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CASE MAY CONTINUE FOR MONTHS

Counsel for Accused Meat Packers Conclude Opening Statements—Prosecution Has Many Witnesses.

JURY WILL SPEND CHRISTMAS IN HOTEL.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—Counsel for the ten Chicago meat packers, charged with combining to control the price of meat in violation of the criminal sections of the Sherman Law, concluded their opening statements to the jury today, and United States District Judge George A. Carpenter adjourned court until next Tuesday morning, when the first witness for the government will take the stand.

The government will present its case in chronological order. The first witness will tell the story of the old packers' pool, which it is charged was organized in 1902 and which held weekly meetings, at which the government charges prices were fixed.

Later conditions which led to the formation of the National Packing Company then will be detailed, and in concluding its case the government will endeavor to prove that the National Packing Company was the instrument of the packers used to continue the old pooling arrangements.

Three hundred witnesses will be called by the government, and it is believed it will take several months to present their testimony. In addition to this a mass of documentary evidence will be offered by the prosecution.

The jury will be closely guarded during the adjournment of court, and the twelve men, all of whom are married, will be obliged to eat their Christmas dinners at a downtown hotel.

TRAIN LEAVES TRACK ON AIR LINE, FORTY-ONE ARE INJURED

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 21.—Derailment of train No. 38 on the Seaboard Air Line at Gloster, 35 miles northeast of Atlanta, resulted, it is said today, in the injury of 41 persons. No one, however, is believed to be fatally hurt.

The wreck occurred last night when the train, which left Atlanta at 8:30 o'clock for Washington, was going forty miles an hour, when near Gloster station it struck a broken rail. The engines and several cars went over safely, but a Pullman sleeper and first class passenger car went into the ditch.

Campbellton, Dec. 22.—A fatal accident occurred at Ben Underhill's camp on Wednesday, the 20th inst. John Blanchard while at work felling trees was struck on the head by a limb and so badly injured that he died in a few hours. The unfortunate man leaves a widow and eight small children who live here. The body was brought down for burial yesterday.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—Margaret Horton, novelist, died suddenly at her apartment here today from heart disease.

SHUSTER NOTIFIED TO QUIT

Persian Government Accedes to the Demands of Russia and Dismisses the American Treasurer General.

HOSTILITIES TO BE DISCONTINUED.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 22.—A telegram received here from Teheran says that Persia has acceded to the demands of Russia and dismissed the American Treasurer General.

DARING ROBBERY WAS COMMITTED AT HARVEY RECENTLY

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Dec. 22.—A daring robbery took place near Harvey several nights ago. Mr. Harvey, a well-known local merchant, was the victim.

AMERICAN CONSUL HAS AN EXCITING TIME IN TABRIZ

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—American Consul Paulcock apparently had an exciting experience during the time he spent in Tabriz, Persia.

MINISTERS LEAVING OTTAWA; PREMIER WILL REMAIN THERE.

Ottawa, Dec. 22.—A prolonged cabinet council was held today from 11 o'clock in the forenoon and until one o'clock, and resumed from two o'clock until six.

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NOVELIST DIES

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BOARDS OF TRADE AND GOVERNMENT WILL UNITE IN BOOSTING CAMPAIGN

This the Way to Secure Best Results is Opinion of Business Men.

Moncton and Fredericton Boards of Trade Will Consider Family Reunion Idea at Meetings to be Held Soon.

New Blood as Well as More People the Need of the Province—Plenty of Opportunities for Capable Men.

Additional interviews secured by Standard correspondents and printed today go to show that a very lively interest is being taken in the reunion of families plan as proposed by Premier Fleming. Reports from Moncton and Fredericton are to the effect that the board of trade and the government will take the matter up in the near future. Generally there is the warmest commendation for the premier's idea that the boards of trade and the government should cooperate to induce increased immigration to New Brunswick and thus work toward the development of the resources of the province.

