

WILL NOT COMPETE WITH EX-ENEMIES

Belgium, France and Britain Against Meeting Germans and Austrians in International Sport Meet.

Stockholm, Jan. 3.—Only the United States and Italy of the countries allied against Germany and Austria in the war have expressed a willingness to allow their athletes to compete against representatives of former enemy countries in the international games to be held next summer at Gothenburg. As a result, the games may be restricted to the U. S., Italy, Germany, Austria and the former neutral nations.

CRIME WAVE IN NEW YORK?

Youth Runs Amuck With a Revolver—Daring Robbery in Broadway.

New York, Jan. 3.—In Times Square last night John Russo, aged twenty-one, appeared amidst the traffic firing a revolver, the bullets from which struck two people, Alice Osborne and Michael Seidman, necessitating their removal to a hospital. There was a scurry for shelter. Russo, however, a taxi, only to be seized an instant later by policemen who were chasing him, after his alleged attempt to loot a theatrical dressing house. At headquarters he confessed to fourteen burglaries within the last few weeks.

LOCAL NEWS

It is reported that a Gloucester Liberal convention will be held on Jan. 28 to choose a candidate for the by-election.

MOVING TO TORONTO
Ralph Shepherd, a Jewish merchant, who has been in business in Fredericton for some years, left last night for Toronto where he will locate. His family will follow soon.

PROVINCIAL LIBRARY.
W. C. Miller of Ottawa, Dominion Archivist, is in Fredericton, having arrived last night. He is working at the education office on a scheme for the establishment of a provincial library.

AT THE HOSPITAL.
Fenwick Carney, who was hurt recently in a railway accident, is resting very comfortably in the General Public Hospital, according to word from there this afternoon.

SOMEWHAT SERIOUS.
The condition of Albert Sinstead, who sometime ago wounded himself with a knife while in a house in Germain street and who has since been in the General Public Hospital, is regarded as serious. The police have not proceeded with the case owing to his condition but some action will be taken eventually.

APPRECIATION.
The Commissioner of Public Safety has received a letter from Scovill Brothers, Limited, expressing their appreciation of the prompt and efficient work of the detectives and police in connection with a robbery in their store.

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DEATHS

EVANS.—On January 3, 1923 at her home 116 Ludlow street, Mrs. Anne Evans, aged 80 years, leaving to mourn her parents, one sister, one brother and two children.

Funeral from her late residence Friday afternoon at 2.30.

DOBBS.—In this city on January 2, Wilson L. Dobbs, leaving his wife, two daughters and one son.

Funeral on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his late residence, 232 Sydney street.

GRANDMARR.—Suddenly on Jan. 2, 1923, at Black Beach, Lorneville, Hannah Amelia, wife of Captain James Grandmarr, aged 67 years, leaving her husband, three daughters, and one brother to mourn.

Funeral from her late residence Thursday at 2 o'clock.

IN MEMORIAM
STRAIGHT.—In loving memory of George M. Straight, who died Jan. 3, 1920, aged ten years.
HUEY.—In loving memory of our dear Evelyn, who passed to the Hereafter Jan. 3, 1922.
DANAHER.—In loving memory of our dear Danaher who departed this life Jan. 3, 1918.
WIFE AND FAMILY

LOCAL NEWS

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Ugars' Laundry, Ltd., mend all socks and stockings, table linens, etc., and sew on all buttons free of charge. Phone Main 38.

Ladies' Auxiliary A. O. H. Div. No. 3. The meeting will be postponed from Wednesday until Thursday at 8 o'clock.

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FERRY DEFICIT IS REDUCED

Although the revenue from the harbor ferry last year was nearly \$7,000 less than it was last year, the operating expenses were cut more than \$20,000, making the operating deficit more than \$13,000 less than it was in 1921. The following are the details:

1921	1922
Passengers carried 2,172,949	1,795,505
Passenger revenue \$38,507.04	\$27,718.88
Teams carried 116,801	100,138
Team revenue \$10,266.07	\$9,718.70
Total revenue \$48,773.11	\$37,437.58
Total expenses \$61,740.49	\$47,484.93
Net revenue \$13,032.62	\$10,952.65
Net revenue decrease \$2,079.97	

