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#### Notice

Following our usual custom will publish at noon on Christhands before 4 p.m. on Wednes-

#### The President and His Ambassador

There are few statesmen who in their own time receive just criticism and even flagellation who has been more severely un- youd question and his popular sucder fire in recent years than the cess in England was unmistakable, late President Wilson, and the of late with even greater in- States. tensity than before owing to the

H. Page." As shown by the letters of the late American Ambassador, his communications to the President during the early years of the war were frequently unanswered, and often not even opened after they had reached the White House, although they rerresented the facts as witnessed and fully considered by two of the ablest men in the United States service, namely Walter H. Page and Colonel House.

The decision of the President to maintain neutrality even after American citizens had been subjected to acts of frightful- spent considerable time at their reness was undoubtedly one which serve depot in the ancient city and no rested with the Republic, but it doubt not a few have made themselves adds little to one's estimate of the President's judgement of character to find that he took as with most of us the names of the such views of his representa- public schools of England recall some tives overseas, as indicated in memory and others have been more the article which follows writ- closely identified with the work and ten by Bainbridge Colby, the Secretary of State at that time. Grand Falls

No one who has read without bias "The Life and Letters" can conclude for a moment that Page was ever anything but an intensely loyal American. No one but must realize the wonderful grasp that he had of the real situation, and if his fervour in referring to the wholehearted work of Great Britain was resented, it can only indicate came entangled between revolving a prejudice against the country, paper rollers, resulting in a fractured by those who make the charge, which is not altogether an uncommon weakness on the part of citizens of the great Republic. If No. 5 paper machine on which he was further evidence of Page's loyal- third hand. The unfortunate young ty is required, it is found in the man, son of the late George Collins of fact that he gave his life in the Falls, with his mother, for some years. service of his country.

The following article in which the late President's attitude and actions are defended is taken

H. Page" in the current number of the angle by the legal to the legal and in his review stresses the point ried ashore, and having been treated eral years. She is a sister of Mr. Mat- are cordially invited to atthat the letters, "interesting as they by Dr. Donohue was ordered to Hosare, were unanswered. It is a unil- pital.

"This brings up," Mr. Colby continues, "that interesting consideration, the position of a War President with per dozen, at J. J. WHELA relation to his excellent and zealous Grocery Store, No. 2 Col subordinates who from the best of Street. Phone 969 .- dec22.1i

I know something of this phase of the war. I saw much of it. I was in close contact with the President during some dramatic and critical RAISES noments in the course of the war. I emember one time in a moment of elaxation the President said to me:

"'You know, Colby, I have come to the conclusion that the chief duty devolving upon the President of the

assembled airplanes. There is a preparedness of insight and percep- Conference Between ion and of resolve and of responsibility. That was the field of preparedness in which the President of the United States, almost alone, performed his labors. He was no drill master. He did not head a commissariat charged with the mobilization of material. He was drafting and the Miners Delegation from Bell Is-

assembling and unifying the nation's land but, no particulars have been givspirit and its purpose and those deep lying forces of the will that underlay and animated the material side derstand the delegation is returning of the country's effort. \* \* \* "The President knew what he

should know. He was not groping in THE EVENING TELEGRAM the dark. He was the busiest man in the world and had no more time for Ambassadorial miscellanies than he mas Eve. Advertisers are re- had for Macauley's essays or Bagequested to note this fact and hot's treatise no public finance. Mr. bave all copy for that day, in our Page forgot this, or at least he was not sensible of it, and while his letters make a pretty literary legacy tions were passed asking that a thorand will fill a comfortable niche in ough investigation be made into the many a library, they fell in their co- conduct of the election. The resoluefficients far below the plane of tions were forwarded to the Colonial Presidential attention and concern Secretary for action. Those who atduring the war.

