

LOCAL NEWS

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After the parade tonight, why not plan to go to the Venetian Gardens. The champion skaters have promised to be there, and a delightful time is promised. Come early.

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Pythian Castle, Feb. 26, 27, limited number of tickets at \$2.00. Main street; A. Chipman Smith's, Charlotte street; Edwin Ellis's, Germain street; Chas. Baillie's, King street; W. J. McMillan's, 288 Waterloo street, and with members of minstrel, 8004-2-15.

GRAND CARNIVAL MASQUERADE.
Arms, Thursday night. Gold prizes for costumes—combination, original, impersonation, comic, fancy. 9222-2-15.

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All G. W. V. A. members and returned soldiers are urged to request a honor Canada's Winter Queen by turning out for the torch light procession Wednesday evening and accompanying the G. W. V. A. float. 9207-2-15.

ARENA.
Moccasin dance tonight after big parade. It is wonderful dancing on a new sheet of ice with moccasins, over shoes or rubbers. Follow the crowd. Admission 25 cents.

No. 1 loose hay for sale—Apply Phone 396. 9222-2-17.

Best Year in History of The Sun Life

The financial statement issued by the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada this week affords a demonstration of activity and strength which will be gratifying alike to its policyholders, and to the larger public who take pride in the predominant position occupied by Canadian financial institutions.

The statement covers the transactions of the Company during 1922, the fifty-first year of its operation. In all particulars substantial advances are recorded as compared with the previous year. New Business written reached \$107,225,244, and the total assets now in force reach the impressive figure of \$631,404,869. These figures emphasize the Company's position as the leading Life Company, doing an ordinary Life Business exclusively in the British Empire.

This expansion is accompanied by corresponding increases in Income, Assets and Surplus. From premiums, interest and other sources a total cash income of \$36,251,222 for the year is recorded, an excess over the 1921 figure of \$5,444,172—by far the greatest advance ever recorded in a single year. Assets now reach the sum of \$174,088,688, an increase of \$4,716,751; another record, both relatively and absolutely, for the Company. After providing for all liabilities and capital stock and setting aside substantial sums to provide for investment fluctuations and other contingencies, a surplus of \$14,269,420, is disclosed, being a gain of \$5,885,511 over the year 1921.

That the Sun Life of Canada is fulfilling its mission is demonstrated by its payment to policyholders or their beneficiaries during the year, a total of \$18,615,505, being reached. This represents a payment of \$6,500 for each hour of the year on the basis of a working day of eight hours. The sum of \$2,673,516 was paid or allotted, in respect of dividends. The Company has now paid to its policyholders or their representatives since organization a total of \$129,770,509.

The statement justifies the claim that the Sun Life of Canada has enjoyed the most profitable and satisfactory year in a history remarkable for its progress.

LAKE FOOTWEAR FALLS FOR ALL AT SENIOR SALE

Felt boots, overshoes and jersey storm rubbers appear at record low prices in Frances & Vaughan's February sale.

For men—\$3.75 felt lace boots with thick felt soles, withstand the lake weather, at \$2.50.

Waterproof, fleece-lined overshoes, too buckled, that were \$3.95, now \$2.85. Another of the best with one buckle, worth \$2.75, sale, \$1.95; \$1.95 jersey storm rubbers, \$1.50.

For ladies—Four and five buckle finest overshoes, worth \$4.50 to \$5.75, on February sale, \$3.85, \$4.50, \$4.75. The lowest cost of comfort at Frances & Vaughan's semi-annual sale.

How to Make Pine Cough Syrup at Home

Has no equal for prompt results. Take but a moment to prepare, and have you about \$2.

You know that pine is used in nearly all prescriptions and remedies for coughs. The reason is that pine contains several peculiar elements that have a remarkable effect in soothing and healing the membranes of the throat and chest.

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To make the best pine cough remedy that money can buy, put 2½ ounces of Pinex in a 16-oz. bottle, and fill up with homemade Pinex syrup. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup.

