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This Date in History.

FEBRUARY 1.
New Moon—14th

Days Past—31. To Come—333
ASSASSINATION of the King and Crown Prince of Portugal, 1908.
PUNERAL of Queen Victoria, 1901.
BELL ROCK LIGHT HOUSE completed 1811. The Inchcape Rock is a dangerous reef in the German Ocean. Tradition says that at one time a bell was hung on the rock to warn seamen and that this bell was cut down by a pirate who was himself drowned afterwards on the reef. After great difficulties, Robert Stephenson succeeded in building a Light House there and on this date its light first shone across the waters.

THE WOMEN WHO WAIT AT HOME

They sing of the field of battle,
They sing of the god of war,
They sing of the shrapnel's rattle,
They sing of the warrior.
Oh, many the songs of a nation's wrath,
But seldom a word,
Of woman is heard,
I sing of the aftermath.

When the mad King's fire of killing,
And pause for a moment's rest,
Their honor saved by spilling
The blood of a nation's best.
Then over the war-torn meadows,
Searching the crimson loam,
They come with cries
And streaming eyes.

The women who wait at home.

Of those who die in the fighting,
Facing the enemy's host,
And those whose life is blighting,
I ask who suffers the most?
The nations are quick in anger,
The cost they never atone,
For the burden rests,
On the weary breasts.

Of the women who wait at home.

They sing of the field of battle,
They sing of the lust for blood,
They sing of the shrapnel's rattle,
They sing of the crimson flood.
They sing of the roaring cannon,
That shatter the heaven's dome,
But never a thought
Of what the struggle has brought
The women who wait at home.

—George J. Smith.

Military Mass at Cathedral.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICE FOR R. C. VOLUNTEERS YESTERDAY.

The celebration of last Mass at the R. C. Cathedral yesterday morning was a highly impressive service. The Roman Catholic Volunteers, to the number of fully 150 attended, and a guard of honour, under arms, in charge of Sgt.-Instructor Moore, was present on the altar and presented arms at the consecration, while drums were rolled instead of the usual chiming, the celebrant being Rev. Thos. Nangle. The officer commanding the R. C. Contingent, Lieut. Jas. J. Donnelly, with Sgt.-Instructors Moore, L. C. Murphy and J. J. O'Grady occupied seats at the altar, while the servers were Corporal S. R. Smith and Lance-Corporal Burnham, of the Regiment.

Rev. Dr. Greene preached on the Gospel of the day, drawing a lesson relative to the departure of our lads, and he bade them God speed in the brave work they had undertaken. The congregation were deeply touched at the sermon and the impressive service, which was concluded by the rendition of the National Anthem by Prof. Hutton who also played the British Grenadiers as our soldiers moved out of the Cathedral.

GERMANY CONSERVES FOOD.

Berlin, Jan. 26.—The Federal Council has put into effect sweeping regulations in regard to conservation of food supplies, as follows:
"All stocks of corn, wheat and flour are ordered seized by Feb. 1. All business transactions in these commodities is forbidden from Jan. 26."
"All municipalities are charged with the duty of selling preserved meats."
"The owners of corn are ordered to report their stocks immediately whereupon at confiscation a fixed price will follow."
"A government distributing office for the regulation of consumption will be established, distribution being made according to the number of inhabitants."

MINARD'S LINDSEY CUBES

COLES, H.

Big Blaze Saturday Night

AT THE CITY CLUB BUILDING.

