

SAYS BRITAIN IS DEPENDENT UPON SHIPPING

Noted Writer Stirs London With Graphic Address

DESTROY SPIRIT

If Our Will to Work Is Too Long Delayed Ruination Will Follow, He Says

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Rudyard Kipling, who was one of the principal guests at the annual banquet of the Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom, held in London, last night, deprecated the new world war which he said, was being carried on, with invisible weapons—the warfare of ill-will. He likened this island to a ship which he called "H. M. S. Britain." "H. M. S. Britain," said Mr. Kipling, "carries a passenger list, including stowaways of 45,000,000 and owing to the peculiarities of her construction there are never more than six weeks supplies of consumable stores aboard her at one time. The balance must be come by ship, and if the shipping does not come, a fortnight would deliver us to panic indescribable, and three months would see us embarked on the gallant adventure of cannibalism."

Nation's Transportation

"These are facts which underlie the camouflage of our existence on H. M. S. Britain when a nation is lost the underlying cause of the collapse is always that she cannot handle her transport. Everything in life, from marriage to manslaughter, turns on speed, and the cost of which men, things and thoughts, can be shifted from one place to another. If you can tie up a nation's transport, you can take her off your books."

"We have suffered from one scientific attempt to prove this, which very nearly succeeded. For the moment, however, there is a full in wars fought with visible weapons. We are deep now in a world war, that aims to destroy the spirit and will of man in his home and at his work."

"The man whose morale can be gassed and gangrened in time of peace till he condones and helps create every form of concussion, that will make his own throat for what you have persuaded him are lofty motives, than to do it for him against his will, and this is the essence of the new method of war—to create ill-will, which is the mother of despair, and through that ill-will to exploit the damnable streak in each of us, which leads us to stop our own work and talk about the duties of others. The rest follows by itself."

Recovery Held Back.

"If the will to work be too long delayed, then all that our race has made or stands for, must pass into the hands of whatever nation first recovers that will. Our recovery has been held back, by the propaganda of ill-will, and despair that is meant to wreck all effort at its source. But do you think the engines of H. M. S. Great Britain can be adapted to burn this kind of fuel? I don't."

DEATHS

MCCORMICK—At his residence, 111 Chesley street, after a short illness, on Feb. 19, Samuel McCormick, leaving his wife, two sons, two daughters, four brothers and one sister to mourn. Funeral will take place Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the residence, 111 Chesley street, to St. Peter's church for requiem high mass. Friends invited.

MUNTER—Sudden, at her residence, on Rothesay avenue, on Feb. 19, 1925, Margaret A. Munter, wife of Joseph L. Munter, leaving her husband, two sons, three daughters, her mother, two brothers and three sisters to mourn. Funeral will take place on Monday morning.

KING—In this city, on Feb. 20, 1925, after a short illness, William A. King, aged 77 years, leaving one brother and one cousin to mourn.

Funeral on Sunday from the Pythian Castle Hall, Union street. Service at 2.30 o'clock.

DONOVAN—At his late residence, Sandy Point road, on Feb. 19, 1925, Cornelius L. Donovan, son of the late William and Catherine Donovan, leaving one brother and two sisters to mourn. Funeral from his late residence, on Sunday at 2 o'clock. Coffin leaves Donovan's stables at 1 o'clock. Friends invited.

IN MEMORIAM

CAMPBELL—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Mary Campbell, who departed this life Feb. 21, 1921.

DAUGHTER M. DONNER.

RAMSEY—In sad but loving memory of our dear son and brother, Jack, who passed away Feb. 21, 1922.

Sad and sudden was the call, Of him so dearly loved by all. For oft he shed a silent tear, Time never, nor never, ever cease The memory of his silent face.

PARENTS AND SISTER.

FUNERAL NOTICES

Members of Union Lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias, are requested to assemble at Pythian Castle on Sunday afternoon, February 22nd, at 3.30 o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late brother and charter member, W. A. KING.

Members of sister lodges invited to attend with cloth.

Service will be held at the Pythian Castle Hall.

