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TWELVE PAGES—ONE CENT.

TRAVELERS AT BANQUET HERE

Commercial Men Here Re-Union, a Good Dinner, Hear Papers and Enjoy Social Hour.

Knights of the grip from various parts of New Brunswick were in the city today to attend a luncheon held at Bond's restaurant, beginning at 1.15 o'clock open to commercial travelers and arranged by a local committee.

The dinner was in the nature of a "get-together" affair, not officially representative of any association but merely arranged with the idea that with so many travelers in the city for the holidays it would be a good opportunity to have them meet in festive manner and talk over matters of interest to themselves.

F. W. SUMNER LEFT MORE THAN HALF MILLION

(Special to Times.) Moncton, Dec. 30.—It is reported here today that the estate of the late Frederick W. Sumner is valued at over half a million dollars.

SIXTY CARS OF LIQUOR READY

At Quebec Border Awaiting New Year's Day for Transfer Into Ontario.

Toronto, Dec. 30.—Sixty carloads of wine are on the Quebec side of the international boundary waiting to be sent into Ontario.

LOST BARNS AND CATTLE AND HIS EQUIPMENT

John McRae, Farmer of Shannon Settlement, Heavy Loser by Fire.

John McRae, a prominent farmer of Shannon Settlement, Queens county, on Saturday night sustained serious loss when fire destroyed three of his barns with practically all contents.

MERCURY IN LITTLE TRIP TO THE CELLAR

The thermometer has been at its nicks again. Yesterday afternoon the mercury took a sudden dip for high tides and during the hours of darkness steadily descended from the ten-foot above mark away down to six points below the cipher, where it hesitated for about an hour just at day-break this morning.

Some Hope For Men Lashed to Wreck

Seas Calmer Around Anton Van Driel

Twenty-Six Drowned When Steamship Pounds on Rocks Off Cape Race—Effort to Reach Survivors Lashed to Bridge.

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 30.—No word had been received here up to ten-thirty o'clock this morning regarding the fate of five men who, as darkness descended last night, were seen still clinging to the rigging of the Dutch steamer Anton Van Driel.

CITY HALL CLOCKS ACTING QUEERLY

An epidemic of sleeping sickness has broken out at City Hall, but fortunately it does not affect any of the human beings who handle the affairs of the city.

A THIRD PLEBISCITE

Rome, Dec. 29.—Captain Gabriele D'Annunzio has ordered a new plebiscite at Fiume to determine the future status of that city, according to the Epoca.

Opening of New Protestant Orphans' Home Building in Carleton

Cozy New Quarters Formally Opened Today—Fresh and Bright and Pleasant Place For the Little Ones.



When a reporter called at the new St. John Protestant Orphans' Home building, Queen Square, West St. John, this forenoon the large building, formerly the Martello Hotel, was as cozy and comfortable as one could possibly desire.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said the Times reporter to Mr. Hiram Hornbeam, "the astronomer is looking for a new planet."

"I see they are," said Hiram. "One fellow says they had suspicions of it for the last fifty years."

RACE TROUBLE ON STREET CAR; A WOMAN KILLED

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 30.—A white woman was shot and instantly killed and a white soldier was probably fatally wounded in a fight between negroes and soldiers on a street car near Camp Zachary Taylor last night.

PRICE OF BREAD

Conference Today With Minister on Question of Wrapping Leaves.

Until the result of a meeting between a delegation from the bakers of the city and the minister of health, Hon. W. P. Roberts, M. P., this afternoon is known it is unlikely that the price of bread will be taken in the matter of increasing the price of bread.

PAY \$15 FOR PLACE AT TABLE NEW YEAR'S EVE

New York, Dec. 30.—New Year's Eve celebrations in this city must pay as high as \$15 for a place at a hotel restaurant table at several of the best known establishments.

C. P. R. Decreased Earnings.

Montreal, Dec. 30.—The financial statement of the Canadian Pacific Railway for November this year follows, with comparisons for the same month of 1918.

WEATHER REPORT

Synopsis.—The depression which was in the vicinity of Lake Superior yesterday morning is now centered in New York state with diminishing energy.

Rushed Over Border And Held For Court

Five New Haven Men Taken to Massachusetts In Wood Alcohol Case—Fourteen Funerals In One Place Today

LOCAL NEWS

(Special to Times.) Boston, Dec. 30.—Five New Haven men wanted in Massachusetts by the authorities of Hampden county on homicide charges were locked up in Springfield police headquarters at midnight, being placed under arrest by Massachusetts state officers led by Colonel Alfred F. Foote, state commissioner of public safety.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

About twenty-twenty friends of Master 242 City Road, yesterday afternoon at 242 City Road, yesterday afternoon at 242 City Road, yesterday afternoon at 242 City Road.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of William Scott took place this afternoon from his late residence, 6 Union Alley. Service was conducted by Rev. W. H. Pinkett and interment made in the Methodist burying ground.

TO EMERGENCY HOSPITAL

Harold Hansen of St. John street, West End, a C. P. R. elevator employee, sustained a strain in his arm this morning while shoveling grain. He was taken to the emergency hospital and later to his home. His injuries were slight.

A PLEASANT TIME

Twenty young ladies members of the O. A. C. Club were hostesses to their friends last evening at the home of Edward Purchase, Clairmont Heights.

THE SOUTH END RINK

The south end open air skating rink has been provided with electric lights and a large number of skaters were on the ice last evening. Delay in getting material has handicapped the committee in its work, but the rink is now in good condition.

TO SEE MOTHER

Rev. William McLaughlin, C. S. R., of London, Ont., arrived in the city this morning, called owing to the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Edward McLaughlin, who recently fell and sustained a broken hip. Mr. McLaughlin has a wide circle of friends who will regret to hear of the illness and will hope for her speedy recovery.

NEAT CALENDAR

The Neat has received a very pretty calendar from May, Child and Jarvis, Montreal, Quebec. The calendar is a broken hip. Mr. McLaughlin has a wide circle of friends who will regret to hear of the illness and will hope for her speedy recovery.

BROKEN AXLE

Greenville, Me., is keeping steadily in the limelight these days. Another accident happened about ten miles from this morning when an axle on a passenger train broke. The line was blocked until a wrecking crew could make repairs. The incoming Montreal train due at 120 p. m., here, was reported five hours late. The C. P. R. reported nobody hurt.

ABLE TO SPEND CHRISTMAS HOME

One of the pleasant phases of the Christmas season this year was the opportunity afforded many people who work in the city to visit their homes along the line of the Valley Railway and at points reached through the medium of the road. In former years this trip was abandoned or else accompanied by some difficulty and oftentimes a great deal of hardship.

PREDICTS CANADA EMPIRE CENTRE

Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 30.—Lloyd Harris, trade commissioner for Canada in London, told the Womans Canadian Club yesterday afternoon that in fifty years Canada would be the centre of the empire and not just a minor portion of it, if sentiment, trade and commerce continued for anything.

MADE TROUBLE ON STREET CAR; FINES OF \$20

In the police court this morning Charles Kennedy was charged with disturbing the peace on a street car last night on the seven o'clock trip from Carleton to the city, followed by a dog. He said he told them he would not allow the dog on board and stopped the car attempting to put the dog off. He said the two men interfered and assaulted him, used bad language and persisted in keeping the dog on the car.

GREETINGS FROM H. PRICE WEBBER

That little card may play ever a tiny part in making your days happier. I wish with all my heart, this little verse, over a pretty scene near Parrishboro, comes as a message from H. Price Webber to the Times-Star.

DEATH THREATS BY TURKISH LEADER

New York, Dec. 30.—Death to any person, whether a Moslem or of any other religious belief, if he assists in the partition of the Turkish domains, was vowed in a proclamation recently issued by Kemal Pasha, leader of the Turkish nationalists, according to Dr. G. L. Richards, of Fall River, Mass., who arrived here with his wife yesterday from Constantinople.

CELEBRATE THE MAN.

Paris, Dec. 30.—(Havas)—Political circles believe that the name Premier Clemenceau will be the only one submitted to parliament when the election for president of the French republic takes place, according to the Echo de Paris.

HOLD DOCTOR ON CHARGE OF KILLING GIRL

Alleged Trial Marriage Proposal One of Features of Kentucky Case.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 30.—Dr. C. G. Griffith, his office assistant, and central figure in the most mysterious Louisville murder case in many years, refused to furnish \$15,000 bail bond at the conclusion of arguments on motion for bail in police court here yesterday and elected to stay in jail pending his examining trial later in the week.

LIQUOR SENT DOWN A DRAIN

Inspector Wilson and Aids Pay Visit to House of Suspect in Norton.

Inspector W. D. Wilson, assisted by Sub-Inspectors McAnish and Merryfield, carried out a successful liquor raid last night at the village of Norton. The inspectors arrived there on the maritime express at 7.15 last evening and immediately went to the house of a man suspected. They entered the house, but before they could make a seizure, the liquor was emptied down a drain, so says the report. However, the odor was strong enough for the inspectors to be quite sure that it was not water the accused emptied out. A deposit of \$200 was put up for his appearance in court at a later date. It was reported that the inspectors have another charge against the defendant in Queens county.

ALL HAVE PRAISE FOR DR. OSLER

London Papers Print Eulogies of Noted Man of Oxford—"Wonderful and Great Man."

London, Dec. 30.—(Canadian Associated Press)—All press notices of Dr. Osler's death eulogize the man and his work. The Times says his great power of inspiring others in getting the best out of pupils and his high personal idealism had his influence although extraordinary.

