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WARSAW'S FATE HANGS ON BIG BATTLE 30 MILES FROM CITY GERMAN INFANTRY ARE COMPELLED TO GIVE WAY ON 150-MILE LINE

GERMAN POSITIONS STRONGLY HELD ADVANCE SLOW

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PETROGRAD, Dec. 20.—A report from the German front in East Prussia states that a Russian attack in a bold raid over Stalluponen, succeeded in reducing the station to ruins by means of dropping bombs and destroying a considerable part of the German line at that point.

ZEPPELIN OVER WARSAW DROPPED EIGHTEEN BOMBS

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GERMANS HAVE ESTABLISHED CONTINUOUS DEFENSIVE ZONE IN WESTERN THEATRE

HEAVY REINFORCEMENTS

British Destroy Deadly Mines by Shelling Before Rushing Trenches.

(BRITISH OFFICIAL)

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Dec. 20, 6:30 p.m.—The great difficulties under which military operations in France and Belgium are being conducted are described in a narrative of recent developments written by an official observer attached to the British headquarters and made public today by the official information bureau. The article brings the story of the war, as covered in these eye-witness reports, up to Dec. 17.

It has the general difference, however, and that is that the enemy is in much greater force and his positions are much stronger and better organized than they were two months ago.

Enemy's Defenses Strong.

At that time an advance on the eastern end of the line implied a corresponding advance on the western end. It meant an attack on skillfully but hastily fortified strong points or villages, which were held by machine-guns and jaggers. With the large proportion of machine guns that we have in front of us today, it is no longer a

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GERMANS FORCED TO GIVE GROUND

Constant Deadly Cannoning by New French Guns Creates Panic

DEFENCES ARE PIERCED

Wide Line of Trenches South of the Somme is Seized.

MANY RAID VICTIMS WERE LAID TO REST

Memorial Services at Scarborough—Military Funerals in Hartlepool.

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Dec. 20.—Many victims of the German bombardment, Dec. 18, of the east coast towns of England, were buried Saturday, and it was a day of mourning in Hartlepool, West Hartlepool and Scarborough. In the latter town, where 11 funerals took place, a memorial service was conducted in the parish church by the Archbishop of York. In the Hartlepool some victims were buried with military honors.

STALLUPOHNNEN DAMAGED BY RUSSIAN AVIATOR

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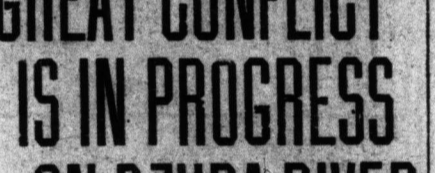
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THE DUCHESS OF CONNAUGHT'S CHRISTMAS CARD



As announced exclusively in The Sunday World, the Duchess of Connaught has sent a Christmas gift of maple sugar to every Canadian on active service, accompanied by the Christmas greeting card here shown.

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IS GERMAN WARFARE GUERRILLA WARFARE?

The attack on the Yorkshire coast was a guerrilla attack outside the pale of civilized warfare, as defined by the Hague convention of 1907, to which Germany assented. Whatever fighting Germany has done on the seas has been in the nature of guerrilla attacks mainly upon non-combatants. No battles by raiders have occupied her cruisers and submarines, while floating mines have been sent on their errand of wanton destruction into neutral ports and neutral waters.

On land the Kaiser did some big fighting for a time, but even on land we find him a guerrilla, dropping bombs on undefended cities, slaying non-combatants, destroying churches, schools and hospitals.

For one thing it spells disintegration and impending defeat. It is the defeated army which breaks up into guerrilla bands to prolong the war. It is always the vanquished who are reckless and wanton in destroying life and property.

Guerrilla raids like those on Scarborough, Whitby and Hartlepool, mark the beginning of the end.

Christmas Furs Must Be Bought in Next Few Days—Get Yours

While Dineen's, 140 Yonge street, have been established for over 58 years, they have never offered such conspicuously good values before Christmas. The \$300.00 fur purchase must be turned into cash and the price quoted are rapidly accomplishing this objective. The history of this purchase sale is well-known. If the values offered were fully appreciated, a fur garment or a fur piece remaining on Christmas Eve. When you consider that Dineen quality mink sets and mink coats are offered at half price—also marmot and muskrat—erminate (the ideal gift fur), you will realize the unbelievable savings possible at Dineen's. Don't put off coming—the choice is fast diminishing.

Home... Say... the... ANNA... 1914... principal... 1914... ASBY... 1914... bit... coupon... \$1.98... d 15 East... DUNNING'S CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

DUKE IS TO SEND PICTURE TO CAMP

Honors Y.M.C.A. at Exhibition by Desiring to Contribute Photograph

NEWS OF THE SOLDIERS

Lieut. Col. Elliott Will Speak on "The Rules of War" Tonight

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York County and Suburbs of Toronto

N. TORONTO HEARD CANDIDATES' VIEWS

Controller Church Would Abolish All Council Committees

CITY HALL BRANCHES

Ald. F. S. Spence Proposes to Open City Offices in Suburbs

Fifteen minutes was allotted to each of the eleven candidates for municipal honors who were present at the meeting of the North Toronto Ratepayers' Association last Saturday night in the town hall, and a few of the would-be controllers and aldermen were able to say sufficient in four or five minutes to be heard by the assembly.

The candidates present were: Controller T. L. Church and J. O'Neill; Aldermen F. S. Spence, C. A. Hise, Morley S. Wickert, A. Maguire, and the following board of control and aldermanic candidates: Joseph E. Thompson, H. H. Ball, J. A. Cooper and T. Hassard.

Controller Church stated that he never made promises previous to his election, and was not going to, but the ratepayers were assured that he would do his utmost.

There should be no committees in city council, he said, and advocated the formation of the city council into a legislative body with the board of control as a board of appeal.

The controller also claimed that if members of the board of education were elected annually more interest would be taken in the work of the board.

Civic Abolition. Controller John O'Neill referred to his work on the property committee and was discussing the civic abolition which he had proposed to carry out on the first of January.

He was of the opinion that the city was too big to be run from one centre, and maintained that there should be a subdivision of its civic administrations.

Speaking in regard to the assessment, Mr. Hassard stated that it was an unjustifiable burden on the whole of the North American continent.

Alderman Kirk briefly referred to some of the questions before Ward Three, and in reply to a question asked by Mr. Maguire stated that he did not have an apology to make to the ratepayers in regard to any questions which have come up affecting North Toronto.

WEST TORONTO

A song service of Christmas music was given last evening by the Victoria Presbyterian Church choir in the church from 8 to 8:15, under the leadership of Donald C. MacGregor.

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NICKEL EXPORT OUGHT TO STOP

W. F. Maclean Says Dominion Govt. Should Take Action at Once

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WESTON TREASURER RESIGNS POSITION

Disputes With Council Culminated in Scene at Special Meeting

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Enormous Christmas Tree to Be Arranged for All the Children

Some consternation was caused at the special meeting of the Weston Council on Saturday night when the resignation of the treasurer, Thomas Galbraith, was tendered.

The account with the commission, explained Councillor Master, chairman of the finance committee, referred to extension of the hydro rates, amounting to \$138,840, and the smaller amount of \$138,840, were all ordered by the council.

Treasurer's Report made such a statement of assets and liabilities, in which all accounts paid after Dec. 15 had been included, and the matter was smoothed over, on the understanding that the remaining accounts of 1914 should be cleared.

Such a statement would show, said Mr. Galbraith, in presenting his financial report for the year, that the total assets and liabilities would be \$51,836.70.

The school account showed a total of \$13,818.27 in arrears, and the amount paid to the high school including \$500 on the building account. To the public school, \$158 had been paid up to Dec. 15, leaving \$149 to be paid for the balance of the school year.

