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Minister of National Defence, this afternoon, in commenting on a cabled despatch from London to the effect that Viscount Jellicoe had suggested certain naval contributions by Canada towards the cost of the Imperial Navy.

THE PEACE PACT FILM. LONDON, Dec. 1. The Locarno moving pictures taken at the treaty signing ceremony to-day, will be forwarded to-morrow to Canada and the United States. They will be shown on the screen here on Thursday, and almost simultaneously in France, Belgium, Germany, Italy and Poland. The signing ceremony picture will contain some 250 persons who occupied places in the reception room. Pictures also were taken of the delegates as they assembled and departed.

ST. LAWRENCE STILL OPEN. MONTREAL, Dec. 1. In spite of ice and snow and continued low temperature, navigation on the St. Lawrence will not close for some days yet, as six ships are still in port and ten more are coming down the lakes with grain and five are due to arrive from Atlantic ports.

ITALY TO FUND DEBT TO ENGLAND. LONDON, Dec. 1. The Italian Government is sending a mission here on December 15th or 16th to negotiate the funding of the Italian debts to Great Britain, the House of Commons was informed to-day by Chancellor of Exchequer Churchill.

WILL RESUME NEGOTIATIONS WITH U.S. PARIS, Dec. 1. It is the unanimous decision of the new Cabinet of Aristide Briand to resume debt funding negotiations with the United States, according to a statement made to-night by Louis Loucheur.

STORM DAMAGES IN FLORIDA. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 2. Property damage estimated at over \$3,000,000, and one of the worst tie-ups in wire communication ever known on the Florida Coast, was caused by high winds and driving rains in the last 24 hours.

Enjoy your tea served by the ladies of the College Aid Society, from 6 to 8 o'clock, in the Gaiety Hall, Wednesday and Thursday evenings.--nov30,31

G.W.V.A. Circus Popularity Contest MISS DOROTHY ESBARY LEADS BY NEARLY 7,000 VOTES.

OFFICIAL STANDING. Votes Miss Dorothy Esbary 53,350 Mrs. M. V. Kinsella 46,400 Miss Marion Moore 28,375 Miss Stella Crane 22,800 Miss Fannie Coady 16,975 Miss Olive Turner 11,825 Miss Belle Dunne 10,450 Miss Margaret Pirih 7,300 Miss Sophie Coultas 5,600 Miss Helen Noonan 5,600 Miss Margaret Dooley 5,600 Miss Dot Stick 5,400 Miss Mildred Cadwell 4,800 Miss Nellie Fleming 3,650 Miss Mary Linzey 3,500 Miss Louise Q. Smith 3,500 Miss Mary Harvey 2,825 Miss Lulu Grossman 2,600 Miss Clara Sparks 2,575 Miss Lillian Dwyer 2,300 Miss Sadie Hennessey 2,125 Miss Florence Hutchins 2,100

Home-made Marmalade, Preserves, Mince Meat, Pickles, Jelly Meats, Xmas Fruit Cake, Xmas Pudding, Boiled Ham, Star Bacon, variety of Cake, etc., at the Pantry Stall, L.C.A. Sale. nov30,31

Published by Authority His Excellency the Governor-in-Council has been pleased to appoint Hon. F. J. Morris, K.C., O.B.E., and Frank E. Rendell, Esq., to be a Court of Revision of the Appraisal of Property within the Municipality, under the provisions of Section 228 of "The St. John's Municipal Act, 1921."

Mr. David A. Duff to be a Deputy Surveyor of Crown Lands. Mr. Francis Neary, (of Wm.) to be a member of the Roman Catholic Board of Education for the District of Portugal Cove, in place of Mr. Peter Neary, deceased. Messrs. Ignatius Collins and John T. Murphy, to be members of the Roman Catholic Board of Education for the District of Placentia, in place of Dr. O'Connell, resigned, and Mr. Edward O'Reilly, left the District. Dept. of the Colonial Secretary, December 1st, 1925.

