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GERMANY HAS REFUSED TO SIGN THE PROTOCOL

DRAMATIC SCENE AT RUSSELL CASE

Judge, Vexed at Lawyer For The Defence... Sheriff Called on to Remove Robert Cassidy But is Not on Hand and Bailiffs Hesitate to Act

Peace Conference Notified That Berlin Has Come To That Decision

Sharp Re-action Following Failure of U. S. Senate to Ratify Treaty—What They Dislike Most is Allies' Determination to Try German Officers For Crimes

Paris, Dec. 3.—Germany has decided not to sign the protocol presented her by the Allies as a condition for putting the peace treaty into effect.

It was learned only today that Baron Kurt von Lerner, head of the German delegation here, called on Secretary Dostats of the conference on Monday and told him that Germany had made such a decision.

This attitude is taken as confirming the reports of a sharp reaction in Germany within the last fortnight. Trained observers of German developments have expressed to members of the peace conference in view that there has been a complete transformation of the situation in Germany brought about in their opinion, by the failure of the United States senate to ratify the peace treaty.

These observers declare that, while the vast majority of the Germans before the senate's adjournment desired the peace treaty ratified as soon as possible, they are now supporting the government's attitude in resisting demands of the Allies for indemnity for the sinking of the German fleet at Scapa Flow, re-compense for which was provided for in the protocol.

The question upon which the German representatives here, however, appear most sensitive, is the insistence upon the trial of German officers accused of the commission of crimes in France and Belgium.

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As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said the Times reporter to Mr. Hiram Hornbeam, "I am unable to attend all the meetings and dances and other diversions in the city every night."

"I must have missed fifteen or twenty of them last evening," I said to him. "What in the world am I to do?"

"Mister," said Hiram, "did you ever see an ant-hill in the night?"

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It Was A Mistake; Trouble Not Ended

MUST CURTAIL USE OF COAL

Restrictions in States Are Made More Severe

Hint of Possible Strike of Anthracite Workers in Support of Soft Coal Miners — Government to Take Action For Violation of Injunction

Chicago, Dec. 3.—So acute had become the situation caused by the strike of miners that yesterday restrictions were clamped tighter on the consumption of coal, and additional closing of schools and industries generally to the production in hours of business in many regions were made necessary. Little change was reported at the mines.

Developments of Day. There was sub-zero weather in ten states, and this, combined with the paucity of coal, served to urge officials to take more drastic action. Further developments in the situation yesterday followed.

The southwest regional coal committee ordered hours of all retail stores except drug stores to be reduced from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Schools were closed at Cheyenne, Wyo., and Springfield, Ill.

The Southern Illinois Light and Power company gave notice that power would be withdrawn from non-essential industries and institutions in eleven towns.

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NOW SHACKLED HAND AND FOOT

MURDERER IN HAMILTON JAIL WELL GUARDED NOW

Some Criticism in Case of Desperado Who Killed Two Men in Prison — Bravery of John Lowry, Who Finally Subdued Kowalski

Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 3.—W. W. Dunlop, inspector of prisons, was here yesterday and conducted an investigation into the jail tragedy of last Saturday. He will make a report later.

Some members of the board of control yesterday expressed the opinion that there should be public recognition of the bravery of ex-Sergeant John Lowry in the terrible affair at the jail.

After two of his companions had been battered into helplessness by Kowalski, Lowry, single-handed, grappled with the infuriated man and subdued him.

In doing this he probably prevented the murderer from deluging scores of men and making his escape.

Some members of the board criticized the placing of an elderly unarmed man as a death watch over a criminal so much his superior in physical strength.

NEARLY MILLION MORE ADDED TO PAY ROLLS IN TEXTILE MILLS

Some 300,000 Workers in New England Receive Increase in Wages

Boston, Dec. 3.—Advanced wages for thousands of operatives in the textile industry in New England were announced yesterday. Within a day or two, it was indicated, 800,000 workers in cotton and woolen mills in the section will receive a 10 per cent. increase.

The advance, which almost generally was announced as 12-1/2 per cent, marks a new high level for textile workers. It is estimated that the advance will add nearly a million dollars weekly to the pay-rolls of New England mills.

Increase in textile industry wages since the beginning of the war will then aggregate from 100 to 148 per cent. Of those who will benefit by the advance, approximately 200,000 are employed in cotton mills and 100,000 in woolen and worsted mills.

MUST CUT UNPROFITABLE RAILWAY SERVICE, SAYS F. B. CARVELL IN WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Dec. 6.—Chairman F. B. Carvell of the railway commission, declared yesterday that there must be curtailment of unprofitable railway service in Canada unless some adjustments could be made between expenditures and revenue.

LABOR MAYOR WARNS UNEMPLOYED DEPUTATION

London, Dec. 3.—(Canadian Associated Press)—Alderman Tom Fox, recently elected the first labor mayor of Manchester, received a deputation of unemployed who protested against the withdrawal of the unemployed grant. When a member of the deputation spoke of "not being responsible for what might happen," the lord mayor replied: "I am lord mayor and bound to keep order. Make no mistake, I am prepared to take action with all possible energy. I have been unemployed myself. When you go back to your men tell them to stop letting off hot air."

COURT GIVES HER CIVIL ANNULLMENT OF MARRIAGE

Montreal, Dec. 30.—On the petition of Blanche Ladouceur, her marriage with Leo Giroudeau in Ottawa on August 8, 1914, was annulled and set aside as illegal by judgment of Mr. Justice Desrosiers in the superior court yesterday. The petitioner, in her declaration, which was not contested, said that after her marriage she lived with her husband for about one month. Then he left for Europe and was engaged in the war, returning to Canada in October, 1919. She said she had learned, however, that before his marriage with her he was married to Maria Elizabeth Leblin, in France, on August 18, 1904, and that his wife was still living in France.

"Proud of Him," Says King, on Hearing the Prince Make Speech

London, Dec. 3.—(C. A. P.)—One who was present at a banquet given by the King at Buckingham Palace in honor of the return of the Prince of Wales says the occasion was the first one which the king had heard the prince make a formal speech. The king himself concluded his own remarks by saying: "His mother and I are proud of him."

FOX RANCH AT PETITODJAC ROBBED; SILVERS GONE

Moncton, Dec. 3.—Chief of Police Rideout was this morning asked by C. P. Munro, fox rancher at Petitodjac, to assist in search of thieves who last night broke into his ranch and got away with sixteen valuable silvers. In the woods nearby were found eight separate minus their pellets. The value of the stolen animals is estimated at \$2,000.

MR. ROBERTS WILL ANSWER QUERIES

Energetic C. N. R. Official Appoints Information Dispenser at Union Depot

In connection with the changes in the police department of the C. N. R., as noted in the Times two days ago, a new appointment has been made in the transfer of Policeman Wm. G. Roberts as officer in charge of information. He is now on duty on the inside gate at the depot, giving the traveling public information concerning the trains and the variety of questions daily and hourly asked at such offices. The new office is expected to prove of decided benefit.

Mr. Roberts is regarded as being most capable, and particularly well suited to the new post. He has been with the C. N. R. for quite a time and for the last six years has been acting as policeman in which capacity he has given much satisfaction and he has a good record. Courteous and obliging, and thoroughly familiar with the train service in these parts he is expected to render the best service for the requirements of the new position.

MEXICO LEAVES IT TO CARRANZA TO SETTLE

Mexico City, Dec. 3.—The solution of difficulties arising out of international affairs with the United States was entrusted to President Carranza without legislative intrusion by the senate at a secret session held yesterday. Relations with the United States were declared doubtful during the session to be "very delicate."

FOUNTAIN WILL NOT BE SET UP TILL SPRING

It has been decided not to erect the drinking fountain at the corner of Brussels and Union streets until early in the spring. This decision was necessary on account of the unfavorable weather and the season being so far advanced. To get the water to the fountain the street would have to be opened. The fountain is being given by the St. John Council of Women and installed by the city.

Canadian Soldiers Stranded; Want to Get Back to Home

London, Dec. 3.—The Canadian Association in France has taken regarding the Canadian soldiers who have taken their discharge here and now find themselves in want. The total number who seem genuinely anxious to be returned to Canada through want of work here, appears to be about 400, although there may be more who have proclaimed themselves stranded.

Vienna, Dec. 4.—(Associated Press)—Christian and Socialist deputies have presented a formal resolution in the Vorparliament Diet, declaring that province free and independent state. The action was taken, it is said, with a view to annexing Vorparliament to Switzerland.

ZERO WEATHER FOR FIRST REAL WINTER DAY

Official Reading This Morning Was Two Above But It Was Below The Nought in Some Places

After hesitating two or three times, the weather man decided last night to come through with a real sample of winter weather and he succeeded.

The weather started last evening with a light fall of light, dry snow, which gradually increased in density as the night progressed. With the advent of the evening, the snow fell in a steady, but not heavy, shower.

The thermometer started to drop early in the evening and by daybreak this morning had been pushed down to two degrees above zero mark at the local observatory. At other places in the vicinity of the city lower temperatures were registered, some of them below the zero mark.

Blights appeared in the city streets and the city snow ploughs also made their debut. Several scrapers were in action this morning clearing out the gutters.

The public works department have decided this year to look after the clearing of snow from the streets more thoroughly than in other years.

The snowfall, although not great, was of the lasting variety and the indications were that the winter had come to stay.

A MISSING BROTHER

The Times-Star has received a letter signed "Sister," but giving no name, and urging that a brother who has not been heard from since Nov. 10 communicate with her if this should reach his eye.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service.

Synopsis—The cold wave is drawing southwards, being now centred in Iowa. In the western provinces and over Lake Superior the temperature is moderating.

A few light snowfalls have occurred in Ontario and Quebec, and a moderate snowfall in Nova Scotia.

Fair and cold.

Maritime—Fresh northwest to west winds, fair and cold today and on Thursday. Ottawa Valley and Upper and Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and North Shore—Fair and decidedly colder today and on Thursday.

New England—Fair tonight and Thursday, continued cold tonight, rising temperature Thursday, moderate northwest winds.

HOLLAND AND BELGIUM REACH AGREEMENT ON SOME MATTERS

Amsterdam, Dec. 3.—A Brussels despatch to the 'Telegraf' says the negotiations between Holland and Belgium on the treaty of 1839 are satisfactorily ended with regard to economic questions, peace time supervision of the Scheldt and the construction of canals between the Scheldt and the Rhine and Antwerp and Moerdijk.

Belgium thus far has not gotten satisfaction on her military aspirations, but an amicable solution is expected.

LADY ASTOR BREAKS RULE OF COMMONS

London, Dec. 3.—Lady Astor had her first experience in the House of Commons last evening, when she innocently transgressed one of the canons of the House.

She was a measure and stopped to chat with another member "within the bar" where nobody is allowed to stand.

The Speaker called "order," but Lady Astor, unaware that she was addressed, continued talking. Thereupon the Speaker raised his voice and repeated his warning. Lady Astor turned quickly, realized her offense, stepped quickly beyond the bar and continued her conversation.

**The Gift Shop**

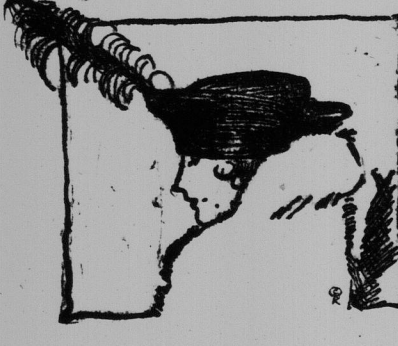

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**Hudson Seal Capes and Cozy Shoulder Scarves**  
Priced \$35, \$40, \$50, \$75, \$100 and more.

**THERE ARE SEAL MUFFS TOO, OF COURSE.**

Some trimmed with Natural Grey Squirrel, some with Sable, some with Grey Opossum, some Ermine trimmed, others self trimmed. All express beauty, refinement—the work of experts.

**Fox—Black, Cross, Silver, Taupe, Sable, Red, Japanese White.**

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Single Animal Scarfs, made from large pelts trimmed with head, tail and claws, are favored in style. Priced according to the color and softness of the fur:

<b>Wolf—Black, Taupe, Natural, either Scarves or Muffs.</b>	<b>Scotch Mole</b>
<b>Lynx—Black, Taupe, Natural, Scarves and Muffs.</b>	<b>Beaver</b>
	<b>Raccoon</b>
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Priced \$35, \$45, \$50, \$65, \$70, \$75, \$85, \$100, \$150, \$175 and up to \$300.

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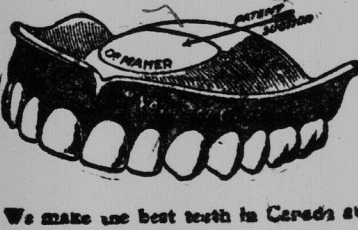
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**LOCAL NEWS**

**McMILLAN'S CHRISTMAS DISPLAY**  
Beautiful artistic Christmas and New Year cards, tags and calendars now on view. Everything on first floor. 11-27-14

**EVER SEE A HAT MADE?**  
Messrs. Magee, the hatters on King street, are illustrating the method of manufacture of the Sueton Hats in a movie film at the Opera House today at each show. It will be worth your while to see it. The pictures are instructive as well as interesting. 12-3

Watch carefully Thursday's paper for Christmas gifts that will be given by the King Square Sales Co. opposite the market. 12-4

Tanlac is sold in Fairville by T. H. Wilson. 108819-12-5

**TEA AND SALE.**  
Willing Workers Central Baptist church, Thursday, 4th. Tea 25c. 12-4

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Women's gold pumps, \$5. Silver pumps, \$5 and \$7.50. Just what you've wanted for some time. Wizeal, 243 Union street. 12-17

**DINING ROOM OPEN EVENINGS.**  
Beginning tonight, the fine new dining room of the Clifton House will be kept open evenings until midnight, when lunches and refreshments will be served. 12-8

Do not miss the sale on Friday, Dec. 4, at 10 a. m. given by the King Square Sales Co., opposite the market. 12-4

Mass meeting in Imperial next Sunday four o'clock sharp. Orchestra, massed choir and brilliant speakers. Lieutenant-Governor presides. 103461-12-8

**LOCAL NEWS**

**QUILT SALE**  
In the Victoria Street Baptist church Thursday, Dec. 4, commencing at 3 p. m., a sale of fancy goods and quilts. Anyone contemplating the purchase of quilts in the near future will do well to attend the sale. Supper served from 5 to 7. Price 25c. 106496-12-5

**WE ARE THE OLDEST**  
and largest wet wash in Eastern Canada, and being the best equipped we can do the best work. "We know how." Phone M. 1701, New System Laundry Ltd.

**Urges Universal Training**  
Washington, Nov. 30.—War experience plainly shows the necessity for fundamental reorganization of the army and of the war department itself, Secretary Baker declared today in his annual report. He recommended that the emergency organization, reduced to the peace time size, be made permanent, and approved the general staff bill for a regular establishment "adequate in size to be the nucleus of any great military mobilization the country may be called upon to make," and backed up by a system of universal training.

**Colds Cause Headaches and Pains**  
Feverish headaches and body pains caused from a cold are soon relieved by taking LAKATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVES' signature on the box. 20c.

Open-air schools are being organized by the London county council. It was stated to the education committee that these schools have been a great success.

**Local News**

**New Victor Gramophones and Records**  
New vocal and dance records. Come in and hear them. P. Knight Hanson, dealer. — Woman's Exchange Library, 158 Union St. Open evenings.

**Why Loose Your Night's Rest?**  
With That Hacking Cough When You Can Get  
**Christie's Cough Mixture**  
For 50c. a Bottle

Positively the best Cough Remedy on the market today. It is not something new—it has a reputation of forty years' standing.

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Bean Pork, . . . . . 30c. lb.  
2 cans Libby's Tomato Soup, . . . . . 25c.  
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4 lbs. Best Onions, . . . . . 25c.  
Squash, large cans, . . . . . 10c. can

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**AMES HOLDEN MAKES A NEW HIGH RECORD**

Montreal, Dec. 2.—Features of interest in the market today included continued sharp advance to new high record prices of Ames Holden, the advance of seven points for steamship common, the drop below par of L'Yall with recovery of a few points of the loss, the weakness of Forgings and Laurentide and the strength of Spanish River common, St. Lawrence Flour, some of the cotton stocks, Bridge and Glass and the good tone displayed by the steel issues.

The announcement of the placing of steamships on a seven per cent dividend basis jumped the stock from 71 to 78 with closing bid at 78½. Laurentide dropped seven points, selling at 288 and Bridge recovered five points lost yesterday by selling at 105. Ames Holden common moved to 129½. Forgings which sold at 196¼ yesterday sold at 187 today.

Total sales—Listed stocks, 15,000; unlisted, 406.

**CANDIDATES FOR BY-ELECTION IN NORTH ONTARIO**

Cannington, Ont., Dec. 2.—Nominations are being held here today for the postponed by-election to fill the vacancy in the house of commons for the constituency of North Ontario. Party conventions were held sometime ago. The Unionist candidate is N. D. McKinnon, of Cannington. He will be opposed by R. H. Halbert, the permanent United Farmer leader. The election will be held one week from today, and the campaign in the meantime promises to be a warm one.

**Who'd be a Scrooge?**

You wouldn't intentionally. But you might be one and not even know it.

Supposing that you were to die before another Christmas came around, would your kiddies' stockings be as well filled next year? Or might they not lack even some of the necessities of life?

Among other gifts this Christmas why not present your wife with an Imperial Home Protection policy.