The following are comparative figures for December—

1921	1922
No. carried 202,521	182,407
Revenue \$3,193.10	\$2,977.39
Decrease in passengers 19,114	
Decrease in revenue \$215.81	

Teams

1921	1922
No. carried 10,230	11,505
Increase in teams 1,275	
Increase in revenue \$160.03	
Net revenue decrease \$65.78	

CRAWFORD HOLDS NEW YORK FORT

New York, Jan. 3.—Ten patrolmen were stationed in City Hall Park and in front of City Hall today in anticipation of the return of a delegation of Irish Republican women who last night paraded the streets bearing a banner denouncing Mayor Hylan and the police for their share in the hostile attitude which resulted in placing Lindsay Crawford, Free State consul, in possession of the Irish consulate. None appeared, however, and Mayor Hylan worked unobscured in his office.

Henry Ford's Dream.

(Vancouver World)
Henry Ford makes this startling prediction: "Within a few years—I wouldn't be surprised if it would be five or six years—we won't be burning coal underground, right where it is found, and the by-products utilized."
"Probably we'll utilize all the gases, too, for heat, light and power. Some of the heat can be utilized, too, where it is generated underground. What heat is wasted by this method won't be nearly so important as the waste of human energy which results from our present method of mining coal, and the waste involved in transporting and distributing it."

This latest dream of Ford's results from a trip he made into a coal mine. He went about three miles underground and found it a "terrible place to be in, no fit place for a human being to work."

More than half a million men on this continent toil underground to get coal in other words, to get power. Meantime, tremendous power is going to waste in falling water, in the ocean tides, in the wind, in the sun's heat. All these will be harnessed some day. Nature has placed unlimited power at our disposal. Human drudgery will end when we learn to harness these natural forces.

Harnessing them is a long, slow job. But it'll come. Nature gives us what we need. Her price is constant to us. It's just like a book, isn't it? And it'll be worth the journey for humanity.

FOUR SHORT-WEIGHT COAL DEALERS FINED

Two cases involving alleged violations of the law regarding coal sales, where both defendants were found guilty, were heard in the Roxbury court yesterday, says the Boston Herald. James A. Robb of 31 Kendall street, Roxbury, was fined \$50 for selling a ninety-four pound bag of coal as 100 pounds. Commenting on the case, Judge Palmer said that coal dealers had been fined sufficiently for selling a ninety-four pound bag of coal as 100 pounds.

MONTREAL BOY SCALDED TO DEATH WITH COFFEE

Montreal, Jan. 3.—Baby Antoinette Gaudet scalded herself to death today when she upset a cup of boiling coffee. The family were at breakfast when the tragedy occurred.

The Success of Impudence. (Hamilton Herald)
Sheer impudence often goes further than brains. There is a beggar in Connecticut who goes begging in a motor car—and he prospers. The very novelty of the thing favors success.

Germany is using lignite, peat and "brown coal" for fuels for her industries.

SNAP
In the Home means goodbye dirt

THE GREAT HAND CLEANER

HEROINE, TEN, OUTWITS BURGLAR; ARRESTS CULPRIT SINGLE-HANDED

Finds Waiter Looting Room Girl by Means of a Ruse Turns Intruder Over to Her Father, Then Breaks Down.

(New York Tribune.)
The impish gods of adventure, busy at holiday time, sought to play a prank yesterday on a very small girl who lives with her parents and sister at the Essex Hotel, 572 Madison Avenue. But the little girl, though only ten, has a spirit of her own. She wouldn't be cowed into fear, so she met the adventure half way in spite of a thumping heart and trembling knees.
Today Audrey Barrett is probably the only ten-year-old in New York who can boast of having caught a burglar single-handed and hung on to him until help arrived. She was being petted and congratulated on all sides yesterday, and was as proud as a peacock.

When she slipped into her bedroom on Saturday night and saw a black-coated figure with his back turned toward her rummaging in her bureau drawer, it didn't take her a second to make up her mind that a real burglar was in her room.

"He was a waiter," Audrey explained when telling her story yesterday afternoon at the Essex Hotel. "He had only been in the hotel for three or four days. I had seen him downstairs, but he had never waited on us in our room. I knew mother had gone downstairs to dinner with some guests and that daddy was getting ready to go. Quick as a flash I thought of daddy."

