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## HOPES TO SEE AIM ACCOMPLISHED ERE YEAR RUNS ITS COURSE

### Lloyd George's Cable to Canada; Quebec Governor Sends to King a Message of Loyalty

## HON. B. BLAIR DEAD IN BOSTON

### Manager of Royal Bank of Canada Here Passes Away in Massachusetts General Hospital

The citizens of St. John, and especially the business community, will learn with some regret of the death of Thomas B. Blair, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, in this city, which occurred in the first day of the New Year. He was 61 years of age, and had been in failing health for several months, and for the last two weeks had been confined to the hospital. He was a man of high character, and his death is a loss to the city. He was born in Scotland, and came to this country in 1870. He was a member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and served in the Boer War. He was a man of high character, and his death is a loss to the city.

## REAL ESTATE NEWS

Transfers in real estate have been recorded as follows:  
John County.  
W. A. Brown et al to Mary M. wife Samuel Thomson, property in St. John.  
E. S. Hatfield to William Henry, property in St. John.  
L. Thorne to municipality of city of St. John, property in St. John.  
W. Wallace to Melvin, wife of Thomas Northrup, property in Queen Street.  
Gings County.  
R. W. Dobson to Idella Ellison, property in Sussex.  
G. W. Fowler to Joseph Robson, property in St. John.  
E. B. Keith to Eliza Landry, property in Harwick.  
A. J. McPherson to H. W. Chapman, property in St. John.

## RAIANS FAIL IN RAIDS ON BRITISH

London, Jan. 2.—Several raids were made by the German forces last night on British positions on the Belgian and French fronts. The official statement is that the raids were repulsed. A text of the statement follows: Yesterday evening under cover of a bombardment three parties of the enemy attempted to raid our positions in the neighbourhood of Mericourt, south of Lens. The hostile parties were repulsed by our artillery fire, and failed to reach our trenches. They were attacked in No Man's Land by our machine gun fire, and secured a few prisoners. The British casualties reported in December reached a total of 79,227, divided as follows: Killed or died of wounds, Officers, 1,045; men, 14,800; wounded or missing, officers 2,942; men 60,383.

## TANKS IN RECRUITING TOUR IN STATES

New York, Jan. 2.—In an effort to give impetus to enlistments in the British and Canadian forces the British armoured tank Britannia will be started on a recruiting tour of the United States on January 14.

## ASSIGNMENTS

Verna McEwen of Cham, milliner, has made an assignment to High Sheriff William F. Cassidy.  
Fred A. Johnson of St. John, merchant, has made an assignment to W. B. Wallace.

## PROPOSAL FOR SARDINE PLANT

### Matter Discussed at Common Council Meeting NO ACTION TAKEN YET

### Bonus To Two City Officials For Work Well Done—Commissioner Fisher Wants One Track in Union Street Taken Up

At a meeting of the common council this morning R. E. Armstrong, secretary of the board of trade, presented a proposal in writing on behalf of the Booth Fisheries Company. The letter stated that this company proposes to build and equip in West St. John a sardine factory, to cost from \$75,000 to \$100,000; also that they undertake to have the plant completed and in operation in time to take advantage of the 1918 school of herring, the factory to employ 100 to 125 men, women and fifty or sixty men, under sanitary and well paid labor conditions. This plant, it was said, would also give employment to a large number of boatmen, and ensure the sale of a large quantity of herring caught locally, which sometimes goes to waste due to weather conditions and transportation. The company agreed to pay the present water rates but thought the city should make certain concessions to the founders of the new industry. It is believed that the city is now in a position to make certain concessions to the founders of the new industry. He then introduced S. G. Grady, who was representing the company, and he explained several features in connection with the proposed plant.

## FINANCES OF PROVINCE

Fredericton, Jan. 2.—The Royal Gazette today contains the financial statement for the year ended October 31, 1917. The total ordinary revenue is given as \$1,772,225 and the total ordinary expenditure as \$1,988,267.84. In addition to this expenditure the sum of \$75,641.80 on contracts during 1917 was paid during 1917 and should therefore be added to the total expenditure. The amount expended on permanent roads under the act of last session was \$834,066.50, but it is understood that more than one-third of the amount went to pay for motor trucks ordered by the old administration. The expenditure on permanent roads was \$68,679.66. The total financial transactions for the year amounted to \$3,665,288.30. The balance on hand is given as \$273,972.28.

## WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.  
Synopsis.—A disturbance now centered in Kentucky is moving southeast towards the Carolina coast. The weather continues fair and cold from Manitoba to the maritime provinces and mild in Alberta and Saskatchewan.  
Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Fresh northerly winds, fair and cold today and on Thursday.  
St. Lawrence Valley—Upper Lawrence, Gulf and Maritime—Northerly winds, fair and very cold today and on Thursday.  
Superior—Moderate winds, fair and decidedly cold today and on Thursday.  
Manitoba—Fair and moderately cold today and on Thursday.  
Saskatchewan—Fair today and Thursday; moderately cold north and mild south.  
Alberta—Fair and mild.  
New England—Generally fair and continued cold tonight and Thursday, moderate to fresh north winds.

## THE FLAG THAT NEVER KNOWS DEFEAT



## MONTREAL ARENA PREY OF FLAMES

Montreal, Jan. 2.—The Montreal Arena, the biggest rink in Eastern Canada, caught fire this morning. One side of the building was quickly destroyed when an automatic plant used for making artificial ice exploded and blew down a wall. The fire started about 11:30 and in less than an hour the flames leaped across Wood street and set fire to six houses.

## FORECASTS CHANGES AT BRITISH EMBASSIES

### Report of New Men for Washington, Paris and Petrograd

London, Jan. 2.—Sir Cecil Spring Rice and Lord Berke, according to the Daily Chronicle, will soon return from the British embassies at Washington and Paris. The newspaper adds that it is rumored that Sir George Buchanan is about to resign as ambassador at Petrograd. The Chronicle pleads the urgent need of bringing fresh blood into a service which has long been divorced from the pulse of modern life. It is believed that the new men for Washington, Paris and Petrograd will be announced in the next few days.

## NEWS OF CANADIANS IN THE HANDS OF GERMANS

London, Jan. 1.—The Red Cross has received news that the following Canadians are prisoners in the hands of the Germans: Lieutenants L. Kert and T. W. Morse, Sergeants Coote and Guy, Corporals Bedcome and Hawkins, Privates Vogel, Wilkinson, Cobb, Lowridge, Sullivan, Mathewson, Goodwin, Alcock, McEwan, Johnson, Campbell, Wolf, Harris, Pountney, Bedard, Watkins, Selman, Selby, Rothwell, Robinson, Price, Penn, Mitchell, Diegel, Pirock, Mary Mitchell, Chubb, Sinclair, Woodhead, White, Tuttle, Smith, Robinson, Marchand, McMillen, McPhail, Jones, Johnson, Horn, Cloak, Burnett, Brown, Bigelow, Barnard, Anderson, Northcott, Laggett, Cassidy, Willis, Thompson.

## YOUNG GERMAN FROM KITCHENER IN TROUBLE

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 2.—Bernard Latta, aged twenty-six, a German from Kitchener, who has been held in Sandwich jail since the immigration authorities found he had failed to register, will be charged with perjury soon as he is released this week. He came to Windsor last September with the wife of an overseas soldier and soon got into trouble by talking too freely. It is now alleged that he obtained a passport here by swearing he was British born. The authorities allege he had frequently related to friends how easy it was to evade the immigration laws.

## KING GEORGE'S CONFIDENCE IN VICTORY UNSHAKEABLE

Paris, Jan. 2, via Reuter's Ottawa Agency—King George and President Poincare exchanged New Year's greetings by telegram. His majesty paid a tribute to France's magnificent courage and assured the president of his unshakable confidence in a victorious end to the great struggle. President Poincare stated that the longer the war lasted the firmer was his confidence in the final success of Allied arms.

## BRANCH BANK BURNS

Saskatchewan—The branch of the Banque Nationale at Murray Bay was destroyed by fire on Saturday night. Mr. Dorval, the manager, and family escaped in their night clothing in a temperature of 28 below zero.

