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Bank of Montreal Building, St. John's, Newfoundland.

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**Shipping.**

U.S. Anns arrived from Boston and Halifax yesterday, bringing a large freight for Hickman & Company.  
U.S. Mavaro is loading pit props at Indian Bay for the North American Trading Company.  
U.S. Madgen is loading fish at Fogo for Oporio from the Mds. Labrador Export Co.

**Fire Devastates Towns in Idaho.**

Baldwin's Policy Approved by Hearst Papers—Shipping Interrupted in Panama Canal—New Aerial Record Established.

**MINING TOWNS WIPED OUT.**  
WALLACE, Idaho, July 17. The little towns of Burke and Mace, mining centres, were swept by fire which started yesterday afternoon and devastated nearly a mile and a half of homes, stores and mining works. No deaths were reported up to midnight last night, but the entire business section of Burke was destroyed and virtually every home is in ruins. The loss is estimated at \$1,500,000. Mace suffered less seriously owing to the wind being in the right direction. A thousand persons are said to be homeless, many losing all their possessions in the mad scramble for safety. The electric hoist of Hecla, one of the largest in the world, was burned.

**HEARST PAPER'S PRO-BRITISH COMMENT.**  
NEW YORK, July 14. The Hearst newspapers abandoned their customary hostility toward Gt. Britain and supported Premier Baldwin's statement on the reparations situation. The Journal editorially says England is entirely right, and Premier Baldwin expresses in restrained, forceful but unmistakable terms, the moral sentiment of the civilized world, in protest against France's attitude. It goes on to say that France is to-day the disturber of the peace of the world.

**A NEW AERIAL RECORD.**  
LONDON, July 14. F. T. Courtney won the aerial Derby for the King's Cup which ended here to-day, completing the 800 mile course at an average of 149.3 miles per hour, an increase of nearly 20 miles per hour over last year's record.

**BIG GATHERING AT SPORTS.**  
LONDON, July 14. Ex-service men from all parts of the British Empire gathered at Wembley Stadium yesterday for the big sports programme held under the auspices of the Imperial British Legion, and among the prominent persons were the Prince of Wales and Earl Haig. The Australian team won the mile relay race, the chief event of the afternoon.

**SARCASM AND RIDICULE.**  
PARIS, July 14. The British Premier's statement of policy lost some of its sugar coating for the French newspapers overnight, and yesterday the editors had become rather aired with a strong touch of sarcasm and some ridicule in their comments. In German official quarters the statement is frankly appraised as a sympathetic utterance, and the one destined to have an early and perhaps decisive bearing on the Ruhr impasse.

**CANNOT MAKE DEFINITE ARRANGEMENTS.**  
LONDON, July 14. Lloyd George, former Premier, cannot make definite arrangements

**Auto Accidents Jumped 45 Per Cent. in 3 Years.**

NEW YORK, July 13 (A.P.)—Law supervision of motor vehicle drivers and the resultant increase of 42 per cent in the automobile death rate during the past three years, is due to the fact that the majority of state legislators are from rural districts where strict examination and registration of drivers is not a vital matter, according to a report submitted by William J. Cox, traffic accident research engineer, to the National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters. There were 14,000 deaths from motor accidents last year, he said.

After a thorough investigation of the problem, and a careful examination of the records of some 300,000 accidents, Mr. Cox has prepared a table showing that registration and examination of all drivers is the only method of stopping the rising number of traffic casualties. In Maryland, Massachusetts and Connecticut, where strict supervision of drivers is maintained, casualties have fallen off 2 per cent, while increasing 42 per cent over the country. According to Mr. Cox's figures, there would have been 4,300 fewer deaths from automobiles in 1922 had the percentage of these three states been universal.

Only seven states require the examination of all motor vehicle operators," said the report, "while 35 states require only chauffeurs to be licensed, and many of these are never examined."

**Big values. Boys' Rubber Sole Canvas Shoes. Brown, 90c. pair; Black, 85c. pair; sizes 1 to 5. F. SMALLWOOD, Water Street. June 20, 21**

**MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES NEURALGIA.**

for a visit to Canada, although he is most eager to do so. Everything depends on the outcome of political and other matters during the next month or so. He is receiving hundreds of invitations from Canadian Societies, but can accept nothing definitely.