With the thermometer hovering at zero and at the height of a strong N.W. wind, a fire of an unknown origin broke out at the City Club Building on Water Street Saturday at 9.35 p.m., gutting the men's outfitting store of Mr. J. L. MacGregor and damaging considerably the store of Mr. F. B. Wood and the rooms of the City Club. At 9.35 an alarm from box 25 was sent in from the head of Market House Hill, the Central and East End Brigades responding hurriedly. The fire originated in the ground floor of the MacGregor building and about half an hour after business had been discontinued, and the shop closed for the night. When the firemen reached the scene huge flames were issuing through the side of MacGregor's shop, while the interior was a mass of flame. What strengthened the blaze was the inflammable stock in MacGregor's store, and by a strong wind. The fire brigades applied four streams of water and though their efforts were hampered by the cold weather, had the blaze under control inside of a half an hour. At the rear of the building there were piles of lumber, and fearing this would ignite the firefighters gave their attention there, and attempted to confine the blaze as much as possible. Soon the flames reached the City Club rooms and the store of P. B. Wood adjoining. The fire was eating through the ceilings and hard for the firemen to get at it and it was well up to midnight before the fire was extinguished, though some of the firemen had to remain for several hours afterwards to watch the debris. The interior of MacGregor's store was destroyed and is now a heap of ruins. The loss is heavy but it is covered by insurance. Considerable damage was done the rooms and furniture of the City Club. The building is insured at \$20,000 for the City Club Building Co., and the interests of the City Club are insured at \$10,000. The damage to Wood's store is not very great and was caused principally by smoke and water.

Miss Ayer Bids Farewell

AT THE NICKEL THIS WEEK.

The opening bill at the Nickel Theatre this week has two two-part films. One is "From the Flames," a picture play that contains intense and gripping scenes. It shows how a wayward son comes to grief through an attempt to destroy his father's last will. The fire scenes in this picture are marvelous; do not miss it for anything. The other two-film story is "The Geisha," well known everywhere. It is a love story concerning a naval officer and a Japanese girl. This is a film which every lover of the opera will want to see. "In the Spider Web" is a strong social drama and "Mack at it again" is the comedy by the Keystone Co. Miss Ayer, the talented vocalist, farewells this week. Be sure and hear her tonight.

Note of Thanks.

On behalf of the Farewell Dance Committee of the First Nid. Contingent, I have to thank the following for their kindness in coming forward and helping to make the dance so successful. We hope to be able to hand over to the Women's Patriotic Association the sum of \$300 or more which goes to show how patriotic the public are and the manner in which they appreciated our dance. The members of the British Society, The Nid. Co., C.C.C. Band, Messrs. Royal Stores, James Baird, Ltd., Ayre & Sons, Bowring Bros., Ltd., Hon. J. R. Bennett, Imperial Tobacco Co., W. J. Clouston, A. Harvey & Co., U. S. Picture and Portrait Co., W. V. Drayton, McGrath Bros. (Painters), Lt.-Col. Rendell (C.L.B.), Messdames W. H. Tobin, Shears, Buckley, Byrne, Harris, Sullivan, Miss Hayward and Miss Lizzie Higgins, S. O. Steele, Mr. D. Snell and squad of H.M.S. Calypso. Also all the ladies who so kindly sent donations, and to the daily papers which offered their services freely to the committee.

(Sgd.) W. D. EDWARDS.

Secy. Dance Com.

The success of "VICTORY" Flour has been remarkable, sales have increased on account of excellent quality, ask for "VICTORY" Flour—Jan. 29th.

List of Unclaimed Letters Remaining in the G. P. O. to Jan. 25th, 1915.

