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Elsewhere.

DECISION IN MOSUL SCRAP FAVORS BRITAIN

LEAGUE RULING
GIVES RICH
LANDS TO IRAK

England Must Renew
Mandate For 23
Years

SPECIFIES PACT

British Must Negotiate Trade
Treaty Granting Turks
Concessions in Mosul

By HENRY WOOD
United Press Staff Correspondent

GENEVA, Dec. 15.—A decision favorable to Britain was handed down today by the League of Nations Council to award Mosul, the valuable oil district, to Iraq, provided Britain renewed her mandate over Iraq for 23 years and undertook to negotiate a Turkish-Iraqi economic treaty granting the British commercial privileges in Mosul.

The Council took its decision in a one-hour secret session, confirming an agreement determined upon yesterday.

The decision is provisional, pending receipt of a formal assurance from London accepting the mandate with all provisions governing mandated territories inasmuch as the renewal of the mandate hitherto exercised by Britain necessitates parliamentary approval.

BOUNDARY REPORTED FIXED.

GENEVA, Dec. 15.—After an hour's secret session of the League of Nations council today, a report was circulated that it had been unanimously decided as to the provisional boundary line as the definite frontier of Mosul, thus awarding the greater part of the disputed territory to the British mandate state of Iraq.

There was no official confirmation of the report. However, it was accepted as a fact in some circles, where it was openly declared that the council logically had been driven to it through the impossibility of handing over Mosul to Turkey in consequence of an additional report by General Laidoner, the league's investigating agent.

TERRIBLE PICTURE

This report, issued today, presents a terrible picture of massacres of Christians by the Turks. The report was prepared in Mosul by three assistants of General Laidoner, of Spanish, Italian and Estonian nationality. The report charges that the massacres were committed by the Turks and soldiers of the Sixty-second Turkish infantry.

The report estimates that 8,000 Catholic Christians have been deported from the Mosul-Turkish frontier. It accuses the Turks of violating and slaying Christian women. All Christians were deported from the village of Merza, north of the provisional line which was fixed at the Brussels conference pending definite demarcation of the frontier.

AGED WOMAN BURIED

Five aged women, who were unable to keep up the marching columns, are declared to have been buried alive under piles of stones and left to their fate. According to Christians, who escaped, those remaining in the Turkish concentration camps, are not supplied with food by their captors, and are forced to live on scraps.

At Jaipo alone, the report says, forty men were shot down in cold blood. During marches from other villages, the deportees were given no food for ten days, and those falling by the wayside were immediately killed by the soldiers, who used their bayonets and rifle bullets.

GOVERNMENT HEARS
CHATHAM REQUEST

Change Asked in School District
Boundaries—Board of Education to Meet

Special to The Times-Star.

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William Golding of Saint John arrived this morning.

The Board of Education is to meet this afternoon after the government session.

Mr. Justice White not attending, because of other business, the session of the Chancery Court set for today was further postponed.

The name of W. G. Clark, former alderman, is mentioned in connection with the mayoralty.

STERLING EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Sterling exchange irregular. Great Britain 481.5-2; France 388.1-2; Italy 403.1-4; Germany 23.80. Canadian dollars 106 of one per cent. discount.

Board of Trade Council Gets Behind Big World Skating Meet Here

3-Year-Old
Halifax Child
Dies of Burns

Canadian Press.
HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 15.—Left in front of the kitchen fire by his mother when she went to her room to dress, John Fisher, three, went too close to the stove, and his slightness caught. His mother, attracted by his cries, found him slating from head to foot. He died yesterday afternoon in hospital, and the mother is under a doctor's care for burns suffered when she tried to extinguish the flames.

POWER RATE CUT
IN PETITCODIAC

N. B. Hydro Commission Reduces
Charges; Surplus
Earned Last Year

Minimum Bill Drops From \$2
to \$1.50; K. W. H. Rate
One Cent Less

Special to The Times-Star.

PETITCODIAC, Dec. 15.—The users of electricity in this section are rejoicing over an announcement just made by the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission that rates for the coming year will be reduced.

For the fiscal year ending October 31, 1925, there was a surplus of \$2,000 on the Petitcodiac, Salisbury and River Glade lines, due in a large measure to the very general use of current in these villages.

The minimum bill including \$1 service charge is reduced from \$2 to \$1.50; the consumption charge on the first 20 k.w.h. is reduced from 7 cents to 6 cents a k.w.h. and the power users are given a second 10 per cent. discount on their monthly bills.

A. M. Belding Is
Ill With Pneumonia

A telegram from White Plains, New York, where A. M. Belding of The Telegraph-Journal and The Times-Star is ill, brought the news this morning that he is suffering from pneumonia. He is being given every attention.

Mr. Belding was taken ill while on a short visit to his son, Elmer, at White Plains. Last evening Mrs. Belding left Saint John to be with her husband and should arrive there this evening.

Miss Vera H. Rowan
Is Dead at Lincoln

Special to The Times-Star.
FREDERICTON, Dec. 15.—Miss Vera H. Rowan, daughter of John Rowan of Lincoln, died at her home early today after a long illness. Surviving are her father, three brothers, James V. Rowan, John C. Rowan and Albert G. Rowan, all at home, and three sisters, Miss Kathleen M. Rowan of Philadelphia and Edna A. Rowan and Grace A. Rowan, at home. The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon.

DEVON TOWN TO CHARGE
INTEREST ON BACK TAXES

Special to The Times-Star.
FREDERICTON, Dec. 15.—The Town Council of Devon, in regular session Monday night, decided to charge interest on delinquent taxes for 1925 after February.

EMPTY STOCKING FUND
PASSES \$1,600 MARK

More Group Contributions Help to Swell Total \$150 Over
Night—Last Year's Total Exceeded, \$2,000
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IRISH SPECIALS
TAKE BARRACKS;
DEMAND BONUS

Constabulary Wants
Compensation For
Disbandment

CRISIS SERIOUS

Ulster Authorities Believe, How-
ever, Way Out of Trouble
Possible

Canadian Press.

BELFAST, Dec. 15.—Members of the "Special" constabulary today seized the Prince's Dock Barracks in Belfast, declaring they would hold the buildings pending a satisfactory reply to their demands for compensation for their disbandment under the new Irish agreement.

In Derry, 8,000 "A specials" placed armed guards over their stores and arms, to prevent the authorities from removing them.

SITUATION SERIOUS.

The Ulster authorities take a serious view of the situation, but feel that a way will be found to settle the difficulty without resort to drastic disciplinary action.

The special constables are demanding a bonus of £200, free of income tax, for each man because of the disbandment, and this, if granted, must be borne by the exchequer of the Northern Irish government.

The men were surprised by the decision to disband them almost immediately, and the prospect of being thrown out of employment so suddenly, was responsible for their present action.

ANOTHER CLAIM TO
JENNINGS' WEALTH

Alberta Cowboy Produces Will;
Alleges \$6,000,000 Estate
Was Left to Him

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—One more claimant of the \$6,000,000 estate of the late Edwin B. Jennings, eccentric millionaire, has appeared to add his name to the long list of persons claiming to be relatives of the wealthy recluse, who died about two years ago. He is Charles Edgar Morris, of Lake Louise, Alberta, and he came yesterday garbed in the dress-up clothes of a western cowboy and brought a will along. By the terms of the will, which he says is now 44, he must also dispose of the claims of the other alleged relatives.

Mr. Morris claims to be a nephew of Jennings and says the millionaire left him to Canada to manage a ranch.

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Pinchot Makes
Third Try To
End Coal Crisis

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 15.—His two previous efforts having failed, Governor Pinchot has made another move for settlement of the hard coal strike. In addition to listing the anthracite controversy for consideration by the legislature, which he has called in extra session on January 13, the governor is to discuss the situation in Harrisburg tomorrow with executives of cities and villages in the anthracite region.

LLOYD GEORGE NOT
SEEKING OFFICE

Content to Spend Rest of Days
Serving People of
Country

Canadian Press.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Lloyd George says public office holds no further charms for him. In a speech at Leeds urging the adoption of the land reform proposals, which are now monopolizing his attention, the ex-premier took a fling at a Conservative newspaper which had declared that though he pretended to be advocating land reform, what he really wanted was to get back into office.

RECORD SERVICE

"That kind of stained and rancid gibe is unworthy of a reputable newspaper," he said. "I have had a longer stretch of office than any living man. I have served the Crown and the nation in some of the highest offices of state. There is nothing office can give me. If I now choose in a more obscure and humble position against many difficulties, and amid many humiliations, to continue my task in public life, it is because I want to spend the rest of my days, and what is left of my strength, in serving the people from whom I sprang."

P. Q. LIQUOR OFFICER
SHOT IN MONTREAL

Found Man in Commission
Store; Got Bullet in Answer
to Query

Canadian Press.

MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—Shot in the right forearm, Robert L. Fisher, 49, Christopher Columbus street, was removed to the hospital shortly after midnight. His condition is not serious. The shooting occurred in store 21 of the Quebec Liquor Commission, 3073 Notre Dame street East.

One man is being held by the police, in connection with the affair, but no information was offered at the station.

At the hospital, Fisher, who is an inspector in the Liquor Commission, told the authorities that he had gone to the store shortly after midnight, and had found a man there. He asked the other if he were the manager, and the latter answered in the affirmative. When asked for his identification card, the man pulled out a revolver and shot the bullet striking Fisher in the arm. It is thought that the case is one of misadventure.

FRANCE HAS WORST
BLIZZARD IN YEARS

Paris and North of Country
Covered in Blanket of
Snow

Canadian Press.

PARIS, Dec. 15.—Paris and all of northern France this morning lay under a mantle of snow. After a brief period of mild weather, the country has been stricken with the worst blizzard it has experienced in 10 years.

The snow is still falling intermittently. Traffic is greatly delayed and telegraphic and telephonic communication interrupted.

The weather prophets concur in announcing a continuance of old-fashioned Christmas weather, to the despair of the Paris city council, which will be obliged to produce 50,000 francs from the already depleted exchequer, to play for clearing away the present fall.

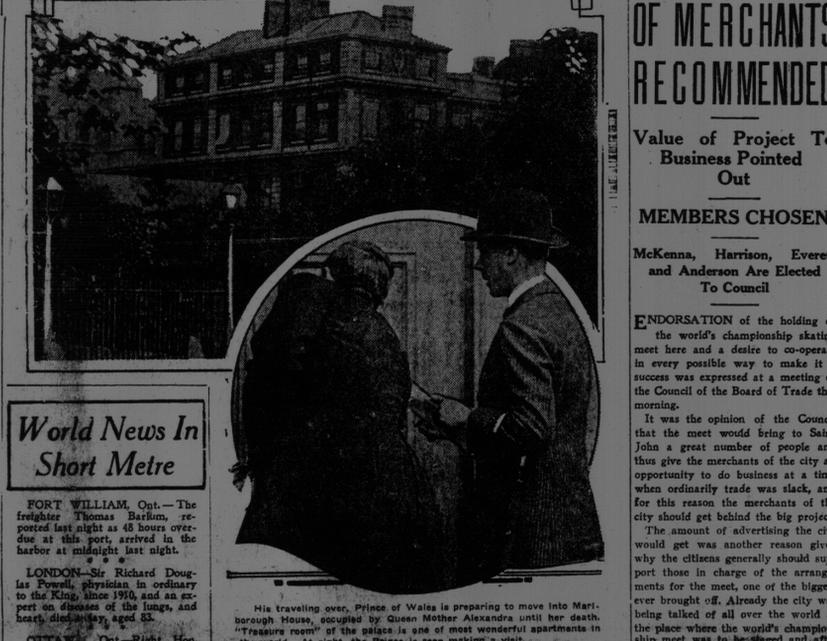
FOLLETTE ACCEPTED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Undeterred by a warning that he would follow an "independent course" in furtherance of the policies of his father, the Republican fold from which the elder LaFollette had been excluded.

BURIAL IN N. S.

OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Bandford Neish, widow of the late Rev. David Neish, of London, N. S., was held here yesterday, and the body was forwarded to London for interment.

Prince of Wales Moves Into New Palace



World News In
Short Metre

FORT WILLIAM, Ont.—The freighter "Thomas Barm", reported last night as 48 hours overdue at this port, arrived in the harbor at midnight last night.

LONDON—Dr. Richard Douglas Powell, physician in ordinary to the King, since 1910, and an expert on diseases of the lungs, and heart, died yesterday, aged 53.

OTTAWA—Out-Right Hon. Wm. Lyon Mackenzie King, Premier of Canada, celebrates his 51st birthday next Thursday, December 17. He was born at Berlin, Ont. now the city of Kitchener.

LONDON—The Daily Mail says that while Eamon De Valera was stopping at a hotel in Sligo, Ireland, last Sunday night, detectives entered his room, searched his clothing, and examined his papers.

CLARKSBURG, W. Va.—Train No. 67, running from Clarksburg to Pittsburgh was derailed at Viroqua late last night, a pullman, the mail car and a day coach overturning. No one was seriously hurt.

NEW YORK—John A. "Bull" Rogers, notorious crook, yesterday escaped from a New York Central train, as he was being taken to Sing Sing to serve 22 years for possessing firearms and for violation of parole.

CATTLEMEN HELD
BY MONTREAL POLICE

Boat Sailed From Saint John;
Taken After Scuffle in
Windsor St. Station

Canadian Press.
MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—Their wide brimmed soft felt hats of the open spaces of Alberta made police officers think they answered the descriptions of wanted gunmen, and Samuel Harding, 22, and Samuel King, 19, were arrested on a street by local police officers, after a scuffle in which three shots were fired by the latter. The police thought the presence of a gun on Harding substantiated their suspicions.

Yesterday Harding pleaded guilty to being armed without a permit, but not guilty to a charge of assault on the officers. King also pleaded not guilty to a charge of resisting. They will be tried today, Harding being at liberty on \$200 bail, while King is still behind the bars. The two are cattlemen who came from a ranch near Calgary, en route to Liverpool with cattle for their employer. The boat they were to have taken, sailed from Saint John, N. B., yesterday, and they are stranded here.

N. S. PLANS PROBE
OF AGRICULTURE

Government to Appoint Com-
mittee to Investigate Econo-
mic Conditions

Canadian Press.
HALIFAX, Dec. 15.—An agricultural inquiry committee will be appointed by the Provincial Government, to begin its work immediately after the new year, according to an announcement made at the 63rd annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association at Kentville, by Hon. J. A. Walker, Minister of Natural Resources and Provincial Development. The task of the commission will be to "inquire into the report upon the economic conditions surrounding the agricultural industry of the province."

Four Truro Citizens Arrange
To Leave \$4,000,000 to Charity

Canadian Press.
TRURO, N. S., Dec. 15.—Four Truro citizens, Frank Stanfield, M. P. P., A. R. Coffin, W. D. Dimock, and H. E. Bethel, have arranged to donate \$4,000,000 to charity. Yesterday each of the four deposited \$100 with a local trust company with the understanding that the money be left there at compound interest until it reaches \$4,000,000. At the present rate of interest the trust company will distribute the proceeds in A. D. 2260, about 335 years hence.

CO-OPERATION
OF MERCHANTS
RECOMMENDED

Value of Project To
Business Pointed
Out

MEMBERS CHOSEN

McKenna, Harrison, Everett
and Anderson Are Elected
To Council

ENDORSEMENT OF THE holding of
the world's championship skating
meet here and a desire to co-operate
in every possible way to make it a
success was expressed at a meeting of
the Council of the Board of Trade this
morning.

It was the opinion of the Council that the meet would bring to Saint John a great number of people and thus give the merchants of the city an opportunity to do business at a time when ordinarily trade was slack, and for this reason the merchants of the city should get behind the big project.

The amount of advertising the city would get was another reason given why the citizens generally should support those in charge of the arrangements for the meet, one of the biggest ever brought off. Already the city was being talked of all over the world as the place where the world's championship skating meet was to be staged and after it was over moving pictures of the event would go everywhere, blazoning forth the name of Saint John.

COUNCIL COMPLETED

J. D. McKenna, W. A. Harrison, A. E. Everett and W. E. Anderson were elected as members of the council and those with the 10 elected at the annual meeting of the board and Messrs. N. P. MacLeod and W. E. Scully representing the West Side Progressive Association, constitute the council for 1926. The members elected at the annual meeting were G. E. Barbour, A. P. Blake, W. F. Burditt, A. L. Foster, J. G. Harrison, D. W. Ledingham, A. P. Patterson, H. C. Schofield, A. H. Wetmore and F. W. Rouch.

The Charlottetown resolutions were discussed and a committee, consisting of E. Massie, A. E. Barbour, H. C. Schofield, W. F. Burditt and W. E. Stimmis, was appointed to study these and report further on them at a meeting of the council on Thursday morning.

Tomorrow morning at 11:30 the immigration committee of the Board will meet and at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the West Indies committee will meet.

LIQUOR IS BLAMED

Result of Drinking Given by
Jury as Cause of N. S. Man's
Death

SHELBURNE, N. S., Dec. 15.—Arthur Bowers, who was found dead in the woods about nine miles from here on November 22, died from "acute gastritis, exertion and exposure, due to over-indulgence in alcoholic liquor purchased from Sadie Johnston," according to a jury empanelled to inquire into the man's death. Sadie Johnston has been charged with a violation of the Nova Scotia Temperance Act.

THE BROKEN PLEDGE.

When, in the general elections of 1904, the people of Canada declared themselves emphatically in favor of the National Transcontinental Railway project, there was no doubt in the minds of anybody as to what the decision meant. It was an approval of the proposition of the Dominion government to build a Canadian railway from the West to the Canadian ports for the carrying of

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DRILLING RESUMED

P. E. I. Oil-boring Operations
Were Held up For Lack
of Water

Canadian Press.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Dec. 15.—After a lapse of nearly two weeks, when oil-drilling operations had to be abandoned at Governor's Island, P. E. I., operations were resumed at midnight last night. The work was held up for lack of water, the bore having drained the other wells on the island. Since then water has been struck in large quantities. It was at first thought that gasoline would have to be resorted to for power.