By order of the C. C. J. L. SUTHERLAND, K. of R. and S.

The members of York L. O. L. No. 3, will meet at Pythian Castle, Union street, on Sunday afternoon, February 22nd, at 3.30 o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late brother, W. A. KING, P. M.

Sister lodges invited to attend. Plain clothes.

JOHN SHEPPARD, Recording Secretary.

Pythian Veteran



WILLIAM A. KING.

whose death was announced yesterday, was one of the oldest members of the Knights of Pythias in this city, having been a member of Union Lodge, No. 2, for 51 years. Last year, on the completion of 50 years of membership, he was presented a Pythian veteran's jewel. In his earlier days he took a keen and active interest in the affairs of the lodge and while not as active in the last few years, he maintained his interest in the order.

In his younger days he was an active militia man and was connected with the garrison artillery.

The funeral will be a Pythian one and will be held under the direction of Union Lodge. The service will be held at Castle Hall, Union street, at 3.30 tomorrow afternoon and interment will be made in Fernhill.

WAS AT JAMBOREE AT COPENHAGEN

Visiting Boy Scout Tells of Interesting Experience at World Gathering.

Scout Stewart Buncie of 1st Bowden Troop (Earl of Stamford's Own), who arrived from Liverpool this morning on the C. P. S. S. Montcalm on his way to Tilbury, Ontario, to reside with his uncle and aunt, was at the International Jamboree held in Copenhagen last September and gave an interesting account of his experiences there.

He is the proud possessor of a special badge and Shoulder Knot which is given by Sir Robert Baden Powell to Scouts chosen for demonstration work at the training camps. Scout Buncie is a First Class Scout and intends to take up scouting here as soon as possible. He quickly made himself acquainted with the Scout here and will naturally want to keep in touch with them by correspondence.

District Secretary L. L. Johnson showed Scout Buncie as much of the city as time would permit, and he had a very interesting tour. Scout Buncie was introduced by a letter from the Overseas Commissioner, who wrote ahead and informed the St. John Scouters of his coming.

SOLD 1,601 TICKETS

Police Sergeant Dykeman Wins Prize in Connection With Police Sports.

Sergt. Ralph P. Dykeman won the first prize for selling the most tickets in connection with the police sports in the Victoria rink the other night, it was announced today. Sergt. Dykeman sold 1,601, being 341 tickets ahead of Traffic Policeman McNamee who sold 1,260. Another traffic man, Policeman Young, ranked third. Sergt. Dykeman is attached for duty at the police court throughout the day and consequently much of his time is taken up there. Despite that, he made a great record this year and is receiving the hearty congratulations of members of the force with whom he is justly popular. Traffic Officer McNamee's showing was excellent also.

MANY CHILDREN AT STORY TELLING

Interesting Tales Recounted in Three Places in City Today.

About 115 children listened with attention at the armories this morning when Miss Annie L. Tait told them fairy tales and nature interest stories. A letter was read from His Honor the Lieut. Governor of New Brunswick, W. F. Todd, and Mrs. Todd, who sent a special message to the children, six little children sang the stanzas of "O Canada" and the others joined in the refrain.

At Public Library.

Fifty-nine children, nearly all boys, heard Mrs. Silas Alward tell about Hirschogel, the Great Potter, at the Free Public Library this morning. Mrs. Alward used maps in telling her story and made the hour intensely interesting. The children were many of them busy in the children's library afterwards, looking up some of the stories they had been told by Mrs. Alward.

At St. Vincent's.

Miss Margaret Chandler, continued her serial story about "The Golden City" at the story-telling hour at St. Vincent's gymnasium this morning with a good attendance of children. Miss Mary Campbell, physical instructor, was in charge.

Local News

SALE OF FISHERIES

The postponed sale of fishing lots owned by the city will be held on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in the court rooms, Germain street.

TO PLAY IN HALIFAX.

Miss Audrey Winter, who played here on two occasions with the Carroll Players has gone to take part in the drama, "The Fool," being presented there soon.

