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NOTICE

Our business has been growing very rapidly of late, and we have as a consequence been obliged to make some changes in order to meet conditions. We are making alterations in our office, adding to our staff, and improving our delivery system, so that we hope very shortly to be able to give our customers a service which will be perfectly satisfactory in every way.

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The Central Guardian

IT PAYS to buy in this Province. HIGH BOOT, TEN INCH KID TOP, the highest top shown this season. Regular \$6.00 value, sale price \$4.48. Alley & Co. 226

PANAMA HATS.—Bring your Panama to us now if you want it cleaned and rebuffed for early summer. Henderson & Cudmore. 193.4.27M31.

WAR MEASURE IN OPERATION. Beginning today all persons entering the United States from Canada must pay a head-tax of eight dollars. This sum is refunded if the person returns to Canada within a reasonable time.

GUARDIAN ADS. PAYS. As a result of an ad. in The Guardian Mr. John MacPherson. Earncliffe, sold his fine boat to Mr. Angus W. Docherty, P. Inette, who is now using it in connection with his lobster fishing operation.—Q.

VENICE OF ALL CITIES IN EUROPE is the most fascinating. Come to the Baptist Church, Monday, evening, May 1st, at eight o'clock and hear Major Bartlett tell what it looks like, and get some idea of the place the Austrians are bombarding. Admission only 25c. Proceeds for farewell gift to the 105th overseas boys. 221.4.28M21.

TIMELY SUGGESTION.—The following timely item is clipped from the Summerside Pioneer and will apply to Charlottetown as well as Summerside. The United States has only entered the war about five minutes, but at Washington this week provision is being made to draft (conscript) men for service on farms, to supply the serious shortage in farm labor which exists there. Canada has been at war getting on for three years and yet Summerside and other towns are full of young men who appear to have no work to do but pitch base balls and holding up build ings, while those of us who do work have to pay about three times what we ought to for the necessities of life which should be over abundant in this province; and in other parts people are absolutely starving for want of food that these idle hands could raise. Why not pass a law to draft these young men with some sort of compulsory National Service—such as working on farms, &c.

OUTDOOR STUDIO USED FOR FIRE SCENE. An actual fire is staged in 'The Sealed Packet,' the third episode of Vitagraph's new romantic serial, 'The Secret Kingdom,' by Louis Joseph Vance, which is shown at the Prince Edward Theatre every Monday and Tuesday.

THE PLAYERS, Charles Richman, Arline Pretty and William Dunn, have been held captives in this den of the underworld by Dorothy Kelly, who plays a foreign spy, and by her accomplice. When they make their escape and inform a police man of their experience, a raid is made upon his house, and when the leader of the gang runs up the broad staircase throws a lighted lamp which he carries in his hand to the bottom in order that the officers may not follow him without suffering injury.

OF COURSE it was impossible to film any scene in the studio as the floor was to burn with great flames, and the fire department would not permit such a risk to buildings where films are developed and stored.

Nevertheless, realism is never sacrificed in the Vitagraph studios over which Commodore J. Stuart Blackton presides, and the 'set' was actually erected in the outdoor studio and then burnt to the very ground in order that the desired effect might be secured.

Professional Cards

Dr. J. P. McGrath Corner of Prince and Sydney Streets Physician and Surgeon Office Hours: 9 to 11, 1 to 4 p. m. and 7.30 to 8.30 p. m. Telephone No. 632 5023.3.25M1f.

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ISLANDERS MET IN FRANCE

The following letter has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Keenan, of Wood Islands, from their son, 712114, Pte. Clifford Keenan, 14th Battalion, on active service, Somewhere in France. He left the Island with the 105th Highlanders Battalion. The Dan. mentioned in letter is 7816 Corp. Dan. Simons, interned in Prisoner of war in Switzerland.

Dear parents.—Just a few lines as I have not much time, and have to go to work. I have had no letters from home for over a month, and am beginning to forget what a letter looks like. It is so long since I got one, but I got a parcel from Charlottetown last night. It was pretty badly battered up, but it was certainly a treat. I saw Harold a few days ago. He is fine and told me he got a parcel that Gus sent to me for Xmas, and he couldn't find me, so he put the contents to a good purpose. I was in the Y.M.C.A. the other night writing a letter, and a chap came over and tapped me on the shoulder. I looked up, and it was Gordon McKay. He didn't know for sure whether it was me or not, so he asked another fellow who knew me, and then came over and spoke to me. He never saw me in uniform before, so it was quite a surprise for both of us. I never saw him looking so well. He is actually fat, and I would hardly know him. I saw him last night again, and gave him Dan's address. I wrote to Dan myself a few days ago, and hope he will get it. Well, we are having very wet weather here, and the mud is to our knees. No sign of spring yet, but I suppose it will come through time.

