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SUFFERINGS OF HUNGRY GERMANY ARE REVEALED IN LETTERS FOUND ON SOLDIERS

Shortage of Food, and Riots By The People SHOPS ARE LOOTED

Discussions of Hearts of Those at Home to the Men at the Front Show Strong Reasons for the Peace Move by Germans

New York, Jan. 10.—The Sun publishes the following: London.—The correspondent of the Times is able to present letters of guarantee taken from German officers captured on the Somme within last two weeks, revealing the actual distress in Germany brought about by the shortage of food...

EXPECTS TO SEE A BLOW STRUCK AT THE RUSSIANS

Main Objective of Von Hindenburg This Year EARLY ATTACK ON ITALY

London, Jan. 10.—The military experts of the Times, discussing Germany's probable plans in the near future, express the opinion that Von Hindenburg may attempt a blow against Italy before the spring finds all his opponents prepared to meet him with their full strength.

FERRY DEPT. WILL NEED \$1,500 MORE FOR THIS YEAR

Estimates Presented to Council This Morning DEFICIT OF \$16,000 FOR 1916

The ferry department estimates for 1917, presented by Commissioner Russell to the common council this morning, shows a large increase over last year's figures. The total estimated expenditures of \$1,025,000 over an estimated revenue of \$865,000 leaves a deficit of \$160,000 for 1917.

LIEUT. H. M. TEED KILLED IN FRANCE

Sad News Comes to Father, M. G. Teed, K. C.

M. G. Teed, K. C., received a telegram from Ottawa this morning notifying him of the death of his son, Lieut. H. M. Teed, in France. The telegram gave no particulars except the fact that he had been accidentally killed on Jan. 7. He was a bombing officer in the 2nd battalion of the British lines, and was due to a premature explosion.

Russian Drive in Riga Region Is Developing Into Big Movement

Questions Value Of The New Assessment Act

Report of Committee of Board of Trade Council SOME FEATURES APPROVED But Conclusion Is That City Would Fare Better With Fewer Changes Placing Less Responsibility on Assessors—Take Exception to Several of the Features

THOS. KICKHAM DEAD

Prominent in Many Activities in St. John

Death Came This Morning After Illness of Some Time—A Worthy Citizen Whose Passing Many Will Mourn

London, Jan. 10.—The anxiety which the operations along the Sereth River in Roumania are being watched here is being partly balanced by hopeful interest in the activities in the Riga Mita region of Russia. Here, according to Petrograd accounts, the Russians are taking advantage of the frost, which has made possible a movement on the vast Tauri Marshes, and it is making substantial progress.

Western Front. Paris, Jan. 10.—There were no important developments on the Western front last night. Berlin, Jan. 10.—Rain has interfered with activities on the Franco-Belgian front. Only on the Ancre were there lively artillery duels. In Greece. London, Jan. 10.—The Greek council of ministers favours acceptance of the terms of the allies' ultimatum, according to an Athens despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

LOOK AHEAD TO THE DAY OF PEACE

CITY CORNET BAND AT FUNERAL

The City Cornet Band was called out on a solemn occasion this morning when they attended in full uniform the funeral of an esteemed and valued member, Michael F. Kelly. At 9 o'clock the funeral left the house of Mr. Kelly's uncle, Patrick McNeill, in the St. John's street, and proceeded to the church, where the band played the Adagio. The long list of mourners testified to the popularity and esteem in which Mr. Kelly was held by his community.

LORD SHAUGHNESSY DENIES IT

Montreal, Jan. 10.—Lord Shaughnessy, when shown a despatch in the Chicago Herald, in which it was stated he was the man who had been chosen to settle the Irish question, and also that he was to occupy a position in the British cabinet, remarked: "These are the creations of a very brilliant newspaper imagination."

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

WANOLA TOTAL LOSS

The schooner Wanola, which recently grounded in the vicinity of Point Albert, has been given up for a total loss according to the latest information received by her owner, J. Willard Smith. The schooner has been stripped and about twenty-five tons of coal removed from her.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

WHEAT MARKET

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Opening prices, which ranged from the same as yesterday, are as follows: Wheat, No. 1, 1.06 1/2; No. 2, 1.05 1/2; No. 3, 1.04 1/2; No. 4, 1.03 1/2; No. 5, 1.02 1/2.

J. E. CAMPBELL OF ST. JOHN BELIEVED KILLED

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—Casualties: Previously Reported Missing, now Believed Killed: J. E. Campbell, St. John, N. B. Seriously Injured. G. W. Parks, Baie Verte, N. B.

THAW, AGAIN IN THE NEWS EYE, SAID TO BE AT HOME IN PITTSBURGH

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 10.—Harry K. Thaw, indicted in New York yesterday for kidnaping and assault of Frederick Gump, Jr., Kansas City, was believed early today to be at the law house in Beechwood boulevard this city.

TO GET HUSBAND'S MILLIONS

New York, Jan. 10.—Mrs. Lucy Arnold Whitridge, daughter of Matthew Arnold, British poet and essayist, is the sole heir of the estate of her husband, Frederick W. Whitridge, railroad lawyer and political economist. The will disposing of property said to be well into the millions was filed probably this week. Mr. Whitridge, who was president of the Third Avenue Railway, died here recently.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service. Synopsis—A trough of low pressure, accompanied by local snow falls, extends from the Great Lakes to the maritime provinces, and decidedly colder weather is setting in over Ontario and Quebec. The temperature in the latter section very low in Manitoba, but is moderate farther west.

HALIFAX HAS SERIOUS FIRE

THINKS PROHIBITION IS DEBATED IN B. C.

Vancouver, Jan. 10.—Declaring that the feelings of British Columbia regarding prohibition are strongly against prohibition, and that a large vote was cast against the proposed measure in the referendum, an advisory council for the official anti-prohibition organization, expressed the opinion today that the bill would be rejected by a small majority. He has just returned from England.

THE LATE THOS. KICKHAM

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QUEBEC HAS SERIOUS FIRE

Quebec, Jan. 10.—Fire this morning in the warehouse of J. B. Renaud & Co., crockery dealers, caused more than \$125,000 damages to that firm, also to A. J. Turcotte & Sons, wine dealers, in the lower town warehouse and wholesale district.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

VIVIAN MARTIN AT THE STAR TODAY
The Return of a Great Play—This Time in Pictures



At the Star Theatre tonight and tomorrow night a picture of rare interest will be shown. It is "Merely Mary Ann." This production was played here some time ago, on the stage, and no doubt will prove as popular in pictures.