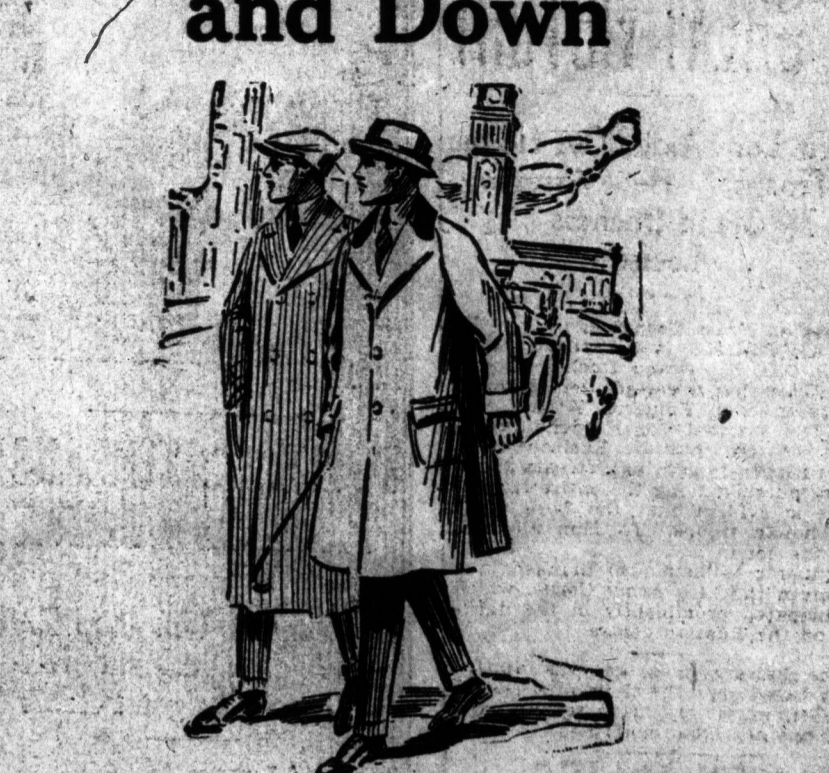
The separate school had been paid in full the Ontario School Board, including \$8000 principal, had been paid; an amount of \$11,488.60 on local improvements, including \$1600 principal, \$4368.23.

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Dashing Prices Down and Down



Getting rid of the great wholesale stock of Men's Tailoring and Men's Furnishings would be easier if it were cheaply made—for prices could be made them to look like small potatoes. But every article in this store is of the higher class—imported British woollens and quality silks.

Down, down go the prices—and the label in the pocket and the plain price proves the actual value—no price boosting or changing. Not in a lifetime do you see such a wholesale sacrifice of the highest-class goods.

Semi-ready Tailoring is honest and true, and will always remain so. What a glorious chance to buy useful Christmas gifts for very little money!

Overcoats Dress Suits. The finest examples of expert tailoring—Semi-ready quality through and through—all must go: Tuxedo Coats, \$18, for \$12.50; Frock Coat and Vest, \$35, for \$22.50; Morning Coat and Vest, \$35, for \$22.50; Dress Suits, \$35, for \$22.50; Dress Suits, \$35, for \$22.50.

Shirts Coat Sweaters. Beautiful Maroon Shirts, \$1.25, for \$0.75; English Oxford Shirts, \$2.25, for \$1.43; Highest Grade Pure Silk Shirts, \$4.00, for \$2.50; Shot Silk Knit, \$3.50, for \$2.25; Fine Scotch Wool, 75c, for 47c.

Men's Mufflers. Beautiful Silk Mufflers—very acceptable as Christmas Gifts; done up in Christmas boxes of exclusive design: Bandanna, \$1.50, for \$1.00; Bengaline Silk Handkerchiefs, \$1.25, for \$0.75; Shot Silk Knit, \$3.50, for \$2.25; Fine Scotch Wool, 75c, for 47c.

Collar Boxes. A Christmas gift appreciated always. The lot show some fine Leather Collar Boxes in gray and tan shades. Regular 75c, \$1 and \$1.50, for 55c, 50c and \$1.00.

Christmas Neckwear. All our fine Christmas Neckwear is on display—all is offered at wholesale prices or here is a chance to satisfy your wish to give something to the men folk. The richest and most exclusive patterns in pure silk are among the lot.

The Semi-ready Store 143 Yonge Street. The World Acts as Christmas Goodfellows' Agent. This letter, when it reaches the Good Fellow Department, will be endorsed with names and addresses and sent on to you. There will be no publicity. Then you get busy. That's all.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE South York Liberal-Conservative Association will be held at the Labor Temple, Church St. On Saturday Next, Dec. 19, 1914. W. F. Maclean, M.P., Capt. T. Wallace, M.P., Dr. Forbes Godfrey, M.L.A., G. S. Henry, M.L.A., and other prominent speakers are expected to be present. H. M. Ball, Secretary.

Advertisement for 'DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS' with a circular logo and text describing the medicine's benefits for kidney-related ailments.

Advertisement for 'AUCTION SALE' of a large tract of land, including details about the location, size, and terms of the sale.

Advertisement for 'RETAIN SOLDIERS' PAY' from the Montreal Branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, offering financial support to soldiers.

RUSSIAN POSITION IS NOW SECURE Enemy's Attempt to Free Own Territory Doomed to Failure HUGE FORCE ENGAGED Russia Has Been Facing at Least Forty Army Corps

Canadian Press Despatch. PETROGRAD, Dec. 20.—A general attached to the Russian general staff, who recently returned to Petrograd from the front, reviewed the present military situation today in an optimistic manner.

Opposing 1,600,000 Men. To the southwest of Przemyel an Austro-Hungarian army attempted to cross the Carpathians, striving to relieve Przemyel and free Galicia.

The present aim of the enemy evidently is to take the Lithuanian front, and occupy western Poland as far as Warsaw, while the Austrians are attempting to free Galicia, push northward to Radom and Lublin and occupy southern Poland.

Between Kars and Erzerum, where hostilities were begun, operations are now at a standstill. The previous intention of the Turks to make a descent on the Crimea and elsewhere along the Black Sea, have been either abandoned or delayed.

SEVENTY-FIVE APPLICANTS FOR BELGIAN CHILDREN Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Dec. 20.—The London Children's Aid Society has on file seventy-five applications for destitute Belgian children.

AUSTRIAN AEROPLANE WAS BROUGHT TO EARTH Attacked Russian Positions on First Flight, But Failed in Second Attempt

Special Direct Copyrighted Cable to The Toronto World. PETROGRAD, Dec. 20.—An Austrian aeroplane armed with bombs and a machine gun, sailing from Cracow, attacked the Russian positions from the rear with bombs and bullets, but doing no damage.

TO BAR POLITICIANS FROM CIVIL SERVICE Government Will Stop Practice of Dominion Employees Mixing in Politics

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—According to the present intentions of the government this will be the last year in which civil servants who earn more than \$500 per annum will be allowed to take part in local politics as members of school boards or municipal councils.

ORDINATION SERVICE BY BISHOP SWEENEY After morning prayer yesterday, the Rev. F. H. Hartley, M.A., rector of St. Matthias, Toronto, the Rev. A. J. Arthur, B.Sc., was advanced to the priesthood and Messrs. Nicholson and Brown were ordained deacons.

THREE KINGDOMS IN CLOSER TOUCH Denmark, Sweden and Norway Stand Together to Preserve Neutrality CO-OPERATION PLEDGE Monarchs to Hold Further Conferences as Special Circumstances Arise

Canadian Press Despatch. STOCKHOLM, Dec. 20.—King Christian of Denmark, King Gustav of Sweden and King Haakon of Norway, met in conference at Malmö, Friday and Saturday to formulate a plan designed to combine their respective interests during the war.