VETERANS AND THE GRATUITY

Toronto, Dec. 30.—At a meeting of veterans last night, including various organizations of returned men, it was decided to go ahead with a scheme of circulating petitions to be presented to the dominion parliament urging a further gratuity.

FOUR-YEAR-OLD GIRL IS BURNED TO DEATH

Montreal, Dec. 30.—Jeanne Valade, four years of age, while playing with matches, set fire to her clothes and was so badly burned that she died a few moments later.

**The New Books  
Featured This Week  
At McDonald's  
Lending Library**

Leona Married (Stephen McKenna); Michael Forth (Mary Johnston); Helena (Mrs. Humphrey Ward); The Black Drop (Alice Brown); The Desperate Marriage (Marjory Royce). These are featured among the new and recent arrivals at McDonald's Lending Library (where you pay only 2 cents a day for the best in fiction reading), 7 Market Square. Phone Main 1874.

**Notice of Births, Marriages  
and Deaths, 50 cents**

**BIRTHS**

**CUNNINGHAM**—To Mr. and Mrs. George F. Cunningham, 102 Mecklenburg street, a daughter.  
**STEPHENS**—To Mr. and Mrs. John Stephens, 16 Guilford street, West St. John, on December 28, a daughter.

**IN MEMORIAM**

**McFARLANE**—In loving memory of Mrs. H. D. McFarlane who died December 29, 1919.  
A fond and loving wife and mother gone that can never be forgotten.  
**HUSBAND AND FAMILY.**  
**KAY**—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Kay, who departed this life December 30, 1919. Three years has gone, we sadly miss her.  
Words would fail our loss to tell,  
But in Heaven we hope to meet her  
Never more to part again.  
**DAUGHTER.**  
**MRS. CHAS. NELSON.**  
**TAYLOR**—In loving memory of Elsie Taylor who departed this life December 29, 1919.  
**PARENTS, BROTHERS  
AND SISTERS.**  
**GRAHAM**—In loving memory of Elizabeth Graham, who fell asleep December 29, 1919.  
Oh, Mother, thy gentle voice is hushed,  
Thy warm true heart is still,  
And on thy pale and peaceful face  
Is resting Death's cold chill.  
Thy hands are clasped upon thy breast  
We have kissed thy marble brow,  
And in our aching hearts we know  
We have no Mother now.  
**DAUGHTER KATE.**

**A FEW OF OUR NEW BOOKS:**  
"Gun Brand" (Henry); "Ridin Kid of Powder River" (Kathie); "Devil's Own" (Parrish); "Michel Fourth" (Johnson); Helena" (Ward); "Crimson Tide" (Chambers); "League of Scarlet Pimpinal" (Ovey); "Forbidden Valley" (H. Wilkie), etc. Rent them and buy "Victor Records" of Woman's Exchange Library. Open evenings.

**CHOICE XMAS  
GOODS**

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**LOCAL NEWS**

Big dance Rockwood Park tonight  
Don't forget Christmas exercises, St. Philip's Sunday School tonight 8. Silver offering.

Special New Year's Turkey Dinner at Clifton House from 12.30 till 2.30. \$1 per plate.

**TEAMSTERS AND CHAFFEURS.**  
Regular meeting New Year's night 8 o'clock at Trades and Labor Hall.

Big dance Rockwood Park tonight  
**SACRED CONCERT.**  
Don't miss the sacred concert and cantata tomorrow in Charlotte street Baptist church 5 o'clock. A musical treat in store.

**RICHER AND BETTER THAN EVER.**  
Reports from every city where Emilio de Gogorza has sung this season brings word that his voice seems to have grown still richer than it was last season. The renowned vocalist will give a recital at the Imperial Theatre in this city, January, 15th.

Big dance Rockwood Park tonight  
**SPORT IN FREDERICTON.**  
Mail Monday—George Beatty and Archie Sterling left this morning to attend a hockey meeting in Chatham for the formation of a Provincial hockey league. Clarence Burdon left today for Truro, to attend a meeting there at which a discussion will take place over the starting of intercollegiate basketball and hockey leagues.

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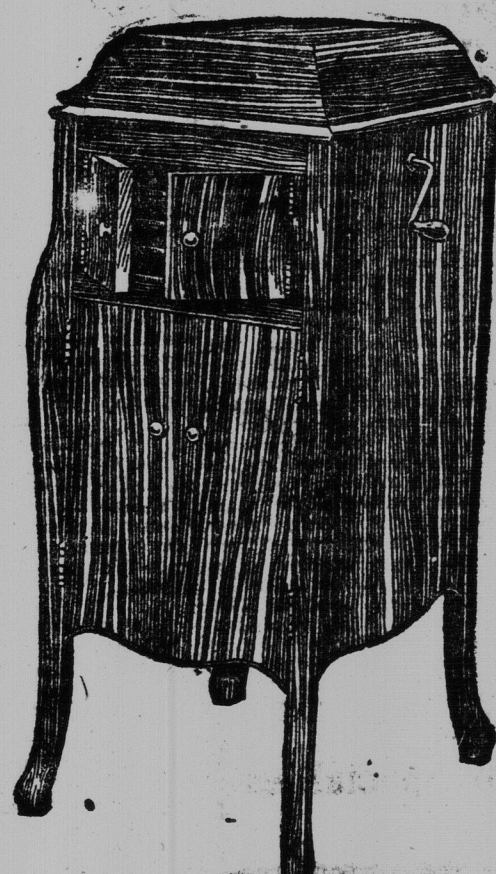
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20c. tin Spaghetti for ... 17c.  
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Royal Excelsior Dates, ..... 21c.  
Dromedary Dates, ..... 23c.  
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Broken Shelled Walnuts, 77c. lb.  
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2 pkgs. P. G. Jelly Powder, 25c.  
Choice Smyrna Figs, ..... 39c. lb.  
Clark's Pork and Beans, ..... Special, Tin Only 10c.  
50c. tin Royal B. Powder, ... 39c.  
Oxo Cubes, ..... 8c. and 21c. tin  
A few dozen Libby's Soup left at 10c. a tin  
Snider's Tomato Soup, ... 17c. tin  
30c. tin Libby's Pineapple, ... 25c.  
20 oz. bottle Olives for ... 28c.  
5 lbs. Rolled Oats, ..... 35c.  
4 Rolls Toilet Paper, ..... 25c.  
30c. tin Dustbane, ..... 25c.  
**GRAPE FRUIT**  
Special 5c. and 8c. each  
**HIP-O-LITE**  
Marshmallow Cream, in large glass jars, ..... 35c. each  
**Walter Gilbert**

means of the wireless telephone to a section of music played by a phonograph has become the Saturday-evening amusement of 400 owners of wireless receiving

sets living in Pittsburgh and its environs. Several weeks ago Frank Conrad, who has a private laboratory at Penn avenue

and Peables street, this city, took his phonograph over to his wireless telephone transmitter, put on a record, and started the music. When it was ended he called up Frank Moore, Jr., at Forbes and Broaddock avenues, who possesses the only other sending set for a wireless telephone in this city, and asked how the music sounded. Moore was enthusiastic, and that started the concert. The music is heard, it is said, in exactly the tones rendered by the phonograph record.

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LOCAL NEWS

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WILL BE DELIGHTFUL. Christmas pantomime Queen Square church Tuesday evening, 8 o'clock.

NEW YEAR'S EVE DINNER. Special New Year's Eve dinner with music at the Clifton House commencing at 11 o'clock.

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LOCAL NEWS

Rev. H. Girling addressed a large gathering in Trinity school room yesterday on his experiences in the Arctic.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. Mont Jones will be glad to learn that their little daughter, Margaret, who was operated upon at the General Public Hospital last Friday for appendicitis, is doing as well as could be expected.

An enquiry has been received in this city as to the whereabouts of Harry Stouche, or Mitchell, son of the late Emma Stouche, or Mitchell, who came to New Brunswick some years ago with his mother.

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CLASH AT FUNERAL; MANY ARE WOUNDED. Havana, Dec. 30—Some twenty-five persons were wounded yesterday in encounters between the police, persons attending the funeral of a laborer killed in Sunday's demonstration against the high cost of living and spectators gathered to see the funeral.

DIES AT 86; LEAVES HUSBAND OF 100. Harbor Springs, Mich., Dec. 30.—Mrs. John Ferry, 86 years old, a resident of Cross village, near here, for half a century, died.

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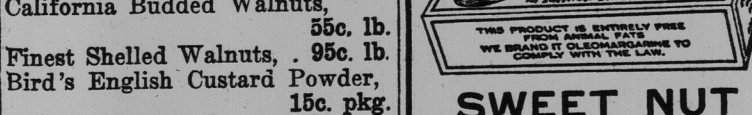
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1 lb. can Crisco, 35c

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The Evening Times and Star

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THE JUVENILE COURT. The municipal council will have before it again in the new year the request for funds to establish a juvenile court. What the Rotary Club did last evening has been done by the directors of the Y. M. C. A. various benevolent organizations and most of the women's societies and clubs in the city. It is favored by the council of the board of trade and members of the school board. A Catholic clergyman who visited the city during the past year expressed surprise and regret that St. John was without a juvenile court.