Persons intending to patronize the Imperial Theatre tonight when Gertrude Farrar, grand opera prima donna, will be seen in the Spanish peasant drama "María Rosa" are advised to make their reservations by telephone as early as possible and also to be on hand promptly to insure seating.

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Final chapter of "Shining Shadow"; first episode Purple Mask, shown at unique last time tonight. Don't miss either.

ONE OF BEST YET! BIG SHOW AT GEM TONIGHT

With two striking motion picture taking five reels in all, and with two of the best vaudeville acts yet presented, the Gem invites you to come tonight and enjoy this all new programme.

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS 50c.

DEATHS
SMITH—On January 10, Edward Smith of Milford, aged 18 years, leaving wife, three sons and five daughters to mourn.

IN MEMORIAM
PARKER—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Bayard W. Parker, who passed away on January 10, 1916.

LOCAL NEWS

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
The fire Friday morning damaged the stock of D. Basson, 14-16-18 Charlotte street, but he is now giving bargains as usual in all departments.

"SHAKESPEAREAN EVENING"
Shakespearean Evening, given at the Natural History Society, will be repeated Monday, at 8 p.m., St. Stephen's church school-room. Admission 25c.

SPECIAL NOTICE
Buy your overcoats at special cut prices for this week only at C. J. Basson, corner Union and Sydney, 1-11.

Do all your shopping at D. Basson's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street. The manager has a portion of stock, but you can now get your bargains as before the fire.

Buy your boots, shoes, rubbers, pants, overalls, shirts, socks, gloves, and caps at C. J. Basson's, corner Union and Sydney, where values are always good. 1-11.

TWILIGHT RECITAL AT German street Baptist church Saturday afternoon at 4.30. 53144-1-12.

HUNTS ARE SHOWING SOME GREAT BARGAINS IN CUSHIONED SUITS
Regular \$25 and \$28 suits, to order, \$20; regular \$26 and \$30 suits, to order, \$22.50; regular \$30 and \$32 suits, to order, \$25. Best of trimmings used and workmanship guaranteed. Let us show you these bargains today—Hunt's Tailor Shop, 17-19 Charlotte street.

SAILORS' CONCERT
Seaman's Institute Thursday evening, January 11, at 8. Admission 10 cents.

SOCKS FOR THE TRENCHES NEEDED BY SOLDIERS' COMFORT ASSOCIATION
A special appeal for socks was made by the S. C. A. during the first week of 1917, but owing to the urgent call and letters of appreciation received from the boys in France we desire the public to know that another and more important call for socks will take place to the balance of January. 1-11.

The Russian war sufferers need your help badly. Send donations to Mrs. Grossweiner, 74 Summer street.

For boots, shoes, rubbers and moosehide, C. J. Basson, corner Union and Sydney. Special prices for this week only. 1-11.

FIRE NOTICE
Although D. Basson, 14-16-18 Charlotte street, had a portion of his stock damaged in the fire Friday morning, from water, smoke and rough handling, he is now doing business as usual. Next week's booming sale will take place to move the entire stock to make room for entirely new goods. Look out for full announcement later.

COMMENCING TODAY
Steamers Prince Edward Island and Stanley will make daily trips, except Sunday, between Pictou and Charlottetown, leaving at 7 a.m. 1-11.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect Head
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, Laxative Bromo Quinine can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. There is only one "Bromo Quinine" E. W. GROVER'S signature is on box. 25c.

May Centralize Australian Govt.
Proposal to do Away With the Seven Separate State Parliaments and Save Vast Expense
Sydney, Nov. 30.—For the government of five millions of people in Australia there are seven parliaments, complete with governors and ministers, upper and lower legislatures, and a host of departmental officials and machine-work—multiplication of expense that has been one of the wonders of the empire.

DAUGHTER LIVES HERE
Mrs. Joseph Murray died at her home in Fredericton this morning. She was eighty-one years of age and is survived by two sons—Clarence, of Amesbury, Mass., and George, of Fredericton, also one daughter, Mrs. Golding, of St. John.

Pure Blood Makes Healthy People

Hood's Sarsaparilla surely and effectively removes scrofula, boils and other blood diseases because it drives out of the blood all the humors that cause these diseases. They cannot be successfully treated by any other way.

MAY ADOPT WAIFS AS PLAYMATES FOR HIM

While Finlay Shepard Jr. is Making up His Mind, Two Girls and a Boy Are Visiting Home of Former Helen Gould

New York, Jan. 10.—Little Finlay J. Shepard, Jr., who fourteen months ago shook himself free of the name of John Doe No. 104 and became heir to the former Miss Helen Gould's millions, is unconsciously choosing for himself a boy or a sister with whom he may divide, in later years, his generous heritage.

One little boy and two little girls, all of them waifs and all of them about Finlay Jr.'s age, which is six, are living with the Shepards in the old Gould home at 597 Fifth avenue.

Yet these are visitors who, if Finlay Jr. didn't like them so well, would long since have worn out their welcome. Louis, who is Finlay Jr.'s foster brother, came into the Shepard home nearly a year ago and has remained there ever since that time it was learned yesterday.

Finlay Jr. has had a very interesting life. He has had a very interesting life. He has had a very interesting life.

PERSONALS

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Famous Old Country... 50c. lb.
Famous 5 o'clock... 60c. lb.
Individual 5 o'clock, 2 bags for 5c.

Try This English Tea. You Will Like It!
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LOCAL NEWS

ARRIVED IN ENGLAND
A cable received in Moncton stated that Mrs. George B. Willet, who left there for England to spend two months with her son, had arrived safely.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Hibernian Knights and Divisions No. 1, A.O.H., in their hall in Union street, to make arrangements for the funeral of their deceased brother, Thomas Kichham.

ADDRESSED GIRLS CLUB
Mrs. Burroughs Ham delivered an interesting address on "Thought" before the members of the Girls' Club last evening. The lecture was greatly enjoyed by all present, and Mrs. Ham was tendered a hearty vote of thanks.

DIED IN WOODSTOCK
John E. Hughes of Woodstock is dead, aged 73 years. He went to Woodstock from St. George, Charlotte county, when a young man. He is survived by his widow, one son, Robert, one daughter, Miss Margaret M. Hughes, both of Woodstock and Miss Theresa Hughes, graduate nurse, in a New York hospital.

WIL LRESIDE IN FREDERICTON
Gleaner—Mrs. H. Montgomery Campbell and daughter, Miss Annette, have leased the Balloch house in Waterloo Row, and will reside there for the winter. Mrs. Montgomery Campbell's husband, Lieutenant-Colonel Montgomery Campbell is in command of the 64th Battalion in England.