FREDERICTON BOARD OF TRADE WILL TAKE UP THE SUGGESTION

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Dec. 22.—Confidently expecting a rapid development of the immigration suggestion, the Fredericton board of trade is naturally interested in Premier Fleming's proposal. With the St. John Valley Railway about to be built through this city, the Grand Trunk and the Intercolonial, and the proposed extension of the railway to be opened up and thus to divert the whole of the province to the Fredericton, those who can see ahead to the future are naturally anxious to what are naturally bringing forth.

Desirable settlers from here feel that there are many attractive opportunities here for British immigrants. It is shown by the large number in this city who are going to the United States, that there are many of the leading farmers of York county having come to New Brunswick in the last few years and who are now settling on their own farms. They are well satisfied with the results of their migration, and they are anxious to see others follow.

MONCTON BOARD OF TRADE WILL ENDORSE PLAN.

Moncton, Dec. 22.—The board of trade here will meet on Tuesday evening, when the question of the immigration suggestion will be discussed. It is his intention to bring up the question of immigration.

SIR ROBERT BORDEN AFTER THE NEW YEAR?

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Dec. 22.—According to information received in Ottawa today through the English mail, Hon. R. L. Borden will be in Sir Robert Laird Borden after the distribution of New Year's honors.

PATHETIC FEATURE IN DEATH OF MRS. MARY BROWNING

Andover, Dec. 22.—The death occurred this morning at Riviere du Chute, of Mrs. Mary Browning, in the 75th year of her age. The deceased lady suffered a stroke of paralysis about ten days ago, from which death resulted. She was born in Charlotte County, she is survived by four sons, James, Manfred and Bradford, of Riviere du Chute, and Robert, of Mars Hill. The daughters are, Mrs. P. F. Hoffman, of Perth; Mrs. Maud Laine, of Fairville; and Miss Bertha, at home. The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. J. R. Hopkins and the interment will take place at the ideal valley.

GUIDES HOLD ANNUAL MEETING AND DINNER

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Dec. 22.—The New Brunswick Guides Association held their annual meeting this afternoon at the Queen Hotel. The report showed the association had a very successful year, and the membership now numbers about 50.

MADE MILLIONS BY FRAUD, GETS ONE YEAR'S SENTENCE

New York, N. Y., Dec. 22.—Shelton C. Burr, president; Eugene H. Burr, secretary and treasurer; Charles H. Tobey, vice-president and Edwin W. Preston, an official of the Burr Bros. stock promoters, whose premises were raided Nov. 20, 1910, by the postal authorities, pleaded guilty today to a charge of using the mails in a scheme to defraud investors. Each of the defendants was sentenced by Judge Holt to serve one year in prison on Blackwell's Island.

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BRITISH STEAMER SIXTEEN DAYS OUT REACHES ST. JOHN'S

St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 22.—Battered by gales during the whole voyage, the British tank steamer Lucian arrived here today from London on her trip to New York. The steamer has been sixteen days on the way from England and there had been some fear for her safety.

BANQUET WILL BE HELD TO CELEBRATE RAILWAY CONTRACT

Special to The Standard. Meductic, Dec. 22.—The banquet to be given here in celebration of the signing of the contract for the construction of the St. John Valley Railway, will be held in the Meductic Hall on the evening of Tuesday, January 2nd.

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Ottawa, Dec. 22.—The following statement was made by Col. H. Hughes, minister of militia, in answer to an attack on Mr. Bourassa: "Bourassa would have been a soldier if he had only been fortunate enough to have received a military training. He is able, handsome, genial, well educated, a thorough investigator, in short he possesses very many of the essential qualities of greatness."

JUDGMENT RESERVED IN THE HOGAN CASE

The case against Mrs. Hogan for allowing a drunken man to be in her licensed barroom on Water street last Monday night, was before the Police Magistrate yesterday afternoon. W. J. Mahoney appeared for the defense.

DIG SUIT PROMISES INTEREST

Bank of Montreal Takes Action Which May Reopen Affairs of Cement Merger—Those Involved.

STARTLING DEVELOPMENTS MAY BE EXPECTED.