Well, I have no more news, so will leave to ring off. With love to all. Your loving son, CLIFF.

Have you tried the new Chocollatta. Its delicious. For sale at Beer & Goff's. 7019.

LEADERSHIP AND TRADE

A few years ago, when Canada's annual trade was less than half a billion dollars, Sir Wilfrid Laurier used to point to the fact as proof positive of his party's political infallibility; and Liberal papers were never tired of dwelling upon "increasing trade and buoyant revenues," accruing from Liberal administration. This year, instead of half a billion, Canada's trade will be over the two billion mark; our exports alone will be greater than the total combined trade of the last two years of Liberal rule. Yet the same papers who used to accept a trade of less than half a billion as convincing proof of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's leadership, are unable to see any leadership in our present two billions of trade but evidence of Sir Robert Borden's lack of leadership. During the entire Laurier regime Canada accepted year after year a balance of trade against her. During the past year the situation was changed; there was a balance of trade in our favor; and the present year will see a favorable balance of something like \$200,000,000. Still the politicians and the newspapers who used to talk about extending our export trade as the thing the country most required, can see nothing but "lack of leadership" in performance of the feat, simply because it has been brought about under the Borden Government. And as with trade, so with revenue. The latest financial statement shows a steady growth in revenues of all kinds, a growth that is enabling the Government to pay the country's way so far as domestic expenditures are concerned, and, in addition, to lay aside several millions to go toward the cost of the war. Two years ago when the Government proposed its war revenue and taxation measures, the Opposition, without proposing an alternative policy of its own, stood prepared to wreck the proposals, declared that they would build a wall around the country, would place a hobble skirt upon trade, would paralyze industry and would rob the many for the benefit of the few. And what has been the result? Trade has been greater than ever before in our history, imports and exports doubling in volume; revenues have steadily increased; industry is thriving; and the country, despite the war, is riding upon a wave of substantial prosperity. It is a condition of affairs which, in the face of an upheaval that has shaken the foundations of the whole international structure of trade and finance, rebounds to the credit of the people of Canada, and particularly to those who during the past three years have been entrusted with the Dominion's leadership.

MUSKRAT SKINS REACH HIGH MARK.

ST. LOUIS, April 28.—Sales today in the International Fur Auction here, brought the total sales for the first five days up to \$2,473,340. The sale will continue until Thursday night.

Muskrat skins reached a high mark, when 500 choice furs, brought 70 cents each. The average price for 1,153,250 muskrat skins sold, was 45 cents each. These furs are used extensively in lining overcoats and other heavy garments. Nutria skins, 58,790 of them, brought \$30,000, and 26,000 Australian opossum skins were sold for \$27,500.

'We Have Chocolatta Every Night' and believe me, a mess tin full of chocolatta with French Bread and Butter makes a meal fit for a King. Gunner H. S. Merson, 34th Battery, R. C. H. A. In a letter from 'Somewhere in France,' January 8, 1917

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Chocolatta is scientifically correct. There are no better foods known to man than chocolate, milk and sugar—all are nourishing wholesome and of wonderful food value. Chocolatta contains the essential elements of brain and muscle energy. Chocolatta averages higher in actual food value than 90 per cent of the foods eaten by men and women in everyday life.

Chocolatta has made good, has proved itself under the most severe tests. You will be glad to drink Chocolatta regularly instead of tea and coffee once you know its splendid qualities. For Chocolatta contains all the stimulating powers of alcohol, without the bad effects, and all the food value of the essential elements of chocolate-milk and sugar in easily digestible, soluble form.

The extract quoted in heading is only one of hundreds received from France in the last few months. Men all along the line are asking for Chocolatta. Your man at the front will be glad to have Chocolatta.

It comes ready prepared for serving. All you need is to add boiling water and your Chocolatta is ready. It is easy to make for breakfast, lunch, afternoon teas and "snacks" before going to bed.

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