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25,000 Meetings Are Scheduled in British Election Campaign

GERMAN CABINET STRENGTH TESTED

LIBERALS SEEK VOTES OF WOMEN

Campaign in England is the liveliest since Pre-War Days.

ATTACKS BITTER

Conservatives Fear Protection Policy Will Not Carry Clear Majority.

BY HARRY N. MOORE.
(British United Press.)

London, Dec. 4.—More than twenty-five thousand meetings are scheduled to take place today and tomorrow, the two closing days of the campaign.

The campaign has certainly been the liveliest since the pre-war days. Increasing rowdiness has led attacks on candidates in many constituencies. The Liberal and Conservative headquarters both issue a statement this morning that these attacks do not emanate from either of their followers, and it is growing increasingly evident that a gang of Communists is abroad attempting to intimidate candidates in many ridings.

The Liberals are centering their appeal of the closing hours of the campaign on the women electors, pointing out how many commodities in their opinion are certain to increase in price if a tariff is imposed, and the private circulars of many firms are being reprinted and being distributed, which inform the customers that there will be a rise in certain commodities as soon as the tariff is in force.

Make Great Impression

These arguments are believed to make a greater impression on the women voters than all the solid economic arguments of the Conservatives. The Conservatives fear that they will not gain a clear majority for Protection throughout the country but they think that a sufficient number of candidates will be returned to carry a modified programme through the House of Commons, while the Liberals are growing more confident of victory. The statement that the general election was forced by Lord Younger, in that the Labor party might be smashed, is becoming substantiated.

It is generally believed that Lord Younger precipitated the contest on a protection policy knowing that it was certain to mean another election within a year and that the Labor party funds would be seriously depleted as a result. Yet he reckoned without the unexpected coalition of the Liberals and this has upset his calculations.

Meeting Is Suspended

One Liberal candidate was forced to suspend his meeting when they were broken up by rowdies. It was alleged that gunmen threatened to shoot up his meetings if he continued to speak. A Conservative woman candidate was also attacked being kicked and mauled during a meeting.

Women voters look askance at this angle of the political game. About 7,000,000 are expected to go to the polls Thursday and politicians of a party have been trying to win their votes. Rough house may please the men but it does not thrill the lady with the ballot.

The leaders, however, are approaching the women with a different and milder fashion. Their talking being directed to the heart and home. "Keep the home fires burning," is Premier Baldwin's appeal to the women. He claims the tariff which he backs will protect their industries and furnish employment for some of Great Britain's 1,300,000 workless men and women.

"Your food will cost you more," the Liberals of Herbert H. Asquith and Lloyd George, respond, claiming that a tariff would increase food prices. The Labor party's appeals are similar. Baldwin has promised that there shall be no tariff on foodstuffs, and as direct appeal to the women he proposes to reduce the present import duties on tea and sugar.

Many seats in the House of Commons will depend on what the women think of the election, and whether they are interested enough to turn out for

Laughs At Letter, But Is Shot Dead

New York, Dec. 4.—Dominick Maggio, who laughed three weeks ago when he received a letter signed with a smug black hand and demanding money on his life, was shot dead early today in his Brooklyn home after his wife, three children and himself had been chloroformed. Gas masks, the empty chloroform bottle, the murder gun and the two empty cartridges were left by the slayers beside the victim's body. Maggio was shot twice. His wife, only semi-conscious from the effects of the fumes that had been sprayed from an atomizer, heard the shots and made a feeble attempt to aid him, but was felled by a blow on the head. With her children she was taken to a hospital.

BEACH BOAT WITH 100 CASES ABOARD

Whiskey Craft Chased, Pistol Shots Exchanged, Crew Swam Ashore.

Perth Amboy, N. J., Dec. 4.—The motor boat K-1239, loaded with 100 cases of whiskey, was beached by her crew yesterday after a five mile chase by customs inspectors, during which pistol shots were exchanged. Three members of the crew swam ashore and escaped.

Railway Wages Being Discussed

New York, Dec. 4.—Warren S. Stone, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and D. B. Robertson, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Firemen, came to New York today with other "big four" officials and Central executives for a discussion of wage demands recently presented by the "big four."

Buffalo To Erect Huge Flour Mills

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 4.—A three thousand barrel flour mill costing approximately \$750,000 will be erected in Buffalo, N. Y., by the Russell Miller Milling Company, Minneapolis, and will be ready to mill the 1924 crop of wheat, officials of the company announced here today.

Motor Cruiser Is Seized By Agents

New York, Dec. 4.—The motor cruiser Herreshoff was seized by customs agents off Port Reading, N. J., yesterday after running a battle with six men and revolvers.

Wire Briefs

This city. The thieves jimmied three locks on the front door to gain entrance to the building.

Rome, Dec. 4.—A semi-official communication from the Vatican today states that no foreign cardinals will be created at the coming consistory.

Cape Town, S. A., Dec. 4.—General Jan Christian Smuts, Premier of South Africa, was given a rousing reception on his arrival home from London, where he attended the Imperial Conference.

Montreal, Dec. 4.—Furs valued at over five thousand dollars were stolen early today from the premises of Herman & Co., furriers, of Montreal.

Toronto, Dec. 3.—A parliamentary committee to investigate the work of the Home Bank will be asked for at the coming session of the Dominion House by Joseph T. Shaw, Progressive member for Calgary, west, in the House of Commons.

Washington, Dec. 4.—A crisis in the English cotton industry has been brought about by the ravages of the boll weevil in the cotton fields of the United States, combined with the European situation and conditions in the world generally.

Geneva, Dec. 3.—China's demand that the great powers revise the special treaties which conflict with the principle of the freedom of communication, was presented to the International Transport Conference today. The conference temporarily tabled the demand.

SEEK BODIES OF 600 IN FLOOD ZONE

Searching Parties Make Way Over Where Villages Stood.

RELATIVES SOUGHT

Many of Survivors are in a Pitiful Physical Condition.

(Canadian Press)

Bergamo, Dec. 4.—The work of finding the bodies of the six hundred or more victims of the food disaster continues over the extended zone devastated by the waters, but the rescue parties are encountering tremendous difficulties. The water has receded, leaving Bergamo valley buried under several feet of mud which the rains kept soft, thus rendering progress almost impossible.

Wallowing through this waste, the searching parties make the best of their way over these areas where flourishing villages once stood. Survivors built with materials that have been transported across the deep mud. Food, clothing, blankets and bedding, not only for the survivors but for the members of the relief parties, are carried with great difficulty in ox carts.

N. Y. HOLD-UP MEN REPORTED ACTIVE

Several Thousand Dollars in Money and Jewels Obtained in Raid.

New York, Dec. 4.—Hold-up men became active early today in Manhattan. Two jobs were done, one netted rich haul, but a third attempt by an amateur, resulted in his capture by an intended victim.

Six patrolmen and the proprietor of a Division street cafe were lined faces against the wall and their pockets emptied by three masked men. The net money and jewels amounted to several thousand dollars.

Feigning illness, a white faced youth entered an all night drug store uptown after running a battle with six men and revolvers.

Ludlow Schirmer lost at cards, he told the police, then dreamed that he would get lots of money by holding up somebody. He tried a taxi cab driver and pointed a gun in his face. As the chauffeur raised his hands he knocked the gun down, dumped Schirmer into the cab and drove to a police station.

WILL CONSIDER VALLEY RAILWAY

L. S. Brown to Visit Fredericton Next Friday, Accompanied by A. T. Weldon, Traffic Manager, and Other Regional Officials to Discuss with the Board of Trade Executive and the City Council the Train Service on the St. John Valley Railway.

The proposed visit is the result of the protest regarding the proposal to discontinue the service on the Valley Railway by taking off the Quebec-St. John trains which now run on Mondays, Wednesday and Friday and run them through to Moncton from McEwen Junction instead of to St. John. Last night the City Council approved the resolution recently passed by the Board of Trade.

The resolution which will be presented to Mr. Brown on his visit here to take the place of the Quebec-St. John train from St. John to Fredericton on the mornings of Mondays, Wednesday and Friday, returning to St. John on the evenings of these days, which would give a daily train on the lower section of the road.

CANNING MAN IS HELD FOR MURDER

Bullet Extracted From Exhumed Body Is Said to Be 22 Calibre.

Kentville, N. S., Dec. 4.—The bullet extracted from the exhumed body of Basil Burns, by Medical Examiner Wm. Finn at Arlington, Kings county, yesterday, was of 22 calibre. A 22 calibre revolver was found beside the body of Burns and the result of yesterday's post mortem sets at rest the question as to whether or not Burns came to his death from a bullet of the same calibre as the revolver found by his side.

Clarence Connors, of Canning, who was arrested on a charge of murder on information laid by the dead man's father, following the report of Inspector Kennedy of the Halifax detective force that Burns had shot himself, is still in jail at Kentville awaiting preliminary examination.

Police Go Gunning For Bear On Street

Ottawa, Dec. 4.—Notre Dame street, Hull, assumed a game hunt today, when two constables from the Hull police force went gunning for a bear which appeared on the street, and sent a dozen pedestrians scattering helter skelter for whatever cover was available.

After a short but lively battle Constable succumbed to two revolver shots in his brain, and his carcass was borne in triumph to the police station. Weighed, the bear scaled almost 100 pounds and was apparently about a year and a half old. There are no conjectures as to how or why he came to his home in the Gatineau to roam down Hull's white way.

MAINTENANCE MEN GIVEN MORE PAY

Boston and Maine Railroad Among Companies Affected by Increase.

Chicago, Dec. 4.—Increases in wages totaling approximately \$625,429.76 were awarded to track foreman, track laborers and other employees represented by the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees and Railway Shop Laborers and the Brotherhood of Railway Station Employees in a decision announced last night by the U. S. Railroad Labor Board. The increase range from one to two cents an hour, and according to statistics of the board affected approximately 22,612 employees of seven railroads. The companies affected include the Boston and Maine Railroad.

MILLERAND WAS HIS OWN DOUBLE

French President's Habit of Wandering Alone is Aided by a Convenient Fiction.

Paris, Dec. 4.—The identity of one of President Millerand's ubiquitous doubles, who have given no little anxiety to the plain clothes men detailed to protect the President, has just been discovered. The President's doubles were until very recently seen at various times and places, until the general public became accustomed to their existence and paid little heed to them.

The secret service men, however, did not take their existence with quite so much equanimity. Whenever a new one was discovered they were obliged to trace him to his domicile. One of them appeared the other day in Montmartre, where statesmen seldom are seen in the daylight. He was leisurely pacing the boulevard, stopping from time to time to look into shop windows.

The secret service men sighted him, took up his trail and followed him through the streets, through Park Montau, down to the Elysees quarter, and were astounded when the shadowed man walked boldly into the Presidential Palace. Stepping up to a colleague on duty in front of Elysees Palace, he inquired:

"Who is that fellow that looks so much like Millerand who just went in there?"

The police detective shrugged his shoulders in disgust and replied: "Wooden head! It is the President himself."

This is explained the existence of so many doubles of the President. Millerand loves to escape the chaperonage of his secret service. He is often subjected and wanders about town alone, even to a greater extent than did his predecessor, Deschanel. The reported existence of several doubles was a convenient cover for his unattended walks. So long as he was mistaken for his own doubles he could go anywhere. Now he is anxious lest his one real double who appears for him on occasion should fail and make solitary promenades impossible in the future.

TWO ARE DROWNED

Lumbermen Lose Lives 16 Miles West of White River, Ontario.

Port Arthur, Dec. 4.—Drowning of two lumbermen at Brenner Sliding, 16 miles west of White River, is reported today. The men were Ludger Caisse, aged 20, a native of Bonaventure, Que., and A. LaFrance, 50, address unknown.

Carrying a bag of mail and some provisions the two men attempted to cross the White River on the ice last Friday but broke through.

Died on November 9; News Just Comes

Fort William, Ont., Dec. 4.—Jabez Williams, for forty years an employee of the Hudson's Bay Company in this district, died at Fort Hope on November 9, according to word received yesterday.

CITY WILL WELCOME BEATTY

President of C. P. R. to Arrive Here in Early Morning.

CITY HALL FUNCTION

Freedom of City Will be Presented—Board of Trade Co-operates.

St. John will tomorrow extend a cordial welcome to E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who will spend the day in the city. The City Council and Board of Trade have joined hands in preparing to make his stay as pleasant and as interesting as possible and incidentally the freedom of the city will be extended to the distinguished visitor, the first time this honor has been conferred since 1901.

Mr. Beatty will arrive in the city early tomorrow morning in his private car. He will be accompanied by A. D. MacTavish, vice-president, and other officials who are coming to attend the banquet to be given by President Beatty on the S. S. Montclair.

Some of the Plans

It is planned to have Mr. Beatty attend a luncheon at 10:30 o'clock when the freedom of the city will be presented to him by the Mayor and Commissioners. The members of the Board of Trade have been asked to join with the City Council in this ceremony.

Mr. Beatty will then be asked to visit the Board of Trade where he will meet the council of that body in an informal discussion of various matters, particularly those pertaining to the port. Matters suggested for this conference were talked over at a meeting of the council this morning.

Mr. Beatty will entertain a large gathering of local citizens at a luncheon to be given at 1:30 o'clock on the steamer Montclair at West St. John. It is understood that Mr. Beatty will spend the night as guest at the residence of Hugh H. McLean, K. C., at Rosethay.

Liquor and Religion Result in Shooting

Architect Wounds Old Friend When Talk Over Drinks Turns to Theology.

Chicago, Dec. 4.—Several drinks, an argument over religion and two revolver bullets ended a lifelong friendship of the South Bend, Ind., today. The bullets, fired by Andrew Sandegren, an architect, wounded Sigurd Henning, a painter, who was dining with him at the company of South Bend, Ind., who was hurried to Passavant Hospital, suffering from dangerous wounds in the breast and abdomen.

The shooting occurred in Sandegren's studio. The two friends had spent the afternoon in amiable discussion, with an occasional drink of the architect's liquor. The topic, finally turned to theology. Then the friendly relations grew strained.

"Finally Andrew ordered me from his house," the wounded man said. "There was nothing for me to do but pack my grip and leave, but I guess I didn't do it fast enough, so Andrew got out the revolver and started shooting."

The shots aroused the neighborhood. The police found Sandegren in bed, the sheets drawn over his head. He took him to the hospital, where Henning identified him as the man who shot him.

Sandegren, according to the police, was so intoxicated that he could not talk intelligently.

HOTEL IS BURNED

Ten Thousand Dollar Damage Is Done by Blaze in Lunenburg.

Lunenburg, Dec. 4.—Damage estimated at approximately \$10,000 was caused by a fire breaking out in the four-story Queen Hotel here at 2:40 a. m., the flames practically destroying the building. Located in the heart of the business district, the fire for a time threatened the entire section, and a call was sent to Malone Bay for assistance.

The Malone fire fighters responded promptly to the call and it was only by the most heroic efforts that the combined departments prevented the spread of the flames. The fire was extinguished at 3:30 a. m. As far as can be learned the fire broke out on the top floor of the hotel from a cause yet to be determined. There was some insurance on the building.

Canadian Girl Wins



Miss Norma Nilblock of Toronto took first honors at the international beauty contest held in New York City. She is shown here receiving a silver cup from Rodolph Valentini.

Fight With Monster Devil Fish Fathoms Deep in Sea Brings Victory to Diver

(British United Press Cable)

Toulon, Dec. 4.—A fight with a monster devil fish, fathoms deep on the bed of the Mediterranean, amid the tangled wreckage of the sunken French cruiser Liberte, ended in victory for the famous French diver Jean Negri. Negri, in his "Tollers of the Sea" depicted as being more terrible than this undersea battle conducted with the diver's waning strength alone pitted against the many armed monster of the deep.

Those holding the ropes were powerless to interfere until Negri caught in the grip of the octopus' multiple suckers, managed to free his arms, speared the creature and signalled blithely to be hauled to the surface, towing the devil fish after him for the coup de grace.

MAKES ATTACK ON CANADIAN PREMIER

Senator Gideon Robertson Criticizes Speeches of Hon. MacKenzie King.

Montreal, Dec. 8.—Speaking here at a smoking concert of the Liberal-Conservative Association tonight, Senator Gideon Robertson reviewed the speeches and actions of the Rt. Hon. W. L. MacKenzie King since his departure from this country to attend the Imperial conference in London. Of his farewell speech in Quebec before calling Senator Robertson said it was such as might have been expected from a ward politician and regarding the Premier's speech at Manchester, England, he described it as a "red-headed free trade speech, one that he dare not make in Canada."

He then took up the immigration question and said that from the beginning of the present year to date 119,000 Canadians had crossed the border into the U. S., while during the same period 106,000 newcomers had entered Canada. The contrary, he said, was day by day exchanging Canadian citizens for people who had yet to be made into Canadians.

As to the tariff the Senator said that sixty nations in the world have raised their tariffs since the war and Canada has been the only nation to proceed in the other direction. Even Great Britain was now finding it necessary to consider protection.

Weather Report

Toronto, Dec. 4.—Pressure continues high over the Atlantic and Pacific coast and low over British Columbia and the Mississippi Valley. The weather here is mild with showers in the Maritime Provinces.

Forecasts:—East—Strong north-west winds, with rain. Wednesday still unsettled. Mostly Cloudy.

Maritime, West—Moderate to fresh northerly winds; cloudy, with local showers. Wednesday, mostly cloudy.

Gulf and North Shore—Moderate winds; cloudy. Wednesday, fresh winds; unsettled, with local falls of snow or rain.

New England—Rain late tonight and Wednesday; slowly rising temperature; moderate fresh east and southeast winds.

Toronto, Dec. 4.—Temperature: Lowest 38, highest 44. Highest during s. a. m. yesterday, night.

Victoria ... 46 58 44
Winnipeg ... 18 36 14
Montreal ... 36 52 36
St. John ... 33 44 36
Halifax ... 42 46 42
New York ... 38 50 38

MARX REIGN IS BELIEVED TO BE SHORT

Test of New Government Comes With Renewal of Reichstag Sessions.

OPENING WEDGE

Chancellor Does Not Want to Dissolve Reichstag at Present.

BY CARL D. GROAT
(British United Press.)

Berlin, Dec. 4.—Test of the new German government's strength came today with the renewal of sessions of the Reichstag. Speeches by Dr. Marx, the latest chancellor, and by Dr. Stresemann, his predecessor, pointing to lower food prices and a more stable market—improvements practically imperceptible, but improvements notwithstanding—were the opening wedge with which parliamentary favor was wooed.

Dr. Marx had an empowering bill ready for presentation, but the socialists gave notice they would oppose its passage, so the new Chancellor may keep it in his pocket, electing instead to try to rule by a paragraph in the Constitution which might be interpreted as according him dictatorial powers.

Government Is Doomed.

Marx does not want to dissolve the Reichstag if he can avoid doing so, and this would be inevitable if he introduced his empowering bill and it failed to pass.

There are increasing signs that the Marx Government is likely to be short-lived.

UNION WILL PAY WIDOWS PENSIONS

Organization of Locomotive Engineers Arranges Plan—281 in List.

Cleveland, Dec. 4.—(Associated Press)—The board of governors of the Pension Association of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers put its widows' pension into effect on December 1. On that date, 281 widows were placed on the pension list and commenced to draw a fixed amount each month. In addition there is paid to them an aggregate sum of \$800 in back pay for pensions from the date of the death of their husbands.

