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RUSH OF CANADIAN GRAIN TO FORESTALL U.S. EMBARGO Labor Envoys Tells Lloyd George of Ireland's Desire for Peace

WILSON IN MESSAGE TO CONGRESS URGES A BUDGET SYSTEM

Also Urges Rigid Economy in All Branches of the Government.

OMITS ALIEN TOPICS

Washington, Dec. 7.—Both houses of congress were in brief session today to hear President Wilson's annual message. It was read by the clerk. Mr. Wilson having heeded the advice of his physician not to appear in person to present his recommendations. Galleries in both senate and house were crowded. Both those drawn by the chance that the president might appear in person or the possibility that his message might touch upon the League of Nations question or his own approaching retirement to private life were disappointed.

Mr. Wilson confined himself almost wholly to domestic questions. Only by inference did his message refer to the nearing close of his administration and that was in the concluding paragraph. The proposals he presented, the president wrote, were not so much a confession "of the faith in which I was bred and which it is my solemn purpose to stand by until my last fighting day."

Aside from hearing the president's message, congress made definite progress on at least one of the problems it faces during the brief session. The house received a rule under which an effort will be made Thursday, to take up the immigration bill for prompt action.

It would limit general debate to four hours. The two-day interval was allowed to permit Representative Siegel.

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HOUSE WILL MEET ON JANUARY 25TH

Government Finds It Inconvenient to Call Legislature Together Earlier.

The tentative date of January 18 for the opening of the legislature, as announced in "The World" some days ago, has been found to be too early, and yesterday the cabinet decided on the 25th.

"We have our legislative program in good shape," said Hon. W. E. Ramey, attorney-general, "and there should be no delay at the opening of the house in getting right down to business. Our program is not unusually heavy."

CHARGE THREE WITH ATTEMPT TO ROB

Were Arrested Leaving York Street Shop With Revolver Cartridges.

Walter Niffin, aged 18, of 84 McCaul street; Bruce Gardner, aged 23, no home, and George Jordan, aged 19, of 174 St. Patrick street, were arrested yesterday afternoon on York street, just after they emerged from a second-hand gunsmith's shop, where they had purchased a quantity of cartridges for a revolver. The three were held on a charge of attempted robbery. They were arrested by Detectives Greenley and McArthur. The police are looking for a fourth man, who is said to have been with the three men.

The three men were identified by Jack Oliver, 157 Langley avenue, who they are alleged to have attempted to rob at Logan and Bath avenues shortly after midnight on Sunday. Oliver reported the occurrence to the police early Monday morning.

The act was suspiciously planned. Detectives Greenley and McArthur were walking along York street when they saw the three men emerging from the second-hand shop. Their actions were suspicious.

The two officers stepped into the store and inquired what business called the three in there. They were told that they were going to do some target practice in the country. The officers, for their replies, the detectives took them along to Court Street police station, where they were identified last night by Oliver, who immediately recognized them as his assailants.

A search of Niffin's room brought to light the revolver for which the men were purchasing cartridges.

APPOINT U.S. EXPERT

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—(By Canadian Press).—The civil service commission has appointed Frank Cooper Craighead, of East Falls, Vermont, to a position as entomologist for the department of agriculture.

LABOR COMMISSION VIEWS DISORDERS

British Envoys Watch While Black and Tans Examine Vehicles and Pedestrians—Witness Wrecked Buildings—Henderson Tells Lloyd George of Widespread Desire for Peace.

Cork, Dec. 7.—The members of the labor commission, who have arrived in Cork for what they intend to be a week's investigation of the situation, have already witnessed numerous disorders. There was considerable shooting and window smashing during the night. An Irishman who stepped up to the commissioners at the entrance to their hotel and requested them to inspect a jewelry store nearby, which had been partially wrecked, was arrested by a black and tan after rough treatment. The commissioners also saw a squad of auxiliaries today holding up and searching pedestrians and the occupants of vehicles.

The commission, after returning from Bandon this afternoon, visited the shops wrecked last evening and questioned the proprietors. Later the commission obtained the release of the Irishman who had asked the investigators to inspect the damage to his jewelry store. Two adjoining buildings were completely wrecked, one of which was occupied by a woman and her invalid husband, the other by a woman and her seven children.

Among those held up in the streets today by the auxiliary police was the captain of a United States steamer lying in the harbor and the stenographer of the labor commission.

Raids today by the black and tans led the city tonight in a state of tense anxiety. A laborer was dangerously wounded by firing from two lorry loads of auxiliaries.

The village of Blarney, near Cork, was invaded yesterday by armed and uniformed men who raided and searched all houses.

General Desire for Peace.
London, Dec. 7.—Arthur Henderson, of the labor commission, which recently investigated conditions in Ireland, (Continued on Page 2, Column 5.)

D'ANNUNZIO'S FLEET GETS NEW RECRUIT

Italian Destroyer Enters Harbor of Fiume and Crew Joins Insurgents.

Plume, Dec. 7.—The fleet of Gabriele D'Annunzio has been increased by another torpedo boat destroyer. Yesterday evening a destroyer, Bronzetti, which had been stationed off Cherso as part of the blockading fleet, steamed into Plume and placed under the post command.

The arrival of the war craft surprised the post's harbor patrol, who thought it was the advance guard of another naval demonstration. The destroyer entered thru the narrow channel, which is the only inlet and outlet to the harbor that is not obstructed by mines or barricades, and saluted the city, while the marines shouted "Viva." The vessel soon dropped anchor, and the post's naval commander-in-chief, Cetracane, boarded her and felicitated the crew, which disembarked and marched to the palace where D'Annunzio resides.

The post received the sailors and delivered a speech to them. The crew then swore that they would serve D'Annunzio. The post's speech was a most vehement cheering from the legionaries' shouts of "let us go to Rome." "Let us go to Rome."

The post again called Admiral Millo a traitor. Deputy Bares, who was present urged the members of the crew to remain loyal to the government. The men, however, would not listen to him. The officers of the destroyer demanded that they be set free, insisting that they all received their orders from the government at Rome. The members of the crew are virtually all new recruits from Calabria and Sicily.

TORONTO ORANGEMEN ASSAILED BY CRAWFORD

He Says "Criminal Conspirators" Have Been Following Him From Town to Town and Organizing Disturbances—Hints at Reprisals to "Bring Toronto to Sense."

Moncton, N.B., Dec. 7.—(Can. Press)—In an interview here this afternoon, Lindsay Crawford, president of the Irish Self-Determination League for Canada and Newfoundland, stated that the blame for the disturbances at his meetings at Fredericton and Moncton rested entirely with the criminal conspirators from the Toronto Orange Lodge, who had been following him from town to town.

One had only to read the Orange Sentinel and kindred Orange organs, he said, to realize the "horrible crimes of the Toronto Orangemen." "In every town I have visited," he said, "they have tried to organize a few returned men and have them employ local Orangemen to incite the people against me. The time has come for the Dominion government to take steps to bring these criminal conspirators to book."

Mr. Crawford gave warning to Toronto that "this campaign of disorder will not be forgotten by the Irish in Canada, and by their French comrades, who formed a large section of the Moncton audience."

He added two hundred men in an audience of about one thousand may prevent free speech, but they cannot compel the Irish in Canada and the French in Quebec to pay tribute to Toronto.

"Unless this Orange conspiracy is repudiated by Toronto, it is not in human nature to abstain from reprisals that will bring Toronto to its senses," Mr. Crawford concluded.

Mr. Crawford left for his home in Toronto this afternoon.

CANADIANS DILATORY FILING WAR CLAIMS AGAINST GERMANS

Claims Total Nearly Two Million Dollars—German Accounts All Ready

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—(Special).—War claims of Canadians against Germans and Germans against Canadians are being rapidly dealt with. So far Germans have registered 2,465 claims against Canadians, and of these 184 have been found correct, 59 contested, 19 returned as defective in information, and three others admitted, but held owing to extra claims. The claims admitted amount to \$55,954.31, with interest at five per cent. Two million claims are dealt with at pre-war rate of exchange.

Canadians' Claims.
Canadians have filed and forwarded to London 343 claims amounting to \$1,705,348.25. There have been in all registered 450 Canadian claims. So far none of the German claims against Canadians have proved excessive. The Germans had all their claims ready for presentation, but Canadians have been very dilatory, either in presenting their own claims or in filing accurate copies of German claims or contesting them. There is a central clearing office in London for all British Empire accounts with Germany, and a local clearing house in each of the British dominions. A creditor of either nationality who enters claim beyond what he is entitled to, is mulcted five per cent. of his correct account.

Large Staff Needed.
The staff engaged in the local clearing office is small. It includes one lawyer and accountants. In the central clearing house, in London, there are 500 employees. Egypt and South Africa, alone in the British empire, are negotiating direct with Germany. With other countries, the clearing office is being pursued. Canadian creditors of Austrian and Bulgarian firms will negotiate with the German government. The Canadian custodian of property of Austrian and Bulgarian firms will probably be held by a different account. In case of Canadian or German debtors who have become bankrupt, they will be held by a different account.

More German Property.
There has been more German property in Canada than Canadian holdings in Germany. The Canadian government is liquidating the German property and probably will be held by a different amount of German indemnity to Canada if we get one.

TO FIGHT TYPHUS IN THE NEAR EAST, ASSEMBLY SCORES

Has Secured Funds and More Pledged, While League Council Failed.

Geneva, Dec. 7.—War against typhus in the near east occupied the attention of the league assembly this morning to the exclusion of virtually all else. The debate was widespread in its scope, the representatives of all climates and races taking part.

Sir George E. Foster, of the Canadian delegation, left the van with a ringing appeal to the world to stamp out the dread disease, which is gradually spreading over Europe. Others who spoke represented Great Britain, France, India, China, Persia, Norway, Greece, Spain, Holland and Rumania.

A large part of the £250,000 requested to set the campaign in motion was pledged and the committee, which will be appointed to get the balance, will probably succeed without much difficulty.

This is regarded as a triumph for the assembly over the council which has twice appealed for these funds without success.

Ignace Jan Paderewski of Poland pointed out the grave sanitary conditions in Poland due to the fact that more than two million refugees, Chinese and refugees have passed thru Poland since 1914 under conditions that made it impossible to prevent the outbreak of disease.

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Federation for Community Workers Still Hopeful of Reaching Objective.

Federation for community service workers are still in the field hoping that subscriptions will come in sufficient to send the figures up to the desired objective. Mr. MacLean, the secretary, and Captain Allen are still at headquarters, and when The World called yesterday Mr. W. T. Kernahan arrived with an addition to his former collections.

"We have two good subscriptions here," said Mr. MacLean, "one from Mrs. Ambrose Small for \$1000, and one from George Hawke, of Los Angeles, a former resident of Toronto, for \$500. The total now is \$355,000, and we are hoping to increase that amount materially. Some of the names of organizations in the federation are misleading, people not understanding from the name that they are doing charitable work. This has been felt to be a drawback in two or three instances, where in reality the work done by the organization is of a most needed and beneficial class of charity. These names will probably be changed to be more suggestive of the character of their activity before the next campaign."

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FARMERS MAY JOIN IN FIVE PROVINCES

Council of Agriculture Considering Establishment of Inter-Provincial Party.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 7.—(Canadian Press).—The establishing of an inter-provincial political party composed of farmer organizations with the Canadian Council of Agriculture as the coordinating agent, was discussed at length at the meeting of the council today. No decision was reached and the discussion will continue tomorrow.

At the outset, according to officials of the council, five provinces, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Ontario, Manitoba and New Brunswick, will come into the new party, if it is organized, and an effort made to bring in later the other provinces of the Dominion.

Also Grain Problems.
Grain problems are also scheduled for discussion tomorrow. A plan of co-operative marketing of next year's grain crop will be put forward. The eastern delegates in attendance are:

Ontario: J. J. Morrison, W. L. Smith, J. A. Carsen, Mrs. Frank Webster and R. W. E. Burnaby, president.
New Brunswick: J. F. Caldwell, S. C. Haggerman, G. C. Archibald.

DROP IN NEW YORK IN CANADIAN DOLLAR

Bankers Say Downward Movement Is Both Natural and Seasonal.

New York, Dec. 7.—(By Canadian Press).—Canadian funds at New York were unsettled and weak today, selling down to 86.25, approaching the low record of 85.50 in February last.

Bankers interested in the flow of funds and credits across the border say that nothing specific has happened to force the unfavorable quotation on Canada, and explain that the movement is both natural and seasonal, with Canada making efforts to clean up the usual year-end balances.

It is expected that the rate will not right itself very soon, although there is the chance that some changes may be effected after the first of the year. It is expected here that the Dominion government will take steps to lift the unofficial embargo on sales of Canadian securities in the pentenary by foreign owners within a few weeks.

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Send Official Delegation With Invitation.

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LIBERAL SPLIT SEEMS PROBABLE IN QUEBEC

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—(Special).—The prime minister returned from Montreal today, but had no announcement to make in reference to Quebec representation in the cabinet. Negotiations are in progress, and it is expected that one or two former Liberals will join the administration.

L. J. Gauthier is willing to make the plunge, but the invitation has not yet been extended to him nor is it likely to be. It is very probable that he will form one of a group who will follow the new Quebec representatives in support of the government.

Indications are that the Liberal party will within a few months be as hopelessly split in Quebec as in Ontario and the west.

HYDRO OPERATION OF RADIAL RAILWAY PROVES SUCCESS

Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Line Is Now Prospering.

The Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway, now part of the Hydro-Electric railways system, has had a remarkable period of prosperity under Sir Adam Beck, according to a report issued yesterday. Accountants had reported that the line could not pay a 25 per cent. increase in wages without increasing its fares, yet despite this the Hydro-Electric Commission in nine months of operation have paid the increased wages and for four months an additional 10 per cent. They have not increased the fares.

The financial statement of the road for the seven months to the end of the provincial Hydro year, October 31, shows that the Essex division has faced increased expenditures in a number of items, among them a heavy burden for power, due to the increased price of coal consumed in the steam plant, yet the period as compared with the corresponding period under private operation shows a comfortable gain in the surplus. The revenue amounted to \$296,378, compared with \$225,268 in the seven months of 1919, and \$194,123 in 1918. Expenditures for maintenance and operation, including insurance, taxes and administration, totaled \$185,104, and electrical energy cost the commission \$100,000.

