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## Intense Interest In Whiteside Murder Inquest Tonight

# BRITISH FEAR AIRWAY STRIKE

### PUBLIC TO BE ADMITTED TO INQUEST

Interest Increases as the Police are Believed Near Success.  
HAVE 17 WITNESSES  
Court Room to be Cleared if the Godwin Boy is Called.

One of the chief topics about the city today was the inquest, which is to be resumed tonight in connection with the murder of Mrs. Clara Whiteside, who was found dead in her home in East St. John on Christmas night. The big question of the day is, will any evidence be brought out that will show a motive for the crime or associate any person or persons with it?

It is expected that it will be definitely established that Mrs. Whiteside was driven to church on Sunday, December 16, and was seen alive and apparently well on December 17.

Spoke of Revolver.  
That Mrs. Whiteside feared for her safety was established by The Times this morning. About four weeks before the terrible crime occurred she was in the military department of a large King street establishment and while in conversation with a member of the staff signified her intention of purchasing a revolver, saying that she was often afraid while residing in her home. She did not mention being afraid of any person or of ever having been threatened, but said that her home was more or less isolated and she felt she would be more secure if she had some weapon.

In answer to a question this morning, Sergeant Detective Power emphatically declared that there would be no let up on the part of himself or his assistants until the murder mystery had been solved. He said he had nothing for publication, as he was not being asked to give evidence at the inquest.

Butler Has Lid on Pretty Tight  
Week-End in Philadelphia Quietest in Many Years, Say Police.

Philadelphia, Jan. 14.—The campaign of Brigadier General Smedley D. Butler, Philadelphia's new Director of Public Safety, for the elimination of vice had a marked effect over the week-end on crime of all sorts. Not a single holdup or robbery on Saturday night or Sunday was reported to the police. Arrests for drunkenness were fewer than in any week-end since the advent of prohibition, saloons were closed tight and the Tenderloin was unusually quiet.

A roundup of "drunks" in the Tenderloin, where hundreds of arrests formerly were made over the week-end, caught only a half dozen. Down town cigar stores and corners, formerly the Sunday rendezvous of many were nearly abandoned.

### Section Hand Saves Express in England

London, Jan. 14.—The prompt action of a section hand prevented what might have been a terrible disaster to an express train near Weybridge.

Just before the London to Bournemouth express was due, the man noticed a distinct crack in the rail over which the train was to pass.

There was no time to reach the signal box, but he raced between the rails towards the express. He placed detonators on the rail and the driver, warned by the explosions, slowed up.

The train had passed over the cracked rail before it could be pulled up, but at such a slow speed that the rail retained its speed it is hardly possible that the train could have kept the rails.

### 2 BABIES CRUSHED IN CITY HOSPITAL

Mother of One Sees Infant Die—Nurse in Under Care of Doctor.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 14.—Caught between the door and the ceiling of a runaway elevator, two babies were crushed to death in the city hospital last night. The mother of one watched her baby die. Miss Ruth Beck, a student nurse, who was in charge of the children, is under a doctor's care suffering from shock.

The babies, one a daughter born Dec. 21 to Mrs. Edward Young, and the other a son born Jan. 3 to Mrs. Harvey Curry, with seven other infants, were on their way to the nursery after having been with their mother in the city hospital.

The babies were placed in a long crib on a truck and wheeled onto the elevator. Officials said the elevator was stopped on the floor level and Miss Beck gave it a slight tug to bring it up a few inches.

The cage shot up and the crib and babies were crushed against the ceiling. The other baby was crushed against the ceiling. Three separate investigations were started after the accident by the police, district attorney and hospital authorities.

Attorney Benjamin Warren met his death a few weeks ago in an accident in this same elevator.

### COST 99 LIVES

Destroying of Tank Holding "Sacred Waters" Cause of Clash in Philippines.

Manila, Jan. 14.—The destruction of a tank believed to have held sacred waters was the cause of recent clashes on Bucos Island, off the coast of Mindanao, in which 80 members of the society were bathing in it or drinking its waters when the consubinary broke its wall and let the water out.

The tank was known as "miraculous tank" and about 300 members of the society were bathing in it or drinking its waters when the consubinary broke its wall and let the water out.

### ARE ON EVE OF BATTLE IN MEXICO

Biggest Fight of Revolution at Hand, Say Government Officials.  
20,000 MEN IN IT  
Rebels Have 8,000 and Obregon 12,000 Merging on Jalisco Front.

(By Canadian Press.)  
Mexico City, Jan. 14.—War department officials believe the biggest battle of the revolution is near. The de la Huerta revolutionists, 8,000 strong, are on the Jalisco front, concentrated at La Plata, and are preparing to give battle to the Obregon troops advancing from San Marcos.

The revolutionists are commanded by Enrique Estrada, De la Huerta's leading general, and Generals Bucana, Salas and Diegues, according to information received at the war department.

The federal forces number 12,000 and are commanded by Gen. Obregon. This is the body of troops ordered to the front several days ago to start the government's offensive against the revolutionists.

The departure of President Obregon for Jalisco is announced by the war department.

An uprising at San Pedro de las Colonias, Coahuila, yesterday, was short-lived, according to special dispatches. Capt. Sifuentes was killed and the rebels fled after a short battle.

The Obregon troops won another victory at Puntos de Intero, where they when that town was taken from the rebels. Reports received here are that the rebel chief, Benito Piguera, has retired to the mountains in Guerrero.

Gunboats Off Tampico  
Tampico, Jan. 14.—Three rebel gunboats are cruising off Tampico. They are the Agun Prieta and the transports Coahuila and G-3. Both the latter are armed.

It is not believed here that the vessels will venture into Tampico harbor, as the port is heavily protected with battleships at the mouth of the Panuco River. Machine guns have been placed on various piers to prevent the landing of rebels.

It is said the rebel vessels off the port are awaiting the arrival of the Mexican steamer Montecuma, which has a cargo of arms and ammunition for the Mexican government, bought in New Orleans from the U. S. Government.

BEGINS ROUND THE WORLD SERVICE  
Eighty Year Old Mariner Inaugurates Sailings Every Two Weeks for Travelers.

San Francisco, Jan. 14.—Modern Magellan today can start twice a month on the voyage that the early Portuguese navigator found so difficult and perilous for the Dollar Steamship Company has an around-the-world service with fortnightly sailings.

### Prince Will Go to Africa in May

London, Jan. 14.—The Prince of Wales will leave Southampton on May 2 for his South African tour, traveling on a passenger liner direct to Cape Town. There he will be welcomed by the Earl of Athlone, Governor-General of South Africa, and Premier Smuts.

The Prince, whose tour will occupy three months, will visit all the important cities and towns in Cape Colony, the Orange Free State, the Transvaal, Natal and Southern Rhodesia.

Official functions will be interposed with big game hunting, visiting diamond mines and social engagements.

### FIUME NO LONGER IS A FREE STATE

New Plan Extends Frontier of Italy—Arrangement With Jugo-Slavia.

Rome, Jan. 14.—Announcement from Belgrade that the Free State of Fiume ceases to exist with the latest addition of the Italo-Jugo-Slavia controversy is not denied here. By the new arrangement Italy's frontier will extend to the River Enco to include the municipal limits of Fiume, while the Jugo-Slavs will take over the rest of the territory.

News of the agreement has relieved the anxiety with which the diplomats here have been watching events of the little Entente gathering at Belgrade. This anxiety was changed to genuine pleasure especially after the republicans in the official Belgrade communication which said the rapprochement between Italy and Jugo-Slavia is viewed with satisfaction.

### TO BRING SETTLERS FROM UNITED STATES

L. B. Boyd Made C. N. R. Superintendent of Lands and Colonization.

Montreal, Jan. 14.—The appointment of Mr. L. B. Boyd, formerly of the Soldiers' Settlement Board of Canada as Superintendent of Lands and Colonization in the United States, is announced by Mr. W. D. Robb, vice president, in charge of Lands, Colonization and Development of the Canadian National Railways. The appointment of Mr. Boyd follows closely the announcement of the principles of policy to be followed by the United States in the field of immigration and colonization during the year, and is made for the purpose of training the ways have maintained an office in Chicago for the colonization of farm lands in Canada. This office is abolished, and a new one opened at St. Paul, which is closed to and in more direct connection with the various prospective settlers from the United States from which direct connections are to be expected generally.

### BUILDS HEN HOUSE

Babe Ruth Plays Gentleman Farmer, Because He Likes it, He Says.

Sudbury, Mass., Jan. 14.—George Herman (Babe) Ruth, who bats out home runs in the summer months, plays gentleman farmer on his Sudbury estate all winter, but not because he likes it. Ruth, busy at building a new hen house one mile January day, suspended all winter, but not because he likes it. Ruth, busy at building a new hen house one mile January day, suspended all winter, but not because he likes it.

Believe Slayer Is Prominent Airman  
Paris, Jan. 14.—Karl Heinz, a private in the Foreign Legion stationed at Oran, Algeria, has been arrested on the charge of murdering a secretary entrusted with guarding him. It is asserted that his identity has been established showing he is a German airman who brought down twenty-eight French airplanes during the war.

Twelve Prisoners Respond to Appeal  
Winnipeg, Jan. 14.—After listening to an address by Commissioner H. G. Hodder, in charge of Salvation Army work in Western Canada, and other army officers, yesterday, twelve prisoners at Stony Mountain prison walked up the aisle of the chapel and indicated their wish to lead the Christian life. It was the annual observance of "Prison Sunday."

### ARE PROBING FINANCES OF GERMANY

Experts of the Allies Seek to Save Something From the Wreck.  
MUST STEADY HER  
U. S. Spokesman Says First Duty is to Get Battered Nation Well.

(By Canadian Press.)  
Paris, Jan. 14.—Prominent business men and financiers of Great Britain, France, Belgium, Italy and the U. S. began today to examine the assets and liabilities of Germany, their nations' debtor, with a view to saving something from the ruins of the most stupendous bankruptcy in the history of the world.

"Strictly business and no politics," was the motto under which they assembled. General Chas. G. Dawes, one of the U. S. representatives, presided. The official opening of the session was marked with brief speeches by Louis Barthou, president of the reparations commission, and Gen. Dawes.

The Paris talks are absolutely lacking in any of the military display which marked the conference at Spa, San Remo and Geneva. Not a single soldier was in evidence.

M. Barthou delivered the address of welcome to the experts.

"We do not expect from you," he said, "the unlooked for miracle of the solution of the reparations problem, but we hope with sincere confidence that your competency, experience and ability will concentrate to hasten the settlement which we are bending all our efforts."

"The treaty of Versailles is our charter. It shall be your duty to conform to its scope that you will pursue your work in full independence and high impartiality.

Two Essentials.  
The balancing of the German budget and the stabilization of the currency are the first and essential conditions of a reparations settlement.

Gen. Dawes stressed the value of unity of command in war to show the effects of present conditions. "We must come to know," he said, "in common with the citizens of all nations that at last that lack of power which has so long hampered the common action has brought all Europe to a most critical and dangerous situation. This is no time to mince words," the U. S. representative asserted.

He continued by discussing the impenetrable and colossal for bank of economic opinion based upon prejudice of fact which have changed so rapidly to make them worthless even if they were in agreement."

European credit, Gen. Dawes said, suffered a shock as the world has seen Germany's economic life crumbling. "If we are to have a new era of peace," he said, "it must be based upon a common sense individual, he continued, could estimate the distance that he could speak neither the U. S. Government nor for the people of the U. S. "But as an individual," he asserted, "I read in shame and humiliation the outpourings of the American nationalistic demagogues who undertake to lecture Europe in order to lift themselves into some petty office or to maintain their political popularity."

### The Rich at Play



### "White Elk's" Secretary, Home Again in Halifax, Sorry He Ever Met Him

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 14.—The visit to Halifax, more than a year ago, of "Chief White Elk" who represented himself as a representative of western Indian tribes en route to England to lay certain grievances before the King and was publicly and privately entertained on a lavish scale while in the Maritime Provinces, was recalled here yesterday when Eugene Theriault, a French-Canadian youth still in his teens, arrived home on the steamer Latonia from Liverpool.

### MURDER CHARGE

Inspector Denies Indian Youth is Connected With Slaying in Ontario.

Cobalt, Ont., Jan. 14.—Inspector William Moore, in charge of provincial police in this district, knows nothing of a report from Ontario that an Indian youth named Cossette had there on a serious charge was probably connected with the murder in Cochrane in July of six-year-old Monica Foster.

### REPORTED CURZON IS TO BE A DUKE

London Report Also Says His Daughter is to Wed King's Youngest Son.

London, Jan. 14.—Marquis Curzon is soon to receive a dukedom in recognition of his great public services, according to News of the World. The same paper reiterates the rumor that Lord Curzon's daughter, Lady Alexandra Curzon, is about to become engaged to Prince George, the King's youngest son.

### Guarding Franc In Occupied Region

Dusseldorf, Jan. 14.—General DeGoute, French commander in the Ruhr, has issued an order forbidding the troops of occupation, army officers or civilian employees to settle for purchases from German tradesmen in French francs. "The German are holding important quantities of French currency," the order said, "and can throw it upon the market, provoking depreciation of the franc."

### POLITICAL EVENTS TO BE CHANGED

Railway Strike Would Upset Plans of Labor to Take Power.  
PRESS OPPOSED  
British Cabinet Called Late Today to Clean Up Remaining Business.

(By Canadian Press.)  
London, Jan. 14.—Public attention today was fixed as much upon a special meeting of the Trades Union Council, called to discuss the threatened railway strike, as upon the political situation, not only because of the influence the council may be able to exert when avoiding a strike which the public universally dreads, but because of the possibility of political events being immediately affected by the action of the locomotive men.

Should efforts to placate the latter fail and should the strike be called at the week-end, as is expected, the Baldwin government will probably still hold power and the question of turning it out at a moment when the whole country's transportation system is in chaos, may, it is thought in some quarters, cause those eager to succeed the present ministry to pause.

### Weather Report

Toronto, Jan. 14.—Pressure is high over the more central portions of the continent and relatively low off the Atlantic coast and to the westward of the Mississippi Valley. The weather is moderately cold throughout the Dominion.

### NORWAY IS TO WIPE OUT PROHIBITION

King's Speech Announces Bill Making Free Sale of Alcoholic Liquors.

Christiania, Jan. 14.—In the throne speech at the opening of the Storting on Saturday the ministry announced a bill abolishing what remains of the prohibition law. By the measure there will be free sale of alcoholic liquors, the revenue from which will be used to meet the deficit in last year's budget.