ARE REMANDED.

Hazel Bond and James Merritt were arrested this morning by Sergt. Ralph Dykeman on a serious charge. They appeared before Magistrate Henderson in the police court this morning and after hearing evidence His Honor remanded them to jail.

SKATING PARTY

Miss Mary Campbell and Miss Janet Fraser, physical instructors at the St. Vincent's gymnasium, took the young people of the intermediate classes for an outing this afternoon to Lily Lake for skating. They will return to the gymnasium at the tea hour, where Mrs. M. J. McGrath, convener of the physical committee of the Catholic Women's League, will provide a treat for the party.

13 Mile Tunnel In California Finished

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Final blasts in the world's largest tunnel for hydroelectric purposes practically completed it yesterday. The tunnel, which will unite the flood waters of Florence Lake and the storage waters of Huntington Lake, in the San Joaquin Valley of California, is thirteen and a half miles long, fifteen feet wide and has cost the Southern California Edison Company \$17,000,000. It is 10,000 feet below the peak of Kearsaw Mountain, in the Sierras.

SPEED BOAT WRECKED.

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 21.—One of Gar Wood's famous speed boats failed to take a turn in the East Coast inland waterways near Boynton, 14 miles south of here yesterday, when the shallow bank, snapped a four-inch tree, and was wrecked in the undergrowth.

PAPER MILL RESUMES.

MONTREAL, Feb. 21.—International Paper Company has resumed operations at its Wilder, Vt., newsprint mill, which was closed last July. All mills are operating now, except Glen Falls and Woods Falls. The latter is expected to remain closed indefinitely.

FLASHLIGHT ALARM.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—A new type of burglar alarm has been invented, which will set alarm bells ringing whenever any light is flashed in a bank. Tests have proved that a small pocket flashlight flashed in a dark room will cause the alarm to work.

Always have a tin at Hand

1 upstairs 1 downstairs 1 in the garage

SNAP

THE GREAT HAND CLEANER

C. N. R. SPECIAL TRAIN TO LEAVE WEDNESDAY WITH OTTAWA ENVOYS

Will Carry Passengers From St. John and Points East, Including Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, For One-Way Fare For Round Trip

GEORGE L. WARWICK, chairman of the transportation committee, issued the following statement last night relative to the transportation, via the Canadian National Railways, of the Maritime Provinces delegation that will go to Ottawa on Wednesday, next, where on Thursday they will impress upon Parliament the importance of an all-Canadian transportation policy to promote the prosperity of the whole Dominion:

To the Delegates: St. John City and East of St. John. Arrangements have been made with the Canadian National Railways to handle the New Brunswick delegation from points east of St. John including north of Moncton along with the Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island delegates. Round trip tickets will be issued at one way fare going Wednesday, Feb. 25, only, with return limit to reach destination not later than March 2.

FULL ARRANGEMENTS ANNOUNCED MONDAY

Fare from points between St. John and Moncton, including Moncton, \$21.30. Proportionately low rates from all other points.

Definite train arrangements will be announced Monday. All applications for sleeping car reservations from stations in New Brunswick should be made to local ticket agent. N. B. Mr. Warwick regretted that it was impossible to make any definite announcement respecting the Canadian National train arrangements for this evening's paper, but said that everything would be arranged to the last detail and would be published in The Times-Star on Monday morning.

HOURS OF SHOWS FOR "PETER PAN"

Big Crowds Expected—Only One Committee—Continuous Ticket Sale.

The Imperial showing of Sir James M. Barrie's fantastic story, "Peter Pan" next week is eliciting so much general public interest—old and young alike—that a clear understanding as to the length of the run, hours of showings, etc. is set forth herewith.

On Monday and Tuesday this tenured picture will be shown three times daily. There will be only one matinee commencing at 2.30 and two evening shows beginning at 7.15 and 9 o'clock. There will be no orchestral concert, as of late, due to the length of this picture. Doors will be open at 1.45 and at 6.30 and tickets may be procured at meal hours for the benefit of business folks who want to avoid the evening rushes.