England on an official mission, and Tait and Ruby. Mr. McCarter was when I took my leave of the President recognition of their services or at the White House he said to me: whose actions, which, as later 'Now be an American. Our men only events have proved, were wise last about six months in England and and far-seeing, have escaped then they become Anglicized.' The President referred to that subtle and encompassing and penetrating charm from certain quarters. Of such which is English. I think Page fell a men, perhaps there is no one victim to it \* \* \* His sincerity is bespokesman of the President or a discussions have been re-opened dependable Ambassador of the United

"Hence the estrangement of Page from the President—and a President publication of another volume of ial silence that was considerate but "The Life and Letters of Walter knowing; followed by a course that was independent of his Ambassador but right."-N. Y. Times.

#### Dr. Rendall's Address.

DISTINGUISHED EDUCATIONALIST TO SPEAK ON ENGLISH PUBLIC

To-morrow evening Dr. Rendall, for ter College, will deliver an address on English Public Schools in the auditorium of the Newfoundland Memorial College, and an interesting and in- MEAD'S .- dec22,1i structive hour is assured those who attend. To many Nfld. veterans the name of Winchester College will recall many associations as almost within the shadow of its walls they familiar with the historic seat of learning. To the general public such a subject is certain to appeal strongly,

environment of one or other of them.

Paper Maker

CRUSHED TO DEATH IN MACHIN. ERY.

The tragic death of a paper maker, amed Graham Collins, employed at the Grand Falls mills, is reported in a message to the Deputy Minister of Justice from Magistrate Fitzgerald. Collins, who was 23 years of age, becurred about 8.30 Saturday evening when the deceased was engaged on

## Had Leg Broken

from the New York Times:

Bainbridge Celby, who succeeded Robert Lansing as Secretary of State in President Wilson's second Administration, has reviewed the newly published "Life and Letters of Walter Bours ashore, when he got caught by it near the door of the Page" in the current number of the succeeded Robert Lansing as Secretary of State in President Wilson's second Administration, has reviewed the newly published "Life and Letters of Walter Bours ashore, when he got caught by it near the door of the got caught by it near the door of the land and land as a second president wilders and contractors, in Germantown, Philadelphia. He left on Sunday last to spend the winter in Newfoundiand, where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Also Gardner, in the Board of Trade by His Worship Mayor Cook and President Wilson's Sweep" will be drawn Tues
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## Government and Bell Island Delegates

A conference was held yesterday af ternoon between the Government and en out as to what was discussed or the results of the discussion. We un-

#### **Muncipal Candidates** Ask for Investigation

Yesterday afternoon a meeting of andidates in the recent Municipal Election was held at which resolutended the meeting were Messrs. "I had occasion, during one of the Collier, Outerbridge, Dowden, Mur darkest hours of the war, to visit doch, W. Kennedy, Chafe, Bulley, chairman and Mrs. Earle, secretary,

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### Special Train Left Town

A special train went out at nine o'clock this morning for points as far as Curling. The train was made up of six passenger cars, two sleepers and a diner. Return will be made from Curling at 10 a.m. to-morrow. This train has been placed in the service to cope with the heavy passenger traffic which has increased during the past week, due to the Christmas season.

Bobbed hair? Yes! We have a splendid assortment of Clips for parties or school, at LANG-

#### Personals

Mr. H. J. Crowe is at present in the city from Hampden and is staying at Balsam Place.

Mr. E. W. Taylor, General Freight Agent of the Government Railway, who has been confined to his home very ill for the past two weeks, is slightly improved to-day. Mrs. A. Haytery from Bishop Falls is now in town spending a few days

with her daughter, Mrs. T. P. Hartery. (Nfld. Weekly.)

#### We were glad to welcome at the office of the "Weekly" during the past

week: Mr. Fred J. Young, formerly of Twillingate, who left Newfoundland 3 years ago. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Young and is in the employ of Burnham Bros., a large cabinet-making firm at Newton Centre.

Miss Doris Noseworthy, daughter of Mr. John Noseworthy of Clarke's Beach, C.B., Miss Noseworthy has been residing in Combridge for the past thirteen months and expects to return on a visit to her parents.

