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LOCAL NEWS

POLICE COURT.
Magistrate Ritchie not having returned after his Christmas trip, the nineteen prisoners who spent last night in the lock-up were kept three until this afternoon.

CIRCUIT COURT.
The circuit court resumed its sessions this afternoon with Mr. Justice Chandler presiding. Two charges of receiving stolen goods against George V. Parker were taken up. In one case the goods were alleged stolen from the C. P. R. and in the other from E. R. Taylor.

DEATH OF CHILD.
Friends of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hamlin, of 99 Water street, West St. John, will be sorry to learn of the death, this morning, of their son, John E. A. Hamlin, aged six years and three months. He had been ill for only a short time. Besides his parents he is survived by one sister and three brothers.

LIQUOR VENDORS.
The following were granted retail licenses under the Intoxicating Liquor Act, 1916, for the year 1921-1922:—St. John City—J. Benson Maloney, Robert W. Hawker, Edward A. Farren, M. V. Padlock, J. Harry Driscoll, George K. Bell, J. H. Crockett and J. M. Jones; West St. John—W. C. Wilson, W. N. McKel and E. R. W. Ingraham; Fairville—Fairville Drug Co. Mr. Jones is the only new licensee.

BISHOP IS BETTER.
That His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc was considerably improved today was the cheering news that was announced from the St. John Infirmary today. It is now expected that a short rest will be sufficient to restore His Lordship to good health. His Lordship on Christmas eve, was examined some work which was being done in the palace and slipped and fell on a steel girder in one of the rooms. An X-ray examination determined that no bones were broken but he was suffering from a rather severe bruise on his hip.

BURIED TODAY.
The funeral of Fred A. Bray was held this afternoon from his late residence, 174 Guilford street, West End, to Cedar Hill. Rev. J. A. Morrison conducted service.

The funeral of Allen L. Waters took place this afternoon from Mr. Bennett's undertaking rooms, West End, to Cedar Hill. Rev. William Townsend conducted service.

The funeral of Mrs. Bertha Lupton was held this afternoon from P. J. Fitzpatrick's undertaking rooms to the Methodist burying ground. Rev. C. A. Stewart conducted service.

PLACES WHERE SANTA VISITED

Some of the Christmas Presentations that Marked the Season of Peace and Good Will.

The Central police station was among the places where Santa Claus parked his reindeer for a few minutes on Sunday night. Charlie Brown had hung up his stockings on Sunday evening and on entering found it filled with all manner of good things including about \$5 in cash, nuts, oranges, apples, candy and other things associated with Christmas morning. Santa evidently had clear conscience for he did not hesitate to enter the portals of the station and go right in behind the desk, where he swilled upon him and presented to him the safe. One of the most prized of the things given was a Christmas card from the members of the force containing their greetings and the following poem by that budding literary man, Sergeant McLeese:

Now Santa Claus came into town
And filled this sock for Charlie Brown.
He was very busy and rushed away,
But he said he'd be back next Christmas day.

Rev. A. P. Allen, of the Cathedral, who is in charge of the altar boys, was agreeably surprised on Saturday night when a delegation of boys waited upon him and presented to him an address and purse. Father Allen made a suitable reply.

The Altar boys of St. Anne remembered their chaplain, Rev. William M. Duke, by presenting him a purse of gold, accompanied by an address and appreciation.

Rev. Raymond McCarthy, who has been in charge of the missions at Rousesay and Hampton, was well remembered by the parishioners. At the reception he received a handsome gold watch and a purse, while at Rousesay a purse was presented to him on Sunday. At both places he spoke feelingly of his appreciation of the remembrances.

The members of the choir of Main Street Baptist Church were surprised and delighted when, on Christmas Sunday morning, they stepped into the choir loft and found a new floor covering of the finest quality of linoleum, a gift of Fred W. McAlary, a member of the choir.

In the Douglas Avenue Christian church on Christmas Day, Rev. J. C. B. Appel, his wife and family, were remembered with gifts from the congregation. Alex. Cruikshank, the organist and choir master of the church, and Ronald Roberts, were also made the recipients of gifts. James Barnes made the presentations in a few well chosen words, and those remembered thanked their kind friends in short speeches.

All the employees of the Victoria Hotel received cash gifts from A. M. Phillips, the manager, as a remembrance of Christmas and as a token of the recognition of good work throughout the year.

At the Dufferin cash presents were received by the employees and they took the opportunity in the hotel dining-room on Saturday night to extend to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dunlop their best wishes by the presentation of a handsome china closet.

K. Brown made a short speech on behalf of the employees, thanking Mr. Dunlop for his kindness to them and wishing him the best of luck for the future.

Messrs. Reynolds and Fritch, managers of the Clifton Hotel, were the recipients of a beautiful gift from 15 employees, in the form of an oak table for the dining-room. The staff of the hotel received their usual Christmas bonuses from the management.

