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FIERCE BATTLE IN IRELAND RESULTS IN MANY CASUALTIES

British Minister of Labor Outlines Plans for Aiding Unemployed

JOINT COMMISSION FINAL COURT FOR COMMISSION FRONTIER

Sir William Hearst Tells the Young Canadian Club of Its Scope. Stress was laid upon the importance of the international joint commission as a body which will in the future be the final court of appeal in matters affecting Canada and the United States.

PROMOTES GOODWILL

Some years ago he continued, the governments appointed an international waterways commission, which recommended a treaty to the two governments providing for the appointment of the international joint commission, now existing.

LIQUOR MOVEMENTS IN ONTARIO DEBATED

Railways Say Officials Seeking Suppression of Traffic Should Welcome High Rates. BIRMINGHAM MAKES REPLY. Ottawa, Dec. 21.—(By Canadian Press.)—The movements of liquor by freight to supply the dispensary systems of Ontario and other provinces.

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Special Committee of Business Men to Be Appointed, With Three Million Pounds at Disposal—Unemployment Insurance Act to Be Amended, Removing Present Conditions—Building Trades to Absorb Fifty Thousand.

RANEY LOOKING INTO CHARGE OF COMBINE

Roebuck Investigates Agreement Between Employers and Plumbers' Union. LEGALITY IS DOUBTED. An investigation by the provincial attorney-general's department with a view to legal proceedings was revealed yesterday to the World.

TARIFF REPRISALS BY CANADA LIKELY

Louheed Intimates Retaliation Will Follow Projected Move by the U.S. Calgari, Dec. 21.—The question of a high protective tariff on goods entering the United States has not been thrown into the Canadian arena yet.

SOUTH WALES MINERS GO OUT ON STRIKE

London, Dec. 21.—A general strike of miners in the Rhonda coal fields of South Wales has been declared in consequence of the refusal of the Ocean Coal Company, which operates several local pits.

RAIDERS ATTACK CORK POSTOFFICE

One Is Killed and Several Other Persons Reported Wounded. Cork, Dec. 21.—Armed men this evening raided the parcel department of the postoffice.

NEWFOUNDLAND GOVERNMENT DEFIED BY FISH EXPORTERS

St. Johns, Newfoundland, Dec. 21.—Conflict between the Colonial government and the fish exporters has developed from a regulation by the government recently assumed full control over sales of fish to foreign countries.

OPEN EVENINGS TO BUY XMAS GIFTS

The Dineen Co. will be open every night until Christmas for the benefit of those who cannot shop during the day. Special values will be offered in all the departments of the store.

FIRST VICTORY WON BY PROPONENTS OF S. TARIFF BILL

Bill to Be Brought to a Vote in House of Representatives Today. SENATE IS DOUBTFUL. Washington, Dec. 21.—The Fordney emergency tariff measure, designed to protect some twenty odd farm products by virtually stopping their importation thru heavy duties.

TIPPERARY IS SCENE OF FIERCE FIGHTING

BOTH SIDES SUFFER. Several Soldiers and Police Killed, Together With Many Civilians—Police and Military Ambushed at Three Places—Reinforcements Called For—People of the Countryside Flee From Homes in Terror. Dublin, Dec. 21.—Heavy fighting has taken place between large forces of civilians on one side and soldiers and police on the other in the section lying between Callan, County Kilkenny, and Glenbowee, County Tipperary.

THUGS AND GUNMEN ARE AGAIN ACTIVE

Two More Hold-Ups Occur, But Highwaymen Get Very Little. ROBBERS LOSE TEMPER. Two gunmen held up Fred H. Brito, 479 Salem avenue, at 10:28 last night on Davenport road, near Greenwald avenue.

ADDED SAFEGUARDS MAY MAKE IRELAND ACCEPT HOME RULE

Three and a Half Years Is the Time Limit Set for Acceptance. BILL NOW AGREED ON. London, Dec. 21.—The Irish Home Rule bill, as slightly modified by the house of lords, was adopted by the house of commons today.

LABOR'S POINT OF VIEW PRESENTED TO MEIGHEN

Letter-Carriers Urge Consideration of Their Demands for Increased Wages, and Shipbuilders Ask Recognition of Ninety Cents an Hour Rate—Attentive Hearings Given. Premier Meighen's brief stay at the King Edward Hotel was not an eventful one.

