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ACQUISITION THIS YEAR'S OTTAWA REPORT

Maritime Members Press for Duncan Report Adoption

IS MAIN TOPIC

Debate on Reply to Speech From the Throne to Commence This Afternoon

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—Parliamentarians eagerly await the reconvening of the House this afternoon, when the debate on the speech from the throne will commence.

Without exception, all members, irrespective of party affiliation, are anxious to get down to business with a view to adjourning Parliament on Thursday or Friday next for the Christmas recess. This feeling is particularly evident among western members, who have a long distance to travel to their homes.

L. M. Ager, youthful member Prescott, will move the address shortly after the opening of the House at 3 o'clock. He will be followed by A. E. McPherson (Liberal, Portage La Prairie), who defeated Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, former Conservative leader, in the recent general election. Mr. McPherson at one time practiced law in partnership with Mr. Meighen.

MARITIME MEMBERS UNITE.

The recommendations in the report are sweeping, and meet with the general approval of Maritime members, who are pressing for alleviation of conditions in their provinces. One rumor of particular interest is that the long-demanded acquisition by the Federal Government of the Saint John Valley Railway will become a fact within a year.

HERTZOG WELCOMED

South African Premier Given Warm Reception on Arrival

Special to The Times-Star.—CAPE TOWN, S. Africa, Dec. 13.—Premier J. B. M. Hertzog returned to South Africa this morning, after attending the Imperial Conference in London and was given a very enthusiastic welcome home. Large crowds were at the dock when he landed and he was conducted amidst cheering crowds, in the street, to the civic centre, where he was given a Mayoral reception beneath a statue of King Edward VII.

Exemption Provided For Italy's Bachelors

ROME, Dec. 13.—Inability to support a wife will be just cause for exemption from the newly decreed tax on bachelors. This assurance is given by the Italian government, which adds that the government is finding unusual difficulties in settling rates applying the law to Italy's 3,000,000 unmarried men. Others to be exempted are priests, prelates, army officers, paupers and persons with inheritable diseases. Difficulty is expected in testing some claims for exemption. The tax will be graduated, increasing from the ages of 25 to 45, and decreasing from 45 to 65.

CONDITIONS SERIOUS

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 13.—Friends of A. B. Wetmore, chief bridge engineer of the province, will regret to hear that his condition is serious. He was taken some time ago to Guelph, Ont., for treatment in the sanitarium there. It is reported that he recently met with an injury at the sanitarium. Before being taken to Guelph, Mr. Wetmore was confined to his home here with illness for a long time.

VESSLS FREED

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 13.—Sixteen of the freighters which were held captive by ice in the St. Mary's river for two weeks, had docked in the Buffalo Harbor today. Other members of the grain fleet were expected to arrive during the day.

Four United States Naval Ships Are Now In Nicaraguan Waters

CIVIL SERVANTS SEEK \$300 ANNUAL INCREASE

Social Recognition Follows Admission of Germany To League of Nations' Circles

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Social return of the Germans has followed their admission to the League of Nations. By the admission of Prince Blucher, great-grandson of the German general, who was a hero at the battle of Waterloo, to the exclusive Wellington Club, a London group, for the first time since the war, re-admitted a representative of the former enemy country.

Will Rogers Elected Mayor Beverly Hills

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif., Dec. 13.—Will Rogers, cowboy humorist, has been selected Mayor of Beverly Hills, a suburb of Los Angeles, California. Rogers, who was notified of his appointment in New York, replied that it was a surprise to him. "If I go in, there must be reform," the lariat-thrower wired to Douglas Fairbanks, first citizen of this community.

Amend Legal Status Of Trade Union Bodies

LONDON, Dec. 13.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in a letter to his constituents in the Hipping division of Essex, declares that the Government is making a searching review of the trades unions of Great Britain with the intention of introducing legislation amending the trades unions' legal position.

TWO DIE IN FIRE AT NORWAY, ME.

Mrs. M. Smart and 3-Year-Old Son Perish—Walked Through Snow

NORWAY, Maine, Dec. 13.—Fire that raged through an isolated little farmhouse five miles from this village, had taken a toll of two lives in a family of seven yesterday. Mrs. Marian Smart, 26, and her three-year-old son, Walter, were the victims. When the flames drove the family into the open in their night clothing, George, six, became confused and ran back into the house. Mr. and Mrs. Smart followed and Mrs. Smart pushed by her husband, and brought the boy out of the attic, where the four oldest children slept. Mother and son were badly burned.

Chilean Steamer Goes Down With 67 Men

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 13.—Sixty-seven men of the crew of the Chilean transport Aracuz were drowned today when the vessel sank at Punta Arenas, Chile, during a violent storm, says a despatch from Santiago to La Nación. There were 96 men aboard the ship when it sank, of whom 29 were saved. Eight bodies have been recovered.

An Appreciation of Service

The following letter of appreciation was received this morning by The Evening Times-Star from Rev. James Dunlop, pastor of Charlotte Street Baptist Church:

In writing this note, I am in doubt as to whether my courage outruns my discretion; but, if the quality of an act, as moralists say, is in the intention, then penning this note is indeed a very virtuous act.

"When a worshipper is enriched by the church services, an expression of thanks is very frequently and sincerely made to the preacher. "One wonders whether an editor and his staff ever receive, from readers, when some article or issue of the paper renders unique communal service, any expression of appreciation. An editor may seem somewhat impersonal, invisible and afar off. He works behind the scenes and is not as well known to his constituency as the minister is to his congregation.

"In my case, may I, as a reader, take the liberty of saying 'thanks' for these recent issues of The Evening Times-Star. The publication of Dr. Brittain's report dealing with civic affairs, and the publication of the Duncan Royal Commission Report, dealing with Maritime affairs, along with a very excellent Christmas number, is a very fine communal effort, and a very fine example of public spirit and citizenship, as well as business enterprise. If the purpose of a daily paper as a news carrier, is to shape, as well as reflect public opinion, by providing up-to-date, accurate and authoritative information, then the purpose has been realized in the highest possible degree in these recent issues.

"Since, at times, some of us just wonder about the viewpoint, aims and policy of the paper, this simple note of appreciation may be taken as the most sincere, and if editors are made of the same human clay as ministers, its intention will be quite a pardonable effort."

Yours very truly, JAMES DUNLOP. 97 Lancaster Street, West Saint John, Dec. 11, 1926.

RAISE WOULD DATE BACK TO APRIL 1, 1925

Conference of All Branches Held in Ottawa Saturday

CUT OUT BONUS

Amendments Sought to Superannuation Act—To Intervene Gov't

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—A flat increase of \$300 a year, retroactive from April 1 last, for all classes of civil servants, a number of amendments to the superannuation act, and the establishment of civil service councils, will be asked of the Dominion Government. This was decided upon at a conference, held here Saturday, of representatives of all branches of the civil service throughout the Dominion.

LISTS OF deserving children continue to pour in from the managers of city churches and the officials of philanthropic societies; they indicate that the number of kiddies to be cared for this Christmas will be as long as last year, if not longer. We want to assure that not one of them will be forgotten. A small contribution today will mean that on Christmas Day you can delight in the thought that you have at least "brought the touch of a rosy sun" into the life of at least one of God's children.

TODAY'S contributions to the Empty Stocking Fund included two very nice club donations, Geo. Roy, Jr., 1.00, and the employees of the Corona Candy Co. Ltd., and one of \$5 from the office staff of C. E. L. Jarvis & Sons, Ltd.

OTHER AMENDMENTS

Amendments to the superannuation act, suggested at conference, include the following: Reduction of interest on arrears of contributions; overseas military or naval service to count as service under the act; the period during which a civil servant may elect to come under the provisions of the act, be extended for another year; additional contributions for women and unmarried men of the service; periods of prior service on N. W. M. service, the R. N. M. Police and the R. C. M. Police to be deemed service under the act; permanent employees of the public works or other department paid fixed yearly salary, based on prevailing rates to be eligible for the act; and the act be amended to provide for a board to administer it on which the service shall be represented.

Mussolini's Voice On Radio Tuesday

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—The voice of Mussolini, dictator of Italy, will be heard over the radio Tuesday night, marking the first time in broadcasting history that the voices of an European statesman has been brought here. Station WGN Chicago will broadcast the speech which the Italian Premier delivered several weeks ago in Chigi Palace. His voice was recorded by a new electrical device. The speech, which is nine minutes long is in English translation.

Ferdinand's Death Only Matter of Time

PARIS, Dec. 13.—The death of King Ferdinand of Roumania is now a matter of weeks—a few months at best—in the opinion of most reliable informed travelers reaching Paris from Bucharest. "These travelers affirm that the recent series of operations performed upon the sick monarch were only temporary expedients, and that the cancerous growth within the intestines, which is the real trouble, has not been touched.

MISSIONARY DIES

TILSONBURG, Ont., Dec. 13.—Rev. J. G. Brown, B. A., D. D., professor at McMaster University, died suddenly Saturday on a C. P. R. train between Ingersoll and Tilsonburg. Dr. Brown was formerly a missionary to India and was widely known in Canada.

Mummy, Where's Santa Claus?

THE Empty Stocking Fund sailed past the \$1,000 mark this morning and is now well on its way towards the next milestone. It is too much to expect that, by Saturday night, the total will have reached \$2,000, and that Christmas week will add the necessary sum to bring it past \$3,000, the amount which it is estimated will be needed to provide that there will be no kiddie in the city like that shown in the picture to the right?

THAT the appeal on behalf of the youngsters in the city is far-reaching is indicated by two letters received by the Stocking Fund committee this morning, both enclosing substantial contributions. One is from Daytona Beach, Florida, accompanying a check for \$10, and the other from Iroquois Falls, Ont., with a money order for \$5, and each case the donor is a former Saint John resident.

ENCLOSED you will find \$1, which I gladly give to make some good happy, and wish it were \$100," writes a contributor from Blackville, N. B. This is the spirit which is going to put the Empty Stocking Fund over the top. The dollar or two which you may give may burst a little, but who one considers that two, three or maybe more poor kiddies will taste the only joys of Christmas while that donation, isn't it worth while?

Here's how the fund stands today: Previously acknowledged \$ 931.53 D. J. M. 2.00 A. Friend 1.00 M. E. H. 1.00 A. Friend 5.00 R. S. Y. 25.00 A. Friend 1.00 X. Y. Z. 2.00 E. B. 2.00 G. Roy, Jr. 1.00 Jim Roy 2.50 Friend 2.00 H. S. S. Blackville 1.00

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IT DOESN'T take much imagination to grasp at once the story behind this picture. Christmas morning—Santa Claus didn't come—and mother's tongue sticks when she tries to explain. Is it to happen in any home in Saint John this Christmas? It's likely unless your generosity asserts itself. If you have plenty, don't forget to remember those who haven't!

ATTENDED CONFERENCE. Mr. Morine, who jointly with Premier St. Maurice, represented Newfoundland at the Imperial Conference, said that while the conference "has resulted in laying the foundations of equal status between Great Britain and the Dominions, the work, to use the words of Lord Balfour, is but a beginning, because the British Empire is an empire with no united control. The only legal tie is the King and possibly the Privy Council. The unit which the Dominions constitute may be said to be without a ruler."

FUNERAL ON TUESDAY. ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Dec. 13.—The funeral of Mr. T. Whitlock, who died suddenly in Saint John on Saturday, will be held here at 2 p. m. Tuesday. The funeral service will be conducted by the Masonic Grand Lodge.

JEAN RICHPÉIN PASSES. PARIS, Dec. 13.—Jean Richpéin, widely known poet, playwright, novelist and journalist, died at his home here yesterday. He was nearing his 77th year.

FORD'S CHARGES. In his statement Mr. Ford says the international Jew is in control of American finance, of the press, and of the revolutionary elements of the world. Mr. Ford alleges Jewish power "in communistic Russia and in capitalist England." His claim is that the international Jew is the chief in the making of war and the chief profiteer in war time.

22-Year-Old Girl Held For Bank Theft. AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 13.—Charged with the single-handed robbery Saturday of the Farmers National Bank at Buda, a small town near here, Miss Rebecca Bradley, 22 years old, Austin girl, was released from the Hays county jail at San Marcos on \$5,000 bond early yesterday. Tonight she is at home with her widowed mother in Austin and is to appear today.

\$7,000 Fire Damage To Sydney Buildings. SYDNEY, N. S. Dec. 13.—Damage estimated at \$7,000 was caused by the last night which gutted the Olympic Candy Kitchen, on Charlotte street, McClellens book store, next door, suffered some damage through smoke and water.

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SYNOPSIS: A deep depression centred this morning over Lake Michigan, moving northwards and another over Newfoundland, while high pressure and decidedly cold weather extends from the Mackenzie Valley across the Western Provinces to the southwest states. Comparatively mild weather prevails from Ontario eastward.

SNOW OR RAIN

FORECASTS: MARITIME—Fresh northwest winds, fair; Tuesday—Fresh winds, cloudy; probably some snow or rain in west.

NEW ENGLAND—Rain tonight and Tuesday. Rising temperature tonight and on the east coast Tuesday. Fresh probably strong southeast and south winds.

TEMPERATURES

Highest Lowest 8 a.m. yesterday night

Victoria ... 29 34 20

Toronto ... 26 30 26

Ottawa ... 22 34 12

Montreal ... 16 30 16

Quebec ... 18 34 18

Hull ... 30 34 24

Saint John ... 26 31 24

"Below zero"

POOR DOCUMENT

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START IS MADE FOR KIWANIS CLUB HERE

Temporary Organization is Begun—Dr. L. M. Curran is Acting President

What is known as a temporary Kiwanis Club was formed here on Saturday evening at a dinner at the Admiral Beatty hotel when about 20 prominent citizens of Saint John were present. Dr. L. M. Curran was named as temporary president and F. J. Hodgson, secretary-treasurer. Those present at the meeting became the sponsors for the new club and will get other representative citizens interested. Application also was made for a charter for the club.

Another meeting will be held tomorrow night. The members here will be limited to about 50 for the present, and E. Elmore, field representative.

**RETURNS TO HALIFAX.**  
Alexander W. Robb, of the Halifax Herald and Mail executive staff, returned home today after spending the week-end in Saint John. Mr. Robb came to the city on Saturday to pay respects of the Halifax Herald and Mail to the memory of the late editor of the Saint John Globe, F. B. Ellis, whose funeral took place Saturday afternoon. While here Mr. Robb visited his mother at the home of John McGowan. Mr. Robb's daughter accompanied him.

**IS WELCOMED.**  
Rev. Harry Clark, former pastor of Portland United Church, now of St. Andrews United Church, in Halifax, left for the city on the noon train. He took part in the anniversary service at Centenary yesterday. Rev. Mr. Clark was warmly welcomed by many former parishioners and friends among

Funerals

Mrs. James Lane.

The funeral of Mrs. James Lane was held Saturday morning from 124 King street east, to the Cathedral for high mass of requiem by Rev. Dr. Roy M. McDonald. Rev. Fr. Mullins, C.S.S.H., was in the sanctuary. Relatives were pall bearers, and interment was in the new Catholic cemetery. Prayers at the grave were read by Rev. C. J. Carroll. Many spiritual offerings were received.

BARONET WILL BE IN CITY ON SUNDAY

Sir Francis and Lady MacNaughton Are Passengers on S. S. Montclair

Sir Francis MacNaughton, Bart., and Lady MacNaughton are among the passengers on the Canadian Pacific steamer Montclair, which is expected here next Sunday from Glasgow, via Belfast and Greenock. Lady MacNaughton is a daughter of the late Sir William Ritchie, at one time a member of the Supreme Court of Canada.

Samuel Foley, of Saint John, also is returning to Canada on this vessel. Others among the cabin passengers are J. D. Chesney, of Westmount; Harry Robinson, of Montreal; L. G. Harris and H. S. Buchanan, of Toronto; Dr. A. S. Cadmore, Ottawa; L. A. B. Sullivan, Kingston; H. W. Morris, stage manager of the D'Oyle Carte Opera Company.

Some of the veterans of the Great War who were comrades in arms with him.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Band Arena tomorrow night. 12-14

Rummage sale Tuesday, 2.30, at 115 Prince Edward. 12-14

Bargain Sale—Covered delivery sleds, dump-sleds, pungs, Edgemoor, City Road. 12-15

You will save money in your purchases by reading Barkers' Christmas circular. 12-14

Knox W. M. S. thank offering Tuesday, Dec. 14, 8 p.m. Speaker, Dr. Wardlaw Taylor. 12-14

"Adventures of Grandpa" tonight tomorrow, Exmouth street S. School. Don't miss it. 12-15

Regular meeting of Moulton Temple, No. 14, Pythian Sisters, Pythian Castle, Union street, Monday, 8 p.m. Election of officers. 12-14

**DRAWING TONIGHT.**  
Seal coat to be drawn at card party tonight, Stella Maris Hall, East Saint John. 12-14

**LOOK LOOK LOOK.**  
When hiring a taxi don't forget the Blue Cab Taxi Service. Only 80c per fare in the city. A Levine, manager. Telephone Main 8454 office; 9888 residence. 12-16

Rummage sale in Mission Church S. on Tuesday, 14, at 2.30. 12-14

**SLEDS.**  
We have them from 46c. up at Duval's Toyland, 15 Waterloo. 12-15

**XMAS TREE OUTFITS.**  
While they last \$1.89. Jones Electric Co., 16 Charlotte street. See them. 12-15

**APPROCIATED GIFT.**  
A season ticket for Victoria Rink. Always good ice. Pleasure skating only. Tickets for sale at Charles Baillie's, King street, or at the Rink. 12-14

**BARKERS FOR BARGAINS.**  
If you want real bargains in toys, Christmas tree trimmings, dolls, books, confectionery and groceries, call tonight at 2 Barkers, 100 Princess street. 12-14

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**LOST—Furnished rooms, \$2.50, 97 Duke. 12-15**

**LOST—Purse, containing \$7, Saturday, between Middle and King streets. Finder please return to 12 Middle St. 12-14**

**LOST—In Woolworth's, Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock, gray under-the-arm bag, containing large sum of money. Call M. 4782. Reward. 12-14**

Band at Carleton Rink tonight. Good ice. 12-14

A season skating ticket for the Arena. The best Xmas gift of all. 12-14

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Band tonight. Good ice. Buy your season ticket now at Charles Baillie's, King street, or at the Rink. 12-14

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Seal coat to be drawn at card party tonight, Stella Maris Hall, East Saint John. 12-14

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Another lot just in. Specially priced \$4.48. Guaranteed. Duval's, 15 Waterloo. Open every night. 12-15

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**ISSUE HELD BACK.**  
Bonds Matter Awaits Return of Com. Bullock

The issue of bonds, of which notice of motion was given some weeks ago by Commissioner Prink, cannot be made until all the members of the council are present. It was said this morning by the common clerk, Commissioner Bullock is absent from the city on account of illness, and it will possibly be January before this issue can be ordered by the council.