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ASKING SHOWDOWN OVER CHURCH UNION

Stir Among Presbyterians Over Rosedale Congregational Church Action.

Quite a stir has been caused in Presbyterian circles by the action of North Rosedale Congregational Church calling for an immediate showdown on the church union issue by the Toronto presbytery. This is the first incident of the kind east of Winnipeg in the case of a city church, and is an unexpected outgrowth of a temporary arrangement made by the Presbyterian general assembly, Methodist general conference and Congregational Union for local option in respect of church union.

It was recognized as the only alternative to a great disruption in the western provinces, where the sentiment for the union of the three denominations was, and is overwhelmingly strong.

Many local Methodist and Presbyterian churches united as community churches with Congregational churches, but only one or two community churches have been found in Ontario, and near the Manitoba border.

North Rosedale Congregational Church, after giving the usual price presented a petition to the Toronto Presbytery yesterday at St. James Square Church, asking that their congregation be recognized as a community church, ministering to the Presbyterians, Methodists and Congregationalists of the vicinity. North Rosedale Church to continue in affiliation with the Congregational Union.

Counter-petitions were presented by Westminster Presbyterian Church, and North Rosedale Presbyterian Church, on the technical ground that the establishment of a union church would infringe on their territory.

Westminster Church representatives pointed out that, while its members were worshipping at present in the Masonic Hall, Yonge street, they intended to build a new church on Bloor street or on the recently-acquired site on Park road.

A hearing will be given to all the parties interested.

Call Sustained.
The presbytery sustained a call from St. Enoch's Church, Toronto, to Rev. John McNab, who is now supplying the pulpit at the Midland Presbyterian Church. The stipend is \$2000 at St. Enoch's, with one week's annual vacation.

Theron Gibson was elected treasurer of the presbytery in succession to the late R. C. Jennings.

Rev. Dr. Robert Haddow was congratulated upon his appointment by the general assembly as one of the editors of the official church newspaper.

MEMS OVERCOATS, \$19.75

Men's overcoats selling at nearly half-price at Dineen's. Only fifty in the lot, good serviceable coats, this season's make—Ulsters, form-fitting Chesterfields and Raglans and many others. Regular price of these coats were from \$32.50 to \$45.00. Sale for three days only, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. See window display on Temperance street. If you want a real overcoat bargain drop into Dineen's, 130 Yonge street, bright and early Thursday morning.

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DRURY TELLS HOW EMBARGO IS FOUGHT

Says He May Go to England to Agitate for Canadian Cattle's Entry.

Guelph, Ont., Dec. 7.—(Special).—What is being done by the Ontario government as its share towards having the embargo on Canadian cattle to the British markets removed, and the efforts that are being made to improve the live stock industry and agriculture generally in the province, was told by Hon. E. C. Drury, premier of Ontario, in an address at noon today in the Kandy Kitchen, at which the directors and exhibitors to the winter fair and a number of prominent visitors were the guests of the city of Guelph.

After being given a cordial welcome to Guelph by Alderman Frank Howard, chairman of the civic reception committee, and the mayor, Premier Drury stated he had fond recollections of this city and he had felt very much at home today while spending a short time among the exhibitors. He paid a distinct compliment to Hon. Manning Doherty, who had been in charge of agriculture in Ontario for the past year. "I chose him for that position because I had faith in his ability and energy," said the premier.

Attack Along New Line. An important matter that has been made this fall, he said, was the new method introduced to free Canadian cattle from the unjust embargo that has been on for so many years as far as the British markets is concerned. The premier said it had been found useless to proceed along old lines and an attempt to deal with the bureaucracy of the British department of agriculture, and, having this idea in view, Mr. Doherty visited England and attacked the problem in a new angle, which was to institute a strong agitation among the people of England and thru the press for the removal of the embargo.

Premier May Visit England. "As a result of Mr. Doherty's visit," said the premier, "we have high hopes of accomplishing our purpose. The matter is being taken up in England in no uncertain manner, and it may become necessary for both Mr. Doherty and myself to visit the old country in connection with the matter, because we shall have free access to the British markets. The premier also pointed out that the American market may become impeded in the near future, and this makes it imperative that the embargo to the British market be removed. "This embargo is unjust," he said, "as it is being maintained under false pretences, and the people of England do not appreciate what is being done."

Save Way for Fruit. Mr. Drury also stated that Mr. Doherty, in his visit to England, had started a movement to get Canadian fruit to the English market on better terms. The government, he said, would try to assist the growers, not only in preparing their fruit for the market, but also to follow it up when the fruit arrived in England.

Regarding the future of Ontario the premier said that we had a great province, a great winter fall, and great live stock. In the past the farmers had done fairly well and would do better in the future, if given a chance. "But," he said, "we must do more. We must do something to help the farmer, and we must do something to better rural life. The agricultural Ontario will be greater than ever. We have the live stock and the men; all we have to do is to handle the matter intelligently."

Duncan Marshall Aroused. Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture of Alberta, followed Premier Drury, and made a fighting speech for the removal of the embargo on Canadian cattle to the British market. "At the present time," he said, "the embargo is a prohibition and not a method to prevent diseased cattle from entering the British market. What was needed, he claimed, was a strong resolution from the Dominion government to the British government, not requesting but demanding the embargo be removed."

He also quoted extracts from a Scottish paper which stated that Canadian cattle were cleaner than the British, and which inspectors had looked over 8,000,000 slaughtered Canadian cattle and not in one instance had a trace of disease been found.

Biggest Question. Mr. Marshall said there was not one thing in the next ten years that was so important to the Canadian farmer as the entry of his cattle to the British market. Regarding the winter fair, Mr. Marshall stated it was a greater exhibition than ever. The Alberta Agricultural College and he hoped stock from that province would find its way to succeeding winter of Ontario and the provincial minister of agriculture in attendance at the show, as they were the men who showed the sheep in class touch with the breeders of the province.

Doherty Speaks. Hon. Manning Doherty spoke in a congratulatory vein. He commended Premier Drury on sending the western minister to the Guelph Fair. He congratulated Premier Drury on his visit to the winter fair officials on their show, which was the best ever held here, and he thanked the City of Guelph for co-operating in making the fair the success it was.

ARGENTINA PROPOSES TO QUIT THE LEAGUE

Geneva, Dec. 7.—Honorio Pueyrredon, head of the Argentine delegation, just before his departure for Paris, today informed the Associated Press that Argentina's withdrawal from the assembly would probably be followed shortly by a formal declaration of its intention to leave the league. "The only condition under which Argentina will resume her place in the adoption of her four proposals in substance," said Senor Pueyrredon.

HAS PROCLAIMED ITSELF DANZIG'S PARLIAMENT

Berlin, Dec. 7.—The constituent assembly of Danzig has proclaimed itself the parliament of the free city under the title of "Volksrat," with powers to enact legislation until 1923. A majority of the socialists, independent socialists and Poles voted against this decision and then left the hall, taking no further part in the proceedings. Dr. Sahm, the former burgomaster, has been elected president of the senate and is thus the first president of the free city of Danzig.

HUGE ICEBERG A MENACE IN WESTERN STEAM LANE

Boston, Dec. 7.—An iceberg that towered 150 feet above the sea and resembled a cathedral spire, was sighted off Cape Race in the west-bound transatlantic steamer lane by the Swedish ship, Gustavsholm, which reached port here from Rotterdam today. The big berg was said by officers of the ship to be fully half a mile long. In its wake was a smaller mountain of ice. The companion bergs had apparently been sighted by other vessels, as three wireless reports of their presence were made within a few hours. Hydrographic officials at this port calculated today that the known proportion of icebergs above water is one in nine, the berg probably was 1,440 feet under water and 1,620 feet from the bottom to the tip.

CRY IS GENERAL FOR MORE ECONOMY

British Government Will Have to Cut Estimates and Block New Schemes.

London, Dec. 7.—Government supporters in the house of commons today were brought into line for the second reading of the dyestuffs bill, against which the irreconcilable free traders are making a dead set. Thursday will witness the debate on national expenditure, which, in view of the outcry for economy, must be important. It is expected that the estimates will have to be cut all around, and the government is being pressed to prevent any fresh schemes involving further expenditure.

Austen Chamberlain, chancellor of the exchequer, replying to a question on the subject today, said that there was as yet no reason to anticipate any material variation from his estimates of 234 million pounds sterling stated to be the balance on the year's revenue and expenditure. Thursday will witness the debate on national expenditure, which, in view of the outcry for economy, must be important. It is expected that the estimates will have to be cut all around, and the government is being pressed to prevent any fresh schemes involving further expenditure.

Lord Lee, president of the board of agriculture and fisheries, has threatened to resign if the policy of the government, as foreshadowed in the bill, is not adopted, at least in substance. The house of lords today resumed the second reading of the agriculture bill, which is raising much hostility. It is certain to be materially amended, though it is regarded as unlikely that the bill will be thrown out.

WORK NOT TO STOP DURING DISPUTES

Important Agreement Between Unions and Mason Contractors Effected.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 7.—An agreement previously ratified by the Brick Masons and Plasterers' International Union providing that there shall be no cessation of work pending adjustment of disputes was adopted by the young Masons' and Plasterers' International of Canada and the United States in convention here today. The agreement provides that all decisions of the international arbitration board in any disputes affecting employer or employee shall be final. It is agreed that the standing of the employer shall be defined by the union and union workers shall be permitted to work only for such employers as are declared competent, capable and honest.

LIQUOR DETECTIVES ARRESTED BY POLICE

Two Toronto Officials Taken in Thorold, But Later Released—Tell of Blind Pigs.

St. Catharines, Ont., Dec. 7.—Antoine Houven and Sam Swan, of Toronto, two liquor detectives, were arrested by the local police on charges of drunkenness after a quest for evidence against blind pigs in Thorold. Inspector Putman got their release as a result of their evidence secured against Christine Locusey and Nick Ifody. Swan had worked five shifts at the Coniagas smelter in order to gain an acquaintance. A fine of \$500 and costs were received in each case. Mrs. Sarah E. King, wife of License Inspector John W. King, died today, after a lengthy illness.



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SECESSION IS NOT IN OWN INTERESTS

Ald. Hiltz Advises North Toronto, But Admits They Have Grievances.

Alderman W. W. Hiltz spoke at a meeting of the Danforth Ratepayers' Association in Frankland School last evening and again at the Riverside Ratepayers' Association meeting in Leslie Street School, later speaking at Hodgson School. In referring to his candidature for the board of control he said that he would appeal to the people on his record. He did not believe in making promises, because he felt that it was a cheap way of seeking support. He pointed to his nine years of municipal experience, and asked that he be judged by that.

To the ratepayers of North Toronto he said the question of separating from the city was not in their own interests but a step. Nevertheless, he agreed that they had grievances, and these were being overcome. He pointed to the recent purchase deal and believed this would result in the settlement of many problems which had hung upon the transportation trust.

Rev. J. A. Miller, superintendent of the Ontario government employment bureau, originally addressed the Riverside Ratepayers' Association last night in Leslie Street School and pointed out that things did not seem very good for the coming winter, and the situation is being seriously considered by both the provincial and municipal governments. The position is more despondent than in 1914, when there were 4,000 people out of work, and smaller concerns are mostly affected.

The annual meeting and election of officers in connection with Riverside Ratepayers' Association was held at the Leslie Street School last night. L. W. Muller, president, occupied the chair. The following officers were elected: L. W. Muller, president (re-elected by acclamation); G. S. Smith, hon. president; W. Chapman, vice-president; A. D. Menour, second vice-president; T. John, recording secretary; E. F. Hicks, corresponding secretary; G. Corney, treasurer; J. W. Butcher and B. Forester, auditors; W. Farthing, H. A. Farthing, Rev. J. A. Miller, W. E. Smith, J. J. Bradley, F. J. Clancy, H. E. Hinton, W. A. Walters, J. Long, J. Dunlop, J. G. Bennett, J. Storey, executive committee; D. Menour, Hicks and J. Hunt, delegates to Central Council of Ratepayers.

Rev. J. A. Miller presided during the election of officers. In connection with the appointment of delegates to the Central Council, W. Chapman refused to stand for re-election and was replaced by L. O. Cliff. Influence at the present time is said to be that of the newspaper, which is said to have been receiving the approval of the Central Council of Ratepayers at last meeting of the body.

D. Menour in a forceful manner declared that the Riverside Association's demands would remedy the situation during the new year. L. W. Muller, president of the association, said that among the main needs of the district was the improvement of the G.T.R. crossing on East Queen Street. The appalling state of traffic congestion is prevalent. About 40 per cent of the freight traffic of the railway passes this crossing.

W. Hiltz, candidate for board of control, in soliciting the support of the ratepayers, said there was nothing to be gained by going to the polls and no cessation of work pending adjustment of disputes was adopted by the young Masons' and Plasterers' International of Canada and the United States in convention here today.

COST OF COLLECTING LUXURY TAX IS LOW

Hon. R. W. Wigmore States It Only Amounts to Three-Quarters of One Per Cent.

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—(By Canadian Press).—The cost of collecting the luxury and excess taxes is proving pleasingly low, according to a statement made to Canadian Press, Limited, this evening by Hon. R. W. Wigmore, minister of customs and inland revenue. When the annual statement of the department is issued, covering the operations of the year, Mr. Wigmore stated, it will show that the cost of collecting these taxes is well within three quarters of one per cent. When the estimates of the cost of collection were drawn up, it was expected that it would have proven more costly than one per cent, to make the collections.

EIGHT ALLEGED BANDITS ARRESTED IN WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Dec. 7.—Eight men were arrested late Monday by the police in connection with the daring hold-ups on Winnipeg streets during the last month. Police believe they have sufficient incriminating evidence to suspect them. Several of the men were arrested at a rooming house on a downtown street. It is alleged that most of the men arrested have police records.

TO BUILD NEW CITY

Quebec, Dec. 7.—A new city, whose name, Saguenay City, is already incorporated, is to be built beginning next spring near Kenogami, Lake St. Lawrence. The Saguenay Lumber Company, this firm intends to establish there a very large pulp plant. The contractors say they will need at least 4,000 men next spring.