Warren S. Stone, president of the Brotherhood, referring to the widows' pension, said: "Perhaps one of the most historical events that ever happened in the annals of organized labor occurred when the board of governors of the Pension Association decided upon putting into effect the widows' pension."

"We believe we are the first of the railroad labor organizations, if not of any of the labor organizations, to pension the widows of the pension members for life, and we think it marks a distinct step forward in the history of organized labor, and one that will perhaps have a more far-reaching effect than any other single action of the many activities of the brotherhood."

"Eventually we hope that some plan will be worked out whereby not only the widows of the pension members, but also the widows of all members of the brotherhood, will be pensioned from the date of the death of their husbands."

Thirty Injured In Pittsburg Accident

Pittsburg, Dec. 4.—More than thirty persons were injured, three seriously, in a street car accident early today. The rear truck of an outbound car ran into an open switch, derailing the vehicle, which struck an iron pole, wrecking the front end.

All the injured were cut by broken glass from the windows. None were critically hurt.

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TRADE CONDITIONS IN CANADA SOUND

Snow in Several Sections Improves Business—Situation Sound

Dispatches to Dun's Review from branch offices of R. G. Dun & Co. in the principal cities of the Dominion state that, while weather conditions have not been wholly favorable, somewhat lower temperatures accompanied by a heavy snowfall in some districts, have stimulated retail distribution. The approaching holidays are also a contributing factor, and seasonal merchandise is moving in fairly satisfactory volume. In wholesale lines business shows some irregularity, as is usual at this period. However, fundamental conditions are believed sound and optimism as regards the future is sustained by the beneficial crops that have been harvested, and well maintained activity in most industrial lines. Collections are improving. Some improvement in retail trade is reported by Montreal, as a result of a heavy fall of snow, and sorting orders for seasonal merchandise received by wholesalers show moderate improvement. Retail stocks are thought to be well depleted, and the advent of real winter weather is expected to be followed promptly by an active buying movement. Collections are fair to good. Business in seasonal lines is about normal for this period at Quebec, and the appearance of real winter weather will no doubt have a stimulating effect on retail trade in general. Collections are slightly better.

Although sales in most departments are well up to those of last year at this time at Toronto, dealers report that settled wintry weather is needed to obtain the best results. A drop in temperature this week, with snow in some districts, has been of some help and a moderate increase in sorting up orders in seasonal commodities has been noted. Collections are improving. Bountiful crops in most parts of the far west and northwest and the approach of the holiday season have helped business in numerous lines. However, advices from Winnipeg, Saskatoon, Calgary, Edmonton, Regina and other cities indicate that, while buying is showing signs of improvement, orders, as a rule, are still being placed with marked conservatism. Collections are slow.

The dum-dum bullet was named after the place near Calcutta where it was first made.



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T. P. O'CONNOR MAY CROSS THE OCEAN

London, Dec. 3.—T. P. O'Connor, Irish Nationalist M.P. elected for Scotland, Liverpool, and "Father" of the House of Commons, in an address before the Irish Literary Society here last evening, intimated that he might possibly visit America to try to obtain help for the rising generation of Irish in Great Britain.

CATLANS GREET SPANISH KING

Saragossa, Dec. 3.—King Alfonso and Queen Victoria arrived here this morning from Barcelona on their way back to Madrid after their visit to Italy. At Barcelona the royal couple were acclaimed by large throngs of the people who had made the journey from various parts of the region to welcome them.

SURGEON

Dr. H. S. Crossen, writing in Journal of American Medical Association, says he has listed over 200 cases in which a sponge was left in the abdominal cavity after an operation. In one case the surgeon also left a pair of forceps inside the patient.

EXPORT

In foreign trade: American exports in October totaled 462 million dollars. This was 81 million more than in October, 1922. The gain apparently reflects prevailing higher prices instead of any actual increase in sales.

LUXURIES?

This'll surprise you: American women spend 150 million dollars a year for hair nets. For scented soaps the nation's bill is 145 million a year, for cosmetics 63 million, for chewing gum 100 million.

RULING

Cities—weakest link in our system of government, as Bryce long ago pointed out—are gradually moving toward efficiency. In the United States, 314 cities now are operating under the commissioner-manager form of government. Only four have abandoned the system since it was originated 15 years ago.

REV. C. J. STEEVES ILL.

Rev. C. J. Steeves, who was pastor of the United Baptist churches of the Penobscot field for years, who is living on his farm at Penobscot, is seriously ill.

Gold Completely Cured With Two Bottles

Most colds are the result of a weakened condition of the system. Nothing will undermine your health so quickly as a cold. More consumption results from neglected colds than any other source. When you notice a cold developing build up your system. The most effective way to do this is to take a tonic—Carnol. Mr. Harry Heller, of Regina, cured a cold of two months' standing by taking Carnol. Read what he says: "After having used two bottles of your Carnol, I find that it has completely removed my cold from which I have suffered since the first week of December last. All other remedies have been failures and I strongly recommend to others who have been suffering from a similar ailment to try a bottle of your Carnol and I am sure they will not regret such a purchase."—Harry Heller, 2126 Broad St., Regina, Sask.

HUNDRED FAMILIES FROM U. S. COMING

Winnipeg, Dec. 3.—One of the largest farm land deals in recent years is now in progress of consummation involving the 5,000 acre farm of Hon. Alne Bernard at Dacota, a short distance west of Winnipeg. The sale price has been fixed at \$25,000 or \$105 an acre, including equipment.

EXPORT

M. G. O'Connell, of New Orleans, La., is the prospective purchaser. He intends to move here in the spring, bringing with him 100 families.

EXPORT

October exports, however, did exceed imports by 89 million dollars. In the preceding nine months, exports exceeded imports by only 37 million dollars. So October was a bang-up good month.

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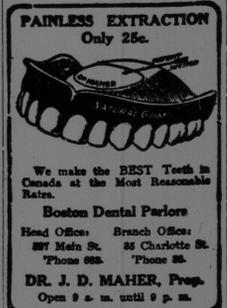
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HALIFAX MAY GET FISHERIES DEPOT

Halifax, Dec. 3.—Weight has been added to the belief that Halifax stands a good chance of being chosen as the site for the new \$70,000 fisheries experimental station authorized by the government, by the presence in the city today of Dr. A. G. Huntsman, director of the Experimental Station at St. Andrews, N. B., and Charles Bruce, of the Biological Department at Ottawa.

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CORRECTION

In Malatsky's adv., Times, Saturday, "Velour Hats, \$15.50," should read "Velour Coats, \$15.50."

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Rummage sale, schoolroom of Douglas avenue Christian church, Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 5th. 2701-12-5
Mazola demonstration, Butler's Grocery. Mazola used for doughnuts, fish, salads. Recipes. 2752-12-5
Xmas tree trimmings at half-price—Duval's, 15 Waterloo St. Open every night. 12-5
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Three Historic Trends in Watches

- In the early days, the master watchmakers were located in Europe. The art was new—watches were luxuries—precision within small compass was an unsolved problem.
- American manufacturers found that quantity machinery could be used in watch-making, and began to turn out watches on a commercial scale.
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THE SAFETY LEAGUE.

Those who have access to Toronto newspapers do not need to be told of the value of the work of the Ontario Safety League for some years past. Its bulletins, posters, cartoons, work in schools, and other propaganda have had a most salutary effect, and the number of accidents through carelessness has been notably reduced. It is an interesting coincidence that on the day on which Dr. Doolittle, vice-president of the Ontario League, spoke in St. John upon the subject the news should come that because a can of blasting powder was available for two boys in Sunbury County as a plaything one is dead and the other seriously injured. This tragedy was wholly unexpected, as are many others which result from thoughtlessness and ignorance of danger. The greatest menace to life and limb is in the streets of the cities and the Safety League aims to have both children and adults so trained that their habit is not carelessness but the habit of caution and constant regard for safety will appeal to a sufficiently large portion of the population to ensure a notable decrease in preventable accidents. When the organization of a Safety League for New Brunswick is begun it should find hearty support in every community.

THEIR "BEST FRIEND"

The value of Canadian trade is fully recognized in financial circles in the United States. Thus the Wall Street Journal says:— "From several points of view Canada is now justly to be claimed as our best friend. The Dominion with a population not much in excess of that in greater New York has contributed proportionately more than any other nation towards the creation of a favorable trade balance in 1923. This Canadian trade furnished nearly \$60,000,000 of the increase in the import and almost \$100,000,000 in the export trade." An Ottawa despatch yesterday noted an increase in Canada's trade with the United States, amounting to over \$200,000,000 in twelve months. The imports from the United States for the year closing last month were valued at \$620,000,000, compared with \$488,000,000; and the exports \$411,000,000 compared with \$277,000,000. The month of October showed an increase over October of last year in both imports and exports.

Referring to the fact that ten lives have been lost in Maine this year as a result of the big game hunting season, the Bangor Commercial says:—"The accidents that result from a too hasty discharge of a weapon before the hunter makes certain that he is shooting at an animal rather than a human being can be avoided, although they are not likely to be until the punishment meted out by the courts is based upon the fact that a human life was taken rather than with sympathy for the unintentional slayer. In most cases it is doubtless true that the man who takes the life of another in this way is more punished by his grief than by imprisonment but it is not a form of punishment that causes others to exercise more care."

Nobody cares to have the days of the war too vividly recalled, and Hon. Dr. Beland did not do this in his very absorbing address to the Canadian Club yesterday, in which he touched upon the terrible German drive into Belgium and then passed on to describe his own experiences as a prisoner in Berlin for three years. Dr. Beland knows how to tell a story and to make his experiences live in the imagination of his hearers.

The tribute paid by Hon. Dr. Beland to our soldiers' hospitals and the work done in this province in the interest of soldiers' civil re-establishment will be appreciated by those in charge of the work, and give great satisfaction to the people at large.

The result of the appeal of the St. John Council of Women in behalf of the Children's Aid Society yesterday was disappointing. The Society cannot carry on its work effectively unless it receives more substantial sup-

THE EXPORT OF LOGS.

In appealing for a declaration of opinion by the British Columbia Legislature on the question of exporting logs from that province to the United States, the Victoria Colonist gives some interesting figures. It says:—"Mr. Pattullo has admitted that raw log exports during 1922 reached a total of 108,000,000 feet. On a modest computation, the value of these exports was upwards of \$3,000,000. Had these logs been manufactured in British Columbia the value of their products would have been at least \$8,000,000, as that the potential loss experienced by British Columbia through their export in the raw state was \$4,000,000 during 1922. We venture to say that potential loss will be doubled during the present year and probably trebled during 1924 if the situation is allowed to remain as at present."

The Colonist says that American capitalists are buying up timber lands in the province, for the purpose of exporting raw logs, and will operate on a very large scale. One company paid \$386,000 for a tract of land on Vancouver Island, and the Colonist protests in the following words:—"This is a people's question, because one of the great natural resources of the province is at stake. It is a question of keeping the home fires burning. It is a question of providing employment for our own people and reaping the full advantage from the product of our own natural resources. It is a question that has a vital bearing on the prosperity of British Columbia. If the Legislature refuses to realize the seriousness of the export of unmanufactured logs being permitted unchecked then it devolves upon the people themselves to make their voice heard, and heard in no uncertain manner." Thus the people of the Pacific Province have their forest problem as we in the east have ours. The Victoria Colonist is an opponent of the Government, but insists that this question is not political but economic, and requires the most unprejudiced consideration by the people's representatives.

Political meetings in England are marked by dissension. An insurgent group yesterday presented the election of a Speaker in the United States Congress. Paris hears that the Polcare Government is in danger of being overthrown. Really there are compensations for those who live in a quiet country like Canada.

There is every prospect of a busy winter port season in St. John. There is a good demand for men at high wages in the lumber woods. On the whole the winter prospects appear to be very good.

Hon. Dr. Beland believes the British Empire and the United States can ensure peace in the world. The latter country, however, still stands aloof and goes on acquiring wealth, as if that were the chief end.

McGill Team to Play The Trojans

University Basketball Quintette Here March 1.

McGill's senior basketball quintette will play the Trojans here on the night of Saturday, March 1, according to word received yesterday from McGill authorities by W. R. Golding. The McGill players, who won the Dominion championship in 1923 and who played the local province in St. Vincent's gym during Carnival Week last year, will remain here until March 6 and it is probable that games will be arranged for the team at U. N. B., Mount Allison, Wanderers, Halifax, provided satisfactory financial arrangements can be made with these places.

PAPYRUS WILL NOT RETIRE TO STUD FOR ANOTHER YEAR

After considering the advisability of retiring Papyrus to the stud, J. P. Hornung, the new owner of the English Derby winner which was defeated by Zev in the international race at Belmont Park, has decided definitely to keep him in training for another year. Mr. Hornung had been strongly advised to retire Papyrus at a time when the colt was so much in the public eye. But the new owner has taken the view that it would be unfair to breeders to ask a large fee for the Derby winner until he has proved himself to be a "really big horse." Mr. Hornung has received many applications for nominations to him in the coming season, and could easily have filled his subscription, but he says that he prefers to wait until Papyrus "has given further evidence of his worth on the race-course."

Press Comment

LAXITY IN GRAMMAR

(Toronto Globe)

A grammarian lecturing before an audience of grammarians in English, boldly advised laxity. He would allow the splitting of infinitives, and would uphold the careless one who says "It is only me" and "May the best team win." The Montreal Gazette says:—"He imagines that he can make grammar popular by making it sloppy. He is wrong. He is robbing us of the pleasure of breaking the rules. We like to talk more carefully than we write, because we love liberty more than pedantry. We pay our grammarians to be grammatical. It is their business to make rules that we delight in breaking. They ought to invent new rules instead of cramming old ones. They ought to glory in their own unpopularity. Why should grammar be popular? Castor oil is a useful drug, but no capsule could make it popular. Let us stick to the stern and stoical traditions of pedagogy. There is much to be said for The Gazette's view. It might be added that if laxity were countenanced by the authorities precise people would be deprived of their feeling of superiority. A writer once said that it is a nuisance to be under the necessity of choosing between "emigrant" and "immigrant," and that he would like to substitute "grant" for both. "No," said another. "If you did that, you would not distinguish between an educated and an uneducated person." The English language is troubled by a few infections, so few that it has been said that it has no grammar at all, and therefore, is easily learned by foreigners. At all events, there is little grammar that it seems cowardly to attack it.

PENSIONS TO MOTHERS.

A statement prepared by the Social Service Council of Canada on the working of the Mothers' Allowance laws of the various provinces suggests "the desirability of a careful comparative study of these laws and their outworking, that might well be undertaken by the Child Welfare Council of Canada or some similarly constituted body. The Hamilton Standard gives the following in regard to the adoption of these allowances in Canada:—"Quebec and the Maritime Provinces make no provision for dependent widows and their children, while in the five provinces which have enacted such legislation there is the greatest diversity both in the conditions necessary for eligibility and in the amount of the allowances granted. There were in all 3,500 mothers and 22,000 children on the benefit list in the provinces when the last report was published, who were maintained at an aggregate cost of \$3,000,000. In Ontario, as in Manitoba, the aid is administered by a board of women members serve without remuneration."

WHAT MAKES A TOWN?

The Kootenai—Well, what is it that makes a town any more? Just one thing—the unity of the people, the existence of a common bond which causes business and social enemies to put aside all differences when it comes to boosting the town. No town ever made real progress in the way to substantial success without the get-together spirit unanimously adopted. It has rejuvenated old hulks of towns that were yawning their way into endless sleep. It has infused new blood into the hearts of commercial life and made thriving cities out of paralytic villages. Natural advantages count for much and prosperity cannot be built upon shifting sand, but any town with a chance can be made to grow and expand and thrive when its citizens join with one accord in the boosting programme.

A PRUDENT JUDGE.

The other day a well-known lawyer was arguing a motion before the Supreme Court, when the presiding justice interrupted the attorney and announced that he was going to postpone the argument until the following day, as he had a train to catch. A few minutes later the attorney was walking out of the court when he saw the justice hustling down the stairs as if in a great hurry. Stepping up to the judge the attorney said:—"Judge, you seem to be in a great hurry. My car is across the street and I will be very glad to have my chauffeur take you to the South station." "That would be highly improper," said the judge, as he dashed down the stairs.

PEACE AND THE EMPIRE.

(London Daily Telegraph) There is today what Mr. Baldwin describes as a growing international moral sense, and those who would dispute it are doing our own times an injustice for which no support can be drawn from history. One thing above all is certain for our encouragement, and that is that among all peoples of the British Empire the desire for peace is universal and deep. In them is rooted the conviction that the rebuilding of what was destroyed and lost in the war, the reconstruction of the machinery of economic life, is the prime task for civilized mankind. It was for the making of a concerted effort to this end by the members of the British Commonwealth that our government's invitation to the present conference was issued.

AND THIS IS MONTREAL.

(Montreal Star) The streets of the metropolitan city of Canada were yesterday in an exasperatingly filthy state. Practically no attempt was made to even clear the crossings, which were ankle-deep in slush and a perfect horror to pedestrians. It is unfair in the extreme that citizens should not only be compelled to put up with such unvarnished conditions, but to suffer monetary loss in the bargain by having their clothing damaged by horses and vehicles splashing through the slush.

FOR THOSE MENTALLY ALIVE

(Kansas City Times) No person needs to grow old mentally. There are fresh currents of thought, new ideas and accomplishments enough at any time to keep the ambitious individual mentally alert and full of hope. The person who cuts himself off from these helpful influences does himself an injustice, and indirectly helps to retard the progress of society. Memphis was supposed to have been one of the largest cities of the ancient world.

BARNYARD REFORM.

(Saskatoon Star)

(News Item says an eastern church owns a cow, she's a Presbyterian and gives milk of human kindness.) Have you heard of this late evangelical fad? "It's a quaint innovation that isn't half bad. Community children will be brought up now on the milk of a good Presbyterian cow. The next generation won't have to be taught to leave off the many bad things that we ought—But while they're converting the gentle cow brute. The other good people might well follow suit. For what could be more moralising, I beg. Than a hen that could lay a strict Methodist egg? A pig from a clean Congregational yard; While the downiest feathers one ever might pluck. Would grow on the breast of a Campbellite duck! We'd have Holiness turkeys and sanctified geese. Episcopal sheep with canonical fleece; And when they make Baptists of horses and goats. Maybe man will let up on his sowing wild oats.

JOBS PLENTIFUL IN THE WOODS, HE SAYS

Hard to Get Men in Queens, Says Hon. Dr. Hetherington

Hon. Dr. J. E. Hetherington, Provincial Secretary-Treasurer, arrived in the city last evening from his home at Cody's, Queens county, to attend the meetings of the Provincial Government here today and tomorrow. When asked about the financial status of the province at the end of the fiscal year, Oct. 31, Hon. Dr. Hetherington replied that all the accounts and information relating to that period had not yet been compiled so that it was impossible at this time to give an accurate summary of the situation. Regarding conditions in his home constituency of Queens, Dr. Hetherington was hopeful that the winter would be a good one for the people. He said that lumber operators were having difficulty in getting men to go into the woods, though they were offering from \$65 to \$75 a month and board. There was lots of work for those who wanted to work, Dr. Hetherington said. Dr. Hetherington was accompanied to the city by Mrs. Hetherington and their daughter, Miss Virginia, who left last evening for Boston to resume her studies at the Leland-Powers School of Expression after spending the Thanksgiving vacation with her parents at Cody's.

