# ERLAIN'S COLOGNE POLICY ATTACK

Railway Tracks Are Submerged By Niagara River Ice Jam

## POWER PLANTS MENACED BY NIAGARA ICE JAM

### Weather Takes Another Victim

## POLISH SWINDLER CAUGHT IN PARIS

Jelka Goldman Alleged To Have Raised Ciphers on

# AMILY FEUD BLAMED

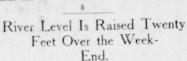
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IS INJURED IN FALL

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FISHERMEN SUFFER

Tracks of Gorge Line Railway Are Submerged and Covered With Ice.

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## CASE OF GRIFFITHS TO BE RECONSIDERED

Education Board Successful in Efforts on Behalf of Injured

FIRE CAUSES DAMAGE



## FAMOUS EXPLORER DIES IN FLORENCE

A. Henry Savage Landor Suffered Terrible Tortures During Visit in Tibet.

Early in 1897, Mr. Landor set out from England with the avowed in-tention of making an entry into Tibet. His expedition was one of great danger. He suffered almost indescrib-able tortures, for he was seized by the Tibetans after proceeding for no

FROM HOSPITAL WINDUW
The board of education took the matter up with the compensation board on Mr. Griffiths' behalf, and as a result his case will be given further consideration in a few monthstime.

In the meantime the board of education has consented to give Mr. Griffiths such light work as he is able to do.

FIRE CAUSES DAMAGE

EXCEEDING MILLION

Associated Press Despatch.

Cornith, Miss. Deec, 29.—Fifth Stores and offices in the business district here were in ruins today as a result of a fire which early vesterday.

FROM HOSPITAL WINDUW

Associated Press Despatch.

San Francisco, Dec. 29.— Mrs. Francis hospital phresident of the U. S. Graft, former president of the Vinited States, either fell or leaped to the Vinited States, either fell or leaped

## Coming Man To Be Toothless And Hairless, Says Scientist

Associated Press Despatch.

Boston, Dec. 29.—Man will lose many if not all of his teeth, he will be absolutely hairless, and he will undoubtedly lose certain of his toes and fingers. These are the predictions based on scientific study by E. E. Raymond, professor of paleontology and geology at Harvard university.

These changes will not be until man has passed through series of evolutionary phases which probably will consume 40,000 to 75,000 years, according to Prof. Raymond. He predicted a heightening and broadening of the forehead and an enlarging of the skull for a bigger brain, and a longer face.

"The future man," he says, "is as certain to lose his teeth as the age man of the past lost his tail. The age man used his teeth

the ape man of the past lost his tail. The ape man used his teeth to tear sinews, break nuts, and as weapons of offence in fighting. Civilization has done away with these conditions.

## CITY ADDS 384 HOMES THIS YEAR

House Construction Covers Half of Total Building For 1924.

NEARS 15,000 MARK

Special Work Lighter Than That Carried On Last Year.

ise, London has added 384 new duying 1924. The average cost nome this year has been \$3

of stores, cince buildings and factory plants have been fewer and of lower value than last year, and this has been responsible for the big cut in values. Total permits for the year will be 1.510, a decrease from the 1.730 which were issued in 1923. Total values for 1923 were over \$3.200,000, while this year's will be approximately \$2.111,000.

It was learned this morning that these figures would likely be showing in the report for 1924 of Acting Building Inspector E. K. O'Connor. Final tabulation will not be made until after the audit of the books, which may be some days yet, but sessurace is given that these figures surance is given that these figures segmence is given that these figures.

Classified values for construction during the year show the following figures: 384 houses, \$1,232,285 value; 321 arrages, \$51,345 value; 767 genteral, \$269,340 value; 38 special, \$55.740 value. Last year was a record year for building values, but January and February of this year showed higher values than corresponding

## KING ALBERT TO MOTOR ACROSS THE SAHARA

Belgian Ruler Accepts Mar-

less than 56 marches with only one base consented to give further consideration at the expiration of four or six months to the case of Charles Griffiths, who was injured last January while employed by the board of education.

Mr. Griffiths was severely injured as a result of falling through the skylight at the Central Alegiate, where he was working at the time Up until about a month ago he had received from the compensation board the sum of \$19.50 per week, or practically two-thirds of his regular salary. At that time the board foull of account for permanent partial disability.

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Brussels, Dec. 29.—King Albert has accepted an invitation from Marshal Petain of France to make an invitation from Marshal Petain of France to make an automobile tour across the Sahara automo

Associated Press Despatch.
Corinth, Miss., Dec. 29. — Fifty stores and offices in the business district here were in ruins today as a result of a fire which early yesterday swept an entire block, causing damage of \$1,300,000. Several persons were slightly injuced in fighting the blaze.