THE TORONTO WORLD

LAKES ASSOCIATION HAS BEEN DISBANDED

Detroit, Dec. 7.—The Great Lakes Passenger Lines Association, thru which passenger steamship lines operating on the lakes have dealt with their organized employees, has disbanded, it was announced today. Hereafter labor organizations of the seamen will be forced to negotiate their agreements with the individual companies. The association had been in operation 20 years. Coincident with announcement of dissolution of the association, it was intimated that in the future the passenger lines would decline to pay subsistence to employees at home port where they incur no expenses while fitting out or laying up vessels.

CREDIT TO ARMENIA OF \$25,000,000

U. S. State Department Considers That That Amount Will Be Necessary.

Washington, Dec. 7.—President Wilson's suggestion in his message to congress today that a loan be extended by the U. S. to the Armenian government, brought to light the fact that the U. S. state department has had the question under consideration and that it has arrived at the conclusion that a credit of \$25,000,000 would be necessary.

The Armenian question and the acceptance by President Wilson of the task of mediating between the Armenians and the Turkish nationalists, was understood to have been discussed today at the regular weekly cabinet meeting at which the state department was reported by Acting Secretary Davis.

Officials of the state department supporting the suggestion of a loan, declared that the request for Armenia could not be expected merely as a result of kind words and an extension of moral support. Reports to the department of Armenia, in that country have indicated clearly, it was said, that without money, the population could not go far in achieving a stable readjustment.

RECORD CROWDS AT WINTER FAIR

Drury Donald Is Winner of the Hereford Bull Championship.

Guelph, Dec. 7.—(Special).—Tremendous crowds from all over the province poured into the city today to witness the 60th anniversary of the Hereford cattle show, which was held at the Guelph Agricultural College. The show was opened by the mayor of Guelph, who declared that the Hereford cattle, and in both the quality and quantity, were of an exceptionally high order. The University of Alberta, which is the headquarters for Hereford steers, with Drury Donald and Perfection Lass, the former owner of the Hereford of Denfield and the latter by O'Neil Bros. of Oshawa. The judge, John Wilson, of Hamilton, said that the steers he had seen in a show were not so good as he had ever seen in a show like this.

LABOR COMMISSION VIEWS DISORDER

(Continued From Page 1.) and William Adamson, chairman of the parliamentary labor party, had an interview with Mr. Lloyd George last night and reported to him the report of the commission's inquiries in Ireland, and the state of public feeling in Ireland concerning a possible truce. Mr. Henderson had previously met the parliamentary labor party and explained how impressed the commission had been by the widespread desire for a truce and a conference to negotiate a settlement.

CANADIAN WHEAT POURING INTO U. S.

(Continued From Page 1.) here about fifty-six million bushels of wheat. Natural, Says Dealer. A member of one of the largest Canadian grain export houses stated last night that there was nothing unprecedented at this season in the very large shipments of wheat to the United States from the head of Lake Superior. It was natural to suppose that under existing circumstances a considerable portion of it might be for sale to American dealers; but, on the other hand, it was to be remembered that in normal years two-thirds of Canada's export of wheat had been thru United States ports. During the war this was not possible. Wheat shipped to Buffalo and to the United States points, designed for export to Europe, might be taken out of the bond and sold to American buyers.

Fall Fur Hunt in the North Was a Dismal Failure

The Pas, Man., Dec. 7.—The fall fur hunt in the north has been a dismal failure. Mild weather and the low price of furs has resulted in the non-success of the hunt. Hundreds of Indians returned to fishing instead, and reports from the fishing grounds say the catch was the past several years, by a wide margin. Whitcher, an Indian principal caught, and for the first time sturgeon fishing is being done on the Churchill River at Puckatagan.



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SCOTCH FARMERS LOOK TO CANADA

Report Fifteen Thousand Are Ready to Come If Ships Were Available.

Winnipeg, Dec. 7.—Rev. J. Knox Clark, immigration chaplain, Winnipeg, asked the Winnipeg Presbytery today why there is such an easy entry into Canada for undesirables when the most desirable of all settlers, Scotch farmers, are unable to get transportation for the coming summer into Canada. He declared that he had heard there were 15,000 Scotch farmers ready to leave for Canada at once, but they had to defer their departure on account of shortage of shipping accommodations.

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LIVE STOCK TO BE GIVEN BY GERMANY TO FRANCE

Paris, Dec. 7.—The reparations commission announced today that Germany must deliver to France and Belgium a total of 1,740,000 fowls within four years, 25,165 goats within three years, and 15,250 pigs within one year. The German representatives have agreed to this program. The commission also announced that Germany has almost completed delivery of the live stock advances required under annex four, paragraph six of the peace treaty. Germany has been instructed by the commission to deliver within six months 30,000 horses, 125,000 sheep and 90,000 cattle, including 30,000 in calf. The total number of horses, sheep and cattle to be delivered eventually will be fixed later. The allied demands are considered here to be reasonable, but the representatives of the German government will be heard by the commission again.

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TIMBER COMPANY SEEKING DAMAGES

Attorney-General Moves to Strike Out Counter-Claim of Defendants.

Legal echoes of the timber probe were heard at Osgoode Hall yesterday when H. S. White, for the attorney-general, and W. Lawr, for Walter H. Russell, of Port Arthur, and the Russell Timber Company, clashed before the master in chambers, J. A. C. Cameron. In the first of the action brought by the attorney-general against the other parties for damages for the alleged wrongful removal of pulpwood from crown lands, which lands, it is stated, had been obtained by subterfuge.

The attorney-general moved to strike out the counter claim of the defendants, whereby they ask a fiat to bring suit for \$100,000 damages for injury to their business and credit by the ulterior use to which the attorney-general has put their suit. In effect the counter claim not being struck out the attorney-general asks for particulars of it. The master reserved judgment.

During the argument Mr. Lawr spoke to the injury to his client by what he described as the high-handed actions of the attorney-general.

Mr. White took refuge behind the adage that "the king can do no wrong."

Mr. Lawr returned to the attack with the declaration that the attorney-general was not suing on behalf of the crown, but merely as attorney-general of Ontario.

In the statement of claim, the attorney-general alleges that the defendant has cut upwards of 50,000 cords of pulpwood, 1500 logs, and 500 beams in the township of McTavish, on Borden Island, and on part of Black Bay Peninsula, on lands, patents of which were improperly obtained, on the representation that there had been valuable finds of mineral thereon. Others were said to have been obtained under the guise of homesteading.

The defendant denies wrongdoings, and say they have bought wood from the Cambrian Mining Co., Taylor & Mackie, settlers and others. If those parties got their lands improperly, the defendant says they should be prosecuted instead of themselves.

SCENT DEFECT IN POWER-AGREEMENT

No Mention Is Made of Franchise of the Various Concerns.

Some attention is being given at the city hall to the fact that the provisional agreement between the Toronto Railway Co. and the Hydro Commission for the sale of radial and power properties to the Hydro and the city, makes no mention of the franchises of the various concerns.

The agreement, as set forth in a letter from R. J. Fleming to the Hydro Commission, merely mentions the sale of the issued stock of these concerns. It is pointed out that, for instance, the Toronto and Niagara Power Co. may have considerable unissued stock, and, as they have a federal franchise on all the streets and highways of the province, they might, after selling their present physical assets to the city, put out more stock and go ahead and do business on their franchise.

The question has been raised and it is anticipated the city will insist on tangible assets being given up including the franchises.

It is also understood the city may ask for a revision of the arrangement between the city and the Hydro, which, in its present terms, provides that the Hydro Commission may operate cars on Kingston road in the city and also between Sunnyside and the Harbour. These roads are both of the same gauge as the city lines and the transportation commission could take over the sections in the city and operate the cars there without any preliminary expense.

An arrangement could be made whereby the Hydro could operate on Toronto's behalf the sections outside the limits.

WOULD GIVE POSITION TO RETURNED MAN

A deputation of returned men waited upon the Ontario government yesterday in connection with the appointment of a purchasing agent for the province. Clarkson W. James, secretary to the minister of pensions, has been mentioned for the position, but the appointment is not approved by the returned men, who urged the claims of Franklin Challenger.

RACHMANNOFF AT MASSEY HALL.

Sergl Rachmannoff, the greatest musician whom Europe has sent to the new world since the days before the war, will delight a large audience of Toronto music lovers at Massey Hall tonight. Rachmannoff is a brilliant composer, pianist and director. He is a master of the keyboard, playing with rare insight and imagination, eloquence and poetry. His compositions represent some of the best of the greatest school of music of modern times. His repertoire will display the full range of his powers. Rush seats will be placed on sale at 7.15 p.m.

HARBOR BOARD TO MEET.

A meeting of the harbor board will be held on Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Some notice may be taken of the Boyd-Magee suit to collect a large commission from the Canadian Stewart Co. which obtained a contract from the harbor board.

SIX MONTHS FOR WOMAN.

Annie Barber, the woman who attempted theft from Grace Hospital binding herself, and concealing the money, was yesterday given six months at the jail farm. She collapsed, but not before she had expressed a desire to shoot the magistrate.

RECONSIDER BY LAWS FOR RATEPAYERS' VOTE

The various bylaws and questions which are on the list for a vote of the people on January 1, will be reconsidered by the board of control this morning, and the revised list will be the subject of the deliberations of council at a special session this afternoon.

MAGEE SUIT CAUSES STIR AT CITY HALL

Question Is Now Likely to Be Threshed Out by Board of Control.

The revelations at Osgoode Hall, where Col. Boyd Magee's suit to collect part of \$100,000 from the Canadian Stewart Company was heard, is causing a little commotion at the city hall and is likely to crop up at the board of control meeting this morning.

The question being asked is "What did Col. Boyd Magee do in return for a promise of \$100,000 from the firm which secured a big contract from the Toronto harbor commission?"

Con. Cameron said yesterday that he intended to move today for information concerning the tenders submitted, with names and amounts, and for other information, and Con. Ramsden has suggested an investigation to see what information the harbor board has on the subject.

Chief Engineer E. L. Cousins of the harbor board said yesterday: "The contract was awarded in open competition, and the first I knew of any \$100,000 was when the letter was published."

Home Smith of the harbor board said: "The Canadian Stewart Company got their contract from us because they were the lowest tenders, and quoted a low price. It was a straight business deal. So far as we were concerned that is all that entered into the transaction."

The letter referred to came up in court on Monday and was from J. C. Stewart of the Canadian Stewart Company. It promised Con. Boyd Magee \$100,000 for services, and purported to be a transcript of a memorandum agreement dated June 8, 1913. The letter was dated Nov. 18, 1913. The harbor board had called for tenders for \$1,000,000 yards of dredging, with a guarantee minimum of 20,000,000 yards and a guaranteed minimum of one-sixth of that amount each year for six years. The tenders were opened on May 23, and the contract was awarded to the lowest tenderer on Sept. 15, 1913.

The tenders were:

	Cents Per Yard.
Anglo-Canadian Contractors.	24.50
Sir John Jackson, Ltd.	20.50
Crowell-Sherman-Stalter.	20.00
Canadian Stewart Company.	19.75

It was said in court that the money was promised for services in connection with the obtaining of the contract, but what these services were have yet to be revealed.

NO JURISDICTION OVER VIADUCT SITUATION

Mayor Church last week wrote to Hon. Dr. Reid, minister of railways, asking for a statement of the government's attitude on the viaduct question, pointing out that President Kelley of the G.T.R. had said any agreement entered into would require to have the approval of the government, which was taking over the G.T.R.

Dr. Reid replied as follows: "As you are no doubt aware, the government has not yet taken over the Grand Trunk Railway and will not be in a position to do so until the award of the board of arbitration has been received. In the meantime, we have no jurisdiction in the matter to which you refer. I will be glad to submit your letter to President Kelley and ask him to give it his best consideration."

CHRISTMAS CAROL TO HELP SICK CHILDREN

Seats are now on sale at Nordheimer's music store for the performance of the Christmas Carol classic by the Dickens Fellowship players. The entire net proceeds of these performances on December 15, 16, 17, and 18 go to endow another cot in the Hospital for Sick Children. This society has already two cots in their name in the Home for Incurable Children, and the eleven patients from this institution are the guests of this society at the Thursday performance. The plan opens on the ninth, and all Dickens letters should be sure not to miss this Christmas entertainment.

CHIEF INSPECTOR RECOMMENDS NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

Chief Inspector R. H. Cowley has recommended the appointment of the following new public school teachers: Valda L. Stockwell, Carrie McLeod, Katie F. Falk, Laura Marcellus, Jean Armour, Edith Morton, A. Alecia Leary and Mrs. Caroline Hoffman. Also the following instructors: John C. Darroch, Thomas Windsor, George B. Cairns, and John Webb.

RECKLESS DRIVING CHARGES INCREASE

Some People Not Fit to Run Cars, Judge Coatsworth Says. "The number of accidents is not decreasing as we had hoped, and it is evident that certain people, either thru carelessness or recklessness, are unfit to drive automobiles," said Judge Coatsworth in his charge to the grand jury at the opening of the sessions yesterday afternoon, as he referred to the eighteen charges of criminal negligence following auto accidents, which are to come before the court.

FAMILY GETS FORTUNE.

William A. Wilkes, who died in Toronto, Aug. 12 last, leaving \$75,000 personality, bequeathed a life interest to his widow, Mrs. Annie Louise Wilkes, on whose death his children share.