Chimney on Fire The Central and West End Fire Companies were called at 8 o'clock last night to the house of Mr. M. J. O'Brien, No. 11 Cuddy Street where there was a chimney on fire. The blaze was extinguished by the use of the chemical and no damage was done.

Two heads are better than one," so vote for FANNIE McNEIL and MAY KENNEDY. nov21,1

Funnier Than Charley's Aunt



David Butler Alice Calhoun Kathleen Calhoun-Theodore Lorch Helene Costello-E.J. Ratcliffe Charles F. Reiner Directed by Charles 'Chuck' Reiner. Scenario by Charles Logue

Coming to the Nickel S.O.E. Lodge Dudley

ELECTION OF OFFICERS. The election of Officers of Lodge Dudley, No. 227 S.O.E.S., was held in Victoria Hall last night and conducted by the D.D.S.P. Brother C. W. Ude, assisted by Brothers P.P. Pope, Andrews and W. P. Wight as Scrutineers and resulted as follows:

W.P.—Bro. Dr. Alex Bishop. V.P.—Bro. H. E. Long. Chaplain—Bro. Geo. LeDrew. Secty.—Bro. C. R. Puddister, P.P. Fin. Secty.—Bro. Wilson Clarke, P.P.

Treas.—Bro. W. P. Butler, P.P. 1st G.—Bro. Thomas Davis. 2nd G.—Bro. Chas. S. Cook 3rd G.—Bro. H. Taylor. 4th G.—Bro. G. Lloyd Cook. 5th G.—Bro. Chas Thomas. 6th G.—Bro. W. Hawkins. Lodge Surgeon—Bro. Dr. Anderson. I.G.—Bro. M. Spurrell. O.G.—Bro. Wm. Thistle. Auditors—Bro. T. J. Pope, P.P., and George Davey.

Trustees—Bro. Jas. Hennebury, K. Ruby, S.P. and H.J. Peet, P.P. Installation will take place second Tuesday in January.

You should see the Centre Stall presided over by the Girls' Guild, at the L.C.A. Sale, Gaiety Hall.--nov30,31

Sills and Kenzon Score in New Film Notable Cast Supports Stars in Tense Drama, "I Want My Man."

Milton Sills, one of the most versatile of screen artists, presents another side of many-sided dramatic brilliance in his latest First National photodrama, "I Want My Man," which opens to-night at the Star Theatre.

Sills' virility, as embodied in his portrayal of the "Sea Hawk," was no less apparent under the reserve which he handles the dramatic tension of his role in "I Want My Man."

Both Sills and Doris Kenyon, who is co-featured with him, give clear-cut interpretations of their difficult roles.

Phyllis Haver, May Allison and Paul Nicholson show to advantage in their various roles, and Kate Bruce is the sweetest of screen mothers.

It is the story of Vida Eyre, a war nurse, who has tricked Gullian Eyre, into marrying her in the belief that she, too, is a miserable victim of war injury. Because of his blindness Gullian has been hiding away in France from the girl to whom he was engaged, but a successful operation restores his sight and brings back the problem of the girl. Before Gullian can see her with his restored sight Vida disappears, reappearing as a stranger with the determination to win him back on fair terms with the other girl. Gullian returns home to find his home disrupted by the pleasure-mad orgy which has swept the country and to settle the problem of the other girl.

Meeting To-Night at Aula Maxima A meeting of Roman Catholic citizens is called to take place to-night at 8 o'clock at the Aula Maxima, St. Bonaventure's College for the purpose of making arrangements for the reception of his Grace Archbishop Roche.

Mr. Dowden Writes on Civic Matters

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir,—You have been kind enough to publish the letter I sent you earlier with Municipal matters, during the last four years, and in doing so I take it you acquiesce with my respect in the closing paragraph that you give me a little of your valuable space during the next few days to continue my correspondence. I thank you for the favor.