That would be a most practical gift; based on generosity and kindness; banishing worry, anxiety and care; making Christmas all the happier and the New Year all the more hopeful for yourself and loved ones, in the knowledge that, come what may, the future is provided for.

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Too often Xmas Gifts are of a superficial nature—filled with sentiment, no doubt, but lacking the practical every-day usefulness which will endure them to the recipient. Too often devoted relatives and friends disregard the fact that the gift that goes into the home and helps to beautify it—the gift that promotes comfort and service—is the ideal gift.

**Make it a Furniture Gift This Year!**

Our gift assortments here are of a scope that makes selection simple and of a character to insure the dignity and quality of excellence demanded in a domestic gift.

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The costly jimeracks that have in years past given their momentary and transitory pleasures will give way to wiser presents that will bring a year of pleasure in a single gift. The gift of a year's subscription to your favorite magazine or paper is just that. A solid year of sound and profitable enjoyment. You cannot give a better present or one that will be more appreciated.

We will send a gift announcement, mailed so as to arrive Christmas morning to each person in whose name you have us enter a gift subscription.

**We List Below a Few of the Favorites:**

	Per Yr.		Per Yr.
M. Ladies' Home Journal	\$2.00	M. American	2.00
M. Good Housekeeping	2.50	S.-M. Adventure	\$3.60
M. Woman's Home Companion	2.00	M. Everybodys	2.25
M. Pictorial Review	2.00	M. Motor	4.00
M. Harper's Bazaar	4.20	W. Saturday Evening Post	2.50
M. Cosmopolitan	2.50	W. Country Gentleman	1.75
M. MacLeans	2.00	W. Literary Digest	4.85
M. Motion Picture	2.50	W. Argosy	6.00
M. Motion Picture Classic	3.00	W. All-Story	6.00
M. McCalls	1.25	D. Montreal Star	3.00
M. Popular Science	2.50	W. Montreal Standard	2.00
M. Physical Culture	2.50	W. Atlantic Leader	2.50
M. Munsey	2.50	W. Family Herald and Weekly Star	1.25
M. Red Book	2.50	W. Saturday Night	3.00
M. Family Journal	2.00		

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# POOR DOCUMENT

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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1919

## LOCAL NEWS

At a meeting of the executive of the Commercial Club in the Union Club last evening routine matters were dealt with.

Routine matters were transacted last night at a meeting of the Letter Carriers' Union in Painters' Hall. J. McDermott presided.

Rev. H. Wigle, of Sackville, last night addressed the Y. M. C. A. His subject was "Choosing our life work." Supper was served by the ladies of German street Baptist church.

A case against Collingwood Brenth charged with obtaining a car and retail under false pretences, was withdrawn in the police court yesterday, as the plaintiff said he was satisfied there was no intention to defraud.

Sergt. John Fitzgerald and bride returned to St. John last night from Halifax, where they had landed from overseas aboard the steamer Grampan. He went overseas early in the war with an artillery unit from the west.

At a meeting of the Daughters of Israel last evening, Mrs. J. Goldman presiding, in the new Synagogue, a grant of five dollars was made towards the Christmas treat for the Free Kindergarten. It was decided to hold a dance in January.

Mrs. D. Hipwell presided yesterday at a meeting of the W. C. T. U. in Orange hall, when Mr. Henderson of the Shanty Men's Mission, Ontario, gave an address on his work. Mrs. Seymour led in prayer. She also reported on taking flowers to the D. S. C. Hospital. Plans for the quarterly convention were made.

At City Hall yesterday Mayor Hayes said that the contractors at Courtenay Bay, he understood, were well ahead of their work and that the new dry-dock would be completed in two and a half years. He said it was planned to send Lord Jellicoe about the harbor works when he came here on December 11. He will arrive at noon and leave that evening for Halifax.

At a meeting of the Clerks' Association last evening in the board of trade rooms, A. C. Wilson, president, in the chair, it was decided to widen the scope of the organization so as to include wholesale employees and those of retail houses of clothing, millinery, shoes and dry goods. Many new members were admitted.

**Mother Ends Life With Her Children**

Turns on Gas And Three Little Ones Die, Infant Narrowly Escaping

Six persons died from gas in New York on last Sunday, two women accidentally, while the police reported the asphyxiation of Mrs. Louise Boshole and three of her young children as a suicide.

Three weeks ago Charles Boshole opened a bakery at 1583 Third avenue. Although the task of bringing up Charles Jr., six years old, Louise, three years old, and Henry, two years old, was heavy one, Mrs. Boshole helped out in the bakery until two weeks ago, when Mary Boshole was born. Boshole again resumed work in the bakery, but she seemed lonely and not at all her former cheerful self.

On Sunday an assistant baker told Boshole he thought he heard the sound of some one fall in the Boshole apartment upstairs. He found his wife unconscious on the floor and the little ones grouped about her. The infant, Mary, was still slipping into unconsciousness, an adjoining room. The baker summoned Policeman Westphal, who went to work administering first aid, first seeing in a call for help from the Reception Hospital.

Dr. Feldman arrived almost at the same time as Westphal. A quick glance convinced him that Westphal's work had saved the infant. But the rest of the little family was drifting away from life. His coat off, sleeves up, Dr. Feldman and the policeman worked for forty-five minutes. Then he said he had lost the fight. Boshole was removed to the hospital suffering from shock.

Maggie B. Gaspard, about 65 years old, and her daughter, about 27 years old, were asphyxiated by gas in a furnished room at 421 Lexington avenue.

Mrs. Dona Lipinsky, the housekeeper, found the elder woman lying on the floor, while the younger one was in bed. There were several postal cards in the room, some addressed to Lillian and some to Frances Gaspard, giving the address of 441 West 124th street, the date on the latest card being 1919. These cards were the only effects the women left. According to the housekeeper, they came to the room last Monday from Florida to look after some business here. The police reported the deaths as accidental. One of the gas jets was found turned on.

**Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured by B.B.B.**

Rheumatism is a constitutional disease, caused by the uric acid in the blood. It manifests itself by pain and lameness, attacking the muscles and joints of the body, which often swell and become hot and inflamed.

Anyone who has suffered month after month, and perhaps year after year with rheumatism, and who has tried remedy after remedy in the hope of relief, and without success, should not give up hope.

Burdock Blood Bitters, by invigorating the digestive organs and eliminating the uric acid from the system, will give prompt and permanent relief.

Mrs. D. Barry, Fairbairn, Ont., writes: "I feel it my duty to let you know of the great benefit my husband derived from using your Burdock Blood Bitters. He had been suffering for the past two years with inflammatory rheumatism. He tried many medicines but got no better. A friend advised him to take B. B. B. He did so, and after taking five bottles he felt like a new man, and was able to go to work the same as ever."

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The pleasure of helping you choose will be no less yours in the wearing, for the Tweed, Velour, Bolivia, Chevot, and other pure woolen coats for winter here are worthy.

\$40.00 and up to \$120.00.

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## LOCAL NEWS

Men's patent and gun metal dancing pumps, \$6.00. The very thing for the season's events. Wiesla, 246 Union street. 12-17

A THOR was washing a pleasure. Woodmen dances, Thursday, 8-10; Friday, 9-11; Saturday, 9-11; excellent orchestra. Nothing Wednesday.

Every member Woodmen Friday class requested to attend this week; splendid music. 12-19

THOR for Xmas. See our ad.

COMING FRIDAY.  
Our annual Christmas news advertisement with the publication of the Times. Watch for it—Poyas & Co.

CHRISTMAS JEWELRY.  
Splendid display latest jewelry and novelties—Poyas & Co., King Square.

A THOR solves the Christmas problem.

DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE WEEK BEFORE CHRISTMAS TO select neckties for gifts. Right now we are showing a complete stock of fine neckwear. Here, too, are mittens in bright array, gloves, coats, shirts, dress suits and other articles of men's apparel such as they like for Christmas gifts. Gilmore's, 68 King street.

SURVEYORS' MEETING.  
Regular monthly meeting of lumber surveyors at their hall, Simon street, 8 o'clock, Dec. 3. Full attendance requested, by order of President H. McCool.

\$50.000 satisfied women recommend the THOR to you.

GREAT BARGAINS.  
Special sale of ladies' one-piece dresses in serge velvet and jersey cloth. Big reductions in sizes for children, misses and adults. R. M. Tobias, 238 Union street. Phone Main 1968-31 12-5

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We are now rushed with our Christmas work. Your friends want your picture, let us have you sitting immediately to insure delivery for Xmas. The Reid Studio, corner Charlotte and King streets.

Efficiency, speed and economy the THOR watchword.

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All the latest Victor Records now in stock. Telephone orders promptly filled. Lipsett Variety Store, corner Brussels and Exmouth street. Phone 4022-41. 105500-12-4

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Have your suits and coats made over now. Morin, tailor, 92 Germain. 12-7

Ladies' coats, \$35 to \$50. A. Morin, tailor, 92 Germain. 12-7

See a THOR before buying others.

Local 601 Teamsters and Chauffeurs at Trades & Labor Hall, Thursday, 8 p. m. 12-5

LUGRIN PHOTO STUDIO.  
Open day and night for sittings. Another lot of those pretty folders at 99 dozen. 38 Charlotte street.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRE

Louis Boucher, a French soldier, taken prisoner in June, 1918, returned to his home in Dijon, France, yesterday, having been found in a German fortress by a French mission. He had been in the casualty list as "disappeared." Boucher says the Germans have several other Frenchmen in their prisons.

Dr. Amyot, deputy minister of public health, Ottawa, has gone to Winnipeg to aid in the investigation into the cause of the sleeping sickness case there.

A general strike was declared yesterday in Rome, Milan and Florence, Italy, starting in Rome because of an insult offered some Socialists of the Labor Exchange.

Frederick R. Dauphinee, formerly of Moncton, returned soldier, was killed a few days ago in western Saskatchewan by a falling tree.

Calgary, Alta., is said to be in a serious plight with bitter cold prevailing, gas pressure down to six pounds and coal stocks exceptionally low.

Brussels, Dec. 1.—Approval of Socialists entering the new Belgian government was given yesterday by the Brussels Labor Congress by a large majority.

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Red or Blue Ribbon Raisins, 19c	1 lb. block Pure Lard, 33c	1 lb. block Pure Lard, 33c
15 oz. pkg. Fancy Seedling Raisins, 25c	3 lb. tin Pure Lard, 96c	3 lb. tin Pure Lard, 96c
Royal Excelsior Currants, pkg., 30c	5 lb. tin Pure Lard, \$1.40	5 lb. tin Pure Lard, \$1.40
New Figs, fancy stock, per lb., 45c	20 lb. pail Pure Lard, \$4.25	20 lb. pail Pure Lard, \$4.25
New Dried Dates, 25c	1 lb. block Domestic, 34c	1 lb. block Domestic, 34c
New Prunes, per lb., 17c	3 lb. tin Domestic, 96c	3 lb. tin Domestic, 96c
Fancy Peaches, per lb., 30c	1 lb. tin Crisco, \$2.98	1 lb. tin Crisco, \$2.98
Choice Evaporated Apples, 25c	Large Crisco, \$3.98	Large Crisco, \$3.98
1 lb. pkg. Fancy Mixed Peel, While it Lasts, 48c		
CANNED GOODS	MISCELLANEOUS	
Tomatoes, large, 15c. per doz., \$2.10	4 lbs. Oatmeal, 25c	
Pasas, 17c. per doz., \$2.00	2 pks. Shredded Wheat, 25c	
Corn, 17c. per doz., \$2.00	4 lbs. Barley, 25c	
Golden Wax Beans, 18c	3 lbs. Graham Flour, 25c	
Pumpkins, 18c	3 1/2 lbs. Oatmeal, 25c	
Spasch, 15c	3 1/2 lbs. Gran. Cornmeal, 25c	
Peas, 33c. and 45c.	3 1/2 lbs. New Buckwheat, 25c	
Delmonte's Pineapple, 2 lb. tin, 31c	2 lbs. Rice, 25c	
Libby's Pineapple, 2 lb. tin, 31c	2 pks. Minute Tapioca, 25c	
Best Salmon, 15c. and 25c.	2 lbs. Pearl Tapioca, 25c	
Soilops, 20c.	2 bottles Pure Almond, Rose, Raspberry, 25c	
Golden Haddock, 18c.	3 pks. Gelatine, 1 1/2 lbs., 25c	
Fancy Lobster, 18c.	2 bottles Worcestershire Sauce, 25c	
Clark's Corned Beef, 38c.	4 bars White Knight Soap, 25c	
Clark's Beans, 10c., 18c., 25c.	3 pks. Pearlina, 23c	
2 Quarts Cranberries, 23c	Wetley's Mince-meat, pkg., 14c	
Jersey Cream Baking Powder, 24c. & 30c	1 lb. tin Pure Fruit Jam, 68c	
Royal Baking Powder, large, 41c	1 lb. tin Pure Raspberry or Strawberry Jam, 68c	
Dearborn's Cocoa, 1/2 lb. tin, 25c	16 oz. bottle Raspberry or Strawberry Jam, 68c	
T. & P. Brand Pickles—Mixed or Crow, 32c	4 rolls Toilet Paper, 25c	
Libby's Relish, large bottle, 22c	3 bottles Lemon or Vanilla, 25c	
Best White or Red Eye Beans, 17c. qt.	2 bottles Pure Almond, Rose, Raspberry, 25c	
Whole Green Peas, 22c. qt.	1 lb. tin Chase and Sanborn's, 62c	
Campbell's Soups, 15c.	1 lb. tin Chase and Sanborn's, 62c	
Pure Fruit Syrups—All Flavors, 29c. 6 oz. Bottle	1 lb. tin Chase and Sanborn's, 62c	
4 lb. bag Robin Hood, Royal Household, Five Roses and Regal, \$1.55	Our Special Orange Pekoe, 45c	
98 lb. bag Purly, \$4.65	Red Rose or King Cole, 55c	
98 lb. bag, \$4.65	Salada, 59c	
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Remember We Deliver to All Parts of the City, East and West Ends.	1 lb. tin Chase and Sanborn's, 62c	
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## HAMPTON TALKS INCORPORATION

At a meeting of the citizens of Hampton last night in the court house in Hampton for the purpose of discussing incorporation, F. M. Sprout and S. A. McLeod, sheriff of Kings county, explained the act, and under present conditions it was thought that a special session of the Board of Commissioners should be called to consider the matter.

It is a universal production, which means superb photography and the extreme limit in detail of production. The first episode will be shown on Friday evening, in conjunction with the regular vaudeville programme.

## J. D. O'CONNELL REMEMBERS THE LITTLE ONES IN THE CHILDREN'S AID HOME

The following is a copy of a letter received on Tuesday by Rev. George Scott, and which is sufficiently explanatory:

Dear Mr. Scott:—  
You will see by this that I am still in the southern states, where I have given several orphan picnic, but now I leave for Cuba, where I give several more, the weather there in the winter being like the first June weather in N. B. Now I will be pleased to have you write me at Camaguey, Cuba, telling me how many children there are in your country, and I will send funds and instructions to the mayor to give to each a new twenty-five cent scrip to each child. I have been giving five new cents while the war was on, but may go back to the scrip now, as I have many thousands on my list.

J. D. O'CONNELL, Camaguey, Cuba.

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LARD 5 lb. tin, \$1.24  
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Red Rose, King Cole or Red Clover, 54c.  
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### THE VOCATIONAL CLASSES.

The vocational training board does well to plan for the future and anticipate the time when the city shall have a technical school building. When that time comes, however, a modern building planned for the purpose should be erected, on a scale large enough to meet the needs of the city for years to come. It would be a great mistake to do the thing by halves, or attempt to utilize a building totally unfit for such a purpose. The best should be done from the start. In the meantime, however, the board should be prepared for the classes of work most needed at the outset, having in mind the relatively small amount of money available for the present winter. When the vocational board has shown results the citizens will not only approve but demand the further expenditure made necessary. The Times-Star learns that the majority of the vocational training board is against any large expenditure on a building until a proper one can be designed and built and in this time will have the support of the people. There are now evening classes in some subjects and to these should be added others in electrical work, motor mechanics and such as will give needed instruction along lines of practical work for which young men and women desire to fit themselves. Every step taken should be well-considered, with an eye to the needs that should be met to as full an extent as the available funds will permit.

### ANOTHER BLACK EYE.

Hon. Mr. Ballantyne will not recommend that the ferry be reserved to the city of St. John harbor is placed in commission. The city must give up everything, but Mr. Ballantyne stoutly adds: "I see no reason why satisfactory arrangements, respecting the property required for ferry purposes, should not be concluded between the harbor committee and the common council of the city of St. John."

It is the old story. Trust the government, do not worry the government, but wait patiently and expect cheerfully whatever in its own good time it may be pleased to offer. But St. John has been pursuing this course a long time, and the results have not given rise to any desire to pursue it further. It may be necessary to wait for a time longer until there is a new government at Ottawa; for nobody knows who will be in power after the next elections, whether they take place next year or the year after. The fact the people of St. John must keep in mind is that this is a national port, and that it should be nationalized, as Sir Robert Borden promised in 1911 that it would be. The promise has not been kept, although the war period proved conclusively how essential this port is to Canada in the winter season. The agitation for harbor commission when the government gives no assurance that the traffic of the port will not be burdened with interest and sinking fund for all expenditures made is not in the interest of the port. The thing to do is to go steadily on demanding that the needed facilities be provided and the port nationalized.