At a time when Canadians were hoping the expectation of Attorney-General Palmer of the United States, that the price of food would decline in that country in the next three months, would prove true and extend to Canada, word is received that the price of flour in St. John has gone up two dollars and a quarter per barrel. This is not cheering news in a country which is a large exporter of wheat. The public would like to know more about the cause of this increase, which falls heaviest upon those least able to bear the burden.

IN THE FAR NORTH. Far within the Arctic circle, twenty-five hundred miles from the nearest rail-head, are vast deposits of copper. The Eskimos use it for spear heads and for other purposes. Other minerals doubtless also abound there. The wealth of that vast region in fish and reindeer is also enormous. It is part of Canada. Some time in the future the needed facilities for transportation will be provided, and following the missionary and trader will go the men of vision and means to add these riches to the available wealth of Canada.

GERMANY'S FUTURE. The New York Evening Post does not fear that Germany will soon become a lean competitor in the world's business. It bases its views on a report just issued by the German Economic Council, which certainly is far from being a royal document. The summary given by the Evening Post presents the case very clearly, as follows:

According to the census of 1910 the population of Germany was 64,925,983. By the terms of the Treaty she loses 1,250,000 inhabitants. During the war she lost an effective working population of 3,780,000, of whom 3,000,000 were the most productive age group. Germany is to furnish the Allies 40,000,000 tons of coal annually. The Saar Basin, lost to her for at least fifteen years, yielded 17,000,000 tons, or 9 per cent of the entire anthracite production annually. Upper Silesia yielded in 1918 about 48,000,000 tons, or 32 per cent of the entire output. In the last year of the war Germany's total coal production was 191,000,000 tons. Germany loses, therefore, about one-half of all the coal she produced. The general outlook for raw minerals is not a cheerful one. In 1918 the output of the Alsace-Lorraine mines was 20,000,000 tons in Alsace-Lorraine, Upper Silesia, the Saar Basin and part of Luxembourg. Germany loses 82 per cent of her raw iron, 46 per cent of her steel, and 48 per cent of her rolled iron. Her production of zinc in Upper Silesia, 220,000 tons before the war, and of lead 85,000 tons, is reduced to 51,811 and 4,618 tons, respectively. Her monopoly in potash is gone, also 42 per cent of her crude oil production. From her colonies she derived annually about 16,000 tons of rubber, or about one-fourth of her entire consumption.

BEER CLEAN UP. A great movement will be launched soon to clean up the beer business in Nova Scotia, said Rev. H. R. Grant at Glace Bay the other day. "The inspectors all over the province have received their orders from the Inspector in chief to clean up the liquor out of Nova Scotia, and I for one am going to do the best I can."

Rippling Rhymes by Walt Mason

INDUSTRY. "Industry we thrive," our fathers used to say; all day they looked pale and sad, and their eyes were dim. They went to work full time and a dim pause to rest; and thus our fathers built the country we inhabit. "By close we thrive," this is our watchword now; no longer do we strive to earn in sweat and brow. The country's bowed with care, the care that sears the soul; and we hand out hot air, and make a few remarks, on platforms, and get a rousing, a protest and a cheer. The country's needing peace, and harmony and zeal, and it would have us cease from fuss and fret; and we have silver tongues, and laughingly we pose, and labor with our lungs. The sound of factory bell can only chafe and irritate; we're blinding with a spell, and haven't time to work. Together let us act, let all our rows be stilled; let's try to earn with sweat what we can't earn with wind.

CANADA—EAST AND WEST

DOMINION HAPPENINGS OF OTHER DAYS. THE HON. JAMES MCGILL. To the Hon. James McGill, who died in Montreal on Dec. 18, 1818, the city of Montreal in particular and the Dominion of Canada as a whole owe much for the foundation of McGill University. It was a small institution that he bought of a small innkeeper but it has grown into a wonderful educational centre. He was a native of Glasgow, Scotland, and was a member of the faculty of the Royal High School. He was a student of the University of Edinburgh and was a member of the Faculty of Law. He was a member of the Faculty of Law and was a member of the Faculty of Law.

HE DIDN'T AGREE. The visitor to the lawyer's office stood in amazement. "I say, old man," he exclaimed. "What ever was that about your head? It was a smash, or what?" The lawyer shook his head wearily as he gingerly touched his bruised and banded forehead. "No, you remember that case the other day when I defended a man charged with assault? Well, I made a strong plea for him on the ground that he was a fool rather than a criminal."

LITTLE TEMPEST OVER PATRONAGE HAS SUBSIDED. Toronto, Dec. 30.—Peace has been proclaimed in the parliament building here the government is still firmly in the saddle, Harold Currie, organizer of the United Farmers of Ontario, of Strathroy, says he is satisfied with the explanations given by the ministers as to the recent appointment of a registrar for Middlesex county, and Miss Minnie V. Waller remains registrar of Middlesex. It is understood that Premier Duffin made it clear that members of the legislature, even if United Farmers members, will not have the handling of patronage.

The Perfection Oil Heater. Will bring you quick, economical heat, this cold weather and impart a genial warmth throughout the whole room. No. 530. Nicked trimmings, polished steel drums, lead coated steel reservoir. Price \$8.25. No. 630. Nicked trimmings, blue vitreous enamelled drums, lead coated steel reservoir. Price \$10.25.

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LA TOUR FLOUR. Start the New Year With LA TOUR FLOUR. FOWLER MILLING CO., LTD. - St. John West. We have for sale For Immediate Delivery, Relaying Rails and Reinforcing Rails, Cut in All Lengths; Also Bar Iron, Channel Iron, 1 Steel Derrick Leg, Chain.

QUEBEC PROVINCE HAS 128 CASES OF SMALLPOX. Montreal, Dec. 30.—At a meeting, the provincial board of health yesterday reported that there were 128 cases of smallpox in twenty-one municipalities. The provincial council adopted a resolution asking that a close watch be kept on the Quebec boundary, and that the vaccination of everyone from Ontario wishing to enter Quebec province be guaranteed. A few cases of sleeping sickness have been reported from Quebec and Montreal, but the conclusion of the board was that the real sleeping sickness does not exist here as the germ could not live in so northerly a climate.

FOLEY'S PREPARED FIRE CLAY. You can line your own stove with FOLEY'S PREPARED FIRE CLAY. W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd., Market Square. T. McAvity & Sons, Ltd., King St. E. Wilson, Ltd., Sydney St. Emerson & Fisher, Ltd., Germain Street. D. J. Barrett, 105 Union Street. Geo. W. Marshall, Haymarket Sq. How M. Logan, Haymarket Sq. C. H. Ritchie, 220 Main Street. Quinn and Co., 415 Main Street. J. A. Lipsett, Variety Store, 233 Brussels Street. H. G. Eastlow, 1 Brussels street. J. Stott, Fairville. W. E. Emerson, 81 Union St., W. E.

IMPROVEMENT IN THE FINANCES AT WASHINGTON. Washington, Dec. 30.—Improvement in the governmental financial situation to such an extent that "an important part of the March tax payment" will be available for current use, was forecasted by Secretary Glass. In announcing last night the issuance of a new series of tax certificates, dated Jan. 2 and maturing Dec. 15, 1920. Outstanding treasury certificates of indebtedness, including tax certificates, were reduced by \$28,703,600 during the month ended Dec. 24. The treasury's hopeful view was based on figures showing that provision had been made for more than half of the \$1,397,568,000 of treasury certificates yet outstanding.

# POOR DOCUMENT

## MC 2035

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1919

### Maltese Cross Rubber Footwear

As local agents and representing this line of Rubber Footwear we have a complete stock including styles to fit all the different heels of women's dress and street boots, men's broad or recede toes, infants' and children's many styles.

Avoid "Flu"—Buy Rubbers.

**Waterbury & Rising Limited**  
212 UNION ST. 677 MAIN ST.  
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### COAL

All Kinds - Hard and Soft  
TELEPHONE 1913  
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### Silver Pattern

ENGLISH SEMI-PORCELAIN

A neat border design that never tires. We can supply single pieces or complete sets as desired.

**W. H. HAYWARD CO., LTD., 85-93 Princess St.**

### NOT PLEASED WITH CLASSIFICATION

Ottawa, Dec. 30.—The employees of the public works department are opposed to the civil service classification as it affects them and last evening they organized to protest against its application.

This may be the forerunner of "revolts" in other departments. Not all of them have yet received their classifications.

### THE POLICE WANT BEATRICE VESLER

Son of Wealthy Detroit Manufacturer Murdered.

Call Out Also for a Man Who May Know Something of Case—Girl Also Known by Two Other Names.

Mount Clemens, Mich., Dec. 30.—A warrant for the arrest of Beatrice Vesler on the charge of murdering J. Stanley Brown, son of a wealthy Detroit manufacturer, was issued yesterday as a result of information implicating the woman given them by Miss Gladys Summit of Battle Creek, Mich.

In requesting police of many cities to search for the Vesler woman the officers also sent out a call for the arrest of a man they say may also have been connected with the killing of Brown.

Beatrice Vesler, also known as Beatrice Workman and Beatrice Nelson, it is said, left Battle Creek on last Saturday after inviting her roommate, Miss Summit, to accompany her to Toledo. Letters found in the girl's room indicate she had formerly lived in Flint, and other letters from her grandmother, in Kalamazoo, urged her to return to that city.

According to Miss Summit the girl for whom a warrant was issued yesterday was absent from Battle Creek from last Tuesday until Wednesday afternoon and upon her return displayed much interest in the news of Brown's death, later becoming hysterical and fearing that her name might be connected with the case.

