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**RECENT WEDDINGS**

In the Carleton Methodist church parsonage last evening, Miss Nellie Toole, of St. John, was united in marriage to Harold Cookley, also of St. John. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Heaney, B. A. in the presence of a few friends of the bride and bridegroom. After a short honeymoon trip Mr. and Mrs. Cookley will return to make their home in St. John.

Mrs. Walter W. Brown, 319 City road, died yesterday at the Evangeline Maternity Hospital. She is survived by her husband, infant son, her father, William H. White, and two sisters, Ida M. and Muriel G. White, at home. The funeral will be held on Sunday afternoon.

The death of two women, both widows, who lived together, occurred in the same room at almost the same time yesterday. They were Mrs. Olive Amyar and Mrs. Alma Roney of Digby. Mrs. Amyar was 79 years of age and Mrs. Roney 65.

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**USE The Want Ad Wa!**

The government will not redeem any cancelled luxury stamps except those entirely unused and uncanceled, according to an announcement by the inland revenue department.

The holy see office in Rome has issued a decree asking Catholic bishops to watch an organization which instills indifference and apostasy to the Catholic religion in the minds of its adherents. The decree mentions the Young Men's Christian Association by name. Officials of the association in New York have expressed resentment against the decree.

Foreign ships on which conditions were below the standard set by the United States' merchant marine would be denied entrance to United States ports under a bill introduced yesterday in the United States senate commerce committee.

A sneak thief in Atlanta, Ga., broke into a church on Wednesday night and stole every gift off a Christmas tree which had been prepared for the children.

New money displayed on a tree in the window of a bank in Scranton, Pa., proved too much for two men, who broke the glass and entered, but were caught by the police, who were warned by the burglar alarm.

Two firemen were killed and four injured in a fire yesterday in St. John's Nfld., which destroyed the Star theatre.

The loss was placed at \$50,000.

The first move in the direction of a pipe line construction in and from the northern oil fields has been made by interests connected with the Imperial Oil Company, according to a despatch from Edmonton.

Dr. John L. Cope, commander of the British imperial Antarctic expedition, has sent word to London from the Falkland Islands that he was leaving there on Dec. 20 for the south pole.

The central relief station in Toronto has reported that 18,064 persons in the city have asked for charity to tide them over desperate conditions in which they find themselves. There are now 25,000 unemployed in Montreal and arrangements have been made to put 500 of them to work on the streets.

W. C. Smith of Lunenburg, managing owner of the schooner Delawana, of international schooner race fame, died yesterday at his home at the age of 62. He collapsed during the recent race.

**MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES**

**THE ST. JOHN PROTESTANT ORPHANS' HOME**

The following contributions are thankfully acknowledged by the treasurer, H. C. Rankine:—

Collected by Major N. P. McLeod and E. R. W. Ingraham, \$118.50; from patriotic rally, Queen Square Theatre, Nov. 28, \$30; Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Stetson, J. M. Lawson (Helena, Montana), Mrs. W. H. Hayward, Canadian Drug Co., Colwell Fuel Co., \$25 each; F. T. Barbour, \$7; Miss M. C. Seeds, per Mrs. J. W. Clark (McKinleyville, N. B.), J. W. Brittain, Geo. Corbet, Women's Institute (Chance Harbor), \$5 each; J. H. Leach (H. Upson), Mrs. F. W. Barton, \$2 each; George Fawcett, Jas. Coles (Moncton), M. Scott (Upham), S. Galloway, A. P. Maher, \$1 each. Also \$X Y Z, \$20.

Also the following special contributions to meet fuel bills, West Side Martello Building, rent, &c., &c.—T. H. Estabrooks, Ltd., T. McAvity & Sons, Ltd., \$100 each; Vassie Cox, Ltd., G. E. Barbour Co., Ltd., John E. Moore, \$50 each; W. H. Hayward Co., Ltd., Frederick Taylor, F. E. Williams, Goodwin Co., Ltd., \$25 each; John Sealy, \$20; J. T. Knight, Geo. W. Parker, W. G. Estabrooks, \$10 each; H. Horton & Son, \$5.

**THE SUSSEX IN FLOATED.**

At about nine o'clock last night, about an hour before high tide, a fleet of tugboats gathered around the steamer Sussex, which went on Navy Island bar yesterday morning, and succeeded in pulling the steamer off the bar. It is said that she suffered no damage as the result of her experience.

**Boxing Day**

Following, as we have done the last three years the old English custom of observing the day after Christmas, "Boxing Day," which belongs to employes as a well earned rest after the busy holiday trade, our store will be closed from Friday night until Tuesday morning.

We take this opportunity also to thank the people of St. John most heartily for the generous share they have given us of the season's business, and to wish every one

A Very Happy Christmas.

Yours truly,

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