## Peace Negotiations Are Reported Off

### Bolsheviki Said To Have Acted Because of German Attitude in Regard to Poland and Lithuania

London, Jan. 2.—Peace negotiations at Brest-Litovsk have been broken off by the Bolsheviki government, owing to the German attitude in regard to Poland and Lithuania, and the enemy's proposal that armistices be retained at Lbava, Riga and elsewhere, according to a telegram from the Petrograd correspondent of the Daily News, appearing in a late edition of that paper today. The dispatch quotes an article from the Bolsheviki newspaper "Izvestia" stating that the new phase in the peace negotiations. The article says that owing to pressure from below the Germans have been obliged to soil their lips with the formula put forward by the Socialists at the beginning of the war, but the German imperialists would not be imperialists if they did not try to take back in fact what with gritted teeth they yielded in words. "The Russian revolution cannot accept their conditions to retain Poland and Lithuania. Just you try it, gentlemen," says the Izyvestia. This is the line, the correspondent of the Daily News adds, that probably will be taken at a general meeting tonight (Tuesday) to consider the report of the Russian peace demands.

## NEW YORK RULE ON WAR BASIS, SAYS NEW MAYOR

New York, Jan. 2.—The government of New York city must be placed on a war basis, the new mayor, John F. Hylan, told the newly appointed heads of departments in his inaugural address yesterday. This must be brought about, he said, through the elimination of useless positions, the enforcement of a policy of strict economy and conservation of public funds in every possible way.

## ONTARIO ELECTIONS TO BE HELD NEXT JUNE?

Toronto, Jan. 2.—The Globe states that it has been informed that the general election for the province of Ontario is to be held next June, probably on Monday, June 24. Sir William Hearst, premier, when spoken to about the matter last night, said the government had not even considered it. The Liberals of Ontario are to have a meeting on next Thursday to consider the appointment of a man to succeed Hon. N. W. Rowell as provincial leader. Many believe that William Proudfoot, M. P. for Centre Huron, will be the choice.

## ADMIRAL MARX HERE

St. John was yesterday honored by a visit from Admiral C. Marx, C.B., a retired imperial naval officer, who is at present the commander of the Canadian coast patrol service with headquarters at Sydney, C. B. He was accompanied by Commander Roberts of the naval service. Admiral Marx is one of England's distinguished naval officers. He retired from active service only a few years prior to the outbreak of the war. He offered his services in any capacity and was appointed to his present position. While in the city they were registered at the Royal Hotel. They left this morning for Halifax.

## LIGHT VOTE IN ELECTIONS

Toronto, Jan. 2.—Municipal elections were held in six Ontario municipalities yesterday. The cities which voted were Toronto, London, Guelph, St. Catharines, St. Thomas and Chatham. A feature of the contest in every city was the small vote polled. In most instances it was the lightest on record. Married women, who are property holders, voted for the first time, but even they did not turn out in any great numbers. For the fourth time Mayor Church has been elected mayor of Toronto.

## THE HALIFAX INJURED

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 2.—The work of the medical relief committee, organized by Colonel Bell, is gradually becoming less necessary to Halifax. About 600 patients injured in the explosion are still under treatment. The discharge of patients has been so rapid that very few outside doctors and nurses are now doing work in Halifax.

## Says Issue Decided In Next Six Months

An Atlantic Port, Jan. 2.—The Entente Allies are entering the hardest period of the war, but a period which will prove richest in decisive results. "If we know how to play a good game," and the issue will be decided in the next six months, according to Captain Andre Tardieu, French high commissioner to the United States, who returned to this country yesterday. While Captain Tardieu pointed to the possibility of a strong German attack on the western front during this winter, he is "absolutely confident that it will be another Verdun." The urgency of an enormous economic effort was emphasized by the French representative.



GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

Tonight at the Gem; see how "MOVIES" ARE MADE. Tonight's feature picture at the Gem is "A Girl's Polly," a World Brady-made picture in five reels, starring Robert Warwick, noted English actor, and dainty Doris Kenyon.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" To get the genuine, call for full name, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a cold in one day. 80c.

BIRTHS

CUNNINGHAM—In this city, January 1, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. George F. Cunningham, 102 Mecklenburg street, a son.

COHOLAN—On Dec. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Coholan, Milford, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

SCOTT-WORDEN—In this city on Jan. 2, in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, by Rev. William M. Duke, Madeline Worden, daughter of Gabriel Worden, this city, and Frank Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Scott, also of St. John.

DEATHS

SANCTION—In this city on Dec. 31, 1917, Arthur M. Sanction.

JOHNSTON—At the St. John Infirmary, Dec. 31, 1917, of Esckild Johnston, of Upper Loch Lomond (Boston papers please copy).

BLAIR—In Boston, on January 1, Thomas B. Blair, eldest son of the late Robert Blair.

DALEY—Suddenly, in this city on the 31st ult., Dennis Daley, leaving a wife and two daughters to mourn.

STUTTHURD—On the 2nd inst., Ida May, wife of Supt. Charles Stutthurd, leaving her husband, three sons and four daughters to mourn.

BRADBURY—In loving memory of my beloved husband, Richard Bradbury, who fell asleep January 2, 1918. Sleep in Jesus, blessed sleep, from which none ever wake to weep.

IN MEMORIAM  
GAULTON—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Magdalene Gaulton, who entered into rest January 2, 1918. Her soul is with us all our days.

SON, DAUGHTER AND GRAND-MOTHER.  
BRADBURY—In loving memory of my beloved husband, Richard Bradbury, who fell asleep January 2, 1918. Sleep in Jesus, blessed sleep, from which none ever wake to weep.

The Man In The Street

A Happy New Year—and if that is not good enough, here's hoping for a happier new year.

The new year might be several degrees happier if the mercury would climb a few degrees higher.

But, at least, we are saved from complaints that the weather is "unseasonable."

Another cause for mild rejoicing may be discovered in the fact that the new year's honors include no hereditary titles for Canadians.

No one in Canada approves of such undemocratic distinctions—except those who have them and those who hope to get 'em.

Plans for gasoline conservation seem destined to take the joy out of joy-riding.

Spring Fashion Note  
On the authority of the food controller it may be predicted that men's waists will be worn smaller this year and tighter belts will be popular.

After careful perusal of the suggestions from Ottawa, we still are undecided whether to use the backyard this year for wheat production or cattle raising.

This idea of trying to warm the town up by burning it down does not appeal to us—nor to the fire underwriters.

The chaps who spent the Sabbath thawing out water pipes were able to assure their consciences that their labor came under both headings as of necessity and mercy.

And these days all the world loves a plumber.

In his complimentary new year's reference to the "daring enterprises" of his fleet, we trust the Kaiser was not trying to be sarcastic.

And there is rather a hollow ring to that remark to his armies about battle in favor of their glorious arms. Which battles?

Wilhelm might not have been so cheery if he had remembered that Canada's new army is to mobilize tomorrow.

As one of the draftees says, "The volunteers started something, but when they wanted it finished they had to send for us."

Railway officials are complaining of the trouble and expense caused by the cold weather. We sympathize with them—but more so with their passengers.

And on the street "The End of a Perfect Day."

Where it Ends  
Everyone else was hurrying along with thick lips trying to keep warm beneath their layers of extra wraps; every one was shivering in spite of all precautions, when down the street he came. Swinging along with his cap on the back of his head, with his overcoat conspicuous by its absence, and his hands quite shockingly nude, the young man strolled along King street. Apparently unconscious of the fact, the man had gone into winter quarters and that the roses bloom no longer, he blithely whistled "The End of a Perfect Day."

A quarter ounce of freestone is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn and callus, and any druggist will charge but a few cents for it. It is a compound made from ether.

MEAT SCARCITY IN ENGLAND IS THREATENED

Farmers and Butchers Protest New Regulation of Controller But He Stands Firm

London, Jan. 2.—Many parts of England are now threatened with a meat scarcity. A new order by Lord Rhondda, the food controller, regulating the price of cattle on the basis of live weight has caused the farmers to refuse to sell their beasts, while the butchers in some places complain they cannot continue to sell at scheduled retail prices and are determined to close their shops unless the prices are revised.