Miss Summit and Herrick Kendall, a taxi driver, brought her Sunday for examination, were released last night and returned to Battle Creek. Dolly Bennett, detained in Sandusky, Ohio, on Saturday was also released without further questioning.

### Get the Habit of Eating

More Wholesome Appetizing Bread Baked From PURITY FLOUR

USE IT FOR ALL YOUR BAKING

**Western Canada Flour Mills Co., Limited**  
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### That Whiff of Fragrance

which never fails in its cheerful invitation to breakfast, comes more frequently, more invitingly, when it's SEAL BRAND COFFEE

that is used. The famous Seal Brand flavour, fragrance and delicacy are sealed right into the tin.

In 1/2, 1 and 2 1/2 lbs. Never sold in bulk. Whole, ground, and Flax-ground, for Trinitarians and ordinary purposes. At all good dealers.

Perfect Coffee—Tenderly made—It's just how we make Coffee. It's fine. WRITE for it.

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### THE CONSOLIDATED PLATE GLASS CO

OF CANADA LIMITED

WINNIPEG TORONTO MONTREAL

Do you realize that your best salesman is a modern up to date store front. "Zouri" Metal Store Front Construction.

### WOMAN SUSPECTED IN PASSAIC MURDER

Police Believe She Was Working with Robbers Who Killed Storekeeper's Wife.

Passaic, N. J., Dec. 30.—Police investigating the murder of Mrs. Morris Goldstein by highwaymen in her husband's furnishing store believe that a woman either participated in the robbery and murder or that she was in the automobile while her companion entered the store and shot Mrs. Goldstein.

Some distance out of the city the police found a five-passenger touring car, which had been abandoned by the trio who had attempted to hold up the Goldstein store. In this car was found a woman's handbag, in which were some letters written by a Jersey City man to a woman in Philadelphia.

The Passaic police got in communication with the Jersey City police and Harry J. Nelson, twenty-five years old, of 98 Maple street, Jersey City, was questioned. Nelson readily admitted that he wrote the letters. The girl to whom he had written, and whose name was not given out by the police, formerly lived in Jersey City, and left last fall for Philadelphia, according to Nelson.

Nelson was able to furnish an alibi. He said that Wednesday night until after midnight he was in the saloon of Victor Novak, 464 Halladay street, Jersey City, and this statement was verified by Novak.

Detective Sergeant Howard of Passaic went to Jersey City, where, with Detective Brady and Walsh of Jersey City, he closely questioned Nelson, learning much about the past of the woman for whom a thorough search is now being made. Nelson and the Jersey City detectives came to Passaic with Sergeant Howard this afternoon and was questioned by the chief of detectives.

As a result of information concerning the woman's past as disclosed by Nelson, the police were working on the theory that the woman now being sought is an active figure if not actually a leader in a daring criminal band which operates between Philadelphia and New York.

### TESTS POWDER IN FIRE, IS DYING WITH WIFE

Pennsylvania Miner's Child Killed and His House Wrecked by Explosion.

Washington, Pa., Dec. 30.—Herbert Waters, aged forty-three, a coal miner at Morrisville, near here, tested the quality of blasting powder by tossing a handful into an open fire in his house. Waters and his wife, Mary, aged forty, are dying in the Waynesburg Hospital; their eight-year-old daughter, Belma, is dead, and their fourteen-year-old son, Thomas, is suffering from severe but not fatal injuries.

Waters had a keg of powder in his home, to be used in mine blasting. The explosive had become damp and he was in doubt as to its quality. Examining a handful as he sat in front of the fire he tossed a few chunks into the blaze. The resulting explosion ignited the keg of powder, which blew out one entire side of the two-story brick house and buried the occupants into the yard.

### ENJOYED SKATING PARTY.

The Epworth League of Zion Methodist church varied their usual Monday night programme last evening by a most enjoyable skating party, at which there were more than fifty present on Lily Lake. On their return they sat down to a very pleasant supper provided by the ladies of the church. A short address by Rev. M. E. Connor brought the evening to a close.

"Burley's Ranch" was presented by the Thorne Lodge Dramatic Society at the Seaman's Institute last night. Between the acts Miss Lines and Miss Marion Brown were heard in recitations. The hall was well filled. Miss Mary Owens was accompanied.

### HORLICK'S Malted Milk for Invalids

A nourishing and digestible diet. Contains rich milk and malted grain extract. A powder soluble in water.

Stores Open 9 a.m., Close 6 p.m. Daily During January, February and March

#### Pre-Stock Taking Sale of Men's and Boys' Top Coats and Suits in Men's Clothing Section—SECOND FLOOR

**New English Striped Flannelettes**  
These are showing in many good color combinations, suitable for Women's or Children's Underwear; also Men's and Boys Shirts, Pyjamas, etc.

**All Wool and Union Flannels**  
are in cream, natural, grey, navy, scarlet and stripes.

**Oxford Shirtings**  
showing in a number of good patterns, in light, medium and dark colors.

**Grey Shaker Sheeting**  
in 72 in. Width  
(Linen Section—Ground Floor)

**Women's English Tweed Hosiery**  
in stripes, spots and two-tone effects. These are the latest novelty and very much in demand.  
85c. to \$2.00 pair

Get Yours Early and Avoid Disappointment



(Hosiery Section—Annex)

#### Clearance Sale of Women's and Misses' Serge, Silk and Crepe-de-Chene Dresses IN COSTUME SECTION—SECOND FLOOR

**NOVELTY PLAIDS**  
The winter season calls for heavier skirts for wearing with fur or heavy cloth coats. You will find in our assortment of Skirting just what you are in need of.

Handsome Plaids in the season's best liked color combinations, 36 to 56 in. wide.  
\$1.45, \$1.90, \$2.40, \$2.90, \$3.90 and \$4.40 Yard

**New Military and Scotch Stripe Skirtings**  
showing in the very latest shade effects.

40 inches wide... \$1.65 yard  
50 inches wide... \$3.75 yard  
58 inches wide... \$6.90 yard  
(Dress Goods Section—Ground Floor)

**Cozy Woollen Neck Scarfs**  
are here in variety. Some are pretty light colored plaids wider than ordinary widths, others are plain colors with border or smart tuxedo roll in contrasting color.



(Costume Section—2nd Floor)

#### DINING-ROOM FURNITURE FOR THE NEW YEAR

Both in style and finish, this furniture is expressive of the times. Beautiful suites or separate pieces are showing in Period or modern designs. If you have been planning some changes in your dining-room, you will find in our stocks a good choice for individual requirements.

Among other things are:—

**MAHOGANY SUITES** in "Queen Anne" and Adams periods, finished in the prevailing Old English Brown.

**OAK SUITES** in golden polished, fumed and Old English finishes.

**SEPARATE OAK EXTENSION TABLES.**

**CHINA CABINETS AND SETS OF CHAIRS** in mostly all wanted shades.

**WALNUT FURNITURE** in suites and separate pieces.

**WALNUT, MAHOGANY AND RATTAN TEA CARTS.**

**MAHOGANY AND FUMED OAK SERVING TRAYS** with folding stand.

We will be glad to show you the newest and most popular styles of Furniture for other parts of the home as well. Any desired piece would make a practical and most acceptable New Year's gift.

Come in and Look Over the Different Varieties!  
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KING STREET GERMAIN STREET MARKET SQUARE

### K. OF C. ASSEMBLY.

One of the most enjoyable events of the season was held last evening, when the St. John Council, Knights of Columbus, were at home to their friends in their hall in Coburg street. There were about 200 present and a delightful programme of dances was carried out.

### M. T. Morris, Charles Owens, F. J. McInerney, F. J. McDonald, Wm. O'Leary, Frank Murphy, James McManus and A. F. Ryan.

Dr. Margaret Parks has been appointed examining medical inspector under the dominion government in connection with immigration at this port.

# Welch's Grapelade

a pure grape jam



TASTE alone will tell how good it is. To say that it is all a jam can be is wholly truthful—but we ask you to judge for yourself.

Go to your dealer and get a jar today. You will find Grapelade to be not only real jam but a new and superlative kind of jam. You'll find it full of the flavor of grapes, because it is made of them. It is just tart-sweet enough because pure sugar is added to the goodness of the fruit. It is smooth because all the seeds and skins and acid crystals are removed. It is real "honey of grapes."

Sold by dealers everywhere in glass jars and enamel-lined tins. Write for recipe folder.

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FOR SALE GENERAL

FOR SALE—MAN'S BLACK FUR coat, 38 chest; bargain. Tel. 1247-11. 10694-1-7

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—NEW SELF-CONTAINED house just completed, Douglas ave.; freehold; property lot 40x150; eight rooms and bath; latest improvements; terms reasonable. A bargain for quick buyer, as owner leaving the city. For full particulars write P. O. Box 374. 10694-1-7

HORSES, ETC.

MASON PUNG, NEARLY NEW. Apply Great Eastern Garage. 10694-1-7

BEATEN AND ROBBED AND LEFT IN STREET BLIND

Ottawa, Dec. 29.—Saying that he had been assaulted and robbed of a watch and money, Alexander Campbell, 99 Sherbrooke street, was picked up about midnight in Merton street and placed under arrest, charged with intoxication. At the police station it was found that he was totally blind, as the result of the beating he had received. He was taken to St. Luke's hospital.

NEW BRUNSWICK BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

IN THE MATTER of the application of the New Brunswick Telephone Company, Limited, for an increase of rates, and for a re-classification of exchanges, and for the approval of certain rules and regulations.

