

WEATHER FORECAST. TORONTO. Noon.—Fresh to strong southerly winds, much milder, with snow turning to rain to-night and Wednesday.

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INFORMATION DESIRED. Notification is desired of the address of the next of kin of No. 3979 ALBERT WILLIAMS, deceased.

FOR SALE. Six Retubler Boilers, one Locomotive Type Boiler, one Upright Boiler, four Land Steam Engines, six Winches, four Oil Tanks, two Tail Shafts, two Propellers for whalers and one Friction Wrench.

MINARD'S LINIMENT USED BY VETERINARIANS.

Department of Marine & Fisheries. A Bounty of \$30.00 per ton will be paid on all schooners over 25 tons up to and including 50 tons built on and under the following conditions.

Postal Telegraphs. Tenders will be received for the supply of Four hundred and fifty-five telegraph poles to be delivered free on board cars at railway sidings from Deer Lake to Norris' Arm, on or before March 31st, 1922.

Postal Telegraphs. Tenders will be received for the supply of thirty-three hundred telegraph poles to be delivered free on board cars at railway sidings from Grand Falls to Irvine Station on or before Mar. 31st, 1922.

Postal Telegraphs. Tenders will be received by me at the General Post Office on or before January 10th, 1922.

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MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR COLDS, Etc.

Stewart's Fancy Bakery Xmas Dainties. IMPORTANT TO HOUSEKEEPERS. We can supply you with Raw Pastry by the pound.

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Houses! Houses! Houses! THE GREATEST NEED OF THE PRESENT DAY. And if you want to buy. Or if you want to sell your house.

Hides and Furs Wanted. 50,000 Muskrat Skins; also Silver, Cross, White & Red Fox. Martin, Mink, Bear, Weasel and Lynx Skins.

WANTED! AT ONCE, One HAND POWER ELEVATOR, capacity 2,000 lbs.

RETURNS THANKS. I avail of this opportunity to thank all my friends for the support given me in the past Municipal Election.

S. S. EARL OF DEVON will sail THURSDAY, December 29th, for the following ports of call: Catalina, Greenspond, Wesleyville, Change Islands, Herring Neck, Twillingate, Little Bay Islands, Springdale.

TO THE TRADE. We offer ex Warehouse the following: CAMPBELL'S SOUPS. CARR'S BISCUITS. FRAY BENTOS BEEF—1's & 6's OXO CUBES.

Dry Kindling Wood Delivered Daily. If our driver has not called on you drop a postal to Box 1866 or Phone 458.

West End Wood Co. Mill Bridge.

IF HE SMOKES He likes the best tobacco. Why take chances? Give him a tidy parcel of Edgeworth Tobacco and your gift will be as welcome as if it cost many times what you paid for it.

NOTICE. Admission to the Masonic Smoking Concert on December 28th will be by ticket only. Commence at 9 p.m. sharp.

Ladies' Curling Club Notice. The adjourned annual meeting of the Ladies' Curling Club will be held in the Club Rooms on Thursday morning, 29th inst., at 11.30 o'clock.

FOR SALE. Marine Compound Condensing Engine, complete with Air and Circular Pumps, Shafting, Propeller, etc.

FOR SALE. Celebrated Darling Hemlock Oil—The Great Catarrh and Rheumatic Treatment. Price 50c. bottle.

FOR SALE—Two Freehold Dwelling Houses off Casey Street. For particulars apply to WOOD & KELLY, Temple Bldg., Duckworth Street.

FOR SALE—One covered in Delivery Slides, in perfect condition; apply this office. dec14.ft

LOST—A Fox Terrier; white with black spots; name on collar T. V. Hartnett. Reward given if returned to IMPERIAL TOBACCO CO. (NFLD.) LTD. dec27.31

LOST—Friday, a Lady's Gold Watch with leather strap, either on Hamilton Avenue of Water Street. Finder please return to 235 Hamilton Avenue and get reward. dec27.11

LOST—Between S. Faour's, Water Street, McBride's Hill, Church Hill, Queen's Road, up Military Road and in Barnes' Road, a Sum of Money of the property of a working man. Finder will be suitably rewarded upon returning same to Telegram Office dec27.31

STOLEN—One Motor Rug; black on one side, fawn on the other. Liberal reward for information leading to conviction of thief. T. A. MACDONALD & CO., City Club Bldg. dec27.31

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TO LET—Two Bright Offices lower flat Empire Hall; separate entrance from King's Road; immediate occupation; apply DOWDEN & EDWARDS, Gower and Colonial Sts. nov24.ft

Everybody Enjoys a fine cup of Tea.

"SALADA"

IF YOU DRINK JAPANESE TEA... "SALADA" GREEN TEA... BAIRD & CO. WHOLESALE AGENTS ST. JOHN'S

Sweet Eva!

CHAPTER IV. (Continued.)

There was someone else besides Philip Winterdick who had found it impossible to settle down to anything on the evening following the tennis party...

He had long since cherished a scheme in his ambitious mind by which his daughter was to marry Philip Winterdick, but that an opportunity would ever arise to make the way easy for him had never once entered into his calculations...

"No, has he? Perhaps he's made some more money." There was a touch of bitterness in her voice. What was the use of money? It would not buy the one thing in all the world that she wanted...

A Food containing the Vitamines of Growth... BABY BEGLEY... "It was the Virol saved her Life."

Dear Sirs, I want to tell about my baby Doris Mabel. She weighed 5 1/2 lbs. when born and appeared healthy...

VIROL

dozen times," she said as carelessly as she could. "Half-a-dozen times!" he echoed scornfully...

We are Now Offering to the Trade... SLATTERY'S Wholesale Dry Goods Co., Limited, Duckworth and George Streets.

Can You See To-Day as Well As Ten Years Ago? The eyes change so slowly that considerable defects occur before we are aware of it...

COAL! North-Sydney Screened ex "David C. Ritchey". Due to arrive same quality. Schr. "PELLEEN" 600 tons.

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS. Travel via the National Way. THE ONLY ALL CANADIAN ROUTE BETWEEN EASTERN AND WESTERN CANADA.

30 Doz. Men's Heather Half Hose. Sizes 10, 10 1-2, & 11. Regular Price \$1.50. Now 99c. Best Value Since 1914. W. H. JACKMAN, 39 Water Street, West.

ELLIS MAKE CLOTHES ARE RIGHT IN FIT, STYLE AND FINISH. FALL AND WINTER OVERCOATINGS in Tweed, Cheviot, Nap, Melton and All-Wool materials...

The Captain and the Crew. Vaseline Capsicum Petroleum Jelly. Start a Medicine Chest with a liberal supply of "Vaseline" Capsicum Jelly and the other "Vaseline" preparations shown here on the lid of the chest.

LADIES! Christmas is coming with the eternal question: WHAT SHALL I GIVE HIM? We are delighted to be able to inform you that we can answer this question to your entire satisfaction...