Mr. William Bird, formerly of Dunville, P.B., who left home in 1897 and came to Boston. Four years later he went out West where he remained for nine years, and then returned to the Hub where he has since been engaged in the structural steel trade. Mr. Bird the G.P.O., has been resident in Grand has been back to Newfoundland since first leaving home and is now residing with his family in Dorcheste

### Magistrate's Court

A 19 year old labourer named Parell, arrested yesterday by Sergt. Nugent while under the influence of liquor, appeared before court this morniing, and was charged by the Board of LONDON, Dec. 22. Liquor Control for a breach of Sec- prudence, vesterday, declared that Stockholders of the New- tion 25 of the Alcoholic Liquors Act. Portugal and Spain had agreed to setfoundland Power & Paper Co., The accused on pleading guilty, stat- the all disputes affecting the two namortgage debentures up to two ing rum near the Furness Withy pre- the authority of the League of Na-

> doctor to-day. Another man taken in apparently sane was released to go home to his

#### Feildian Travel Sweep

At 3 p.m. to-day the winning tickets in the Feildian Travel Sweep, which has been conducted by the Grounds Association, will be drawn in the Board of Trade Rooms by the Hon. Mayor Tasker Cook and representa- Army Reserve, arrived in Paris from tive citizens. This novel sweepstake Morocco this morning bearing has attracted considerable interest and credentials from Abd-el-Krim authe committee in charge are deserving thorizing him to open peace negotiamanner in which it has been conducted and the promptness with which it has been concluded. The proceeds are devoted to the laying out of the Tannery grounds. Already a splendid plan of the playing fields has been made and the work of trenching an

#### Sealing Ship on Way From Glasgow

tensive alterations during the past lery valued at \$1,300. six or seven months which she has been on the other side. The work was to five families. At the home of David done under the supervision of Capt. Landers five were chloroformed; six Faulke, who is bringing her out.

## Star Ladies' Association

The annual meeting of the Star Ladies' Association took place last night and was largely attended. The election of officers was conducted by several hours deliberately and systemthe President of the Society, Mr. P.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Cashin, and resulted as follows:-Mrs. C. Buckley-President. Mrs. W Collett-Vice-President Miss Katherine Ryan-Treasurer. Miss M. Forward-Secretary.

A Christmas Present worth while: Thompson's Chain-Reference Bible, used by the greatest Bible scholars, yet simple enough for a child to understand. G. W. GUSHUE, Agent .- nov23,14i,eod

#### Large Mail Arrives

At present the General Delivery at the G. P. O. presents a very busy scene. The employees of the department are unconscious, she said, and was unable kept working day and night handling to give any description of the man. the Xmas will matter. The Christmas mail parcels from abroad which arrived by rail this morning is very large, and the officials are busily engaged assorting the matter, but they hope to have their work completed tonight.

Just what you required in Men's Shirts-a smart Negligee with separate stiff collar to match-see the New Stock at Ayre & Sons, Ltd.

#### **Government Boats**

Argyle left Lawn 3.45 p.m. yesterlay, inward.

Caribou left Port aux Basques 8.10 a.m. to-day. Clyde left Herring Neck 1 p.m. yes

terday, outward. Glencoe leaving Argentia to-mor-

Home left Springdale 4.35 p.m. yesterday, inward. Kyle left Hampden 1.50 p.m. yeserday, going north. Malakoff left Port Blandford 7.15

a.m. to-day. Meigle at St. John's. Portis left English Hr. 4.50 p.m. resterday, coming east. Prospero left Conche 3.30 terday, going north. Sagona at Humbermouth

Mr. Silas Gardner, of Barton, T.B., F. A. G. ASS'N "TRAVEL who came to this country in May last SWEEP." - The Winning Whilst Pilot John Walsh was engag
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Whilst Pilot John Walsh was engagthew Canning who visited our office tend. P. E. OUTERBRIDGE, last week from Brooklyn, N.Y. I. C. HAYWARD, FRANK BENNETT, Sweep Commit-

## TO-DAY'S MESSAGES

AGREEMENT BETWEEN SPAIN AND PORTUGAL

MADRID, Dec. 22. Foreign Minister Yanguas, in a ed that he picked up a bottle contain- tions judicially, and also to fortify es, and drank it. He was fined tious as they were not about to submit serious questions between the two countries to the League.

RUBBER PROFITS.

