

PEELS

Christmas is not far away and you want to get your cooking done.

Citron 60c lb.
Lemon 45c lb.
Orange 45c lb.

RAISINS

New Seedless in bulk
18c lb., 2 lbs for 35c.
Fancy Seeded
15 oz. 18c., 2 pkgs. 35c.

SUGAR

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13 lbs for \$1.00
100 lb. Bag \$7.00

BEANS

GOOD WHITE BEANS
15c Quart.

RICE

GOOD QUALITY
9c lb., 3 lbs. 25c.

FIVE CROWN FLOUR

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FEED

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Bran, bag \$1.80

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PEANUTS

GOOD ROASTED PEANUTS
18c lb.

BARGAINS

7 ROLLS TOILET PAPER 25
2 LARGE LAMP CHIMNEYS 25
3 LBS. GRANULATED SUGAR 25
1 PECK COARSE SALT 25
3 PACKAGES JELLO 25
4 PKGS BEE JELLY 25
2 PKGS (ready cut) MACARONI 25
1 QT. SEALER MUSTARD 25
2 TINS PIE FILLING 25
1 LARGE CAN HEINZ BEANS 25
3 PKGS SNOWFLAKE AMMONIA 25
1/2 LB. SHELLED WALNUTS 25
1 LB. SHREDDED COCOANUT 25
2 LBS. BULK COCOA 25
2 LBS. POP CORN 25
5 LBS. BAKING SODA 25
5 LBS. NEW BUCKWHEAT 25
4 CAKES SURPRISE SOAP 25
5 CAKES CHAMPLAIN SOAP 25
6 CAKES SERVICE SOAP 25

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THE FRENCH FRANC CONTINUES TO SOAR AND INVESTORS ARE LIKELY TO REAP BIG PROFITS

Montreal, Nov. 25—During the past week the French franc continued its spectacular advance. The movement of this unit overshadowed all other developments in the foreign exchange markets including a new high for the Norwegian krone and a new low for the Brazilian milreis.

Francs opened on Monday at 3.37½, up 6½ points from Saturday's closing. Tuesday they were off 2½ points, but firm at 3.34 cents. Wednesday witnessed an overnight gain of 8½ points to 3.45 cents, a new high on the movement. On Thursday the 3½ cent level was crossed and yesterday the franc soared to 3.62 cents while this morning the unit was quoted at 3.72½ cents representing an advance of 10½ points from yesterday's closing rate.

This morning's quotation showed a gain of 41½ points for the franc when compared with last Saturday's ruling price. On July 20, exactly four months ago, French francs were quoted at the lowest level in their history at 1.93 cents of \$19.30 per 1,000 francs. Today the value of 1,000 francs is \$37.25 showing a net gain of more than 92 per cent for the period.

An outstanding feature was the rise of the Norwegian krone to 25.97 cents. On Tuesday the krone opened with an overnight gain of 76 points or more than ¾ of a cent at 25.77 cents. The following day a 20-point rise took place but this latter advance was lost in the reaction which followed and the unit was quoted at the close yesterday at 25.75 cents up 75 points on the week.

Milreis Weak.

Brazilian milreis were weak owing the many reports of political disturbances in the South American republic. Yesterday the unit lost considerable ground and this morning was quoted at a new low for the year at 12.15 cents. Fluctuations were very erratic and the milreis was reported to have got as low as 11.99 cents.

Italian lire were quoted this morning at around 3.20 cents where they showed a net gain of 6½ points for the week. Throughout the period the tone of the Italian exchange market was very firm.

The amazing advance of the franc was attributed to many causes. French capital sent abroad is rapidly returning to France creating an enormous demand for French currency. In some quarters it has been estimated that fully 50 per cent of French balances in foreign countries has now been called back. In other circles it is believed that the strength in the market is mainly due to the results of the deflationary measures instituted by Poincare. These measures are bound to bring about a rising rate of exchange.

The Bank of France report for the week shows further heavy decreases in notes in circulation and large repayments by the State to the Bank of France. Undoubtedly this additional evidence that the Government is rigidly adhering to its policy of deflation has induced a great deal of buying.