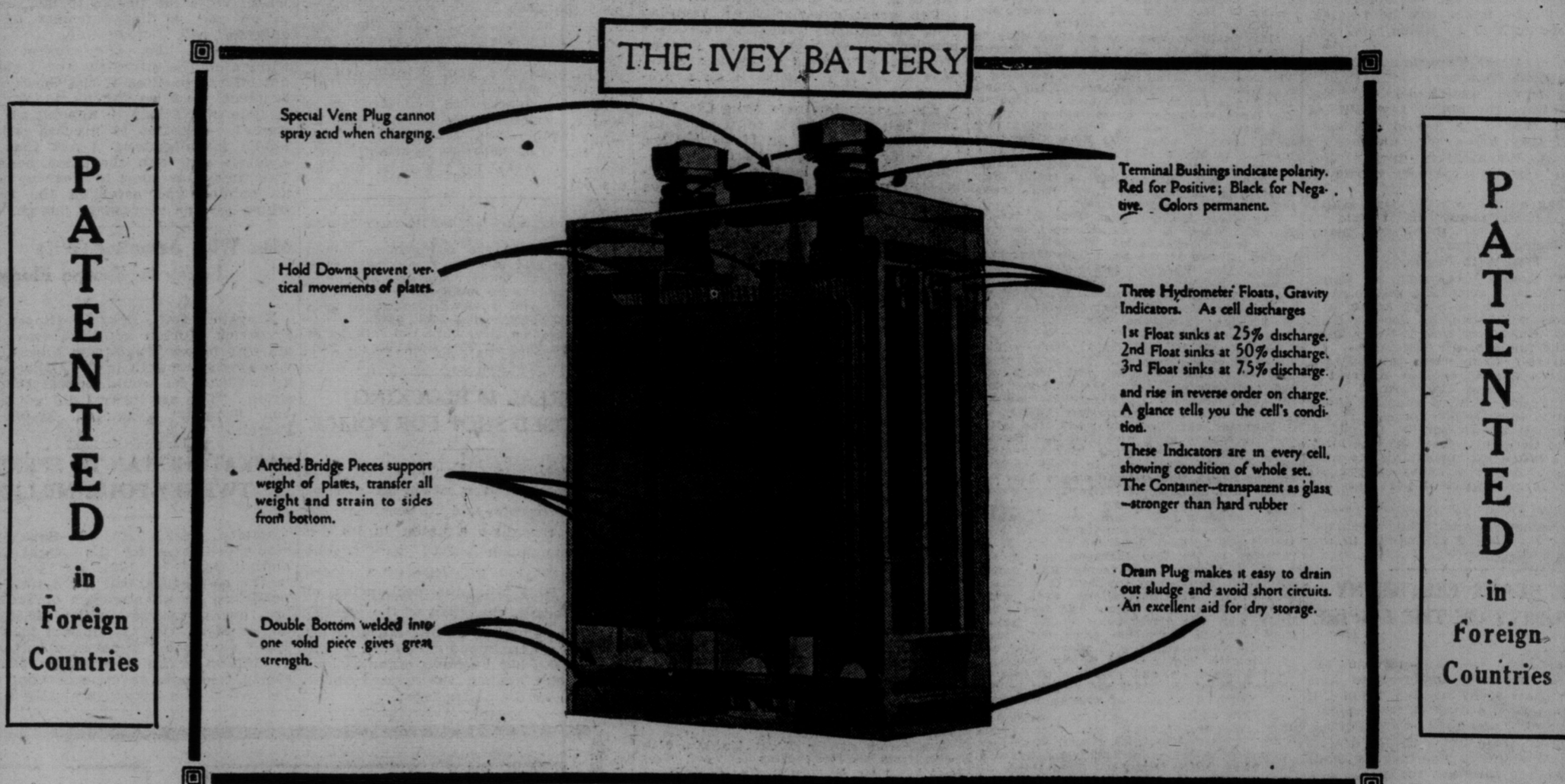
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SUGGEST TRANSFER OF SOCIAL SERVICE

Deputation Would Place Commission Under Department of Health.

Ald. Phinnemore's motion to abolish the social service commission and turn its work over to one of the civic departments will probably be taken up by the board of control this morning, but already a deputation has waited on Dr. Hastings, M.O.H., and asked him to take charge of the work, in co-operation with the city treasurer. The deputation consisted of Ald. Phinnemore, Ald. Hamilton and Mrs. A. M. Huestis. They take the stand that a big saving can be effected in the work of the social service by having it handled from the medical health department. The present cost to the city is about \$20,000 a year. The health officer has on his staff a number of trained nurses and others would probably need very little more help than he has to handle the work. When asked yesterday the reason

RECKLESS DRIVING CHARGES INCREASE

Some People Not Fit to Run Cars, Judge Coatsworth Says.

"The number of accidents is not decreasing as we had hoped, and it is evident that certain people, either thru carelessness or recklessness, are unfit to drive automobiles," said Judge Coatsworth in his charge to the grand jury at the opening of the sessions yesterday afternoon, as he referred to the eighteen charges of criminal negligence following auto accidents, which are to come before the court.

Chief Inspector Recommends New Public School Teachers

Chief Inspector R. H. Cowley has recommended the appointment of the following new public school teachers: Valda L. Stockwell, Carrie McLeod, Katie F. Falk, Laura Marcellus, Jean Armour, Edith Morton, A. Alecia Leary and Mrs. Caroline Hoffman. Also the following instructors: John C. Darroch, Thomas Windsor, George B. Cairns, and John Webb.

GAVE PRISONER OPIUM.

For conveying opium to a Chinese prisoner at the jail farm, Leo Filliato was yesterday fined \$500 and costs or six months.

WOMAN MAKES MANY REQUESTS IN WILL

Miss Isabella Ross, who died in Toronto, Feb. 18, 1915, leaving \$45 in personal effects, and equities of \$800 in 142 Northcoke avenue, and \$7,500 in 157-159 Rosa avenue, after directing that \$200 be set aside for a monument and \$25 for the care of her grave, left \$1,000 to the House of Providence and the Catholic Church Extension Society, \$500 each to her sisters, Margaret Ross, Ellen T. O'Brien, Muskokoka Free Hospital, St. Elizabeth Order of Nurses, St. Phillip of Neri Hostel, and the Sacred Heart Orphanage, and the residue to her sister, Mrs. Mary A. Garney.

FAMILY GETS FORTUNE.

William A. Wilkes, who died in Toronto, Aug. 12 last, leaving \$75,000 personality, bequeathed a life interest to his widow, Mrs. Annie Louise Wilkes, on whose death his children share.

INSPECT FIRE PROTECTION.

Fire Chief Russell has instructed his deputies and district chiefs to inspect every hospital and public institution in Toronto.

HALL FOR GRANADIERS IN MUSICIANS' TEMPLE

Arrangements are being made by the Royal Grenadiers for the use of a hall in the Musicians' Temple, University avenue, for the various company meetings and gatherings of the Grenadiers' Veterans' Association. It is planned to give the hall on the first Monday of every month for the meeting of the veterans, the second Monday for A and B company meetings, and the other two Monday evenings for C and D companies, respectively.

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SOME CONFESSIONS OF GERMAN EX-SPY

Tells How He Was Sent to U. S. With Orders to Enlist in Army.

New York, Dec. 7.—Sensational disclosures of his mission to the United States as a spy for the German government, were given in an alleged confession by John Willers, formerly captain in company I, 48th United States Infantry, alleged deserter and deserter, after his arrest here tonight, charged with absconding with \$5,000 of his company funds in December, 1918. His regiment was then stationed at Camp Sevier, Greenville, S.C. Willers, the police said, recited in brazen fashion how he was sent to the United States as one of 200 cadets trained in the art of espionage to enlist in the United States army. On his arrival in the United States, Willers went to Albany, where he enlisted, he said, as a private. His military aptitude won him rapid promotion, and his knowledge of English and his ability to "speak like an American" enabled him to get a commission. "What was your plan after reaching the other side?" he was asked. "I could lead the company to slaughter," the police say he replied, "you would also be killed," he was reminded. "What of that? Thousands of better men died that way." While being questioned at the police station, the police say Willers remarked that they would be surprised if they knew the number of officials at Washington during the war who were employed by Germany as spies. "Are they still there?" he was asked. "That I don't know," he said. "But there were many of them during the war." Fled With Funds. The 48th Infantry was still at Camp Sevier when the armistice was signed, and, his usefulness as a spy at an end, Willers told the police, he decided then to become a deserter and to take, they alleged, the funds of his company. The deserter then went to Chicago, where, about a year ago, he married a young woman named Crawford. From Chicago, Willers roamed about the country; at various times in his travels trying unsuccessfully to get a passport to Germany. He disguised himself and awaited an opportunity to quit the country, which he did in Philadelphia, he said, was an important part of his disguise. When questioned by military authorities at Governor's Island, Willers declined to amplify his alleged confession to the police.

PRINCE BEARS TESTIMONY TO UNITY OF THE EMPIRE

London, Dec. 7.—Replying to an address of welcome tendered to him today by the city of London, upon the termination of his tour of the empire, the Prince of Wales said: "The British people never were more firmly united in devotion to the empire and their King, than they are today. It has been no merit of mine, but merely my good fortune to enable that devotion to value none the less the generous congratulations offered me today on such small services as my tour has rendered to that great British Commonwealth, of which this great city is the heart."

FOR TWO MILLION EDUCATION BLOCK

(Continued From Page 1). The motion for a joint committee on the division of the site was adopted unanimously. Approval of Plans. Principal A. C. McKay said that in view of the fact that the officials of the education department had expressed general approval of the tentative plans of the Riverdale branch technical school for the Greenwood-Danforth site, as prepared by W. W. Pearse, recommended that Mr. Pearse be further instructed to proceed immediately with the complete plans and details in order that tenders may be called for at an early date. Trustee Laxton moved up the committee for a time by calling in Mr. Pearse to explain why the plans called for a \$750,000 building when the combined grants from the city council and Ontario government totaled \$750,000. Principal McKay and Mr. Pearse gave explanations, showing that the \$750,000 would cover the ultimate completion of workshops of a permanent character in connection with the technical school, but that they could be put up as required of cheap building construction and that the school proposed would be well within the grants. Principal McKay's recommendation for the preparation of the plans as a basis for tenders was then agreed to. The Greenwood-Danforth educational block will be the second two-million-dollar school block, that having been the case of the central technical industrial high school.

ONLY TABLETS MARKED "BAYER" ARE ASPIRIN

Advertisement for Bayer Aspirin. Text: 'Not Aspirin at All without the "Bayer Cross"'. Includes Bayer logo and text: 'The name "Bayer" identifies the only genuine Aspirin—the Aspirin prescribed by physicians for over fifty years and now made in Canada. Always buy an unbroken package of Bayer Tablets of Aspirin which contains proper directions for Colds, Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Rheumatism, Neuritis, Joint Pains, and Pain generally. Tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents. Larger "Bayer" packages. There is only one Aspirin—Bayer.—You must say "Bayer".' Includes Bayer logo and text: 'Aspirin is the trade mark (registered in Canada) of Bayer Manufacture of Monopolized Aspirin. It is well known that Aspirin means Bayer Manufacture, to assist the public against imitations, the Tablets of Bayer Aspirin will be stamped with their general trade mark, the "Bayer Cross".'

SOCIAL EVENTS

Items Intended for This Column Should Be Addressed to the World City Editor.

Mrs. Lionel Clarke will give a luncheon at Government House on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Z. H. Stirling are leaving this week for an extended trip to England, sailing from New York on the Celtic. Mr. and Mrs. Scott will spend Christmas in Ottawa, the guest of Mr. A. McLaren. Prof. and Mrs. Kilpatrick will spend Christmas with the Rev. G. G. S. Kilpatrick and Mrs. Kilpatrick in Ottawa. The wedding took place at the Church of St. Mary Magdalene, Ottawa, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Janaway, Brussels, avenue, to Mr. Albert Billingsley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billingsley, of King, Ontario. Breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, about forty members of the R. O. A. B. and their wives were entertained in the evening. Mrs. E. D. Rudolf will give a home dance on Thursday, Dec. 20, at her home, 147 Fairbank avenue. Mrs. Thomas Tinline, Indian road, is giving a luncheon today in honor of Miss Gladys Wood, Chestnut Park road, a bride of this month. The wedding was solemnized at St. Chad's Church by the Rev. A. J. Reid, of Edith, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reid, of Edith, Ontario, and Walter H. Spencer, late of the 15th Batt., The Highlanders, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reid, of Edith, Ontario. Mr. Spencer was bridesmaid and Mr. B. M. Spencer was best man.

20,000 PEOPLE ARE NOW TAKING ASPROLOX

New Scientific Discovery Is Rapidly Becoming Sensation of the Drug Trade Throughout Canada. BREAKS UP A COLD BY REMOVING CAUSE. Thousands Using It With Gratifying Results—Great Superiority Over Ordinary Remedies Clearly Demonstrated. Remarkable as it may seem, over 20,000 people in Toronto and vicinity are now taking Asprolox. The new scientific treatment for colds, which is rapidly becoming the sensation of the drug trade throughout Canada. The great superiority of Asprolox over the ordinary remedies heretofore prescribed has been clearly demonstrated, and people everywhere have been quick to recognize it as a preparation of remarkable merit. The Lyman Brothers Drug Co., Ltd., have just placed their third order for one hundred gross, or 14,000 bottles, to supply the drug trade in this important territory, and in doing so have demonstrated that the manufacturers have been able to supply the large and rapidly growing demand. The phenomenal success of the preparation can be readily explained, by the fact that it is a real specific and breaks up a cold by removing the cause, while the great majority of the present day remedies relieve the symptoms only. Thousands of people who have used Asprolox state that it is almost magical in its effect, and are recommending it to their friends. Asprolox is a combination treatment, and acts as an antipyretic, which reduces the fever; an expectorant, which loosens the phlegm, relieves the congestion and stops the cough; a laxative which opens the bowels, and an antiseptic, which retards germ growth and prevents the spread of the infection. It is delightful to take, and produces no unpleasant after-effects whatever. Even children take it readily on all, both old and young, with the same gratifying results. If you are suffering from a cold, go to your nearest drug store and get a bottle of Asprolox. Open it on the spot; take one teaspoonful, repeat the dose in one hour and again in two hours. If, by the time you have taken the third dose you are not surprised and delighted, take the bottle back and your money will be refunded without question. Chronic coughs and persistent colds lead to serious complications, such as lung trouble and pneumonia. Only one bottle of Asprolox is usually sufficient to break up the most obstinate cold.

Man Who Assaulted Wife Lucky to Escape Flogging. Kingston, Ont., Dec. 7.—(Special).—Frederick Merton admitted assaulting his wife before Magistrate Farrell and was given a month in jail, whereupon he declared he would appeal the decision. "You are lucky I did not order you flogged," remarked Magistrate Farrell.