### Great Harbor at Glasgow Planned

Glasgow, Jan. 14.—(Canadian Press)—Within a month work will be started which is destined to give Glasgow a great new harbor between Shiddall and Renfrew capable of accommodating the largest liners entering the Clyde.

# POOR DOCUMENT

THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 1924

## BOARD OF TRADE IS TAKING UP ADMINISTRATION MATTERS IN CITY

### Arranges Public Meeting—Check Up on Breakwater Extension Contract.

The Council of the Board of Trade at its meeting this morning discussed civic administration matters. Approval of an invitation that had been sent to Dr. Horace L. Brittain, of the Citizens' Research Institute, by the programme committee to deliver an address on forms of civic administration was passed. This address will be delivered on Friday evening, January 26, in the Board of Trade building. It is expected that Dr. Brittain, who is associated with Dr. Brittain, will also be present and that he will present some ideas on the town management system. The meeting will be open to the public.

### After hearing the report of the educational committee of the Board, the council declared in favor of the principle of vocational training and expressed a desire to co-operate with the School Board and with the City Council on the matter of the establishment of such a school in St. John, after the economic features of the situation had been given careful consideration and definite action had been determined. On the re-appointing of the members of the vocational training committee to follow up.

The matter of elimination of retailers from the Workmen's Compensation Act was referred to the retail committee to follow up.

It was reported that a contract had been entered into by the Public Works Department for the erection of the report potato shed on the West Side, but that no contract for the breakwater extension had yet been arrived at. It was decided to get in touch with the department on the breakwater matter.

## FRANCE HAS 156 FOR OLYMPICS

### Elimination Trials to be Held in All Important Cities.

Paris, Jan. 14.—One hundred and fifty-six athletes will represent France in the track and field events July 2 to 18, the "big week" of the 1924 Olympic games, according to the programme of elimination and selection trials announced by the French F. A. F.

All the clubs affiliated with the federation have been asked to designate men to compete in the elimination trials which will take place in every city of any importance in France during the first fortnight in April. From these will be selected provincial teams to participate in the final elimination trials which are to be held in Paris, Colombes Stadium, April 20; Pershing Stadium, May 4 and 11.

The athletes chosen for the games will be placed under the immediate supervision of trainers who will put them through a special training course until early July.

There is some talk of assembling the men selected at the Joviville School for Physical Culture—some five miles from Paris—keeping them there from June 16 until the first starting point is fixed on July 5, at the Colombes Stadium.

## BUSINESS LOCALS

### KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Installation of Lodge at Sussex. Leave St. John at 6:15 p.m. Thursday, January 17, arrive Sussex following morning 6:45. Leave St. John 8:30. Special car. 4088-116.

### NOTICE

New Brunswick Protestant Orphan's Home. Most first payments on pledged subscriptions to new building fund are due on Jan. 1, 1924. Please send same to H. Usher Miller, Treasurer, P. O. Box 796 or Room 15, 71 Dock Street, St. John.

An airplane engine has trouble at excessive altitudes on account of the rarified atmosphere.

## Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents

## DEATHS

**NUTTALL**—Suddenly, at her residence, 140 City Road, Annie C., wife of John F. Nuttall, aged 54, leaving behind her husband, four daughters and two sons to mourn.

Funeral from St. Paul's (Valley) church on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Friends are invited.

**POWER**—At the residence of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Gale, 161 Queen Street, St. John, on Jan. 13, Edward a widow of Charles L. Power, leaving one brother and two sisters.

Funeral Monday afternoon at her late residence, Young's Cove, Queens County. **TOWERS**—Suddenly, in this city, on Sunday evening, Jan. 13, 1924, Mary G., widow of Gabriel Towars, leaving one son and four daughters to mourn.

Funeral from her late residence, 272 Prince Edward St., Wednesday morning at 8:30 to the Cathedral for high mass of requiem. Friends invited.

## IN MEMORIAM

**SWEET**—In loving memory of Annie May Sweet, who departed this life Jan. 13, 1921.

"Until the day break and shadows flee away."

MOTHER, BROTHER MALCOLM AND WIFE.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Paisley wish to thank their many friends for their kindness and for beautiful floral tributes in their recent bereavement, and especially wish to thank J. Clark & Sons for the use of their cars.

## LOCAL NEWS

### C. G. I. T. AT SUPPER

The monthly supper of the Canadian Girls' Institute, with their leaders, was held on Saturday evening in the Y. W. C. A. Cafeteria, King street. Interesting subjects in connection with their work were discussed. There were about 80 present.

### UNDERGOES OPERATION

Friends of Mrs. Wade, wife of Frank Wade, contractor, will regret to hear that she is ill. She was brought from her home in Renforth yesterday to the St. John Infirmary to undergo a serious operation. It was reported this morning that the operation had been successful and Mrs. Wade is now on her way to recovery.

### TAKES CHARGE OF S. SCHOOL

Rev. Joseph B. Ward has been appointed priest in charge of the Sunday school of the Cathedral parish, and he took over his new duties yesterday. He succeeded Rev. Roy McDonald, who has officiated in that capacity since the departure of Rev. Simon Oram from the city.

### ELECTS SPEEDY TRIALS

Fred Flynn, cut up for trial in the police court last week on a charge of stealing an overcoat, valued at \$30, the property of Reginald Buckley, front Tully church, appeared before Judge J. A. Barry in the County Court this morning and elected speedy trial. He pleaded not guilty. The case was set down for Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

### STRICKEN IN STREET

An elderly gentleman was seized with a sudden illness in Prince William street a little after one o'clock this afternoon and carried into the Seaman's Institute, where he was cared for until the ambulance arrived. He was conveyed to the General Public Hospital and medical aid given so far as could be judged from the first examination the man was suffering from a stroke of apoplexy.

### MINISTERS MEET

The weekly meeting of the Methodist ministers was held this morning in Centenary church parlors, Rev. E. E. C. in the chair. Others present were Rev. Messrs. J. M. Rice, H. E. Thomas, R. G. Fulton, F. T. Brennan and Nell McLaughlin. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. A special speaker for the conference at Sackville was taken up and it was decided to secure the services of Rev. Dr. S. W. Fallon, of the Book Room, Toronto. Rev. H. A. Goodwin was appointed to take the service at the Old Ladies Home on Wednesday afternoon.

### BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Mrs. Angelina McManley was held this morning from her late residence, Collins street, Fairville, to St. Rose's church for high mass of requiem by Very Rev. Charles Collins. Interment was made in Holy Cross cemetery. Relatives were pall bearers. Many spiritual offerings were received.

The funeral of Miss H. Burchill was held this afternoon from the residence of her brother, Charles Burchill, to St. Peter's church. Service was conducted by Rev. F. Hill, C. S. S. R. A large number of spiritual and floral offerings were received. Interment was in Holy Cross cemetery.

The funeral of Clara Lillian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McLaughlin, was held this afternoon from her parents' residence, 383 Union street. Interment was in Holy Cross cemetery. Floral tributes included wreath from employees of Water and Sewerage Department, spray from Mrs. Wm. Nodwell, spray from Mr. and Mrs. Martin, spray from Mrs. Morrell, spray from Aunt Clara, spray from Grandmother and George, spray from Frank and Clara.

### Vancouver Port

#### Makes a Record

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 14.—Vancouver harbor created a new record for deep sea shipping in port on Saturday when 73 deep sea vessels at the wharves, loading for all parts of the world, including the Orient, Europe, Australia, one for U. S. coast ports, 12 for Japan and China and 13 for Europe. There are six ships for cargoes of wheat to the Orient and ten for full cargoes to Europe, the remainder taking part wheat and general or full cargoes of lumber.

### Disembodied Body

#### Of Aged Woman Found

Bluffton, Ohio, Jan. 14.—The body of Mrs. Katherine Mohler, 70, who disappeared several weeks ago, has been found in an abandoned barn at her home one mile south of here. The head, legs and arms had been severed and were found buried with the torso. Wm. Mohler, 78, her husband, was arrested.

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## CHARGED WITH ASSAULT UPON A CONDUCTOR

A case against Horace L. Hunt, a native of England, who was arrested on Saturday afternoon on a charge of assaulting Conductor M. Quigg on a C. P. R. train between Fredericton Junction and St. John, was to have been taken up in the police court this morning, but as Conductor Quigg was not expected in the city until this afternoon it was set over until 10 o'clock. It is said that the young man boarded the train at Fredericton Junction and paid the conductor \$1, which would carry him to Westfield. On the arrival of the train there it is said he refused to get off and when asked to pay the additional amount struck the conductor a blow in the face.

## HAMBURG HAS RIOT

### Shooting Attends on Communists' Demonstration in Memory of Liebknecht.

Berlin, Jan. 14.—A meeting of the organized Communists of Hamburg was held yesterday to honor the memory of Karl Liebknecht, the Spartacist leader, who was assassinated in 1919. The leader of the demonstration, Herr Liebknecht, was arrested, this morning and the police resorted to the use of firearms, killing one person and wounding two others.

## Mother of Five Kills

### Husband in Struggle

New York, Jan. 14.—Mrs. Amelia Urcioli, of 1465 Serenith street, Brooklyn, ran up to Patrolman Arthur McLaughlin in a police booth near her home and told him that she had shot her husband, Emilio. The policeman found the man lying on the floor of the bedroom in the Urcioli apartment and sent for an ambulance surgeon, who said Urcioli was dead.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. Sarah H. Gronland and her daughter, Mrs. K. L. Dawson, Halifax, were in the city Friday to attend the funeral of the late Dr. L. A. McAlpine.

The Misses Florence and Madelon McHale have returned after spending the week-end in Barneveld, the guests of their cousins, Mrs. D. B. Reynolds. The many friends of Mr. Reynolds will be glad to learn that he is slightly improved after his severe illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley B. Spicer left this afternoon for their winter home, Mrs. N. S. after visiting friends in St. John.

Rev. William McLaughlin, C. S. S. R., one of the Reformed mission fathers stationed in Montreal, is making his annual retreat at Peter's rectory, Heilich, Jan. 17 from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Mr. McLaughlin, 284 Douglas avenue, is another visitor to St. Peter's. Rev. William McLaughlin, C. S. S. R., Montreal, son of Mrs. and the late Patrick McCullough of Exmouth street.

## PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Str Empress of Britain, 5,087, Latton, Liverpool.

Arrived Sunday.

Str Parthenia, 3,052, Rennie, Glasgow.

Str Tor Head, 3,101, Suffolk, Belfast.

Str New Columbia, 4,644, Burrough, Liverpool.

## BRITISH PORTS.

Liverpool, Jan. 12.—Sud, str Samarra, Liverpool, via Halifax, Jan. 12, for Manchester.

Str Importer, St. John.

Clyde, Jan. 11.—Sud, str Cabotia, St. John.

## MARINE NOTES

The Manchester Producer will sail tomorrow morning for Manchester via Halifax with general cargo.

The Royal Mail Steam Packet steamer Teviot is due here tomorrow from Bermuda and the West Indies with sugar and general cargo.

The White Star liner "Mastiff" sailed from Liverpool, Jan. 12, for Cherbourg and Southampton.

The White Star liner "Doric" sailed from New York, Jan. 12, for Queens-town and Liverpool.

The White Star liner "Meganth" arrived at Halifax, Jan. 12, from Queens-town and Southampton.

The White Star liner "Pittsburgh" is due at Halifax, Jan. 12, from Southampton and Cherbourg, with 62 cabin and 423 third class passengers.

## MEGANITH TO CARRY CABIN AND THIRD

Montreal, Jan. 14.—Announcement is made by the White Star-Dominion line that the steamer Meganith, 16,000 tons, will carry cabin and third class passengers only when she visits Montreal on her first voyage next spring.

## To Seek Morgan's

### Pirate Hoard in Under-Sea Cave

Long Beach, Cal., Jan. 14.—(United Press).—Tradition says that the treasure of Sir Henry Morgan, buccaner of the Spanish Main, is hidden in a sunken cave off the coast of Old Providence Island, in the West Indies.

Because his interest has been aroused in the old tradition by being to get a vessel off the reef, Bernard Touchin, Canadian, deep sea diver and second mate of the United States wrecking tug Favorite, will soon try to find the buried treasure.

The mouth of the cave in which the gold is supposed to have been buried, but it is now about 75 feet below the surface. After he has reached the mouth of the cave, Kegan expects to have to swim about 150 feet into the cave proper and then come up inside the main chambers, which are above water. It is in these chambers that he expects to find the gold.

A number of serious dangers will have to be faced in the water, because the sea around Old Providence is alive with sharks, swordfish, sawfish, poisonous scorpions and giant devilfish. Kegan says that his Irish luck will be with him.

## UNDERWRITERS OPEN CONGRESS

### Some 60 Life Insurance Men at Opening Session This Morning.

An interesting paper on the significance of the recent growth in life insurance was the feature of the opening session of the Life Underwriters' Association of New Brunswick, which was held this morning in the Pythian Castle. The paper was read by Hugh Cancell of this city, who quoted figures to show the great growth of the amount of insurance written during the last few years. Discussion followed, led by S. A. Clark and participated in by John MacKinnon, J. W. McCarthy, J. Smith, John J. Murray and E. H. Machum.

M. L. McCall, president of the local organization, presided and spoke a few words in opening the meeting. He was followed by Edward Morwick of Hamilton, Ont., president, and James McCallan, also of Hamilton, secretary of the Canadian Life Underwriters' Association.

About 60 members registered this morning, and more are expected this afternoon. They came from all over the province. Hearty singing was indulged in before the session opened, the choir being led by Messrs. Gilvan and Beaman. Invocation was given by Robert Reid. The congress will continue this afternoon.

## ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL AFIRE

### Fire broke out in St. Joseph's School about 2:40 o'clock this afternoon.

The children were taken across the runway in safety to Victoria School which opened. An alarm was sent in from the school and the fire department was soon on the scene.

The fire was soon extinguished.

## One Look at The

### Bride Was Enough

London, Jan. 14.—The mother of Franz Morn, a handsome Bavarian peasant of 21, had long been trying to persuade him to marry Pauline Bernat, a rich widow with a large farm. His objections were that the widow was old and ugly. Finally she persuaded him to sacrifice himself for the good of the family and take the widow and her money.

When the bridegroom saw his bride-to-be in the morning, he was so shocked by her appearance that he fled to his father's house and hid himself in a closet. He was not seen again until he had been found by his father and taken to the hospital. He died there a few days later.