Another feature in the rise was the decision by the French Government to

reduce the standing army by 250,000 men. This is undoubtedly of importance as it will not only effect a reduction in expenditures for military purposes but will also release substantial man-power for productive purposes.

The improved position of the Treasury is having a great deal to do with the boom in the exchange market. Government revenue receipts are exceeding estimates and this situation becomes even better owing to the fact that tax receipts are fixed and with the franc rising all the time the gold value of these receipts is increased by a large percentage.

Foreign Reserves.

The French Government has been operating in the market to build up its foreign currency reserves. These reserves now approximate \$150,000,000 according to reports, and are to cover service on external loans and other obligations of the Government paying in other than francs. The amount now on hand is ample for the Government's requirements for considerable time to come.

The Government had been a seller of francs in order to build up these reserves and very likely has withdrawn from the market and thereby relieved the rate from any pressure.

The movement for the repatriation of French capital is gaining great headway. While it is doubtful if this movement has resulted in the return of 50 per cent of French capital abroad there is certainly every reason to believe that more and more is returning every day. In some quarters it has been calculated that French balances in the United States approximate between \$500,000,000 and \$1,000,000,000. Needless to say, if only a reasonable portion of this money is called back to France the demand for French currency would become so enormous as to cause the rate to sky-rocket. In fact it is just such a sky-rocketing of the rate that the Government is now in fear of.

If the franc should get out of hand there is no saying how high it will go but the authorities will very likely let it take its own course.

The steadily improving situation in Italy forecasts, in the opinion of many, another substantial advance in Italian exchange. For the month of October, Italy reported an export surplus for the first time in many years. Exports were up by 133,000,000 lire compared with September. Imports were practically unchanged. The favorable balance was for 60,000,000 lire against an import surplus of 73,000,000 lire the preceding month.

In spite of the serious weakness in Brazilian exchange there is a confident belief held by the New York bankers familiar with the situation that the milreis will be brought back to around 14 cents before long. There has undoubtedly been a great deal of "bear" speculation in the milreis and any fair-sized recovery is likely to put the short interest to rout.

Other exchanges were for the most part unchanged. Sterling was strong while Dutch guilders were off.

PREMIER FERGUSON DEFENDS HIS POLICY; PROHIBITION SERMONS ARE ASSAILED

Napanee, Nov. 22—Premier Ferguson had his war paint on today. For the first time since his present speaking itinerary began the Prime Minister completely abandoned his attitude of "wait for the other fellow's move," and carried the fight aggressively to the Opposition.

In addresses delivered here tonight and at Tweed in the afternoon, he assailed the campaign tactics of the Ontario Prohibition Union, threw out a broad hint to the clergy of the Province that they should stay out of politics, unless they were prepared to step down from their pulpits and fight on equal footing, poked fun at Hon. William F. Nickle, former Attorney-General, for what he called his "about turn" on his famous "4.4" speech in the Legislature; reiterated his charge that the Customs probe had been "moved out" of Ontario to British Columbia for fear that evidence adduced might injure the Liberal cause in the present Provincial campaign, and redesignated Ben Spence as "that irresponsible party" who would have the public believe the Government was going into the liquor business, when all the time the Government had been engaged in that very business.

Caustic About Union.

The Prime Minister was caustic in his references to the Prohibition Union, alleging that the union was ad-

vertising throughout Ontario that Mrs. Emily Murphy, Police Magistrate of Edmonton, and who has given an interview favoring the Alberta system of Government control over prohibition, was a cousin of his the Prime Minister's.

"It is an absolute falsehood," said Mr. Ferguson, "and quite in keeping with a whole lot of other statements made by these irresponsible people."

Mr. Ferguson was equally warm in denouncing the "unfairness" in this campaign of many clergymen. He said that some time ago he had been one of a group that had discussed the question of why the people were staying away from church. One man gave "motor cars" as his answer; another man had a different explanation. "What is your view, Howard?" he asked Rev. Dr. Chown, one of the group. "And I told them I had an entirely different view," said the Prime Minister. "I told them that the clergy were no longer preaching the Gospel and sowing the seed for the reaping."

"That's the trouble today. The clergy are trying to tell the people what to do. They want to decide municipal matters. They want a voice in all public affairs. I have no objection to that. But when a minister does that from the pulpit, where you or I cannot answer him, we won't want to go there to hear him."