Lord Rhondda has empowered his commissioners to commandeer cattle wherever it is proved farmers are holding them back. As to the butchers, he says that as no seasonal will be allowed, retail prices, will be set at the price of any butcher changing the price fixed.

Many butcher shops throughout London were without their supply of meat today, and some were forced to close. The government relieved the situation somewhat by releasing from its store 2,000 carcasses of mutton.

In the fish markets conditions were much the same.

RUSSIAN REPORTS  
Petrograd, Jan. 2.—The Bolshevik news agency announces that the council of people's commissioners has decided to recommend to the council of women's and soldiers' delegates recognition of the political independence of the republic of Finland.

London, Jan. 2.—The fraternization of troops on the eastern front has already been reported by the Petrograd correspondent of the Daily News.

Petrograd, Tuesday, Jan. 1.—A new republic has been set up in the Black Sea territory, with Novorossisk as the capital.

NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS  
Many storekeepers and private people have cases and bottles in their stores and homes which they have bought and paid for. Although completely disorganized by the fire which destroyed our plant last night we intend to resume operations at the earliest possible moment and shall redeem every empty package at price paid. We thank our trade for patronage in the past and trust to retain their confidence when we are again able to serve them.

BLUE RIBBON BEVERAGE CO.

GET RID OF HUMORS AND AVOID DISEASE

Humors in the blood cause internal derangements that affect the whole system as well as pimples, boils, and eruptions which affect all the organs and functions, membranes and tissues and are directly responsible for many of the diseases with which some people contract disease.

For forty years Hood's Sarsaparilla has been more successful than any other medicine in expelling humors and removing their inward and outward effects. It is distinguished for its thoroughness in purifying the blood, which it enriches and invigorates. No other medicine acts like it, for no other medicine is like it.

Get Hood's Sarsaparilla today. Insist on having Hood's.

LOCAL NEWS

Band tonight, Carleton Rink; also Thursday night and Friday night.

HANDSOME CONTRIBUTION  
The Loyalist Chapter, T. O. D. E., have handed to the president of the Navy League a check for \$287.85 in aid of the British Sailors Relief Fund, being part proceeds of the War Propaganda exhibition held in November. This will be sent on to London through the Montreal Navy League.

ST. JOHN TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL  
Regular meeting Friday evening, Jan. 4. Election of officers. Full attendance requested.

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WINNERS IN SMALL THINGS

(By H. H. Windsor, in the January Popular Mechanics Magazine)  
Because we have long been accustomed to thinking in a large way and doing on a large scale, it is hard for us to realize the importance of small things when multiplied by millions. It is a big mental drop from fifteen billions for the expenses, to a lump of sugar, or so, more than actually necessary in a breakfast cup of coffee. If we can't make a saving of hundreds or thousands, the saving of a little soap, or light or fuel, or become so insignificant.

It is not that we are actually miserly. And right here is where we skate on thin ice. It is easy to think in terms of personally and the other European countries, but it is not so easy to see any necessity for great economy in food here.

If we will avoid that same condition here we must make and get busy. Some of us already have, but some of us have failed to grasp the problem seriously and still think of food conservation as intended for some one else. The American Army at Valley Forge went barefooted in the snow and lived mostly on corn bread, and with what a spirit!

There should be no occasion for a spirit! There should be no occasion for a spirit! There should be no occasion for a spirit! There should be no occasion for a spirit!

TABLE DELICACIES

Three times a day, seven days a week and fifty-two weeks a year you sit down to eat.

But the number of years you sit down depends much on the kind of food you put into your stomach.

You will be guaranteed the longest life possible if you begin now and keep on using our pure foods. You will keep on when you begin.

GILBERT'S GROCERY

PROPER GLASSES  
Wearing a pair of properly fitted glasses is soothing to the nerves and a relief for anyone troubled with eye-strain.

We design, fit and make glasses that assure you full comfort, ease and efficient eyesight.

Our Service is Complete. Service. Prompt, Accurate and Satisfying.

D. BOYANER, 111, Charlotte St.

THE BEST QUALITY AT A REASONABLE PRICE

Can You See As Well As Ever?

Notice the way you hold your book or paper. Is it fifteen inches from the eyes, or about a foot farther, one and one-half feet?

The change in the eyes when one passes middle life is natural. Glasses ought to be worn then for reading and close work to prevent eye-strain.

But be particular where you buy the glasses. Come to Sharpe's, where you secure the best professional services and interested attentiveness.

It costs no more—but pays you better.

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"Happy New Year"

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(Established 1892).

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SIGN O' THE LANTERN TEA ROOM

Only Typical One of the Maritime Provinces.  
GERMAIN STREET 1111 OPPOSITE TRINITY  
BUSINESS—50 cent Luncheon, 35 cent Supper.  
A LA CARTE  
Breakfast Luncheon Afternoon Tea Supper  
TO ORDER—Home Cooking, Sandwiches, Cakes, Baked Luncheons.

PERSONALS

Rev. C. T. Clark has resigned his pastorate at the Free Baptist church in Houlton.

An Ottawa dispatch states that Sir Robert Borden is to return to the capital in order to see any necessity for great economy in food here.

Miss Elsie V. Logan of Kennedy street left on Saturday night for Boston to visit relatives.

GARDNER-ORAM.  
A pretty wedding was solemnized in St. Peter's church this morning at five o'clock, when Rev. Father Coghlan, C. S. R., united in marriage Miss Mary Eleanor Oram, eldest daughter of Pte. and Mrs. W. E. Oram, Prospect Point, to Sergt. Roy Gardner of Hoyt Station, recently returned from overseas. The bride was becomingly gowned in deep blue silk with picture hat and carried a white prayer book. Miss Besse Downey of Millville avenue was bridesmaid, and wore a dress of dark blue silk with white hat. Wm. Oram, Jr., brother of the bride, supported the groom. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Gardner with friends left by auto for the bride's home where a dainty wedding breakfast was served. The dining room was tastefully decorated with flags and bunting for the occasion. The bride and groom will leave this evening for the groom's home at Hoyt Station for a honeymoon stay, after which they will proceed to Montreal and other Canadian cities. Mr. and Mrs. Gardner have a large circle of friends in this city who wish them a happy future.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.  
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 50c.

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS.  
Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 2.—The Lieutenant-Governor has accepted the resignation of Francis J. Polier as labor act commissioner for the Parish of Rogersville, and has appointed John Ryan as provincial constable of Bath, Carleton Co., for a cause.

His Honor has approved the appointment of Joshua A. Baskirk of Elgin, deputy sheriff. The following appointments are made under the prohibition act:—

James J. Degraze of Beresford, sub-inspector of Gloucester; Fred Lucas of Newcastle, inspector; J. H. Ashford of Newcastle, temporarily inspector for Northumberland; W. H. Finlay, inspector for St. Marys, York county.

The following appointments are made: A. C. McCullough, poultry superintendent.

D. B. F. McKenna, of Chatham provincial analyst under the intoxicating liquors act; Fred W. Gekwisbury of Chatham, and Mark H. Hambrook of the peace; Hqn. D. V. Landry, M. D., coroner for Kent; Richard Hachey of Carleton Place, Justice of the Peace; Thaddeus Hebert, sitting police magistrate for Edmundston; Jacob V. Mersereau of Chatham, and Mark H. Hambrook of the peace; Murray Murch of Macataque, Justice of the Peace.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED  
Mr. and Mrs. John Devereau, Campbellton, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Laura M., to Frederick J. Shirley, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Shirley, of Bathurst, the wedding to take place in January.

ITALY IS TO INTERN ALL ENEMY SUBJECTS  
Rome, Tuesday, Jan. 1.—The Italian government has taken measures to intern all enemy subjects in Italy within four or five days. La Epoca says no exceptions will be made.

Henry Dalby Dead  
Montreal, Jan. 2.—Henry Dalby, formerly editor of the Montreal Star, died this morning.