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Butler, Miss Jane Butler, Mrs., Pennywell Road Butler, Miss Lizzie, Alexander St. Butt, Mrs. Geo. H. Butcher, Miss L., care Post Office Butler, Mr. and Mrs., Freshwater Rd. Bursley, Mrs. Elzezer. Board of T. Building</p> <p>D Butler, Joseph Butler, Edward, Long Pond Road Barnes, S., Newtown Road Barnes, Mrs., ret'd, mother of Harvey Buckler, Mrs. Bransfield Bugden, Jessie</p> <p>E Clarke, John, Convent Lane Cahill, E. J., Newtown Road Cashin, Richard, Patrick St. Carrigan, Miss L., Water St. Clarke, Miss Gertrude, Springdale St. Cave, Miss L., Goodview St. Carrigan, Wm., Cuddihy St. Chancey, Mrs., Carter's Hill Cave, Joseph, care Gen'l Post Office Carty, V. Carnell, Arthur H., Hamilton St. Carew, Miss Alice, Water St. Cleary, Miss G., Barty's Hill Christian, Miss Marie C. Crich, Ambrose, care Water St. Conbourn, Mr. and Mrs. Conway, Master Thos., Quidi Vidi Rd. Crowe, Mr. Thos., Mullins' Cross Collins, Miss Mary E. Convalescent Home</p> <p>F Collins, Miss J. Collins, Mrs. A. A. Cole, Miss, Queen's Street Cross, Stanfield Cosmin, Barrett, care Prescott St. Cotton, D., Nagle's Hill Corcoran, John Colbourne, Miss Matilda. LeMarchant Road Coper, Selby, Flower Hill Cottar, Mrs., ret'd. Courtney, Miss Alice, Lime St.</p> <p>G Dawe, Mrs., Gower St. Davis, Capt. Wm., care Gen'l P. Office Davis, Mrs. Chas., Barron St. Davis, Mrs. Chas., Freshwater Rd. Davis, Miss Jennie Delaney, Miss Lizzie. care Byrne's Bookstore Dewling, R., LeMarchant Road Dyke, Miss Blanche, Water St. Dewling, Mrs. M., care Chas. Samson Dwyer, Samuel, cabman, Signal Hill Doyle, Miss Margaret, Springdale St. Doyle, Miss Veronica, Summer St. Durdle, Miss Libby, Duckworth St. Dunphy, M. Duff, Miss M. K., New Gower St. Duggan, Tom, Signal Hill Durrant, Mrs. James, Duckworth St. Daly, Miss Annie, ret'd. Dalton, Miss Annie, ret'd. Day, Samuel, cabman Doyle, Miss Mary I., Springdale St.</p> <p>H Earle, Leonard Earle, Jacob Eberhart, Paul G., Wireless Operator Emberley, Miss Bridget. LeMarchant Road English, Miss Violet, care Ellis, J. Ernest, care Gen'l Delivery Edridge, Thomas Elcock, Miss Bridget, Duckworth St. Evan, George, ret'd.</p> <p>F Fraser, Miss Minnie, King's Rd. Fagan, Mrs. John. care Gen'l Post Office Fleet, Miss Beattie. care Wm. Spurrell, Duckworth St.</p>	<p>F Freeman, Miss G. M., Postal Telegraph Freeman, Miss Violet French, Nellie, Duckworth St. French, Master John, Water St. Fitzpatrick, Miss Agnes Flynn, Mrs. Annie, Lime St. Flynn, Mrs. Wm., care Steven's St. Fitzgerald, Joseph Flynn, Miss Mary, Pleasant St. Field, George, care Gen'l Delivery Foote, Miss Lillian. Forester, Rev. S. J., Duckworth St. Foster, Mrs. James Hagwell, Miss Emma, Victoria St. Foley, Miss Ellen, ret'd, Quidi Vidi Ford, Samuel G. Fosse, Peter, care Mrs. Taylor Furlong, Miss T., care Fenneseey, Miss M., ret'd. Francis, Jack M.</p> <p>G Gardiner, R., Hamilton St. Grant, Miss Kittie Gaden, John T., Lime St. Gaden, Miss E., Queen's Rd. Garland, Miss Flossie Gardner, Miss C., Flower Hill Gardiner, Mrs. George, care Hamilton Street Grant, Douglas G., Gower St. George, Miss Blanche, Victoria St. Green, Miss A., care Pennywell Rd. Greenidge, Arnold Gilbert, Miss Hannah. care Gen'l Post Office Gooby, Herbert, care Gen'l Post Office Hayes, Thos., care Mrs. Emberley Gillingham, Newman W. Gushue, Frank, Adelaide St. Guy, N. W.</p> <p>H Harris, Wm., care Gen'l Post Office Hall, G., care Bond St. Hayes, Thos., care Mrs. Emberley Hancey, W. C., Bond St. Hall, Miss Aggie, Water St. West Harvey, Wm. Frank Hatcher, A. G., late Catalina Hall, E., LeMarchant Rd. Hartley, Edward, care Harvey, Miss Gertrude, New Gower St. Haar, Miss Emma, Casey St. Halliday, Edward T. care Mr. Johnson, Mt. Scio Hammond, Katie. care Mary Hammond, Winter Ave. Hearn, Mrs. Patrick, Casey St. Henderson, Miss E., Knitting Mills Heasley, Geo. J., Water St. West Hewett, Stephen, Allendale Road Hennessey, Miss Nellie. care A. S. 