ON MISSION TO UNITED STATES

London Newspaper Man in St. John Today.

Preaches U. S. Aid in Reconstruction Where War Left Its Mark—Two Shipwrecked Crews and Santa Claus on the Minnedosa.

One of the prominent passengers on the Canadian Pacific Steamship liner Minnedosa, which arrived here last night from Liverpool and docked at No. 3 berth, Sand Point, at an early hour this morning was Captain F. W. Wilson, M. C. of London, Eng., who is on route to Washington to attend the disarmament conference. He is a well-known journalist, and has contributed many articles to the recent war, which have attracted worldwide attention. Many of his writings have also appeared in magazines, speaking to a representative of the Times this morning, he said he hoped to impress on the American people the need of the reconstruction of Germany and the development of Russia. Without America's co-operation, he said, it would be impossible for Europe to recover her economic stability or anything like the restoration of pre-war trade conditions. Unless they this, he said, it will be a bad thing for Europe, as they have secured a gold balance of the world. He pointed out that one of the war's most serious subtracting of 850,000,000 consumers, and until these consumers could be re-established and buy again European trade could not become normal.

He felt that America had a marvelous opportunity to lend a helping hand to the reconstruction of Europe by a judicious use of the gold she has, for by helping these countries on their feet again trade will be resumed through normal channels. Germany would be given a chance to pay her indemnity and Russia the debts accumulated during the war. He said he did not consider the time ripe as yet for the cancellation of debts. He maintained that if America knew of conditions that are existing in Europe she would see the advisability of taking a broad view of the subject.

The form of co-operation he advocates is the backing of industrial life in central Europe by British and American credit, which he considers the most practical way of restoring pre-war conditions. He pointed out that so long as conditions remain as they are in Russia she will be a perpetual menace, and there will still remain a danger of war breaking out again. The better establishment of international trade, he maintained, the less danger there would be of war.

Captain Wilson expects to remain in the United States for two or three months, during which time he will write on various subjects.

Other prominent passengers on board were: M. S. Sassoon of London, brother of Sir Philip Sassoon, who is enroute to Hong Kong; Commander Leggett, R. N., and Mrs. Leggett and daughter of Theford, England, who are enroute to New Zealand; C. C. McCaul, K. C., of Edmonton, Alta.; Captain T. G. Favett, of Ottawa; Captain E. L. M. Burns of Montreal.

The Minnedosa had 155 cabin passengers and 185 third class in addition to 4,300 bags of mail and packages of parcel post and a fair sized general cargo. The passengers left in a special train shortly after noon enroute to Montreal via the coast, and the special train got away shortly after 8 o'clock.

Shipwrecked Men.
Among the passengers were two shipwrecked crews, who had been picked up and taken to Liverpool and are now enroute to their homes in Newfoundland. Captain Picco of the schooner Kinman, who was wrecked off the shores a few weeks ago and his crew of six men made up one party and Captain Wilber of the schooner Amy B. Silvers, which was wrecked in the Atlantic on December 1, and his crew of five men made up the second party.

While the large liner was enroute here she encountered considerable stormy weather, but despite this made good time. There was little sickness on board and Christmas was celebrated in a fitting manner. The celebrations started last Friday evening with a grand concert, the passengers taking part in the first section of the programme and the ship's company in the second. On Saturday afternoon every child on the ship was invited to the dining saloon, which was artistically decorated with flags, lanterns, etc., and after partaking of refreshments were made the recipients of a gift of the large and beautifully decorated Christmas Tree. Santa was then in full regalia and was extremely popular with all. In the evening a big dance was held for the cabin passengers, while special entertainment was also provided for those in the third class section. On Christmas day an elaborate dinner was served, consisting of turkey, old English plum pudding, fruit cake, etc.

The officers on the Minnedosa are: R. G. Letta, commander; P. A. Lancaster, chief officer; J. Orme, chief engineer; G. F. Philpott, purser; Dr. E. W. Drury, surgeon; W. A. Hickson, chief steward.

BOYS SHOW GOOD MARKSMANSHIP

Excellent marksmanship was a feature of the first match for the Canadian Rifle League shield which was shot off at Rousesay by the cadets of the Collegiate school on Monday, December 19, the best score was made by Cadet E. Snow, son of Lt.-Col. A. B. Snow of the Headquarters staff here in the city. He missed a possible by only one mark making an inner on the first shot and bulls on all the rest. The scores for the team are as follows:—

Cadet E. Snow 99
Cadet R. Gibson 97
Cadet J. C. Brownell 95
Cadet J. Dunham 95
Cadet E. Pinder 93
Cadet C. Schofield 93
Cadet F. R. Armstrong 90
Cadet H. Nase 89
Cadet F. Gordon 86
Cadet R. Kitchen 81
Cadet R. Coulter 74

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Cadet E. Pinder 83.4
Cadet R. Gibson 92.0

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