On Wednesday and Thursday the Universal feature "Turnbull" will be shown beginning at 2 o'clock and at 3.45 (when the schools are out) "Peter Pan" will be shown again for the benefit of schoolchildren. This will make a grand double bill for Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. In the evenings of these days "Turnbull" will be shown with the usual orchestral concert between. If further showing is necessary notices will be made during the week.

The usual scale of prices—No advance whatever.

NON-SUPPORT CASE.

Frank Fowler pleaded not guilty to a charge of non-support of his wife before Magistrate Henderson in the police court this morning. His wife, Mrs. Katie Fowler, gave evidence. The accused was represented by G. H. V. Belyea. The case was set over until Wednesday at 11 a. m.

In Parliament Monday

THE SENATE will not sit. IN THE HOUSE—Private members' resolutions will be taken up and if they are disposed of, estimates for the Department of Marine and Fisheries.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Jennie Curtis of Springfield, Mass., who has been visiting in the city for the last two weeks, is leaving for her home tonight accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. A. Porter, of this city, and brother-in-law, Fred R. Ellis of East Braintree, Mass.

Mrs. Harold Hooper returned Thursday from Cleveland, Ohio, after a visit to her husband's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Hooper. Mrs. Hooper stopped off at Mount McGregor to visit her brother, Mr. Cecil Cunningham, who is a patient in a sanatorium there. Mr. and Mrs. Hooper are at the Lansdowne House.

Lieut.-Colonel A. F. Hatch, president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, residing at Hamilton, has accepted the request of Sir Robert L. Borden, to be a member of the executive of the League of Nations Society of Canada. Colonel Hatch is a brother of Mrs. L. Rupert, 70 Wentworth street and occasionally visits St. John.

Mrs. W. L. Broad, Master Willard Broad and Mrs. C. M. Arnold, of Montreal, were in St. John on Wednesday.

Mr. J. P. Whitney, of St. John, spent Thursday in Moncton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown, of St. John, are spending a short time in Moncton.

L. R. Whittaker of St. John, with the engineering staff of the N. B. Power Commission was in Fredericton yesterday.

Shipping

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.

Friday, Feb. 20.

Stmr. Kastalia, 2886, Rankine, from Glasgow.

Saturday, Feb. 21.

Stmr. Montcalm, 9798, Sibson, from Liverpool.

Schr. I'm Alone, 111, Wynacht, from Lunenburg.

Coastwise—Gas schr. Enid Hazel, 31, Gupltill, from Seal Cove.

Cleared.

Saturday, Feb. 21.

Stmr. Munro, 1880, Rosen, for Havana.

Coastwise—Stmr. Empress, 612, MacDonald, for Digby; gas schr. Enid Hazel, 31, Gupltill, for Grand Harbor.

Sailed.

Friday, Feb. 20.

Stmr. Montrose, 9824, Landy, for Liverpool.

Saturday, Feb. 21.

Stmr. Benguela, 3534, Addison, for Sierra Leone and South African ports.

MARINE NOTES.

The steamer Essex County is expected here on Tuesday from Havre and Hamburg.

The Kastalia arrived last night from Glasgow and took at McLeod's wharf. The Calmaron is loading a consignment of refined sugar at the refinery wharf for Newcastle and Leth.

The R. M. S. P. Claudiere is due here on Monday from Bermuda and the West Indies.

The Munro will sail tonight for Havana with potatoes and general cargo.

The Ada Gorthan is expected here tonight or early tomorrow from Philadelphia to load potatoes and general cargo for Havana.

The Canadian Mariner shifted early this morning from No. 1, Sand Point, to Pettigrew wharf, and took on a consignment of grain and then shifted at noon to Long wharf to complete with general cargo.

The Berworth will sail tonight for London with grain and general cargo.

The Benguela sailed this morning for Sierra Leone and South African ports.

In Parliament Today

THE SENATE stands adjourned until March 10.