**Phone your Want Ads.**

**Too Late For Classification**

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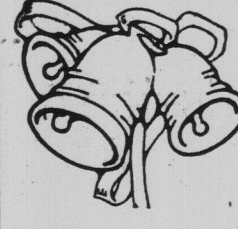
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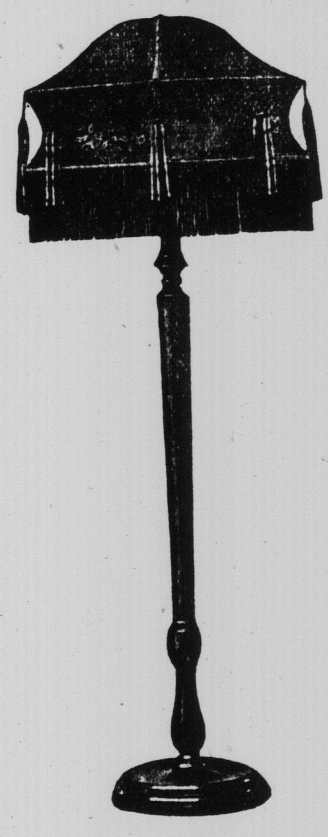
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SPEAKER TELLS OF EXPULSION OF ACADIANS

Judge Arseneault, of P. E. I., Heard in Address at St. Peter's Hall.

St. Peter's Auditorium was filled last night to hear a scholarly lecture by Justice A. E. Arseneault, of the Supreme Court of Prince Edward Island, on the "Expulsion of the Acadians."

The total number at the time of the expulsion, about 2,500, was divided into three settlements at Chignecto, Grand Pré and Fort Royal. The parting he described as very pathetic.

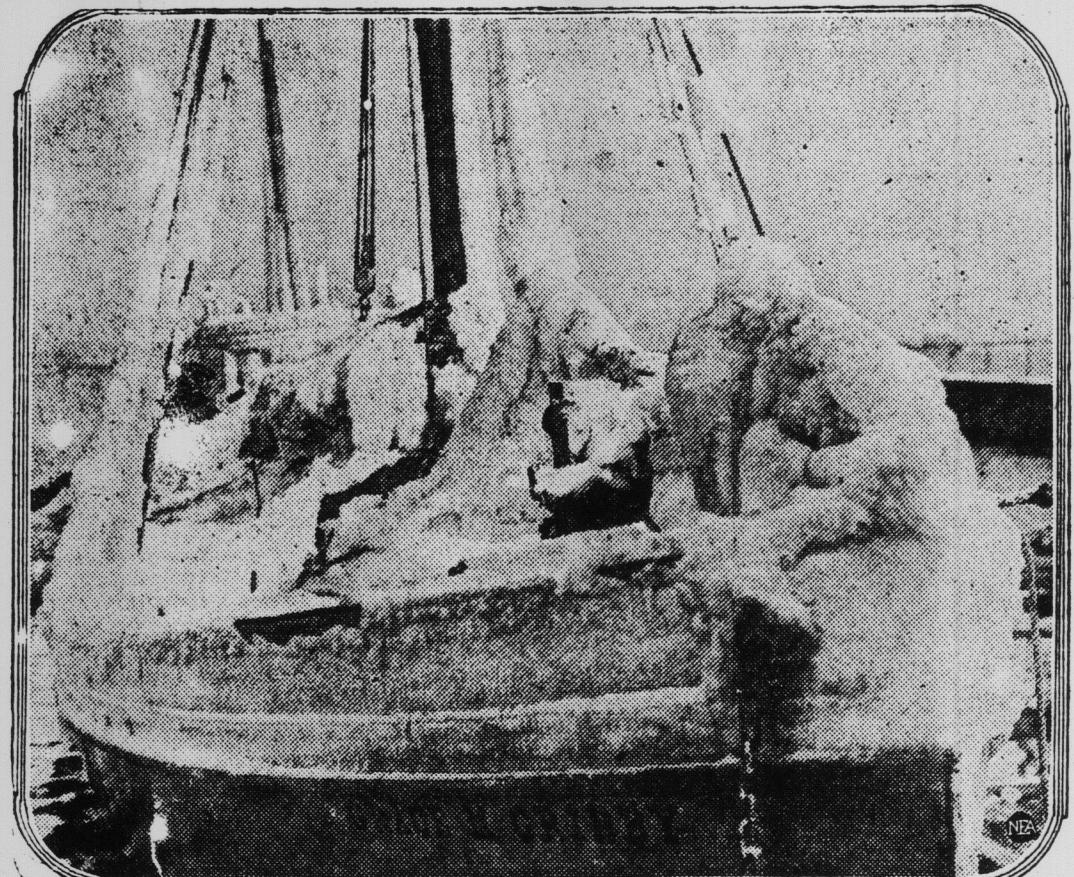
Justice Arseneault quoted authorities to prove that it was the belief that they were expelled but rather that of the Government of Nova Scotia, whom he described as a cruel man seeking his own personal advancement.

COMMUNITY SPIRIT

The community spirit of the Acadian settlers was enhanced, upon he told how the whole community lived together in peace and harmony, helping one another, not seeking any honors for themselves and everybody being of equal rank.

"Ontario needs your coal," said Mr. Fleming, who is chairman of the Canadian Deep Waterways and Power Association, and we would be eager to buy it rather than spend thousands of dollars in the United States for fuel.

ICE-COATED LOBSTER BOAT



What a few hours' bucking a snow-laden gale at sea did to the lobster smack Grace M. Cribby was evident upon her return to Boston harbor. It took axes, sleds, grease and the sun many hours to free the vessel of her unwanted refrigeration.

Ontario Needs Maritime Coal, Says O. E. Fleming of Windsor

A STRONG appeal to the people of the Maritime Provinces to get behind the projected despatching of the St. Lawrence river and lending it their support was voiced here Saturday by O. E. Fleming, K. C., of Windsor, Ont., who arrived in Saint John on the Canadian Pacific steamer Montcalm.

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Lieut.-Gov. Todd Looks For New Prosperity Era In East

MEGANTIC, Dec. 12.—In a special interview on the train Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Todd, returning to St. Stephen after being guests of Their Excellencies at Government House at the opening of Parliament.

"His opinion was that the recommendations would to a large extent be carried out by the government with matters that would be taken up in other directions in trying to give the Maritime Provinces better business conditions, such as the West India Convention and the improved conditions all over the Dominion, etc.

DISCUSSION EXPECTED His Honor said that he expected quite a lot of discussion on the question of subsidies, but the sympathy and good feeling of the west and middle west toward the Maritimes' grievances had been expressed on all occasions in the past year and a half and he felt any just grievances that have been shown by the report would be considered and helped.

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FINAL SERMON IN COURSE AT ST. ANDREW'S GIVEN

Rev. J. S. Bonnell Speaks on Subject of "My Religion."

In the fourth and final sermon in the special series of evening addresses, Rev. J. S. Bonnell spoke last night in St. Andrew's church before a congregation that taxed the capacity of the edifice.

Mr. Bonnell based his sermon on the incident of the stilling of the storm on the Sea of Galilee by Jesus and the expression of His disappointment in the lack of faith on the part of the disciples.

Mr. Bonnell stated that these explanations fell short of the truth. What Jesus wished to teach them was that they should have a faith that would hold good no matter what happened, even supposing the ship should sink, no evil could touch them.

Carload Liquor Seized in Railway Yards at Moncton Last Week

MONCTON, Dec. 12.—Inland Revenue officers effected the seizure of a carload of alcohol in the C. N. R. yards here during the week-end. The liquor was put up in drums and was shipped from Nova Scotia, being consigned to Quebec.

SENTENCED AT SHEDIAK SHEDIAK, Dec. 12.—On a charge of violating the prohibitory law, James Whelan, aged 67, a pedlar of Douglas town, Northumberland county, was fined \$25 in the Sheldiac police court.

DIE IN BLIZZARD CALGARY, Dec. 12.—The worst blizzard in years swept Alberta and Saskatchewan over the week-end, taking a known toll of two lives, disrupting transportation and piling snow drifts ten to twenty feet high in some districts.

DOUGLAS CROSBY FATALLY INJURED YARMOUTH, Dec. 12.—The death of Douglas Crosby, son of Oscar Crosby, of Brassi Lake, Yarmouth county, took place at the Yarmouth Hospital this morning after three weeks of illness.

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT SACKVILLE, Dec. 12.—A Christmas pageant, entitled "The Nativity," was presented in the Mount Allison Academy dining room Friday evening.

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Sailings Held Up By Fog In N. Y. Harbor

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Fog and smoke that cast a twilight pall over the city yesterday so obscured harbor waters as to hold up the sailing of all trans-Atlantic liners, including the Majestic, Baltic, Antonia, Republic, Albatross, Volendam, Rouillon, Oriaba and others.

STRATHCONA TRUST PRIZES AWARDED

Fairville School Wins in This District For Physical Work

FREDERICTON, Dec. 12.—The local committee of the Strathcona trust for the province of N. B. was in annual session here during the week-end. Col. Anderson of Saint John, commanding the military district, was present, also Lt.-Col. E. C. Weyman of Saint John, who succeeds Col. Murray MacLaren as a member.

PRIZE AWARDS The awards of prizes in physical training in the schools was announced in the report of the secretary.

INSPECTORIAL DISTRICT NO. 4—E. A. Dixon, M. A., inspector—Graded schools, 1st, Margaret Sweeney, Queen Street school, Moncton; 2nd, Rhoda MacDougall, Victoria school, Moncton. Semi-rural schools: 1st, Joseph Robinson, Petticoat; 2nd, S. Allen Hopper, Elgin. Rural schools: 1st, Hazel Hughes, Glenvale; 2nd, Edna Lunney, Point Wolfe.

INSPECTORIAL DISTRICT NO. 5—L. R. Hetherington, M. A., inspector—Graded schools: 1st, Mary E. Hanson, Chipman; 2nd, Bessie Howard, Hampton. Semi-rural schools: 1st, Ralph J. Coy, Lower Millstream; 2nd, Annie M. Kinne, Kingston. Rural schools: 1st, Evelyn Smith, Lakeview; 2nd, Katie Gale, Briggs' Corner.

INSPECTORIAL DISTRICT NO. 6—G. C. Marr, M. A., inspector—Graded schools: 1st, I. Newton Fanjoy, Superior school, Fairville; 2nd, L. R. Baldwin, St. George Superior. Semi-rural schools: 1st, Gladys McGowan, Welchport; 2nd, Edith Carvell, Protestant Orphanage. Rural: 1st, Laura Metzereau, Manawagonish Road; 2nd, Dorothy Goodill, Boaboe.

CAPITAL CADETS WIN Fredericton High School cadet corps won first prize, \$50, for military training. Boys' Industrial school, second; \$40; Fairville Superior, seventh, \$10; Albert school, Saint John, eleventh, \$5; St. Peter's school, Saint John, fourteenth, \$8.



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WASSONS 2 STORES

PASTOR AND WIFE ARE WELCOMED MALONE'S

Rev. Z. L. and Mrs. Faith Are Greeted by Sunny Faith Congregation

MONCTON, Dec. 12.—Rev. Z. L. Faith, the new pastor of the Lewisville Baptist church, and Mrs. Faith were accorded a welcome at the church on Friday evening when the right hand of fellowship was extended to the new pastor by the Rev. Milton Addison, of the Sunny Brae Baptist church.

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5 lb Bulk Raisins ... 84c
1 qt Bottle Tomato Catsup ... 23c
2 Tins Peas ... 25c
Sliced Pineapple, tin ... 20c
2 Tins String Beans ... 35c
5 lbs Onions ... 25c
Orange Pekoe Tea, lb ... 52c
2 lbs Bulk Macaroni ... 25c
3 Bottles Lemon or Vanilla ... 23c
2 or 3 Bottle Clark's Lemon or Vanilla ... 25c
Creamery Butter (2 lb flats), lb ... 42c
1 lb Block Pure Lard ... 20c
5 lb Pail Pure Lard ... 98c
1 lb Block Domestic Shortening ... 18c
5 lb Tin Shortening ... 55c
20 lb Pail Domestic Shortening ... \$2.95
Good Bulk Tea, lb ... 52c
8 lbs Choice Onions ... 23c
3 Boxes Matches (400 count) ... 25c
5 Bags Table Salt ... 25c
98 lb Bag Robin Hood or Cream of West Flour ... \$4.25
24 lb Bags ... \$1.15
100 lb Bag Lantic Fine Granulated Sugar ... \$7.00
14 lbs Lantic Fine Granulated Sugar ... \$1.00
3 lbs Pulverized Sugar ... 27c
Peas, Corn and Tomatoes ... 2 for 25c
2 lbs String Beans ... 35c
California Peaches and Pears, tin ... 25c
Sliced or Crushed Pineapple, tin ... 25c
Craisberries, qt. ... 15c
Good 4 String Broom ... 35c
35 or 40 Bottle Sweet Pickles ... 49c
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Cake Flour, per package ... 15c
5 lb Tin Corn Syrup ... 33c
Can Pickles 2 1/2, Peas 2 1/2, per tin ... 23c
Sliced Pineapple per tin ... 17c
Spinach, per tin ... 3 for 25c
2 Can Corn Peas or Tomatoes ... 21c
4 lbs Small Prunes ... 20c
2 lbs Large Prunes ... 20c
Good Bulk Tea, per lb. ... 45c and 50c
Good Apples, per reek ... 23c
Good Apples, per bbl. from \$1.25 up ... 24c
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Harvey Wilbur and Bernard O'Donnell to be Raised to Priesthood

BATHURST, Dec. 12.—It was announced by the Rev. John Whelan at both masses in the Sacred Heart Church today, that two of Bathurst's native sons, Messrs. Harvey G. Wilbur and Bernard O'Donnell, would be elevated to the holy priesthood by the Right Rev. P. A. Chisness, Bishop of Chatham, at 10 o'clock mass next Sunday, December 19.

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HARBOR DEVELOPMENT

POLITICS must be kept out of whatever developments there may be in connection with the harbor of Saint John. The public interest must predominate the situation.

THE SMITH CASE

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Other Views

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HARD things have been said of motor cars—and drivers—for the most part by owners in moments of overpowering emotion.

Somehow one cannot avoid the suspicion that this is, to say the least of it, exaggerated. The inference is that the motor car has had a blighting effect on morals.

The Firestone Rubber interests which, as a countermove to Great Britain's virtual control of the world's raw rubber, initiated a scheme to plant in Liberia for their own requirements—have received ratification of their project from the Liberian Congress.

If the announcement in the London Evening Standard be true, the retirement of Lord Oxford from the leadership of the Liberal party in Great Britain has not had the effect of healing the breach.

Meetings of the Maritime Provinces

Meetings of the Maritime Provinces to discuss matters of common interest may not have their desired Maritime union, but we need Maritime unity.

A Peppy Wedding

The engagement of the Earl of Cottingham to Miss Venetia Taylor has a literary and historical interest.

Temporarily Settled

It is really an open question whether the Zoo authorities may not be overdoing things in the monkey house.

Shipping of liquor as fish, lumber, laths, junk, or what not has become a popular pastime.

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News and Views From The British Capital

LONDON, November 25, 1926—It is quite likely that the reports from Doorn of the ex-Kaiser's serious illness are based on nothing worse, but that which may be, than an attack of the prevalent influenza.

The First Sea Lord

The generally-accepted explanation of Mr. Bridgeman's request for the deferring of Earl Beatty's resignation is that the Admiralty had no one immediately in view.

New Telephone to America

The delegates from the U. S. A. who have been conferring privately with representatives of the Post Office Electrical Engineering writers and are a complete understanding with us regarding the opening of a new telephone service from New York to London.