FROZEN TO DEATH

Young P. E. I. Farmer is Found
on Road Near Darlington
Home

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Dec. 15.—J. A. McLeod, a young and prosperous farmer, was found frozen to death on the road near his home at Darlington, a few miles from here last night. An inquest into the cause of death will be held today.

THE WEATHER

SYNOPSIS.—The depression over the Gulf of St. Lawrence has remained almost stationary since yesterday, while that in the southwest has moved eastward, and now gives indications of moving northward. The weather is moderately cold throughout the Dominion.

FORECASTS:

Snow Flurries

MARITIMES.—Strong winds and gales west and northwest, partly cloudy and cold today and Wednesday, snow flurries.

NEW ENGLAND.—Fair tonight, Wednesday increasing cloudiness with slowly rising temperature followed by rain or snow Wednesday afternoon or night, fresh northwest shifting to north-east winds.

Temperatures.

TORONTO, Dec. 15, 1925.

Highest

Lowest

8 a.m. yesterday night

Victoria ... 44 42 42

Calgary ... 24 40 22

Edmonton ... 18 24 18

Winnipeg ... 16 22 12

Toronto ... 20 28 19

Montreal ... 14 24 12

Saint John ... 20 24 16

Halifax ... 22 24 22

New York ... 28 — 26

KEN. B. PALMER RHODES SCHOLAR

Sackville Student is Chosen From List of Eight Applicants

Winner is Son of Mount Allison Academy Principal; is Studying Law

Kenneth B. Palmer, of Sackville, son of Dr. J. M. Palmer, principal of Mount Allison Academy, was chosen Rhodes scholar for New Brunswick yesterday afternoon.

Of the eight applicants, three were from the University of New Brunswick, two of whom were graduates; three from Mount Allison, two of whom were graduates, one St. Joseph graduate and one McGill graduate.

Save money on toys, dolls, books, etc., at McArthur's sale, King St.

Give an Ingersoll



WATERBURY Rolled Gold-plate Case Four jewels; stylish 12-size. Case in green or white rolled gold-plate. Silvered metal dial. A dependable watch of beauty and refinement at an unusually low price. \$11.50

Other Models \$2.00 to \$13.50

BUSINESS LOCALS

Better than ever, McArthur's Xmas sale. 12-16

Band and good ice, Victoria Rink, tonight. 12-16

ARENA. Season skating tickets are now on sale at Boyaner Bros., 111 Charlotte street, opposite Admiral Beatty Hotel, also at Arena. Phone M. 5067. 12-16

DANCE, WEDNESDAY. Members and friends of Saint John Power Boat Club, please remember the social dance at the club house on Wednesday evening, December 16. Music by Sun Rise Club, 7-piece orchestra. 12-17

Forty-fives card party, St. Rose's, Fairville, postponed until Thursday evening. 12-17

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MONTCLAIRE'S ORCHESTRA DANCE. Ritz tonight, Professor V. Hocking and his famous five, only appearance this season. Come and meet your friends. W. B. Stearns, mgr. 12-16

Band on Carleton Rink tonight. Excellent ice. 12-16

LEG IS BROKEN. While trucking in No. 1 shed, Sand Point, last night at 8:20 o'clock Ralph Donald, of Metcalf street, had one of his legs broken when a piece of timber fell on it. The ambulance was called and he was conveyed to the General Public Hospital.

How Did You Know I Wanted a Muffler?

Dad, Brother or Sweet-heart will be delighted to receive a nice comfortable Muffler.

Mufflers that give comfort and service are here, nicely put up in special fancy Gift Boxes. Priced from \$1.75 to \$3.75.

D. MAGEE'S Sons, Ltd. Since 1859

CHEAPEST and BEST Second Hand Cooking and Heating Stoves In the City.

All Cook Stoves guaranteed to Bake.

MATTRESSES MADE TO ORDER

East End Stove Hospital (N. D. SKINNER, Prop.) 257 City Road, Phone M. 4845

BUSINESS LOCALS

The Studio, dancing tonight. 12-16

"YOU PAY LESS HERE." Ukelele! New stock now in, only \$2.50.—Duvall's, 15 Waterloo. Open evenings. 12-16

Skate at the Arena tonight. Band starts 8:15. Grand opening. 12-16

The Two Barkers' stores will be open until 9 o'clock every evening until Christmas. Come for bargains. 12-16

If you want bargains in toys, dolls, books, games, Christmas tree ornaments, groceries, fruit, flour, sugar, tea, etc., call at the Two Barkers, 100 Princess street. 12-16

ARENA SKATING. Grand opening, tonight. Wonderful ice. Band starts 8:15. 12-16

NOTICE. Please attend the Christmas closing exercises of the school at the N. B. Protestant Orphanage out Manawagonish road on Thursday, December 17, at 2:30 p. m. Also try to get as many of your friends as possible to come. All buildings will be open for inspection after the programme has been concluded in the school auditorium.—H. Usher Miller. 12-17

Dolls' Carriages At Prices to Clear Out. Dolls' Carriages, in a large variety to select from, at prices to clear out quickly. Come in and see them. Leave a deposit and we will store free until Xmas Eve. Boys' Express Wagons, Tricycles, Sleds, Framers, Toy Sets, etc., which must be sold at once. Open Evenings. \$5.50 This strongly made Velocipede, Rubber Tires, etc., only \$5.50. Express Wagons at \$2.90 upwards. AMLAND BROS., LTD. - - 19 Waterloo St.

Ivory Set \$15.00. Ten Pieces—Hair Brush, Comb, Mirror, Tray, Shoe Hook, Buffer, Nail File, Shoe Horn, Puff Box, Hair Receiver. Manicure Sets Toile Sets. Everything in Ivory. WASSONS 2 STORES. 751 Main St. 9 Sydney St.

"That's a great pie, mother" How the whole family enjoys mother's wonderful pies! Crisp, crunchy pastry that brings the plates of boys and girls back for more. And mother's pies are always delicious. With Quaker Flour her recipes always bake the same, for Quaker Flour is always the same. Quaker Flour is best for all baking purposes. During the milling it is tested hourly to our standard. It is baked every day in our own bake-shop. That is why we can guarantee you absolute satisfaction with a money-back offer. Quaker Flour Always the Same—Always the Best. A product of The Quaker Mills, Peterborough and Saskatoon.

Takes the "IF" Out of Cooking. "Now—IF that flue behaves itself and the oven stays right, I'll have a nice cake." "There now—I've mixed the batter the way it says in the cook book—so IF this fuel and draft don't go back on me—all will be well." "Heaven help my baking IF any callers interrupt me today." There are NO IFs in Moffat Electric cooking. Company may call you into the front room—the Moffat will look after everything. No running back to take a peek into the oven. Moffat ovens are the only kind with equalized heat—they bake EVENLY—they bake the same every day. Perfect escape from every cooking risk. All Improvements. Perfect cleanliness, Porcelain white and nickel. Oven lined in enamel. Correct heat marked for every turn of the pointer. A liquid thermometer that warns you in time when that heat is reached. Choice of all three types of pot burner—burners that last seven to ten years, the coil then renewed costing only 90c. Moffats never wear out—they cook all winter on what a coal stove costs each month. No dust, ashes, fumes or odors. Oven bakes three hours after current cut off. Completely installed free, Moffat prices are modest. A few dollars a month completes payments. See the Range that has what no others have as well as all that others have. How about a hint to Mr. Husband about Christmas? See all models tonight at Your Own Hydro CANTERBURY STREET

BUSINESS LOCALS

VICTORIA RINK. Open tonight. Good ice. Good music. 12-16

Band and excellent ice at Arena tonight. 12-16

Round and square dancing at the Studio, German street, Wednesday. Admission: Ladies, 25c.; gents, 50c. Cain's orchestra in attendance. 12-16

Cards, tonight, St. John the Baptist. 12-16

A NEW CHRISTMAS GIFT. There is a new and very nice gift to be had this year—useful and inexpensive—one that many a friend would greatly appreciate—a Christmas package of that very choice tea—RED ROSE ORANGE PEKOE, beautifully wrapped with card attached. Most groceries have them.—ADT.

SPECIALS AT Robertson's

- 98 lb Bag Robbinhood or Cream of West Flour... \$4.65
98 lb Bag Purity or Five Roses Flour... \$4.85
24 lb Bag... \$1.25
15 lbs Lantic Fine Granulated Sugar... \$1.00
3 lbs Pulverized Sugar... 25c
Orange Pekoe Tea, 45c., 55c., 60c. lb.
5 lb Tin Easifirst Shortening... 82c.
15 lb Tin Pure Lard... \$1.10
15 oz Pkg New Seedless Raisins... 15c
15 oz Pkg New Seeded Raisins... 15c
1 lb Pkg New Currants... 17c
New Lemon and Orange Peel... 28c. lb.
New Citron Peel... 60c. lb.
2 lbs New Dates for... 25c
2 lbs Cooking Figs... 25c
Shelled Almonds... 70c. lb.
Shelled Walnut Halves, best stock... 50c. lb.
New Mixed Nuts... 25c. lb.
All other goods at lowest prices.
Stores open every evening till Christmas.

Robertson's 554 Main St. Phone M. 3461 Cor. Waterloo and Golding Sts. Phone M. 3457

SPECIALS FOR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING AT The Maritime Food Store

- 3 Prince Edward St., Corner Union. Phone M. 2267.
16 lb Granulated Sugar, with orders... \$1.00
24 lb bag Purity or Five Crown Flour... \$1.24
1 Large Can New Tomatoes... 15c
2 cans New Corn... 25c
2 cans New Peas... 25c
2 cans Choice Sliced Pineapple... 45c
1 can Choice Libby's Peaches... 25c
4 lb Jar Wagstaff's Pure Strawberry Jam... 89c
2 lb Choice Dates... 25c
3 lb pail of Swift Pure Lard... 68c
5 lb pail of Swift Pure Lard... \$1.13
3 lb pail Swift Shortening... 52c
5 lb pail Swift Shortening... 84c
35 oz. bottle of Choice Libby's Red Rose, Salads or King Cole Tea... 69c
Choice Bulk Orange Pekoe Tea... 54c
Red Rose or Chase & Sanborn Coffee... 69c
2 boxes of Sifted Salt... 25c
2 Cans Dutch Cleanser... 74c
2 Large Cans Carnation Milk... 27c
3 pkgs Jello Powder... 25c
9 lbs Onions... 25c
2 qts Y. E. Beans... 28c
2 qts of Canadian Hand Picked White Beans... 25c
5 lbs Best Oatmeal... 25c
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Dolls from 2c to \$4.50 each; Dressed Dolls, 15c, 22c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c to \$4.50; Undressed Dolls 2c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c, to \$2.50; Baby Dolls with moving eyes and Hair 25c, 45c, 75c to \$4.50; Mama Dolls, Special 95c, \$1.10, \$1.50, \$1.65; Celluloid Dolls, Rubber Dolls, Cloth Dolls. Toys—a great variety of Toys 5c. to \$7.50 each. Some of our leaders:—Trains on Tracks 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c, \$1.00 to \$3.75. Electric Trains, Special \$3.50; Mechanical Toy Autos 15c, 25c, 50c, 65c to \$2.25; Ford Cars 25c; Special \$1.25 Auto for 65c; Mechanical Boats, \$4.00; Toy Horses 7c, 10c, 20c, 25c to \$1.50; Horses and Wagons 15c, 20c, 25c to \$2.75; Tool Sets 15c, 25c, to 75c; Rubber Balls, 35c size for 20c; 50c size for 30c; Tin Tea Sets 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c; China Tea Sets 15c, 25c, 40c, 65c to \$2.25; Musical Toys 10c, 20c to \$1.00; Tin Horns 2 for 5c, 10c to 50c; Toy Stoves (large) 45c; Friction Toys 7c, \$1.00, \$2.25; Toy Planes 25c, 75c, \$1.50; Toy Stockings 8c, 15c, 35c; Mouth Organs 15c, 20c, 35c, 50c; Accordions 10c, 20c, 50c; Xmas Stationery 25c, 35c, 50c box; Toy Books 5c, 10c, 20c, 25c; Story Books (Algers and etc.) 15c and 30c; Games 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c; Xmas Booklets, (6 in box with envelopes) 15c; Xmas Post Cards 1c ea.; Xmas Tree Ornaments (a wonderful assortment) 20c and 30c a doz.; others 3c, 4c, 5c, 10c, 15c ea.; also 75c box assortment for 40c; assorted boxes of Toys at 50c, 75c and \$1.00 box; 50c Fountain Pens for 35c; \$1.50 gold plate Pencils for 65c; Shaving Sets 25c, 35c, 75c, \$1.00; \$2.00 Razors for 90c; Safety Razor free with 6 Blades for 65c. Great bargains in China Cups and Saucers, Christmas Handkerchiefs, Tea and etc. We have decided to discontinue auction sales and sell all goods at auction prices. We have the largest stock of popular priced Toys and Novelties in town. Two stores 211-213 Union street and 157-159 Prince Edward street.

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15 oz pkg New Seeded Raisins... 14c
11 oz pkg Seeded Raisins... 10c
15 oz pkg Fancy Currants... 14c
1 lb New Mixed Peel, Lemon, Orange and Citron... 40c
1 lb Good Bulk Tea... 45c
3 lbs New Prunes... 23c
Best New Layer Figs, per lb... 39c and 49c
Shelled Peanuts, per lb... 29c
New Mixed Nuts, per lb... 23c
5 lbs Rice... 25c
3 lb tin Pure Lard... 61c
3 lb tin Shortening... 49c
4 lb tin Apple and Strawberry Jam... 45c
Can corn, No. 2 size... 14c
Can Tomatoes, No. 2 1-2 size... 14c
2 cans St. Charles Milk, 16 oz... 25c
12 oz Can Corn Beef... 19c
Apples per barrel, from... \$1.50 up

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THE RESPONSIBILITY.

In an interview given when the Grand Trunk Pacific project was before Parliament, Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, then president of the Grand Trunk system, said the ocean terminals of the new railway would be Saint John and Halifax.

The original arrangement provided that the National Transcontinental was to be leased by the Grand Trunk Pacific, but this was never carried out.

Both political parties in turn have defaulted with respect to their obligations to the people in connection with these railroads.

In addition to the transportation money thus paid to foreign competitors, there must be considered the loss of employment to Canadians.

HUMBLE LLOYD GEORGE

Politically speaking, Lloyd George says that there are no more worlds for him to conquer. The former war Premier appears to be growing somewhat sensitive under criticism.

"It," he said, "now chooses in a more obscure and humble position, against many difficulties, and amid many humiliations, to continue my task in public life."

MARITIME M. P.'S.

The Maritimes have twenty-nine members of Parliament, a comparatively small delegation in a House of 245.

Unless Parliament is in a position to do just that, the session would be merely a waste of time.

It is suggested by the Halifax Herald that Mr. Macpherson should have a meeting before he leaves for Ottawa, in order to discuss Maritime

Just Fun

WHILE a shine may not be worth much it adds 8 cents to the price of soap.

NATURE is kind only to those who obey her laws.

"JOHN is so thin; he looks just like a toothpick."

"Yes. He got that way from eating plank steaks."

THE WIND is blowing in the trees; it's time to pull that ancient wheeze of saying farewell to beevees.

THERE'S more than one way to skin a cat," thought the sausage maker.

FARMERS' A, B, C's
They sow their P's,
And live their B's,
Shear their U's,
Shoot their J's,
Feed their N's,
Then take their E's

SOMEHOW or other a tax howler is always a "tax" on our patience.

PEGGY—"Does your husband talk in his sleep?"

Polly—"No, it's awfully expensative. He only smiles."

"THIS will be a cinch," remarked the harness-maker as he sawed off another piece of leather.

IT'S dangerous to make love to another man's wife; but it's more dangerous to make love to his widow.

DON'T blame a man for being dignified. The less a doctor knows, the more Latin he must use.

A COLLEGE confers a sheepskin; but the school of experience tears off a couple of yards of human hide.

IF there is anything more humiliating to a girl than blushing when she shouldn't, it's not blushing when she should.

"I'd like to be created, but I'm sure my wife wouldn't like it."

"Why so?"

"She's always complaining about my leaving my babies around."

WHY the prejudice against the two-dollar bill? It will go a dollar's worth of stuff anywhere.

THE new question of the Age: "Why the — should an engineer be civil?"

I was born in Alabama,
Raised in Tennessee;
If you don't like my cocoonets,
Don't shake my family tree.

RUSHING in upon the leopard he shot him on the spot.

"I DIDN'T get a wink of sleep" usually means, "I waked up several times."

SOUTHERN HOSPITALITY
A SIGN is now being held by the bureau fifty-five feet by three and one-half feet, inscribed, Charleston Welcomes You to be hung from the steel girders inside the gate at the union station—Charleston, S. C., News and Courier.

EARLY to bed and early to rise and the world will list you among the dries.

"I SURE was in hot water last night," said the boy after his Saturday night bath.

Can't see as there's any less work in this what you call quantity business. 'Tis the same, if it wasn't for this "what you call quantity business," it is highly improbable that he would be taking a trip to Detroit to play his fiddle before Henry Ford.

London's Latest Club.
(London Sunday Times.)

The very latest thing in the way of London clubs is the Chester, which is to open next month at a luxurious house in Grosvenor Place that once belonged to the Rothschilds, and has a wonderful marble staircase and painted ceilings.

Three "I Don't Knows."
(From "The Romance of Soldiering and Sport," by Gen. Sir James Willcocks.)

One of the best stories in this collection concerns Lord Kitchener, who was a great friend of General Sir James Willcocks.