GIFT OF \$15
On Monday evening before the regular meeting of the European War Veterans' Association, a deputation of ladies from the Sapphire Rebecca Lodge, consisting of Mrs. Josephine T. Woodland, noble grand; Mrs. Fiebe Budge, treasurer, and Miss Jean Rinehart, called to see the committee of the E. W. V. A. and were presented with a check for \$15 for the purchase of a new member's uniform.

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May Bar Shipment of Liquor From Quebec to The Dry Provinces

FERRY DEPARTMENT WILL NEED \$1,500 MORE FOR THIS YEAR

This is the amount virtually required at the end of 1916, which must be assessed for 1917 estimates.

RAIDER SUNK BY BRITISH CRUISER IN ATLANTIC IS REPORT

London, Ont., Jan. 10.—Lieut. Colonel McMullen, commander of the Oxford Battalion, who arrived from England last night, says that a British cruiser had sunk a German raider in the Atlantic.

SACRIFICE MUST NOT HAVE BEEN IN VAIN

London, Jan. 10.—As to the speech of James W. Gerard, American ambassador to Germany, the Daily Express, after paying grateful tribute to Ambassador Gerard's efforts on behalf of British creditors, says:

GIRL ARRESTED
A girl aged 19 years, was arrested late this afternoon by Detectives Barrett and Briggs as a result of a telephone communication from Campbellton. Chief Simpson said this afternoon that he did not know what the charge was.

ACCIDENT
John Jordan, an aged man, was admitted to the general public hospital today at noon suffering from injuries sustained as a result of falling off a team.

SENSATION IN REPLY OF ENTENTE TO WILSON?

Paris, Jan. 10.—Marcel Hutin, newspaper man, says that the reply of the Entente to President Wilson's note will be "ultra-sensational" and that its delivery to the president is imminent.

British Cruiser Not Sunk
Berlin, Jan. 10.—According to the Basler Anzeiger says an Overseas News Agency announcement, "the British armored cruiser Shannon, of 14,800 tons, was sunk in November last through a mine explosion."

New York, Jan. 10.—Arnold Daly, actor, was in a critical condition here this morning after having undergone an operation for appendicitis.

PATRIOTIC CAUSES

"H. M. S. PINAFORE"

A full rehearsal of the opera "Pinafore" will be held on Thursday evening the 11th inst.

RECENT WEDDINGS
Nicholas-Stairs
At the home of Mrs. A. D. Nichol Fredericton, on January 8, 1917, Nicholas of Prince William, 7th son of King George, was united in marriage to Miss Rhoda Stairs of Dumfries.

Carter-Robinson
Announcement is made of the wedding of Miss Doris Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Robinson, formerly of Marysville, and now of St. Stephen, to John E. Carter of St. Stephen. The wedding took place at Oak Bluffs, Charlotte county, a week ago.

CALAIS MINISTER IS VICTIM OF ANTHRAX
Calais, Jan. 10.—Rev. R. A. McDonald, pastor of the Congregational church here, is in the Chipping hospital at St. Stephen, N. B., suffering from anthrax, a disease which he contracted during a visit at Halifax. A ward in the Chipping hospital in which the attending nurse has been isolated.

WILL HAVE TO GO BACK TO THE PENITENTIARY

In the police court this afternoon Donor or Doiran, admitted that he contained in the papers from Ottawa At 2.45 o'clock the magistrate sign his name in the papers for a term of one year in the penitentiary to finish out the balance of his ten year term. See p. 10.

RUSSIAN REFUGEE FUND
One of the local societies which have been doing excellent work for the relief of war sufferers is the local committee of the Russian Refugee Fund, composed of local people born in Russia or whose parents came from that country. It is understood that the charge was that he had obtained money under false pretences and it is also said that she had some home trouble.

ILLUMINATED GUARD POSTS, protecting the zones of safety in the middle of the streets where pedestrians stand to take street cars, have been installed in Oakland, Calif. These posts are three feet high and are made of heavy cast iron to withstand the shock of collisions. A strong grating cap, within which are two powerful electric globes, forms the top of each guard.



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The Church and War Problems

Presbyterians in Conference to Prepare for Conditions When Men Come Home

The problems of the church in connection with the situations arising from the war were considered at meetings held yesterday afternoon and evening in St. Andrew's church under the auspices of the presbytery of St. John.

Professor J. M. Shaw, of the Pine Hill Theological College, Halifax, who had led the conference in the afternoon, was the principal speaker.

Addresses were also given by Rev. Alex. Grant, Major G. G. Corbet and C. B. Allen.

The discussion which followed was participated in by R. M. Magee, George R. Ewing, John B. Magee, Mr. Danby, Alexander Wilson, Charles Robinson, Mr. Murphy and Rev. E. E. Mowatt, of Chipman.

A resolution, moved by Rev. Thomas A. Mitchell of Sussex, and seconded by Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, was adopted as follows:

"Resolved that, realizing the greatness of the special task of the church, created by the war, and the need of being prepared for the after the war situation, this conference endorse the recommendations of the synod's commission, as already issued, and recommend that the presbytery direct its ministers and churches to consider how best they may attain to more effective corporate action for the ends of greater reality and efficiency in the church's worship and work."

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered Professor Shaw for his attendance and his address.

Speech from the Throne Ottawa, Jan. 9.—The address in reply to the speech from the throne, when parliament opens, will, it is understood, be moved by Gordon Wilson, of Wentworth, and seconded by J. A. Descares, of Jacques Cartier.

TALBOT ARROW Form Fit COLLARS are curve cut to fit the shoulders perfectly Cluett, Peabody & Co. Inc. makes

LOCAL NEWS A worthy cause—The Russian war sufferers fund. Give something, little or much, it will all help to relieve the distress. You can buy a good strong well made suit for your boy for \$4 at Turner's, out of the high rent district, 440 Main St.

STEAMERS IN TROUBLE London, Jan. 9.—News has been received by the American consul here to the effect that the American steamer Portland has been abandoned waterlogged in the North Sea and that the crew was rescued by the Danish motor ship Brasilia.

LAONIA RAMMED. New York, Jan. 9.—The Cunarder Laconia, scheduled to leave Liverpool Dec. 31 with passengers and mail for New York, was rammed by a small boat just prior to her time of sailing and damaged to such an extent that she was compelled to abandon the trip, according to passengers booked for the Laconia who arrived here today on the American line steamer St. Paul from Liverpool.