FIRE INSURANCE. FIRE INSURANCE. SCOTTISH UNION & NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND. GENERAL ACCIDENT, FIRE & LIFE ASSURANCE CO. LTD. OF PERTH, SCOTLAND.

WANTED TO PURCHASE MUSKRAT AND ALL KINDS OF FURS. Send your shipment. Will remit promptly or quote highest price, and hold till hearing from you.

We Wish You A Happy Christmas and A Prosperous New Year. W. & R. JACOBS & CO., LTD., Dublin, Ireland.

Disorderly Troops of Ulster Balfour... TROUBLE IN CAIRO. Bluejackets arrived in connection with the... FRANCO-BELGIUM. There was no question of discussions of the guarantees given by the Treaty...

Disorders by Nationalists Spreading in Egypt.

Troops Opened Fire on Rioters—Ulster Expresses Confidence in Balfour.

TRouble IN EGYPT.
CAIRO, Egypt, Dec. 25. Bluejackets arrived here Saturday in connection with the rioting which has been going on for several days. A flotilla of armed Nile boats manned by bluejackets will proceed to the upper Nile. The military have taken control of Port Said. Disturbances from various parts of Egypt were reported today, but the police and military are said to have the situation in hand. Twelve persons are dead as a result of disorders in Cairo so far.

RIOTERS KILLED.
CAIRO, Dec. 25. Five persons were killed and four wounded by troops who were called out during an attack on a police station here today. The troops opened a heavy fire on the rioters. A majority of Government officials have decided to go on strike, but it is not expected they will remain out long. Minor acts of sabotage to telegraph and telephone poles are reported in lower Egypt.

FRANCO-BRITISH ENTENTE.
PARIS, Dec. 25. There was agreement at the London discussions of France abandoning the guarantees given by the Versailles Treaty. Premier Briand declared in the Chamber of Deputies Saturday. The entente between France and England is as strong and complete as ever Briand added.

WILL SATISFY FRANCE.
AMIENS, Dec. 25. Lloyd George, on his way to Cannes to attend the meeting of the Allied Supreme Council, said, "I am going there with the ardent desire that France shall be entirely satisfied, and I am sure we shall reach the result we are seeking."

VETERANS BECOME BEGGARS.
MONTREAL, Dec. 25. The streets of the city were dotted on Saturday by unemployed penniless soldiers soliciting aid for themselves and starving companions. They were

and emphasize the greatness of her people. Ulster will rejoice with the world if there radiates from Washington this Christmas season tidings of universal peace which will in the hearts of all of us add another star to the folds of Old Glory."

CHINA'S PREMIER.
PEKIN, Dec. 25. A Presidential mandate to-day appointed Liang Shih VI Premier. He succeeds Chin Yung Peng who with his ministers resigned a week ago.

NAVIGATION CLOSES.
SAULT STE. Marie, Dec. 25. Navigation on the Great Lakes formally closed to-day, with the passage through the locks of the steamer Sir Thomas Shaughnessy.

COLUMBIA ACCEPTS.
NEW YORK, Dec. 25. The Treaty between Columbia and the United States which was ratified by the Columbian Congress. It provides for the payment of \$25,000,000 by the United States to Columbia.

Produce and Provisions.

(From Saturday's Trade Review.)
Codfish.—The exports from Newfoundland this week amounted to 23,960 qts., as follows:—

From Outports.—By schooner Astra from J. G. Carter, Herring Neck, 4,300 qts.; to Lisbon; by schooner Marjorie Henegar, from H. R. Silver, Renewa, to Halifax, 3,610 qts.; and by schooner Rose M., from Newfoundland Labrador Export Co. Fogo, 3,922 qts.; to Gibraltar for orders.
From St. John's.—By schooner Audevalo from Messrs. Lazo & Co., 5,677 quintals to Seville; by schooner Lilia D. Young, 3,280 qts. from Job Bros. & Co. to Oporto; by schooner Gerrie L. Hirtle, 1,239 qts., to Barbados; from Jas. Baird, Ltd., A. H. Murray, P. J. Cashin, Roberts, J. G. Carter, and Nfld. Coal Trading Co.; by S.S. Digby to Liverpool, 2,382 qts.; from A. E. Hickman Co., Ltd., G. M. Barr, Harvey & Co., P. Templeman, Hollett & Clouston. The markets, especially Portugal, are now overstocked, and prices are not so good as last month. A better demand is looked for in January.

Cod Oil.—The demand for Common Cod Oil has dropped off in the local market, owing chiefly to the fact that the large shipments that have been sent to New York the past three months have not gone into consumption, but are held by the large buyers there for their requirements this winter and the coming spring. They are fully stocked up, but are looking for a revival of the industries that use cod oil early in the spring. Some enquiries have been made lately from the English market, which will have a further tendency to market firm. There is little left here now. The quotation is around \$90.00 per ton. The export this week amounted to 36,720 gallons by the S.S. "Bornholm" to New York.

Cod Liver Oil.—The first move in export of Cod Liver Oil for two months or more took place this week, when 2,121 gallons were taken on the S.S. Digby to Liverpool, and 3,750 on the S.S. Bornholm to New York. This is a hopeful indication that conditions may improve in respect to this product the coming year. A great deal will, as far as Newfoundland is concerned, depend on the Norwegian fishery. It certainly will not pay manufacturers here to again take up the industry at the prices prevailing the past two months.

Pork.—The imports of pork were only 190 barrels by the S.S. "Rosaland" from New York, making the total for St. John's 21,300 since January 1, as against 27,574 last year at this date. The market is practically unchanged, and the local quotations are, \$29.00 wholesale for Mess Pork to arrive, \$28.00 for Short Cut, and Fat Back \$25.00 for Ham Butt and Morris Family, and \$24.00 for Spare Ribs. Family Mess \$50.00. Local trade is quiet except in shipments by coastal boats for winter supply for the lumber camps. Beef—The beef imports this week totalled 948 barrels by the S.S. "Rosaland" from New York. Trade in local

MEN'S & BOYS' OVERCOATS

SPECIAL XMAS WEEK OFFERING

Many of these are less than cost of making and trimming and certainly LESS THAN HALF PRICE

Youths' Nap and Tweed Overcoat Bargains
Here is a chance to secure a well made Overcoat for less than Half Price. These Coats will fit youths from 13 to 18 years. Made of Grey and Navy Nap, Mixed Tweeds and Blanket Cloth. **Sale Price 8.00 to 9.00**
(Worth to-day 20.00 to 25.00)

Men's Tweed Overcoat Bargains
In a variety of designs and cloths. These Overcoats are exceptionally good value, well made with best of trimming and linings. Worth to-day \$18.00 to \$25.00. We offer these to clear at **9.95 and 12.00**

JUVENILE NAP OVERCOAT BARGAINS
Nap Overcoats in Grey and Navy, D.B., storm collar, all around belt with buckle; to fit 3 to 7 years. **Sale Price, 8.40 to 12.00.**
Worth to-day 18.00 to 22.00.