**RUSSIA EMERGING FROM CURRENCY CRISIS.**  
MOSCOW, July 14. Soviet Russia is emerging from a currency crisis. Eighty per cent of expenditure from the Government treasury next year will be paid with revenue and the remaining twelve per cent with an emission of paper. The country is trying to do business on about ten per cent of the gold value in circulation in 1914.

**ESCAPED FROM PRISON.**  
BERLIN, July 14. Captain Ehrhardt, who took a prominent part in the Kapp revolt of 1920, escaped from the Federal Prison at Leipzig where he was awaiting trial on a charge of high treason.

**CONTINUING ON HER VOYAGE.**  
MONTEVIDEO, July 14. A wireless despatch from the British freighter Trefusis, which had been sending out calls for help, said the steamer had repaired her engines and was continuing to her European port of call. Considerable anxiety was felt for the safety of the Brazilian steamer Caceres which left Santos July 6th. No news has been received from her since the recent storms.

**PANAMA CANAL HELD UP.**  
PANAMA, July 14. A slide of 3,000 cubic yards of dirt occurred in the Culebra cut yesterday. Shipping has been interrupted and it is expected that the earth can be removed in three days.

**WELCOME TO GOVERNOR COX.**  
ST. JOHN, N.B., July 14. The city of St. John and the Province of New Brunswick to-day extended a hearty welcome to Governor Cox, of Massachusetts, when, accompanied by his wife and party, he arrived by steamer. He leaves Monday for Pictou to take part in the Hector celebration.

**U.S. GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.**  
INWOOD, New York, July 14. Bobbie Jones to-day won the United States golf championship by defeating Bobbie Cruikshank. Scotch professional, in eighteen hole play off. Jones scored seventy-six to Cruikshank's seventy-eight.

**IDAHO FIRE UNDER CONTROL.**  
WALLACE, Idaho, July 14. Fire that swept up Burke Canyon yesterday and last night, destroyed the little mining town of Mace and all except the eastern residence section of Burke, was brought under control after having wrought damage estimated at million and a half dollars.

**"Sweep" Letters.**

291,268 Stopped in the Post—Motor-Care Full.

It was stated at Marlborough street Police Court that 291,268 letters in connection with a Derby sweepstake known as Duggan's Dublin Sweepstake were stopped in the post. David Charles Oberst, a clerk, of Rockwell Road, Shepherd's Bush, W., was summoned for publishing and circulating the sweepstake.

Mr. Rowe, for the Public Prosecutor, said Oberst was a clerk to Mr. Douglas Stuart, the bookmaker. Mr. Mead (magistrate): Is he employing the defendant in this matter?  
Mr. Rowe: No.  
Mr. Barrington Matthews (defending): He has nothing whatever to do with it.

Continuing, Mr. Rowe said the amount of the prize money totalled £20,000, and it was said that the sweepstake was in aid of the Dublin Meath Hospital. But what became of the hundreds of thousands of pounds which had been collected in excess of the prize money? There was no balance sheet, and no audit.  
Of the 291,268 letters stopped in the post, 80,648 were posted in Ireland and 210,620 were posted in London and the provinces, and this probably represented only a fraction of those that got through.

At a large room in Regent street Oberst employed 45 to 47 girls to address envelopes.  
Towards the end of March the letters had accumulated to such an extent that 10 Daimler motor-cars were hired at a cost of £120 to take away the accumulation and post it over the whole metropolitan area, and four of them went as far as Bath and other places to post the letters.  
The hearing was adjourned.

**MINARD'S LINIMENT HEALS CUTS.**

**Peculiar Facts and Figures.**

Frogs have been discovered which bark like dogs.  
An acre of tobacco plants yields about 700 tons of tobacco.  
Steam vessels are usually six times as long as they are wide.  
Asparagus is believed to be the oldest known plant used for food.  
Young oysters enjoy only forty-eight hours' life as moving creatures: then they settle down for life.  
The sea covers three-fourths of the earth's surface, or a total of about 145 million square miles.  
Ultra wireless amplifiers and a loud speaker to magnify the sound of heart beats is surgery's latest development.  
During the six months from April to September, 1922, 38,763 tons of newspapers were carried to London by air.  
A film has been prepared by Pathé Freres which shows the complete process of wireless broadcasting from the London Broadcasting Station.  
C. J. H. Tolley, the Oxford golfer, recently made a drive of 317 yards—more than a sixth of a mile—the longest drive ever made in any championship.