MONTREAL IS BLOCKING CLOSED SHOP FOR POLICE

Montreal, Dec. 7.—The city has never recognized a union in any of its departments and it does not intend to recognize a union in its departments, much less to grant to one department the privilege of a closed shop. This was the declaration of E. R. Decary, chairman of the administrative commission, this morning, in reply to a unanimous statement on the part of the big business organizations of the city against the "closed shop" demands of the police force.

HYDRO OPERATION WAS SUCCESSFUL

(Continued From Page 1). bringing the gross surplus up to \$82,668. From this \$49,986 was set aside as interest on investment and \$12,046 as sinking fund at the rate of 1.052 per cent, leaving a net surplus of \$22,335. Was Lack of Knowledge the Overhead of the former owners of the road prevents accurate comparison of net profits, but the gross surplus of \$82,668 compares with \$53,591 in the seven months of 1919, \$42,255 in 1918 and \$62,504 in 1917—seven months being taken in each case for purposes of comparison. The completion of the Chippewa development will reduce the power cost considerably since the line will then be able to take Hydro power instead of developing its own power from high-priced coal. The assets of the railway are placed at \$2,144,755, of which \$1,998,918 represents the value of road and equipment. The liabilities include bonds at \$1,848,000, bank advances at \$200,000, accounts, unredeemed tickets, etc., \$61,073. The statement is balanced by the sinking fund reserve of \$11,346, and the operating surplus of \$22,335. Consider Ouelph Road. D. Kirwin, city collector of Ouelph, and T. J. Hannigan, Ouelph, secretary of the Hydro Electric Railway Association, had a conference at the Hydro Commission yesterday afternoon with Sir Adam Beck, P. A. Gaby and C. J. MacInnes with reference to the proposed taking-over of the Ouelph road by the Provincial Hydro Commission. Before the meeting Mr. Hannigan said the Ouelph Council had passed a resolution, and Premier Drury had agreed to approve of the Hydro Commission taking-over of the railway, provided the people voted on it as a separate unit. It had formerly been voted upon as part of

CONSTANTINE GOT 98 PER CENT. VOTES

Wants Impartial Commission to Investigate Greece's Part in War.

Paris, Dec. 7.—Ex-King Constantine received 98 per cent. of the votes cast in Sunday's plebiscite on the question of his return to the throne of Greece. It was announced in an Athens despatch, dated Monday, received, by the Greek legation here today. The voters, it is added, numbered 800,000 more than the total taking part in the recent parliamentary election. With the object of refuting "inaccuracies and even injustices" with which part of public opinion, misled in no way a disparagement of the King Constantine of Greece suggested in the course of an interview with the correspondent of the Havas Agency at Lucerne, that the League of Nations appoint an impartial committee to proceed with a public investigation of the events in Greece during the war. "The plebiscite, which has just been concluded in Greece, was a solemn manifestation of the bonds which unite my people to me, and in no way a disparagement of the King Constantine," said Constantine. "I should like the fullest light thrown on the situation, and I should not offer opposition if the Greek government went so far as to ask the League of Nations to appoint an impartial committee to proceed with a public investigation. I ask that my accusers act with the same honesty. The times has come to clear up public opinion and establish the truth, which for me represents justice."

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SASKATCHEWAN TO SPEND TWENTY-FOUR MILLIONS

Regina, Sask., Dec. 7.—Saskatchewan's estimate for the fiscal year ending April 30, 1921, as introduced in the legislature, call for a total expenditure on all accounts of \$24,283,420, as compared with \$20,561,024 last session. Of this amount \$11,570,920 is chargeable to revenue accounts, \$10,131,000 to capital accounts, \$2,100,000 to telephone revenue account and \$461,000 to the agricultural aids act.

MILD WINTER IN WEST

Winnipeg, Dec. 7.—The zero point was reached by Winnipeg's official thermometer last night for the first time this winter. Zero exactly was registered. Weather in Saskatchewan and Alberta is mild, and highest temperatures in Manitoba are predicted. The season thruout the western provinces has been notable for its mildness.

Advertisement for Heintzman & Co. Art Piano. Text: 'Established 1850—70 Years. Choicest of Christmas Gifts. There could be no more beautiful Xmas gift than a Heintzman & Co. Art Piano. Be it Grand or Upright. This "much-loved piano" is built not for a day, but for all time—with a permanency of tone that was the friendship of every true music-lover—a tone that does not deteriorate with age. Heintzman Hall 193-197 Yonge St., Toronto. The name is your guarantee.' Includes illustration of a piano.

Save a Cent on Every Loaf

Advertisement for Lawrence's Bread. Text: 'You'll Like Lawrence's Home-Made Bread. We Know That. Because it's made of the best flour; the war-time flour is all gone. No bleaching chemicals are used to whiten the bread. Lawrence's Bread has the natural creamy color inside and the crust browned just right. It's a big loaf, too, and only by selling on a strictly cash basis can we sell it for 11c. So, please, have the cash or ticket ready, for it has been found more satisfactory for all parties concerned to pay cash or ticket at each call.' Includes Lawrence's Bread logo and text: 'Lawrence's Bread. 11c for a 24-oz. Loaf. 10 Tickets for \$1.10. GEO. LAWRENCE'S BREAD, LTD.' Includes phone number: 'Phone College 321 and our driver will call.'

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PROHIBITION RULES IN FOREIGN PORTS

U. S. Vessels Subject to Its Provisions Is Ruling of Government Officials.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Provisions of the national prohibition act extend to United States ships, whether they be in home waters, on the high seas, or in foreign waters. Commissioner Williams of internal revenue ruled today. Commissioner Williams' ruling, based on an opinion of Acting Attorney-General Grierson, was sent to all collectors of internal revenue and federal prohibition agents for their information and guidance.

The acting attorney-general's opinion was submitted to the secretary of the treasury Nov. 1, in response to a request from the secretary of July 19 as to whether the national prohibition act applied to it in which liquors on U.S. ships outside of home waters as well as within the three-mile limit.

Mr. Grierson, in reply, said: "I think there can be no doubt as to the law applying to vessels in United States waters. Under the law," he continued, "a vessel registered under the U. S. flag is in many respects considered as a portion of the territory of the United States, and persons on board are governed by its laws."

"It follows, therefore," he declared, "that persons on board such a vessel, wherever that vessel may be, are governed by the laws of the United States, to which they would be subject if within the U. S. Indeed, the jurisdiction over them of the Federal government is much broader than when they are within the United States. In the latter case, with respect to the great bulk of the criminal laws, they are subject to the jurisdiction of the various states and not to that of the U. S. The various states, however, have no jurisdiction even of their own citizens when on the high seas. For this reason Congress may enact, and the Federal government may enforce, criminal laws for the purpose of punishing offenders for offenses committed while on the high seas which it would not be within the power of Congress to make applicable to the same offense if committed within one of the states."

The acting attorney-general also held in the same opinion that the provisions of the revenue act imposing floor taxes on distilled spirits held for sale on United States ships, applied wherever the ship may be.

Consulting With Canada Regarding War Veterans

London, Dec. 7.—Colonel L. S. Amery, under secretary for state for the colonies, speaking in the house of commons yesterday, said that the possibility of arranging with the Canadian government and other Dominions for a wider extension to ex-service men of the privileges given their own ex-service men was certainly worth consideration, but it involved questions of cost which required careful investigation. The overseas settlement committee, he said, was in continuous consultation with the Dominions.

"We have already given free passage to men settling in Canada, but a further extension might involve an expenditure by the overseas governments which they may not be able to bear," said Col. Amery.

Col. Norton Griffiths, well-known in Canada for certain contracts carried out by his firm of builders, asked: "Will you make representations to Canada with a view to its foregoing the £200 imposed to prevent men going there and coming on the unemployment funds?"

No answer was returned to this question.

FACES 40-YEAR TERM

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 7.—Clement Pacyna, 23 years old, was found guilty of robbery, first degree, by a jury in the county court here today. He had been identified as the leader of a band of robbers, who on October 21, held up a New York Central passenger train in the local yards and took money and jewelry from passengers. Having been previously convicted of a felony, Pacyna faces a sentence of 40 years in prison. He will be sentenced on December 17.

STOPPED HER HEADACHES

Years Of Suffering Ended By "Fruit-a-tives"

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50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

FATAL EXPLOSION IN QUEBEC TOWN

One Man Is Killed and Eight Injured in Factory at Fort Coulonge.

Fort Coulonge, Que., Dec. 7.—One man was killed and eight others injured when a small boiler used for heating water in connection with operations on the new cooperage factory here exploded, wrecking the boiler room of the building and sending flying debris and scalding water into a crowd of workmen. The explosion occurred yesterday afternoon, but owing to the breakdown in the telephonic and telegraph services due to the storms, it was impossible to communicate with the outside world until today. The factory belongs to the Sutherland-Innes Company, Limited, of Sundridge, Ontario. Two of the injured were taken to Ottawa.

The dead: William McKay, aged 30, Fort Coulonge, son of the late William McKay. Died of injuries in three hours while being attended to by Dr. Gauthier.

The injured: James McDowell, Fort Coulonge, leg fractured, cut about the head and badly scalded; in Protestant General Hospital, Ottawa; Alex. Chatterton, sen., Fort Coulonge, millwright, face cut and scalded; may lose sight of one eye; at home; John Chatterton, Fort Coulonge, leg fractured, shoulder dislocated and rib broken; in Protestant General Hospital, Ottawa; Alex. Chatterton, jun., Fort Coulonge, slightly scalded; at home; Joseph Bellow, Fort Coulonge, side of face scalded; at home; Theophile Bertrand, Fort Coulonge, broken rib, leg injured, slightly scalded; at home; Thomas Armstrong, Shawville, Quebec, slightly scalded and suffering from shock; at home; Chamberlain Cobden, slightly scalded; at Fort Coulonge.

McKay, the man killed, was not an employee of the company, but had just dropped into the plant to visit a friend.

FINANCE DISCUSSED

"Municipal Finance" was the subject of the address of T. A. Bradshaw, former city treasurer, at the dinner held last evening in the Mossop Hotel by the Chartered Accountant Students' Association of Ontario. Mr. Bradshaw elaborated a policy which had as its aim the control of expenditures so as to maintain a city's credit.

WHY CANADA OBJECTED TO ARTICLE 10 OF PACT

Sir Robert Borden in Memorandum Explains That It Would Involve Territorial Survey and Contains Some Inconsistencies.

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—In a communication handed to the press tonight, Sir Robert Borden, former prime minister, and the head of the Canadian delegation to the peace conference, explained the chief objections of Canada's delegates to article X of the peace treaty, which were set forth in a memorandum prepared by Sir Robert, in consultation with his colleagues.

Sir Robert, in his statement, summarized the chief objections in point of principle raised by the memorandum, which pointed out that article X "involves an undertaking by the high contracting parties to preserve the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all states members of the league." It is further observed that a careful survey of the high contracting parties to the treaty would involve initially a careful survey of the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all states members of the league. It is further observed that a careful survey of the high contracting parties to the treaty would involve initially a careful survey of the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all states members of the league.

"The chief objection in point of principle which was raised by the memorandum related to Article X of the covenant. It is a fundamental principle of international law that the territorial integrity and independence of all states members of the league should be preserved. The signatories to the covenant are called upon to declare (a) that all existing territorial delimitations are just and expedient; (b) that they will continue indefinitely to be just and expedient; (c) that the signatories will be responsible therefor.

"The undertaking seems to involve initially a careful survey, consideration and determination of all territorial questions between the various states with national aspirations to which the provisions of the peace treaty will not do justice and which cannot be permanently repressed. Subsequent articles contemplate the possibility of war between two or more of the signatories under such conditions that the other signatories are not called upon to participate actively therein. It is as a result of such war, the nation attacked occupies and proposes to annex (possibly with the consent of a majority of the population) a portion of the territory of the aggressor, what is to be the operation of this article? Indeed, the article seems inconsistent with the provisions of articles XII to XVII inclusive. Obviously a dispute as to territory is within the meaning and competence of the six articles last referred to, under which a disposition of the dispute is materially different from that proposed by article X. It might be reached. Article XXIV does not seem to remove the difficulty."

"The view expressed in these observations did not prevail, and article X was embodied in the final text of the covenant in practically the same terms as in the original draft."

JAP MAIL POUCH STOLEN IN TRANSIT

Letters and Packages Found Later in Room of New York Hotel.

New York, Dec. 7.—A sack of commercial mail from Japan for the British Isles by way of New York was stolen here last month while in transit from the Grand Central terminal to the foreign station of the postoffice, it was learned today. The pouch was believed to have contained no diplomatic correspondence.

Some registered letters and packages it contained were found in a downtown hotel room after a couple registered as A. Edwards and wife had occupied it, postoffice inspectors announced. A maid reported finding fragments of mail matter littered about the place, and postal officials were notified.

The date of the theft, was placed at November 13 by Inspectors Collis and Sommers, investigating the case. On that date an empty sack of the type used for international mail was found on Hudson street.

The pouch is believed to have been rifled November 25, as the couple spent that night in the hotel and the mail was found the next morning. The man and woman gave their addresses as Syracuse, N.Y.

About 200 letters and small parcels were found, some of which had not been opened. Several addressed to Japanese officials and to business men were crumpled and torn.

DOUBT THE TAKING OF A STRIKE VOTE

Winnipeg Wire Indicates Chance of Settlement of Hanna Controversy.

Winnipeg, Dec. 7.—Information reaching Winnipeg, according to a local paper, does not entirely support yesterday's Ottawa despatch that an immediate strike vote may be taken on the Canadian National Railway System with regard to the political order of President D. B. Hanna.

It is believed that the members of the delegation of Canadian National Railwaymen now at Toronto, are still continuing negotiations, with both sides seeking a settlement without the necessity of taking a strike vote.

Against Strike in East.
St. John, N. B., Dec. 7.—A general tie-up of the Canadian National Railway in New Brunswick is not anticipated as the result of a possible vote among the employes to decide the issue of striking in support of the protest against the order of D. B. Hanna, the president, notifying employes that they must not hold public offices on penalty of dismissal.

The majority of trainmen and other employes in this province are not over-enthusiastic on the strike proposition and will likely vote against it, if it comes to a showdown.

