

THE ACADIAN.

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Editorial Briefings.

There will be no Christmas truce in the war zone. The peace for which the world longs can only be brought nearer by the destruction of German militarism.

The Manitoba government is the latest to fall in line in the world wide movement to curtail the drinking of intoxicants in time of stress and strain.

The Victoria Cross has been conferred on Drummer Spence John Bont Ask, of the Lancashire Regiment, who, near Legeer, after his officer, a platoon sergeant and section commander, was struck down, took command and succeeded in holding the position.

The following letter has been received in Liverpool from a nurse in a French hospital by the widow of a private in the 1st Scots Guards fatally wounded at Ypres.

A Montreal paper tells of a valuable social centre work that is being carried out there with one of the school buildings as a centre.

Evelyn Starr's Recital.

A delightful young violinist, Evelyn Starr, came down to New York from Canada (Nova Scotia) last week and gave a recital on her chosen instrument at Aeolian Hall, on the evening of Tuesday, November 24th.

Although we're 'cross and contrary' boys, There is never a one will handle a gun As well as the gallant Tipperary boys.

Canada in her history is indebted to one of the sons of Tipperary. The late General Sir William Francis Butler, as Captain Butler, offered his services to Colonel Wolsley in 1870, at the outbreak of the Riel rebellion.

Miss Starr is too young yet to have 'arrived' entirely. But she possesses already a well grounded technique, which includes delicate and facile finger work and is at the same time sure and firm, good intonation, admirable bowing and a marked degree of feeling.

Tipperary.

Some time ago a writer was deploring the fact that the war had called out no great song nor march, but that the troops were going into battle to the tune of a rag time melody.

The annual report of the Bank of Montreal, submitted at the meeting of stockholders held last week, contains the following:

The demand and prices for lumber declined during the early part of the year, but the foreign trade is improving with a resultant upward tendency in prices.

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The fishing industry has been less satisfactory. The catch shows a reduction and lower prices prevail.

There has been a diminution of upwards of 250,000 tons in the coal mined in Nova Scotia as compared with last year, largely accounted for by the partial closing down of steel plants and other allied industries.

The farmers are more than usually prosperous. The apple crop has been large and of excellent quality, but this unfortunately is offset by the low prices prevailing.

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CHRISTMAS.

The Christmas Season is here, and should be observed as usual, more especially for the children. We have a very complete stock of useful and inexpensive articles that will please without depleting your pocketbook to any great extent.

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