Ottawa, Dec. 22.—An action involving \$85,000 has been taken by the Bank of Montreal against Sir Sandford Fleming, Joseph Samuel Irving, Sandford Hall Fleming, Hugh Fleming, Wm. Eschaw and the Anglo-Canadian Finance Company. The case is another outcome of the big cement merger. The suit is one of the largest taken in the local courts in many years.

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GEARY ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION FOR THIRD TERM

Toronto, Dec. 22.—George Reginald Geary, barrister, was today elected by acclamation mayor of Toronto. This will make Mayor Geary's third term as mayor.

ACTOR SUICIDES BY INHALING GAS

New York, Dec. 22.—Wright Lormer, the well known actor, committed suicide today by inhaling gas at his home, 124 West 65th street. Lormer was 38 years of age and began his stage career in Chicago several years ago. He was best known in the production of "The Shepherd King," which he wrote with Arnold Reeves.

RAILWAYS. CANADIAN PACIFIC. THE SHORT DIRECT ROUTE. ST. JOHN TO MONTREAL. Close connections for all points beyond.

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FURNESS LINE. From London to St. John. Dec. 15 Rappahannock Dec. 30.

HEAD LINE. Sailings from St. John TO DUBLIN. Dec. 21 BELFAST.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

WINTER PORT STEAMERS. Sailings for St. John up to 31st December 1911.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Saturday, Dec. 23, 1911. Sun rises . . . 8.08 a. m.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN. Arrived, Friday, Dec. 22. Str Empress of Britain, 5024.

British Ports. Liverpool, Dec. 21—Arrived—Str Teutonic, Portland; Carmania, New York.

Foreign Ports. Antwerp, Dec. 22—Arrived—Str Albuera, Lochhart, from Gluckstadt.

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LAST DAY TO KEEP THE POT BOILING.

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THE NEWS IN SHORT METRE.

LOCAL. Suspended Sentence. Frank K. Brittain, charged with obtaining goods under false pretences, who was committed for trial by Police Magistrate Ritchie, was yesterday allowed his freedom on suspended sentence by Judge Forbes.

AMUSEMENTS. CHRISTMAS AT THE OPERA HOUSE. If you really want to enjoy a merry Christmas, go to the Opera House Monday afternoon and evening and see the W. S. Markins Company in two new York successes.

RED ROSE MANITOBA PATENT FLOUR. Red Rose Flour is a straight Manitoba Red Rose Flour is the highest grade Manitoba Red Rose Flour is in 65 lbs., hf. bbls., bag.

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FINANCIAL WORLD

PRODUCE PRICES NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Table with columns: Montreal, Dec. 22. OATS—Canadian western No. 2, 46 1/2c to 47c; No. 1 feed, 45 1/2c to 46c; No. 2 local white, 46 1/2c; No. 3 local white, 45 1/2c; No. 4 local white, 44 1/2c.

LATEST MEMBER OF THE BRITISH HOUSE BORN IN CANADA

Toronto, Dec. 21.—Capt. Campbell, who yesterday defeated the Solicitor General for Scotland in Australia, is the son of the late Archibald Campbell, former partner of Sir Wm. Mackenzie, and he is a nephew of Mr. J. Lorrie Campbell, of Toronto, and of Mr. Barlow Cumberland, his mother being a daughter of the late Col. Cumberland.

MONTREAL

Table with columns: Bell Telephone, 2 @ 149 1/2; Canada Convertible, 20 @ 32; Cement, 6 @ 27 1/2, 1 @ 27; Crown Reserve, 150 @ 385, 500 @ 287, 500 @ 291, 500 @ 300.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS. By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

Table with columns: Dec. 22nd. High. Low. Close. Dec. 21st. High. Low. Close.

NEW YORK COTTON RANGE. By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

Table with columns: Dec. 22nd. High. Low. Close. Dec. 21st. High. Low. Close.

THE BOSTON CURB. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

Table with columns: Dec. 22nd. Bid. Asked. East Butte, 73 3/4; North Butte, 28 1/2.

LEHIGH VALLEY CONTINUES STRONG

New York, N. Y., Dec. 22.—The Gould issues and Lehigh Valley attracted most attention today on the stock market. The advance in Lehigh Valley, which has been conspicuous recently, was continued.

