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Have you ever started right -with Chase & Sanborn's "SEAL BRAND" COFFEE?

In 1/2, 1 and 2 pound tins. Whole-ground-pulverized-also fine ground for Percolators. Never sold in bulk. CHASE & SANBORN, MONTREAL.

Advertisement for Waltham watches featuring an illustration of a man and a woman looking at a pocket watch. Text includes 'The Waltham' and 'WALTHAM WATCH COMPANY, MONTREAL'.

The Western Guardian

-IT PAYS to buy in this Province. -THE MORNING DAILY Guardian can be obtained at Lafferty's Tonsorial Parlor's, Summerside.

-W. K. MCGOUGAN, Globe Fox Exchange, is Guardian agent in Summerside.

-SILVERWARE.—A big shipment of new COMMUNITY SILVERWARE received at HOLMAN'S, Summerside.

-NOTICE.—The W. A. of New London Parish will hold a sale of aprons, fancy work and home cooking in the Parish Hall, Kensington, on Tuesday afternoon Dec. 12th commencing at four o'clock.

-PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—A rather painful accident happened to Mr. H. F. Lee, tinsmith on Saturday, he was carrying a large bundle of stove pipe down a flight of stairs and stumbling, fell several feet to the bottom. A doctor was called who dressed the wounds after which he was removed to his home where he will be confined for a few days.

-SPECIAL SUMMERSIDE SUPPLEMENT.—A special supplement of The Guardian devoted to Summerside who wish to advertise in the number will please send in their advertisement to Mr. McGougan not later than this evening at 8 p. m. The special number will combine a number of pictures of Summerside homes, and prize essays which will appear for the first time. This is a souvenir number and will give an opportunity to advertise at a time when advertising counts for much more than usual.

-TIGNISH SCHOOL.—Standing of pupils in Tignish High School for the month of November: Grade VII.—Francis Nelligan, Grade VI.—1, Francis Richard; 2, Leo Arseneault; 3, Alva Carter, Grade V.—1, Hackett Harper; 2, Raymond Gaudet; 3, Roy Johnston; 4, Lorne Murphy, Grade IV.—(senior) 1, James Richard; 2, Adrien Richard; 3, Horace Leonard, Grade IV.—(junior) 1, Raymond Carter; 2, Ralph Hackett; 3, Joseph Carroll, Grade III.—1, Albert Bernard; 2, Emile Gaudet; 3, Everett Harper, Grade II.—1, Francis Nelligan; 2, Peter Perry, Grade I.—1, Bernard Harper; 2, Henry Buote; 3, Charles Arseneault. —Y.

WESTERN PERSONALS

-Corp. Burns of the 105th battalion was a passenger west on Saturday to O'Leary.—H.

-The friends of Mr. Joseph Gillis, Summerside will regret to hear that he has been confined to his home by illness for the last few days.—H.

-Miss Lena Duffy of the nursing staff of the Prince County Hospital was an outward passenger Saturday evening. She spent Sunday at her home in Emerald.—H.

-Miss May Murphy, Summerside crossed by the Northumberland Friday morning en route to the province of Ontario where she will spend the winter.—H.

-Gunner MacKenzie has returned to duty at Halifax, after spending a few days' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. MacKenzie. His many friends were pleased to see G. MacKenzie before going overseas.

LOYD-GEORGE OFFERS LABOR PARTY TWO SEATS

(Canadian Press Despatch). LONDON, Dec. 7.—The Central News says Mr. Lloyd-George has offered the Labor party two seats in the cabinet, one representative in the war council and three under-secretaryships, and that the offer is under consideration.

LIBERALS WILL SUPPORT HIM.

(Canadian Press Despatch). LONDON, Dec. 8.—It is understood Mr. Lloyd George is aiming at a cabinet of twelve members, five of them Unionists, five Liberals and two Labor representatives. From this number a small war council is to be appointed.