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JAN 10. High Tide... 0.58 Low Tide... 7.21 Sun Rises... 7.37 Sun Sets... 4.89 Time used is Atlantic standard.

W. C. T. U. OFFICERS. Mrs. David Hipwell was re-elected president of the St. John W. C. T. U. at the thirty-ninth annual meeting held yesterday afternoon in Orange hall.

REV. MR. CREED GIVES HIS LIFE. Rev. E. H. Creed, former Methodist pastor at Hampton, Harcourt and Lindsay, who enlisted in the ranks of the 50th Battalion, has died in the king's service.

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LOCAL NEWS A meeting of Valcartier Chapter, I. O. D. E., was held last evening at the residence of Miss Margaret Teed.

LOST She lost confidence in the optician by being mistreated, until she was persuaded by her friends to give US \$14.00.

THE NEW GROCERY (Next Imperial Theatre) KIRKPATRICK and COWAN 22 King Square PHONE M. 3158

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The Evening Times and Star

ST. JOHN, N. B., JANUARY 10, 1917.

The St. John Evening Times is printed at 27 and 29 Cathedral Street every evening (Sunday excepted) by the St. John Times Printing and Publishing Co., a company incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies Act.

IT IS UP TO SIR ROBERT

The Standard says the course to be pursued when parliament meets next week at Ottawa will depend upon the answer to the following question:— "Will the Liberals so conduct themselves as to necessitate a general election, or will they accede to the government's very reasonable and fair proposal for an extension of the life of parliament for at least another year, and thus make it possible for the people to untriedly continue in the prosecution of the great work incidental to Canada's share in the war?"

THE FAMINE SPECTRE

After quoting from German newspapers to prove that the spectre of famine threatens the Central Empires, and that it explains the Kaiser's eagerness for peace, the Bangor Commercial thus sums up the situation:— "The worst feature of the situation in the Central Empires is that there is no promise of relief. It has been clearly demonstrated that the crops of 1916, largely due to the lack of fertilizer, were far from sufficient to maintain the people through to the next harvest. To save themselves from starvation they must depend upon importations. The British blockade has prevented the receipt of supplies from the sea and this has also operated to prevent countries adjacent to Germany and Austria from receiving more food importations than they require for their own use. The Scandinavian countries and the Netherlands are on rations and no help can be received from Bulgaria and Turkey which have no food supplies to spare. Indeed there has been sharp outcry from the Bulgarian and Turkish people that their food supplies have been taken to Austria and Germany. Hungary now refuses to allow any more food to be shipped to Austria. The German government doubtless hoped that they would receive relief from the granaries of Roumania, but it is probably true that slight assistance was received there. The Russo-Roumanian troops retired slowly and had plenty of time to destroy or carry away the food supplies and doubtless did so. Germany, Austria and Hungary are all feeling the pinch of lack of food supplies, but Austria appears to be suffering the most severely at the present time."

THE KAISER'S GUILT

The recent order of the Kaiser to his armies is a singular document. He tells of his offer to enter into peace negotiations, and then says: "Our enemies refused my offer. Their hunger for power desires Germany's destruction. The war will be continued. Before God and humanity I declare that on the government of our enemies alone falls the heavy responsibility for all further terrible sacrifices from which I wished to save you. With justified indignation at our enemies' arrogant crime and with determination to defend our holiest possessions and secure for our Fatherland a happy future, you will become as steel. Our enemies did not want the understandings offered by me. With God's help our arms will enforce it."

YOUTHFUL DEPRAVITY

A telegram came from a North Shore town to the chief of police, asking him to locate a runaway girl of fourteen years. Under ordinary conditions such as existed before there was a Children's Aid Society, this girl would have been sent home and the incident closed. Chief Simpson, however, called in the secretary of the Children's Aid Society, and as a result of the investigation a condition of widespread juvenile depravity was revealed. There should be a Children's Aid Society in every town and village in New Brunswick, all linked up in such a manner as to ensure co-operation and a closer supervision of the boys and girls. The need is being more generally recognized, and a number of the towns are likely to have an organization in the near future. The question of the conservation of child-life deserves far more consideration than it receives at present. The St. John society now has the cases of twelve children, representing half a dozen families practically ready to bring before the court, and there are many others which are not dealt with only because there are not the necessary facilities for prompt action. There is not only an appalling lack of parental care, but there is a degree of juvenile delinquency which should command the thoughtful attention of the people of every portion of the province.

EXHIBITION BUILDINGS

The members of the re-rating committee of New Brunswick board of fire underwriters met yesterday afternoon at the office of the secretary, Peter Clinch, and decided to press that the government build two new chimneys and make a cutoff between the annex containing machinery hall and the main building a section will be removed that two separate buildings will be made out of one.

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ALLIES' Ultimatum to Greece Piraeus, Greece, Jan. 9, 2.45 p. m.—Ministers of the Entente Powers today handed to the Greek government an ultimatum, giving Greece forty-eight hours to comply with the demands contained in the note drawn up by France, Great Britain, and Russia on December 31.

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**ANNUAL MEETING OF  
GERMAIN ST. CHURCH**

Reports presented at the annual meeting of the Germain street Baptist church last night showed that one of the most prosperous years in the history of the church has just concluded. The total receipts from all sources, in the church and the various societies, aggregated \$14,399.48, while the offerings and loose collections during the year were far in excess of any previous twelve-month period, amounting to \$6,481.46. For missionary purposes the sum of \$1,426.71 was raised by the church and about \$1,000 in the various societies, making a total of \$2,426.71. The church clerk, S. E. Fisher, presented a membership report, showing a total membership at the close of the year of 446, an addition of eleven during the year. The report of the Sunday school superintendent, T. H. Belyea, gave an enrollment of 448 pupils, an increase of fifty-seven during the year. The money raised in the Sunday school amounted to \$897. Interesting reports were also presented by the Willing Workers, Ladies' Association, Women's Missionary Aid. The

