRONGEST

# Clearance of Good Clothes!

In Kingston. Our Reputation For Big Values. Our Complete Stock In Three Lots of Prices: \$14.45, \$19.90 and \$21.45.

If good workmanship, good fabrics, latest fashion and long established ability to produce good clothes mean something to you. See these suits and overcoats.

## Boys' Suits and Overcoats

Also in three lots of prices: \$4.95, \$6.95 and \$9.95. See these Boys' Suits and Overcoats.

**MEN'S FURNISHINGS**—Heavy sweater coats, underwear in medium and heavy weights; men's hosiery, men's neckwear, boys' heavy sweater coats, underwear and stockings. All at reduced prices for Saturday.

**NO HIGH RENT**—No unnecessary expense. The money you spend here goes for clothes value, and nothing else, because we have no high rents and expense to "charge in" on our prices. Our values prove the saving. Walk a few steps and see.

**FOOTWEAR SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY**—In three lots: Men's boots in black and tan, with or without Neolin sole, \$3.95, \$5.45 and \$6.45.

**LADIES' HIGH CUT SHOES**—in black or tan, with or without Neolin sole; \$4.95, \$5.95 and \$6.95.

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**Soldiers Home Coming Campaign**

## A Mighty Task Ahead

An Insight into the Salvation Army's Relief Work amongst Soldiers' Families.

**APPROXIMATELY 300,000 Canadian soldiers will arrive home within the next twelve months. Home! To some that word means joyful compensation for all they have gone through. To others, home will mean simply hardships in a new form—struggles to keep a roof overhead; to find a job; leaving a sick wife in bed, children unattended, while the daily bread is earned!**

The Government is putting in operation its plans for repatriation, with pensions and employment bureaus, but notwithstanding all this, and the work of other organizations, many practical problems remain to be coped with, calling for **IMMEDIATE relief.**

If **YOU** hear no cry for help, it is because help from the Salvation Army is never far away.

**The Emergency Receiving Home**

Here are a soldier's wife and three children passing through the city. The train is delayed. The connection is missed. Where shall they go, for it is after midnight and zero weather. Imagine those children!

The Salvation Army officer sees the distress, conducts them to the Emergency Receiving Home where a very small and plain but well-warmed suite of rooms with two beds is available for a few hours.

**Soldiers' Families Home Visitation**

Few people realize the distress that goes on in their own city. A soldier at the front received word from the Salvation Army that his wife had died, and that, as no one had appeared to take care of the six children, the Salvation Army would look after them until his return. A few days later the father was killed. The children are safe!—As far as it is humanly possible, the Salvation Army endeavors to keep the family unit intact.

## The Salvation Army Million Dollar Fund

January 19th to 25th  
"FIRST TO SERVE—LAST TO APPEAL"

Because of its world record in peace and war, the Salvation Army enjoys the implicit confidence of the entire community. Government officials, business men, the returned soldiers, the working classes, and the churches of all denominations will unite for the success of this campaign.

**"It is more blessed to give than to receive"**

**SALVATION ARMY MILLION DOLLAR FUND COMMITTEE**