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SAINT JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1926

Vote Today Against the Marx Ministry is

249 to 171 SESSION ENDS

Adjournment to Jan. 19 Follows Ballot to Meet Hindenburg

Canadian Press RERLIN, Dec. 17 .- The government of Chancellor Marx today resigned after being defeated in the Reichstag 249 to 171, on a vote of non-confidence. The cabinet, which was automatically ousted by the adverse vote, will tender its formal resignation to President Von Hindenburg some time this eve-

It is expected that he will ask Chancellor Marx and his ministry to carry on temporarily until after the The Reichstag, after the vote ad-

DIPLOMAS GIVEN AT SCHOOL CLOSING

N. B. Agricultural Institution Winds up For Christmas

Special to The Times-Star FREDERICTON, Dec. 17-Diplomas were given to a class of 18 at the New Brunswick Agricultural school for the short course conducted for the past six weeks by a staff under for the past six weeks by a staff under the direction of Principal O. C. Hick.

The public closing took place this afternoon. The presentation of prizes was a feature. The prize for highest general proficiency donated by Sir Frederic Williams Taylor was won by E. Raymond Northrup, of Kingston. G. N. C. Hawkins, manager of the Fredericton branch of the Bank of Montreal, presented the prize.

The Rotary prize, donated by the Fredericton Rotary Club for proficiency in live stock judging was won by J. A. Reid Stewart, of Dalhousie. The prize is \$25 to be devoted to attending the Amherst Winter Fair, 1927.

MANVILLE, Alta., Dec. 17—Carbon monoxide fumes flooding the little hospital building here, rendered three nurses, the janitor and some eight patients unconscious and are believed to have resulted in the death of a young child from a foreign settlement north of here. The little girl was suffering from severe burns and the suffering from severe burns and the effects of the gas are thought to have hastened her end. The others are all recovering. The exhaust pipe of a gas engine became blocked in some way, the deadly fumes backing up into the

BUCHARESS, Rumania, Dec. 17-King Ferdinand is reported to be gaining strength daily, following his recent operations, and it is said he will soon be able to undertake the trip to a l'aris radium sanitorium. Queen Marie, wearing the national costume, made her first public appearance since her return from Canada and the United States by attending the opening of the annual fair of the Prince

Mircea Society yesterday

Old Tar's Last Wish Granted

Veteran's Sloop to be Burned at Sea Following His Death

PATCHOGUE, N. Y., Dec. 17-Old Captain Gil Moger, 93 years old and blind for 40 years, has died on the dry land he shunned, but his sloop Black Swan will be burned at sea, as he asked. Capt. Moger was an oyster man all his adult life, and was known to nearly every tar between Great South Bay and the Virginia Capes. He died here yesterday at the almshouse, where he was brought by force last spring when his 24-foot sloop caught fire in the Patchogue River. Firemen rescued the old seaman from the burning ship, but the next day he was found back in

knees baling it out. "Lads," Cap'n Moger said, salting his remark with some full-rigged "cussing" when they took him away, "when Gil Moger anchors from this here world, just you tow the Black Swan out beyond the inlet there and burn her. Burn her, do you hear? off soundings, lads, and put the fire in her innards. Let me and her put off together." But the cap'n will find his final resting place in Cedar Grove cemetery tomorrow, and the Black Swan shortly thereafter will make its last

the charred cabin on his hands and

22 Head Cattle Sent Out Thursday. 2B. Seed, Exchangement on Dec. 28

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New Brunswick Has 2 Men and One Woman on Body

SELECT OTTAWA

Representation From Each Riding for Convention to be

Canadian Press OTTAWA, Dec. 17.—The Citizen carries the following today: "The make-up of the Conservative committee representing all Canada, which is to fix a date and place for a Dominion-wide Conservative convention and make arrangements for it, has practically been decided on, and the personnel will likely be announced within a

week or ten days. "The committee will consist of 28 men and nine women. The National U. N. B. Faculty Members Conservative Association as such, is not to have anything more to do with the convention than any other organization. Every attempt is being made to bar the possibility of anyone charging the hand-picking of a leader. The man chosen will represent the majority of the Conservatives as repre-

ented at the convention. CHOSEN BY PROVINCE "The National committee will con-

"The National committee winders chosen from the provinces and most of them have been guietly working on this matter for some time, so it is not expected that they will delay long now, that the call has gone forth to name their delegations."