TRAIL OF REYES GROWS OBSCURE TO SEARCHERS

Monterey, Mex., Dec. 21.—Army scouts appear to have lost the trail of General Reyes and his little staff in the last 24 hours.

PROPOSE TO ARRANGE NEW RUSSIAN TREATY

Washington, Dec. 21.—President Taft today signed the joint resolution passed by Congress ratifying his action in serving notice on Russia of the abrogation of the treaty of 1832.

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NOTICE To Policy Holders of the London Mutual Fire Insurance Company. J. M. QUEEN, with offices in Canada Life Building, Prince William St., St. John, N. B., is the sole General Agent for New Brunswick.

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WHAT CHAMPION PUGILISTS ACCOMPLISHED THIS YEAR
No championship title was won or lost in the ring during the year just closing.

THE CURLERS' A NEW OLYMPIC CANDIDATE... MRS. DESCH STRONG SWIMMER
The extent of the Christmas Day activities in the curling rinks of the city will depend upon the weather conditions.



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PERSIA AGREES TO ALL DEMANDS MADE BY RUSSIA
St. Petersburg, Dec. 22.—The Persian charge d'affaires called officially at the foreign office and announced that Persia had yielded to Russia's demands.

MONEY SAFE AFTER TWO YEARS IN MAIL
Pouch Lost in Carrier's Flight with Pack of Wolves is Found After a Persistent Search.

MRS. DESCH, CALIFORNIA'S WOMAN OLYMPIAN CANDIDATE.
San Francisco, Dec. 22.—This city makes a bid for Olympian honor, not only with Javelin Thrower Shneider, but with Mrs. Terle Desch, the beautiful water witch.

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ONE WOMAN INJURED IN TRAIN WRECK ON BOSTON-PORTLAND
Newburyport, Mass., Dec. 22.—The Boston-Portland passenger train on the Boston and Maine R. R., which left Boston at 12:30 p. m., was wrecked at a hand-on-collision just outside the Newburyport station about 2:25 p. m. today.

STARTS FOR SCHOOL Sees World on His Way
Ontario, Cal., Dec. 22.—One morning in the fall of 1909, Clarron Galloway, then 13 years old, dressed in knickerbockers and a short coat, started from his home for a trip to India.

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TOLLS CAN'T EXCLUDE BRITISH SHIPS FROM THE CARRYING TRADE
London, Dec. 22.—British ship owners apparently are not at all disturbed at President Taft's suggestion, contained in the message which he sent to Congress yesterday, that preference should be given to American ships in connection with the tolls levied for the passage of British vessels through the Panama Canal.

WALKED MANY MILES. SHE SCORNS HIM.
Chicago, Ill., Dec. 18.—Sold by her father for \$15,000 and delivered to her fiancé in accordance with Gypsy custom, Anna Muncho, a tribal princess, fifteen years old, scorns today to accept the youth to whom she was betrothed.

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Medical Man Also Declares Only the Mental "Also-Rans" Wrinkle Their Brows and Tap Their Fingers.

SAMAD OFFICIAL IS DISSATISFIED WITH AGREEMENT, RESIGNS
Berlin, Dec. 22.—Dr. Wilhelmus S. Solif, former Governor of Samoa, has been appointed secretary of state of the colony in succession to Dr. Dluquist, who resigned his portfolio because he was dissatisfied with the Franco-German agreement on the Moroccan question.

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FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE ANXIOUS ABOUT MINISTER
Paris, Dec. 22.—The French foreign office is unable to obtain replies to cables addressed to M. Bellin, the French minister resident at Asuncion, the capital of Paraguay. It is thought at the foreign office that the Paraguayan city, which has a population of about 20,000, has been surrounded by victorious Paraguayan insurgents. The revolutionary movement was started about a month ago.

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KANSAS WOMEN SEIZE BEST EXECUTIVE JOBS.

Are Entering Every Sphere, They Prove Successes in Farming, Politics, Finance and Elsewhere.