DATED this 17th day of December, A. D., 1919.

BY THE BOARD, Sgd. FRED P. ROBINSON, Clerk.

AUCTIONS

APPLES, APPLES 200 Bushel Boxes of Choice Apples BY AUCTION on Market Square on Wednesday morning, the 31st inst., at 10.30 o'clock. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

REAL ESTATE

If you have real estate you wish to dispose of this would be the time to sell. We have the means to sell your property at the best price. F. L. POTTS, Real Estate Broker.

AUTOS FOR SALE

1916 FORD CAR, NEWLY PAINTED and overhauled; all good tires. Price \$350. Terms one-third cash. Balance 12 months. H. O. Miller, 178 Marsh street. Phone 4078. 106910-1-3

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—POSITION AS BOOK-keeper or assistant bookkeeper, by qualified young man. Box H 84, Times Office. 106939-1-3

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the petition and application of the New Brunswick Telephone Company, Limited, filed this day with the Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities of the Province of New Brunswick, praying that this Board may declare that the said Company requires an additional annual revenue of \$264,000, or such sum as in the opinion of the Board may be necessary, and that this Board may order that the schedule of tolls and charges annexed to the said petition be adopted in lieu of those at present in force, and also proposing a reclassification of exchanges and certain rules and regulations to be approved by the Board, will be heard on Wednesday, the 21st day of January next at the hour of 2.30 of the clock in the afternoon at the Government Rooms, Prince William Street, in the City of Saint John, when and where all parties interested may attend and be heard.

The petition of the said Company is on file in the office of the Clerk of the Board, in the City of Fredericton, where the same may be inspected.

DATED this 17th day of December, A. D., 1919.

BY THE BOARD, Sgd. FRED P. ROBINSON, Clerk.

COOKS AND MAIDS

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply Mrs. R. M. Johnson, 64 Albert street. 106945-1-3

WANTED—FEMALE

CHAMBERMAID WANTED, Victoria Hotel. 106971-1-3

WANTED—MALE HELP

January 1st, a reliable and experienced man as steward for local steamer. Good references required. Apply Shipping Master, Customs House, St. John. 1-2

TO PURCHASE

TO PURCHASE—TWO OR THREE story house; central; modern; confidential cash proposition. Main 2828-1. 106944-1-3

USE The Want Ad Way

HELP WANTED

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework (no children). Apply H. P. Ham, 188 Douglas avenue. 106973-1-7

WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—GIRL TO HELP WRAPPING bread. Day work. Robinson's Bakery, Colchester street. 106989-1-3

WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—VEGETABLE COOK. Apply Clifton House. 106992-1-3

WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—GIRL TO TRANSCRIBE dictation from Dictaphone. A previous knowledge of the Dictaphone is not essential, provided she has had experience in correspondence and is of good education. A thoroughly competent girl can obtain a high salary, more than need apply. Apply in own handwriting, giving previous experience, to Box H 70, Times Office. 106979-1-3

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WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—GIRL, GOOD WAGES to right party. Brunswick House. 106989-1-3

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FLATS TO LET

FROM MAY 1 NEXT, TWO UPPER flats, one lower flat Douglas avenue. Latest improvements. Seven rooms and bath. Rental \$45 monthly. Small family preferred. Phone Main 576 or 8907. 106994-1-7

HOUSES TO LET

HOUSE AND BARN, NEAR COURTNEY Bay Works. Apply W. G. Walters, 238 Pitt street. 106944-1-3

TO LET

Self-contained house with grounds, Lancaster Avenue, West St. John; also flats. Possession at once. City Real Estate Co., 60 Prince William Street. Phone M. 3074 and W. 324.

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TO RENT—TWO FRONT OFFICES, heated, immediate possession. Phone M 2943. 106976-1-6

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FURNISHED ROOMS

FURNISHED ROOM, 40 HORSFIELD street. 106932-1-7

ROOMS WANTED

WANTED—TWO OR THREE unfurnished rooms in central part of city for light house-keeping by elderly lady. State rental. Apply Times, H 77 Box. 106888-12-3

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NICE DRY Mill Wood FOR KINDLING Just the thing to start your fires quickly. Cut in short lengths. Price, \$2.25 a load

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Several Men Wanted

Apply—Peters' Tannery 12-27-t. 1

WANTED

WANTED—TO RENT, 4000 FEET of floor space or demonstration of light machinery. Top floor suitable. Lift not necessary. Central location preferred. Royden Foley, Loch Leonard road, Phone M. 196-11. 106936-1-3

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—SUM OF MONEY, VESTIBULE Merchants' Bank, Dec. 16. Owner can have by identifying property. 106977-1-7

SIR WM. OSLER IS DEAD IN ENGLAND

Noted Canadian Surgeon Passes Away. Oxford, England, Dec. 29.—Sir William Osler, the noted physician, who has been ill for several weeks, died here this evening.

New Year Term

Opens on Monday Jan. 5, 1920. Modern training has proven its superiority. You will like our school. Enter on the opening of the New Year term. MODERN BUSINESS COLLEGE Limited. Corner Mill and Union Sts. St. John, N.B.

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For rooms where the wear is not great fir makes a beautiful floor. The pretty grain and warmth of color are pleasing to the eye. \$85.00

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SAILINGS—RATES TO EUROPE FROM WEST ST. JOHN TO

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FIRE LOSS SAID TO BE \$100,000
Outbreak Last Night in Dock Street Buildings

A fire, which broke out in the American Cloak Manufacturing Company, 39 Dock street, last night caused thousands of dollars damage before it was extinguished.

The damage to the building which is owned by Roger Owen & Co. is roughly estimated at \$100,000.

The fire, which started a little before midnight, had made considerable headway before it was seen and an alarm was given.

The buildings from 38 to 40 were only slightly damaged and the loss is covered by insurance.

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LOCAL NEWS
DeMONT'S BALL
Knights of Columbus Hall, January 5.

Big dance Rockwood Park tonight
Held PRISONER BY JAPANESE
Rome, Dec. 30 - Poland, Austria, Czechoslovakia and Hungary have appealed to Pope Benedict to obtain the liberation and repatriation of about two hundred thousand their subjects, who are still prisoners of Japanese in Siberia and who are suffering hardships of all kinds.

FIGHT RETAIL MEN OF LAWRENCE
American Woolen Co. President Opening Co-operative Store for Employees.

STAYMENT BY MILNER WELL RECEIVED
Calro, Dec. 30 - A statement was issued today by Viscount Milner, secretary for the colonies, who heads a mission to the Egyptian Sudan.

THE SLEEPING SICKNESS GETS MONTREAL HOLD
Montreal, Dec. 30 - Two cases of "sleeping sickness," one in Dorchester street and one in the north end, have been reported and, according to the opinion of one local neurologist, there have been more than a dozen cases in the city in the last three months.

ROHIBITION IN MONTREAL AND HOSPITAL CASES
Montreal, Dec. 30 - Prohibition has had no decrease in the number of cases admitted to the hospitals here for treatment, according to information secured by a canvass of the local newspapers this morning.

MARRIAGES
OHNSTON-MURPHY - On Thursday, Dec. 19, Miss Lillian Murphy was married to Robert Johnston, Rev. G. A. Kuhring.

REV. J. G. A. BELVEA
PASSES AWAY
Baptist Pastor at Cross Creek, York County - News of Fredericton.

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 30 - Rev. J. G. A. Belvea, pastor of the Baptist Church at Cross Creek, York County, died yesterday at that place. He had been in failing health for some time with heart trouble.

Both Thomas H. Luce, who produced the film, and the star himself, insisted that the price which the scenario called for was a real knock-down-and-drag-out battle, and so it is.

FEATURE HOLIDAY BILL BOOKED FOR THE OPERA HOUSE
New Programme Will Be Presented This Evening - Has Many Attractions.

Point Raised by Colored Man in Montreal - Decision Favors House Proprietor.
Montreal, Dec. 30 - By a majority decision rendered yesterday by the court of appeals, the proprietor of a theatre, who had been ordered to pay damages to a colored man for the right of admission, was granted a writ of habeas corpus.

CONDENSED NEWS
The U. S. Shipping Board yesterday allocated the steamer George Washington to the American Line for service between New York, Brest, Cherbourg and Southampton.

DEATH IN KINGSCLEAR
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GOOD THINGS COMING TO OUR THEATRES
CHAS. RAY FILM FURNISHES TREAT FOR FIGHT FANS
Youthful Screen Star Shines as Pugnillist in "The Egg Crate Wallop" Tomorrow.

If Charles Ray, the famous motion picture star, ever wants to quit the pictures, there's a great future waiting for him in the prize ring.

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THE DE GORZOA CONCERT
Emilio de Gogorza will give a recital at the Imperial Theatre, January 1, 1920.

LOCAL NEWS
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SKATING PARTY
Miss Gertrude Bolden gave a skating party at the Victoria rink, Saturday last evening.

GOING TO MONCTON
A. V. Wright, who returned from overland last winter, has accepted a position with L. Higgins Co., Moncton, as manager of their main shoe store.

FINANCIAL
NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.
(J. M. Robinson & Sons, Members Montreal Stock Exchange)

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price, Change. Includes Am Sumatra, Am Car & Pdy, Am Locomotive, etc.

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New Bonds for Old
Strange as it may seem, many people like to trade or exchange bonds after they have held them a year or so.

