ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14, 1920

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In the tariff only affect the manufacturers of the control was possible to determine to what the law should be less madulia sentimentality exhibited whenever a murdere Provincial Legislatures. Or the laberal doctrine that changes in the looks certain, and that thing tariff only affect the manufacturers. And the argument for the obliteration go. And apparently a very to able number of grain growers dresponds a lone political furrow, and to be tolerant of any alliances will ensure the ly designed to promote the politices not explain how importing commoditions of Mr. Crerar or anybocolitics will "stimulate and increase else.

Withal, last year, I would you had not passed.

Upon the threshold of my glad new year I wonder what its purport—what it hold.

Will it be rich with blessings manifold. Or bring a sorry burden and a tear? Shall I rejoice when it is dead and cold. Or cherish it a friend forever dear?

However, the Brandon conventions going to achieve free trade in a was not remarkable for consistency, where nearly every other country abolition of the Board of Commerce, for tariff protection. and then proceeded to demand that the Board of Commerce investigate the profits of the lumber operators.

enterprising institution the gress of tant factor in the pro-Réyal Bank of Canada has published asset of country as well as an military parable value from the some length the opportunities for Canada has published asset of country as well as an military parable value from the the manufaction. To encourage it is only a report."

He: It's reported that we are engaged."

She: "Well, it's not my fault that an interesting brochure describing at some length the opportunities for Canadian trade in the West Indies. The manufactured articles and a greaty of foodstuffs upon other countries. Those islands are apparently entering upon a period of development of the possibilities of their natural resources are attracting increasing strention and with increasing prosperity there will be a larger demand for modern conveniences and commodities from and with increasing prosperity there will be a larger demand for modern conveniences and commodities from the possibilities of their natural resources which allow a tariff preference of twenty per cent on most goods of Canadian origin. Canada has the advanced of a direct steamship service with these colonies.

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with these colonies.

If Canada is to play her part in the economic contest of the nations and meet her heavy obligations it is, says the Royal Bank, "essential that the foreign trade of the Dominion should be increased, and among the fields available for commercial enterprise and an annual allowance of \$150 for upkeep. Bounties are only paid to Japanese subjects.

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"Well, you have mine!"

They Are.

The upkee per yet these after-Christmas sales are the upkeep bounty is maintained for those who have any money the per at the person case of trucks owned and per at the person case of trucks owned and an annual allowance of \$150 for upkeep. Bounties are only paid to Japanese subjects.

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Trie Difference.

Cu. Slight Error. islands and adjacent mainlands of the Caribbean Sea. Lying remote from the seat of war, the abnormal demand for their products, at high prices, has greatly increased their wealth and purchasing power. They constitute for us a chain of ideal markets, demanding commodities which we have to sell and supplying what we wish to purchase. A yearly subsidy of \$340, 000 is also paid by the Dominion Goviernment to the Royal Mail Steam Packet to ensure a fortnightly steamship service from Canadian ports to the West Indies, and with the creation of our merchaat marine, present legal tender. In order to increase paper circulation during the war automatic and increase paper circulation during the war automatic and increase paper circulation during the war automatic at the Caribbean Scotland and Ireland ceased to be paper circulation during the war automatic at the Caribbean Scotland and Ireland ceased to be paper circulation during the war automatic at the British Government was in such financial straits that it wanied to negotiate a loan for \$13. of our merchaat marine, present steamship facilities will be improved and increased. It is vitally necessary, however, for the Canadian merchant to enter upon his conquest of new markets with energy and enterprise, giving up old usages of trade wherever necessary. Travelling men or permanent agents of proved ability only should be appointed, and the smallest orders accepted in the nope of a future expansion of trade." "Unity and Stability Canada's Great Need" is the way The Telegraph heads

THE ORACULAR LEADER.

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King's sec the Liberal Leader's "inspiring speech ond oration in the series of campaign at Halffax. Editorially The Telegraph speeches intended to justify his selection as jetting as tion as leader will hardly set the Canada belongs obviously to the Lib-heather on fire. His address to the wise men of the east is as full of plati-tudes as his speech at Newmarket; in fact contained the same old platitudes word for word. His local word for word. His lofty eloquence soars in the glittering realms of generalities, and does not descend to the lower levels of practical politics. He again affirms that Liberal principles, or rather Liberal traditions again affirms that Liberal principles, or rather Liberal traditions, must guide the process of reconstruction, and lead the party to the promised land, but, beyond asserting that the tariff must be revised after a fashion that will be acceptable to Hon. Mr. Fielding, and that more revenue will have to be raised by direct taxation, he gives no hint as to how his Liberal traditions are to be embodied in a practical programme of legislation. Of constructive statesmanship the new leader has yet given no sign, and he as yet shows no capasity for criticism. He finds it hardly possible to believe that the

WHAT THEY SAY

Left Dry Land.

Muncie Press: Noah's ark finally found dry land. The Soviet left one.

Salt Lake Tribune: It is said that a "wave of crime is sweeping over the country" and that it is due in part to passions excited by the world war. It is probably true that the crime "wave" is with us, but it is impossible to determine to what extent the war is responsible. But in any event, the law should be more rigidly enforced and deere should be less maudin sentimentality exhibited whenever a murderer is convicted and sentenced.

A BIT OF FUN

canal then proceeded to demand that the Board of Commerce investigate the profits of the lumber operators.

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Benny's Note Book

Yestidday aftirnoon I was up in my room and I drew a target on my pillo with a bernt match stick and started to pracktice target pracktice with my ball of tin foll, and after I had hit the bulls eye about 5 times strate wat did the ball of ain foll do but alip out of my hand and go rite throo the window, hereaking the gives on the way.

breaking the glass on the way.

G. Jiminny Krissmas gosh, G. I thawt.

And I pulled out the broak peeces of glass that was still sticking in the wood, making it look as if the glass was still there, unless you was sispleious or got too close. And jest then I'heard ma going past on her way down stairs, and I called.

Wat, I havent eny time for foolishness, sed ma. This aint foolishness, ma, I jest wunt to show you how cleen my window

Wich ma came to the door and looked, saying, Well, yours rite, Nora did a good job wen she washed that window. It dont look as if theres eny glass in it at all, does it ma?

It looks as if it was jest air insted of glass, dont it, ma? I 🐁

Well thats all it is, ma, I sed, and ma sed, wat? wat? and I sed, My ball of tin foil axsidently went throo it wile I was having target pracktice and broak the glass out, it fooled you, did-

Did this fool you? sed ma. And she gave me a fearse krack and I wasent allowed out eny more except long enuff to go erround and tell the glass man.



MAY ASK WILLIAM TO RETURN HOME

The Difference.

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"I say, I've had to bring of the Allies. He said that

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