TO FIGHT TYPHUS IN THE NEAR EAST

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sembly by his eloquent appeal, Canada and Siam, Sir George remarked, were the only countries that had responded with cash contributions to the call of the council for relief of Armenia.

"Let it not be said that the flood-gates of sympathy are closed," Sir George cried. "Let it not be said that the sensibilities of the world have been dulled to such imperative calls." Sir George's reminder to the assembly that much had been promised in aid of the anti-typhus campaign, but that little had been paid except by Siam and Canada, produced a decided reaction among the delegates. Representatives of nations in all corners of the world succeeded one another at the speaker's stand to give assurance of the co-operation of their governments in the work.

Ravages in the East.
A member of the Indian delegation, the Prince of Havanagar, added to Sir George's appeal by giving a vivid description of the ravages of typhus in the east. He declared the world was facing in this a graver emergency than the situation in Armenia.

Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, the Norwegian delegate, said that the typhus could be effectively fought with the price of two torpedo-boat destroyers of the assembly this morning was to approve the decision of the committee on relations between the assembly and the council for the elimination of the entire paragraph of its report, which provided that the assembly had no power to take up questions within the exclusive jurisdiction of the council. Hon. N. W. Rowell of Canada, who made the report, pointed out that the elimination did not change the present situation. The report, being merely interpretative, could not change the relations between the council and the assembly. Sir Rowell remarked, but was merely explanatory of the provisions of the covenant.

The commission on the League of Nations assembly today unanimously decided that no member of the league shall be permitted to blockade an offending member without the consent of the council of the League of Nations, but that it may reject the decision of the council if it believes it to be unjust.

BALTIMORE APARTMENT FIRE.
Baltimore, Dec. 7.—Mount Holly Inn, apartment hotel, home of United States Senator-elect O. E. Keller, and 150 other Baltimoreans, was rased by fire which broke out at the dinner hour tonight. There was no loss of life.

OF ALL BAD WORDS.
"Plenty of coal," but of all bad words of tongue or pen the saddest are these—it's in the other fellow's bin.

AIRPLANE TRAVEL FOR GEOLOGISTS

Scientists Planning to Explore Canada's Northwest in Flying Machines.

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—(By Canadian Press).—If plans now under consideration by the Dominion air board are matured, Canadian geologists who every summer make arduous trips to far northern regions to carry on field work, will next summer be spared much effort and saved several weeks of valuable time by being carried in airplanes.

BONUS ON THE STOCK OF LOEW'S LONDON THEATRE

Loew's London Theatre common shareholders, it is reported, are to receive in the new merger \$20 in common stock, carrying a dividend, for each \$10 share of common stock now held. The preferred shareholders are to receive 8 per cent. instead of 7 per cent. per annum.

DR. CHOWN RETURNS FROM THE ORIENT

Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 7.—Rev. S. D. Chown, general superintendent of the Methodist Church in Canada, arrived here today from the orient on the steamer Empress of Asia. He will leave for his home in Toronto tomorrow. In Japan Dr. Chown attended the session of the world's Sunday school convention. He declared that the conference has resulted in incalculable benefits to the orient, and the whole country had been aroused to the advantages of Sunday school and religious education. There were, he said, as many as 20,000 people in the Sunday processions connected with the conference, and there were demonstrations of immense enthusiasm.



Milk in Every Recipe

With the approach of winter the social season is at hand with parties of every kind.

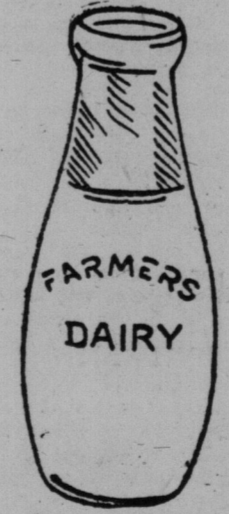
No matter how unpretentious your style of entertainment, you want the refreshments you serve to be the tastiest, the daintiest possible.

Fancy breads and tea biscuits, cakes and macaroons, cookies rolled thin as paper, candies—have these made your fame as a cook?

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For those knitting garments for Christmas, we have a grand display of Monarch Knitting Yarns, famous for its strength, evenness of thread and range of colors. Adaptable for the making of all knitted garments as Sweater Coats, Pull-overs, Scarves, etc.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's HATS

of all kinds cleaned, dyed and remodeled. Work excellent. Prices reasonable. NEW YORK HAT WORKS. Phone N. 5165. 566 Yonge St.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Dec. 7. (8 p.m.)—An area of high pressure is centred tonight north of Lake Superior, and the weather is mostly fair and rather cold over Ontario and the Maritime Provinces. In the west it continues fair and mild.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 14 below, 8 below; Prince Rupert, 35, 40; Victoria, 40, 44; Vancouver, 31, 42; Kamloops, 31, 42; Calgary, 14, 42; Edmonton, 14, 30; Battleford, 30, 32; Prince Albert, 18, 36; Moose Jaw, 30, 32; Saskatoon, 22, 38; Regina, 24, 34; Winnipeg, 20, 32; Fort Arthur, 10, 25; White River, 10, 20; Parry Sound, 22, 30; London, 32, 36; Toronto, 30, 42; Kingston, 24, 30; Ottawa, 22, 30; Montreal, 24, 28; Quebec, 24, 28; St. John, 32, 34; Halifax, 34, 40.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate fresh north and northeast winds; fair and rather cold. Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Moderate northerly winds; fair and rather cold. Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf and North Shore—Fresh northerly winds; fair and cold.

Maritime Provinces—Fresh northwest winds; mostly cloudy and somewhat cold. Lake Superior—Fresh easterly winds; fair, with stationary or higher temperatures. Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta—Fair and mild.

THE BAROMETRICAL table with columns for Time, Bar., Wind, etc.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. At From: Bergen, Rotterdam, New York, etc.

STREET CAR DELAYS. Tuesday, Dec. 7, 1920. King cars, both ways, delayed 5 minutes at 7.23 p.m. at G.T.R. crossing, by train.

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RATES FOR NOTICES. Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths not over 50 words, \$1.00.

DEATHS. Robinson—On Tuesday, Dec. 7, 1920, at the home of his niece, Mrs. C. M. Huggan, 27 St. Clair avenue east, John J. Robinson, in his 65th year.

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YORK COUNTY SIBURBAN NEWS

PROGRAM FOR SCHEMAS STRAIN ON TAXPAYERS

Dr. Noble Presents Case for School Board Before the Mount Pleasant Ratepayers, But Controller Maguire and H. H. Ball Emphasize the Need of Retrenchment — News of North Toronto.

"His worship the mayor has some unaccountable spite against the little children and he wants to see them housed in sheds," declared Dr. Noble, chairman of the board of education, at a crowded meeting of the Mount Pleasant Ratepayers' Association in the Hodgson school last evening, during a tirade against the city council and the mayor. The announcement was greeted with loud cries of "No, no! Don't run Tommy Church down here!" and "Be fair."

The doctor did not get exactly the reception he evidently looked for, and the interruptions came a bit of a surprise apparently, to him. It had been said that the board of education was spending too much. If they were doing so, it was the business of the taxpayer, and not the mayor. He thought the city council had better mind its own affairs.

"His worship the mayor," said Dr. Noble, "has got all the money we have asked for, but that is untrue. We asked for \$3,000,000, and what does the city council do but cut it down to \$1,000,000. 'All I ask of you,' he said, 'in conclusion, is to talk to your candidates when they come before you, and tell them we want our children educated.'"

"The mayor," said Dr. Noble, "is a member of the audience told Dr. Noble that they had a first-class school in that section, but terrible roads, and he asked the doctor if he did not think it would be better for the children's health if they did not have to walk through mud. 'We want good roads first before we build schools,' he finished, amidst cheers."

"Oh, I did not come here to talk about that," answered Dr. Noble, amidst loud laughter. Miss Burger, principal of Hodgson School, warmly desired the "no low frills" charge. She said she would like the mayor, any member of the city council or any reporter to come to her school, and they could tell them how to spell. "I am asking you, in conclusion," she said, "to give our girls, our boys, our teachers and our school a square deal when you next visit the city hall."

Unfortunate Clash. H. H. Ball said he was sorry to say there was an unfortunate clash at the present time. No one wanted to withhold anything from children, but there was a condition in every home when a man had to withhold even from his own children, and he was inclined to

think that they had reached this time to refuse some things which were desirable, but which could be done without. He pointed out that during the past year in Canada, the bank loans had increased by \$300,000,000, while the savings had increased only \$100,000,000. He was afraid Dr. Noble's enthusiasm had carried him beyond the bounds of wisdom. He was in looking over some of his old tax payers he found that the school rate was 7-10, and the general rate was 20-3-10. In 1919 the school rate had risen to 7-8-10, while the general rate was 20-6-10, while the school rate was 10, and the general rate was 20-6-10.

Major Lovejoy has been appointed to the position of controller for New Toronto during 1921. New Toronto council has engaged a city firm to audit the town's books before the newly appointed treasurer, A. F. Ritchie, takes office on the 15th inst. This has been done at the request of Mr. Ritchie, who intimated that in making the demand he was acting upon legal advice.

The council have decided to leave the local tax rolls open until Dec. 15, after which time the treasurer has instructions to add the percentage tax for unpaid bills. Nothing tangible has resulted from the joint meeting of the New Toronto Progressive Association and the Ratepayers' Association. Mr. Rutland, president of the ratepayers, and Mr. Longstaff, president of the progressives, each extolled the aims and activities of the respective bodies and considerable criticism of both was indulged in by the members present, but, as stated, the strained relationship between the two organizations has resulted from the conclusion.

A meeting between the council and G. H. Gooderham, chairman of the highway commission, to discuss the moving of the radial tracks and the widening of the highway is to be held on the 13th inst.

OAKVILLE BAZAAR WAS GREAT SUCCESS

Local Horse Fanciers Pleased With Success of Exhibitors at Winter Fair.

Local horse fanciers were delighted when the news reached them last night that at the Provincial Winter Fair at Guelph two local exhibitors, Bates Bros., had captured a championship and a couple of prizes in the Percheron mares class.

Although no admission fee was charged, the bazaar held by the Ladies' Aid of Knox Presbyterian Church last night will net a handsome sum for the work of the organization, as the church hall was well filled all evening and almost a clean sweep was made of the articles offered for sale.

A cheque for \$198 and the insurance policy on the Oakville ambulance has been handed over to the council by the ladies' ambulance committee, whose work has been highly appreciated by all classes in the town. Mayor Davis is to interview the committee on behalf of the council for the purpose of asking the ladies to continue to administer the affairs of the ambulance.

Payment of the second instalment of taxes of the town of Oakville is due today, at the local branch of the Bank of Toronto.

WEST TORONTO MOOSE A. A. WILL HOLD A SMOKER. The Moose Athletic Association held a meeting last night in Moose Hall, West Toronto, and decided to hold a smoker and concert in the city in the near future in aid of the association. It has already been secured at the rink, and Steve Van Register, coach of the New Toronto lodge are holding their smoker at the Humber on Friday, while Toronto lodge, No. 1500, have a lengthy program tonight.

HOLIDAY SUCCESSFUL SHOW OF POULTRY

Citizens' Committee Member Joins Issue With Statements on Gas.

DANFORTH EARLSCOURT

Danforth and South York Poultry Association held a largely-attended meeting in Frankland School, Logan avenue, last evening, when a show of Mediterranean varieties was held. P. Summers acted as judge, and prizes were awarded the winners. Sweepstake prizes of \$5 and second of \$2 were awarded to members scoring the most points in any one variety in the last three shows. E. Slous won first prize, and C. R. Cruston won the second. Aid. Frank M. Johnston presented the prizes, and in a brief address congratulated the association on its activity and progress made during the past year.

The following were the officers elected for the ensuing year: W. H. Howard, president; Joseph Russell and Aid. F. M. Johnston, hon. presidents; C. R. Cruston, first vice-president; J. Spurway, second vice-president; Wm. Daubert, secretary-treasurer; W. Hoarpe, T. T. St. Laurent, R. Ryan, J. Carter, W. Baldwin, L. Lewis and H. Hill, executive committee; Dan Hoarpe, show superintendent, and W. Spurway, show secretary.

"If Mayor Church is correctly reported in connection with the Consumers' Gas Company, he is mistaken when he states that the increase in the sale of gas and residuals was \$1,255,759. I fear the mayor is camouflaging the issue, and the price of gas as supplied is not advanced," said Mr. Ellis, adding that Mr. Hewitt has not given full particulars as to why the company are asking an advance in the rates.

"Mr. Hewitt is correct, however, in saying that the gas supplied at present is not the same quality as supplied a few years ago," Mr. Ellis said, "and he also should tell the public why his company writes off five per cent. of the value of their buildings on Toronto street, Mutual street, Adelaide street, and holders in other parts of the city, and also for the lands held by the company, while other taxpayers have to meet an increased cost of gas, oil, and gas."

Under the auspices of the Toronto Heights Social Club, a successful concert was held in Belmont Hall, St. Clair street, last night. The program included dramatic and humorous skits, ventriloquism and conjuring; J. N. Lucas, a clever act by the Thomas Havelian trio, including Miss Marjorie Wilson, mezzo soprano; Miss Rose Davis, interpretive dramatic; and Miss Havelian, pianist and accompanist. There was a large attendance, and Tom Lewis occupied the chair.

WYCHWOOD CRESCENT A. A. OFFICERS ELECTED

The following officers were elected at a meeting of the Wychwood Crescent Athletic Association, held at the West End Y.M.C.A. Hon. Pres. Cont. Alf Maguire, Hon. Vice-Pres. Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, Hon. W. D. McPherson; Hon. Patrons, Dr. Chas. Sheppard, Dr. Forbes Godfrey, Mayor T. L. Church, Earl Lawson, K.C. R. J. Bull; President, Thos. Jones, J.P.; Vice-Pres., U. Coulter, sen., Harry McMahon; Executive, E. Berry, J. Davidson, F. Symmons, P. Simpson, J. Macgregor; secretary-treasurer, Chas. Brooks.