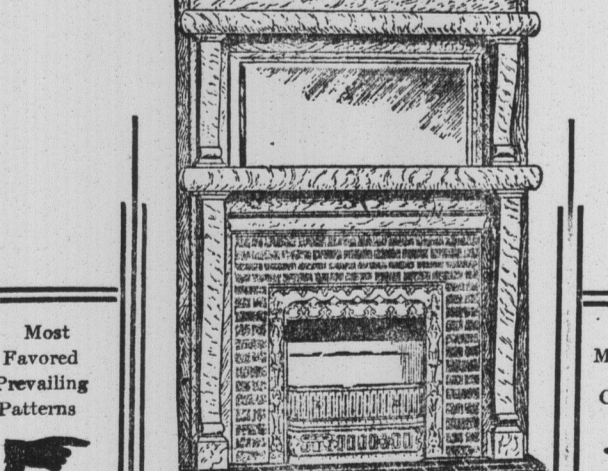
Willing Workers made 978 articles for the Red Cross and 492 for the Soldiers' Comforts, and also gave a cash donation of \$13.97 to the latter. They raised altogether \$332.82. The missionary aid raised \$356. Officers for the year were elected as follows: S. E. Fisher, church clerk; Fred C. Fisher, accountant; W. C. Cross, treasurer; E. L. Rising, treasurer of extension fund; E. L. Rising and W. F. Nobles, pew stewards; C. W. Brown and S. H. Davis, church stewards; W. H. Colwell, R. G. Haley and J. W. Vawter, trustees of the church for three years; finance committee, E. L. Rising, W. C. Cross, F. A. Dyleman, D. Hunt, T. H. Belyea, E. B. Jones, R. N. Dean, W. C. Brown, J. L. Towse, J. W. Vawter, W. F. Nobles, S. E. Fisher, J. H. Marr, W. K. Rising, L. W. Simms, H. S. Bissett, Kenneth Dalton, N. C. Scott, Harry Magnusson, Gerald Parker and J. W. Lewis; ushers, W. F. Nobles, J. H. Marr, W. E. Hoop, G. N. Hatfield, H. L. Smith, Harry Gaster, J. H. Machom, W. K. Haley, Dr. W. P. Bonnell, W. C. Brown, F. A. Dyleman, H. S. Bissett; choir committee, Mrs. W. C. Cross, Mrs. F. E. Holman, L. W. Simms, S. H. Davis; auditors, W. K. Haley and H. W. Rising.

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**QUESTIONS VALUE OF THE  
NEW ASSESSMENT ACT**

(Continued from page 1)  
We quite approve the recommendation (Aa page 26), that the value of all real estate within the city limits shall be annually assessed, whether it is by law exempt or not, and that the amount of exemption shall be set forth in the annual report of the Board of Assessors. Public knowledge of the amount of exemptions and its effect upon the tax rate, would doubtless aid the city authorities in resisting further demands for exemption and in reducing so far as possible the existing amount.

Other recommendations (b) (c) (d) on page 26, relating to railway property, must also, we think, meet with the approval of your committee for this reason. The majority of the Commission (page 16), with reference to special assessment for expenditures concerning the railway. We think, we think, to be commended, though properly left to be provided for by legislation apart from the general assessment law. In short, there seems to be little but what should meet with approval in that portion of the Commission's report relating to real estate and kindred matters, pages 16 to 27.

**Personal Property.**  
Coming to a consideration of the proposals relating to personal property, your committee cannot refrain from expressing a considerable degree of disappointment at the failure of the Commission to find it impracticable to wholly eliminate the most objectionable features of the system now in use, and that in so far as a departure from the present system has been made the measures recommended seem to be inadequate from a revenue-producing point of view, and much more difficult of administration, as admitted in the report (page 8).

While the objections which we have quoted are especially applicable to the taxation of intangible property, they apply with almost equal force to the taxation of stocks and bonds, and other personal property, such as the stocks in trade of merchants and manufacturers. It may be said that in such cases the value of visible property is not quite so important as that of intangible property. While this is true, we are not so sure as you are that the value of visible property is not quite so important as that of intangible property. We are not so sure as you are that the value of visible property is not quite so important as that of intangible property.

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Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula, plainly printed on the fifty-cent cases of Pape's Diapiesin, then you will understand why dyspepsia troubles of all kinds must go, and why it relieves sour, out-of-order stomachs or indigestion in five minutes. Pape's Diapiesin is harmless; tastes like candy, though each dose will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood the food you eat; besides, it makes you go to the table with a healthy appetite; but what will please you most is that you will feel that your stomach and intestines are clean and fresh, and you will not need to resort to laxatives or liver pills for biliousness or constipation.  
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difficult taxes to successfully administer." Again on page 66, referring to the income tax now in force here, the report says: "It has pressed lightly upon those with ability to pay, but has been burdensome to the wage-earner and small-salaried man." It is a realization of this fact—the knowledge that the small-income taxpayer bears a burden out of all proportion to their share of the whole income of the country, that has caused more dissatisfaction than any other feature of the existing law. For this reason, so long as the income tax is retained, we quite agree with the proposal of the commission to increase the amount of exemption on small incomes; and we fully agree with the recommendation that those who are required to give information regarding the earnings of employees should also state their own salaries, and that all other practicable measures should be taken to fully assess the larger incomes.

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APPRECIATION OF LEROY T. BOWES BY REV. B. H. THOMAS
Rev. B. H. Thomas, of Dorchester, contributes to The Moncton Transcript the following appreciation of LeRoy T. Bowes, B.A., B.Sc.

RECENT DEATHS
Isabella, widow of James K. Cother, died yesterday afternoon at the residence of her son, Richard, 178 Union street.

FIND OUT WHAT MAKES US GROW
Berkeley, Cal., Jan. 9.—Scientists at the University of California are said to have discovered the substance that produces growth in the human body.

STRIPPING BELGIUM OF BRASS AND COPPER
London, Jan. 9.—A Reuter despatch from Amsterdam says that the Maas-richt newspaper Les Nouvelles, is authority for the statement that the governor-general of Belgium has issued a decree ordering the seizure of all household goods made of brass, copper, tin, nickel or bronze.

PRICE DICTATION COMMON
Ottawa, Jan. 10.—Prosecutions under the Crothers' legislation are to be undertaken. It is found that the practice under which a wholesaler dictates the prices at which his goods are to be retailed has been a very common one.

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PT. WOOD FINISHES THIRD IN POWDERHILL MARATHON
London, Jan. 8.—The Powderhill Marathon was won for the third year in succession by G. McCrae of Kankook. A special prize for the first soldier finishing was won by Private A. Wood, Canadian, a former old international cross country champion.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS
Fourteen sheep belonging to Messrs. Honeyman, Blairgowrie, were recently found to have been worried, and on the owner going to the field where they were made a strange discovery.

Sallee Signs New Contract

Name of First Major Leaguer on the New Document

Giants Held in Awe—National League Managers Fear a Runaway Race—Baseball News of Interest

Slam Sallee, the elongated left-handed pitcher of the Giants, affixed his signature to a brand new, 1917 model, contract on Saturday.

Whereas the signing of these two Giants does not seem in itself a momentous happening, it is, nevertheless, an indication of just how the wind is blowing among the baseball players of the major leagues on the question of the threatening strike.