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HOODOO PURSUES THE PALMER FLEET

Sixth Vessel Out of Eight Has Been Abandoned at Sea.

Boston, Dec. 21.—The owners of the schooner Jane Palmer, which was reported Saturday in distress 500 miles east of Cape Hatteras, were notified today that the vessel had been abandoned and her crew landed at Bermuda by the steamship Cotuit.

The first of the fleet's misfortunes occurred in 1909 when the Marie Palmer was lost off Frying Pan Shoals, N.C. In the same year came the loss of the Davis Palmer on Hardings' ledge, off Boston harbor.

Bad luck has pursued the Jane Palmer in the last year. Four days out of Liverpool last March, bound for Fernandina, Florida, she was obliged to put back for repairs.

PREMIER AND MRS. MEIGHEN VISIT IN MONTREAL TODAY

Montreal, Dec. 21.—Premier and Mrs. Meighen are to arrive in this city tomorrow. They are to be the guests of Hon. C. C. and Mrs. Balfour.

WINNIPEG RAILROADMEN ALL WORK THIS WINTER

Winnipeg, Dec. 21.—With few exceptions, the employees of the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways here will be well employed this winter, officials announced today.

Sudbury Apartment Burns; Families Narrowly Escape

Sudbury, Ont., Dec. 21.—The LaSalle Building, one of the largest and most substantial apartment houses in Sudbury, is an almost total wreck as a result of a fire which broke out at 11 o'clock this night, rendering twelve families homeless.

DOWAGER LADY ROBERTS DEAD

London, Dec. 21.—Nora Henrietta, Dowager Countess Roberts, widow of the late Field Marshal Earl Roberts, died today at her residence in Ascot Heath.

KILLED BY TRAIN

St. Catharines, Ont., Dec. 21.—The body of George Hunter, 55, an employee of the Welch Grape Juice Co., was found along the Grand Trunk tracks two miles west of the St. Catharines depot this morning, having been struck by an engine while walking to his work.

18 VICE-PRESIDENT OF McGill

Montreal, Dec. 21.—The board of governors of McGill University announced today that Dr. F. D. Adams, dean of the faculty of applied science, has been appointed vice-president of the university, in succession to Dr. C. E. Moyer.

G.T.R. SECRETARY PASSES AWAY

London, Dec. 21.—Henry Norman, secretary of the Grand Trunk Railway, and for 50 years a servant of that company, is dead.

CHRISTMAS CHRISTMAS

Advertisement for Stewart Phonograph featuring a gramophone and various records.

J. H. BURNHAM PREDICTS EARLY FEDERAL ELECTION

Peterboro, Ont., Dec. 21.—J. H. Burnham, ex-M. P. and straight Conservative candidate in the coming by-election in West Peterboro, today said he had good reasons for saying that there would be a reconstruction at Ottawa and an appeal to the people by general election at an early date.

CANDY TAX STAYS; NO MOTOR REBATE

Ottawa, Dec. 21.—(By Canadian Press)—Candy manufacturers who object to having their products subject to luxury tax the same as alcoholic beverages and toilet preparations, and automobile men who think they should have a rebate on cars they purchased under the tax are not likely to receive a great deal of helpful sympathy from the cabinet judging by the remarks of different cabinet ministers to the Canadian Press this morning.

Federal Cabinet Ministers Unfavorable to Further Luxury Tax Concessions.

In the case of candy, the government, it is stated, takes the stand that the cheaper grades, which are usually given to children, are free of tax in any case, as there is no suggestion of depriving the kiddies of their Christmas candy, and the more expensive grades of chocolates, etc., which are really in the luxury class, are still taxed and likely to remain so.

LADY MINTO IS COMING TO ATTEND SON'S WEDDING

St. John, N.B., Dec. 21.—Among the passengers who will arrive here on the C.P.S. liner, Empress of France, which is due Thursday morning, will be Lady Minto, who is said to be coming to Canada to attend the wedding of her son, the Earl of Minto. He will meet his mother when the liner docks at Sand Point.

W. H. Cluff, Aged Eighty-Three, Is Ottawa Mayorality Candidate

Ottawa, Dec. 21.—W. H. Cluff, ex-city auditor, today announced his intention to run for the mayor's chair in the January municipal elections.

