Britain Looking to Canada for Fish Supplies

Daring Bandits Make Life and Property Unsafe in Montreal---Besco Miners Refuse to Appoint Representative to Conciliation Board.

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MONTREAL, Jan. 9. 7th fourteen holdups during the st seven days of 1925 and eight hers yesterday and last night, local rities fear that Montreal is out to undergo another crime wave outrages are daily becoming er, as in the case of a lady walkand it over to them, after which they have decided to stay out. ve away and escaped. More timid ens are afraid to walk out at

Major General Garnet Hughes, who here to-day on the Empress Prance, is on his way to Nova otia to further a movement to incanadian Asheries with a view furnishing a larger food supply the Old Country. The British fishes have tak in a slump during the

vage discussion between the ish Empire Steel Corporation and ister of Labor, declining to apnt a representative on the pro-Conciliation Board. The Execudeclared that the miners were nced of the insincerity of the any, and that as the corporation informed them positively that the miners on the Conciliation d the miners would hold thems aloot from the proceedings.

KIO HAS EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS TOKIO, Jan. 9.

home with the next Arctic ex- ment.

announced to-day. He was sentence a Newfoundland trapper, at Pond's Inlet, Labrador, in 1920

LATEST CHURCH UNION VOTE.

TORONTO, Jan. 9. The compilation of Church Union with her husband yesterday af- lyotes up to noon to-day indicate that 456 Presbyterian Churches in Canada dits to take off her seal coat and have voted to enter the Union and 60

> HARDLY A CHANCE FOR NUTTING SAYS BERNIER. QUEBEC. Jan. 9.

There is hardly a chance for Wil-

from Denmark, for Labrador, in a small craft, being alive, according to Captain J. P. Bernier, well known St. John's Nurse Canadian Arctic explorer, who gave an interview on the subject to-day. He said he had feared all along that the intrepid sailors would never in the Labrador waters about the Miss England Endorses New time. Nutting had been expected there and shortly after there had been terrific storms in which no ship could live unless built especially for that purpose. He believed the Leif reached a point where only traders could find them, they could not get

QUEBEC, Jan. 9.

Neil and James Clark, who are not at present in Canada, are involved in the \$500,000 liquor seizure case, out of which has also arisen allegations against the harbour master of Montreal, Captain Symonds, Captain Perrault, his assistant, and J. A. Bisail-

THE VOICE OF THE WEST.

BRANDON, Man., Jan. 9. first of which rocked the city at and justice to all its divisions, why the world is of little use if clothing am, and the last at three this af- should it be maintained at all? R. A. and surroundings are not healthy. / Magainma, in the sands, about 120 hundred miles from here, has tion last night, after he had outlined the cold" at this season, but lightin eruption since Tuesday to the convention of the United Farm- weight good quality woolly garments, Maganna, a lost country frequently ests of national unity. Why, he asked, during the summer period; therefore, maintain confederation on a basis of keep the window open. okdulah, the Eskimo, who was injustice and discrimination? He had hight here a year ago by the Royal come to the conclusion, he said, that unted police and sentenced to ten Western Canada should organize for in Stoney' Mountain peniten- its own interests and those of the has satisfied the white man's Maritime Provinces, and demand of tically the first day of his visit to Lonand will be returned to his north- Ontario and Quebec equitable treat- don.

and kilts of colored cloth. They main-

MUTT AND JEFF-

ji, a Land of Feasting

years' of British rule, amid pub- the stack of food with an expression rejoicings, the art of feasting has, of the keenest interest and pleasure. ording to Sir Maynard Hedstrom, To and fro about the stack move hissioner from Fiji, been brought the masters of ceremony. They scan more robust pitch than in any the food and the guests with anxious r country in the world:

n the anniversary day nearly every of making a fair division. A tactless lage in the 250 islands of the Fijian distribution of the food may very ea up had its ceremonial feast, at ily cause serious offence or even lead nad its ceremonia.

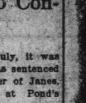
i enormous quantities of food to blows among the guests. divided among participants who been making the event the chief At a recent feast a huge shark of conversation for many months wrapped up like a mummy in palm

pitality and good-fellowship inborn characteristics of every ve Fijian. They are characteristhat have been handed down to from long lines of savage anceswho, when not engaged in fighttheir enemies, delighted to entertheir friends to lavish repasts. his everyday eating the Fijian is enough, but upon ceremonia sions all his inherited traits com play, and he organizes feasts up Gargantuan scale.