I said in my last that the deficit which we met on assuming office was wiped out, and it was accomplished without extra burden on the taxpayers. This could only be done by carefully considering every financial question. It should be remembered that while these arrears were being wiped out of none of the every day operations were interfered with or curtailed; in fact I hope to show, later, that not only was current work not curtailed but improvements and expansions were made.

We found also that there were numerous requests for more lights, in all parts of the city, that roads and sidewalks in every section were in need of rebuilding and repairs, that the collection of refuse matter needed immediate change and improvement, that the Battery, Southside and Annex, (for all had been included in the city by the new Charter) had grievances, and just ones, which could not be overlooked or whittled out of sight, not that it was the desire or intention of the Council to do so. We began operations under the new Charter and naturally found things strange, but Councillors Martin, Collier, Viancombe and Ryan who had previous experience were a tower of strength, while those of us who occupied seats in the Council Chamber for the first time worked our hardest to get a grasp of routine work as quickly as possible.

Right from the start, the Mayor insisted that no monies should be expended without an estimate of costs having been prepared by the Engineer or other official whose department was concerned, and a full and free discussion by the Board. In this he had the earnest support of every Councillor. We all realized that there was much to be done, and very little to do it with, so each took a firm stand to see that as far as possible we would get a dollar's value for every dollar spent. It was only by carefully husbanding our resources that we could carry on.

As I have said, the City and Country, and the greater part of the outside world as well were up against hard times. To make St. John's the ideal city that all wished it to be, could only be accomplished by heavily increased taxation, and this, I for one, was strongly opposed to. And I wish to say, right here and now, that if I have a Platform in this Contest it is that I am opposed and very much opposed to increased taxation. To-day, the great majority of citizens find it difficult to make two ends meet, and if more burdens be imposed many must go even without the necessities of life.

Another matter which gave great concern is the city debt--the annual interest on which and floating loans amount to over \$103,000.00, or about a quarter of the total income. This is a legacy of the past, but it must be paid, no matter what may be needed for other purposes. The income last year was approximately \$406,000.00, out of which the following amounts had to be paid:

Interest \$103,000.00 Sanitary Dept. 84,000.00 Roads 47,000.00 Water Works Dept. 23,000.00 Lighting Streets 21,000.00 Fire Dept. 14,000.00 Sewerage Dept. 13,000.00 Bowling Park 10,000.00 Total \$302,000.00

It will be seen from the above that three quarters of the revenue goes for eight items, and leaves only \$100,000.00 to carry on the various other services. When it is considered that in one night a heavy downpour of rain can do thousands of dollars worth of damage to any city built on the side of a hill as St. John's is, the obstacles confronting the City Councillors can be easily seen.

I had intended in this letter to deal with conditions as we found them at the Sanitary Stables and as they are there to-day, but I feel that I have already trespassed sufficiently on your space for this occasion, and to-morrow, with your permission, I will give your readers the facts.

Sincerely yours, REG. DOWDEN. Dec. 1st, 1925.

The only thing that will get TOMMY in the morning--WILSON'S CERTIFIED BACON.--dec2,131, eod

Too Much Tonnage Sir Alexander Kennedy, managing director of the Fairfield Shipbuilding Co. (Govan, Glasgow), said that the dominating reason for the lack of shipbuilding orders was that there was an over-supply of cargo tonnage to deal with the present contracted seaborne commerce of the world.

It was somewhat difficult to persuade their showpawning friends that the bringing out of most of the second-rate or obsolete tonnage would prove unremunerative, and that in their own interests they should build new ships.

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"Cappy Ricks" a Play of Humor and Pathos Given Excellent Performance By Balfour Stock Company. A more popular story to be visualized on the stage could not be found to surpass "Cappy Ricks," which the Balfour Stock Company appeared in at the Casino last night. We admit the superlative adjective has been often worn to death in boosting hits, but in this case it is very fitting. The story has been interpreted excellently and the acting and atmosphere surrounding the piece is correct to the smallest detail.

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