Could Not Sleep Heart and Nerves Were So Bad

Mr. Geo. Mack, Windsor, Ont., writes:—"I suffered with my heart and nerves and could not sleep at night for noises in my head. I managed to keep at my work somehow, until I began to have dizzy spells which got so bad I could not go to my work. I was afraid to go out any place, for very often I would stagger on my feet, and everything in front of me would turn black and fade away. While I was home sick a friend told me to take



I got four boxes and by the time I had used them the pains and noises in my head ceased and I was able to get a good night's rest. Although that was six years ago I have never been troubled with that complaint again."

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Miss Blanche Whitehead of Saint John is in the city today on official business.

A. S. Willis of Halifax is registered at the Barker House.

L. A. Putnam of Sussex is a guest at the Queen.

Situation in Grenville.

Mr. Ferguson referred to a situation in his own riding of Grenville. There was he said, a women's organization there that was signing pledge cards to vote against "Ferguson"; in fact, their minister had told him that he was responsible for the move. "I said to him," declared Mr. Ferguson: "You must have a fine opinion of the intelligence of your own congregation if you are afraid to let them make up their minds for themselves." (Applause.) I would suggest that men of this cloth, if they want to talk politics, should step out of the pulpit and onto common ground with me."

The Prime Minister aimed another shaft at his clergymen opposition with the words: "The noisy boys you hear chiefly on Sundays." In addition these there were, he said, other people whose views more "worth consideration." And in this connection he named Sir John Aird and Sir Thomas White.

Replies to Mr. Nickle.

Commenting on Mr. Nickle's "4.4" speech in the Legislature, the Premier declared: "Mr. Nickle said the people of the Province were becoming drinkers of whiskey and of illicit liquor and that unless something was done the O. T. A. was doomed to extinction."

"I don't know why Mr. Nickle has changed his view, because nothing has happened since to alter conditions. The Government still adheres to the view expressed by Mr. Nickle."

The Premier was vigorous in his statement that Mr. Rowell was behind the "westward" switch of the Dominion Customs Commission.

"Mr. Rowell did that deliberately," he said, "and he can answer that or not, just as he likes, for I know something of the transactions that are to be looked into, but they are determined that we should not have the advantage of revelations elicited before an independent tribunal."

NOTICE OF SALE

To William Leslie, of the Parish of Stanley in the County of York in the Province of New Brunswick, Farmer, and Augusta L. Leslie, his wife, and to all others whom it may in any wise concern.

Public Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the fifth day of January, A. D. 1924, made between William Leslie, of the Parish of Stanley in the County of York in the Province of New Brunswick, Farmer, and Augusta L. Leslie, his wife, of the First Part and Benjamin M. Hanson, of the City of Moncton in the County of Westmorland and Province aforesaid, Accountant, of the Second Part, and duly recorded in York County Records in Book 190, pages 564 to 567, under official number 7819, which said Indenture of Mortgage was assigned to the undersigned by Indenture bearing date the fifth day of January, A. D. 1924, there will for the purpose of satisfying the moneys secured by the said Indenture of Mortgage having been made in payment of the principal moneys and interest secured thereby, contrary to the provisions contained therein for the payment thereof, be sold at public auction in front of the Post Office in the City of Fredericton on Saturday the fourth day of December next at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, the lands and premises mentioned and described in the said Indenture of Mortgage as follows:

"All that certain piece or parcel of land commonly called the Patchell lot, situated in the Parish of Douglas in the County of York and Province of New Brunswick, it being the lands and premises conveyed to John Patchell by William Patchell and wife by Deed bearing date the first day of April, 1857, and recorded in Book L. No. 2, of the records of the County of York and recorded in said Book pages 138 and 139, reference will more fully and at large appear, containing by J. A. Beckwith's survey in the year 1849 one hundred and ten acres, being the same lands and premises deeded by the Hon. P. A. Landry to the said John S. Scott by deed bearing even date herewith. And being the same lands and premises mentioned and described in the Deed thereof from John S. Scott to the said John Scott by deed bearing date the tenth day of August, 1901, and duly registered in York County Records in Book E-E, pages 313 and 314, under official number 56702, the 24th day of October, A. D. 1907."

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