"When I was surveying in Palestine years ago I started one morning from a small village with a guide interpreter. I carefully put down the name he gave me, and we rode on to the next village, which I plotted and then asked him the name of it; he gave me exactly the same one as last."

However, thinking they probably formed part of a group, I filled it in and moved on to a third hamlet, which he informed me bore the very same name.

"This was too much of a joke, and I shouted at him, when, to my amusement, I discovered the man had merely used a word which, translated, meant 'I don't know,' and he added, 'I dare say they still call it that on our maps.'"

One Way of Looking At It.
(New York Herald-Tribune.)

No one can deny that there is money in football for Harold Grange who, in the little more than a fortnight since he abandoned his college course, has received something like \$400,000, of which three-quarters came from an agreement to appear as a football hero in the movies.

There are many who have honestly procured more money in a similar space of time after leaving college but we doubt it. As one of the chief missions in life for most of people is to obtain a competence we fall to agree with those who blame Grange for grasping the bird in hand.

Quantity Production.
(Christian Science Monitor.)

There is a certain logic in the business philosophy to which A. Maitie Dunham, the champion fiddler of Maine, gave expression the other day, when he was telling his sentiments regarding the request from some firm that he submit to it prices for his snowshoes, "in quantity."

"Don't know what you mean," he is said to have written back. "My price is so much. There is just the same amount of work in every pair. I get for one pair what it is worth and no more."

The Specialty



Mr. Taxpayer: "Pardon me for altering your advertisement, Mr. Baldwin, but I think it's now really very much more like the truth." — From London Opinion.

The Best of Advice

BY CLARK KINNAIRD
WHOSO WOULD BE A MAN—

IS YOUR mind your own? Then you are different from other men.

Thinking for yourself, acting as YOU think best, is like swimming against a furious current. It always is easier to go down than UP stream, and most men are content to drift along with what is known as Public Opinion, with no more individuality of mind than a sheep, an animal that must have a leader.

WHAT I must do, is all that concerns me not what people think.

"This rule of Emerson, equally arduous in actual and intellectual life, may serve for the whole distinction between greatness and meanness. It is harder because you will always have about you persons who think they know what is your duty better than you know it."

CONFORMITY is the favorite subject in the pulpits and in the schoolrooms; yet Man owes all his progress to the NONCONFORMISTS.

"Whoso would be a man must be a nonconformist," Emerson proclaims. No law should be sacred to a man but that of his nature.

Thoreau erects a guideline for the world's opinions; it is easy in words to live after our own, but Emerson opines, "THE GREAT man is he who in the midst of the crowd keeps with perfect sweetness the independence of solitude."

THERE is no one thing that ALL men love.

As Montaigne observed in one of his essays, "There never was in the world two opinions alike, no more than two hairs, or two grains; the universal quality is diversity."

Yet men do not act according to their own distinctly individual bent, but in accordance with the force of that most powerful of winds, Public Opinion.

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(Petersboro Examiner)

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Who's Who

IN THE DAY'S NEWS.

WINSTON CHURCHILL

A ONE man "literary strike" is being waged by Winston Churchill, well known American author. He recently announced that he would write no more books to be sold at the present high prices.

He complains that those who really enjoy books cannot buy them because they cost at least \$2 and others read them just because someone else recommends them as good.

In discussing the fact that he has not had a book published since 1919, Churchill said, "I won't turn loose the stories I have written for myself to be sold at high prices to people who won't appreciate them."

Winston Churchill was born in St. Louis, Nov. 10, 1871, and was graduated from the U. S. Naval Academy in 1894. A year later he was married to Mabel H. Hall. His first novel, "The Celebrity," was published in 1906, followed the next year by "Richard Carvel."

His best known works are the latter and "The Crisis" and "The Inside of the Cup." His last novel, "The Dwelling Place of Light" was published in 1917. In 1919 he wrote a play, "Dr. Jonathan."

He comes to in Cornish, New Hampshire, where he lives with his wife and son, Winston, Jr., aged nine.

Other Views

THE INCHCAPE ROCK.
(Ottawa Citizen)

Lord Inchcape, head of the P. and O. steamship line, asserts that this year has been the worst for shipping in the whole history of the sea.

And he can't blame this on Ralph the Rover.

HIS SUCCESS.
(Ottawa Journal)

A Los Angeles woman says her husband's one ambition was to be a perfect drunkard. Since she obtained an absolute divorce from him we are sure that he must have attained his noble and inspiring objective.

THE QUARTET KICKED.
(Border Cities Star)

The Ontario editor who wrote "one of the most enjoyable features of the church social was the singing one the mule quartet" is still rooting in the topmost branches of the tree out behind his office.

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THE BRITISH WAY.
The British seem to have developed their plans for the future on the principle of taking the punishment for a good philosophy for life as well as for commercial and industrial progress.—Mr. J. D. Mooney (General Motors Corporation, Detroit).
DO YOU REMEMBER?
(Kincaid Review)
Say, do you remember the good old days when doctors sawed off your leg if you stubbed your toe?

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DOLL PAGEANT IS EVERY PLEASING

Novel Event in St. Peter's Hall is Attraction for Many

Three Hundred on Display and Much Skill and Ingenuity Shown

A magnificent doll pageant in honor of Miss Canada opened in St. Peter's Hall last night for a three-night run...

Great Skill Shown. Great skill and ingenuity had been shown in the making of the doll booths...

"DOLLYS DIVERS." "Dolly's Divers" was the title bestowed upon the mysterious fish pond...

"Dolly's Dainties." "Dolly's Dainties" was a spot where many lingered, and it was recognized as a familiar friend, "house-house."

"Dolly's Delicacies." "Dolly's Delicacies" were served in a red and white tea room where Mrs. Clement Murphy presided...

"Dolly's Dill-Dalls." "Dolly's Dill-Dalls" were the novelties displayed at a booth, very attractively trimmed in yellow and white...

OBJECTIVE REACHED

Red Cross Canvassers Here Secure Money and Pledges of \$3,000

The Saint John Red Cross Society campaign for funds has reached its objective of \$3,000...

Move Lunched Here in Medical Education

Would Bring College to Physician For Post-Graduate Work; Drs. Nutter and Routley Speak Before Thirty-nine of Fraternity in Opening Lecture

A movement designed to take the medical college to the doctor instead of taking the doctor to the college for postgraduate work was launched in Canada last night...

AFFIRMATIVE WINS

The East Saint John Community Club last night staged a debate in the hall of the United Church. The resolution debated was "Resolved that the horse is more useful to man than the car."

Bring the Traffic--Keep The Contract--Put The National Transcontinental To Work

Canadian grain throughout the whole year. That was the issue put up to the people and they marked their approval of it by their votes.

The Conservative party, reinforced by defections in the persons of Hon. G. Blair, former minister of railways, and Hon. J. Israel Tarte, former minister of public works, combated this idea vigorously...

The original agreement with the Grand Trunk Pacific company, formed from the directorate of the Grand Trunk, contained a proviso setting forward clearly the idea. As read by Sir Wilfrid to Parliament the clause was as follows:

(Section 42) "It is hereby declared and agreed between the parties to this agreement that the aid herein provided is granted by the government of Canada for the express purpose of encouraging the development of Canadian trade and the transportation of Canadian goods through Canadian channels..."

"Now, Sir, if we build a line from Winnipeg to Quebec, say, 1,400 miles long, and if we can secure four-tenths per cent. grades; if we lay that road with 90-pound rails, if we put bridges upon it that will carry the heaviest locomotives and trains of cars, each car carrying a load of 50 tons..."

"After having given Quebec a business that that port can transact during the season of open navigation the road is designed to carry that trade on during the winter to ports in the Maritime Provinces, to the port of Halifax, to the port of Saint John. It proposed to give the very best conditions that are attainable for securing that object. It may be that it cannot be done, but we intend to attempt it and to attempt it by using the best means in our power to accomplish that purpose."

Dealing with rates, Sir Clifford Sifton, then minister of the interior, said: "We have sometimes very indefinite ideas as to what rates could be made by railways when they want to make a good rate and when they get down to a competitive basis and find they cannot get any more."

Such was the purpose for which the road was built. To attain these ends the people of Canada authorized an expenditure of 170 million dollars. Yet, except for a brief period in 1916 when a six cents a bushel rate was made to Quebec, no attempt has been made to put the road to the purposes for which it was built.

On the contrary it has been deliberately prevented from doing the work it was built to do by the imposition of rates which make it impossible to ship grain over the road.

Among the consequences of this breach of trust is the resentment of the people of the Maritime Provinces, which at times has been so pronounced that it has given rise to threats of secession. The Maritimes have here a legitimate grievance within the power of government and parliament to remedy by the simple expedient of carrying out the pledges made by a former government which met the formal approval of parliament and the people.

Following the addresses of the visiting physicians the executive of the New Brunswick Medical Association met with Dr. Alphonse Sornay, of St. John, president, in the chair, and discussed plans for the formation of groups throughout the province to be addressed by the lecturers sent out by the Canadian Association.

The Young People's Society of the Carleton United Church held an enjoyable social last evening in the school room of the church. After the devotional period, led by LeBaron Stubbs, a program was carried out in which the following took part: Mixed quartette, Miss Margaret Henderson, Miss Helen Henderson, Arthur Long, Roland Belyea, reading, Mrs. Charles Watters; solo, Miss Margaret Henderson. Miss Marguerite Barrett was accompanied by the evening Group games were played in which Rev. F. T. Bertram and Mr. Stubbs were judges.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY MOULSON TEMPLE

Pythian Sisters Make Plans For Their Usual Christmas Giving

Moulson, Temple, No. 14, Pythian Sisters, at its meeting last night elected as its most excellent chief for the ensuing year Mrs. J. D. Cameron. The retiring Mrs. E. A. Nelson, E. J. J. Grant, manager, Miss Hazel Callan; protector, Miss Hazel McLean; guard, Mrs. Ruth Williams; installing officer, Mrs. B. Porter; press, Mrs. E. R. Hagerman; captain of degree staff, Miss Helena Magnuson; trustee, Mrs. McGintley; grand lodge representatives, Mrs. B. Porter and Mrs. G. C. Cosman. Arrangements were completed for sending out 18 baskets to the needy at Christmas time and the Temple decided to give a pair of candy to the kindergartens for their Christmas closings.

Southey's Grandson Penniless at Death

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Alan Launcelot Southey, grandson of the famous poet who was poet laureate 100 years ago, has died in Swansea workhouse infirmary at the age of 83. He was a man of culture, yet he made a humble living at gardening, haymaking or general farm work. He often slept in the open because he hated towns. He died from cancer of the throat after a painful illness. He served in the South African war and joined up again for the European war at the age of 42.

Claim Discovery of Diamond Substitute

BERLIN, Dec. 15.—The Roehring Steel Works at Wetzlar claim to have discovered a substitute for the diamond. They have produced an alloy of wolfram and wolfram carbide that will melt at a temperature of about 3,000 degrees Centigrade, and will last longer in scientific work than a diamond. The hardness of the new alloy, which will be placed on the market under the name of Thoren, is only about 2 per cent. less than that of the diamond.

Deaths

Archille Pelletier. ST. LEONARD, Dec. 14.—After an illness of nearly two years Archille Pelletier died recently at the home of his daughter at the age of 74 years 10 months. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gaudet accompanied the body to Grand Falls, where the funeral took place. Mr. Pelletier is survived by two daughters, Mrs. C. J. Gaudet, of St. Leonard, and Mrs. Dr. Guy, of Grand Falls. Mr. Pelletier was well known, having worked on the railroad from the time of the beginning of the road from Aroostook Junction to Edmundston, till he was pensioned off a few years ago. Many floral and spiritual offerings were received. The funeral service was conducted by Father Bernier, with Father Saindon as deacon and Father Verret, sub-deacon. Father Comeau, of St. Leonard, and Father Dugal, Drummond, were also present.

Mrs. Robt. Murphy. PETERVILLE, Queens county, Dec. 14.—After a painful illness of twelve years, Frances James Murphy, wife of Robert Murphy, aged 80 years, died here on Dec. 7. Mrs. Murphy was a daughter of the late John and Eleanor Boyd, of Burton, Sunbury county. She was of Scotch descent and a life-long Presbyterian. She was noted for her goodness and kind disposition toward the poor. She bore her long illness with Christian fortitude and was never known to complain about her sufferings, always putting her trust in God. Mrs. Murphy leaves her husband, William Murphy, her son, John S. Murphy, and six stepchildren, John Murphy, at home; Joseph Murphy, and Mrs. Leslie A. Graham, of Peterville; Mrs. James Sargeant, of Saint John; Mr. Chester Murphy, of Southboro, Mass., and Mrs. E. P. Bassard, of Calgary, Alta.; also one sister, Miss Rebecca Boyd, of Burton.

Deaths

John Sullivan. CHATHAM, Dec. 14.—One of the oldest residents of Northumberland county died at Barnaby River Saturday in the person of John Sullivan. He was 91 years of age. The funeral was held at Barnaby River this morning. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery there.

Mrs. Eliza Simpson. NEW JERSEY, N. B., Dec. 13.—Mrs. Eliza Simpson, widow of John Simpson, died here recently. Mrs. Simpson had been ailing for over two years. She was 82 years old. Mrs. Simpson's influence for good in the church and community was marked. By friends and neighbors, young and old she was long remembered, and lovingly and gently missed by all. Services at the house and grave were conducted by Rev. W. Lawson, of Saint John, present supply of Tabusintac and Burnt Church, United Church of Canada. Mrs. Simpson leaves daughters, Mrs. Archibald Cameron, Black River;

Deaths

Mrs. T. H. McKnight, New Jersey; sons, Byron, New Jersey; and William at home, besides 12 grandchildren. The pall-bearers were John Sewell, Samuel Wason, Colin Anderson, Wilbur Loggie, Harrison Murdoch, Frank McKnight.

Two Find Death in Reformation Move

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 14.—C. Alfred Paquette, 22 years old, formerly of Lynn, Mass., shot and killed his wife in a room here, and then committed suicide. Police said they found a note that indicated a suicide pact. The police said Paquette, a pharmacist, had come to Florida "to reform." A note left by the young man, they said, contained statements to the effect that he had been a heavy drinker. His wife, Alice Paquette, 20 years old, followed him south and was working as a stenographer.

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THE TIMES-STAR FEATURE PAGE

Dorothy Dix

The Girl Whose Fiance Would Rather Break Their Engagement Than Allow Her to Work After Marriage—How to Divide the Family Income—The Old Mother Who is Tired of Being a Guest.

DEAR MISS DIX—For seven years I have been engaged to a man who is one of the finest fellows in the world, but who seems not to be able to "get along" somehow. He has been working and struggling to try to save up enough for us to get married on, but has made no headway, and has become so discouraged that he has written me breaking off our engagement, saying that he did not feel it right to keep me bound any longer.

ANSWER: I do, indeed, Mary. There is nothing so foolish and illogical as the position that many men take about their wives continuing in business after they are married.

And why shouldn't a woman work as well as a man? Why should an able-bodied woman be supported by somebody else's labor? Every one with a grain of intelligence knows that idleness is just as demoralizing for women as it is for men.

I think there is nothing more unfortunate than that men have so long been slaves to the old tradition that it was a kindness to a woman to lap her in luxury and keep her in idleness.

Men have got to be educated up to the point where they will abandon the old superstition that it is a husband's duty to make his wife a parasite who does nothing but sit on a cushion and sew up a seam, and feed upon strawberries, sugar and cream.

This knowledge is coming very swiftly, for under present economic conditions many men can never make enough money to support their families alone and unaided.

DEAR MISS DIX—How should a man and his wife divide the family income? ANXIOUS BRIDEGROOM.

ANSWER: I will let a correspondent, who signs himself "contented Husband," answer that question, as an ounce of experience is worth a pound of theory.

"All moneys received are divided into three equal parts. We each take one-third and the other third is set aside for saving. Out of this is paid the life insurance, which, of course, is one form of saving.

"With the money divided, as I have stated, we figure the house and office expenses as nearly as we can, and divide this between us, each being responsible for certain items. What is left we each have for our individual use, to use absolutely as we please.

"This plan makes the wife feel that she is a real partner, and I think that there are very few women who, if trusted with responsibility, would not show themselves perfectly capable of handling their end of the finances of the matrimonial firm. I know that my wife outclasses me when it comes to getting results with her third of the money."

DEAR MISS DIX—I am a widow, 71 years old, but in good health. I have ten children, all married, and have been staying with my children ever since. But I am tired of roaming around from house to house.

ANSWER: I advise you to rent your rooms and establish your own home, particularly as you can be with your sister and have some companionship, and some one to look after you if you get sick.

Your children are actuated by the most affectionate of motives in wishing you to live around among them, but old people should stay put. They should have and adjust themselves to new environments. However welcome, you are but a guest in your children's houses, and you must adapt yourself to their ways, and new ways are not easy for old people to learn.

And I think young people cannot possibly realize how much her furniture means to an old woman, and what pleasure and comfort the gets in being surrounded by her old things. Her chairs and tables, her china and silver are not just household goods to her. They are memories that speak to her, often more audibly than the voices of the living people about her.

She can never lack for companionship with them around her. Here is the bed in which her children were born, and in which her husband died. Johnny made the scar on that table leg with the tools that Santa Claus brought him on a Christmas morning fifty years ago. The dent in that spoon was made by Sally's first tooth. Hands that have been dust and ashes these many years worked that needlepoint. A little girl's first stitches went into the making of that patchwork quilt.

And so it goes. Every article has some association that makes it dear to the old woman. Memories, tears, old griefs, old joys, hollow and sanctify every object until the shabbiest thing is more precious to its owner than the finest object in a collector's shop.

Every old woman should have her own home, even if it is only a room, and live among her household gods, who will bless and comfort her.

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With The Women of Today

TWENTY-TWO national organizations of women are represented at the "Woman's Joint Congressional Committee," which recently met in Washington.