MOTOR TRUCKS REDUCE RAILWAY FREIGHT BUSINESS

New York, Dec. 4.—The rivalry between the motor truck and the freight car is much keener than is generally realized. The casual observer sees more freight trucks converging along the roads than freight cars on the rails. For covering distances varying from 25 to 150 miles the truck is proving to have great advantages over the railroad. With the increase of good roads all communities are now linked together by this new means of transportation. Last year the railroads carried 1,842,293 tons of freight. It will come as a surprise for most people to learn that in the same period motor trucks carried 1,400,000 tons. With the improvement of the roads the motor truck traffic will increase steadily and there is a tendency to increase the trucking distance to several hundred miles. The auto "bus crowded with school children is also becoming very familiar, not only in the cities but in remote sections of the country. The radius over which scholars may now be gathered for school is being steadily widened. Every year these "bus" schools carry children to about 12,000 schools and the service is growing rapidly. It is estimated that upward of 25,000,000 school children ride in school "buses" annually.

TORONTO TO VOTE ON DAYLIGHT TIME

Toronto, Dec. 3.—The Toronto City Council decided today to call for a vote of the electors on New Year's Day on the question of introducing daylight saving time again next summer and for the two summers following. The ratepayers and electors will also be asked to vote on the question. Toronto ratepayers will also pass judgment on the single tax issue.

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IN LIGHTER VEIN.

Painted Beauties.

At a dinner party held in a hall adorned with many beautiful paintings a speaker, wishing to pay a compliment to the ladies present, pointed at the paintings on the wall, and said:—"What need is there for all these painted beauties when we have so many of them at the table?" Sad Mistake. It was dusk, and the ticket inspector went to the young couple on the back seat of the bus. The youth, slightly impatient at the interruption, thrust out his folded tickets. "We do not stop there," said the inspector, courteously. "Where?" inquired the youth. "At the pawnbroker's"—Exchange.

At Least It Helps

A magazine writer tells us that a dog fills an empty space in a man's life. This is especially true of the hot dog.—The Lyre.

Good Suggestion.

Mr. Rush—Say there, attendant, I'm a busy man and can't wait any longer. Tell the doctor if I am not admitted in a minute, I shall get well again. Dr. Peck—Ah! Good morning! Step right in at once.

An Appetizer.

Waiter (to regular patron)—We have beautiful weather today, professor. Professor (absent-mindedly)—Yes, you might bring me a portion.

Wasting Money.

Hi Snodgrass (wrought up)—Yep, Jim, here I goes and buys a steamship ticket for my son Tom to South America, he goes aboard, the ship goes under and he drowns. Hi Snodgrass—Yep, money just thrown right out o' the window.

Seeing Is Believing

The teacher was giving a lesson on the crocodile. "You must give me all your attention," she said. "It is impossible for you to form a true idea of this hideous reptile unless you keep your eyes fixed on me."—Tit-Bits (London).

The Modern Order

Motorcars are the thing now. Try to hang over the gate and talk and she gives you the gate.—Exchange.

Alleviate, At That

A California man says he can talk to monkeys. Well, perhaps, at times one might as well.—Detroit News.

There has been an amazing increase in the use of cameras and photographic materials in China in the last decade.

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BANDIT'S GET \$3,400 IN ONTARIO TOWN

Beachville, Ont., Dec. 3.—Bandits believed to have come from the United States held up the office of the White Lime Co. Ltd., here this afternoon and escaped with the works payroll amounting to about \$3,400.

SEVEN KILLED IN SHEFFIELD MINE

Sheffield, Eng., Dec. 3.—Seven miners were killed and 51 injured, 15 seriously, when several cages fell to the bottom of the shaft of the Nunmerly mine near here today. The accident was caused by the breaking of a rope.

A French doctor has made 16 successful transfusions of animal blood into men.

Certain forms of protection against fire losses existed even among the Romans.

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DEATHS

Valentine Smith. Hopewell Hill, Dec. 2.—A long and useful life came to a close today, when Valentine Smith, an old and highly respected resident, passed away at his home here in the eighty-first year of his age, his death causing sincere regret among a wide circle of friends and neighbors and throughout the community generally.

Mr. Smith held the position of commissioner of the great marsh in the parish of Hopewell for many years and was an especially capable official. In politics he was a life long Liberal. He is survived by his wife, who was formerly Miss Priscilla Barbour, daughter of the late John Barbour, of Albert, two sons, Frederick J. Smith and Alden V. Smith, of this place, and two daughters, Mrs. George Keiver, of Coverdale, and Mrs. Raymond Tingley, of Harvey. Mr. Smith was one of a large family of brothers and sisters, all of whom have now passed away.

Mrs. Margaret White. At Caribou, Me., Mrs. Margaret White, aged 78 years, died on Nov. 12. Mrs. White was in her usual good health until one week preceding her death, when she was confined to her bed at the home of her nephew, Osborne Robertson, with whom she had lived for the last 22 years.

Samuel Burpee Kierstead. Apohaqui, Dec. 3.—Samuel Burpee Kierstead, youngest son of Mordcaid and Mary Jane (Perry) Kierstead, of Kierstead Mountain, died at the home of his parents on Nov. 29 at the age of 22 years. The late young man had been a resident of California and had been home only since July—after an absence of 14 years.

Gertrude Tomkins Cranford. At Goshen, N. Y., on Nov. 28, Mrs. Gertrude Tomkins Cranford passed quietly to rest. Mrs. Cranford was the youngest daughter of Joseph T. Tomkins, of the Albert Manufacturing Company. Coming to New Brunswick from Kingston, N. Y., in 1870, she spent her childhood days in Hillsboro. In September, 1889, she was married to Kenneth Cranford, of New York, and from that time lived in her beautiful home in the Highlands of the Hudson, spending many happy summers in Hillsboro. Mrs. Cranford was the only sister of Mrs. Charles J. Osman, of Hillsboro. The interment takes place in Hillsboro.

Mrs. Isabella Edgar. Chatham, N. B., Dec. 3.—(Special)—Miss Isabella Edgar, an aged resident of Napan, died last evening at the residence of her son, Charles W. Jones, on Saturday evening following a lingering illness.

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LORD MAYOR



Sir Louis A. Newton, British banker (top), is the new Lord Mayor of London. He was knighted by King George during the war. Below is his wife.

ence of her niece, Mrs. J. Freeman McLean, with whom she lived. She is survived by four sisters, Mrs. John A. McDonald, Blindsfield; Mrs. E. Ferguson and Mrs. Cowie, of Detroit, Mich.; and Mrs. Jane Galloway, Napan. The funeral will be held tomorrow to Riverside cemetery.

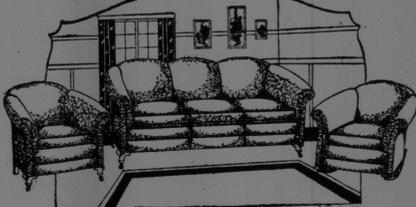
K. Glynn. Chatham, N. B., Dec. 3.—(Special)—The death of K. Glynn occurred yesterday at his home in Wellfield. He was 69 years of age and had been stricken with paralysis about a week ago. He leaves to mourn a wife, three sons and two daughters. Burial will take place tomorrow in St. Michael cemetery.

Albert Petley. Chatham, N. B., Dec. 3.—(Special)—Albert Petley died suddenly here this morning. He was on his way to work in the Fraser pulp mill, Millbank, when the fatal stroke occurred. The late Mr. Petley, who was 70 years of age, was a native of Nicholas River, Kent county, and came to Chatham about 45 years ago. He is survived by his wife, five brothers and two sisters. The funeral will be held on Wednesday to Riverside cemetery.

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Publishers Praise Big Edition Of the Telegraph-Journal

Commendations of Special Shipping Number Continue to Arrive

The Telegraph-Journal continues to receive commendations and congratulations for the big shipping edition which it published on Oct. 28, and the demand for copies has not at this late day altogether ceased. The good words come not only from various parts of New Brunswick, but from other sections of Canada and even from the United States. Here is a typical letter: "We have received the sample of your issue of Oct. 28 and we wish to congratulate you on the excellent makeup and printing of this edition. The writer knows from experience how much labor is represented in this special number and thinks you have done very well."

President J. Howe of the Beveridge Supply Co., Ltd., of Montreal, writes: "The writer would like to congratulate you on this very nice issue which certainly should help to make the possibilities of St. John as a port well known, and is certainly a credit to you."

Maclean's Tribute. Possibly one of the greatest tributes comes from John Bayne Maclean, president of the Maclean Publishing Co., Ltd., of Toronto, publishers of Maclean's Magazine.

New York city but resided in St. John practically all her life. In religion she was a Methodist and a member of the Exmouth street church since it was established. She was in her eighty-fifth year. The late Mrs. Drake is survived by four children, George B. Drake, of the local post office, Walter G. of Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Ltd., Mrs. N. DeWitt, Tracy Station, and Mrs. Walter Scott, at home. Four grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren also survive.

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Do you feel that nearly every woman in the world is more beautiful than you are? Do you feel that you are young and men are flocking to you? Do you feel that you are a beauty and men are flocking to you?

ENTERTAINS FOR VISITOR.

Miss Edna Driscoll entertained the Get Together Club last evening at her residence at West St. John. The occasion was in honor of her cousin, Miss Maud Perry, of Quebec.

BLOUSED CAPES.

A bloused cape effect on winter capes is catching the eyes of many women these days. The front with apron flare is also in favor.

Dyeing Lace.

If you are dyeing lace tack it to strips of cloth and leave them there until you are through washing and pressing.

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EVENING TIMES-STAR MAGAZINE PAGE FOR THE HOME

MATING IN THE WILDS

OTTWELL BINNS ILLUSTRATED BY RALPH SATTERTWELL

BEGIN HERE TODAY. Hubert Stane, discharged convict, leaves the life of Helen Yardley when her canoe drifts into dangerous waters. Together they start to walk the trail to the camp of Helen's uncle near a northern post of the Hudson Bay Company. They stop at a deserted cabin and at night the cabin is attacked by Indians. Helen is abducted and Stane is left for dead. Bernard, a trapper, revives Stane and the two go in pursuit of Helen's abductors. Gerald Ainley, in love with Helen, shoots her captors and rescues the girl. Stane and Bernard meet Anderson of the N. W. M. P. They follow Ainley.

with you, and that he proposed to make you his squaw."

"Ah!" Ainley interpreted the exclamation in his own way, but looking at the girl was surprised by a look which had come into her face. Her listlessness had fallen from her. There was a look of absorption about her which puzzled him, and he wondered what she was thinking of. He did not know what her captor had revealed to her, and so never dreamed the truth, which was that Helen was thinking for the second time he had fallen from the truth in his narrative.

"Tell me one thing," she said, "when you arrived at the cabin the attack was quite over?" "Quite," he answered. "And you did not take part in the fighting? You fired no shots at the attackers?" "No," he answered. "They had gone when we arrived, all except the wounded Indian who gave me the information."

"Who was it?" she cried. "Then who was it?" she cried.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By AHERN



THE DENTAL CLINIC

"No," answered the girl deliberately. "I have not forgotten." CHAPTER XXIII A Surprise for Ainley Without preamble Helen began the narrative of all that had befallen her from the time she had left her uncle's camp to inspect the beaver colony. When she gave the account of Stane's accident at the deadfall and of the camp she made there, Ainley broke out in chagrin: "That explains how it was we never found you. We must have passed within a very few miles of you."

"You were once within a quarter of a mile of me?" "How do you know that?" he cried. "Because I saw you and the Indian Joe pitch your camp on the shore of the lake."

"I believe what he told me; I would have believed it on his word alone, but fortunately the matter does not depend on that word only. There is evidence, and I know where that evidence is, and I will tell you what I am going to do. When we get to Fort Malun, I shall get Mr. Rodwell to equip a expedition, and I shall recover that evidence and publish it to the world, in order to clear the memory of the man whom you have so deeply wronged."

Your Health

BY DR. CLIFFORD C. ROBINSON HOME HEALTH AND ECONOMICS.

Illinois, through its Home Economic Association, has returned answers to an interesting questionnaire. In it women were to put down their schedule of work for each day of the week. The answers showed there is greater sharing of work and play in the farm home than in the large town or city. Hundreds of replies showed the greatest pleasure women received was in doing something for someone else, in getting self and selfily, avoiding nervous tension and enjoying the great health restorer—restful sleep.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

This was the next riddle the Riddle Lady wrote. All the Riddle Landers were there to hear. Nancy and Nick too. "Oh, hi diddle didle! Now here is a riddle for you. And see if the answer you know: "Is it something to eat?"



"Is it something to eat?" asked Misses Jack Sprat. "Then I wish I'd win it," sighed Misses Sprat. "I've never guessed anything in my life and I know I'm not going to now."

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS—AND CATS, TOO



ADAM AND EVA—ISN'T THAT THE CAT'S WHISKERS?



DOINGS OF THE DUFFS—TOM ADMITS IT



ELOPE N ALBERT AND ARE CAUGHT

By CAP HIGGINS

Sixteen-year-old Girl and a Port Elgin Youth Make Runaway. An elopement—yes, romance still thrives in the far-famed Tantalum. The modern Romeo and Juliet still seek by devious ways and means to overcome obstacles that may beset the path to the realization of their dreams of conjugal happiness. Many couples take a short cut,—by way of elopement, for instance,—to wedded bliss, and live happily ever after; while, unfortunately, others come to grief. In regard to the principals of our story, love's young dream received a rude awakening when the strong arm of the law intervened, at the eleventh hour, to prevent the tying of the nuptial knot.

phoned Amherst, Shediac and Port Elgin authorities to stop the marriage. The couple motored to Amherst and probably have been married there—but, lo and behold, there was a snag in the arrangements. The would-be bridegroom had overlooked the fact that a New Brunswick marriage license did not serve the same purpose in another province. Again the engine of the auto throbbed as the party rushed madly to Bale Verte—Port Elgin—Bayfield; but all to no purpose. The bridegroom had overlooked the fact that a New Brunswick marriage license did not serve the same purpose in another province. Again the engine of the auto throbbed as the party rushed madly to Bale Verte—Port Elgin—Bayfield; but all to no purpose. The bridegroom had overlooked the fact that a New Brunswick marriage license did not serve the same purpose in another province. Again the engine of the auto throbbed as the party rushed madly to Bale Verte—Port Elgin—Bayfield; but all to no purpose.

BODY OF N. B. MAN NOT YET CLAIMED

Bangor, Dec. 3.—Up to an early hour today no word had been received from the relatives of George W. Worden, the New Brunswick man, who was killed by a train at Northern Maine Junction Thursday. The body is in the undertaker's rooms of Ralph B. White pending advice from relatives as to the disposition of it. Sheriff Fernandez received a telegram from the girl's parents, and remained at Dorchester Jail, without bail, until Thursday next at 2 p. m., when their case will come up for hearing. Mr. J. M. McIntyre is acting as counsel for the girl's parents, and Trites and Richard for the defendants.—Sackville Tribune.

SCHOONER SINKS OFF NOVA SCOTIA

Lunenburg, N.S., Dec. 3.—The sixty-two ton schooner Jean Crowl, Captain Frank Gorham, sprang a leak and foundered off La Have last night. The crew were landed safely on Dublin shore. The Crowl's cabin was from Halifax with a general cargo for Port La Tour, N.S.

THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, ST. JOHN, N.B., TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1923

Social Notes
Of Interest

Mrs. Heber Vroom, regent of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., entertained at the tea hour at the Sign of the Lantern tea rooms yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Rosamond Archibald and her mother, Mrs. Archibald, of Truro, N. S., who are guests in West St. John.

Mrs. Murray MacLaren and Mrs. Richard Hooper will preside when Mrs. James Curry receives this week at the home of Mrs. James F. Robertson, 4 Carlton street.

The marriage of Captain the Hon. Evan Baillie, elder son of Colonel James Baillie of Dochfour and Baroness Burton, and Lady Maud Mackintosh, eldest daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire and widow of Captain Angus Mackintosh, took place on Thursday morning, Nov. 15, at the Church of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, Trafalgar square, London.

Those present at the delightful party given last week in honor of little Miss Constance Mullin (Ton-Ton) on her ninth birthday were: Miss Flay Patterson, Miss Charlotte Foster, Miss Frances Vassie, Miss Elizabeth Rankine, Miss Margaret Drummond, Miss Frances Drummond, Miss Rosemary Joyce Foster, Miss Bunny Sheraton, Miss Patty Harrison, Miss Janice Harrison, Miss Barbara McDonald, Miss Anne Bruce, Miss Cecily Girvan, Miss Jean Stetson, Miss Dorothea Schofield, Miss Ruth Oland, Miss Frances Foster, Miss Betty Current, Miss Barbara Sayre, Miss Christine McInerney, Miss Nancy Daniel, Miss Elizabeth Lewis, Miss Marjorie Ellis, Miss Jane Crosby, Miss Loreen Sanderson, Miss Mona Harper, Miss Elizabeth Armstrong, Miss Margaret Cannell and Miss Hazel Teed.

Badminton was played at the Army on Saturday afternoon with a full attendance of the members, who enjoyed the game and the social hour at tea time. Mrs. Walter A. Harrison and Mrs. J. Royden Thomson presided over the tea cups.

Mrs. Guy Q. Dowling, of Montreal, arrived in the city yesterday and will be the guest for one week of her late husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Q. Dowling, 75 Duke street. Her friends in St. John will greet her on Monday.

Mrs. William Rowe and Miss George Gough, of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, and Miss Mary Nichol, of Chatham, who were guests of Rev. and Mrs. Robert G. Fulton at Centenary parlour over the week-end, left yesterday morning for their respective homes. They were delegates at the C. G. I. T. conference here.

Rev. John Line, D. D., S. T. D., who was the guest of His Honor, Chief Justice and Mrs. H. A. McKeown, during his stay in St. John for the week-end, left for Mount Allison University, Sackville, yesterday morning. Rev. Dr. Line has formed a large circle of friends while here for the 83rd anniversary of Centenary church, who will be glad to welcome him back.

Mrs. John Seaman, of Amherst, and Mrs. Annie B. Steeves, of Moncton, who were delegates to the meetings of the executive of the U. B. W. M. U., and were the guests of Mrs. N. C. Scott, 99 Douglas avenue, while in the city, left for home yesterday on the noon train.

Mr. William G. Pugsley, of Ottawa, on Hon. Dr. William Pugsley, is spending a few days in Montreal.

Invitations are out for a tea to be given by Mrs. Heber Vroom at her residence, West St. John, on Wednesday of this week.

Miss Rosamond Archibald, who was touring on her educational plan through the province, has returned to the city and joined her mother, at the home of Miss Ella Clark, West St. John, where she is enjoying a well-earned rest after several strenuous weeks.

Miss Winifred Hutchison, of Toronto, national Y. W. C. A. migration "Travelers' Aid secretary for Canada," left last evening for Halifax, where she will spend a week. Miss Hutchison will return to St. John for a few days on Monday for her home in Toronto. She

Women May Have Their Own Presidential Candidate
Will Form New Party Unless Democrats and Republicans Agree to Wipe Out Inequalities

BY HARRY B. HUNT

Washington—A third party in the field—with a woman candidate for president—in 1924, on a platform of "equal rights as well as equal suffrage for women!"