Who's Who in the Day's News

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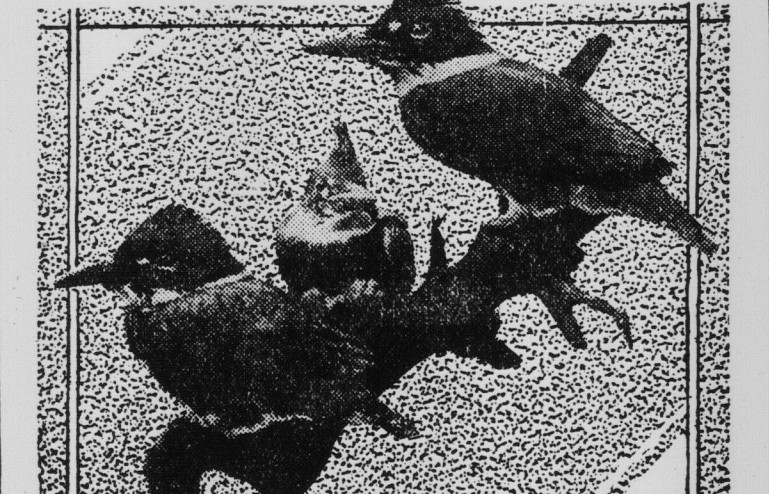
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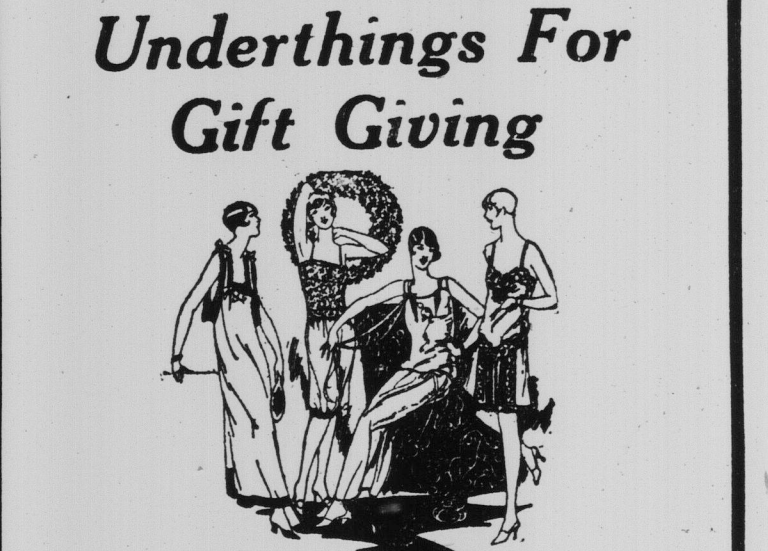
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MEMORIAL TO VALERIAN DEAD IS HELD HERE

Representative Gathering of Citizens at Service in Trinity Church

FITTING TRIBUTE; ELOQUENT SERMON

Rev. C. Gordon Lawrence Describes Incidents of Disaster and Draws Lesson

A memorial service in honor of the 85 officers and men of the H. M. S. Valerian, lost off Bermuda about two months ago, was held yesterday morning in Trinity church, and was attended by a representative number of members of all creeds and from all walks of life.

There were 15 different organizations that made corporate attendance and the large church was thronged. Rev. C. Gordon Lawrence, rector of the church, in his sermon vividly described the incidents of the disaster when the Valerian and all her complement, with the exception of 19, were lost, pointing out the lesson of devotion to duty which they taught.

FULLY CHORAL

The service was fully choral and the music by Trinity choir of 50 voices, under the direction of James S. Ford, was beautifully rendered. A special feature of the service was the singing of the men who were lost when the Valerian was wrecked, and amounted to \$180.65.

The holding of the memorial service was a special request of the Saint John Company of the R.C.N.V.R. and had the authorization of the Department of National Defence of Canada. The commander-in-chief of the commanding officer of the headquarters staff of M.D. No. 7, the R.C.N.V.R. Trinity Church Corporation, the commanding officers of the various local military units, the New Brunswick Division of the Navy League of Canada, St. Andrew's Society, St. George's Society, the Byng Boys, the R. K. Y. C. Club, the I. O. D. E. and the English and John Cricket Club and Newfoundland Society.

Across the main archway of the chancel screen at the service were the two crossed naval flags, the white ensign of the navy and the blue ensign of the Royal Navy, while above the pulpit was the church prayer pennant used when services are held for the naval units.

PARADE TO SERVICE

The R.C.N.V.R. paraded to the service headed by their pipe band and turned out in large numbers as a tribute to their comrades of the missing Valerian. In the attendance included Premier, the Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, and local members of the City Council, Col. W. B. Anderson, Mayor W. White and members of the City Council, Col. W. B. Anderson, Mayor W. White and members of the City Council, Col. W. B. Anderson, Mayor W. White and members of the City Council.

All of these organizations had taken a special interest in the ship's company of the Valerian her several visits in port. The service was attended by a group of young men of Trinity and the blue ensign members of the R. C. N. V. R. Company.

Rev. W. E. Fuller, curate of the church, sang the service. The special hymn sung were "Hark the Sound of Holy Voices," "Herald of the King to Save," "God of the Living" and "Ten Thousand Times Ten Thousand." The pain chanted were the 90th and 100th Psalms, "Thou Hast Been Our Refuge" and the lesson was from Rev. 20:11 to 21.

The anthem "Souls of the Righteous" by the choir was sung while the offertory was being taken and the blue ensign and following the anthem the congregation united in the hearty singing of the National Anthem. Immediately afterwards there was the roll of the muffled drums and the sad notes of the Last Post were sounded. As the congregation left the church Mr. Ford played the Dead March, whose solemn notes were a fitting tribute to the heroes that were through most impressive, reverent and deeply stirring.

THE SERMON

Rev. Mr. Lawrence in his sermon spoke from the text: "Lord, if it be Thou, bid me come to Thee on the water." St. Matthew 14:28. He said: "We have joined today in a public service of Divine worship arranged for the greater glory of God and the memory of the officers and men of the H. M. S. Valerian, who were lost in a great storm near Bermuda on Friday, the 22nd of October, last. This service in the old parish church of Saint John is meant to be, in a small way, a tribute from the City of Saint John to the navy of our great Empire. Greater numbers may frequently assemble, but it is seldom that so representative a congregation bears witness to the general approval of a common purpose.

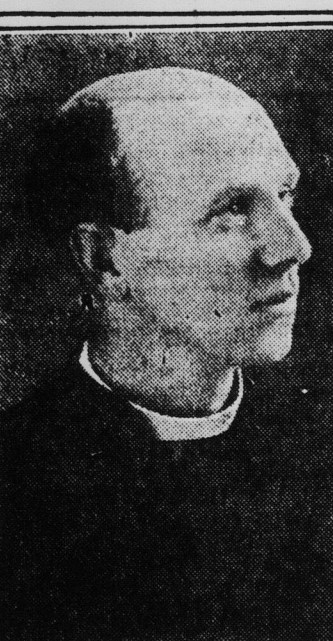
"We have here visible witness to this city's appreciation of those very gallant gentlemen whose loss we so deeply deplore. That the disaster occurred a great distance from here has not lessened our interest, nor has it availed to assuage our grief. For the navy is one, whether on duty in our own harbor or on the waters of the far-off Pacific.

HAD BEEN HERE

"But we had a peculiar interest in the Valerian because she had been three times a visitor to our port; her officers and men had been our guests and, for at least some of us, they had become our warm protectors to their families and we heartily welcome this opportunity of placing something in the envelopes provided that may be used for the relief of their widows and orphans.

"H.M.S. Valerian was one of two sloops on the North American and

Preaches At Trinity



REV. C. GORDON LAWRENCE, Rector of Trinity, who brought a stirring message to a large congregation at yesterday's memorial service to the officers and men of the H. M. S. Valerian, lost off Bermuda.

West Indies station. She was a little vessel of only 1200 tons and carried two 4-inch and four 3-pounder guns. Her company numbered 104 persons of whom but 19 survive.

THE DISASTER

"The brief reference to the disaster, which I attempt to make, is based largely on the evidence given at the Court-Martial held at the Royal Naval Hospital in Bermuda on the 27th of October. The Valerian had been on an errand of mercy to sufferers from a previous storm in the West Indies. She set out from Nassau on the 18th of October to return to Bermuda. Owing to the scarcity of coal the Commander was unable to secure as much fuel as he thought desirable. But he estimated that he had sufficient for a direct passage with a small reserve. The small reserve made it impossible for him to make a detour when he was warned that a hurricane was approaching. So his duty appeared to be to attempt to make port before the gale should reach its height. But as the weather grew his speed had to be reduced because of a heated bearing caused by the racing of the propellers in the rough sea.

18 MILES OUT

"He was actually within sight of Bermuda, only eighteen miles from Port, when the height of the gale overtook him. The mainmast and the aerial mast were carried away so that communication by wireless was impossible. Desperate and heroic efforts were made to rig a jury mast when the ship was already listing at an angle of 60 degrees. But these efforts were made to rig a jury mast when the ship was already listing at an angle of 60 degrees. But these efforts were made to rig a jury mast when the ship was already listing at an angle of 60 degrees.

ENDS 55th YEAR WITH A SURPLUS

"To spend 21 hours in a rafts sea, hanging to a bit of wreckage after the severe strain for hours before the ship sank; and to be obliged to see one after another of one's comrades die from exhaustion; with scarcely any hope of survival for a very few could endure.

"One of the survivors stated that he found himself clinging with 20 others to a float. But the bottom of the float had been damaged in the pounding of the sea and it was unable to support so many. So they took turns in resting upon it while the others hung on to its edge from the water. The sea was so rough that they knew that their strength was being spent in trying again and again to regain a hold.

"At first the several little groups of floating men were fairly near each other and one strong seaman began swimming from party to party with a cheering message. As he left one group he said he was "going visiting." When they had been already many hours in the water, and a good many had disappeared, one of the Petty Officers asked for a song. And all the little groups sang, "God Save the King" (thank God for such a Captain), with the Navigating Officer, started up "Tipperary." Think of it, my brothers, miles and miles at sea, in a most unusual storm, hanging to a float that was fast becoming water-logged, with death staring one in the face and singing "It is a long way to go!"

DEAR OLD SONG

"That dear old song has been halloved by the voices of many who sleep now in a foreign land. And it is all the more precious to us because of the heroic courage of the men of the Valerian. Certain columns of the newspapers from Bermuda, on those first days after the storm, deserve to be preserved in the scrap books of all who love stories of heroism. They are working messages. As he left one group he said he was "going visiting." When they had been already many hours in the water, and a good many had disappeared, one of the Petty Officers asked for a song. And all the little groups sang, "God Save the King" (thank God for such a Captain), with the Navigating Officer, started up "Tipperary." Think of it, my brothers, miles and miles at sea, in a most unusual storm, hanging to a float that was fast becoming water-logged, with death staring one in the face and singing "It is a long way to go!"

On the 23rd of October, more than twenty hours after the vessel had disappeared, H. M. S. Capetown picked up 18 survivors. The good ship Valerian and 85 of her company were left in the restless waters of the business deep there to sleep until the sea gives up its dead. Their bodies lie deep in the deep; their memory we cherish in our hearts; their spirits have returned to God who gave them.

IF IT BE THOU

"If it be thou," said St. Peter, when he thought he recognized a voice coming out of the storm; "If it be Thou, O my Master, bid me come to Thee on the water." There is scarcely anything of which we are more convinced than just this—that where "Duty calls some of us, a business, to a home life; some to a business, to some to a professional life—and each of you feel that in attempting your duty you are serving God. In saluting your services, God is calling you to Himself. What is the joy of service but just the joy of being oneself used of God, the instrument of His will, the agent of His purpose?

"Is there a thing that we do truly long for is greater usefulness; the physician, that he may be the better help; the lawyer, that he may be the better defend; the builder, that he may be the better construct; the merchant, that he may be the better provide. For greater usefulness makes us, at least in one respect, more like the great God who has created all and who is upholding all and redeeming all. The consciousness of having finally spoiled ones usefulness is the remorse of hell.

ANNIVERSARY OF CENTENARY IS OBSERVED

Rev. H. R. Clarke, of Halifax, Special Preacher for the Occasion.

Largely attended inspirational services were held in Centenary church yesterday in observance of anniversary of the church. Major the Rev. H. B. Clarke, M. C. of Halifax, former pastor of the Portland street United church was the special preacher and delivered eloquent exhortations. The music was specially appealing and was under the direction of E. A. Collins, Mus. Bach, R. R. C. O.

ON THE WATER

To the duty which summons you, you may severally and fervently say, "O Master, if it be Thou, bid me come to Thee." And the seamen may add those who were with the Valerian. "We are the better for their splendid examples of courage and good cheer. The president of the New Brunswick Division of the Navy League of Canada—an institution that is in close intimacy with the British Royal Navy—requested that hearty and appreciative thanks be extended to Rev. C. Gordon Lawrence, rector of Trinity church, for the broad observance yesterday morning of an elevated form of memorial service to the eighty-five officers and men of the H. M. S. Valerian, who lost their lives in the heavy gale near Bermuda, on the 22nd of October, last, and for the impressive sermon which he delivered in connection therewith.

The choir of Trinity church are also entitled to thanks for the special hymns which they sang so well, and for the additional assistance that was rendered by their lofty form of service. Many organizations of an important character were present with the president and vice-president of the Navy League, and T. Fred Miller, manager of the St. John's leading military and naval stores. The common council of Saint John the leading military and naval stores. The common council of Saint John the leading military and naval stores. The common council of Saint John the leading military and naval stores.

During Mr. Lawrence's address he pointed out that on three occasions the H. M. S. Valerian had called at this port, and that she had been in the harbor, the last visit having taken place a few months ago. It was further stated that the Valerian was a very fine vessel, and that she was a very fine vessel, and that she was a very fine vessel.

SHEDIAC Agricultural Society Turns in Excellent Year—Officers Elected. SHEDIAC, Dec. 12.—The finances and other affairs of Shediac Agricultural Society No. 15 were found to be in a very satisfactory state that practically all the retiring members are dead, but the original books are still in the custody of Secretary Bateman.

OFFICERS CHOSEN. The following officers and directors were elected unanimously: President, Arthur W. Bateman, Moncton Road; secretary-treasurer, Fred Murphy, Shediac; directors, Shediac Cape; Geo. William; Herbert Taylor; Dorchester Road, Charles Connors, Frank Murphy; Barachois, Phileas Leger, Edward Dolson; Soudouac, Geoffrey Leger, Lucien P. Bourque.

Public Reception, Children of Mary, Church Assumption. At the Church of the Assumption yesterday it was announced that a card party would be held for charitable purposes in St. Patrick's hall tonight, under the auspices of the Holy Name Society. In the evening a public reception was held in Assumption church for the 28 new members of the Sodality of the Children of Mary. Solemn Benediction was celebrated by Rev. Father Ryan, with Rev. Father McGillivray as sub-deacon, and Rev. Father Ramagie as deacon. Rev. Father Ramagie preached an eloquent sermon appropriate to the occasion. Miss Annie King, secretary of the sodality, read the act of consecration. The membership of the sodality is now about 75. Special music was rendered by the choir.

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CLUB RE-ORGANIZES

J. P. Hatty Heads Young Men's Syrian Organization

The Young Men's Syrian Club was re-organized at an enthusiastic gathering held on Saturday night when 37 members were present. Officers were elected as follows: president, J. P. Hatty; vice-president, J. D. W. Peters, secretary, Thomas R. Tobias; treasurer, Louis J. Simon. The club starts out once more auspiciously. It expects to enroll many more members and has already under discussion plans for the winter activities.

DOCTOR: "Try to surround yourself with green, it will quiet your nerves." Patient: "My husband never carries paper money."

RICHARD ELECTED IN GLOUCESTER CO.

Acclamation Declared on Saturday to Seat in Provincial House

BATHURST, Dec. 12.—In the nomination proceedings held before Returning Officer Hector Poirier yesterday, only one nomination paper, that of Cloris T. Richard, was filed. Sheriff Poirier thereupon declared Mr. Richard elected to represent Gloucester in the Legislative Assembly to replace the Hon. P. J. Veniot, who resigned to accept the portfolio of postmaster-general in the Dominion cabinet.

After being declared elected, Mr. Richard thanked his friends and stated that although he was a Liberal member he would be always ready and willing to assist in any way his political opponents. The speaker said that it would be his aim to do all he could in the interests of Gloucester county and the province as a whole. Mr. Richard thanked the returning officer, H. M. Poirier, for the assistance he had rendered him and congratulated the sheriff upon the able way in which he conducted his first election.

OTHERS SPEAKERS. The member-elect was followed by J. Andre Doucet, M.L.A., of Piquetteville, who congratulated Mr. Richard and stated that it would be a great pleasure for him to sit with Mr. Richard as a member from Gloucester. H. C. Hamsey, the next speaker, reminded Mr. Richard that he was succeeding one who had done much for Gloucester and New Brunswick as a whole, and stated that he felt that the member-elect would exert the same energy in connection with his new duties as his predecessor Mr. Veniot had.

The final speaker was G. T. Feeney, who stated that it gave him much pleasure to see Mr. Richard returned to represent Gloucester. He stated that Mr. Richard was a classmate with him at Dalhousie Law School and felt that he would be successful in his new venture.

FUNERAL TUESDAY

The funeral of Julius T. Whitlock who died in Saint John on Saturday will be held at St. Stephen on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The funeral will be under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of New Brunswick, with Grand Master James Vroom in charge.

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Features

### Dorothy Dix

**Can a Married Woman Be a Vamp to Other Men and a Good Wife, Too?—Why Bobbed Hair Ages the Middle-aged Woman—Should an Engaged Girl Separated From Her Fiance Give Up Having Dates?**

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—Do you think a married woman has a right to carry on innocent flirtations with men? I have a splendid husband, the best ever, and two lovely children. My husband is kind and affectionate and generous to me, but he has to work hard with long hours, and I just love to go to dances and lunches and on rides with other men. It puts me up to know that other men admire me, but I love my husband and am true to him. MRS. B.

**ANSWER:**  
The married woman who philanders with other men is playing with fire, and she almost always ends by burning up her own home. She may mean no harm, and she may be a good wife, but she is a careless fool who drops a lighted match in a bunch of cotton waste, but the result is the same if it is she who started the conflagration intentionally.

There is no such thing as an innocent flirtation, so far as a wife is concerned. Girls may play at love-making, because under the idiotic conventions that prevent a woman from popping the question to the man she wants for a husband, that is the only way she can get a man. But the married woman has no business exciting sentimental emotions in the breasts of other men.

Still less has she any business to be filling her own head and heart with romantic visions of other men, and doling herself up to look pretty to them and writing them mushy notes, for that way destruction lies for her.

The moment a married woman begins to listen and to prefer some other love-making to her husband's, and to thrill at the touch of some other man, she leads straight to the divorce court, for no living woman can be a good wife and a vamp at one and the same time.

Now can any married woman jostle around with strange men and go to little lunches with them, and preserve a shred of her reputation. Neighbors simply aren't built with the outlook that would enable them to observe such goings-on and not suspect the worst.