C.P.R. PROMOTION

Montreal, Dec. 21.—The Canadian Pacific Ocean Services announced today the appointment of A. H. Tessier, for the last two years passenger agent at Shanghai, to be general agent at that port.

Canadian Pacific Railway Special Train Service From Toronto Union Station and Parkdale.

Anticipating an unusual heavy travel during the Christmas holidays, the Canadian Pacific has arranged the following extra train service for Friday, December 24th: From Toronto Union Station: 3.10 p.m. for London and intermediate stations. 4.45 p.m. for Havelock and intermediate stations. 4.45 p.m. for Hamilton. 6.15 p.m. for London and intermediate stations. 7.05 p.m. for Hamilton. From Parkdale: 3.20 p.m. for London and intermediate stations. 5.20 p.m. for Orangeville or beyond, making all intermediate stops. 6.35 p.m. for London and intermediate stations.

CATTLE AND CHICKENS BURN

Ottawa, Dec. 21.—Sixteen head of cattle, five pigs and 50 chickens were destroyed by fire, which mysteriously broke out on the farm belonging to George N. Nash, of Aylmer, situated on the Aylmer road, when three large farm buildings were completely destroyed, causing \$8,000 loss.

SUGAR DOWN AGAIN

St. John, Dec. 21.—The wholesale price of sugar dropped fifty cents a hundred pounds here the first of the week and is now selling at \$10.60 a hundred for granulated and \$9.85 for yellow.

WHAT KINGSTON GARDENS GREW

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 21.—(Special)—A statement handed into the Dominion tariff commission estimated the value of farm produce marketed in the city as aggregating half a million dollars during the year.

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ACCORD WELCOME TO CANADIAN NAVY

Ships Presented by Britain Met at Halifax by Duke of Devonshire.

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 21.—The cruiser Aurora, destroyers Patriot and Patricia, and submarines P.C. 14 and 15, with Captain Henry C. H. Adams, C.N.R., in command, Great Britain's Christmas box to Canada, were formally welcomed by a distinguished group of officials, headed by his excellency the governor general, on behalf of the people of the Dominion, on the arrival of the three former vessels here this morning.

Officers Ashore

The cruiser Aurora was tied up at the dockyard wharf here tonight and most of her Canadian officers, untroubled by the cocked hats and gold lace of officialdom's welcome to the Canadian navy this morning, were ashore visiting relatives or friends.

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MANUFACTURING OUTPUT

In no department of Canadian industry has development been more rapid than in that of manufacturing, the value of the annual production having increased from \$71 per head in 1881 to \$360 in 1917.

Large advertisement for Brunswick Phonographs and Records, featuring a gramophone image and text: 'Now the Luxury Tax is Abolished This Beautiful Brunswick Costs You Only \$205'. Includes a price list for various models and a list of distributors.

Soon to Start Building Elk Lake-Gowganda Line

Cobalt, Ont., Dec. 21.—Work on the railroad to be constructed between Elk Lake and Gowganda, a distance of 28 miles, will be commenced in the spring. Originally planned as a narrow gauge road, it is now the intention of the reorganized company to have a standard gauge, electrified line, with 55-pound steel rails.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY TRAVEL

The new fast service of the Canadian National-Grand Trunk Railways between Toronto, Ottawa and Quebec offers a convenient and comfortable manner of travel for those planning Christmas and New Year holidays.

WILL MINE ASBESTOS

Elk Lake, Ont., Dec. 21.—A gang of men, together with a large quantity of supplies, has gone into the asbestos properties at Rahm Lake, 30 miles from here. A considerable amount of ore already mined will be shipped out to this point.

JUDGMENT AFFIRMS HIGHER RAIL RATES

Ottawa, Dec. 21.—(Canadian Press)—On the ground that, notwithstanding the criticisms to which the board has been subjected, its findings cannot, on the most searching analysis, be fairly characterized as other than just and reasonable, the board of railway commissioners, in a judgment handed down today, refuses the application of the governments of Manitoba and Saskatchewan for an order suspending the railway rate increases granted in an order issued on September 9, the higher rates being effective four days later.

Federal Railway Board Refuses Application for Suspension of Increases.

The order granting an increase in rates, which has been the subject of considerable criticism, was written by Chief Commissioner Carvell and concurred in by the other members of the board. The judgment handed down today was written by Commissioner Dr. J. G. Rutherford, and concurred in by the other members.