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 19.—Kansas women are finding that teaching school, clerking in dry goods stores and setting as stenographers are not the only things they can do.

Probably the best known woman farmer in Kansas is Miss Mary Porter of Dodge City. She grows the best wheat in the state and the Oklahoma agricultural college buys practically all of her yield each year for propagation.

Miss Tillie Rheinhardt, eighteen years old, has managed her father's farm in Reno county two years, and shows a profit under the adverse conditions of the last season even greater than when her father was in control.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 22.—Plants of a South State street motorman disclose that a fortune awaits some one possessing an inventive mind.

"I suppose you wear out a pair of shoes a week tapping that bell," the reporter said. "That's not far from hitting the mark. But, say, why is it that shoe stores in cities where there are trolley cars do not carry a stock of left hand shoes or left footed shoes, I suppose I ought to have said."

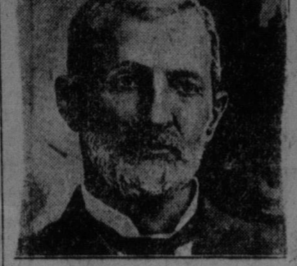
"You see, the tanning wears a hole through the sole in our left side, and as the bell knob is at our left side, we can't switch over and use the other foot without twisting our bodies and weakening our grip on the handles."

ASTONISHED WHEN PUSSY JUMPS OUT. Post Office Clerk Finds Live Kitten in Mail Sack After Journey of 150 Miles.

Leominster, Mass., Dec. 19.—When Fred A. Stavilla, a clerk at the post office opened a New York and Chicago mail sack received at twenty-five minutes past seven o'clock this morning, out jumped a black kitten.

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KENTUCKY GIRL IS MADE REAL SQUAW. Leonidas Merritt, Who is Chippewa Chief, "Adopts" Steel Committee Clerk Into Tribe—Peculiar Rite.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—When Miss Katherine Green, of Henderson, Ky., arrives home from Washington tomorrow night she may surprise her friends by wearing in a ladylike tone a war whoop of the Nikanias Indians.

Way back in 1856, when Mr. Merritt was a boy of twelve, with the other members of his family of Minto, he was adopted by the Chippewa tribe of the Nikanias, a great honor in those days.

IGNORES THREATS IN MOUNTAIN HOME. Broad valleys of waving grain now creep away up the gentle slopes; hill-sides planted with vine and olive tree ever grow thicker, then far away we sight a miniature city.

LEADING PAPERS DISPLAY THE DANGER SIGNAL AGAINST ALUM IN FOOD. Thousands have no doubt read the commendable articles recently appearing in some of the leading American and Canadian papers on the use of alum in baking.

IF YOU CAN'T PART TAKE HER WITH YOU. Gatemmen Declare Kissing in Railway Stations is Worst Evil of Age—Many Ways Practised.

Denver, Col., Dec. 21.—"Don't kiss in railway stations," said the same time, "Don't kiss the gateman."

"Where is the train for Kansas City?" she asked frantically. "Oh, dear, away over there," Mr. Hubert—yes, I have it. Wait a minute, I've got it in my purse—Oh, where is it? I had it a minute ago, Oh, dear me, the train will leave me, I know, Goodness! Oh, here it is. Hurry up, will you? Is it all right? Can I see which track did you say? Good by, mother dear—and at this point the gateman swears because Cecilia must kiss every member of the family goodby, and her sweetheart as well.

'STAMP LICKING' IS NO JOKE TO THEM. Servants of English Mistresses Are Up in Arms Against Lloyd George's New Insurance Bill.

London, Dec. 22.—For once the mistresses and domestic servants of England are united. They refuse to "lick stamps" for Mr. Lloyd George. The servant does not look upon her employer as an enemy any more. They have joined hands in a sympathy against the common enemy, that enemy being the new insurance bill, which the Chancellor of the Exchequer would make law, compelling their mistresses to each to lick six cents' worth of stamps a week toward the insurance of every servant.