Whipping Post in Use Today as of Old  
The whipping post is not altogether a thing of the past, as many persons suppose, is shown by the fact that it is still used in the state of Delaware in inflicting punishment for such crimes as theft and disorderly conduct. An illustration in the January Popular Mechanics Magazine shows the post that stands in the county jail yard at Dover. Hinged to two sides are iron manacles which are clamped over the wrists of the prisoner to hold him still while the whip is applied.

London, Jan. 2.—In consequence of strong protests the British war cabinet will reconsider its proposal to take over the British museum building for the use of the air board.

It was announced at the police court this afternoon that the twenty-six Chinese would each be fined \$15 and that this should be paid on Friday.

WARMTH AND COMFORT

FOR LESS MONEY THAN EVER BEFORE.  
Made Possible By The Biggest Harvest Of Seasonable Clothing

Ever Offered To The St. John Public

Not a Fire Sale EVERYTHING IS NEW!  
Just A Big Clearing Out To Make Quick Sales We CUT PRICES TO A FINISH  
Not An "Annual" We Couldn't Stand the Expense

READ OUR BIG SIGNS! ACROSS FROM THE MARKET!  
We realize our prices are playing havoc with regular trade, but we cannot help that. These lines must be disposed of. First come, first served.

MEN'S  
Heavy Woolen Underwear, Heavy Winter Trousers, Woolen Sweaters, Overalls, Double Knee and Other Lines, Warm Socks, Caps, Mittens, Work Shirts, Braces, Etc.

CONSIDER  
You know we have had the coldest December weather in 15 years. We have January and February ahead. Our lines are all fresh, new stock. We are making a big event of this sale. Think it over and drop in.

LADIES  
Furs (Prices Cut in Two for Balance of Stock), Underwear, Stockings, Hats (Several Lines of Winter Millinery at a Great Saving), -Toques, All to be Disposed of at Less Than Wholesale.

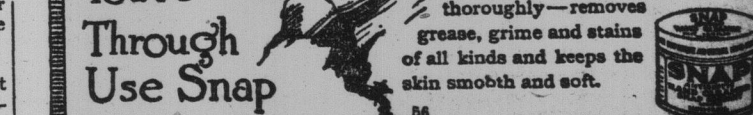
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cleans your hands quickly and thoroughly—removes grease, grime and stains of all kinds and keeps the skin smooth and soft.



When You're Through Use Snap



LOCAL NEWS

Why buy ready made clothes? You'll get them tailor made for the same money. —Miss Alice Green. Phone 2380-11.

Private instruction in modern dancing. —Miss Alice Green. Phone 2380-11.

Fifty-three men's winter overcoats for sale at cost price.—Turner, out of high street district, 440 Main. T.F.

Sixty-six boys' winter overcoats for sale at cost price.—Turner, out of high street district, 440 Main. T.F.

ALL DEAD AND DONE FOR. Bugs, Fleas, Flies, Moths, Ants, Wasps, Bees, Mosquitoes, and every kind of insect coming into proper contact with Keating's Powder DIES. "Keating's" KILLS the lot. Sold everywhere in tins, 10c, 25c, 50c. Insist on having "Keating's" Made in England. Harold F. Ritchie & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sole Agents for Canada.

Italy Now Has War Cabinet

Rome, Jan. 1.—A decree creating an Italian war committee, to be presided over by Premier Orlando, was published today in the Official Journal. The committee consists of Baron Scianina, minister of foreign affairs; Signor Meda, minister of finance; General Affert, minister of war; Vice-Admiral Debono, minister of marine; General Dall'Oglio, minister of munitions, and another minister to be named by the premier. The chiefs of the naval and military general staff will sit in the committee in an advisory capacity. The committee does not diminish the authority of the cabinet, to whom its decisions will be communicated by Premier Orlando.

Congressman McCormick:—"The problem of gun and munition making is so big that even the ablest industrial executive in America will find it is used to the ultimate in directing their production. Time is the essence of victory and cannon are the weapons by which it must be won."

he Morning After The Big Night

he Wise Preparation of a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet After the Banquet Brings Pleasant Memories with the Morning Coffee.



If it hadn't been for Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Like as Not I'd Have Headache This Morning. If you ever feel distressed after eating be sure to take a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet. For no matter what you eat there will be no gas, no sour risings, no limp in your throat, no biliousness, no dark brown taste in the morning. And should you now be troubled, eat a tablet as soon as possible and relief will come promptly. These tablets correct at once the faults of a weak or overworked stomach, they do the work while the stomach rests and recovers itself. Particular effective are they for banquets and those whose environment brings them in contact with the rich food most apt to cause stomach derangement. Relief in these cases always comes the morning after a box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, 50 cents, in any drug store. Be good to your stomach.

Hot Water Each Morning Puts Roses in Your Cheeks

To look one's best and feel one's best is to enjoy an inside bath each morning to flush from the system the previous day's waste, sour fermentations and poisonous toxins before it is absorbed into the blood. Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of combustible material in the form of ash, so the food and drink taken each day leave in the alimentary organs a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not eliminated, form toxins and poisons which are then sucked into the blood through the very ducts which are intended to suck in only nourishment to sustain the body.

If you want to see the glow of healthy bloom in your cheeks, to see your skin get clearer and clearer, you are told to drink every morning upon arising, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it which is a natural and toxin from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire

BODIES OF FRENCH SOVEREIGNS ARE MOVED IN AUSTRIA

London, Jan. 2.—The sarcophagus containing the bodies of Charles X. of France and members of his family, who went to Austria to live after Charles was deposed in 1830, has been removed by the Austrian authorities to the Carmelite Monastery in Vienna, according to a despatch from that city to Amsterdam, as reported by Central News. The sarcophagus had been lodged in the recent Austro-German offensive. The bodies, in addition to the king's, are those of the Duke of Angoulême, eldest son of Charles X.; his consort, who was a daughter of Louis XVI.; Count de Chambord, grandson of Charles X.; and his consort, eldest Princess Theresa Modena.

SAYS BOURASSA CAUSE OF QUEBEC ISOLATION

Henri Bourassa and the Nationalist propagandists are to blame for the isolation of Quebec in confederation in the opinion of L'Evénement (Conservative) of Quebec, which says: "When the war broke out English and French-Canadians were heart and soul resolved with enthusiasm to sustain by force of arms both England and France, both races forgetting at last their quarrels in the face of the common enemy. Here, however, Mr. Bourassa entered upon the scene, writing on the 8th of September, 1914, that, as was the case in 1899, he condemned Canadian participation in England's foreign wars and his partisans applauded. 'We have no immediate interest,' he said, 'in the present war.' Such was and still is the policy of Le Devoir."

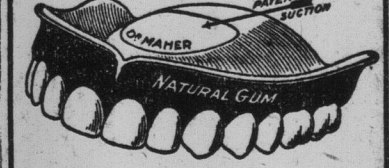
CALIFORNIA SENDS SEED BEANS AND PRUNE TREES TO FRANCE

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 2.—Five and one-half million pounds of seed beans and 1,500,000 two-year old French prune trees are being gathered in California for shipment to France to re-habilitate the fields and orchards devastated by the Germans in their retreat. The beans are pink and black eye varieties, and the quantity is sufficient to plant 60,000 acres. The prune trees will cover 15,000 acres into bearing orchards within two years.

There is a bill of sentiment in California's sending young orchards to France, as it was this war torn republic that gave the state its first prune trees. This was in 1886, and since that time the prune orchards cover nearly 100,000 acres and bring to the growers more than \$10,000,000 a year. If an average crop is raised from the California seed it will mean an addition to the food supply of France of more than two and one-half pounds of beans next summer to each of the 40,000,000 residents. Shipments will begin soon.

One of the radiators in the I. C. R. depot near the dining room, burst last night at 11 o'clock and the water ran all over the floor near the doors. The radiator was disconnected and left on the floor to be mended this morning.