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| MICHIGAN VESSEL WRECKED. | Associated Press Despatch | Corinth | Corintal | Corintal | Corintal | Corinth | Corintal |

### MONTREAL INSTITUTION IS DAMAGED BY FIRE "I love justice and liberty above all things; that is why I admire and love France so deeply. A revolutional, Dec. 29.—Damage to the trope, was done by a fire trope, was done by a fire trope.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—Damage to the extent of \$5,000 was done by a fire at the deaf and dumb institute in the north end of the city Saturday without suffering any effects,

### NOTED AUTHOR DIES.

dramatic criticism.



Dr. William Norman Guthrie States Sleeping in Edifice Not Necessary.

## DESPONDENT MAN ENDS

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HIS LIFE BY SHOOTING

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QUARREL OVER CARD GAME ENDS IN PLAYER'S DEATH

Associated Press Despatch.
London, Dec. 29.—William Archer, the noted dramatic critic and author, in referring to the noted dramatic critic and author.

died Saturday.

William Archer was born in 1856, at Perth, Scotland, and was called to the bar. Middle Temple, 1883. He edited Ibsen's prose dramas, five volumes and the collected works of Ibsen, eleven volumes, and wrote many books relating to the arts and dramatic criticism.

Associated Press Despatch.
London, Dec. 29.—William Archer, the Spanish author, in referring to the numerous challenges which he is the numerous challenges which he is the numerous challenges which he is received following a guarrei over the preceived following a guarrei over a game of cards. Czermuska died Saturday and his alleged assailant of King Alfonso and the military sequence of his published criticisms of King Alfonso and the military and his alleged assailant is under arrest on a charge of attempted to the bar. Middle Temple, 1883. He edited Ibsen's prose dramas, five volumes and the collected works of Ibsen, eleven volumes, and wrote many books relating to the arts and dramatic criticism.

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## **BUT LET-UP COMES IN SIGHT** Ice-Bound Boats

Are Released

**GETS ACCLAMATION** 

C. F. Richardson Returned to Office Without Opposition

by Stone Town Voters.

SIX BELOW TODAY Associated Press Despatch.
Detroit, Dec. 29.—After, being stuck in the ice in the Detroit River for more than four hours, two ferryboats, one bound from Windsor, Ont., to Detroit, and the One Garage Hauls In Fifty

**COLD WAVE GRIPS DISTRICT** 

Cars in the Last Six

Record Over Week-End Is

Nine Below Zero-Sunday

Morning.

### Car Ferry Held In Ice Floes

Pere Marquette Boat Securely Imprisoned Off Grand Haven.

# Nine Women and Three Men

Spend Third Night Under Lock and Key.

spondent adds, the authorities will expel several others.

SUBMERGED WRECK MASTS REPORTED IN THE ATLANTIC

READY FOR DUEL.

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\*\*Associated Press Despatch.\*\*

\*\*Mentone, France, Dec. 29.—"I am prepared to meet in a "duel anyone whom I have personally, attacked in defending the liberty of my country," declared Vicente Blasco Ibanez, the Spanish author, in referring to the numerous challenges which he is:

\*\*ENDS IN FLATER'S DEATH Associated Press Despatch.\*\*

\*\*Canadian Press Despatch.\*\*

Belleville, Dec. 29.—Coroner Dr. Boyce opened an inquest here Satabove water was reported to the local agent of the department of marine and fisheries in a message received this morning from the steamship company of the steamship defending the liberty of my country," declared Vicente Blasco Ibanez, the Spanish author, in referring to the numerous challenges which he is:

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Halifax, N. S., Dec. 29.—A submerged wreck with mass sprojecting above water was reported to the local agent of the department of marine and fisheries in a message received this morning from the steamship Dundrum Castle in latitude 41.44 north, longitude 65.58 west.

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## OCCUPATION OF COLOGNE CONDEMNED

THREE CENTS.

Austen Chamberlain's Policies Fail To Meet With Approval.

HAVE BAD EFFECT

Egyptian Ultimatum Believed To Have Been Piece of Bad Judgment.

By HENRY SOMERVILLE.

## DRIFTING SCHOONER MAY

Associated Press Despatch.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 29.—The jury of nine women and three men, which since last Friday night has been deliberating the case of Kid McCoy, former pugilist, charged with the murder of Mrs. Theresa Mors, here last August, spent its third night under lock and key at a hotel after the foreman reported to the court the jurors stood 10 to 2. There was no statement as to the division.

Half an hour after the impasse was reported, the jurors were so hopeful of reaching an agreement that they asked Judge Charles S, Crail for a more time to takeanother ballot."

Apparently an unexpected obstacle

RIOTING ALONG FRONTIER
OF BELGIUM SUPPRESSED to a series of sensational disclosures regarding alleged doubtful operation in this ancient state institution founded in 1772. The rumors of