Such is the program suggested by Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont, president of the National Women's Party, in case the masculine-controlled political organization do not react favorably to the equal rights amendment to be submitted to Congress this winter.

"I expect to see the day," says this vigorous suffrage leader, who despite her seventy-odd years has the bonna hair and pink cheeks that go with thirty, "when a woman will be president of the United States. And I'm not expecting to live forever, elected to Congress this winter."

But whether a woman candidate for president will be projected to complicate next year's political puzzle is up to the men, Mrs. Belmont declares.

Men Call Stalls

The Women's Party, however, demands from Congress and the president enactment and approval of the amendment wiping out legal inequalities between men and women at the coming session.

If such amendment is refused and if both parties "stall" about making it a clear-cut issue in the 1924 battle, then a convention of the National Women's Party, following hard on the heels of the Republican and Democratic conventions, with a platform built by women for women and with women as standard bearers, may be the result.

"If we put up a woman candidate," says Mrs. Belmont, "she will be of such a high standard of ability and intelligence that men as well as women will vote for her."

The election of a woman president, Mrs. Belmont believes, would not result in a top-heavy feminine administration, as has been given full recognition, according to their ability. There would be no discrimination because of sex, she alleges, is now true, "between the sexes, politically," she says, "is of opposition by man to woman, not of woman to man. Man has not yet admitted woman's equality, although he has granted equal suffrage. But recognition of full equality, whether in politics, legal status, ability and qualifications for high office and for low, must soon come."

The course to be followed by the National Women's Party will be discussed in detail by members of its national, state and local committees at a conference in Washington, Nov. 17 and 18. Call on Coolidge.

On Nov. 17 a delegation of women, headed by Maud Younger of San Francisco, Alice Paul, Inez Haynes Irwin and other national leaders, will call on President Coolidge and submit a plea for their equal rights amendment.

With the convening of Congress an intensive campaign for action will be begun, the famous suffrage card-catalogue of congressmen being brought to bear.



The "Big Three" in the woman's 1924 campaign for full equality. Left to right, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, Alice Paul and Maud Younger.

Should this fall, the major political parties will be given the opportunity to take a definite stand in their bid for the women's vote next fall. That falling—

Then look out for the Women's Party convention and a woman candidate for chief executive. And a hot campaign!

For the right to sit in the presidential chair is not one of the "equal rights" for which women are now fighting, Mrs. Belmont reminds us. That right already has been granted. And some day before long, this optimistic, fighting suffragist maintains, some woman will sit there.

When that day comes, she believes, the greatest step forward will have been taken toward harmonious international peace and good-will.

She even now is undertaking the establishment of a "Woman's Parliament," to which will come representatives from women from all the nations, to meet in Washington simultaneously with Congress, to discuss, unofficially, of course, but none the less effectively, international affairs and international problems from the woman's viewpoint.

What one woman did.

Every day we hear or read of some new achievement by a woman who, from force of circumstances or from choice, attempts something more than keeping up the continual round of household duties. Mrs. V. A. Osdel is one of that ever-increasing class of energetic, efficient women. She has a special love for cooking and serving delicious "caesars."

Her girlhood was spent in the right atmosphere to foster this inclination. For her father was in the hotel business, during her earlier years. She later married, however, and as the years went on, her family and household duties occupied her entire attention.

It was not until the children were getting along in their school work and larger opportunities for their education

were being considered, that she turned her attention to other means of helping to give her children the best possible advantages was now her concern.

Her husband had a good position with a trunk-line railroad, but his health was not of the best, and to her practical mind, it clearly appeared that something else should be done.

Naturally she turned to the one thing which she had known best in her early life, and which had interested her all life, and which she had learned to do so well—the art of cooking.

Four different organizations—the Chamber of Commerce, the Kiwanis, the Rotarians and the Merchants Association—met at the lunch hour once a week in these rooms. Their meetings are held on different days, and each or-

WORKING YOUR WAY?
That's Not Unusual in Europe, Where Girl Students Must Earn Their Own Living

BY MARIAN HALE

New York—You may think your college days were strenuous, that they would have been glorious had the profits only eliminated those exams.

But even with exams and these and such, you enjoyed heaven in comparison with the heroic efforts the European girl is making to get through college.



GERMAN COLLEGE GIRLS WORKING IN A COMMUNITY KITCHEN. (INSET) MRS. ROBERT SPEER.

"Almost none of the women at the universities in central and eastern Europe has money enough these days to get through college without working her way," I am informed by Mrs. Robert Speer, head of the European Student Relief.

"Athletics are unheard of and quite superfluous because nearly every girl student supplements her college training with eight hours' work a day in factories, restaurants or shops.

"Many girls come to college in the fall practically penniless, trusting to luck and their own efforts to pay for their lodging, food and books."

Anything to Earn

The ways in which they earn their tuition are surprising and novel.

One girl Mrs. Speer mentioned is making a brilliant record in law school while operating a pencil-making machine during the day.

Another girl, learning to be a surgeon, rings a church bell on Sundays in exchange for her dinner.

Still others scrub floors, do odd jobs on farms, mend or patch—anything to carry them along from one day to the next.

"To be sure," Mrs. Speer states, "three years ago foreign universities would have gasped at the idea of their students doing such work. Then it was considered a disgrace for the intellectual classes to engage in manual labor. But how times have changed!

"The European Student Relief, supported to a large extent by self-supporting American students, really showed the way to these ambitious girls and have helped those who would otherwise have had to withdraw. But it has given help only to those who were willing to help themselves.

"European students not only work throughout the college semesters, but during every holiday. Vacations are to them only periods for earning a little more than at other times.

"During the summer some of them earned almost enough to carry them through the first term—at least it would have if the currency had remained stationary. But this fall when they returned, elated at the idea of a little ahead, the value of currency took another sharp decline, almost wiping out their earnings."

In three years the Student Relief has aided 105,000 students in 17 different countries. They had hoped to withdraw this year, but with the unsettled conditions it seems necessary to continue the work. Otherwise thousands of students would have to forego college. And in Europe, Mrs. Speer has found, there is a distinction made economically between the student who finishes her course and the one who does not.

SHE'S PRETTIEST

John A. McAvity entertained Mrs. Hutchison very informally at the Sign of the Lantern tea rooms.

Mrs. Fred R. Taylor and Mrs. John McAvity, of Robesay, presided at the tea hour and were assisted in serving by Mrs. Fred Foster and Miss Frances Alward. Mrs. Archibald spoke for a short time on educational requests, and the ladies of the assistance the I. O. D. E. could give her work, when she starts her campaign in the spring for better use of the King's English.

Mrs. William Neales, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. White, left last night for Detroit, where they will reside. Mr. Neales went there some time ago.

A linen shower was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Jeffrey, Millidge avenue, Thursday, Nov. 29, in honor of their daughter, Miss Kathleen Jeffrey, who will soon be married.

A gaily decorated basket, prettily ornamented with old rose crepe paper and ribbons, containing the gifts, was presented by the bride-elect, who expressed delighted appreciation of the favors bestowed. Thirty-five guests enjoyed the evening of music, games and dancing. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Captain and Mrs. George Price, who were the guests of Mrs. George Price, mother of the former, in West St. John, have returned to New York after pleasant visit with old home friends. Captain and Mrs. Price were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson, Harris street, prior to their departure for home.

I. O. D. E. CHAPTERS VOTE MONEY GRANT

Authorize Contributions to Law Memorial and Christmas Cheer Funds

Three of the primary chapters of the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, held their regular meetings yesterday. Money was voted to the Bonar Law memorial fund and for Christmas cheer.

Brunswick Chapter.

Brunswick chapter met at the residence of Mrs. Heber Vroom, the regent, presiding. The chapter decided to give \$15 to the Goodfellow's Christmas stocking fund; \$10 to the Women's Hospital Aid and \$2 to the Bonar Law fund. Mrs. Harold Mayes, convener of the relief committee, reported that an exceptionally large number of calls had been made upon the fund and many families had been aided. It was decided to send several well-filled baskets to Christmas time. A committee was appointed to obtain further information with regard to the selection of a candidate for the I. O. D. E. bursary. At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed and the hostesses were Mrs. Champolovier, Mrs. Fred Goodspeed and Mrs. Percy Manchester.

Loyalist Chapter.

Loyalist chapter met at the residence of Mrs. J. L. McAvity in Haen street, presiding. The chapter decided to give two of the English children's magazines to the free public library and also decided to make its educational secretary, Miss Irene McArthur, a member of the League of Nations Society. Mrs. J. Royden Thomson gave an excellent report of the semi-annual meeting of the provincial chapter in Charlottetown. The sum of \$25 was voted to the Goodfellow's fund and a donation to the Bonar Law fund was agreed upon. Plans were also made for sending out Christmas baskets to soldiers' families as in other years. Final preparations were made for the sale which is to take place soon.

Royal Arms Chapter.

The Royal Arms chapter met at the home of Mrs. E. S. Stephenson in Orange street with the regent, Mrs. R. W. Wigmore, in the chair. Satisfactory reports were received from the Armistice ball and plans were made for holding a tea and sale later this month. The meeting was well attended and considerable business was dealt with.

LEAVE TOMORROW FOR CALIFORNIA

George H. King, M. L. A., and Mrs. King arrived in the city yesterday from their home in Chipman and registered at the Royal Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. King will leave tomorrow for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will spend the next few months. It is Mr. King's intention to return to the province in time for the session of the Legislature early in the new year.

GENARO IS INJURED

New York, Dec. 3.—Frankie Genaro, U. S. flyweight champion, injured his back in his fight with Carl Tremaine of Cleveland, at Madison Square Garden Friday night, and will be unable to meet Midget Smith, at Philadelphia tonight.

SIDE GODETS.

When Gabrielle Chanel, Parisian designer, uses the circular movement on coats she does it with side godets, which are usually of fur. A gold tissue coat, embroidered all over with a Parisian design, has this effect.

VELVET POPULAR.

Velvet for street, afternoon and evening wear is one of the most popular materials, report some manufacturers. Twill and charmeuse street dresses are also in great demand, with broadened material soft formal occasions.

HIP GATHERS.

Slight gathers over the hips modify a straight-line sports coat. It is fashioned in a soft rose shade of shagmoor cloth, collar and cuffs in raccoon.

All Are Delighted with Vicks

St. John Families Find it Wonderful for Cold Troubles

St. John people became acquainted last winter with Vicks Vapo-Rub, the vaporizing salve for all cold troubles.

In the hundreds of homes where it has been tried, Vicks is already a stand-by for croup, children's colds, bronchitis, catarrh and various skin hurts and itches.

The New External Treatment

Vicks, the discovery of a North Carolina druggist, is a combination in salve form of the old time-tryed remedies, Camphor, Menthol, Eucalyptus, Thyme, Oil of Turpentine and other volatile oils.

When Vicks is applied it has two immediate actions. Externally, it is absorbed through and stimulates the skin, relieving the soreness and tightness of the chest. Internally, the volatile ingredients, released as vapors by the body heat, are inhaled directly into the affected air passages, loosening the phlegm and relieving the congestion and inflammation.

For croup and common colds you just rub Vicks over throat and chest and cover with warm flannel cloth. One application at bed-time usually prevents a threatened attack of croup. Colds are ordinarily broken up overnight. Croup attacks are usually eased in 15 minutes.

For deep chest colds, tonsillitis, bronchitis, or incipient pneumonia, hot, wet towels should first be applied over the throat and

chest, to open the pores of the skin and then use Vicks. For head colds, asthmatic or catarrhal troubles, insert a little Vicks up the nostrils, snuffing well back. Also melt some in a spoon or tin cup and inhale the vapors arising.

In the United States where Vicks originated, it is almost universally used in preference to internal "dosing." Mothers prefer it for children's cold troubles because it acts directly and quickly, and because it is applied externally and hence does not disturb the most delicate stomach. It is fine, also, for cuts, burns, scalds, bruises, sores, bites, stings, itching skin troubles and other forms of skin inflammation.

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OVER 17 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

Reports from St. John People

- Last winter each St. John druggist gave Vicks to his customers as samples of Vicks, with the understanding that they would test this new remedy and report the results. We are giving below a few reports from the many that were received.
- 87 Britain Street
- Mrs. E. Doyle, of 87 Britain street, St. John, N. B., says: "My mother used Vicks for bronchitis. She had a terrible cough. She rubbed Vicks on her chest, and took it internally. It relieved her greatly. She has used more of it since."
- 135 Sydney Street
- Miss Teresa Langan, of 135 Sydney street, St. John, N. B., writes: "I have used Vicks with very satisfactory results. I applied it on a very sore throat and received great relief. Every one should at all times have Vicks in the house."
- 73 City Road
- Mrs. J. Lavigne, of 73 City Road, St. John, N. B., says: "I tried your Vicks on my little boy, who had an awful cold. I never saw anything like Vicks before. Am much pleased with it."
- 33 Cranston Avenue
- Mr. Robert Guild, of 33 Cranston Ave., St. John, N. B., writes: "I have used Vicks for catarrh and where other remedies failed, I got great relief from Vicks. It is the best remedy I have yet used. It should be in every household."
- 83 Duke Street
- Mrs. Hiram C. Dorey, of 83 Duke street, St. John, N. B., says: "I have used Vicks for my little boy's cough. He used to cough dreadfully every night. One night I rubbed on some Vicks and warmed his chest by the stove. He did not cough at all that night. I have tested Vicks thoroughly, and it has never yet failed."
- 378 Watson Street, West
- Mr. George E. Day, of 378 Watson street, St. John, N. B., writes: "I had a bad cold in my chest and tried Vicks Vapo-Rub. I rubbed it on my chest and I heated and inhaled it. I found it very good and I will never be without it."
- 47 Main Street
- Miss Helen Gorrie, of 47 Main street, St. John, N. B., says: "Vicks is an exceedingly good remedy for a cold in the head. One night I rubbed on some Vicks all stuffed up, and I could not breathe properly. I used Vicks as directed and obtained great relief."

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LOOK ME IN THE EYE -- WERE YOU REALLY ATTENDING A BUSINESS CONFERENCE LAST NIGHT UNTIL TWO A.M.?

I SEE HERE THAT THE CONSUMPTION OF GASOLINE LAST YEAR WAS 10,000,000 GALLONS.

Mr. and Mrs. -

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JOE DEAR-- WILL YOU DO ME A FAVOR?

WHAT IS IT, FIRST

I'VE DONE A LOT OF FAVORS FOR YOU -- AND YOU MIGHT DO THIS FOR ME

IT MUST BE SOMETHING MIGHTY DIS-AGREEABLE OR YOU WOULDN'T BE ASKING ME TO DO IT

WELL WILL YOU -- IT'S NOT DIS-AGREEABLE

WHAT IS IT!? I CAN'T PROMISE WITHOUT I KNOW WHAT IT IS -- I'M PLAYING SAFE THAT'S ALL

I'M INVITED OVER TO MRS. BACON'S FOR BRIDGE, AND I JUST DON'T FEEL LIKE MAKING THE EFFORT -- BESIDES I DON'T PLAY WELL

YES?

I WANT YOU TO PHONE HER AND SAY I CAN'T COME BECAUSE OF ILLNESS

WHY THAT WOULD BE A LIE!! YOU'RE AS WELL AS I AM--

MY GOODNESS! SINCE WHEN HAVE YOU BEEN SUCH A STICKLER FOR THE TRUTH

I'LL NOT LIE ON THE PHONE FOR ANYBODY -- IF YOU WANT TO LIE GO AHEAD -- TELL YOUR OWN

SAY-Y-Y-- LISTEN TO ME --- DO YOU REMEMBER ABOUT TWO WEEKS AGO I PHONED YOUR OFFICE FOR YOU TO TELL 'EM YOU WERE SICK AND WOULDN'T BE DOWN -- SO YOU COULD PLAY GOLF

I SUPPOSE YOU'VE FORGOTTEN ABOUT THE TIME I GOT YOU OUT OF MEETING SOMEBODY DOWN AT THE HOTEL -- YOU HAD ME TELEPHONE YOU WERE CALLED OUT OF TOWN ON BUSINESS --- I SUPPOSE THAT WAS NO 'LIE EH?

ALLOW ME TO REMIND YOU OF THE TIME I GOT YOU OUT OF GOING TO THE HAMMOND DANCE -- YOU HAD ME TELL 'EM YOU HAD FALLEN AND FRACTURED YOUR SKULL--

I'VE TOLD MORE LIES FOR YOU THAN YOU CAN SHAKE A STICK AT --- HOW ABOUT THE TIME YOU PHONED ME YOU HAD TO STAY IN TOWN "ON BUSINESS" AND I COULD HEAR THE STRAINS OF AN ORCHESTRA -- IT'S MIGHTY FUNNY HOW YOU'VE BECOME SO VERY CONSCIENTIOUS ALL OF A SUDDEN

MERCY! DON'T LAY IT ON SO THICK

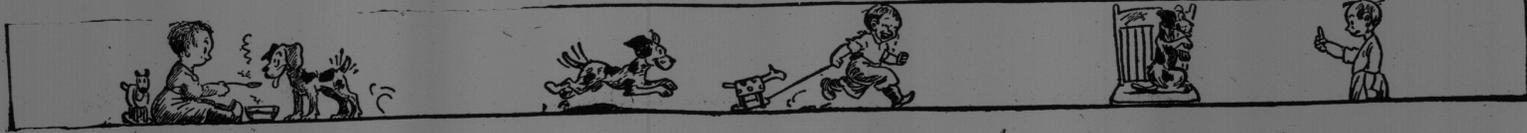
YES -- VERY SICK -- NO THE DOCTORS DON'T SEEM TO KNOW WHAT THE TROUBLE IS -- THEY THINK IT'S A COMPLICATION OF DISEASES -- YES WITH GOOD CARE THEY THINK SHE'LL PULL THROUGH -- SHE'S A VERY SICK GIRL

PAPA LOVE MAMA?

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U.S. Navy Department Decides on Dash Through Air to Pole

COOLIDGE APPROVES PROJECT

Next Summer Time Set for Expedition to Far North.

WORK ON DETAILS

Wireless Brings Word from Amundsen, Frozen in Until Spring.

Washington, Dec. 4.—A dash by air for the North Pole will be launched by the U. S. navy department during the coming summer, Secretary Denby announced yesterday that president Coolidge had given his specific approval to the project as "of great practical value."

The route, date and method of procedure for the trip, however, are still to be decided. A special board of naval officers headed by Rear-Admiral Moffatt, chief of naval aeronautics, will be appointed by Secretary Denby to prepare a detailed plan.

The project grew out of the desire of Robert A. Bartlett, explorer who sailed with Rear Admiral Peary on the Roosevelt on the expedition of 1909-9 again to make that journey. Mr. Bartlett proposed to secretary Denby some months ago that the Roosevelt, now in commercial service, be repurchased and equipped for polar work. It was pointed out by naval aircraft experts, however, that if a new "drifting" expedition were organized by the navy, others, perhaps under another flag, might attempt and complete and journey to the Pole by air before the Roosevelt party could make its way.

The decision to employ naval aircraft followed.