MURINE YOU CANNOT BUY NEW EYES

But you can promote a Clean Healthy Condition. Use Murine Eye Remedy "Night and Morning." Keep your Eyes Clean, Clear and Healthy. Write for Free Eye Care Book. Murine Eye Remedy Co., 9 East 68th Street, Chicago.

AFTER FLYING ENDURANCE RECORD

New York, Dec. 21.—Lieutenant Ross C. Kirkpatrick, United States army pilot, took the air early today from Mitchell Field, Long Island, with one companion in an attempt to break the world's record for endurance flying. Before leaving the ground he expressed the hope of staying up 34 to 37 hours.

SWEAR IN GOVERNOR

Ottawa, Dec. 21.—(By Canadian Press)—Rodolphe Boudreau, clerk of the privy council, left for Edmonton, Alta., tonight to swear in Dr. Brett as lieutenant-governor of Alberta for a second term. The date of the ceremony will be arranged on M. Boudreau's arrival.

ACCEPTED WAGE REDUCTION

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 21.—The one thousand employees of the Granby Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company at Anxox, B. C., have voted in favor of accepting a reduction in wages of 75 cents a day for the months of January, February and March.

Advertisement for Cuticura Soap: 'Cuticura Soap Will Help You Clear Your Skin'. Includes text about skin conditions and where to buy.

Vertical text on the far left edge of the page, including 'need', 'FREEZE', 'READERS WOULD BE BUSY', 'Comments on', 'Case.', 'action was to be', 'in connection with', 'were rife around', 'last night. Chief of', 'ever, but the quietus', 'that, although certainly', 'being made, no', 'of any nature was', 'working on every', 'said, "and are keep-', 'the time. A great', 'become obsessed over', 'to delight in', 'Alto we have in-', 'of communications', 'with the business', 'per cent. of them', 'out any foundation', 'each one to the bot-', 'eventually coming', 'and our position when', 'impossible for us to', 'operand to the', 'the information in', 'in case, and we are', 'our power to connect', 'I don't mind say-', 'nothing of any', 'break within the next', 'communication which', 'is investigated them-', 'men, but all the re-', 'fruitless.', 'NO CHARGED.', 'Campbell avenue, was', 'of Detective Johns of', 'aking. The man is al-', 'into the store at', 'on November 19, and', 'and plenty of bed clothing', 'articles.', 'QUEEN'S PARK.', 'buildings will be', 'Friday, Dec. 23, and', 'until the following', 'and closed from', 'number 21, until the', 'morning.', 'NAME CALLED.', 'Ambrose J. Small, 51', 'ed in afternoon police', 'a charge of speeding', 'the vehicle. She did', 'in her appearance. A', 'suggested that the', 'had been done by De-', 'connection with some in-', 'conducting, and the case', 'sentence.', 'DIAMONDS—Cash of', 'Credit, \$1, 23, 23', 'is. We trust any honest', 'person. Write or call', 'for catalogue.', 'JACOBS BROS., Dis-', 'mond Importers, 13', 'Yonge St. Arcade, opp.', 'Temperance St.', 'clock', 'MPANY', 'umers' Gas', 'ck, Toronto', 'ck" will be', 'any of To-', 'any of Janu-', 'usand seven', 'of the un-', 'each share', 'to certain', 'ticulars—of', 'to be used', 'of the Com-', 'mber, 1920.', 'ITT,', 'al Manager.'

SILVER CHRISTMAS OF BAPTIST MISSION

First Woman Missionary Went to India Twenty-Five Years Ago.

Toronto Baptists are celebrating the silver Christmas anniversary of their woman's medical mission to India. Twenty-five years ago their first woman missionary doctor was sent to India from Toronto and she is now home on furlough, the guest of honor of the mission board in Toronto for Christmas.

MISSIONARIES HAVE GREAT ENTHUSIASM

Rev. Dr. S. D. Chown, at Reception in His Honor, Tells of Work in Japan.

"The thing which struck me more forcibly than anything else during my travels thru Japan was the unbounded enthusiasm and untiring courage displayed by our missionaries. They are working under great difficulties and handicaps; in fact, are greatly overworked, but their courage never seems to waver. We must find a way to send them a measure of relief.