## FRANKIE JEROME, BOXER, DIES

### Was Unconscious After a Bout in Madison Square Garden Friday.

New York, Jan. 14.—An autopsy will be held today to determine whether the death of Frankie Jerome, prominent bantamweight boxer, last night, was due to a blow received during a bout with Bud Taylor of Terre Haute, Ind., on Friday at Madison Square Garden.

Jerome, whose real name was Frank DeLoach, is the third of three children of a family which received inheritance from the late John D. Rockefeller. He was a member of the Madison Square Garden boxing club and was a member of the Madison Square Garden boxing club.

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Letters testamentary of the will of Henry Gallagher, Paddock street, have been granted to Joseph L. Mullaly, executor, in the Probate Court. The estate is valued at \$57,449.38, made up of \$8,700 real and \$48,749.38 personal. Charitable bequests are: St. Vincent's Orphanage, \$1,000; St. Vincent de Paul Society, \$1,000; Mater Misericordiae Home, \$1,000; Infants' Home, \$500; Home for Incapables, \$1,000; Monastery of the Good Shepherd, \$1,000; Catholic Bishop of St. John, \$2,000.

The balance of the estate is distributed among the nephews and nieces of the deceased. C. H. Ferguson is executor.

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## STERLING AND FRANC ARE DOWN

### Italian Lire Higher Than the Franc in New York Today.

New York, Jan. 14.—Heavy selling of the foreign exchange in European markets brought about sharp recessions in the British and French rates at the opening of today's foreign exchange market here. Demand sterling dropped 3/8-cent to \$4.23 and French franc broke 2 1/2 points to 4.65 1/2. Italian lire advanced 10 points to 4.40 1/2 cents, selling for the first time higher than French franc, which created a new low record for all time.

London, Jan. 14.—Pronounced depression prevailed in the exchange market today. The French franc slipped to a new low of 55.85 to the pound sterling and the Belgian franc to 104.75, due to the home and foreign political situation, and speculative operations.

The sterling rate also took a downward turn, transfers being quoted at \$4.24 to the pound.

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## Plan to Organize A Safety League

Moncton, Jan. 14.—Dr. P. E. Doolittle, president of the C. N. R. Safety League, and Capt. A. J. Saunders, all of Toronto, are here to organize a Maritime Safety League.

A round table conference is to be held tonight, and the organization meeting will be held on Jan. 20. Presidents of the three provinces have been asked to attend tonight's meeting or send delegates in event of their inability to attend.

## Bridge Tables \$4.50

All fold up of course and come in handy for more than one thing. Varieties shown in windows include the square ones at \$4.50. Covered in Green Baize, \$4.75. Round with Green Walnut finish, a notably comfortable shape,

MADE INSPECTOR AND ORGANIZER

Appointment of F. W. Girvan by Crown Life Insurance Company

The Crown Life Insurance Company, head office at Toronto, have announced the appointment of F. W. Girvan, of this city, as Inspector and Organizer for the western and southern counties of New Brunswick, with district office at 25 Prince William street, St. John.



Mr. Girvan is one of the outstanding younger life insurance salesmen of the Maritime Provinces, and during the last two of his nine years in the business he has gained extensive experience as superintendent of the life department in the province for the North British & Mercantile Insurance Co. of Edinburgh. Mr. Girvan was born in North Kent county, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Girvan, this city. He has made St. John his home since the last sixteen years, in which period, building up a fine connection through his activity in the community welfare campaigns, as a member of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. as well as chairman of the membership committee. He is a member of the Board of Trustees of St. David's church and has taken a prominent part in the various organizations and clubs. He is a member of the Knights of Pythias.

CHURCH FINANCES RETURN A SURPLUS

Balance of \$2,000 Shown for Year at Cathedral—\$30,000 Contributed.

In the Cathedral on Sunday at the various masses reference was made to the last year and a financial statement was given to the people. At 7 o'clock mass, celebrated by the parish priest, Rev. W. W. Duke, he said that the congregation had contributed during 1923 the sum of \$23,316.48, and that the expenditures, including extensive repairs to the front and vestry of the church had amounted to \$2,016.89, leaving a credit balance of \$21,299.59 in the ordinary church fund. In addition special collections for missionary work, orphanages, etc. had amounted to \$6,096.95 and the pews and high top had netted \$6,935, a grand total of nearly \$30,000. He hoped for the same measure of generosity on the part of the congregation in the present year to carry on necessary work. Included in this was the repairing of the stained glass windows.

TWIN WHO SWALLOWED PIN PROVES TO BE OTHER ONE

Akron, Ohio, Jan. 14.—An open safety pin, a set of twins and a case of mistaken identity provided material for what Akron physicians regard as one of the most humorous incidents in the annals of their profession.

PLAN HIGH TEA

The Ladies' Association of St. John the Baptist church met yesterday to plan for a high tea which will be held under their auspices some time this month. There was a good attendance and much interest taken in the plans set forth.

Heroic Tale of Nine Fishermen Who Drown That Five May Live

(By Bob Dorman.)

Babylon, L. 1.—Five men gaze out across the sunlit waters of Great South Bay. Their eyes are tear-dimmed, and their weather-beaten faces plainly show the effects of a vicious lullie with the sea. They are thinking of the nine men who welcomed death that they might live.



WHEN WAVES THREW OCCUPANTS OF 40-FOOT POWER BOAT INTO SEA, AS SEEN BY ARTIST SCOTT.

It's a story of fact that rivals the wildest sea fiction and will live forever in the memories of the fisher folk in these parts.

E. C. Kesterton, captain of a fishing boat out of Bay Shore, Long Island, and one of the survivors of the disaster that brought grief to many homes in the humble fishing villages that dot the shores of Long Island Sound, told in simple words a tale of heroism that is so common to the men who go down to the sea in ships.

"With two men I was bringing home the Electra, a power boat that I had just bought.

"When we left Rockaway we were warned that a storm was brewing but we thought we could make it home before the break. But off Fire Island our engine went dead. We commenced to drift.

"The storm came up rapidly. The waves in those shallow waters reached mountain heights. We were swept in toward the shore. To avoid going around we anchored.

"All night we tossed on the water. The waves broke over us. It was bitter cold. Ice formed on the edges of the boat. We used our searchlight to signal for help until the battery gave out, but no one saw us.

"When we broke we saw another power boat that had gone ashore on the bar a short distance away from us. They signalled for help, but we could do nothing. We had had nothing to eat and nothing to drink for more than 24 hours. And with the resulting weakness and the exposure, we would become unconscious for short periods.

"About noon we saw a plane flying overhead through the scudding clouds. The aviator waved his hand to us and turned back to the shore.

"At 4 o'clock we saw a power boat. The Sid, heading up to us through the smother of foam and breaking waves. "First she took off the four men on the other stranded boat. Then they laid their boat alongside of us and dragged us into their boat.

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"Then began a fight to reach port. One minute the overloaded Sid would rise on a mountainous wave. The next we would glide down into a valley of water that seemed to have no bottom. We all huddled together in the open cockpit of the Sid, except three who were so weak that they were taken into the little cabin.

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"The disaster was one of the worst that has struck the fishermen off the Long Island coast in recent years.

"Whether there will be a sequel to the anchor acted at will. We were picked up by another power boat which had come to look for us.

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Decline is Disquieting to the Financial Experts of France.

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B. C. LOOKS FOR BIG LUMBER BUSINESS

Never in the history of the lumber industry of British Columbia has the year opened with such an optimistic outlook for trade as that which has just dawned, says the Vancouver Sun.

Following an active period in 1923, which proved a profitable one to the sawmill operators, 1924 arrived on the scene with about 65,000,000 feet of lumber in orders on the books of mills to be cut in the next two months.

While the Japanese market is very quiet at the present time, exporters are not much concerned over the political situation which reduced the build-up of the Government of the months by \$50,000,000.

Some exporters have expressed the opinion that Japan will return in February for large quantities of lumber for the spring trade, and there are even more optimistic views taken that Japan will return to make its rainy season expected February demand.

China is showing signs of building prosperity that is reflected in purchases of lumber being made in this province, and a new interest has been created by a republic in lumber exporting circles.

What China will do when the time comes, sawmill operators and exporters acknowledge will be gigantic, and there is a feeling here that this may be the beginning of a new era in China.

A fair amount of business in parcel lots is offering from New Zealand for delivery over the next few months of the year. One firm has several enquiries from Australia, but that market is reported to have had a dry season and poor crops and may not show good results in the lumber buying business at an early date.

South Africa Buys.

South Africa has had a busy season and several specifications are in hand here for lumber for that market.

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KEEPS A YEAR AHEAD OF SANTA

Toy Factory of Sonneberg, Germany, Already Shows Models for 1924

Sonneberg, Thuringia, Jan. 14.—Santa Claus' museum of toys in Sonneberg, one of the manufacturing centres of Germany, is soon to have an additional wing or two to house the mass of playthings which have been crowded into the place for generations.

The museum which contains hundreds of thousands of dolls and little men and women of most of the nations of the earth, is said to contain the largest collection of toys and novelties ever assembled under one roof. Everything in the toy line which has been manufactured by the Sonneberg toy industry from its very beginning, has been collected here for the benefit chiefly of foreign buyers.

Every German boy and most of the girl's have heard of Santa Claus' top shop here, but few have ever been admitted. Children are barred, unless accompanied by their parents.

Sonneberg already has on display models in its museum for Christmas, 1924. The Sonneberg toy industry keeps just about a year ahead of old St. Nick.

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15 lbs. Best White Potatoes. 25c 6 lbs. Onions. 25c Nonsuch Stove Polish. 16c Ricketts Blue. 10c 2 lbs. Hand Cleaner. 25c 3 Cakes Lifebuoy Soap. 25c 3 Cakes Plantol Soap. 25c 8 Cakes Castle Soap. 25c 3 Cakes Ivory Soap. 25c 6 lbs. Bulk Cocoa. 25c 4 lbs. Western Grey Buckwheat. 25c 4 lbs. Rice. 25c 5 lbs. Barley. 25c 1 tin Carnation Milk. 27c Corn. 15c 2 lbs. Tin Sliced Pineapple. 25c 2 Tins Finnan Haddock. 25c 4 tins Brunswick Sardines. 25c No. 3 Baldwin Apples 25c peck. \$1.75 5 lb. pk. Table Raisins. 15c 25c. pkg. Table Raisins. 15c

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"GOING SOME?" London, Jan. 14.—A special train bringing to London Americans who had arrived at Plymouth in the liner George Washington made a remarkable run to Fiddlington. The 226 miles were covered in 234 minutes without a stop—an average speed of nearly 58 miles an hour.

BOY COASTER HIT BY DOCTOR'S CAR

West St. John Lad Badly Bruised but no Bones Broken

Gerald Sheffield, aged 12 years, son of Harry T. Sheffield, 216 St. George street, West St. John, had a narrow escape from serious injuries Saturday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock. The boy was coasting on Tower street hill, and when he reached the corner of Watson street, through some mishap his framer was steered in front of an approaching automobile, owned and driven by Dr. Robert M. Pendrigh, 133 Rodney street. Before the doctor could stop his car the boy was thrown clear of the framer which was badly smashed. At first it was thought young Sheffield had received serious injuries including a broken arm.

The lad was placed in the automobile and driven to his home where Dr. Pendrigh attended him. It was ascertained that the boy had no broken bones, and it is expected he will be about as usual in a short time.

The boy was the victim of a broken arm a year ago last month, when he fell from a railway car in the C. P. R. yards in West St. John.

IS POSTAL HELPER Gordon B. Kent has been appointed postmaster in St. John.

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#### IS THIS CREDITABLE?

Ninety-nine children between seven and sixteen years of age were arrested in St. John last year—ninety-one boys and eight girls. Twenty-two were arrested for breaking and entering. Sixty-nine were for theft. Thirteen were for habitual truancy. There were in all one hundred and thirty offences charged against these ninety-nine children, of whom seventy-four were under fifteen years of age.

It was necessary to send twenty of the boys to the Industrial Home. Some, though so young, were old offenders. Thirty-six were let out on suspended sentence, and twenty-eight were let go with a warning. That is to say, sixty-four boys who were convicted of offences were set at liberty because the magistrate felt it would not be for their good to send them to the Industrial Home, although there was no probation system to follow them up and endeavor to save them from further bad deeds.

Does it pay to have to send twenty boys to the Industrial Home in a year? Does it pay to send sixty-four boys back to the same surroundings without any follow-up system, after they have been found guilty of a serious offence? Remember also that four girls were sent to the Maritime Home for Girls, and two to the home of the Good Shepherd. Does that pay?

But this is not all. Besides those arrested, forty-five boys and four girls were brought to the police court by summons for offences committed. Of these cases only two were dismissed. Forty-two of the delinquents were allowed to go with a warning. Add them to the sixty-four and you have one hundred and six sent home without any follow-up system to save them if possible from committing fresh offences.

Adding those summoned to those arrested we find that one hundred and forty-eight cases were before the Police Magistrate last year, involving one hundred and twenty-seven children, of whom some were before the court more than once.

Are the citizens content with this record of juvenile delinquency and the present taxation and future trouble it involves?

#### A RAY OF HOPE

Great hopes are entertained that the meeting of the committee of British, French, American, Belgian and Italian experts in Paris to investigate German assets and liabilities with a view to a solution of the reparations problem, will bear good fruit. The enquiry opened this morning, with Gen. Dawes, representing the United States, in the chair. The cables tell us that the motto of the delegates is "strictly business and no politics," and that the meeting was entirely devoid of any display. The delegates are leading business and financial men of the five countries. They will seek a means of balancing the German budget and stabilizing German currency. Their deliberations will be confined to the business aspect of the problem, and no political bias will influence their judgment. Being business men they know how desirable it is to get at the facts, to bring about harmony and to discover a way out of a situation which imperils the very welfare of Europe itself. European credit must be restored and business resumed on a safe basis. The reparations committee has given the experts a free hand, and their trained minds will explore every avenue to bring out the facts upon which their conclusions will be based. It is a source of great satisfaction that in this enquiry the United States is represented. Gen. Dawes is not empowered to speak for the American Government or people, but what he does will undoubtedly have a powerful influence upon public opinion. He has been chosen, as all the delegates have, because of his fitness for the task. Germany will be wise if she assumes an attitude of open frankness and lends every assistance possible to the committee.

The west is still demanding the completion of the Hudson Bay railway. This venture has already cost a great deal of money, although its value is completed by no means established by what is known of the conditions of navigation in Hudson Bay. Meanwhile Maritime Province ports are without necessary facilities to handle traffic.