### A SOURCE OF DANGER.

President Wilson again urges congress to pass legislation to provide the means of dealing effectively with those who by violent methods would overthrow democratic government. Neither the president nor anyone else would assert that the present system of government in the United States or in any country is incapable of improvement, but it is only necessary to make a comparison, let us say, between the American president and any Bolshevik to determine which is most to be trusted in any position of authority. The world must not be too tolerant of those who poison the mind, any more than those who poison the body. Certain principles of democratic government are accepted because centuries of struggle and trial have proved them. There has been a gradual development, growing out of human experience, and the process still goes on. The Bolsheviks would have a reversion to the law of the jungle. It is idle to say that they desire human equality, for experience in Russia has proved this to be entirely foreign to the aims of the leaders. The citizen who is guilty of the crime of superior intelligence receives there the most brutal treatment. Human nature cannot be changed overnight, and but for the safeguards which well-ordered government provides, the life and property of no citizen would be safe. These Utopias disregard the plain facts of human experience through centuries of strife for human betterment. A psychiatrist would probably find that the average Bolshevik has a mental twist which prevents him from becoming a normal human being. He is therefore more dangerous to the state. The world is full of inequalities and earnest men and women devote their energies to the task of reform, realizing, however, that change comes slowly in a world of conflicting interests, where so many yield to the temptations of wealth and pleasure rather than embrace the principles of sacrifice and service. The Bolsheviks do not recognize these principles. They do not ask for a revolution in order that they may be more worthy followers of

Him who served and offered Himself a sacrifice; but to pull down others in order that their own selfish desires may be gratified. It would be unjust to make this charge against all who may be described as Bolsheviks, since there are always blind followers; and doubtless there are dreamers who believe that if once the inequalities were removed, even by revolution, the reign of peace and good-will and real human brotherhood would be assured. This may even be the view of certain pacifist Bolsheviks; but from their point of view, these people do not profit by their own preachments to the extent of handing over their wealth and enabling at least a few to sample their brotherly principles. Whatever their point of view, these people are dangerous, and while there is great reluctance to interfere with free speech there must be, in the public interest, a limitation placed upon the activities of those who seek to overthrow by revolution what President Wilson describes as the time-tested institutions of the nation.

The establishment of free clinics in connection with the work of the medical school is especially applicable to the interests of poor children and is a natural development of the public health system as it relates to the schools. The large percentage of children found to be suffering from some defect calls for treatment in order that these children may not go on suffering a severe handicap which if not removed would become chronic and lessen their usefulness for life.

President Wilson: "There are those in this country who threaten direct action to force their will upon a majority. It makes little difference what minority it is, whether capital labor or any other class, no sort of privilege will ever be permitted to dominate this country. Orderly processes are the only ones by which relief and reform can be obtained. Those who would propose any other method of reform are enemies of this country."

The following from the pen of Theodore Roosevelt is especially applicable to world conditions of today: "Unless democracy is based on the principle of service by everybody who claims the enjoyment of any right it is not true democracy at all. The man who refuses to render, or is ashamed to render, the necessary service is not fit to live in a democracy."

Present experience shows the need of Canada endeavoring to develop its own food supply. The west is suffering through lack of coal and in the central provinces industries and railways are threatened with a shortage that may cause great inconvenience if not serious loss.

Labor candidates will figure in the civic elections in other cities besides Winnipeg. In one of those cities, however, will the line of cleavage be as sharply drawn as in the capital of Manitoba.

Some Christmas stockings in St. John may be smaller because those steamers were permitted to go to Halifax.

If there are city commissioners who doubt the value of vocational education then we need to train men for the vocation of commissioners.

The sudden drop in the thermometer last night brought us face to face with real winter.

### GOVERNMENT WANTS TO IN-LUZE FERRY PROPERTY

#### Obstacle Encountered in Council's Resolution on Harbor Commission

The government does not wish to take over the harbor by commission without the ferry property being included, according to a letter from Hon. Mr. Ballantyne, minister of marine and fisheries, received yesterday by Mayor Hayes. The letter from Hon. Mr. Ballantyne was read at the meeting of the city commissioners yesterday and referred to the committee of the whole. It was as follows: Ottawa, 25 Nov., 1919. Dear Sir,—I have before me your letter of 20th inst., enclosing copy of resolution passed by the common council of the city of St. John with reference to the transfer of the harbor of St. John to the government. It is observed that the resolution, as passed by the common council, provides for the exemption of certain property within the harbor from that which is to be transferred to the government. The parliament of Canada provides that the entire property shall be transferred to the government. In view, therefore, of the provisions of the enabling legislation, you will, I am sure, appreciate that I am unable to concur in the government acceptance of the terms of the resolution of the common council. In the event of the property being transferred, as provided for by the Act, I see no reason why satisfactory arrangements, respecting the property required for ferry purposes, should not be concluded between the harbor commissioners, when they will be appointed, and the common council of the city of St. John. Yours very truly, ROBERT T. HAYES, Mayor, St. John, N. B.



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My country, you're a peach, best pebble on the beach! This I contend, e'en when the High Cost queers all of my later years, e'en when the profit tears rob without end. Land of the pilgrims' pride, land where the well known hide goes with the tail, I'll always sing your praise, even if biling jays sting me in fifty ways, taking my kale. Land where the income tax puts automatic jacks under my wad! If we have griefs and woes, problems and things like those, as on our heads and toes, let's look abroad! Over on other shores there, where a million miles hence we have ours, let's mark to the foreign hoops, see how the peasant gowps, wiping his tear wet jaws—look at the Hun. If we have scattered heads battling their futile heads on a stone wall, they have their legions where we argue, black death, Jewsmiths with wind to spare, also with gall. My country, soon or late, you'll get things going straight, get things in tune; men to their jobs will hike, cutting out useless straggle; and, for the love of Mike, let it be soon!

### CAN-DA—EAST AND WEST

Domestic Happenings of Other Days

#### THE REBELLION IN UPPER CANADA

As soon as Col. Fitz Gibbon was placed in command of the Toronto militia he planned all his work on the expectation of a revolt in a few days. On December 3, 1837, he had a proclamation printed warning the residents of Toronto to be calm no matter what happened and instructions were also sent to all military officers to hold themselves in readiness for a call. These instructions filled the plotters with dismay. There were rumors in their camp that the government had come into possession of some of their proclamations and literature and that a terrific retribution was planned. Doctor Rolph, one of the leaders who was in Toronto, learned most of what took place at the council meeting and sent a copy of the meeting to Mackenzie, who at that time was somewhere north of Toronto. The messenger reached the section where Mackenzie was supposed to be on the 3rd but he could not get in touch with the chief plotter. However he was taken to a place near Holland Landing, where he met Samuel Lount, one of the chief associates of Mackenzie, and the information was given to Lount and he was to pass on to the chief conspirator the story of the preparations in Toronto and a man named Anderson, his foremost helper, rushed a member of his band to Toronto to make arrangements for the reception of the "army" at Montgomery's Tavern, Yonge street, but the message he received from Toronto by the 10th inst. by Dr. Rolph caused him to make a sudden change in the plans for the descent upon that city. The danger was always whatever was to be done had to be started at once. So immediately he made plans without consulting Mackenzie.

#### WHAT SHALL I GIVE

(Rev. George Scott.) What shall I give? give sympathy, To the child who lives in great and strong, And he who gives grudgingly, Does to himself a grievous wrong. How shall I give for a timely aid, To little lives all overcast? To little ones who shrink and fade, And shiver in the wintry blast? Give precious hours and anxious care, Give of your treasures great and small, Give that these little ones may share, Give that no little feet may fall. Your sheltered lives are warmed and fed, But oh, the long, long dreary days, The little children toll for bread, And sicken in the city ways. Cursed by the glare of flaring lights, And bound by evil's iron chain, Their little eyeballs scared by heights, And sounds in filly's wanton train. How shall we blame the little feet If to advent'rous paths they stray? How could we stand if forced to meet The harvests that their stires have sown? Give kindly deeds, so shalt thou know The child who lives in great and strong, Can gather, and thy heart shall glow With pulsing joy that ever lives. Be open handed, so thy deed Shall gather increase through the Thy generosity shall feed Thy soul in life's declining ways. What shall I give? give sympathy, And patient love, give of your best, So in thy giving thou shalt be Thrice happy, yes, supremely blest.

#### LIGHTER VEIN

The Coddie Kew. Notice—"What club shall I use, cad-die?" "Cad-die!" "Well, I reckon a dust pan or brush would be about the thing for you, manam." "Tut! Tut!" His Mind Made Up. In Judge Thompson's court, a few days ago, some colored gentlemen were being questioned for the purpose of ascertaining their fitness for jury service. "I can't serve on dis jury, Judge—no, sah," said Clarence Green. Judge—Why not, Clarence? Clarence—Well, sah, my mind's done made up—yes, sah. Judge (sarcastically)—Is that so, Clarence? Since when has your mind been made up? Clarence—Well, sah, Judge, you might say ever since the inefficiency of my information, sah, yes, sah.

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### Health Notes: A Wise Hint in Each

The following are notes issued by the United States Public Health Service: A clean house with plenty of fresh air and sunshine is a long step in the direction of health. The kitchen is the most important room in the house from a health standpoint. Keep everything about it and every one in it scrupulously clean. Beauty is more than skin deep. Natural beauty is usually a sign of health that comes from keeping the body clean and getting plenty of outdoor exercises. A decayed tooth is far more dangerous to the health than a fly in the soup. Visit the dentist regularly. Keep your teeth clean. Thousands of children are killed every year because the parents say, "They will have it anyway," and permit the little ones to expose themselves to whooping cough, measles and scarlet fever. Industrial accidents killed 3,600 persons and seriously injured 50,000 in Pennsylvania in 1918, and most of these accidents are preventable; many of the results of carelessness. Cultivate the habit of walking with the head upright and the shoulders thrown back. It is cheaper and better than bottled tonics. Germ diseases kill off more people than the deadliest wars. In 1917 pneumonia and tuberculosis killed 228,000 Americans, more than seven times the number killed in action in France. Heart disease caused more deaths in 1917 than any other ailments (115,387). Right living would materially reduce this. Don't wait for the disease to develop before you see your physician. Carelessness with the hands and teeth causes more deaths in America every year than carelessness with motor vehicles. Keep the hands clean, free from germs, away from the mouth and visit the dentist regularly. Do not take drugs to cure the headache. Consult a physician, a dentist or an oculist, to see if the cause can be located. Often the eyes or the teeth may be at fault. A person can live weeks without food, days without water, but only a few minutes without air. Persons who pay but little attention to the purity of the air they breathe are not careful as to drinking water and food. Become a fresh air crank. Open the office windows.

### PROCEEDS ALLOTTED.

The Excelsior Club of St. Andrew's church met last night and received excellent reports of the tea and sale held recently. The president, Miss Annie Porteous, was in the chair. It was decided to allot the proceeds of the sale as follows: To Rev. Harvey Morton in Trinidad, to provide Christmas treats for the children of his Sunday school, \$20; to Rev. Mr. Springour for British Guiana missions, \$3 in English coinage; to the Free Kindergarten Association in St. John, \$10. The club decided to take part in the "Rosebud Day" tagging and to take charge of Prince ward under the patronage of Mrs. James McTavish and Mrs. H. Fielding Rankine and also to help the Kings' Daughters in the holding of a sale next week.

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**Phone Girl Prevents Post Office Break**

Miss Josephine Casson, and the courage of two Milford overseas boys, Allen Gardner and Arthur J. Webster, prevented the Milford post office being entered about 3 a. m.

The soldiers had returned from North Atholton early in the morning and saw two suspicious-looking men under the electric light near the post office, apparently on guard.

Miss Casson and her associate had about 2 a. m. seen an auto, with lamps unlighted, stop in front of the post office. As she was plainly visible at the telephone office window the auto and its occupants disappeared.

About 3 a. m. she heard the noise of breaking glass in the rear of the post office and gave the alarm to Police Chief Murphy and also the driver of the combination engine company near by.

At this time the two Milford young men came on the scene, and seeing the lookouts gave chase. The latter picked up two other men in the rear of the post office and an auto. This the soldiers followed through Chestnut and other streets, but having no firearms they did not care to take further risk.

The police took up the search, but could not overtake the robbers.

The two men at the rear of the post office had broken the lock on the window in the office of Postmaster Janet Lally and had lifted the window eighteen inches. They did not enter, owing to the alarm sent out by the telephone girls. Under the window, on the outside, were four blankets and a small sledge hammer.

Postmaster Lally wants it known he greatly appreciates the prompt warning given by the telephone girls and the aid by the police and the young veterans.

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DIAMONDS OF QUALITY MONTREAL

**RECENT DEATHS**

**Murray Jackson.**  
Fredericton, Dec. 2.—A telegram received by James Blair announced the death of his brother-in-law, Murray Jackson, at Port Colborne (Ont.), this morning. Mr. Jackson, who had been ill only three days with typhoid fever, was well known here, having worked for some time in E. B. Blackmer's jewelry store. For some time past he had been manager of J. R. Tuck's jewelry store at Port Colborne (Ont.) and was highly esteemed in the community. Two years ago he was married to Miss Olga Mavor, daughter of Mrs. Jas. Mavor of this city, who, with a little daughter, eight months old, survive. His father, a well known shoe merchant of Clinton (Ont.), also survives.

**Mrs. Elizabeth Pickle.**  
Mrs. Elizabeth Pickle passed away yesterday in the seventieth year of her age, at the home of her son, James I. Pickle, 88 Wall street. Besides her son, she is survived by five daughters, Mrs. George Gligie and Mrs. William Laidlaw of this city, Mrs. J. C. Rogers and Mrs. C. K. Leonard of Brooklyn (N. Y.), and Mrs. J. F. Bovey of Winton. Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved relatives.

**Mrs. Mabala Larlee.**  
Andover, N.B., Dec. 1.—Mrs. Mabala Larlee, one of the oldest residents of Perth, widow of George W. Larlee, died at the home of Mrs. James Hiscock on Friday morning. She was ninety-one years of age and her children all pre-deceased her. The funeral was held on Sunday, Rev. A. Gibson of Bath, conducted the services. Interment was made in Larlee Creek cemetery.

**John McKay of Linneux, Me.** died suddenly on November 20, while about his work. He was seventy-nine years old. He married in 1848 and had a daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Ivy Bull. He leaves one son, George McKay, three daughters, Mrs. Warren Bovey, Mrs. George Gligie of that town, and Mrs. Robert Ivey of Maxwell, N. B. Funeral services were from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Florence Carver officiating. The remains were taken to Florenceville, N. B., for interment in the family lot.

**Captain Benjamin G. Cameron,** aged eighty-one years, who died in Kenosha, Wis., yesterday, had a record for saving 500 lives in the Great Lakes where he had sailed for years. He was a native of St. John.

**INTER-CHURCH MOVEMENT IS TO BE SUSTAINED**

Similar Conventions on Smaller Scale to be Held in Each District

The inter-church forward movement convention held concluding sessions in the city yesterday, all attended by large gatherings and marked by deep feeling and evident enthusiasm. It was significant of the success of the convention that the resolutions committee brought in but one resolution, and that recommending the holding of similar smaller conventions throughout the province.

In the evening, the devotional service was taken part in by Rev. George Sampson, Anglican, and Rev. H. Strothard, Methodist, and the speakers were Rev. Dr. Laird, Rev. Dr. DeWolfe of Acadia Baptist University and Rev. W. Graham, educational secretary of the Methodist church. All three speakers dealt with great force and impressiveness with different aspects of the forward movement.

**Afternoon Conferences.**  
Afternoon denominational conferences were held in several churches of the city and all were very largely attended, the rooms proving hardly large enough to accommodate the gatherings.

The Anglican meeting was held in the school room of Trinity church and was presided over by His Lordship Bishop Richardson. Representatives of the various dioceses spoke of the progress made in the movement in their districts and the chief point brought out by their remarks was the great need for the appointment of laymen in their districts. The bishop and the organizing secretaries, Canon Armstrong and Archdeacon Croft, replied to questions from the delegates. The deacons representatives who spoke were for Canon Armstrong and Archdeacon Croft; for Kingston, Rural Dean Warford and Rev. Messrs. Dean Dean Halston; for Shediac, Canon Sissam of Moncton; for Woodstock, Rev. Mr. Baird and for St. Andrews, Rev. Mr. Cotton of St. Stephen. Miss Elizabeth Scow of Gagetown gave an account of the distribution of literature by the women of the parishes. A most encouraging note marked the discussions and it was felt that the delegates would go back to their various parishes carrying the inspiration of the convention. No allotment was made of the \$20,000 which the diocese will raise, but it is expected that each parish will do its utmost. No member of the church, however remote, is to be deprived of his right to contribute.

The Baptist meeting was held in the Germain street church and was preceded by a social service of prayer conducted by Rev. E. H. Cochrane of Moncton. There were about forty ministers from other districts of the province present. Dr. H. D. DeWolfe of Acadia gave the address on the relation of the Baptist denomination to the inter-church forward movement. He spoke of the fact that the Baptist denomination is already carrying on a five-year forward movement programme with educational, evangelistic, social and financial aims. The Presbyterian denominational conference was held in St. David's church and, after an opening devotional service conducted by Rev. J. A. MacKeigan, the conference took the form of a round table discussion conducted by Rev. Dr. Laird, who reviewed the objects of the movement in its various aspects of religious education, stewardship, intercession and spiritual quickening and revival. He also spoke of the financial side of the movement. Those present exchanged experiences in organization and

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described different methods. The conference was a very helpful as well as interesting one.