So, my dear Mrs. B. if you have a good husband and a good home and want to keep them, I should earnestly advise you to cut out your little flirtations, however harmless they seem to you. Naturally it gratifies you vainly to know that you haven't lost your hair, and that you are a successful fisher of men. Also, it naturally pleases you to take a second helping of the angel's food of romance, but before you indulge yourself in it, consider the price.

Don't delude yourself into the belief that if your husband divorced you, you could easily marry one of the men who whisper sweet nothings into your ears, and tell you how they curse their wives that they met you too late. That's all baln. The reason men flirt with pretty married women is because it is so safe. They don't have to marry them as they would girls with able-bodied brothers.

And consider also what a rotten deal a flirtatious wife gives her husband. Can you think, really, of anything that is meaner and more contemptible than for a woman to take all that her husband gives her in pretty clothes and luxuries and use them to make herself attractive to some other man?

You never knew a happy home that had a flirtatious wife in it, or a good mother who was running around with romantic sheiks, so you had better stick to your John and the home-made brand of love-making. It may be rather bread and butter, but it is a lot more wholesome and nutritious than the stuff the he-flirts feed you upon. DOROTHY DIX

DEAR MISS DIX—I am a woman of 45, am thinking of having my hair bobbed. Do you think it makes a woman look younger to have her hair bobbed? FAT AND FORTY.

**ANSWER:**  
Bobbing the hair is purely a matter of taste, and, as the old proverb tells us, there is no arguing about that, but there is no disputing the fact that it makes a middle-aged woman look ten or fifteen years older.

The reason for this is so obvious that it is a marvel that every woman does not see it for herself. To begin with, it brings into undue prominence and focuses your gaze upon a woman's neck, and a woman's neck is where age sets its seal first. It is the rolls of fat that form on the back of her neck, or the scrawny tendons that leap into prominence in her throat, that a woman's age is recorded.

These curls are more or less camouflaged by her arrangement of long hair, but her shaved neck proclaims them from afar.

Also, when a middle-aged woman bobs her hair, she commits a fatal folly because she institutes a comparison between herself and the flapper.

The boyish bob is the exclusive prerogative of sweet and 20. It calls for a slim, thin, flat little figure; a peach-and-cream complexion; shining young eyes. And when fat old grandma brings her grizzled gray locks into competition with her, it makes you realize what an awful thing time does to women. You wouldn't have noticed it if grandma had had enough sense to keep her hair on.

Bobbed hair may be all that its advocates claim for it. It may be sanitary and save trouble, but it is aging. There is no denying that. DOROTHY DIX

DEAR MISS DIX—I am 19, and engaged to a young man who is going away to start in a new business. We will be separated for three years. He does not want me to go out with any one while he is gone. Should I promise or not? JANE.

**ANSWER:**  
I think you would be very foolish to cut yourself off from all young companionship while the young man is away.

These next three years and crucial years in your life. They are years in which you will be growing and developing, in which you will be changing your viewpoint almost from day to day, and in which, in justice to yourself, you will need as many human contacts as possible.

They are also years that should be the playtime of life. Care-free years in which you should sing and make merry and enjoy yourself; and it would be a crime for you to live them in solitude, shut away from your youthful friends, just because your fiance has had to leave the community in which you live.

You may be very sure that he isn't going to spend three years in hermit-like isolation, with no feminine friends and companionship, and it would be a very bad thing for him if he did.

If you and the young man really love each other, the mere fact that you go around with other people will not affect your loyalty to each other.

If, after knowing Tom, Dick and Harry, you still prefer your John, and if after having known Sue and Helen and Mary he still finds you the only girl in the world it will make you the more sure that you are really meant for each other.

And, if, on the other hand, your affection doesn't survive the test of going with other people, surely it is better to find that out before marriage than after marriage, for the world is full of men and women with whom you are bound to be brought into relationship, sooner or later.

And, anyway, a girl is an idiot who ever gives up all of her own friends for any one man until he takes her to the marriage altar. DOROTHY DIX

### Originality Not Lacking In Season's Gowns and Hats



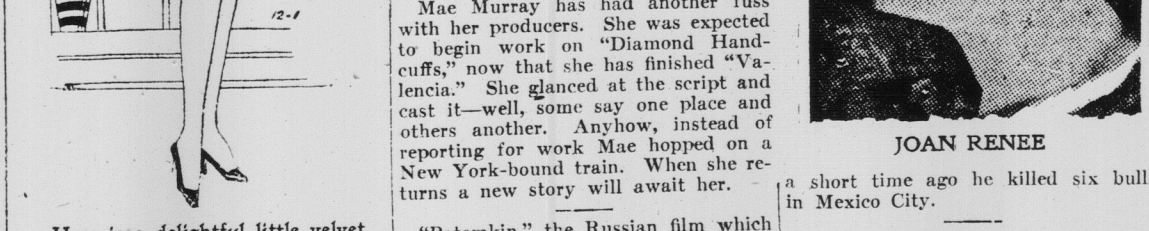
My MME. LISBETH  
FROCKS and hats of the present season do not lack originality although one would think even the cleverest of designers would run out of ideas in the course of time. The frock sketched on the left may not be particularly unusual, although it is a very lovely little model. But the line of trimming of the one of the right is decidedly unique. The first mentioned is shell pink georgette over pink satin and it is covered with pearl spangles and silver beads. Full skirt and slightly bloused bodice with a normal waistline are the noticeable features. Thelma Parrope.

Black and white is again stressed for evening wear in the sketch at the right. A plain bodice with fullness gathered straight down the front, sleeveless and with a deep, V-shaped décolleté, is absolutely untrimmed. The full skirt is decorated with a large scroll pattern of graduated black velvet hanging with strass embroidery.

At the center above is a square high crowned black velvet hat, perfectly plain front and the top of the crown covered with flowers. It is a creation from Marguerite and Leonie, Paris. Right above is a narrow black velvet bonnet from Maria Guy embroidered with silver and covered with black net. Below, green velvet trimmed with silk fringe across the crown.

### Fashion Fancies

BROWN VELVET AND BROWN CHIFFON IN BOLERO JACKET FROCK.



Here is a delightful little velvet and chiffon frock for tea, dancing and general afternoon wear. Soft brown velvet makes the short bolero jacket and wide girdle. The rest of the frock is of lighter brown chiffon, with two-tiered finely pleated skirt. The girdle is attached to the frock underneath the girle at the back, and fastens in front with an amber buckle.

Two peace-colored roses are worn at the shoulder, and the small hat is brown velvet.

### Flapper Fanny Says

Corinne Griffith's leading man in "Purple and Fine Linen" until a few months ago was a bull fighter. He is Paul Ellis, born in the Argentine and educated in Spain. After fighting in the bull rings of Seville, Cordova and Barcelona he came to the United States a year ago and worked in several pictures. Then he took his matador's cape and heribounded darts into the bull rings of Peru and Uruguay. Just before returning to this country.

### The Rhyming Optimist

By ALINE MICHAELIS.  
Come now, confess which most you stress, the joy or grief of living? Do you each day bewail your way, or do you find all life unkind, upon its trials go dwelling, or do you go through bliss through woe, Earth's brighter phrases telling? It's you alone can make your own the goal of all your dreaming. Ah! Would you grasp the joy of living? It's beauty and its rapture? Choose good or ill, take what you will, it all is yours to capture? Though's often told, few would give clean the gold this priceless truth would give them: though many know these things are so, too few have wit to live them.

### A Thought

A still, small voice.—Kings 19:12  
GOOD conscience is sometimes sold for money, but never bought with it.—Aughhey.  
SLANG is fruitful; for instance, a peach had a date with a prune, and when she handed him a lemon he went plum crazy.

### See-Sawing On Broadway

SEE-SAWING up and down Broadway, I did see within the past week more 10-gallon hats than I ever beheld in the combined states of Montana, Wyoming and Arizona. The rodeo has come to town and, out where the West Forties begin, the flavor of sagebrush is colorfully added to the risk of their necks, rather their horses in the basement of Madison Square Garden and then hurry away to the corner where their sedans and coupes are parked and ride away through the great closed spaces of Broadway.

Speaking of cowboys, I am reminded of a street in Greenwich Village where a number of typically made-to-order Bohemian resorts fight for the tourist trade. In front of one stands a pirate in front of the other a cowboy. For some time the rivalry between the two doormen had been so keen that sparks flew at each exchange of glances. Finally the pirate wandered over and, snapping his fingers under the cowboy's nose, challenged him to a riding match in Central Park.

The cowboy had never been aboard a horse and had to start by the challenge. On the following day, by way of revenge, he approached the pirate and challenged him to a boat race on the Hudson. Alas, the pirate knew nothing of boats or water. So at present, honors are even.

Saw Mack Sennett, he of the bathing girls and great shaggy head, stepping about the night place of our village and a few mornings later encountered him chatting with Gloria Swanson, one of the many graduates of Sennett's School of "hard knocks."

Saw Prince Friedel von Hohenlohe, nephew of Queen Marie and a member of her party until New York was reached. And they tell me he prefers to talk to that of these in the social register and is often to be seen at a musical or literary affair.

Saw Jean Arlet, one-time wife of the late Rudolph Valentino, who now is in the drawing rooms of the vaudeville stage. Saw John Drew, the veteran actor, in a riding match in Central Park.

And, alas, our weekly report on Harry Thaw. Understand that he got into an argument in a night club with a certain very pretty movie actress. That she swung a fair fist in the general direction of Harry's jaw and that he left with more speed than dignity. And has, I am told, not been seen again in this particular place. GILBERT SWAN

### MENUS For the Family

**MENU HINT**  
Beef stew is a dish that demands long cooking, but it can be done while you are doing the necessary morning work, taken off the fire if you are going to town to shop and put on again to finish when you return. A salad of raw spinach, cabbage, apple, etc., with a grating of raw carrot to give it color, would make a good accompaniment to this dish.

Boiled Rice or Riced Potatoes  
Graham Pudding  
Lemon Sauce  
Coffee

**TODAY'S RECIPES**  
Beef Stew—Have the beef cut in pieces suitable for serving. Brown in hot fat, take out and put in as many onions as you care to use and add cold water and cook very gently for two or three hours until the meat is tender. About an hour before serving cut carrots into pieces and add to the stew. When serving the meat and rice or potatoes may be served side by side in a large dish or in separate dishes. Put pieces of butter on the rice. Serve the thickened brown gravy separately. Other vegetables may be added to the stew if you wish.

Graham Pudding—One-fourth cup butter, one-half cup molasses, one-half cup milk, one egg, one and one-half cups graham flour, one-half teaspoon soda, one teaspoon salt, one cup raisins, dates or figs cut in pieces. Melt butter, mix molasses and milk together and brown sugar, add rolled oats, flour and soda, mix well, then add hot water, mix well. Divide dough in equal parts, roll thin, sprinkling about

one-eighth cup flour on pastry board. Cut out cookies in pairs and put together with the date filling. Put in greased pans and bake in hot oven, 16 to 20 degrees—for about fifteen minutes. equal parts, roll thin, sprinkling about

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### HEALTH SERVICE

#### Danger of Poisoning Is Part of Painter's Job

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEN.  
IN PAINTING, risk of poisoning occurs during the preparation of paints, during their application to new surfaces, and in repairing damaged surfaces.

The poison, usually lead, enters by the skin or by the mouth, either during the work or during meal times if the hands have not been scrupulously cleaned.

Paint splashed on the clothing becomes dry and liberates a poisonous lead. In the removal of old paint, it becomes liquefied and is more likely to become rubbed into the tissues than fresh paint.

**POISON SPIRITS.**  
Most of the poisons are compounds of lead, although arsenic, mercury and copper are sometimes involved. In addition, turpentine, benzine, methyl alcohol, white spirits, benzol and xylol may be used in the preparation of paint.

Numerous cases are on record of inflammation of the kidneys from inhaling too much turpentine or the other volatile spirits mentioned. When oil is mixed with the turpentine the evaporation is largely prevented.

**PAINTING OF AUTOS.**  
Zinc white paint can be substituted for white lead paint in many instances. The most frequent instances of poisoning from lead seem to occur in the painting of automobiles and carriages, in which there are numerous coats beginning with a priming coat of white lead.

The constant rubbing down, tends to cause the lead to work into the tissues. Workers with paint, and, indeed, all workers with lead, should be subjected to periodic physical examination since the poisoning is insidious and tends to produce serious symptoms before it is detected.

Butter, add molasses, milk, egg well beaten, dry ingredients, mixed and sifted. Turn into buttered mold, cover and steam two and one-half hours. Serve with lemon sauce.

**CHRISTMAS COOKIES**  
Date crackers are especially nice because they are not too rich for the children. One pound dates (stoned), two and one-half cups rolled oats, two and one-half cups flour, one cup brown sugar, one cup butter, one teaspoon soda, one cup granulated sugar, one cup warm water, three-fourths cup cold water, three-fourths cup cold cream (or an equal quantity of lard or grease), with the cold water and granulated sugar for about twenty minutes, then cool. Cream butter and brown sugar, add rolled oats, flour and soda, mix well, then add hot water, mix well. Divide dough in equal parts, roll thin, sprinkling about

### Individual Confections

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MARITIMES ARE MORE CHEERFUL O'CONNOR FINDS

Vice-Pres. Canadian Fisheries Assn. Tells of Trip

DUNCAN REPORT

Says Feeling is That Complaints of Seaboard Provinces Justified.

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—"I found the people of the Maritimes in a more cheerful frame of mind than they have been for some time, but with a certain undertone of grumpiness in their mood," said J. T. O'Connor, vice-president of the Canadian Fisheries Association...

NO SECESSION TALK

"I did not hear much talk of secession. The important business men are very careful to avoid that question, but it was difficult to sense what they thought and felt. Few of any of the leading business, like the thought of secession, like the regard it as an unfortunate step. But I could not help feeling that while they hoped for the continuation of their connection with Canada, they had made up their minds that if favorable action of the Dominion Government is not forthcoming they would not spend any more time pleading for what they consider their rights. They feel they have got the Dominion Government in a position where if it does not act, the onus of a secession movement will not rest with the Maritimes."

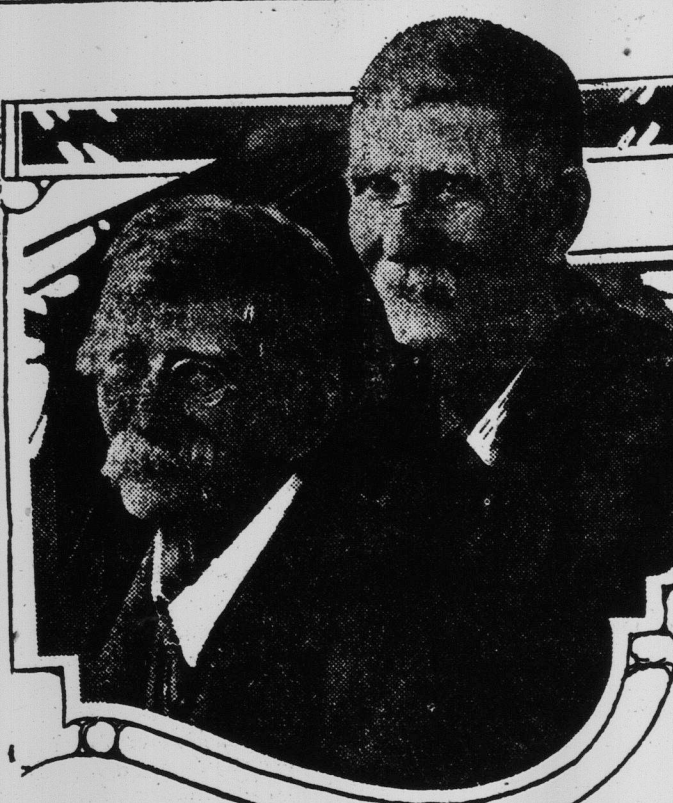
PRaises MARITIMES

"Canada has no fairer provinces than the three Maritimes, and I am one of those who believe that their secession would be a disaster for the other provinces; at any rate, it would be more disadvantageous to the Central and Western Provinces than to the Maritimes themselves. That fact should be the decisive factor in the Dominion Government's action on the Duncan report. It is the kind of fact that if it had its proper place in the Canadian consciousness would make us chary of talking down to the maritimes as if they were asking for charity, instead of what they regard as rights."

THE FISH INDUSTRY

"So far as the industry of which I have special knowledge is concerned, the Maritime end of it is being carried on with enterprise and skill. We cannot find a market in Canada for more than one-fifth of the fish the Maritimes are producing. All the producers are not up-to-date in their methods, but that applies to every business. The generality of Maritime fish producers are keen to meet every requirement; they invite suggestions and welcome criticisms. And they are keen to do everything possible to supply the other provinces with fish in the best condition, and every suggestion is carried out, and new experiments tried, regardless of cost. No Maritime fish producer has for years been making money, or what you may call piling up money; they are putting their profits back into their business, and developing new lines of activity in their industry."

85-YEAR-OLD TWINS CELEBRATE



Celebrating their eighty-fifth birthday together, William and Thomas Barker (above), twins, of Ponca, Neb., declare they're hale and hearty because (or in spite) of the fact they've chewed tobacco all their lives. They were born in Morgan County, Ohio, in 1842.

CANADIANS AGAIN SLIGHTLY LOWER

Last Three Days of Week Productive of Market Softness

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—Normal trend on the Wall Street market at the close of the week reflected a generally confident mood, and individual stocks in the main acted accordingly. It might be said that Wall Street finished the week at an advance of quite substantial character. Meanwhile the Canadian markets became rather soft and the result was that the trend throughout the week was in a slightly downward direction. Financial Counsel's Daily average declined from 208.21 to 187.06, while at one time during the week it stood as high as 188.08. Thus it might be seen that the last three days of the week were the ones that were productive of the softness.

REALIZES \$2,550

Cathedral High Tea Figures—Three Fast Days

The high tea held recently in the Y. M. C. Y. building for the St. Vincent school fund realized \$2,550.55, it was announced in the Cathedral at Sunday's masses. It was also stated that Wednesday, Friday and Saturday of this week will be fast days in the Catholic Church, the Ember Days of Advent.

