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## Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.

LONDON, Dec. 17. Mrs. Pankhurst has again been released. She was in jail since Saturday.

PRINCE RUPERT, Dec. 17. Ernest G. Kenneth Young, an English rancher, was murdered on a train between Kipprox and Glenview, near Hazelton. Indians are suspected of the murder. They resented his work as a rancher.

GUATANAMO, Dec. 17. The U.S. battleship Ohio has arrived at Calimancera from the Mediterranean with six cases of smallpox on board. Twenty men are suffering from fever, whilst two of the smallpox cases are in a critical condition. One man died from smallpox on the way across.

ROME, Dec. 17. The death of Cardinal Rampolla, former Papal Secretary of State, was not made known to the Pope until this morning. His holiness was overwhelmed with grief. When he had somewhat recovered his composure he said: "Cardinal Rampolla was one of the greatest men of the Church; he has become even greater since he had been relieved from state affairs." Pope Pius ordered that the greatest honors should be paid the Cardinal, upon whom he bestowed the highest tributes.

BERLIN, Dec. 17. The Countess Von Tetenburg, who has been on trial here for nearly a month on charges of usury, fraud, and matrimonial swindles, in which people in high society have been involved, has been found guilty of fraud and blackmail, also with abetting usury, and has been sentenced to 15 months' imprisonment and a fine of \$875. Princess Von Isomberg was fined \$750, with the alternative of 20 days, for refusing to testify. It was claimed that she introduced the Countess to the client, who had her arrested.

LONDON, Dec. 17. The newest development in wireless telegraphy was demonstrated at the exhibition of the Physical Society of London. This invention aims at the detection of the direction from which the message comes. No one has yet discovered how to send wireless, like the searchlight, in any definite directions. They go out everywhere, but even though they cannot be directed, it is just possible a ship will be able to find out whence they come. This is done by a won-

derful new instrument shown by the Marconi Company.

LONDON, Dec. 17. Speaking at a reception of the crew of the New Zealand battleship, Winston Churchill said that the gift of the ship by the Dominion of New Zealand, at a time of serious crisis, was one of the greatest acts of far-sighted imagination, which any modern state could claim credit for. The Admiralty did its best at all times to assist the Dominions to give effect to this universal desire to aid the Imperial Navy according to their means. They recognized the sacrifice Australia had made, and look forward with confidence to the assistance which Canada would bring.

NEWCASTLE, Dec. 17. Eighteen mangled and burned bodies have been recovered by rescue crews from the Vulvat mines, in which an explosion occurred yesterday. Searchers have reported the locations of seven more dead miners. There was no hope this morning that any of the thirty-seven miners were alive. A pathetic incident of the rescue work last night was when Harry Meez, stripping, emerged from the mine, carrying the body of his father. After the explosion young Meez, with an oxygen helmet, was one of the first to enter the mine. He wandered about the workings, guided only by the flash of his electric torch, stumbling over body after body, till he came upon that for which he searched. Meez lifted the body of his father to his shoulders and carried him over a mile through the lane of Death home to mother.

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STAR MEETING—A meeting of the Star of the Sea Society was held last night to consider the holding of a series of lectures and debates the winter.

## Here and There.

BOVRIL served hot at P. J. RAYNES, 112 New Gower St. dec18,1m

CITY'S HEALTH.—No cases of infectious disease were reported in the city during the past few days.

COMFORT CANOE.—The banker Metamora, Capt. J. Lewis, has left Mr. Breton for Halifax with a cargo of fish, shipped by Job Bros.

"THE SILENT BARRIER," Xmas Afternoon and Night, at Casino Theatre.—dec15,tf

MAKING LONG PASSAGE.—The ship, Cheekers, Capt. Goddard, is making a long passage to this port. She is now out over sixty days.

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FOREIGN FISH MARKET.—The price of fish at Bahia yesterday, as quoted by the Consul, was 43 milreis per drum, with a firm market.

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LEAGUE MEETS.—At last it has been definitely decided that a meeting of the Hockey League will take place to-morrow night when the season's games will be arranged.

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NEW RESERVISTS.—About one hundred reservists are putting in their regular drill on the H. M. S. Cayoso daily, and recruits are arriving by nearly every train and steamer.

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BOOTH'S HOMEWARD BOUND.—The s.s. Booth's is now on the way home from Naples, and was expected to take coal at Gibraltar yesterday. She carries a load of salt from Santa Pola.

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WILL GO IN COAL TRADE.—The Black Diamond Liner Cacouna will finish discharging her cargo to-morrow. She will leave here for Sydney, and will then be engaged in the coal trade between Halifax and St. John, N.B.

SALVED GOODS.—Over four hundred Brussels carpets, which were salvaged from the wrecked steamer Cervona and brought here by the s.s. Fortia, will likely be transhipped to the other side. These goods are very costly.