The Methodist conference met in Queen's square church, with Rev. H. B. Thomas, president of the conference, as chairman, and Rev. H. T. Smith as secretary. These were followed by an address on the "Meaning and Plans of the Campaign" by Rev. S. B. Strothard, M.A., the conference organizer.

Then followed five minute reports from five widely different circuits by Revs. M. E. Conron, B.A., J. J. Pinkerton, J. B. Champion, J. F. Rowley and F. M. Holmes, M.A., all diverse in their outlook and emphasis; yet all encouraging. Rev. O. L. Kilborn, M. D., of Toronto, gave a characteristic address on the coming financial appeal: stressing the great need as seen in the compelling demands of her aged workers; and the incumbent on the church to see after the freedom and equipment in every Methodist university in Canada. A more tense determination gripped the workers to see the whole programme through to a grand completion.

**Evening Meeting.**  
Centenary church was almost filled to capacity at the evening meeting in spite of the fact that a snow storm was sweeping the city. The scripture taken from Isaiah xl. was read by Rev. George and Mrs. Curlew sang a solo most pleasingly. Interesting and forceful addresses were delivered by Rev. Dr. Laird, Rev. Dr. W. Graham and Dr. DeWolfe. Rev. J. A. MacKeigan reported for the resolution committee.

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A tour round the Agricultural Hall at Islington, where the fair was held, confirmed this verdict. There are French shoes of elegant make, very long, very high-heeled; but there are also short, almost square shoes. There are boots of conventional height, but there are also boots the uppers of which are twelve inches long.

Suede is as popular as ever; occasionally it is fastened into dainty shoes trimmed with crocodile, but more often it is made up simply into shoes of mole, brown, black or navy.

Evening shoes are a revelation of beauty, all high-heeled, but there are very many boots and shoes of a strictly useful character, and several styles are devoted to rain-resisting leather.

The wedding of Miss Blossom McCormack and Abram Norman McCune took place on Monday in Moncton. Rev. E. H. Cochrane officiated.

Women's lace and button boots at the very low price of \$2.85. Wierzels, 243 Union street.

**This Store is Ready, With But a Single Thought to Make the Selection of Christmas Gifts a Matter of Ease and Real Pleasure for Everyone of Our Customers**

We are putting all our energy into real holiday service

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**WHY NOT GIVE HER ONE OF THESE?**

Every Girl Will Be Pleased with a Dainty Piece of Silk or Main Underwear.

**THE NEW CAMISOLES ARE JUST AS PRETTY AS THEY CAN BE**

In Crepe-de-Chene, Satin and Wash Silks, dainty lace and hand embroidery trimmed. All sizes, white, flesh and pink. Price \$1.50 to \$3.25

**THE NEW NIGHTIES ARE PRETTIER THIS YEAR THAN EVER BEFORE**

One would never dream there were so many different ways to trim up a night gown. They come in finest of hand embroidered White Muslins, sheer Pink Mulls with flit lace yokes and sleeves. The more elaborate ones are of Crepe-de-Chene, Satin and Silks in white, pink, flesh. Price \$1.50 to \$3.95

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It is One Any Girl or Woman Will Appreciate. This New Christmas Assortment is so Complete, too, that you will Find No Trouble in Selecting One that will Please.

There are dark suit shades, pretty beige, delicate flesh, maize, white, etc. There are Voile Blouses, Crepe-de-Chene Blouses and Georgette Blouses. In fact a blouse for every occasion and so reasonably priced too. Our special line of Crepe-de-Chene in all dainty colorings and new designs in Christmas boxes. Specially Priced at \$4.95 Each

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Crepe-de-Chene, \$4.25 to \$15.75  
Jap Silk, \$2.98 to \$10.50  
Georgette Crepe, \$3.50 to \$25.00

**THE NEW ENVELOPE CHEMISE ARE LOVELY AND SO MANY DIFFERENT STYLES TO CHOOSE FROM**

Some Silk, others Crepe-de-Chene, also many dear little styles of Sheer Mulls and Muslins. All trimmed up in so many different ways with laces, ribbons, rose clusters of hand embroidery, etc. In flesh, maize, pink, white. Price \$3.25 to \$6.95

**THE NEW BOUDOIR CAPS ARE IN THE MOST BECOMING STYLES**

And of sheer beautiful materials, such as Georgette, Nets, Fine Laces, etc., trimmed chiffon, rose clusters and satin ribbons, also some very pretty two-tone effects are among the novelties. Colors: Flesh, pink, helle, sky, maize, rose, cream, white. Price 85c. to \$2.95

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LADIES, IF IT IS A HAT TRY THIS Store Millinery, 165 Union Street.

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SEND A DOMINION EXPRESS Money Order. They are payable everywhere.

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Self-contained house with grounds... Self-contained house with grounds.

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Use the Want Ad Way... Advertisement for the Want Ad Way.

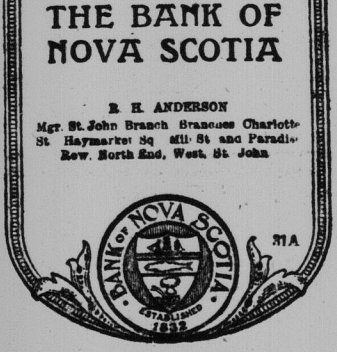
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Your Victory Bonds, deeds, mortgages, insurance policies, are too precious to leave where fire or thieves may reach them.

Even a strong box or safe in your own home lacks the absolute security given by the Safety Deposit Boxes in this Bank.

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THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA



Tendencies Firm and Upward in Hardware Lines

(Hardware and Metal, Nov. 29). The hardware generally throughout the entire hardware line are firm and upward.

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FINANCIAL NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

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The West Indies and Mexico

Trade between Canada and the countries to the south of us is rapidly increasing. With branches in the United States and Mexico and a close working arrangement with our Correspondents, who have branches throughout the West Indies, this Bank is able to place at the disposal of its customers a very complete service.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

Capital Paid up \$15,000,000 Reserve Fund \$15,000,000



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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1919

### Fountain Pens

## \$1.25

These pens are guaranteed to give satisfaction. They make excellent Christmas Gifts.

Fine, medium, and coarse points now in stock.

### The Ross Drug Co., Ltd

100 KING STREET  
The Retail Store - St. John, N. B.

### What Shall I Give Her For Christmas?

WHY NOT A GIFT CERTIFICATE GOOD FOR ANY MERCHANDISE IN OUR STORE?

NOW SHOWING FOR CHRISTMAS—Trimmed Hats, Tailored Hats, Dress Shapes, Boudoir Caps, Handkerchiefs, Neckwear, Wanted Ribbons, Christmas Novelties, Xmas Cards.

EVERY DAY WILL SEE NEW ARRIVALS

### MARR MILLINERY CO., LTD.

### SPECIAL

Two Only

## Hudson Seal Coats

### \$250.00

These Coats are made from No. 1 Hudson Seal, 45 inches long. Size 38. Well made, fancy silk lining, seal buttons.

A Real Snap


### F. S. THOMAS

539 to 545 Main Street

GOOD VALUE ALL THE TIME IN

### Men's and Boys' Overcoats

A Large Assortment to Select From—Call and See



440 Main St. St. John, N. B. Cor. Sheriff

### Dine at the Royal Gardens

On Your Christmas Shopping Days

Shopping is both "hungry" and thresome; much better have Dinner with Us, and be sure of a delicious meal, of your own selection from our seasonal menu, served in peace and comfort, with a prompt and thoughtful service.

Have Dinner with Us Tomorrow.

Garden Cafe - Royal Hotel  
Canada Food Board License 10-162.

### DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY

## Christmas Suggestions

Make It a Useful Gift—  
Make It a Canadian Beauty—  
Canadian Beauty Appliances combine quality and utility. Their handsome, sturdy construction makes them lasting companions. Your friend or relative will cherish a Canadian Beauty long after less thoughtful gifts are forgotten.

By way of suggestion: Toasters, Grills, Electric Irons.

Coffee Percolators, Hot Water Kettles, Immersion Heaters, Disc Stoves, Chafing Dishes, Curling Irons, Heating Pads, and many other such useful gifts which await your inspection.

Make Your Selections Early.

### W. H. THORNE & CO. LIMITED

Stores Open at 8.30 a. m., Close, 6 p. m., Saturdays, Open till 10 p. m.

### LOCAL NEWS

#### SUMMERS-WILKINSON.

At the rectory, South Devon, on Monday, Rev. G. W. Fisher united in marriage Miss Elizabeth Wilkinson of Marysville and John T. Summers of Fredericton.

#### DEATH OF A CHILD.

The sympathy of many friends goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Foster P. Duval, 117 Leinster street, in the loss of their little son, George Robert Duval, who died last night at the age of five years.

#### MONCTON'S WHITE WAY.

Moncton Transcript: Moncton's great white way will extend from subway to subway, and according to the present indications, will be on both sides of the street. Workmen are kept on the job daily. The white way would look nice during the Yuletide season.

#### ON HEALTH BUSINESS.

Dr. J. F. L. Brown, district medical health officer for the southern district, left for Sussex this morning, where he will attend a meeting of the kings county board of health, at which he will leave for Fredericton for a meeting of the district medical health officers and the chief provincial health officer.

#### NILSON-ETHERINGTON.

Yesterday at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Peter B. Nilson, of Swan River, Man., was united in marriage to Miss Margaret D. Etherington, daughter of Thomas P. Etherington, of Cady's Queens county, by Rev. Dr. David Hutchinson. The bride was given away by her father, and was unattended. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Nilson left by the Boston train for their home in the west. The bride is a niece of Dr. J. E. Etherington, M. P. F. of Cady's.

#### CIRCUIT COURT.

The case of Besie V. Colpitts vs. The Continental Life Insurance Company, came before Judge Barry in the Circuit Court this morning. This is a suit to recover on a \$1000 policy taken out by M. B. Weldon, deceased brother of the plaintiff. The defendants contend that the policy was issued conditionally on the insured not existing, but that he did exist. J. H. A. Fairweather is for the plaintiff and W. H. Harrison for the defendant.

#### CONFERENCE TODAY.

A conference is being held this afternoon in the office of L. R. Ross, the terminal agent of the C. N. R., with B. M. Hill, government engineer, Messrs. Selig and Torrance, of the C. N. R., and the members of the Great Marsh commission, J. P. Clayton, J. M. Donovan and F. J. Rafferty. The matter being considered is the obstruction of the Marsh creek by the alleged dumping of ashes by the railway and the question of the building of a culvert at the Jardine bridge.

#### ARE COMPETENT OFFICERS.

Local officers of the Salvation Army are pleased with the choice of Ensign and Mrs. Laurie, the officers appointed by Commissioner Richards to take charge of the Salvation Army Military Hostel here. They are due to arrive in the city on Thursday at noon. The ensign is an accomplished musician and has commanded some of the army's best troops. Mrs. Laurie is a former member of the Salvation Army and is much beloved by a host of friends. Ensign Laurie has had charge of the Soldiers' Dependents' Hostel in Toronto and has met with a great success. Ensign Laurie comes to St. John with the highest of recommendations and much regret has been expressed by the Toronto people at his departure from there.

#### ENTERTAIN BRIDE AND GROOM.

Rev. Chris Graham, who is well known in the city in connection with his Y. M. C. A. activities, passed through the city this week accompanied by his bride, who was formerly Miss Ruth Allan of Yarmouth, N. S. Mr. and Mrs. Graham were on their way to their home in Montague, P. E. I., after a honeymoon trip in the New England States. On Monday evening they were the guests of Mr. Graham's sister, Mrs. Weldon Hunter, 80 Adelaide street, who had been taking the form of a shower, at which many friends were present. The evening was joyously spent in music and games, and Mr. and Mrs. Graham received many beautiful remembrances. Mr. Graham was overseas for some time ago, and was in charge of the Y. M. C. A. services in France and England.

### NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

The co-operation of advertising patrons is requested in the direction of getting "copy" into the business office on or before 4.30 p. m. on the day previous to publication. Very often the receipt of a large advertisement or even regular changes after that hour serves to dilute the regular work of getting the paper made up in time to catch the mails—and not infrequently such ads. are at the last moment left out.

This situation is not of service to either the advertiser or the readers and we, therefore, request that copy be received in the business office

Not later than 4.30 p.m.

### WILD RIDE IS TOLD OF IN COURT

#### Several Charges Against Man Who Took Girls Driving

#### Another Charge is Laid Against Webber - Variety of Matters Gone Into in The Police Court

In the police court this morning Walter O. Peterson was charged with being drunk and having liquor in his possession, drinking in public and driving furiously. It was said that the accused had hired a horse from A. E. Kindred, livery stablekeeper in West St. John, and driven over to the city, stopping in front of the Lyric as the people were coming out after a performance. It was said he invited two young women to go for a drive, which they did, as one of them thought she knew the accused, but on getting into the buggy found she was mistaken. It was too late, however, for the horse had started off at a fast speed towards Haymarket square. On reaching the Marsh road one of the girls managed to get the reins and stop the horse enough so she could get out. Before her chum could make her escape the horse resumed its furious pace. The girl who had escaped immediately got in touch with Detective Biddiscombe, who went out and brought a man answering the description to the police station.

Detective Biddiscombe told the court that in consequence of a telephone message he went with the police patrol and followed a horse and buggy which answered the description given by the girl. In company with William Godwin, he followed the accused down Charlotte street, along Quebec square, down Mecklenburg to Wentworth street, where the horse and buggy stopped and the detective found the accused in the carriage drunk with a girl at his side. The girl said at first she did not know her escort but contradicted her statement and said she did. He was brought to the police station and the charges laid. A trial of liquor was found in the buggy by the detective.

William Godwin, police patrol driver, corroborated the evidence of the detective and said that the accused was driving at a furious rate of speed. The case was postponed until tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Detective Biddiscombe stated the prosecution.

Albert Bibben was charged with desertion from the steamer Messina. Heretofore S. Reviny, master of the ship, said that this man was a fireman and he left without permission on Monday evening and did not return.

Sergeant Sullivan told of the arrest at the Digby steamer. The sergeant said he understood him to say he was a fireman on the Digby steamer. George Warwick, chief engineer of the Messina, gave evidence, and the accused was sent to jail until the ship is ready to sail.

A case against William Truffen, charged with having liquor on the premises illegally, was resumed. Policeman James N. Power said that on Nov. 29, he company with Inspector J. J. Merryfield, he went to the shop of the defendant in Pond street, where they made a search, but did not find any intoxicating liquor, but in a barn at the rear of the shop, beneath a lot of straw on the floor, they discovered a false floor and on raising the four bottles of Jamaica rum were found. The case was postponed until Tuesday afternoon. E. S. Ritchie appeared for the defence.

Inspector Harry Kent, charged with having liquor in his place of business, Brussels street, other than his private use, was resumed. The defendant said that lemon extract found was in the place of business for cooking purposes, and he did not sell it as a beverage. Regarding some rhubarb wine found there he said it was made for his own use only, and where he kept it was the most convenient place. The case was postponed until Tuesday afternoon. E. S. Ritchie appeared for the defence.

A case against William Webber, charged with having liquor in his possession in the Union station, was again taken up. Inspector Robert McAlinsh said he went to the house of the defendant in Orange street and found a quantity of liquor, some of which corresponds to that found on the train. The case for the prosecution was closed and the case postponed until this afternoon.

William Webber was also charged with having in his possession unlawfully on Nov. 18 preparations, mixtures, and ingredients for the purpose of unlawfully manufacturing liquor, from and by means thereof, contrary to law, under section 19 of the Intoxicating Liquor act 1919. The defendant pleaded not guilty, and put up a deposit of \$200 for his appearance this afternoon.

In a case against Charles Ritchie, charged with assaulting City Constable William Saunders, resumed this morning, no evidence was taken and the case was postponed until tomorrow at noon when the magistrate will give judgment.

#### RETURN TO ENGLAND.

Among the cabin passengers on the S. S. Metagama leaving Halifax recently were Mr. and Mrs. J. Watters of East St. John, who are leaving for their old home in England, after spending eight years in this city. Many friends will wish them a pleasant voyage. They leave behind them E. A. Watters and E. J. Watters, who will join them in the near future.

### A DECEMBER CLEARAWAY OF FASHIONABLE HATS

We have selected from our collection of Stylish Winter Hats a number of distinctive models in Beavers, Velours and Lyon's Velvet, smartly tailored for street wear; also nicely modelled Dress Hats for afternoon wear, and shall sell them, commencing Thursday Morning, December 4,

## AT ONLY \$3.95 EACH

This is an unusual opportunity to the woman who is seeking something specially good in Fine Millinery at a very low price.

### \$3.95 for Hats That Ranged in Price From \$7.50 to \$12.00

#### OUR WINTER COAT SALE

is a big success. Many have taken advantage of the great savings afforded at this Great Reduction Sale. There are still a number of desirable garments at prices away below that at which we could buy them for today.

### MACAULAY BROTHERS & COMPANY, Limited

### THE DAISY OAK BURNS HARD or SOFT COAL, COKE or WOOD

It is Attractive in Appearance, Heavy Cast Iron Fire Pot, Polished Steel Body, Beautiful Nickel Trimmings, Smooth and Easy to Clean, and a Wonderful Heater, in four different sizes.

NOTE—Special 10 Per Cent. on All Heaters, except Silver Moons. It Will Pay You to Get Our Prices.