Mr. Lloyd George's difficulty at present is to obtain adequate Liberal representation, inasmuch as nearly all the Liberals in Mr. Asquith's cabinet are declining to serve, under him. However, it is decided at a meeting of Liberal war committees held under the chairmanship of Sir Frederick Capley and attended by thirty members, to support the new premier actively.

The Labor parliamentary party passed a resolution expressing the hope that "in this supreme crisis an endeavor will be made by the new government to settle the Irish question and bring about the widest measure of co-operation of all forces and energies of the nation and the empire."

-TWO CENTS per word each insertion for advertising in this column. Cash must accompany order. Minimum charge twenty-five cents.

-WOMEN'S WINTER COATS, in a variety of colors, materials, and styles. Ranging in price from \$10.50 to \$19.00, selling at HALF PRICE. R. T. HOLMAN, LIMITED, Summerside.

-PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—Mr. Harry Lea met with a somewhat painful accident Saturday night by falling down stairs in his shop. He was picked up unconscious but on examination it was found that no bones were broken. C.

-CHATTERBOX.—1916 Edition; 412 pages of crisp, clear, immensely interesting short stories for boys and girls—board cover. Price \$1.00. (Postage extra 15c.) Order from R. T. HOLMAN, LIMITED, Summerside.

-POULTRY WANTED.—We are paying the highest cash prices for Choice, well fattened POULTRY, and will be buying up to and including December 20th. Bring your best stock to HOLMAN'S, and secure the highest market prices. 3335-12-11M2E11.

LOYD-GEORGE BUSY CABINET MAKING

(Canadian Press Despatch). LONDON, Dec. 7.—It having been decided definitely that David Lloyd George will undertake the formation of a ministry political circles today were interested chiefly in the personnel of the new cabinet and the prospects of the new Premier for getting together a combination that will have the support of a majority in the House of Commons. Few, if any of the Liberal members of Mr. Asquith's cabinet, are likely to accept office under Mr. Lloyd-George and some of the Unionist members like J. Austin Chamberlain and Lord Robert Cecil, are likely to stand aside. However, it is assumed that at the conference at Buckingham Palace they assured the new Premier of their benevolent neutrality, thus making his task much simpler.

Provincial Labor newspapers like the Manchester Guardian and the Liverpool Post make a plea to the Liberals to give the government a fair chance, as it is generally assumed that it is the embodiment of British determination to win the war. According to one estimate, Mr. Lloyd-George can rely on the support of virtually all the Unionist members and 70 Liberals and some of the Labor members, who will come to a final decision at a meeting today. It is also represented that Mr. Lloyd-George believes he will be able to offer concessions to the Nationalists, which will bring them into line.

ANTI-UNIONISTS DECIDE TO FORM \$100,000 COMPANY.

(Canadian Press Despatch). TORONTO, Dec. 10.—A two day session of the Presbyterian Church Association central committee was held this week, attended by, among others Principal Fraser of Montreal. An executive committee was named with James Turnbull, Toronto, chairman, James Roger, Montreal, vice-chairman, with sub-committees: On finance, C. S. McDonald, chairman; on publicity, Rev. Dr. Eakin, chairman and legal measures, John John MacKay, chairman.

It was decided to incorporate, with a capitalization of \$100,000 a company to issue a national weekly to stand for the preservation of the Presbyterian church. Many subscriptions have already been received. In the meantime, at regular intervals, the "Messenger" will be issued. It was decided to engage as legal advisers, in the unalterable decision to preserve the church, Blake, Lash, Anglin and Cassels, of Toronto, and Messrs. Lafleur, MacDougall and MacFarlane, Montreal.

CAPT. C. V. MACDONALD, A NATIVE OF CARDIGAN, P. E. I., TELLS OF FIGHTING ON SOMME FRONT.

CALGARY, Dec. 5.—Capt. C. V. Macdonald, who returned to Calgary in charge of a batch of wounded men, went to the front three months previous to his return to the 29th Edmonton battalion, which is Lieut.-Col. Griesbach's unit. He went as a lieutenant and saw services at Ypres and on the Somme.