MRS. JOHN D. SHERMAN. Mrs. Sherman is known from coast to coast and is president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs. Her home is at Estes Park, Colorado.

For five years the women of America have forgotten creed and political preference and have banded together to influence legislation. They are working for, first, the entry of the United States into the World Court; second, establishment of a federal department of education; and third, correction of certain abuses in the federal civil service.

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Lady Astor will present the Brooks-Bryce essay cup to the student in Sir William Perkins School, at Chertsey, in Surrey, England, who is the winner in that school of the prize essay contest offered by the Brooks-Bryce Foundation.

The girls of the High School of Champaign, Ill., are also competing exclusively for girls to become a member of the foundation. The purpose of the foundation is to establish mutual understanding between Great Britain and America by fostering mutual good will through the youth of both countries as found in their secondary and preparatory schools.

Fashion Fancies



The model above is French inspiration. The color scheme is an especially attractive one, the dress being of soft, blue-gray trimmed with yellow.

The dress is made with a long slim upper portion. This fits the hips snugly, while below the hip-line is a flared section of box pleats. Yellow stripes, woven in the material, appear in a border design at the lower part of the bodice, and are matched by the yellow piping which trims the dress.

TUSSAUDS TO BE SOLD. LONDON, Dec. 15.—The site, buildings and contents of Madame Tussauds wax works museum will be offered for sale shortly, and it is hoped the purchaser will continue the famous exhibition, which was considerably damaged by fire last March.

CHRISTMAS CANDY. Now is the time to make your Christmas candy and the fondant, cooked or uncooked, is the foundation of the sweets. To make a cooked fondant, mix two cups sugar, two-thirds cup water and one-sixteenth teaspoon cream of tartar in a saucpan and boil without stirring until syrup forms a soft ball when dropped in cold water. Let cool for a few minutes and turn out on a buttered platter. When the bottom of the platter feels the same temperature as the hand, beat the syrup until thick. Then knead with the hands until very firm and creamy. Place in a bowl, cover and use as needed.

SEE-SAWING ON BROADWAY

RECENTLY a good gag going around about a certain Broadway theatrical figure who, feeling ill, went to a specialist, "Diabetes," sobberly announced the physician.

MUCH has been written about the madcapness of New Yorkers when celebrities are about. It used to be that crowds would gather at theatre entrances, when important opening night attractions were under way, to gaze at stage notables and society women, to marvel at their clothes and to get a close-up view. This was more or less forgotten inasmuch as the Broadway belt is cluttered each night with people who have little else to do but wander about.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS. AN ADVENTURE IN THE COUNTRY. The Twins laid the picture of "The Whaler" (which really had turned into a picture again as they stepped out of it) and looked around for Mister Blue Cap.

"Where have you been all this time?" asked Nancy, when the little fellow appeared suddenly from nowhere. "I was right along with you," said Mister Blue Cap with a grin. "I went every place you did on the big boat. But I thought that I'd better keep out of sight, for sailors are not accustomed to fairies and if Bob Merry had seen a queer chap like me, all cap and buttons, and no size, he'd have jumped overboard. Did you learn much?"

"I should say we did," exclaimed Nick. "I always thought whaling boats came in with a lot of whales piled up on the decks, but we found out that they never take a whale on the boat at all. All they do after they catch it is to cut it up, and take it on board in pieces, and melt down the fat for oil. They bring that home in barrels."

"That's right! That's right!" nodded Mister Blue Cap approvingly. "You are learning more in the picture gallery than your mother thought you would, my dear, and there are still more places for you to visit. Your mother has not come back yet, you see. Look around and tell me what you see in any picture that you like particularly."

"The Twins looked over all the big paintings hanging in their gold frame on the green wall of the picture gallery, and it wasn't two seconds until Nick's quick eye noticed a picture of a little boy in overalls, whitewashing a fence.

"May we go and visit that boy?" he asked eagerly. "He looks just about like him." "Sure, you may go," nodded Mister Blue Cap. "Both of you. Come right along!"

So going up to the picture, he unlocked the glass cover, and back it swung.

Then he looked it after him again. And the picture gallery disappeared, and the Twins found themselves on a country road in front of a white farmhouse with green shutters and rose vines.

"Hello there!" he called when he saw Nancy and Nick. "Where did you come from? I didn't see you a minute ago, and I looked all up and down the road both ways."

He didn't say anything about Mister Blue Cap, for, as usual, the little fairy-man had disappeared.

"Why we came from—we came from the just came," said Nancy.

But the boy wasn't too curious. "Gee, I'm glad you did," he remarked dropping his brush beside the bucket. "I'm tired and I'm going to call my brother to finish this. I know where there is a blue-bird's nest. Do you want to see it? And I know where a big pickerel is hiding under the bank, and where there are a lot of rain toads and every-thing else."

"Oh, Charley!" he whistled. "Come on out."

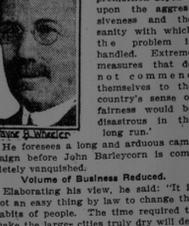
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Timely Views On World Topics

IT IS important that the prohibition forces shall practice restraint in using the enormous legislative majority now registered," declares Wayne B. Wheeler, head of the Anti-Saloon League forces in Washington.



He foresees a long and arduous campaign before John Barleycorn is completely vanquished. "The future of prohibition depends upon the aggressiveness and the sanity with which the problem is handled. Extreme measures that do not commend themselves to the country's sense of fairness would be disastrous in the long run."

Volume of Business Reduced. Elaborating his view, he said: "It is not an easy thing by law to change the habits of people. The time required to make the larger cities truly dry will take upon many things. I would point out, however, that no law is 100 per cent. against robbery and murder, robberies and murders are committed."

Family Menus. Breakfast. Grape Fruit. Cooked Cereal with Top Milk. Whole Wheat Toast. Marmalade. Coffee or Cocoa. Luncheon. Canned Salmon or Cold Ham. Potato Salad. Rice Cakes. Tea. Dinner. Scalloped Potatoes and Ham. Cabbage and Apple Salad. Mashed Turnips. Deep Apple Pie. Tea or Coffee.

TODAY'S RECIPES. Potato Salad — Four medium-sized boiled potatoes, one large boiled beet, one teaspoonful chopped onion, one teaspoonful of chopped parsley. Peel the beet, slice and cut into fancy shapes. Slice the potatoes into neat rounds; arrange beet and potato in a salad bowl, sprinkle the top with the parsley and shallot and pour over all a little French dressing.

Rice Cakes—To each cup of boiled rice add two eggs, pint of milk, one cup brown sugar, one-half cup molasses, three well-beaten eggs, one teaspoonful each of cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg and allspice, one teaspoon salt, one teaspoon baking powder, one-half teaspoon baking soda, two cups flour, one cup bread crumbs, one cup of seeded raisins, one cup English currants, one cup candied peel (assorted) cut fine. Mix all together dry, add enough milk

English Plum Pudding—One half pound of beef suet chopped very fine, one cup brown sugar, one-half cup molasses, three well-beaten eggs, one teaspoonful each of cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg and allspice, one teaspoon salt, one teaspoon baking powder, one-half teaspoon baking soda, two cups flour, one cup bread crumbs, one cup of seeded raisins, one cup English currants, one cup candied peel (assorted) cut fine. Mix all together dry, add enough milk

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News Notes From Movieland

AND still the "vamp" is with us. Paulette Goddard, French actress, has been cast in a siren role in Marion Davies' "Fretful Ladies."



Comedian, "Cheaper to Marry" and "Fretful Ladies." The George Barr McCutchen story calls for Miss Davies to play a dual role, one as cousin of a prince, the other that of the crown prince himself, when she is called upon to foil a usurper's plot. In her disguise as a prince she looks very mannish. Her hair is cut short, eyelashes painted so that they won't show, eyebrows altered and lips painted so that they are a mere slit. Miss Davies calls her makeup "crating," for she succeeds in "crating" almost all of her feminine features and replaces them with the more masculine variety.

Other members of the cast are Antonio Moreno, Roy D'Arcy and George K. Arthur.

"Wild Oats Lane," the stage play of a boy and girl who have sowed their share, is being filmed by Marshall Neilan. The girl "who never had a chance" is played by Viola Dana. The boy, weak and a victim of circumstances, is portrayed by Robert Agnew.

William DeMille is going to quit the directing field in which he has achieved no little success, to return to his first love, that of playwright and scenarist. "The Woman" and "Strongheart" are among his plays. His newest offering is "Shanghai," the tale of a girl crook. Bebe Daniels is the crook.

Emil Jannings, Germany's greatest screen actor, may be playing in American studios soon. An exchange of film stars is assured by an agreement between Ufa, the German company, and U.S.A. She recently played in "Time, the Universal in this country."

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For several years the young couple lived in America, where both in Chicago and St. Louis Mr. Forbes-Leith became one of the active business men of the West, looking after his wife's vast iron and steel interests and embarking on some enterprises of his own, which brought him immense wealth when the gigantic Steel Trust was formed.

Then he returned to England to fulfil the dream of his life by buying back the estate of his ancestors. The famous estate had passed out of the hands of the family of its founders for over 600 years, but Mr. Forbes-Leith bought it back, and a few years later took from it the title of the peerage which King Edward bestowed upon him.

During the South African War Lord Leith fitted out and maintained at his own expense two companies of Lovat's Scouts. His only son was killed in that war, and so the peerage expires with Lord Leith's death. He leaves a widow and one daughter, who married Colonel Sir Charles Rowden Burn.

U. S. Entry to World Court Is Advocated

Canadian Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The demand that the Senate recognize public opinion of the United States for entry into the world court, was voiced yesterday by speakers at a Thanksgiving service in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, celebrating the signing of the Locarno treaty.

Both Bishop Wm. T. Manning, and Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, declared that small group of Senate irreconcilables could prevent the United States from entering the court.

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A meeting held yesterday of the officers of the Saint John Fusiliers, 26th Battalion, C. E. F. was very satisfactory in so far as arrangements were practically completed for the annual military ball. Comment was made regarding the decorations of the armory. Flags by the hundreds have been procured and all decorations of the different parts were discussed. Novelties never witnessed in Saint John will be introduced at every other dance and surprises galore await those attending.

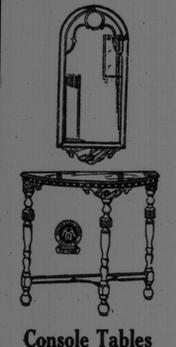
U. S. SURTAX O. K'D.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The House today approved the normal and surtax income rates contained in the new tax bill. Reduction in surtax rates from a maximum of 40 to a maximum of 20 per cent, was approved after a three-hour fight. The normal income rates were accepted without challenge.

LAFOLLETTE RECOGNIZED. WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Senator LaFollette, of Wisconsin, was recognized today as a Republican by the Republican Senate Committee on committees. The young Wisconsin Senator was assigned to three committees, manufacturers, mines and Indian affairs.

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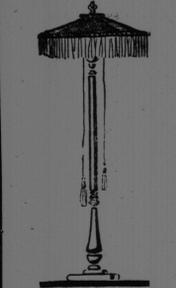
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Here Are Some Letters from Children That Point to the Need of Work that Empty Stocking Fund Is Doing

PICTURE yourself standing on the stage of the Imperial Theatre. As you look out on the big house every seat downstairs, is filled and there are about 200 more crowding the aisles. Nearly 2,000 kiddies all told.

Now it is Christmas Day and every face is full of life. What kind of an expression does it show? Happy, gay, sparkling eyes, and little hands clapping in a storm of applause for YOU standing on the stage? You are Mr. and Mrs. Saint John and the youngsters in the audience are now looking on YOU as the one who brought them great joy through The Times-Star Empty Stocking Fund.

Is that not worth while? This gives some idea of the children served by The Times-Star fund. Ever since it was instituted, its circle of little clients has grown steadily until this year, it is preparing to serve 2,000 kiddies if the money is available.

CHILDREN EAGER. Every child who received something in former years is again counting on The Times-Star Santa Claus and contributions received already guarantee that practically every child will be reached. It is only a question now of how great the service will be. The size of the Christmas packages will be limited by the size of the fund. If it is a large fund, the greater the happiness. Even if it reached \$2,000 it would not be too much for the needs.

PATHETIC LETTERS. A great many letters from the children of poor homes have come to the committee. Most of them ask for the necessities of life, but occasionally a dolly or some other toy is asked for. Many tell of illness of father or mother, some are from orphans and all indicate the need of help to make Christmas something more than a blank. Here are a few that cannot be read without a pang of regret for little ones so placed.

LAST CHRISTMAS BARE. "Will you please send me something for Christmas as we didn't have anything last Christmas. I have a little sister and I wish you would send me a pair of boots or rubbers size five something. What we need most is shoes and stockings. My Daddy isn't working and I guess it will be a poor bring him a pair of boots and mitts Christmas for us. I am a little boy aged four years and a half and I take a 8 1/2 shoe and my little sister takes a 5 shoe. Please send us something."

DADDY SICK ALL YEAR. "I am a little girl 12 years old and I have two sisters and three little brothers. I have a little sister 5 years old and little sister 7 years old and a brother 10 years old and little brother 8 years old and a little brother 1 year old and we will have nothing for Christmas. So would you be kind enough to send us some nice warm stockings to wear. My Daddy has been sick for over a year and not able to work and my dear Mamma is not well, so please, Dear Santa, will you call on us and help to make us happy, from a little unhappy girl. There are other things we need but that would be asking too much from you. Hoping you will call."

MOTHER IS SICK. "I thought I would write to you and ask you to send me a stocking for Christmas. I have three sisters and two brothers and they would all like a stocking for Christmas. Our mother is sick and the work has been scarce and we do not expect much for Christmas. Please send us something if you can. One of my brothers is two years and the other one is five and my little sisters, one of them is six and the other is nine and the other is a year old, and myself."

FOR A SICK BOY. "We are not having any Christmas. Daddy can't get any work and Mamma works two days a week, all she can get. I am a boy thirteen. I have been awfully sick with pneumonia in both

MAKE "SHUT INS" HAPPY



There are in this community several bedfast little fellows who could have lots of fun with a few Christmas toys. All can help through the Empty Stocking Fund.

CARLETON BAND WILL PROVIDE MUSIC FOR FUND SKATING MEET

Comes Forward With Fine Offer of Services to Help Increase Sum to Bring Christmas Cheer to Poor Kiddies

EAGER to have a share in helping along the good work of raising money for The Times-Star Stocking Fund in connection with the speed-skating races next week, the Carleton Cornet Band, through J. C. Maxwell, has placed its services at the disposal of the committee tomorrow night when the first of a series of events are carded.

The action of the band in this matter was entirely voluntary and, needless to say is highly appreciated by the committee in charge. The band will discourse martial and popular music during the evening and its presence will lend a finishing touch to an already attractive skating program.

THREE EVENTS. Three speed-skating events are carded for the 22d, the 8th and the mile and entered in them are the cream of Saint John's senior crop, including Charlie Gorman, Willie Logan, Ed Snodgrass.

OTHERS ON MONDAY. Then on Monday night, December 21, the other events on the card will be run off. They include the 440 and the three mile. "I'm going in these races to give my best," said Charlie Gorman, the other day. "I'm going in there as though Thunberg and Jew-ture were my opponents. Give us some good ice and we'll show the fans some skating. I look to do my best in the 440 yards, my favorite distance."

me I will give them either to Mother or Dad when they do come down so now goodbye and God bless you in your noble work and may God grant you many more Christmases to do your noble work."

NOT FOR HIMSELF—HE'S BIG. "Just a line to ask you not to forget my little brothers and my sister in sending them their stockings this year as you sent them for two years. I am not asking for myself as I am a big boy, I am eleven. All I ask for is my smaller brothers and my dear sister. I have only one sister; she is a dear, so I will close, thanking you for my stockings. One brother is nine, my brother is five and my sister is seven."

A MOTHER ASKS. "I am writing to ask you if you would send something to us for Christmas. I have eight little children and another one expected and we will have very poor Christmas if we get no help. Could you send some of them a pair of stockings please and maybe a toy. Thanking you in advance."

MOTHER MUST WORK. "I am a little girl of ten and I would like you to send me something for Christmas as my mother is a hard working woman and my father is dead and my mother will not be able to buy much for me. I have two brothers and two sisters and I am the baby of all and one of my sisters is sick. I hope you will remember me dear Santa Claus."

FOR BOY OF SIX. "I am a little boy six years old. I have a sister eight, another one four, a baby brother three months old. Our Daddy is not working. I go to school every day. I have no warm shoes and stockings and we would like very much to be remembered in the Christmas Stocking Fund."

AN UNSELFISH LAD. "I am a little boy eight years old and I would love to have you come to me like you do other little ones. My Daddy has not worked since July and my Mamma works by the day when she can get it to do. If my Daddy gets work before Santa comes I will find some other little boy and give him what you would be kind enough to give me Santa. I would like to have a pair of golf stockings."

MOTHER OF TWENTY. "Just a few lines to let you know that we are poor people and Father is not working. Mamma is working by the day but it is hard for her to keep us in clothing and shoes to go to school and something to eat. She is getting pretty old now. She had 20 children and they are nearly all away but five

boys are eleven and eight years old and the most we need is underclothes and shoes." DADDY IS SICK. "I am a little girl thirteen years old and a sister five. Our Daddy is sick and we would like for you to send us some underclothes and a pair of stockings and my little sister would like a baby doll." WE ARE VERY POOR. "I am a little boy five years old. I have a sister three years. I would like to have a stocking. Me and my sister we are very poor. Please don't forget us."

LITTLE GIRL ASKS. "I am a little girl nine years old and I have a little sister six years and our Daddy is dead and I have two half-brothers; one four years and one four months; a half-sister two years. Me and my sister go to school. Our step-daddy has been awfully sick, so if you would send us some warm underclothes and warm stockings I would be awfully thankful to you."