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Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kennedy, Miss Helen Kelly, John, Quidi Vidi Kavanagh, Willie Kennedy, Miss Flo., Gilbert St. Kennedy, Miss Ethel. care Gen'l Delivery Kearey, Wallace, Pennywell Road Knight, Leonard B. King, Mrs. B., slip Knight, John Kielty, Mrs. Catherine Kielty, Miss K., Water St. West King, Miss Janet, card. Duckworth Street King, Miss Fannie King, Mrs. Mary, card, Carter's Hill King, W. S., Clifton St. Knight, Jonathan M. King, James, Springdale St. King, Mrs. E., Hayward's Avenue</p>	<p>L Laitte, Albert Langill, Mrs. John, King's Road Langille, Mrs. J. J. Lagg, Percy Lewis, Wm., card Leonard, Mrs. Daniel, New Gower St. Limbrey, Miss Elsie, card, Goodview St. Lynch, Mrs. Andrew, card Lock, Mrs. Wm., George's St. Long, H. N. Long, H., Cooperage Luscombe, N. Luskings, Lizzie, New Gower St. M Martin, W. J., Patrick St. Mallum, Miss Sarah MacCormack, Miss Mary. Pennywell Road Maddox, Miss Elizabeth Maloney, Alex., care Post Office Manuel, Miss Alice Manslan, Mrs. Wm., Avalon House Marshall, Miss Hazel, card Mandival, Miss Maud Maskell, Randall Martin, Ray, care Marshall Bros., Water Street</p> <p>M Malone, P. March, Mrs. Stephen, Barnes' Rd. Marshall, Master K. Matthews, Miss Francis McElroy, Miss Emily Melville, Charles, Water St. Merchant, Myers. Myers, Miss Martha, Circular Rd. Neudus, James Myler, Mrs. Bridget, Field St. Miley, Mrs., card, Carter's Hill Miller, Mrs. George, Waldegrave St. Molloy, Miss Carrie, LeMarchant Rd. Miller, Michael Morrissey, Miss Lizzie, Prescott St. Morrissey, Pat., College Square Morley, Miss A. Morris, Miss M., John St. Moore, Mrs. Wm., Brazil's Square Morris, Mrs. Samson, Wm. St. Mordridge, Miss Mildred, card. Murray, Master Joe, LeMarchant Road Moore, Mrs. Chas., Pennywell Road Moss, Mrs. Wm., Forest Road Morris, Samuel Molloy, Miss Ethel, New Gower St. Murphy, Miss A. Murphy, John, late H. Grace Murray, Miss E., Pennywell Road Murray, Miss G., Hamilton St. Murray, Master Joe, Prescott St. Murrell, Richard Murray, Mrs. Nellie, care Geo. S. Cook Murray, George, Brine St. Miles, Tom Moore, Mrs. E., ret'd, mother Thomas McMillan, J. E. McPherson, Mrs. Mgt. McCarthy, Mrs. Eliza, Flower Hill McKackay, M., care Gen'l Delivery McCarthy, J. T. McLeod, M. card McD., Lillie R.</p> <p>N Nightingale, Geo., Water St. Noall, Thos., slip Norman, Jacob L., care Ayre & Sons Norris, Wm. Norman, Mrs. Edward, Barnes' Rd. Nugent, Miss Sadie, Carter's Hill Nunn, E., Cuthbert Nugent, Thomas, Codner's Lane Neal, Miss Maud</p> <p>O Oakley, Jas., Knight St. O'Leary, Philip O'Keefe, Charles O'Neill, A., card, King's Road O'Neill, Hugh, Water St. O'Brien, Margaret, card, Summer St. O'Brien, Mrs. N., Colonial St. O'Neill, John Oliver, Gustave. care Mrs. John Hamilton Osmond, Miss Beatrice, Mullock St. O'Rourke, Mrs. Wm., New Gower St. Osmond, Nathan, Casey St.</p> <p>P Parsons, Miss Irene B. 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Woodford, Philip, Prince's St. Prowse, Miss Alice, card</p>	<p>P Puddester, Joseph, Steven's St. Penney, Mrs. John, Field St. Pike, Mrs. Annie, ret'd</p> <p>Q Quilty, Miss Eli, card, Duckworth St. Quinton, Mrs. Edward, Lime St.</p> <p>R Ryan, Mrs. J., Burke's Square Ranayne, Paul, Patrick St. Randall, Miss Sarah, Knight's St. Ralph, Miss Susannah, Riverhead Ryan, Mrs. Charles, card, York St. Ramsay, C. H. Rankin, Mr. and Mrs., Cochrane St. Randall, Miss Sarah Ryan, Miss Carrie, Monkstown Rd. Reid, Miss Gertrude, Pennywell Rd. Rees, Jessie, Duckworth St. Reid, Mrs. George, Cabot St. Rling, Thomas, Gower St. Roe, Miss Emily T., Queen St. Roche, Mrs. Morris, Casey St. Roche, H. M. Roberts, Moses, care G.P.O. Rogers, A. S. Roach, Miss Maud Roberts, George, Allendale Rd. Rowe, H. J., care John Moore Rogers, Miss, New Gower St. Rogers, W. J., slip Roebuck, Miss Emily Robson, Mrs. M., care Jas. Daily Russell, Miss Winnie</p> <p>S Shave, Miss Lillian Sparks, Thomas Stares, Miss Lillian. care Hon. S. D. Blandford St. John, J., South Side Saint, Miss G., Pleasant St. Sparkes, Mrs. Nathaniel, Cabot St. Stacey, James, care John Post Office Sparrow, Miss Minnie, New Gower St. Slade, F. Samuelson, F. Snow, V., Springdale St. Snellgrove, Miss Ethel, William St. Sheppard, Mrs. Lillian Stevens, James Stewart, Miss Effie Seaton, Gertrude, Springdale St. Stevenson, Mrs. Ellen, College Square Sheppard, R. W., card Smith, S., Military Rd. Snellgrove, Ralph, card Smyth, Hedley V. Smith, Miss Ida M., LeMarchant Rd. Stickland, Miss Minnie, Water St. Scott, Miss L., card, Gower St. Stroud, Charles, George's St. Short, W. Scott, Mrs. Elizabeth J. Snow, V., Springdale St. Sullivan, Mrs. J. T., James' St. Spurrell, Thos. card, Simma St. Spurrell, Wm., Parade St. Sweeney, Jas. Smith, J. T., slip</p> <p>T Taylor, Miss Violet, card Tavernor, Colin, Hayward Avenue Taylor, Miss Gladys, card. 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Met With Accident.

