

The Evening Times Star

ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1920

TWELVE PAGES—ONE CENT

VOL. XVII, No. 75

D'ANNUNZIO HAS GIVEN UP HIS AUTHORITY

Surrenders His Powers to the Fiume Council... Soldier-Poet Not Even Spokesman in Conference...

Rome, Dec. 29.—Gabielle D'Annunzio, says the Corriere della Sera's Abbatia correspondent...

OPERATORS AND MINERS CLOSER

Coal Men Accept Offer of Adjustment of Inequalities... Philadelphia, Dec. 29.—Representatives of the United Mine Workers...

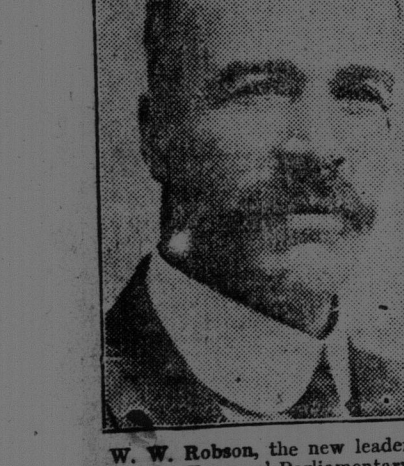
FRED RYAN IS DEAD IN VANCOUVER

Mrs. A. Gordon Mills of Sussex received a telegram last night announcing the death of her brother, Frederick Ryan...

WAGES CUT

N. S. HIGHWAYS BOARD

NEW LEADER OF MANITOBA FARMERS' PARLIAMENTARY GROUP



W. W. Robson, the new leader of the Manitoba Farmers' Parliamentary group.

GRAHAM BELL HAS NEW INVENTION

Patent of the telephone, who has arrived in Canada from his birthplace in Scotland with the announcement that he has given the world another instrument of progress...

DEMAND INQUIRY BY GOVERNMENT

British Labor Calls on Cabinet to Act... Some Details From Report of Labor Commission—Says 'Black and Tans' Force Which Government Not Able to Dominate...

LOCAL NEWS

IS BEING WELCOMED... Captain Edwin Landy, commander of the C. P. O. S. liner Bolingbroke, which arrived yesterday from Glasgow...

DEATH OF BOY

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Mitchell of 38 Spadina street, West Toronto, are mourning the death of their youngest son, Irvine Walter, aged four years...

STREET RAILWAY PARES

L. R. Ross, president of the New Brunswick Electric Power Company this morning said that street car fares were to be advanced...

COMRADES RE-UNION

Several members of the first contingent of the C. E. P. met at the home of Harold Crozier, East St. John, last night and spent a pleasant evening in games, music and dancing...

MR. OLIVE INJURED

CASE ABOUT HORSE

LABOR TO CAMPAIGN

IS KILLED IN NOVA SCOTIA WOODS

Ernest Whitman's Life is Crushed Out by Tree—Brother Killed in Woods 34 Years Ago...

(Special to Times.) Bridgetown, N. S., Dec. 29.—In the lumber woods back of Lawrenceville, about eleven o'clock yesterday morning, Ernest Whitman was killed in the woods to superabundant logging operation, was crushed to death under a tree which was being cut down...

ORGANIZE FRUIT MEN OF NIAGARA

Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 29.—An organization of the fruit growers of the Niagara peninsula with a view to co-operation in marketing their produce and protection in marketing such as occurred this year, was effected here yesterday at a meeting presided over by W. B. Doherty, minister of agriculture...

SPANISH MINISTER TO MEXICO IS DEAD

Mexico City, Dec. 29.—Marquis Joaquin de la Haza, Spanish minister to Mexico, died last night, following a short illness...

NEW GOVERNOR SWORN IN

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 29.—(By Canadian Press)—Hon. Walter C. Mackenzie, minister of the interior, was sworn in yesterday as Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia...

PELIK AND WIFE

Robert Pelik, checker, with the Canadian National Railway, was found unconscious in his office this morning...

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, N. B. S. P. A. Director of Meteorological Service.

As Hiram Sees It

"I see," said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam to the Times reporter, "they've fallen about 'bulldozing' less warships in England and the States and Japan. It's about time they did. This here spendin' millions on a warship is 'crackin' his heels together in the bottom o' the sea some day and good business. Of course they've all got to stop it or it won't pay for any one else's money."