IN THE HOUSE—The day was spent on estimates for the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1926. A vote of \$200,000 for the fruit industry development, and a vote of \$295,000 for seed, feed and fertilizer control, were passed. The sum of \$15,000 was voted for experiments in dehydration. The main vote of the evening was of \$1,280,000 for livestock administration.

CHINESE WIDOW AND BABY ARE STRANDED

Brought Here From Montreal, She Finds Difficulty in Getting to Homeland.

What to do with the little Chinese widow, Chin See, and her chubby almond-eyed baby who is a problem that is wringing the hearts of local Orientals.

The demure little woman is a guest of an elderly Chinese resident, nestor of the colony, having been brought here from Montreal for shelter when it was discovered she was destitute.

Wants To Go Home.

Chin See, a woman of apparent refinement and well educated in her native language, though unable to talk English, is the widow of Harry Finn Yee, who was known in business in different parts of the Maritime Provinces as Harry Finn. She senses her position keenly and sobbingly pleads to be sent back to her mother in the Flower Kingdom.

This is just where the problem begins. Local Chinese, who have interested themselves in her behalf feel they cannot raise the \$300 necessary to send her and her baby safely back to China and have been seeking assistance from the Federal Government through the Controller of Chinese Immigration.

Dr. MacLaren Interested.

The Ottawa official, who has been in touch with Dr. Murray MacLaren, M. P., of this city, on the subject feels he cannot exercise any official influence in the case as Canadian laws governing Chinese citizenship deal only with immigration, not emigration. There is no provision in the enactment for repatriating people at Government expense.

Her Baby Colony Pet.

And so little Chin See pines away in the hospitable quarters of the fatherly old Chinese—a relative—and good-hearted fellow countryman pay her incidental bills. The Chinese have become very fond of the Chinese baby, who toddles about with his "big brothers."

He wants for no good or anything. There is a lot of real humanity shown for the widow and her baby and a few well-known St. John people are assisting the laundrymen in trying to bring about a happy solution of the case.

BADMINTON ENJOYED.

A large attendance featured the badminton tournament under the joint auspices of the Catholic Women's League and the Knights of Columbus in the latter's hall last evening. This tourney was part of a series that were arranged for the winter months. Following play, refreshments were served by a committee under the convener'ship of Mrs. M. J. McGrath, who with Mrs. John Owens, president of the C. W. L., acted as chaperones. Another mixed tournament is planned for early in March to be held in the gym at St. Vincent's High School.

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MUCH INTEREST IN PONY CONTEST HERE

Local Merchants Are Co-operating With Theatre in Novel Project.

Considerable interest and excitement has been aroused by the offer of a local theatre to give away a live pony to the child who can secure the largest number of votes. These votes are secured by the children, parents or friends, from a great number of local stores, who are displaying a distinctive banner. Excitement among the children runs high and many of the older folk are working hard to secure votes. The pony is the main objective in this contest, but approximately 40 merchants have donated other prizes.

A contest along these lines has just been completed at Halifax, and the winner received over 4,800,000 votes.

BUSINESS LOCALS

AN EVENING OF SONG WITH READINGS

Mrs. Hugh Miller, assisted by Mrs. Frank Archibald, Mrs. J. B. Barnes, Knox Church Hall, Tuesday, February 24, 1925. Admission 60c. 11262-2-23

The war is on. Choice western roast beef 10c, a lb. at Steves' Bargain Market, 269 Prince Edward Street. Telephone Main 8400 or 445. 11229-2-23

REOPENS OFFICE.

Dr. W. S. Swetnam, dentist, wishes to announce that he will be pleased to meet all his old and new patients at his office, 240 King street, West St. John. Open evenings. Phone W. 376. 11248-2-23

DEAR READERS—THIS IS NO FAIRY TALE

Are you aware that today in the City of St. John, meat is being cut up and sold in a certain store for human consumption that has been refused at the fox farms, in case this meat should spread the T. B. in their flocks? This guy's store is not a thousand miles from our store, so beware of him. It was bought for about 4 cents a pound. As long as this kind of meat is eaten

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