BOYS' TWEED OVERCOAT BARGAINS
In Light and Dark Mixed Tweeds, good trimming and well made; to fit age 8 to 13. **Price 3.75.**

JUVENILE BLANKET CLOTH OVERCOAT BARGAINS
Blanket Cloth and Mixed Tweed Overcoats, storm collar, D.B., all around belt; to fit **Sale Price, 8.40 to 9.75.**
Worth to-day 15.00 to 18.00.

BOYS' PLAID MACKINAW BARGAINS
With rolled collar, double breast and all around belt, patch pockets; to fit age 4 to 10. **Price 4.10.**

Mackinaw Coat Bargain
Men's Mackinaw Coats, all wool, double breast, storm collar, all around belt; sizes from 34 to 44. **SALE PRICES 9.95, 11.95 to 16.95**

Men's Suit Bargains
In Dark Tweed effects; will give good service and stand rough wear; sizes 5, 6 and 7 only. We offer for cash **\$9.75**
OTHER SUITS AT THE FOLLOWING SALE PRICES: 13.50, 14.00, 16.00, 18.75

G. KNOWLING, Limited.

SEE OUR WINDOW FOR OUR CHRISTMAS DISPLAY OF **Stoves & Ranges**
"TWILL DO YOUR EYES GOOD."

"Viking" Hall Stoves
"Modern Alaska" Ranges
"Our Own" Cook Stoves
"Twilight Herald" Room Stoves

Also all kinds **ROASTING PANS & PUDDING MOULDS** to cook your Christmas Dinner in.

JOHN CLOUSTON.

circles is confined chiefly these days to shipments by rail and coastal boats to the outports for the lumber contractors. There has been a great run on beef for this service. The quotations are unchanged, \$26.00 for leading brands, \$20.00 to \$21.25 for Boneless, \$21.00 for Special Family, and \$20.50 for Bos.Pack. The total imports are, 27,286 barrels (St. John's) against 24,575.

Flour.—The market is steady, the fluctuations of Chicago December Wheat this week holding from 1103 to 1093 1/2. The export of wheat from the United States to European countries is about over for the season, and what is now on hand will barely suffice for domestic requirements. That prices for flour are keeping down at this season, is attributed to the impoverished condition of Europe and the general trade depression on both sides of the Atlantic. In the local market leading brands are quoted at \$9.75 "whole-sale lots, and \$10.00 to \$10.25 the single barrel.

Sugar.—The heavy demand for sugar market this week absorbed nearly all the supply, and were it not that the S.S. "Rosaland" brought in 1,700 packages and 300 boxes, there would have been an absolute famine in sugar. The price holds about the same, \$10.40 to \$10.50 per barrel for lots, \$10.75 for single barrels, and 11 cents retail, per lb. There is still a

big supply of raws in Cuba, but no decline is expected for some time.
Molasses.—There is an earlier feeling in molasses circles at Barbados this month, and offers are being made at 40 cents F.O.B. The quotation in Montreal is 70 cents this week for punch-ons, and 75 cents in barrels. This old crop is about cleaned up. The schooner "D.D. McKenzie" arrived here from Barbados this week with 309 punch-ons, 45 casks, 37 barrels and 17 hds., to Messrs. A. E. Hickman Co. Ltd., and Maros Export Co. The S.S. "Rosaland" also brought in 135 punch-ons from Halifax to Messrs. Job, Monroe and Bishop. This makes the total for St. John's 7,140 punch-ons. The quotation is 90 to 95 cents.

Oats.—The imports this week were 840 sacks and 175 barrels, and 100 kegs by the S.S. Rosaland. The local price has stiffened up to \$3.90 per sack of 4 bushels for White, and \$3.80 for Mixed, wholesale, for ten sack lots, and \$3.80 and \$3.70 for fifty and one hundred sack lots. These prices are likely to prevail all the winter. If there is any change in the New Year it will likely be upward.

Hay.—Sales in Canada have been made at an advance of \$1.00 per ton this week, and farmers have become firm in their ideas of higher prices since the winter set in. This change is reflected in the local market. The

advance in New York is quite \$2.00 per ton, but Quebec farmers say that the advance there would need to be \$10.00 before it would pay them to ship across the border. The St. John's wholesale quotation is \$51.00 per ton and at the rate of \$53.00 for single bales.

Potatoes.—Danish potatoes are coming into the New York market and helping to keep down the price of this domestic stock, both in New England and Canada. The quotation in Quebec this week for car lots is \$2.10 per bushel of 180 lbs. Heavy shipments are going into the United States these days, so that surplus stocks are being fast reduced, which means higher Canadian prices in the Spring. In the local market the quotation for imported is \$3.50 to \$3.80, and \$3.00 to \$3.20 per barrel for home-grown. Very little offering this week.

Old Christmas Games.
"Blind man's bluff" has been traced to very ancient rites connected with the prehistoric worship of Odin, the sightless deity of our old Norse ancestors. It was, however, not much of a "game" then, at all events so far as the individual chiefly concerned, for he was really blind, his sight being purposely destroyed prior to the commencement of the "festivities." To make sport of an unfortunate in this predicament, to buffet and trip him, and to watch his furious but usually futile efforts to lay hold upon his persecutors, was a source of unalloyed delight to the barbarous and semi-barbarous races who lived in olden times. Afterwards, as men became more civilized, a purposely-blinded animal was substituted for a human victim; and at a later date still, men, their eyes bandaged and their bodies swathed in skins, personated the beasts.
In Continental countries the game is called "blind hock," i.e., "blind goat," "blind kuke" or "blind cow"; while in Scotland it is "blind harle," in allusion to the rough or hairy attire once worn by the principal actor.
In old houses, with many rooms and books and corridors, the games known as "hide-and-seek," "touch," and tag, are favourite Yuletide ones. They are taken bodily from an ancient miracle-play portraying the story of Diana and her nymphs.
"Puss-in-the-corner" is but a variation of the same old legend, with the Greek Artemis substituted for the Italian Diana. Both Diana and Artemis, of course, stood for the moon in ancient mythology; and "puss" is indifferently a cat, a hare, or a rabbit. All these three animals love to roam abroad on moonlight nights, and when alarmed, even by a passing shadow will scamper at full speed to the nearest "corner."
"Oranges and lemons," another favorite Christmas game in old-fashioned households, represents in crude childish pantomime a medieval battle. The children choose sides, elect a captain, and go through every detail of the fight down to the execution of the prisoners.
In "Here we go round the Mulberry Bush" we are introduced, as in so many other similar games, to a primeval marriage service. Trees were formerly sacred to dancing at the wading festival, and the mulberry had a special significance.
The Christmas-tree is directly connected with the worship of the god Woden, a benevolent individual, who was said to shower down gifts from the forest trees on such of his favorite disciples as chanced to wander beneath their branches.
Pantomimes are a direct survival of the Roman Saturnalia, when slaves were privileged to buffet senators, exactly as to-day the clown does on the stage the policemen, who are the modern representatives of law and order, as were the senators in question twenty centuries ago.
The Yuletide log, without which Christmas would not be Christmas in thousands of old-fashioned country houses, is but the degenerate descendant of those mighty bonfires, each composed of hundreds of whole pine trees, with which our remote Scandinavian ancestors were wont to honor, during the winter solstice, their god Thor.
WINTER WANTS.—We have a large assortment of Boots, Shoes and Clothing for your Winter requirements—Prices reasonable. Drop in and be convinced. **DOMINION SECOND HAND STORE, 4 Chapel Street.**
(Dec. 25)

