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WEATHER MAN HOLDS OUT NO HOPE FOR TOMORROW, "CONTINUED VERY COLD"

Eighteen Below This Morning Official Record, With 24 Mile Wind From North; Woodstock and Andover Had it 35

"Northerly gales with snow in eastern portion, fair in west; Tuesday, northwest winds, fair and continued very cold."

The indications offer no immediate relief from the present severe cold spell and the only consolation lies in the fact that we are getting a bit used to it. The thermometer this morning registered eighteen degrees below zero at the meteorological observatory in Douglas avenue, and the maximum velocity of the cold northerly wind was twenty-four miles an hour. In different sections of the city as low as twenty-four degrees was recorded. Early this morning workmen returning from the Pointing Point, West Side, twenty-seven; Sand Point, twenty-six; Bay Shore, twenty-four; St. Stephen, twenty-five; Fredericton, twenty-four; Grand Falls, thirty-six; Point Lepreau, nineteen; Woodstock, thirty-five; Chatham, twelve; Gagetown, thirty-two.

The cold weather of the last few days struck Fairville with particular intensity, thermometers as usual reading several degrees lower than in the city. On Sunday 20 below was the general story, though 22 was reported in some sections. Today reports indicate that the cold has reached a climax not attained in years. On the Manawagonish road near Moore's Hill one thermometer is said to have registered 26 below while 23 and 24 below come from several reputable citizens. At 9 o'clock 20 below was read from a store vestibule in Main street, Fairville.

The Wilson Box Company started operations this morning as usual but found they could not supply enough steam to keep the machinery going and heat the mill premises too, so after an hour's work the plant was shut down. Car passengers crossing the bridges today remarked that it seemed almost like going through a fog the vapor from the river was so thick.

Two Places Report 35 From other places today came these reports: Sydney—Heavy fall dry snow, wind northeast, strong. Andover—35 below, clear. Edmundston—30 below at 7 a.m. Woodstock—36 below at 6 a.m., 26 at 10 a.m. St. Stephen—28 below, fair. Fredericton—28 below. Moncton—Light west wind, 15 below, overcast. Chatham—West wind, fine, 30 below.

Quebec Bridge Affected Quebec, Dec. 31—Due to the intense cold of the last three days, the structure of the Quebec bridge has sustained a contraction of fully nine feet. This will not affect the structure, for this state of things had been provided by the engineers. 58 Below Sherbrooke, Que., Dec. 31—The coldest spell in many years holds this district in its grasp. Yesterday and today the thermometer registered 45 below at the Experimental Farm, Lennoxville. Rock Island 58 below is reported. Business in many of the smaller stores is completely at a standstill, owing to inability to keep buildings warm by special train. New Year trade is almost nil today, as people are unable to travel. The coal situation is becoming very acute, and the dealers are beset. There is coal on the way, but it has been held up on the railways.

PHONE STRIKE IN BOSTON IS AVERTED Boston, Dec. 31—A threatened strike of telephone operators of the New England Telephone Company in this city and nearby was averted last night when the principal wage demands were granted by the company. The settlement was announced after conferences by a federal mediator and representatives of the company and the young women of the operators' union.

ARRESTS IN NOME ON SEDITION CHARGES Nome, Alaska, Dec. 31—Earl Rogers, editor of the Nome Industrial Workers, and five members of the editorial board of the paper, which is owned by a miners' union, were arrested yesterday for alleged seditious articles which, it is charged, appeared in the Worker.

AMERICAN EXPORTS IN EXCESS OF SIX BILLIONS. Washington, Dec. 31—America's exports were estimated today at the department of commerce to have passed the \$6,000,000,000 mark in 1917, a new high record. Imports were less than \$3,000,000,000, and the trade balance in favor of the United States probably will be more than \$3,100,000,000.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Mrs. Catherine McKay took place this morning from the Mater Misericordiae Home to the Cathedral, where high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. William Duke. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

Seven Hundred Canadians Mentioned In Haig Despatches London, Dec. 30—More than 700 Canadians are mentioned in Sir Douglas Haig's despatch of Saturday night. The list embraces all branches of the service. General Sir Arthur Currie to privates and nurses. Mentioning names is impossible, but the names will appear later.

SEVEN DEATHS IN NEW YORK

Coal Famine Impending There Today

Gotham Has Not Suffered so Much In Thirty Years as on Saturday and Yesterday—Worse Today, as Many More Would Have to be Out Doors New York, Dec. 31—Below zero weather for two days resulting in private houses and apartments consuming thousands of tons of coal above their normal requirements has made such deep inroads in the surplus today that a coal famine is impending in this city. Across the Hudson River are thousands of tons of coal, but the severe weather made its transfer to distributors a matter of extreme difficulty. Not in thirty years has this city suffered as it did on Saturday and yesterday, and, hopeless of relief, was preparing to suffer again today. At 8 o'clock this morning thermometers registered seven degrees below zero, while reports from outlying districts showed lower temperatures by several degrees. Directly or indirectly the cold yesterday resulted in seven known deaths, while hundreds were treated at hospitals, which report that there will have to be many amputations of frost-bitten fingers, toes and ears.

