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100 kegs GREEN GRAPES.  
150 cases ORANGES—for Xmas trade.

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## To-day's Messages.

FOUR PROSPECTS.

LONDON, Dec. 12. The announcement in the House of Commons, yesterday, that the introduction of the Irish Bill would have to be postponed at least for a few days, has caused the press to drop all confident predictions regarding the prospects of a Home Rule measure, the comment now expressing general uncertainty. The staunch Unionists, especially the Ulster men, have been indifferent or opposed to the Bill as outlined in the press, and have all along given voice to doubts of its being introduced before Xmas, believing the Cabinet Ministers are divided too greatly for an agreement to be reached.

"BOLSHIES" ROUT DENIKINE.

LONDON, Dec. 12. Bolsheviki forces have again heavily attacked the left flank of General Denikine's army, and driven the latter's volunteers back to a depth of thirty or forty miles, along a front from three to four hundred miles long. The situation gives rise to anxiety. On the Caucasus front, however, the Bolsheviki have been repulsed before Tzaritzin with heavy losses. Bolsheviki attacks continue along the Estonian front, south of the Gulf of Finland and east of Narva, according to an official Estonian statement issued Wednesday night.

FAVOR AN ENLARGED ENTENTE.

PARIS, Dec. 12. Premiers Clemenceau and Lloyd George have a clear understanding as to the situation resulting from the present attitude of Germany, according to French newspapers, which speak with satisfaction of the opening of a conference in London by the two statesmen. Many French newspapers express the desire that the London conference should end in the conclusion, if not of an alliance, at least of an entente or agreement, equivalent to an alliance between Great Britain, Italy, France and Belgium.

SUBTLE DIPLOMACY.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 12. The Sultan of Turkey, Mohammed VI, to-day received an Associated Press correspondent, and discussed the Turkish situation and the part Turkey is taking in settling of a world peace. In the view of the Sultan, despite alarmist impressions in Europe with regard to a peace settlement, Turkish politicians are taking the position of sound reasonableness, relying upon the judgment and also justice of the Allied Powers, as did Austria, in order to secure the best terms possible.

THE FIRST OPPOSITION.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12. The first speaker to oppose Representative Mason's Bill was James S. MacGraw, a Pittsburg Minister of the Reformed Presbyterian Church. He declared that while certain factions in Ireland were trying to establish a republic, there was great division of opinion there. The Irish Republic, he said, could not be considered a de facto Government under international law. The fact that they have not a sufficient army, he said, that they have not a system of taxation, that they have not established courts, and other circumstances, demonstrate that they have not really established a de facto Government.

BRITISH BUY SPITZBERGEN MINES.

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, Dec. 12. The Norwegian coal mines in Spitzbergen have been sold to a British concern for two hundred thousand pounds. The sale was made subject to the approval of the shareholders.

KING RECEIVES TIGER.

LONDON, Dec. 12. Late to-day it was learned that as Premier Clemenceau and Lloyd George had been unable to complete their conference, M. Clemenceau had postponed his departure for France until Sunday. The French Premier will be received in audience by King George at Buckingham Palace this evening.

NOT THEIR BUSINESS.

PARIS, Dec. 12. Premier M. Clemenceau, as President of the Peace Conference, has replied briefly to the two notes in which Premier Huszar, of Hungary, explained why he could not send a Hungarian delegation to Neutry to negotiate a peace. The reply takes note of the announcement in a Hungarian communication that the three persons, proposed to be selected as delegates, were under internment by the Rumanians. The reply then adds the following: "The Supreme Council is not called upon to intervene in a question of this kind, and it renews to the Hungarian Govt. its invitation to send delegates to Neutry as quickly as possible."

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE.

BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 12. A bill granting a credit of two hundred million pesos to Great Britain, France and Italy, to facilitate the

purchase of Argentine products, was reported to the Chamber of Deputies by the Finance Committee to-night, the report being approved by a vote of 37 to 35. The credit will be guaranteed by a deposit of the sixty million gold pesos in the bank of the Argentine nation. The measure now goes to the senate.

DRAWING CLOSER TOGETHER.

LONDON, Dec. 12. Commenting on Premier Clemenceau's visit to England, the Manchester Guardian says, "Clemenceau's arrival in England and departure of American delegates from Paris, were significant, and not disconnected. Premier Clemenceau doubtless came to do what he can to fill the breach caused by the withdrawal of America. A prospect of support from America becomes less as need of support from this country grows, and may enter not only military and diplomatic spheres, but also those of finance and economics."

A SET BACK FOR GOVERNMENT.

LONDON, Dec. 12. Another rebuff was met by the Government in the Commons last night, when it was obliged to temporarily suspend discussion upon the second reading of the Coal Bill, which limits profits of coal mine owners to fourteen pence per ton for the year ending March thirty-first, nineteen-twenty. This Bill is the Government's method of redeeming its pledge to the Miners' Federation, to give legislative effect to a report made by the coal commission headed by Sir John Sankey.

BOLSHEVICS' CLAIM VICTORY.