MUTT ALMOST TOUCHES ELBOWS WITH THE PRESIDENT. —By Bud Fisher

THESE CLASS TO ME NOW! I GOT A JOB ON A PAPER, AND RIGHT AWAY THEY SENT ME DOWN HERE TO WASHINGTON!

I'LL COME IN CONTACT WITH ALL THE BIG MEN AT THE ARMS CONFERENCE. I'VE GOT A TIP THAT PRESIDENT HARDING IS IN CONFERENCE WITH A NOTED DIPLOMAT, AND I'M GONNA GET A SNAPSHOT WHEN THEY COME OUT.

AM I JUST IN TIME, IF JEFF COULD ONLY SEE ME NOW!

AND NOT ONLY THAT, WARREN—

BUT YOU GOTTA ADMIT I WAS WAY OFF ON MY PUTTING THIS MORNING!

RIGHTO, JEFF!

HERE GOES NOTHING!

WASHINGTON

HARDING SIGNS RELIEF BILL.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 22. President Harding has signed the Russian Relief Bill, which carries appropriations of twenty million dollars to be expended under the supervision of the American Relief Administration.

A Christmas Well Spent.

AT HIS MAJESTY'S PENITENTIARY. "I cannot take my walk abroad... I'm under lock and key. And much the public I explain... For all their care of me... Not more than others I deserve... Yet God has given me more... For I have food while others starve... And beg from door to door..."

Presentation of Prizes.

SPRINGDALE STREET SCHOOL. The annual presentation of prizes to the elementary classes of the Springdale Street School took place on Friday in the assembly room of the school. The Commercial Distribution will take place later. Rev. E. J. Nichols who presided, strongly advocated more school accommodation to provide for the large numbers of pupils applying for admission. Play-grounds are also needed and should be demarcated by the people and supplied by the government at the very earliest possible opportunity.

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

FOR AN AGREEMENT. SANTIAGO, CHILE, Dec. 27. The Chilean Government has forwarded a note to the Peruvian Government, accepting Peru's proposal that the two countries designate plenipotentiaries to meet in Washington to continue negotiations for the solution of their pending disputes, chief of which is the settlement of the Tacna-Arica controversy.

Express Due To-Morrow

DERAILED CARS REPLACED - TRAIN CONTINUED RUN THIS MORNING. The incoming express which was derailed at Overfall, near South Branch, early yesterday morning, was able to continue its run shortly after 10 a.m. to-day. It is due here at 2 p.m. to-morrow. The cause of the derailment is still unknown.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind north light, weather dull; nothing sighted. Bar. 20.18; Ther. 24. And Mr. W. Wallace is on the "Quaker Girl."

The Climax of a Successful Christmas Dinner

is a Plum Pudding, and this year if you serve Libby's you will wonder why you ever toiled so long at home to make one. Libby's Plum Pudding is prepared from choice Grecian currants, plump California seedless raisins, white kidney beef suet, pure creamery butter, fresh country eggs, flour, granulated cane sugar and blended spices—all carefully tested and mixed to make certain that the high quality of this product is maintained.

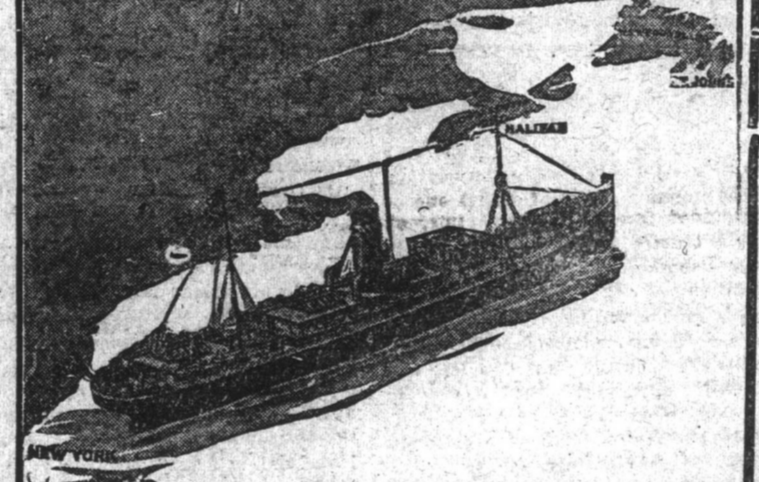
It takes but a minute or two of your time to get Libby's Plum Pudding ready for your table—and how delicious it is when it gets there! Heat it in the can—turn out on a serving dish and serve with Hard Sauce. You will find it unequalled for purity, wholesomeness and flavor.

Cream 1 1/2 cup butter, add 1 cup powdered sugar and 1 teaspoon vanilla for the sauce. You can get Libby's Plum Pudding at all first class grocers.

Libby, McNeill & Libby

Miss Jewel and her friends MERRY CHRISTMAS. This is our wish to all! If you call at our Store you will find something suitable for that present you unfortunately overlooked. R. H. TRAPNELL, Ltd., Jewellers and Opticians, 197 WATER STREET.

RED CROSS LINE.



NEW YORK-HALIFAX-ST. JOHN'S. The S. S. ROSALIND will probably sail from New York on Wednesday, December 29th. This steamer has excellent accommodation and carries both First and Second Class Passengers.

John Maunder, Tailor and Clothier, 281-283 Duckworth Street. FALSE ECONOMY. It is often remarked by customers, "I must try and make my old clothes do for the winter." Perhaps the winter may mean very much longer. To protect your body against our cold winds you want warm woollens. An investment in a good Suit or Overcoat may save you months of illness. Durable material, cut and moulded to your figure by expert workmanship in the garment at MAUNDER'S. Samples and self-measuring cards sent to your address.

Headstones and Monuments.

Skinner's Monumental Works, 333 Duckworth Street, St. John's, Nfld.

COKE.

CHEAP FUEL FOR EVERYBODY. Coke may be obtained at the Gas Works in sacks at seventy cents per sack throughout the Winter. Sacks may be returned for refilling at sixty cents each. ST. JOHN'S GAS LIGHT COMPANY.