The elimination of the disabled list in the National League and the refusal of the players to accept it.

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WHEREIN THE EDITOR WALLOPS THE ELDERS

(Amherst News.) We were brought up on the "Shorter Catechism" and the "Confession of Faith," varied with Fox's "Book of Martyrs," James' "Anxious Inquirer," with John Bunyan's "Pilgrim's Progress."

The Presbyterian church was to us the orthodox church. Its chief corner stone and its foundation was the Scriptures.

NEW PASTOR IN MONCTON PULPIT

Moncton, N. B., Jan. 9.—Rev. Bowley Green, new pastor of the First Moncton Baptist church, preached his inaugural sermon here on Sunday before a large congregation.

DISTRICT LODGE OFFICERS

Officers for St. John District Lodge, L. O. A., were elected and installed last evening.

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Mutt and Jeff—Mutt Simply Talked Himself Out of a Cravat

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ILL HAVE TO GO WITHOUT ANYTHING TO EAT TODAY BUT I'VE GOWN' IN AND BUY MUTT ONE OF THOSE NECKTIES FOR CHRISTMAS.

I KNOW THE MYRIAD OF SMALL, BUT MUTT KNOWS I HAVEN'T OWN MONEY. BUT IT WILL SHOW THAT'S THOUGHT OF HIM AND IT'S CHRISTMAS, SPIRIT THAT COUNTS.

HELLO, JEFF, YOU KNOW I HAVEN'T GOT NOTHING FOR THIS YEAR, LAST YEAR I GAVE HIM A FLECKLY AND DO YOU KNOW WHAT THE OLD CHRISTMAS SPENT ME? A 000 NECKTIE!

CAN YOU IMAGINE ANY GUY WEARING SUCH A WORN OUT CHEESE AS TO GIVE A GUY A NECKTIE FOR CHRISTMAS. I SUPPOSE A GINK CAN HAVE A SWELL TIME WITH A NECKTIE!

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SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY HOME AND ABROAD

BOWLING. Owls and Falcons.  
Excitement ran high in the Y. M. C. I. bowling league last evening when the Owls and the Falcons tied in the third string. It was decided to roll off for the point and the captains were picked. Each man rolled a spare in the first box, but the captain of the Falcons finished the high man. With the exception of the first string the game was very close and some high individual scores were made. The Owls were without the services of one of their men, but the difficulty was overcome by taking the lowest score made by the member of the opposing team. The individual scores were:—  
Owls. Total. Avg.  
Fitzpatrick 102 88 104 294 86  
McGivern 101 91 88 280 88-1-3  
McGuire 86 103 88 272 80-2-3  
Garvin 91 86 84 271 80-2-3  
Dummy 79 88 76 243 81  
459 466 435 1360

MAY PLACE BAN ON CHAMPION SCULLER  
Charged With Being a Games Instructor—May Be Asked to Return Medals

PLANS OF RED SOX AND THE BRAVES  
Contracts Will be Sent to Joe Wood and Ray Collins—Braves May Trade Snodgrass

New York, Jan. 10.—Following charges that Tom Rooney of the Hawthorne Y.C., amateur single sculling champion and the foremost oarsman in America, had jeopardized his amateur standing by being a games instructor in the Bureau of Recreation of the Department of Parks, a prominent official of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen said that Rooney was not the only oarsman who is in danger of having himself declared a professional at the next meeting of the association, to be held at the New York A. C. on March 17.  
Who this second prominent oarsman is who "would walk the plank" as the official in question put it, is not known, for neither the official nor James Pilkington, president of the association, would divulge the name. It is certain, however, that the annual rowing meeting will see some house-cleaning.  
Rooney, according to the records of the Department of Parks, is a gymnasium instructor, and it is said he is stationed at the public playground at 9th avenue and 28th street, Manhattan. Mr. Pilkington said he knew nothing of the case except from newspaper reports, and had never known how Rooney, who won the senior National sculling championship at Duluth last August, when he defeated Jack Kelley of Philadelphia, earned his living.  
Mr. Pilkington added, however, that under the constitution of the association his duty was clear if investigation showed that Rooney was actually a coach of athletes, as his title would indicate. Under the constitution, newspaper reports are sufficient basis on which to begin an investigation.  
Asked whether the N. A. A. O., if Rooney should be found guilty as charged, would compel him to return the medals he won in amateur regattas last summer and relinquish his title, Mr. Pilkington said that might very well follow. He cited the case of Jim Thorpe, whose medals and prizes won at the Olympic games in 1913 were returned to Sweden when it was shown that he had been a professional athlete for a year or more before the Olympic games. Rooney, it is said, has been employed by the city in his present capacity for more than a year.

Boston, Jan. 9.—President Frazee and Manager Barry will get busy right away on the Red Sox contracts, and there is going to be quite a bunch of them, since Barry, Ruth, Shore and Agnew are the only ones who have signed. Every other player under reserve by the club, including Wood and Ray Collins, are to be sent contracts.  
Business Manager Walter Haggood of the Braves has returned from an extended trip through the south, during which he spent several days with Manager Stallings. It is only reasonable to assume that the salary list was discussed and the advice of the manager obtained thereon. With this as a guide a lot of clerical work at Braves headquarters will be on the programme for this week.  
It is said that there is a trade contemplated by the Braves in which Snodgrass of the Boston club and either Becher or "Chief" Wilson of the Cardinals is involved.  
All three are veteran players, and it is quite possible the Boston club may be making an exchange with a view to some other deal in prospect, for it does not seem that such a trade would solve Stallings' outfield problem, except temporarily, if at all.  
If Joe Kelly and Edgar Collins could be developed into reliable regular outfielders it would be an addition of considerable speed and some batting strength, two things that are very much needed, and gaps would be filled up for some time to come. There is nothing slow about Becher, nor Wilson, for that matter, but neither is what is used to be.  
"Dutch" Leonard of the Champion Red Sox may wear a Tiger uniform this year if Hughie Jennings has his way about it," says a Detroit dispatch.  
Why introduce the element of doubt into this startling announcement by saying he "may"? The author might safely bet all the money he has, or ever hopes to have, that if Jennings had his say about it "Dutch" would be right there. Someone else will have a say about it, and so Detroit will have to worry along without him. The Red Sox can make just as good use of him as could the Tigers. Possibly Frazee would entertain a proposition to trade him for Ty Cobb and a few others, though.