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MILITARY HOSPITALS FEED THOUSANDS

Convalescent Hospitals at Halifax: Caring for 1,100 Civilian Victims of Great Disaster

The cafeterias established by the Military Hospitals Commission in the convalescent hospitals at Halifax supplemented by kitchens fitted to serve men in thousands are cared for in the homeless victims of the great explosion. Between four and five thousand meals were served daily to the stricken people, men, women and children carrying their trays to the big steam tables in an end-of-the-street dining room. The last of the breakfasters were hardly out of the dining room when the fire dinner began to form. The clatter of the electric dishes was never stilled.

3,100 Patients Cared For. In addition to the meal served, more than 1,100 patients were cared for in the two institutions, Camp Hill and Pine Hill, which were emptied of their military patients to make room for the victims of the disaster. The lecturers, who never before had held anything but khaki and war trophies, were filled with the news of the disaster reported in Ottawa, left for the scene to offer aid to the facilities of the military hospitals to the relief workers.

Two hundred wounded convalescent soldiers under treatment in the Halifax institutions were taken to Sydney, C. B., where the officers in charge of the Monastery and Ross Military Convalescent Hospitals made provision for them, and later were transferred to the Passaic camp for fifty more.

TRAVELERS MUST SHOW VACCINATION PAPERS

Strict Quarantine Established Along Northern and Eastern Maine Coasts

(Bangor Commercial.) A strict quarantine has been established along the northern and eastern Maine border by the United States and state public health officials which will prevent any Canadian traveler or other person crossing the border unless he or she can show to the health officers a properly signed certificate of vaccination indicating that the bearer had been successfully vaccinated within a year, and all who do not carry such certificate will be stopped on the border and not allowed to come into Maine.

Dr. John E. Brooks of Eastport, who is assistant surgeon of United States public health, is in charge at that city and will probably look after that section where so many thousands of Canadian Islanders reside and are almost daily visitors to Eastport, Lobeck and neighboring coast towns, and while it may not be difficult to keep a sharp watch on the few steamers that make stops from neighboring dominion ports there are numbers of small gasoline-propelled craft in commission by Canadians who come and go frequently, and it will not be so easy to look after their frequent visitors. Of course even after landing on Maine soil all strangers will be obliged to show their certificate to the health officers so they may be generally known as a trustworthy and reliable source of information in the Passaic, iniquitous bay and Bay of Fundy, and as general vaccination is now being carried out on this side, the Passaic should not cause serious inconvenience among Canadians, in fact, any stranger who goes over the boundary line after this date, excepting to the few who might neglect to have on their person the necessary identification card. There will probably be considerable confusion for a few days as this new ruling applies to the entire Maine border.

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It affords us much pleasure to extend to our numerous customers and friends our warmest good wish for

A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

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MISS BOULTON WOULD TEACH IMPERIAL UNITY

Says She Can Get a United Canada Through the Children (Toronto Star.) "We must have a united Canada, and we can get it through our children," said Miss Constance Boulton to the Imperial Women's Council on McCall street yesterday afternoon. "I have never asked for a vote for any party, but I am here to solicit your patronage and vote to elect me as trustee for the board of education."

"You will naturally ask me what my platform is, but I haven't any. I feel that women should take their place on the board, and as no one else is willing to do it, I am ready to do it. I will bring with me a more effective and dependable remedy in every way. It overcomes the usual cough, throat and chest colds in 24 hours—relieves even whooping cough quickly. Get 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth) from any good drug store, pour it into a 16-oz. bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Here you have 16 cups—a family supply—of the most effective cough syrup that money can buy—at a cost of only 65 cents or less. It never spoils. The prompt and positive results given by this pleasant tasting cough syrup have caused it to be used in more homes than any other remedy. It cures whooping cough, dry cough or tight cough, hoarseness, influenza, bronchitis, the throat and bronchial tubes, and relief comes almost immediately. Splendid for throat ticks, laryngitis, bronchitis, croup and bronchial asthma. 3 cans Old Dutch Cleanser..... 25c. 3 bottles Ammonia..... 25c. 3 bottles Extracts..... 25c. Try our Special Blend of Fresh Ground Coffee..... 40c. lb. Barrington Hall Coffee..... 50c. lb.

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

When Constipated or Bilious Give "California Syrup of Figs"

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, has a feverish, stomach sour, breath bad, has stomachache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again. You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative"; they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

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- 3 cans Baked Beans..... 25c.
- 3 cans Old Dutch Cleanser..... 25c.
- 3 cans Sardines..... 25c.
- 3 pkgs. Sage or Savory..... 25c.
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CHILDREN MAKE BOOKS FOR THE T. B. SOLDIERS

School Children Find New War Work in Making Books of Clippings

The school children of Canada and the United States have assembled all the literary lights from George Ade and H. C. Witwer with their "Fables in Slang" and baseball stories to Henry James in little collections of stories which they have pasted into paper booklets for the use of T. B. soldiers in the sanatoriums of the Military Hospitals Commission. The question of keeping the men affected with tuberculosis supplied with sufficient reading matter is a problem. Ever so often the books in service must be burned for sanitary reasons, and to destroy valuable books in this way seems a great pity.

The effort of the children to replenish these libraries which must be replenished ever so often with reading such as soldiers like, is one of the most appreciated supplementary services which anyone has yet thought of rendering the boys. Teachers have supervised the selection of stories, and the collections are varied. There are love stories, sporting tales, adventure, detective mysteries, humorous essays and poems, everything bright and cheerful that can be found in the present day monthly publications. Pasted on heavy white paper stitched down the back they are very fine little books. In each one is a little letter from the child who made it, hoping in his best copybook form that the soldier will enjoy it as much as he did making it. Pasted on heavy white paper stitched down the back they are very fine little books. In each one is a little letter from the child who made it, hoping in his best copybook form that the soldier will enjoy it as much as he did making it.

With the American Army in France, Dec. 26—All alcoholic beverages except light wines and beers are denied to members of the military hospitals.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

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- Pure Lard..... \$12.70
- Royal Household Flour..... \$12.50
- 24 lb. bag Royal Household Flour, \$1.60
- 1 lb. tin of Crisco..... 30c.
- Pure Lard..... 32c. lb.
- Pure Lard—20 lb. pack..... \$6.00
- Lipton's Tea—55c. for..... 45c. lb.
- Lipton's Tea—60c. for..... 50c. lb.
- 3 lb. tin of Tea..... \$1.25
- 4 pkgs. Bee Jelly..... 25c.
- 3 pkgs. MacLaren's Jelly..... 25c.
- 5 lbs. Choice Onions..... 25c.
- 4 cakes Surprise, Gold or Ivory Soap, 25c.
- 5 pkgs. Soap Powder..... 25c.
- Lux..... 11c. pkgs., 3 pkgs. for 30c.
- 3 Old Dutch..... 25c.
- 3 bottles Ammonia..... 25c.
- 3 bottles Extracts..... 25c.
- Try our Special Blend of Fresh Ground Coffee..... 40c. lb.
- Barrington Hall Coffee..... 50c. lb.

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**MENU FOR THURSDAY.**

Breakfast  
Oatmeal Porridge.  
Fried Calf's Liver.  
Tea or Coffee.

Dinner  
Mutton Stew.  
Onions Mashed Potatoes.  
Chocolate Blanc Mange Pudding.

Supper  
Cheese Soup.  
Brown Bread Stewed Cranberry Tea.

The recipes for Chocolate Blanc Mange Pudding and Cheese Soup, mentioned above, are as follows:

**Chocolate Blanc Mange Pudding—**

4 cups scalded milk  
3 level tablespoons corn starch  
4 level tablespoons sugar  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 cup cold milk  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
4 level tablespoons cocoa

Mix the corn starch, sugar, cocoa and salt; dilute with cold milk, add to scalded milk, stirring constantly until mixture thickens, afterwards occasionally, cook fifteen minutes in a double boiler. Add flavoring, mould, chill, and serve with sugar and cream.

**Cheese Soup—**

Make a cream of the following:  
1 level tablespoon fat  
1 level tablespoon flour  
1 level red pepper

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**SALE OF HARBOR FISHING LOTS**

Large Sum is Realized—J. Fred Belyea the Chief Buyer

The harbor fisheries were sold by auction yesterday, in the court house, and good prices were realized. The chief buyer was J. Fred Belyea. T. T. Lantana was auctioneer.