City officials and charity workers predict that today there would be more widespread distress than yesterday, when thousands, enabled by the Sunday idleness to remain indoors, would be forced into the open. In Boston, Boston, Dec. 31—New England was still suffering today from the most severe cold wave ever officially recorded in this section. In this city the temperature remained below zero all day, with a stiff northeast wind. The minimum was eight below. In many districts the power will be faced with the danger of actual freezing in their homes. The scarcity of coal has forced them to buy in very small quantities, and as the coal yards were closed yesterday there was no opportunity for them to replenish their exhausted supplies. Municipal and charitable officials are endeavoring to make arrangements in an effort to meet all needs.

Reports from New England stations included: Portland, Maine, 16 below; Concord, N. H., 16 below; Hartford, Conn., 14 below; Burlington, Vt., 24 below.

Action By Railroads. Washington, Dec. 31—Immediate action by the railroads to relieve the critical coal shortage, particularly in New England and other sections suffering from the cold wave, was being considered today by Director-General McAdoo and members of the railroad war board.

POLITICAL BALANCE IN CONGRESS VERY CLOSE Washington, Dec. 31—How close the political balance in the House will be when congress re-convenes on January 8, is shown by the following summary made by the clerk of the House: Total membership, 438; Democrats, 211; Republicans, 209; Independents, 6; vacancies, 9.

Phelix and Pherdinand WEATHER REPORT

1918 Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service. Synopsis—The weather has moderated in the western provinces, but continues very cold over Ottawa Valley eastward. Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Partly fair and not so cold, with some light snow today and on Tuesday. Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Fair and very cold today; stationary or a little higher temperature on Tuesday. Lower Lawrence—Fair and very cold today and on Tuesday. Gulf and North Shore—Northerly winds, mostly fair and very cold; local snowfalls in eastern portion. Still Very Cold Tomorrow Maritime—Northerly gales with snow in eastern portion, fair in west; Tuesday, northwest winds, fair and continued very cold. Manitoba and Saskatchewan—Some local snowfalls, but mostly fair with stationary or higher temperature. Alberta—Some light local snow, but generally fair, not much change in temperature. Superior—Some light snowfalls, but mostly fair today and on Tuesday; stationary or lower temperature on Tuesday. New England—Generally fair and not quite so cold tonight and Tuesday, except probably snow in Connecticut Tuesday; light north winds becoming variable.

ON RUSSIAN FRONT



Centenarians These two "soldiers" are sufficient to keep the Russian army in check to the end of the war, and we can now attack the English at Ypres! (Hurray!)—From Mocha (Moscow).

Thousand Dead; 40 Per Cent of Homes In Guatemala Wrecked

New York, Dec. 31—An estimate of 1,000 persons dead in the earthquake ruins of Guatemala City is contained in a telegram received here from the Central and South American Telegraph Company's manager at San Jose, Guatemala, who returned to San Jose from Guatemala City yesterday. The message reads: "The English and American consulates are badly wrecked. Forty per cent of the houses in the city are demolished; most of the houses have collapsed and are uninhabitable. The penitentiary, asylum and ministerial buildings are all wrecked. The office and large churches are demolished. Material losses have been declared and several looters have been shot. The president has ordered the inhabitants of the city to leave. Terrific earthquake shocks continue at intervals of about five minutes. The death toll is estimated at 1,000. All telephone wires in the interior are again silent."

Quebec Business Boycott Against Ontario Begun, Says Le Canada, Montreal

Montreal, Dec. 31—A business boycott against Ontario by people of Quebec has begun, according to Le Canada, a Liberal morning paper published here. Le Canada says it knows of some French-Canadian houses in Montreal and other Canadian houses in Ontario that have dealings with Ontario concerns, people who are regarded as the enemy of their race. Le Canada further contends that the merchants of a whole city in this province have unanimously decided to boycott Ontario establishments and to deal only with Quebec or American firms. Le Canada says that Ontario expected that Quebec wanted to dominate Canada and that it will find that it will simply stop at home.

GREAT BRUSH FIRE FIFTY MILES WIDE

London, Dec. 31, via Reuter's Ottawa Agency—A despatch from Sydney says that the biggest bush fire recorded in the bay districts has been burning for days on a front of fifty miles, heavily destroying crops, fencing and grass. Other fires are reported in the Wagga Wagga district.