DANES WANT TO PLAY U.S. SOCCER TEAM  
New York, Jan. 9.—The Danish football association has requested the United States Soccer Football association to select an all-American squad for a series of games to be played in Denmark in May. The Danes are willing to guarantee \$50,000. It was announced on Monday. The offer was made through Harry Sandager of Pavtucket, R.I., a member of the United States Football Association council, who recently returned from Denmark. The national and international games committee of the association will submit the Danish proposition to the council by mail vote.  
An offer also has been received by the association from Sweden, requesting twenty players, who are adept in baseball as well as soccer, to play in that country next summer.  
After a wait of 51 years W. H. Crawford of Elgin, Ill., a veteran of the civil war, has received a check from the United States government. The order makes good a small sum due him for short pay and an allowance for clothing which he was entitled to when he was mustered out.

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- JACK LONDON wrote his last and best story for Cosmopolitan, "Jerry" is the dandiest dog yarn—and that's saying a mighty lot when one remembers "White Fang" and "The Call of the Wild."
- SAMUEL MERWIN contributes to February Cosmopolitan "The Love Affairs of Henry the Ninth." Was ever puppy-passion treated with such delicate and delicious touch?
- BOOTH TARKINGTON'S Penrod lives exclusively in Cosmopolitan. In the February issue the doings are lively at "Marjorie Jones's Picnic."
- GEORGE ADE kicks in with "The Modern Fable of the Spotlights and the Spotter." There is enough action in this one short fable in slang to keep a whole book going.
- GOUVERNEUR MORRIS, master of the technique of the short story, has written for the February issue "The Place of Disappearing Beauty," one of the best examples of his exquisite art.
- ARTHUR B. REEVE has written one of his best Craig Kennedy stories in a scientific detective yarn called "The Sunken Treasure."
- EDITH MACVANE'S psychological story, "What Would You Have Done in Her Place?" will hold your interest and your heart-strings from first to last.
- ARTHUR TRAIN'S "Moon Maker" will take you back to the days when Jules Verne was your favorite author.
- MAURICE MAETERLINCK is represented with a remarkable essay.
- GERALD STANLEY LEE has packed 200 pages with thought and inspiration.
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- In this one issue of Cosmopolitan all of the following leading illustrators contribute: Harrison Fisher, Howard Chandler Christy, John T. McCutcheon, James Montgomery Flagg, W. D. Stevens, W. T. Benda, John Alonzo Williams, Anton Otto Fischer, Worth Brehm.

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**QUESTIONS VALUE OF THE NEW ASSESSMENT ACT**

(Continued from page 5)

If the foregoing conclusions are anywhere near correct, and we take into account also the commission's estimate of a loss of \$85,000 due to the increased exemption of small incomes, and \$20,000 by exemption of household goods, it seems inevitable that there must be a considerable increase in the tax rate if all the commission's proposals are carried into effect.

While the total amount of revenue collected depends not upon the rate but upon what is required to meet the expenditure, yet a high rate is objectionable for several reasons, and a material increase over two per cent. would doubtless arouse much opposition and add materially to the difficulties of administration.

**Administration**

One of the chief objections to the present law is the difficulty—we might say, impossibility—of its equitable administration, yet the proposed new act, the commission forewarns us, would be much more difficult of administration than the present one "its success or failure depending in large measure upon its efficiency of administration." (See page 8 of report.) It was, we believe, the general hope and anticipation of the community when the commission was appointed, that they would be able to evolve some system that would be simpler, more certain in its results, easier to administer, than the one we have, and it is therefore particularly disappointing to learn that the proposed new law will be more difficult to administer—and as the commission says—"make greater demands upon the assessors" than that now in force.

**Conclusions**

The Board of Trade have heretofore advocated the enactment of a new assessment law in preference to the amendment of the present act. In doing so it had in view, we believe, the desirability of getting completely away, if possible, from the difficulties of administration, the uncertainties and inequalities of the law now in force, though these objectionable features are probably not wholly separable from any system.

Having stated the reasons which to us seem to make it regrettable that the commission was unable to recommend

**LOCAL NEWS**

**SURPRISE PARTY**

Several friends made a surprise visit last evening to Mr. and Mrs. Poyas, of 28 Dorchester street, in honor of their fifteenth wedding anniversary, and presented them with refreshments suitable to the occasion.

**CALL TO REV. GEO. A. ROSS**

At a recent meeting of the quarterly official board of the Methodist church of Bathurst, a unanimous invitation was extended to Rev. Geo. A. Ross of East Florenceville, and formerly of Fairville, to succeed Rev. Mr. Wrightman, whose term will expire next June. Mr. Ross, it is understood, has accepted the invitation, subject to the stationing authorities.

**LETTER FROM DRIVER NASH**

Mrs. T. Nash, 11 Hanover street, has a letter from her husband, Driver Nash, in France, dated Dec. 20. He was then out with his comrades having a few days rest, away from the sound of the guns. He was enjoying it greatly and had received boxes sent to him from home, and hoped soon to see the end of the war. "It will be a great day for us," he says, "when this thing is over and we are back home again—what are left of us."

**FIRST LIFT ON THE STUBBS**

Work of raising the schooner Jennie A. Stubbs, which was recently sunk in Bliss Harbor with a cargo of coal, is progressing favorably according to a message received last evening from Contractor O. Leakey. He said a lift was taken yesterday and everything was working nicely. If all goes well he expects to have operations concluded by the end of the week. The tug G. K. King, which towed the wrecking apparatus to Bliss Harbor, returned to port yesterday.

**CLOSE FINISH IN THIS TWO MEN LEAGUE RACE**

Four Teams Rolled Last Evening—Some High Scores Made—Leaders for The Last Week

In the Two Men League four teams were in competition on the Victoria alleys last evening. Smith and Colgan, winners of last series, succeeded in coming out on top in last night's match. It was one of the best games yet played, only a few pins separating the three leading teams. Many good scores were made. R. Colgan making the high average of 100-1-3. The game was watched by many interested spectators. Following is the result:

Smith	89	87	88	279	83
D. Colgan	102	93	88	288	94
	201	180	181	562	
R. Colgan	109	108	84	301	100-1-3
Hutchinson	87	86	78	251	82-3
	196	194	162	552	
Kane	110	77	101	278	92-3
Chisholm	84	80	97	261	87
	194	157	198	549	
Howard	70	78	88	236	78-2-3
Jordan	74	94	88	261	87
	144	172	171	487	

Prize winners last week—Wednesday, Pheneay, 151; Thursday, McMichael, 135; Friday, McMichael, 119; Saturday, Myles-McCurdy, (tie), 115; Monday, Melanson, 118; Tuesday, McIlveen, 120.

