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Advertisers are requested to submit copy to The Times business office before 2 p. m. on the day previous to publication. Advertisements received at a later hour cannot be guaranteed for following day's publication.

LOCAL NEWS

SOME 400 PASSENGERS.

The C. P. O. S. liner Sicilian is due to arrive here tomorrow or Wednesday from Havre with more than 400 passengers.

RETURN TO MONTREAL.

Bert Welling and Edward Horsman of Moncton, and Frank Strong of this city, who are employees of the Simonds Ltd., Montreal, and were home spending the holidays, returned to Montreal this afternoon.

DEATH OF CHILD.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose of 84 Charles street, Fairville, have the sympathy of friends in the death of their infant daughter, Mary Florence, which occurred today.

MORE WAS PUT IN.

Returns from the dominion savings bank here for December show \$88,063.60 deposits and \$75,279.81 withdrawals. The deposits for the corresponding month last year were: \$61,195.37 and withdrawals \$64,041.32.

THE SOUTH END RINK.

The south end skating rink, bigger and better than last winter, gave pleasure to many hundreds of young people on New Year's Eve, and Frank Garnett, the speed skater, is caretaker of this rink this season with John Kearns giving a general supervision under the rink committee.

EARLY MORNING FIRE.

Hot coals dropping out of the front of a self-feeder on to the floor of the home of Mrs. Fred Fowler in the upper story of a house in Sydney street owned by Lauckner's Bakery, were reported to be the cause of a slight fire about 7.30 o'clock this morning which called the fire department to box 32.

CASE CONTINUED.

Before Chief Justice Hazen this morning in the Eschequer Court, New Brunswick Admiralty district, hearing was continued in the case of Loupides, man and wife, against the five masted schooner "Calmet". After the examination of some members of the crew of the schooner adjournment was made until Thursday.

TURNUD BY FALSE HOPES.

A man who arrived from Scotland on a recent steamer says he saw in the Glasgow Times a statement to the effect that there was plenty of work and wages were high in Canada, and he gave up a job to come here. If any such publicity is being used to induce people to come to Canada at present the authorities at Ottawa should be notified.

RECEIVED TWO CROSSES.

Mother's crosses emblematic of the sacrifices of her two sons, were received by Mrs. Helen Breen, 683 Main street, on New Year's eve. One was in honor of Private Albert Breen, an original member of the 29th, who was killed in action in the battle of the Somme on Oct. 2, 1916. The other commemorated the death of Private Leonard Breen, who left St. John with the 140th and later was transferred to the 26th. He made the supreme sacrifice at Passchendaele on Nov. 5, 1917.

CHILDREN'S SERVICE.

A special children's service was held last evening at seven o'clock in St. Luke's church, at which a choir of fifty voices was present. The order of the service was as follows: Processional, Onward Christian Soldiers; chanted by the choir; Christmas songs; Nunc Dimittis (Fetipon) solo; The Heavenly Stranger, Miss Muriel Hawker; hymn, As With Gladness; hymn, We Three Kings of Orient Are; offertory anthem, The Wise Men's Journey; vesper hymn, Lord, Keep Us Safe This Night; recessional hymn, It Came Upon the Midnight Clear. Mrs. H. Usher Miller presided at the organ and the choir was led by Mrs. Lester Mowry. The pastor, Rev. R. P. McKim, preached a special Epiphany sermon. The church was filled to capacity, there being a particularly large number of children present.

20TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

A large number of friends gathered on Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mills, 8 King street, Bank of Montreal Building, to help celebrate their 20th wedding anniversary. Mr. Mills was one of the original 29th Battalion and is now employed by the Bank of Montreal. Quite a large number of beautiful presents were received including several pieces of china. The evening was spent with songs and dancing. The music was played by Mrs. T. Smith at the piano. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Chas. Gray of Eastmount. Congratulations were given and the evening was brought to a very pleasant close with the national anthem.

Customs Receipts

The St. John customs receipts for December, 1920, fell short of those for the corresponding month of 1919 by \$230,078.10 in spite of the sales tax, steamboat inspection and pilotage which were added to the receipts of this year. The difference is accounted for by the heavy duties of December 1919, which were more than twice as much as those of December 1920. Following are the figures:—

Duties	Dec. 1920	Dec. 1919
Sales Tax	\$133,913.20	\$383,075.09
Excise Tax	8,798.75
Sundries	6,975.71	\$8,912.40
Steamboat inspection	171.99	248.59
Marine Dues	345.00
Pilotage	383.33	799.00
	4,170.00
	\$157,856.98	\$387,935.08
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Decrease		\$230,078.10

BERNARD TANSEY OF MONTREAL DIED TODAY

Montreal, Jan. 3.—Bernard Tansey died at his residence, 10 Belmont street, at two o'clock this morning after an illness of three weeks. He was 86 years of age. He was born in Ireland, and came to Montreal when this city had only 34,000 population.

FINE TREAT FOR SILVER FALLS BOYS

Y. M. C. I. Committee Give Them Excellent Time at Christmas Tree Entertainment.

Nearly 100 young hearts were made happy on Saturday afternoon when the auspices of committees from the Young Men's Catholic Institute, the annual Christmas tree and treat were given to the boys at St. Patrick's Industrial School, Silver Falls. A great many people from the city and the vicinity of Silver Falls were present and enjoyed an excellent programme which was given by the boys, assisted by talent from the city.