#### TO ERADICATE DIPHTHERIA

Hon. Dr. Roberts, at the annual meeting of the Provincial Red Cross, announced his intention to launch a campaign against diphtheria in New Brunswick. What he proposes is not an experiment. Diphtheria can be eradicated by treating all children who are susceptible to the disease. Whether they are susceptible or not may be determined by a simple test. Older people remember how deadly a disease diphtheria was some thirty or forty years ago. Whole families of children were destroyed when an epidemic broke out in a community, and many older persons also fell victims. It is still high, ranging about twenty per cent. in different countries. The disease is most prevalent in the winter, and children are most affected. Very young children are not as susceptible as older ones, but even infants may contract the disease. Dr. Kerley points out that it is usually transferred by contact of the sick with the well, and that a child may have it in so mild a form as scarcely to be regarded as ill, and yet give the disease to a playmate. A very dangerous feature of diphtheria is that the most virulent case may be mild at the onset, and the patient show no signs of serious illness until a day or two before the fatal termination. When the doctor does come it is too late even for the anti-toxin treatment. The remedy is to make all children immune, and this may be done by the anti-toxin treatment before any danger comes. As vaccination prevents smallpox, so the anti-toxin prevents diphtheria. It was first used, Dr. Kerley tells us, about ten years after the discovery of the diphtheria bacillus. It has been improved from time to time so that it may be used safely in all children except those who are subject to attacks of what is known as "horse asthma."

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At the present time the mortality is about twenty per cent. This is much higher than it should be and exists because a physician is not called to every throat-case at once. The family uses home remedies, hoping that the child will be better the next day. During the past few years a test to determine whether a child is susceptible to diphtheria has been devised by a physician named Shick. The test is very simple and not dangerous. The object is to discover whether the child has sufficient natural anti-toxin in his system to protect him from the disease as usually the case among the very young. If it is found that the child is not protected by such substances he may be given a preparation known as toxoid which will stimulate his system to produce his own anti-toxin which will protect him from the disease of the Shick test.

We come now to an actual case of the application of the Shick test. Peterborough despatch to the Toronto Mail and Empire says:—"Dr. A. W. McPherson, school medical officer, reported to the Board of Education tonight, that of 121 children subjected to the Shick test for diphtheria susceptibility in the Prince of Wales school, there were 90 children or 75 per cent. susceptible. These were treated with toxin anti-toxin and no ill effects noted or objection made by even the kindergarten class. The work will be continued immediately in other schools under the approval of the Board of Education."

Dr. Kerley says that "health departments in all large communities advise that children of this age be given the benefit of the test." Thus it is no undervalued natural anti-toxin which is little mounds that tell of the ravages of diphtheria in years past. What a blessing it would be to have such a disease entirely eradicated.

#### DISABLED VESSEL GETS UNDER WAY

Boston, Jan. 13.—The United States shipping board steamer Hekman, Swedish ports for Boston, which has been drifting helplessly in the mid-Atlantic storms for a week with steering gear crippled, is back on her course, her crew having effected temporary repairs, according to a radio message received here. Under command of the St. Anthony, a sister ship, the vessel is proceeding towards this port at a speed of seven knots.

#### APPOINTED C. N. R. HOTEL ASSISTANT

Winnipeg, Jan. 13.—A. M. McLean, manager of the MacDonald Hotel, Edmonton, has been appointed executive assistant to Walter Pratt, general manager of Canadian National Railway hotels.

### Press Comment

ROOM FOR SETTLERS (Toronto Globe).

The Maritime Provinces are the most thickly settled in Canada, yet there is plenty of room for more farmers. Major Barnett, chairman of the Soldiers' Settlement Board, estimates that land can be found there for 40,000 new settlers, by simply utilizing unused portions of existing farms.

FUNCTIONS OF NEWSPAPER (New Zealand Herald).

A newspaper is not merely a business venture; it is a social institution. It serves to weld into coherent and related elements of the whole area to which it ministers. It is the lifeblood of the community. It provides facilities for business intercourse, industries grow, markets are made, and all the avenues of commerce are extended by its aid. It makes the doings of men known to each other. It furnishes a means for the mutual impact of their thought. From it, reaching out to the common public than even the most popular treatise can hope to affect for their general advance, and a medium of new ideas it is a pioneer of knowledge.

WORK FOR THE CHURCH (London Chronicle).

It is altogether wrong that young people should derive knowledge of the mysteries of life chiefly from divorce court reports, cinema "romances," and the pages of sordid fiction. The leaders of religion ought to take a greater part in their enlightenment on this question than hitherto they have done. For only by asserting the spiritual attributes of sex to the masses will it be possible to bring before the public the realities of our times. The aim should be to make them understand that the highest conception of sex has been the inspiration of all the best art in the world and of countless deeds of moral grandeur. In a word, the task before the religious leaders of today is to emphasize that sex is a spiritual as well as a physical relationship.

MISPLACING THE BLAME (Boston Post).

The eccentricities of which the human mind is capable are seldom so amusingly revealed they were in the case of George Washington Gilbert, the Connecticut hermit who was killed in the recent case. He had never been married, he often boasted, because he did not want petticoat government. Equipped with such a notion, Gilbert might have been expected to contribute something great to the world's store of knowledge. What he actually did was to initiate a vegetable as nearly as possible to live for 77 years, and going 30 miles from the site of his birth, he had never done a day's work. He had never seen a woman, and he had never seen a trolley car or a steamship. "Petticoat government" could never have done so much harm to Gilbert as he did to himself.

ROWDY HOCKEY IN THE WEST (Calgary Herald).

President Fitzgerald has the support of the sport-loving public of the west in punishing rowdyism in hockey. The public has had enough of hockey, not exhibitions of brutality. If players prefer jabbing, stick-swinging and fighting to playing the game, let the people who will do without hockey. This does not apply to the outside teams alone. It applies to the teams too. Players frequently make the mistake of fancying that it is popular to indulge in bad temper. The most useful man on a team is not the one that spends most time in the penalty box. The player who breaks the rules is not the one that is most useful to the team. He can play fast hockey that the public will be glad to pay for, but he can continue his imitations of the prize-ring and disgust all patrons with the game as they play. The result of the latter course will be a fairly lessening of patronage. The only thing to do in an emergency of this sort is to give out strictly impartial first offence and duplicate what is done in the Old Country for seasons. It is a serious matter, therefore, that suspends the player for the balance of the season.

MOTORS AND CLOTHES (Toronto Globe).

The National Automobile Show in New York is the occasion for impressive figures showing the rapid expansion of that industry. Passenger-car production in 1923 increased 30 per cent. over 1922, and the production of passenger cars was 6,000,000, which, however, is more than the most optimistic expect. These continued increases are said to be the result of improved shop practices and to market concessions. A comparison of prices, says The New York Times, shows "the automobile manufacturers, confronted with a serious sales situation, took the best way out. They broke the buyers' strike by bringing their goods to market at prices which the public could not resist."

Another phase of the situation is pointed out by the National Retail Clothing of Chicago, which says that sixty-eight important retail commodities can now be obtained for so much down and so much a month. Automobiles and musical instruments come first, with radio sets, washing machines, stocks, bonds and houses high on the list. The merit of the installment plan depends upon what is bought. If, for example, it enables a man to buy a house, it obviously is advantageous both to the purchaser and to the community. But The National Retail Clothing declares that the vast majority of the wage-earners have mortgaged their future for many years in order to buy luxuries as well as necessities.

PUBLICITY IN CIVIC AFFAIRS

A member of the newly elected Toronto board of trustees, Powell, has, according to the Toronto Star, just issued an anti-publicity ultimatum following his appointment as chairman for the year which is of general interest. In the past "Trustee Powell has frequently taken objection to the work of the press and has referred to reporters "snooping" around the school board offices. Now he has issued the following edict to the staff: "If you give out anything that is uncomplimentary to the school board, I am putting a black stroke against your name." It is fortunate that the majority of public representatives do not view the question of publicity concerning a civic body in the same light. There are in every community, however, one or two

### LOYALISTS AT BELLEVILLE

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### WANTS DOMINIONS TO HAVE A SHARE

(Abigail Cresson in New York Herald).

At last it's really winter—No little, playful flurry, Then a thaw, but winter!

Down the icy hills Winds roar, Show drifts along the roads; The windows mist and frost; The sky is overcast and dull And gray.

It seems no matter What we think Or plan or hope We can't escape, They tell us "open winter, And they make vague promises Of little snow; But we know better, We are wiser folk, Shut in by hills And out of sight.

When we read these weather forecasts, We just shake our heads And smile— For winter never, never Falls to come!

LIGHTER VEIN.

Wind Boy.

Affable Visitor—"Well, and do you do a good deed every day, Tommy?"

Tommy—"Yes, sir, yesterday I visited my aunt in the country, and she was glad. Today I came back home again, and she was glad again!"

The Only Chance.

Mrs. Subbub (after the cook left)—"It is plain that nobody will ever get grey in our service."

Subbub—"You can't tell, my dear. People have been known to grow grey in a single night."

Forced to Part.

"I was only acting to the part of peace-maker," explained a prisoner.

"But you knocked the man senseless!" said the Magistrate.

"That was the answer. 'There was no other way to get peace.'"

After an Old-Time Dinner.

A man living in a quiet country place invited a neighbor to dine and spend the evening with him. The night being dark, when it was time to go, the guest, who had done himself very well, begged to be allowed to borrow a large lantern in the hall to light him on his way. The next day the host sent his servant round with the following note:

"Dear old chap, I shall be glad to have back my parrot and cage if you have finished with it."

Nothing Doing.

During a temporary cessation of hostilities between the opposing forces in the Civil War, a retreating soldier, a Yankee, rode into the Confederate lines on a sorry looking old horse to effect a trade for some tobacco.

"Hello, Yankee," hailed an officer in the ranks of the Confederate army.

"I'm here to trade for some tobacco."

"You're a right smart horse you all got there."

"Thank you," returned the Yankee, "the horse was those who were brought by the east winds of sin. God's power could do me good spiritual life, he said."

In North Carolina.

A large congregation for an ordinary Sunday evening service assembled in the Central Baptist church, St. John, N. B., on Sunday night last.

Rev. James Dunlop, M.A., pastor of Central Baptist church, spoke in Centenary church yesterday morning from the text: "For the Son of Man is come to seek and to save that which is lost."—Luke 19:10.

"The Seeking Christ" was the topic of Rev. Mr. Dunlop's address, who pointed out the thought that Christ was seeking the lost all ways. If he did not yield to his influence he could not save them. The only thing which kept a soul from God was its unwillingness to obey Him and to give up its own will. The only thing which kept a man from God was his unwillingness to obey Him and to give up his own will. The only thing which kept a man from God was his unwillingness to obey Him and to give up his own will.

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Only a short time left in which to benefit by the unusual bargain opportunities offered by this timely sale of men's, women's and children's winter wearables. Some lines have been depleted, but there are still many fine bargains in the following (and other) lines. Garments are traveller's and Manufacturer's samples supplemented by special articles from our own regular stocks. Every item a genuine bargain.

Special Bargain Dept. Germain Street Entrance.

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| <b>Men's Heavy Socks</b><br>Sample Qualities. Black, grey and heathers.<br>Sale 25c, 35c, 45c, 50c, pr. | <b>Men's Negligee Shirts</b><br>A great variety. All samples.<br>Sale 65c to \$1.25 ea.      |
| <b>Women's Cashmere Hose</b><br>Plain and ribbed. Various colors.<br>Sale 50c and 75c pr.               | <b>Men's Undershirts</b><br>Fleeced and Woolens. All samples.<br>Sale 65c to \$1.75 gar.     |
| <b>Misses' Cashmere Hose</b><br>In wide rib. Browns and fawn.<br>Sale 50c pr.                           | <b>Men's Combinations</b><br>Winter weights.<br>Sale \$1.25 to \$3.50 suit                   |
| <b>Boys' Worsted Hose</b><br>Heavy ribbed. Black only.<br>Sale 45c pr.                                  | <b>Women's Knitted Underwear</b><br>Undervests, Drawers and Union Suits. All great bargains. |
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| <b>Men's Top Shirts</b><br><b>Cotton Tweeds and Flannels</b><br>Sale 75c to \$2.50 ea.                  | <b>Women's Wool Sweaters</b><br>White and colors.<br>Sale \$2.00 to \$4.95 ea.               |
| <b>Men's Coat Sweaters</b><br>In heavy riba. Various neck styles.<br>Sale \$1.75 to \$4.50 ea.          | <b>Colored Underskirts</b><br>Moirette and silk finished cotton.<br>Sale \$1.29 ea.          |

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KING STREET GERMAIN STREET MARKET SQUARE

**DEATHS**

**Mrs. A. C. Nuttall.**  
Mrs. Annie C. Nuttall, wife of John F. Nuttall, overseer in the Cornwall Mill, Wall street, died suddenly at her home, 140 City Road, at 11 o'clock Saturday evening. Mrs. Nuttall was in apparently perfect health at the supper hour and was marketing in the morning, so her death was a great shock to her husband and family, two of whom live at home, Miss Winifred Eileen and Gordon A. Nuttall, of the city postal staff, a returned soldier, who had a fine record overseas. The other daughters are Mrs. W. B. Hurd and Mrs. C. W. Brown, both of Concord, Mass.; Mrs. C. P. Cowan, of Hamilton, Ont., and the other son is John F. Nuttall, an agent of the Prudential Insurance Co., of 9 Carleton street, St. John.

Mrs. Nuttall is also survived by one sister, Mrs. Albert McBride, of Woodstock, N. B.; three brothers, Stanley Hamilton, Woodstock; William Hamilton, Charlottetown; and one niece, Miss Madeleine McBride, of this city. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from St. Paul's church, of which Mrs. Nuttall was a faithful member. The many friends of the family feel deeply for Mr. Nuttall and his sons and daughters in their bereavement.

**James MacBride.**  
A well known and worthy citizen of Charlotte county, passed away from life's activities when James MacBride died early Sunday morning, Jan. 13, in his eighty-fourth year. His death occurred at the residence of George D. MacBride, his son, at Old Ridge. Mr. MacBride had been seriously ill only one week, death following paralytic. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. T. B. Mann, of Ballis, Charlotte county, and three sons, George D. MacBride and T. B. MacBride, both of Old Ridge, and Wade H. MacBride, of 81 Wentworth street, St. John. His wife, who was formerly Miss Jean Robinson, died several years ago. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon from his late residence. Interment will be in the family lot at Ballis.

**Guy Winston Hagerman.**  
Guy Winston, the young son of Guy and Evelyn Hagerman, died at the Epidemic Hospital on Saturday after an illness of two weeks of diphtheritic croup. The little fellow was two years and 11 months old. He leaves, besides his parents, two brothers, Marie and Harold, and one sister, Joan.