FROM A MOTHER. "Would you kindly send us each a pair of stockings for Christmas. My husband has been out of work so long and the children have no shoes or stockings. I would like to have a little candy and nuts for them as they won't be able to have anything for Christmas. Thanking you ever so much. Their ages are 1 boy 3 yrs. old, a girl 2 yrs. and a baby girl 2 mos. old."

Investors Ordered To Repay Ponzi Funds. BOSTON, Dec. 12.—A warning to investors in the get-rich-quick scheme of Charles Ponzi who withdrew their investments after Aug. 2, 1920, to return the money to the trustee of the estate was issued by Judge George W. Anderson in Federal court. The Supreme Court, Judge Anderson informed counsel for defendants in recovery suits, has made this ruling.

N. S. MAN DROWNED. GLACE BAY, N. S., Dec. 12.—Frank Verbeke, 18, of Caledonia, near here, fell through the ice at Big Glace Bay Lake last night, while small fishing, and was drowned. The body was recovered this morning.

GETTING READY. A record of the names and addresses of all those who have written to the committee—some of whose letters are here printed—has been kept and in addition to this there is being made up a list of poor children that is being received from the clergymen of Saint John churches. It is a lengthy roster of names of families in which Christmas cheer is a doubtful Christmas for this fund.

PICTURE THIS. Fathers and mothers—think what it would be if you were so placed that you could not fill your little ones' stockings. Imagine your kiddies waking up on Christmas morning to find the stockings placed at the chimney place in all the confidence of innocent childhood—EMPTY. Then realize that there are many—very many—who face this possibility. To prepare against this is the design of The Times-Star fund.

MORE THIS YEAR. Not only will more poor children be looked after this Christmas through this fund but there likely will be more in the stockings if the money keeps coming in as it has in the last few days. Work will be begun this week preparing the treats for the little ones, so that all the stockings will be ready for delivery by Christmas eve.

Advertisement for Horlick's Malted Milk, Safe Milk and Diet For Infants, Invalids, The Aged. Nourishing—Digestible—No Cooling—Avoid Imitations—Substitutes.



New Charm to The Solitaire Gift

The Christmas Solitaire will mean even more than a wonderful Diamond in a beautiful setting, if chosen at the Senior Jewelers.

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The setting is carved by hand with great skill and grace. If Milady was born in December, why Holly is cleverly worked into a stunning design.

Snowdrop for January—(Hope)—Primrose for February—(Courage)—Violet for March—(Fidelity)—Daisy for April—(Virtue)—Hawthorne for May—(Contentment)—Honeysuckle for June—(Love)—Water Lily for July—(Purity)—Poppy for August—(Devotion)—Morning Glory for September—(Keenness)—Hops for October—(Confidence)—Chrysanthemum for November—(Harmony)—and Holly for December—(Prosperity).

Down to \$35. The complete Birthflower Diamond Ring in 18 karat White or Green Gold comes at every price down to \$35. A distinct design for each month—a Diamond of the strict quality characteristic of the Senior Jewelers. And a guarantee bond that the same ring cannot be had for less money anywhere, actually a money back written guarantee.

The Birthflower idea glorifies the Solitaire into added sentiment value. To be sure watch for the Birthflower trademark tag and the name of the flower engraved inside the loop. While the Senior Jewelers have every Solitaire effect, do see what the Birthflower Solitaire looks like. Christmas is so close a deposit reservation is urged.

Ferguson & Page Jewelers

Advertisement for Absorbine Jr. The Antiseptic Liniment. When a Scream Startles You—and your heart jumps up in your throat—and you know one of the children is hurt—run to the medicine cabinet for the bottle of Absorbine Jr. Whether it is a cut hand or a gashed knee—a torn arm, burnt finger, sprained ankle, bruise or open wound—apply "ABSORBINE JR." full strength. It may smart for an instant—but it will cleanse the wound, destroy germs, prevent infection, ease the pain and promote rapid and healthy healing.

PASSAGE COST TO EMIGRANTS MUCH REDUCED

Britain and Canada Will Pay Larger Share, Is London Report

AGREEMENT SIGNED; PUBLICATION LATER

Imperial Government to Provide Greater Part of Extra Money Needed

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The new overseas settlement agreement between Canada and Great Britain has been signed and will be published later in the week, according to information obtained by the Canadian Press.

While the details of the new immigration agreement are being withheld for the time being, the Canadian Press is credibly informed that the main feature thereof will disclose the fact that a substantial reduction has been made in the amount of money which an approved emigrant from Great Britain to Canada will have to put up under the assisted passage scheme.

LARGER PAYMENTS. The agreement involves larger payments by the two governments. The emigrants themselves will furnish approximately \$3.00, each for passage to Halifax, \$5 to Winnipeg, \$7 to Edmonton and \$9 to Vancouver.

Of the extra amount required the British government is to provide the greater part.

Last year 734 families, comprising 3,600 individuals, emigrated to the Dominion under the Overseas Settlement Scheme, and also 1,000 single farmworkers and 1,000 household workers.

For next season about 500 families have been selected already for emigration to the Dominion, and probably the next three or four months will produce another 500 families, or perhaps 700 families.

FAMILY SELECTION EASY. Despite the rigidity of the qualifications required of families wishing to migrate to Canada it seems fairly easy to obtain as many families as are desired. More difficulties will be experienced in getting the desired number of single farm workers possessed of the skill demanded for new settlers and it remains to be seen whether the reduction in the passage money will bring enough of them forward without any modification being made in the qualification barriers.

There is no present indication, however, that the Canadian immigration authorities are disposed to relax the hand-picking system of securing settlers from the old land.

STEWART TALKS PLANS

WINNIPEG, Dec. 14.—Plans are under way for carrying out a vigorous immigration policy—covering the United States, the British Isles and European countries—and Canada can absorb 200,000 agrarian settlers per year, declared Hon. Charles Stewart, Acting Minister of Immigration, when interviewed here today.

Mr. Stewart, while stating that the complete immigration policy would not be made public until the parliament meets, intimated that railway and steamship companies would co-operate both in the Old Country and on the continent and that officials of the immigration department would interest themselves in securing United States settlers.

The government's aim, he said, was to settle 90 per cent. of the newcomers on the land as compared with 25 per cent. so settled in the days of heavy immigration.

LODGE OFFICERS CHOSEN FOR YEAR

Carlton Tower Lodge, Knights of Pythias, held their annual meeting last night in Castle Hall, Gullford street, West Side. George Henderson was in the chair. Reports were given showing the lodge to be in a prosperous condition and it was announced that a series of card parties, smokers and dances would be given during the coming year. The right of esquire was conferred on one candidate, H. Dean.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Chancellor commander, G. E. Henderson; vice chancellor, E. P. Fullerton; prelate, Curtis Willis; master-at-arms, William Stopp; keeper of the record and seal, H. S. Stears; master of finance, E. A. Young; master of the exchequer, B. Edwards; inner guard, J. Spencer; outer guard, C. F. Cooley; master of work, B. B. Brittain; trustees, J. Allan, J. Henderson and S. Lane.

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Burglar Nets \$20 In Home Of Legislator

MIDDLETON, N. S., Dec. 14.—A burglar entered the residence of O. P. Goucher, M.L.A., early this morning, removed his shoes, possessed himself of a flashlight from a shelf in the kitchen and proceeded to search the house.

Mr. Goucher heard a noise and came down stairs, switching on the lights as he proceeded. He found the back door open, his wife's purse from which \$20 had been taken, and a pair of shoes with rubbers attached, left behind by the unwelcome visitor.

Letters To The Editor

NO REFLECTION ON INDIVIDUAL.

To the Editor of The Times-Star:

Sir:—We would like to answer a statement in your issue of Dec. 9 from Mr. Martin McGuire, late commissioner of the New Brunswick Liquor Commission. In reply we take exception to and deny the statement made by him that our report to the Government was a perversion of facts.

Melchers Gln: We cannot see any good reason for purchasing this large quantity whether for immediate shipment or later delivery. In view of the sales tax being reduced, which is now being advocated by both political parties, the cancellation of the 5,000 cases will effect quite a saving for the province.

We regret very much that Mr. McGuire wrongly interpreted the concluding paragraph of our report. We have known Mr. McGuire for many years and hold him in highest esteem. The recommendation contained in said paragraph referred not to any member of the late commission, but to prospective pending appointees of the Government.

We have filed our report with the Government and further controversy will cease so far as we are concerned.

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COMMITTEES ARE GETTING TO WORK

Plans For Various Departments in Vocational School Discussed

Two of the advisory committees, which are assisting the vocational committee in selecting equipment for the new vocational school and making suggestions with reference to the layout of the plans for the various departments, were in session last night in the School Trustees' office building.

Fletcher Peacock, director of the school, presided at both meetings. The advisory committee on motor mechanics was in session from 7:30 to 9 o'clock and decided to meet at noon today at the school and look over the shop wing. The committee will meet again on Friday evening at 7:30 at the School Trustees' office to complete its report. Those present at the meeting last night were as follows: W. W. Rogers, of the McLaughlin Motor Company; Fred E. White, of White's Machine Shop; Fred Breen, of the North End Garage; A. W. Ring, of the Ford Motor Company; Royden Foley, Arnold McLeese, Willard Battery Service; Mr. Irving, of the Ford Service Station; J. Arthur Cody, electrician; G. D. Craft, of the Exide Battery Station; J. M. Dimock, of J. M. Dimock and Co.; C. W. Parent, of the Dodge Service Station; Harvey Ellis, of the Central Garage; George Clark, of the Hart Battery Service; Douglas Mawhinney, of the Motor Car and Equipment Co. Ltd.; George P. Hennessey, Inspector for the school board, of the vocational school, and W. B. Main, of the provincial vocational education department.

OTHER MEETINGS.

The electrical committee convened at 9 o'clock and was in session until 11 o'clock. It will meet again on Thursday evening to complete its work. Besides Mr. Peacock, Mr. Hennessey and Mr. Main those present were J. V. Cunningham, city electrician; B. Paraday, of the New Brunswick Power Company; Barry Wilson, of the Civic Power Commission; P. P. Vaughan, of the Vaughan Electric; Stanley Webb, of the Webb Electric Co. and Herbert A. Stephenson, of the E. S. Stephenson Co.

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PLAN CHRISTMAS TREAT FOR TARS

Ladies' Guild of Seamen's Mission Society Will Entertain Sailors

The Ladies' Guild of the Seamen's Institute met yesterday afternoon to make arrangements for the Christmas treat for the sailors in port.

Mrs. Mary Seymour, the president, was in the chair. It was decided to serve all the men with coffee, cake, doughnuts and nuts on the afternoon of Dec. 28. It is expected that between 500 and 600 seamen will be in the city at this time. Donations for the treat are now being solicited and the response is fairly generous.

In other years it has been the custom to give the sailors each a Christmas stocking but this was found to be very costly as there were sometimes as many as 1,000 men to be provided for and sometimes some had to go without.

It was therefore decided to have the festivities take a form which could be enjoyed by every one.

CANADIAN PACIFIC COMPARTMENT-OBSERVATION SLEEPERS

A most attractive feature of Canadian Pacific service between Saint John and Montreal is provided by the Saint John-Montreal compartment sleepers which are now running on train 15, leaving Saint John at four o'clock in the afternoon, and on train 16, leaving Montreal at seven o'clock in the evening.

Each of these cars contains one drawing-room, three compartments, a large observation room, and an observation platform, the latter of course being always placed at the rear end of the train. The observation room, which is fitted with large windows, giving a practically unobstructed view on three sides, is intended as a lounge for the benefit of all sleeping-car passengers on the train. It is supplied with the latest magazines, as well as with stationery and a writing-desk.

Each compartment contains one lower and one upper berth, and all toilet facilities, much like a drawing-room. Patrons traveling alone or in parties of two, who are unable to secure a drawing-room, will find a compartment most convenient, as well as distinctly lower in price.

Needless to say, the whole car is fitted up to the best Canadian Pacific standard, thus ensuring complete comfort to the traveler.

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YARMOUTH STORAGE DAM IS DYNAMITED

Axes Then Used to Complete Destruction of Gates; Loss is Serious

YARMOUTH, Dec. 14.—An attempt to destroy one of the dams of the Yarmouth Light and Power Company was made Sunday morning at the run of water between Kempt Back and Parr

Lakes, nearly 80 miles from here. The structure was less than 60 feet in length and was of plank and earth construction. It had a seven-foot gate where the destruction was wrought.

The main posts were bored in five places in which were placed sticks of dynamite. After those were discharged the party or parties responsible used their axes to complete the destruction of the gates, which went down the river and were totally destroyed.

The loss by the damage to the Power Company is serious, not only from a monetary viewpoint but also by the loss of water.

Progressive Leads As Recount Halted

EDMONTON, Alberta, Dec. 14.—When the counting of the ballots in the Peace River recount was completed it was found that D. M. Kennedy, Progressive, had a majority of 17 over J. A. Collins, Conservative.

Judge Mahaffey has postponed action regarding the disputed Barhead poll until Thursday afternoon next.

A summons has been issued for William Barker, deputy returning officer, at the Paddle River poll, to attend the hearing.

THE REAL THING FOR A BAD BREATH!

Mouth washes are fine things—but afford only temporary relief. Get at the cause—and you've solved the problem. 15 to 30 drops of Segar's Syrup taken in a glass of water, removes the cause. Try it and you'll swear by it.

CARDS ENJOYED.

Forty tables of forty-fives were played last evening at the weekly card party of the Ladies' Society of the Church of the Assumption. The prize winners were: Lady's first, Mrs. T. Graham; lady's second, Mrs. F. L. O'Neill; consolation, Miss Helen Ingraham; gentleman's first, Rev. H. G. Hamage, gentleman's second, Edward Hourie; consolation, Gerald Ring.

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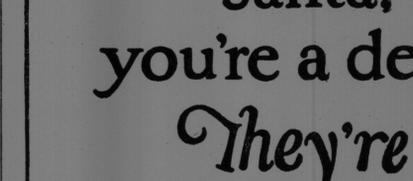
'Tis certain that the home provided with Moirs will be one radiating happiness at Yuletide.

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'Tis certain that the home provided with Moirs will be one radiating happiness at Yuletide. A selection of boxes in various sizes with appropriate Christmas decorations now on sale at your druggist's or confectioner's. "Santa, you're a dear" They're CHOCOLATES by Moirs

Help Wanted -- For Sale -- Board -- Rooms -- Real Estate

LOST AND FOUND
DON'T WORRY about lost articles. Your ad. in this column will find it. Everybody reads the "Lost and Found" column.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE—Brick building with two lots of land, having a frontage on St. John street, and 66 feet on Nelson street, with two story brick building, suitable for manufacturing plant or warehouse.—Apply MacRae, Sinclair & MacRae, Pugsley Building, 12-20 Times.

WANTED—GENERAL
WANTED—A complete up-to-date bath mill to cut 100,000 feet per month per thousand. Operator to start immediately, or would buy complete mill. Reply to Lumberman, Box 28, Times.

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Business and Professional Directory
Auto Repairing
MOTOR REPAIRING and general repairs. All work guaranteed. Est. since 1910. Main 2417. Ellis Bros. Central Garage, Waterloo street.

HUGE SUMS LOST TO CANADA BY GRAIN EXPORTS
Sending of Our Wheat Through U. S. Ports Raises Pointed Comment
LACK OF MONTREAL EQUIPMENT BLAMED
C. B. Watts, Toronto, Says Loss Will Continue While Those in Control Sleep

EAST LUMBER TRADE HAD POORER YEAR
President of Montreal Association Sees Hopes of Market Strengthening
MONTREAL, Dec. 14.—The Eastern Canadian lumber trade has not had such a successful year as in previous years, according to the report made to the annual meeting of the Montreal Lumber Association today by its president, D. H. McLennan. This was due, he said, to competition from the Baltic as well as to lower freight rates via the Panama Canal which enabled Oregon, Washington and British Columbia to compete with eastern lumbermen.

GENUINE ASPIRIN PROVED SAFE
Take without Fear as Told in "Bayer" Package
Unless you see the "Bayer Cross" on package or on tablets, you are not getting the genuine Bayer Tablets of Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians over twenty-five years for
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Each unbroken "Bayer" package contains proven directions. Handy boxes of twelve tablets cost few cents. Drugists also sell bottles of 24 and 100.

MALE HELP WANTED
THIS COLUMN will find you a good man or boy. Every wide-awake man reads the "Help Wanted" column.

FOR SALE—GENERAL
FOR SALE—Table style phonograph and records. Portable phonograph with six record special priced on carry over payment plan.—Parks Furnishers, 111 Princess street. Open evenings. 12-18

WANTED—GENERAL
WANTED—To hire woman on first mortgage of a farm.—Apply 203 Victoria street. 12-16

WANT AD. RATES
2c Per Word Per Day Times-Star
3c Per Word Per Day Combination Rate Times-Star and Telegraph-Journal

Medical
PRIVATE Maternity Nursing Home, 19 Cedar street.—Phone M. 4183. 12-21

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 14.—Commenting on Export statistics which show that the bulk of Canadian grain transported to Europe is shipped via United States ports, C. B. Watts, a Toronto authority on wheat, said today:
"Immense sums of money are being lost to Canada, and we will go on losing it just so long as those in control of the situation are asleep—it is time people woke up."

THRIFT ARTICLES ARE ON EXHIBITION
Mrs. David Morrow is Prize Winner at Women's Institute Meeting
An exhibition of thrift articles made by the members was held in connection with the monthly meeting of the Saint John Women's Institute yesterday afternoon in the Health Centre. Mrs. David Morrow was awarded the prize for the best article in the exhibition. One of the regulations in the making of the articles had been that their cost should not exceed 50 cents. Mrs. Morrow's prize winning thrift exhibit was three linen napkins with crocheted edges and embroidered initials.