WIDOW OF HON. RALPH SMITH DECLINES HERSELF CANDIDATE

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 31—Mrs. Smith, widow of Hon. Ralph Smith, minister of finance in the British Columbia government, announces that she will be a candidate for the legislature at the by-election in Vancouver made necessary by the death of her husband last summer. While Mrs. Smith is in the field as an independent, the Sun editorially suggests that it would not be a bad idea to accord her the honor of election by acclamation.

THE SITUATION IN AUSTRALIA

London, Dec. 31, via Reuter's Ottawa Agency—Melbourne's latest referendum figures are 945,000 votes for and 1,121,000 against. The referendum figures include the votes of the Australian forces hitherto announced, viz., 51,000 for and 56,000 against. London, Dec. 31, via Reuter's Ottawa Agency—It is understood at Melbourne that the National party is unlikely to do anything calculated to bring about an election. The federal session will be short. Approximately 130,000 referendum votes are still to be counted. Wellington reports that the government has virtually suspended the New Zealand hemp industry in order to divert labor to harvesting. MRS. JACOB L. WRIGHT. Friends of Mrs. Jacob L. Wright were gathered to hear of her death, which occurred in this city on Sunday evening, Dec. 30, aged seventy-seven years. She is survived by her husband, Jacob L. Wright, of Pleasant Point, also four daughters and three sons. The daughters are Mrs. G. R. Baxter of 168 St. James street, with whom she made her home; Mrs. H. E. Brown of 86 Summer street, and Mrs. Adam Phillips of Main street, and Mrs. Delphina Brown of Coal Mines, Queens Co. The sons are John D. Colwell, of 149 Victoria street, Robert Colwell of 44 Victoria street, and James Colwell of Cumberland Bay, Queens county; also there is one sister, Mrs. Eleanor Hughes of Cole's Island. Funeral service will be held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. R. Baxter, 168 St. James street, on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The body will be taken on Tuesday morning's train to Cumberland Bay for interment there.

DECEMBER BANK CLEARINGS. St. John Bank clearings for the month ending December 31, 1917, were \$8,225,118; for December, 1916, \$9,225,334; for December, 1915, \$8,990,553.

Hopes To See "The Boys Come Home" In 1918

Lord Derby's Cheery Message to Paris Matin; Lord Cecil Not so Optimistic; British Win Back Part of Lost Ground

London, Dec. 31—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—Lord Derby, in a message to Le Matin, hopes that the coming year will see the troops returning home after a victory of right over might.

Lord Robert Cecil, in a message, admits that the French and British troops have a hard year before them, but hopes that strengthened by the United States, they will hold out till victory. "Let us hope that the war will end before next New Year," he says.

London, Dec. 31—The British in successful counter-attacks on the Cambrai front have regained the more important territory on Welsh Ridge taken by the Germans in yesterday's attack. The war office reports: "On the Cambrai front, as a result of successful counter-attacks in which we captured prisoners and machine guns, we regained the more important part of the positions on Welsh Ridge, into which the enemy penetrated yesterday. The enemy still retains a portion of our front trench in the vicinity of Lavacquerie and south of Marcoing.

"On the Ypres front by a minor operation last night our line was advanced a short distance on both sides of the Ypres-Staden railway."

French Report. Paris, Dec. 31—"Artillery actions occurred last night northwest of Rheims," the war office reports. "There were patrol encounters north of the Chemin des Dames (Aisne front) and near Besonvaux (Verdun front). Everywhere else the night was calm."

Paris, Dec. 31—An American aviator was killed yesterday while making a test flight on an aviation centre before French and American pilots and observation aviators.

The German Air Service Falling. London, Dec. 30—A despatch to Reuters, Limited, from British headquarters says the Germans are experiencing difficulty in maintaining efficiency in their air service on the western front. The correspondent says prisoners are unanimous in saying that the output of new machines is very limited, and that this is compelling the employment of old types of aircraft.

Five Enemy Airplanes. London, Dec. 30—A British statement follows: "Two hostile machines were brought down in our lines on Saturday. A third was brought down in the machines' lines. Two other hostile machines were driven down out of control. None of our airplanes is missing."

GARMINI CHURCH IN PADUA BOMBED AND TAKES FIRE

Great Damage Caused and Lives Are Lost. SAN VALENTINE'S ALSO IRKUTSK SET AFIRE

Raid on Friday and Saturday Nights—Solidity of Walls and the Copper Roof Save Ancient Church From Total Destruction. Rome, Dec. 31—The war office communication issued on Saturday says: "Along the whole front there have been only artillery actions. They were particularly intense on the Monte Tomba sector. "At Pieve Di Zoligo, British airmen brought down one of the enemy's captive balloons. Last evening enemy aircraft repeated their raid on Padua, dropping more than twenty explosives and incendiary bombs. Three persons were killed, including one child, and three were wounded, including one woman. Much damage was done to monuments, private dwellings and other buildings and two hospitals. Fire broke out in the St. Valentine's church, which was hit. The fine Garmine church was partially burned."