"Werent you afraid, Audrey?" the child was asked.
"Indeed, I was afraid, but I was more afraid that he would get away, so I didn't let him see I knew what he was doing. I walked up to him quite coolly and said, 'Come with me into the reception room. Father wants to order dinner.'"

The waiter, stricken dumb with surprise and totally unable to credit himself with any way in anything but Greek, put the child's trinkets on the mantelpiece. Audrey got behind him so that he couldn't run out the other door. Then she marched him into the reception room. When the strange procession halted she called for her father and he came from his bedroom. The little actress dropped her role as a waitress and her father appeared and called to him: "Daddy, grab the thief!"

She carried off the encounter without showing a trace of the nervous fear that almost took the strength from her limbs. When it was all over and the man had been taken away in the custody of a patrolman she broke down and wept from nervous reaction.

"It just came into my head like a flash how to act," she related yesterday. "I knew I wouldn't be hurt, and I was afraid I tried to make him think I didn't see he was stealing my pearl bracelet and other things. No! I never read of any one holding up a waiter this way, but I thought it was the only thing to do. If I had screamed I would have frightened him off or he might have grabbed me. I can't imagine why every one thinks it so wonderful. It seemed quite natural to do."

Hermione, her eight-year-old sister, hung over the end of the couch, fascinated by Audrey's recital. The eyes of both little girls were as round as saucers. Such an adventure to come to them! It didn't seem possible that it could be true.

Sister Sorry She Missed Fun.
"You know, Audrey goes to the Froebel League, but she doesn't like school at all," Hermione whispered confidentially into a reporter's ear. "But wasn't it fun about the burglar? I was downstairs having supper and I'm so sorry I just like a book, isn't it? And Audrey's simply dead with having her picture taken."

Both little girls are pretty and extremely clever for their years. Audrey has long, fair hair worn English fashion down to her waist. Mr. Barrett is of the opinion that he broke into the children's room by mistake, thinking he was entering hers. The trinkets which he took was in the act of stealing were insignificant. It was jewelry of the Cuban consular corps on board, and which was last heard from on December 6, when she reported she was disabled, in distress, in heavy seas off the Canadian coast.

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Mrs. A. L. Bates of Louisburg is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter, Belgrave Avenue, East St. John.

Mrs. A. McAllister of 800 Rockland road left on Saturday evening for Boston to spend the New Year's vacation with relatives.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. Martin Colton of Montreal, having arrived in St. John for the winter months, and have taken rooms at 172 King street East.

MARLOCH IS AT SAND POINT

Lands 419 Passengers and Has Cargo, Mail and Parcel Post.

The Canadian Pacific steamship Marloch arrived here this morning from Liverpool via Halifax with 125 cabin and 294 third class passengers, in addition to 2,600 tons of general cargo and 2,884 packages of mail and parcel post. She docked a little before 12 o'clock, but the passengers did not start to disembark until nearly one o'clock, as the ship was not to start to disembark until nearly one o'clock, as the ship was not to start to disembark until nearly one o'clock.

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The Hellenes will dock this afternoon at No. 7 to load for River Plate.

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SOCIAL PROBLEM IN THIS DRAMA

Queen Square Theatre is Showing Powerful Photoplay, "Who are My Parents."

The mysterious "Mr. X," author of the William Fox film, "Who Are My Parents?" presents in his drama one of the most serious problems that confront society today. He pictures vividly and grippingly the foundlings, who spend their lives asking themselves the question, "Who are my parents?" and he pictures the lives of so many wealthy matrons of today, who spend their days lastly and comfortably, and their nights in playing bridge. He does not preach; there is no propaganda; he merely tells his story so effectively, so powerfully, and so truthfully that the conclusion drawn is irresistible.

J. Searle Dawley, who directed the production, has brought out every point with the same extraordinary skill that has marked all his work. The situation when the mother learns after two years that her boy, who she thought died at birth, is alive, is said to be one of the most poignant scenes in screen history.

One main incident in "Who Are My Parents?" centres around the attempt of a stern father to prevent his daughter from marrying the man she loves. The consequences of this act brings great unhappiness upon the girl and leads to a powerful emotional climax. The cast, a fine one all through, contains the name of Peggy Shaw, a Ziegfeld Follies beauty, whose debut in pictures has resulted in a gratifying triumph for all concerned. Roger Lytton, Florence Hillman and Niles Welch have been entrusted with other prominent characters.