N. S. WOMAN FOUND DROWNED IN WELL
Mrs. Louise Muise, Yarmouth County, Had Been Ill Some Time
YARMOUTH, Dec. 14.—In the village of Belleville, about 18 miles from Yarmouth, the body of Louise, wife of Peter Muise, of that place, was yesterday found drowned in a well a few yards from her home. Mrs. Muise had been in poor health of late, suffering from nervous complications. For a week or so a sister had been living with her, Mrs. Muise being in the United States.

COOKS AND MAIDS
WANTED—Young girl to go home nights. Apply Mrs. S. L. Kerr, 176 Duke street. 12-17

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE—Two pair ladies' skates and boots, sizes 8 and 10 1/2.—Queen street. West Saint John, over Exchange Hospital. 12-17

HOUSES TO LET
TO LET—Self-contained house, 36 Charles—Apply 109 Hason. 12-22

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET
TO LET—Two furnished heated rooms, 37 Leinster street, Phone 2395-11. 12-18

Medical
LADIES—All facial blemishes removed. Free consultation in all nervous and muscular diseases, weakness and neuritis, etc. etc. Robert Wilby, Medical Electrical Specialist, 124 1/2 Germain St., Phone M. 1161. 12-17

INCREASE CONTINUES
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Grain exports from the United States last week were 1,159,000 bushels, as compared with 2,251,000 bushels the week before.
Canadian grain exports through United States ports amounted to 5,421,000 bushels against 4,238,000 bushels the previous week; exports of North American wheat four were 6,000 barrels against 236,000 barrels.

CANADIAN RECEIVES HONOR IN SURGERY
MONTREAL, Dec. 14.—A diploma in laryngology and otology, issued by the Royal College of Physicians and the Royal College of Surgeons, London, England, has for the first time been awarded to a Canadian, Dr. W. J. McNally, former Cooper research scholar in experimental medicine at McGill University, being the recipient of the honor.

Song Writer Builds Musical Automobile
LONDON, Dec. 12.—A music composer's motor-car is being constructed in London on rather original lines. It will be built on a "Phantom" Rolls-Royce chassis, and two electrically driven gramophones will be mounted on the car's equipment. Some idea of the large money that is made from popular song-writing is indicated by the fact that the motor-car has been purchased from the proceeds of a song written in fifteen minutes.

AGENTS WANTED
A GOOD AGENT can be found by using the "Agents Wanted" column. They all read it.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE—No. 5 Underwood typewriter. Call M. 41—Apply 45 Horne. 12-16

FLATS TO LET
TO LET—One heated flat, Chippin's Hill Apartment, 12-14 Prince Wm. street. One apartment on Montserrat, Pleasant, six rooms, hot water heating, open fireplace, 42 Paris street, Main 1416. 12-17

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET
TO LET—Furnished heated rooms, 43 Paddock street. 12-17

Medical
ARTHUR DOYLE, Plumbing and Heating, 18 Esplanade street. 12-17

Her Nerves Were "All Broken Up" She Could Not Sleep
Mrs. David Gallagher, 37 Lyndhurst Ave., Hamilton, Ont., writes: "My nerves were all broken up and I could not sleep at night, and I would have to get up out of bed and lie on the floor for hours at a time."

Smelt Fishermen Get 15 to 18 Cents
SHELDIAE, Dec. 14.—The prices paid smelt fishermen at Buctouche here the quotation has advanced from 10 to 15 cents. The fish count but are more plentiful in Kent county rivers. Favorable tides are expected with the new moon this week.

Large Red Pimples Itched Terribly Cuticura Heals
"My face became full of large, red, scaly pimples and at times they itched terribly. They spread in great blotches and formed large, scrofulous eruptions that burned a great deal. I was ashamed to go anywhere on account of them, and the trouble kept getting worse. The trouble lasted about a year. I tried various kinds of ointments without success. I sent for a free sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and they helped me. I purchased more, and after using three boxes of Cuticura Soap and Ointment, together with the Cuticura Sore, I was healed in about two months." (Signed) Miss Mildred M. Bean, Crossstown, Nova Scotia.

FOR SALE—AUTOS
GREAT BARGAINS in used cars can be found in this column. Every prospective car owner reads it. Have you one for sale? ADVISE IT HERE.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES
FOR SALE—Grocery Store, stocked for Xmas, central location. Splendid custom trade.—Apply Box 24, Times. 12-17

APARTMENTS TO LET
TO LET—Three room apartment, with kitchenette and bath, hot water heating, hardwood floors, electric lights, gas range and refrigerator, cozy and bright. Very central part of city. Reply to L. T. Tuffs, 57 Lock street. 12-22

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE
TO LET—Furnished house, 197 Charlotte, M. 3983-31. 12-16

Plumbing
R. M. SPEARS Plumber and Heater, No. 24 St. Andrews street. 12-17

Given Month in Jail
James F. West, given in charge by Capt. Yates, of the steamer Hazel Park, on a charge of refusing duty, came before the police magistrate yesterday afternoon and was sentenced to four weeks in jail.

For Matchless Skin - Keep the System Regular
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I began to feel much better, and after using a few more boxes I could enjoy my rest as well as ever I could."
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FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE—Brick house. Good location. Good rooming business. Could be converted into apartments or three flats. Easy terms.—Phone 2273-11. 12-14-17

WANTED—GENERAL
WANTED—To buy 6,000 feet hardwood birch, maple and beech, birch and maple to be saved one inch, two inch, two and one half inches and three inches, good logs in neat, shapes and colors. Write for interview how to saw stock. Will pay 80 per cent cash at siding. Delivery by rail. Apply to sawmills. Purchase from Jobbers as well as operators. Box K 34, Times, Saint John. 12-17

OFFICES TO LET
TO LET—Heated office, centre of the city. Rent moderate.—Telephone 1401. 12-21

BOARDERS WANTED
WANTED—Boarders and roomers. Central, very reasonable.—Apply 14 Castle street. 12-21

CITY OF MONCTON TO ASK REHEARING
Will Appeal to Utilities Board on Electricity Price Matter
MONCTON, Dec. 14.—At a meeting of the City Council tonight it was decided that the New Brunswick Board of Public Utilities Commissioners be requested by the city solicitor for a review of the case referring to the price of electricity charged by the Moncton Tramways, Electricity and Gas Company.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE—Twenty-five dollars down and monthly payments like rent, will buy new six room house on Park Ave., East Saint John. Why not put your rent in your own home?—East Saint John Building Co., Ltd., 69 Prince Wm. street. 12-17

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE—New two family house in North End. Six rooms, bath, electric, investigate. Price, \$4,600.—East Saint John Building Co., Ltd., 69 Prince Wm. street. 12-17

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE—House, quarter mile above pottery. Bargain. For information apply Box 24, Newcastle, N. B. 12-18

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE—Houses, farms and lots. See our list. If you wish to buy, sell, exchange or rent. Real Estate consultant—W. E. A. Lawton, 109 Prince William street, Telephone Main 2332. 12-13

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MUTT AND JEFF—JEFF TAKES CARE OF MUTT'S PORTION OF WHITE MEAT
"THIS CHICKEN YOU'VE GOT IN THE OVEN—HOW MUCH DID YOU SAY IT COST?"
"ONE CENT—I WON IT IN A RAFFLE AT THE LION TAMERS' CLUB! IT OUGHT TO BE DONE! I'LL PECK!"
"MUTT, BRING ON THE CARVING KNIFE! THE DOLLAR IS DUE TO A TURN!"
"TO BAD WE AIN'T GOT A FORK SO I CAN CONTROL THE BIRD WHILE I CARVE! YUM YUM!"
"I'LL HOLD THE BIRD FOR YOU!"
"IT'S AS TENDER AS BUTTER! GEE! ANY KATIE SLIPPED AND THERE GOES MY WHITE MEAT ON THE FLOOR!"
"YOUR WHITE MEAT!"
"SURE! PICK IT UP, JEFF, OR THE DOG WILL GET IT!"
"HE'LL GET IT IN A RIG'S EYE! I'VE GOT MY FOOT ON IT—ON WITH MY CARVING!"
"OOWAH!"
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RAIL SHARES ARE POPULAR IN WALL STREET

Heavy Buying Marks Resumption of Upward Trend of Market Today

PAPER ISSUES ARE MONTREAL FEATURES

Brazilian Traction, Smelters and National Breweries Also Receive Attention

Canadian Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Heavy buying of the railroad shares featured the resumption of the upward price movement at the opening of today's stock market. Wheeling and Lake Erie Common, and Western Pacific opened at new 1925 high levels, and Louisville and Nashville showed an initial gain of one point. Sulfur Steel also attained a new record high price and Marine preferred, General Asphalt and Savage Arms moved up 1 to 2 points. Chrysler fell over 8 points on the first sale.

MONTREAL MARKET. MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—The paper issues again featured when the stock market opened this morning, the group being represented by Abitibi, off 1-4 at 74 3/4; Howard Smith, up 1-2 to 40 1/2; Spanish River, up 1-2 to 106 1-2; Price Bros. preferred XD down 1 at 58, and the common off 1 at 52; Laurentide up 1/2 to 91; Brompton, up 1-2 to 28 1-4. Brazilian also received considerable attention at 81 1-2, off 1-4. Smelters sold up 1-2 at 100 1-2, while National Breweries XD was off 1-8 at 56 1-4. The weak spot of the list was Dominion Glass XD, a small lot of which appeared at 89 3/4, down 2 1-2.

NEW YORK MARKET.

High	Low	Noon
Am. Can.	28 1/2	28 1/2
Am. Locomotive	115 1/2	115 1/2
Allied Chemical	116	116
Baldwin Loco	120 1/2	120 1/2
Bell. Steel	43 1/2	43 1/2
Balt. & Ohio	91 1/2	91 1/2
C. E.	146	146
Dodge Com.	42 1/2	42 1/2
Gen. Motors	115 1/2	115 1/2
Harco	55 1/2	55 1/2
Radio	44 1/2	44 1/2
Rubber	84 1/2	84 1/2
Steel	48 1/2	48 1/2
Studebaker	57 1/2	57 1/2
White Motors	201	201
Windsor	82 1/2	82 1/2

MONTREAL MARKET.

High	Low	Noon
Abitibi	74 3/4	74 3/4
Brazilian	81 1/2	81 1/2
Brompton	28 1/4	28 1/4
Gen. Asphalt	141	141
Dom. Glass X	89 3/4	89 3/4
Nat. Breweries	56 1/4	56 1/4
Laurentide	91 1/2	91 1/2
Montreal Power	213 1/2	213 1/2
Indus. Alcohol	16	16
Span. Riv. Pfd.	108 1/2	108 1/2
Steel Canada Com.	97 1/2	97 1/2
Windsor Com.	47 1/2	47 1/2

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

High	Low	Noon
December wheat	1.66 1/2	1.66 1/2
May wheat	1.64 1/2	1.64 1/2
July corn	62 1/2	62 1/2
July soybeans	86 1/2	86 1/2
December oats	40 1/2	40 1/2
May oats	46 1/2	46 1/2
July oats	48 1/2	48 1/2

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

High	Low	Noon
December wheat	1.54	1.54
May wheat	1.52	1.52
May oats	35 1/2	35 1/2

Morning Stock Letter

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—There is very little we can say about the market except to point out again the optimistic tone of business reports and the level of corporate earnings. A good many stocks have not yet entirely discounted their prospects and for special stocks we expect higher prices. It is well, though, to point out the more or less artificial character of the market. To make much headway, a stock seems to have more or less of a pool backing it. C. & O. Southern, C. & N. and B. & O. look good. In steels we expect H. S. Steel to sell water heating. High G.I. looks as if it will go through 108. Biscuits should be bought on further reactions. May Stores has not started yet, but when it does we believe it will move up seasonally. We still expect higher prices for South Porto Rico Sugar, which was one of the features yesterday.

Brokers' Opinions

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Hornblower—The trend and action of the majority of stocks have proved quite conclusively that the line of least resistance is on the upward side. Conservative interests have long maintained that Alis Chalmers should sell above par.

TENDERS

Sealed tenders directed to the undersigned are requested for the freehold property known as the Provincial Memorial Home for Children of Wright street, with large building thereon, stone foundation, hot water heating. This property would make an excellent large boarding house or building suitable for some institution. Has large grounds about it, but having a width of two hundred and eighteen feet and a depth of two hundred and eighty feet. Bids must be in writing and enclosed under seal addressed to the undersigned, and a certified cheque for \$100, payable to the undersigned, must accompany the bid, to be forfeited to the New Brunswick Protestant Orphan's Home in case of failure to complete purchase within ten days from acceptance of tender. Property is being sold clear of all mortgage and encumbrance. Taxes, water rates and fire insurance premiums to be adjusted as of date of delivery of deed. Bids will close on Saturday, December 19th, at 12 o'clock noon at the office of H. Usher Miller, 71 Dock street. The highest nor any bid not necessarily accepted.

H. USHER MILLER, Secretary New Brunswick Protestant Orphan's Home, 8512-12-21

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They keep the liver healthily active, make digestion easy, elimination regular and satisfactory. Why suffer, when CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS will be so easily had. Only 25 cents—sold everywhere.

FIVE DIE BY GAS

Two Men Find Wives Dead When They Reach Their Homes

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Angelo Sinner found his wife, Louise, dead when he returned from work to his home here. She had sealed all apertures in the kitchen, fixed a gas tube in her mouth and turned on the gas. John Adam found that his wife, Adele, had ended her life with gas when he returned to their home. Ill health is believed to have prompted her.

Grieving for her husband, who died a month ago, Mrs. Anna Pearsal, 65 years old, ended her life with gas in her home. "Please forgive me for the trouble I cause you," she wrote in a note to her son, "but I cannot go on living without father."

Hannah Sincotaky, 70, who lived with an Irish tenant, a gray cat and a canary, was found dead with his pets, a gas heater in the rooms having been turned on accidentally. It is believed.

"What made Mabel turn Tom down?" "He was a printer and she didn't like his type."—London Mail.

AUCTIONS

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Beached Steamer Is Towed to Port

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 12.—The Italian steamer Campan, beached at Point No. Point, 75 miles down the bay, after a collision with the British steamer Mombassa last Saturday was towed to her dock here last night. Emergency repairs released the ship from Point No. Point early today. She carried a cargo of potash from Antwerp.

Arabs Declare 1,000 French Troops Slain

JERUSALEM, Dec. 12.—Arab sources, without confirmation elsewhere, today reported that Druse rebels had practically annihilated a French force of more than 1,000 east of Damascus. Damascus notables are reported to have refused to meet France's civil commissioner, Henri de Juvenel, to arrange a peace settlement.

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FOR SALE—Dry Cut Wood, \$2.50 large truck load.—W. P. Turner, Mass Street Telephone 274

WILL CONSIDER PENSION FUND FOR TEACHERS

They and School Board Committee to Confer on Matter

SCHOOL ATHLETICS UNDER DISCUSSION

Committee Appointed to Look Into Matter of Organization in Schools

The Board of School Trustees last night appointed a committee to look into the matter of the organization of school boy athletics through the schools and also arranged for a meeting with representatives of the Teachers' Association to confer on pensions and a pension fund. New standing committees were appointed because of the resignation of H. A. Porter and the board accepted the gift of a piano from the teachers and pupils of King George school. Trust Officer G. Herbert Green reported there had been 28 children absent from school for lack of clothing. Boys, he said, were the chief need.

H. Colby Smith presided at the meeting. Others present were trustees, Mrs. E. R. Taylor, Mrs. D. P. Chisholm, T. H. Carter, E. R. W. Ingraham, Thomas Nagle, S. W. Palmer, Dr. J. K. Higgins, S. A. Worrell, acting-superintendent, and A. Gordon Leavitt, secretary.

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

Mr. Carter reported that expenditures on the vocational school grounds, for which the board had voted \$800, had amounted to \$49650. Work on the grounds will have to be continued in the spring.

Dr. Higgins reported that Miss H. Dyleman, director of public health nursing services, had asked permission to address the pupils after school hours urging their attendance at classes of health instruction to be given in the Health Centre. The board granted this permission on condition that it be clearly understood that attendance at these classes was to be entirely voluntary.

SCHOOL ATHLETICS

Mr. Worrell said he had been approached by those interested in school boy athletics, urging that organization for athletics be effected through the schools. He believed if this could be done school boy athletics could perhaps be controlled most satisfactorily. It was agreed that a committee of three and the acting superintendent should be appointed to look into the matter and report back. Those named on the committee were Thomas Nagle, Mrs. E. R. Taylor and E. R. W. Ingraham.

APPLICATIONS FOR JANITOR

Applications for appointment as janitor were received from Ernest C. Jones, Daniel J. Daley and James Hyson. The resignation of Miss Della M. Fokling from the teaching staff was accepted.

PURCHASE A PIANO

Miss Margaret Briggs informed the Board that the teachers and pupils of King George school had secured funds to purchase a piano. The Board was asked to accept the piano and the gift was gratefully acknowledged.

REQUEST FOR HIGH SCHOOL

Notice was received that the Saint John Debating Club would conduct a debate on Jan. 23 with the Imperial debaters. A request was made for the use of the High School Assembly Hall to hold the debate and to charge an admission to cover expenses. The matter was referred to the school visitors and the acting superintendent, with power to act.

Dr. Leacock's Wife Dies in Liverpool

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 14.—Mrs. Beatrice Leacock, wife of Dr. Stephen Butler Leacock, noted Canadian humorist and writer, died in the Department of Political Economy at McGill University, Montreal, died in a nursing home here today. Professor Leacock and her mother, Mrs. B. Hamilton, of Toronto, were with her when she died.

Was Nearly Crazy From Headaches

Miss K. Brill, 679 Redwood Ave., Winnipeg, Man., writes:—"I was troubled with such severe headaches that some times I was nearly crazy with them. One day a friend told me about, and advised me to use Burdock BLOOD BITTERS."