THEY THOUGHT IT A BIG ROBBERY

New Yorkers Excited Over What Proved Demonstration of Anti-Burglar Device. New York, Dec. 29.—Hundreds of men and women hurrying in the customary New York fashion past Broadway and 42nd street, yesterday, saw below the sign of M. Gelbach & Co., jewelers, of 147 Broadway, a smaller sign with the words: "Help Police," in white letters on a red ground.

THEFT WITHIN PRISON WALLS

Prisoner Said to Have Been Robbed of \$28 and Watch. Steubenville, Ohio, Dec. 29.—Theft of \$28 and a gold watch from Lawrence Shields, a prisoner in the county jail, from two other prisoners, was reported today by prison officials.

GREEK REPORTS

Anti-Bolshevik Troops Said to Be Pillaging Thrace for Food. Athens, Dec. 29.—Disorders arose yesterday at the church of St. Theodoros, where the Greek army threatened the priest conducting the ceremonies. Two persons were arrested, but were soon released.

A. L. NOBLE AND FAMILY IN FLORIDA

Special to Times.) Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 29.—Arthur L. Noble and family of this city are in Florida to spend the winter. Mr. Noble recently transferred his residential property from this city to his brother, Frank, the price running into five figures, according to report. This property formerly was owned by Dr. E. W. Noble.

RURAL LEADERSHIP UNIVERSITY COURSE

Winnipeg, Dec. 29.—In the rural leadership university course which will be held in Winnipeg next month, the United Farmers of Manitoba have undertaken what they term the most ambitious educational scheme they have ever launched.

GERMANY WOULD KEEP FORTRESSES

Enters Protest Against Demand of Allies... Wants Strongholds on Eastern and Southern Frontiers and Says Otherwise She Would be Left Defenceless.

Berlin, Dec. 29.—The German government in a note addressed to the council of ambassadors in Paris, protests against the demand of the control commission, endorsed by the ambassadors, for the dismantling of the guns on from eleven to fourteen fortresses on the southern and eastern frontiers of Germany as an infraction of the peace treaty, which it is asserted permitted the fortresses to remain in the same state as they were on January 10, 1920.

JAPAN AND THE UNITED STATES

Immigration and Ownership of Land... New York Times Says Proposed Treaty Promises to Remove Causes of Friction—'The Six Votes.'

THE FRIENDSHIP A TOTAL LOSS AT ST. MARTIN'S HEAD

Parabrook, N. S., Dec. 29.—The schooner Friendship, which has been sailing in the Bay of Fundy trade for years, is a total loss at St. Martin's Head, N. B., where she was beached to prevent her from sinking. Bound to the shore, she was crushed by the waves. The cargo was saved. The Friendship, which was owned and sailed by Captain Harry Newcomb of Parabrook, was sixty tons net. She is uninsured.

'UNCLE JOE' MAKES NEW RECORD FOR THE U. S. CONGRESS

Washington, Dec. 29.—The house of representatives has arranged to pause today for an hour or more in its consideration of business to pay tribute to "Uncle Joe" Cannon. He has made a new record for length of service in congress and this was the occasion for the celebration. The former speaker set the length of service of Justin Smith Morrill, of Vermont, who previously had held the record of forty-three years, nine months and twenty-four days in the house and senate.

MAY BE MARRIED TO GREEK PRINCESS

Athens, Dec. 29.—It is rumored in court circles that William Leeds, son of Princess Anastasia, may marry Princess Olga, daughter of Prince Nicholas, and niece of King Constantine. Prince Nicholas is a brother of Prince Christian, the husband of Princess Anastasia.

QUICK VERDICT: NEGRO TO DIE

Madisonville, Ky., Dec. 29.—Lee Ellis, a negro, was found guilty here yesterday of murdering Sheriff R. Scott Foster of Hickman county on Nov. 5. He was sentenced to death in the electric chair on January 31. The Ellis trial opened in the morning and the verdict was returned late in the afternoon.