PROVINCIAL REPRESENTATION PROVINCIAL VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 17—A recommendation that four witnesses who appeared before the customs commission in the Chris Moeller case, be prosecuted for perjury, will be made to the commission today. The names of the witnesses will not be revealed until the motion is made.

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The form of the recommendation, it has already been intimated by Hon. N. W. Rowell, K. C., commission counsel, will be that the evidence taken in the Chris Moeller case be transferred to the Attorney General of British one woman: Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman; Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman: Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman: Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman: Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman: Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman: Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman: Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman: Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman: Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman: Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman: Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman: Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman: Prince Edward leading, represented by two men, and one woman: Prince Edward leading that the evidence take in the cancus here in October, or the content of the content of the content of the conten

New Brunswick Provincial will be represented at the meeting by Major J. S. Scott, of Fredericton, and Rev. Father (Major) Lockary, of Wood-

The branch appointed a special committee to attend the annual meeting of the social service council, January 10, to act with that body in the social service work undertaken by the branch. A grant of \$50 was voted to the Victorian Order of Nurses. The branch will promote indoor baseball and other sport during the winter and will apply port during the winter and will apply for the use of the Armoury for the

MEN POISONED

LAKE MEGANTIC, Que., Dec. 17. -That John and Dannie Gunn, two lumberjacks, died here as the result of drinking wood alcohol, which they had urchased themselves knowing it to be such, was the verdict returned by the jury at the inquest held here yes-

terday by Dr. Gauthier, of St. Samuel.

All That Moans NORMAL Is Not Murder, Say Policemen HEAL

heavens, listen at this," said the telephone girl to the chief operator. The chief donned her headphones, then rang police headquar-

"There's a horrible moaning from Henry 1622; it's 449 Hicks street." The police flivver roared through dashed to the rear to cut off possible retreat, while others battered down the front door.

Ready to shoot, Officers Mc-Nally and Shannon flashed their bullseyes into the gloom, from whence proceeded a horrible gasping and grunting. Beside an overturned telephone, lay a fat, white poodle, snoring

beautifully. The poodle's name is

Likely to be Boosted to

Special to The Times Star Table address from the student body as read by Douglas Breen of Saint John.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 17—

Both Dr. Hagerman and Mr. Breen mittee on applications for increased salaries for members of the faculty and adopted the report of the committee which was in favor of increasing school closed today for the term.

gifts which have been received

from employes of business houses,

women's organizations, Sunday

schools, C. G. I. T. groups, Girl

Guide companies, etc. It has

clearly demonstrated that the ap-

peals of the poor kiddies of the

city are not unheard, and such

giving, small though it may be on

the part of individuals, mounts

mightily in the aggregate, and

augurs well for the spirit of the

people of the city and province.

THE week-end should see the

Christmas week left to put the

fund over the top. The response

must keep up as it is going at pre-

sent to realize the objective of the

fund. Only a few days left. Let

the response be immediate and

The fund today stands as fol-

2.00

Previously acknowledged \$ Friend, St. George.....

lows:

\$2,000 mark passed, with just

British Mediterranean Flotilla Ordered To China By Admiralty

NOW ON LEAVE

Douglas Breen, Saint John, Speaks on Behalf of the

FREDERICTON, Dec. 17.pal of the Provincial Normal School, this morning was honored by both staff and student n body, when all gathered in the assembly hall, and the principal was presented with a steamer rug by the members of the staff and with an address by the student body of the school. The students are forbidden by regulations to make presentation

of gifts. Dr. H. H. Hagerman, who has been named by Dr. W. S. Carter, Chief Supt. of Education, as acting principal in the absence of Dr. Bridges made the presentation on behalf of the staff.

Loch Lomond Union Sunday

School

R. S.
Group pupils, Fairville Superior School
Bathurst C. G. I. T. Group
Night staff (100 pc) Post

Branch of True Canadians,

C. J. Hanson

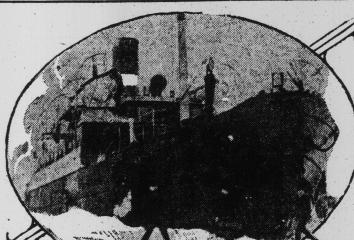
Ice-Marooned Sailors

Steamer Rug and Address Presented to Dr. H. V. B. Bridges

Student Body

Dr. H. V. B. Bridges, princi-

Both Dr. Hagerman and Mr. Breen The Senate of the University of New expressed the best wishes for the respective day received a report of a special com- and his safe return. Dr. Bridges will





ships are locked in by ice. Here is the "Thor," Swedish tramp merchantman, caught near Helsingborg, Sweden, till the spring thaw. Inset shows natives bringing hot food to

MUSSOLINI SEEKING TREATY WITH FRANCE

Where they never draw the curtains when the watchman locks the

Eager, wistful little faces, looking at the heaps of toys

That will bring a Merry Christmas to a host of girls and boys.