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SECRETARY'S REPORT

The secretary's report contained the following statistics for November: Pupils enrolled, 9,178; belonging boys, 4,221; girls, 4,957; total, 9,178; average of those belonging in daily attendance, 92.74 per cent; teachers' visits, 283. Those not belonging totalled 290 and were accounted for as follows: Sick, 57; at work, 89; left city, 88; transferred, 60; truant, 45; and kept at home, 40.

TRUANT OFFICER'S REPORT

G. H. Green, truant officer, reported having made visits to 186 homes and 17 schools. Pupils were absent as follows: 10 as truants; four habitual truants; 11 as being over age, and 10 because away from the city.

CHARGED WITH TRYING TO EXTORT MONEY—THREATENS THE REPORTERS

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Edward J. Naughton, much of whose life, Inspector John D. Coughlin says, has been passed in prisons of England, Holland and Australia, appeared before Magistrate Jean Norris in Tombs Court on a charge of extortion and gave vent to his displeasure by threatening to "get" newspaper reporters who expressed interest in the proceedings.

Munsey Undergoes Knife at New York

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The National Smoke

Wilson's

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CIGAR

10c

Smoked and enjoyed from Pacific Coast to Atlantic Seaboard.

CARD SHARP HELD

Charged With Trying to Extort Money—Threatens the Reporters

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VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

Mr. Carter reported that expenditures on the vocational school grounds, for which the board had voted \$800, had amounted to \$49650. Work on the grounds will have to be continued in the spring.

SCHOOL ATHLETICS

Mr. Worrell said he had been approached by those interested in school boy athletics, urging that organization for athletics be effected through the schools. He believed if this could be done school boy athletics could perhaps be controlled most satisfactorily.

APPLICATIONS FOR JANITOR

Applications for appointment as janitor were received from Ernest C. Jones, Daniel J. Daley and James Hyson. The resignation of Miss Della M. Fokling from the teaching staff was accepted.

PURCHASE A PIANO

Miss Margaret Briggs informed the Board that the teachers and pupils of King George school had secured funds to purchase a piano. The Board was asked to accept the piano and the gift was gratefully acknowledged.

REQUEST FOR HIGH SCHOOL

Notice was received that the Saint John Debating Club would conduct a debate on Jan. 23 with the Imperial debaters. A request was made for the use of the High School Assembly Hall to hold the debate and to charge an admission to cover expenses.

Dr. Leacock's Wife Dies in Liverpool

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 14.—Mrs. Beatrice Leacock, wife of Dr. Stephen Butler Leacock, noted Canadian humorist and writer, died in the Department of Political Economy at McGill University, Montreal, died in a nursing home here today. Professor Leacock and her mother, Mrs. B. Hamilton, of Toronto, were with her when she died.

Was Nearly Crazy From Headaches

Miss K. Brill, 679 Redwood Ave., Winnipeg, Man., writes:—"I was troubled with such severe headaches that some times I was nearly crazy with them. One day a friend told me about, and advised me to use Burdock BLOOD BITTERS."

A Nationally Known Maritime Province Industry

The business of Moirs, Limited, was established in Halifax, Nova Scotia, more than 80 years ago. Through good management, backed by high-grade products, the annual sales of Moirs, Limited, have increased from \$347,964 in 1904 to \$2,752,421 in 1924.

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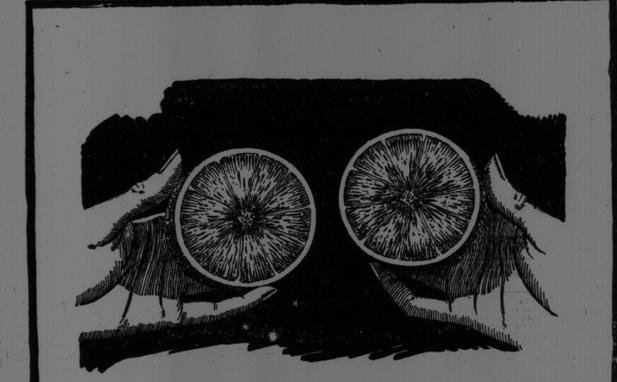
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No Seeds

In a California Orange

at this season of the year

DELICIOUS, juicy, tender, full-flavored oranges without a single seed are now available from California.

If you want that kind, say, "California Oranges" when you order.

Note the ease with which you peel and separate, or cut these seedless oranges into thin, dainty, tender slices for your breakfast dishes and your salads and desserts.

That tenderness is an outstanding feature. If you like tender cuts of meat, you'll like also these "tender cuts of fruit" that a California Orange offers.

Use California Oranges regularly and these advantages will become more and more apparent to you.

Be sure, of course, to have them for the holidays.

Sunkist are the selected California Oranges. To be doubly certain of these qualities specify "Sunkist."

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Seedless Navel California Oranges

Delicious Orange Salad

20,000 EXPECTED TO SEE PRO. HOCKEY OPEN IN NEW YORK

MUCH POMP TO ATTEND INITIAL GARDEN GAME

Canadian Teams Invade American Strongholds This Week

Canadian Press. MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—There was a general exodus of professional hockey players and supporters from Montreal, last night, when Montreal Maroons, Canadiens, and the Ottawa Senators all left for points across the border.

GRAND N. Y. OPENING

The invasion by the Canadian teams, over the border, this week, is fraught with considerable interest as the tilts in several cases, bring together teams battling for leading positions at the start.

STIFF WEEK

Montreal faces a stiff week across the border. The Maroons play at Pittsburgh tomorrow night and in the Pirates, meet a team which has proved the upset of the league to date and the result of this game will be awaited with great speculation.

TODD ON WAY TO MATCH

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Roland Todd, British middleweight boxing champion, arrived here today on the Mauretania. He is en route to Vernon, Calif., where he will meet Harry Greb, world's middleweight champion January 12.

LEAGUE STANDING

Table with columns: Teams, W, L, D, F, A, P. Lists standings for various hockey teams.

HE WINS FOR PORT ARTHUR, 6-5

OTTAWA, Dec. 14.—Swinging from end to end with less than two minutes to go, Gordon Wilson winged his way through the entire Ottawa All-Star team to score the goal that gave the Port Arthur squad a 6 to 5 victory over the locals here tonight.

Go To LOUIS GREEN'S For Smokers' Xmas Gifts

Advertisement for Louis Green's featuring Xmas gifts, pipes, cigars, and premium coupons. Includes address: HERMAN'S, 34 Charlotte St.

"Battling" Siki, Senegalese Boxer, Found Murdered In New York

Along The Sport Trail

By JOHN J. DUNLOP

AN OLD FRIEND of ours, "Gentleman Johnny" McIntyre, popped up in Lynn, Mass., the other night and won a clean-cut decision over a boy named Tod Smith, who was rated as some pumpkin in those parts.

AN OBJECTIVE of 1,000 members is set by the Saint John Skating Association membership drive leaders.

AS THE STAR REPORTERS would say: "A good time was had by all" at the Watermen's banquet last evening in the Victoria Hotel.

PLEADS FOR HOCKEY

Turning to local sport, Mr. Maynes made a telling appeal for the development of hockey in Saint John.

Local Bowling

Table of bowling scores for Commercial League, I. O. F. League, and Inter-Society League.

Local Hockey

Table of hockey scores for various leagues including Commercial, I. O. F., and Inter-Society.

Local Football

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Local Tennis

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Local Golf

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Local Badminton

Table of badminton scores for various leagues including Commercial, I. O. F., and Inter-Society.

BANQUET GIVEN BY WATERMEN MOST ENJOYABLE

Championship Medals Won During Year Are Presented

CHAMPIONSHIP trophies and medals won during the year were presented at the banquet tendered the Water Department baseball team, Maritime champions, in the Victoria Hotel last evening.

Game Nets \$12 for Fund

Two of the city's best bowlers rolled ten strings on the Victoria alleys last evening and netted the sum of \$12, which will go towards the Times-Star Empty Stocking Fund.

THIRD ROUND DRAW IN FOOTBALL MADE

Includes English Leagues; First and Second Teams Given Byes

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Table showing collection amounts for the Stocking Fund, including totals for various groups.

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Large advertisement for REX Cigarettes, featuring the brand name in a stylized font and a pack of cigarettes. Text includes 'King of Cigarettes', '15 Per Package 25 FOR 35', and 'ALSO IN TINS OF 50 for 70¢'.

Advertisement for Williams Shaving Cream, featuring a can of cream and a hand holding a cap. Text includes 'Softens the beard instantly!', 'Note the handy hinged cap', and 'King of Cigarettes'.

MARY CARR SUPERB IN IMPERIAL FILM

Drusilla With a Million is "Charming Story of Heart Interest"

The vast crowds that saw "Drusilla With a Million" in Imperial Theatre yesterday afternoon and evening will certainly mean similar capacity attendance today, unless the value of word-of-mouth advertising has ceased to be a virtue in business.

Perhaps no film novel that has come to any Saint John screen carries with it more heart punch and sustained human interest than this charming novel by Elizabeth Cooper and still one of the most successful books in the shops and on the stands this Christmas season. When "Over the Hill" was shown in this city it stood up to vast crowds for one solid week so it is just a question if the Imperial has not erred in judgment in having "Drusilla With a Million" for two days only. Once the fame of a picture like this becomes broadcast by those who have seen it, attendance keeps up to a highwater mark.

SPENDING A MILLION.

The way in which dear old Mary Carr as "Drusilla" starts in to spend the million dollars left her by a distant relative after she leaves the alma house is truly indeed a lesson that comes with peculiar appropriateness at this season of the year. The attitude of snobbish neighbors next her founding baby home is another human weakness worth pondering. "Drusilla With a Million" is too good a picture for any lover of good wholesome fiction to miss. After it has left the Imperial's screen there will doubtless be a hue and cry to see it on the part of those somewhat beated in taking advantage of the opportunity. So in this critical notice of the picture's premier last night a warning is thrown out not to miss it. Besides "Drusilla" the Imperial showed its usual budget of interesting topical news, comedy, etc. and with the Warlike organ and orchestra provided a highly edifying program.

WELL PRESENTED

Comedy Given by St. Rose's Dramatic Club, in Recreation Hut

St. Rose's Dramatic Club gave an excellent presentation of the three-act comedy, "The Poor Sinners" last night in the Red Cross recreation hut of the D. S. C. R. Hospital in Lancaster for the pleasure of the patients. The large audience enjoyed every minute of the entertainment. The audience showed its delighted appreciation in hearty cheering. Those who took part in the performance gave

Carleton Open Air Rink

BAND TONIGHT—Inspiring band music sends you sailing around perfect ice every fine evening. Just the place for an afternoon of sport. Instructions for beginners. School children admitted free every school day. Adults (afternoons) 15c. Ladies and Children (evenings) 15c. Gents (evenings) 25c. Season Tickets—Ladies and Children \$3.50; Gents \$4.50.

NORMA TALMADGE PLAYS AT PALACE

"Secrets" Follows Stage Plot Closely—Eugene O'Brien in Leading Male Role

Norma Talmadge's screen version of the stage drama, "Secrets," now showing at the Palace Theatre, has been filmed almost as it was played on the stage. Instead of altering the action and tampering with the motives and idea of the story, as it is often charged writers do, Miss Marion divided off the stage manuscript according to camera scenes, and handed it over to Producer Joseph M. Schenck with the original dramatic form intact. The spoken words were converted into subtitles, which means that the subtitles for the most part are conversational, helping to develop the action of the story rather than to cover lapses of time.

COLLEEN MOORE IN NEW FILM TRIUMPH

The Desert Flower Scores on 17th Anniversary of Unique Theatre

A moving, multi-colored drama of life is "The Desert Flower," which opened yesterday on the 17th anniversary of the Unique Theatre, bringing back to us, like a breath of springtime the eternally ebullient Colleen Moore.

It is, however, a more mature, serious-minded Colleen that we see in this latest First National offering. She has emerged, like a butterfly from its chrysalis, into emotional drama, giving us the highlights and shadows of the existence of a little waif in a desert camp of a railroad construction gang, who escapes from the persecutions of a brutish stepfather to make her own way in the world and provide for her baby sister.

DYNAMIC TOM MIX ON GAIETY SCREEN

"The Everlasting Whisper" Well Presented with Alice Calhoun in Feminine Lead

The dynamic Tom Mix and his horse, Tony, are presented in a different setting in "The Everlasting Whisper," a stirring drama of Northwest, which opened a two-day run at the Gaiety Theatre last evening.

OPERA HOUSE

Opening Xmas Day Matinee For One Week. "ROSSLEY KIDDIES" 35 to 50 Children AND FEATURE PICTURES—POPULAR PRICES

"ADVENTURE!"

Bold, Buccaneers, Unafraid! "ADVENTURE!" JACK LONDON'S TINGLING YARN WITH TOM MOORE, PAULINE STARKE, WALLACE BERRY WEDNESDAY—PALACE THEATRE THURSDAY

NORMA TALMADGE in "SECRETS" AT THE GAIETY, WED.

THE GAIETY, THURS.

In the Night

is when sickness always threatens most. But with a bottle of Johnson's ANODYNE Liniment

night dangers from coughs, colds, sore throat, cramps, chills, etc., are quickly stopped. A doctor's prescription for internal and external use that has been protecting the family loved ones since 1810. At all dealers. 25 and 50 cents.

FINE PLASTERED On Foley's Manager

TORONTO, Dec. 15.—The Ontario Athletic Commission has fined Jack Allen, manager for Vic Foley, \$200 and stipulated that Bobby Eber is not to meet Foley in a return bout in Vancouver, for at least four months. This is the outcome of the fight between Foley and Eber last week, when Eber wrestled the Canadian bantamweight title from Foley on the decision of Referee Sinclair.

Fitzsimmons Wins From Bud Gorman

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Bob Fitzsimmons, Newark heavyweight, tonight won a decision from Bud Gorman, of Kenosha, Wis. The bout was fast and there were no knockdowns. Fitzsimmons weighed 188 and Gorman 199.

ZIVIC WON.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 14.—Jack Zivic, Pittsburgh welterweight, won the judges' decision over Jack Rappaport of Newark, N. J., at the end of a hard fought ten-round bout here tonight. Zivic weighed 142-1/2 pounds and Rappaport, 145.

GREG WON.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 14.—Harry Greg, middleweight champion of Newark, N. J., at the end of a won fight over Jack Rappaport, here tonight at the end of eight rounds of boxing. Greg fought under blankets all the way and easily stood off his Louisville opponent.

GODFREY WON.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 14.—Go. Godfrey, negro heavyweight of Leiper, Pa., knocked out Billings Owens, negro, of Greta, La., in the third round of a scheduled 14 round bout here tonight.

MR. HENNIGAR HEARD.

Rev. E. C. Hennigar last evening interested a large audience when he addressed the meeting of the Young People's Society of the Fairville United Church and spoke of Japan. A hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Hennigar on the motion of I. Newton Fawley, seconded by Leon Small. Harry Sweet, president, was in the chair and during the evening Miss Audrey McColegan sang an appropriate solo. Miss Lottie Kelly reported that the recent supper and sale had realized the satisfactory sum of \$118.88.

NONAGENARIAN HAS CHILD OF FOUR.

Captain Avendo Vistan was born in Cornwall in 1835. Thirty-five years later his father-in-law was born. Twenty-five years later still this father-in-law-to-be was presented with a daughter. Twenty-five years were passed, and this daughter then married the captain and presented him with a splendid boy, now four years old.

HOME FOR HOLIDAYS.

Miss Della M. Fokins arrived home yesterday from New York and will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fokins.

CALGARY BEATEN.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 14.—Vancouver defeated Calgary, 8 to 2, here tonight in a Western Canada Hockey League game.

Buy the Gifts He Would Choose

Hundreds of women buy their gifts for men here every Christmas. They know they'll very likely find just the right gift for "Him," for this is where so many men shop the year 'round. GIVE GIFTS TO WEAR. One suggestion is "Shirts" and no man can have an overstock.

PLEATED SHIRTS

The latest thing in shirts are those with the pleated bosoms. Smart patterns of stripes or cross stripes, with collar to match, \$3 and \$3.50.

Broadcloth Shirts, \$3 and \$5

Rayon Shirts, 2 collars, \$5.50

GILMOUR'S 68 KING

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Use the Want Ad. Way

Is Being Shown to Packed Houses Everywhere!

IMPERIAL THEATRE TODAY

Thousands Have Been Eagerly Waiting for It. Elizabeth's Cooper's Widely-Read Novel. DRUSILLA WITH A MILLION

GIVE YOUR OLD HEART A PRE-CHRISTMAS WARMING-UP

WITH MARY CARR, THE DEAR OLD MOTHER IN "OVER THE HILL" Also Kenneth Harlan and Priscilla Bonner YOU'LL LOVE EVERY INCH OF THIS FILM!

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A Picture for the Whole Family!

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Hundreds Delighted Last Night. Get the feel and glow of it while romantic guitars give it melody—love in the evening under desert moon—thrills in the daytime when the bad men's guns go tit-tit-tat!

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ALSO—PATHE REVIEW and "THE FACEMAKERS"

THURSDAY—FRIDAY—SATURDAY

Hoot Gibson

In "ARIZONA SWEEPSTAKES" Serial and Comedy. Three Shows Nightly, Starting 6.30 Three Shows Saturday Afternoon Starting 1.30

QUEEN SQUARE

3 Times Daily—2.30, 7, 8.45 Afternoon, 10c., 20c. Night, 35c.

Only Four Days Left to See

RAY MARR And His Big Musical Show The Best Musical Show That Ever Played in Saint John at Popular Prices.

MON.-TUES. SO THIS IS PARIS

WED. THE MISSING MISS SPECIAL ATTRACTION WEDNESDAY—PAY DAY

THURS. YOURS TRULY

Everyone attending the matinee and evening performance Wednesday will be paid from a penny up to five dollars.

