

The Trying Days

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WEDDINGS.

Bowes-Gilbert.

Miss Gladys Josephine Gilbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Gilbert, 7 Pokok road, and Harold C. Bowes, son of Mrs. Catherine Bowes, of South Boston, formerly of this city, were united in marriage in St. Peter's Church at six o'clock yesterday morning by Rev. James Woods, C.S.S.R. The bride was given away by her father. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Sadie Garvin. Morton Keane supported the groom. Following the ceremony a dainty wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, after which Mr. and Mrs. Bowes left on a honeymoon trip to Halifax and other Nova Scotia towns. On their return they will reside at 360 Waterloo street.

Woods-Pettie

A quiet wedding took place Dec. 1st at the Parish Methodist Parsonage, 23 High street, when Rev. Harry B. Clarke united in marriage Miss Margaret Susan Woods and George Samuel Pettie, both of Welsford, Queens county. The bride wore a dark grey travelling suit with black velvet hat and furs. The bride and groom left the same evening for a trip to Bangor, U.S.A., followed by the good wishes of a large number of friends.

MacDonald-Little

Special to The Standard
Moncton, Dec. 2.—A quiet wedding took place last evening at St. John's Presbyterian church, when Miss Irene Little, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Little, of Coal Branch, Kent county, became the bride of Herbert MacDonald, C.N.R. fireman, formerly of Loggieville, but now of this city. Rev. J. A. Ramsay, minister of St. John's church, was the officiating clergyman. They will reside here.

OBITUARY

David O. Nickerson.

Gagetown, N. B., Dec. 1.—After a lingering illness, the death of David O. Nickerson occurred at his late residence in Hibernia, Queens County, Nov. 27th. The funeral took place on the afternoon of the 29th, interment being made in the Clarke cemetery, a host of friends being present from different parts of the county to pay their last respects to a worthy citizen. The late Mr. Nickerson was widely and favorably known in Queens County, having been a member of the County Council for many years, which position he was forced to give up on account of ill health. The deceased was a Baptist, a member of the Orange Association and of the Independent Order of Foresters. The funeral service was conducted at the home and church by the Rev. Mr. Bell, and at the grave by the Orange Lodge. The service being read by County Master Geo. Corbett, of Summer Hill. The late Mr. Nickerson leaves a widow, three daughters, Mrs. Harry Scott, Mrs. Carson Hamilton, Mrs. Alfred Livingston; one son, Havelock, and a brother, William, all residing in



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Government Income Tax Cases Heard

Explanations Made in Police Court by Citizens Who Failed to File Statements.

Several citizens appeared before Magistrate Ritchie yesterday afternoon to answer to charges of not having filed their Government income tax statements for 1919. Those summoned were Frank Stevens, James P. Loney, Henry McCullough, G. A. Clark and Leonard Dryden. The two last named were absent on account of illness. The department of finance was represented by L. P. D. Tilley, K. C.

Frank Stevens

Mr. Stevens stated that he had never received the three registered letters alleged to have been sent to him by the Income Tax officials. He was at sea during that period and his wife was accustomed to forward his mail to him. He left it with her to determine what was worth forwarding. He further stated that he had been in the naval service during the war and served at a low rate of pay. He did not think he should be taxed by the department but if they insisted he would comply with the law.

Harry McCullough

Mr. McCullough stated he had filed his statement. All the cases were set over till the 17th when judgment in all the cases brought before the court will be given.

BRITAIN WEAKENED IN CAPITAL SHIPS

Both United States and Japan Are Forging Ahead in Construction.

London, Dec. 2.—The London Times, in an article on "Our Obsolescent Navy," says: "The navy problem for Britain and the Empire cannot be ignored much longer. The British fleet contains no capital ship whose design embodies all the lessons taught by the experience of the Jutland battle. On the other hand, the United States and Japan are both building warships far more modern in design, armament and protection than any great ship of the British fleet. In the naval service during the war, for the first time within the memory of generations passed, will no longer be the most powerful fleet in the world in great ships, but will be the third fleet of the world by that reckoning."

"The friendliness of both the United States and of Japan toward this country goes without saying, but there is a great reversal of the traditional policy of the British Admiralty as it is impending with the progress of the construction of the new fleet of the United States and Japan. It is not to be passed over without the gravest consideration. Either this country and the Empire must at once enter into a new naval competition, or they must decide that such competition is necessary no longer."

"Such a decision could be justified only on two grounds: First, that the war has made any competition in naval armaments unnecessary, even for the fleet which has been centuries old the world in the number of its great ships; or, secondly, that the strength of fleets is no longer to be measured by the number of their capital ships."

