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Many people of Cape Breton are testifying to the good results Decco has given them. For instance, Mr. William Marr, a merchant of North Sydney, who owns a cigar and tobacco store, says: "I highly recommend Decco and feel sure that anyone suffering with indigestion and stomach trouble will get great benefit from it. I am now taking my third bottle and it is a fact that I have not been so relieved for many months."

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Decco, the great herbal tonic, is winning new victories every day for sick, nervous, run-down, weak men and women who are in need of a tonic and rebuild.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL

Reports from the various classes and departments submitted at the annual meeting of Central Baptist Church Sunday school last evening, showed the school to be in a flourishing condition.

Hartley S. Wamaker, the superintendent, presided at the meeting, which was held after the service of supper. A. E. Jenner read the secretary's report, while the treasurer's report showed a balance on hand of \$10.85.

The following officers were elected: Superintendent, Hartley S. Wamaker; associate superintendents, Archie Gillies and Fenwick Morris; secretary, Wendell Belyea; assistants, Edwin McRoberts and A. E. Jenner; pianist, Miss Gladys Dykeman; assistants, Miss H. S. Belyea and Miss Bertha Brundage; assistant, Miss McCoy; cradle roll, Mrs. George Scanlan; assistant, Miss Rae Wilson. C. J. Stammers, who has been an associate superintendent for the last four years and who will soon move to the west side, was elected as an honorary superintendent.

At the close of the meeting Rev. James Dunlop gave an interesting and helpful address, after which the meeting closed with the doxology.

The report of the charity fund committee, submitted by W. H. Golding, showed that the Sunday school had raised nearly \$300, which had been spent mostly in the buying of coal, groceries, clothing, etc., for those who were in need.

The superintendent, in his annual address, spoke of the great loss sustained by the school during the year through the death of Miss Edith Allen, Mrs. Sophia Belyea and Harvey Craft. Mr. Craft, at the time of his death, two weeks ago, was the secretary of the school.

ARABS OF MOSUL REBEL AGAINST RULE OF 'BRITISH'

Air Hangars Burned by Them, is Report Sent from Angora as Pact with the Turks Hangs Fire.

(By Warre B. Wells, in New York Tribune)

London—Coincident with the deadlock and the near rupture between the British and Turks at Lausanne over the future of Mosul comes the news from Angora of an uprising of Arabs in the disputed oil-bearing district against the British mandatory rule. Hangers of the British air force in Mosul were burned by the rebels, according to the Angora story. This report was denied in official circles here, but while the censorship is most strict it is not denied that there is a great deal of disorder in the northern Mesopotamian province.

The history of the British occupation since 1918 to date is a record of repeated uprisings and their suppression. There was a fierce uprising last summer in northern Mosul, in which the Turks and Kurds combined in the attempt to establish an independent government. On this occasion punitive columns were sent against the insurgents by the British, which had to withdraw after suffering serious losses.

This condition of a more or less suppressed rebellion is not peculiar to the Mosul district, but extends through the whole of Mesopotamia, though the British are able to maintain a better hold on the country further south.

Air Service is Hated

Angora's special reference in connection with the new uprising to the attack on the hangars may be intended to serve propagandist purposes, for the air force is not exactly the most popular column of the British power in Mesopotamia.

According to Sir Percival Phillips, an independent and well-known journalist, who was sent out to make a special investigation of conditions there, the bombing of villages from the air is more or less a regular routine for the British. The country enjoys the same brand of independence as does Egypt or Cuba. Great Britain having elected to occupy the country, the League of Nations through the native ruler instead of directly, but as a matter of fact King Faisal's power depends entirely upon British bayonets and bombs.

The relations between Great Britain and Mesopotamia are regulated by a treaty concluded with the native government, and the terms of this treaty are one of Lord Curzon's main arguments in his claim of the claim of the British to Mosul at Lausanne.

The Mosul question is not one of oil, it is insisted here, where a section of the press carries the propaganda. This sense is traceable to certain American oil interests. This denial, however, is not accepted by French writers, who assert that Great Britain's sole object in the Lausanne negotiations is to secure the oil-field rights already specified in various treaties and to guarantee their strategic security and peaceful exploitation by means of an Anglo-Turkish agreement.