Rev. C. P. Carleton, the pastor at St. Joseph's church, Silver Falls, presided, and His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc and some of the Sisters of Charity from the city were present. On the arrival of His Lordship from the city he was greeted by a song of welcome by the boys and an excellently delivered address by Donald Smith. A short drama entitled "Lucky Bob" was given by eight of the young lads, who displayed remarkable talent for their years. A delightful solo was rendered by Miss Bernice Mooney, and Charles McFadden gave a clog dance which was well received. Miss Mary Bridgeway was accompanist. After a few words from the bishop and Father Carleton, the gifts from the heavily-laden tree were distributed, and the programme closed with the singing of the Adagio by the school. The event this year was particularly good and everything was keenly enjoyed.

AGAIN TALK OF HARBOR BRIDGE

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change in the mode of appropriations for the department. Where they used to be made in two or three grants, on his taking office he had them all provided for at one time.

The mayor remarked that the transportation companies overcame their defects by raising the rates, in some cases the increase in rates in five years amounted to 300 per cent.

Commissioner Bullock said that other departments showed an increase in appropriations as well as the ferry, the public works going from \$124,000 to \$199,000 between 1916 and 1920, and the police from \$64,000 to \$110,000.

On motion of Commissioner Bullock it was decided that the order of June 10, 1919, ordering sale of property in Lunenburg to Michael and Agnes Butler for \$400 be rescinded and the matter of sale be left in the hands of the Commissioner, who would make a report. The Commissioner said Mrs. Butler became a widow soon after the order was passed but she did not pay the purchase price but had been paying rental at \$10 a year. He said he had three offers for the property, one from a man who was burned out in the Millford fire.

For Patrolman's Widow.
Commissioner Thornton reported the sudden death of one of the members of the police force, John Merrick, who was on duty yesterday and passed away soon after going home. "He was a valuable and efficient servant of the city for thirty years," he said, "and everyone spoke well of him. During my term of office as Commissioner I never had a complaint about him."

On his motion it was decided to pay to Mrs. Merrick a sum equivalent to three months pay in recognition of his long service with the city.

Commissioner Frink asked the mayor if he had a communication from J. Fred Belyea regarding an upset price on some of the fishery lots tomorrow. The letter was from Harry Belyea and asked that the upset prices on some of the lots be reduced as some of the fishermen had lost money last year. The communication was referred to the fisheries committee.

Commissioner Frink said he had received confirmation from the deBury estate regarding land purchase for the Millidgeville ave. improvements. He expected a letter from the Turnbull Real Estate Co. tomorrow.

Commissioner Thornton reported that the ferry steamer E. Ross was ready for service between Indiantown and Lancaster but had not gone on the route. He asked why this was so.

Mr. Bullock said that the present lessee's had not qualified to operate the boat and he commission had advertised for a captain and crew and the matter will be taken up at a meeting tonight. The boat is ready to go on, he said, as soon as a crew can be secured.

Public Works Shows Surplus.
Commissioner Frink reported that the funds of the public works department showed an unexpended balance of \$1,969.11 after the year's work, exclusive of an extra grant of \$35,000 made early in the year for street cleaning, which has not been drawn upon by the department. Overdrafts amount to about \$14,000, which had been on the books when the year opened, had also been wiped out.

Commissioner Thornton said that he expected that the police and fire departments would also show unexpended balances of more than \$1,000.

Commissioner Bullock suggested that a returned soldier be employed to protect children crossing in Carmichael street from the possibility of being struck by street cars running in St. James and B. It is at the street. He said that he had visited three of the public schools on Saturday and found that they were being liberally patronized. Requests from the Victorian Order of Nurses and the Seaman's Institutes for grants were laid on the table until the estimates are taken up, likely on Thursday morning. Discussing the matter of grants, it was noted that the exhibition association had not taken any part of a grant of \$5,000, which the mayor suggested might be placed to the credit of the association for the proposed fair this year. Explaining the matter, Commissioner Thornton said that the association had received \$23,000 from the militia department for repairs to the buildings, but as some of the money was used for other purposes the fair showed a surplus last year.

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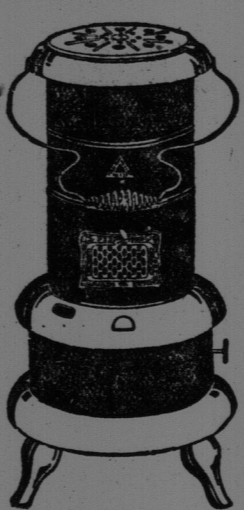
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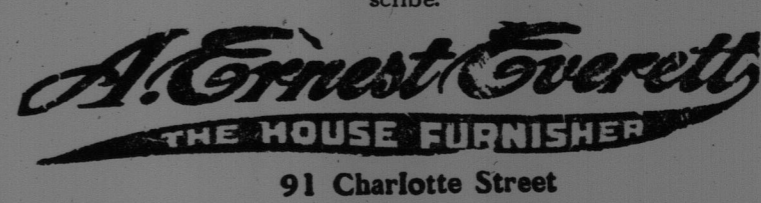
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Here's an illustration—
Hudson Seal Coats Sell for \$250
Page 6 tells all about it.

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