The following players, who signified their intention of playing for the Wychwood Crescent Athletic Association in the junior series of the Western City Hockey Association: Archie Clements, formerly of Perth; Chas. Davey of Moose, Walter Berry of Westmorelands, Harry Ross of Hillside, Ted Day of Wychwood, George Jones of Mattlands, Pete Mackie of Crescents and six other candidates who for various reasons wish to keep their identity unknown.

Wychwood-Crescents, for the past two years juvenile champions of Toronto and district, and holders of the Victory cup, claim that Linfield Rovers are not juvenile champions of Ontario and challenge them to a series or a sudden death game to decide the title in question, rain, snow, or shine. Attention, Thos. Unsworth!

NEW TODMORDEN CHURCH

The new Bethany Baptist Church, Todmorden, is rapidly approaching completion, and it is expected the opening ceremony will take place on Sunday, Dec. 10. Rev. Prof. Kierstead will officiate.

ETOBICOKE SCHOOL EXTENSION NEEDED

The need of a new and larger school for this district is daily becoming more insisted upon, as the present in use is quite inadequate to meet the growing school population. The following have been elected officers of Etobicoke Ratepayers' Association for the ensuing term: E. J. Wagner, president; W. A. Patterson, vice-president; A. V. Sims, secretary-treasurer; P. Walsh, J. W. Spang, J. M. Padden, W. Horner, J. O'Donoghue, M. Pokens, W. Sanford and W. J. Colquhoun, executive committee.

FORMER WELL-KNOWN MARKHAM MAN DEAD

Markham Township residents in the neighborhood of Newtonbrook will learn with regret of the death of their former resident, John J. Robinson, a former well-known Markham man. Mr. Robinson, who was 88 years of age, was born in Newtonbrook, and was engaged in farming all his life until his retirement about 13 years ago. For some years he lived in North Toronto; later removed to a cottage in Markham, and is survived by one brother, William, and two sisters, Mrs. George Milligan of Weston and Nancy, who resides in the late Mr. Robinson, since his retirement from active life, has traveled somewhat extensively.

Interment will take place at Thornhill tomorrow afternoon.

Under the auspices of the A. Y. P. A. at St. Leonard's Anglican Church, last night, a very interesting address was given by Rev. Harold McCausland, of Sutton, on his experiences in Siberia during the war. Mr. McCausland acted in the capacity of chaplain to the forces in Siberia all through the war. The chair was taken by Mr. Mockford, president.

A meeting of the children of St. Clement's Sunday School was held last night in the school house. They are now preparing for their Christmas entertainment under the leadership of the following ladies: Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Will Paton and Mrs. Kate Jerrett. December 21 was set aside as nomination day for the coming council elections. Following new polling stations were fixed: No. 71, John W. Marshall's office, West Toronto, No. 12, B. C. Trim's house, 1056 Page avenue, No. 29, Hartley's store, Mortimer and Strachan, No. 41, Barber's house, 120 Barrington avenue, No. 32, Gordon Thomas's house, 188 Lamouey avenue, No. 40, Mrs. Eider's house, 41 Barber avenue, and No. 41, A. E. Smart's house, 7 Chryseas avenue. "Owing to inconvenience caused to the township staff by continued delay thru the auditors not making their report, which is long overdue and not delivered, we wish to place on record our entire disfavor of the way in which the auditors have treated the township, and strongly urge said auditors to send the report without delay. The foregoing resolution was passed with quiet determination. Prospect Park Cemetery. The Prospect Park Cemetery question was brought before council yesterday again by a report in the season of an evening paper. This letter says they want \$40,000, \$20,000 for each of the roads, and not \$22,000," said Rev. Miller, "and what they say about proper right-of-way applies to the south end, and not to the north one, where we are much interested."

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TOWNSHIP LABOR TO BE UTILIZED OF UNEMPLOYED.

The question of the unemployed in York Township was a vital one yesterday afternoon at the adjourned meeting of the council, and the following resolution was passed: "Resolved, that the engineer be instructed to enforce the clause that in all contracts on work in York Township, it shall be done by at least two-thirds of township labor."

EMPHASIZES NEED OF TRANSPORTATION FAIRBANK

Meeting of Ratepayers' Appointments Committee to Consider Project. Owing to the many questions discussed and the keen interest resulting, the meeting of Fairbank Central Ratepayers' Association at Wilcox Hall, Vauchaux road, on Monday evening, did not adjourn until 11 o'clock yesterday morning. At a late hour Reeve F. H. Miller arrived and discussed the laying of water mains on Fairbank streets, also the Hydro and other local improvements. He particularly emphasized the need of transportation in that district, and outlined the growth of the St. Clair district since the caps had been running along St. Clair avenue. "This same condition," he continued, "would be repeated here in Fairbank if tracks were extended along the main streets."

Mr. Meier added that he would be very glad to help the ratepayers in their efforts along this and other lines of improvement and he urged them to appoint a transportation committee. This suggestion was carried out and Messrs. Walton, F. D. Graham and J. J. Little were elected.

Other elections were as follows: G. A. Anton, president; J. Bruce, vice-president; W. Robbins, secretary; P. D. Graham, treasurer; executive committee, Messrs. Carleton, Vallance, Keefer, Adams, Little, Twitchin, Lamford and Glover; entertainment committee, Messrs. Campbell, Anderson and P. D. Graham; representative committee, Alex. McGregor, K.C., and Messrs. Walton, Emery and McPherson; advertising committee, Messrs. Bruce, Seeking and Keefer; Messrs. Glover and Walton were appointed auditors. G. A. Anton presided.

WEST TORONTO W.O.W. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Excelsior Camp, No. 173, Woodmen of the World, at a meeting held last night in St. James' Hall, West Toronto, elected the following officers: R. H. Mowbray, C. C.; A. E. Leadbeater, A. L., and the remaining being W. Thompson, H. Durrant, Roy Parker, Miss M. Durrant, Jas. Durrant, F. Dalton, S. Clouston and W. Cousins. There was a large attendance and two were initiated. The remainder of the evening was spent entertaining Northern Camp with a euchre.

INJURED IN ELEVATOR. COOKSVILLE PLANS TO ESTABLISH TOWN BAND

An effort is to be made to revive interest in the formation of a band for the town. Last spring efforts were made in this direction and a considerable sum of money was donated for the object, but owing to failure of interest on the part of several who had promised practical help the scheme fell thru after several practices had taken place. A number of Cooksville residents with empty coal bins have relieved the situation this week by hauling the fuel from Toronto, where the price paid was \$16.50 a ton.

TO UNVEIL MEMORIAL

A war memorial tablet, erected by the congregators of St. John's Church and friends, will be unveiled on Sunday morning next. The special preacher will be Rev. Canon Hedley.

A Greater Toronto W. W. HILTZ

Says The Council of 1920 did a wise thing for Toronto by appointing a Transportation Commission. The success of this Commission will depend to a great extent upon the support given it by the Council of 1921. You may rest assured that if elected to next year's Board of Control, I will defend your interests in this respect.

W. W. Hiltz

Advertisement for King Hot Water Boilers and Imperial Radiators. Includes text: "The cost of fuel is no inconsiderable part of living expense today, but if you install King Boilers and Imperial Radiators, you will find that they cut down your fuel bill through economical heating, and give as much, or more, heat." and "KING HOT WATER BOILERS AND IMPERIAL RADIATORS".

HOKEY PARKDALE DROPS OUT

HOST OF PLAYERS JOIN THE GRANITES

Half a Dozen Seasoned Defence Men in the Squad

Gossip. The second day of hockey practices provided a flock of surprises.

Jack Cain, who was a star of the first water two years ago, turned out with the Granites last night.

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BOXING JUNIORS AT VARSITY

FIRST PRACTICES



VARSAITY BOXERS SHOW CLEVERNESS

Junior Inter-Faculty Meet Uncovers Some Clever Boys

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English League

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CENTRAL TO AGAIN HOLD TOURNAMENT

Expect More Basketball Teams Than Ever Before to Have Entries

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JUDGE ORDERS THE PAPERS IMPOUNDED

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MARY FONSO THE ORLEANS LONG ONE

Two-Year-Old Filly Pays Twenty to One in the Second.

New Orleans, Dec. 2.—Today's results: FIRST RACE—Claiming, purse \$700, for maidens, 2-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs: 1. Gloom, 107 (King), 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 2 to 1.

SECOND RACE—Claiming, purse \$700, for fillies, 2-year-olds, 5 1/2 furlongs: 1. Mary Fonso, 102 (Roberts), 20 to 1, 10 to 1, 5 to 1.

THIRD RACE—Claiming, purse \$700, for 2-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs: 1. Dr. Campbell, 110 (Smith), 15 to 1, 8 to 1, 5 to 1.

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FIFTH RACE—Claiming, purse \$700, for 2-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs: 1. Rufus Eiley, 109 (Lansford), 6 to 1, 3 to 1, 2 to 1.

SIXTH RACE—Claiming, purse \$700, for 2-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs: 1. Gain de Cause, 101 (Richcreek), 15 to 1, 8 to 1, 5 to 1.

SEVENTH RACE—Claiming, purse \$800, for 2-year-olds and up, one mile: 1. Rufus Eiley, 109 (Lansford), 6 to 1, 3 to 1, 2 to 1.

The World's Selections BY CENTAUR.

NEW ORLEANS.—First Race—Montillo, Secretary, Bally Ghen. Second Race—Keshah, Lady Mildred. Third Race—Pullux, Opportunity.

TODAY'S ENTRIES

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AT HAVANA. Havana, Cuba, Dec. 2.—Entries for Wednesday are as follows: FIRST RACE—5 furlongs, 2-year-olds, maidens, six furlongs: 1. Scintillate, 102 (Murray), 9 to 1, 5 to 1, 3 to 1.

SECOND RACE—5 1/2 furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, purse \$700: 1. Sine Feiner, 107 (King), 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 2 to 1.

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WINNIPEG TO HONOR GEORGES CARTIER OVER GAUTHIER

Accepts Offer of Bronze Bust of Statesman—Erecting Suitable Monument.

Montreal, Dec. 2.—The project to fittingly honor the memory of the eminent Canadian statesman, Sir Georges Etienne Cartier, through the Dominion of Canada, has been advanced still another step through arrangements which have been made for the erection of a monument to his honor at Winnipeg.

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE PLAYERS

Montreal, Dec. 2.—When the teams of the National Hockey League line out for the commencement of the season on Dec. 22 there will be few new faces found among the players of the various clubs.

STATE RECEPTION BY DEVONSHIRES

Function in Montreal One of Most Brilliant in Canadian History.

MANY NEW CURLERS AT HIGH PARK CLUB

High Park Club will be in perfect condition for the curlers as soon as ice is available. The directors authorized the entire reconstruction of the rink at last night's meeting.

NO SENIOR O. H. A. TEAM FOR PARKDALE

Owing to the competition for players the Parkdale Canoe Club has decided to abandon their plan for a senior team and thus Collett, McCaffery, Etherington, Murton, Resor and the rest of them must go elsewhere.

SHANNON OUT IN SIXTH, THEN TO THE HOSPITAL

Jersey City, Dec. 2.—Al Roberts, Staten Island, heavyweight, knocked out Mickey Shannon of Pittsburgh in the sixth round of a ten-round match here tonight. Shannon failed to regain consciousness and was taken to a hospital.

Le Devoir Positive Cabinet Appointment Is Settled—Ottawa Contradicts.

Montreal, Dec. 2.—Le Devoir says today that the entrance of M. L. Gauthier, M.P. for St. Hyacinthe, into the federal cabinet has been settled, and that an announcement to this effect is only a matter of hours.

NEW CLUB HOUSE FOR THE ISLAND A.A.

At South End of the Regatta Course, Which Association Would Improve.

The Dominion Day Regatta Association and delegates of Toronto Aquatic Club met last night at the residence of the secretary, Huron street, there being present: P. J. Mulqueen, president, in the chair; Major O. Horn, vice-president; J. J. Dolan, secretary; J. McCord (Toronto C.C.), H. Dibble (Dons), A. Carter (Dons), S. G. Reid and C. King Balmly (Beauchamp), L. Ferguson (Montreal), J. Lynch and H. Welsmiller (Parkdale C.C.), A. Ireland (Island A.A.).

COAL MONT WOMAN VICTIM OF MURDERER

Jury Finds Mrs. Hattie McBride's Death Due to Foul Play.

WASHINGTON SINN FEIN GREET'S MRS. MacSWINEY

Washington, Dec. 2.—Hundreds of Sinn Fein sympathizers thronged the Union Station tonight to greet Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney, widow of the late Lord mayor of Cork, on her arrival here from New York to testify tomorrow before the commission appointed by the "commission of one hundred investigating the Irish question."

EMERGED ALMOST UNHURT FROM UNDER MOVING TRAIN

Pottstown, Penn., Dec. 2.—William A. Seyler, a local iron worker, took a nap today between the railroad tracks near Glasgow, and while he was sleeping a passenger train came along and the engine and two cars passed over him before the engineers could stop the train.

ROYAL FAMILIES ARE NOTIFIED OF CONDITION OF EX-KAISERIN

Dornum, Dec. 2.—Telegrams have been sent from Dornum House to the Queen of Sweden and other royal families informing them that Augusta, the former German empress, is still in a very serious condition, with frequently recurring heart attacks.

HOBBERLIN'S C.O.D. SALE OF Travellers' Models Agents' and Express Co's. Returns SUITS AND OVERCOATS Including a Number of Models To-Day, Thursday and Friday of this week Regularly \$17.50 from \$30 to \$40 at This Value Regularly \$27.50 up to \$55 at This Value Regularly \$37.50 up to \$85 at This Value 267 Suits 101 O'Coats All Sizes 245 Suits 152 O'Coats All Sizes 300 Suits 60 O'Coats All Sizes Our Full Guarantee That You Shall be Satisfied in Every Particular or Your Money Cheerfully Refunded Goes With Each Garment. Hobberlin's C.O.D. Sales Are Always Crowded—Come Early This Sale is Held on the 2nd Floor THE HOUSE OF HOBBERLIN LIMITED 151 YONGE ST. Business Hours from 8.30 to 5.30

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WALL STREET IS STILL IN PESSIMISM

Oil and High-Grade Rails Stand Up Well in Face of Downward Tendency—Bank Failures in Dakota and Fresh Breaks in Commodities Are Unsettled.