The story goes that when the European powers were busy making claims against Turkey, which then seemed to be moribund, Clemenceau in a careless mood handed over Mosul to the British because he had never heard of it, and this may be accountable for the French soreness.

British Bound by Treaty

The British claim that it would be just as feasible to safeguard the British oil undertakings under Turkey as under the native kingdom, and that the reasons for the British interest in Mosul are quite different. It is conceded that Mosul is racially not Turkish, the inhabitants having two distinct groups, the majority being of the Turkish race, Great Britain being bound by the treaty not to alienate the territory. While the British contend, the one hand, that Mosul is of no value whatever to an unaggressive Turkey confined within Turkish racial limits, on the other hand it is indispensable to Mesopotamia, of which it forms an integral part.

The first meeting this season of the Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis was held yesterday afternoon in the Health Centre, with E. L. Rising in the chair. The seriousness of the financial condition came in for considerable discussion. The work of the society was divided into five sections with a convener at the head of each class, as follows: Financial, A. C. Skelton; medical, Dr. H. A. Farris; supplies, Miss Helen Sidney Smith; nursing and home treatment, Mrs. Arthur Bowman; publicity, Mrs. Arthur W. Adams.

Her Three Children HAD Whooping Cough

DR. WOODS' NORWAY PINE SYRUP is highly recommended by mothers everywhere for the relief of this trouble as it helps to clear the clogged-up air passages of the mucous and phlegm that has collected, and in this way brings on the "whoop" which relieves the so-much-sought-for relief and heals and soothes the lungs.

Mrs. W. H. Mahan, Kentville, N. S., writes: "My three children had whooping cough. I tried every medicine I could think of until an old gentleman told me to try Dr. Woods' Norway Pine Syrup. Before they had one bottle taken the cough seemed better, and after two bottles, they were about well. It loosened the cough and relieved them of that hard, distressing and strangling feeling that goes with it."

"Dr. Woods' is 85c and 60c a bottle. Put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont."

DR. MANNING IS RE-ELECTED

The Annual Meeting of St. George's Society—Annual Dinner Arranged.

Dr. James Manning was re-elected president of the St. George's Society last evening at the annual meeting in the Pythian Castle. In his report Dr. Manning, as chairman of the charitable committee, showed that more than \$800 had been distributed in relief, besides the sum of \$50 disbursed by the chaplain. Satisfactory reports were given by other officers.

The sum of \$2,500 was raised at a dinner at the Union Club. Feeding reference was made to the death of a former member of the society, George W. Ketchum.

Following a favorable report from the investigating committee, the following were elected members of the society: Rev. Robert Smart, of Westfield; Rev. C. G. Lawrence, of Hampton; Rev. R. R. Clayton, of E. G. Clayton, of St. John's. An application for membership was received from Edward A. Goodrich, of St. John, and the resignation of J. Stuart Smith was regretfully accepted.

The election of officers took place and all the retiring officers were re-elected. The officers are as follows: President, Dr. James Manning; first vice-president, R. G. Schofield; second vice-president, H. W. Rising; treasurer, F. E. Hanington; secretary, J. U. Thomas; assistant secretary, G. J. Clayton; chaplain, Rev. J. V. Young; historian, Colonel E. T. Sturdee. The installation of officers took place after the election. The president was installed by Frank Kincaid and was installed by Ven. Archdeacon A. H. Cranston.

The members of committees appointed were as follows: Charitable, Dr. Manning, chairman, F. B. Ellis and T. H. Carter; investigation, T. Ross Hanington, Frank B. Ellis, Frank Kincaid; marshals, Major J. S. Frost and Frank Kincaid; standard bearers, E. J. Todd, J. P. Clayton and Walter Brindle.

COMB SAGE TEA INTO GRAY HAIR

Darkens Beautifully and Restores Its Natural Color and Lustre At Once.

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea, with sulphur and alcohol added, will turn grey, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and lustrant. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use preparation improved by the addition of other ingredients, a large bottle, at little cost, at drug stores, known as "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," thus avoiding a lot of fuss.

While grey, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through the hair taking one small strand at a time; by morning all grey hairs have disappeared. After another application or two your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and lustrant and you appear years younger.

Forms for income tax returns for estates, for the salaries of employees and for the dividends of Canadian corporations are now available at the general delivery window at the post office. Returns must be made on or before March 31. Delay in filing these statements involves a fine of \$10 a day for each day over the time with a maximum of \$50. Fines were collected in many cases last year.