The burial took place at Cedar Hill cemetery yesterday afternoon at 3:20 o'clock. Rev. W. A. Robbins, B.A., the pastor of Ludlow street Baptist church, officiating. The service was conducted at the grave. The sympathy of the community will go out to Mr. and Mrs. Hagerman in the loss of their child.

**Norah A. Saunders.**  
Norah A. Saunders, the 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Saunders, Pleasant street, West St. John, died on Friday at her home, after an illness of 11 months. She leaves, besides her parents, three sisters and three brothers to mourn. She was a bright young girl and an earnest member of St. Jude's church, where she took an active interest in the Sunday school. On the last Sunday of 1923, Miss Norah won the distinction of having 100 per cent efficiency in her Sunday school work for the year and was awarded a prize. Her death caused deep grief among her young friends, as well as in her immediate family. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon, from the residence of her parents, to St. Jude's church, with the pastor, Rev. J. H. A. Holmes, officiating, at 3:30 o'clock. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery. There were many beautiful flowers. The service at the church was unique, in that it was bright and full of hope, the pastor making it a point to drive all fear of death from the minds of the Sunday school children, who attended the service in a body. His subject was the story of the "Daughter of Jairus." The choir and the children sang Psalm 23 and all the hymns were suggestive of the brightness of the eternal future. The short sermon showed that Jesus had promised a place for His loved ones and that He would be with them. Then there could be no sorrow, if Christians believe that there is forgiveness of sin, resurrection of the body and life everlasting. The hymns sung were: "There is a Green Hill Far Away" and "Around the Throne of God in Heaven."

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Some like Satin, some decide on mercer Rep, some want unbleached Cotton and others Sateen. All card tables need covers, even those of Green Baize. In colors a fine chance for scheming for an effect of your own. Rose, Gold, Copen, Natural Green, Brown, Black, Purple. Sateen is 29c for 29 inch width per yard. Natural Linen in 18 inch width, 39c yard with square, 75c.

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For 58c a wide choice of electro-plate novelties like Tea Balls, Bon Bon Dishes, Egg Cutters, Perfume Cases for handbags, Ash Trays, Ladies' Cigarette Cases, Napkin Rings, Peppers, Salts.

From Liberty's in London made in the Orient Silk Vanity Cases, 49c. Dried Blossom Sachets, 49c. Tea Cosies, 69c. Jewel Cases of Suede leather, Silk embroidered, \$1.95. Playing Card Cases, Purse. Elaborate Lamp Mats of Silk Damask with embroidered centres, from \$1.50.

Danky Hankies. Spanish Combs, 85c to \$4.85. Indestructible Pearls, \$1.98 to \$6.75. Ear Rings of various hues, 35c to \$1.85. Then Neckwear, etc.

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This is the big opportunity of the year for the man who wants to save money on his clothes. We are selling the finest clothes to be had, actually at less than the price of ordinary clothes.

A suit or overcoat bought now will prove to be the best investment you ever made, not because the price is low, but because along with this, the quality is high. These clothes will be perfectly correct as long as you wear them—this season or next. Now look at these prices:



**Overcoat Sale**

SALE COMMENCES TUESDAY MORNING

Every cloth Overcoat in our stocks goes into this big selling event. Overcoats made to combat the strongest, sharper winds—made to set a man off in the best sort of style—and made to give lasting service. Society Brand Models included.

Four Outstanding Price Groupings—  
**\$22.50, \$26.50, \$34.00, \$39.50**  
Others \$15.90 and up.

**Burberry Overcoats**

World famed for their style distinction and extra fine quality. These prices are very low when you take quality into consideration.  
**\$50.00, \$55.00, \$58.00, \$60.00 up to \$68.00**

**You Get The Best In These Suits**

Men's and Youths' Models in tweeds and worsteds. In fact, this sale includes every Tweed and Worsted suit in our stocks. Suits that ordinarily demand a much higher price are offered to you now at these very low figures.

**\$16.95, \$21.25, \$24.25, \$31.00, \$34.00**  
Others \$12.75 upward.

**The Kind of Suits Boys Need**

And They Offer Big Value

Suits in many models at a price you are more than willing to pay. M. R. A. Boys' Suits have been made by specialists in this particular line, consequently, you'll find wearing qualities not common to the ordinary run of boys' clothes. Many suits are strongly reinforced.

**\$6.80, \$7.65, \$8.50, \$11.50, \$13.60**



**Boys' Overcoats That Are Real Bargains**

It's going to take a lot of looking to find better values than we are giving you with these fine Boys' Overcoats. Such wholesome materials and sound workmanship isn't common in overcoats at these prices; there's the sort of stuff here that won't break down easily under strenuous boy wear.

**\$7.65 and \$9.35**  
Sizes 12 to 17 years.  
**\$10.65, \$13.25, \$13.95**

**Men's Trousers**  
Strong durable materials and properly styled. Three Very Special Values—  
**\$3.25, \$3.75, \$4.25**  
Others \$3.00 and up.

**Boys' Separate Pants**  
A pair of these worn with sweater or blouse will do a lot toward lengthening the life of the boy's suit. Fine for school wear.  
**\$1.70, \$1.90, \$2.00**  
Sale in Men's Clothing Shop, Second Floor.

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**Funerals**  
The funeral of Mrs. Samuel Kyle was held from her late residence, 114 Mill street, to Holy Trinity church, at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Many attended the service and the spiritual offerings were numerous. The funeral of Mrs. George L. Brittain, West St. John, was one of the most largely attended in the experience of Rev. Fred T. Bertram, officiating clergyman, since his coming to St. John, as stated by him yesterday. The service was held at her late residence, 118 Water street, at 3:30 o'clock. Interment was in Cedar Hill cemetery. The choir of the Carlton Methodist church sang sweetly appropriate hymns and the pall bearers were immediate relatives. The floral offerings were many and very choice. There were relatives from out

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One Buckled at ..... \$2.75 and \$3.25  
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Three Buckle Overboots for ..... \$3.25  
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Ladies' All Wool Skating Sweaters; Camel and Pearl ..... **\$2.98**

Ladies' Fleece-lined Bloomers ..... **59c**

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Children's Heather Hose, pair ..... **49c**

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EVENING TIMES-STAR MAGAZINE PAGE FOR THE HOME



IN A LEGATEE'S SHOES

Some time ago Mr. George was asked by an interviewer: "What is your favorite amusement?" The novelist replied: "Loafing about a great city...

I stopped in a dark street, the name of which I did not know, as in the distance I heard a clock strike. It was a single stroke coming from a church...



AN ELDERLY MAN IN EVENING CLOTHES CAME TOWARD ME steadily, making the pavements shine under the street lamps. On such a night as this, I reflected, it was hardly likely to encounter one of those wanderers from who adventure could be drawn...

a gas lamp, combining my body with its outline, so that I might not be observed. I could see her more clearly now. She was that most symbolic figure in an English household: a respectable, elderly parlourmaid...

I have learned this much in nocturnal adventure, that ten seconds of conversation is better than an hour of observation. So I carefully released myself from the lamp and, treading loudly to draw her attention, went up the square...

While she spoke, I analyzed the situation. Evidently I was to be asked into the house. Evidently I was to be made to believe that I was the missing Charlie. Some of the things that I had seen in the hall behind this, for people do not law traps for casual strangers in Viking Square...

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



THE FIRE DEPARTMENT MADE TWO TRIPS TO A FIRE IN HOKES OLD BARN TODAY - ON BOTH TRIPS THEY WERE UNABLE TO FIND THE FIRE

maid touched a switch which filled with radiance a large and wealthy apartment. The well-dressed servant whom she was waiting. As I came closer, she seemed to hesitate, took a step toward the house, then came back...

haps sixty. Good-breeding appeared in all his features, and in his hands, also in the negligent fit of his dinner jacket. "Well then," he said, "we'd better go upstairs. Your aunt's awfully ill. I'm afraid she won't last till morning, and she wants to see you awfully badly."

Postmaster J. S. Flaglor has drawn attention to the fact that many letters for China are posted in the city with out sufficient postage stamps. For two places in China, Hong Kong and Wei-Hai-Wei, the postage rate is the same as to Great Britain, four cents for the first ounce. For all other parts of China the postage rate for letters is 10 cents for the first ounce...

Your Health

BY DR. CLIFFORD C. ROBINSON

WATCH FOR ANEMIA. If your boy or girl is listless or has a loss of appetite, or seems to find trouble in doing the every-day things of life, watch out. Anemia spells a lack of rich, red blood to carry out the bodily process of metabolism (body growth and repair)...

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

THE TWEEDELS GET HOME



When the travelers landed in Balloon Land the magic dustpan dumped them off right beside the forest where the baby balloons were growing. "How do you do?" said a voice, and there stood a large paper elephant balloon that had floated up to Balloon Land on the Fourth of July...

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS - JAY'S RIGHT



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ADAM AND EVA - NO LIKENESS



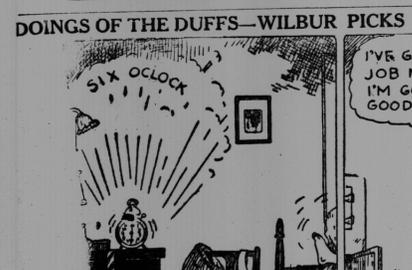
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DOINGS OF THE DUFFS - WILBUR PICKS THE RIGHT MORNING



I'VE GOT A GOOD JOB NOW AND I'M GOING TO TAKE GOOD CARE OF IT. "WELL, I GUESS I'M THE FIRST ONE DOWN THIS MORNING - OH GEE! HERE COMES MR. BLAKE THE MANAGER ALL READY."

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COWLEY FATHER IS HEARD HERE

Appeal to sermons which were full of inspiration. For the text of his evening sermon he took 11 Peter 3:18 "Grow now in grace."

ADVANCES SELF-DENIAL AS MEANS OF GROWING IN GRACE

Father A. E. Tovey of the Society of Mission Priests of St. John the Evangelist, known as the Cowley Fathers, was the preacher at both services in the Mission church yesterday and gave memorable addresses.

WILL MAKE A BID FOR MORE CADETS

The cadets in St. John district now number between 700 and 800 and Capt. D. V. Fain, the local organizer, fully expects to have about 1,000 enrolled by June 1. A public meeting in the interest of the cadet movement is to be held in the Albert school auditorium...

Social Notes Of Interest

Badminton was given the full attention of a large representation of the membership on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. George K. McLeod and Mrs. J. Busby, her sister, presided at the tea hour. There was a continual waiting list of players, who enjoyed the game to the limit. A tournament was held on Tuesday, which will be followed by the Canadian championship try-out on Wednesday at the regular afternoon game. Those winning on that occasion will be entitled to go to Quebec to the Dominion contest. Among those at Saturday's game were Lt. Col. and Mrs. Herbert C. Spaulding, Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Skinner, Mrs. Otto Nade, Mrs. Philip Nade, Dr. and Mrs. L. de V. Chipman, Archdeacon A. H. McCann, Mrs. W. J. Angus, Miss Jean Angus, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Daniel, Major and Mrs. Raban Vines, Captain and Mrs. H. A. Campbell, Col. and Mrs. Walter A. Harrison, Captain W. V. R. Winter, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chadwick and their guest, Mr. J. Sharples, from the Empress of Britain, Mrs. Elliott, wife of the commander of the Empress of Britain, Captain and Mrs. Gerald Furlong, Mrs. Fred Caverhill Jones, Miss Clara Schofield, Mrs. Daniel Mullin, Mrs. W. Henderson, Miss Beryl Mullin, Miss Audrey McLeod, Miss Hortense Maher, Miss Bessie Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Murray, Mrs. Harold Schofield, Mr. Fred Short, Mr. Hazen Short, Miss Kathleen McCarthy, Miss Helen Sidney-Smith, Miss Royce Carter, Miss Althea Hazer, Miss Edythe Mitchell, Miss Elizabeth Foster, Miss Marion Henderson, Miss Kathleen Coster, Mr. Eric Thomson, Mr. Douglas McKean, Mr. Charles Botwick, Mr. Donald Jones, Mr. Leslie Jones.

Miss Sybil Barnes entertained at a delightful function on Saturday afternoon, when five tables of bridge were played. The prize winners were: Miss Helen Hayes, Mrs. Sherman Dearborn and Miss Margaret Gilmour. Pink snapdragons made the rooms very attractive. Those participating in the game were: Mrs. Thomas McAvity, Mrs. Harry Heaton, Mrs. Sherman Dearborn, Mrs. John H. Marr, Mrs. Albert Brown, Mrs. Roy Lewis, of Montreal; Mrs. Murray Shindler, Mrs. Bradford Gilbert, Mrs. Paul Cross, Mrs. Lloyd Drew, Miss Marion Henderson, Miss Madeline Allan, Miss Frances Jordan, Miss Helen Hayes, Miss Marjorie MacIntyre, Miss Margaret Gilmour, Miss Ellen Keenan, Miss Alice Young, Miss Aileen Rogers and Miss Alice Bell. Miss Barnes entertained again in the evening at a mixed bridge.

Mrs. J. W. Donville and daughter, Miss Annie Donville, will leave tomorrow for New York, going from their home in Montreal. They will call on New York on the Mediterranean on a cruise and will spend the winter abroad, returning home in May.

Major C. Lionel Hamilton has arrived in London, England, and it is reported that he has with him a fox. His many friends in St. John will hope for his success in his business venture.

Mrs. William Starr, of Rothesay, is visiting in Montreal, with friends.

Mrs. George Amland entertained at four tables of bridge last Friday evening at her residence, 1000 St. John street. The prize winners were Mrs. Roy Sippel, Mr. Allan Leavitt, Miss Lytle Turner and Mr. John Murray. One table of auction forty-five was played at which Mrs. Phoebe Ellisworth was the prize winner. Mrs. Amland served delicious refreshments and was assisted by Mrs. Ralph Smith and Mrs. Roy Sippel. After supper Miss Alicia Heales and Mrs. Smith played delightfully on the piano. Mr. Amland sang for her guests, making a happy ending to a most enjoyable evening.

Mrs. W. G. J. Watson was hostess last week in honor of Mrs. G. M. Barker prior to her departure for the south. Mrs. A. B. Wetmore presided over the tea cups at the tea hour and was assisted in serving by Mrs. Margaret E. Elliott, Mrs. John Spence and Miss Edith Heaver. The decorations were pink snapdragons which were attractive in the pretty rooms of Mr. and Mrs. Watson's new residence, 57 Hazen street, into which they have recently moved.