"Who Are My Parents?" will close a three days engagement at the Queen Square Theatre tonight.

NEWS NOTES

ABOUT BAPTISTS

(Maritime Baptist.)
Rev. C. W. Robbins, the pastor of the Bridgetown, N. S., Baptist Church, on a recent Sunday morning read his resignation to take effect in March. He will continue theological studies at Newton.

Mrs. C. S. McLearn is spending the winter months in Florida.

Rev. Harry H. Powell, who presided for two Sundays more than a year ago for the Charlotte street church, West St. John, has recently closed a four years' pastorate with the Baptist Church, Gardiner, Mass., and has begun work as pastor of the First Baptist Church, Natick, Mass. Upon his retirement from the pastorate in Gardiner, Mr. Powell and family were given with cash gifts amounting to \$100.

Rev. Edwin Simpson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Portland, Me., has indicated that the church accept his resignation. For years he has planned an extensive trip and will leave with an extensive trip and will leave with an extensive trip and will leave with an extensive trip.

The Baptist Ministerial Association of Toronto, and the Canadian Baptist Mission Board acting together, have elected Rev. M. A. B. D., who is leaving Toronto to take up his residence in the Holy Land and Europe, where he hopes to be able to attend the World's Baptist Alliance next July.

On Monday, Dec. 18, under the auspices of the Baptist Ministerial Association of Toronto, and the Canadian Baptist Mission Board acting together, a farewell luncheon was tendered to Rev. M. L. Orchard, M. A. B. D., who is leaving Toronto to take up his residence in the Holy Land and Europe, where he hopes to be able to attend the World's Baptist Alliance next July.

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BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of William Elliott was held this morning from the residence of his brother-in-law, Frank Coholan, 300 Prince Edward street, to the Cathedral for regular high mass by Rev. B. Oram, Rev. R. McCarthy was deacon; Rev. H. Nugent, sub-deacon, and Rev. W. M. Duke, master of ceremonies. Rev. E. Reynolds was in the sanctuary and Bishop LeBlanc gave the final absolution. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery. Relatives were pall bearers. A great many floral and spiritual offerings were received.

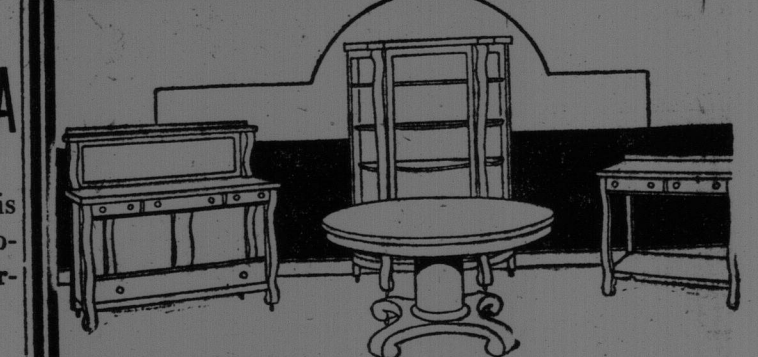
The funeral of Joseph McDermott was held this afternoon from his late residence, 79 Broad street, to St. John the Baptist church for service by Rev. J. J. McDermott. Interment was in the old Catholic cemetery.

FIRE IN ORPHANAGE

Dallas, Texas, Jan. 3.—A boys' dormitory at the Buckner's Orphan Home, near here, was destroyed by fire about midnight. Two hundred and fifty boys of the home were sleeping in the building, but all were got away safely.

QUEBEC BUILDING INCREASES.
Quebec, Jan. 3.—(Canadian Press.) The building statistics for the year 1922 in the city of Quebec show a value of \$5,397,566, as compared with \$3,698,397 in 1921. The largest permit issued during the year was one for the Chateau Frontenac for one million dollars.

MONCTON WRESTLER WANTS BOUT WITH HALIFAX MAN
Moncton, N. B., Jan. 3.—Bob McWilliams, a local wrestler has issued a challenge to Jim Smart, a wrestler now in Halifax.



Quartered Oak, And at 1-3 Off