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## CASTORIA

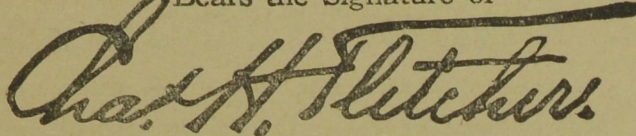
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ROUMANIAN REFUGEES  
FLEEING TO RUSSIA

Petrograd, Dec. 19.—The passage across the Russian frontier of thousands of Roumanians, who have abandoned their houses and property in the face of the invading Germans and Bulgarians, has cast the shadow of a new refugee problem on the Russian Empire.

These refugees have been pouring into Odessa, Kiev and other southern Russian cities in a destitute and helpless condition, and present a problem which threatens to be more difficult than any which has confronted the belligerent powers since the invasion of Belgium.

The magnitude of Russia's economic burden is appreciated when it is considered that the country has received already since the beginning of the war a refugee population far exceeding the combined citizenship of the Scandinavian countries, while the resources of the country have been taxed to the utmost.

FORMER CANADIAN LIEUT.  
ARRESTED FOR FORGERY

Was Arrested at Bordeaux, France—Accused of Stealing \$40,000.

Quebec, Dec. 20.—Chas. F. Rheume, former lieutenant in the 167th Battalion, C. E. F., wanted here for forgery to the alleged amount of \$40,000, was arrested yesterday at Bordeaux, France just as he disembarked from the steamer Espagne, from New York. He is said to have travelled across the Atlantic under the assumed name of Robert Probert. He had little money on him when arrested, says the cablegram.

News of the arrest of Rheume in Bordeaux was confirmed today to Chief of Police Trudel of this city by a message from Sir A. P. C. Sherwood, commissioner of the military police, who says Rheume is being held in France.

Rheume is expected back within the next five weeks.

After his alleged forgery, Rheume is said to have gone to Montreal, and then to Toronto, where he made large deposits of the stolen money in various banks.

## OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

## SATINS.

They're fashionable.

Many charming frocks are made of this lustrous weave.

And for trimmings, wide bands, skirt folds, collars and girdles, it is much in evidence.

The satins most used are soft and supple and of a high lusture.

## EMPIRE EFFECTS IN LINGERIE.

If one is a lover of the empire effect one will appreciate a way of obtaining it in a chemise. The chemise is made, as usual, either the straight kind or the envelope variety. Crochet a neat little beading around the top and then make about twelve or fourteen inches of beading insertion to match the edge. Sew this across the front of the chemise at the high waist line and run ribbon through it. Tie it in a bow at the front and sew the ends where the insertion ends, just to the front of the side seams. There will be a high waisted effect and a very dainty one as well.

## AN INEXPENSIVE XMAS GIFT.

Here is a splendid idea for a quickly made Christmas gift, but one should send with it a card proclaiming its use, or the recipient might be at a loss to know just what it was for. The gift is a laundry bag made of a square of cretonne, Christmas ought to be gay as possible, so select a gaily flowered pattern.

Hem the four sides of the square. Turn back each corner and embroider the recipient's initial on one. On each of the blunted corners fasten a loop of tape. By the four loops the square is hung on a nail in one's closet, and the result is a decorative bag into which one can easily tuck soiled clothes.

TURKEYS PROFITABLE  
SIDE LINE FOR WOMEN

Former Iowa Rural School Teacher Tells How She Made \$324 in One Season.

One of the most profitable side lines for the women of the farms is turkey raising. These fowls require considerable care while young, since they are the most delicate of all the feathered tribe in the baby stage. But once they are feathered out they seem to be among the most hardy of all domesticated poultry and, with the farm to range over, they need very little feed or attention, except two or three weeks of fattening before being marketed.

The experience of an Iowa woman who made more than \$300 with turkeys in a single season is worthy of record. This woman is Mrs. Geo. Wallace, of Warren County, who formerly was a rural school teacher. She says she would rather raise turkeys than teach a country school.

"How did I do it?" she replied to an inquiry. "Well, I believe in pure-bred turkeys. I built up my crop of turkeys by importing a Narragansett tom that cost \$25, and several hens worth \$7 to \$8 apiece. With this combination of new, unrelated stock, my hens not only laid well, but the eggs hatched well. At least 50 per cent. of the eggs hatched and the youngsters reached maturity.

"My turkeys hatch about June 1. I give them nothing for 48 hours. The first meal is boiled eggs, plus one grain of pepper to the bird. After a week I change them gradually to chick feed and corn. I then turn them into a large hog-tight pasture. If a bird gets sick I usually separate and doctor or kill it.

"My turkeys are plucked before they are marketed. By merely bleeding and removing the feathers I get them from 5 to 6 cents more per pound for them. I sent 1692 pounds of turkeys to the city and got \$324.95 for them."

It is estimated that 1,250,000 men are digging coal throughout the world, as against about 196,000,000 "digging" for coal. It's an unequal world, my brothers!

## SKATING CLOTHES.

Skating clothes have a set of accessories all their own. The one-piece dress, having come into rivalry with the skating suit, is perhaps the biggest change noticeable from last year, but the little things which are different and new are innumerable. The skirts, which are either street length or extremely short, to be worn with high boots, are usually lined with satin or some smooth silk. The dresses are of serge, velour, velvet and sometimes satin or wool jersey. Leather is used for collars and cuffs and pockets, or sometimes crocheted wool. And fur is also used a great deal, as in street clothes, for trimming.

Probably more young people would embark on the tempestuous sea of matrimony if parents would lift the blockade.

A near sighted man has a good excuse for not recognizing his creditors when he happens to meet them.



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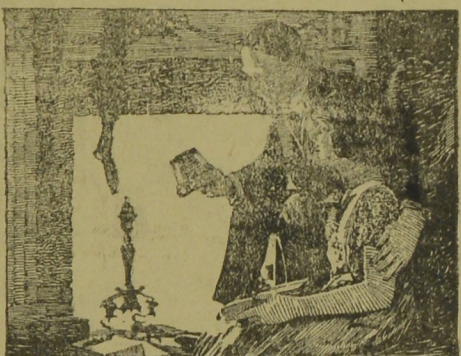
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