NEW-LAID EGGS WANTED FOR ENGLISH MARKET Russian and Danish Supplies Cut Off by War—Famine Threatened

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 20.—Considerable quantities of Canadian eggs are being sold in England, but the demand is so far in excess of the supply that new laid eggs are selling in Birmingham for 7s. 6d. per dozen.

EXPORTS OF FLOUR MUCH STIMULATED Trade Agreement With British West Indies Begins to Show Results

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—As a result of the trade agreement between Canada and the West Indies and British Guiana in the first nine months of the year, 13,000 barrels of flour worth \$494,362 and with 61,000 barrels worth \$775,492 for the same period.

The Civic Campaign

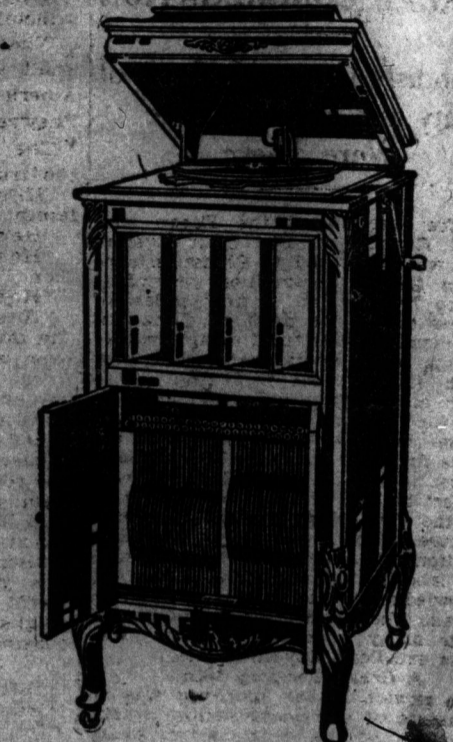
There is a young Torontonian running in ward six who should be sure of election on New Year's Day. He is a splendid speaker, a serious thinker and has lived in this city since early boyhood and for fifteen years in ward six.

There appears to be an encouraging unanimity of opinion among the various candidates regarding the necessity of carrying the three by-laws, which will be submitted to the electorate on New Year's Day.

The franchise so long held by the York Radial for the Scarborough section, extending from Scarborough Beach to the eastern limits of the city expired some months ago and the city and the franchisee have been unable to agree on terms for its renewal.

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HUNDRED MILLIONS IN NEW WAR LOAN Matter to Be Dealt With at Coming Session of Parliament

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—It is stated definitely that the coming session of parliament will be essentially a war session.

YEIGH'S BIBLE CLASS ISSUES NEWSPAPER The annual newspaper of Frank Yeigh's Bible class of Bloor street Presbyterian Church has been issued and distributed to the large number of "Frank Yeigh's old boys."

LONDON MAN ELECTED HEAD OF TRAVELERS P. H. Rennie, President—Hamilton Member—Vice-President of Association

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Dec. 20.—P. H. Rennie of Ontario was elected president of the Ontario Commercial Travelers' Association at that body's 35th annual meeting here yesterday.

FAIRNESS SHOULD BE SHOWN TOWARD ALIENS Rev. J. W. Pedley Claims Most Germans in Canada Are Loyal to Adopted Country

Forbearance and fairness ought to be exercised by Canadians towards the Germans in Canada, declared Rev. J. W. Pedley in his sermon last night at St. Mary's Church in Western Toronto.

COMMERCIAL MEN MEET. The Commercial Travelers' Mutual Benefit Society of Toronto held their annual meeting on Saturday night at which they re-elected last year's officers for another year.

REVOLVER STOLEN FROM MOTOR RECOVERED. With the arrest of James Casey, 13 years, an automatic Colt 24 revolver, that had been stolen from a motor while it had been standing in front of the Toronto World office, 40 Water Street, was recovered Saturday.

SAID THEY STOLE RAZORS. Detective Gutrie arrested James Henderson, Henry Thompson and Dan Ritty, in an empty house on Alhambra avenue, they are jointly charged with breaking into a number of unfinished houses in that neighborhood.

The Triple Coupon with two others, bearing consecutive dates, will enable the bearer to obtain any one or the entire three of the following notable Christmas Gifts. Larned's History of the World MONDAY, DECEMBER 21

LONDON WOMAN IS DEAD AS RESULT OF FALLING Mrs. Charlotte Uren Lay Alone Two Days, Suffering From Shock and Exposure.

PENSION FUND PLANNED FOR UTILITIES EMPLOYEES Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Ont., Dec. 20.—The public utilities commission has under consideration the establishing of a pension fund for its employees.

SHORT MAN AND LONG FISH CAUGHT OFFICER'S EYE. Carrying a halibut nearly as big as himself, and valued at about \$12, from a lane on West Queen street on Saturday night, proved the undoing of Albert Short, Officer 285 arrested him at once on a charge of theft.

Every line suggested is a necessary undertaking, and if the city is to carry out its plans adequately to provide control at the end of the year into private life.

Labor seems to be aroused by certain challenges now being made in council during the year, and the fighting is done in the manner in which the labor organizations are getting behind.

It was decided to carry on the association's books all members who have paid no dues for the year, and to extend no more benefits to the dependents of any who may fall.

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO WOMEN

BEAUTIFUL SCENE AT EATON CHURCH

Exquisite Memorial Window Suddenly Let Colored Light Into New Sanctuary

A GREAT CONGREGATION

Methodists From All Parts of City and From Outside Were There

In the section of the Eaton Memorial Church on St. Clair avenue which was dedicated to Christian service in formal ceremony yesterday, Toronto has set up a new pillar of progress along the path of Canadian Methodism. In structural design, workmanship and equipment, the new church is a distinct contribution to church architecture in a city already noted for its beautiful churches. That the new church will exercise a great influence for good through the vast section set in the north of the city, was manifest in all the services of yesterday, the first day in the completed structure. The workers of the congregation who have for two years been laboring in restricted quarters, acknowledged yesterday the ambition in making the institution named after its many good works even than for its excellent appointments.

The service in the morning was in the nature of a demonstration by the Methodists of the city. From every quarter, long lines filed along St. Clair avenue and motor cars were parked for blocks on either side. At ten minutes before the service hour, the seats and aisles were crammed to capacity, and many were turned away. On the platform were ranged representative church men. The services of the first day were of a special nature in every way as those of the following three Sundays will be also. One of the most interesting moments of the morning service was the unveiling of a splendid memorial window by Minister Timothy Eaton. As the curtain was slowly drawn, the window flashed into beauty behind the pulpit, portraying a representation of Holman Hurst's "Light of the World." It framed the face of the venerable pastor, Rev. Dr. Henderson, in a glow of color. At the same moment, the organ pealed out the strains of Mendelssohn's hymn of comfort, "He Shall Give His Angels." It was a dramatic moment. Rev. Dr. Chown, general superintendent of the Methodist Church in Canada, read the consecration service and Rev. Dr. Burwash prayed a benediction to rest on the new tabernacle.

A Message Service. It was the lot of Rev. Chancellor Day of Syracuse, N.Y., to preach the first sermon in the new edifice. The message he proclaimed was one of service. His sermon was based on the text dealing with God's new covenant thru His Son. As God had talked to His people thru the prophets in time past, now He spoke thru the life and death of His son, and it was on that love that the salvation of the world depended. If the new church failed to echo the great devotion of Christ it would be a mockery to the world.

The life of Christ had taught—the great lesson of sacrifice. He had not come as one carrying stones to build more altars, or whetting a knife to slay more formal sacrifices, but as the author and finisher of our faith. Himself the everlasting sacrifice. On this great principle should the church be built, founded on a cornerstone of love and eternity. Today the infinite expressed itself in simple terms. It shone thru the daily things of everyday life and the works of common people. It was no longer necessary to go to the mountain summit, the seashore or into the fields alone to hear the voice of God. He spoke to men as they toiled in everyday labors. It was not the work of the angel, but that of the good man which served the race nowadays, and nature did not interfere. Lightening might strike the tower of the steeple, but the day of reckoning was to come. Bad and good might expect to pass alike as far as this world was concerned.