SHIPBUILDING COST IN GERMANY VERY HIGH

(Copyright, 1920, by Public Ledger.)
Berlin, Dec. 2.—The cost of shipbuilding in Germany has been clearly demonstrated at Bremen, where the Kaiser's shipyard has been practically completed for the Baltic-American Petroleum Company, a branch of the Standard Oil. It has cost as much as did the luxurious fifty-six thousand ton passenger liner, Imperator, built before the war. The Baltic will sail the Panzig flag and be the largest of the Free City's small merchant marine. The first voyage will be to the United States for a cargo of oil.

THE LOST TRAIL.

Green woodland ply heels the ancient scar:
Spring after spring, through all the little saplings and the tufted pine,
In little saplings and the tufted pine,
The old trail disappears.

Forbidden vine and fern-brake come once more;
Brown leaves have hid the secret deep and well;
To point the path to where the still wood keeps
Its heart inviolate.

One coming here might seek for it in vain;
There is no sign above the guarded gate,
To point the path to where the still wood keeps
Its heart inviolate.

The old path fades, forgotten; only guessed,
And scarcely found and once more lost again.
No record serves to show the long healed wound
Of havoc and pain.

God send all trails forgetfulness this!
Such healing pity of the kindly years,
That no swift-footed memory may find
Lost places of old tears!
—Arthur Ketchum.

ITALIAN WOMEN VOTE.

Rome, Dec. 2.—The Chamber of Deputies adopted the electoral reform today, providing for proportional representation and women suffrage. The vote was 168 to 123.

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Fancy Blouses	Men's Traces
Fancy Silks	Travelling Bags
Canisoles, etc.	Suit Cases, etc.

MERCHANTS IN ENGLAND WANT TO EXPORT GOLD

Blame Ban on Export for Low Exchange and High Food Prices.

(Copyright, 1920, by London Daily Mail and Cross-Atlantic.)
London, Dec. 2.—Merchants here blame the British Treasury and the Bank of England for hampering trade by a short-sighted gold policy. It is pointed out that exported gold would fetch 117 shillings per fine ounce in the United States, but the Government while allowing imports forbids exports, compelling the trade to sell to the Bank of England at 25 per cent below the United States price. The free movement of gold is restricted by the export ban, there being plenty of gold in Holland, Belgium, Scandinavia and France ready to buy British goods. If the export embargo was removed, at least ten million dollars in gold which is idle here, would be exported, it is said. The ban is also denounced as one reason for the low exchange in the United States and the price of food remains high.

THYROID MAKING FROGS FROM AXOLTLIS

(Copyright, 1920, by London Daily Mail and Cross-Atlantic.)
London, Dec. 2.—In a laboratory of the Oxford Museum a number of the tadpole-like creatures known as the Mexican axolotl are now changing into a sort of frog under the encouragement of a diet of thyroid gland. A number of varieties of axolotl do not naturally change from the tadpole state at all. They die as tadpoles, but a diet of thyroid changes all this. Julian Huxley, grandson of the famous Professor Huxley, has, among others, demonstrated beyond any question the power of this drug to produce such development in a creature that in nature does not reach this stage of growth at all. His experiments support in a more striking particular the experience of doctors in the effects of thyroid on ill-developed children; all the great mystery lying within this thyroid influence is being slowly penetrated.

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ACADIA SUGAR MILL WILL RE-OPEN SOON

Moncton, Dec. 2.—The Acadia Sugar Refinery at Dartmouth, N. S., will be reopened very shortly, it was announced this morning by D. W. Turnbull, general manager of the company, which has its headquarters in this city.

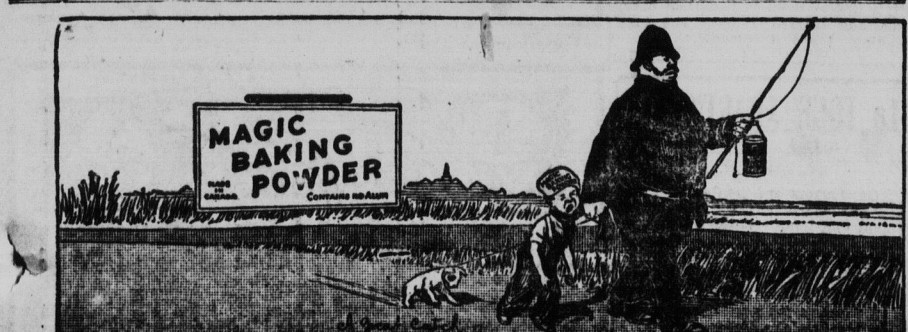
Mr. Turnbull was unable to give any data for the resumption of sugar refining, but said that the plant would re-commence operations very soon.

GREAT SINGER PERISHED.

New York, Dec. 2.—Mrs. G. Boswell Reid, of Goderich, Ont., a concert singer, was among the five persons who perished in the fire at 29 West 57th street, early this morning. It became known this afternoon.

Pearl White has been assigned to Director J. Searle Davley as his first star under the William Fox banner. The working title of the new Pearl White feature is "Reclaimed."

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