While driving to his home on the higher levels on Saturday night an inebriated teamster fell off his cart. A deep cut was inflicted on his head. Constable Myers picked up the victim and brought him to the surgery of Dr.

O'Connell for treatment, afterwards taking him to the police station. He was put in a straight jacket to keep him from tearing off the bandages yesterday morning. In the afternoon he was taken to his home.

The suit of white broadcloth will be more than ever fashionable.

SENATOR MARCONI.

King Victor Emanuel has signed the decree appointing Signor Marconi, the celebrated inventor, a Senator.

"It is interesting to recall that Signor Marconi was to have been appointed a Senator last year, but when King Victor informed the famous inventor of the fact the latter was ob-

liged to inform His Majesty that he had not yet reached the statutory age of 40 years. It was announced at the time, however, that the honour was only postponed," says the Telegraph.

BUSINESS AS USUAL

War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 a.m.

GERMAN REPORT OFFICIALLY DENIED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.
The published report that Britain has told the States that any Government purchase of German ships would be considered in neutral, was officially denied to-day.

DIVIDED INTO TWO ARMIES.

BUCHARST, Jan. 31.
According to advices from Czernowitz, the Austro-Hungarian forces in Bukovina have been divided into two armies; one, four hundred thousand strong, will be sent against the Serbians, and the other army of three hundred thousand men will operate against the Russians.

'BEN CRUACHEN' TORPEDOED.

