

FREE OF ALL THREE DISEASES

"Fruit-a-lives" Brought Him Perfect Health.

Perfect Health. Avon, Ont., May 14th, 1913. "I am younger since I have been taking 'Fruit-a-lives'..."

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY AIDS POOR

The work yearly undertaken by the St. Vincent de Paul Society of providing for the poor on Christmas Day and bringing cheer to the many needy throughout the city is being carried out this year along the usual lines...

WOULD MAKE U. S. VESSEL PAY TOLLS

(Continued from page 1) The weight of opinion in official circles is that now that the Spring-Rice, the present British Ambassador has regained his health, he will be prepared to resume the negotiations at the point of view of the United States...

MAIL BOAT THOUGHT LOST RACHES PORT BADLY CRIPPLED

Kiel, Dec. 23.—Some anxiety was caused both here and in Denmark this morning by the non-arrival at Korsor, Denmark, of the Danish railway mail steamer Aegle, which pilot between Kiel and the coast of Denmark...

DIED.

JOHNSTON.—In this city on the 22nd inst. A. Clarence Johnston, second son of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Johnston, in the 17th year of his age, leaving behind father and mother, two brothers and one sister to mourn.

ARCTIC CREWS ARE REPORTED TO BE SAFE

Word at Ottawa that Two of Stefansson's Parties Are in Winter Quarters in Arctic Circle.

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—Dr. R. M. Anderson, chief anthropologist with the Stefansson expedition, reported to Geo. J. Desbarats, deputy minister of naval affairs today, that all the scientists and members of the crews of the Alaska and Mary Sachs, two of the explorer's vessels, are safe and well in winter quarters at Collinson Point, fifty miles from Etahman Island, in the Arctic Circle.

ALIENISTS AGREE AS TO ABNORMAL STATE OF SCHMIDT'S MIND

New York, Dec. 23.—Alienists called by the defense testified today at the trial of Hans Schmidt for the murder of Anna Amuller that the prisoner is a paranoid. Examination of alienists will be continued when the trial resumed tomorrow.

BROKE OUT ON HEAD, NECK AND SHOULDERS

In Little Blotches. Scratching Caused It to Spread. Hands Had to Be Tied. Cried Day and Night. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured.

Ennskillen, N. B.—"The trouble started when my baby was four months old. Her head, neck and shoulders were a mass of sores. They broke out at first in little blotches, only water, which the child scratched and caused to spread and form a mass of sores."



ITALIANS FLEE FROM BURNING SHACK IN THEIR NIGHT CLOTHES

Fire at Donnacona, P. Q., Destroys Store and Workmen's House—Men Have a Narrow Escape.

Quebec, Dec. 23.—A fire took place at Donnacona, on the line of the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway last night, which resulted in the destruction of a general store, kept by an Italian, named Monaco, who lost goods worth about two thousand dollars, and a shack, the property of the Donnacona mill, in which lived twenty-five Italians, who had a narrow escape and only managed to get clear of the structure in their night attire. They lost all their effects.

GERMAN WAR SCARE NOT REAL, MEMBER FOR RED DEER SAYS

European Nations by Increasing Armaments are Responsible for Money Stringency—Going to Nova Scotia.

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—Dr. Michael Clark, M. P. for Red Deer, stepped off the C. P. E. train from the west on his arrival here at five o'clock this morning garbed in a semi-winter clothes. Last Wednesday and Thursday he and three of his sons played cricket in a field near the house—and they played hatless and coatless. Therefore he was surprised that the weather is so cold here.

CONSERVATIVES OF YORK MEET TODAY TO SELECT CANDIDATE

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SUCCESSOR TO JUDGE-ELECT O. S. CROCKETT WILL BE CHOSEN—A Big Convention is Expected to be Held.

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ENGINEERING MEN COMPLETED THEIR WORK

Fredericton, Dec. 23.—The construction engineering staff of the Gibson & Minto Railway have completed their work and most of the members are leaving for their homes today.

EMPIRE RICHMOND

Has but one damper—Controls both fire and oven. The kindling position marked K. The baking position marked B. The position for checking fire marked C. Check. This is so simple mistakes are impossible. Used only on Richmond Ranges. PHILIP GRANNAN, 568 Main St.

