

PROMISES AN EXPOSURE RE LIQUOR

A Georgian Representative Says He Will Deal With Official "Winking" at Drinking.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Revelations which will "satisfy the most notorious and fastidious dry" are promised by Representatives Upshaw, Democrat of Georgia, who recently charged in the House that public officials generally wink at the Volstead Act.

"I am ready for any eventually growing out of Mr. Hill's resolution and the widespread demand of the press and people that this matter stop with my speech," said Mr. Upshaw.

"The people—the plain people—have cumulative evidence that some of these conferring governors and many other high officials do not practice the prohibition enforcement which they preach to others."

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SIX FORMER C. N. R. EMPLOYEES RECEIVE SERVICE MEDALS

Moncton, N. B., Jan. 8.—Six former C. N. R. employees here on January 8th were presented Imperial long service medals.

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GOOD THINGS COMING TO THE THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

REMEMBER 8.20. The curtain rises on "Fine Feathers," at St. Vincent's Auditorium tonight.

LOCAL NEWS

JUST RECEIVED. Ladies' five buckled overshoes, medium heels. On sale at \$4.45—Levine's, 90 King street.

Dance tonight, 105 Paradise Row. 7:45-10. 20 Costumes for hire at Arena.

CARNIVAL. Band on Carleton Rink tonight; excellent ice; special music; weather permitting.

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IRISH AFFAIRS

Dublin, Jan. 8.—State troops Saturday night raided the premises of the Bulletin, a Republican organ, and seized printing presses and ammunition.

The Republicans today started securing signatures to public protests against reprisal executions.

Dublin, Jan. 8.—A striking illustration of the wholesale destruction of railways in Ireland, allegedly by Republicans, is given in a map issued by the Southern and Western Railway.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Sweeping investigation into vice conditions and charges of collection of \$250,000 a week from beneficiaries has been voted by the grand jury.

MITCHELL TO REPRESENT GOVERNMENT

Arvey Mitchell, deputy minister of culture for New Brunswick, who is now in Ottawa, will represent this province at a conference on immigration there on Wednesday of this week.

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QUEBEC ELECTIONS

Moncton, Jan. 8.—Arthur Saue, provincial Conservative leader, will officially open the general election campaign of his party at the Monument Nationale here tonight.

Edward Bruder, a farmer of Forgan, Sask., committed suicide last week. Friends say he was worried over his income tax payment.

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DEATHS

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LEWIS—In Boston, on Jan. 2, Nellie, wife of Stanley Lewis of Boston, and daughter of Mrs. Ruby Earle, of St. John, N. B., leaving to mourn her husband and three children, her mother, three sisters and two brothers.

BANKS—At the General Public Hospital, on January 7, 1923, Rachel, beloved wife of Thomas Banks, leaving her husband and two sons to mourn.

LOCAL NEWS

FREDERICTON CURLERS. The Fredericton rink before the Blair curling trophy, competition for which will start on Wednesday evening, will be as follows: No. 1, skipped by T. A. Belmore and E. J. Gaudet.

VOCATIONAL BOARD MEETING. Dr. W. S. Carter, chief superintendent of education in New Brunswick, and Dr. H. V. Bridges, principal of Normal School, arrived in the city today at noon from Fredericton to attend a meeting of the Provincial Vocational Board here this evening.

THREE ACCIDENTS. Three slight accidents were reported from the West Side Emergency Hospital this morning.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Charles W. Cowan was held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late residence, 119 Mecklenburg street, where service was conducted last evening by Rev. S. S. Poole.

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EDUCATION CONVENTION

Association of American Colleges in Chicago This Week.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Religious conditions, academic freedom, athletics, college endowments, publicity and related subjects of importance in the field of education, will be reviewed here this week in connection with the annual convention of the Association of American Colleges, the Council of Church Boards of Education and Church Workers of universities.

The education situation in America is most encouraging, according to William S. Howell, of New York, Executive Secretary, and never in history have so many young people sought college training.

Scottish curlers met three rinks made up of curlers from all over Nova Scotia, this morning in the first test match of the Strathcona Cup series of the Scottish curlers' Canadian tour.

Truro, N. S., Jan. 8.—At 1:15 p. m., with play unbalanced, the standing was: Nova Scotia, 55; Scots, 46.

WORLD'S GREATEST SEAPLANE DESIGNED BY CAPRONI FIRM. London, Dec. 15.—(By mail)—The greatest seaplane in the world, a machine that will accommodate 100 passengers, has just been designed by the Italian Caproni firm by which it is to be constructed.

It will have a speed of ninety miles an hour and a cruising range of some 2,000 miles, and will take about two years to construct.

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SHERIFF SEIZES ANTIMONY MINES

Action Taken on Execution. Total Claims Being About \$2,000.

Fredricton, N. B., Jan. 8.—The antimony mines at Lake George, which have recently been operated by the North American Antimony and Smelt-Dixen, who had come to Fredericton from Lake George on Saturday, said that he felt confident matters would be straightened out.