BEAUTIFUL HAIR IN A MOMENT

Try This! Hair Appears Soft, Colorful and Abundant—A Gleamy Mass

35 Cent Bottle of "Danderine" Also Ends Dandruff; Falling Hair!



A "Danderine Beauty Treatment" will immediately double the attractiveness of your hair. Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; this will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or any excessive oil. It is to the hair what fresh showers of rain are to vegetation. Your hair will be wavy, fluffy and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and really appear twice as abundant—a mass of luxuriant, glistening, colorful hair.

Besides beautifying the hair, Danderine eradicates dandruff, invigorates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair.

Danderine is the best, cheapest and most delightful hair conditioner known. It is to the hair what fresh showers of rain are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, vitalizes and strengthens them. Its stimulating properties help the hair to grow long, heavy, strong.

You can surely have beautiful hair, and lots of it, if you will spend 35 cents for a bottle of Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter. It is not greasy, oily or sticky.

PROTEST AMOUNT OF VALUATION

Employees of Jas. Pender & Co. Ask Council to Reconsider Figure of \$150,000—Shop Closing Matter.

Employees of the James Pender & Company, Limited, appeared before the Common Council yesterday and asked that the proposed valuation of \$150,000 placed upon the company's property for purposes of assessment for five years be reconsidered. E. Purchase spoke for the men and W. F. Knoll for the company. A telegram was read from the manager of the company in Sydney which said that the valuation was too high and if it was retained it probably would result in the plant being moved to Sydney. It was decided to have E. M. Olive, chairman of the Board of Assessors, present at Monday morning's committee meeting when the matter will be reconsidered.

L. P. D. Tilley, solicitor for several second-hand dealers, requested that an amendment be made to the police by-law, fixing the closing hours of these stores at 9 o'clock each evening except Saturday, when it was 10 o'clock. His clients wished these hours advanced to 10 o'clock on days other than Saturday, when it would be 11 o'clock. The matter was referred to Commissioner Thornton for a report.

Commissioner Thornton read a petition from residents in Rock street regarding placing a street light there. He was granted authority to comply with the request.

As a meeting of the finance committee of the Municipal Council was scheduled for 4 o'clock, other business was postponed for the next meeting, which will be called by Mayor Fisher.

GOVERNMENT SESSION

At yesterday afternoon's meeting of the Provincial Government executive, Peter Clinch, vice-president, of the Maritime Dominion Boxing and Wrestling Federation, appeared and asked for consideration of a plan to form a Provincial Athletic Council, to be affiliated with the Dominion organization for the uniform control of professional boxing and wrestling.

The consideration was postponed. Commissioner Thornton and Councillor O'Brien, who asked for an increase in the amount of the government grant in the amount of \$1,000, were members of the Legislature from Westmoreland County urged on the government the necessity for a bridge at Rockwell in that county.

LeB. Wilson, most worshipful grand master, accompanied by the officers of the Grand Lodge, paid an official visit last evening to the Hibernia Lodge, No. 8, P. & A. M., and installed the following officers: W. M. B. Stillwell, P. M.; S. M. Wetmore; S. W. W. S. McMacdonald; J. W. A. C. Lemmon; chaplain, Rev. E. E. Styles; treasurer, J. P. M. G. P. W. Huxley; secretary, J. D. Ronald Miller; J. D. W. H. Brooks; S. S. Charles A. Cromwell; J. S. H. Sullivan; D. J. C. Cochran; after the installation ceremony, refreshments were served in the banquet hall. Rev. C. G. Lawrence, Hampton, delivered a short address.

Mr. Justice Surveer announced in Montreal yesterday that he would deliver a lecture in St. John soon before the Canadian Club on Louis Hemon's book, Maria Chapdelaine, the scenes of which are laid in northern Quebec.

FOUND WONDERFUL RELIEF FROM CONSTIPATION BY USING MILBURN'S LAXA-LIVER PILLS

Constipation is one of the most prevalent troubles the human race is subject to, and is the greatest cause of many of our ailments, for if the bowels cease to perform their proper functions all the other organs will become deranged.

Keep your bowels working gently and naturally by the use of Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills, and thus do away with the constipation and all other troubles connected with the bowels.