Following are the names of the purchasers and the prices paid:

Navy Island.

Lot 1, 2 and 7—J. Fred Belyea, \$8,480.00

4—A. Lamoreaux, 5.00

5—A. Lamoreaux, 801.00

6—H. Sloan, 8.00

8—J. Fred Belyea, 1,096.00

9—William Harmed, 442.00

10, 11—H. Sloan, 12.00

\$8,176.00

West Side Shore.

1 to 5—J. A. Stackhouse, 95

6—A. Craft, 250.00

7—J. McCallum, 481.00

8 and 9—Charles Irvine, 280.00

10 to 12—Charles Irvine, 14.80

30—Robert Irvine, 1,840.00

\$2,885.45

Courtenay Bay.

A 100 and B 100—J. Fred Belyea, \$4,051.00

Straight Shore.

1 and 2—Joseph Vall, 10

3—A. O. H. Wilson, 20

4 to 14—J. D. Dryden, 4,550

15 and 16—W. A. Spence, 6.10

17 to 21—J. S. Gregory, 73.25

22—J. S. Gregory, 15

23 to 31—J. S. Gregory, 46.85

\$482.90

Grand total—\$12,644.40.

Following is a table of prices obtained for the past three years:

Navy Island.

1916 1917 1918

1, 2, 7, \$1,781.00 \$8,500.00 \$8,480.00

3, 4, 5, 5.00 150.00 5.00

6, 8, 9, 81.00 100.00 801.00

10, 11, 12, 12.00 28.00 14.80

15, 16, 17, 1,004.00 1,187.00 1,936.00

18, 19, 20, 320.00 410.00 442.00

21, 22, 23, 5.00 46.10 12.00

\$8,638.00 \$8,097.10 \$6,176.00

West Side Shore.

1 to 5, 95 250 481

6 to 14, 4,550 280 14.80

15 and 16, 6.10 73.25 15

17 to 21, 46.85 1,840 46.85

22, 31, 20 45 46.85

\$2,885.45 \$4,051.00 \$12,644.40

Grand total, \$8,515.90 \$8,814.75 \$12,644.40

**RECENT DEATHS**

Mrs. Annie Johnston.

The death of Mrs. Annie Johnston, widow of Ezekiel Johnston of Upper Lech, occurred on Monday evening in the St. John Infirmary, after a brief illness. One of the most widely known women in St. John city and county, the number of those who called her friend was limited only by the count of those who enjoyed her acquaintance and news of her death brought many expressions of regret.

Mrs. Johnston was very popular, and had innumerable friends both in this city and throughout the New England States, who had spent many pleasant hours at her well known house, Johnston's Hotel. Personal friends were numerous, and general regret will be felt at the passing of this worthy woman. Of kindly manner, sunny ways and charitable disposition, she endeavored herself to all by whom she was known.

She is survived by five sons and two daughters. The sons are Ezekiel K. of Salmon Arm (B. C.); James H. of Sioux Lookout (Ont.); Crawford R. Guy P. and Roy G. of Upper Lech, Leonard. The daughters are Mrs. Fred C. Cairns and Mrs. George T. McCafferty, of this city. One sister, Mrs. A. C. Geer, also survives.

Mrs. Johnston was Miss Annie Brydson before her marriage, and she and her husband were the only surviving members of a large family of boys and girls. The funeral will be held from her home, Upper Loch Lomond, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Coaches will leave the residence of her daughter, Mrs. George T. McCafferty, 27 Richmond street, at 10 o'clock Thursday morning. Services will be held at her home starting at 2.30.

Mrs. Margaret Cook.

The death of Mrs. Margaret Cook occurred Sunday night at her residence, 24 Winslow street, West St. John. She was sixty years old and leaves three sons, Simon, in England; John, a member of a battalion now in France, and Thomas of this city. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon from her late residence.

Dennis Daley.

Death came suddenly on Monday afternoon to Dennis Daley, a well known and respected resident of 82 Brussels street. He had not been in the best of health for some time, but was about the house as usual on Monday, but was taken suddenly ill during the afternoon and passed away within a few hours. The late Mr. Daley was employed with the Intercolonial Railway for many years, but retired from the service about five years ago. He is survived by his widow and two daughters, Mrs. G. Gamack, of New York, and Mrs. W. G. Hammond, of this city. The funeral will take place on Thursday morning at 8.45 from his late residence, 82 Brussels street, to the cathedral, where requiem mass will be celebrated.

Harry C. Green, aged 100 years, is dead, according to word received from Summerside.

The death of James A. Seely, aged eighty-six years, formerly of St. John,

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The purchase of a good quality Down Quilt or Blanket is money well invested, as they will remain for years a source of comfort and satisfaction.

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Nap Blankets, \$4.00 to \$6.50

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All-Wool Blankets, \$12.25 to \$16.50 pair

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Change Your Manners if You Want it to Last, Says Le Soleil

Le Soleil of Quebec says: "We have practiced conciliation since Confederation. We have practiced it alone, however, to our detriment. To be duped has become a trade with us, for in our sincerity we have become the plaything of intransigent fakers. The hour is past when we can be made dupes of any longer. You have created a bloc against Quebec, but, contrary to your expectation, a French-Canadian bloc has also been created. This bloc exists, it required time to create it, and many exasperations to cement it, but it is solid and will endure."

The verdict of Quebec as returned on Monday last merits the admiration of all because our competitors, in spite of many provocations, have given proof of wonderful wisdom. Not only did they sweep public life of all those individuals who by the favor of the Nationalists in 1911 had deceived them, not only did they brush away all the candidates who represented the extremist point of view, viz., non-participation, but also in the case of Quebec, South and in Sherbrooke the French-Canadians elected English or Irish members with the same patriotic spirit, supporting one of their own divisions candidates of their own race.

"And now, my lords, we are at your disposition. We will not change a hair to give you pleasure, for this is the imperative of the vote of Monday. If we are in the way, and if our opinions are contrary to your aspirations, it is for you to say so. We have not enough of Canadian confederation, which is nothing but an imperial federation. If you wish the confederation to last you will have to change your manners, as we are no longer disposed to endure your impertinence, your political conspiracies, and much less your persecutions."

published, promptly, accurately, and continuously, up-to-date information as to the train and ferry schedule, ice conditions, the probable time occupied by the journey, and such other facts as the uncertainty of the services renders pertinent and important. This department of the work has long been conducted with a callous disregard of public opinion and public rights. The public will put up with anything, or almost that, for a time; but there is a limit.

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WOMEN VOTERS OPEN MANY EYES

Astonishment at Their Enthusiasm and Persistence—Learned Lessons Well

(Toronto Globe.) Did the women's vote last Monday carry any special significance that might serve as an index of what may be expected in future political contests in this country? There are many commonplace remarks that one will hear, such as "the women did it," but the real inwardness of the situation will have to be understood before any sound deductions can be made.

It was an historic occasion; one in which considerations of national honor and personal kinship outweighed all others. For that reason the women voted as they might never do again except under similar circumstances, and when the overseas ballots are counted and the grand total is known it will be seen that the women at home and the soldiers abroad voted in absolute alignment in support of the cause for which Canada has given so many of her sons.

Taking the experience of handling the women vote on election day, a few observations should be made. The first is that the women whose names were on the list of voters took care to exercise their franchise. There was no indifference; they trudged through slush and

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Have the Right Spirit. There are many people yet who do not believe in the enfranchisement of women. The writer of these lines still thinks there are fundamental objections to drawing them into the vortex of politics. But it must be admitted that the experience of last Monday proves that in the future they will not willingly be the tools of designing politicians. Liberty and democracy are interchangeable terms and it is to remedy the evils of liberty there should be more liberty, so the extension of the franchise to women should have the effect of raising the standard of public service and a more satisfactory performance on the part of those that we send to represent us in parliament.

WAR AND ALCOHOL. To the Editor of The Times: Sir—A great cry has gone up from the liquor people against prohibition, because alcohol is necessary for national purposes. But it is necessary to sell it for beverage purposes, and continue the work of drunken-making in the name of the government. We think not.