English Authors Left Farewell Note

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Mrs. Agatha Christie, missing since December 8, wrote to her husband before she left home, the Guildford correspondent of the Westminster Gazette asserts. The letter, which is now in the possession of the police, amounts to a tragic farewell message, indicating that the end had been reached and she was resolved to sacrifice everything and commit some drastic act. It is also understood that Mrs. Christie left a sealed letter, to be opened only in the event of her body being found.

SHEDIAC CAPE GETS ELECTRIC SERVICE

SHEDIAC, Dec. 12.—The staff of linemen of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission have completed stringing the hydro wire along the Chatham post road from Murphy's Corner to Glendinning's Point, two miles, and the current was turned on Friday night. On that evening the Anglican church at Shediac Cape and several residences were lighted by electricity for the first time.

ANOTHER DISAPPEARANCE

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Another mysterious disappearance in England is announced. Miss Una Crowe, 20-year-old daughter of the late Sir Eyre Crowe, permanent under-secretary of the foreign office, until his death last year, left home Saturday morning to visit a friend. Since then nothing has been heard from her. Miss Crowe is said to have suffered from a nervous disorder since her father died. No word has been heard about Mrs. Agnes Christie.

BIBLE STUDENT IS LECTURER IN CITY

A. N. Marchant Speaks on "The New World Now Beginning"

At the International Bible Students' hall, 88 Charlotte street, Sunday afternoon, A. N. Marchant, associate lecturer of the International Bible Students' Association, lectured on the subject, "The New World Now Beginning." The speaker read the third chapter of second Peter as proof that there were to be on earth three worlds, or distinct dispensations of divine Providence. The first, lasting from the fall of Adam to the flood in Noah's day; the second lasting from the flood to the second coming of Christ and the establishment of His kingdom, and the third, world without end, for ages to come, wherein dwelleth righteousness. Noah was instructed to build an ark for the saving of his house. In this ark he sailed out of the old world into the new. God made a covenant with Noah that He would never again destroy every living thing as He had done. Jesus said, "as it was in the days of Noah so it will be in the day of the Son of Man."

Now the "present evil world" is passing away, said the speaker, and the order of things by means of aeroplanes, express trains, automobiles, etc. as the ark was the only means of safety and deliverance from the destruction of the old world, so now Christ is the only one who can give happiness and eternal life in His new kingdom which He is about to establish.

NEW YEAR RALLY PLANS PERFECTED

Rev. John Unsworth to be the Speaker at Baptist Sunday School Gathering

"The Mystery of the Three Glasses," is to be the theme of a special address to be given by Rev. John Unsworth at a rally of the Baptist Sunday schools to be held in the Central Baptist church on New Year's morning. Final arrangements for the rally were made at a meeting of the Baptist Sunday School superintendents' Association held on Saturday evening in the Main street church rooms with R. H. Parsons, president, in the chair. W. J. McAlary, chairman of the program committee for the rally, announced that it had been decided to have the same arrangements with regard to the awarding of the banner at the rally as had been followed for the last few years. The average of attendance at the last three months will be taken as the basis of Sunday School enrollment and the award will be awarded on the report of the average attendance of the last three months. A. J. Jenner, superintendent of Central Sunday school, was appointed to arrange for the announcing of the rally arrangements and program.

SEEKS ANNULMENT

Lita Grey Chaplin May Go to Holy Rota Tribunal

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 13.—Lita Grey Chaplin, estranged wife of Charlie Chaplin, film comedian, last night indicated that she may follow the lead of the former Consul Vanderbilt and Guglielmo Marconi, by applying for a religious annulment of her marriage to the film comedian. "I have known of my rights in such matters as an appeal to the court of the Rota at Rome. I have been informed that because Mr. Chaplin was a divorced man when I married him, I am in a position to further these rights," Mrs. Chaplin said.

STEAL JEWELLERY

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—Six men armed with shotguns, held up and robbed Israel Zieger, wholesale jeweller, of \$81,000 in jewellery early today. Zieger with two companions, was on his way to Harrisburg, Pa. The robbers escaped in an automobile.

READY IN AUTUMN

Plans for the new F. G. Spencer theatre, in Charlottetown, P. E. I., are nearing completion. This unit of the Spencer chain of amusement houses is expected to be ready next fall.



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Heaters

- Grate Type Air Heater ..... \$10
S.S. Bowl, reflector type ..... \$6.50
Canadian Beauty Sun Bowl ..... \$5.50, \$7.50
Heating Pads with 3 different heats, Star-Rite quality ..... \$9
Universal Electric Bandage for Rheumatism, etc., applying to any part of body—18 inches x 18 inches—with cord having control device to save rising from bed ..... \$6

Personal

- Curling Tongs ..... \$2 to \$4
Marcel Wave Irons ..... \$2.50 to \$5.75
Star-Rite Skin Vibrator ..... \$7.50
Star-Rite Hair Dryer ..... \$12

Household

- Radiant Electric Iron, \$3.50 with cord and plug Westinghouse Iron, with cord and plug, ..... \$4.50
Domanco Everlasting Iron ..... \$6.75
Universal Vacuum Cleaner with all attachments—finest total price buy possible ..... \$65
Electric Soldering Iron for Radio building ..... \$2

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Manufacturer Is Through HALF PRICE SALE OVERCOATS For the Entire Family THE PLANT IS SOLD, NEW OWNER TAKING OVER ALREADY The Maritime Clothing Mfg. Co. has only a few days to clear its many hundreds of Overcoats for Men, Women and Children at HALF PRICE Women's Coats from \$2—Kiddies' Coats from \$3.50—Men's from \$9.95. The crowds rushed us so fast Friday and Saturday we couldn't get our Remnants laid out. Come now for Coatings and Suitings from 25c. yard; Mouffin Fur Pieces for 25c. each; Beaverine Collars, \$1—with Cuffs, \$1.25. Drop everything and run—this Sale has them all stopped. MARITIME CLOTHING MFG. CO. Open Evenings Look up for Big Sign Union Street, next building to Waterbury & Rising



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SAYS FINDING SATISFACTORY IF ACTED UPON

Premier in Moncton to Discuss Matter With N. S. and P. E. I. Leaders

TRADE BOARD WILL ISSUE STATEMENT

Meeting Tomorrow Night Will Discuss Result of Investigation Here

ON THE whole, the report is very satisfactory, if the recommendations made are carried out," said Hon. Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, Premier of New Brunswick, referring to the report of the Duncan Commission on the Maritime case, in an interview over the long distance telephone this morning with a member of The Times-Star news staff.

Premier Baxter went this morning to Moncton to meet Premier Rhodes of Nova Scotia and Premier Stewart of Prince Edward Island.

The meeting is one of a series of get-together sessions being held by the Maritime Premiers, and it is expected that the Duncan report will form the chief subject of deliberation today. A joint statement is anticipated as one of the outcomes of the session.

Continuing his comment on the report, Premier Baxter said: "The report vindicates the position taken by a number of us, who claimed conditions were not satisfactory in the Maritimes. We were accused of raising a partisan issue. The findings show very distinctly that our contentions were well founded and were not being used as political propaganda."

MUCH INTEREST IN CITY.

The report of the Duncan Commission, as was published in full in The Telegraph-Journal and The Times-Star on Saturday, has attracted much interest in this city. Even on Sunday afternoon a few men were noticed traveling on the streets, still hungrily absorbing the good things which the report contained. Comment generally about the commission is of a satisfactory nature, although in no case is it taken that the specific recommendations made are being carried out by its members to be the final remedies to be applied in the case of Maritime ports.

TRADE BOARD MEETING.

Members of the Board of Trade, asked today for an expression of opinion on the findings of the commission, declined to say anything just now in view of the fact that a full meeting of the board has been called for Tuesday evening, when the report will be considered and a joint statement handed out for publication.

ISLAND FERRY O. K.

The Prince Edward Island ferry, running from Borden to Cape Tormentine, continues to make two trips a day, much to the satisfaction of the traveling public, especially a large group of commercial men now busy on spring orders. So far there has not been much loss in the Strait, and while this condition continues every opportunity to "clean up the Island" is being taken by those having business over there.

DEATHS.

BRAWLEY—In this city, on Dec. 12, 1926, William H. Brawley, leaving his wife, three sons and one daughter to mourn. Funeral from his late residence, 80 Acadia street, Wednesday morning at 8:30 to St. Peter's for requiem high mass, 9 o'clock. Burial in the cemetery.

MCCONNELL—Suddenly, at the home of her father, 83 Spring street, Tuesday morning at 8:30 to the cathedral for high mass of requiem at 9 o'clock. Burial on Tuesday at 2:30 from her parents' residence.

IN MEMORIAM.

FERGUS—In loving memory of Ernest Glenon Fergus, died Dec. 14, 1924. And now that youthful flower is gone, So lovely and so fair, We trust to bloom in that fair land Where odors are pain of care.

Local News

IS IN OTTAWA. J. C. Chesley, marine agent in this city, left for Ottawa on Saturday on departmental business.

RELIEF AT LURCHER. C. G. S. Laurentian will take the relief crew for the Lurcher lightship down tomorrow and also fix the buoy around Yarmouth.

POLICE CALLED. Policeman Gaudet was called at 10:20 o'clock Saturday night to disperse a crowd of noisy boys, who were creating a disturbance at the corner of Brooks and Sheriff streets.

TENDERS ACCEPTED. Tenders for the stock of F. W. Armstrong, Charlotte street, closed Saturday at noon. This morning it was announced that the tender of L. M. Johnston had been accepted and Mr. Johnston was now in possession.

LITTLE ONE DEAD. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harrington will sympathize with them in the death of their infant son, Arthur, ten days old. The funeral was held at 2:30 this afternoon from his parents' home 244 1/2 Union street.

GOES TO ST. STEPHEN. Judge A. E. Arsenault left for St. Stephen this morning after giving the first of a series of lectures on Canadian History at St. Peter's auditorium last evening. He will address the Women's Canadian Club at St. Stephen tonight.

COMES TO DOCK HERE. S. S. Emperor of Montreal, which recently went ashore on Anticosti Island, sustaining extensive damage to her hull, is expected here the middle of the week from Halifax. She will go into dry dock at Courtenay Bay.

GIVES ADDRESS. Rev. Roy M. McDonald, S. T. D., gave a very interesting lecture on his visit to the Holy Land, to the Holy Name Society of Holy Trinity parish last evening. He was addressing the Women's Canadian Club at St. Stephen tonight.

LONGSHOREMAN HURT. Stanley Bannister, a longshoreman working in No. 7 shed had his right leg injured this morning. He was taken to the emergency hospital where a physician took several stitches in the leg. He was then conveyed to his home in Ludlow street, West Saint John.

TRAFFIC CASE. Morrison D. Earle paid a fine of \$10 in the Police Court on Saturday afternoon for driving the wrong side of Main street while turning into Douglas avenue. The report was made by Police Sergeant Rankin and Policeman Howard.

WELCOMED IN CAPITAL. Major and Mrs. F. H. Knight, New Brunswick command of the Salvation Army, returned from Fredericton today. Last night they were given a rousing welcome by the Salvationists of the capital where they renewed numerous acquaintances of their former sojourn in this territory.

MANY AT NOVENA. The novena in Stella Maris Church in honor of Saint Theresa, "the little flower" was brought to a close last evening by the rector, Rev. Francis Walker. A large number of people from the various parishes of the city have been following the exercises and last night the church was filled to its capacity.

SERVICE AT GUILD. The monthly gospel service, held by Mrs. Elmer J. Alexander, was held at the Guild, Chipman Hill, yesterday afternoon, and was attended by a large number of members of the King's Daughters. Mrs. R. A. Jamieson was the speaker at the service, and gave a helpful address on "Prayer." During the afternoon Mrs. A. E. Logie sang a solo which was much appreciated.

OFFICIALS RETURN. C. B. Lockhart, Collector of Customs here, and A. L. Hoyt, inspector of customs, returned on Saturday from Ottawa, where they had been attending a conference of customs officials. Mr. Hoyt will leave for Halifax today to be in charge there, in the absence of the Halifax inspector of customs, W. C. Acker, collector in Halifax, who was also attending the conference at Ottawa, has returned home. Mr. Lockhart said there was nothing for publication.

TRAINS LATE. The Boston train was 35 minutes late today. However, the big mid-day train from Boston and Montreal, have a remarkably good record so far, the only bad break being the Boston's nine hour delay last Monday, when the big hazard was traveling its coastwise route.

LISTS COMPLETED. Sheriff Has 26,500 Names of Voters. Sheriff Amos A. Wilson announced today that he had just completed the civic voters list for 1927. He said it was smaller than last year's list, having 26,500 names whereas last year's contained over 27,000. The sheriff said there were still quite a number of women who had failed to register to vote in the city or county elections but they did vote in the Dominion elections.

2 PYTHIAN EVENTS. Official Visit Tonight—Debate Next Wednesday. An official visit will be paid to Saint John Lodge, No. 39, Knights of Pythias, this evening by the District Deputy Grand Chancellor F. L. Grosvenor. The election of officers will take place and the rank of esquire is to be conferred.

UTILITIES Regular Date Gives Way to Special. There will not be any meeting of the New Brunswick Board of Public Utilities here on December 22, the regular date, it was said this morning by the chairman, J. M. Freeman. The meeting at Fredericton on Wednesday of this week will take the place of the regular meeting. At this meeting the board will meet the bus operators of the province and an application will be filed for a stay of the order granting reduced rates for electric current in Moncton.

NO ARRESTS. The police sheet was marked "Nil" this morning, indicating that everything was peaceful in the city over the week-end.

Red Cross Nursery At Sand Point Cares For 150 Babes When 2 Steamships Arrive

Excellent Work Is Done to Aid Traveling Mothers on Reaching Saint John—Watchful Eye Kept Until Destination Reached

THE Red Cross nursery staff at Sand Point had plenty to do on Saturday when the Canadian Pacific steamships Minnedosa and Montcalm arrived at this port. Owing to the pressure of work it has been found necessary to enlarge the nursery, and on Saturday the additional accommodation was used for the first time. Approximately 125 children from the Minnedosa were cared for in the morning and about 30 during the afternoon, when the Montcalm reached port.

The nursery does a necessary work in caring for the little ones while their mothers get opportunity to look after their tickets, check their luggage and take a little rest. The children are given a physical examination here and the names and destination of any found needing special care are carefully noted.

SUPERVISION CONTINUES. The Red Cross here forwards cards to national headquarters on these cases and the national office sends these cards to the provincial offices so that the children are cared for on arrival at their destination.

ANNIVERSARY OF WEDDING OBSERVED. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McFadden, 25 Years Married, Are Honored. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McFadden were guests of honor at a delightful surprise party, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter McMaclean, Alexander street, on Saturday evening on their 25th wedding anniversary. Bridge was played at seven tables and the prize winners were Miss Jean Harding and Mrs. F. A. McFadden. The honored guests were made the recipients of a handsome silver basket containing 25 yellow and white chrysantheums as well as other lovely gifts of silver. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert MacFadden, Mr. and Mrs. James MacMurray Reid, Mr. and Mrs. James MacMurray, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley F. Jamieson, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hay, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Seely, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Young, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Currier, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barnes, Mrs. F. L. Hea, Mrs. Laura Sweet, Mrs. Jean Harding, Misses Georgia and Hazel Carpenter, Misses Harriet, Susan and Helen MacMurray and Mr. Ralph Jones.

NEWS SOUGHT ABOUT MEDLEY MCCONNELL. Wm. M. Murphy of Dorchester, Mass., Writes Police Chief Here. In a letter received this morning by Chief of Police John J. Smith, Wm. M. Murphy, 41 Auckland street, Dorchester, Mass., writes to the chief of police, asking for information about Medley or Midley McConnell, born in Saint John or vicinity in 1870. He has been in the United States for 30 years. The letter also stated that there was a brother, John A. McConnell, believed to be in this part of the country. The chief would like anyone who has any information with reference to this to communicate with him at once.

PLANS MADE FOR CONCERT AND OPERA. Cecilian Choir to Present First in January; Light Opera Later. Rev. James Cloran, C. S. S. R., rector of the Cecilian Choir of the church were making plans for a concert to be given in the auditorium of St. Peter's school at the end of January. It is also planned to present the first opera, Captain Crossbones before the beginning of the Lenten season.

DANGEROUS PLAY. Children Prevented Coasting Down Middle Street. Policeman Coughlan dispersed a number of children last evening as they were coasting down Middle street. This is a narrow street running between Waterloo and Prince Edward streets and a serious accident was likely to occur. He suggested that the Public Works Department be notified that this street had not been sanded as was the custom in other years.

Meeting of Ministerial Association Is Held. The weekly meeting of the Ministerial Association of the United Church was held this morning in Centenary church Sunday school, with Rev. Hugh Miller of Saint Falls, in the chair. Edwina Baggett was the soloist. Those attending only was discussed. Those attending were Rev. George Orman, Rev. A. B. McLeod, Rev. W. J. Berry, Rev. H. C. Rice, Rev. E. E. Styles, Rev. Wm. McN. Mathews and Rev. S. T. Bertram.

APPLES TO OLD LAND. 210 Boxes Taken Across as Christmas Gifts. Apples seem to be a popular Christmas gift from Canadian friends in the Old Country. Figures received at the Customs House show that the S. S. Melita took 200 pieces of express, mostly Christmas gifts for the Old Country. Of the number, 210 were boxes of apples.

PERSONALS. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson, 203 King street east, will be glad to learn that their son Billy, who has been ill with pneumonia, is now doing nicely.

Friends of Lillian Finley, student nurse at the General Public Hospital, are taking the three months course in tuberculosis nursing at the Saint John County Hospital.

Friends of Mr. Harold Gale, 91 City Line, West, who was taken seriously ill at the head of King street on Saturday evening, will be glad to hear that she is now quite recovered and resting comfortably at her home.