155 Union street, St. John, N. B. **D. J. BARRETT** Glenwood Range, Oil Heaters

Clean Your Chimney With "Witch," the Famous Soot Destroyer

### THE STORE WITH THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT.

## This Is Christmas Month

And Christmas is not far off—so let's begin shopping now while stocks are complete and before the heavy rush starts.

#### ONLY 18 MORE SHOPPING DAYS BEFORE XMAS!

#### SUGGESTIONS FROM THE WOMEN'S SHOP:

HOSEYRY MAKES AN IDEAL GIFT—

Gotham Bold Stripe Silk Hose.....	\$1.85
Holmesproof Silk Hosiery.....	\$3.25
Venus Silk Hosiery.....	\$3.00
Mercery Silk Hosiery.....	\$3.65
Radiant Silk Hosiery.....	\$3.75

UMBRELLAS

Are greatly appreciated and make a very practical gift. You will find a large assortment to choose from here with all the newest style handles well represented.

\$1.50 to \$18.00

GLOVES

Triumphs French Kid.....	\$3.25
Cape Gloves.....	\$3.00
Grey Suede Gloves, (silk lined).....	\$2.50
Tan Cashmere Gloves.....	\$2.50

HANDKERCHIEFS

Linen Handkerchiefs, with lace trimming and embroidery. Two to a neat Xmas box..... 75c, a box

Linen, with crocket edges and corners. Two to dainty Xmas box..... \$1.35 a box

A large assortment of Linen Handkerchiefs, put two to a box..... 50c, a box

WOMEN'S SHOP—THIRD FLOOR

The Store with the Christmas Spirit.

### OAK HALL

SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED  
55-57-59 KING STREET

### The Joy of a Home!

One of the most significant compliments that can be paid to man, woman or child is that he or she is fond of home.

Fondness of home indicates an interest in those things that are elevating and refining. The real joy of living centres in the home. It is the shrine of affection—the haven of rest from the turmoil of the day—the sacred circle in which the choicest memories of life are given root—the theatre of hospitality where precious friendships are developed and enjoyed.

And love of home depends in a large measure on the attractiveness of home itself—not necessarily on its elegance, but on that subtle, inexpressible environment which breathes welcome, comfort and good cheer, and which is made possible in even the humblest home by the application of good taste and correct judgment.

This store ever seeks the opportunity to co-operate with home lovers in creating within their homes—be they modest or pretentious—that atmosphere which contributes to love of home and to the joy of living.

This co-operation is a part of the service rendered to every patron. It adds nothing to the cost of any home furnishings you may select here.

### A. Ernest Everett

THE HOUSE FURNISHER

91 Charlotte Street

It's the early shopper who gets the widest line to select from.

### It's Time to Visit the Gift Shop

#### That's Magee's

The advantages of shopping early—in the day, the week, the month—cannot be overestimated here.

Your Early Gift Shopping for practical giving this Christmas may be accomplished conveniently, and with unusual assistance here.

**D. Magee's Sons, Limited—Saint John, N. B.**

FINE FURS  
DRESSES  
SCARVES  
GLOVES  
LEATHER  
MOTOR  
APPAREL  
KNOX HATS  
SOFT WOOLEN  
STREET COATS

### C. N. R. IS TAKING COAL AT ST. JOHN

The shortage of coal is being keenly felt by the C. N. R. here and they are now commencing from local dealers for supplies. This work of confiscating is given them through an order-in-council passed some time ago, and the rate paid is the mine price. The railway authorities say they are unable to procure the quantity of coal necessary for their operation at the mines, which are not producing to the quantity required, so that they are forced to depend upon what they have already brought to dealers earlier in the year from the mines. The railway has been in the habit of buying from Sydney, Springhill, Joggins, Minto and in fact at almost any Canadian centre where coal was available, but supplies having been so shortened they are forced to the action taken.

### TO HALIFAX, SHOULD HAVE GONE ABOARD THE STEAMSHIP HERE

More than 200 passengers went through the city this morning for Halifax to sail aboard the steamer Metagama, due to leave tomorrow afternoon for England. With conditions different in this city in connection with the winter, port, these people would have come to St. John and whatever benefits accrued from their being here would have been shared here. Tomorrow quite a large number more are expected to pass through from the west to Halifax.

The Montreal train due at 1.20 p. m., was brought in in two sections, the first of which was twenty minutes late, the second an hour and forty minutes. Each of these trains brought passengers for the steamer, as did the early train from Montreal this morning. A second section was made to No. 14, going to Halifax, to accommodate them. The Boston train was thirty-five minutes late in reaching the city also.



The Dominion Times

PAGES NINE TO SIXTEEN

ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1919

SIXTEEN PAGES

ALL VOTE "WEI" BUT MERELY A FORMALITY

Twenty Massachusetts Cities Declare For License With National Prohibition at the Gates

(Special to Times.) Boston, Dec. 3.—With national prohibition by constitutional amendment...

Included in the list of "dry" cities which switched to "wet" were Cambridge and Quincy...

The vote on the license question was very small. Politicians were uncertain whether the "yes" majority constituted a genuine expression of public opinion...

Intercollegiate Debate. Dalhousie and the University of New Brunswick met as rivals in the intercollegiate debate this year...

Amherst After Industries. Amherst News: Closer co-operation with the town council...

STOLEN FROM CAR. A theft of a spare wheel, tire and robe took place on Monday evening from an automobile in Paradise row...

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

BIRTHS SMITH—Born at 146 Canterbury street, Dec. 3, to the wife of Boyer S. Smith, a daughter.

DEATHS JONES—In this city, on Dec. 3, 1919, James Allen Jones, leaving his mother and five sisters to mourn.

IN MEMORIAM DONOHUE—In memory of our dear son, Janet Donohue, who departed this life Dec. 3, 1919.

CHAMBERLAIN—In loving memory of our dear mother, Caroline, wife of Geo. H. Chamberlain, who departed this life Dec. 3, 1919.

Sweet are the memories, Dear Mother, that linger in our thoughts...

HUSBAND AND FAMILY. CARD OF THANKS The Misses Driscoll wish to thank their many friends for kindness in their recent bereavement.

REDS SAY THEY HAVE SUCCEEDED IN OCCUPYING CRIMEA

London, Dec. 3.—The occupation of the Crimea by the Bolsheviks is claimed in Moscow wireless messages. General Makino's troops carried out the message...

MRS. WM. CURRIE DEAD AT GREAT AGE OF 100

Had Lived at Royal Road Most of Her Life—Death of Mrs. Robert Brooks (Special to Times.) Fredericton, Dec. 3.—Mrs. William Currie, one of the oldest residents of this part of New Brunswick...

Mrs. Lily Brooks, wife of Robert Brooks of the St. Mary's Indian reserve, died this morning at her home at the age of 100 years...

NEWS NOTES ABOUT PROMINENT BAPTISTS (Martine Baptist.) There is rejoicing in the message at Springhill and the joy of Pastor and Mrs. Swenson is shared by all their people...

MEET TOMORROW. The building committee of the municipal council will meet tomorrow afternoon. Amongst the matters which will likely be taken up will be the opening of the new hall...

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SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, DEC. 3. A.M. High Tide... 7:37 Low Tide... 1:43 Sun Rises... 7:52 Sun Sets... 4:34

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Sailed Tuesday. Str. Harper, for London. Arrived December 3. S. S. Manchester Exchange, Manchester. Coastwise—Schr. Viola Pearl, 23 tons, E. Wadlin, from Wilson's Beach.

MARINE NOTES. The Manchester Exchange arrived in port today direct from Manchester with general cargo. The S. S. Lake Ellsbury reported by wireless that she would arrive here tomorrow.

A QUESTION OF FACT. To the Editor of The Times, St. John, N. B. Sir—I quite agree with the Rev. H. A. Cody relative to "dyspeptic" critics...

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STERLING AT LOWEST LEVEL EVER KNOWN

New York, Dec. 3.—The rate on sterling exchange fell to the lowest level in history today when demand bills for pound sterling were quoted at \$139 1/4, which is 3 1/2 cents below yesterday's final quotation. The normal rate on sterling exchange is \$48 7/8.

FRANK E. JOHNS. Rev. Mr. Cody may still be right. Electric bulbs manufactured in the United States are sold in Canada.

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LOCAL NEWS

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Matinee tickets, prices \$1, 75 and 50 cents, on sale at Imperial Thursday morning.

GARRISON SERGEANTS' MESS. All members are requested to attend a meeting tonight in the Garrison Sergeants' Mess in the armory. Urgent business, 8 o'clock.

Candy and programmes on sale at performance of "The Follies."

HELP THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY. Help the needs of our homeless and neglected children by giving generously on Rosebud Day, Saturday next.

Do you love little children? Give tangible proof of it on Saturday, Rosebud Day.

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THE COMMERCIAL CLUB. A meeting of the executive of the Commercial Club was held last evening in the Union Club with S. E. Elkin, M.P., in chair.

MATINEE ONLY, IMPERIAL TO-DAY, THE "FOLLIES" AT NIGHT. There will be only matinee shows of the Imperial programme today, the evening will be devoted to the opening performance of "The Follies" under the auspices of the Daughters of the Empire.

Don't Forget the New Books at McDonald's Lending Library. A Woman's Woman (Nalro Barkley); The Bell of St. Just (Jackson M. Ayres); The Bartlett Mystery (Louis M. Tracy); Isabel Carleton (the few of the latest arrivals at McDonald's Lending Library).

Farmers' Co-Operative Company. The president and directors of the U. P. Co-Operative Company of N. B. Ltd. and the managers of their branch stores...

Engagements Announced. Mrs. Herbert N. Payson of Woodstock announces the engagement of her daughter, Virginia Margaret to Kenneth M. Morrison of Montreal, the wedding to take place in December.

Farmers in Politics. Woodstock Press: The United Farmers Association has thrown its hat in the ring and has created a convention in Woodstock on Monday afternoon, Dec. 15, to consider placing candidates in the field in this county for the provincial legislature.

Another Commercial Club. Fredericton and the district roundabout is likely to have a Commercial Club. In the formation of the club the organization which so successfully handled the Victory Loan is taking the lead.

Manage Ottawa Team. Ottawa, Dec. 3.—The appointment of Pettie Green as manager and coach of the Ottawa hockey team was announced last night. Green has been negotiating with the Ottawa for some time and he signed today. He takes command with a free hand and his appointment is a popular one.

W. W. A. Convention. Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 3.—That a convention of the W. W. A. will be held early in January in Winnipeg was announced today. It is the intention that some central city is the intention that has been received in the city from the dominion president, Col. W. A. Parsny.

Wood and Wilson. A New York despatch to J. M. Robinson & Sons says that the South Dakota republicans convention has endorsed General Wood for president and Governor Coolidge of Massachusetts for vice-president nomination by a heavy majority.

CHARLES BURGESS DEAD IN TEXAS; SAD NEWS COMES TO BROTHER

A telegram received today by Robert Burgess, of Sydney street, brought the sad news of the death of his brother, Charles, in Parsons, Kansas, where he had lived for quite a number of years. It is not known how long he has been ill but it is thought that it was not very long. He was about sixty-five years of age and was a former resident of New Jerusalem, Queens county, N. B. His wife, who was formerly Mrs. Hugh McLean, survives, with three brothers, Alfred E., of New Jerusalem, N. B., Robert of this city, and James in Texas. Mrs. Andrew Kee of New Jerusalem, and Mrs. Mary Smith of Boston are sisters.

Mr. Burgess visited his old home various times since going to Texas, his last visit being made some five years ago. He has many friends in these parts, especially in Queens county, who will regret his death. The funeral will be held in Parsons on Friday.

"BABE" RUTH HAS RING IDEAS; WOULD FIGHT DEMPSEY

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 3.—"Babe" Ruth, outfielder for the Boston American League, and champion home-run hitter, may become a professional heavyweight boxer. This was announced today.

Mr. Ruth, a former pugilist, and Al St. John, a motion picture actor, have entered into an agreement by which McCoy will train Ruth for thirty days, and if his report was favorable, it was said, St. John would finance a complete course of training to obtain a match with Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion.

It was said that Ruth has given up plans to become a motion picture actor. The home-run hitter said he used to be in preliminary contests in Baltimore. "I have always wanted to be a professional boxer," said Ruth, "but I gave up that idea because I have had in that every factory and a crook of a weighing fourteen pounds from each creamery every month. These have been placed in storage until the opening of the fair. By this system good samples of the products of the factories and creameries are obtained as there is very little chance of any of these having time to put up special cheeses or butter. The object of this system is to find the quality of the yearly output of the cheese factories and by lining them up and putting the factories in competition show the fallings of the various cheeses and how they can be corrected next year. A dairymen's convention is being held at the same time as the fair. Hon. J. F. Beaudry, minister of agriculture, will be present at the convention and attend the fair.

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OPERATE ESTATE OF GOV. McCLELLAN

Company Has Been Incorporated in Province. Fredericton, Dec. 3.—Letters patent have been granted incorporating Isaac C. Prescott, merchant; William J. Garsworth, merchant; Ernest W. Lynds, high sheriff; Alden Peck, farmer, and H. Lester Smith, barrister, all of the Parish of Hopewell; Dr. T. John Lewis of Hillsboro; Norman L. Smith of Harvey Parish, and Judson A. Cleveland of Alma Parish, to take over, operate, repair and handle the estate of the late Hon. Abner R. McClellan in Riverview.

Deputy Minister E. P. Bradt announced this morning that the dairy show at Sussex, which opens today, promises to be very successful. A good system has been arranged for exhibiting the products of cheese and butter and upwards of 100 pounds of cheese and 500 pounds of butter from the various creameries in the province will be put on exhibition.

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SWEAT MACHINE AND NOT THE MAN

Baron Leverhulme's Principle In Business

The Six-Hour Day in Two Shifts - Saturday Afternoons Free - Light Meals at Firm's Expense.

On last Saturday The Times' special Boston service carried a synopsis of a speech by Baron Leverhulme, at Fort Sunlight, England. The Financial Post says of him: Baron Leverhulme, who calls himself the "happiest chairman of any company," has arrived in the United States to explain to American employers the scheme for a six-hour day which is to be put into force in all the plants of Lever Brothers, Ltd., in England, Europe, the United States and Canada. The Lever scheme must not be confused with the ordinary six hour day advocated by many labor leaders; his factories operate twelve hours a day, but as the employees work in two shifts, it is the machinery that does the extra work and not the men. "Great the machine and not the man," is Baron Leverhulme's principle. The six hour day has not yet been adopted in all the Lever soap factories, as there has been opposition from some labor leaders, and problems of supplies of raw materials to deal with. The baron hopes to get started on his scheme very shortly though. Describing it to the board of directors of Lever Brothers at the annual meeting held at Fort Sunlight, near Birmingham, England, this night, Baron Leverhulme said: "We shall work in two shifts, six hours each shift. The morning shift will commence at 7 o'clock, and, after a break of a quarter of an hour from 8:45 for some light refreshment, they will then work until 1:15 p. m. At 1:15 the morning shift work for the day will be over. They will not return to their work until 7 o'clock the next morning. This makes a total of six working hours per day, with fifteen minutes break for a meal, for six days in the week—Monday to Saturday included. Saturday Afternoon Free. "When we come to consider the afternoon shift, there is a strong feeling and desire to retain the Saturday afternoon alternate work there will be a whole week of half holidays, and to meet this wish the afternoon shift will only work five afternoons, the average being seven hours, twelve minutes, each afternoon, instead of six afternoons of six hours. Therefore the afternoon shift will commence at a quarter past one (there will be a break of half an hour for lunch from 4:45 to 5:15 p. m.) and will stop at 9 p. m., but on Friday work will stop a quarter of an hour earlier at 8:45 so that the weekly average is thirty-six hours. With regard to the shift-workers—that is, continuous workers—to divide the twenty-four hours into four shifts of six hours each instead of three shifts of eight hours each, which is our present working day, would create a difficulty with the night shift. Home life must be considered, and home life requires that a man on the night shift should leave home somewhere about 9:30 p. m., so that the household can be closed and all go peacefully to bed at ten o'clock; and he should not return until 5:15 or 4:30 in the morning, when the household would be up. To ensure this will mean a little irregularity in the working. It means that on the night shift a man will work eight hours, as at present, starting at 10 p. m., and finishing at 6 a. m., but this will be balanced by the days when he is only working five hours and twenty minutes, and this in a month will give exactly six hours a day, so that one week out of the four a man will be working eight hours at night and the other three weeks he will be working only five hours and twenty minutes a day. Of course the shifts will be changed weekly. Free Meals Are Given. "We propose to provide light meals at the firm's expense—free to the workers. We feel that it will save considerably in timekeeping and actual running and will simplify the catering. The light refreshments will be tea, coffee, cocoa, bread and butter, and sandwiches, entirely free, at counters adjacent to where the men are working. Neither men nor boys nor girls will require to walk further than is represented by getting out of a railway train and going to the refreshment room. I have tested what you can take at a refreshment room in a quarter of an hour, and I find, if I tried, I could eat more than is good for me. So that there is ample time for refreshment. "The rate of wages will be exactly the same for a 36-hour week as for a 48-hour week. This is obviously essential, but it is equally certain that the staff can accomplish the work without adding any expense to the company by so organizing the carrying on of the work that no increased expenditure will fall on the company. The staff freely recognized in all our discussions that to add to the cost of making soap would be to handicap us not only with firms in the United Kingdom, but with firms all over the world whom we meet in competition in the export markets, so that the determination of all of us is that the same wages will be paid and increased leisure obtained without adding to the cost of the article or making prohibitive the expense on the business. Workers Want Leisure. "I am convinced it is no new idea at all that the workers require more leisure. I have noted for many years that after a certain point has been reached in wages or salary—that point being a line past the subsistence level—the greatest desire of the workers of this country has been for leisure, so that a man might lead a life free from the sordid care and daily monotonous task of mechanical industry. 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Shirriff's Orange Marmalade. Before anybody knew about marmalade, nature perfected Seville Oranges and Cuban Sugar Cane. Shirriff's Orange Marmalade combines the perfection of both. Firmness of Seville, sweetness of Cuba, blended in the Shirriff way! Just try it. For sale everywhere in glass or large tins. Sales Agents, Harold P. Ritchie & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