DR. LEHR, Dentist, 329 Water St. RECOGNITION. The care of the teeth is now recognized as a necessity. In fact the large hospitals all over the world examine the patients' teeth and where it is possible put them in good condition before attempting a surgical operation. Experience has shown that the patient has a better chance for recovery with a clean healthy mouth than without it. This ought to convince the most skeptical that care of the teeth is requisite to health.

BOSTON--MONTANA.

Just as predicted, this issue had a sharp recovery from 80 cents ten days ago to 88 cents on Wednesday last. Then it moved quickly to 90 cents, at which price many 80-cent buyers sold, but the stock kept advancing until it touched \$1.12. We sincerely believe it is good for \$1.50 shortly and eventually \$2.00 or higher when the smelter returns come in. Early buyers have already substantial profits. There will be recessions, but this is a safe issue.

Something Extra Good.

You would soon make a fortune if you got a penny for every time that is said about VERBENA FLOUR. The Lake of the Woods Milling Company.

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Prospero's Passengers.

LAST TRIP TO QUIPON. S.S. Prospero, Capt. Field, sailed on the Northern Coastal Service at 10 a.m. to-day. This is her last trip as the Quipron and cargo for Quipon North Fortune Harbor only. The following passengers left on the ship: Fr. Thibault, C. A. Baistone, F. Wells, W. Meadus, Mrs. Courage, Miss Courage, P. and Mrs. Bragg, Miss R. Mullett, W. Fidler, R. White, E. Sparks, H. Starks, F. Baistone, Miss Barton, F. Coles, J. Locke, H. Miller, J.C. and Mrs. Winsor, K. Crowley, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Parsons, Mrs. White, H. Wiseman, Mrs. F. G. Wiseman, Miss Baistone, Mr. Russell, F. Roberts, E. Roberts, L. Field, L. Luff, S. Blandford, Mrs. Clarke, V. E. Lodge, P. Hight, Miss L. Blake, Miss Flynn, Mrs. J. Brian, Mrs. Mullett, A. Whelan, B. Morris and 46 steerage.

THE PRIZE LIST.

Elementary School. Form VI.—For passing C.H.E. Preliminary Grade: Laurie Ross. For passing C.H.E. Primary: Leslie Piercy, Reginald Martin, Alice Pope, Julia Mitchell, Frank Burridge, Trevor Thomas. First in Preparatory Division, Christmas Examinations. For VI.—Flores Learning. Form V.—Dorothy Carberry. Form IV.—Gladys Cook, Herbert Pippit. Form III.—Angus Conitas, Frank Mugford, Dorothy Wiseman. Form II.—Anasta Thorne, Eric Taylor, Eric Martin, Leslie Bradley. Form I.—Eleanor Downs, Evelyn Carberry, Wilhelmina Pike, George Tucker. A vote of thanks was extended to Sir Joseph Outerbridge who had kindly donated the prizes and written a very encouraging letter of appreciation on the work and the future of the school.

ON INVITATION.

LONDON, Dec. 27. Premier Lloyd George and Brian have decided, in principle, to invite the Russian Soviet Foreign Minister, M. T. Chicherin, and M. Litvinoff to London early in the New Year, according to the London Times. It is believed they will be asked to give clear answers on very important questions of policy.

SIGNING UP.

ROME, Dec. 27. It is semi-officially announced that a commercial agreement between Italy and Russia was signed yesterday.

REMARKABLE RECEPTION.

CALCUTTA, Dec. 27. Great crowds gathered here yesterday when the Prince of Wales attended the race for the Viceroy's Cup. Five huge stands were packed with Europeans and Natives, who gave the Prince a remarkable reception.

DE VALERA WILL HAVE TO CLIMB DOWN.

LONDON, Dec. 27. The sentiment throughout Ireland, as reflected in despatches to the London newspapers this morning, is overwhelmingly in favor of an Irish Peace Agreement. Reports from various provinces indicate that fully ninety per cent. of the people, in twenty six counties of Southern Ireland, want the pact ratified. Views are now put forward that when Dail reassembles on Jan. 3, the Treaty will be approved by a majority, which will make an appeal to the country unnecessary. The Morning Post's correspondent says rumor is "not of a possible sensation" before Dail meets again; this being taken to mean that Eamon De Valera intends to announce the withdrawal of his opposition, in view of the overwhelming weight of opinion for the Treaty. According to the Times correspondent the action of the Council of County Clare, which appealed to De Valera to abandon his position, is endorsed with pride by a vast majority of the people. Clare is known as "the banner county" from its having been the traditional home of Irish political movements, among them, being Daniel O'Connell's emancipation campaign and Charles Parnell's land league struggle, and its people regarded the Council as having lived up to the best traditions.

PREACHING A HOLY WAR.

AHMADABAD, INDIA, Dec. 27. In his presidential address at the All India Calcutta Conference, held here Hakim Khan reviewed the Moslem situation throughout the World, and said Asia Minor on the other hand and India on the other were the two extreme links in the chain of a future Islamic Federation. He complimented the Turks that "their victory over the Greeks had completely smashed British diplomacy." Britain alone, he said, stood in the way of a real solution of the near Eastern question. India wanted Peace, but only if it safeguarded the rights of citizenship and the national honor. Hakim charged that the Indis Government had committed inhuman atrocities at Malabar under Martial Law.

And Miss Louise Orr is on the "Quaker Girl."

She had twelve stars for diadem. She had for footstool the full moon. Her quiet eyes outshining them. Kept memories of the night and noon. And the still morns at Nazareth. When in her arms the Child drew breath. So safe, so warm, he slept by her. In her enfolding arms at peace. Her milky babe, little and dear. And yet the Tree that should be His. Grew in the forest wide and high. Whose branches should fill all the sky. He made twelve stars into her crown. And set the moon beyond her feet. He was King in Jerusalem Town. With twelve spines for His coronet. To pierce the brain, the blood and bone. That thought of man's redemption. Oh, when she answered Gabriel. With "Be it done!" could she foresee. The high pangs, that she took as well. With Bethlehem, should be Calvary. Or was that name of high bliss. Torn with sharp pains, fierce agonies?

Hath she beneath her crown of stars Remembrance of the thorns where-with Her people crowned her son? What Redder than roses in a wreath. Doth she wear in a coronal Under the lights that rise and fall? KATHERINE TYNAN. Choice Italian Gorgonzola Cheese at ELLIS.—dec 17

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Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

TIMES ARE BETTER, LET'S MAKE THEM BETTER STILL.



RUTH CAMERON

A friend of mine, no I did not mean that, an acquaintance of mine, says that there is no such thing as the unemployed problem. How does she know? Because she has tried and tried to get a maid and cannot get one (she has five in her family and pays something under the current wage which a competent maid can get in a family of two); also she is exceedingly "particular," if you use her word—"cranky" if you use the word her ex-maids apply to her.