Mrs. Bert Potter, Wright street, left today for Moncton to attend a meeting of the Eastern Star organization.

Mrs. Nugent, wife of Dr. J. R. Nugent, who has been visiting for a fortnight in Cambridge, Mass., returned home today.

FIRST OF CAIRN LINE OF SEASON IN PORT TODAY

Honored By Choir

Cairngowan in From Hamburg—Delayed by Storms in Atlantic

Taking 17 days to make the voyage across, due to stormy weather all the way, the S. S. Cairngowan, the first Cairn Line steamer of the season, arrived at Partridge Island at 5:30 o'clock this morning from Hamburg. Although the weather was stormy all the way across, an exceptionally heavy blow was encountered off the Lurcher Light last night, but the ship had no trouble in weathering it.

The ship came in ballast and docked at McLeod's Wharf at noon. She will load a part cargo of general freight there, and then shift to Sand Point, where she will complete loading and sail for Hamburg, Thursday of this week.

Captain A. S. O'Connor is in command of the ship. Other officers are: W. White, chief officer; P. Hay, second officer; F. Laurance, third officer; A. Stuart, chief engineer; T. Crompton, second engineer; T. Dawson, third engineer; T. Whitby, fourth engineer; T. Robb, wireless telegraph operator.

On his 77th birthday, a surprise and a birthday address were presented to J. N. Rogers by R. R. Carloss, on behalf of his fellow-members of St. Mary's choir. Mr. Rogers has been a chorister since his boyhood days, and for the last 35 years has been connected with St. Mary's church. H. J. Barton and T. Ingraham, the church wardens, and Rev. R. Taylor McKim, the rector, each spoke briefly, extending hearty congratulations and good wishes.

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Service Is Held At County Hospital. Rev. John Unsworth, rector of St. George's church, West Saint John, accompanied by the choir, visited the County Hospital at East Saint John yesterday morning, and conducted a short service for the patients. The musical part of the service was effectively rendered by the choir. The service was held in the hospital chapel. Rev. John Unsworth, rector of St. George's church, West Saint John, accompanied by the choir, visited the County Hospital at East Saint John yesterday morning, and conducted a short service for the patients. The musical part of the service was effectively rendered by the choir. The service was held in the hospital chapel.

Fire Marshal Will Conduct Prosecution. George H. Hallett, who was arrested last week on a charge of instigating the setting of a fire which destroyed property at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Tree Creek, will appear before Magistrate G. W. Smith, at Fredericton today. It was denied today that H. H. McEllan, fire marshal. The prosecution at the preliminary hearing will be conducted by the fire marshal.

William H. Brawley Of North End Dies. The death of Wm. H. Brawley occurred today at his residence, 90 Acadia street. He was an employee in the city Public Works department. He leaves to mourn his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Brawley, three sons, and one daughter, all at home; also a brother, John Brawley, of Gardiner, Maine, and five sisters. The funeral will be held Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. from the late residence to St. Peter's church for requiem high mass.

Automobile Afire. Mother nature beat the local fire department to the blaze this afternoon. An alarm from box 182 in Mill street opposite the Union depot was rung in about 2 o'clock. On arriving there the firemen found that an auto had caught fire from a crossed wire. The blaze was put out by a few well placed showers of snow. The car belonged to J. Clark & Son and was driven by R. B. Emerson.

INTO DRY DOCK. The C. G. M. M. steamer Canadian Raider went into the dry dock of the Saint John Drydock and Shipping Co. today, to undergo her annual overhauling.

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Red Cross Nursery At Sand Point Cares For 150 Babes When 2 Steamships Arrive

Excellent Work Is Done to Aid Traveling Mothers on Reaching Saint John—Watchful Eye Kept Until Destination Reached

THE Red Cross nursery staff at Sand Point had plenty to do on Saturday when the Canadian Pacific steamships Minnedosa and Montcalm arrived at this port. Owing to the pressure of work it has been found necessary to enlarge the nursery, and on Saturday the additional accommodation was used for the first time. Approximately 125 children from the Minnedosa were cared for in the morning and about 30 during the afternoon, when the Montcalm reached port.

The nursery does a necessary work in caring for the little ones while their mothers get opportunity to look after their tickets, check their luggage and take a little rest. The children are given a physical examination here and the names and destination of any found needing special care are carefully noted.

SUPERVISION CONTINUES. The Red Cross here forwards cards to national headquarters on these cases and the national office sends these cards to the provincial offices so that the children are cared for on arrival at their destination.

ANNIVERSARY OF WEDDING OBSERVED. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McFadden, 25 Years Married, Are Honored. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McFadden were guests of honor at a delightful surprise party, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter McMaclean, Alexander street, on Saturday evening on their 25th wedding anniversary. Bridge was played at seven tables and the prize winners were Miss Jean Harding and Mrs. F. A. McFadden. The honored guests were made the recipients of a handsome silver basket containing 25 yellow and white chrysantheums as well as other lovely gifts of silver. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert MacFadden, Mr. and Mrs. James MacMurray Reid, Mr. and Mrs. James MacMurray, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley F. Jamieson, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hay, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Seely, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Young, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Currier, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barnes, Mrs. F. L. Hea, Mrs. Laura Sweet, Mrs. Jean Harding, Misses Georgia and Hazel Carpenter, Misses Harriet, Susan and Helen MacMurray and Mr. Ralph Jones.

NEWS SOUGHT ABOUT MEDLEY MCCONNELL. Wm. M. Murphy of Dorchester, Mass., Writes Police Chief Here. In a letter received this morning by Chief of Police John J. Smith, Wm. M. Murphy, 41 Auckland street, Dorchester, Mass., writes to the chief of police, asking for information about Medley or Midley McConnell, born in Saint John or vicinity in 1870. He has been in the United States for 30 years. The letter also stated that there was a brother, John A. McConnell, believed to be in this part of the country. The chief would like anyone who has any information with reference to this to communicate with him at once.

PLANS MADE FOR CONCERT AND OPERA. Cecilian Choir to Present First in January; Light Opera Later. Rev. James Cloran, C. S. S. R., rector of the Cecilian Choir of the church were making plans for a concert to be given in the auditorium of St. Peter's school at the end of January. It is also planned to present the first opera, Captain Crossbones before the beginning of the Lenten season.

DANGEROUS PLAY. Children Prevented Coasting Down Middle Street. Policeman Coughlan dispersed a number of children last evening as they were coasting down Middle street. This is a narrow street running between Waterloo and Prince Edward streets and a serious accident was likely to occur. He suggested that the Public Works Department be notified that this street had not been sanded as was the custom in other years.

Meeting of Ministerial Association Is Held. The weekly meeting of the Ministerial Association of the United Church was held this morning in Centenary church Sunday school, with Rev. Hugh Miller of Saint Falls, in the chair. Edwina Baggett was the soloist. Those attending only was discussed. Those attending were Rev. George Orman, Rev. A. B. McLeod, Rev. W. J. Berry, Rev. H. C. Rice, Rev. E. E. Styles, Rev. Wm. McN. Mathews and Rev. S. T. Bertram.

APPLES TO OLD LAND. 210 Boxes Taken Across as Christmas Gifts. Apples seem to be a popular Christmas gift from Canadian friends in the Old Country. Figures received at the Customs House show that the S. S. Melita took 200 pieces of express, mostly Christmas gifts for the Old Country. Of the number, 210 were boxes of apples.

PERSONALS. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson, 203 King street east, will be glad to learn that their son Billy, who has been ill with pneumonia, is now doing nicely.

Friends of Lillian Finley, student nurse at the General Public Hospital, are taking the three months course in tuberculosis nursing at the Saint John County Hospital.

Friends of Mr. Harold Gale, 91 City Line, West, who was taken seriously ill at the head of King street on Saturday evening, will be glad to hear that she is now quite recovered and resting comfortably at her home.

Mrs. Bert Potter, Wright street, left today for Moncton to attend a meeting of the Eastern Star organization.

Mrs. Nugent, wife of Dr. J. R. Nugent, who has been visiting for a fortnight in Cambridge, Mass., returned home today.

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MISSIONARY IS HEARD IN TWO CHURCHES HERE

Rev. D.E. McDonald Preaches at Knox and St. Matthew's

Rev. D. E. McDonald, Presbyterian missionary on furlough from India, where he has labored for 15 years, was the preacher in Knox church yesterday morning and in St. Matthew's church last night and told of his work in that distant land.

He will afterwards go to St. Stephen, St. George and other parts of New Brunswick. Next Sunday will end his tour in New Brunswick and he will go on to Toronto, where his wife and family are visiting. He will return to India next year.

IN KNOX His sermon in Knox church yesterday was preached from the text: Romans 1:16. "For the gospel is the power of God unto salvation to everyone that believeth."

He spoke of the responsiveness of the natives as a whole and said the educated class in India was embracing Christianity as never before, while among the outcasts or untouchables there were great mass movements and many were coming to the church for instruction.

While in Saint John Mr. McDonald is the guest of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Newton, German street.

AT ST. DAVIDS In St. David's church, the morning's theme of Rev. Hugh Miller, was "Taking Him as He is," an appeal to take Christ as He is revealed to us.

One of the things that impress us with the ministry of Jesus is the tenderness and urgency which characterized all His ministry, he said.

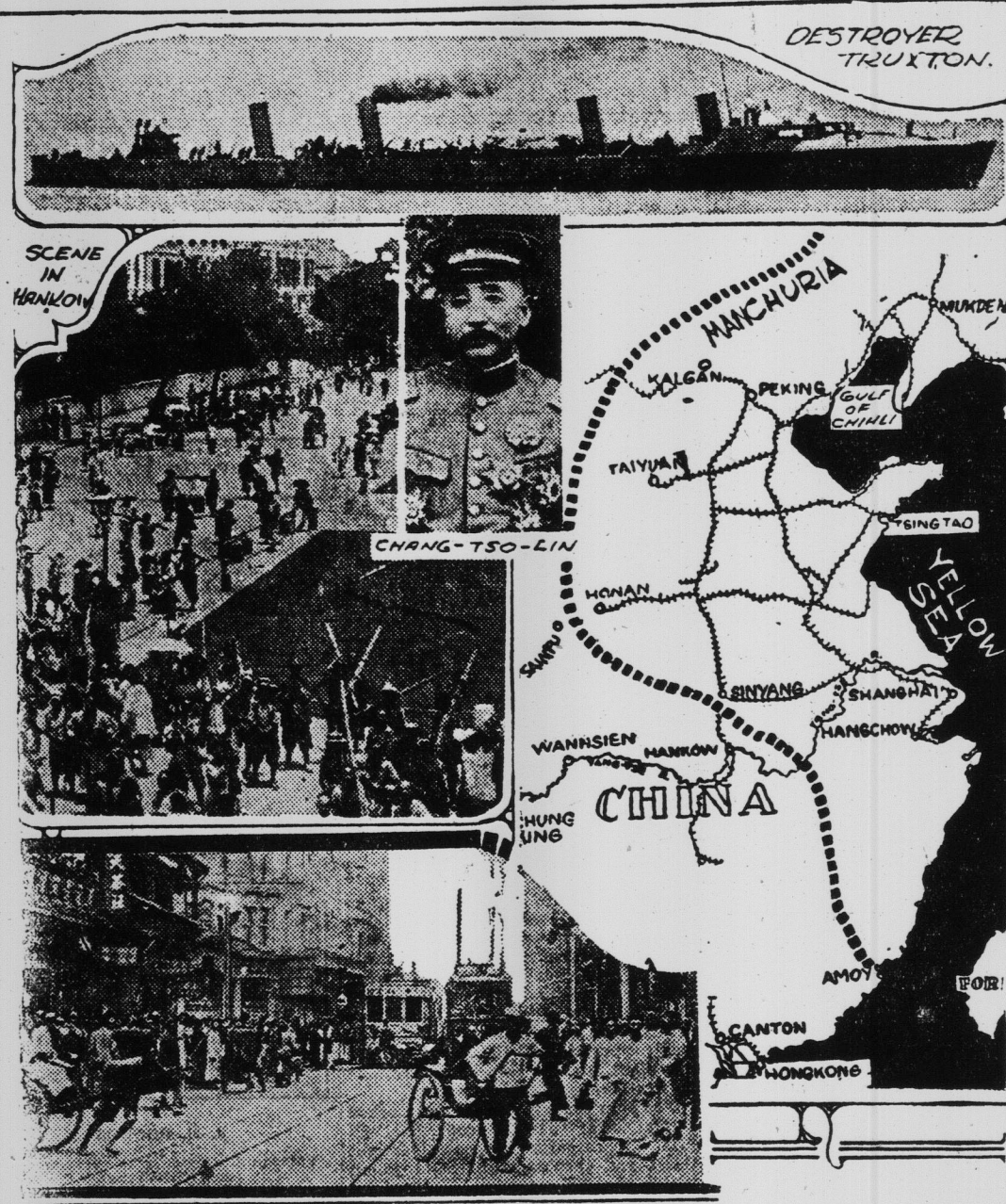
He would also look into the power to ascertain how we worship, he stated, and how we witness for Him in our daily lives.

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Foreign Forces Rushed To China



With marines of foreign powers, including the United States, being rushed to revolution-torn China, the situation is termed "the gravest crisis in China since the Boxer rebellion."

The Bolshevik Cantonese government troops, coming from Canton, under Chiang Kai-shek, with headquarters at Hankow, and Wauchang, opposite, have defeated the forces allied to the Peking government and have moved northward from Amoy and down both banks of the Yangtze river, and on to Foochow, hemming in the Peking government (as shown by the dotted line in the above map).

The American destroyers "Truxton" an "Ope," as well as British vessels, have been sent up the river to protect foreigners. The British have sent thirty airplanes also.

North of the Yangtze river, at Sianfu, is a strategic point, as from here the Cantonese forces have planned to march with the western army of Marshal Feng, the Christian general, on Peking and the coast. Marshal Wu Pei-fu, driven from Hankow, has been waiting at Honan, a short distance away.

LADY MISSIONARIES IN CHINA ISOLATED LONDON, Dec. 12—The Misses A. Krater and J. A. Jack, sent out as missionaries from Philadelphia headquarters of the China Inland Mission, are reported to be isolated in Yung Chang, Yunnan Province, through the capture of the city by Chinese bandits, who massacred many of the inhabitants.

HOUSE O. K.'S ENDING OF IMPEACHMENT WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 12—Abandonment of impeachment charges against Federal Judge Saint John yesterday, that it was necessary to let down the starboard bow anchor. The liner, which called to pick up 310 passengers for Glasgow, Belfast and Liverpool, was several hours late owing to a snow storm along the coast. She sailed this afternoon with a total of nearly 600 passengers.

Liner At Halifax With Funnell Afire HALIFAX, Dec. 12—The Cunard oil burning liner Andania, arrived last night from Southampton and Cherbourg with a fire in one of the funnels that had been burning two days. Clouds of smoke and sparks belched from the funnel, but while all precautions were taken the steamer was never in any danger.

ELKTON, Md., Dec. 12—Three men were killed and two others seriously injured when their automobile was struck by a Baltimore & Ohio Railroad train at Elk Mills, near here, early today. The dead are: Alfred C. Wilson, 50; Joseph E. Kirkley, 47; James E. Rothner, 45, all of Newark, Delaware.

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FREIGHT RATES REVISION URGED

Duncan Report Seen as Great Victory For Maritimes.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12—The recommendations of the Duncan Royal Commission with regard to transportation are being studied closely to ascertain just what they mean in the revision of the rates of the Maritime shippers.

There is no doubt that the town tariff basis of distributing rates in the Maritimes will be considerably lower than even the relationship that existed in 1907 with the rates in effect at Quebec and Montreal. One feature of the recommendations of the commission that is of particular interest to the Maritimes in connection with the recommendations regarding transportation is the suggested amendments to the Railway Act.

It was contended by F. C. Cornell, who appeared on behalf of the Nova Scotia government, that the present act was not applicable to the transportation situation of today.

IMPORTANT PROBLEMS. The two most important problems of the Maritimes, as found by the commission, are the subsidies and freight rates. The report goes on to recommend that the suggested subsidies early in the afternoon was largely attended, W. H. MacDonald, superintendent, was in charge.

Two Couples Wed On Dock At Halifax HALIFAX, Dec. 12—Pier 2 was the scene of a happy re-union of childhood sweethearts yesterday afternoon when Rev. S. Strong, port chaplain, officiated at a double wedding.

10 JAPS KILLED TOKIO, Dec. 12—Ten persons are dead, 7,000 homeless and property damage estimated at 6,000,000 yen sustained in the fire which swept Namazu, Shizuoka prefecture, Friday.

HELENA FEELS QUAKE HELENA, Montana, Dec. 12—A distinct earthquake shock was felt in Helena at 3:44 p. m. tonight.

Coughed So Hard Could Not Sleep Mrs. Daniel Dickey, Lynn, Ont., writes: "Last January I had a very severe cold and coughed so hard I could not sleep nights. I tried every thing, including doctor's medicine, but nothing gave me relief until I tried Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup."

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Reopening Of Penobscot For Oil Barge

BANGOR, Me., Dec. 12—Although the Penobscot River was declared closed to navigation by the ice several days ago, indications are that the channel will be kept open as far as South Brewer, three miles below Bangor, until a large motor barge with fuel oil, for the paper mills there, now on the way, arrives and discharges.

Deaths B. R. Buffett SACKVILLE, Dec. 12—A wide circle of friends will learn with deep regret of the sudden passing of Benjamin R. Buffett, of Bogota, New York, who died from fractures of the skull received in an automobile accident.

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Adam, assisted by Rev. D. L. Giddings and Rev. W. C. V. Martin, Thomas Foulis Thomas Foulis, for many years a widely known marine engineer in the employ of Boston and Yarmouth Line steamers, died at his home at Rockville, five miles from this town, this morning.

Howard Wheaton MONCTON, Dec. 12—The death occurred at his home in Wheaton settlement, Saturday morning, following a short illness of pneumonia, of Howard Wheaton, a highly respected resident of that place.