The speaker told of the days of his own boyhood, when the prophets of "dear old ladies with illumined faces, talking with such earnestness and vigor that the quiet old-fashioned shawls fell from their shoulders unmissed." Prophets of his acquaintance were often "a race, or philosophy, or religion" and he who followed behind the counter.

Stand Firm and Steadfast. The whole plea was for a recognition of Jesus Christ. Years were few and might be spent in wrinkles or rub in the gray, but their range was short. The love of God stood from age to age, and churches founded in His spirit stood firm and steadfast. The church is built of gray stone from the Great Valley, and has all requirements for sheltering large congregations. The interior design is beautiful in effect and by means of scientific appliances shuts off the noise of the outside world while services are in progress. Prominent American devices will occupy the pulpit for the next few Sundays.

A Perfect Christmas Present. A perfect gift for Christmas is a Victrola, and a perfect place in which to choose it is the Victrola Parlors of the First National Bank and Trust Co. Ltd., Helmsman Hall, 133-135-137 Yonge street, opposite Eaton's. Open every evening till Christmas.

TORONTO RED CROSS REPORT.

The Toronto branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society has made its first report covering a period from September 1st to Dec. 3. In that time \$121 cases, valued at \$16,000 over and above the cost of the wool, was collected. The cases have been forwarded to England with other Red Cross supplies.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

KINGSTON, Ont., Dec. 20.—William Doyle, an aged butcher, who lived alone at his home on Upper Princess street, was found dead in his home this morning.

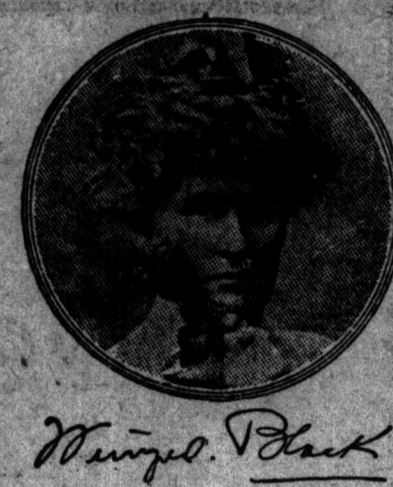
Which is the Better Way to Treat the Fool?

BY WINFRED BLACK

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There's a fool in the family. A good-looking, good-humored, unprincipled, spineless fool. What are you going to do about it? Shall you treat the situation in the American or in the English way? They're quite different, the two ways. The American family doesn't admit the truth about the fool.

"He's eccentric," says the American family. "He's boyish," says the father. "He's foxy enough," says the brother. "He's a dear," says the sister. "He's a genius," says the mother. "He must be, he's so different. Why, even when he was a baby he wanted to eat bread and milk with a fork, and he never would do anything quite like other people."



And the whole family apologizes and excuses and explains and denies, till the rest of the world calls it the Fool family and lets it go at that. In England—oh! in England it's different. "Bertie means well enough, when he can get his own way, but he's an awful rotter when he can't," said an English girl to me when we were discussing her brother.

IMMENSE BOOTY TAKEN BY SERBS

Eighty Thousand Prisoners Captured From Austrians—Sixty Thousand Killed

Special Direct Copyrighted Cable to The Toronto World. ROME, Dec. 19.—The Corriere Della Sera publishes a complete list of casualties and captures effected by the Serbian troops in the recent big battle at Belgrade. It is as follows: Killed and wounded, 80,000; prisoners, 80,000; flags, 3; guns, 128; mortars, 29; machine guns, 50; ammunition-laden wagons, 32; horses, 2700; bands, 3; kitchens for the camp, 32. Further booty seized after the evacuation of Belgrade is as follows: Four flags, 150 machine guns, 1200 horses, 150 provision wagons and 180,000 rifles.

"HESPERIAN" ARRIVES.

Liverpool cables to the local offices of the Allan Line report the "Hesperian" due 7 o'clock Monday evening. There are a large number of Toronto passengers on this steamer.

AUSTRALIA LEAVES CALLAO.

Canadian Press Despatch. LIMA, Peru, Dec. 20.—The Australian battle cruiser Australia sailed from Callao Sunday.

The Sir William Oaker Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold a lecture in St. James' Cathedral parish house, their regular meeting place, corner of Church and Adelaide streets, this evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. L. A. Hamilton will address all who are interested on patriotic and social service.

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THIS WEEK'S ATTRACTIONS AT THE THEATRES



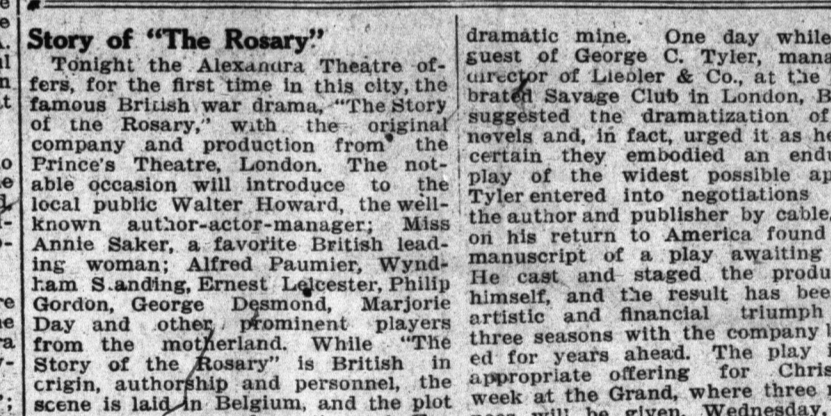
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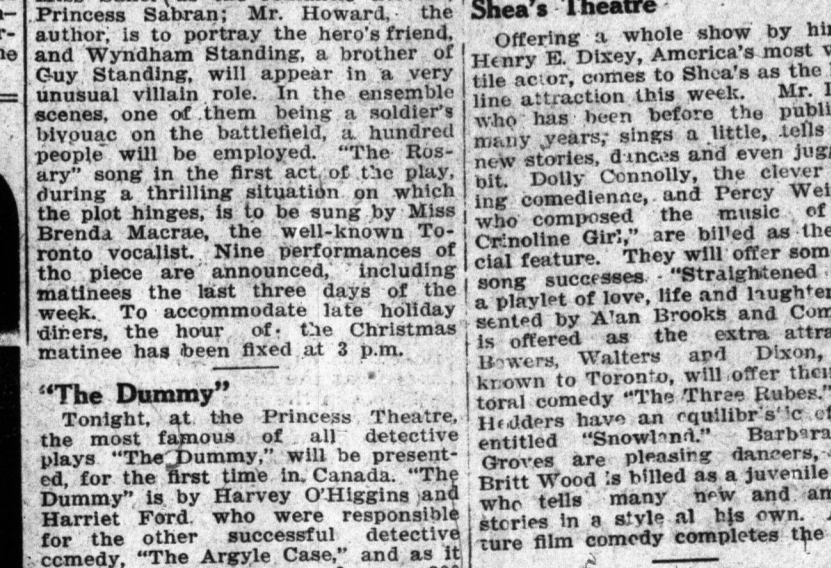
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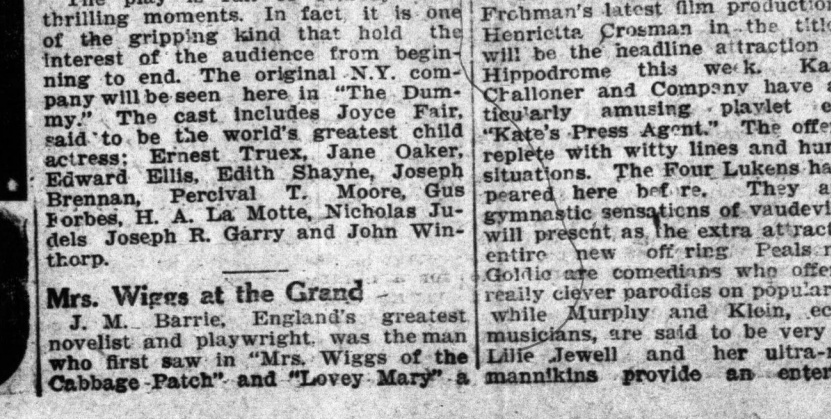
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The reformed miser enjoys the festivities of Christmas at the Strand Theatre on Thursday, Friday and Saturday next.