PERSIANS ATTACKED RUSSIAN DETACHMENT. St. Petersburg, Dec. 21.—According to reports received from the town of Julfa, a suburb of Isfahan, Persia, the Persians today attacked a Russian detachment. The fight lasted all day and artillery took part in the engagement.

HUSBAND KILLED; OLD SUITOR HELD. Huntington, Pa., Dec. 19.—Benjamin P. Galoup, formerly a farmer in Kansas who has been employed by a contractor here, was called to the door of his home early this morning and shot to death. Frank Calhoun alleged to have once been an admirer of Mrs. Galoup, is under arrest charged with the murder.

WOMAN LIES AT 117; LIVED IN 3 CENTURIES. Savannah, Ga., Dec. 19.—Conscious to the last minute and in possession of all her faculties, Elara Britny, a negro, 117 years old, died today at the home of her grandson, James Span, in West Savannah.

Gift Bargains for Last Minute Buyers. Here are gift items representing broken assortments desirable to close out completely, so that shoppers coming in to get the will save considerable money.

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Apparelings of the Week

have issued invitations for a dance to be held at the Golf Club House on Thursday evening next for the purpose of introducing their daughter, Miss Katherine Bell.

Prince William street, to mark the site of the first newspaper office in this city. Mayor Friser unveiled the tablet and speeches were delivered by Mr. Russell Jack, Dr. G. U. Hay, Senator Ellis and Archdeacon Raymond.

Friends of Mrs. Andrew Jack will be delighted to hear of her convalescence. Mrs. Jack is to leave the hospital before the New Year.

The public schools closed on Wednesday. The closing exercises held in the High school were largely attended and the distribution of prizes was very interesting.

The social life this week has been apparently forgotten. Hostesses are all too busy with Christmas festivities to indulge in affairs of a lighter nature.

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Mr. Hugh McLean, Jr., returned on Wednesday from Yale. Miss Catherine McAvity returned last Saturday from Hazelton College, Toronto.

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SUFFRAGISTS FAVOR ALIEN ACT FOR MEN.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 19.—Suffragists of this city voted in approval of the decision of the supreme court of North Dakota compelling a wife to pay alimony to a husband. They think it is an important recognition of the equality of the sexes and will aid them in their fight to obtain the right to vote in this state.

BODY DRIFTS BACK TO SLAYER'S CABIN.

Escanaba, Mich., Dec. 22.—Additional details of the circumstances in which Arthur Lindquist arranged himself as a murderer have been told by the prison.

PURCHASED BUTTER. GOT TUBS OF EARTH.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 18.—Fifteen dollars a tub is the price paid by the B. S. Pearson Butter Company, of Elgin, for forty tubs of choice black Iowa butter.

HEN TRIES GAME ONCE TOO OFTEN.

West Springfield, Mass., Dec. 18.—A motorcycle driven about a mile a minute in Riverdale road, according to witnesses, ended the somewhat extraordinary career of the famous dog-ben, which for several months has foisted automobile drivers and trolley motormen in Ashleyville.

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MAN IS ENTRAPPED WITH SCARED DEER

Bangor, Me., Dec. 19.—Painful although not dangerous injuries were received by George F. Thurston, a travelling salesman for a New York dry goods store, in an adventure here with a frightened buck in an ice pocket on the head of a stream not far from Crawford pond, where he was shooting.

CHICAGO RECORD: "DOEN YOUR HUSBAND EVER LOSE HIS TEMPER?"

Chicago Record-Herald:—"Doen your husband ever lose his temper?" "Not any more. He lost it permanently about two years after our marriage."

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MUST DECIDE WHO IS BABY'S MOTHER.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 19.—Can a person who saw a baby whenever the child was ten days old, identify him 13 months afterward if he has not seen the boy in the meantime? Judge Collier, most solve this question, a few hours before he reaches a decision as to who is really the mother of the baby which is the subject of an unusual bearing on the petition of Bernard R. Batty asking that the court modify a divorce decree made last February.

YOU CAN'T SATISFY YOUR OWN HUNGER BY GIVING YOUR DOG A BONE

Neither can you build up your nerves with alcoholic remedies. To be Self-Reliant, nerves must have a food-tonic that nourishes and builds up the entire system.

