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French Government Accepts German Proposals.

Premier and Ex-Premier at Halifax--Immigrant Interned at Ellis Island Dies.

COMING HOME.

HALIFAX, Dec. 15.

Mr. W. R. Warren, Premier of Newfoundland arrived here to-day from London, where he landed yesterday.

When asked as to the future of Newfoundland as viewed from abroad, Premier Warren said he considered every bright. We are in the market for a loan, but we have not raised it yet because we really can do without it.

Other Newfoundland visitors in the city yesterday were Sir Richard and Lady Squires and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Reid, also returning home from England.

ACCEPTS WITH LIMITATIONS.

PARIS, Dec. 16.

The French Government has accepted with limitations the German proposals submitted by the Charge d'Affaires here concerning the non-annexation of Germany.

GERMANY ECONOMICIZING.

BERLIN, Dec. 16.

Five hundred thousand employees of the German civil service are facing the prospect of a jobless winter, as the result of the drastic retrenchment policy of the Marx Cabinet.

COULD BE RELEASED.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.

President Coolidge to-day ordered the release of all remaining prisoners of the War. About thirty persons will gain their liberty.

THE MEXICAN SITUATION.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.

Both sides in Mexico's latest revolution are claiming minor successes in the desultory fighting which has taken place. Thus far decisive struggles, for which they are marshalling forces, have not yet occurred.

GERMANY SEEKS GENERAL CONFERENCE.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 15.

Should the French and Belgian Governments agree to assume direct negotiations over the reparations question as affecting the Ruhr and Rhineland with Germany, the German Government will address similar requests to other Allied and Associated Governments, with a view to a general conference, according to information from official quarters to-day.

WILL RAISE FIERY CROSS.

LONDON, Dec. 16.

The ancient Scottish custom of passing the fiery cross from town to town to rouse the clansmen to arms, is to be emulated by Anglo-Catholics or the extreme High Church Party of the Church of England next year when the fiery cross will be passed from Parish to Parish throughout the country as a system of continuous intercession for the conversion of England.

Enthusiastic Meeting Nfld. Hockey League.

CANADIAN CHAMPIONS INVITED TO COME.

The annual meeting of the Newfoundland Hockey Association took place in the office of the President on Saturday afternoon last. Representatives from the various Clubs were in attendance, and the four Clubs which participated in the series last year again signified their intention of competing again.

REBELS POSSESS PUEBLA.

VERA CRUZ, Dec. 15.

The revolutionary forces, according to the newspaper El Dictamen, are in possession of Puebla.

MEXICO'S NAVY.

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, Dec. 16.

Advises from Laredo state that five Mexican naval officers passed through there Saturday night en route to New Orleans where they will take over the gunboat Bravo which is in dock there and proceed to Vera Cruz to engage the Zaragoza held by the rebels.

ORIGINATING IN GERMANY.

OTTAWA, Dec. 15.

Contraband shipments of narcotic drugs which are finding their way to Canada and the United States are present are originating in Germany to a great extent. The smugglers have changed their base of operations from Switzerland, following, no doubt the publicity given in connection with a large seizure. Such drugs were coming from Switzerland the past twelve months.

CLAIMS LAND.

QUEBEC, Dec. 15.

Claiming legal ownership of a large area of land belonging to the Quebec Seminary, Joseph Landry, a direct descendant of Louis Hebert, the first French settler in this country, has entered a claim to the Supreme Court. The value of the land is estimated to be \$500,000.

VICTIM OF ELLIS ISLAND.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.

Capt. Gloucester Armstrong, British Consul General in New York, this morning stated that his office had made no request for investigation in the case of Mrs. Bert Dodge, Liverpool, who died of pneumonia, while being held at Ellis Island. Mrs. Dodge had her baby daughter, Kathleen, had come out to join her husband, Bert Dodge, a bricklayer, who had obtained work in Boston and had just fitted up a home for his wife and little girl. He blames the red tape of the United States Immigration Laws for the death of his wife, the illness of his daughter, and the destruction of his home.

TOTAL LOSS.

MARSHFIELD, Oregon, Dec. 16.

Government life savers were trying to shoot a line to the lumber schooner C. A. Smith, which struck the breakwaters at Coos Bay Bar, early Sunday, according to latest reports received here Sunday afternoon. The message said the vessel was a total loss.

A Fascinating Story of Stage Life.

Viola Dana, whose admirers on the screen are legion, has the stellar role in the Metro special production, "Home Stuff," which comes to the Crescent Theatre to-day.