You will like this Salt! It will please you just as it did me with its wonderful whiteness, its strength, its purity, and free-running properties. Century Salt. "The Salt of the Century" is made by Sarnia's oldest and best equipped works. The superior vacuum process used gives Century Salt a decided preference for either table, dairy or farm use. All leading grocers can supply you. DOMINION SALT CO., Ltd., Sarnia.

oil is the heating agent. This winter, say oil dealers, the uncertainty of the coal supply added to the high price of that staple fuel has caused a rapid increase in the number of oil consumers in the city. Cheapness is not the chief point urged by its followers in favor of fuel oil, although all agree that it is cheaper than coal. Just at present the argument is that it is sure. There is little danger of a shortage of the particular variety of oil used in heating plants. Then it is easy to handle, saves labor and avoids dirt. At least its adherents say so, and they are gaining ground rapidly. In these days of coal shortages and coal strikes when the fuel supply may "all and sack Frost goes on forever, particular stress is laid on the availability of the oil substitute. It is also said that the pattern families who now has to shovel coal and sift ashes welcomes the day when he will merely have to turn a tap and drop match. This, it is said, will be a priceless boon to the oppressed "white collar" fraternity. Among large institutions of Montreal the pioneer consumer of fuel oil is the Queen's Hotel, which installed oil-burning furnaces seven or eight months ago. Today a number of large offices and plants are in the oil category. Among these are the Bell Telephone Company, the St. Lawrence Sugar Refinery, the Montreal Cottons, Limited, the Steel Company of Canada, Limited, and the Robert Mitchell Company, Limited. There is also an apartment block in the city employing the oil heating plan. Use Ordinary Furnaces. For large buildings such as have been mentioned a special installation is required, the oil being pumped to the furnaces and burned under pressure. But from this ambitious plan, the system of burning oil has spread to private houses, large and small. In the case of the latter, the matter of installation presents few difficulties. A species of burner is used that is readily applicable to any coal furnace or stove. Today in Montreal oil is used in the furnace in the kitchen stove that used to make the humble but oft-times necessary "Quebec heater" in other parts of the house. It is not applicable to the grate, for a closed the necessary draught that mixes oxygen with the oil is not obtainable. A Simple Device. A place at one or two oil burning stoves in operation shows that the revolution from coal to oil has been as simple as some other great revolutions of history. The necessary factors are an oil tank placed so that it will be higher than the burner, and a burner placed level on the grate of the stove. The two are connected by a small pipe, and the oil flows by gravity. A tap and gauge in the pipe regulate the flow. The burner is so arranged that a slight flow of oil is mixed with oxygen and burns freely. As the flow of oil is increased the heat generated is also increased. It is a residue after gasoline and kerosene have been extracted from the crude petroleum. It is available in large quantities at the present time, and there is little danger of a shortage for many years. Delivered in Montreal this oil runs in price from 8 to 11 1/2 cents a gallon according to quantity. It has been estimated that from 80 to 100 gallons of oil equal a ton of hard coal, but the oil gives greater heat. In small installations, consumers claim, the amount of oil used is very small, unless, of course, a fierce heat is desired. Ordinary stove installations are said to cost from \$80 to \$40.

Sure Sign of a well-pleased appetite—the satisfied look on the face of a child eating Grape-Nuts. This food of natural sweetness is highly nourishing and full of the strength-giving qualities of whole wheat and malted barley. One package serves many meals. Made by Canadian Postum Cereal Co. Ltd., Windsor, Ont.

DEPOSING OLD KING COAL (Montreal Star). Old King Coal has a rival. Like most autocrats his tyranny is bringing about his own undoing. There is a healthy pretender in the field in the shape of fuel oil, and he is gaining adherents daily in Montreal as elsewhere. Industrial plants, business offices and large hotels are beginning to declare for oil as against coal, and even the private residence has commenced to secede to the new regime. In one Montreal apartment house at least

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New York's Oldest Reporter. James Wetherpoon Graft, known as "Pop" Graft, perhaps the oldest newspaper man in New York, died on last Friday night at the Home for Incurables in the Bronx within a few days of his eighty-fourth birthday. For more than half a century he had been a writer and news-gatherer for local newspapers. Until five years ago he had for twenty-five years been a reporter for the City News Association, which retired him on a pension when failing eyesight and hearing compelled him to give up work.

Sterling Silver Inlaid at the Wear Points. The black spots on the diagrams above indicate the wear points at the back of the handle and bowl of spoons and the back of forks. The shaded area shows the tip of spoon bowl. These are the points at which the wear shows soonest on ordinary silver-plated ware, because of the wearing away of the silver deposit. But in HOLMES & EDWARDS "Silver Inlaid" flatware, a piece of sterling silver is welded in at the two spots while the spoon tip is super plated. In "Super Plate" flatware, all three points are protected by a heavy extra coating of pure silver, giving spoons and forks protection at the wear points. Set of Six Teaspoons—Silver Inlaid, \$4.25; Super Plate, \$3.25. Other Pieces in Proportion. Manufactured exclusively in Canada by The Standard Silver Company of Toronto, Limited.

"Pop" Graft was a cousin of General Wetherpoon, formerly chief of staff at Washington. As a boy he settled in Harlem when Harlem was a village. He founded the Local Reporter, a weekly, but later became correspondent for the "downtown" dailies. He was a picturesque figure, tall, white-haired, with goatee and flowing mustache. Courteous in manner, ever willing to help "cub" reporters and kindly to all he met. He owned large numbers of friends. They were always willing to listen to his tales of "the old days" in Harlem.



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### NO HOPE OF MUCH TAX REDUCTION IN UNITED STATES

Not to be Thought of in Next Fiscal Year

#### SECRETARY GLASS REPORTS

Urges Government Economy to Get Sinking Fund Under Way—The Question of European Finances—Same Details of The Estimates

Washington, Dec. 2.—No appreciable reduction in taxes for the next fiscal year is to be thought of, Secretary Glass declared in his annual report sent today to congress. Government receipts must be kept at their present figure, he said, in order to bring government borrowing to an end.

Paying expenditures estimated at \$8,529,485,000 for the year ending June 30, 1920, and \$4,130,996,558 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921, the government must enforce rigid economy, Mr. Glass declared. He placed the deficit for the current year at \$3,900,000,000 and for the year ending June 30, 1921, at approximately \$2,000,000,000.

On this basis, Mr. Glass urged congress to deny "every appropriation for expenditure in new fields." He said the government had its sinking fund well under way and repayment of the war debt "satisfactorily begun."

Mr. Glass charged that excessive government expenditures were "the most vital factors" in increasing the cost of living and argued that it was urgently necessary to keep down public expenses for this reason as well as because of the drain on the taxpayers.

Citizens Excess Profits Tax. The present revenue laws need revising to meet new conditions, he said. He referred particularly to the excess profits tax laws which he described as being "objectionable even as a wartime expedient." It would be still more objectionable in peace time, he added. "Less harmful forms" of deriving funds for the government should be employed, the secretary said, adding that the excess profits tax had been responsible for much of the increase in living costs because it had been passed on to the consumer.

"It encourages wasteful expenditures and a premium on overcapitalization and a penalty on brains," the secretary continued. "It discourages new ventures and new enterprises and establishes old ventures in their monopolies. In many instances it acts as a consumption tax."

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is added to the cost of production upon which profits are figured, determining prices. It has been, and will, so long as it remains on the statute books, continue to be a material factor in the increased cost of living."

Mr. Glass also urged redrafting of the revenue laws to prevent the evasion of federal taxes through the investment of wealth in the obligations of states and municipalities. He said laws should be enacted which would curtail the reporting of such incomes, although they are wholly tax exempt, and that that sum with other income of an individual should be computed as the basis for assessing federal taxes on the amount derived from taxable sources.

Relations between conditions in Europe and those in the United States were discussed also by Mr. Glass. He said that, undoubtedly, there was a very great need in Europe for financial assistance, but that the situation had been much exaggerated.

"We must all feel deep sympathy for Europe today," he said, "but we must not allow our sympathy to warp our judgment and, by exaggerating European financial needs, make them more difficult to fill." \* \* \* The problem of the government should be largely to the exporter because industries cannot be reopened without raw stocks. Government finance exports have apparently led our industrial concerns to the erroneous expectation that their war profits, based largely on export, will continue indefinitely without any risk on their part. To them will fall the profits of exports and upon them will fall the consequences of failure to make the exports."

The treasury will continue its policy in effect since the armistice, to restore private initiative and remove government control and interference with respect to the nation's foreign trade, Mr. Glass said. Only through this means, he argued, could a "healthy economic life be restored." He added that removal of any influence by the government should provide the incentive for American commerce to go into the world markets and establish itself. Ratification of the peace treaty will necessarily stimulate export investment in foreign trade and provide a surer investment basis.

Closely related to any activities of the government in foreign trade is the subject of incorporated government agencies,

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withdrawal of which Mr. Glass strongly urged. He said their "manifest weakness" were proof sufficient that such arrangements were not happy ones for the government nor for the persons charged with the administration of the corporations. While not saying that any agencies of war, created during the emergency, had been guilty of wastefulness, Mr. Glass pointed out that there was no objective such as business agencies operate on capital for which there is no accountability or check and always have access to more funds if a financial crisis arises. Cases where government funds are employed semi-independently, Mr. Glass declared, "largely justify government red tape in accounting."

Some of the expenditures. Returning to the estimated government expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921, Mr. Glass said the military appropriations aggregating \$898,578,857. Of this sum, \$897,492,000 would be required, he said, for maintenance of the army proper, while \$88,408 would be apportioned to the national guard. The Military Academy would receive \$6,778,687.

An aggregate of \$194,578,000 will be sought for public works. In this is included Chief among the latter departmental expenditures is an estimate of \$78,405,101 for the treasury department.

This sum which is much larger than in former years, indicates the added expense to be borne in the enforcement of prohibition. Included in this also is the appropriation of \$87,528,102 to be asked by the Department of Agriculture for carrying on its field activities.

The judiciary will ask for \$1,084,100. For foreign intercourse, appropriations totalling \$11,248,250 will be sought. Appropriations for the Department of State, exclusive of the funds for use in foreign work, will be \$1,571,850, and for the other executive departments, appropriations to be sought will be as follows:—War Department, proper, \$6,010,288; Navy Department, proper, \$8,095,870; Interior Department, \$6,287,185; Post Office Department, \$2,928,870; Department of Commerce, \$17,778,887; Department of Justice, \$704,240, and Department of Labor, \$1,700,430.

Approximately \$80,000,000 will be sought by the various executive branches also to be used in public works. This latter includes \$80,000,000 to be asked by the Navy Department for work in navy yards, docks, etc., and \$22,000,000 for the Interior Department's reclamation service.

The Shipping Board has estimated its needs at \$45,000,000 for the maintenance and operation of the merchant marine and completing its building programme.

The administration programme for rehabilitating soldiers and sailors calls for an appropriation of \$80,750,000. This figure, however, is subject to change because statistics as to certain projected activities were incomplete.

Work of the Federal Trade Commission will require \$1,288,130. Expenditures of the District of Columbia included \$1,017,500,000 for interest on the public debt; customs and internal revenue, \$28,000,000; and miscellaneous \$85,500,000.

### DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZE MONEY MAY BEGIN EARLY 1920

Money Cannot be Paid Over Until Ships Condemned and Accounts and Claims Paid

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 2.—The naval department has issued a statement from the admiralty with regard to the collection and distribution of prize money arising out of captures made during the war. The statement draws attention to the fact that the proceeds cannot be paid until the ships have been captured and the vessels and goods have been condemned and the various accounts adjusted by the prize court. Efforts are being made to get these matters settled as quickly as possible. The value of each of the prizes has not yet been definitely fixed, but it is considered likely that the distribution may be commenced during the spring of 1920.

The determination of prize money depends upon the completion of the war records of each officer and man, and the determination of which naval prize fund contains.

Strikes a Mine. London, Dec. 2.—The American freight steamer Kerwood, from New York for Hamburg, has struck a mine off Terschelling, an island in the North Sea. Tugs are proceeding to the assistance of the ship.

New York, Dec. 2.—The steamer Kerwood reported from London on the evening of November 13 with a cargo of foodstuffs and clothing. She was last reported as being due to arrive in New York on November 30. The vessel is owned by the American Ship & Commerce Navigation Company, which was recently acquired from the Kerr Line. She was built in 1911 as an Austrian steamer and purchased here before the United States entered the war. She is registered as 3,651 tons.

### PLANS TO EXPLORE THE MEDITERRANEAN

Madrid, Nov. 30.—The international conference for the exploration of the Mediterranean Sea, in which France, Italy and Spain were represented, concluded its work here yesterday. It was decided that ships would be fitted out at the joint cost of the three countries and that a committee composed of representatives from France, Italy and Spain would study tidal currents, the weight of water, fishing, the migration of fish and other data from Gibraltar to the Danubius.

The committee will make a report to the president of the conference, King Alfonso, at the opening session.

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### CITY COUNCIL

Improvements For Mill Pond Discussed—Vocational Training Matters

The city commissioners in session yesterday afternoon, heard a report from the city engineer in regard to providing against the flooding of properties near the Mill Pond, West Side, at high tide. The chairman of the vocational education committee suggested that the old Old Fellows' Hall might be secured for a school building. The New Brunswick Power Company, Limited and the New Brunswick Telephone Company, Limited are to be allowed to erect additional poles in the city streets. Four more bills for expenditures during the celebration in connection with the visit of the Prince of Wales and Soldiers' Day were yesterday afternoon presented. Tenders for supplying cloth for uniforms for firemen and policemen were received.

Those present at the meeting were Mayor Hayes, Commissioners Bullock, Jones, Fisher and Thornton with the common clerk.

For the purpose of controlling the water entering the pond the engineer recommended that an abutment be constructed. For the extension of sewers beyond the pond an expenditure of \$50,000 probably would be necessary. The main sewer, if constructed, would have to have a grade in order to prevent back flow. In case it were decided to fill in the pond the sewers would have to be extended to below low water mark. The engineer suggested that no action be taken until some plans as to the future disposition of the pond had been decided upon.

A Reclamation Plan. Mr. Bullock said that a condition similar to that on the west side had existed in Market Slip and the sewer had been extended. He thought that the same scheme of reclamation should be adopted for the mill pond. He suggested that the ballast from ships coming into the harbor could be dumped there. At present it is supposed to be dumped outside the harbor but there are no buoys to mark just where it should be deposited.

The matter was finally referred to the commissioner of harbors.

The Y. M. C. A. asked permission to take a sign from the Red Triangles building in Charlotte street and place it in front of the association home on Union street. The commissioner of public safety was given power to act.

Communications from the Y. M. C. A. and the Women's Association of the Y. M. C. A. pointed out that these societies favored the establishment of a juvenile court in the city.

The Montreal Standard sent in a letter regarding an advertising scheme for the Y. M. C. A. This was referred to the mayor. A communication in regard to a transcendental flight was also referred to his worship.

The common clerk read a letter from the Ontario Education Committee, presenting reasons why the Old Fellows' Hall in Union street should be converted into a vocational school. Mr. Bullock said he did not intend to go in for the necessary expenditure at present. He felt that there were buildings enough for the trying out of the vocational education scheme. This was carried.

Mr. Jones advised that he was ready at any time to proceed with the new houses in Douglas court, as planned by the housing commission. Commissioner Fisher thought that the chairman of the committee should be given the matter at once. He moved that a reply be made to the letter and that it be made plain that this was not an opportune time for the expenditure suggested.

Mr. Jones opposed further expenditure at present. He had said when the matter was asked that that was the beginning of the wedge.

Mr. Thornton moved that the letter be referred to the Y. M. C. A. This was carried.

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### BELIEVE POLICE HAVE SLAYER OF M. S. A. OFFICER

Winnipeg, Dec. 2.—A report which police authorities refused to deny or affirm, is in circulation to the effect that city police, baffled for nearly two months in their search for the slayer of William J. DeForge, former member of the millinery intelligence staff, have finally solved the mystery of his death, which occurred at 12:30 a. m. October 18. One of the men believed to be implicated in the murder was arrested early last week and a confession was made which implicates a pal, was obtained from him on Sunday. It is declared. It is understood the police are looking for the second man. The motive is said to have been robbery.

### ACQUITTED ON CHARGE ARISING OUT OF STRIKE

Winnipeg, Dec. 2.—Mrs. George Armstrong was acquitted today on a charge of intimidation arising out of the Winnipeg strike. She was alleged to have threatened to stop selling newspapers on the streets on June 5, 1919.