Looking at the only Christmas that they possibly can know.

Every night they stand there watching, tattered children, in a row,

LOOK them over, Mr. Shopper, when you walk down-town tonight,
Thin and hungry little children, borrowing a brief delight.
From the wonders of a Christmas which to them is just a dream,

Just a swiftly passing vision of how happiness might seem.

And perhaps, when you have seen them, you will hunt up Santa Claus,
For they sadly need somebody who knows how to plead their cause.

SANTA CLAUS has swarms of children on his Christmas calling list,

But he'll add a few names to it if you see him and insist.

Help the old man out a little—he'll be glad to add your mite

To the fund that he's investing in the spreading of delight.

And these little wistful children will be grateful all the year

For their share, so long denied them, of the blessed Christmas cheer.

12.87

5.00

Canadian Press introduce a bill providing for capital erners there in spite of the fact that punishment by the use of lethel gas in ROME, Dec. 17—A Franco-Italian agreement is one of the fundamental necessities of European evolution Prepeated by hanging was abolished in Nu Chang, the ancient city across the

L. B. and F. B.

Children's Bazaar, East Saint

A. Kirkpatrick, Hoyt Sta. Frank Sambles ""

Letitia Patterson, "
Patricia Patterson "

Madeleine Patterson " "

John Robinson

Friend Owl's Club

Staff, Gutta Percha Rubber

Beacon Light Class, Pleasant
Point Sunday School...
Mrs. Schofield, Norton...

Norton Women's Institute

C. A. D.

-Author Unknown.

J. Talbot Rogers..... E. M. R. K. O. H. Sunday school class,

Black's Harbor

Pack, St. Paul's Church

H. J. K.
Ena L. Hutchinson
2nd Saint John Brownie

Friend

A. G. Patterson, "

CONSERVATIVES TO PICK LEADER AT SESSION CLOSE CANTON ADVANCE GUARD DRIVEN

Dressed as Civilians, Southerners Cut Rail Communications

HOLD PARLEYS Lampson Confers at Hankow With Eugene Chen Before Going to Pekin

Canadian Press VALETTA, Malta, Dec. 17. -The Fourth Destroyer Flotilla has been ordered to China by the British Admiralty. The vessels today were loading munitions and stores with the probability that they would sail late in the day. The cruiser Caradock, it was said, might accompany the

SHANGHAI, Dec. 17.—That Great Britain is making gestures to Cantonese which are interpreted as being "of a friendly nature," is indicated in despatches received here today from Hankow, which say that Miles Lampson, new British minister to China, and Eugene Chen, foreign minister of the southern

government have been holding conferences almost daily. Mr. Lampson is expected to go to Peking at once, to take up his duties. He made a special trip to Hankow immediately after his recent arrival in China, postponing the inauguration of his work at Peking to go to Hankow to survey the situation there.

In the meantime the military situ-For Murder Urged ation in the north is obscure to tral observers at Hankow, and they DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 17—Representative Milton R. Palmer is going to

SOUTHERNERS DRIVEN OUT

Lakes, and relatively low to the eastward. The weather has modcrated somewhat in Alberta but continues decidedly cold from Saskatchewan to Northern Ontario, while southern Ontario eastward it has been cold with local

FORECASTS: Fair and Colder MARITIME-Strong westerly winds, tonight; cloudy and cold with local snow flurries. Saturday fresh to strong westerly winds; mostly fair and colder. NEW ENGLAND-Rain or snow probably tonight and Saturday, not so cold tonight, colder Saturday, fresh to strong south-west shifting to northwest winds.

TORONTO), De	c. 17—	
		L	owest.
		Highest o	luring
8	a.m.	yesterday	night
Victoria	44	46	32
Kamloops	22	24	16
Calgary	22	28	8
Toronto	18	20	16
Montreal		16	16
Saint John .		36 ·	10
			10

3.00 4.00 1.00 3.00

Friend
Community Sewing Club,
Young's Cove Road
Carpenter, N. B., Sunday
School
St. Stephen friends
Staff, Bank of Montreal, 5.00 King street

A St. Andrews friend

Master Vernon Slocum

Central Greenwich W. I. Total \$1,874.91

Halifax