LONDON, Dec. 12. A Bolsheviki communication, issued before the announcement of the capture of Kharkov, recorded a general advance by the Bolsheviki on all fronts, and the occupation of Volchansk in the Kharkov region. It also told of the swift pursuit of the hurriedly retreating Kolchak troops Siberia.

REDS SHOOT LOYAL OFFICER CAPTIVES.

IRKUTSK, Dec. 12. An engineer named Icheriakoff, who has just arrived from Omsk, after having spent a week there, says the Bolsheviki shot captive officers of the Siberian army, who refused to join the Red Army, and citizens who protested against night raids and other Bolsheviki excesses. The price of commodities, the engineer adds, increased from one hundred to two hundred per cent. immediately after the Bolsheviki occupation of Omsk.

CONFERENCE ADJOURNED.

LONDON, Dec. 12. A despatch received here from Stockholm says that the conference between the Baltic State representatives and the Bolsheviki has been adjourned until the end of the month.

HAD TEA WITH KING AND QUEEN.

LONDON, Dec. 12. M. Clemenceau went to Buckingham Palace this afternoon, where he had tea with King George and Queen Mary. In the evening he dined with Earl Curzon of Kedleston and Lady Curzon, and later visited a theatre.

Supreme Court.

The action of Dr. John Alex. Robinson, for libel against the St. John's Daily Star, was continued yesterday afternoon. The council for the defence addressed the jury, pointing out that the plaintiff had not established his identity with the matter complained of. His Lordship the Chief Justice, in directing the jury, quoted eminent authorities on what constitutes libel. The jury retired at 3:45 p.m. and returned to court again at 8:45, announcing through their foreman, Mr. W. B. Fraser, that they had failed to agree upon a verdict.

To-day's Proceedings.

Before the Chief Justice.  
The King on the prosecution of James Murdoch, vs. W. G. Gosling, Mayor, et al. Mr. McNeill for plaintiff states that the plaintiff is ill and he has no additional evidence to call. Mayor Gosling, recalled, examined per curiam. The court adjourned until Wednesday, Dec. 17th.

ROSALIND LEAVES TUESDAY.—S. S. Rosalind leaves New York on Tuesday for Halifax and St. John's.

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The ones now left to mourn his loss will shed a silent tear.  
For him who was so dear in life, so noble, kind, sincere.

Passed peacefully away on Dec. 12th, after a long and painful illness, Elizabeth, wife of the late Joseph Kennedy of Carbonear, leaving one son and a large circle of friends to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on Sunday, from her late residence, Rope Walk Range.

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ILL AT HOME.—Mr. J. McCarthy, J. P., of the Magistrates Court, is at present confined to his home suffering from a slight attack of pneumonia.  
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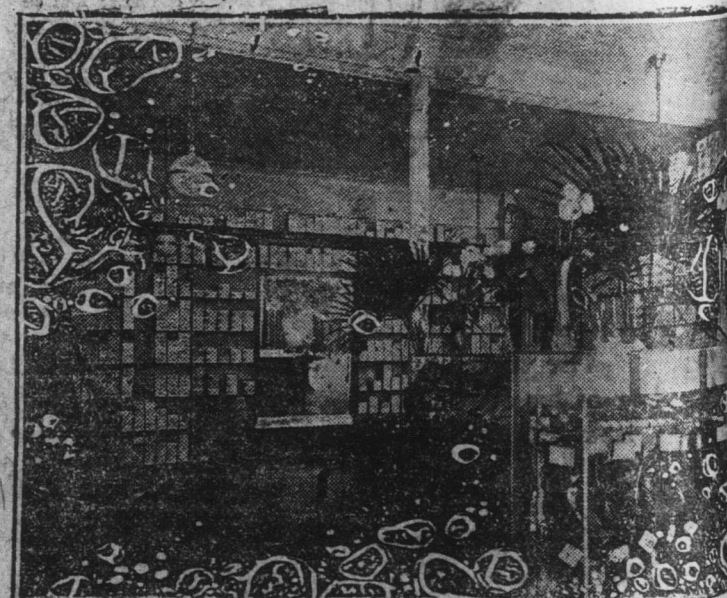
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press was evolved and has struggled  
recognition, it has passed through  
tribulation. And having now  
achieved a fulfilment of usefulness  
rightly claim that indeed the  
press is mightier than the sword.  
The Press, its antiquity and its  
importance to the world, are a part  
of our history. Traditions which may  
be disregarded, for the true news-  
man accepts and stands for a  
code of ethics from which he may not  
without impugning his position  
as a leader of thought and frac-  
tion of traditions. We find examples  
in his dropping of barriers in the  
ring of newspapers that fall from  
the and fall to hold public respect  
made away in popular esteem.  
among the mass of tradition is one  
concerns the editor. In these is

**Home**



A wanderer stood  
wondering at a happy  
to his soul for the home  
The man slipped  
song of his soul. And  
and pathetic heart-  
The man was  
Sweet Home."  
You may Re-  
if you own

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"Home, Sweet Home"  
"Silver Threads And  
are at your commo-  
magic of this great  
melody and depth of  
photograph—just like  
If you love REAL  
Music;" and "What

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