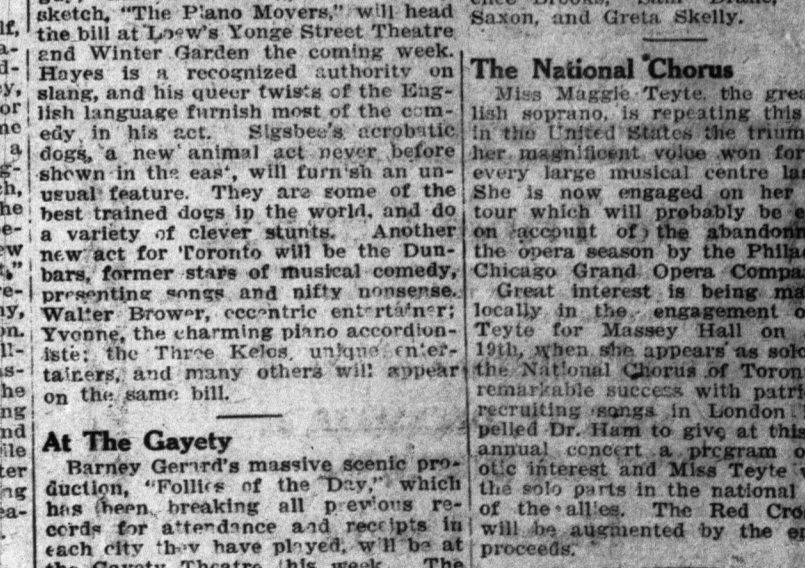
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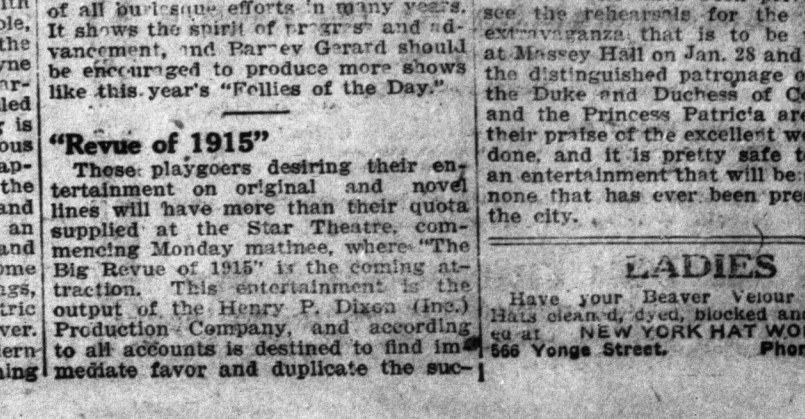
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Loew's Winter Garden

Edmund Hayes, the original "vase guy," master of stunts, in his funny sketch, "The Piano Movers," will head the bill at Loew's Young Street Theatre and Winter Garden the coming week. Hayes is a recognized authority on stunts, and his queer twists of the English language furnish most of the comedy in his act. Stunts, acrobatic dog, a new animal act never before shown in the east, will furnish an unusual feature. They are some of the best trained dogs in the world, and do a variety of clever stunts. Another new act for Toronto will be the Dunbars, former stars of musical comedy, presenting songs and witty nonsense. Walter Brower, eccentric entertainer; Yvonne, the charming piano accordionist; the Three Keles, unique entertainers, and many others will appear on the same bill.

At the Gaiety

Barney Gerrard's massive scenic production, "Follies of the Day," which has been breaking all previous records in attendance and receipts in each city they have played, will be at the Gaiety Theatre this week. The new book "What Does the Public Want?" is the best thing done by the young author, and is really the class of all subsequent efforts in any year. It shows the spirit of the age and is being produced in London by the distinguished patronage of H.R.H. the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and the Princess Patricia are proud in their pride of the excellent work being done, and it is pretty safe to predict an entertainment that will be second to none that has ever been presented in the city.

FANTASTIC EXTRAVAGANZA.

Those who have been privileged to see the rehearsals for the fantastic extravaganza that is to be produced at Massey Hall on Jan. 23 and 24 under the distinguished patronage of H.R.H. the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and the Princess Patricia are proud in their pride of the excellent work being done, and it is pretty safe to predict an entertainment that will be second to none that has ever been presented in the city.

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Street Railway Anticipations

Much has been said about the desirability of the street railway purchase proposal. It has been taken as a test of orthodoxy if a candidate declares himself shiverer of the evil thing. We have indicated our recognition of the fact that the war has effectively killed any idea of purchase, such as Mayor Hoeken had in contemplation. We also recognize the fact that no candidate in his senses will think of purchase as in the range of practical politics, where need be no alarm or anxiety on the part of timid souls who imagine that Manager Fleming or President Mackenzie is lying in wait with a purchase scheme ready to be rushed through the city council of 1915. Controller McCarthy has shored himself in a way satisfactory even to The Globe, which has constant nightmarers in which the leader and Sir William Mackenzie are indistinguishable.

All these alarms on the part of either morning or evening contemporaries are beside the mark. The real danger, as we have been pointing out for two years past, is in another direction. We may feel assured that just as soon as the purchase plan is out of the question, something else not for the benefit of the citizens, may be put forward. It should never be forgotten that it was the delay of the street railway company in presenting its approval of the purchase plans which was chiefly responsible for the failure of the project. The street railway never seemed to be heartily in favor of it. That something is the extension of the franchise, and the consolidation of the whole city railway system.

Again and again we have given warnings of the effort that may be expected to educate the council and the legislature to the point of renewing the franchise and passing it over the heads of the people. The recovery of the city franchise was the finest feature of Mayor Hoeken's scheme, and the securing of single fares all over the city was the next finest. The street railway will be willing to give single fares for the sake of securing the franchise itself. Public ownership has no friends among the capitalistic interests.

Six years from now, if it be not settled sooner, the renewal of the franchise will be a burning question. From the present day the citizens of Toronto should look well to their aldermen and see that they are sound on these points of recovering all the franchises for the city itself, and of absolutely terminating the franchise in 1921. If purchase is dead, the other issue is more alive than ever. We have the most complete confidence that Controller McCarthy is sound on the matter. He is a public ownership man, and he is a business man, who realizes that public ownership cannot succeed except on business principles. While electing him to the majority the voters should also be assured that they support him with men who are equally deserving of confidence, and who may be trusted not to fetter away the solid interests of the city in the feckless exploitation of their own fortunes.

Controller McCarthy has shown himself possessed of foresight and business penetration in the handling of the city finances, and the placing of the financial conditions of the city in a safe and stable state. He can be trusted to take such steps as will effectively safeguard the city's interests in the important matter of transportation.

Imperial Efficiency. Altho the British Empire was unprepared for war as regards the strength of the force immediately available for operations in Europe, it is a matter of keen gratification to find the military services in a thoroughly organized and satisfactory condition. With these no fault can be found, and the unprecedented difficulties connected with the enlistment and training of the new armies were met and overcome in a manner that reflects the greatest credit on the war office, Lord Highgate's reforms, and particu-

larly the reconstruction of the volunteer arm, have stood the supreme test of trial. Territorials have proved equal in valor and efficiency to their linked regiments in the regular line, and another German delusion has been dispelled. Competent authorities are unanimous, too, in declaring that the recruits who have entered Lord Kitchener's army represent all that is best in the manhood of the nation. They accord also the highest possible praise to the contingents furnished by the overseas dominions.