Copenhagen, Dec. 4.—The Amundsen expedition frozen in, in the far north, awaiting the spring, established radio communication with Spitzbergen yesterday. Captain Wisting reported that Engineer Sivertsen died on July 10, presumably from inflammation of the brain, after several months illness.

The Maud was in communication with Spitzbergen early last March, reporting that she was then about 800 miles northeast of Wrangel Island. She left Seattle in June 1922, carrying Captain Amundsen and an exploration party, but Amundsen later left the vessel to make preparations for his airplane flight across the North Pole which he subsequently abandoned but which he is planning to carry out next summer.

FORESEES GOOD 1924 OUTLOOK

New York Bank on Condition of Trade and Finance.

New York, Dec. 4.—"The condition of trade and finance augurs well for 1924, and it can fairly be said that the outlook is one that every other country of the globe would gladly exchange for its own," says the Mechanics and Metals National Bank in its December letter to customers. "Our industrial position is one of strength, without the appearance of embarrassing supplies of unsold goods which might seriously threaten the current price structure. Our labor is well employed at high wages, and was never before so well off as now. Our banking position is one of pronounced strength, with a credit supply that is available for any emergency."

"True, the country's condition is not wholly uniform as regards its condition of economic health; there are some industries which are not as well off as others with respect to outlet for their production, and there are those where decreased margins of profit have made operations at current price levels and labor costs unusually difficult. The difficulties confronting many of our farmers, the weight of domestic taxes, the obstacles faced by our railroads; the quandary of producers, manufacturers and distributors whose books show a comparatively small margin of profit after their expenses are taken care of; the extremely high level of wage scales; all these are matters worthy of the closest attention. But on the whole the situation is one that permits a hopeful view of the immediate future, and that practically assures the country against any violent adjustment like that which occurred three years ago."

"Warnings of extreme danger to this country may quite properly be discounted. Experience has shown that the United States has a power to adjust itself to circumstances, and, even though painfully, to overcome the effect of outside misfortunes. The dislocations of Europe are serious, but they are not beyond correction. They are of human creation. Human agencies are standing in the way of recovery, and when those human agencies finally acknowledge their faults and correct them, and when the economic strength of the European continent at last gets an opportunity to reassert itself, recovery will be rapid."

Curtis Burnley, character mimic who has not been heard in New York for several seasons, will make her reappearance at the Times Square Theatre Sunday evening, December 16.

PRINCESS MAUD IS CHARMING BRIDE

Interesting Personalities at Wedding—Other News Topics of London.

(From Times' Correspondent.) London, Nov. 15.—The inevitable crowds of smart and dowdy sightseers, mostly women, assembled round the Wellington Barracks for the royal wedding. There were some interesting personalities to be spotted, some magnificent costumes to be admired, many brave uniforms to count the medals on, and Princess Maud, a really charming bride in her effective wedding costume, to be cheered. What took my fancy was a little incident inside St. James' Palace. Master Alexander Ramsay, Princess Pat's small son, hid himself in a sentry box to get a nice view of the wedding pageant. He was spotted at once by the bride, hauled out, and given a most embarrassing kiss—right again to the sentry. Which, of course, served him right.

A Youthful Grandmother

It is difficult to believe that Queen Mary is really a grandmother. But it is even more difficult to realize, when you see her driving out in the Park, that Queen Alexandra is a great-grandmother, and has been sponsor to three generations of royal babies. Yet these are historical facts now, however the sweet illusion of smiling Ann, Domini, bravely confronted, may cheat the onlooker. The Queen Mother seems to have whispered to the Queen Consort her secret of abiding youthfulness. Nobody would dream of thinking of either royal lady as "elderly" in the least. Queen Mary looks a dignified and happy matron in the full tide of life, and Queen Alexandra is a dainty vignette of slim aristocratic beauty.

Dellish Up-to-Date

The modern version of Sanson and Dellish is a comedy with the roles reversed. Our up-to-date society Dellishs are being shown of the tresses whereon dwells their womanly glory by ponaed French hairdressers in the role of comic Sansons. It is an exceedingly smart wedding this week at Westminster Cathedral, when the beautiful Mrs. D'Erlanger, whose portrait has been painted by Augustus John, was married to Prince Jean Louis de Faucigny-Lucinge, the bride and her mother, the hostess, D'Erlanger, appeared with "shingled" hair. This is the very latest fashion that is being brought across from Paris, and it is really a more emphatic form of "bobbing." The hair is left longer at the front and sides, but is cropped as close as a man's at the back. The charm is supposed to be the revelation of a delicately alluring line of neck and head. Some of our very smartest matrons and debutantes of Mayfair are fully adopting the style.

Under The Axe

Perhaps the general public does not realize some of the tragedies that happened under the famous Geddes' axe. At the present moment there are engaged as butlers in different West End houses, two public ex-convicts. When these gallant officers were scrapped after the German Grand Fleet had been well and truly scuppered, they sought in vain for a suitable job. One of them held the rank of commander in the Royal Navy. But nothing in his line seemed available in civil life. Sheer necessity drove them to engage as butlers in Mayfair. They are both making a success of their jobs, from their employers' point of view, and neither of them has the work disagreeable. Their only real embarrassment is when friends of old days, who knew them socially or professionally, happen to be visitors at their places. And even the guests are usually more embarrassed than the butlers, R. N.

A Barrie Boom

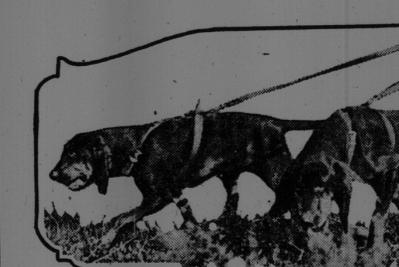
In all London there are only two theatres, including the Old Vic, producing Shakespearean plays at this moment. Both Berlin and Vienna are doing better than that. London is having a Barrie boom. When the Christmas revival of "Peter Pan" is staged presently, Sir J. M. Barrie will have four plays running at the West End, a record equalled some years ago by Somerset Maugham, but when theatrical conditions were, owing to the war, somewhat peculiar. But another British playwright, Frederick Lonsdale, author of "Aren't We All?" looks like achieving an even more remarkable record. He may soon have five of his plays running at once in New York. It is quite easy to realize how playwrighting, when it is successful, is the most lucrative form of literary work. While Sir J. M. Barrie's four plays are being acted in London his income from author's royalties alone in respect of these four plays will be at least £240 a week.

Happy Yankees!

What an exceedingly happy position we should be in, and how finely it would change the whole political outlook in this country, if Mr. Neville Chamberlain, or whoever will be Chancellor of the Exchequer in the next Government, could announce in advance a per cent reduction in income tax next April. This is the actual position in the United States, however, and our war debt remittances are as a fact furnishing just about half the necessary sum to enable the American taxpayers to obtain this grateful relief. It is noteworthy that about 172,000,000 is the 25-per cent. quota of America's income tax revenue, which must total, therefore, somewhere about £280,000,000, rather a modest sum, considering America's immensely larger population compared with our own. Whatever dispute may still exist as to who won the war, these figures little

Keep Down Crime in Northwest

These bloodhounds are the terror of criminals in the Pacific northwest. They are owned by Sheriff Matt Starwhich of Kings County, Wash. Whenever there is a murder or robbery, Queen (in front) and Rambler take up the trail of the men the law is after. And they have found many persons who have lost their way in the mountains. F. A. Davis, the hounds' trainer, is taking them for their regular morning jaunt.



room for any acute controversy as to who is paying for it.

Crown Prince Puzzle

Many people are jumping to the mistaken conclusion that the ex-Crown Prince's dash from Holland into Prussia has some active connection with the Bavarian coup that failed so dismally. But some of the leaders of the Bavarian emeute had any thought of restoring the Crown Prince, or any Hohenzollern Prince, to the throne. Their aim was to overthrow the existing Berlin Government, make Bavaria the new Prussia of Germany, and restore Prince Rupprecht to the dominant throne. It is much more likely that "Little Willie's" escapade was intended as a counter-demonstration to the Rupprecht notion. Possibly he could not stand the idea of the royal succession going out of the family, and believed that his presence in Germany might make it less likely.

N. S. MAN FINDS BROTHER'S BODY

Sydney, N. S., Dec. 3.—A gruesome discovery was made on the Sydney and Louisburg Railway near Gardiner Mines, and about a mile distant from the town of Dominion, this evening, when the dismembered body of Patrick McNeil, of Gardiner Mines, was found in the railway tracks. The body was found by a brother, John, who was on his way home from a moving picture show at Dominion. It is presumed that the unfortunate man was struck by a coal train.

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WEDDING BELLS FIRST, THEN UP GOES THEIR LEGAL SHINGLE

Cincinnati. — "William Hyman and Wife, Attorneys at Law." That is the shingle which will hang over a certain Cincinnati law office shortly if plans the principals in the venture are completed.

For a new form of partnership is in contemplation by Attorney William Hyman of Ft. Thomas, Ky., and Attorney Rebekah M. Paritz of this city. They are to be married soon and at the same time become partners in the practice of law, constituting the first husband-and-wife law partnership in Ohio.

Miss Paritz was admitted to the Ohio bar two years ago and is now assistant librarian in the Hamilton County law library. Her fiancé has been practicing five years.

ITALIAN DEATH LIST GROWING

Flood Victims Number Nearly 700—Victor Emmanuel on Scene

Bergamo, Italy, Dec. 3.—King Victor Emmanuel is now at the scene of the disaster which has laid waste the valleys for many miles around Bergamo. Despite the rain and cold and terrible conditions of the terrain, the King insisted upon making an extensive inspection as possible. He left nothing undone to inspire hope in the survivors.

He prompted ample assistance to repair to the vast losses, which are estimated at 200,000,000 lire.

The King visited as far as he was able the ruined villages, and talked with some of the injured in the hospitals. Stopping near the village of Corna once stood, the King was seen surrounded by peasants, mountaineers and farmers, who gave him a hearty welcome.

Victor Emmanuel climbed over great mountains of debris and finally came upon the gorge where the Dezzo torrent drops into the Oglio river, and from here he was able to realize the magnitude of the disaster.

The list of dead numbers more than 600, according to the latest available figures.

At Coler, which forms part of the Dezzo, there are only five survivors out of 175 inhabitants. At Corna, 150 perished; at Dezzo, 210; at Breggio, 14; at another small village, seven, while the various electric stations lost sixty men.

Whole families are still missing, therefore the casualty list has not been completed.

Several women in Bueggio were saved, as they were in a church which resisted the flood, but the parish priest,

ROBIN HOOD OF INDIA AT LAST IS SHOT

Notorious Robber Had Outwitted the Police for Years.

KILLED IN RAID

Made Sensational Robberies—Some Thrilling Escapes—After Being Captured.

Madras, India, Dec. 4.—Jumbalngam, a notorious bandit known for many years as the Robin Hood of India, has been shot dead with his lieutenant, Kasi, in an affray with the Tinnevely police. The death of this leader, marking the end of a long campaign on the part of the police, was the result of a sudden night raid. Constables surrounded the house in which Jumbalngam and other dacoits were sleeping. The inmates of the house made a spirited defense, killing the Indian police officer in charge of the party and wounding several others, but were soon overpowered by force of numbers and were shot down.

Operating in the hilly tract between the Tinnevely district and Travancore State, Jumbalngam and his robber band became widely celebrated for their innumerable exploits and their sensational escapes from the police, even after arrest. The bandits made their home in almost inaccessible mountain places, and from these points of vantage made frequent raids into the plains. Disguised as holy men or innocent beggars, they frequented the country roads and relieved travelers of whatever valuables they possessed.

On one occasion when Jumbalngam and some of his confederates were confined in the Central Jail at Palani-cottah, he, by some means yet a mystery, obtained keys to all the cells where his men were confined, and enabled the whole party to escape, un-noticed by any of the guards or wardens set over them.

At another time the police captured the bandits by the aid of an ex-convict who, on promise of a reward, joined Jumbalngam's gang and, at a suitable opportunity, betrayed it to the police party. As Jumbalngam and his fellows were being led to jail, in charge of an armed guard, they succeeded not only in escaping but in stripping the guards of their uniforms and taking their carbines and ammunition.

Jumbalngam perpetrated many of his recent robberies by impersonating a police officer charged with the special duty of capturing him. A heavy price had been offered for his head for several years.

The average daily wages of the French laborer is reported to be about 14 francs.

BOY FALLS OFF WHARF; CLOSE CALL

Yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock, a young son of Frank Hopkins, 462 Bridge street, while playing on the wharf near the Nasw warehouse at In-diantown, fell into the water. Fortunately there were some people about at the time and the boy was rescued, but not until he had nearly lost his life.

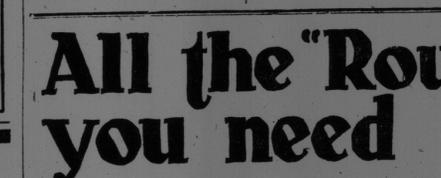
Dr. Harold S. Clark, 349 Main street, was summoned and, after doing all possible for the young fellow, ordered his removal to the General Public Hospital, where he is reported to be progressing favorably.

Clothes that are yellow from lying around should be dipped in boiling water and dashed with oxalic acid, putting two tablespoons of the acid to a gallon of water. Then wring them out, dry in the sunshine, and wash as usual.

The average daily wages of the French laborer is reported to be about 14 francs.

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BOY SHOTS AND KILLS BROTHER

Maine Authorities Probing Mysterious Tragedy on River Bank

Skowhegan, Me., Dec. 3.—Deputy sheriff today informed authorities here that Roland Miller, 16 years old, had shot and killed his 12-year-old brother, on the banks of the Moose River, two miles north of Rockwood.

HEAVY EARTHQUAKE SHAKES JAP ISLAND

Tokio, Dec. 3.—A sudden and severe earthquake, which lasted forty seconds, was felt at Nagoya, 170 miles south-west of here, on the island of Honshu, at 10.18 o'clock last night.

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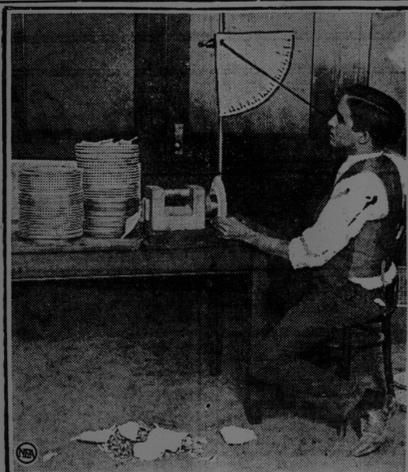
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UNCLE LETS 'EM SMASH EVERY DISH IN SIGHT



A GOVERNMENT DISH BREAKER.

(By Harry B. Hunt, NEA Service Writer.) Washington, Dec. 4.—News that for more than a year Uncle Sam has been engaged in breaking up China, coming on the heels of our announced readiness to take a hand again in European affairs, doubtless will come to pacifists and isolationists as a distinct shock.

There is, however, no cause for alarm in the latter announcement. No international crisis will result, although it now may be stated definitely that China has been reduced to smithereens. For the government records holding the secrets of the year's manipulations against China are not records of the State Department, but of the ceramics division of the Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce.

And the China that we have been busting in the China we eat off of, not the China that gives us our chop-suey artists. Uncle Sam's Care. A visitor to the Industrial building of the Bureau of Standards was startled the other day by the sudden, shattered silence.

"Crash! Smash! Tinkle, tinkle, tinkle." Rushing into the room where the seeming catastrophe had occurred he saw a genial-looking young man roll out of the debris of what had once been a perfectly good set of dishes. He brushed off his pants, picked the handle of a teacup out of his eye and inquired how he could be of service.

"Why—What—Who're you?" stammered the visitor.

"Me? Why, I'm one of the guys who makes a living breaking up China. There's another one here who can bust more in a day than I can, though."

A demoralizing crash ripped his way out of the next room. "Oh, don't mind that," said W. J. Scott, the first plate-buster and chief of the ceramics division. "That's just my playmate busting a Haviland saucer. Come in and watch them awhile."

The visitor eased in cautiously, fearful of being welcomed by a flying soup bowl. Inside were two men busily scratching down figures, lifting a little hammer and letting it fall against a plate, then putting down more figures. Then Scott explained what it was all about.

Uncle Sam's uses a lot of chinaware. Army, navy, marine corps, Shipping Board—all buy by the carload. Each department buys what it wants, without regard to quality. Great waste naturally results. Going, Going, Gone. So the budget bureau decided there must be specifications for a uniform standard in government dishes. The bureau was handed the job of developing the specifications.

For a year Scott and two assistants have been testing all kinds of chinaware for strength and durability. They've used up more than all Hollywood's movie comedy studios. But they're about through, and in a few weeks will send in their specifications. "American ware is the toughest, because it is not baked so hard," said Scott. "But German ware will hold the designs the longest."

Whole carloads of chinaware have been destroyed in conducting the tests. "We've broken up some mighty pretty dishes," Scott said, "but then that has been our job—to break up China!"

PROFITTEERING IN GERMANY ENDED

Berlin, Dec. 3.—The first welcome signs of cheaper living in Germany became apparent today when the butchers reduced meat prices from 20 to 30 per cent, as a result of the action of the food minister who on Friday laid out representatives of the meat trade that severe measures would be adopted if profiteering continued.

ARREST POSSIBLE FOR GIRL'S DEATH

Québec, Dec. 3.—There is a persistent rumor that the Blanche Gagneau murder case may be reopened. Although public interest in the affair has waned, the police have pursued their enquiries with untiring zeal and they are now reported to have evidence that might result in an arrest.

Cause of Early Old Age

The celebrated Dr. Michenoff, an authority on early old age, says that it is "caused by poisons generated in the intestine." When your stomach digests food properly it is absorbed without forming poisonous matter. Poisons bring on early old age and premature death. 15 to 30 drops of "Sige's Syrup" after meals makes your digestion sound, so

TWO KILLED IN MOTOR ACCIDENT

Third Seriously Injured When Party Hurled 30 Feet Into River

Frankfort, Me., Dec. 3.—Clifford Irving, 22 years old, of Searsport and Harry Blanchard, 30 years old, of Hudson, were instantly killed here yesterday, when the runabout in which they were riding skidded from the road just below the power or Broad Street bridge, turned over and hurled the two men over the bank of the Marsh river, a drop of 30 feet. Both struck on their heads on granite boulder blocks, and were dead when picked up. Blanchard's body rolled to the water's edge.

Bernard Wilbur, 21 years old, employed here, whose home is in Penamac, who was also in the car, saved his life by jumping. He at first appeared not much hurt but tonight shows symptoms of internal bruises and if no better will be taken to the hospital.

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Mr. F. W. H. Schultz, Pembroke, Ont., writes: "Having been troubled with eczema for fifteen years, during which time I tried everything I could think of, including doctors, but without getting anything out of it, I finally decided to take Burdock Blood Bitters, and I was certainly surprised to find that two weeks after I had started to take it I was relieved of my trouble. This was nine months ago and I have not had a sign of it since I surely wish to thank you for this wonderful medicine and to strongly recommend it to anyone suffering from the same trouble as I had."