FEDERAL BANKRUPTCY ACT VERY DESIRABLE INNOVATION IN CANADA

Hon. Mr. Doherty Promises Builders' Exchange He Will Lay Matter Before His Colleagues.

Montreal, Dec. 23.—A federal bankruptcy act would be a desirable innovation in Canada, is the opinion expressed by the Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice, in a communication to the Builders' Exchange of Montreal, received today.

CONDITIONS HAVE CHANGED Yuletide Festivities in Our GreatGrandfather's Time.

Years ago at this season our great grandfathers went out into the forest and chopped down and dragged home Yule Logs to furnish warmth and comfort for the Xmas or Yuletide festivities. Think of the labor necessary to get fuel in this way? How different conditions are today? You merely telephone for a load or two of the fuel best suited to your needs and it is furnished by the Consumers Coal Co., without the least effort or trouble on your part.

MONCTON WOMAN WAS OVERCOME BY SMOKE

Suffered Slight Burns and Severe Shock Before She Was Rescued from Burning House. Amos LeBlanc, who overcame by smoke and was carried out of the house. She was slightly burned and is suffering from shock. She was taken to the hospital and is expected to recover.

TODAY | LYRIC | XMAS PROGRAM

THE FUNNY PAIR Palmer and Dickman 15 Minutes of rare enjoyment. SINGING DANCING.

LIFE'S PATHWAY. Showing the different roads leading to success or failure. A score of interesting subjects.

UNIQUE A MAN OF THE WILDERNESS. A theme as wide as the appeal of Xmas in its appeal. A DEEP SEA LIAR. A set-you-guessing Thrilling or Comedy—and a good one.

XMAS DAY EVENING. 8.30 MATINEE BEGINS AT 1.30

ROYAL Baking Powder Absolutely Pure. Recognized everywhere and by experts as the very highest grade of baking powder—superior to other brands in purity, leavening strength and keeping quality.

Made from pure cream of tartar, the product of grapes, and the most healthful and useful of leavening agents.

Its use insures the bread, biscuit and cake against contamination from the cheap, improper or injurious ingredients from which lower priced baking powders may be made.

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Imperial Today: Christmas

HOLIDAY FEATURES GALORE. A RICH BILL. A FILM COMEDY THAT HAS SET THE CONTINENT ROARING TWO REELS "WHY GIRLS LEAVE HOME" TWO REELS. A CONTINUOUS HOWL OF LAUGHTER.

Grand Opening Christmas Day

ALL SEATS RESERVED FOR THE MATINEE SECURE THEM NOW

Opera House—Thompson-Woods Stock Co.

PRESENTS "The Charity Ball" Prices: Nights and Christmas Matinee, 10, 25, 35, 50c, Boxes 75c. Sat. Matinee, 15 and 25c

NEXT WEEK—"THE TRAVELLING SALESMAN"

SIGNAL SERVICE. The Manchester Steamer Co. in port yesterday. She brought over 500 tons of cargo. The ship on the 5th of December average speed of 11 1/2 knots.

FIRST TRIP. The C. P. R. line arrived in St. John yesterday morning. The charge of Captain Montrose encountered weather coming from the west but the weather is all that could be expected.

FOURTEEN. On the steamer and engaged in the vice, are some forty of whom are being the steamer's count of the inn yellow people, of which several are near to make off.

PORTLAND. Another cargo. Trunk arrived from Portland with 7,200 tons of cargo. The ship was delayed by the strike of the Chinamen and leave, just long the head of the pack.

SHIPPING. Laborers employed in the wharves which have been struck by the strike of the Chinamen. The strike has been delayed by the strike of the Chinamen.

PORT OF G. Arrived 7. Steamer Cap Sydney, R. P. & Steamer Ken Sydney, R. P. & Steamer W. C. P. Antwerp, C. P. Coastwise—S. son, fishing at Can. 77, MCKI. Steamer Cal. Boston via Mail and pass.

Schooner Sec. Parrisboro, mas Steamer Ew. South Africa. Steamer Mar. Philadelphia. Schooner An. Sagus, Cuba.