He states that the fighting is very heavy on the Somme and that when battalions go into the trenches they go with but four officers to a company, in order to conserve the few officers. In the action where he was wounded his unit lost 19 of his officers, five of whom were killed. Had the full complement of officers of the battalion taken part in the attack the loss of officers would have been considerably heavier.

Peasants Till Soil.

Speaking of things in general, Capt. Macdonald gives a good description of the country after the Somme and its appearance after undergoing the ravages of active modern warfare. The French peasants are tilling the ground within two miles of the original front line trenches of the Allies, but the section which has been taken by the French and British troops is broken up by the craters until it presents an appearance as the choppy surface of a heavy sea in cross winds. Every foot of the ground between the original front line trenches and the present German line is powdered six to ten feet deep as though turned over by a giant spade. The strata below the thin shell of soil in this section is pure white chalk, and the shells have burrowed and drilled and smashed deep into the chalk, lightening the appearance of the country to grey.

Christmas Gift Needs

Advertisement for Fancy Tea Aprons and Ladies' Xmas Neckwear. Text includes 'How Easily they can be Realized at this Big Departmental Store' and 'LADIES' XMAS NECKWEAR'.

Select Your Gifts from Those Few Items

Advertisement for Silk Mufflers, Ladies' Camisoles, and Boudoir Caps. Text includes 'Just received for Special Christmas Gifts, Ladies' Fancy Striped Silk Mufflers in all the newest shades. Price 49c to 3.25.'

Advertisement for Ladies' Furs. Text includes 'Ladies' Fur Sets in Black and Red Fox, Lynx Mink, Mink Marmot, also a splendid line of Separate Stoles and Muffs.'

Advertisement for Ladies' Fancy Blouses and Handsome One Piece Dresses. Text includes 'Ladies' Fancy Blouses of Crepe de Chene, Georgette Crepe Silk and Voiles in Colors of Rose, Maize, Pink, Canary and White. Price 3.50 up to 6.25.'

Advertisement for Ladies' Skirts, Black Slicker Coats, and Ladies' Gloves. Text includes 'Ladies' Underskirts in Sateen Moire Chiffon Taffeta and Plaid Silks, in colors Black, Copen, Brown, Navy and Green. Price 89c. to \$5.50.'

Prowse Bros. Ltd.

Advertisement for Mary Simmons in Memoriam. Text includes 'There died at 129 Upper Water street, Halifax, Wednesday, Mary aged 56 years, widow of John Simmons leaving six daughters and three sons to mourn the loss of a kind and loving mother.'

Advertisement for Ten Millions Offered for the E. B. Eddy Plant. Text includes 'OTTAWA, Dec. 6.—Persistent efforts have been made during the last few days by a group of Canadian financiers to purchase the E. B. Eddy Plant, Ltd. It is understood that ten million dollars has been offered for the plant, but the company refuses to sell.'

Advertisement for Dodds' Kidney Pills. Text includes 'Oh happy earth! O home so well beloved! What recompense have we, from thee removed? One hope we have that overlaps the whole—The hope of finding every vanished soul We love and long for daily, and for this Gladly we turn from thee and all thy bliss Even as thy loveliest, when the days are long And little birds break out in ripling song. (Other papers please copy.) 3357.'

Advertisement for Beaver Flour. Text includes 'Don't Bother with "Special Pastry Flour" You can get the same flaky lightness in your Pie Crusts, Tarts and Cookies, with BEAVER FLOUR' and an illustration of a woman with a flour bag.

Advertisement for Johnson's Anodyne Liniment. Text includes 'Wrong SOME people have never tried Red Rose Tea because they think it is just ordinary tea put into packages. WRONG! Red Rose Tea is a "master" blend of more than a dozen high-grade Indian and Ceylon teas. It is a DISTINCTIVE tea—distinctive in flavor, in richness, in strength, in economy.'