

KEEP THEM THERE.

Passports to Canada Refused to Useful People.

London, Jan. 13.—Applications for passports for Canada, as for other places are being scrutinized here closely now.

Women as Brave As the Men

THEIR STRUGGLE SHOWS A REMARKABLE SPIRIT.

Talk of the bravery of men, that where can you find a finer spirit than among the half-sick women who are fighting and struggling to do their duty against the terrible odds of ill-health, and who will not give up.

One woman in every three is struggling against weakness. Most of them are not exactly sick, but oh, how miserable!

The burden and misery of it all has its foundation in the blood which is thin and watery. The red cells are too few. The very structure of life is reduced in vitality.

Every ailing or weak woman can quickly regain her health in this very simple way. By filling the system with the nutrition that comes from rich red blood, a quick change for the better will result.

One of the finest things Ferrozone does is to make you eat lots and digest it as well. With keen appetite, sound sleep, strong nerves and lots of nourishing blood, you're bound to regain robust health.

A New Game Region. Our mighty hunters who are looking for new fields to conquer, after exhausting the possibilities of Africa and South America, may turn their eyes eastward to the country of the Soviets.

Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer, After Years of Suffering, Found the Remedy They Sought in Dodd's Kidney Pills. (Special).—Firm believers in Dodd's Kidney Pills are Mr. and Mrs. Adolphe Sawyer, of this place.

Urban Population of Australia. A large percentage of the people of Australia live in the principal cities of the different states.

Shattered NERVES. How utterly weak and nervous you become when the nerves give way. Sleepless, nervous, irritable and dependent, life becomes a burden.

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MURAD CIGARETTES. Everywhere Why? The blending is exceptional. Aborigine.

WOLVES OF THE SEA. Killer Whales Travel in Packs and Are Ferocious.

The killer whale usually travels and hunts in "schools" or packs of from three to a dozen or more individuals. Unlike most whales, the members of these schools do not travel in a straggling party, but swim side by side, their movements as regularly timed as those of sailors.

Killers are like giant wolves of the sea, and their ferocity strikes terror to other warm-blooded inhabitants of the deep.

Killers are known to swallow small seals and porpoises entire and attack large whales by tearing away their fleshly lips and tongues.

What They Did For One Family

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURED WHERE DOCTORS FAILED.

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Aluminum in Guiana. In the past year there has been considerable excitement in Dutch Guiana, due to the discovery of large deposits of bauxite in the Surinam river, some four hours' journey from Paramaribo.

Monster Coins. It is understood that the largest gold coin in circulation is the gold "toot" of Anam, the French colony in eastern Asia.

SPOILED HIS SYSTEM. He Thought It Couldn't Be Done, But He is Wiser Now.

I know a man who wears his shirts in chronological order—that is, if he buys a new shirt he tags it with his initials, numbers it and places it at the bottom of the pile.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc. Gentlemen—I had my leg badly hurt, the pain was very severe and a large swelling came above the knee.

QUEBEC GIVES A MILLION DOLLARS

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THE HOUSE FOR GIFTS

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62 KING ST. E. SOUTH SIDE Hamilton, Ont.

HOW TO CURE STOMACH TROUBLE

The Common Cause is Lack of Blood. Therefore You Must Build Up the Blood.

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Mother Eyes. Could some famed scientists but analyze the occult power that rests in Mother Eyes? Could he equip each mortal with this sight That looks through all the wrong and sees the right— Perhaps the world would find that many a knave Beneath his rascal's skin is true and brave.

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HELP WANTED.

WANTED—GIRLS TO WORK ON knit underwear—seamers and finishers—stitchers preferred. We also teach learners, say girl with good knowledge of plain sewing; good wages; ideal factory conditions. Zimmerman Manufacturing Co., Ltd., Aberdeen and Garth streets, Hamilton, Ont.

WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT for small family; highest wages; comfortable home. Address, Mrs. John Eley, 25 Homewood Avenue, Hamilton, Ont.

WANTED—WOOLLEN SPINNERS ON 3000 Spindles. Medium and heavy yarns—24/2 work. For full particulars, apply to the Shingis Manufacturing Co., Ltd., Brantford, Ont.

UNION BANK ASSETS INCREASED 20% IN 1916

GROWTH IN ONE YEAR EXCEEDS EIGHTEEN MILLION DOLLARS—BANK ASSISTS FINANCING OF IMPERIAL MUNITION BUSINESS

The fifty-second annual statement of the Union Bank of Canada, covering the year ending November 30, 1916, shows a remarkable growth and strengthening of the Bank's position, and at the same time indicates large cash resources both in private and business accounts throughout the Dominion.

The Union Bank, with headquarters in Winnipeg and 400 branches in the West, as well as a splendid old-established system of branches in the East, is in close touch with every part of Canada, and its surprising growth for the year reflects the financial recovery of both East and West, and the increasing earnings of the people.

Interest-bearing deposits amount next to \$50,119,910 against \$39,957,304 a year ago, while deposits not bearing interest have reached \$22,122,454, compared with \$21,999,732 shown in the previous year's statement. The assets, which a year ago were \$90,665,663, showed an increase of eighteen and a half millions, bringing them up to \$109,940,228. This 20 per cent. advance is the more remarkable as it follows an increase of over nine millions, or 11 per cent., at the end of 1915. This increase of seventeen and a half millions follows an increase of nearly thirteen million dollars during the previous year and constitutes an extremely strong reserve, readily convertible into cash.

It is interesting to note that of this reserve \$10,323,218 is invested in Dominion and Provincial Government securities, Canadian Municipal Securities and Public, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian, whereas a year ago the amount similarly invested was but little over one million dollars. By far the greater proportion of this sixteen million item consists of securities of the Imperial Government issued for the financing of munition business in Canada.

The note issue of the Bank has increased over a million dollars, to \$8,855,417, with a corresponding increase in the War Tax on Bank Note Circulation to \$56,000. Profits for the year were about the same as last year, amounting to \$67,182. After deducting the War Tax, \$50,000 transferred to Contingent Account, \$20,000 appropriated for the Pension Fund, \$5,000 donated to the British Sailors' Relief Fund, and \$450,000 for the usual 8 per cent. dividend and 1 per cent. bonus, the sum of \$80,000 was carried forward to the credit of Profit and Loss Account. It is worthy of note that the Bank has maintained its dividend and bonus and met all charges for depreciation and contingencies throughout the war out of its annual profits and has now a larger profit balance than at the end of 1915. The increase in earnings in the scope of its business during those years, and the great strengthening of its position, holds out the prospect of greatly increased earnings upon the return of normal conditions.

She—that scar on your head must be very annoying. He—Oh, its next to nothing.—Columbia Jester.

"The Happy Way to Health" is not through mountains of pills or rivers of dope. It is through proper selection of food, pure air and rational exercise. If you have health you can keep it by eating Shredded Wheat, the food that supplies all the nutritive material needed for work or play and in a digestible form.

CANADIANS WANTED FOR THE ROYAL NAVY. Canadians wanted for the Royal Naval Canadian Volunteer Reserve for immediate overseas service. Only men of good character and good physical accepted. Pay \$1.10 Minimum per day—Free Kit. \$20.00 per Month Separation Allowance. Experienced men from 35 to 45, and boys from 15 to 18 accepted for service in the CANADIAN NAVAL PATROLS for defence of the Coast. Apply to COMMODORE EMILIUS JARVIS, Naval Recruiting Officer, Ontario Area, 183 Bay Street, TORONTO, or Dept. of the Naval Service, OTTAWA.

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