Royal Securities CORPORATION LIMITED
We can also show you many other distinct models.

SHIPPING
ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, DEC. 30.
High Tide ... 5.02 Low Tide ... 11.57

UP GO FREIGHT RATES IN ENGLAND; PRICES RESPOND
London, Dec. 30 - A new schedule of railroad freight rates fixed by the ministry of transport will become operative on January 15 and will vary from 25 to 100 per cent.

PERSONAL
E. Medley Scovell, of New York, formerly of Hotham and St. John, is being welcomed to the city by his many friends and relatives here.

POLICE BARRACKS IN IRELAND BURNED
Killybegs, County Londonderry, Ireland, Dec. 30 - The police barracks at Killybegs, near Londonderry, were raided and burned to the ground on Sunday night.

BOY KILLED WHILE SHOOTING SPARROWS
Montreal, Dec. 30 - Camille Gordin, thirteen years of age, died last night in the Notre Dame hospital after being shot in the head on Saturday afternoon when he and a party of boys were out shooting sparrows.

PILE'S
Do not suffer from Piles. Pile's is the only medicine that cures Piles.

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DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS
THE KIDNEY DISORDER
23 THE PROPHET

ST. JOHN WOMAN GAINS 17 POUNDS

Was All Rundown After Influenza But is a Well and Happy Woman Now. I have gained seventeen pounds since I started taking Tanlac and I am well and happy now...

RELEASED FROM JAIL AFTER TWO JURIES DIFFERED. Joseph P. Amberg was released from jail yesterday afternoon on the order of Mr. Justice Barry...

RHODES SCHOLAR. Toronto, Dec. 29.—The Ontario committee for the selection of Rhodes scholars announced that they have selected...

Nothing Like It For Bronchitis And Weak Throat. Remarkable Cures in the Worst Cases Reported Daily.

Doctors now advocate an entirely new method for treating bronchitis and irritable throat. Stomach dosing is no longer necessary.

Eyes Weak? If your eyes are weak and work-strained, your vision blurred, if you find it difficult to read and must wear glasses, go to your druggist and get a bottle of Son-Opto tablets.

FOR HEADACHE AND NEURALGIA ANTI-KAMNIA TABLETS FOR ALL PAIN. ASK FOR AK TABLETS.

New Year's Eve Gives Prophet of World's End Another Chance

Predictions of Dry and Dull Celebration Certain to Prove True—New York Restaurateurs Furnish Necessary Data For Accurate Forecast.

(N. Y. Evening Post) Here's a chance for the learned professor who prophesied the end of the world the other day—and guessed wrong—to square himself with the public. Let him predict that New York is about to spend the quietest, driest, dullest New Year's Eve in history. He may not make himself any more popular, but he will at least succeed in trying to score so far as his reputation as a prophet is concerned. That New Year's Eve forecast, according to the hotel and restaurant men, is no idle dream, neither are there any astrological strings attached thereto. It is a sure thing.

EAT A LOT OF EELS IN NEW YORK

About 400,000 Pounds of Wriggle Sold There for the Christmas Season.

Noting the fact that about 400,000 pounds of eels would be sold in New York for Christmas market, and that about three-fourths of the eels sold in New York for the Christmas trade this year will be live eels, it will come from the St. Lawrence River at the point where Lake Ontario empties into it.

Why Pyramid P

Ask Any Druggist How Repeatedly Pyramid P Has Made the Recognized Treatment. SEND FOR FREE TRIAL.

CALOMEL!

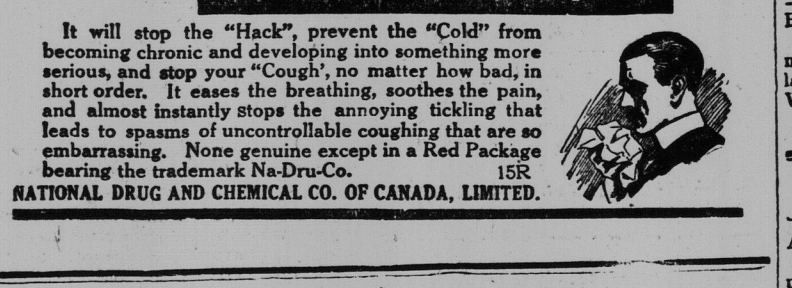
It's Mercury! Quick-silver! Shocks the Liver—Danger!

NUXATED IRON

Increases strength of delicate, nervous, run-down people in two weeks' time in many instances. Used and highly endorsed by former United States Senators and Members of Congress, well-known physicians and former Public Health officials. Ask your doctor or druggist about it.

Hack! Hack! Sneeze!! Sneeze!! Cough!!! Cough!!!

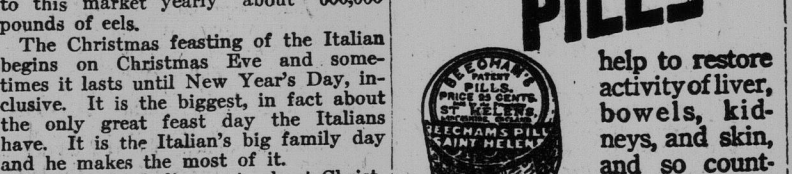
Yes, you feel miserable all right and you're making every nerve near you feel miserable too. What you need is a bottle of NADRUCO Syrup of Tar with Cod Liver Oil Compound.



It will stop the "Hack," prevent the "Cold" from becoming chronic and developing into something more serious, and stop your "Cough," no matter how bad, in short order. It eases the breathing, soothes the pain, and almost instantly stops the annoying tickling that leads to spasms of uncontrollable coughing that are so embarrassing. None except a Real Tackler bearing the trademark "NADRUCO" 15R NATIONAL DRUG AND CHEMICAL CO. OF CANADA, LIMITED.

Painful Sensations in the muscles, "neuralgia", soreness, aching back, pimples, boils, rashes and other eruptions, usually result from self-poisoning by products of imperfectly digested or non-eliminated food.

help to restore activity of liver, bowels, kidneys, and skin, and so counteract cause and relieve symptoms.



Large Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere in Canada. In boxes, 25c, 50c.

Nearly Every Girl Can Make Herself Pretty and Attractive

SOME WHOLESOME TRUTHS EVERY GIRL SHOULD THINK ABOUT. Probably you know just such a girl. Perhaps she is sixteen—good to look at, and pretty—quite interesting because she reflects the graces and charm that give promise of happiness to herself and to others.

Why She Suffered FIVE YEARS

Finally Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Key West, Fla.—"For five years I suffered from irregularities, with terrible pains and an awful weakness in my back. The doctor gave me different medicines but they did me no good. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I found it to be the best medicine I ever tried because it made me well, and I can now do my household work."

FREE SAMPLE COUPON

Send this coupon to: Lydia E. Pinkham, 253 Brimley St., Boston, Mass. I desire a free sample of your Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

SHOPS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Designed to Place Before Our Readers the Merchandise, Craftsmanship and Service Offered By Shops and Specialty Stores.

BABY CLOTHING. BABY'S BEAUTIFUL LONG Clothes, daintily made of the finest materials; everything required; ten dollars complete. Send for catalogue, Mrs. Wolfson, 673 Young street, Toronto. 1-1920

BARGAINS. A NICE VARIETY OF USEFUL and fancy goods, suitable for Christmas presents at Wilmore's, Garden St.

CARS WANTED. GOOD USED CARS, FORDS, Chevrolts, Overlands, Grey Dorts, McLaughlins. Highest cash prices paid. Used Car Exchange, 178 Marsh road.

CHIMNEY SWEEPING. WITH MECHANICAL APPARATUS we make and repair furnaces and conductors, pipe, kettles, boilers, etc. Repair Shop, corner Brunsell and Haymarket Square. Open evenings. Phone 8714.

ENGRAVERS. F. C. WESLEY & CO. ARTISTS and Engravers, 20 Water street. Telephone M. 982.

HATS BLOCKED. HATS BLOCKED—LADIES' BEAVER, Velour and Felt Hats blocked over in latest style. Mrs. T. R. James, 200 Main street, opposite Adelaide.

HAIRDRESSING. MISS McGRATH, N. Y. PARLORS, Imperial Theatre Building. Special sale of hair goods in every design. Branches of work done. Gent's manicuring. Phone Main 2696-51. N. Y. graduate.

IRON FOUNDRIES. UNION FOUNDRY AND MACHINE Works, Limited, George H. Waring manager, West St. John, N. B. Engineers and Machinists, Iron and Brass Foundry.

JOBBER. AUTO MECHANIC AND LICENSED chauffeur, ready to respond to emergency calls day or night. H. B. Thompson, 21 Sydney street. Phone 1033-11. 10471-1-1

MARRIAGE LICENSES. MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT any time. Wexford, Main street.

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MONEY TO LOAN. MONEY TO LOAN ON FARRHOLD and Leasehold Security. Loans negotiated for both borrower and lender. 11c. M. 684, Heber S. Keith, 50 Prince street.

PIANO MOVING. PIANO MOVING BY AUTO, FURNITURE MOVED TO COUNTRY, parties and pianos taken out general carriage. Phone Arthur Mackenzie, Main 314-51.

PLUMBING. R. M. SPEARS, PLUMBING AND Heating Contractor. Jobbing a specialty. All work promptly attended to. 24 St. Andrews street. Phone M. 1838-31. 10883-1-10

PROFESSIONAL. TO LADIES A SPECIAL TREATMENT for removal of hairs, moles, wrinkles and muscular wasting, etc. R. Wilby Medical, Electrical Specialty and Masseuse, 46 King Square, St. John.