This action was taken on an execution issued on behalf of Harvey Welton, of Minto, a coal mine operator, on claims said to total about \$2,000. Before leaving the city yesterday, Harold Dixon, who had come to Fredericton from Lake George on Saturday, said that he felt confident matters would be straightened out.

FREDERICTON NEWS. Fredericton, Jan. 8.—(Special)—William S. Howell, who has been in charge of the Holston Circuit of the Methodist Church, died Sunday night at the Victoria Public Hospital.

He was twenty-six and was a resident of Carleton Place, Newfoundland. Two sisters survive, Emma of Fredericton and Lizette at home, one brother, Harold at home, and one half-brother, Hayward, McCarthy of Boston, Mass.

Fredricton experienced zero weather during the week-end, Sunday night the temperature was twenty below zero.

The trial of John Shanks, charged with a serious offence against a thirteen-year-old girl, was postponed before Judge Slipp until Tuesday. It was caused by illness of one of the young girls wanted as a witness.

A tenth teacher was added to the staff of the Fredericton High School today, when the schools reopened for the second term of the year. The teacher is Irving R. Rouse, M. A., of Cornhill, N. B. He is a graduate of Acadia University and will resume Tuesday.

Lectures at the University of New Brunswick will be resumed Tuesday. The Provincial Normal School also will reopen Tuesday.

2 DROWNED IN BRAS D'OR LAKE. Miners on Way Home for Week End the Victims—Third Swims Safely to Shore.

North Sydney, N. S., Jan. 8.—Two men were drowned and a third narrowly escaped death Saturday night when a small boat sank under the weight of three men who were attempting to cross the neck of water that separates Little Bras D'Or Lake from the sea.

The victims were Alphonse Harriott, married, of Little Bras D'Or Bridge and Dennis Marsh, single, of Mill Creek. The men were employed at Toronto mine and were on their way to their homes for the week-end. Jesson, the third man, managed to swim ashore.

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It was particularly delightful with the artistic arrangement of the supper table under the skilful hand of Mrs. W. S. Clark, the "choir mother."

Representation of the Suspension Bridge was given, worked out in electric lights time and it is another indication that the work of the inspectors is gradually resulting in driving the bootlegger and pocket peddler off the streets.

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BEAUTIFUL AND RESTFUL

The designer of the Chesterfield Suite shown in the central window had a subtle command of his craft.

In the broad lines he sought an effect of repose as well as capaciousness. He accentuated this in the depth, which lets you fall right back for a lazy read or first-class forty winks.

The construction is as thorough as the plan, in both material and workmanship. A suite that produces studied effects of beauty and comfort without seeming to.

No more need be said of it except the moderateness of the price for the three pieces \$239

See it.

Comarcus Furniture, Rugs 30-36 Dock St.

FREE PORTS IN SWEDEN AID INTERNATIONAL TRADE

American Shippers Can Break Lots and Return Residue Without Loss.

Stockholm, Dec. 3.—(By Mail)—How American exporters can ship transit merchandise to Sweden and land and store it there without worrying about tariff regulations is explained in reports issued by the three free ports of Stockholm, Malmoe and Gothenburg.

Sweden is interested in the development of her free ports, all recently opened with a view of facilitating transit trade from the west to the Baltic States and Russia by enabling foreign exporters to place in the free ports consignments of goods intended for the Swedish and Baltic markets under conditions of absolute safety.

There are no import duties, and the storage rates are so low, compared to American charges, that it is said an American shipper can send his goods to Malmoe, for example, recall them from that place in smaller parcels out of stock, and then return the unsold consignment to America without having incurred any loss because of ocean freight charges. There is also the added advantage of having been able to supply his buyers with the least possible delay.

Statistical returns show that during the last year the free port at Stockholm earned the interest on the investment and even had a surplus. The free port of Gothenburg, during less than two months, has been used by 280 ships, chiefly American and Dutch, and the traffic now is growing so that the Gothenburg Bank has opened a special branch office within the port. Industrial plants will be erected within the lines of this port to manufacture products from goods temporarily in storage, and such manufactures may be shipped out without having incurred any Swedish tariff charges on the imported material. Foreign exporters of automobiles and machinery may ship parts and do the assembling work in the free port.

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D. BOYANER 111 Charlotte St. We are thorough and painstaking in our eye examinations.

Good Teas. Humphrey's Ceylon Orange Pekoe. Sold Retail at Humphrey's Coffee Store 14 King Street.

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JAN. 8. High Tide... 8.06 Low Tide... 9.61 Sun Rises... 8.02 Sun Sets... 4.59

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived Today. S. S. Metagama, 7,554, Evans, from Glasgow and Liverpool.

BRITISH PORTS. Southampton, Jan 6—Ard, str Olympic, New York.

FOREIGN PORTS. New York, Jan 6—Ard, str Albania, Hamburg.

MARINE NOTES. S. S. Manchester Exchange sailed on Saturday morning for Fredericton for St. John.

SEAMEN PLAN STRIKE AT ANTWERP THURSDAY. Brussels, Jan. 8.—A general strike of seamen has been set for next Thursday at Antwerp in an endeavor to enforce the demands of the sailors for an increase in wages to compensate them for depreciation in the value of the franc.