New York, Dec. 7.—Oils and rails of the better class were the only redeeming features of today's irregular to heavy stock market, those shares displaying occasional strength, while specialists of the miscellaneous variety were under constant pressure.

CONFIDENT BUYING OF INVESTMENT ISSUES

The bond and investment issues on the Toronto market are the only ones in which there is any confident buying at present. The avalanche of Victorias which had to be marketed are about taken care of and a natural strengthening of the market since the listing is the best guarantee of much higher prices in the not distant future.

SMELTERS MOST ACTIVE OF MONTREAL ISSUES

Montreal, Dec. 7.—In today's list on the local stock exchange Smelters was the only relatively active stock, opening 1 1/2 points down from yesterday's close and selling off 2 points net loss to 1 1/2. The deferred dividend decision at the annual meeting yesterday doubtless caused the decline.

DIVIDEND DELAYED TILL INVENTORY TAKEN

Montreal, Dec. 7.—The payment of the dividend of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada has been deferred until an inventory of the company's position can be taken. It was expected that the directors would have a decision on the quarterly period, and not in advance, as has hitherto been the case.

THE MONEY MARKET

London, Dec. 7.—Bar silver, 43 1/2 per ounce. Bar gold, 188 1/2. Money, 4 1/2 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 6 1/2 per cent; three-month bills, 6 1/2 per cent. Gold premiums at London, 140.00.

NEW YORK CURE

New York, Dec. 7.—On the New York Curb General Asphalt declined 2 points to 40, while International Petroleum and Standard Oil were fractionally higher.

PRICE OF BAR SILVER

London, Dec. 7.—Bar silver, 43 1/2 per ounce. New York, Dec. 7.—Bar silver, 65 1/2 per ounce.

Record of Yesterday's Markets

TORONTO STOCKS. Asked. Bid.

Table of Toronto Stock Exchange prices including titles like Atkitt Power, Am. Cyanamid, and various commodity prices.

STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE.

Table of Standard Stock Exchange prices including titles like Gold, Silver, and various international stocks.

STANDARD SALES.

Table of Standard Sales prices including titles like Op. High, Low, Cl. Sales.

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Table of Toronto Sales prices including titles like Op. High, Low, Cl. Sales.

TORONTO EQ MARKET FIRM.

Table of Toronto EQ Market Firm prices including titles like Atkitt Power, Am. Cyanamid.

NEW YORK CURE.

Table of New York Curb prices including titles like Abitibi, Am. Cyanamid.

NEW YORK COTTON.

Table of New York Cotton prices including titles like A. B. Hudson & Co., Standard.

OUTPUT OF MINERALS

Comparisons for Nine-Month Periods Favorable, But Final Quarter of Year Will Not Show Up So Well, Owing to Power Troubles and Slump in Value of Metals.

During the nine months ended September 30 last, Ontario's metalliferous output amounted to \$35,920,000, as compared with \$27,875,000 for the corresponding period of the previous year.

Table showing Ontario's Metalliferous Production for First Nine Months, 1920, with columns for Product, Quantity, and Value.

Ontario's gold output for the first three-quarters of the year was 424,297 fine ounces, worth \$7,785,768, an increase of 15.1 per cent over the corresponding period in 1919.

SILVER COBALT PRODUCTION.

Silver production increased from 7,475,396 to 7,831,132 ounces during the period, as compared with 1919. With the exception of 32,073 ounces recovered from nickel-copper refining and 71,990 ounces from gold refining operations, the output came from Cobalt, Gowganda and outlying areas.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Table of New York Stock Exchange prices including titles like A. L. Hudson & Co., Am. Sugar.

ONE MORE INNING FOR WHEAT BEARS

Export Business Drops and Prices Decline Seven to Nine Cents. Chicago, Dec. 7.—Wheat underwent a sharp decline in price today, owing to the apparent halt in export business.

UNLISTED STOCKS.

Table of Unlisted Stocks prices including titles like Breckton common, Bland Lake common.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Table of Chicago Market prices including titles like Wheat, Corn, Soybeans.

TORONTO SALES UNLISTED.

Table of Toronto Sales Unlisted prices including titles like Hollinger-200 at 5.55, McIntyre-500 at 188.

7% Bonds

will soon be a thing of the past. Declining commodity prices are setting free large volumes of credit which will inevitably result in falling interest rates.

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Dividend Notice. Notice is hereby given that a Dividend for the three months ending December 31st, 1920, at the rate of Twelve Per Cent Per Annum has been declared.

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HUGHES HITS BACK AT MAYOR CHURCH

Cites Pearse's Figures to Show All Building Funds Not Provided.

James L. Hughes, former inspector of public schools, renews his conflict with Mayor Church in a letter to the newspapers, in which he cites figures to support his contention that the board of education has not received this year the funds to which it is entitled.

The mayor of Toronto has stated persistently that the board of education received in 1920 "all the money it asked the city council to provide for new buildings."

Public schools—New sites, enlargement of present sites, \$3,384,180. Collegiate institutes and high schools. Enlargement of present buildings and new buildings, \$778,640.

These estimates are also given by the city treasurer on page 10 of the estimates for the city of Toronto for 1920. The board of education received the following appropriations from the city council, March 31, 1920, for public and high schools, \$883,500; August 12, 1920, for public schools, \$1,000,000; November 1, 1920, for technical school, \$200,000. Total amount passed by the council to date, \$2,083,500.

TO COMBAT DISEASE. A meeting under the auspices of the National Council for Combating Venereal Diseases, will be held at the west-end Y.M.C.A. College and Dovercourt at 7 o'clock tonight.

DISCUSS UNEMPLOYMENT. The unemployment problem was discussed yesterday in Fair Wage Officer Compton's office on Victoria street, by representatives of local labor unions and Senator Gordon Robertson, federal minister of labor.

CHARGED UNDER O.T.A. Louis Kendall, 85 Blecker street, was arrested yesterday afternoon by P.C. McCreedy on a charge of selling liquor illegally under the O.T.A. Kendall is alleged to have sold two bottles of whiskey to an agent sent in by the police officer.

CHINAMEN ARRESTED. Four Chinamen were arrested last night by plainclothesmen Clarkson and Southland in a raid on the premises at 11 Elizabeth street. The four Celestials were smoking opium, the police allege.

MEN YOU HEAR OF Seen as Their Friends Know Them. No. 52.

BANDIT'S WIFE GAVE CLUE TO STOLEN BONDS. Kansas City, Dec. 7.—A girl, wife of a former member of a band of bank robbers, obtained information yesterday from Ray Moore, a prisoner in the Missouri penitentiary at Jefferson City, which federal authorities today will probably lead to the recovery of bonds valued at \$200,000 of Liberty bonds stolen by the gang in Kansas.

Port Dalhousie Rector Resigns Owing to Illness. St. Catharines, Ont., Dec. 7.—Rev. A. B. Higginson, feeling that there was no hope of his being able to resume active service in the ministry in the near future, requested the Bishop of Niagara to accept his resignation of the Port Dalhousie. His lordship called the congregation together on Monday evening and announced that he had accepted the resignation and declared that the parish was vacant. By the unanimous vote of the vestry, the bishop was requested to offer the rectory to the curate in charge, Rev. A. H. Powell.

BREAK IN RAW SUGAR. New York, Dec. 7.—After ruling quite steady for the past two weeks, raw sugar again broke into new low ground for the season today when Porto-Rico and full duty sugar sold to a local refiner at 5.51 cents per cent from the last previous sale.

MR. WILLIAM E. LEMON, postmaster of Toronto. He was born in Toronto and received a public school and business college education. His elevation to the postmastership followed service in the postoffice of 32 years. Mr. Lemon is a member of the Empire Club, and is interested in all outdoor sports.

SARCASTIC AT MAYOR AS OLD BACHELOR

School Principal Questions His Worship's Knowledge of School Requirements.

Principal Fraser was sarcastic at Mayor Church's experience as an educational lecturer delivered last night at the board of education administration building.

SAY MISSIONARIES WERE WITHIN RIGHTS

Presbyterian Statement on Reported Japanese Atrocities in Korea.

Rev. A. E. Armstrong, associate secretary of the Presbyterian Foreign Mission Board, stated to the press yesterday the belief of the mission office that Canadian Presbyterian missionaries located in Chientao, Manchuria, were amply justified in protesting against the reported atrocities by Japanese troops, appearing in the papers last Saturday.

The mission executive also disbelieves that the missionaries interfered in political matters and aided the Koreans in their hostility to the Japanese, as reported to have been stated in the letter from the commander of the Japanese military commission in Siberia to Rev. Dr. W. R. Foote and other Canadian Presbyterian missionaries at Yungjung, Manchuria.

Report on Atrocity. The following incident is given from communications received by Mr. Armstrong from missionaries among the Koreans: "At daybreak a complete cordon of Japanese infantry of the line, armed to the teeth, surrounded the main Christian village, and, starting from the top of the valley, set fire to the immense stacks of straw and unthreshed millet and barley, then ordered every one of the occupants of the houses outside. In each case, as the son or father stepped forth, he was shot on sight, and his fall, his face, perhaps only half dead, great piles of burning straw were piled on bodies, which were soon covered beyond recognition. The mothers, wives and children during this time, were forced spectators of this treatment of all the adult males in the village. All the houses were fired and soon the whole country was full of smoke, which was plainly visible from this town. The Japanese soldiers then spread out and burnt the houses of Christian believers in other villages all the way down the valley to the main road, after which they returned home to celebrate the emperor's birthday.

The Japanese consul-general at Ottawa has been asked to secure for the Canadian board a copy of the report of the military commission to the Canadian Presbyterian mission in Chientao.

Grace Irwin Dies in Hospital—Boy Struck, But Not Badly Hurt. Six-year-old Grace Irwin, 664 Rhodes avenue, died in the hospital for Sick Children last yesterday afternoon from injuries received when she was knocked down and run over by an auto truck at Danforth avenue, near Rhodes avenue, earlier in the afternoon. Kenneth M. Jones, 33 Lansdowne avenue, driver of the truck, was not detained by the police as he was considered blameless.

According to the police, the little girl, who was returning home from school, was running to catch a civic street car when she was struck by the truck, which was proceeding east on Danforth avenue.

Struck by an auto opposite 1432 East Queen street last yesterday afternoon, Jack Mitchell, aged 7, of 97 Morley avenue, received a bad scalp wound badly shaken up. He was taken to the hospital for Sick Children in the ambulance.

George Saxton, 42 East Gerrard street, driver of the truck, reported the accident to the police of Pape avenue station and was not detained there.

Close Vote for Presidency of Eastern Mine Workers. Sydney, N.S., Dec. 7.—Elections for officers of the United Mine Workers, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick division, took place yesterday. Robert Baxter secured a majority of votes for president, but insufficient under the constitution of the union to elect. He must get 51 per cent of the votes polled. Another ballot will be taken. Selby Barrett was re-elected international board member.

UNIVERSITY "LIT" HOLDS MOCK PARLIAMENT

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HAMBURG PUPILS SCORE SUCCESS

Good Program Was Given at Massey Hall Last Night.

Seldom does Massey Hall contain a larger or more appreciative audience than that of last night, when a program by artist pupils of Broadus Farmer, violinist, and George E. Boyce, pianist, of the Hambourg Conservatory gave a lengthy and admirable program.

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SONS OF ENGLAND ELECT OFFICERS FOR 1921

At the regular meeting of Kent Lodge, No. 2, S. O. E. B., held in S. O. E. B. Building, 28 Huron street, on Monday night, the following officers were elected for 1921:

Pat president, Bro. George Strange, 11 Bostroyd avenue; president, Bro. H. Falkner, 28 Huron street; vice-president, Bro. Blis; chaplain, Bro. Bromell; secretary, Bro. John Webster, 219 Marguerita street; committeemen, 1st, Bro. Proctor, 10; 2nd, Bro. Best; 3rd, Bro. Jackson; 4th, Bro. Falkner; 5th, Bro. Cooper; 6th, Bro. Neale; inside guard, P. P. Bro. Fowler, outside guard, Bro. Neale; trustees, Bro. A. Wilgerson and Bro. Harrison; Bro. E. Price, C. Russell and Clarke; delegates to advisory board, President, Bro. Falkner, Past President, George Strange; Vice-president, Bro. Blis; delegate to Juvenile Lodge, Vice-President, Bro. Blis and Bro. Fowler; delegate to hospital board, President, Bro. Falkner; delegate to Supreme Grand Lodge, Bro. E. Price.

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This was the rider attached to the verdict of accidental death, brought in by Coroner C. H. Rickett's jury at the inquest held last night on Ralph W. Wilson, aged 6, who was fatally injured by a Star newspaper truck near the corner of Logan and Withrow avenues on November 30.

SIX-YEAR-OLD GIRL MOTOR CAR VICTIM

Grace Irwin Dies in Hospital—Boy Struck, But Not Badly Hurt.

Members of the Amputations Association have started a literary society which promises to elect a literary secretary. It is a quarterly publication in the interests of amputees.

G.A.U.V. officials announce a joint executive meeting at St. James' parish hall, Church street, on Wednesday, December 15. Presidents and secretaries of the G.A.U.V. branches in Toronto will be invited to attend, and discussion will revolve around the work of the board of education.

Had Cocaine Hidden in Bottle Under Tree. Novel, indeed was the hiding place in which Joseph Cosgrave, 277 Bathurst street, was arrested last night.

Charge is Fraud. Tony Frank, Spadina avenue, was arrested last night by detectives Winthrop and Clarke on charges of fraud involving a sum of \$28. Frank is alleged by the police to have gone on a charge of fraud, involving a sum of \$25,000 on Broadway avenue, about two weeks ago, and to have purchased \$1 worth of fruit, in payment for which he passed a worthless cheque for \$28.

SHEAS VICTORIA ST. HENRY SANTRY AND HIS SYNCPATED SOCIETY BAND. "PETTICOATS" GRACE DE MAR JACK OSTREMAN. Bessie and Baid; Kenny and Corbett; and Saxton; Lamy Bros.; Shea's News Revers.

LOEWS UPTOWN. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday. "THE BUTTERFLY MAN" Starring LEW CODY.

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