MAKE PRESENTATION TO ROTARIAN MEMBER

The entertainment committee of the Rotary Club were guests yesterday at noon of Fred L. Ratcliffe. The purpose of the meeting was to present Dr. A. H. Fricker with a Rotary Club diamond stud pin in token of his great work in the club, particularly in the formation of the Glee Club, which has attained signal success in musical circles.

NERVES ALL GONE TO PIECES

"Fruit-a-lives" Conquered Nervous Prostration

R. R. No. 4, GILBERT PLAINS, MAN. "In the year 1910, I had Nervous Prostration in its worst form; dropping from 170 to 115 pounds. The doctors had no hope of my recovery, and every medicine I tried proved useless until a friend induced me to take 'Fruit-a-lives'.

SIMPLE LIVING IS URGED BY WOMEN

Local Council Speaker Makes Appeal for Orphan Children's Toy Shower.

That an information bureau for the purpose of assisting those interested in the municipal campaign, will be opened next week, was announced at the meeting of the Local Council of Women yesterday afternoon at the Sherbourne House Club, Lady Falconer in the chair. The location of the bureau will be published later thru the press. Mrs. J. B. Laidlaw gave an enthusiastic report on a proposed paper campaign, which, after discussion, was endorsed by the meeting. The report of Judge Coatsworth was sent on to the committee of laws for consideration. Mrs. W. R. Jackson made an appeal for the shower of toys for the orphan children of soldiers, which will take place at the King Edward Hotel tomorrow.

SKATING IN ALGONQUIN PARK.

Reports received from the Highland Inn, Algonquin Park, advise that the guests are enjoying splendid skating this month. For winter sports Algonquin Park is unsurpassed. For all particulars and illustrated booklet, apply to any Grand Trunk agent, or write N. T. Clarke, manager, Highland Inn, and Inn, Algonquin Park Station, Ont.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Items intended for this column should be addressed to The World City Editor.

Miss Lawler, Mrs. Dennis and Mrs. Kelly are among those bringing guests to Miss Mary Powers' lecture on "Child Welfare," Thursday evening. Citizens are appealed to for the toy shower under the auspices of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., at the King Edward, tomorrow, for the orphan children of soldiers in the Jarvis street, Pembroke street and Avenue road hotels. Gifts will be received by Mrs. W. R. Jackson, Municipal regent, and her assistants.

The Chess Club have sent out invitations for a dance to be held at the Aura Lea club rooms on January 4. The dance will be held at the home of Miss Helen Northup, of Chicago, will receive for the first time since her marriage with Mrs. Edwin H. Jackson at "The Elms," Deer Park, on Thursday, December 23, from 4 to 8 o'clock.

A shower for the Christmas cheer baskets of the White Heather Camp, Daughters of Scotland, was held at the home of Mrs. M. Macdonald. Generous donations, including plum puddings, mince pies, fruit, canned goods, clothing and dolls and fifty dollars in money were received by the committee.

At St. Barnabas' Church, the marriage was quietly celebrated of Edna Margaret, eldest daughter of Mr. Charles Calow, Belfast, Ireland, to Mr. Herman Westenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Westenberg, of Chicago. The bride wore white satin with tulle veil and orange blossoms, and carried a shower of Ophelia roses. Miss Ruth Collins was the bride's only attendant, who was in this case with Miss Helen Northup.

Mrs. Sidney Small had a very successful meeting of her representative committee yesterday afternoon in connection with her campaign as alderman. True to her function as president of the Personal Service Club, Mrs. Brock Wilkins was in the chair with Mrs. Daniels as secretary. Mrs. H. M. Tovel, Denonia Park, is convening the telephone committee, and different districts were allotted to be canvassed. Among the workers present were Mrs. F. N. G. Starr, Mrs. J. W. Bundy, Mrs. Newton MacTavish, Mrs. Hermon, Mrs. Laing, Mrs. W. E. Groves, and others.

The Chatsworth Relief Society met yesterday afternoon at Sherbourne House Club and packed their Christmas baskets which they are preparing for eighteen families, to which they lend a helping hand. Accompanying these baskets will be nearly sixty Christmas gifts.