Mrs. A. R. Spence, Springfield, N. S., writes:—"I have suffered for some time from constipation, and was advised by a friend to try Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills. After taking a trial, I have found wonderful relief, and would advise all those who are constipated to give them a trial, for I feel sure they will also receive the same benefit I did."

Price 25c a vial at all dealers or mailed direct in receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

"77" FOR COLDS

Humphreys' "Seventy-seven" is for Colds, Grip, Influenza. To get the best results take "Seventy-seven" at the first feeling of a cold, the first Chill, Sneeze or Shiver. Doctoring Book mailed free.

Humphreys' Tonic Tablets No. 24 for the weak and weary.

At all Drug Stores. Humphreys' Homeo. Medicine Co., 156 William St., New York.

SCIENTISTS WORK ON EINSTEIN IDEA

Astronomers Start Developing Plates of the September Eclipse.

San Francisco, Jan. 10.—Down in the basement under the dome of Lick Observatory, near here, astronomers recently opened a box of huge photographic plates, taken at a far-away Australian outpost during the September eclipse of the sun, and started developing them to prove or disprove Dr. Albert Einstein's theory of relativity.

Dr. Einstein thinks the pictures will show the correctness of his theory, which is that the sun attracts or bends the light of nearby planets. Dr. W. W. Campbell, director of the observatory and head of the expedition, said the plates which took the pictures, will make no statement until the plates are developed, and infinitely delicate measurements and comparisons are made. Several weeks will be required for this work.

Forty-eight photographs of the sides were taken by the expedition. Eight of them were in connection with the Einstein theory and the others were of the stars and spectrum and corona of the sun.

Four "Einstein cameras," designed and constructed especially for the eclipse, were used by the expedition. The required plates seventeen inches square and a quarter of an inch thick. The plates were made of plate glass and weighed seven pounds each. The sun's corona was photographed with a camera forty feet in focal length on plates fourteen by seventeen inches in size.

The plates recently arrived here from the south Pacific with eighty-four packages of scientific instruments used by the expedition. The shipment was sent to the observatory, which is on Mt. Hamilton, in bond by truck, and the packages were opened with great care. Several customs inspectors present. The package of plates, carefully packed, weighed 600 pounds. During their journey across the Pacific great care was taken to see that the plates arrived intact.

The Crocker Expedition was fortunate that the eclipse was bright and clear. A German expedition to Thursday Island, headed by Dr. Einstein, reported failure because fog hid the sun when the eclipse occurred. Dr. Einstein was quoted at Kobe, on his way home, to the effect that he thought the Campbell plates would prove his theory correct.

ALLEGED JAPANESE RADICAL JOINS A NATIVE SOCIETY

Kyoto, Japan, Dec. 11.—(By Mail).—Sutematsu Shimura who, according to Japanese newspapers, was ordered to leave America because of alleged activities with the Industrial Workers of the World, is declared to have decided to join an organization of social workers here. The reason given is that he could not harmonize his principles regarding labor problems acquired in America with the general social conditions here.

When Shimura reached Yokohama from America, he was immediately called to the Metropolitan Police Board and subjected to a rigorous examination on the suspicion that he might be a violent Socialist and might be working in co-operation with Socialists in Japan. He was released when the police authorities were convinced that he had no connection with the Japanese Socialists and harbored no dangerous plot.

Miss Jean Fenton presided at a meeting of the Lady Roberts Chapter, I. O. D. E., held yesterday at the residence of Miss Betty Cruikshank, King Street East. Reports of the recent dance were received. Miss Phyllis Elliott, a new member, was welcomed. Nominations for the annual meeting were posted. The chapter has now its full complement of members, thirty.

FAMOUS CLOWN FINDS U. S. RUDE

English Comedian Will Not Return to States in Spite of Large Salaries.

London.—(By Mail).—"Grock," one of England's most widely known and loved clowns, has a grudge against the United States. "Grock," whose real name is Adrian Wettach, is a musical clown. He had just returned to the London Coliseum, where he is a first favorite, after an eight week's tour in America. When he was asked how he liked America and the Americans, he said, "Not at all."

"They want me to go again," he asserted. "They pay twice the salaries of the English halls, but they treat us and our profession as if they were the scum of the earth—as hoboes."

Ten years ago Adrian Wettach could not speak a word of English. He used to tour all over Europe with clowns, and though he made the Continent laugh, clowns did not pay him high salaries. In 1911 Alfred Butt discovered him, and ever since then he has made his home in this country.