FLEETWOOD, Jan. 31.
A German submarine yesterday torpedoed the North Shields steamer Ben Cruachen off this port. The crew of twenty landed here. The captain of the steamer says he was overtaken by the submarine, ordered to leave his ship within ten minutes, and had the crew got into the boats when a torpedo was fired and the steamer went down. She belonged to the Morrison Shipping Co., from Orkney Islands to Liverpool, with general cargo. The same submarine is reported to have sunk two other vessels in the vicinity where the Ben Cruachen went down.

"OURS" IN THE WEST END.

To-day the new pictures that arrived by the s.s. Tabasco, will be shown at the Rosely Theatre, and they are the finest in every sense of the word. Miss Aneta, the clever child vocalist, who has delighted the large audience attending "Our" Theatre, has much to come up to expectations. She has other new songs for this week, and will have many beautiful changes of costumes. Night after night she has the pictures taken off the screen to respond to encores, and Mr. Rosely is having chorus slides made to go with her songs, so that the audience may join in if they wish to. Mr. Rosely is having large and select audiences every night, and after the pitomime season will make further improvements. Patrons of the West End don't forget that the pantomime at the East End is a delightful production full of sparkling music, dainty dances, elegant costumes and good pictures, and Mr. A. Crocker at the piano. Nuf Sed.

Here and There

"VICTORY" Flour has the knack of pleasing.—Jan. 29th.

COBAN HERE.—The S. S. Coban, Capt. McPhail, arrived in port from North Sydney at noon yesterday with a cargo of coals to the Reid Nid. Co.

When are they going? They are going this week. How are they going? They are going really and truly cheap, the Laces and Embroideries at Rodger's.—Feb. 1st.

LOADING FOR BRAZIL.—The scho. J. N. Rafuse is now loading coals for the Brazilian market, at the premises of Job Bros. and Co.

WAR OR NO WAR.—Stafford's Phoratoke Cough Cure is the only preparation to kill a Cough or Cold. Price 25 cents. Postage 5c. extra.—Jan. 16th.

LEFT HALIFAX.—The steamship Beothic and Nasopie sailed from Halifax on Saturday last, the former for Glasgow, and the latter for a port in England for orders.

ONLY ONE "Bromo Quinine," that is Laxative Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days.

E. H. Shon on box 25c.

STAR OF THE SEA QUARTERLY MEETING.

The quarterly meeting of the Star of the Sea Association was held yesterday afternoon, the President, Mr. E. M. Jackson, occupying the chair. The usual reports were submitted and adopted, and several applicants were admitted to membership.

MONDAY

It Pays To Pay Cash

This Big Event

THIS SALE

TURKISH TOWELING.

2 pieces of pure white, 17 inches wide, a nice heavy Towelling, 12c. per day use, Reg. 15c. Annual Sale Price.

QUILT COTTONS.

25 pieces of fancy Quilt Cottons, these are something new in design, light and dark patterns; would make very pretty quilt coverings. Special during Annual Sale 1c. per yard.

90 PAIRS

Lace Curtains

Splendid value in White, Cream and to choose from, a nice variety of patterns of the best Curtains values yet. Sale, per pair.

BOOTS and

CHILDREN'S BOOTS.

These came in sizes, 6, 7 and 8 only, medium tan shade, blucher cut, nice heavy quality leather, softly finished, lace only. Regular \$1.30. Annual Sale Price, per pair \$1.10.

LADIES' SLIPPERS

42 pairs of comfortable fitting House slippers for wearing in raincoats. They are nicely shaped, with low heels. Sale Price.

Ladies' Dancing Shoes

A smart little assortment just to hand. 3 strap and front ornament; value for 90c. Annual Sale Price.

Toilet Soap

Fall-flower Soap, 3 cakes in box for 2c. Premier Soap, 3 cakes in box for 2c. Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in box for 2c. Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in box for 2c. Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in box for 2c.

White Felt Hats, Belts, etc., per box

lace Curtain Remnants

50 Remnants of extra fine Net, handsome patterns, in White and Cream are just arrived and shown for the first time at the opening of our Annual Sale, your choice for, per remnant.

WOMEN'S CASHMERE

An assortment with a few dainty embroidered, fast blk. Reg. 15c.

CHILDREN'S CASHMERE

24 dozen pairs for children, in rib, some values to 30c.

HOS