Miss Leslie Lorison, niece of Mr. S. S. Thorpe, of the Customs department here, who is studying nursing in Providence, R. I., passed through the city on her way to Sackville, where she will spend her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Horace Fawcett and Mr. Fawcett. Miss Lorison has succeeded well at her work and is having her first holiday after one year's course in the hospital.

Mrs. Robert G. Fulton has gone to Grand Manan to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fraser.

Mr. H. S. Culver, United States consul, and Mrs. Culver, were "at home" to a large assembly of friends one evening last week. The interest centered around an address given by Dr. Edna McKinley, of Boston, which was illustrated by drawings done by Miss Marion Jack, the well-known artist. The subject was the Holy Land and the places frequented by the late prophet Abdul Baha, whose followers still study his teachings of unity and peace for the world. The customs of the people in the places pictured and described were also discussed and Dr. McKinley recited with fine expression for the many guests. Among those present were Mrs. George E. Carter, Mrs. H. Colby Smith, Mrs. W. H. Bennett, Mrs. J. N. Smith, Mrs. Hazen McLellan, Mrs. George Nixon, Miss Jean Nixon, Mrs. Ernest Waring, Miss M. Waring, Mrs. Harold Climo and others.

Much interest centres around the wedding of Edith Temple Allen, daughter of the late Fred S. Hilyari and Mrs. Bertha Hilyari, who resides in Halifax, but who was formerly a resident of Fredericton, where her late

In The Shadow of Gallows, Condemned Woman Stifes Terror By Crooning Baby Lullabies



MRS. SABELLE NITTI CRUELLE.

Chicago.—With weird incantation through the condemned chambers of the death house here resound the sibilant echoes of a discordant lullaby as Mrs. Sabelle Nitti Cruelle lulls herself with the opiate of song to meet the hangman's iron embrace.

Dumpy and squat and with no redeeming gift of grace, the dumb-like little peasant woman marks time for the grim reaper soon to claim her on the scaffold in jury-metred penalty for murdering "her man."

Her dilemma presents an anomaly of tragedy since she is but a creature of primitive physical instincts and

husband was postmaster. Mrs. Allen was married to Mr. W. J. Gillin on Dec. 15, in Bermuda, where she met him while traveling for a large publishing house. Mrs. Gillin was one of the most popular girls in fashionable circles in Fredericton and St. John, where she has many relatives. Her uncle are Mr. Edward Hilyard and Mr. Herbert Howard. She is a granddaughter of the late Senator Thomas Temple, of Nova Scotia. Mrs. Gillin will receive many expressions of good wishes from her many friends here and a hearty welcome when she and her husband come for a visit.

Major and Mrs. Frank H. Rowe announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Georgia Estella Murdoch, to Mr. Ellsworth Horatio Ritchey, the marriage to take place at an early date.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy S. Lordy, who were married recently in Truro, N.S., have arrived in the city and have taken up residence at 64 Elliott row.

Mrs. A. E. Jones, Princess street, was hostess on Saturday night at four tables of bridge. The prize-winners were Mrs. Don Seely and Edgar Logan.

Messrs. Murdoch Lydon and Barry Lydon, Waterloo, have returned to their studies at St. Joseph's University after the holidays spent here with relatives.

Mr. Arthur Burns, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Burns, has returned to St. Joseph's University. Mr. Burns has applied for a place on the staff of the John Playgrounds Association this coming season.

Mrs. H. A. Fraser was a hostess for her 10-year-old daughter, Miss Louise Fraser, on Saturday afternoon last, from 4 to 8 o'clock, for several young friends. Miss Louise was a charming little hostess in her frock of white silk and received her guests in the pretty drawing-room where red geraniums made a pretty brightness in the decoration. The tea was served at several small tables that were very attractive with their trimmings of red geraniums and red candles. The girls all wore their prettiest frocks and made a very picturesque scene. Those who enjoyed the games, music and folk dances were Jean Brittain, Marjorie MacPhail, Margaret Marshall, Georgina Earle, Lena Earle, Helen Lewis, Ruth Lewis, Margaret McDermott, Patience White, Marion Magnusson and Dorothy Wetmore.

Mrs. J. E. Allingham, 1 City Line, was a hostess at a bridge party last week for about twenty-five guests. The prizes were won by Miss Muriel Mahoney and Mr. Roy Thompson. Miss Gertrude McKenna gave much enjoyment with her piano playing. Mrs. Walter McKel, Miss Hazel McLeod and Miss Thelma Cheeseman and Miss Evelyn Cheeseman assisted the hostess with the refreshments. The evening was greatly enjoyed. Among those present were: Mrs. McKel, Miss McLeod, Misses Thelma and Evelyn Cheeseman, Miss Muriel Mahoney, Miss Viles, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Roy Thompson, Mrs. D. H. Roxborough, Miss Angeline Roxborough, Miss Gertrude McKenna, the Misses Ford and Willa McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Bosmer, Mrs. I. N. Appleby, Mrs. J. Woodland, Mrs. Herbert McLeod, Miss Villa Woodland, Mrs. Laura Cheeseman, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Mrs. Lawrence Melvin, Mrs. Philip Hann, Mr. Hudson Cheeseman and Mrs. Charles Elgey.

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Bright Spring Gowns

By HELEN ROSS. (Written for the United Press.) New York, Jan. 14.—The League of Nations may be defunct, but the vivid coloring of the clothes of every nation under the sun will brighten up Milano's spring wardrobe. Three-quarter length jackets, in plain little chovalgril frocks will be embroidered on pockets, hems and tunics like a Chinese laundry ticket. Heavy soft crepes, brilliantly figured, and vivid prints in Hungarian fashion, sometimes quilted, sometimes cut into straight slim little skirt-and-jacket suits, will be seen everywhere in preference to plain colors.

The peasant shawl, first introduced as an integral part of the costume at the Soviet Fashion Show in Moscow, proved so decorative that it will have a prominent place in spring fashions, bringing the whole Russian motif along with it. Brilliant colors—elaborate figures—table lines these strike the general note of the incoming styles.

In her mind, is the reason why the jury brought in the verdict of guilty for the murder of her husband, Frank Nitti.

Except for the half-realized dread of "strange" and the separation from her "babes," Sabelle would call the jail a refuge. She has erased the physical tragedy of surroundings with her song. Sennely, it has beaten down the sharpest pangs of memory and dread of what has been ordained.

However, the common guess, both inside and outside the jail, is that she never will be executed. The only other woman ever sentenced to death in Illinois, 27 years ago, escaped the penalty. But Sabelle's eyes are gazing over her the sword of Damocles as plainly as ever did a king. Gripped with physical panic she is powerless to philosophize. Nor does it make much difference to her that legends of her own sex, drawn from welfare agencies and civic clubs, are bearing succor to

WANT DR. ROBERTS TO SPEAK. Hon. Dr. Roberts has been invited to address the New York Rotary Club when he goes there to address the Canadian Club. He has also been asked by Dr. Hastings of Toronto to attend an important medical conference in Montreal at an early date.

Bridge Puts End To Blue Monday. Adventures in economy come in diverse ways. Right now it is noticed that a lot of ladies who have gone in for the splendid game of Auction Bridge just had to make up time by sending their laundry to the New System Wet Wash.

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SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN. (Unless otherwise specified, these recipes are planned for four persons.) STEWS AND POT ROASTS. Savory stews and pot roasts are most acceptable for winter dinners. Cheap cuts of meats can be used to advantage. The finished dish is both appetizing and nourishing. The success of such meat dishes depends on the careful seasoning and cooking of the meat. Greater skill and cleverness are required to prepare a delicious stew than to broil an expensive steak. The steak might be dubbed "fool proof," for only the most villainous cooking could ruin it, while stewing meat and pot roasts must be treated with care and thought to make them popular. This pot roast gains piquancy from the tomatoes and the acid helps to break the fibre of the meat, making it tender. Pot Roast of Beef. Four or five-pound piece of beef cut from the fore quarter, 1 onion, 1 bay leaf, 1/2 teaspoon pepper, 1 quart can tomatoes, 1 cup boiling water. Wipe meat with cheese-cloth, wrung out of cold water. Rub well with salt. Fry fat from a few small pieces of beef suet. The frying pan should be oiled just enough to prevent the meat from sticking. There should be no surplus fat. Sear the entire surface of the meat in frying pan. Put in stewing pan and add remaining ingredients. Cover tightly and simmer until meat is tender. It will take about three hours. Arrange meat on a hot platter and rub liquor in the pan through a puree sieve. Four over roast and garnish with parsley. Savory Meat Balls. One pound beef cut from lower round, 1/4 cup dried bread crumbs, 1 egg, 2 tablespoons milk, 1 teaspoon salt, 1-8 teaspoon pepper, few gratings nutmeg, 3 slices fat salt pork, 2 tablespoons flour, 1/2 cups brown stock or water, pepper. Mix about two tablespoons of finely chopped suet with the lean meat. The butcher will put the meat through his food chopper. Save the bone and boil for the meat with the chopped suet with bread crumbs, salt, nutmeg and pepper. Add egg slightly beaten with milk. Mix thoroughly and form into small balls not more than one and one-half inches in diameter. Let stand in a cold place for an hour to become firm. Fry out fat from salt pork. Drop meat balls in the hot fat and brown quickly. Remove balls from fat and pour off all but two tablespoons. Brown flour in fat. Slowly add, stirring constantly, the stock, and the tips, rib-ends and handles of amber and other colored compositions show no signs of dying out as a vulgar.

With the tri-corn hat has come in the little flat-headed Dutch shoes, with enormous tongues and buckles. These quaint little shoes are developed for the Broadway trade in every material and color, but those most commonly seen are a soft brown suede or tan kid, with brass buckle, and the ever-popular black patent-leather with silver buckle.

A short life, but daring one, is my prediction for the "slings" half-cut which is, to say the least, trying. When the flappers weary of its severity which will probably be soon, I predict an adaptation of it which will permit the wearing of one of those stunning Spanish combs that shop-windows are flaunting in the eyes of bobbed-haired misses nowadays.

The beautification of the lowly umbrella is one of the winter's most joyful notes. The new painted handles are exceedingly smart as well as utilitarian, and the tips, rib-ends and handles of amber and other colored compositions show no signs of dying out as a vulgar.

Two pounds lean beef, 1 onion, 1 cup shredded cabbage (optional), 1/2 cups diced raw potatoes, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon pepper, 4 cups boiling water, 8 tablespoons butter, 3 tablespoons flour. Chop a piece of beef cut from the lower round. Cut in inch cubes. Melt some bacon fat or beef drippings in a frying pan and sear meat quickly on sides. Remove from frying pan to kettle. Add sliced onion to fat in frying pan and cook until a golden brown. Add to meat and saute cabbage if used. Add this to the meat and onion, season with salt and pepper and pour over boiling water. Cover closely and simmer two hours. Add potatoes and

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cook 30 minutes longer. Work butter and flour together until perfectly smooth. Add to meat and broil in small bits, stirring constantly until the mixture thickens. Serve on a hot platter. There are many variations to this recipe. More vegetables can be added. One or two shredded green peppers are often cooked with the meat and the whole surrounded by tiny boiled onions. Tomatoes can be used half and half with the water. The cook must consider the family taste when she adds her seasonings.

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MAKES DEFENCE OF VIRGIN BIRTH

Local Evangelist Says Modernists Repudiate Messianic Prophecy

The Virgin Birth was the subject of the sermon at Paradise Hall Sunday afternoon by Evangelist F. W. Stray, of this city, who said in part: "In the words of St. Paul without controversy, great is the mystery of Godliness, God manifest in the flesh. "The incarnation is the basis of the apostolic faith upon which is reared the whole superstructure of Christianity. Underneath this base, and the whole church goes down to it. "The whole deposit of Messianic prophecy in the Old Testament synchronous in the life and times of Jesus. "Jacob on his dying bed predicted the continuance of the sceptre and lawgiver in Judah till Shiloh came. Herod was King of Judah when Jesus was born, dying shortly after and succeeded by his son who reigned less than a year. The last king of Judah's throne from that day to this. "Daniel wrote his seventy years time prophecy into the Messiah, Dan. 9, and turned his book over to the wise men of Babylon, over whom he had been appointed governor. Five centuries after, wise men of the east came to Jerusalem, when Jesus was born, crying, 'Where is He?' Many arrived at Bethlehem the night of the nativity, just in time to fulfill the prophecy of Micah, who cried, 'Bethlehem—Out of thee shall he come.'—Micah 5. "Mary gave birth to a Son, not a daughter. Luke writes down her own words to the angel of the annunciation, 'How shall this be, seeing I know not a man.' "Matthew writes, now all this was done, that it might be fulfilled, which was spoken of the Lord by the prophet, saying, Behold, a Virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a Son, and they shall call His name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us. "Thus, according to the Apostle the Virgin birth prophecy of Isaiah more than seven centuries old was fulfilled in the birth of Jesus. "The whole revelation of Jesus as the Son of God, and in Old Testament prophecy and New Testament history, must either stand or fall together. Jesus said the Scripture cannot be broken. The Modernist attack upon the 'Virgin birth in the infancy of Jesus' nothing more nor less than a repudiation of Messianic prophecy, upon which the whole structure of the apostolic church stands. "Christian faith is not a blind superstition, but is faith based upon reasonable evidence of the occurrence of events foretold by the prophets of God. Human reason may be unable to comprehend the processes of God bringing these events to pass, in the manner and at the time foretold. Inability to understand this furnishes small excuse for the denial of such well attested events. Denial brings the Modernist perilously near the brink of the precipice. 'Whoever shall deny Me before men, him will I also deny before My Father, which is in Heaven.'"

REV. F. S. PORTER WILL GO TO U. S.

Rev. Frederick S. Porter, who is retiring from the office of District Secretary of the Bible Society, has accepted a call to the pulpit of Trinity Baptist church, Oklahoma City, Okla. He will take up his new charge in February, removing to the American west with his family. After attending the public school and High School and being in commercial life for some time in Fredericton, he attended Acadia University and entered the Baptist ministry. After holding the pastorate in various places, Rev. Mr. Porter became pastor of the German Street Baptist church in St. John. During the war he was appointed to the chaplain service of the Canadian Expeditionary Force with the rank of major and served overseas for some time. About five years ago Rev. Mr. Porter was appointed District Secretary of the Bible Society, his district embracing the Maritime Provinces of Canada, Newfoundland and Labrador, with headquarters at St. John. Modern prize-fighting was first brought into disrepute when an English champion beat his opponent in England.

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LINCOLN'S RELATIVE ADMITS A MURDER

Delegat Gives Account of Conference Held in Kingston, Ont.