The wedding took place Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McFarland, 97 Roxborough drive, of Mrs. McFarland's sister, Miss Lueda McDowell, to Mr. Keith J. Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, of Napanee. The service was performed by the Rev. Donald McLeod, of the Rosedale Community Church, in the drawing room. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Dr. McDowell, of New York, wore a lovely gown of white satin and Brussels lace with long satin train lined with cloth of silver. Her veil of tulle was arranged in cap effect with coronet of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower of sweet-scented roses. The bride was attended by two little flower girls, her niece, Miss Mary McFarland, and Miss Catherine Robertson, of Belleville, dressed in dainty blue satin and tulle frocks. Mrs. McFarland, in orchid velvet, and the bride's mother, Mrs. McDowell, of Kingston, wearing black satin and Chantilly lace, held a reception. After the ceremony Mrs. Johnston left for Chicago before going to their new home in Kingston, the bride going away in brown tweed suit with matching hat and fur.

Miss Ella Bellinger, lady principal of Albert College, Belleville, has arrived in town to spend the Christmas holidays with her nephews, Mr. H. H. and Mrs. J. H. Bellinger. The first monthly dance of the Lady Rose Chapter, I. O. D. E., was held in the Davis Academy, with Mrs. J. Kennedy as convener. The guests were received by Mrs. W. S. Bates, regent, and Mrs. H. Baker. Proceeds for I. O. D. E. War Memorial fund.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Segsworth, South drive, will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dalton in Kingston. In the Bell Telephone Co.'s Assembly Rooms, seventy poor children were given a Christmas festival by the operators of North exchange. The children were seated in the hall in automobiles and were given a good substantial supper, then after a few games the approach of Santa Claus was heralded by wireless telephone, then amid shouts of "Here he comes," Santa Claus appeared, attended by Buster Brown, Mary Jane, Red Riding Hood, a tramp and a clown. The gifts taken from the children surprised and satisfied the youngsters, each child receiving a large variety of full of candies, nuts, oranges, apples and toys, also stockings to wear and toques. Every girl received a beautiful doll, and the boys a hockey stick. Afterwards the children were taken home, and the girls started in packing Christmas baskets for poor families.

A party of several intimate friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Smith, of West Toronto gathered Monday evening at West Toronto Station to bid them farewell on their journey to California, where they will spend the winter months. The Queen Alexandra Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire spent a most enjoyable evening at the home of Mrs. Verle 1225 West Queen street, of the occasion was the presentation of a mahogany table and a large centre-piece, and a basket of flowers to the regent, Mrs. Petch, by her many admirers. Tea was served in the dining room, and the table was decorated with holly and red-shaded candles, and red streamers in a cut glass vase. The toasts were responded to by Mrs. Northover to the King, Mrs. Addison responded to the toast for the Municipal Chapter Mrs. Clarke responded to the toast to the Queen Alexandra Chapter, and Mrs. Petch responded to the toast to the host and hostess and sang "For He is a Jolly Good Fellow" and wound up with "God Save the King."

The Children's Aid Society of Toronto (228 Simcoe St.) was not included with the Federation for Community Service drive recently made to the public, therefore asks its many friends for financial help, as well as personal sympathy and co-operation in its humane child-saving work. The old Knox College building, which will be used by the labor and medical health departments, is now being fitted up and will be occupied as soon as the work is completed.

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WOMAN CANDIDATE'S COMMITTEE MEETS RECONCILIATION WEEK IN SALVATION ARMY SACRIFICE SALE OF TOYS AND DOLLS ANNOUNCEMENTS

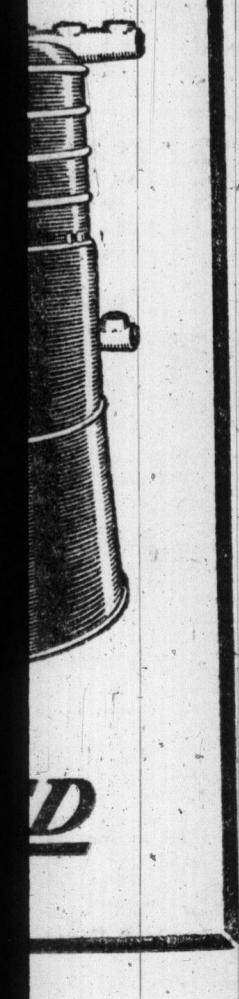
Santa Claus Eats Lawrence's Bread Of Course He Does! How Else Could He Be So Fat and Jolly? Once again he's with us, bringing good cheer to everyone. his beaming face and well-fed rotundity are most appropriate for a season of feasting and mirth. Lawrence's Bread, for that is a recognized necessity at every well-appointed table. Its sweet, nutty flavor; its rich, moist tenderness make it a contestant on even terms with the turkey and the pie for general favor. Lawrence's BREAD 11c a 24-oz. Loaf - 10 Tickets for \$1.10 PHONE COLLEGE 321 GEO. LAWRENCE'S BREAD, LTD.