ROOFING. VAUGHAN & LEONARD, GRAVEL ROOFING and Metal Work for building. Have your furnace and pipe repaired before cold weather. Stoves bought and sold. Work promptly attended to. Phone 2879-41.

REPAIRING. FURNITURE REPAIRING AND Upholstering. 276 Union. Phone 915-11.

NEW SCHEDULE. Ottawa, Dec. 29.—A change has been made in the schedule for Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King's meetings in the east. Instead of speaking at Halifax on January 10, as was intended, Mr. King will address a gathering there on Monday, January 12. He will be at Charlottetown on January 14 and at St. John on Friday, January 16. From St. John he will return to Ottawa.

DO YOU WISH TO SELL? If that is your purpose you would do no better than communicate with us at once. We have a constant stream of inquiries for all classes of property, and yours may be just the property that some one is looking for. We make no charge for listing or advertising your only outlay is in paying the commission if we make a sale.

DO NOT wait till after the first of February as the buying is fairly brisk and well cooled off. Phone us for appointment and it will be a pleasure to call upon you and give you any further detailed information desired. This is our best season for the sale of house property. It is because the purchaser is certain of occupancy by May 1st and the account of February being "Notice Month."

Again, surely the first of the new year is the permanent time to make as one of your resolutions to be your own landlord. Phone Main 2534. Taylor & Sweeney Real Estate Brokers. Bank of Montreal Building, 56 Prince William Street, T. E.

STENOGRAPHY. PUBLIC STENOGRAPHY BY perita. Satisfaction guaranteed. John Typewriter & Specialty Co., corner Silver and Mill street.

SILVER-PLATERS. GOLD, SILVER, NICKEL, BR and Copper Plating, Automobile repair made as good as new, 24 Water street, J. Goudvins.

SNAPSHOTS FINISHEI. SEND ANY ROLL OF FILM AND 10c to Watsons, St. John, N. B., Box 1248 and have a set of very best glossy finish. Work returned postpaid to co. address.

STOVES. STOVES, RANGES AND FURNITURE bought and sold. J. M. Loge, 18 Haymarket Square, M. 9773.

WATCH REPAIRERS. RINGS, WATCHES, CLOCKS, PO. sold, watch repairing, setting, etc. Waltham factory. G. B. Higgins & P. Street.

WATCH AND CLOCK REPAIRING. A specialty. Watches, rings and chains for sale. G. D. Perkins, 48 Prince street.

WELDING. ST. JOHN WELDING WORKS, son street, St. John, N. B. One of the finest welding experts can repair broken auto parts or any machine in any metal.





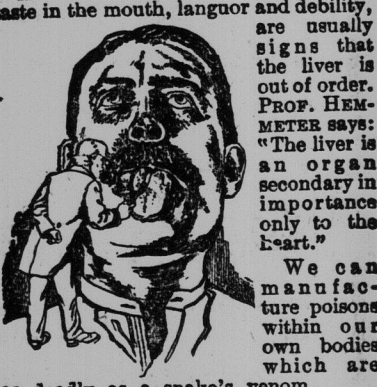
INAUGURATION OF BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Maritime Province Body Formed Yesterday — Officers Elected.

With twenty-one representatives of various constituencies in attendance, the first boys' parliament to be held in the maritime provinces was opened last evening in St. David's church school room under the auspices of the Y. M. C. and A. M. Gregg, maritime secretary, and A. M. Gregg, his assistant, who has been taking a keen interest in the parliamentary routine and paying strict attention to correct procedure. The ceremonies last night were carried out in accordance with parliamentary rules and custom.

H. Usher Miller, as lieutenant-governor, and his staff, made their entry in solemn state and his honor delivered an address from the throne, in which he congratulated the boys upon their election to the first boys' parliament and spoke in eulogizing manner of their work during the war, the noble deeds performed overseas by their older brothers, and of what could be done now in the way of making themselves and helping others to become representative citizens.

A Coated Tongue? What it Means



A bad breath, coated tongue, bad taste in the mouth, languor and debility, are usually signs that the liver is out of order. PROF. HENRY WALTER says: "The liver is an organ of secondary importance only to the heart. We can manufacture poisons within our own bodies which are as deadly as a snake's venom. The liver acts as a guard over our well-being, sifting out the cinders and ashes from the general circulation. A blockage in the intestines piles a heavy burden upon the liver. If the intestines are choked or clogged up, the circulation of the blood becomes poisoned and the system becomes loaded with toxic waste, and we suffer from headache, yellow-coated tongue, bad taste in mouth, nausea, or gas, acid dyspepsia, languor, debility, yellow skin or eyes. At such times one should take castor oil or a pleasant laxative. Such a one is made of May-apple, leaves of aloe and jalap, put into ready-to-use form by Doctor Pierce, nearly fifty years ago, and sold for 25 cents by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

Physical. Ritchie McCoy, the honorable minister of the physical programme, Halifax. Hon. John B. Angeline, prime minister. Hon. Claude Richardson, speaker of the house. Hon. Andrew Watson, minister of the intellectual programme. Hon. Charles McInnis, minister of the devotional programme. Hon. Vernon Holyoke, minister of the social programme. Hon. William Ahern, minister of the special campaigns. E. A. Buckley, clerk. R. C. Sidentis, sergeant-at-arms. Committees of the house, pages, Ronald Brown, Frank Howard, A. M. Gregg, chaplain. Intellectual. Andrew Watson, the honorable minister of intellectual programme, Bedford (C. B.); Clayton Britton, Grand Falls; Lawrence Fraser, Amherst and Russell Woodside, Darnley (P. E. I.).

MANY CHILDREN AT CHRISTMAS TREE TREATS

Children from different parts of the city were entertained to Christmas tree treats yesterday and much pleasure was afforded to them and to those who were responsible for the success of the affair. At the entertainment in the rooms of the G. W. V. A., Wellington Row, for the children of soldiers who died or were killed on active service, nearly 800 were present. Sgt. Pink acted as Santa Claus and distributed gifts. Refreshments were served by Miss Alice Fairweather, Miss Betty, Miss Alice Haddad and Miss McKay of the Y. W. P. A., and Mrs. Wm. Cooper and Mrs. A. E. Frame poured. Canon G. A. Kubring presided and with Mrs. Tilton was responsible for much of the success of the treat. An interesting address was given by General Macdonnell, G. O. C.

Wm. Baxter, superintendent, president of the Christmas tree treat provided by the Centenary church, Marsh Road Mission band, yesterday afternoon in Thorne Lodge hall, and addresses were given by Dr. Wm. McTavish and Rev. H. A. Goodwin. Many of the children of the mission took part in the programme, including Ernest Blakehorn, Elizabeth Good and Harrison Morgan. The youngsters were made the recipients of many gifts.

Santa Claus was in the Brussels street mission yesterday afternoon also and distributed gifts from a large tree to many children who furnished an interesting programme of recitations, choruses and other numbers. The entertainment was provided by the B. Y. P. U. of Main street Baptist church. In the Salvation Army Sunday school in Charlotte street last evening eighty children were remembered with gifts from Santa Claus. An enjoyable programme was given in Walsby's hall, and others took part. Commandant Sheard presided.

CARLETON COUNTY POLITICAL RUMORS

A despatch from Woodstock, N. B., to a Fredericton newspaper says:—"The rumor is prevalent here that the provincial government will call on a by-election in this county previous to the session, provided a returned soldier is given the vacant seat by acclamation. The government, it is now said, intends introducing legislation to assist the returned soldiers and professes to be anxious to have one of them in the legislature for consultation. On Wednesday the G. W. V. A. held a meeting in Woodstock and fixed upon the date for holding a convention, but this action must be ratified by the other branches of the G. W. V. A. in the county, and the date of the convention has not been announced. It is reported that Samuel Barter, of Hartland, may be the candidate for the seat, that the government and opposition parties will stand aside upon the promise that the soldier candidate will be independent, and that the United Farmers, who have a candidate in the field in the person of Fred W. Smith of Windsor, will be approached in an effort to have the soldier candidate go in by acclamation."

After having been home for his Christmas holidays with his mother.

RHEUMATISM FOR OVER 16 YEARS

No Return Of The Trouble Since Taking "Fruit-a-lives"

103 Church St., Montreal. "I was a great sufferer from Rheumatism for over 16 years. I consulted specialists; took medicine; used lotions; but nothing did me good. Then I began to use 'Fruit-a-lives,' and in 16 days the pain was easier and the Rheumatism much better. Gradually, 'Fruit-a-lives' overcame my Rheumatism; and now, for five years, I have had no return of the trouble. I cordially recommend this fruit medicine to all sufferers." P. H. McHUGH. 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

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MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

After February 1, payments of pensions to Canadians in England will be made from Ottawa instead of from London, from where the staff is to be returned. The body of Abraham Cox, a member of the crew of the steamer Laurier, missing since November 23rd, was found yesterday in Halifax harbor. Two men named McDonald and Morris, were arrested yesterday in Woodstock, N. B., charged with stealing. Their feet were frost-bitten from exposure. The body of Capt. Walsh of Summerside, P. E. I., was recovered yesterday at Mill Cove, Dartmouth, N. S., where he was recently drowned. E. S. Carter and J. C. Berrie reached Fredericton yesterday from St. John by auto over the river ice, a run of seventy miles in two hours. J. J. Shirar, of Woodstock, N. B., has been fined \$50 and costs at Fort Kent, Me., on a charge of buying furs without a license. When the Dutch steamer Van Driel struck on the ledge of St. Shotts, Saint Mary's Bay, Newfoundland, yesterday, at least twenty of the crew lost their lives. At last reports five remained clinging to the wreckage, but it seemed impossible to save them, owing to the high seas. The steamer was from Sydney with coal for Holland.