That is one of the bases of her conviction. The other one is that she has a friend who has a job and he didn't keep it.

She Knows Far More Than the Experts.

On these two facts she bases her scorn of "all this talk about unemployment. People don't want to work. That's what's the matter with them."

From the height of this knowledge she looks scornfully down on all efforts to create work for men and to relieve the suffering in the families of men who are out of work.

If this woman were an exceptional case she would not be worth writing about or thinking about. But is she? Don't you know many like her, who because they are mortally afraid that they might be called on for help go about proclaiming that there isn't any unemployment situation, and give that as the basis of their contention such instances as those I have quoted above.

They Think Things in the Top of Their Heads.

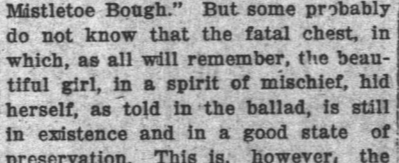
I suppose these people really think what they say. That is they think it

with some of them; and to many of them Christmas would not be Christmas without a profuse display of the evergreen about the farmhouse. But it is considered fatal to allow Christmas decorations of any sort to remain in its place after Twelfth Night.

In country districts the destruction of the decorations is dignified into a solemn ceremony. But mistletoe must be removed as soon as Christmas is over. In many cases as soon as the festive season is at an end the mistletoe used for the decoration of the dwelling will be all carefully collected and solemnly burnt on the parlor fire.

Some farmers believe that mistletoe can bring good luck to the dairy. But to ensure this a branch of it must be given to the first cow on the farm that gives birth to a calf after the birth of the New Year. When there is an abundance of mistletoe at Christmas it is supposed, in agricultural districts, to foreshadow a prosperous twelve months.

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in the top layer of their minds, the part of our minds in which we do "protective thinking." (Protective thinking is a clever phrase coined to describe the sort of thinking that we do to protect ourselves from facts and conclusions we don't want to face.) They struggle so hard to protect their time and their sympathy and their pocketbooks that they really convince themselves. But down underneath they must know that closed factories, and unemployment figures issued by city, state and national labor bureaus cannot be brushed aside by references to the difficulty of getting a maid or to some individual who did not want to work.

Here is what one big charitable organization in New York bravely says: "Some of the unemployed are unworthy. Let's admit it. A study of the homeless men at the Municipal Lodging House made some time ago revealed that 20 per cent would not work; 20 per cent could not work because of old age or permanent disability; ten per cent were temporarily disabled, but 50 per cent were able bodied and were eager (the word hardly expresses their desperation) for a job."

Dare we make the ten per cent an excuse for our failure to help the rest?

Can't You Start This in Your Community?

This particular charity is starting in its community a plan to "Give a Man a Day's Work" by suggesting through printed cards and other methods of publicity, odd jobs which might be given to the unemployed housekeepers, office managers, storekeepers, landlords, and others.

I feel sure it would be glad to help any organization which wants to start a similar movement, by outlining its publicity.

And since any such movement means a start on the blessed circle that will eventually bring prosperity and good times to us all, surely we ought all to be glad to do what we can toward it.

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Flannel Shirts in any size.
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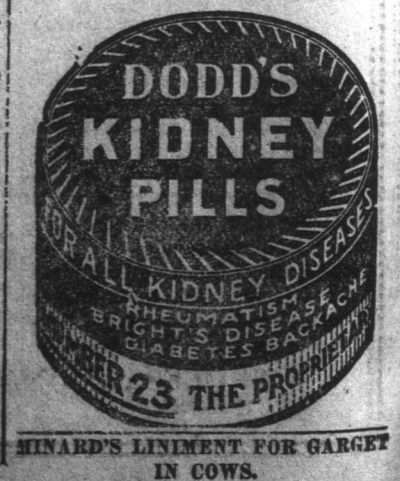
THE SUBMARINE ISSUE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23

In the Arms Conference session today the debate continued on the British proposal to abolish submarines. Admiral Bon, chief French naval expert, declared no important power could afford to maintain less than 50,000 tons of submarines as proposed in the reduction plan for Britain and America. Ninety thousand tons would be greatly in excess of the present French submarine strength, and three times the amount she would have under an application of the ratio already agreed on as to capital ships. Admiral Bon argued that submarines were legitimate weapons when properly used, and were indispensable for

their defensive value. Replying for Great Britain, Arthur Balfour used illustrations drawn from experience of France herself during the war to support his argument against the submarine's value as an arm of defence. He added, both France and Italy would have much to fear from the submarine if employed in the feet of an enemy in a future war. Senator Schanzer, for Italy, asserted the long Italian coastline made the submarine an important element of National defence.

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LEONARD'S LINIMENT FOR GARGLES IN COWS.

Old Time Christmas Cheer.

'Tis Christmas Eve. The children fast asleep
Await the glad surprises of the morn,
Which loving hearts, enshrined in
mystery keep
To greet them on the day that Christ
was born.

A fragrance of the forest fills the room.
Where holy wreaths and hemlock
boughs entwine
The Christmas bounty with their win-
ter bloom.
And Nature lends her incense for the
shrine.

The old-time custom, not yet quite out-
grown,
Decreases the stockings by the chim-
ney side.
That Santa Claus, descending all alone,
May find these dumb petitions yawning
wide.

The old-time Santa Claus would blush,
I fear,
In these new days of luxury, and
prayer
To hide his meagre load of homespun
gear
From contrast with the splendours of
to-day.

Nay, Christmas Past, we will not blush
for you,
Nor chide the Santa Claus of earlier
days.
For hearts were rich, though gifts were
plain and few.
And love was kind, though schooled
in humblest ways.

Nor wealth, nor luxury of art can give
A deeper joy than we in childhood
knew.
Though love meant toil, where all must
toil to live,
Yet love found room for Christmas
stockings too.

Those, boyhood stockings—knit of blue
and gray,
By aged hands, long skilled in works
of grace,
A saving grace, that keeps the wolf at
bay.
They remind me still of her dear saint-
ly face.

In Christmas Eve, by early candle-
light,
The empty stockings hung in mute
array,
Beside the chimney place, but out of
sight
We knew a store of Christmas good-
ies lay.

Slypeepings from the trundle-bed, to
see
"Which bulged the most," kept all
the brood astir
Till mother's kindly warnings hushed
the noise,
Beware our watching only hindered
her.

Dear mother-heart, so often sorely
tried,
Dear totting hands and tireless will-
ing feet,
Whose every gift to us was sanctified
By loving toil, and made more truly
sweet;

Our mother's love, within our hearts,
as then
In happy days of far-off childhood's
home,
Or here, or there, beyond our human
ken,
Lives on to bless us, whereso'er we
 roam!