Viola Dana has the stellar role of Madge Joy, a leading lady of a cheap barnstorming company, who finds a haven in a quiet, simple farmstead, after being ousted from the company, and her place taken by an inexperienced girl, whose admirer is willing to back the impoverished show. Then the company of actors come to the farm, bringing with them the girl, a runaway from the very home Madge has entered. The working out of the plot is truly splendid.

This story by Frank Dazey and Agnes Johnston was directed by Albert J. Kelley. John Arnold photographed and A. F. Mantz did the art work. The supporting cast includes Tom Gallery, Josephine Crowell, Nelson McDowell, Priscilla Bonner, Robert Chandler, Aileen Manning and Phillip Steeman.

To-night patrons will see Dolly Moore and Jimmie Clayton in a delightful change of dances, with many novel numbers that are sure to please all. On Wednesday night the Crescent is running a big Challenge Dance Contest, the contestants being Michael O'Neill, Leo Pierce and Vincent Burton. This is going to be a big event and a great evening's entertainment is looked for.

The Rise of Charles M. Schwab, Steel King.

PHENOMENAL JUMP FROM RAGS TO RICHES.

Hard work, unwavering courage, average brain power and best of all, a fondness for the work in which he has been engaged, is responsible for the phenomenal rise, from poor boy to prince of industry, of Charles M. Schwab.

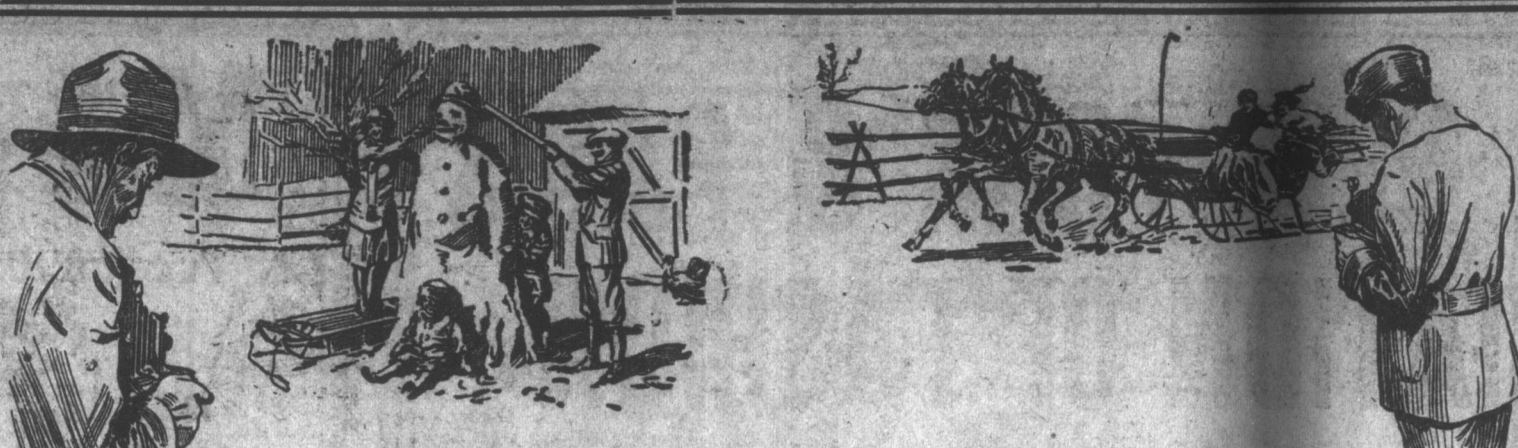
The career of Charles M. Schwab has about it the glamour of romance. If ever there was a justification for the phrase, "the romance of business" it can be applied to him. Nothing short of amazing describes the period between his getting a job at a dollar-a-day, as a state-driver and the war period when he says his services to his country at a dollar a year.

The world's greatest steel maker is fabulously rich, rich beyond his wildest imaginations, but he continues working for the love of it and has no intention of retiring. As he says: "Why do I work? What do I work for? I have more money than I can begin to spend. I work just for the pleasure I find in work, the satisfaction there is in developing things, in creating. Also, the association business begets. The man who does not work for the love of work, but only for the money is not likely to make money nor to find much fun in life."

Mr. Schwab, the man with the golden smile, got a public education and took up engineering at St. Francis College. After graduating, he helped drive his father's coach between Loretto, Pa., and Cresson Station, until he got a job as grocery boy. He was eighteen when Captain William R. Jones, then superintendent

of the steel works and right-hand man of Andrew Carnegie, stepped into the store. Schwab asked him for a job. Next morning he was driving stakes at a dollar a day. He is now the famous steel magnet.

A similar story is conveyed in the big photoplay, "Rags to Riches," which comes to the Nickel Monday next.



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