About the standard of the native Indian troops no doubt was felt by their British officers. Here, again, the fundamental changes made in the system of administration during the period of Lord Kitchener's command have resulted very favorably. This has been strikingly shown by the recent operations in the Persian Gulf. Only seventeen days from the date of the declaration of war on Turkey an expeditionary force was sent 1500 miles from India, inflicted signal defeats on the Turkish troops and captured the important aspect of Basra, the destined terminus of the Baghdad Railway. The occupation of Basra will be felt by Germany even more than by Turkey, since it destroys the scheme that threatened to place Mesopotamia, the country between the Euphrates and the Tigris, under German influence. Basra lies about fifty-five miles up the Shat-el-Arab, formed by the confluence of the two great historical rivers. It had already become a centre of German activity and shipping.

A Jolt for the President

The United States Senate the other day unanimously rejected the president's nomination of Mr. John D. Lynn to be district attorney for the western district of New York. Mr. Lynn was appointed during the recess and took possession of the office, but Mr. Wilson will now have to find another man for the place. The qualifications of Mr. Lynn are not involved in the dispute, which is the old struggle between the presidential prerogative and what has come to be known as "senatorial courtesy."

The president is permitted to fill the office from his own political party. A Democratic senator for example, never rejects an appointee because he is a Republican. On the other hand the president is expected to act upon the recommendation of the senator or senators of his own political faith, from the state in which any appointment is made. New York is represented in the senate by one Democrat, Mr. O'Gorman, and he was ignored by the president when Lynn was appointed. That fact being announced to the judiciary committee, the nomination was reported back to the senate adversely, and a few moments later was rejected by the senate itself in executive session.

Such struggles have raged intermittently for many years. A quarrel of the kind led to the assassination of President Garfield. The lesson sought to be drawn from this week's occurrence by some New York newspapers, is that Mr. Wilson has been practically unseated by the result of the congressional elections. They think the congressional team is setting out of hand. No doubt the rejection of an important nomination by a Democratic senate somewhat jolts the president, and was probably intended to do so, but so long as Mr. Wilson has the public opinion of the country behind him, he can compel congress to crystallize his policies into legislation. As to the offices there is something to be said for the contention that the recommendation of the local representative responsible to the people should, as a rule, be followed by the executive.

Will They Bite?

The decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission, allowing in the main the five per cent. increase asked by the eastern railways, rescues railway and other Wall Street securities from dangers bordering upon acute weakness, but it is by no means certain that the public can be lured again to the great American Monte Carlo. The trouble with the roads is that the people are distrustful of, and disgusted with, their financial operation. The exposures of wholesale looting and graft in the New Haven, Frisco and Rock Island systems are regarded as symptomatic. Fraudulent bond issues, watered stock, bank control and Wall Street manipulation have resulted in the impoverishment of railways and have reduced their securities to a point where the general public will not buy them at any price. This rate increase will help the roads to some extent and there are of

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course a number of splendid railway properties in the United States, some of them like the coal roads of Pennsylvania, earning big dividends. Nor is there lack of money seeking investment; the farmers of the one state of Kansas could buy and pay for a good many railroads. All the trouble lies in the rotten system of financing, which must be cut out root and branch if the American people are to invest in and become the absolute owners of their own railways.

The roads may as well admit their condition and the causes which brought that condition about. If they reorganize, scale down their securities to something like the real value of the property and have law passed which will make it forever impossible hereafter to loot the roads from the inside, as Morgan and his associates looted the New Haven, we have no doubt that the American people will gradually obtain complete ownership of their own railway systems, by freely investing in railway stock and bond issues. On the other hand we believe the roads will find it impossible to go under the old system of bank control and Wall Street manipulation.

The low prices of railway securities on the stock exchange indicate, to our mind, the determination of the people to have nothing to do with the roads until there has been a clean up, a revaluation and a capitalization based only upon value and earning power. The low prices do not indicate scarcity of money, the absence of credit or lack of confidence in legitimate business. Our neighbors, we are glad to observe, are making money and for almost the first time in their history they are saving money which should soon find its way into productive enterprises. But they are not being lured into the Wall Street Monte Carlo. The croppers are making a great racket and trying to get the crowd up to the tables, but the man from the Mississippi valley is keeping his wits in his pocket. Will the public once again to invest their savings in railway securities?

Ontario's Contribution to Germany

Editor World: I desire to express my appreciation of your convincing leader on the nickel export question this morning. It seems to me there are two points to emphasize: (1) The Welsh Company can supply Britain with all she wants. (2) Why the secrecy in telling what has been done with New Jersey Company?

H. M. Mowat. Dec. 18th, 1914. Mr. Mowat, no doubt, recognizes, as so many do, that the nickel question is not a political question, but a

Wreyford & Co. Are Selling Today. English ulster coats, double or single breasted style, in navy, brown and heather mixtures, regular \$18.00 for \$10.50. Ditto lined fine quality asteen, also detachable lining of wool fleese, regular \$30.00 for \$12.00. 85 King St. West. OPEN EVENINGS. Tel. Adelaide 1739.

THREE ARRESTED UNDER DUKE'S EYES

Photographers Broke Rules by Taking Pictures in Exhibition Grounds

SUNDAY WORLD LOCALS

News of the City as it Was Recorded Late Saturday

H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught held a double inspection of battalion and brigade sections at Exhibition Park Saturday morning. By special order issued by royal highness as commander-in-chief the review was canceled, and an indoor inspection substituted.

At 9.45 a bugle called out the full guard at the Dufferin street entrance, where they presented arms in salute to his honor the lieutenant-governor, who arrived in his motor car, accompanied by Major Clyde Caldwell, official secretary.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught and party made a minute inspection of the 13th Battalion, passing twice around the entire line of men, and at 11 o'clock the battalion marched past in column platoon, with band accompaniment.

Inspection of the 20th Battalion under Lieut.-Col. Allan the Mounted Rifles in command of Lieut.-Col. Chaddock, took place at the same place. The governor-general was accompanied by Sir Henry Pellatt, A. D. C.; Major Duff, A.D.C., and Col. Staunton, military secretary.

TRUTH IS WINNING ALLIES' VICTORIES. German War Machine Perfect, But Lacks "Moral Invincibility". SAYS REV. T. T. SHIELDS. Sermon Stirred Worshippers at Jarvis Street Baptist Last Night

In Jarvis Street Baptist Church last evening Rev. T. T. Shields preached on "Military Efficiency versus Moral Invincibility." He took for his text, Eph. vi: 14-16, "Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness, and your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of faith."

KAISER AT POTSDAM TO VISIT WOUNDED. Canadian Press Despatch, LONDON, Dec. 19.—A despatch received from Berlin quotes The Vossische Zeitung of that city as saying that on Friday Emperor William visited the wounded soldiers in the hospital at Potsdam.

GERMAN AIRPLANE STRANDED. LONDON, Dec. 19.—A news agency despatch from Copenhagen says that a German aeroplane has stranded on the Danish island of Faroe, bearing an aviator and an officer, who will be interned.

MRS. HOUSEKEEPER

Christmas time you will have a little extra money, why not make the home a present of an Eddy Washboard and an Eddy Indurated Fibreware Tub? You will feel the benefit every washday in the year, for the Indurated Tub keeps the water hot so long that it saves much lifting and carrying of water, and the Washboard has a special crimp, which, without tearing the clothes, loosens the dirt very easily.

You will be doing something patriotic too, because Eddy's make these and many other articles at their works at Hill, Canada, where from 1600 to 1800 men and women are employed constantly.