A double pencil is the forger's latest "dog's." One pencil is traced over the genuine signature which automatically duplicated on another sheet without a fault.

**REMEMBER**

Don't forget Minard's on the summer trip. The best remedy for Cuts, Bruises, Sprains.



**Hoover on Government Ownership.**

At the recent meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, in an address, Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce, set forth his views that cannot be misunderstood. He said:

"Our goal in economic life is to do this great thing: to preserve individual initiative, an equality of opportunity, and thus a constantly advancing national standard of living. Our economic and social system is fundamentally right. It has produced the largest advance in the standard of living to the whole of our people that has ever been witnessed in history."  
"We have in America an economic and social system based on stimulation of individual initiative. Our ideal is to secure and to maintain an equality of opportunity of the greater number."

"The exact line to be drawn in the curbing of people whose ambition is to interfere with the law of supply and demand to their profit without return of service to the community on the one hand and the community initiative by the heavy hand of government on the other is at all times difficult to determine."  
Secretary Hoover recognises the rights of private business and the menace to the public interest through the destruction of enterprises by those who would divert actual production and distribution into the hands of the government. He sees the government not as an economic dictator, but "as the greatest contributor in the determination of fact and co-operation with industry and commerce in the solution of its problems." The safety to prosperity lies in "continued willingness of the people to save their enlarged savings, to resist extravagance and waste and to give full individual exertion."  
We thus find Mr. Hoover agreeing with the sound principles of democracy as enunciated by Macaulay: "Rulers will best promote the improvement of the nation by confining themselves to their own duties, by leaving capital to find its most lucrative course, commodities their fair price, industry and intelligence their natural reward and idleness and folly their natural punishment."  
Financial Post.

**MINARD'S LINIMENT USED BY VETERINARIANS.**

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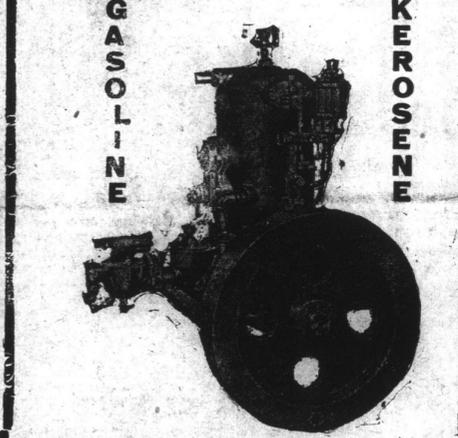
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**Universal Drama Taken From Novel.**

Presenting Miss du Pont, the blonde beauty, in a role both dramatic and human, "A Wonderful Wife," comes to the Star Theatre to-day.

It is a Universal Special attraction based on a novel by Dolt Wyllarde, an Australian and English "best seller." Paul Scardon directed the filming with Vernon Steele, Landers Stevens, Ethel Ritchie, Charles Arling, Harris Gordon and Nick De Ruiz in support of the star.  
Would the average woman vamp a man who stood in her husband's path to success? The answer isn't brought forth in the picture; it is for each woman in the audience to decide, and doubtless each woman will have her own opinion.

Laid in the atmosphere of a British military post on an island off the coast of Africa, the story is written to analyze the soul of a woman who is fighting to help her husband, keep him content and keep his friends pleased with him and with her.  
Dramatic plot developments work in an exposition of the result of not reasoning—a course of action not beforehand when going in for "vamping" as a wifely duty.

Perhaps some people do not know that life in one of those distant army posts is just as formal and strict as in the best social circles of London. Character is the British colonial military service, with formality and convention running a close second.

**MINARD'S LINIMENT USED BY VETERINARIANS.**

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**Wallace Silverwear.**

Is your Table Silver as good to-day as when you bought it?  
Have you noticed that at the parts most exposed to wear, the plate has become worn?  
Do you think this condition of your Silver is in keeping with your idea of a well appointed table?  
Then why not, when you decide on replacing your old ware, give place to it with the "Wallace" Brand, the Silver that refuses to wear and is guaranteed without time limit.  
Start with the Tea Spoons and gradually complete your Set with the one pattern—there are several for you to choose from and the price is very moderate.  
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Popovers are a very suitable hot bread to serve with broiled or creamed chicken.  
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It is wise to wash spinach in hot water several times to be sure of getting rid of the sand.  
**MINARD'S LINIMENT USED BY PHYSICIANS.**