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Ponce Rides Two Winners and Chief Scores at Big Price at New Orleans.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 21.—Today's race results are as follows: FIRST RACE—Claiming, purse \$600, 3-year-olds and up, maidens, 6 furlongs: 1. Caroline S., 107 (Babin), 8 to 5, 3 to 1, 1 to 1. 2. Hop Over, 110 (McDermott), 10 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1. 3. Horeb, 115 (Smith), 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 2 to 1. Time 1:19 2-5. Old Rose, Spartan Boy, Wanda, Beawax, Pansy Blossom, Biddie, Hayden, Adrien, H. also ran.

The World's Selections BY CENTAUR.

Secretary, Tony Sutton. Anna Gallup, Cobalt Lass, Big Idea. Trust Official, Thimble, Trantula. Fourth Race, Applejack II, The Nephew, Hidden Jewel. Fifth Race, Pizer, Master Bill, The Wit. Sixth Race, Hindostant, Merchant, Waukeag. Seventh Race, Nominac, N. K. Beal, Nebraska.

TODAY'S ENTRIES AT NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 21.—Entries for tomorrow: FIRST RACE—Purse \$600, claiming, 2-year-olds, maidens, 6 furlongs, 1 to 1.5 to 1. 2. Sea Court, 107 (Hamilton), 8 to 5, 7 to 1, 2 to 1. 3. Louise Wynne, 99 (Long), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, even.

TEESWATER PACER GOES TO CHICAGO

J. Markey Buys Royal Grattan From T. Trench—Training at Dufferin.

Yesterday T. Trench of Teeswater sold his great pacer, Royal Grattan (2:06 1/4), to Joseph Markey of Chicago, the price being \$16,000. The deal was put thru by Mr. C. Burns, acting for Mr. Markey. The champion pacer that is quartered at Dufferin Park is now in the hands of the Toronto customs ready to be shipped to Buffalo today, and then on to Chicago next summer for the Grand Circuit. Dufferin Park is providing more real sport free of charge these days than any place on the map. There are seventy-five trotters and pacers getting their final workouts for the big harness meeting that starts on Saturday, Christmas Day. The works on Monday were sensational from a time standpoint. Trainer Shively of the Trench stable of Teeswater and Bud Morrison of Tilbury gave the railbirds some real sport. The first named trainer worked Royal Grattan, who looked as if he would be a head from our King.

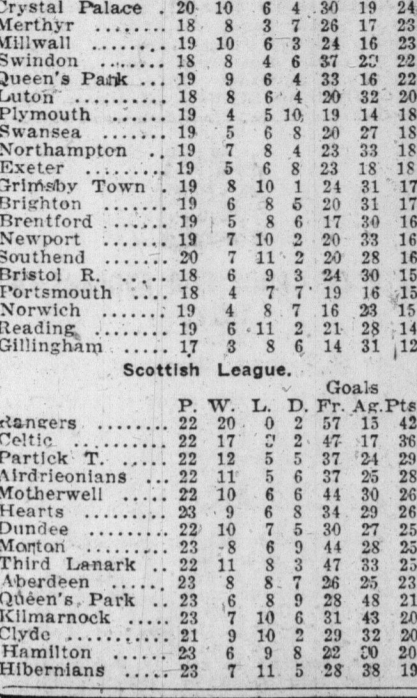
OLD COUNTRY RECORDS

Table with columns: English League, Goals, P. W. L. D. Fr. Ag. Pts. Includes teams like Burnley, Newcastle, Everton, Bolton, Liverpool, Manchester U., Aston Villa, Middlesbrough, Preston, Sunderland, Bradford, Huddersfield, Sheffield U., Sheffield Wednesday, Oldham, Doncaster, and Division II.

Fine Lot of Entries For Toronto D. C. Races Beginning Saturday

Entries for the Toronto Driving Club's races, starting on Christmas Day, are as follows: First Day, Saturday, 2:30 p.m., purse \$200, Britton, C. Lawrence, Beaverton; Tony the Hero, W. Rowan, Brampton; Teddy R. W. Rowan, Newmarket; Jimmie Moore, E. W. Pavn, Strathroy; Pearl Grattan, W. Trench, Teeswater; Minnie Pointer, A. T. Morrison, Tilbury; Jim T. P. McCarthy, Toronto.