Buy yourself a Christmas present, Mrs. Housekeeper, But Be Sure They Are EDDY'S. Let us deliver your Christmas Wines and Liquors now---

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POLITICIAN ACQUITTED ON CHARGE OF MURDER. Cleary, Who Shot Son-in-Law, Pleading Temporary Insanity.

Canadian Press Despatch, NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—William V. Cleary, town clerk of Haverstraw, and Democratic leader in Rockland County, was acquitted by a jury in the supreme court here last night of the charge of murder in the first degree on which he was tried for the killing of Eugene M. Newman, his son-in-law.

O'Keefe's OLD STOCK ALE GOLD LABEL. Medical men endorse the value of ale as a tonic and nutrient. Of course, much depends on the purity and quality of the ale—so be sure you get O'Keefe's. Any dealer can supply you a case. THE O'KEEFE BREWERY CO., LIMITED, TORONTO

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THE WEATHER METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Dec. 21.—(5 p.m.)—The weather has been fair today throughout the Dominion, and for the most part cold.

THE BAROMETER. Time. Ther. Bar. Wind. 8 a.m. 32.88 13 W. 11 a.m. 32.88 13 W. 2 p.m. 32.88 13 W. 5 p.m. 32.88 13 W.

STREET CAR DELAYS Saturday, Dec. 19, 1914. 12:54 p.m.—G.T.R. crossing, held by train; 4 minutes delay to King cars.

BIRTHS. LEWIS—On Sunday, Dec. 20, at Ottawa, to Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Lewis, a son.

DEATHS. HAWES—At Clinton, Ont., on Friday, Dec. 18, 1914, as the result of an accident, Lionel, dearly beloved husband of Kesie Hawes, late of 63 Cumberland street, Toronto.

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THE POW... GOOD BEFORE, AFTER OR AT MEALS

SOCIETY Conducted by Mrs. Edmund Phillips

The marriage will take place quietly on Wednesday, Dec. 23, in Ottawa, of Miss, only daughter of the Hon. Justice and Madam Justice, to Capt. Adrian Law, Royal Canadian Regiment, son of Commander Law, R.N.R.

The marriage of Miss Vaborg Martine Zoller, daughter of Mr. A. Zoller, to Mr. Andrew A. Kinghorn, was solemnized at 2:30 o'clock on Sunday afternoon in Trinity Methodist Church by Rev. Dr. W. H. Hincks.

Angus Gordon, formerly of Toronto, who has been appointed manager of the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa.

SCHOOL BOYS ARRESTED ON BURGLARY CHARGES Lads Between Eight and Fifteen Years of Age Taken in Toils.

By the arrest yesterday of six boys, on charges of shopbreaking, and three on charges of theft, the police claim they have netted a gang for a time of a number of alleged criminals in making their rounds.

Police Had Mystery With Queer Ending Were Summoned by Excited Woman to Catch Burglars, But Didn't.

Police There are burglars in my house, called a very excited lady over the telephone to the police operator about 10 o'clock yesterday.

GERMANY WILL PREVENT GRECO-TURKISH WAR Every Effort is Being Made to Prevent a Rupture Between the Two Countries

ST. PETER'S MISSION CONCLUDED Last evening the week's mission to non-Catholics, in St. Peter's Church, Bloor and Markham streets, given by the Paulist Fathers, Gilles and Moran, was brought to a close.

WOLFE ISLANDERS IN MOTORBOAT Narrowly Escaped Drowning at Kingston

JUMPED OFF TRAIN DIED OF INJURIES

WARD BOUNDARIES Need Readjustment, Especially in the East.

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VOTE AID. WANLESS Controller SIX YEARS' MUNICIPAL EXPERIENCE

W. JOHNSON STAYS WITH WASHINGTON Signs With Old Club and Returns Bonus to Chicago Federals

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 20.—Walter Johnson has signed with Washington. The manager and pitcher reached an agreement in an all-day conference. Johnson issued the following signed statement: "After a conference with Manager Griffith and local authorities I am convinced the option in my last year's contract with the Washington Ball Club was binding and am going to return to Washington Ball Club and fulfill my agreement and at the same time accept a salary of \$12,500 a year for three years—an increase of \$500 over his last season's contract."

BUYING AND SELLING CLUBS. FRENCH LACK, Inc., Dec. 20.—Negotiations here between Ben Johnson, president of the American League, and Col. Jacob Ruppert and Captain W. L. Huston, for the sale of the New York American League Club, were broken off Saturday without any agreement.

FOLLOWED HIS MAN INTO CHURCH; ARRESTED HIM George Dickson Accused of Assaulting Storekeeper Who Identifies Him

Following George Dickson, 144 Peter street, into a large downtown church yesterday morning and taking a seat near him during the entire service, Acting Detective McConnell arrested Dickson after the service on a charge of assaulting John Duncan, a storekeeper, at the corner of John and Adelaide streets.

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ST. LAWRENCE MART HAD A BIG DAY

Everything Decorated for Christmas, But Floors Were Filthy

SAWDUST EXPENSIVE?

Removal of the Garage Has at Last Given Farmers Room for Their Rigs

Notwithstanding the dampening effect of the weather, the St. Lawrence market was in a joyous mood on Monday, Jan. 20, as the festive decorations of the bright Christmas season were being put up...

Members of the wagon section, who heretofore, have been obliged to line up on West Market street, but since the removal of the garage has at last been removed, and there was room for all inside.

Just here let us state that an answer to a query to our critic of the market management, published a week ago, will be given on Wednesday of this week.

Fewer abounded in plenty, turkey being first choice among the buyers, which went a little higher than last week, the choice hen birds (one case where the female of the species is not desirable than the male) bringing 20c per lb. at the opening of the market...

Ducks were the hardest of all to sell, notwithstanding the fact that they have been scarce in the city during the past week, and only brought about 15c to 17c per lb. and less than that in lots of cases.

Eggs more plentiful. Eggs are beginning to be more plentiful, and consequently dropped in price, some received as high as 75c per dozen, but these cases were rare...

There were only three loads of hay brought in Saturday. Wheat, fall, bushel, \$1.15 to \$1.18. Oats, bushel, \$0.85 to \$0.90.

Vegetables—Potatoes, per bushel, \$0.40 to \$0.50. Beans, new, per bushel, \$0.45 to \$0.50. Butter, creamery, per lb., \$0.20 to \$0.25.

Butter, separator, per lb., \$0.22 to \$0.25. Eggs, duck, per dozen, \$0.45 to \$0.50. Hens, per dozen, \$1.00 to \$1.10.

Chicken, per lb., \$0.15 to \$0.18. Turkey, per lb., \$0.18 to \$0.20. Sausage, per lb., \$0.12 to \$0.15. Ham, per lb., \$0.18 to \$0.20.

Beef, forequarters, per lb., \$0.10 to \$0.12. Beef, hindquarters, per lb., \$0.10 to \$0.12. Pork, per lb., \$0.15 to \$0.18. Bacon, per lb., \$0.18 to \$0.20.

Wool, unwashed, coarse, \$0.17 to \$0.20. Wool, washed, coarse, \$0.25 to \$0.30. Wool, unwashed, fine, \$0.28 to \$0.32. Wool, washed, fine, \$0.35 to \$0.40.

Country hides, cured, 0.15 to 0.18. Country hides, part cured, 0.15 to 0.18. Calfskins, lb., 0.17 to 0.20. Kip skins, lb., 0.15 to 0.18.

SUPER-ZEPPELINS ARE VERY LATEST

Swiss Says Germans Have Built Twelve of Them Recently

SUNDAY WORLD'S NEWS

Summary of What Came From War Centres Saturday Night

PARIS, Dec. 19.—The German lines on the Ly. River have fallen back from Arrmentiers and Lille to positions before Meuth, Turcoing and Lanney, south of Roubaix.

Rhine Pounded Again. PARIS, Dec. 19.—Rhine is being pounded again because the Germans are angered at French coup by which Prince August Wilhelm, fourth son of the Kaiser, was wounded.