the centre of the feast ground, a structure of bamboo, often 20 high and as many yards long, the is thickly piled. The delicacies numerous and romantic; pigs ed whole, wild birds stuffed with baked snakes, taro, yams, pineand all the luscious fruits of

this edifice the guests group es. They sit on their haun

RICHARD HUDNUT



MILKMAID" MILK Best for Childre

supreme culinary achievement. From his canoe a valiant native lassoed the shark by the tail and then liam Washburn Nutting, the hardy played it like a salmon, until, exhaust- But still he says he's done with her, ed, it fell an easy victim to the spears

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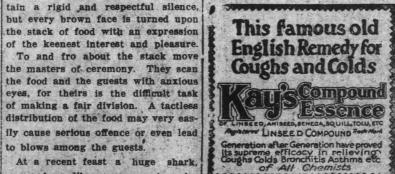
affected air passages and lungs. At the same time Vicks is absorbed haled to break up the congestion. stand this double direct action.

Clothes for Cold Weather

All the beauty culture or exercise in There is always a tendency to don ment, for Springfield, asked this ques- tight-fitting heavy clothes to "keep out ers of Manitoba, a situation which he loose-fitting, are just as effective thought made it imperative that something be done speedily in the inter- essential during the cold months as

> nuch for an Eskimo visitor from Baffin's Land. He caught cold on prac-

Beneath King's Cross Station, Lonion, there are acres of kitchens, panches, gay in ruffles of dyed feathers tries, stores, and wine cellars.



Just Folks. By EDGAR GUEST.

ON AN IMPENDING DIVORCE. kissed away their tears!
sd she has seen him come and go
Through all the passing years!
he knows his every mood and whim
and what he likes for tea nd now he says he's done with her, and, oh, that bothers me!

She gave her youthful heart to him, and he has drained it dry.

Time was the light of all his world was in her laughing eye;

And she has grown so used to him, but now they can't agree

And he declares he's done with her, and, oh, that bothers me!

she's mended oft his coat on winter days she's stood to wrap his muffler round his throat; and days as gently as could be, And he declares he's done with her, and, oh, that bothers me!

these years she's been his wife, She must by now be part of him and all his daily life, She must be linked to everything

In Unknown Arabia

SECRETS OF THE DESERT-ENG-LISHMAN'S ADVENTUROUS JOURNEY.

Major R. E. Cheesman delivered lecture before the Royal Geographical Society last evening on the Deserts of Jafura and Jabrin. Arabia.

sults, and would not be without it for pean travellers who have been allowchitis or incipient pneumonia Vicks is glimpse of the outskirts. The first Eurubbed over the throat and chest and ropean to set foot in and bring back covered with warm fiannel. When so views of this virgin desert is an Eng-

through the skin like a liniment or was sent with men and camels to stay poultice and thus helps the vapors in- with the Al Murra, an Ikhwan tribe It is a stubborn cold that can with- wastes. Photographs of these nomads tention to the resemblance between the

region of the Persian Gulf. SPIRIT-HAUNTED CASTLES.

Jabrin itself was found to be a depression with date palms and ruined castles, reputed by the Bedawin to be haunted by spirits. The desert is encroaching on all sides, and the wells are drying up. Ancient geographers had filled in the blank space in this part of the map of Arabia by introducing a lake and two rivers, Wadi Aftan and Wadi Jabrin, flowing across the desert, important features in forming of the Nejd highlands across the great was exhibited at the meeting.

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ion and importance as a drainage are said to be seen rolling along the temperature is almost too hot to get oured animals and birds were obtainchannel that once carried the waters ground. One was brought home and into.

Arabian peninsula to flow into the The Jafura Desert, a vast tract of Photographs were shown of the colours to harmonize with its enviro- Ice Creepers, guaranteed not to Persian Gulf, at the same time indi- moving sand dunes, was mapped along ruined town found by Major Cheesman ment. Some of these were exhibited cating the land-slope of some 300 miles its western side, and new information on the coast at Oqair, which is sup- side by side with their darker neigh-

an opinion on the hydrography of an now choked in places by drift sand, gravel plains was obtained from the Phoenician port of Gerra. Near by the the expedition contained nine species unexplored country. Lately doubts had and it is probable that at a remote Al Murra. Specimens of a fish which phenomenon of the singing sands was and eight sub-species new to Science. been cast on the possibility of their period of the world's history it was a lives in hot water were also exhibited. encountered on the beach, where each and among the geological speciments existence. Major Cheesman crossed the flowing river. Certain stones from the They were caught in a hot spring at footstep brings forth a mysterious were some beautifully polished stones. mile-wide channel of the Wadi Sahba, gravel plains in this area are believed Hufuf, of which the temperature was piping whistle. and was thus able to confirm its posi- by the Bedawin to be bewitched, and 101 deg. Fabrenheit. A hot bath of that Some remarkably pale desert col-

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MUTT MUST HAVE HIS LITTLE JOKE OCCASIONALLY

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