

Gift Suggestions for Christmas

Ladies' Coats .. 18.00 to \$48.00
Ladies' Suits .. \$16.50 to \$45.00
Silk or Serge Dresses, ..
Blouses, .. \$15.00 to \$33.75
Sweaters .. \$4.50 to \$15.75
Underskirts .. \$1.50 to \$6.75
Kimono .. \$2.75 to \$3.00
Bathrobes .. \$6.50 to \$10.25
Whitewear .. 25c. to \$4.50
Aprons .. 25c. to \$1.50
House Dresses .. \$1.25 to \$3.50
Comforters .. \$3.00 to \$18.00
Blankets .. \$3.75 to \$10.25
Baby Blankets .. \$1.50 to \$3.00
Dress Goods, 30c. to \$5.75 yard
Hose .. 25c. to \$2.00 pair
Underwear .. 50c. to \$2.55 gar.
Corsets .. 65c. to \$4.25 pair
Beads .. 25c. to \$1.00
Hair Ribbons .. 25c. to 75c. yard

Gloves .. 75c. to \$2.50
Neckwear .. 25c. to \$2.00
Hand Bags .. \$1.00 to \$6.00
Purses .. 40c. to \$3.25
Boudoir Caps .. 50c. to 85c.
Fancy Handkerchiefs 10c. to 75c.
Umbrellas .. \$1.00 to \$8.50
Fancy Linens .. 12c. to \$1.75
Silks .. \$1.00 to \$3.00
Feather Ruffs .. \$2.25 to \$6.00
Mufflers .. 50c. to \$4.50
Viyella Waist Length .. \$3.50
Wool Sets .. \$2.40 to \$3.50
Wool Caps .. 65c. to \$1.50
Wool Mufflers .. 90c. to \$1.75
Silk Mufflers .. 50c. to \$4.50
Camisoles .. \$1.25 to \$3.75
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Layer Raisins .. 25c. lb.
Large Prunes .. 20c. lb.
Evaporated Peaches .. 25c. lb.

ONIONS

Large Winter Keeping Onions .. 4c. lb., 7 lbs. 25c.

CRANBERRIES

Best Cape Cod Cranberries .. 20c. Quart

SOME QUARTER BARGAINS

4 rolls Toilet Paper .. 25c	1 lb. Layer Raisins .. 25c
6 lbs. Common Cornmeal .. 25c	1 lb. can Good Salmon .. 25c
3 lbs. Granulated Cornmeal .. 25c	3 cakes Gold Soap .. 25c
2 pkgs Bird Seed .. 25c	3 cakes Surprise Soap .. 25c
4 lbs. Baking Soda .. 25c	2 pkgs Corn Starch .. 25c
5 lbs. Washing Soda .. 25c	4 cakes Goblin Soap .. 25c
3 cakes Rising Sun .. 25c	1 quart White Beans .. 25c

GERMANY MUST PAY TO THE UTMOST FARTHING

The Allies' War Bill will Amount to the Respectable Total of One Hundred and Twenty Billion Dollars—No Reduction to be Made in the British Navy, Declares Lloyd George—Would be a Great Folly to Give it Up.

Bristol, Dec. 11—The war bill of the Allies against Germany is £24,000,000,000 according to the British prime minister, David Lloyd George who presented this and other interesting facts before a large gathering here today. The cost of the war to Great Britain was £8,000,000,000.

Before the war the estimated wealth of Germany said the premier, was between £15,000,000,000 and £20,000,000,000 sterling. So, if the whole wealth of Germany was taken there would not be enough to pay the account. Therefore he had used the words: "Germany should pay to the utmost limit of her capacity."

When the prime minister was addressing an overflow meeting he said Great Britain would be guilty of a great folly if she gave up her navy.

A voice interrupted: "Then watch Wilson."

The premier replied: "Well, I hope to meet him in a fortnight. I will tell him what you say."

"Wherever the request comes from we are not going to give up the protection of the navy so far as Great Britain is concerned," said the premier.

Conscription Act Dies

Premier Lloyd George, speaking today at Bristol, said the English military service act was passed in order to meet a great emergency. When that emergency was passed the need was passed and the act would lapse. He added there was no intention to renew it. Whether Great Britain would require conscription in the future in any shape or form, Mr. Lloyd George said depended not upon the opinion which were made.

Continuing the prime minister said: "What drove us to conscription was the existence of conscript armies on the continent that inevitably rushed the world into war. They could not have great military machines there without tempting the men at the head of them to try their luck with those machines. The Germans always felt there was nothing to resist their perfect military machines."

"If you want a permanent peace; if you want to prevent the horrors of this war being repeated you must put an end to conscript armies of the continent of Europe."

"The first thing to do is to prevent the repetition of blunders of the past by making it impossible to have those great conscript armies in the future."

Ages to Come Reap Benefit

Mr. Lloyd George declared that the decision which would be taken in the next few months in the peace conference was going to leave a mark upon the world. The ages to come, he said would be able to reap the fruits of it.

The premier next dealt with the question of indemnity. He declared the war had cost Germany less than it had cost Great Britain. It cost Great Britain he declared, £8,000,000,000, a gigantic sum. The German bill, he believed was £6,000,000,000 or £7,000,000,000. He contended it was indefensible that the person who was in the wrong and had lost should pay less than the person who was declared to be in the right and had won.

The premier said a British imperial commission had been appointed to investigate the capacity of Germany (to pay) and that he had received its report. He summarized his remarks on this point as follows:

"First, as far as justice is concerned we have an absolute right to demand the whole cost of the war from Germany."

"Second, we propose to demand the whole cost of the war from Germany."

"Third, when you come to the exacting of it we must exact it in such a way that it does not do more harm to the country that receives it than the country that is paying it."

"Fourth, the committee appointed by the British cabinet believes that that can be done."

"Fifth, the Allies are in exactly the same boat. We shall put in our demands all together and whatever they are they must come in front of the German war debt."

The prime minister continued: "The first consideration in the minds of the

Allies will be in the interests of the people upon whom the Germans have made war and not in the interests of the German people who have made war and have been guilty of that crime."

Hold Kaiser Responsible

With regard to the former German emperor, the premier said:

"There is absolutely no doubt that he has committed a crime against international right, and there is absolutely no doubt that he ought to be held responsible for it so far as the European Allies are concerned."

The premier said he hoped that America would take the same view when President Wilson arrived as to the demand that would be put forward on the part of the European Allies to make the Kaiser and his accomplices responsible for this terrible crime."

Referring to a letter said to have been written by a British general to a French general in which the British officer was quoted as saying it was proposed to establish a British National Army of twenty divisions based on conscription, but that "the cabinet would not touch this until after the elections and then not until this league of nations nonsense has been discussed at the peace conference." Premier Lloyd George declared: "The cabinet never heard of the scheme. So far as the cabinet is concerned it is purely an expression of the opinion of some general."

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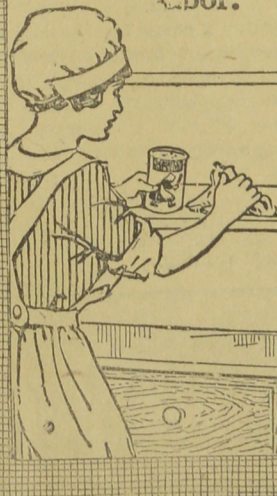
HUNS WANT THE ARMISTICE PROLONGED

Paris, Dec. 12—Negotiations for the prolongation of the armistice began today at Trevis, Rhinish Prussia. The Matin says that the Germans have requested that the Allies reinforce their troops at certain points in order to aid the German authorities in maintaining order.



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