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Most Popular Man in world



WHY'S the most popular man in the world with the children? Why, Santa Claus, of course. Just glance at the picture for proof.

But for many Saint John children there will be no Santa Claus, unless those who have the goods of the world will continue to increase the Times-Star Empty Stocking Fund.

Table listing names and amounts for the Empty Stocking Fund, including Marjorie Calder, Fair Haven, and others.

COOPER APPLIES FOR FEDERAL PERMIT

Asks Three Years License to Study Passamaquoddy Power Project

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Dexter P. Cooper, Inc., civil engineers, interested in the proposal to harness the tides of the Bay of Fundy, announced that application has been made by them to the Federal Power Commission for a three year license to study the project and make preliminary arrangements.

SPOTTON TO APPEAL

Will Contest Ruling Giving Progressive Seat in North Huron

TORONTO, Dec. 11.—The Mail and Empire today says: It is stated authoritatively, that an appeal will be made on behalf of George Spotton, Conservative candidate in North Huron against ruling of Mr. Justice Wright allowing ballots with counterfoils to be counted, the result being that G. W. King, Progressive candidate has a majority. The appeal, it is declared, will be presented to the fullest extent.

BRITISH MINISTER ARRIVES

VERA CRUZ, Mexico, Dec. 11.—Emond Ovey, appointed British Minister to Mexico upon the resumption of diplomatic relations between the two countries recently, has arrived here on his way to the capital. He was met by the Mexican chief of protocol.

53 DIE IN ALABAMA MILLE BLAST

THREE BODIES STILL SOUGHT BY WORKERS

Forty-eight Are Recovered From Shaft Today

CAUSE UNKNOWN

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 11.—With a death list of 53 believed to have been definitely determined, rescue workers were making final efforts today to remove the bodies remaining in Overton Mines, Number 2, which was partly wrecked by an explosion of gas yesterday. The bodies remaining in the mine are those of two white men and one negro. Of the bodies already removed, 43 are negro and seven white.

World News In Short Metre

MONTREAL.—David Kouri, 45, was instantly killed when he fell down a flight of stairs at his home yesterday.

FIRE DOES DAMAGE TO CAPITAL HOME

Blaze in Residence of James T. Mavor—Dr. Allen is Impoverishing

FREDERICTON, Dec. 11.—(Special)—Dr. T. C. Allen, registrar of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, who is undergoing treatment in Montreal, is improving steadily but his return before Christmas is not expected.

Alberta Ex-Minister Faces Theft Charge

EDMONTON, Dec. 11.—Hon. Geo. P. Smith, ex-Minister of Education, was formally charged in police court today with the theft of \$8,820 from the Alberta treasury by means of fraudulent printing invoices. He did not plead and bail was arranged at \$20,000.

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CORNING, N. Y., Dec. 11.—Information leading to the arrest of Michael Enright, 64, in connection with the slaying of Timothy Shea, of Campbell, is being checked by District Attorney Guy W. Cheney. Enright is a brother of Richard E. Enright, police commissioner of New York City, on whose farm Shea was slain, Wednesday night or early Thursday morning. He is being held pending the decision of the prosecutor.

CRIPPLE IS REACHED

Aid Comes to Rudderless Vessel in Mid-Pacific—Likely in Tow

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 11.—The steamer West Holbrook, rudderless West O'Rowa at 2 a.m. yesterday and officers of the Columbia Shipping Company, operators of the vessel, assumed that the West Holbrook and the Dewey are now engaged in towing the West O'Rowa. The disabled ship about 2,200 miles west of Portland for several days.

Ulster Premier Sees New Era Dawning In Ireland

Britain Not Seeking War But Will Maintain Mosul Rights, Declares Colonial Secretary

By HENRY WOOD

GENEVA, Dec. 11.—"It was forced on us, England will maintain her rights as she has always done," declared British Colonial Secretary L. C. M. S. Amery in an exclusive interview with the United Press today. He was discussing the delicate situation surrounding the League of Nations efforts to reach a decision as to future control of the oil district of Mosul.

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THE Weather

SYNOPSIS—A shallow depression is passing southeastward over the Great Lakes. The weather continues mild in the Western Provinces and is becoming milder East.

FAIR AND MILD.—FORECASTS: MARITIME—Fresh westerly winds, fair and milder, Saturday, southwestward, winds, milder. NEW ENGLAND—Cloudy to night and Saturday, probably light rain in south and light rain or snow in north portion; warmer tonight, fresh westerly strong southwest and west winds.

TEMPERATURES

Table showing temperatures for Toronto, Dec. 11, with columns for lowest and highest during 8 a.m. yesterday, night, and today.

TORONTO, Dec. 11.—Lowest 8 a.m. yesterday, night, Victoria 46, Calgary 44, Winnipeg 26, Toronto 24, Montreal 12, Saint John 8, New York 28.