Aurora, Ill., Jan. 13.—Warren J. Lincoln, lawyer-horticulturist and distant relative of Abraham Lincoln, whose disappearance from his home here last April caused the police to believe he had been murdered, today confessed killing his wife after she had shot and killed her brother, Byron Shoup, according to the police. According to Lincoln's confession, his wife shot her brother three times during a violent quarrel and he, fearing she would turn on him struck her down with a stove poker and then hacked their bodies to pieces, burning them in the greenhouse furnace nearby.

SENT TO HOSPITAL WHEN SHIP ARRIVES

Little Girl Suffering From Bronchitis When Empress of Britain Arrives

The Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Britain arrived in port about 7 o'clock Saturday night from Liverpool with mails, passengers and general cargo. The passenger list showed 16 first, 46 second and 203 third class. The cabin passengers were examined on board the ship, while the third class were cared for in the immigration building. All passengers were en route westward on special trains by 10 o'clock Saturday night, with the exception of a six-year-old girl steersman passenger who was sent to the General Public Hospital suffering from acute bronchitis, and her mother. The child is accompanied by her mother, who is being looked after at Sand Point, until such time as her daughter is discharged from hospital, and they proceed to the far west for the purpose of joining the husband and father. It is understood that the little girl is seriously ill. Among the first class passengers was Herbert A. Northrup, who has returned after a buying trip for Manchester Robertson Allison, Ltd. F. Merrith, K. C. of Montreal, was another passenger on the ship. The Empress of Britain left Liverpool on Jan. 4 and had a usual winter voyage. The steamer brought 822 bags of letters, 1,977 bags of magazines, and 800 packages of parcel post. She carried about 2,900 tons of general cargo. The Empress of Britain is expected to sail tomorrow for New York from which port she will sail on Jan. 22 for a trip to the West Indies with a usual winter voyage. The Empress of Britain is also scheduled to sail from New York on Feb. 23 for a trip to South America.

EASTERN LINES LAUNCH VESSEL

New York to Run on Route Between Boston and Metropolis

Again the Eastern Steamship Lines, Inc., enters the limelight of public affairs and demonstrates the undiminished vitality and progress of its officials by launching another beautiful ship to go on the All-water route between Boston and New York with the beginning of next summer's season. On Saturday the fine new passenger steamship New York was launched from the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation plant at Sparrows Point, Md. The New York is a sister ship of the Boston whose successful launching occurred at the same yard on October 27 last. Mrs. Huntington R. Hardwick, daughter of Glen L. Stone, chairman of the board, had the honor to christen the new steamship and received the congratulations of admiring friends for the successful manner in which she gave the New York its initiation to the fleet of the Eastern Steamship Lines, Inc. Officials of the company and invited guests left Boston in special cars attached to the Federal Express and proceeded to Baltimore where they were joined by others from New York, all of whom were delighted with the opportunity to view the spectacle of launching a great steamship and the smoothness and perfection with which the arrangements for some time. The New York is 402 long over all, beam over guards 72 feet. It is constructed of steel throughout with twin screws, turbine driven and oil burning. The New York will have a speed of over 19 knots per hour; a displacement of 5,100 tons and freight capacity of 90,000 cubic feet. Many years ago a steamer named New York ran on the International Line between St. John and Boston. Used car sales in the U. S. for the first nine months of 1923 averaged 2,700,800 automobiles.

DESCRIBES MEETING ON CHINESE WORK

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The two Chinese Sunday schools in the city, the Trinity church and Central Baptist church schools, met in joint session in the vestry of the Central church yesterday afternoon to hear the report of Mrs. Alice Woodman, superintendent of the Trinity school, who was the local delegate to the Chinese conference held in the Sydney Methodist church in Kingston, Ont., in November. Mrs. R. D. Christie, the superintendent of the Central Chinese school, presided and there was a large attendance of officers and teachers. Mrs. Woodman announced the conference had decided to provide a Canadian Chinese work for the Maritime Provinces. Mrs. Woodman gave a comprehensive account of the conference. There had been an address by Dr. Mackay who dwelt upon three great movements of today. The first was the great spiritual awakening of which he gave instances. There were 160,000 converts in India who refused baptism by a Methodist church because they did not know enough and there were not enough teachers, while in Korea there were 20 schools, 23 day schools, 13 high schools and Union college at which there were now 200 young men training for the ministry. Dr. Mackay had declared that was a mighty movement and it must be remembered that the heathen needed love and not gifts only. The second movement was temperance reform, he had said, evidenced by prohibition in Canada and the United States, and the third was the League of Nations, in which about 50 nations met together to take counsel for the peace of the world. Eighty-five Delegates. Mrs. Woodman spoke of the drive around Kingston provided for the 85 delegates and the banquet prepared by the Chinese friends for 100 guests. J. R. Day, of Ottawa, presided and Sam Lee, on behalf of the delegates, thanked the school and the church. He had taken a Chinese church in his native China and that church was having wonderful results. At the general meeting after the banquet Miss Hoggis, from Montreal, a missionary in Canton, spoke of the 700 Chinese women in Montreal, most of whom are converts to the Christian faith. H. C. Ellis, of Ottawa, gave a paper on "Service." Chinese Speaks. On the Sunday of the conference there was a Chinese service. Mr. Noyes interpreted the address of Mr. Wood. We are not losing immensurably these days by allowing it to become the fashion for parents to send their children to boarding schools, and to the happiness of themselves and others to leave the children alone, or send them off to find their own way. "China are civil war, ambitious political leaders and bandits. You understand have been a long time in the esteem of the thinking Chinese. Most important of all you have opened many eyes to the progress of the Christian church. The only panacea for the Chinese is the spread of the gospel of Jesus Christ." R. H. Ward, of Kingston, spoke of linking up the Chinese with Canadian life. He said there were 40,000 Chinese in Canada to be linked up to the church and since he realized there were certain antagonisms to the Chinese he would say that "we should educate our church." As very few Chinese women came to Canada the Chinese must be taught good housekeeping. The Sunday school teacher could visit and help the women. The Chinese children need certain hygiene, Canadian habits and customs. Graded books should be used for 7-11 in the Sunday schools, he said. Calling on Mr. Noyes. Mrs. Woodman had been a member of the committee on business and had spoken of the need of a Christian Chinese to work among the 800 Chinese in the Maritime Provinces. This was put up as a motion and carried and in time a Chinese Christian would come to work in the Maritime Provinces. The education committee decided to publish text books and hymn books in the two languages. Rev. M. D. Noyes, field secretary, reported that there were 787 workers in Eastern Canada, with 1,016 Chinese attending Sunday school, including 241 boys under 16, and 204 new pupils, while 72 had left for China and 83 had become church members. Communion services were held in Chinese in Ottawa and Toronto. George Mark, a medical student at Queen's University, spoke of the need of a traveling superintendent, and also spoke of Mr. Noyes, who had made the convention possible. Many of the city churches, as well as some individuals, contributed in order that Mrs. Woodman might attend the conference to represent the St. John Chinese Sunday school.

THE BRITISH MAILED

A British letter mail will close here at 4 p. m. today and tomorrow

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LIQUOR CARGO ARRIVES.

The steamer Parthenia arrived in port yesterday from Glasgow and docked at the McLeod wharf.

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VETERAN GUIDE IS 83 YEARS OF AGE

Fredericton, Jan. 13.—Uncle Henry Brattilwaite, who has the distinction of being New Brunswick's oldest hunter and guide, yesterday quietly celebrated his eighty-third birthday at his home in this city. It is customary for Uncle Henry to be at home at this season of the year, and his only regret for being here now is the condition of his health makes it necessary. It is a little over a year since he abandoned the Miramichi trails and while he has never announced his retirement members of his family make no bones about saying that his old haunts in the wilds of the Miramichi will know him no more if they can prevent it.

SAYS TROUBLE IF HOME ONLY A HOUSE

Makes Window Unveiling Occasion For Remarks on Mothers and Children

A beautiful stained glass window in two panels, a memorial to the late Lieut.-Col. Andrew J. Armstrong and his wife, Mary Johnson Armstrong, was unveiled in St. John's (Stoned) church yesterday morning at a simple and impressive service. The act of unveiling was performed by their son, T. E. G. Armstrong, the window being the gift of their children. Rev. A. L. Fleming, the rector, offered a dedicatory prayer. The window is the third to be erected in the last few months. The subject of the window unveiled yesterday is the boy Christ discovered by Mary and Joseph as he was speaking with the elders in the temple. Above are two angels. The design has been carried out with great skill. In coloring and in treatment the window is a gem of beauty. The title is as follows: "Wist ye not that I must be about My Father's business." Beneath the descriptive title there is the following inscription: "To the glory of God and to the memory of Lieut.-Col. Andrew J. Armstrong, born Oct. 20, 1842, died Jan. 1, 1919, and his wife, Mary Johnson, born Oct. 22, 1842, died Nov. 22, 1917. Erected by their children." In his address Mr. Fleming made special reference to the window just erected and the lives it commemorated. After thanking the donors for their gift, the rector said for I can say with the glory of God and in loving memory of Lieut.-Col. Andrew J. Armstrong, born Oct. 20, 1842, died Jan. 1, 1919, and his wife, Mary Johnson, born Oct. 22, 1842, died Nov. 22, 1917. Erected by their children. "Mrs. Armstrong," said Rev. Mr. Fleming, was one of the best of mothers who appreciated the responsibilities and privileges of motherhood so clearly that she devoted her entire life to the home, making the family circle the center of her world, that the children might find their pleasure in the healthy, natural surroundings of the home, rather than in the outside world. "We are she not right? And are we not losing immensurably these days by allowing it to become the fashion for parents to send their children to boarding schools, and to the happiness of themselves and others to leave the children alone, or send them off to find their own way. "Certain it is that much of the trouble in family life today is due to this—that our homes are often not homes at all, but merely houses where the children obtain free board and lodging and consequently, they value them accordingly. Methinks we would do well to learn this lesson from Mrs. Armstrong, and others like her. Speaking of Lieut.-Col. Armstrong, who for the last 32 years of his life devoted his whole time to military work, being paymaster and superintendent of military properties for New Brunswick, Mr. Fleming said: "Besides being a vestryman of this church for some years, there is this to be said of him, that he was a devoted and regular church member. He attended church regularly twice each Sunday. I was looking to God there were more 'vestrymen' these days. "I am hoping to learn that men will sit up till the small hours of Sunday for years, tried all kinds of remedies without getting relief, if you have been subject to all the miseries associated with constipation, wouldn't you consider it a blessing to be able to keep the bowels regular and in a good healthy condition and prevent disease by regular use of this remedy? "Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills are indicated just for this purpose; they regulate the bowels in the worst case of constipation. "Mr. M. Heelan, Sudbury, Ont., writes: 'I have been troubled with constipation for several years. I began to use Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills and I never used for regulating the bowels and liver. I always keep them now and recommend them highly.' "Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills are 25c a vial at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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DETAINED GERMANS GIVE A CONCERT

Nearly 100 in Chorus Whose Singing Attracts Quite an Audience. About 50 men and women assembled near the Government detention building at Sand Point yesterday afternoon, and for about an hour enjoyed listening to the singing of nearly 100 Germans who are being detained by the United States Immigration officials. Many choruses were sung by the men, who had the windows up in the building, and the harmony was excellent. The men have been detained at West St. John for the last six weeks, having arrived here with the intention of proceeding to the United States to work in a copper mine. It is said that they are being held until some definite word is received from Washington regarding the case. As far as could be learned, no such communication had been received up until yesterday, and it is further stated that if they are not allowed to proceed into the States they will soon be deported.

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News Notes Gathered From the World of Stage and Screen

COSTUMING IS NOW ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT FEATURES OF FILM MAKING

Sophie Wachner Tells of the Care Used in Selecting Apparel.

(By Jack Jungmeyer) Hollywood—As any one with half an eye may observe, even the lilies of the film are gilded and its stars star-wardly holystoned...

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"In furnishing the player's footgear," says Miss Wachner, "the wardrobe mistress must constantly guard against shoes and stockings which make the wearer's foot seem larger...

"Hats are a study all their own. They have been our hardest problem this season. The droopy deep shapes cannot be used on the screen...

Bandits Get \$3,800 In Movie Theatre New York, Jan. 14.—While 1,800 persons sat in a darkened moving picture theatre...

QUEBEC PICTURE MAN ARRESTED Quebec, Jan. 14.—Edmond Beaumont, lessee of the Empire Theatre...

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT. In order to accommodate the hundreds who were unable to hear Arthur Penn's latest comic opera...

Crepe de Chine Women Have you ever felt the lure of the rustle of silk? Silks and satins, calico and gingham...

WILLIAM FOX PRESENTS Tom Mix in "CATCH MY SMOKE" Story by JOSEPH PRUDS DIRECTED BY WILLIAM BRADFORD

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ORCHESTRA DIRECTOR SHOULD BE A WOMAN

More Sentimental, Says One

(By Marian Hale) New York, Jan. 14.—I've just heard about a new field for women that is unworked, highly lucrative and full of possibilities...

"Of course," she amends, "I think women's ability is demonstrated by sentimental songs largely, and for leading military bands or symphonies men will usually have the greater ability."

In her childhood, Miss Shirley studied to be a Russian dancer. It was while dancing to the fiery, passionate Tartaric tunes that she first dreamed of the possibilities of women directors...

MARGUERITE LAMON LEAVES THE STAGE Halifax, Jan. 13.—Mrs. M. L. Pauling-Smith, who as Marguerite Lamon, is a widely known operatic star...

HOUSE BURNED IN CARLETON COUNTY Hartland, Jan. 13.—(Special)—The dwelling house of Mrs. Wellington Craig of Window Corner was destroyed by fire on Saturday morning...

A FIRE DAMAGES WOODSTOCK SHOP Woodstock, Jan. 13.—The inside of the building on King street, owned by Jack Donovan, was badly damaged by fire on Friday night...

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BRITISH FILM PRODUCER ARRIVES TO MAKE SCENES IN CANADA AND U.S.

G. B. Samuelson Brings Movie Stars to Shoot at Niagara.

G. B. Samuelson of the Samuelson Films, London, England, arrived on Saturday by the Empress of Britain, for the purpose of shooting some scenes on the U.S. side of the Atlantic for two films which are now being made by his firm...

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MISS EAGLES BACK IN "RAIN."

Rested for Week to Recover Her Voice. New York, Jan. 14.—Jeanne Eagles, star of "Rain," was back in her role in that production at Atlantic City...