Our stern browed father, who would
blush to own
In words the love that filled his
honest breast,
Whose care and tenderness were brave-
ly shown
In unremitting toil for all the rest,

Looked on in mild approval of our joy,
Nor quite forgot that he too once
was young,
In our delight with some new "bought-
en" toy,
While all the happy brood its praises
sung.

And then, perchance, when we had
reached the toe
Of that long stocking,—worth its
weight in gold,
We found a tiny parcel hid below
That held a shining sceptre,—
wealth untold.

Dear Christmas Past, whose untorgot-
ten joys
Have grown more precious with each
passing year,
We greet you, your old-fashioned
gifts and toys
Who shared the homely old-time
Christmas Cheer.
—Hannah Warner.

Seasonable Ships.

Rosemary once played a far greater
part than holly in the Christmas
decorations.

"Carol" is from two Latin words—
cantare, "sing, and rota, an inter-
section of joy.

The Christmas season proper lasts
for twelve days. An old writer calls
it the "Twelve Days Madnesse."

Islander's reckon a person's age,
not by his birthdays, but by the num-
ber of Christmas Days he has seen.

The first Christmas carol, and the
best of scores of others, was the
"Gloria in Excelsis," sung by the
angels to the shepherds.

Christmas "boxes" got the name
from the earthen (pottery) boxes in
which apprentices collected largesse
at Christmas from their masters' cus-
tomers.

The custom of giving presents at
Christmas is Pagan in origin. Once,
the custom was confined to New
Year's Day.

"Julklings," a term which still sur-
vives in rural parts of the north, are
Christmas gifts—Yule presents—
which was obtained by banking or
"clapping" the doors of the donors.

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was sitting in the kitchen nursing the baby, when father came in and hit her over the head with an axe," the little girl said.

Sons Give Evidence. Witnesses said that she could not believe the little girl's story, but as Mrs. MacDonald did not appear, she went out and told the neighbors.

Deadly Quicksand.

Some of These Death Traps Will Swallow a Horse. Two young women recently walked into a quicksand on the Lancashire coast, and were in up to their arms before help arrived.



When Christmas Day Falls on Wednesday.

Christmas is of great importance in popular lore as a weather day, on which prognostications may be safely made as to the weather during the year following.

Starved by Snow!

ANIMALS THAT DISLIKE WINTER'S MANTLE. Most of our wild creatures abhor snow. For the rabbits and hares it means that they must scratch down through the dull, frozen stuff before they can find their usual food.

Fashion Plates.

A SMART BUSINESS COSTUME. Combining Waist 3356, and Skirt 3789. Plaid suiting was used for the skirt. Crepe de chine for the waist.

Wife Slayer on Trial.

EIGHT WITNESSES EXAMINED IN MACDONALD CASE. Sydney, Dec. 19.—The preliminary hearing of Dan MacDonald, of Ross's Ferry, who is charged with the murder of his wife, Sarah MacDonald, opened in North Sydney this morning before Magistrate A. R. Forbes.

Woman Gives Evidence.

Alice Cousins was the next witness. She had been visiting the MacDonald family for a period of about three weeks previous to the time that the murder took place. She said that MacDonald and his wife had had disagreements many times while she was with them.

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Advertisement for Bowring Brothers, Limited. Features 'Seasonable Goods: SILVER PLATE! Copper and Brass! SUNDRIES!' and lists various household items.

Advertisement for DALE & CO., LTD., Marine and Fire Underwriters. Includes text: 'ON JANUARY 2nd, 1922, the above Firm will move into their New Office, In the Bank of Nova Scotia Bldg. PHONE 967.'

Advertisement for Burnside Scotch LUMP COAL, \$15.00. Includes text: 'Best Coal on the Market. Also a small cargo North Sydney Screened Coal, to arrive about Monday, at lowest prices. A. H. MURRAY & CO., Ltd. BECK'S COVE.'



1922 MAKE IT AN ELECTRICAL YEAR. William Nosworthy, Ltd.

Star of the Sea Society.

MEETS IN NEW HALL. The regular monthly meeting of the Star of the Sea Association was held yesterday in their new hall, which is now nearing completion.

Obituary.

WILLIAM BOLT.

All that was mortal of the late William Bolt was laid to rest yesterday afternoon in the Church of England Cemetery.

Note of Thanks.

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir—I would like through your paper to thank my lady and gentlemen friends for their support in the Municipal contest.

Popular Lino Operator "Piped."

The Evening Telegram staff had the pleasure on Xmas Eve of showing their appreciation of Mr. R. J. Green, who for so many years has been a lino operator with the paper.

Our Local Pepsys.

HIS DIARY. December 24th.—Up betimes and to the office. No news of any kind to be had and a very dull Xmas.

A Christmas Carol.

The Christ-child lay on Mary's lap His hair was like a light. (Oh, weary, weary were the world, But here is all alright.)

The Three Graduates.

An Incident of the First Graduation in the K. of C. Memorial Hall. A trio of fair maids— Bright, beautiful and good, Are entering to-day The realm of womanhood.

"A Woman's Honour."

Good Clean Drama by Mr. T. M. White's Company at Casino Last Night in Aid of Cadets. Last night the Casino Theatre was well filled on the occasion of the production of the 4-Act Drama "A Woman's Honour."

Advertisement for Richmond Gem Cigarettes, featuring an illustration of a man smoking a pipe and the text "I always Smoke GEMS Positively none better." Imperial Tobacco Co. (Newfoundland) Ltd.

Obituary.

HUBERT BARNES.

"He, the young and strong who cherished, Nobler longings for the strife; By the roadside fell and perished, Weary with the march of life."

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Kirk Carol Service.

LARGE CONGREGATION PRESENT. The choir of St. Andrew's, Presbyterian Church rendered their, annual Carol Service on Saturday night.

Advertisement for Account Books for 1922, by Dicks & Company, Limited, Booksellers and Stationers.

A SLIGHT FIRE.—Early Christmas morning the Central and East End Fire Companies were called to the residence of Mr. Kinella, King's Bridge Road.

Advertisement for Non Alcoholic Wines, Fruit Syrups, etc., for New Year. Gordon's Port Wine, GINGER BRANDY, MOIR'S PURE FRUIT SYRUPS.

Advertisement for C. P. EAGAN, Duckworth Street & Queen's Road. TURKEYS! TURKEYS! 20 only PRIME BIRDS, 16 to 20 lbs. each.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT—The Mother Superior, Belvedere Orphanage, gratefully acknowledges receipt of cheque for \$7.50 from Mrs. J. J. Evans.

Train Notes. Sunday's outgoing express left South Branch this morning. Yesterday's cross-country freight train was over 5 hours late in arriving at Bishop's Falls.

Coastal Boats. CROSSBIES. S.S. Sasu left Joe Batt's Arm this morning and is due here to-morrow night.