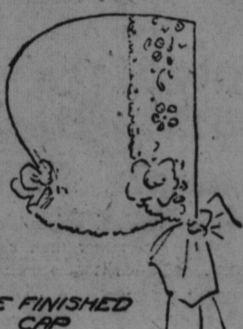
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SOME FANCY APRONS

IS THERE a woman anywhere who would not appreciate the gift of a dainty apron? I think not. For she mistress, maid or millionaire's wife, there will be times when an apron for dainty lawn and lace will be a daintily useful article in her possession.

As holiday gifts they are most acceptable, and any woman who can sew can make a pretty apron for a friend. Very inexpensive aprons are made of lawn, swiss, muslin and gingham. For the kitchen let the apron be of checked gingham, made amply full and wide, either with or without a bib, and tying in the back with neatly hemmed strings.

Big pockets on each side are a convenience, and those with a high bib having straps over the shoulders keep the dress underneath quite clean. An apron of fine white lawn is cut with a slight point in front, edged with embroidery, and has a small pocket on one side that is formed by applying a piece of embroidery as a patch.

Others of lawn or striped swiss are cut in points or with a rounded edge and trimmed with a narrow lace edging.

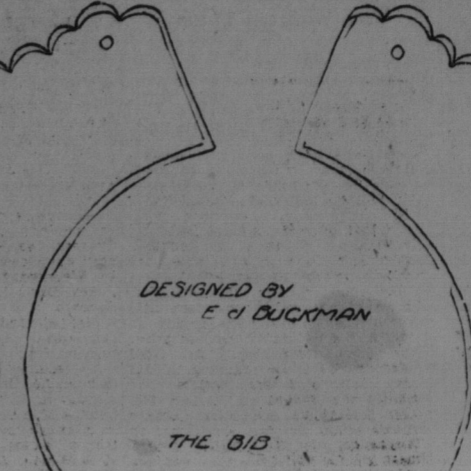
For the waitress make an apron of lawn, having two rows of insertion each side of the front and finished with a deep hem. Cut the apron about eighteen inches long.

A maid's apron is made one yard long, is finished with a deep hem and has a narrow bib of embroidery, with straps across the shoulders and long, broad strings.

Another type has narrow lappets stitched to the shoulder straps.

Nurses' aprons are made long and quite plain, having long strings and being finished with a deep hem.

In the realm of fancy aprons the variety is almost endless, for here one may use one's own discretion and taste regarding shape and trimming. Let me give you a short description of some of the favorites. A short rounded apron of fine white swiss, lace edged, having two shaped pockets, also edged with lace and trimmed with little bows of pink ribbon. Or sheer white mull, cut in slightly rounded shape and having a bib edged with lace. The apron itself is edged with lace and inset with one row of valenciennes insertion. A dainty pointed shape, with a broad hem applied with beading and a



DESIGNED BY E. J. DUCKMAN

THE BIB

FOR THE TIE END

Three Ways to Transfer

HERE are suggestions for transferring the pattern before you set any material before working. Perhaps the easiest way is the "window-pane" method. This is successful when the material is thin, like linen, batiste, etc. Pin the sheet of paper and the material together and hold them up against the glass of a window. With a sharp pencil draw on the material the design, which can be easily seen through the glass. If one-half of the design only be given, unpin the paper and turn the other side to the fabric. The strong light behind will make it plain.

If you have carbon paper, you should place the sheet between your fabric and the newspaper. This latter is on top. With a sharp pencil go over the outline of the design. The impression will be left in the lines and will last until worked. This method is successful on heavy material.

The last way is also easy. On wax paper or ordinary tissue paper trace the pattern before you. When the design is completed, turn over the paper and outline the pattern with a heavy lead pencil. Then place the design down on the fabric and redraw the outline, pressing hard with the pencil. The pattern will be transferred without difficulty. Surely the way is easy.

Negligee Collars

IF YOU have sons who wear the soft double collars that are so comfortable in warm weather, and in fact will be worn all winter, you can make them yourself for very little expense.