Dropped Ten Bombs. LONDON, Dec. 19.—A despatch from Berlin says that two of the allies' aeroplanes flew over Saarburg, Lorraine, at midnight and dropped ten bombs, which killed a Uhlans corporal and a cavalryman and severely wounded a sergeant.

Twelve New Zeppelins. LONDON, Dec. 19.—Twelve new Zeppelins were in Friedrichshafen at the time British aeroplanes dropped bombs there, said an arriving despatch...

Allies Gain East of Arras. PARIS, Dec. 19.—For the first time in two months positions east of Arras are in possession of the allies. After fierce fighting, lasting three days, they have succeeded in pushing their advance lines more than two and a half miles out past Arras.

German Concentrating. AMSTERDAM, Dec. 19.—A despatch from Maastricht, capital of the Dutch Province of Limburg, says that there has been a marked concentration of German troops during the past fortnight on both sides of the province, both in Belgium and in Germany.

Russians Win Victory. PETROGRAD, Dec. 19.—A Russian victory in the north of Poland is announced officially. The German army which advanced from Soldau to attack the Russian right wing on the north bank of the Vistula, and which was intended to strike at the same time Von Hindenburg was hammering at the gates of the city, has been repulsed by a superior force and driven back past the border into East Prussia.

Austrians Retreat. LONDON, Dec. 19.—The Morning Post prints another Hungarian letter concerning the Austrian-Hungarian debacle in Serbia, which states that the army is now practically non-existent. The loss of the Austro-Hungarian army is estimated at 100,000 men and 100,000 horses.

M'Carthy Resigned CANOE CLUB POSITION. But Parkdale Organization Will Support Him in His Campaign.

Parkdale Canoe Club met in Parkdale Assembly Hall, Lansdowne avenue, on Saturday night for the purpose of receiving the official resignation of the retiring president, Controller, M'Carthy.

WESTERN GALICIA IS CLEAR OF INVADERS? Austrians Claim Russians Were Routed at Battle of Limanowa.

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, Dec. 20.—According to a Berlin wireless despatch, advices from Vienna to main headquarters say that in the battle of Limanowa the Austrian troops completely routed the Russians of which western Galicia is now clear.

CHZAR ABSENTEE FROM BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION. Impressive Three Hours' Service Held at Petrograd on Saturday.

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At the Store, Suckling & Co., Holiday Gifts.

Board of Education. Tuesday, Dec. 29, 1914.

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CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR FARES. Single Fare Dec. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1914.

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ARRESTED FOR BURGLARY. CHATHAM, Ont., Dec. 20.—Wallace Marshall, colored, 29, who was wanted in Woodstock on a charge of burglary...

CANADIAN MASONS DINED. LONDON, Dec. 20.—Two hundred Masons of the Canadian contingent were entertained last night by Empire Masonic Lodge, Hon. Lieut. McLeod...

TO PROBE BERLIN POLICE. BERLIN, Ont., Dec. 20.—A writ of mandamus will be applied for next Tuesday at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, by...

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Parties in want of artistic and useful Xmas presents will do well to attend these sales, which are positively unreserved. Goods now on view. Reserved seats.

CHAS. M. HENDERSON & CO., Auctioneers. 61

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GENERAL MANAGER BANK OF COMMERCE

An instructive exhibit of commercial conditions throughout the entire country is furnished by the statement of the Canadian Bank of Commerce for the fiscal year ending November 30, 1914, which was issued on Saturday.

The slow-down of business which has been observed since July last, has not, however, had a substantial effect upon the general situation from Newfoundland to the Yukon, and from San Francisco to London.

Large Balance Forward. The profits of the year also show a decline of \$24,000, more ample for all charges and sufficient after that to leave the largest balance carried over to the next year.

Note Circulation Falls. The early termination of the grain market has resulted in a decrease of note circulation of the bank amounting to three-quarters of a million dollars.

TORONTO EXCHANGE COMES NEARER TO OPEN MARKET

Brokers to Be on Floor Today—Two Sessions Will Be Held Daily—Quotations Posted on Board—Trading Watched With Interest

As announced last week, two sessions will be held on the Toronto Stock Exchange commencing today.

The stock market will have the appearance of having resumed its normal business.

Short Financial Items

A seat on the New York Exchange sold last week for \$28,000.

A dividend of 3 per cent. has been declared by the St. Lawrence and Chicago Steam Navigation Co.

The La Roca Consolidated Mines Co. has declared regular quarterly dividend of 2 1/2 per cent.

Good Year Reported—Usual Half-Yearly Dividend Declared

A good year is reported by the Great West Permanent Loan Company.

EUGENE ZIMMERMAN DEAD.

Canadian Press Despatch. CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 20.—Eugene Zimmerman, former president of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad, and wealthy financier of this city, died suddenly at a club here late today from hemorrhage of the lungs.

Wheat Closed Strong—New York Stocks Irregular

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

E. Hay, General Manager. CAPITAL PAID UP \$7,000,000 RESERVE FUND \$10,000,000 BRANCHES IN CITY OF TORONTO HEAD OFFICE—Wellington St. and Leader Lane.

Latest Stock and Grain Prices

Table with columns for Toronto Stock Exchange, Standard Stock Exchange, and New York Stocks. Lists various stocks like Canadian Bank of Commerce, Dominion Bank, and various grain prices.

IN and Out of Town

C. H. Poirier, manager of the Porcupine Vinton, was in Toronto for the Christmas holidays.

RESERVE INCREASES ABOVE PREVIOUS WEEK

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Saturday's Business in New York Lightest Since Opening

NOMINAL LOSSES MADE.

Freight Rate Decision Main Topic—Important Developments Coming

Canadian Press Despatch. NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Trading in securities today was relatively lighter than on Friday.

The decision of the interstate commerce commission, granting certain increases to railroads in the eastern territory, was again the main topic of discussion.

The fact that the roads had been denied the right to increase rates in commodities which formed a bulk of their tonnage caused disappointment.

The coming week is expected to witness some important developments in the steel industry.

Some of the larger mills have increased their output.

Features of the bank statement included a moderate loan contraction.

Corn averaged higher as a result of continued smallness of rural offerings.

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Hollinger was lower, selling at 23 1/2.

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COBALT SHIPMENTS

Cobalt ore statement for week ending Dec. 18.

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SAVINGS BANK ACCOUNTS

Interest at the current rate is allowed on all deposits of \$1 and upwards. Careful attention is given to every account.

RUSH OF BUYING SENDS PRICE UP

Offers Went Unfilled—Exporters Heavy Purchasers—Peace Rumors Gone

Canadian Press Despatch. CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Wheat swept rapidly higher today on a rush of buying led by export houses.

Through the day evidence increased that Europeans were finding it decidedly more difficult to fill large orders for United States wheat than has heretofore been the case.

The bulk of the purchasing on trans-Atlantic account was apparently for the governments of Holland, Great Britain and France.

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Receipts for the week were 1721 packages against 2107 for the same week a year ago.

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We have a large amount of money to loan on improved property.

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PORCUPINE LEGAL CARDS

COOK & MITCHELL, Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries, Etc.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

The west end of a family, or any male over eighteen years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

Special Train Service From Toronto, December 24 and 25.

Ontario Lines.

12.40 p.m., December 24, for Brampton, Georgetown, Guelph, Berlin, Stratford and intermediate stations.

1.15 p.m., December 24, for Aurora, Newmarket, Bradford, Markham, Etobicoke, and intermediate stations.

3.15 p.m., December 24, for Brantford, Hamilton, London, and intermediate stations.

4.30 p.m., December 24, for Whitby, Oshawa, and intermediate stations.

4.45 p.m., December 24, for Agincourt, Uxbridge, Blackwater Junction, Lindsay and intermediate stations.

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