No one would say that we should curtail our supply of beer in order to increase our supply of beverages. As a local anaesthetic and for a multitude of

snow, and in many polling subdivisions the women were not only the first to vote, but practically the entire vote of the female sex was registered during the morning hours. In only a few cases was it necessary to use persuasion to have them come out, and while voluntary conveyances were employed to a considerable extent, this did not deter thousands from walking to the polls where no appointments for a car to call had been made.

Keen to Cast Ballot. On the other hand, and old election workers know this, that many men, unless they were keen partisans, made no particular effort to vote, and if they found they were not on the list dismissed the obligation to vote as of little consequence. But it was not so with the women. Time and time again elderly women would inquire at the committee rooms to know why they could not vote. In one case an aged mother travelled some distance home to procure a photograph of a son who had been killed in order to impress upon the returning officer her claim to register a ballot to enforce conscription, a girl working in a factory gave up her whole day in following up an omission by an enumerator and finally succeeded in marking a "tendered" ballot, which, although not contemplated in the act in cities, nevertheless gave her some satisfaction, and another instance is recorded of a woman who left her employment four times in order to exercise her right to vote. She finally succeeded.

As a whole, the women who were entitled to vote were persistent and careful in marking their ballots. What little instruction they had received in the practice of marking a ballot was well learned. They knew only one thing—to vote to send reinforcements overseas. In other words, they voted with their hearts and not with their heads. It was not party creed with them. They wanted to be sure that the sacrifices that had been made in the war would not be in vain, and they knew as well that the sooner reinforcements went to the front, the more sustained and vigorous became Canada's effort, the sooner would the war be over and what was left of the Canadian army would return.

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snow, and in many polling subdivisions the women were not only the first to vote, but practically the entire vote of the female sex was registered during the morning hours. In only a few cases was it necessary to use persuasion to have them come out, and while voluntary conveyances were employed to a considerable extent, this did not deter thousands from walking to the polls where no appointments for a car to call had been made.

Keen to Cast Ballot. On the other hand, and old election workers know this, that many men, unless they were keen partisans, made no particular effort to vote, and if they found they were not on the list dismissed the obligation to vote as of little consequence. But it was not so with the women. Time and time again elderly women would inquire at the committee rooms to know why they could not vote. In one case an aged mother travelled some distance home to procure a photograph of a son who had been killed in order to impress upon the returning officer her claim to register a ballot to enforce conscription, a girl working in a factory gave up her whole day in following up an omission by an enumerator and finally succeeded in marking a "tendered" ballot, which, although not contemplated in the act in cities, nevertheless gave her some satisfaction, and another instance is recorded of a woman who left her employment four times in order to exercise her right to vote. She finally succeeded.

As a whole, the women who were entitled to vote were persistent and careful in marking their ballots. What little instruction they had received in the practice of marking a ballot was well learned. They knew only one thing—to vote to send reinforcements overseas. In other words, they voted with their hearts and not with their heads. It was not party creed with them. They wanted to be sure that the sacrifices that had been made in the war would not be in vain, and they knew as well that the sooner reinforcements went to the front, the more sustained and vigorous became Canada's effort, the sooner would the war be over and what was left of the Canadian army would return.

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OUTWITTED GUARDS AND MADE ESCAPE

Pte. Horace McArthur Tells of Thrilling Adventures in Escaping From Germany

One of the most thrilling stories that has ever been told by a Canadian soldier who escaped from Germany, was that of Pte. Horace H. McArthur, who of the original 15th Toronto Highlanders, was returned from the front recently.

He is a son of Rev. J. H. McArthur, pastor of the Methodist church, Niagara-on-the-Lake. For a lad of just twenty, Pte. McArthur lived through one of the greatest adventures that has fallen to the lot of few men in the world. If the story could be printed of what McArthur told a Toronto Star reporter it would sound like fiction, yet it was all true and is withheld in part at the request of the soldier lad, because it would make it difficult for other Canadians and allied prisoners in German camps to make their escape if the methods and schemes used in getting out of Germany were made known. It was for this reason that Pte. McArthur asked the reporter not to tell the whole story. In relating how he escaped one could not but feel proud of the lad who an enemy in a foreign country managed to outwit by excellent generalship German guards and beat his way through hostile country into Holland.

Made Two Attempts. Twice he made an attempt to get away. The first time he was caught as he was rowing in a boat across the Rhine and sentenced to four months of close confinement in a dark cell on a bread and water diet. This punishment and the threat of death did not daunt the young soldier, and on the night of September 20 of this year, in company with two Canadians, two Australians and one South African soldier, he made his escape. The six slipped out of Düsseldorf, but only one other Canadian and the South African soldier managed to get away. Pte. McArthur says he did not know what happened to the other three.

Used Desperate Measures. In this escape Pte. McArthur used all the resources, nerve and daring that a man could command. He escaped from a camp of 1000 men in a boat, then he got out, walked seventy miles to Dutch borders and crossed into Holland. He at times had to resort to desperate measures to gain his freedom.

McArthur left his home in Erin and enlisted with the 48th Highlanders in Toronto, and was captured at St. Julien in April, 1915. He was gassed and lost consciousness, being picked up by the Germans. He was taken to a hospital and was the first victim of German doctors as an "experiment" of the effects of the gas. He was operated on, and the experiment was successful. Then he was sent to Senlager prison camp, where he stayed till August. He was then removed to a hospital. Then he had to go into the hospital for treatment. After coming out of the hospital he was sent to a camp and where he stayed till February, 1917. Then he was removed to being taken now looking to a more thorough harmonizing of effort.

"What the attitude of the premier?" Mr. Spence was asked. "Personally, sympathetic," he said, "but he is either not brave enough or not strong enough, to put this thing through. While he talks sympathetically he acts not at all."

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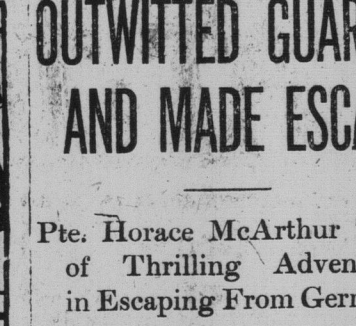
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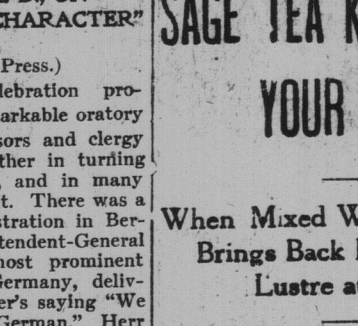
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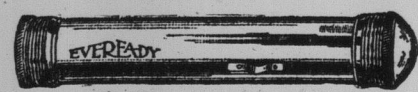
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LOCAL NEWS

CONFETTI DANCE. A most successful and enjoyable confetti dance was held on Monday evening at Mrs. Gilbert D. Davidson's studio, 124 Germain street. About 100 young men and women were in attendance and thoroughly enjoyed the event. The entire programme was dancing the old year out and the new year in.

ARTHUR M. SANCTON. Many learned with regret that Arthur M. Sancton had passed away. He died about nine o'clock on Monday night, the last day of the old year, at his home, 28 St. James street. For several months he had been ill and had bravely faced the trials of sickness and death. Mr. Sancton was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sancton. Besides his parents, he is survived by his wife, who was Elizabeth Colley, daughter of T. R. Colley of East St. John, a little son, Osborne, and three brothers, Dr. Gordon Sancton and Norman Sancton of St. John and Dr. Harry Sancton of New York. Many will deeply sympathize with the bereaved ones in the loss of a young man of fine character. The funeral will be held from his late residence at half past two o'clock tomorrow afternoon at St. John the Baptist church, Broad street.