Buy a linen collar pattern the correct size, or copy exactly a collar that pleases. One yard and three-quarters of heavy linen or canvas makes splendid covers for tables, bureaus and stands. Edging made for curtains are made of it and cushion covers have corners worked in this way.

GIFTS FOR THE BABY

ARE you thinking of a gift for a baby? Then why not combine beauty and usefulness and make the gift yourself?

If the little one needs a cap, purchase half a yard of handkerchief linen and make a perfectly plain cap for which you can buy the pattern at any department store. Then on a strip of the linen fourteen inches long and five inches wide, stamp and embroider a dainty design in mercerized linen thread. One of the most attractive patterns shows three circles of tiny daisies in the center of which is inset a medallion of Irish lace, and the circular part of the cap at the back is embroidered and inset in the same manner. The embroidered strip is edged all around with narrow Irish edging and is set on over the front of the plain cap that has been edged about with lace. This forms a double row of lace in the front, making an attractive frame for the little face.

A spray of tiny ribbon roses may further ornament the top of the cap if you wish. The linen cap, of course, is worn over a padded silk lining. If you make this lining yourself, sprinkle a little violet sachet powder between the silk and interlining.

I saw a very pretty cap designed for cold weather. It was of white fur, made perfectly plain over a pale pink lining, the only trimming being a cluster of ribbon roses and tiny green satin leaves placed directly on top and well to the front. A fringe of lace was inset between the fur and the lining.

Little slippers or booties are always acceptable, for restless little feet wear out so many shoes.

You can make these of linen, crash or aid. The tops of your old evening gloves can be cleaned and converted into the daintiest slippers for baby.

Cut the slippers over a reliable pattern and make according to directions, decorating the front and sides with dainty embroidery of Hebebo work. Even the buttons on linen booties should be embroidered. A short sacque of linen or the French flannel has a collar with scalloped edges embroidered in little sprays of forget-me-nots. The edge is buttonholed and a fringe of narrow lace is set underneath. Padded-back cuffs match and the sacque is lined with china silk.

Babies always need bibs. The number of patterns to choose from is virtually unlimited. They can be made plain or as fancy as desired, finished with embroidery, lace or featherstitching, only an important point to remember when making a bib for baby is to fit a pad of absorbent cotton under the top covering, else the moisture will soak through and ruin the dainty dress underneath.

A bonnet or carriage cover of French flannel shows small garlands of rosebuds worked in natural-colored floss, and inside each garland is a round medallion of Irish lace. The robe is bordered with a ruffle of flannel, which is edged with baby Irish edging.

Don't forget a pillow slip of fine linen embroidered on each end with a dainty spray of blossoms. This covers a small down pillow, which in turn has a cover of china silk in pink or pale blue. Surely from one of these suggestions you can select a pretty gift for baby.

PRESENTS FOR GIRLS

A CORSAGE sachet is one of the daintiest gifts for your debutante friend, for all young girls love a delicate perfume.

Buy one yard of four-inch-wide ribbon, either a plain delicate shade of pink or blue or a pretty flowered satin ribbon. Cut eight inches from one end; double it and round off the corners so that you have a circular piece. Now cut two layers of cotton wadding the size of the ribbon circle and sprinkle a good violet sachet powder in the center between the wadding. Lay the ribbon pieces over the cotton, turning in the edges; whip them over with sewing silk the color of the ribbon. Tie a pretty bow with a large loose knot in the center, and sew it to the center of the scented pad. It can be slipped inside the front of the corsage and pinned in place with a safety pin. A heart-shaped pad of satin edged all around with narrow valenciennes edging, inter-lace or rose, makes a charming corsage sachet.

A pretty hairden for the hair is made of four-inch-wide ribbon folded once through the center and cut eleven inches long. One end is finished with a chow of ribbon, concealing a tiny satin pad filled with sachet, and the other end finished with one loop and one pointed end of the ribbon.

Make a hat stand for your young friend from a cardboard cardboard eight inches high, six inches in circum-

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