The afternoon session of the strikers' trial opened with Mr. Cassidy continuing evidence in regard to a meeting of the Trade and Labor Council. He argued that the labor organization was protected by legislation and that no evidence regarding meetings could be used as evidence at a sedition trial.

Mr. Justice Metcalfe, in giving his decision, stated "a trade combination may develop into an object and design the result of which will be a crime and may be punishable by statute if so indictable."

The objection by Mr. Cassidy was overruled and the witness was allowed to go on with his evidence.



### Morse's Selected Orange Pekoe

### Old Dutch Cleanser



### NATURAL HISTORY MEETING ONE OF GREAT INTEREST

The monthly meeting of the New Brunswick Natural History Society was held in the society's rooms, Union street, last evening, with the president, Dr. J. Roy Campbell, M.P.P., in the chair. A dozen new members were admitted to the society and some valuable additions to the museum received. The meeting was not very well attended on account of the inclement weather and the many other attractions, many of the members attending the inter-church forward movement being held in Centenary church.

A very interesting lecture on Egypt was read by William L. McDiarmid, which was illustrated by beautifully colored slides, depicting the ancient temples of that country. The scenery and life of Egypt of the present day also were shown. This was the first of a series of lectures on Egypt to be given by that country. The slides had been loaned by McGill University.

The following persons were elected to membership: Treman K. Copp, Mrs. S. Myer, Miss North Bank, Miss J. Carey, Miss Olivia Lambert, Miss Helen Gough, Miss Marion Henderson, Miss Katherine Heverton, Miss Gladys McMillin, Miss Phoebe K. Vanward and Miss Margaret Wilkins.

Several valuable and interesting articles were donated to the museum among which were the following: German steel helmet and gas mask, from W. E. Raymond; group of native birds, mounted, Mrs. Thomas Jenkins; stone lily fossil, from Carleton county, also rock showing curious form of weathering, from E. W. Spinney, Windsor, Carleton county; Cuban paper currency of 5-10-20-50 and 100 centavos denomination from William G. Montgomery, Bank of Montreal, Ottawa. (This money was issued before the American occupation.)

A new nurse is to be engaged shortly through the generosity of the Red Cross for the coming year will be held. The peace time policy of the Red Cross is to embrace child welfare and public health generally and as it is along these lines that the Victorian Order is working the local branch of the Red Cross undertook to pay the salary of a Victorian Order nurse for three years.

The order finds its present home such too small for its requirements and is hoping before long to secure larger quarters and then add very materially to its usefulness in the community.

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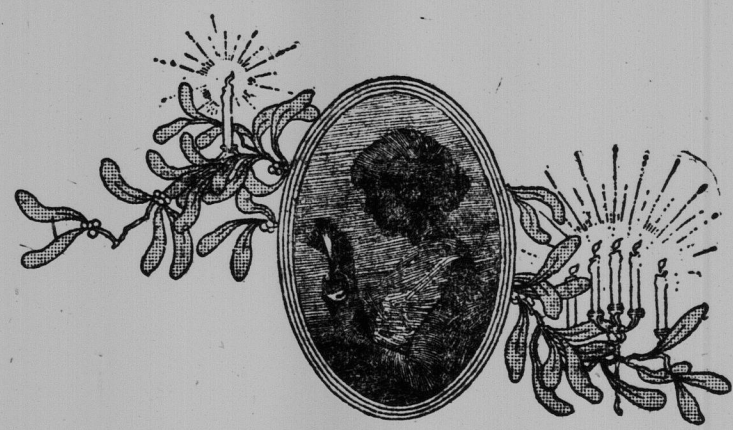
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## STATE OF TRADE

Scarcity, Actual or Feared, the Dominating Influence in Buying

Wearing Apparel Leads in Activity — Prices of Commodities Strong, with Foods Higher—Runaway Market Feared in Iron and Steel—Failures Not Especially Large.

(Bradstreet's, Nov. 29.)  
 Exceptional activity in trade and firm prices for commodities find something like a counterbalance in the slower movement of manufacturing industry, confined almost entirely to the west, and the quieting down of the financial markets, accompanied by easing quotations for both stocks and bonds. Explanation of the curtailment visible in western industry lies, of course, in the continued deadlock in the coal strike and the gradual using up of accumulated fuel supplies by mills, furnaces and factories. The shutting down of industry, while considerable in the aggregate, has not as yet been reflected in any lessening of buying power outside of areas immediately concerned, but exceptionally cold weather and fuel shortages have caused some suffering, closing of schools and crippling of railways by the cutting off of extra trains. Thus it is that while trade reports testify to active retail buying, enlarging holiday trade, and jobbers and wholesalers being pushed alike to fill rush, reorders and satisfy growing calls for spring and future merchandise, the reports as to ability of western manufacturers to satisfy demands are becoming less encouraging. Heavy wearing apparel, shoes, furniture, hardware, lumber, other building material and automobiles are in especially good demand, and complaints of scarcity of materials and manufactured merchandise are almost universal. The iron and steel trades, based on one side by prospects of reduced fuel supplies, report a growing eager call for all sorts of crude, semi-finished and finished products. Prices are naturally responding to this urgency of demand, and something like a runaway market is developing. The demand for iron and steel ranges from scrap and pig iron to ship plates, structural materials and nails, and acute shortages and high premiums face users. In the textile industries of the east the reports are of full order books and hardening prices for both raw and finished products. The unsettledness in cotton goods of a few weeks ago has about disappeared, cotton goods are back at preceding high levels, raw silk, said to be held in large quantities, is still going up, and wool is firm, with the natural reflection of steady or high markets for finished goods. In foods, strength is especially noticeable in wheat at the northwest, groceries, holiday poultry eggs, which are at the high-cit recorded levels, and butter, and Bradstreet's Weekly Index Number shows an advance of 1 per cent in fact, in two months, with secondary liquidation visible in previously active industries, while local traction stocks reflect antagonistic municipal action in



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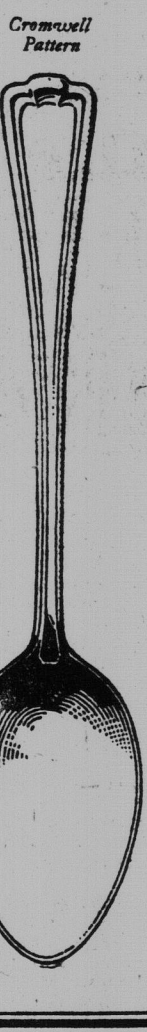
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## Shah, Dining With King, Wears Hat

State Banquet at Buckingham Palace in Honor of Persia's Ruler

A state banquet given by King George and Queen Mary at Buckingham Palace, in honor of the young Shah of Persia on the night of the arrival of the eastern monarch in England was an occasion of regal splendor. The dinner was served in the great ball room, the "U" shaped table being set for about 120 guests. The walls were decorated with old tapestries, and members of the guard stood at intervals about the apartment. Queen Mary's gown was a magnificent affair of rose pink mirror velvet trimmed with sable. She wore a diadem of brilliant-cut diamonds, "The Lesser Stars of Africa," cut from the original Cullinan diamond. She also wore a Persian Order across her breast. King George expressed pleasure at welcoming the Shah to England, and said he fully appreciated the fact that Persia occupied a position of vital importance in the Middle East. A bright future should lie before her. "You follow in the footsteps of your illustrious great-grandfather and grandfather, who visited this country on more than one occasion," said the king. "We welcome Your Majesty's present visit here as a renewed proof of the close ties of friendship which have united the two countries for more than a century. We welcome it more especially at the present moment when the relations between Persia and Great Britain have become even closer than they have ever been, and when we are about to embark upon a collaboration in the field of material and administrative progress which should insure to your country a future not unworthy of its famous past." Replies in French. The Shah replied in French, expressing his appreciation of the welcome extended to him. In the course of his address he referred to the League of Nations and said it would afford to his country the opportunity of cultivating more assiduously than ever the traditional friendship which united it to the British Empire. His task, he declared, was a difficult one, but he hoped that with the aid of the democracies of the West, and especially that of Great Britain, "the friendly relations of which with my country date back so long, it will be fulfilled in a manner honorable to Persia."

## LICENSE THE MANAGERS.

At a recent conference of theatrical managers, actors, authors and critics, called by the London Council for the Promotion of Public Morality, Sydney Valentine, chairman of the Actors' Association, moved a resolution (which was adopted) urging that it should be made compulsory for all lessees and managers of theatres, music halls and all other places of public entertainment and all employers of actors, actresses and other artists throughout the United Kingdom to be licensed by a duly constituted authority, and that such licenses should be reviewed annually. He said that of late the tendency of the theatre had been downward. The association now had no real weapon, and the license would undoubtedly be the first direct weapon they could have. At present there was a license for a play and a license for a theatre, both of which were inanimate things. But there was no license for the individual manager, and the theatre license could be handed on indefinitely, so that there was no guarantee into whose hands it would go. It was obviously bad for the profession and for the public if they had disreputable people giving disreputable shows. If all employers of theatrical labor were licensed the Actors' Association would do all the

## WOMEN IN BUSINESS

Woman's power in America is well illustrated by the thousands of women who entered almost every line of business to replace men who were drafted during the war. Health proved their strongest asset. Many women, however, developed weak, nervous conditions and could not stand the strain of a business life. Such women should remember there is one tried and true remedy in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for forty-five years has been restoring health and strength to the women of America. "I proposed to a girl once, and she asked me for time to think it over. Haven't heard from her since." "And that was?" "Three years ago." Kansas City Journal.

lowered quotations. Liberty bonds are weak and lower on heavy liquidation, variously attributed to forced sales by stock market operators, corporations who prefer to sell holdings rather than borrow under present money conditions holiday buying preparations, and income-tax window-dressing. Money has eased on call, with supplies closely restricted, however, and local banks which have improved their reserve position are disinclined to extend borrowing lines. A little more is doing in commercial paper, but chiefly for account of out-of-town banks. Foreign exchange, after an early rally from the low of last week, has sagged again, but not to the depths of two weeks ago. Bank clearings reflect the holiday in a drop from last week's high record total, but are nearly a third larger than a year ago. Failure totals in respect holiday influences, and certainly do not as yet indicate much concern over the general industrial situation, which, barring the coal strike and attendant difficulties, is rather better than for



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police work that was necessary. The Bishop of London promised his aid to the measure. The total number of new European stamps issued is about 2,000, of which 1,500 are the first stamps of the European States, Poland, formerly represented by a single stamp, has, since the armistice, produced 400 separate and distinct postage stamps. Ukraine ranks second, with 175 varieties. Jugoslavia and Czechoslovakia contribute about 180 specimens each and Flume 78. The average remaining for the other states to divide up is between 80 and 85 stamps. The Trans-Caucasian Republic of Georgia brings up the rear with a modest 4.

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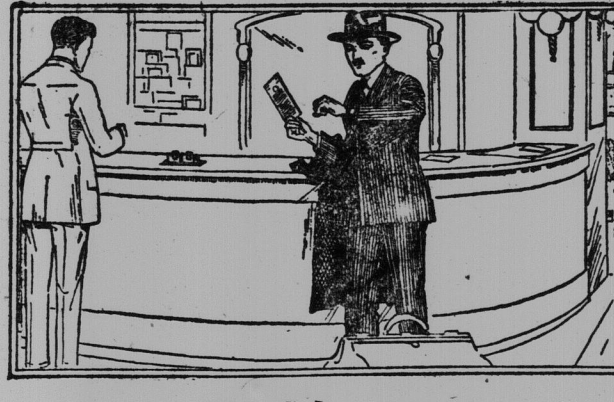
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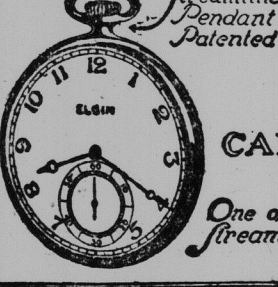
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35c. yard Heavy Unbleached Cotton, .....	Sale 27c. yard	\$2.00 yard Gabardine, .....	Sale \$1.69 yard
35c. yard White Flannelette, .....	Sale 29c. yard	\$1.25 yard Colored Serges, .....	Sale 85c. yard
40c. yard White Flannelette, .....	Sale 33c. yard	75c. Ladies' Vests and Drawers, .....	Sale 59c. each
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35c. yard Striped Shaker Flannel, .....	Sale 29c. yard	50c. pair Ladies' Black Cashmerette Hose, .....	35c. pair
40c. yard 35 inch Striped Shaker Flannel, .....	Sale 33c. yard	75c. pair Boys' Heavy Wool Hose, .....	59c. pair
30c. yard Best Canadian Print, .....	Sale 20c. yard	90c. pair Boys' Worsted Hose, .....	75c. pair
69c. yard Bleached Sheeting, .....	Sale 55c. yard	60c. pair Ladies' Cashmerette Hose, .....	50c. pair
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### NINE HUNTERS KILLED IN MAINE

That Was Toll of Big Game Season Just Closed

Four Shot Themselves, Four Were Shot by Companions, One Was Mistaken for a Deer; The Details

(Special Correspondence of Bangor Commercial.)  
Augusta, Nov. 29—The big game season which will close in this state at midnight tonight left a toll of nine lives, according to information received at the department of inland fisheries and game. The season was two weeks shorter than usual because of a change made in the length of close time on deer by the legislature, but on the other hand there were more hunters in the woods this season than for the past.

Of the nine persons who lost their lives during the big game season, one was shot in mistake for a deer, four were accidentally shot themselves and four were accidentally killed by companions. Last year 11 persons lost their lives in the big game season, four being shot in mistake for a deer, one was accidentally

examined, rendered a formal verdict that death was due to an accident.  
Frank McAllister, of East Stoughton, died Nov. 12 as the result of the accidental discharge of a rifle in the hands of Mrs. Winfield Flanders at his home. Mr. McAllister was in range of the bullet, which completely shattered his leg.  
Clayton Wood, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wood of Burnham, was accidentally shot through the head and instantly killed Nov. 12 while hunting. A hunting party was made up of the father and his three sons, each a member of the party carrying a gun. As they were passing single file through the woods, encountering some underbrush and thick growth, the trigger of the gun carried by the boy in the rear was accidentally pulled and the gun discharged. Alfred Allen, aged 19 years, son of Fred Allen, of Wells, died at the Weber Hospital at Biddeford, Nov. 17 from a rifle wound received looking after his traps. Dr. Charles W. Traylor, after an investigation, decided that death was accidental.  
William Renouf, of Eastport, was instantly killed Nov. 18, by the accidental discharge of a double-barreled shotgun in the hands of Arthur Evans. While Evans was running past Renouf with the gun to get outside the house to shoot a crow, the trigger became caught in the stove hook and the barrel was discharged. Renouf being almost instantly killed.

Some of the accidents during the big game season were as follows:  
Joseph Lacasse, of Skowhegan, and a companion were out rabbit hunting Oct. 10 and when the latter shot at an animal a charge of buckshot entered Lacasse's leg.  
Harold Holt, aged 16 years, of Gardiner, accidentally shot himself while hunting Oct. 18. He suffered the loss of a thumb and forefinger on his right hand. Some of the shot also penetrated the right ear and lodged in the right side of the boy's face.  
While Henry Vining and Herbert Creamer, of Biddeford, were hunting near Embden Pond, Oct. 26, Vining was mistaken in the mist by Everett Creamer, who was also out for game, for a deer. Creamer, according to a report, fired the shot, which entered Vining's right side, following the ribs and entering the lung on the left side and entering the left arm.  
Charles Baker, of Richmond, was accidentally shot in the groin while hunting Oct. 27.  
Henry Tardiff, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Tardiff, of Waterville, while playing with a loaded revolver Nov. 11, accidentally discharged the weapon, the bullet passing through his hand.  
Freeman Currier, of Norway, was on a hunting trip to Oquossoc, Nov. 12, when the gun of his companion was accidentally discharged, the shot going clear through his left wrist. While no bones were broken, the tendons were entirely shattered.  
Edgar Higgins, in placing a shotgun upon a shelf in a room at Millinocket, Nov. 16, accidentally discharged the weapon, the shot penetrating the window and passing through the hand and thighs of Bud Higgins, who was standing in the doorway of a little shed adjoining his home next door.  
A hunting accident occurred near Calais Nov. 16 when a trio of Calais youths, Hanev, Tracy and McNamara, were out on a hunting expedition. Young Hanev's gun was accidentally discharged, and a bullet entered the wrist of McNamara, causing a serious injury.  
Ernest Niles, the 14-year-old son of

F. E. Niles, of Monmouth, shot himself in the hand Nov. 20 while looking after traps on his father's farm. The bullet passed through his hand and then through his hat within half an inch of his head.  
Robert Guphill, son of Herbert Guphill, of Brewer, was shot in the foot Nov. 25, by the accidental discharge of a rifle in the hands of his brother, Merle. The bullet entered the top of the young man's left foot, just back of the toes, and ploughed through, splintering the bones of several toes.