Miss N. Brydges MONCTON, Dec. 12—Friends here were shocked to learn of the death at New Glasgow on Saturday afternoon of Miss Nellie Brydges, R.N., who practiced her profession in Moncton for over four years.

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Canada's Immigration Problem

SIR CLIFFORD SIFTON'S VIEWS—THE FOREIGNER WITHIN OUR GATES—HIS CRIME AND MORALITY RECORD

ARTICLE 6. By C. W. Peterson

Notes: Owing to abnormal pressure on space we regret that it was necessary to omit the following article from Saturday's Telegraph-Journal, as scheduled.

Addressing an important meeting in Toronto a couple of years ago, Sir Clifford Sifton, who is properly credited with an intelligent understanding of Canada's immigration problem, made this startling statement: "What Canada needs is the fellow in the sheep skin coat with the big broad wife."

The past score years has witnessed a radical social and economic transformation in Anglo-Saxon and other northern countries, which has led to a standard of living unprecedented in history.

THE MORALITY ISSUE

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THE LITERACY TEST

The objection of illiteracy is often urged against the foreign immigrant. Educational statistics, compiled from our latest census returns, apparently tell a very different tale.

CRIME RECORD

The supposition prevails that the foreigner presents an uncomfortable problem owing to his supposed criminal proclivities. Taking the census of 1921 and our penitentiary population for the same year, we find that our British and French population of 7,922,000 furnished 2,157 prisoners, or 3.40 per 1,000.

ILL-INFORMED CRITICISM

There is a distinct tendency in Canada to make a social issue out of the immigration question. Patriotic societies, not in possession of all the facts, magnify the presence of the foreigner in our midst into a social menace.

STANDARD OF LIVING

The lower standard of living of the European peasant class is often cited. But we are not in imminent danger of completely misunderstanding this very elastic phrase.

So apparently the assimilation process is not so great a problem as we are led to regard it, one generation being a very brief period in a country's history. The evidence, both in Canada and the United States, is absolutely clear on this point, that the second generation of foreign immigrants far outstrips the native Canadian and American stock in point of literacy.

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Table with 4 columns: Ages, Parents Canadian Born, Parents Foreign Born, Total average. Rows for 10 to 20 years, 21 years and over, and Total average.

The general percentage of illiteracy amongst the population of Nova Scotia over school age is 5.11, New Brunswick 7.61 and Quebec 6.20. These provinces have a little over three per cent of foreign population.

Charles M. Herihy, state supervisor of Adult Alien Education for Massachusetts, says: "It is significant to note that the native illiterate group represent 62 per cent of our total national illiteracy problem—a rather embarrassing variation of the slogan 'America first'."

The seventh article of this series will appear in Wednesday's issue.

Winnipeg RANCH WINS TITLE VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 12.—The grand sweepstakes championships of the fox show in conjunction with the winter fair here was awarded to the All-Star Fox Ranch, of Winnipeg, as well as the grand champion in various classes.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—The flag over the parliament buildings is at half-mast. News of the death of J. C. Douglas (Conservative, Antigonish-Guyshoro), reached the officials of parliament yesterday.

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PRINCE OF WALES EN ROUTE TO SPAIN

Stops Off at Perpignan and is Expected to Visit Gibraltar

PERPIGNAN, France, Dec. 12.—The Prince of Wales, traveling incognito, stopped here over night, while en route to Barcelona. This is the Prince's second visit to Spain within a few months.

Recently it was announced that the Prince of Wales would spend the Christmas holidays in Spain and an interesting rumor cropped out with the news of the impending visit.

The Prince, while in Spain, is expected to visit Madrid, Granada, Seville, Cordova, Malaga and Gibraltar.

LIQUOR SHIP TO SUE U. S. OVER SEIZURE HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 12.—Action will be taken in the New York courts against the action of the United States government in connection with the German 4-masted barkentine Carnea (formerly the Marguerite Witte), which it is claimed, was seized by United States patrol boats 140 miles off shore and towed into New York harbor, where it was held several days.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—The flag over the parliament buildings is at half-mast. News of the death of J. C. Douglas (Conservative, Antigonish-Guyshoro), reached the officials of parliament yesterday.

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MARCONI MAY WED DAUGHTER OF COUNT

Canadian Press Despatch. ROME, Dec. 12.—The newspaper Il Tevere today says that William Marconi, famous wireless inventor, is to wed the Countess Maria Cristina Bezi Scall, daughter of a Papal Count, as soon as the Holy Rota confirms the annulment of his first marriage to the former Beatrice O'Brien.

Other sources here it that Signor Marconi intends to marry Miss Elizabeth Paynter an English girl.

"AND is your daughter happily married?" "Yes, rather! Her husband is scared to death of her."



Parker Duofold Duette, Over-size, \$11 Junior Size, \$8.50, Lady Size, \$8

Give the Set that will live to be a Keepsake!

This prized imprint "Geo. S. Parker—Duofold" will show that you went the limit to give the finest

Non-Breakable Barrels of Lacquer-red or Jade, Black-tipped—25-Year Pen Point—Over-size Ink Capacity

Just whisper, "Send them Parker Duofold" to wise old Santa Claus, and you'll do more to make your loved ones happy than a week of worry on a yard-long list of Christmas ideas.

When Geo. S. Parker created the Duofold Point he overcame rigidity by tempering the extra thick gold nibs to yield to any hand, yet ever retain their original shape. A point guaranteed for 25 years—not only for mechanical perfection, but for wear!

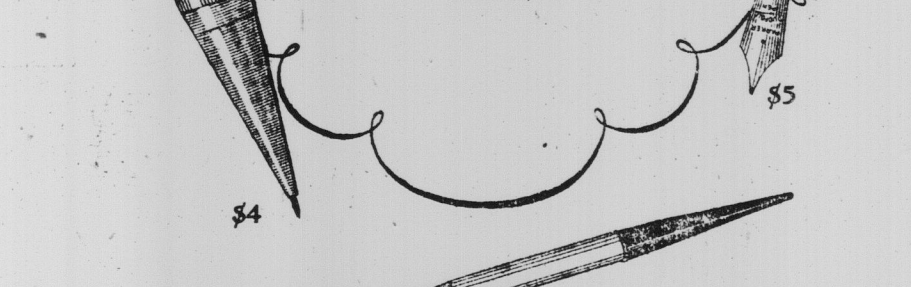
Today we are making Parker Pen and Pencil barrel of light Non-Breakable "Permanite," instead of rubber. Recently an aeroplane pilot dropped the Parker Duofold 3000 feet and could not break it.

No amount of money can buy a finer pen and pencil. Brightly arrayed for Christmas shoppers at all good pen counters.

THE PARKER FOUNTAIN PEN CO., LIMITED TORONTO 3, ONTARIO

Parker Duofold Pens and Pencils

Over-size Pen, \$7; Pencil, \$4 Jr. Pen, \$5; Pencil, \$3.50 Lady Duofold Pen, \$5 Pencil, \$3



Oral Black Glass Base with 2 Parker Duofold Jr. Pens, \$3 2 Parker Over-size Duofold Pens, \$9

A GREAT CANADIAN INSTITUTION



A Remarkable Record Bigger than the Wheat Crop

ASSURANCE IN FORCE Over \$1,000,000,000 ASSETS Over \$300,000,000 CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT \$10,000,000 SURPLUS Over \$28,000,000

Dividends to policy-holders increased for six successive years. Business doubled every five and a half years for over half a century.

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CANADA'S wheat crop is the best index of her growth. In twenty years she has become the greatest wheat exporter in the world.

To this the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada furnishes an interesting parallel. In twenty years its assets have increased fifteenfold. Today they exceed by over ten million dollars the wheat crop of 1924.

In 1865, when it was incorporated, almost every assurance company in the country was non-Canadian. Today two-thirds of Canadian life assurance is held in Canadian Companies. Last year Sun Life agents paid for more assurance than was written in all Canada fifteen years ago.

The Sun Life has helped to make life assurance, like the wheat crop, available to Canadians through their own enterprise. Its progress, like the spread of the wheat fields, reflects Canada's growth and forecasts her mighty future.

SUN LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA

Vacant Rooms Can Be Made To Yield Steady Revenue Through Want Ads

LOST AND FOUND

WANT TO WORRY about lost articles. Your ad in this column will find it. Every body reads the "Lost and Found" column.

FOR SALE - AUTOS

URGENT BARGAINS in used cars can be found in this column. Every prospective car owner reads it. Have your own for sale? Advertise it now.

FLATS TO LET

TO LET—Bright room flat, 240 Princess street, hardwood floors, hot water, heating, electric range in kitchen. Phone M. 281. 12-12

EMPEROR OF JAPAN LOSING STRENGTH

Suffering From Pneumonia at Palace; Condition is Critical

COME ON, YOU COFFEE DRINKERS!

Advertisement for QUARTS A DAY! featuring an illustration of a man drinking coffee.

OTTAWA AWAITING START OF DEBATE

Auger, McPherson, Guthrie and King Are Slated to Speak

MALE HELP WANTED

THIS COLUMN will find you a good man or boy. Every wife always reads it. Every boy reads the "Male Help Wanted" column.

FOR SALE - HOUSEHOLD

ALMOST BEYOND BELIEF are the results obtained from ads. in the "For Sale Household" column. There is always something waiting just the thing you don't want. One of these little ads will wonder in turning your surplus goods into cash.

FURNISHED APARTMENTS

TO LET—Comfortable furnished light housekeeping apartment—Phone Main 145. 12-12

APARTMENTS TO LET

TO LET—Bright warm 4 room apartment with electric range. Location very central. Immediate possession. Phone 2047. 12-12

Deaths

Miss Mary Ann McManus. Miss Mary Ann McManus, daughter of the late Charles and Mary McManus, passed away at the Saint John Infirmary on Sunday, and her death will be keenly regretted.

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Representative Wanted

We require a first class man, a good salesman and organizer, to look after and increase our business in force in Saint John and County. Contract exceptionally fine. Office provided. Academies also in Charlotte County, Woodstock, Chatham, Newcastle and other points.

FOR SALE - GENERAL

FOR SALE—High class baby carriage, 48 inch wheels, 18 inch seat, West Saint John, Phone Main 284-21. 12-12

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Medical Specialists

LADIES—All facial blemishes removed. Free consultation in all nervous and muscular diseases. Scalp diseases and warts, etc. etc. Robert Wilby, and Medical Specialist, 149 Germain street, Phone M. 3108. 12-12

Probate Court, Saint John

TO the devisees, legatees, and creditors of Maria Augusta Patterson, late of the City of Saint John, in the County and Province of New Brunswick, widow deceased, and to all others whom it may concern.

Deaths

Mr. William C. B. Dec. 11—(Special)—The death of Mrs. William C. B. occurred at her home at 9 o'clock a. m. Saturday, after a lingering illness of two years of Bright's disease and heart trouble.

COOKS AND MAIDS

GOOD CAPABLE Cooks and Maids all read this column. A few cents will get you efficient help in a business get.

FOR SALE - REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Bargain. Bay mare, weight 1600 lbs., aged 15 years. Can carry 1200 lbs. in good order. Cheap. Telephone 3400. N. B. Telephone Co. 12-12

BARN TO LET

TO LET—Stable, situated at rear of premises, 210 City Road, with stalls, one box stall, water, large loft, heated condition. Main 2347. The Sterling Lumber Co., Ltd. 12-12

WANT AD. RATES

2c Per Word Per Day Times-Star 3c Per Word Per Day Combination Rate Times-Star and Telegraph-Journal

Biliousness and constipation come from a weak stomach

Advertisement for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

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AGENTS WANTED

A GOOD AGENT can be found by using the "Agents Wanted" column. They all read it. Just state what you can do.

HOUSES TO LET

TO RENT—Self-contained house, 61 St. James street. Rent \$35 per month. Particulars, The Eastern Trust Company, 111 Prince William street. 12-12

FURNISHED FLATS TO LET

TO LET—For the winter months, well furnished flat, \$35 per month—Apply 3 Cannon street or Phone M. 4009. 12-12

FLATS TO LET

TO LET—Bright warm room flat, with electric range. Very central. Telephone 3049. 12-12

Business and Professional Directory

Dancing School WOODBINE Private and Class Instruction—M. 2013. 12-12

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SITUATIONS WANTED

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SLIGHTLY DOWNWARD TREASURY MARKET OPENING

Trading Fairly Active as Few Stocks Decline

Upward Moves Noticeable on Wall Street—Several Gains

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—Stock prices generally showed a disposition to move downward at the opening of the local stock exchange this morning. Trading was fairly active. Montreal Power was the weak spot at 88, off one point, while fractional losses were recorded by Shawinigan, Laurentide, Abitibi, Caners and Spanish River Preferred.

AT NEW YORK
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Opening of the new week in the stock market found the course of prices still headed upward.

SCOTCH ANTHRACITE
Jumbo Size
WELSH ANTHRACITE
Stowoids
AMERICAN ANTHRACITE
All Sizes

BROAD COVE COAL
No. 1 Quality
McBean Pitco, Faddy,
Reserved Sydney,
Beat American Cleburnt.

McGIVERN COAL CO.
12 Portland St.
Main 4

BROAD COVE
Just received a large shipment. Best quality. Prompt delivery.

D. W. LAND
Railway Sidings—Erin Street.
Phone M. 4055
Branch Office—8 Sydney Street

American Chestnut
BESCO COKE
All good grades of Soft Coal
Dry Hard and Soft Wood

FOSHAY COAL CO.
Cor. Lansdowne Ave. and Elm St.
Phone M. 3818

PHONE MAIN 1346
FOR
BROAD COVE

\$12.50 Per Ton
McBEEN, PICTOU, HARD
and SOFT WOODS
SUN COAL AND WOOD CO.
Phone 1346 78 St. David St.

FOR SALE—Hardwood, cut and split.
Good quality, 12 cord delivered. Also
millwood 4 ft. length, 47 cord—Phone
228-21. 11-8-10-12-14

NEW YORK MARKET

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes titles like Atchafalaya, Am. Can., Allied Chem., etc.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

Table with columns for grain types and prices. Includes December wheat, May wheat, etc.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET

Table with columns for grain types and prices. Includes December wheat, May wheat, etc.

Brokers' Opinion

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—"We look forward to a higher range of levels early next week. We expect continuation of strength for the early part of this week."

Current Events

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Rubber stocks in London on December 13 totaled 1,000,000. The amount payable in London on December 13 totaled 1,000,000.

Morning Stock Letter

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Saturday's trading and the week-end news brought in no new developments. Consequently, we feel the same about prices as we did last week.

Broad Cove Special Coal

\$11.50 per ton delivered in bulk
Cash, Landing Now.
J. S. GIBSON & Co. Ltd.

CANADA'S DEBT UP \$14,993,154 IN NOVEMBER

THE following study of bill markets has been made by Hayden Stone & Co.:

While there have been wide movements in the prices of individual stocks, the market as a whole has made little change. The average price of 20 railroad stocks used as a barometer is 20 points higher than it was at the opening of the year.

DOMINION BRIDGE STATEMENT NEAR

Expected to Show Gains in Earnings; Buy Year at Quebec

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—The financial statement of Dominion Bridge Company for the year ended Oct. 31, 1926, is expected to show a profit of \$1,000,000.

U. S. TRADE SPEEDED IN WEAR APPAREL

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—The other side of the coin of the wool trade is the fact that the U. S. trade in wear apparel is being speeded up.

HIGH-PRICED SEATS

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Announcement of the sale of a seat on the New York Stock Exchange has been reported at a price of \$15,000.

AMERICANS BUY B.C. TELEPHONE CO.

\$18,000,000 Canadian Company Purchased by Gary Interests

EXPORT BUSINESS IN CEMENT IS GOOD

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—White domestic business in cement has been of very large volume this year, the export business, on the whole, is regarded as satisfactory.

THICK FOG IN MONTREAL

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—Montrealers last night had an inkling of what London people mean when they speak of a "pea-supper." Fog, floating down from the north shortly before nine o'clock, gradually became so dense that it had created a new traffic hazard.

Price Brothers & Co. Declare Dividends

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—Price Brothers & Company, Limited, has declared a dividend of 1 1/2 per cent on the common stock of the company for the quarter ending November 30, 1926, payable January 30, 1927, to shareholders of record December 15th, 1926.

HAMILTON PLANTS GET EXPORT TRADE

HAMILTON, Ont., Dec. 13.—The Canadian division of International Harvester Company, with plants at Hamilton, Ont., has secured a large volume of export trade, which has been a pronounced and beneficial effect upon the industrial situation in that city.

Interim Statement By Trust & Loan Co.

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—The Trust & Loan Co. of Canada has issued an interim statement for the half year ended Sept. 30, 1926, showing gross receipts of \$4,878,000, compared with gross receipts of \$4,878,000 for the same period in the full fiscal year ended March 31, 1926.

CANADIAN BUSINESS FEELING CHEERFUL

Weather Stimulates Call For Winter Goods in Many Sections

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Despatches to the effect that the weather in Canada is generally cheerful and that business is being stimulated by the winter weather are being received from many sections.

ALBERTA OILFIELDS

Announcement Indicates British Invasion of Capital

BRAZILIAN MEASURE

Stabilization Bill Likely to Pass Through Congress

ANOTHER MERGER

United Cigar and Schulte Corporation Pool Interests

ONTARIO INVESTORS GET U. S. CIRCULARS

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Little Net Change This Year, Says Hayden Stone Company In Study of Bull Markets

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Royal Bank of Canada Shareholders

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Advertisement for Broad Cove Special Coal, J.S. Gibson & Co. Ltd.

Advertisement for French Government 6% Bonds.

Advertisement for Parker Pens and other stationery items.

Advertisement for Consumers Coal Co., Ltd. with address and phone number.

Advertisement for Emerson Fuel Co. Ltd.

Advertisement for Alberta Oilfields.

Advertisement for Wasson's 2 Stores.