Gifts at \$5.00 and less. Here are a few appropriate suggestions: Manicure Sets, Toilet Goods, Bar Pins, Bracelets, Lockets, Leather Novelties, Hat Pins, Ash Trays, Umbrellas, Walking Sticks, Fountain Pens, and a host of good things in Table-ware. T. J. DULEY &amp; CO.—dec17,2f

BUSINESS DIFFICULTIES.—A meeting of the creditors of Mr. P. F. Collins was held yesterday afternoon to consider the solvency of otherwise of the firm. The liabilities are about \$21,000, and pending the adjusting of affairs, Messrs. H. E. Cowan and R. Wright were appointed trustees.

Remembering the little ones is, after all, the chief joy at this season. If your mind is not already made up, possibly these suggestions may be of use in making your choice: Baby Spoons, Baby Rings, Silver Mugs, Baby Saws, Neck Chains, Napkin Rings, Bracelets, Baby Pins, Locket Spoons. T. J. DULEY &amp; CO., The Reliable Jewellers.—dec17,2f

WRECKED CREW LEAVES.—The captain and crew numbering thirty-eight, of the steamer Cervona, which ran ashore near Bear Cove, Fernhouse, and became a total wreck, will take passage to-day on the Allan Line's Mongolian for Glasgow en route of their homes. Most of the crew are brothers and live in the United Kingdom.

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## Ponderous Personages.

BEETHOVEN.

By GEORGE FITCH.

Author of "At Good Old Smash." Beethoven, whose name is familiar to almost all people except lovers of modern popular music was a German, who lived over a century ago when Germany was stronger in melody than it is in politics.

In 1770 when Beethoven was born, music meant more to Europe than baseball does in America to-day, and the man who could compose a class A concerto could drop around to breakfast with Kings and Emperors almost as freely as if he had carried a ward election. When Beethoven was five years old he began to study the violin, and piano, forte, singing and composition. Later at the age of nine he got a little education in writing and reading but was always a poor mathematician, seldom asking for change when paying for his purchases. At eleven he was assistant court organist and at 13 was publishing music.

At fifteen Beethoven was supporting his family with his music. He was a rough unpolished boy, with a bad temper and ridiculous clothes, but when he went to the piano and began to tease heart throbs and day dreams but of it, his queer clothes were forgotten and even conversation ceased. Still we must remember that this latter story may have grown some during the last hundred years.

Beethoven lived almost sixty years and in that time produced about as much music as a good right-and-left-handed comic opera composer now turns out in a couple of seasons. His fame became world wide, and when it became known that he was about to finish a new concerto there was as much suspense in England as there is now over the American tariff bill. But Beethoven himself was not happy. Before he was forty his hearing began to fail, and in his last years he could not hear at all. This made him gloomy, despondent and gruff, but it did not impair his music.

Beethoven's deafness was a tragedy, especially because at that time it was so unnecessary. Haydn, Mozart, Schubert and other great masters filled the world with beautiful music, and even had he possessed four ears, a young composer would not be in danger. But to-day when deafness until the age of twenty-five would be almost necessary to produce another Beethoven, all musicians have good ears and most of them get syncope in time and perish in comic opera.

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## Declares Bed Bug Is Dangerous.

New York Physician Urges War 'On the Insect. New York, Dec. 12.—The Cimet Lectureship, less elegantly but more familiarly known as the bed bug is a still more dangerous insect than is generally supposed. It is a potent factor in the transmission of tuberculosis, according to Dr. J. Walling Beveridge who has presented a paper on the subject to the conference on safety and sanitation which is being held in this city.

He said that only recently had the bed bug been given serious consideration as a carrier of germs, but that lately a number of authorities were agreeing upon the possibility that leprosy and spinal meningitis germs were carried by this household pest and that numerous cases had recently been recited where tuberculosis infection has been seemingly caused by the bed bug. It has been discovered that the bug is able to live 224 days without food, he remarked. He pointedly inquired that a public campaign be conducted to warn housewives of the grave consequences which might result in permitting the bed bug to live.

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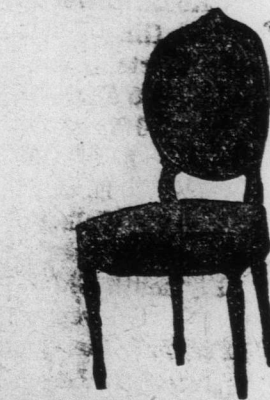
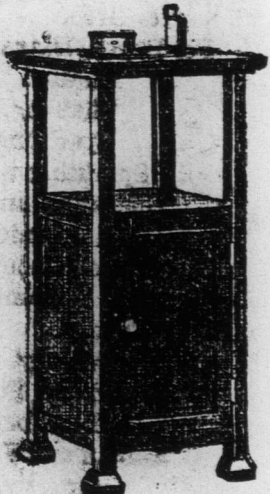
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