LADY RAMSEY TO REPRODUCE P.P.C.L. COLORS

The former princess Patricia, colonel-in-chief of the famous princess's cavalry regiment, who will work the new colors with her own hands. The old flag is lattered and worn after its war service.

To Sell It As Whiskey Is To Break The Law... Plea That Liquor Was Within Legal Limits Does Not Hold. Montreal, Dec. 29.—Those who sell other spirits and when facing the courts endeavor to clear themselves by declaring that what was sold was really not liquor inasmuch as it contained less than 2.50 per cent proof spirits, the legal limit between intoxicating and non-intoxicating liquors, will get no benefit out of their contentions, according to a decision by Recorder Semple yesterday.

DESERTED HIS BRIDE OF WEEK?

Warrants Out for Man Who Posed as Noted Aviator. Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 29.—A man, who posing as Eddie Rickenbacker, celebrated United States ace, married a New York girl here last week, has deserted his bride of a week in Chicago. The young woman so informed her mother yesterday.

THE PULP MILL

A report current in the city this morning was to the effect that the Nashua and Paper Co. was considering a curtailment in operation at their mills at Union Point. In conversation with a Times reporter this morning, S. M. Jones, the manager of the plant, said that there was no word of any cut in the production at present, nor would there be any unless it was absolutely necessary.

TIN CAN TOURISTS ARE IN ANNUAL CONVENTION

Tampa, Fla., Dec. 29.—The annual convention of the Tin Can Tourists of the World opened here today, with 2,000 persons attending and Vice Royal Tin Can Opener G. M. Tremaine, of Fredonia, N. Y., presiding. The convention will be in session four days.

MAJOR BELL TO GO TO BRITISH COLUMBIA

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 29.—Major Bell, assistant director of the department of soldiers' re-establishment in Halifax, has been transferred to British Columbia with headquarters in Vancouver. He succeeds General Dean. The trial opened in the morning and the verdict was returned late in the afternoon.

GERMANY WOULD KEEP FORTRESSES

Enters Protest Against Demand of Allies... Wants Strongholds on Eastern and Southern Frontiers and Says Otherwise She Would be Left Defenceless.

Berlin, Dec. 29.—The German government in a note addressed to the council of ambassadors in Paris, protests against the demand of the control commission, endorsed by the ambassadors, for the dismantling of the guns on from eleven to fourteen fortresses on the southern and eastern frontiers of Germany as an infraction of the peace treaty, which it is asserted permitted the fortresses to remain in the same state as they were on January 10, 1920.

JAPAN AND THE UNITED STATES

Immigration and Ownership of Land... New York Times Says Proposed Treaty Promises to Remove Causes of Friction—'The Six Votes.'

THE FRIENDSHIP A TOTAL LOSS AT ST. MARTIN'S HEAD

Parabrook, N. S., Dec. 29.—The schooner Friendship, which has been sailing in the Bay of Fundy trade for years, is a total loss at St. Martin's Head, N. B., where she was beached to prevent her from sinking. Bound to the shore, she was crushed by the waves. The cargo was saved. The Friendship, which was owned and sailed by Captain Harry Newcomb of Parabrook, was sixty tons net. She is uninsured.

'UNCLE JOE' MAKES NEW RECORD FOR THE U. S. CONGRESS

Washington, Dec. 29.—The house of representatives has arranged to pause today for an hour or more in its consideration of business to pay tribute to "Uncle Joe" Cannon. He has made a new record for length of service in congress and this was the occasion for the celebration. The former speaker set the length of service of Justin Smith Morrill, of Vermont, who previously had held the record of forty-three years, nine months and twenty-four days in the house and senate.

MAY BE MARRIED TO GREEK PRINCESS

Athens, Dec. 29.—It is rumored in court circles that William Leeds, son of Princess Anastasia, may marry Princess Olga, daughter of Prince Nicholas, and niece of King Constantine. Prince Nicholas is a brother of Prince Christian, the husband of Princess Anastasia.

QUICK VERDICT: NEGRO TO DIE

Madisonville, Ky., Dec. 29.—Lee Ellis, a negro, was found guilty here yesterday of murdering Sheriff R. Scott Foster of Hickman county on Nov. 5. He was sentenced to death in the electric chair on January 31. The Ellis trial opened in the morning and the verdict was returned late in the afternoon.