# JENNINGS CHARGES GIANTS DESERTED HIM IN "HOUR OF NEED"

## STONHAM HAS ISSUED DENIAL OF ACCUSATION

Assistant Manager Cut Off Pay Roll When He Was Taken Ill

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—In reply to the charges of Hugh Jennings that the officials of the Giants had deserted him in his "hour of need" and had cut him off the payroll after his sickness last spring, President Charles A. Stonham has made public a statement which attempted to disprove Jennings' accusations.

## Trojans Have Close Win Over Nationals

Champions Nose Out 33 to 30 Victory—Intermediate Results

Trojans were lucky to beat out the Nationals in a City Basketball League fixture at the Y. M. C. A. Saturday night, barely winning out 33-30. Malcolm Kerr, two stalwarts, were out of the game early on account of injuries. It is hard to conceive of Malcolm getting injured but the "big boy" is one of the clearest players in the game and will take a lump himself rather than hurt another.

## McAvity Team Is Leading League

Has Won 29 and Lost 7 Points in Commercial Bowling League

The Standard Dairies took all four points from the Corona Company in a regular Commercial League fixture on Saturday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. The following is the summary:

Standard Dairies	Total	Avg.
Knock	85	80
Hugard	80	80
Pugh	86	82
Hammels	84	84
Lingley	94	99
Total	456	494

## Beavers Defeat Scarlet Runners

Good Game in Girls' Basketball League—Play This Week

The Beavers and the Scarlet Runners had a great game in the girls' basketball league, played under girls' rules at the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday night. The Beavers won 40 to 30. The game was closely contested all the way through, and an early lead piled up by the Beavers was all that enabled them to win out.

## Bowling

The Telegraph-Journal won three out of four points from the McMillan team on the Victoria alley Saturday afternoon. Individual scores are as follows:

Telegraph-Journal	Total	Avg.
Sage	80	80
Griffin	88	88
Lawton	76	76
Goulet	79	79
Sweetie	79	79
Total	383	422

## What To Get "Him"

BELT AND BELTOGRAM NOVELTIES

You will be much interested in the novelties we show in ornate and initialled buckle effects. Also clever and new ideas in beltgrams.

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## Hockey Results

SATURDAY NIGHT.  
At Windsor—American, 4; Detroit Cugars, 2.

At Ottawa—St. Pats, 1; Senators, 2.  
At Montreal—Chicago Blackhawks, 3; Canadiens, 0.  
At Pittsburgh—Montreal Maroons, 2; Pittsburghs, 2 (tie).  
At Boston—Quebec, 0; Boston, 4.

SUNDAY NIGHT.  
At New York—Boston Bruins, 1; Rangers, 2.

## Organization of N.B.A. Completed

J. N. Fanjoy Heads New Sports Body—Has Charge of Basketball in N. B.

J. N. Fanjoy, this city, was elected president of the New Brunswick Basketball Association at a meeting held at the Y. M. C. A. here on Saturday afternoon. E. A. LeBlanc, of Moncton, was chosen vice-president and R. W. Shaw, Saint John, is the secretary-treasurer.

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It is expected that an awful squawk will go up from athletes in the Maritime Provinces outside the "Stimion pure" ranks when the result of the action taken by the National Registration Committee of the Amateur Athletic Union, when 21 athletes were reinstated here on Saturday, becomes generally known.

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## 25 Die, 68 Hurt in Crash

Victims Were Chinese or Japs in Train Collision in Manchuria

## British Football

Football games played in the Old Country Saturday resulted as follows:

## Letitia Away on Saturday Afternoon

The large Anchor-Donaldson passenger steamer Letitia sailed Saturday afternoon for Glasgow, with 30 cabin passengers and 400 third-class passengers. This is the first Anchor-Donaldson passenger liner to sail from the port of Saint John since the ship was wrecked on the coast of Newfoundland in 1914.

## Judge Landis Probably Will Be Re-Elected

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Judge K. M. Landis, high commissioner of baseball, will be re-elected for a seven-year term at the joint meeting of the National League Club owners, in New York on Thursday, in the opinion of National League Club owners, in New York on Thursday. The circuit is expected to vote for Landis as a unit.

## Agatha Christie Declared After Seance Victim of Foul Play

British Official Press.  
LONDON, Dec. 12.—A spiritualist's seance beside the car abandoned nine days ago by Mrs. Agatha Christie, mystery story writer, well known in the United States, has brought the writer whose stories dealt chiefly with the tangled stretch of country and the tangled stretch of country where Mrs. Christie was found and other points near the scene of Mrs. Christie's disappearance.

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PRAISE CHINESE CREW FOR RESCUE

Steamer Strikes Rock Near Shanghai; 25 Drown When Lifeboat Upsets

SHANGHAI, Dec. 13.—With all foreigners aboard the steamer Lien Shing, which sank yesterday after striking Ahmeest Rocks, 44 miles out of here, accounted for and bodies of eight of the 150 Chinese passengers recovered, search was continued today for more than 30 native passengers reported missing. Twenty-five Chinese drowned when a lifeboat upset. Mrs. Cora Sutton Castle, authoress, wife of a San Francisco surgeon, was among the passengers rescued.

Convict Weds As Jail Term Starts

WILTON, Ont., Dec. 13.—Berit D'Angelo, the 32 year old Hamilton fruit peddler, who on November 20, was sentenced to four years in Portmouth penitentiary on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death from poison alcohol of William Mabree, was married to Miss Janet Blair Goodie, a 26-year-old Scottish girl of Toronto, on Saturday.

Wants All Cabarets In Rome Closed Up

ROME, Dec. 13.—Permanent padding of all cabarets, night clubs and dance halls in Italy, is demanded by the semi-official newspaper, Popolo Roma, commenting on the fire Friday night in the Apollo Music Hall, in which four women lost their lives. Theatres and movie houses, says the paper, should be allowed to function only when guaranteeing absolute safety, but cabarets and night clubs should be closed permanently, because it contends, "the only purpose they serve are facilitation of drunkenness, the use of drugs, propagation of disease, encouragement of the corruption of youth."

Motion To Abolish Cabinet By-Elections

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—The expected move to abolish the practice of re-electing members of parliament who accept cabinet positions has been made by S. W. Jacobs, (Lib. George-Etienne Cartier). Mr. Jacobs has given notice that he will bring in a bill "to remove the necessity of the re-election of members of the House of Commons of Canada, on acceptance of office." It will be private members' bill.

RAIL ACCIDENT IN ALBERTA

CALGARY, Alta., Dec. 13.—E. R. Howatson, of Calgary, and F. L. Swift, of Red Deer, trainman and fireman respectively on a southbound freight on the Canadian Pacific Railway, were injured and several head of cattle killed, in a collision at Airdrie, Alta., at six o'clock Sunday night when the freight crashed into an engine of a way freight standing on the main line. The injured men received bad scalds on the face, arms, and legs by a burst in the steam pipe and are in hospital here.

YOUTH ARRESTED

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 13.—The arrest of Walter Maris, aged 16 years, on the charge of stealing a bicycle, disclosed the complicity of 2 younger boys who are classed as juvenile offenders. The three appeared in court today. A bicycle was found hidden under a platform in the C. P. R. yard and the discovery, disclosed the theft of a second bicycle.

LEAVES FOR B. C.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 13.—Thomas O'Leary, of Beaver Dam, will leave this evening for Oliver, B. C., in the Okanagan Valley, where he is in-terested in fruit growing. He will visit a daughter there for 3 months.

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BOXING!

Armories, Monday, Dec. 13. MAIN BOUT—10 Rounds. RED McDONALD vs. GEORGE SIDERS. SEMI-FINAL—8 Round. GORDON PARIS vs. VIC LANGILLE. PRELIMINARY—4 Rounds. REGGIE HARPER vs. PORTER McINTYRE. Admission \$1.00; \$1.50; \$2.00. Bouts Start 8.30 p. m.

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DOROTHY GISH IN BRITISH NATIONAL PICTURES LTD. Present NELL GWYN

A TRUE-LIFE ROMANCE, SPARKLING WITH COMEDY. SPICED BY COURT INTRIGUE. SET IN THE SLUMS OF LONDON AND THE MAGNIFICENT WHITEHALL PALACE OF ENGLAND'S GAY BACHELOR KING, glamorous with the alluring charm of Dorothy Gish, and with a supporting cast of the leaders of the London stage—that, briefly describes "Nell Gwyn." Strangely enough, Herbert Wilcox, young English director, was fortunate in securing Dorothy Gish to play the name-role and the little star journeyed to London for the picture. Miss Gish is truly magnificent. A well-dressed cast includes Randle Ayrton, Juliette Compton and Sidney Fairbrother, all British players of note. All deserve a hearty welcome to the Canadian screen.

4 REGULAR SHOWS—ORDINARY PRICE SCALE Special Music Appropriate to the Picture

SPECIAL NOTICE:

The impression that this production is indelicate or lashed with unseemly happenings is erroneous. It is a British picture, clean and highly artistic.

UNIQUE-TONIGHT-PHONOFILM

ANOTHER DEFOREST SENSATION IN TALKING PICTURE VAUDEVILLE THE RADIO FRANKS VAUDEVILLE ENTERTAINERS SINGING, DANCING, PIANOLOGUE and FUN by Funny Radio Broadcasters MOVIES THAT TALK AND SING JUST AS IN REAL STAGE LIFE Also "FIGHTING HEART" Series

RICHARD TALMADGE IN THE BETTER MAN

HAVE YOU HEARD TALKING PICTURES YET? Produced by actually photographing sound waves and re-produced by radio, so the movie actors actually talk to you. Monday's bill is a corker. USUAL PRICES

Mon. and Tu's - PALACE THEATRE - LLOYD HAMILTON in "CAREFUL PLEASE" COMEDY SERIAL. "SILENCE" CECIL B. DE MILLE'S PERSONALLY SUPERVISED PRODUCTION. WITH VERA REYNOLDS, H. B. WARRNER, ROCKLIFE FELLOWES, JACK MULHALL, VIRGINIA PEARSON. WAS THIS MAN HER FATHER? She had been reared in luxury, the proud daughter of a rich man. Could that human derelict who lived by cheating, be her REAL FATHER? Was it true that her dead mother— A story of sin, sacrifice, and violent crime, teeming with thrills and throbbing with Emotion—the biggest picture of the season. "SILENCE"

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS That Point Is Settled By BLOSSER. I LISSAN NOW! I KNOW YOU GOT MONEY!! GIMME AN NICKEL 'TIL YOU OWE ME—SIMME IT! 'TIS IS MONEY FOR 'TIL LAUNDRY—YOU DONT KNOW 'S MUCH!! SO, WELL, IF YOU OWE ME A NICKEL, AND IT'S 'BOY TIME FOR ME, YOU GOT TO COME ACROSS—YOU SKINFLINT!! I WOULDN'T BE YOU FOR A HUNDRED DOLLARS!!

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES Jim Isn't So Dumb By MARTIN. ALO! BOOTS? HI! I'M HERE TONIGHT—WELL THERE'S ANYONE ELSE THERE? WE HAVEN'T HAD A GOOD VISIT TOGETHER IN A HECKUNA TIME. SURE, JIMMY! I'VE BEEN OVER—WRODY EYE WILL BE HERE BUT JOE'S THE AND 'TIL PROFESSOR. HI! WHERE'S CORA AN' 'TIL PROFESSOR? OUT IN 'TIL KITCHEN—MAKIN' SOME PUDDING. I'VE GOT A COUPLE OF THEATRE TICKETS FOR TONIGHT. ON! BUT, ANY—YOU KNOW I CAN'T GO—'TIL DOCTOR WONT LET ME GO 'TIL MY HOUSE 'TIL GET A LITTLE STRONGER. SURE, I KNOW THAT—THESE ARE FOR CORA AND 'TIL PROFESSOR.

SALESMAN SAM Business Is Business By SWAN. LET ME HAVE FOUR WAFFLES, AND PUT LOTS OF POWDERED SUGAR ON THEM. YES! WHAT 'TIL HECK'LL I DO? I'M ALL OUTTA POWDERED SUGAR AND I LOSE THIS SALE. WAFLE WAGON. HOT WAFLE. IDEA. NET TRINKT WAFLES 5¢. THERE WERE MAM. FEEL WAGON. SO GENEROUS WITH THE SUGAR TOO.

QUEEN SQUARE Mat. 2.30—10c. 15c. 'Eve., 7.00, 8.45—25c. TODAY BIG DOUBLE BILL PRIVATE IZZY MURPHY starring Geo. Jessell with Patsy Ruth Miller VAUDEVILLE Double Act Special WARD AND BARTON SINGING, DANCING YODLING MUSIC At Each Show Once in Afternoon Twice Nightly A TIP-TOP SHOW AT REGULAR SCALE NO ADVANCE IN PRICES

JIM'S DANCE AT THE STUDIO TUESDAY PRIZES, NOVELTIES, REFRESHMENTS MUSIC BY THE BLUE BOYS



Last Date For Laura Secords

Tomorrow all orders must be in for the special to order Laura Secord Candies and Chocolates.

The Gala Christmas Gift Boxes of the chief chocolates of the day never looked so good as this December at the Ross Candy counters.

Ross Drug Co., Ltd. The Rexall Drug Store

Buy a Fur Coat This Xmas

This year, if you have any notion of buying a Fur Coat, you should do it while prices are low.

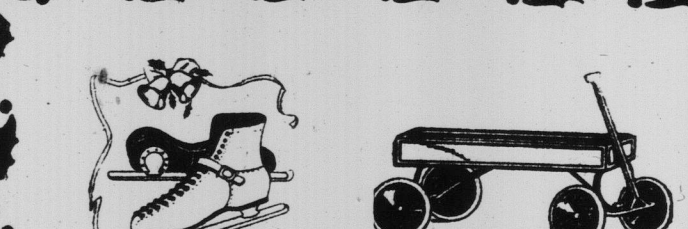
HUDSON SEAL COATS are dollars lower than they have been or will be another season.

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Gifts That are Practical

Pyrex Glass Cooking Ware A dish that may be served direct from the oven to the table.

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- Coaster Wagons \$3.35 to \$12.00
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If inconvenient to pay cash for Xmas Presents open a charge account, we will arrange satisfactory terms.

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BUT TEN DAYS NOW LEFT FOR GIFT BUYING

Further Timely Suggestions Given After Visit to City Stores

But 10 more shopping days remain before Christmas. So the timing of selection of gifts is rapidly passing.

WASSONS

These stores in Sydney and Main streets are fairly bulging with Christmas suggestions of great variety.

O. H. WARWICK CO., LTD.

O. H. Warwick Co., Ltd., King street, are well prepared for a large volume of Christmas business.

LENGTHY LINE

It was a very lengthy line that left the bereaved home in escort of the body of the late Mr. Ellis to the funeral home.

ASSIST IN SERVICE

Boy Scouts and C. G. I. T. at Portland United on Sunday.

HURLEY'S LTD.

Hurley's Ltd., "the exclusive men's wear shop," Union street, presents a very attractive appearance to the Christmas shoppers.

As Hiram Sees It

"Since you are my neighbor," says Hiram, "I have been watching them go to work in Long Reach."

ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, DEC 13

High Tide 6.05 High Tide 6.24 Low Tide 4.14 Sun Rises 7.54 Sun Sets 4.27

Local News

ARTICLES FOUND

The police report the following articles found on the streets: Long black pocketbook, containing some money.

DEAN NEALES HERE

Very Rev. Dean Scovel Neales, of Fredericton, was the preacher in St. Paul's church yesterday in the absence of Ven. Archbishop Crowfoot.

MANY AT FUNERAL OF FRANK B. ELLIS

Representative Gathering at Obsequies of Late Editor of Globe Newspaper

Believing the life record of the late Frank B. Ellis in his newspaper career and his other community work in Saint John, and a tribute, as well, to the memory of his father and mother.

YOUTHFUL PASSENGERS

Two interesting passengers who arrived on the steamer Montcalm were Joseph and Simon Neepner, aged 19 and 9 years respectively.

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S. S. MONTCALM HERE WITH 290 PASSENGERS

C. P. R. Limer Docks at Sand Point on Saturday Afternoon

The C. P. R. liner Montcalm which arrived here on Saturday, docked on the West Side during the afternoon after an uneventful trip across the ocean.

Captain J. N. Griffiths is in command of the Montcalm, which came from Antwerp, Southampton, Cherbourg and Queenstown.

The Montcalm, from Liverpool, is in command of Captain G. Hamilton and brought out 65 cabin and 225 third-class passengers.

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McAvity's

Only 10 More Shopping Days Before Xmas

Gift Hints Personal

Are the more heartily welcomed because they express your kindly and practical thoughtfulness.

Dressing Gowns

In heather mixtures, greys, browns, sands, lovat; fancy collar, cuffs and girdle—\$7.50 to \$30

Broadcloth Shirt Special

English Broadcloth Shirts, guaranteed fast colors, attractive patterns, including stripes on light and dark grounds. All have separate collars to match. Each Shirt in Xmas presentation box. \$2.45

Sweaters

In Coat style, V neck and shawl collar. Pullovers in fancy Jacquard weaves. \$3 to \$15

Smoking Jackets

In navy, grey, brown, with contrasting collar and cuffs, cord binding, fancy frogs. Big special value. \$10 and \$11

Handkerchief Special

Fine Linen, hemstitched border, large size. Very special Christmas Price. Each 25c or \$1.75 a dozen

Hosiery

In Plain and Fancy Cashmere, All Wool Worsted, Mercerized Lisle and in All Silk—50c up to \$2

Women's Handbag Special

\$2.95 Pouch and Underarm Bags, in grey, brown, black, green, fawn, blue, with more lining, inside frame, change pocket, polished brass outer frame. Wonderful value at the price—\$2.95

Shop Early in the Day at SCOVIL BROS., LTD. OAK HALL King Street

Washing Done Cheaper Here

Clear the road to Christmas shopping and getting ready by handing that bag of trouble to the New System Driver.

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