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LONGSHORE DISPUTE ENDED IN HALIFAX

Halifax, Dec. 3.—A wage dispute that has been proceeding amicably between the Halifax Longshoremen's Association and the shippers of that port ended when the association accepted a new agreement which allows an increase of 10 cents an hour. The new wage agreement is for a year and gives the longshoremen 65 cents an hour day and 75 cents per hour for night work, these rates to become effective when the present yearly agreement expires. It is also stipulated in the new agreement that longshoremen accept orders from foremen only.

Blackheads Go Quick By This Simple Method

Blackheads—big ones or little ones—soft ones or hard ones—any kind that just disfigures them. To do this get from your druggist—sprinkle a little on a hot, wet cloth—rub over the blackheads briskly for a few seconds—and wash off. You will have gone through squeezing blackheads only open the pores of the skin—leave them open—wash with slightly—while the simple application of peroxide will clean the pores—leave them right out, leaving the skin soft and the pores in their natural condition.

FORMER CANADIAN SUB-CHASER TAKEN

New York, Dec. 3.—A speeding runner collided with the steam yacht Segetta, of Ambrose Light, the night of Nov. 27, clipped off the vessel's stern, sank her and sent a member of the crew overboard to his death. It was learned today when customs officials sought to identify the liquor smuggling steam cutter Dragon as the offending vessel.

Captain William Wrege, of the Segetta, failed to identify the Dragon as the boat that crashed into him. The Dragon, captured off Port Jefferson, Long Island, Saturday, was formerly a Canadian submarine-chaser and flew both the United States and British flags when taken.

THREE AIRMEN ARE KILLED IN CRASH

San Diego, Calif., Dec. 3.—Three naval aviators were killed today when two airplanes collided at an altitude of about 1,000 feet at a point almost directly over the bridge between Coronado and North Island. The dead are: Lieut. E. M. Byers, 28, of Coronado; Willard B. Jackson, 28, aviation chief machinist mate, of San Diego, and Thomas B. Entwistle, aviation chief machinist mate, 29, whose widow resides at Pensacola, Fla.

BLAMES SOCIETY FOR JAIL ENVIRONMENT THAT LED BOY INTO BANDIT CAREER

(By Don E. P. Drohan.) Cleveland.—Abolish the county jail! Substitute houses of correction, where persons, especially juvenile delinquents, arrested for minor infractions, will be segregated from hardened criminals. Therein will society solve, in a major degree, the problem of the first offender.

And therein will scores of reckless youths be snatched from the path that ultimately leads to the gallows or the electric chair. This, in brief, is the opinion of James P. Kirby, chief probation officer of Common Pleas Court here. It is based upon his experiences in handling scores of cases wherein "boy desperadoes" have played the leading roles.

Kirby, at the time of this interview, was thinking of John Lavanavitch, 17-year-old "dime novel bandit," facing a long prison sentence and possibly even the death chair. For John, together with 19-year-old Albert Bobnar, is accused of fatally shooting a policeman, Patrolman Harry Dudley, as a climax to a brief but busy "stick-up" career.

John, police say, is the confessed leader of his band of two. To him is ascribed within six weeks, a series of 14 robberies, six of which, the officers declare, the little tow-headed lad has admitted he "pulled" alone.

In the long list is one "job" wherein Lavanavitch walked into a store and backed 14 husky men against a wall while he emptied the cash drawer. Even after the policeman's shooting, John and his older companion, according to his purported confession, robbed another store.

John, Kirby declares, was given his schooling in the "stick-up" game by an ex-convict while he was serving 30 days in a Jacksonville (Fla.) jail for "bumming freights."

"Society must shoulder a lot of the blame in John's case," says Kirby. "If he hadn't been thrown with that 'old-timer' down in Jacksonville, Fla., he probably wouldn't be in the fix he's in today."

And Kirby also blames the "cheap, trashy novels," "Jesse James" books were found in John's room. And with them was a miniature arsenal, so police declare, bought from mail-order houses.

"There ought to be a federal law prohibiting promiscuous sale of guns by such places," Kirby declares. "Several states have such laws. But it's time Congress took some action."

NO MORE WEAK AND DIZZY SPELLS Since She Used MILBURN'S Heart and Nerve Pills

Miss Bertha Charrette, Regina, Sask., writes: "I have now taken three boxes and am so much improved I can go about my daily work without feeling any after ill effects, and have not had any weak or dizzy spells for some time. Your medicine has done me more good than anything I have ever taken, and I will gladly recommend Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills to any woman who is weak and run-down."

Price 50c. per box at all dealers, on mailed order on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

BEST LIVER AND BOWEL LAXATIVE

If Headachy, Bilious, Sick, Constipated. 10¢ CATHARTIC Candy. WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP.

No griping or inconvenience follows a gentle liver and bowel cleansing with "Cascarets." Sick, Headache, Biliousness, Gases, Indigestion, and all such distress gone by morning. Most harmless laxative for Men, Women and Children—10¢ boxes, also 25¢ and 50¢ sizes, any drug store.

2,000 BISHOPS TO ATTEND COUNCIL

Rome, Dec. 3.—It is expected that the allocation which Pope Pius will deliver at the secret consistory December 20 will make known the date for the ecumenical council, which will be convened in Rome, with 2,000 Bishops present from all parts of the world.

Monsignor Aurelio Galile, director-general of the Vatican museum, and famous as a Latin scholar, and Monsignor Caecilia Doniti, private chamberlain to the Pope, are mentioned as likely to be created cardinals.

MAKE NOMINATIONS FOR BOYS' COUNCIL

Nomination day was featured at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon after school, the occasion being preparation for election of the Boys' Council to be held next Saturday. A campaign will be carried on through the week, each of the candidates nominated yesterday presenting his arguments before the voters, who will assemble in the gymnasium from time to time prior to the election. The following were the choice of the nominating committee: For mayor, Ronald Brown and Murray Sargeant; clerks, Ronald Thomas and Eric Golding; commissioners, Morley Ewing, Harry Humphrey, William Sargeant, Hugh Kennedy, Melville Rice and Robert Bishop. C. M. McCully, boys' work secretary, presided at the "business meeting."

NAMED TO ACT IN LOGGIE'S ABSENCE

Fredericton, Dec. 3.—W. E. McMullin, chief draftsman, has been appointed Acting Deputy Minister of the Department of Lands and Mines during the absence of Lieut.-Col. T. G. Loggie, I. S. O., who has left for California on an extended holiday trip.

The Perils of Neglect

Digestive ailments are frequently neglected. People say "It's only a touch of indigestion—it will go away." What begins as simple discomfort is allowed to become a serious—chronic ailment. Never neglect the treatment of digestive derangement. To relieve disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, Beecham's Pills act promptly and usually overcome the difficulty. Take



BEECHAM'S PILLS

Sold everywhere in Canada. Largest Sale of any Medicine in the World

Disease Germs Doomed

Many have lost terrors for the Scientist. The progress of recent years in medical research is little short of marvellous. Daily, science kills germs by the million. Daily, new ones are being discovered, isolated and exterminated by the march of medicine.

Science is winning. What were once regarded as serious diseases are now fought out of countenance by the doctors. Fearlessly they plunge naked hands into swarms of them, their only precaution being to rinse their hands afterwards with a reliable germicidal preparation. We are witnessing the birth of an era when the world will have little to fear from microbes.

Absorbine Jr., besides being the all-purpose liniment that removes pain and soreness, and hastens healing, is a powerful antiseptic that is death to the microbe world.

Absorbine Jr. is just what is needed in the house in case of accidents and to correct the many little household hurts that constantly occur. \$1.25 at your druggist.

70 AT SUPPER MEETING.

There were over 70 boys present at the supper meeting on Saturday evening at the Y. M. C. A., when the Trail Rangers Grand Camp supper was served. Various Protestant churches were represented as follows: Ludlow street Baptist, West St. John, 31; German street, 10; St. Mary's, 8; Exmouth, 8; Central, 4 and St. David's, 9. A sing-song was held in the gymnasium after supper and was followed by competitive stunts, in which Ludlow street boys won 40 points. Dr. H. T. Crossley gave the boys his address on "How to Keep Young."

Why Nurse! There is nothing better as a preventative for Flu and Pneumonia



BUCKLEY'S BRONCHITIS MIXTURE

The one proven preventative and guaranteed remedy for COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS. 40 DOSES 75¢ AT ALL DRUGGISTS.

Feels Like a Young Man Now

Mr. G. A. Whelpley is Now Hale and Hearty at Seventy three Years of Age, Thanks to Drecto

Mr. G. A. Whelpley, well-known to the theatre-going public of St. John, N. B., as an employee of the Imperial Theatre, and who resides at 86 Sydney street, tells his Drecto relieved him of rheumatism and stomach trouble.

"I have been troubled with rheumatism for the past five years," says Mr. Whelpley, "and I could not get relief although I tried many medicines. I have only used three bottles of Drecto and I am no longer bothered with any more pain. In fact, I would not know I ever had it."

"Neither am I troubled with my stomach and I have no more pains in my kidneys, thanks again to Drecto. This splendid remedy has made me feel more like a young man than a man seventy-three years old. Drecto gets all my praise and I strongly recommend it."

Age offers no obstacle to the corrective properties of Drecto. If your symptoms are those that can be traced to the improper functioning of the organs of digestion, Drecto will help you as it has helped thousands. It contains no mercury, potash or habit forming drugs, being scientifically compounded from herbs, roots, bark and leaves of known medicinal value.

Advertisement for THERMOGENE DRY FLEECY MEDICATED WOOL. Includes text: "DANGER LURKS IN NEGLECTED CHILLS. Take no risks. If you feel the slightest ache or pain after being out in the damp and cold, apply Thermogene." and "Use Thermogene Medicated Wooling for Lumbago, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Neuritis, Grippé, Sore Throat, Chest Colds, Bronchitis." Includes image of a man and a box of Thermogene.

Advertisement for DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD. Includes text: "There Were Many Things Which I Could Not Eat" and "Mrs. H. Robert Wells, English Harbour, Trinity Bay, Nfld., writes: 'I was troubled with nervous dyspepsia—so much so that there were a great many things I could not eat at all on account of the distressed feeling afterwards. I used many different remedies, but they did me little good. Finally I tried Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and Kidney-Liver Pills, and was surprised at the relief this combined treatment gave me in such a short time.'"

Advertisement for Drecto. Includes text: "Drecto is being specially introduced in St. John by Ross Drug Co., 100 King street. It is also sold by Moore's Drug Store, 105 Prince Edward street, and F. W. Munro, 357 Main street. It is also sold in Fairville by T. H. Wilson, in West St. John by Watson R. Dunlop, and by a good druggist everywhere."

ORPHAN SUNDAY
IS SUGGESTION

Provincial Campaign Committee Make Request to Protestant Churches.

Sunday, Dec. 9, will be set aside in every Protestant church in New Brunswick as Orphan's Sunday, if the request of the provincial campaign committee in charge of the campaign to raise \$250,000 for the Protestant orphans is carried out.

It is believed that this plan will be generally carried out and with this as a prelude to the great drive to start on Monday, Dec. 10, the provincial campaign committee have no doubts as to the measure of the response from the Protestant people.

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Present and Proposed Buildings at New Orphanage



The perspective plan of the whole of the series of buildings which it is proposed to erect on the Managonish Road property purchased by the New Brunswick Protestant Orphanage directors for the new home of the institution.

The picture shows the former Manchester property in front, to the left is the new wing, now under construction with a similar wing, that may be erected later, running out to the right.

In front and to the right is a separate building that may be erected to house the infants. In the rear on the right hand is the proposed school house and in the rear at the left is the barn of the Manchester property which was moved to that position when the new construction work was undertaken.

SAYS TIME HAS COME FOR ACTION
ON HARBOR COMMISSION HERE

M. E. Agar Expresses View at Cheery Meeting of Trade Board.

The annual meeting of the Board of Trade was held last evening, when there was a large attendance and great interest displayed in the statements on port prospects and harbor development that were made by Supt. J. M. Woodman.

Superintendent Woodman spoke optimistically of the port outlook. Vessels were arriving in larger numbers than last winter; the grain outlook he expected would equal if not exceed that of last season; package freight was on the increase. The whole situation was most encouraging.

Commissioner Bullock entered into detail as to what was being accomplished in the port, also as to the success he had met with on his recent Ottawa trip, when an agreement with regard to the establishment of the additional potato warehouse was fixed upon, and when he also had an opportunity of getting some favorable expressions and helpful information on the matter of harbor commission for the port.

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PASS VOTE OF \$25
FOR HEALTH CENTRE

Reports were received in connection with the recent Hallowe'en tea and bridge and plans were made for a dance to take place after the new year, by the members of St. Vincent's Alumnae at the regular meeting held last night in the Alumnae rooms.

The sum of \$25 was voted to the Health Centre. The president, Miss Mary Chalson, was in the chair. After the business was dealt with a social evening was enjoyed. Refreshments were served by the room committee, Miss J. Conlon and Miss Lillian Wallace.

A PORT ELGIN
MAN DROWNED

Walter Grant Falls From Schooner in Strait of Northumberland

Port Elgin, Dec. 3.—A drowning accident occurred off Point Prim recently, when Walter Grant, of Port Elgin, was struck by falling tackle and fell overboard from the schooner Victor T., bound from Charlottetown to Pictou.

The schooner with Captain J. Tremblay in charge, was manned only by Mr. Grant and a boy. It was blowing hard at the time of the accident and they were engaged in reefing the topsail. Something fell from aloft, striking Mr. Grant. When it was seen that he had fallen overboard the vessel was immediately brought about, but it was impossible to effect a rescue. The vessel reached Pictou where the tragic news was telegraphed here. The body has not yet been found.

Mr. Grant was about 30 years of age and unmarried. He is well known as a seaman, having sailed with his brother on the schooner Eva May.

The United States army has mammoth searchlights that have a lighting capacity of 800,000,000 candlepower.

NEW COUNSEL FOR
FATHER DELORME

Montreal, Dec. 3.—Alban Germain, K. C., has agreed to appear as the defending counsel for Father Adelard Delorme in the place of Messrs. Albeys Taschereau, K. C., of Quebec, and C. H. Cahon, K. C., it was announced here today. The two latter lawyers appeared in the priest's defence last summer when he was placed on trial to take place after the murder of Berdean jail this afternoon.

U. S. REPUBLICANS
BLOCK CONGRESS

Insurgents Prevent Organization of House by Selection of Speaker.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Republican insurgents prevented the organization today of the 68th congress. Hardly had the house and senate convened before the progressive group in the house made good its threat to block the election of a speaker. Four ballots were taken without result, and the house adjourned until noon tomorrow when Republican organization leaders will renew their effort to elect Speaker F. H. Gillett.

In contrast with the storm in the organization fight is in the back ground, there was no effort to force it today, and there were indications that it would be deferred at least until after President Coolidge has delivered his first annual message to Congress.

The President cannot deliver his message, however, until the house is organized nor can the new congress function.

Representative Longworth, the Republican leader in the house, declared that there would be no compromise with the insurgents as a group, but that organization leaders would treat with the individual members just the same as with any others of their party.

WARRANTS SERVED ON GOV. MCGRAY
Indianapolis, Dec. 3.—Governor Warren T. McGray today was served with warrants for his appearance to answer to the charges contained in eight indictments returned against him by the

Marion county grand jury last Friday. Bonds of \$25,000 were provided by twelve local men.

SAYS THINGS ARE QUIET.

Chief Prohibition Inspector J. B. Hawthorne, arrived in the city last night from Fredericton and is a guest

at the Victoria Hotel. The Chief stated that reports from different sections of the province were to the effect that conditions were rather quiet at the present time.

CONDITION CRITICAL.

John Welsh, the veteran C. N. R. parlor car attendant on the Halifax-St. John run, who became suddenly ill in Halifax last week, is reported as being in a critical condition.

All Oats are not
Quaker Oats



While Quaker Oats are the best known oats, all oats are not Quaker Oats.

Quaker Oats—the big, plump, picked oats, come only in the Quaker carton. You cannot get Quaker Oats any other way.

You will like Quaker quality—Quaker purity—Quaker flavour. Insist on them. Ask for the Quaker package—the sealed round carton with the removable top. Also in sealed square cartons.

Large packages 30 cents; enough for 30 breakfasts

Quaker Oats
In Sealed Cartons Only

Tillson's Oats, also a product of The Quaker Mills—the only oats as good as Quaker

The Quaker Oats Company, Peterborough and Saskatoon.

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Blotchy skin—
upset stomach—
constipation—
Ills that embitter the lives of millions . . .
yet, in most cases, needless!

Failure to nourish the body properly, or—failure to remove its waste-matter regularly—these are at the root of 99 out of every 100 cases of constipation, skin trouble, digestive disorders.

When the intestinal tract is sluggish and weak, the whole body becomes flooded with poisons: the blood is impoverished, the skin perhaps affected. The digestive organs may not be equal to the strain. In many cases medical or surgical aid becomes imperative.

Scientists agree, however, that medicine can never cure the trouble: it can only relieve the symptoms temporarily. The body must cure itself, so to speak.

The really startling results which Fleischmann's Yeast has given so many sufferers are easily explained. 2 or 3 cakes a day of this fresh, natural food contain the very elements needed to help

build up the body afresh. The millions of tiny living plants in each yeast cake make digestion easy, and give the intestinal muscles regular, healthy exercise. The wealth of vitamins and proteins increases the white corpuscles in the blood, and gives new tone and vigor to the whole system.

Remember that Fleischmann's Yeast for health comes only in the tinfoil wrapper, and cannot be purchased in tablet form.

All grocers have it. Eat it before or between meals, plain, in water or fruit juices, or spread on crackers or on bread, whichever you prefer.

Send for free booklet, "The New Found Value of Fleischmann's Yeast in Building Health." THE FLEISCHMANN COMPANY, 209-I, 208 Simcoe Street, Toronto, Ont.

"I believe I tried every kind of salts advertised in America," writes Wilson Lovett, of Louisville, Kentucky, "and the same thing with pills. I ran, played tennis, rode horseback, took abdominal massages—still constipation stuck with me. . . . Fleischmann's Yeast appealed to me as logical. I began eating two cakes every day at the lunch hour. . . . After about eight weeks I was able to do without pills or salts of any sort. It is now eight months since I have found it necessary to use a cathartic of any kind—and this, understand, is after a condition of chronic constipation that had lasted for seventeen years."



"My face was so covered with pimples that I could scarcely touch it without an exclamation of pain, and so unsightly that I was ashamed to go out," says Olive Krass Kestin, of N. Sacramento Blvd., Chicago. "Then a skin specialist advised me to eat two cakes of Fleischmann's Yeast every day, saying that my bodily resistance was low, and that there were not enough white corpuscles in my blood. I took the yeast regularly in a little orange juice, and now my face has changed so that my friends don't recognize me."

FLEISCHMANN'S YEAST—a natural corrective food

My Experience is that
DR. CALDWELL'S LAXATIVE
SYRUP PEPIN
Is just what you need

This Will Make Digestion Easy
WHAT the dyspeptic needs is not soda and charcoal and breath perfumes but a medicine that will help his bowels to move regularly, for dyspepsia and constipation are allied. If you will take Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Syrup Pepin systematically as the directions on the package call for you will soon digest your food properly and pass it out normally, and heartburn, belching, dizziness, nervousness and bloating will vanish. In time you can dispense with all medicines as Laxative Syrup Pepin will have exercised the intestinal and stomach muscles so they act for themselves. Mr. E. N. Gagné, 333 St. Patrick St., Ottawa, Ont., Mrs. Urriah Stewart of Croisestown, N. S., and hosts of others will verify this.