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FRANKLIN CENTENARY.

(Toronto Globe)

Benjamin Franklin's birthday is to be tentatively celebrated tomorrow in New York and other American cities, when tribute will be paid to this powerful Revolutionary figure, whose work in literature, economics and science in many diverse forms ranks him high among the natives of his country.

It is not probable that Canada will be represented in the placing of wreaths on the Franklin statue, but the genial Benjamin touched the life of this country at several important points. Early in 1760, while the war between Britain and France was in progress, Franklin was in England, as a friendly visitor from one of the colonies in America, and he then urged the authorities to conquer Canada instead of waging war against France in the heart of

Germany. Later that year Wolfe captured Quebec, and in the following year Franklin wrote a pamphlet strongly urging Britain to retain Canada at the peace instead of Guadalupe, as was seriously proposed in some quarters. It is generally believed that he exercised a good deal of influence with the British Government to this decision.

Franklin's principal connection with Canada, however, was in the spring of 1776, when he, with Samuel Chase and Charles Carroll, formed a mission to Montreal in the hope of detaching the allegiance of the French from the British cause. Arnold had already been some months in the country, and the attack on Quebec on the last day of the previous year had resulted in failure and the death of General Montgomery.

This mission proved to be Franklin's only diplomatic failure. He had made an impression in England, and he was to accomplish a great deal

in France in the next years, but he failed to move the French-Canadians to throw in their lot with the thirteen revolting colonies.

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the church. The evening was very pleasantly spent in games appropriate to the occasion which were entered into with a great deal of enthusiasm and caused much merriment. About fifty sat down to supper and the tables were very artistically decorated. Each one present received a memento from the girls' class. The party was chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Parker Mitchell.

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Proprietor of Chop Suey Restaurant Was Accused by Two Typists.

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Chink was accused by Alice Blair, 26 years old, and Mary Blair, 18 years old, typists, of 83 Morton Street, with stepping up to them at Jefferson Street and East Broadway at about noon on Feb. 11 and saying: "Where are you going, girls?" They did not answer and he followed them ten blocks, they said, when they came across Patrolman John Connelly of the Clinton Street Station. They told the patrolman what had happened and Charles Chink was arrested. The prisoner denied the charges, but was ordered to pay a fine of \$25 or serve ten days in jail. He paid the fine.

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Metropolitan George Assassinated by Zealot Because of Alliance Between State and Religious Liberals.

Warsaw, Feb. 9.—(By the Associated Press).—The chief of the Russian Church in Poland, the Metropolitan George, was assassinated last night by the Russian monk Smaragd. The assassin belonged to a group of the clergy which oppose the Metropolitan because of the latter's pro-Polish policy.

As presiding officer of the Synod of Orthodox eastern bishops the Metropolitan George headed the third church in order of importance in Poland. The great majority of the inhabitants of Poland are Roman Catholics, with the Greek Catholic Church holding second place.

Metropolitan George held the titles Bishop of Warsaw and Cheim and Archbishop of Wilno. The monk, an Archimandrite, whose full name is Smaragd Latyszenka, was arrested.

The assassination of Metropolitan George was the result of a bitter struggle between the orthodox faction of the Russian Church in Poland and the faction led by Metropolitan George.

"Metropolitan George," he said, "aroused passionate antagonism by allying himself with the Polish government and attempting to break away from the main body of the Russian Church. Orthodox priests in Poland felt that he was allying himself with the Roman Catholic Church."

"Metropolitan George openly denied the authority of our Patriarch Tikhon, who is now being held in prison in Moscow by the Soviet government. He declared the Russian Church in Poland an independent body and threw its destinies in with those of the Polish State, which is dominated by Roman Catholics."

"This attitude on his part is not new in the history of our church. Personally, I do not know who the monk Smaragd is, but undoubtedly he is one of the leaders of the faction which has remained faithful to Patriarch Tikhon and opposed to religious co-operation with the Polish political parties."

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4 lbs. Rice 25c

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