LONDON, Dec. 22. An estimate, printed in the Daily Express, credits the British rubber companies with having increased their profits by about fifty million pounds this year, the bulk of it representing United States transactions. The output of the British plantations was about half the total world production.

KRIM'S ENVOY IN PARIS. Captain Gordon Canning, British

of great credit for the businesslike tions between the Riffians and French. DEATH OF NOTED PUBLISHER. NEW YORK, Dec. 22. Frank A. Munsey, publisher, died

shortly before seven this morning of

#### Chloroform is Used by Bandits

Steubenville, Ohio, Dec. 15. -Sheriff's deputies Monday, after an Yesterday evening Messrs. Job Bros. ali day search, were without clues as were advised that their new sealing to the identity of robbers who yestership, formerly the Lake Como, had day invaded the village of Bradley, left Glasgow for herc. The ship, re- near here, chloroformed 25 persons named "Beothic," has undergone ex- and escaped with money and jewel-

The robbers confined their activities in the house of Dewey Lyons; four in the home of Joseph Daranek; three in David Harbinson's home, and seven in the home of Julius Legross. Officials last night were continuing their investigation of places where the bandits might have obtained the chloroform. Entering the homes the robbers put their victims under the influence of the anaesthetic and for atically ransacked the five houses. A number of the homes were entered by

means of skeleton keys. Some of the victims recovered consciousness around noon and notified officers here, who proceeded to the mining village. A number of those put under the anaesthetic still were sleeping when officers arrived. All the victims had fully recovered yesterday, reports said, and had suffered no ill pened windows so as to insure recovery from effects of the chloroform. At the Legross home Mrs. Legross told officers she saw a strange man standing over her bed with what she termed a fumigator. She soon became At other/homes, persons said they had seen robbers enter their homes. but before they could leave their beds they were put to sleep with towels saturated with chloroform.

#### Car Driver Who Ran Over Women Given Two Years

MONTREAL, Dec. 11. - Philbert Coutu, driver of a car which ran over woman, causing severe injuries, and who speeded away after the accident, was sentenced to two years in penitentiary to-day by Judge Lacroix, after being found guilty of wounding.

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Last evening, Frances Pack, widow J. Pack. Funeral on Wednesday at p.m. from the residence of her son-n-law, W. Campbell, Circular Road. At the home of her sister, Mrs. Eugene Pike, at Everett, Mass., on Sun-day afternoon, Dec. 20th., Elizabeth, second eldest daughter of Louise and the late E. W. Bennett Sr. Interment

On 21st of Dec. there passed pe

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SAND PAPER. Garnet, doz. sheets ... Emery Cloth, doz. sheets

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Stainless White Handle per doz. \$6.60, \$7.00, \$7 Tea Spoons, per doz, 33c., 35c., 95c., \$1.30, \$2.80, Dessert Spoons, per de 65c., \$1.65, \$2.50, \$5.00, Table Spoons, per do 70c., \$3.00, \$3.30, \$5.00, Knives and Forks. Metal Handle, per doz. . . Brown Handle, per doz. White Handle, per doz.

### The Neyle-Soper Hardware Co., Lim

**Noted Criminal** Makes Es "BUM" ROGERS, CROOK

CHILDHOOD, BREAKS AW FROM GUARD. New York, Dec. 15 .- "Bum" who started troubling the pol years ago as a juvenile delin and whose criminal career has quainted him with many prison won him an unenviable reputati this city, escaped from the of a guard Monday, as he was taken to Sing Sing to serve 201 Charged with extortion, assault robbers, Rogers, heavily man was aboard a train bound for 0s seated beside Edward Beckwith guard. As the train glided in station at 125th Street, the tongued criminal persuaded Best to unfasten one of his handous the same instant, two men, seals hind the pair, rose to their feel. A blackjack crunched sicked on the guard's skull and Roger his confederates stepped

steps and were swallowed up busy srteet. This was "Bum's" second from a long prison term. In 1924, while serving an indeter sentence at Welfare Island, by two companions crawled throm window only partly protected by slid down a clothes line, dropp the ground and walked away to dom. Rogers was captured las after a running pistol battle patrolman Casey on the upper

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