

The Week's Calendar.

DECEMBER—12th month—31 days.
 18—MONDAY. On this day, 1868, Captain William Jackman was presented with the silver medal of the Royal Humane Society for saving the lives of 27 persons at Spotted Islands, Labrador on Oct. 9th, 1867. Slavery abolished in U.S.A., 1865.
 19—TUESDAY. H.M.S. Tourmaline arrived in the port of St. John's to take up winter quarters, 1894. Amance withdrawn from Gallipoli, 1915.
 20—WEDNESDAY. 'Baccalieu' light first lit, 1858. Battle of Suakin, 1888. H.R.H. Prince George born, 1902.
 21—THURSDAY. St. Thomas. Shortest day in the year. Bank of Nova Scotia opened in St. John's, 1899.
 22—FRIDAY. Mayflower pilgrims landed at Plymouth, Mass., 1620. George Eliot died, 1880.
 23—SATURDAY. Albert, Prince Consort buried, 1861. Ropewalk, Mundy's Pond, burned, 1885.
 24—SUNDAY. 4th in Advent. Christmas Eve. Matthew Arnold born, 1822.

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Massive Motion Picture at The Nickel.

FAST PRODUCTION SCALE MARKS "GYPSY BLOOD."

The feature film offering at the Nickel Theatre tonight is the widely heralded continental film, "Gypsy Blood," starring Pola Negri, acclaimed as Europe's greatest screen actress, who made her first cinema triumph in America in "Passion." And if advance reports are to be believed this latest vehicle of the emotional Polish star is fully as wonderful a product as its predecessor.

It is a screen version of Prosper Merimee's original French story of "Carmen," and Pola Negri is seen in the role of the bewitching Gypsy girl whose loves and hates change color like the chameleon and leave in their wake a trail of jory and sorrow.

Harry Liedtke, who was Armand De Foix in "Passion," is again seen playing opposite Pola Negri. In the role of Don Jose Navarro, the Spanish dragon, who sacrifices honor, robs and even kills for love, he becomes the victim of La Carmencita's entrancing smiles.

"Gypsy Blood" is presented by Associated First National Pictures, Inc.

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What a British Election Costs.

The cost of a contested election in England to the individual candidate is a serious matter. The chief sources of expense are printing and advertising. Referring to the accounts of my last election I find the former totalled £319.

This sum was incurred over the issue of my election address to every elector in the constituency, the three original posters I had designed and scattered broadcast to hasten the discomfiture of my opponent, the portrait cards, for display in the windows of my supporters, a quantity of leaflets, and the poll-card that told the electors the polling stations where they were entitled to record their votes.

Advertising cost me £120, which included the rent of hoardings.

Salaries, as might be expected, came to a substantial figure. For the central office and the eighteen branch ones I paid out £423; 10 sub-agents received £66, 14 clerks £63 18s. 7d., while messengers cost £40. In addition, my head agent received £100.

Public meetings, of which 34 were held at an average cost of 17s. 6d., were cheap enough, as was the hire of 26 committee rooms (15 on election day only) at 10s. 6d. apiece.

Compared with these modest figures, £12 for telegrams was exorbitant.

My personal expenses, comprising my hotel bill during the three weeks' campaign amounted only to £24.

The total cost of getting into the House of Commons came to £3400 odd, but while I secured a tangible reward for the outlay involved, my defeated opponent whose expenses equalled mine, had nothing to show for his money.

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CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS!

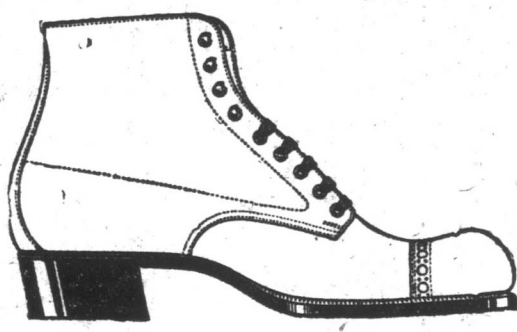
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Smallwood's Big Shoe Sale.



EVANGELINE SKATING BOOTS in Black and Tan Leathers. Price \$6.99.

We also offer our customers the balance of our EVANGELINE BOOTS, SHOES and PUMPS at \$6.99 the pair. Sizes are being fast depleted in these well known shoes for ladies.



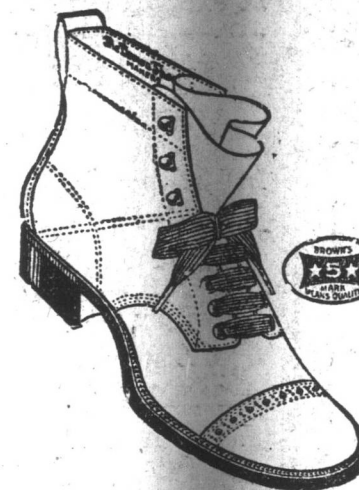
Only \$6.50 Men's Goodyear Welt Boots

in Black and Tan Leathers, reduced from \$9.00 to \$6.50 the pair. The very best value ever offered in Men's Boots for \$6.50 in Newfoundland.



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BEDROOM SLIPPERS, HOUSE SLIPPERS in many handsome designs at \$1.70, \$1.80, \$2.00, \$2.20 and \$2.50

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\$1.20, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

Clearing-Out Sale of Boys' and Girls Boots and Shoes



10 Per Cent. off all Boys' and Girls', also Children's Boots purchased from our stores during the next two weeks. Send along the boys and girls and have them fitted correctly with good Boots.

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Advertise in the Telegram.

Novel Love Duel.

It has just leaked out that a novel duel took place a few days ago in Paris, in which the combatants were a young married woman and a young sempstress.

The story goes that the wife had discovered that her husband had formed a liaison with her sempstress. She faced her husband with the accusation, and declared:—

"I know you are deceiving me, but, as I love you, I mean to keep you. One of us must go, and it is only just that it should be the inferior one. So put us to the test. Intellectually I say the other woman's superior, so do not test us in the matter of culture, but physically we are about on equal terms. I propose, therefore, a duel of strength, in which the loser will give up all claims to you."

The husband accepted the proposal, as did the sempstress, and the duel, or rather fight, took place in the man's apartments in the Avenue de Saxe. Seven strenuous rounds the injured wife knocked her rival out in the eighth, and when the husband, who acted as timekeeper and referee, pronounced the fatal ten he took the victor in his arms.

The wife is now doing her own sewing.

WHY MEN ARE WILD.

Strict Parent—"From my observation of him last night I should say that that young man of yours was rather wild."

Daughter—"Of course, it was your watching him that made him wild. He wanted you to go upstairs and leave us alone."

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