### BUILDING UP MINOR LEAGUES FOR 1920

Various Reports in Circulation Abut The International League

New York, Nov. 28—Minor league baseball folk the country over are taking time by the forelock and building up all the smaller organizations for the season of 1920. Practically all of the lesser leagues will be in operation.  
Of chief interest, so far as the minor leagues are concerned in the east, is the formation of the International League. There have been rumors that Toronto is

seeking a major league franchise, and that it will withdraw from the International. This, however, is not likely to occur, for, while at least two of the big league clubs are losers, their owners are not likely to sell while there is a chance to make money next year. It looks as if Toronto will surely be in the International again next year, although the Ontario city is big enough for a major circuit. It is by long odds the best minor league city in the east.  
Another report indicates the withdrawal of the Newark club from the International in which there appears to be some foundation. Newark has been a losing proposition for a number of years. Five or six years ago it was a good ball town, but this was before the invasion of the Federal League. Last year it was a big loser and now it appears that Newark will get out of the league for good.  
If Newark should quit it is likely either Syracuse or Scranton will replace it. Both of the latter cities are good baseball towns and are anxious to get into the International. It will be decided at the next meeting of the league just what clubs will comprise the circuit.  
Jersey City will remain in the league and "Bill" Donovan again will be in charge of the team. Every effort will be exerted to build up the Jersey City aggregation, and Donovan already has obtained the promise of a number of big league clubs to give him young players. From all parts of minor league territory come reports of growing sentiment

for a renewal of the relations between the minor leaguers and the majors. This matter will be taken up by the big fellows when they hold their annual winter meeting in this city early next month.  
**FIRST WOMAN FOX HUNTER.**  
Fox hunting in England is a comparatively modern "sport," dating roughly from the middle of the eighteenth century, previous to which foxes were considered vermin. Squire Boothby was probably the first man to keep a red pack of foxhounds; but who was the first woman that hunted her own hounds?  
According to the London Chronicle, a claim is made for the Countess of Salisbury, great-grandmother of the present Marquis of Salisbury, who not only kept her own pack, but continued to hunt with them until she was so old that she had to be tied on to her saddle. This intrepid old lady was burned to death in a disastrous fire which destroyed the west wing of Hatfield House in 1857.  
One of the exhibits at the corn and grain show at the International Live Stock Exhibition in Chicago is the giant "international ear" of corn, which is 87 inches long and 30 inches in circumference, and has 82 rows, with 225 kernels to the row, making a total of 18,450 kernels.



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SPORT NEWS OF A DAY, HOME AND ABROAD

BOWLING.

Y. M. C. I. Juniors. Last night in the Y. M. C. I. Junior League the Trojans took three points from the Argonauts and tied the Micmacs for first place in the league.

Table with columns for Team, Total, and Average. Includes teams like Argonauts, Trojans, and Micmacs.

In the Commercial League game last night on Black's alleys the Maritime Nail Works took three points to one for Ames-Holden.

Table with columns for Team, Total, and Average. Includes teams like Ames-Holden, Catherine, and Preston.

Maritime Nail Works. Last night on the Victoria alleys Team No. 1 took three points from Team No. 4 in the McAvity League game.

Table with columns for Team, Total, and Average. Includes teams like Ramsey, Thorne, and Brown.

In a friendly game on the Victoria alleys last night Frankham rolled the high score of 135.

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The Lions took four points from the Nationals in the City League game last night on Black's alleys.

Table with columns for Team, Total, and Average. Includes teams like Lions, Lunny, and Wheaton.

National. Last night on the Victoria alleys Team No. 1 took three points from Team No. 4 in the McAvity League game.

Table with columns for Team, Total, and Average. Includes teams like National, Brentnall, and Winchester.

Y. M. C. I. League. The Swans won the first string from the Eagles in the opening game of the second series last evening by thirty-one pins.

Table with columns for Team, Total, and Average. Includes teams like Swans, Magee, and Wall.

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Some averages got bumped hard last night, due to brand new pins. The style of break has to be changed considerably and the bowler who can most easily alter his style comes out best.

Most players think it is entirely a matter of speed, but this is not the whole story, as some speedy bowlers can bowl higher or at least as high with new pins as old.

Two and two is a nice sociable game, but it doesn't get a team anywhere. Tonight's game will be between the Autos and Hawks.

The former team has been strengthened and is out after a winning streak and intend to keep it up.

In team totals in the first series of the Y. M. C. I. Senior League are: Owls 8,008; Hawks 8,219; Eagles 8,219; Robins 8,091; Sparrows 8,091; Autos 7,788.

BASKETBALL. Game Postponed. The basketball game between the Sugar Refinery team and St. Andrew's, which was scheduled for tonight, has been postponed until Saturday evening.

There will also be a game between the younger boys in the inter-church league the same evening.

The City League. Two interesting games in the City Basketball League were played last evening in the Y. M. C. I. gymnasium when the Y. M. C. A. Intermediates defeated the Y. M. C. I. Intermediates 85 to 71.

In the senior game Y. M. C. A. had its regular players on the floor and they put up their usual good exhibition. Y. M. C. I. introduced three veteran players in E. Sterling, F. Greason and Brown.

Despite the unfavorable weather conditions there was a large crowd in attendance and the players were given every encouragement.

The seniors lined up as follows: Y. M. C. I. - Willet, Greason, Thorne, Henderson, Margaret, Sweeney, Nixon, Brown, Marshall. Belding replaced Sweeney in the second half.

Go To Chicago. Chicago, Ill., Dec. 2.—That noted battery, pitchers Grover and Alexander and catcher Killifer, will be with the Chicago Nationals next season. Killifer signed a contract today for one year. Alexander came to terms at the close of the session.

Jennings Accepts Terms? President Frank Navin of the Detroit American League club has sent a contract for the 1920 season to his manager, Hughie Jennings. It is reported that he has accepted terms and will sign.

Reds Sign "Boy Wonder." Cincinnati, Dec. 2.—It was announced today that Dick Loftus, boy wonder of New England last summer, has signed with the Reds. Loftus played with Pittsburg, Mass. club last summer, before sustaining a broken ankle. Then the local club blew up and he recently became a free agent.

SKATING. Frank White is Elected. At the annual meeting of the Amateur Skating Association of Canada, held in Montreal recently, Frank White, of this city, was elected a member of the executive.

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REINSTATEMENT OF ATHLETES. M. P. B. A. U. U. Will Consider Standing of All During the War Professionals And The Money Question

(Hallfax Echo). There was an enthusiastic meeting of the Maritime Province Board of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada at the Board of Trade rooms on Saturday night.

The most important question brought up was the matter of the reinstatement of athletes who had been engaged in professional sports during the years of the war.

When L. A. Gastonguay called the meeting to order, the assembled delegates listened to the report of A. W. Corey, of St. John, on the annual meeting of the C. A. A. U., held at Ottawa.

It was he said, the feeling of all the delegates, that in his opinion, an opportunity should be given the young element who had become involved in professionalism during the war period to return to the amateur ranks.

The general feeling of the meeting seemed to be that reinstatement should be dealt with as leniently as possible, which practically amounts to the extension of the "during-the-war-pros" to come and collect their amateur cards.

L. A. Gastonguay, the retiring president in conversation with a Daily Echo reporter today, stated that he was fully in accord with the idea of giving all newcomers a chance to take part in amateur events, but felt that indiscriminate reinstatement was not the solution.

He considered the proper course is to uphold the old ruling as to receiving money and deal individually with all cases where players have not received remuneration but have otherwise broken the rules.

Delegates were strongly in favor of permitting all those who had been placed under the amateur ban to state their case, and in this way present to them the opportunity of regaining their standing. This will doubtless eventually mean that hundreds of athletes will be reinstated in the Maritime Provinces and a broad view of the situation at this point will clear up the athletic atmosphere once and for all.

WORK FOR SHANTY MEN. Mr. Henderson of the Shanty Men's Christian Association of Ontario was present at the meeting of the W.C.T.U. yesterday and gave a splendid address on the work of his association that was listened to with much interest and appreciation. The president led the opening devotional exercises and Mrs. Scyngers was the first to lead in prayer. It was decided to ask that the county meeting be held half an hour earlier in order that Rev. W. D. Wilson might be able to address it. Mrs. Seymour reported to address it.

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On taking flowers to the D.S.C.R. hospital in Lancaster and spoke with feeling of the fortitude of a young man in the hospital who has lost one hand and one foot. Arrangements were made that the W.C.T.U. should have a treat in the Scamen's Mission once a month during the winter and plans were completed for the annual county convention.

In the case of Fred LeBlanc vs. the Moncton Tramways, Electricity & Gas Company, for \$2,000 damages for injuries received while getting off the car, heard before His Honor Mr. Justice Chandler in Moncton yesterday, the jury brought in a verdict of \$800 for the plaintiff. M. G. Teed, K. C., acted for the defendant company. His honor reserved judgment.

From Out the Night You Hear the Cry: "Oh! Why Can't I Get to Sleep?"

Thousands of people all over the country ask this question, but still continue to toss, night after night, on sleepless beds, or walk the bedroom floor until near dawn. Their eyes do not close in the sweet and refreshing repose that comes to those whose heart and nerves are right. Worry or disease has so debilitated and irritated the nervous system that it cannot be quieted. Or, again, there is palpitation of the heart, the sleep is broken by terrible dreams, you wake up with smothering spells, sinking sensations and a fear of impending death.

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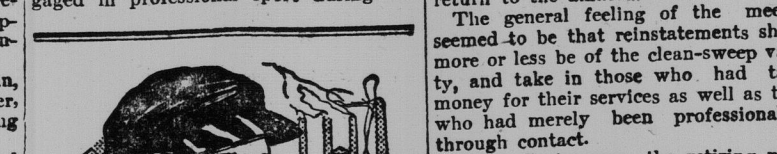
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John and Mary had been sharing one chair all the evening. John sat on the chair and Mary sat on John.

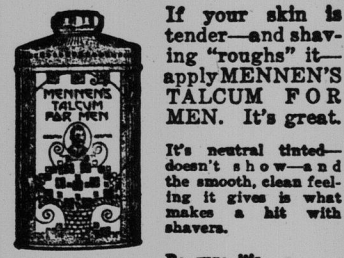
After about three hours of this Mary suddenly exclaimed: "O, John aren't you tired?" John smiled a brave, patient smile.

**WHAT THE POLICE ARE UP AGAINST**

**Formidable Collection of Explosives Taken in Raid on "Reds" Headquarters in N. Y.**

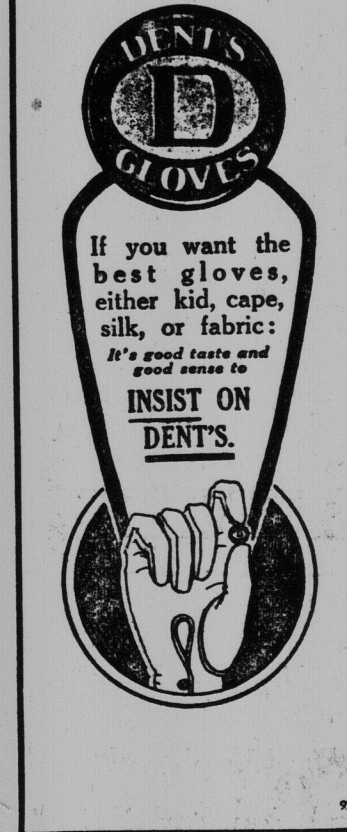
(New York Times.)  
 "The most deadly and most dangerous assortment of explosives and bomb ingredients I have seen in many a year," was the description given yesterday by Inspector Owen Egan, of the Bureau of Combustibles, of the quantity of TNT, the abbreviated name for trinitrotoluol, and acids and chemicals used in the manufacture of high explosives, which were seized in a secret chamber in the headquarters of the Union of Russian Workers, 133 East Fifteenth street, late Tuesday afternoon.  
 The raid, which had been made by Department of Justice agents and detectives of the bomb squad, under Detective Sergeant James J. Gegan, for the purpose of serving warrants on certain radicals wanted by the authorities, has furnished the investigators with valuable clues which they indicated yesterday would aid them in running down the perpetrators of the bomb explosion at Judge Nott's home last June, the infernal machine sent through the mails to prominent citizens under Gimbel Brothers' label, and other recent outrages.  
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requiring neither fuse nor fire to ignite them could be easily made from the materials on hand. He expressed the opinion that more than 100 bombs could have been manufactured from the contents of the thirty-five bottles and phials. It was possible that such chemicals and acids taken in the raid may have been used in the preparation of the bombs sent through the mails last May, Inspector Fagan said.  
 One thing was certain, according to the bomb experts, that the bottles had not been standing idle for any length of time. Some of them were stained on the sides when the contents were spilled. Further reason for this belief was given by the fact that none of the bottles or phials was more than half filled.  
 The chemist's scales found in the raid were of an expensive make and of the type used only by experienced men. The name of the maker was stamped on them, and the police have hopes of obtaining a clue from him leading to the arrest of the purchaser. The scales appear to be comparatively new.  
 Detective Cornelius Browne, of the bomb squad, to whom credit is due for the accidental discovery of the secret chamber, was praised yesterday by his superiors. Browne, according to his fellow members on the bomb squad, has been instrumental in obtaining many valuable clues in the search for bomb plotters.

**A DANGER FAR FROM TERRIFYING**

(N. Y. Times.)

As meteorites are falling not infrequently all through the year, and about all parts of the earth, it is obvious that at any moment any one of us might be hit by one of them. But the danger of meeting this unpleasant ending seems to be too small to measure. The records contain only a single case, and that not well authenticated, of a man thus killed in India a long time ago, and the failure of a ship or two ever to reach any port has been ascribed to the same cause on no authority at all. Of narrow escapes from such a death concerning which there can be no doubt there have been something less than a dozen.  
 Only large meteorites, of the pieces of those that explode just before they come to rest, ever reach the earth. The others—the "shooting stars"—to be seen every night—are volatilized in passing through the upper atmosphere and come down only as unaltered dust.  
 In ancient times these stones of such mysterious origin were viewed with reverence, and several of them, when imagination could see in them something of human or animal shape, became objects of worship. The Diana of the Ephesians and the Venus of Cyprus are supposed to have been such "statues," and the "black stone" at Mecca is another.  
 The largest of all known meteorites is the one brought back from Greenland by Admiral Peary and now in our Museum of Natural History. It weighs over thirty-six tons. It must have made not a little commotion when it fell—if there was any one there to see it.

"What did her father say when you asked him to let you marry his daughter?"  
 "Said the women folks were fixing to put the blame on him in case the marriage wasn't a success."—Kansas City Journal.

Angus Cameron, a prospector, who has arrived at Dawson, says he saw a whale in the Yukon River, 2,000 miles inland. A whale was killed in the Yukon at the mouth of the Tanana River, 1,000 miles inland, two years ago.

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contacted also from the secret room, were found to contain the names of 500 men and women of extreme radical sympathies, it was definitely learned yesterday. While officials of the police department and the department of justice were reluctant to give out any details in regard to these membership roles they made no effort to conceal the importance they placed on the finding of them. A large force of city and federal investigators, it is known, is conducting a search for the men and women whose names appear in the books. From a reliable source it was learned that several of the names are of alleged anarchists, now awaiting possible deportation at Ellis Island.  
 The question of whether or not the officers of the Union of Russian Workers, held by the immigration authorities, could be held responsible for the storing of the explosives and chemicals was discussed in conference yesterday by the city and federal representatives. The police admit a hesitancy to take them into custody unless evidence can be obtained that the stuff had been placed in the cache in the East Fifteenth street headquarters prior to the time the officers of the organization were arrested. There is a possibility, the police point out, that comrades on the outside constructed and equipped the secret bomb laboratory since then.  
 H. B. Campbell, an inspector of the United States Bureau of Mines and Explosives, went to police headquarters yesterday, and with Inspector Fagan examined the container marked TNT and

thirty-five bottles and phials taken in the raid. They pronounced the contents of the bottles labeled muriatic acid, sulphuric acid, ammonia hydrate and glycerine sulphate as genuine. All of the other bottles and phials were found to contain the constituents of powerful bombs.  
 After pronouncing it the most dangerous assortment of bomb ingredients he had examined in a long time, Inspector Fagan declared that infernal machines

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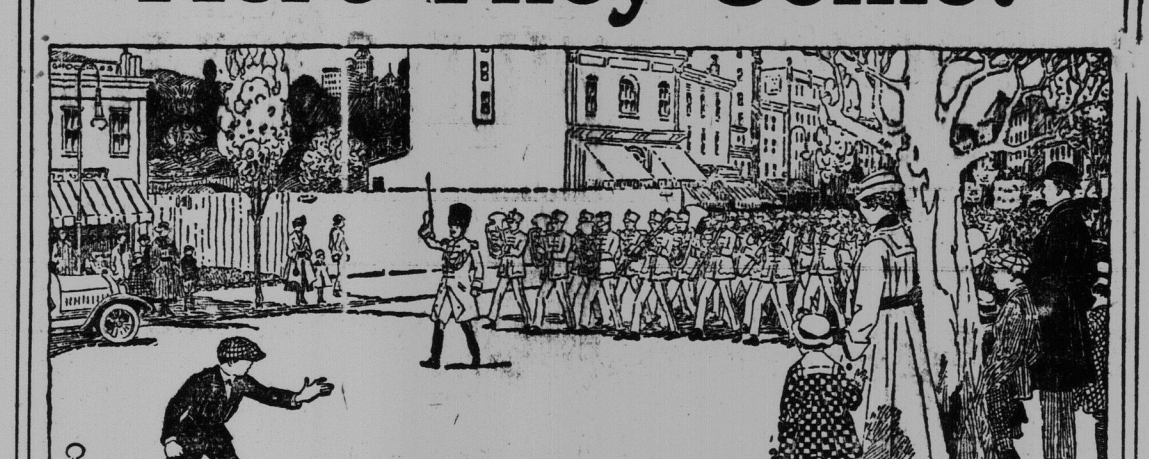
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