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CROMWELL WINS THE HOLIDAY HANDICAP

Havana, Cuba, Dec. 21.—Following are today's race results: FIRST RACE—Purse \$700, claiming, 2-year-olds, maidens, 5 1/2 miles, 1 to 1.5 to 1. 2. Chefa, 101 (Hunt), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, even. 3. Ravanna, 105 (Bullman), 10 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1. 4. Diffidence, 110 (Connors), 3 to 1, 6 to 3, 3 to 1.5. Time 1:59 1-5. Bertha Minix, Vera Twyford, Miss Dixie, Flew High, Scotty, Monee, Lovic and Edgewood also ran.

AT HAVANA.

Havana, Dec. 21.—Entries for tomorrow are: FIRST RACE—5 1/2 furlongs, three-year-olds and up, claiming, \$700: 1. Eastern Glow, \$101 (Bester), \$106. 2. Briganda, \$108 (Snow Queen), \$111. 3. Frank Burke, \$111 (Roundel), \$111. 4. Prince Bonero, \$111 (B), \$111. 5. Kernan, \$111 (Truant), \$114.

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8 IDEAL WINTER CRUISES

West Indies—Windward Islands Panama Canal—South America LARGEST STEAMERS TO THE TROPICS White Star Line, S.S. Megantic, American Line, S.S. St. Paul.

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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

Toronto—Hamilton—Buffalo Lv. Toronto *8.30 a.m. *1.25 p.m. *4.00 p.m. *6.05 p.m. Lv. Hamilton *9.48 a.m. *3.05 p.m. *5.17 p.m. *7.25 p.m. Ar. Niagara Falls *11.10 a.m. *4.25 p.m. *6.33 p.m. *8.45 p.m. Ar. Buffalo (L.V.R.) *12.40 p.m. *8.00 p.m. *10.25 p.m. Ar. Buffalo (N.Y.C.) *5.55 p.m. *Daily *Daily except Sunday

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COMMERCE STATEMENT

Complete Change in Directions

The Canadian for the year... The report administration... The management... The reversal was attended by board...

STOCKS SLUMP AGAIN ON WAVE OF SELLING

Many Former Favorites Record Lowest Prices in Several Years—Replogle Steel Has Extreme Loss of Twenty-Two Points and Vanadium Steel Drops Seven Points.

New York, Dec. 21.—The stock market was weak by another tempestuous wave of liquidation today... Replogle Steel was the overshadowing feature...

TRETHEWEY SHOWING BIG SLABS OF SILVER

A wire received by Howard Graham & Co. yesterday said... New York wire production for November amounted to 449,338...

TORONTO MARKET WEAK WITH NEW YORK STOCKS

Renewed weakness was apparent on the Canadian exchanges yesterday... The market here was somewhat under the strain of selling pressure...

MANY STOCKS DECLINE ON MONTREAL EXCHANGE

Montreal, Dec. 21.—Following the example of the New York exchange, the local list had one of the severest slumps of the year today...

New York, N.Y., Dec. 21.—Byan Cons. on the curb fell fairly well, but it showed a net loss of only one point on the day...

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Record of Yesterday's Markets

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE. NEW YORK STOCKS. Table with columns: Bid, Asked, Bid, Asked, Shares, High, Low, Cl. Close.

TORONTO SALES. Table with columns: Item, Sales.

STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE. Table with columns: Item, Bid, Asked, Bid, Asked, Sales.

NEW YORK COTTON. A. L. Hudson & Co. report New York Cotton Exchange fluctuations as follows:



THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

Statement of the result of the business of the Bank for the year ending 30th November, 1920

Balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account brought forward from last year... Net Profits for the year ending 30th November, after providing for all bad and doubtful debts

GENERAL STATEMENT 30th November, 1920

TO THE PUBLIC. Notes of the Bank in circulation... Deposits not bearing interest... TO THE SHAREHOLDERS. Dividends Unpaid... Reserves

B. E. WALKER, PRESIDENT. JOHN AIRD, GENERAL MANAGER. Report of the Auditors to the Shareholders of The Canadian Bank of Commerce

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