World Acclaims Success
Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Syrup Pepin is the prescription of a well-known physician of that name who practiced successfully for 47 years. It has been on the market 30 years and is today the largest selling liquid laxative in the world. Thousands of families have it in their medicine chest ready when any member shows signs of dyspepsia, constipation, torpid liver, sour stomach, biliousness, coated tongue, offensive breath, headaches and such ailments that indicate deranged stomach and bowels. Many serious diseases are prevented by this timely aid.

Formula Plainly Stated
Have no hesitancy giving Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Syrup Pepin to anyone young or old. It is a mild, gentle laxative free from narcotics. It will not cramp or gripe. The formula is on the package, a compound of Egyptian senna with papain and simple aromatics. A bottle can be had at any drug store and averages less than a cent a dose. Economical for families and fully guaranteed. You will find it a great improvement in taste and action over castor oil, or "candy cathartics" made from coal-tar that cause skin diseases, calomel that loosens the teeth, salts in water or powder that concentrate the blood and dry the skin.

***** If You Want to Try It Free Before Buying *****
I need a good laxative and would like to prove what you say about Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Syrup Pepin by actual test. Send me a free trial bottle. Address to
Name _____
Address _____
Not more than one free trial bottle to a family

MANITOBA ADDS
TO GOVERNMENT

Enlarges Cabinet to Seven—
By-Elections Held
Dec. 24.

Winnipeg, Dec. 2.—An increase in the Manitoba cabinet from six to seven members, with the resignation of one minister and the introduction of one from the ranks of the provincial members of the legislature was announced this afternoon by Premier Bracken.

Hon. Neil Cameron, Minister of Agriculture, has resigned. His portfolio is taken by the Premier but Mr. Cameron will remain in the cabinet without portfolio.

Albert Prefontaine, member for Carleton, one time Conservative leader in Manitoba and elected in 1922 as an Independent-Conservative enters the cabinet as provincial secretary, succeeding Hon. D. L. McLeod, for whom is created the new portfolio of Municipal Affairs.

C. R. Leason, farmer member for Mountain, takes over the portfolio of education, which has been held by Mr. Bracken.

There will be by-elections on Dec. 24 in Carleton and Mountain as a result of the changes.

TARANTO, ITALY,
SWEEP BY GALE

Taranto, Italy, Dec. 3.—A violent electrical storm accompanied by hail and followed by a cyclonic wind, swept Taranto and the surrounding country this morning. The wind storm lasted a considerable time and did much damage to property. Monuments in the cemetery were blown over, in some cases exposing the openings to the tombs. No loss of life was reported.

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Want ads. on these pages will be read by more people than in any other evening paper in Eastern Canada.

FOR SALE

REAL ESTATE... FOR SALE - New Two-story House, Corner Duke and Pitt Streets, 8 Pitt Street.

FOR SALE

AUTOS FOR SALE... ALWAYS A FEW GOOD USED CARS which we sell at what they cost us after thorough overhauling.

TO LET

FLATS TO LET... TO LET - Four roomed flat on Exmouth St., Apply at Arnold's Dept. Store.

LOOKING FOR WORK?

For those seeking employment, this newspaper offers a special price of one-half the regular classified rate.

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APARTMENTS TO LET... Will be Available For RENTAL SHORTLY DUFFERIN APARTMENTS 109 Charlotte street.

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FOR SALE - Building lots at Brookville, fronting on Rothney avenue, good land for garden.

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FOR SALE - All parts for Overland Model 75B (Roadster) also all parts for Gray Dorr (Touring).

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FOR SALE - Old fashioned walnut furniture - Apply 59 Broad St.

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LONGSHOREMEN AGREE TO CONCILIATION BOARD TERMS AT LARGE MEETING

Some 600 Attend Gathering Which Endorses Finding of Arbitrators.

Acceptance of the recommendations of the conciliation board in the matter of the wages and working conditions of the longshoremen at a mass meeting held at the Longshoremen's Association was made by the longshoremen at a mass meeting in St. Vincent's auditorium last evening attended by about 600 members. The board recommends a wage of 65 cents an hour.

H. C. Schofield, representative of the shipping interests, said last evening that while he had nothing of an official nature for publication, he had every reason to believe that the shipping interests would subscribe to the conditions imposed by the board in its findings. "Officially, however, will come from Montreal," said Mr. Schofield.

Last night's meeting was presided over by J. J. Donovan, president of the local union. After the reports of the delegates at the conference a ballot was taken on the question of acceptance or rejection. Rejection of the board's finding would mean a strike.

Extracts From Report. The following are extracts from the report of the board of conciliation which sat in St. John and which was composed of E. McG. Quirk, Ottawa, chairman; Bernard Rose, Montreal, representing the shipping interests; and Joseph Monteth, representing the men.

"The board was surprised to note that in one of the wharves belonging to the city of St. John, the lighting facilities are not only highly inadequate but in addition dangerous to life. The matter is one which the board feels justified in calling to the attention of the authorities of the city of St. John and urgently recommending prompt action be taken with a view to installing a number of lights in the shed, not less than those which are provided at the Government wharves."

"The sanitary facilities on the wharves belonging to the city of St. John are by no means what they should be, nor has any effort been made to provide quarters where the men employed can go and get their food heated and partake of same. The absence of such facilities no doubt works a hardship upon these men. They believe that the least that should be done is to furnish light, sanitary facilities, rest and food huts up to the standard maintained in Government shed No. 18. It trusts that the recommendation makes in this regard will be acted upon without delay by the authorities that have the power to make the necessary changes."

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A Sunday and the following Monday be declared a holiday by the Government, such Monday shall be considered a holiday under this section.

"7. Any ship taking nothing else but deals after the discharge of her cargo shall be termed a deal boat. Any ship taking general cargo and deals shall be termed a cargo boat.

"8. Ten (10) cents per hour extra to be paid for sulphur in bulk and salt in bulk, also wet hides in bundles on week days, day or night.

"9. No man shall stay in the hold of any ship or vessel while grain is running.

"10. All orders to the men must be issued through their respective foremen.

"11. All freight when trucked outside between sheds must have two men on truck.

"12. When working out of one hatch and working which of another hatch to handle cargo, a man must be placed near the winchman to pass word from the hatchman to the winchman.

"13. In the event of any dispute arising, it is understood that the matter shall be taken up by the parties through a representative of the longshoremen and a representative of the shipping interests and every endeavor made to adjust the difficulty promptly to the satisfaction of the parties.

"14. This schedule and working conditions to become effective Dec. 1, 1923, and to continue in force until Dec. 1, 1924, and thereafter from year to year unless or until either party serve notice on the other party to the contrary at least thirty days prior to the date above mentioned, or prior to the first day of December of any subsequent year.

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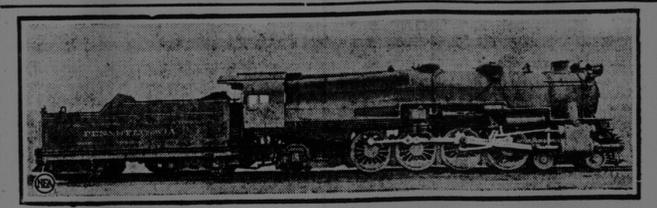
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A REAL GIANT OF THE RAILS



Introducing the M-1, just turned out by the Pennsylvania R. R. Altoona works, and said to be the largest engine in existence. It measures 84 feet 9 5/8 inches and weighs approximately 544,000 pounds.

SPECIAL NIGHT OF ROTARY ENJOYED

Ladies Guests at Happy Function Last Evening in Pythian Hall.

The Rotarians observed "ladies' night" last evening with a luncheon at Pythian Hall followed by a dance.

There was a very large attendance of members, almost all of them accompanied by one or more ladies. Miss Canada and her mother, Mrs. Blay, sat at the right of the chairman, Rev. Canon R. A. Armstrong, Carl Fraser, Mont Jones and William C. Clark had charge of the special programme which was greatly enjoyed.

The hilarity began before the first course had been served, when a violent altercation broke out between Rotarian Dr. Spangler and Ronald McAvity as to which should lead the singing. Most of the evening was spent in receiving and reading telegrams from visiting members, such as one from Winnipeg, presenting Canon Armstrong with a bill for a case of sermons and many others of a somewhat startling nature to our unsuspecting members.

Dr. Spangler led in numerous choruses with Mrs. Kent Scovill at the piano and the 200 or more members and guests joining very heartily. Thomas Guy, accompanied by Mrs. Guy, sang two Scotch songs. E. J. Terry made a most elaborate speech of presentation of a work of art to Governor Spangler, exciting high hopes in his artistic breast, only to have Mr. Cabell's stable and fall, smashing the work of art as the doctor's hand was reached out to receive it. Harry Champollier, in realistic imitation of barnyard fowls, made the singing of Old MacDonald's Farm a screaming success.

A. M. Belding introduced Hiram Hornbeam in description of a Rotary Club at the Settlement with some general observations on what Rotary meant to club members.

J. E. MacLean, fine master, with the assistance of Ronald McAvity, extracted numerous quarters and some half dollars from members who were amused by the description of the last line was imposed on R. Downing Paterson because he had given no reason for being fined.

The banquet having been completed, the whole party adjourned upstairs, where Rotarian Clark announced a thrilling race upon the smooth floor of the dancing hall between E. J. Terry, R. D. Paterson and A. M. Belding. These gentlemen had not previously entered for the race but consented to run. What they ran did was to mount kiddy-carts of diminutive size and sprawl over the floor in a vain effort to cross the room and back. Mr. Paterson proved the winner and was presented with a cup which when removed from the large box containing it proved to be a very ordinary small cup.

Shortly after 9 o'clock the orchestra started up the whole company lined up for Dan Tucker and a very pleasant two hours or more were spent in dancing.

At an interval in the dancing, ten ladies were called to the platform and were required to give an exhibition of gun chewing, putting up their back hair, operating a sewing machine, and showing what they would do if their mother-in-law were come to spend winter with them. The ladies, with few exceptions, one and all applauded the news of the latter test. Mrs. Chester Gandy won on points and was awarded a bouquet that accorded well with the exhibition and the other stunts of the evening.

An alleged card before every plate at the dinner had the names of the Rotarians arranged under a quite different classification from that recognized by headquarters. The "good values" were the apparent test. Thus, Harold Adams, Dr. Anglin, Dr. Spangler and Cecil Mitchell were "assorted outs"; J. M. Woodman, Ned Terry and Al. Massie were "hard-bolloped eggs"; Carl Fraser, Harry Champollier, Alie Smith, Roly Skinner and Harry Morton were "meat of whales"; Bob Reid, Jack Marr, Pat Wetmore and Frank Lewis "Ladies Fingers"; Bob Paterson, Dr. Chipman, Arch Tapley and George Ewing, "Hing beans"; and so on throughout the list.

The monthly reports presented from the various departments were satisfactory. Dr. F. Fred Johnston gave his report as dairy and food inspector and inspector of slaughter houses, showing that 1,176 animals were killed at the slaughter house. Miss Alice Hegan, nurse of the Tuberculosis Society, reported a total of 334 patients on the roll, of whom 28 were new. During the month 31 were discharged as non-tubercular and the nurses made 406 visits. Dr. H. L. Abramson reported on the city's water supply and Mrs. Edmund Fiewelling reported on her visits of inspection in the city stores. The sanitary inspectors also submitted reports.

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NAMES DELEGATES TO WOMEN'S MEET

Institute Also Votes Money for Children's Aid Tag Day.

Mrs. T. N. Vincent, president of the St. John Women's Institute, was in the chair at yesterday's meeting which was held in the Health Centre.

The meeting was held on Thursday afternoon to plan for the hospitality for the annual meeting of the Social Service Council of Canada. Mrs. Richard Hooper, Mrs. Frank Kovacs, Mrs. A. J. Mulcahy, Mrs. Edmund Fiewelling, Mrs. Albert Wilson, Mrs. Kenneth Haley, Mrs. T. L. Coughlan, Miss Josephine Durrick and Mrs. C. J. Orman, of Hillsboro, and representing the province, Mrs. T. N. Vincent and Mrs. John Owens. Plans were made for a meeting to be held on Monday at the home of Mrs. Vincent to arrange for gifts of Christmas cheer to some of the institutions in the city.

Miss Patricia Gratton-Emond, of Dublin, Ireland, was enrolled as a member and the institute received from Mrs. M. Rachel Walpole a letter of thanks for the city money and gave an illustrated lecture this evening in the Natural History Society's rooms.

Professor Prince has an impressive list of degrees and titles. He is an L.L.D., B.Sc., and F.R.S.C.

He holds the offices of Dominion Commissioner of Fisheries, chairman of the Arctic Council, Ottawa; secretary of the Biological Board of Canada and vice-president of the American Fisheries Society.

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SACRED CONCERT IS MUSICAL TREAT

Enjoyed in St. David's Last Evening in Connection With Anniversary.

A treat was given music lovers in St. John last evening, when St. David's choir gave an excellent concert of sacred selections in the church, celebrating the 75th anniversary of their organization. Mrs. Leon Chechik, of Winnipeg, sang with sweetness of expression and pure rich tone, "The Blind Pilgrim" and a French song, "Obstination," by Fontaine. Mrs. T. J. Gunn played with finished execution and marked expression on her violin, excelling in Bach-Gounod's Ave Maria, with the pipe organ played by J. Bayard Currie accompanied by Mrs. J. M. Barnes on the piano. A. C. Smith sang with clear, full voice the beautiful tenor solo, "Be Thou Faithful Unto Death" from Mendelssohn's "St. Paul."

Nicola's duet, "Tarry With Me," was sung with fine balance by Mrs. W. H. MacGraw and Miss M. B. Girvan. Mrs. Hugh Miller sang a favorite from Hamilton Gray, "The Dream of Paradise" with excellent control and clear enunciation. The enunciation was good throughout in solos and choruses except in the last chorus, "The Heavens Are Telling," which was sung with splendid volume and with good attack, but not so easily understood in the high parts. The balance was not so good as in the well-sung choruses, "Sanctus from St. Cecilia's Mass," by Gounod and the opening chorus, "He Watching over Israel" from the Elijah. Mrs. Louis Gilroy, and Messrs. Smith and Girvan formed a good trio in the last chorus. E. Clarence Girvan also sang a solo with his usual good style and rich, baritone quality in "Hear My Cry O Lord."

Mr. Currie played the organ with great power and as great control, rounding out a programme that more than fulfilled the expectation of the fair sized audience. The tenacity that each number produced and the subsequent relaxation as each number ended was a testimony to the desire of the audience to applaud, but no applause was considered in the church auditorium. The National Anthem followed by a very successful concert.

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WEATHER CUTS TAG DAY RECEIPTS

Net Result of the Children's Aid Society Appeal is \$1,200.

The unfavorable weather of yesterday hampered the Rosebud Day workers and the annual appeal for the Children's Aid suffered in consequence. The day realized only about \$1,200 as some of the districts were not covered and many of the workers were unable to carry on through the heavy downpour of the afternoon.

As it is felt that many of those who wished to contribute were not reached it is possible that collecting banks may be placed in various central places in the city to receive further contributions.

The Rosebud Day appeal is an annual event organized by the Women's Council and what steps are taken to augment the returns of the day will be decided upon at the meeting of the executive to be held on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. E. Atherton Smith was the general convenor and she was assisted by able committees. Headquarters for the day were at the Children's Home in Garden street where refreshments were served the workers.

A committee of men from the board of the Home with Mrs. W. P. Bonnell as convenor, assisted by Mrs. W. Edmond Raymond, Mrs. Leon Keith, Miss Sinclair, Mrs. T. L. Coughlan, Mrs. A. J. Mulcahy, Mrs. A. B. Gilmour and Mrs. J. H. Frink. The banks were in charge of Miss Alice Estey and Mrs. H. H. Pickett and the members of the finance committee were Mrs. G. Wilford Campbell and Mrs. J. H. Frink.

A committee of men from the board of the Children's Aid assisted in counting the money. They were A. M. Belding, president; K. A. Wilson, treasurer, and Rev. George Scott, the agent.

The supply of motors was arranged for by the convenor of the committee, Mrs. J. H. Dooly, and those who provided automobiles were Miss Hortense Maher, Mrs. Thomas Nagle, Mrs. Allan McAvity, W. A. Cooper, Miss Culver, Mrs. W. P. Bonnell and Miss Goodwin.

The convenor of wards was Mrs. A. W. Estey, and those who had charge in the various wards were as follows: Kings, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith; Queens, Mrs. A. C. D. Wilson and Mrs. A. M. Belding; Wellington, Mrs. James McCarthy; Prince, Mrs. George Ewing; Sydney, Mrs. Allan McKee; Dufferin, Mrs. J. Silliphant; Duke's, Mrs. H. W. Robertson; Victoria, Mrs. Wry; Lorne, Mrs

SPORT NEWS GLEANED FROM WORLD'S CENTRES

THE TIMES-STAR SPORT REVIEW

Newsy Briefs on Current Pastimes of Interest to Fans.

"Billy" Groff's recent statement that he was training and keeping in condition to meet any boxer in his class, has started something. He already has Paris and Irvine on his trail. If Groff can get some use of his right arm he should be able to dispose of either of these men, but unless he does he will find difficulty disposing of either one.

In a recent issue of one of the Portland papers an article appeared claiming that Johnny McIntyre should be known as Green, as he had victories over such men as Gradwell and Prusell. The writer either received wrong information or got a bit mixed up, for both these men were awarded decisions by former McIntyre. Johnny will have to learn to become the aggressor in his bouts before he will be able to defeat such fast boxes. In addition he will have to develop a harder punch. There is no denying that he is clever and rarely shows any marks after a bout, but his blows evidently lack steam.

Luis Angel Firpo is evidently of an unartistic temperament. According to recent reports he is invested in a number of oil paintings. To judge from his looks it is hard to realize that he would take stock in any of his kind, however, you never can tell.

It seems that baseball fans are refusing to sit back and make room for winter sport enthusiasts. Perhaps the weather man is responsible, but the fact remains that there is much baseball gossip this winter. It is said that Tris Speaker, manager of the Cleveland Indians, is facing a big problem that of developing a capable first sacker. Brower, who was on first last year, did not come up to expectations, and Speaker is looking for someone to replace him. Bob Knobe, a former University of Michigan star, may be his selection.

Pat Moran apparently is confident that the Cincinnati Reds will win the National League pennant this season. After witnessing the slaughter of McGraw's twisting staff last fall, Pat feels that the Giants will have to "dig up" two first class twirlers if he hopes to repeat. The Reds have a strong pitching staff and should have an edge on their New York rivals.

Another New Brunswick boy has joined the New Haven hockey team. In the person of Fred Shay Veno. The Venos are from Chatham, and their ability to handle the puck is well known. It is possible that at least one of the brothers will appear with the Canadiens this winter. There are a number of New Brunswick boys in the States making good with hockey teams.

Greenleaf, world's pocket billiard champion, has been fined \$250 by the Cue League for playing a match without having received permission. On the face of it many would consider this rather drastic treatment on the part of the league, but such is not the case. He was warned not to participate in a match at the time, as it interfered with the league's programme. He defied the league and should now consider himself lucky that he was not expelled.