Her part of Sadie Thompson was played during her absence by an understudy, Katherine Kennedy. At the theatre it was said that Miss Eagles' voice, worn out by the strain of 470 performances, was now thought to be in such good condition that she could continue indefinitely.

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J. K. HACKETT GETS FREEDOM OF N. Y.

American Actor Given Great Reception on Return to United States.

New York, Jan. 14.—They took James K. Hackett off the steamer Majestic and showed him a good time. Enthusiastic friends, organized into the citizens' committee of 100, swooped down upon him at the pier joyously in the morning and bore him off to the City Hall...

But France had decorated the distinguished actor with the order of Chevalier of the Legion of Honor and New York was out to show what it could do to glad hand some one whom a gentlemanly friend called "one of the local boys."

So there were speeches by Mr. Hubert, a fellow alumnus of Hackett at the College of the City of New York who had just missed being a playmate of the star's by several years...

By the time the official pomp-hounding "let around Mr. Hackett had quite smoothed from his brow the distrust furrows which clouded it like the thunderclouds of Macbeth when he learned the preceding night that an earlier and even noisier demonstration which his friends planned had somewhat gone awry.

Among those present at City Hall were Daniel Frohman, Brandon Tynan, Arthur Hays Sulzberger, Grant Tinker, O. Brown, president of the Lambs; John Emerson, John Van V. Oelcott, Lee Kolins, president of the Board of Trade and Transportation; T. D. Farley and all of Maclay Arbuckle, who welcomed him on behalf of the actors of America and openly called him "our friend and pal, Jim Hackett."

Later he was driven to the City College, which had been duly represented at the City Hall, and there President Sidney Howard Messer presented him to the students, faculty and distinguished guests, and Mr. Arbuckle found himself delivering another speech.

A dinner was given in his honor on Sunday at the Waldorf-Astoria under the chairmanship of Louis Evan Shipman.

Dance Hall Will Accommodate 4,000 (By Dominion News Service.) London, Jan. 14.—The largest dance hall in the world is at Olympia, London. The floor is 440 yards long and has a capacity for 2,000 couples. It is estimated that if the boards were placed end to end they would measure 30 miles in length.

Surrounding the floor is a luxuriously furnished promenade with the best effects are the most modern. By mystic carnival lanterns, when other lights are lowered, the dancing arena is in turn made to represent a mirror, a river waterfall and ever-changing rainbow, a fantastic jazz pattern, a snowstorm, a sunset lawn, and moonlight at sea.

YUKONITES TO DANCE TO MUSIC PLAYED IN FAR-OFF CITIES Dawson, Yukon, Jan. 14.—Dentists of the Yukon will dance this winter to music played by the best orchestras from New York to San Francisco through the medium of the radio telephone. Now that the period of the shortest daylight is reached, radio fans are getting perfect results from their instruments and the radio dance promises to become the rage in many small settlements along the Yukon River.

Miners at Miller Creek and Keno Hill have experimented and found they can tune in on radio concerts for their dance music. Concerts broadcast from Calgary, Alberta, Portland, Oregon, Los Angeles and San Francisco compete with music from still more distant New York and New Jersey these nights to beguile the unworn twilight of the sub-Arctic winter.

DECREASE IN PRISONERS. New York, Jan. 14.—(United Press)—Prison population is on the decrease, according to figures announced by the National Probation Association. The decrease, it is stated, follows as a result of the increasing use of probation. The Committee on Law Enforcement of the American Bar Association in its last report announced an increase of 1.7 per cent. in the prison population of the entire country over the percentage of increase in general population for all states during the past 12 years. These figures, however, cover only the state prisons and adult reformatories; they do not include the juvenile reformatories or the jails where there has been a large decrease of population which, if included, would have shown a decrease of population, which, if included, would have shown a decrease in prison population far greater than the increase noted.

GIRLS ENTERTAINED. Miss J. Flower, matron of the King's Daughters' Guild, arranged a very pleasant entertainment for the residence girls and their friends on Saturday night. The evening was greatly enjoyed by everyone present. On New Year's night Miss Flower had also provided a delightful evening for the girls in residence when she was hostess at a theatre party.

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THE CHEAT

THE INDISCREET WOMAN—Argentine actress, jilts titled countryman, elopes with poor American, borrows from bogus Sheikh who refuses repayment. Tremendous climax in murder trial result. Played by Pola Negri.

HER HUSBAND—From whom she kept the secret of her loan, but who slanders the guilt of crime when the villainous East Indian fakes attempted to brand the wife as his private property. Played by Jack Holt.

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CITY WILL BUY LAND AT CORNER

Council Decides to Purchase at Mill and Paradise Row.

A decision to purchase a triangular strip at the corner of Mill street and Paradise Row from the C. N. R. was reached by the City Council this morning and this corner will be rounded to correspond with the opposite corner.

GIVE POWER TO TRUST COMPANY

County Committee Makes a Recommendation in Housing Board Matter.

At a meeting of a committee appointed by the Municipal Council to consider plans for dealing with the handling of the houses built by the county housing board was held this morning in the office of the county secretary and it was decided to recommend to the county council that the agreement prepared by the Eastern Trust Co. be accepted.

ARRESTED HERE IN CHECK CASE

Allison Hatfield, aged 21, was arrested this morning and is being held at local police headquarters for the Kings county police. It is alleged that a merchant of Hampton lost a check and that it was found by the young man, endorsed and cashed in this city. He was to be taken back to Hampton this afternoon.

DISCUSS FIRE PROTECTION

A meeting of the fire wardens of district No. 1, Parish of Simonds, was held on Saturday afternoon at the office of the county secretary to discuss fire protection measures for that district. It was said that owing to the small valuation in the district it was felt the burden would be excessive if the plans outlined in the legislation were adopted and it was decided to hold a conference with the councillors representing the parish with the idea of having the boundaries of the district extended.

THE CHECKERS

Edward McG. McQuirk, Deputy Minister of Labor, held a conference yesterday with the Checkers and Freight Handlers' Unions in the G. W. Y. A. hall. The Deputy Minister is representing the Minister of Labor, who was recently requested to appoint a board of conciliation to hear their dispute with the C. F. R. over wages and working conditions.

THE CADETS

It was announced this morning that a public meeting and free entertainment for the benefit of the cadet movement would be given in the Albert school on Thursday evening of this week. Chief Justice H. A. McKeown, chairman of the school board, will preside and addresses will be given by Ronald A. McAvity, Colonel Snow and others. A programme of acrobatic work, drills, songs, etc., has been arranged.

Rev. Father Simon, a Syrian priest stationed at Sydney, N. S., is visiting in the city and will be here for two or three days. He celebrated mass at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception this morning.

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JAN 14.

High Tide... 9 a.m. High Tide... 5 p.m. Low Tide... 12:04 p.m. Low Tide... 12:04 a.m. Sun Rises... 8:00 Sun Sets... 5:06

LOCAL NEWS

THREE ARE FINED

Three men pleaded guilty to charges of drunkenness in the police court this morning and were fined \$8 or, in default of payment, three months in jail.

VESSELS REPORTED

The radio station at Red Head reports as follows:—9 a.m. S. S. Torvald, 108 miles south, bound for St. John. 10:30 a.m. S. S. Grey County, 60 miles east Cape Sable, bound for St. John.

BUILDING BEING REMODELED

Work has been started on the remodeling of the interior of the Catholic building in Princess street, which was formerly the Barhill building, and which was purchased recently by E. Neil Brodie, architect. Material is now on the site for the installation of a marble entrance and for the reconstruction of the stairways.

DIED SUDDENLY

On Sunday at her residence, 272 Prince Edward street, Mary, wife of Gabriel Tobias, died suddenly leaving one son and four daughters to mourn. The son is Thomas G. Tobias of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission. Mrs. Tobias was 65 years of age.

NO SETTLEMENT YET

A delegation representing the C. P. R. elevator employees waited on J. M. Woodman, general superintendent of the C. P. R., New Brunswick district, this morning and held a conference in connection with their dispute over wages and working conditions. It was reported after the conference that no settlement had been arrived at.

ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

The committee of twenty-five, appointed at a meeting of citizens, to consider the administration and development will meet on Wednesday afternoon at 8:30 to receive the report of their sub-committees, and this report will be later submitted to the city council.

TO ARRANGE CRUISES

William Webber, general agent at Atlantic ports for the Canadian Pacific Steamships Ltd., left on Saturday night for Montreal to make arrangements for the two cruises of the Empress of Britain to the West Indies and South America. The Empress, which arrived here on Saturday night, is expected to sail for New York tomorrow.

ASKING FOR CURRENT

A largely signed petition has been received at the office of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission from the residents of Petticoad asking that that village be served with hydro-electric power. The petition was made to the Government as soon as the plans and specifications can be prepared. A report on the matter will be made to the River Glade Sanatorium and applied for current and if a sub-station is built it is expected that both Petticoad and Salisbury would be served from there.

THE BABY CASE

That the mother of the little baby found in the bushes on the head of a stranger in this city and had been staying at a boarding house in the central part of the city, was a statement made by Sergeant Detective Power this morning. He said the child had positively been identified by the proprietor of the house as well as others. Sergeant Power paid a tribute to County Constable Shortcliffe, who while she and her husband were visiting at the home of friends in the city, Mrs. Foss was descending the stairs, when she mislaid her footing on the last step and fell, bruising one of her legs. It is expected that she will be able to be around in a day or two.

MRS. FOSS INJURED

C. O. Foss, formerly chief engineer of the N. B. Electric Power Commission, but now residing near Concord, N. H., is in the city on a visit. He is accompanied by Mrs. Foss. Friends will regret to hear that Mrs. Foss is incapacitated temporarily on account of slight injuries sustained yesterday while she and her husband were visiting at the home of friends in the city. Mrs. Foss was descending the stairs, when she mislaid her footing on the last step and fell, bruising one of her legs. It is expected that she will be able to be around in a day or two.

SPECIAL CATHEDRAL MASSES

In the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception at 8 o'clock this morning Rev. W. M. Duke, parish priest, celebrated a high mass of thanksgiving for the blessings of the last year and of supplication for the coming year. There would be a special high mass of the same nature on Saturday morning at the same hour. The mass for the intentions of all the children of the parish during the coming year.

WEST SIDE WATER SERVICE

The people of the West Side have now two independent mains from Spruce Lake and practically all danger from a water famine on that side of the harbor is declared eliminated. The connecting link in the new main was completed about midnight on Saturday and the water turned on. One of the mains is a 24 inch all the way from Spruce Lake to the reservoir; the other is a 36 inch main from the lake to Manchester's corner and from there to the reservoir a 24 inch. Since the new main has been put in service the pressure at Lancaster Heights is the same as at Spruce Lake and has practically brought the lake to Fairville.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY ELECTS

The annual meeting of the Holy Name Society of the Cathedral parish was held last evening in St. Vincent's hall. Rev. W. M. Duke, parish priest, presided. L. J. McDonald was re-elected president, W. L. Walsh, treasurer, and J. J. Coughlan, secretary. George McErmott was chosen as corresponding secretary. An interesting feature of the meeting was the presentation of an address and purse to Rev. Wm. M. Duke, the chaplain. Father Duke made an appropriate reply in which he thanked the members for their thoughtfulness and congratulated them on the work that they had carried out during the last year. There was a large attendance yesterday at 7 o'clock mass for the regular monthly Communion of the members of the society.

TWO NAMED FOR POST OF WARDEN

Thornton and O'Brien—Annual Meeting of the Council Tomorrow.

The annual meeting of the St. John Municipal Council will be held tomorrow afternoon and this session will see five councillors who were not at the last meeting in attendance. The changes are in the representation of Simonds, St. Martins and Musquash parishes. The city and Lancaster remain unchanged.

SAW MANY SAD SCENES IN BALKANS

Nurse, in St. John Today, Tells Harrowing Tale of Suffering.

In St. John today is a lady who has just come from the suffering East and who has been there since 1920 engaged in the relief work of the Lord Mayor's Fund and the Near East Fund. She is Mrs. M. M. Brown, who arrived in the city on Saturday from New York.

Mrs. Brown is a trained nurse. Her story of the appalling conditions which obtain in the Balkans shows the necessity of help from outside to better them. In 1920 she left England for the Near East and was sent to Erzurum, the capital of Armenia. There she found a very great deal of suffering from hunger and disease. During the first month no fewer than 300 starving children were picked up in the streets at night. There was no building in which the sufferers could be placed and cared for, and it was decided to establish a bread line. Each child was given 16 ounces of bread a day, and after two months of this bread line the government placed a ban on their disposal. An epidemic of cholera, typhoid and typhus broke out, and Mrs. Brown, with the aid of five doctors, worked all through this.

In October of the same year she was forced to leave Erzurum because of an outbreak of the "flu" and go to Constantinople. There she was for six months in a trachoma hospital. On the re-opening of the Caucasus mountains she returned to Erzurum. On this trip her passport was taken from her and she was warned that Britain would not take any responsibility for her safety. She was given a great reception at Erzurum when she returned from May until November, 1921. From there she moved to Karaklis, where she had charge of an orphanage of 5000 children. She was sent from here to Alexandropol, where there is a self-sustaining orphanage of 7000 children housed in the old Russian artillery barracks. From there she went to Greece and sailed for Salonica to carry on the relief work that she had come to America to tell her story of the last four years in the Near East.

FOR AFRICAN MISSIONS

The collection in the Cathedral on the last Sunday of January, for the African missions, amounted to \$271.65.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said The Times reporter to Mr. Hiram, "How is this the age of self-expression—of self-assertion. There is a tendency to measure people by their material success. I wonder if that does not breed selfishness. I have in mind a farmer who had two sons. One went away and achieved success. The world is full of them. He sought opportunities, found them, and prospered. He is famous. The other son was not less clever, but his parents needed him. He, too, saw the larger world and its opportunities, but remained at home and settled down to a quiet country life. The world does not know him at all. Was he justified? How will he measure up in the final reckoning? Is there such a thing as duty, that it should affect a career?"

"Well," said Hiram, "if they ain't then we're jist like the dumb beasts. But we ain't. I've an idee the sich a thing as the growth of a soul. Dollars don't make it grow—nor the cheers of the crowd. It feeds on something a little better. The feller that went away—if he didn't ferret—ort know that the other one give him his chance. But whether he did or not—whether he was worthy or unworthy—the one that staid home needn't envy him one dollar or one line in the newspaper. Gittin' aint no good if they aint any givin'." When the Master said He had food the disciples didn't know nothin' about. He meant that the things of this world aint the only things. It may be fashionable—but the feller that follows his conscience aint a gonto suffer in the end—no, sir."

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