**POLICE LOOKING FOR GEORGE MAHONEY**

George Mahoney, whose young daughter was committed to the Children's Society on Dec. 28, and who was then warned by Chief Justice McKeown to take care of his two boys, then in the Municipal Home, failed to profit by the advice, and yesterday the society took the boys. Mahoney enlisted in the west with the 3rd Pioneers, with whom he went overseas. He has been in France since October, 1915.

**BELL SENT UP FOR TRIAL**

In the police court this morning one prisoner was fined \$8 or two months in jail for drunkenness. Fred Bell, known as "Spider," was sent up for trial on the charge of theft of hides from the St. John Hide Company, Dorchester street extension. Detectives Barrett and Duncan said that they received a call from Richard Arscott, manager of the company. When they arrived Bell was lying dead. Mr. Arscott testified that when he was returning after dinner yesterday he saw Bell running across the street with a fifty pound hide. Upon investigation he found that Bell had taken the hide and he telephoned the police. He found the hide in a house across from the company's office. The court sent Bell up to stand trial.

**NOTE ON Income Tax**

"In general there is not perhaps any article of expense or consumption by which the liberality or meanness of a man's whole expense can be better judged of than his house rent. . . . A tax upon house rents, therefore, would fall heavily upon the rich, and in this sort of inequality there would not perhaps be anything very unreasonable."—Adam Smith, "Wealth of Nations."

"No part of a man's personal expenditure is a better criterion of his means, or bears out the whole more nearly the same proportion to them. A house tax is a nearer approach to a fairer income tax than a direct tax on income can easily be; having the great advantage that it makes spontaneously all the allowances which it is so difficult to make, and so impractical to make exactly, in assessing an income tax; for if what a person pays in house rent is a test of anything, it is a test not of what he possesses, but of what he thinks he can afford to spend."—J. Stuart Mill, "Principles of Political Economy."

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T. H. ESTABROOKS.

**SAY MAN WHO BROKE INTO CATHEDRAL IS OLD HAND AT GAME**

Dominion Police Report on Finger Prints of Local Prisoner

Correspond, They Say, With Those of Doran or Doiron, Sentenced by Judge Landry Some Years Ago But Released on Parole

When Frank Doran, or Doiron, as he may turn out to be, was arrested by the local police on a charge of breaking and entering the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Waterloo street, they did not know that they took into custody a man who is said to have a record in police circles in another part of the province, and who was out on parole, having been sentenced to three years in the Dorchester penitentiary for burglary committed in Bathurst a few years ago.

Following his arrest here, his finger prints and photograph were sent to Ottawa. This morning Chief Simpson received a letter from the head of the Dominion police saying that the finger prints were identical with those of Doran, or as his name is called in a newspaper named in the Times when he was first arrested here; a photograph was also sent and it is said to be identical with the one taken by the police officials here.

In 1903 Ottawa reports he was sentenced by the late Chief Justice Landry to serve ten years in the penitentiary at Dorchester, N. B., for breaking, entering and theft in the town of Bathurst. In 1908 he was paroled and given a ticket of leave, with five years, five months and seven days still to serve. He went to Amherst, following his release, and reported to the chief of police there during March, April, and May, when he left for St. John. Here he reported for June, July, August, September and October of 1913, after this nothing was heard of him until February 14, 1914, when it was learned that he had gone to the United States. However, he returned to Canada and went to work in various parts of New Brunswick, working, it is thought, in St. John last summer as a carpenter.

Enclosed in the papers from Ottawa is a warrant from the dominion chief of police for his apprehension on the old charge. It is understood that an official will be summoned from Dorchester penitentiary to prove his identity.

**RECEIVES HIS BOXES ON CHRISTMAS EVE**

Stephen A. Schofield, a Fairville boy, has written a letter to his mother, Mrs. Fenwick, of Harding street, Fairville, saying that he was and expressing his thanks for and appreciation of a box sent by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Fairville Methodist church on Christmas Eve, just in time to make the contents seasonable and the young soldier glad to be celebrating Christmas from the family where he received the same day.

There are twenty-two names on the Fairville Methodist Honor Roll and each soldier was remembered by a Christmas box, sent through the Soldiers' Comforts association. This is the first acknowledgement and comes from "Somewhere in France."

Private Schofield enlisted in the west with the 3rd Pioneers, with whom he went overseas. He has been in France since October, 1915.

**BOYLE IS TO SERVE OUT OLD SENTENCE AND ONE MONTH MORE**

The Supreme Court met this morning with Judge Chandler presiding. In the case of the King vs. Timothy Boyle, the prisoner pleaded guilty to escaping from lawful custody. He was sent back to jail to complete his unfinished sentence, and to serve an additional month.

In the case of the King vs. McKay, on the charge of stealing laundry off the S. S. Missanabie, McKay elected to be tried under the Speedy Trials Act.

The court adjourned until the 16th, when the first case on the civil docket will be taken up.

**Remanded for Sentence.**

Harry Schofield was before Judge Armstrong today under the Speedy Trials Act, and pleaded guilty to stealing \$15 from Laura Connor, who had a portion of the house he occupied in King Street East. The defendant said he had received industries while working in a munition plant, and took the money to buy food and fuel, and incidentally to play pool. He was remanded for sentence. L. P. D. Tilley, K. C., appeared for the defendant.

**THE BOYS' CLUB**

There was another fine entertainment at the hall of the Boys' Club last evening. A Gordon Leavitt, with the aid of specimens to illustrate his talk, gave the boys a very interesting address on birds. Michael gave an interesting short talk on his boyhood experiences, and D. Lattimer and Mr. Shackhouse gave musical selections. There were more than fifty boys present. Harry Scott occupied the chair.

The boys are still talking about the great time they had at the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday evening. The whole club was there, and after Mr. Bonk and a group of willing aids had given them over an hour on the gymnasium floor, they went to the shower and plunge baths and then to a large room upstairs with open fire and music, and here they were waited on by another group of young men who gave them coffee, sandwiches and doughnuts to their full capacity. This was preceded by a few words of greeting by A. M. Belding, Mr. Bonk and Mr. Gregg, and Mr. Bonk outlined plans for a basketball league and other activities. The club was never so flourishing as it is this winter.

**EVANGELISTIC**

Evangelist B. Beatty held the first service of a series in Victoria Street Baptist church last evening. He took as his subject "What's revival is." Billy Sunday hymn books were used. Miss K. Beatty sang a solo. Mr. Beatty will be in the city for four weeks.

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