TO RECEIVE AWARD

Captain A. L. Greenlaw, commander of the Saint John Dry Dock and Shipbuilding Company's ocean-going tug, Ocean Eagle, now in port, who, with two other members of his crew, manned a lifeboat and saved several lives from the stranded French fishing trawler Macado, off Forazo Light on the Cape Breton coast on May 26, 1924, will leave here on Monday, next, for Canso, N. S., where he will be presented a gold medal from the Royal Humane Society of England.

This recognition comes as appreciation of the gallant manner in which he risked his life in a boat when rescuing a number of men from the rigging of the stranded trawler during a very heavy sea.

Captain Greenlaw is at present in possession of a beautiful silver cup given to him in recognition for his brave services, and it was only yesterday that he received a communication from Canso that his presence was wanted in that place by His Worship Mayor Robinson. The latter has received the beautiful medal from England with instructions to present the same to Captain Greenlaw.

Not Much Yet In Army Christmas Pots

The Salvation Army Christmas collection pots have not been receiving much so far.

On Saturday the ten pots had yielded only \$32, and yesterday their total returns were \$47. On the first Saturday last year the pots yielded more

than \$100. Major Burton said that the collections in the pots, not only for the Christmas baskets for the poor of the city, and also for its relief work throughout the winter.

In the matter of Christmas baskets the Major said that the Army would carry out its customary policy and would provide for all of those, who were not provided for by any one else.

The Salvation Army will provide a Christmas dinner for the men in the City Metropole and for the girls in its rescue home, and would also take a Christmas dinner to the inmates of the Jail.

Between Christmas and New Year the Army will give a Christmas tree and entertainment for the children of the poor families to whom the Army has sent baskets.

Major Burton said last night that gifts of warm clothing, as well as gifts of money, would be gladly welcomed by the Army for its relief work.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

ALL KIDNEY DISEASES BRITISH PATENT BRIGHTON, ENGLAND MOST THE PROVED

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



OSCAR IS IN A PICKLE



By BLOSSER



YAS SOH!



By MARTIN



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



SALESMAN SAM



TWO TOUGH GUYS



By SWAM



CONSIDER IT SAID AGAIN



CONSIDER YOUR JAW BUSTED





Compacts Like Wrist Watches

They look for all the world like a satinated Silver Wrist Watch. Choice of different colors in ribbon bands. And the price—a surprise at 75c. Refills available.

Complexionettes

Shaped like little cigarette cases, opening up into Rouge, Lipstick and Compact Powder, \$1.25. A Colgate novelty. Whatever is new the Ross Drug Co., Ltd. have it.

After Bathing

By far the largest selection in Bath Dusting Powder is here—every one a highly artistic Gift box. Lorie Georgia Rose in colorful can, \$1.25. St. Denis striped can with Fleurs de Jasmin and other odors, \$1.50. Yardley's Lavender, \$1.75. Hudson's Vanity, \$1.25. More of Cara Nome now due.

Ross Drug Co., Ltd.
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Beaverine Coats

A Fur Coat at Popular Prices

A New Showing of these Coats in Different Styles, has arrived.

Just The Thing For That Gift

F. S. Thomas Limited
639 to 645 Main St.

Leaders Since 1855
W. H. HAYWARD CO., LTD.
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Put Starr Skates on Your Gift List

Somewhere among your relations and friends, especially the younger ones will welcome a pair of Starr Skates on Christmas Morn. The immense popularity of Starr Skates is due to uniform high quality and perfect model in every class.

- Our Starr Skate line includes—
Starr Tube "Hockey" \$5.00
Starr Tube "Racer" \$5.50
Starr Tube "Pleasure" \$5.00
Starr "Bulldog" \$1.75
Starr "Demon" \$1.50
Starr "Scotia" \$3.75
Starr "Regal" Feather-weight \$4.00
Starr "Mercury" \$5.50
Starr Ladies' "Mercury" \$5.00
Starr Ladies' "Glacier" \$3.75
Starr Ladies' "Regal" \$3.75
Starr Ladies' "Primo" Figure \$5.00

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Store Hours—8:30 to 6 Open Saturday till 10 p. m.



PLANS TOLD FOR SHIPPING CATTLE

Steamship Ontario to Make First Sailing From Here in January

Vessels of 7,000 Tons to be Put in Service by Livestock S. S. Co. of Canada

Details of the new cattle boat service between Canada and Great Britain, were given out in Winnipeg last night by H. P. Kennedy, Toronto cattleman, who originated the plan, with which Albert Jensen, Danish shipowner, is associated, says a Canadian Press despatch.

Mr. Kennedy said the company in charge of the enterprise, would be known as the Livestock Steamship Company of Canada, that it would operate exclusively in the export cattle business between Canada and Great Britain. There will be four vessels to start with, he said, each with an average tonnage of 7,000. The first steamship, to be named Ontario, will sail from Saint John, N. B., early in January.

Mr. Kennedy said that the capacity of the steamships will be 1,128 head of cattle apiece, distributed in 292 specially constructed stalls. Concrete floors, steel fittings, and other modern appliances will be provided. Cattlemen will be employed on a permanent basis to handle the cargoes. "Though the ocean freight rate will remain at \$20 a head for the time being," Mr. Kennedy said, "the improved conditions will at a conservative estimate save \$5 a head in shrinkage alone if not \$10. Mr. Jensen, in fact, considers that shrinkage will be eliminated, and that cattle will gain in weight."

APPEALS TO YOUNG MEN FOR MARITIMES

J. D. McKenna Gives Address at Gyro Luncheon at Admiral Beatty

An appeal to the young men of the Maritime Provinces to rally to the support of those pressing for better treatment for the Atlantic district, and a declaration that powerful influences were at work throughout the rest of Canada to help the Maritimes featured an address before the Gyro Club at its weekly luncheon in the Admiral Beatty Hotel at noon today by J. D. McKenna.

"We are in a position to press strongly for our rights. We are backed by the findings of the Winnipeg conference and we have the biggest newspapers in Canada demanding of the Government that the Canadian National Railways be used for the purpose for which they were constructed. It is up to us to show we are worthy of such support and if we do our part, we shall be proud of our heritage." Mr. McKenna's remarks were loudly applauded. Leonard M. Wilson was in the chair.

HARRY BAXTER IS HIT BY AUTOMOBILE

Accident at First Thought Fatal But Consciousness is Regained

Harry Baxter, teamster for the Corona Candy Co., met with a serious accident about noon today at the corner of Prince Edward street, and is now in the General Public Hospital. It was thought at first that he was fatally injured, but at 2:30 this afternoon he had regained consciousness and hopes are now held out for his recovery.

While crossing the street, he was struck by an automobile driven by D. A. Porter and thrown to the ground. A passing taxi was called and the injured man taken to the hospital for treatment. This afternoon an X-ray will be taken to determine the extent of the injuries.

CAR WAS OFF TRACK

Freight From Here Halted Near River Glade—Line Cleared Again

While proceeding to Moncton, train No. 412, an extra running on the schedule of the regular fast freight was delayed by one car being derailed near River Glade, about 1:15 o'clock this morning. The main line was cleared at 6:40 a.m.

The draw-bar of one of the box-cars pulled out and dropped under the car, getting into the running gear and derailing the car. A wrecking crew was sent out from Moncton. Both the car and west-bound fast freights were delayed, the former four hours and latter about six.

Holiday Plans at Post Office Here

Friday, December 25 and Friday January 1, will be observed as public holidays by the Post Office, as follows: The letter carriers will make one delivery in the forenoon. The money order branches will be closed.

The general delivery, registration and stamp windows will be open from 10 a.m. The street letter boxes and parcel receptacles will be collected by team as usual. Mails will be despatched at the regular hours.

On Saturday, December 19, and Saturday, December 26, and Saturday, January 2, all branches of the office will be open at the usual hours and the letter carriers will make the afternoon deliveries.

The money order branches will be open on Saturdays, December 19 and 26. "Mail early—it is better to deliver a few days before Christmas than several days after," says the postmaster.

ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, DEC 15

High Tide... 11:02 P.M. Low Tide... 5:20

Local News

IS IMPROVING. Gerald Dolan, of Saint John, who was injured in an accident recently at St. Thomas, Ont., is steadily improving according to word received by relatives.

ASSISTED AT BANQUET. Those who participated in the program last evening at the Watermen's banquet were S. C. Mathews; Messrs. Carr and Munro and the McEachern Male Quartette.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY. Friends of Miss Sara Jacobson gathered at her home, 221 Rockingham road, last evening in honor of her birthday and presented to her a toilet set to mark the occasion. Games and dancing were enjoyed, and refreshments served.

AWAY TO ENGLAND. Dr. J. A. L. Henderson and P. A. Simonds, both of Moncton, were passengers on the Christmas sailing of the steamship Ascania, from Halifax yesterday for England.

WILD GESE ON WING. A large flock of wild geese were seen yesterday over Natwigewauk on their way south. This is considered late for the birds, but a number of flocks have been reported in the last few days.

MONTNAIRN BRINGS \$31. The C. P. S. liner Montnairn sailed from Liverpool on Saturday for this port with 1,300 tons and 101 third class passengers. She will probably arrive late Saturday or early Sunday morning.

TO HELP NEEDY. Arrangements for giving help to the needy were made by the In-His-Name Circle of the King's Daughters at its meeting at the guild last night. Mrs. T. B. Mullin, president, was in the chair. It was reported that the tea held last month had realized a gratifying sum.

MAKE CHRISTMAS PLANS. The sewing circle of Baxter Lodge L. O. B. A. met yesterday afternoon and evening in the Orange Hall, Fairville, and engaged in sewing and quilting. Mrs. Edward Duff, vice-president, presided. Plans were made to assist Willis Lodge, I. O. L., in distributing Christmas cheer.

LECTURE IS GIVEN. St. George's People's Society heard an interesting talk last night given by Dr. Wm. McIntosh. The lecture was illustrated by lantern slides and was very well attended. Plans were made by the society for the distribution of Christmas cheer. Refreshments were served.

JOHNSTON AUXILIARY. The auxiliary of Johnston Lodge, L. O. B. A., met last night in Grand Hall, and spent the evening in sewing and quilting. The members planned to make garments for the Y. O. N., and made plans to have a tea between Christmas and New Year's, for the members of the church, this to precede their business meeting. The sum of \$85.00 was donated to the Maritime Home for Women at Moncton, and \$50 to Acadia for the new college building.

THREE GIRLS FINED. Florence Woodlands, said to be of Newfoundland, and Jessie Carr, said to be of Sussex, were in police court this morning on charges of vagrancy. They were each fined \$50 or three months in jail to date from the time they were taken into custody. Stella McIntosh, on a similar charge, was given a fine of \$100 or three months in jail to date from today.

WILLING WORKERS DO WELL. The Willing Workers of German street Baptist church held their final meeting before their annual, last evening, with a large attendance. Plans were made for the Y. O. N., and made plans to have a tea between Christmas and New Year's, for the members of the church, this to precede their business meeting. The sum of \$85.00 was donated to the Maritime Home for Women at Moncton, and \$50 to Acadia for the new college building.

CREDITORS MEET. At a meeting of the creditors of the Maritime Clothing Co., held yesterday afternoon at the Admiral Beatty Hotel, N. Grosblin, president, was elected trustee and B. Evans, H. J. Innes, J. R. Owitz, H. M. Charlton and J. Levitzke were appointed inspectors. After the meeting of the creditors an offer of 40 cents on the dollar was submitted to the trustee and this will be dealt with at a later meeting of the creditors. Mr. Grosblin said this morning that the liabilities would exceed the assets, but the total amount of each could not be given for about a week. He left this afternoon for Montreal.

MISSION CIRCLE MET. The Jessie Chipman Mission Circle of Portland United Church, held their Christmas meeting last evening at the home of one of the members, Miss Elsie Spence, 178 Chesley street. A large number of the members were present. Devotional exercises were in charge of Miss Nan MacDougal, after which Mrs. F. Smiler, the president, took the chair. The third chapter of the study book "Building With India" was taken up. Papers on the political and social life and on Christmas in India were read by members of the Circle. Delightful solos were sung by Miss Elsie Spence and Mrs. George Harbison, after which dainty refreshments were served.

PRESENTATION MADE. The Ladies' Aid of Carleton United (Methodist) Church met last evening in the school room. The first part of the evening was spent in quilting. Then came a social hour which was much enjoyed. Mrs. William Haslam, the president, on behalf of those present, presented to Mrs. F. T. Bertram, the secretary of the aid, a silver flower basket as a Christmas gift. Mrs. Bertram expressed her appreciation. The treasurer reported that the proceeds from the recent tea had been very satisfactory. The hostesses of the evening were: Mrs. S. Murray, Mrs. W. D. Williams and Mrs. E. Tipsett, and they served dainty refreshments.

BIDS OPENED FOR CITY BONDS

Tenders From 99.85 to 100.60 for 5 Per Cents

Go to Committee—Tenders Also Opened For Carleton City Hall Work

Tenders for \$180,000 of city bonds were opened this morning by the Common Council, sitting in committee, and referred to Acting Mayor, the Chamberlain and Comptroller for a report. The price offered for 5 per cent. bonds to run from 15 to 30 years, ranged from 99.85 to 100.60.

The bids were as follows: Royal Securities Corporation, \$100.60; Eastern Securities and I. M. Robinson and Bell, \$99.85; Thomas, Armstrong and Bell, \$99.87. Of the \$180,000 issue, \$16,000 is for 15 years, \$85,000 for 20 years, \$84,500 for 25 years, and \$25,000 for 30 years.

WEST SIDE WORK. Tenders for the heating, plumbing and lighting Carleton City Hall were opened. Should the lowest tender in each case be accepted, it would bring the cost of reconstruction of the building, under the plans and specifications which the tenders were based, to \$55,120.85. There is available for this work the sum of \$20,000 from the insurance on the building, leaving the balance for which a bond issue would be required about \$35,000.

The tenders submitted this morning and referred to the reconstruction committee, were as follows: Plumbing and heating, Byrne & McGonch, \$11,970; W. E. Emerson & Sons, Ltd., \$2,477; R. E. Fitzgerald, \$9,788; lighting, Jones Electric Supply Co., \$2,493; Driscoll & Mackie, \$8,035; D. A. Massey, \$2,839; Webb Electric Company, \$2,675; R. S. Dunham, \$2,083.85.

The lowest tender for the work, exclusive of the work tendered for today, was that of Stackhouse Brothers, \$43,388.

CHALEUR ARRIVES

Steamship Experiences Heavy Weather on Run Here From Bermuda

The R. M. S. P. Chaleur arrived this morning from Bermuda and the West Indies and docked about 8:45 o'clock at the Pettigill wharf after experiencing heavy weather on the run up from Bermuda. The Chaleur had only a fair sized cargo this trip including 1,500 bags of raw sugar, a consignment of molasses and some general cargo. She carried the usual consignment of mail. There were 14 passengers, eight first, three second and three third class. Captain A. Cox is in charge.

Among the passengers was J. M. Martell, cattle and livestock inspector for the Dominion Government here, who had made the round trip on the Chaleur for his health. He said this afternoon that he was feeling greatly improved. He paid a special tribute to the officers on the steamer declaring that in all his trips he had never before been so attentively and thoughtfully looked after.

The other passenger from the Maritime Provinces was Warrington McGarey, of Sydney, N. S.

Shipping

PORT OF SAINT JOHN. Arrived. Tuesday, Dec. 15. Strmr. Chaleur, 2920, Cox, from Bermuda and the West Indies. Strmr. Jalapa, 4388, from New York. Cleared. Strmr. Cairnvalona, 2931, Whitehead, for Portland, Me., with general cargo. Strmr. Laval County, 2931, Pederson, for Hamburg. Coastwise—Strmr. Empress, 612, MacDonald, for Digby. Sailed. Strmr. Wheatmore, 3155, Coding, for London and Hull.

MARINE NOTES. The steamer Wheatmore sailed last night for London and Hull with general cargo. The Manchester Brigade is due the latter part of this week from Manchester. The Jalapa arrived this morning from New York to load automobiles and general cargo for Indian ports. The Hazelpark will dock this afternoon at the Pettigill wharf on the West side to load for Havana. The Laval County sailed from New Brunswick on Dec. 12 for this port with a full cargo of raw sugar. The Laval County will sail tomorrow about noon for Hamburg with grain and general cargo. The Camilla Gilbert is expected here on Thursday from Sydney to load a full cargo of grain. The Cairnvalona will sail this evening for Portland, Me., to complete cargo for 14th and Newcastle, after loading refined sugar here. The Empress of Port McNicol will arrive tomorrow from Montreal for the Canada-Cuba service. The Patensia is expected tonight from Avonmouth. She will dock at No. 4, Sand Point. The Empress of Havana will sail tomorrow for Havana with potatoes and general cargo. The Empress of Saint John will commence loading early next week for Hull. The Carmila will sail tomorrow for Glasgow with cut and general cargo. The Vermina will sail tomorrow for London with grain and general cargo. The Scotia is expected this evening from Sydney to load potatoes for Havana. The Tremblank will arrive tomorrow night from Sydney to inaugurate the New Zealand and Australian service for the season. The Canadian Victor will sail tomorrow for Cardiff and Swansea via Halifax. The Canadian Harrier will leave the dry dock tomorrow and commence loading for London and Antwerp. The Scotia is expected to arrive over the week-end from Cardiff and Swansea. The Bellhaven is due to leave Norfolk today for this port to load for Liverpool. She will arrive on Friday. The schooner Minna Prince cleared this afternoon for Miami, Fla., with a full cargo of laths. She will sail at the first opportunity. The schooner Harry A. McEneaney will dock at the Refinery wharf early tomorrow to load laths for Miami, Fla.

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