Coal Export Allowed. Washington, Dec. 29.—Exportation of bituminous coal, shut off during the recent strike, will be permitted under restrictions through an order issued tonight by Director General Hines. Instructions have been issued for export through Newport News and Baltimore of fifty per cent of the amount harvested during October and similar arrangements are to be made soon for other ports.

TROUBLED WITH ITCHY ECZEMA

In Rash On Face And Limbs. Cuticura Heals.

"I had been troubled with eczema on my face which took the form of a rash. Later it broke out on my limbs and they itched very much, causing me to scratch them until they were bleeding. The rash would often keep me awake at night. I tried some remedies, which failed, and then thought I would try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. It was not long till the rash began to disappear, and I used three boxes of Cuticura Soap and four boxes of Ointment, which healed me." (Signed) W. M. Hymers, Paris, Ont., Sept. 12, 1919. Cuticura Soap to cleanse, Cuticura Ointment to soothe and heal. Soap 25c, Ointment 25c and 50c. Sold throughout Dominion, Canadian Agents, Lyman, Limited, 25, Peel St., Montreal. Cuticura Soap always without name.

THE WAR THAT SHOULD NOT COME! An able presentation of the case of the Far East as it concerns this country. Reasons why a dangerous U.S. element is meddling with matters in the Orient. WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE? Gadsby points out that when labor finishes its joy ride we may get back to earth, and incidentally to work.

Banish the Shivers Now

DURING the morning dressing hour, before the furnace has "picked up"—chase the shivers away instantly. Click! A pressure on the handy switch, and on the little exposed bodies of the children you turn a flood of genial warmth. Luxurious comfort! Heat aplenty concentrated right where you want it! It can be carried from one room to another and used anywhere that you need quick heat. Sixty-five thousand of them are in use now! Everybody is getting them. The moment you see how handy, safe, practical and effective it is you will not deprive yourself of the

Majestic Electric Heater. Make certain it's a "Majestic" you ask for and get. Do this, and you make sure of getting more than three times the comfort ordinary heaters can give, and without using any more electricity. Use it for dressing—for the bath—for the nursery—the living room—anywhere there is electricity available. The highest electrical authorities in Canada approve the Majestic. Banish the shivers now. Get a Majestic. Majestic Electric Supplies, Ltd. 29 Richmond St. West, Toronto, Ont.

The Threatened Retirement of Borden; the stress of war and reconstruction has broken our public men. OTHER OUTSTANDING FEATURES: HOW MISCHIEF MAKERS are seeking to destroy Anglo-American Amity. P. O. D. IN HIS NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS decides to become a trade unionist. IN REFLECTIONS Mr. Charlesworth discourses interestingly on Canadian political quiddities. THE NEW COAT OF ARMS. Suggestions from many quarters as to how we shall build it up. CANADIAN WOMEN IN THE PUBLIC EYE, Miss Eva Gauthier, a singer who has won fame. BOOKS REVIEWED. William Moore's "Polly Masson," which has to do with Canadian political and racial contentions. OUR LONDON LETTER deals with the wife of an O.C. who "mothered" thousands of Canadian boys during the war. CITY AND COUNTRY HOMES. Types of bungalow courts as they are built in California. THE STORY OF HOW "SATURDAY NIGHTS" small protege came to have plum pudding and "trimmin's" for his Christmas dinner. OUR DEPRECIATED CURRENCY. The hardships it works in the business community. A DUTY UNFULFILLED. What our Government should do to protect the small investor. The Brutal Bolsheviks and their Bloody Work. The Experiences of a young Canadian who recently visited Odessa. A description of the horrors encountered in that Black Sea port. out To-day SATURDAY NIGHT On all News Stands The Paper-Worth While

MUTT AND JEFF—IT LOOKS EASY PICKING IN THIS BURG, WHEREVER IT IS. COPYRIGHT, 1919, BY H. C. FISHER, TRADE MARK REGISTERED IN CANADA. By "BUD" FISHER

Comic strip panels showing characters discussing coal shortages and a millinery store. Panel 1: "I'M ABOUT FROZEN STIFF, ON ACCOUNT OF THE COAL SHORTAGE THERE WAS HARDLY ANY HEAT IN THE CAR." Panel 2: "PARDON ME, OFFICER, BUT I'VE JUST HAD A VERY TRYING JOURNEY, I'M A STRANGER HERE, CAN YOU TELL ME WHERE I CAN GET A DROP OF 'MEDICINE'?" Panel 3: "DO YOU WANT TO SEE A DOCTOR?" Panel 4: "BUT CAN'T I GET A DROP WITHOUT SEEING A DOCTOR?" Panel 5: "SURE THING! SEE THAT MILLINERY STORE?" Panel 6: "YOU DON'T MEAN TO TELL ME I CAN GET A DROP IN A MILLINERY STORE?" Panel 7: "NO!" Panel 8: "I MEAN THAT'S THE ONLY PLACE IN TOWN WHERE YOU CAN'T GET IT."

OPERA HOUSE VAUDEVILLE  
Evenings 7.30 and 9 Afternoons at 2.30  
An All-Star Feature Programme to Start the New Year Right!

SPORT NEWS OF A DAY, HOME AND ABROAD

Commercial League  
Alley last night...  
A. E. Barbour...  
Ford Motor Works...  
W. V. A. teams will roll...

W. V. A. teams will roll...  
Tonight the Schofield Paper Co. and W. V. A. teams will roll...

Shipping Dept...  
Sugar House...  
Broom Men Won...  
US Makers...  
Jersey City Fights...

Jersey City Fights...  
The strongest endorsement a cigar could get is the repeat orders it receives.

Everybody happy?  
A good meal has a lot to do with making a man feel genial—and yet you'll hear many a frank smoker declare: "Yes, certainly I enjoy my meal, but all the time I'm thinking how good my smoke'll taste afterward."

Bel's Cigar Shop  
UNION STREET  
Opera House Next Door.

pointed Johnny Kilbane, the featherweight champion, in an eight-round bout here tonight, in the opinion of a majority of the New York morning newspaper writers.

Atlantic Leader, Halifax: The St. John oarsmen are making preparation for an interesting season and the regatta held at Courtney Bay during the last summer was the means of reviving this branch of sport which a few decades ago was so very popular in St. John.

RED SOX ARE BEST TEAM IN FIELDING  
Official Figures Show Chicago Champions Second and Yanks Third.

BASEBALL  
A Trade of Players  
Boston, Dec. 29.—A trade of players between the Washington and St. Louis clubs of the American League was announced today.

BASEBALL  
The Turf  
Frederickton Driving Club  
Frederickton, Dec. 29.—The Frederickton Driving Club was organized tonight for the winter season and officers were elected as follows:

BASEBALL  
Double and Triple Plays  
The champion White Sox led in making double plays, but the mercurial Gleason's team closed the campaign with 122 double killings, as against 119 double plays by the Red Sox, 118 by the Yankees and 108 by the Indians.

BOOST FOR ST. JOHN SPORT

Atlantic Leader, Halifax: The St. John oarsmen are making preparation for an interesting season and the regatta held at Courtney Bay during the last summer was the means of reviving this branch of sport which a few decades ago was so very popular in St. John.

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Official Figures Show Chicago Champions Second and Yanks Third.

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Boston, Dec. 29.—A trade of players between the Washington and St. Louis clubs of the American League was announced today.

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LITTLE BRAZILIAN PIANIST MAKES A HIT



Musical critics "set up and took notice" when a little Brazilian girl made her debut as a pianist in New York and great things are predicted for her. She is Marie Antonia, only nine years old, but already classed among the great talents. Marie is about to leave for Europe to continue her studies abroad.

KAISER'S INSULTS ANTAGONIZED THE BRITISH CABINET

Von Eckardstein Gives Interswath-buckling Policy.  
New York, Dec. 30.—How the Kaiser's insult to the English minister a "bunch of uninitiated noodles," and through other handling and provocative remarks continually antagonized the British cabinet and the late King Edward were before the press of Karl Curtius, Berlin, entitled "Diplomatic Revelations Concerning the Origin of the Great War," by Baron von Eckardstein.

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New York, Dec. 29.—Hugh S. Miller, special correspondent of Near East Relief, writes as follows: "After four years of existence, during which period it had sheltered thousands of men, women and children who had escaped massacre by the Turks, the big Armenian refugee camp on the bank of the Suez Canal, just outside Port Said, has been closed."

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In Augustus Thomas' Society Comedy  
"MRS. LEFFINGWELL'S BOOTS"  
How a Pair of Embroidered Slippers Upset No Less Than Three Happy Families

BRITISH WEEKLY  
MUTT AND JEFF  
TOPIGS OF THE DAY  
OUR ORCHESTRA

THE MILL STREET FIRE IN SURPRISING MOVIES  
WATCH FOR OUR SEASON OF WATCH  
A Wonderful Year Ahead of Our Patrons

UNIQUE  
Men, Women and Money  
CHAS. CHAPLIN  
"SOME NERVE"

QUEEN SQUARE THEATRE  
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