SASKATOON AND MAROONS TIE

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 4.—Playing first class hockey here last night Saskatoon Crescents held the Vancouver Maroons to a 2-2 tie in the final game of their Pacific Coast League series. The overtime period was marked by some of the keenest hockey ever seen here, although neither side scored. Each team sealed up its goal and kept the game going at top speed. Lalonde and Bellinquette in team play kept the Pacific coasters on their toes throughout the long night. The victory was back at his post after a week of sick leave and played hockey in big style.

U. S. HOCKEY TEAM AND SKATERS WILL SAIL FOR FRANCE ON JANUARY 19

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 4.—The American Olympic hockey team, accompanied by United States speed, fancy and figure skaters will sail from New York for Cherbourg, France, on Jan. 19 next—nine days before the first Olympic game at Chamoni. W. S. Haddock, president of the United States Amateur Hockey Association, has announced. After the Olympic games, Mr. Haddock said the American hockey team will journey to Villars, Switzerland, to take part in a tournament there. The Hockey League of Switzerland, in charge of the tournament, invited the Americans to take part in the international competition for a trophy cup.

FIRPO INVESTING MONEY IN BUENOS AIRES REAL ESTATE

Buenos Aires, Dec. 4.—Luis Angel Firpo is investing some of his merchant-carried capital. He has purchased three building sites in Buenos Aires, paying 66,000 pesos for the properties. A Buenos Aires store is exhibiting several oil paintings recently acquired by the fighter.

DEMPSY TO REFEREE

Las Vegas, N. M., Dec. 4.—Declining to accept further invitations for pleasure trips, including hunting big game in the mountains near Las Vegas and a reception in his honor at Santa Fe, Jack Dempsey declared that he would not disappoint the charity programme arranged in Chicago for Dec. 6, at which he had agreed to appear as a referee in bouts staged for charity benefits.

Dempsy's hunting trip in the mountains near this city ended last Saturday when the champion led his companions in the deep snows of the canyon near Elk Mountain to recover two big bucks, which had lain in snow drifts.

DONOGHUE TO RIDE IN INDIA

Famous Jockey to Take Part in Races in Calcutta.

London, Dec. 4.—(United News).—"Come on, Steve!" the familiar cry at the English race-tracks, heard in France and at Belmont Park, New York, will echo now in India. Steve Donoghue, who went down to defeat with Papyrus at Belmont Park behind Earl Sande on Zev, is quitting the races here and in France and has agreed to ride for J. C. Galstin in the Calcutta race this winter. He sails from England Friday, and is under a retainer of \$12,500. The famous jockey, winner of the last Derby, and the Derby's golden spurs, will return to England for the opening of the meeting at Lincoln. Galstin is an Armenian. He established a reputation on the English tracks by carrying out many selling plate gambles a year or two ago. But his best reputation among the average racing fans is based on the fact that he was the first to use the popular cry "Come on Steve!" on an English race-track.

CYCLISTS WILL BE WELL FED

Will Have Eggs, Chickens, Beef, Beans and Fruit.

New York, Dec. 4.—There are many, perhaps, who do not envy the bicycle riders who started on their six-day grind at Madison Square Garden one minute after midnight Sunday. Certainly it is no vacation for the athletes to pedal and pedal around and around the saucer for hours and hours without entertainment. But there were many who smacked their lips yesterday when the food that will be served to the riders during the week was delivered at the Garden and from the list of edibles which the athletes will consume it is evident that the stars will not undergo any inconvenience from lack of nourishment. For instance, there were more than 200 chickens provided, and 2,400 eggs. Two barrels of oysters, 100 pounds of oatmeal and 100 pounds of coffee also were included on the menu. As for meat the officials of the race have provided four sides of beef, six lambs and twelve hams. Two barrels of potatoes, two barrels of string beans, ten cases of peas and 100 pounds of rice were added and then the list was completed with twenty-five pounds of tea, 800 pounds of sugar, four cases of oranges, four cases of grapefruit, four cases of graham crackers and a similar amount of corn flakes, 100 bunches of celery and ten gallons of olive oil.

CUBS TO PLAY PIRATES

Chicago, Dec. 4.—The Chicago Cubs are scheduled to play the Pittsburgh Pirates, their league rivals, four games before the National League season opens next April. It was revealed when the list of exhibition games for 1924 was announced by President William Veck. The Pittsburgh-Chicago pre-season series will be played March 3-April 8, the first meeting being scheduled for either Los Angeles or Long Beach, April 1. The clubs meet at Kingman, Ariz., and Albuquerque, N. M., will be best for the final game, April 8. The Pittsburgh club will train at Paso Robles, Cal., while the Chicago club will work out on Catalina Island, off the California coast.

EAST ST. JOHN WINS

The East St. John second team defeated the Central Baptist second team on the Central floor last evening in a game of basketball by a score of 16 to 15.

GAMES IN CITY BOWLING LEAGUES

Results of Last Evening's Candle Pin Matches on Local Alleys.

Table with columns for League Name, Team Name, and Score. Includes G. W. V. A. League, Telephone Company League, and Manufacturers' League.

MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE

Table with columns for Player Name and Score. Includes players like Johnson, Irving, and Suggs.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Table with columns for Player Name and Score. Includes players like Lewis, Gorrie, and Fitzgerald.

MCNAVITY LEAGUE

Table with columns for Player Name and Score. Includes players like King Street Store, Lawlor, and McGowan.

CLERICAL LEAGUE

Table with columns for Player Name and Score. Includes players like McDade, Lawrence, and Wright.

INTER-SOCIETY LEAGUE

Table with columns for Player Name and Score. Includes players like Garrison, Markham, and Gordon.

Q. W. V. A. LEAGUE

Table with columns for Player Name and Score. Includes players like Adams, Durwin, and Angel.

TELEPHONE COMPANY LEAGUE

Table with columns for Player Name and Score. Includes players like Wordon, Dalkin, and Nelson.

Y. M. C. I. HOUSE LEAGUE

Table with columns for Player Name and Score. Includes players like Jenkins, Murphy, and Jarvis.

K. O. F. LEAGUE

Table with columns for Player Name and Score. Includes players like Wall, Morrison, and Quinn.

ST. PETER'S HOUSE LEAGUE

Table with columns for Player Name and Score. Includes players like Hughes, Vincent, and Curran.

CLERICAL LEAGUE

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LYNCH DEFEATS EDDIE COULON

Bantamweight Champion Defends His Title.

Newark, N. J., Dec. 3.—Joe Lynch retained the bantamweight title of the world tonight when he knocked out Eddie Coulon, of New Orleans, in the third round of a 12-round bout. The knockout blow came after 45 seconds of fighting in the third round. The champion took things easy in the first round. In the second, however, he fought vigorously and soon had his challenger groggy. In the 12-round semi-final Spencer Gardner, of Newport, outfought Bud Dempsey, of New York. Dempsey had a shade in the early rounds but was unable to endure the onslaughts of his opponent in the later periods. It was announced that King Stirling, of Atlanta, would fight here Dec. 19.

GREG DEFEATS BRYAN DOWNEY

Pittsburg, Dec. 3.—Harry Greg successfully defended his middleweight boxing title tonight against Bryan Downey, of Cleveland, in the first fight conducted under the McBride Act legalizing 10-round decision bouts in Pennsylvania. Greg was awarded the judges' decision after 10 rounds of fast fighting. The watch adopted by Greg was awarded every round by newspaper men at the ringside.

FRENCH ADOPT WATCH FOR OLYMPIC GAMES

The French Congress of Chronometry met in Paris and decided upon a stop watch and other timing devices which will be used in the Olympic Games in the Colombes Stadium near Paris next year. The watch adopted is a new one which will be produced by the Congress as it has the best features of several accredited time-pieces. The members in attendance placed great emphasis on accuracy, as the watches used in various events in France have been registering different times. In a mile run in which the contestants were trying for Olympic consideration three watches were used and three different times reported on the victor. The biggest variation was more than half a minute. The attention of the Congress was brought to this fact and the new watch is the result. The Congress guarantees its accuracy. The subdivisions as to seconds will be smaller than the French have been using, but will coincide with the divisions in general use in the United States and as recently adopted by England.

Trinity Boy Scouts Win

Trinity Boy Scouts' basketball team took the independents into camp last evening in a game played on Trinity floor. The score was 38 to 8 in favor of Trinity. The line-up was as follows:

Table with columns for Player Name and Score. Includes players like O'Creary, Dever, and O'Neill.

Trinity, forwards, J. Nyberg, S. Sutherland, centre, W. Ward; defences, D. Regan and S. Gill.

Independents, forwards, W. DeMille, W. Davidson; centre, E. Williams; defences, C. Johnson and J. Johnson.

LOCAL STUDENTS MAY MAKE TRIP

Richard, Nicholson and McGuire Mentioned for U. N. B. Team.

Three students of the U. N. B. Law School here will probably make the U. N. B. hockey team that will tour the New England States during the Christmas holidays as a result of developments over the week-end. Since the Law School has become a part of the U. N. B., conferences have been held between representatives of the two athletic executives and satisfactory arrangements have been completed to not only have the Law School represented on the hockey team that will make the tour but also on the intercollegiate team itself.

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WILL ENLARGE FENWAY PARK

Red Sox Will Spend Three Hundred Thousand on Improvements.

Chicago, Dec. 4.—The new owners of the Boston Red Sox of the American League are going to spend more than \$300,000 in increasing the seating capacity of their ball park and making other improvements, according to Palmer Winslow, one of the new magnates of the club. Mr. Winslow, who called at American League headquarters en route to the East, did not go into details of the contemplated improvement, but said the new owners were anxious to give the Boston fans every accommodation and a good ball club. The Washington club, it was said, also expects to make considerable improvement in its park before the season opens.

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MAINE HORSES MAKE NEW RECORD

Their Winnings in the Pine Tree State and New Brunswick.

Bangor, Me., Dec. 4.—Northern Maine is already feeling the cruel hand of winter, but horse-racing continues to be a favorite topic among sport enthusiasts just now, benefit of any more important subject for conversation than advance murrings about the season of 1924. In the past half-decade, this top section of the New England States has gone clean crazy over its excellent horses and the records of the past season prove that their interest is not misplaced.

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MUTT AND JEFF—THIS MEANS THAT MUTT IS GONNA LEAVE COLLEGE



By "BUD" FISHER

News Notes Gathered From the World of Stage and Screen

MISS DELYSIA PICKS FOUR BEAUTIES TO PUT ON THE STAGE

Places Three in "Topics" and Will Take Fourth to Paris.

New York, Dec. 4.—Alice Delysia of "Topics of 1935" has found "all that is loveliest in young American womanhood."

The four, she explained were in her opinion the real prize winners. Three of them, she suggested, should be placed with her in "Topics" which is playing at the Broadhurst Theatre.

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Musical Comedy Artists Entertain Well in Their Opening Bill.

Bigger and better was the announcement of the management in advertising the Imperial Musical Revue, an entertainment which fell not a bit short of the truth in their opening programme yesterday at the Queen Square Theatre.

Felix Martin in an eccentric role, with a leaning toward French, earned applause on every appearance.

From the novelty opening, with the bare of trumpets, to the unique finale entitled "The Dance of the Nations" in which the chorus had a chance to display ability as solo dancers, the whole show went well.

Youngster, War Vet, Seeks Movie Career

William Star Suffered During the Fall of the Austrian Empire.

Los Angeles, Dec. 3.—William Star, 16 years old, but a veteran of the world war, recently arrived in Los Angeles with a motion picture career in view.

After the American restrictions against foreigners had been abolished, the Star family packed their suitcases and left for America and prosperity.

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Super of 16 Years Ago To Sing With Galli-Curci

Chicago, Dec. 4.—Sixteen years ago a college boy, engaged as a supernumerary, carried a spear in one act and blew a trumpet with the stage band in another in a performance of "Aida" given by a traveling grand opera company at the Auditorium Theatre.

Monday night Ralph Brerlin, now an American tenor, will sing opposite Amelia Galli-Curci in a performance of "Lakme" in which she will make her first appearance of the season with the Chicago Civic Opera Company.

Tito Schipa, who was to sing opposite Galli-Curci, is ill on the Pacific coast and will not reach Chicago until December 4.

PANTOMIMES ARE UNDERGOING CHANGE

News Notes of Stage and Screen From The Empire Capital.

London, Nov. 30.—Doris Keane, who started in "Romance," it is understood, has abandoned her intention to produce in the West End a Catherine of Russia play, with herself as Catherine.

Mr. Shubert, of course, agreed with Miss Delysia in everything. The three girls who will join her in "Topics" are Miss Mary Fogarty of Butte, Miss Zoe Yake of Spokane and Miss Alva King of Atlantic City.

While certain people sigh loudly for the old-fashioned pantomime, they really prefer the new-fashioned kind. Pantomime this year is to be very much like a revue, with one of the old tricks running through it.

Among the British films scheduled for exhibition during Film Week in February next there are very few comedy pictures.

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MANTELL EMBODIES HUMILITY AND COMPASSION IN STERN, UNRELENTING RICHELIEU

BY MAURICE HENLE

New York, Dec. 3.—Cardinal Richelieu undoubtedly is a very much misunderstood man, in the minds of the present generation of Americans.

He presents Richelieu as a man whose breast of mind is all-inclusive. He is unbending, but has compassion. He is stern, but kind. And he has humility—the true test of greatness.

Another who made his screen debut in "Under the Red Robe" is Otto Kruger, who has appeared in principal parts of recent successes.

Two others came in for a share of merited applause. Alma Rubens as Renee and Gustav von Seyffertitz as Clon. Clon is a role to excite the sympathy, as everyone familiar with the part knows.

Hadley is to give Oratorio in London

FINE MELODRAMA AT OPERA HOUSE

Boston, Dec. 4.—Henry Hadley, conductor-composer, has been invited to conduct his new oratorio, "The Eleventh Commandment," at Queen's Hall, London, April 5.

The first-night audience which attended the Opera House performance of "The Eleventh Commandment" last evening saw a performance that is a little of the beaten track—a show that commands intense interest throughout and in which the honors of performance are shared by several of the cast.

On the shoulders of Clyde Franklin falls perhaps the greatest weight of the production. His was a most deplorable character and the way in which he was thoroughly hated by every member of the audience, measured the success with which he handled the part of Vere Hamilton.

Adapted from a famous stage play, it has gained in vigor and expansion by its adaptation to the screen. The pathos of the college graduate, half Indian, half white, has been depicted realistically and sincerely.

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18 STARS FIGURE IN "THE SPOILERS"

Big Rex Beach Picture at Imperial Thrills Large Crowd.

The new screen version of Rex Beach's famous Alaskan novel, "The Spoilers," which opened a 3-day run at the Imperial yesterday to large business, boasts a cast of 18 famous motion picture players.

Producer Hampton engaged Lambert Hillier, who directed many of Wm. S. Hart's most successful productions, and wrote many of them, to hold the megaphone on "The Spoilers."

For the role of Helen Chester, the heroine, not alone for her brunette good looks but for the success which she has achieved in other screen productions during the last two years.

For the role of Cherry Malotte, which made Kathy Williams famous in the Selig version of "The Spoilers," Mr. Hampton selected Anna Q. Nilsson, the blond beauty from Sweden, who has a large following on this side of the water.

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Miss Moore stands so far ahead of her competitors for this distinction that there is really no competition at all.

She has been "tomboyish" it almost since her advent into films five years ago. She has been a tomboy representative of almost every nationality.

She was tomboy Irish in "Come on Over," an Indian tomboy in "The Hussars," a typical society tomboy in "Flaming Youth," and in her next picture, "The Swamp Angel," she is again to portray an American tomboy, but one especially different from her "Flaming Youth" characterization.

In this picture, going into production under the direction of Clarence Badger, she will play the leading role, that of a hoydenish girl of the poorer section of a typical American town, the ring-leader of all the scallywags of the neighborhood and the best baseball player of the district.

REHEARSING NEW PLAY.

Guthrie McClintic has started rehearsals for his first independent production of the season. It is a play by Clemence Dane called "The Way Things Happen" and will be presented at the Booth Theatre by Miss Katharine Cornell, who in private life is Mrs. McClintic, heads the cast. This will be the first play in which she appeared under her husband's direction.

Fifty celebrities expected to be present at the opening of Loew's New Lexington Avenue Theatre, New York, on Thanksgiving Eve. There will be only one performance on the opening night, all seats being reserved for that occasion.

"The Isle of No-Dance," a pantomime was presented on Sunday evening at the Booth Theatre by Miss Eather Markowitz. The dancers were her pupils of dancing in the settlements of Greater New York.

Barbara Bedford, Robert Edeson, Mitchell Lewis, Noah Beery, Wallace MacDonald, Ford Sterling, Rockliffe Fellows, Louise Fazenda, Sam de Grasse and others. Introducing the Most Realistic Man-to-Man Fight in the History of The Screen.

FEATURING MILTON SILLS, ANNA Q. NILSSON

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ACTRESS' ROMANCE BEGAN IN CANADA

Miss Miller Weds Buffalo Banker After Brief Courtship.

New York, Dec. 4.—Mr. John Lewis Clawson, Buffalo merchant and banker, and Miss Emma H. Miller, an actress, were married in New York Wednesday and left on a honeymoon trip. The wedding was at the home of the Rev. Dr. Samuel G. Trester. They will visit Atlantic City and Buffalo and then go to California for the winter.

They will go abroad next spring. Mr. Clawson, who is 38, is chairman of the board of directors of the Clawson and Wilson Company of New York, Buffalo and Cleveland, and is a director of the Marine Trust Company of Buffalo. For several years he has been a collector of rare books and his collection of Elizabethan literary treasures is said to be one of the most valuable in this country.

His bride, who is half his age, was playing on tour with Basil Sydney in "The Devil's Disciple" when she met Mr. Clawson in Buffalo a few weeks ago. She is a daughter of Mr. William James Miller, who was treasurer of Mississippi under Gov. Vardaman, and made her debut in New Orleans. She studied for the stage in New York under J. W. Parson, Frank and made her professional debut in "Too Many Cooks" with Frank Craven.

The short courtship had its origin in the library of Mr. Clawson's in Buffalo. Mr. Sydney and Miss Miller had letters of introduction to Mr. Clawson and presented them when the company playing in "The Devil's Disciple" reached Buffalo. After introductions were over the banker showed Mr. Sydney and Miss Miller his precious edition of Shakespeare's works to a Canadian tour he accompanied them and it was at London, Ont., that he persuaded her to leave the stage to become the head of his household.

On Monday they came to New York accompanied by Mr. Clawson's son, Mr. H. Phelps Clawson, who was his father's best man and only witness at the ceremony in the parsonage. Mr. Clawson's first wife was Miss Frances Collier Phelps of Binghamton, N. Y., whom he married in 1890. He is member of the Racquet and Tennis and Groller Clubs of this city.

ROAD SHOWS HAVE NOT MADE REVENUE

Middle West to be Given Another Chance to Redeem Self.

Cities remote from Broadway have not grown in the good opinion of theatre managers during recent years, says an editorial in the New York Herald. The region comprehensively described as "the road" has been depressingly cold for several seasons to the artistic dispensations from New York which it has had the opportunity to enjoy.

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