GOVERNMENT. S.S. Prospero left port at 10 a.m. on Northern Coastal Service. Argyle left Argentina at a.m. on Western route.

S. A. Citadel Xmas Tree. A Concert and Christmas Tree for the children was held at the S. A. Citadel last night.

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Shipping Notes.

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 The Rosalind is scheduled to leave for tomorrow for this port.
 The Wataks, 2 days from Sydney.

arrived yesterday afternoon, bringing 2,000 tons coal to M. Morey & Co., Ltd.
 Barq. Casrina has left Pernambuco for Barbados to load molasses for this port.
 The Proven (Danish) has sailed from Rose Blanche for Oporto with 2,711 qts. codfish.

Schr. Huelva (Spanish) has sailed from Bay Bulls for Seville, taking 4,806 qts. codfish and 848 qts. had-dock, loaded by Messrs. A. Hearn and J. Williams.
 The next pair of Boots you will buy will be "K's" SMALLWOOD'S has just received a new shipment—dec16, 21.
 Try our Fresh Sausages—Tomato-Pork-Beef—Made daily at ELLIS—dec3, 21.

A Christmas Wish From California.

Oh! They tell of an Island that's barren and bleak
 Far away off the Eastern coast;
 'Gainst its rugged shores the billows break
 Their vengeance, when sea-born hurricanes shriek,
 And the wintry blasts their requiems speak
 O'er the graves of a mariner host.
 But oft-times this Island is bright and fair
 And the seas cease their warring strife;
 And a Merry Christmas we're sending there,
 With a fervent hope and a fervent prayer
 That the God of tempest and sunshine will care
 For our boy and his dear, dear wife.

B. I. S. Celebrate Christmas.

CARD PARTY AND DANCE HELD.
 Over 200 couples attended the card party and dance held last night at the B.I.S. Hall. The entertainment was very successful and was enlivened by the XXX a mysterious band of disreputable ruffians who suddenly appeared during the dance, made prisoners of the principal officers of the Society and exacted promises from them that the intruders should be allowed to conduct the revels. The leader of the XXX then distributed masks and horns and he and his band were responsible for an evening of riotous fun. Before the revellers disbanded, Mr. P. F. Moore, Chairman of the L. and A. Committee, thanked the guests for their attendance and the XXX for their share in the fun. He extended to all a merry Christmas and a happy New Year. He was followed along similar lines by Mr. W. J. Higgins. The gathering then dispersed.

Society of United Fishermen.

Channel Lodge, No. 25, Elects Officers.
 At the annual meeting of the above Lodge, held on Tuesday night last, the following officers for 1922 were installed:
 Bro. Robert Pike, W.M.
 Bro. (Rev.) H. J. Read, Chaplain.
 Bro. James Coffin, C.O.
 Bro. Alex. Kennedy, S.O.
 Bro. Frank Skeard, G.M.
 Bro. Emanuel Bragg, P.M., Purser.
 Bro. W. J. Briggs, P.M., Secretary.
 Bro. Alex. Batters, Lock-keeper.
 Bro. Wesley Bennett, Dep. Chaplain.
 Committee—Bros. Thomas Hann, Thos. Anderson, Joseph Huelin, Jos. Lomond, Joseph Hincks.
 Auditors—Bros. Wesley Bennett, Wm. Blackmore, P.M.
 To-day being the Feast of St. John the Evangelist, the members of Channel Lodge are attending Divine Service at St. James' Church, the preacher being Rev. Bro. H. J. Read, Rector of Channel Parish.

White Gift Service.

INTERESTING PROGRAMME ENJOINED.
 Cochrane Street Sunday School held its White Gift Service on the afternoon of Christmas Day. Hon. S. Milley occupied the chair and made a model chairman. The programme consisted of various exercises in which a number of the Beginners and Primary Departments took part. Other numbers consisted of a duet, solo, several recitations and an address by the Pastor, Rev. C. H. Johnson, M.A. Hundreds of parcels containing fruit, vegetables, etc., were presented for the use of the poor and sick of the congregation, a special feature being two barrels containing twenty-eight sacks flour, the gift of the Young Men's Bible Class. We congratulate the Chairman and the School on the successful carrying out of the choice programme.

Post Office Presentation.

An address and a fountain pen were presented to Mr. J. W. Kinella, Superintendent of the Parcel Post Department at the G.P.O., by the employees, on Saturday. Mr. Kinella has been a member of the G.P.O. staff for over forty years. Mr. G. S. Garland, senior clerk, read the address and the presentation was made by Mr. Herbert Parsons.

Supt. "Caned."

On Christmas Eve, the veteran Superintendent of the Postal Telegraph Department, Mr. Stott, was presented with a handsome walking stick. The presentation was made by Mr. O'Donnell as a gift from the city operators. In a brief address he referred to the many acts of kindness rendered by their chief. Mr. Stott made a suitable reply and spoke feelingly of the harmony and good will existing between the management and the staff.

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 75c. \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00.

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Masonic Installations To-Night.

The installation of the Worshipful Master elect and investiture of the other officers of St. John's Lodge, A.F. & A.M., E.C., will take place in the Masonic Temple this evening. In the absence of the District Grand Master, R.W. Bro. J. A. CHIL, the ceremony will be performed by the Deputy D.G. M. Bro. J. R. Bennett.

Destroyed by Fire.

The business place and homes of Elias Basha and Edwin Newton were totally destroyed by a fire which raged on Bell Island on Saturday morning. The residence of Richard Kent was badly damaged, and only a sudden change of wind saved the premises of the Wabana Drug Co. The loss is estimated at \$25,000. It is partially covered by insurance.

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the various colleges contrived to obtain some hockey practice. The various hockey teams will shortly commence their practices and if the frost holds, the first game will be played about the middle of January.

LEAGUE COUNCIL TO MEET.

GENEVA, Dec. 23.
 The Council of the League of Nations will meet in Geneva on January 10th, under the presidency of Paul Hymans of Belgium.

Shipping Notes.

S.S. Sebastopol, Capt. Geo. Barbour, arrived in port Sunday morning after a splendid run from LaSole. The ship brought a full cargo of supplies north and made all ports of call on the trip.
 S.S. Senat, Capt. W. H. Bartlett, arrived in port at 10 a.m. Sunday. The Senat brought a cargo of logging supplies to Gander Bay where operations are now in full swing.

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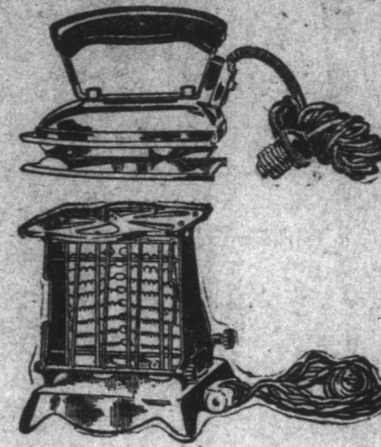
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