"Grock" speaks seven languages, but he doesn't use any of them when he is on the stage. It is his boast that any audience in any country can read his face without his uttering a word. He writes his own scenarios, composes all the music that Max, his clever partner, plays, and creates all the manifold absurdities associated with his performance.

"I love England," he says, "for England is overwhelmingly kind to me. England deems me an artist, although he is a clown, can be a gentleman."

"Many French and British artists tour the United States because they need the money. Fortunately I don't, and so far as I am concerned America can keep its dollars and its manners."

Americans do not consider a clown with a make-up, a funny face, a comic fiddle, a concertina and a foot in a broken chair can possibly be a gentleman off the stage."

BUCKLEY'S BRONCHITIS MIXTURE

RESULTS GUARANTEED FIRST DOSE BRINGS RELIEF

FOR COUGHS BRONCHITIS COLDS AT ALL DRUGGISTS

THE W. C. T. U. The opening devotion of the meeting of the W. C. T. U. yesterday were in the nature of a memorial service for the late Mrs. J. Willard Smith, whose death the society sincerely mourned. The president, Mrs. Hope Thompson, made feeling reference to the passing of Mrs. Smith and read the fourteenth chapter of John in her memory. Mrs. Thompson also read an appropriate and helpful paper entitled "The Lord Waiting." Mrs. Mary Seymour was the first to lead in prayer. In the business session a letter from the provincial president, Mrs. McWhat, of Sussex, dealt with the work to be undertaken in the new year. The treasurer of the Maritime Home for Women at Moncton wrote acknowledging the receipt of \$50, the W. C. T. U.'s gift and the first of five yearly contributions.

A Clear, Beautiful Skin

There are millions of tiny openings or pores in the skin and these must be kept open and clean if the beauty of the skin is to be maintained.

Because it cleanses these pores and encourages the healthful action of the skin, Dr. Chase's Ointment is most effective as a skin beautifier. Roughness, redness, pimples and all sorts of skin blemishes disappear by its use, and the skin is left clear, smooth and velvety.

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT

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FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION

Mothers Advise Their Daughters to Rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to Keep Them in Health

A Mother's Advice Restores Mrs. Hall to Health

Lindsay, Ontario.—"I had very poor blood and was bothered with pains in my side and back. I took kidney medicine for a while without success. I got pale, weak and nervous. My mother, who has used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for a number of years with very good results, advised me to take it and I did. It did me worlds of good. I have gained twenty pounds and have not felt so well for a long time. You may use this letter as a testimonial to help others if you think it worth it."—Mrs. MARY E. HALL, R. R. 5, Lindsay, Ontario.

A Sickly Child

Mahoningtown, Pa.—"I would like to say a few words about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. About a year ago I thought it would be necessary for me to take my daughter out of school. She was losing weight, was nervous and when she would drop into a chair and cry, and say, 'Mamma, I don't believe I can go to school another day!' I gave her Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now she is a healthy, happy, hearty, strong girl and weighs 120 pounds. She has no difficulty in doing her 'gym' work, and she works at home every night and morning, too. I am a mother who can certainly praise your medicine. For nearly fifty years it has been used by women of all ages, and these women know its great value. Let it help your daughter and yourself."

Why Corns?

Just say Blue-jay to your druggist

The simplest way to end a corn is Blue-jay. A single drop stops the pain instantly. Then the corn loosens and comes out. Made in a colorless clear liquid (one drop does it) and in thin plasters. The action is the same.

Pain Stops Instantly IF SKIN BREAKS OUT AND ITCHES APPLI SULPHUR

Just the moment you apply Mentho-Sulphur to an itching, burning or broken out skin, the itching stops and healing begins, says a noted skin specialist. This sulphur preparation, made into a pleasant cold cream, gives such a quick relief, even to fiery eczema, that nothing has ever been found to take its place.

Because of its germ-destroying properties, it quickly soothes the inflamed skin and heals the eczema right up, leaving a clear, smooth skin in place of ugly eruptions, rash, pimples or roughness.

You do not have to wait for improvement. It quickly shows. You can get a little jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur at any drug store.

MUTT AND JEFF—JUST LIKE AN EARTHQUAKE



By "BUD" FISHER