TREAT FOR BOYS AT SILVER FALLS

The annual treat for the boys at St. Patrick's Industrial School, Silver Falls, was given yesterday by the Society of the Immaculate Conception. The boys were treated at the home to a Christmas missus tree. Among the guests present were His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc, Rev. A. J. O'Neill of Silver Falls, and Rev. Father Moore of the Cathedral, and Rev. Father Costello of St. Peter's. The building was nicely decorated and the Sisters were heartily congratulated on the neatness and general condition of the institution. Fred Wisted, speaking on behalf of the boys, read an address of welcome to the guests after which a Christmas play was introduced. It was entitled "Holy Night" and pictured the Christmas spirit.

NO NEW BRUNSWICK MEN IN TODAY'S LIST

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—Today's list of 114 candidates reports 11 Canadian killed in action, two dead, four died of wounds, fifteen wounded and missing and nine missing. The balance are wounded, gassed or ill. The list of maritime province men follows:—

INFANTRY.

Wounded and Missing. A. R. Brown, Sydney River, N. S. G. Dodsworth, Fido Mollie, N. S. Missing. Corporal A. T. Mahoney, Halifax. Seriously ill. L. V. Robertson, Shelburne, N. S.

SOLDIERS AND NURSES FROM HERE SAFE IN ENGLAND

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—It is officially announced through the Canadian censor's office that the following troops have arrived safely in England: Canadian officers training in Canada for army commission, Royal Flying Corps, officers; draft Yorkshire Regiment from Bermuda; drafts, Artillery, horse, siege and field from St. John, N. B., Montreal, Ontario, Saskatchewan and British Columbia; mail carriers from Ottawa; Forestry from Montreal, Lévis, Toronto, Winnipeg and Prince Albert; Medical Corps from Ontario; Canadian nursing sisters and V. A. D. nurses from Toronto; Newfoundland troops, imperial recruits, details.

ARCHIBALD BASKIN OF SUSSEX DEAD

Sussex, N. B., Jan. 2.—Archibald Baskin, a much respected resident of Sussex, passed away at his home here after an illness of three months. Mr. Baskin, who was sixty years of age, was well known by business men throughout the province, having been a life long employe of J. S. Prescott & Sons, of Goose Creek. He is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. H. K. Bartsch, and two brothers, John and William. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon from his late residence, Maple avenue, at three o'clock.

CANADIAN OFFICERS IN NEW YEAR'S HONORS

London, Jan. 2.—Canada is prominently represented in the list of New Year's honors. The majority of the awards are for war services of various kinds. Three Canadian major generals are raised to the dignity of Knights Commander of the Bath, one brigadier major, Gen. David Watson, of the Quebec Chronicle, who is given this honor at a single step from commander-in-chief, while the other two are major generals, Sir Arthur Currie, Vancouver, and Major General Sir Richard Turner, V. C. Quebec, both of whom were knighted in 1917, and who now are given the higher honor. Five other Canadian major generals, Herbert Unicke, Philip Twining, William Henckars, Louis Lapace and E. W. B. Morrison—are made commanders of the Bath. Of the five, the first three named are in the imperial service. Winnipeg, Jan. 1.—Word has been received here of the promotion to a brigadier-general of Lieut. Col. Harold P. MacDonald, D. S. O., C. M. G., chief of staff to General Sir Richard Turner, V. C., commander of Canadian forces in Great Britain. London, Dec. 31, via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.—Knighthoods have been conferred upon Professor Andrew MacPhail, Montreal, formerly of Prince Edward Island; Major-General Donald Alexander MacDonald, Admiral Kingsmill, of Ottawa, and William Gage, of Toronto.

TWO KILLED IN EXPLOSION IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Napaimo, B. C., Jan. 2.—Two men were killed when one of the units at the Giant Power Company's works at Nansooke Bay was destroyed by an explosion yesterday. All the buildings in connection with the works were somewhat damaged.

SAYS HE LOST \$665 AT CHINESE GAMING TABLE

Waiter Chief Witness in Case in Police Court — Plea of Not Guilty Changed

After first pleading not guilty, twenty-four Chinese in court this morning, charged with gambling, all admitted breaking the law. Magistrate Ritchie stated that they would be fined \$15 each, although judgment was deferred until Tuesday at 2 o'clock.

James Tom, waiter in the Sanitary Cafe, was the chief witness. He testified as to the fact of the gambling house at 128 Mill street and said that Lim King was the proprietor. He said he had lost \$665 there in two weeks. He added that twenty-five per cent of all the winnings were paid to the manager, Lim King. He said that men played there on Saturday, Sunday and Monday night from supper time until 2 or 3 o'clock in the morning.

Detectives Duncan and Briggs testified as to raiding the place and finding the prisoners gambling there. Paraphernalia was put in evidence. Edmund Ritchie conducted the case for the defense.

UNDER THE M. S. ACT

Status of Qualified Lieutenants in The Militia of Canada.

That qualified lieutenants in the militia of Canada will not have to report for service under the military service act was information received from Ottawa at the office of military headquarters this morning.

Some time ago was published an order to the effect that all lieutenants in the militia, liable under the act, would have to report for service the same as civilians. This apparently has been modified.

A lieutenant in the militia can report for service but will require his commission and will have to serve as a private. His rank, and seniority, however, in the militia will be retained. On his not wishing to serve in the C. E. F. as a private, he will be given conditional leave without pay until such time as his services as an officer are required. This order does not affect unqualified lieutenants, as they are liable under the act the same as civilians.

Some time ago the militia department asked all the commanding officers of the various militia units throughout Canada to submit a report on the number of officers on the strength of their unit, also to name the officers who were unqualified. Ottawa on receiving this report set to work striking off the strength of the unqualified officers.

The way the order now stands is that qualified lieutenants will not have to serve under the military service act as privates, unless they so desire.

Practically all the militia officers in this city who were liable under the act have tried on many occasions to get overseas in the capacity of lieutenants but were unable to score.

AN IRISH NIGHT AT BOYS' CLUB

Picture Talk by H. S. Culver — Motto Presented—Address by Mayor Hayes.—Treat for the Boys

A little bit of Ireland was delightfully presented at the Boys' Club last evening by H. S. Culver, American Consul, who is also a member of the executive of the Playgrounds Association. Mr. Culver was stationed in Cork four years, and collected a fine lot of pictures of towers, thatched cottages, Killarney scenes, and other glimpses of Irish life. These were thrown upon the screen last evening by a powerful light operated by C. G. Fiewelling, and as Mr. Culver described them in an interesting way, Mrs. A. J. Mulcahy, behind the screen, played a soft melody of Irish airs.

After the pictures were shown, Mrs. Culver had ceased, A. M. Belding told the boys about the famine years in Ireland, and coming of refugees to St. John, where so many of the fever victims were buried from the ships. A show of lands revealed the fact that quite a number of the boys were of Irish descent.

Before the pictures were shown, Hon. R. J. Ritchie, who had another engagement, briefly addressed the ninety or more boys present, wished them a happy New Year, gave them good counsel, and presented them with a framed motto for Mill street of the club, kindly sent him by Mrs. Joseph Seymour for that purpose.

Mayor Hayes addressed the boys, referring to Ireland and the brighter days in store for her people, and wishing the boys a very happy New Year.

The boys were treated to cake and ice cream cones and as they filed out each one was presented with a bag of fruit and confectionery. They were warmly congratulated upon their excellent behavior. The committee in charge were delighted with the large number of boys present. Members of the playgrounds executive present were Mrs. W. C. Good, Mrs. H. C. Groves, Mrs. J. H. Duddy, Mrs. A. J. Mulcahy, Mrs. A. M. Belding, Mrs. J. E. Secord, Mrs. A. C. D. Wilson, Mayor Hayes, H. S. Culver, Hon. R. J. Ritchie, R. E. Armstrong, A. M. Belding.

There were also present Miss Poole of Manchester, Eng.; Mrs. H. S. Culver, Capt. Kane and Rev. J. H. A. Anderson.

FUNERALS YESTERDAY.

The funeral of Mary J. Morton was held yesterday afternoon from St. Paul's church, Rothersey. Service was conducted by Canon Daniel and interment was made in Fernhill.

The funeral of Miss Edith Short took place yesterday from her parents' residence, Crown street. Service was conducted by Rev. G. A. Kuhring and interment was made in Fernhill.

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