The Church Fire. Padua, Dec. 30—The ancient monumental Garmine church of Padua was the scene of a vast conflagration last night which lighted up the sky for miles. The fire started from incendiary bombs dropped by enemy airplanes in another raid which scattered widespread destruction and death. The dome of the massive church burned throughout the night, making a majestic spectacle, but the solidity of the ancient walls, dating 1250, and the copper roof saved the main structure and the outer edge of the dome, which was soon a fiery furnace rising 160 feet in the centre of the city. One building was pierced from the top to bottom and torn to pieces by a bomb which buried four persons, three of whom were children. The church of San Valentine and the ancient palace were hit and partly wrecked. Other private buildings were also struck. While destruction of property was great, reports indicate the loss of life was not so serious as on Friday night.

CIVIL WAR IN EASTERN SIBERIA; MANY MURDERS

Pekin, Dec. 31—Civil war is in progress at Irkutsk, in Eastern Siberia, on the trans-Siberian railroad, and in the surrounding districts. The town was set on fire by Red Guards after they had murdered the French consular agent and three other Frenchmen. Many persons, including women and children, are being murdered, and street fighting is under way. The Bolsheviks continue to receive reinforcements and ammunition from Krasnoyarsk. The Cossacks are offering determined opposition to the Red Guards. The Siberian railway guards are outnumbered and are being killed or driven from their posts. Communication with Irkutsk has been cut off. Bolshevik uprisings have occurred at Tohita and at Verkhne-Udinsk, both of which towns are on the trans-Siberian railway. Harbin is quiet, with the Chinese in full control. They are guarding the banks, stores and railways. London, Dec. 30—A telegram received in Petrograd from Novo Tcherkassk, capital of the territory of the Don Cossacks, announces that General Kaledines, who recently resigned as hetman of the Cossacks on the ground that there was opposition to him at the front, has been re-elected by 502 out of 638 votes. (Continued on page 7, second column.)

RUSSIAN'S RETURN 14 SEIZED AUSTRIAN STEAMERS

Amsterdam, Dec. 31—Fourteen Austrian steamers seized by the Russians in the course of the war were restored to their Austrian owners in keeping with an agreement reached at Brest-Litovsk, according to a despatch from Vienna. The total gross tonnage of the steamers is 40,000.

British, Says Guardian, Will Reply To Enemy Peace Offer. London, Dec. 31—The Manchester Guardian says it is the intention of the British government, when the Austro-German terms of peace are presented officially, to return a serious and reasoned reply. Premier Lloyd George has arranged to visit France, according to the newspaper, to confer with Premier Clemenceau on this subject. The Austro-German peace terms referred to are those presented by the representatives of the Central Powers at the negotiations with the Russians at Brest-Litovsk. These negotiations were interrupted for ten days to give the Entente Allies opportunity to state whether they would join in them.

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THE NEW YEAR.

One of the most tragic years in human history draws to its close. The storm of war still prevails, and presses ever more hardily upon the world. The year 1917 brought more nations into the struggle, and taxed more and more severely the resources of those which were in it during the preceding two and a half years.

After nearly three years and a half of war, the necessity, in the interests of civilization, for the complete destruction of Prussian militarism is more clearly and convincingly apparent than it was a year ago. War-weariness must not weaken the arm of retribution. The enemy of civilization must be overthrown.

The world is at the parting of the ways. Even more sternly than a year ago must men and women resolve to walk the path of sacrifice, and to suffer hardship for the sake of an ideal, and in devotion to a cause whose triumph is worth all the suffering and sorrow the strife may bring.

The New Year finds Canada unflinching and unafraid, though realizing more fully than before the grim nature of the task to be performed. Her decks are cleared for action. The voice of the people has been heard. The nation has stripped for war to the very end.

Canada has enjoyed a year of great and amazing prosperity. Her people have not suffered through lack of food, or of any of the necessities or even the luxuries of life. The conditions will change before the coming year is ended.

order that Europe may be fed, and the armies kept on a fighting basis, this country must send more of its food products overseas, and to that end the strictest economy should be observed by one and all. The government must assume such supervision of the life and conduct of the people as would be wholly unnecessary in times of peace; and the people must heartily agree and co-operate.

Instead of New Year rejoicing and festivity the country is face to face with a great task, the performance of which is necessary to make succeeding New Years bright with promise. If there are any who would seek to keep alive the spirit of controversy between Quebec and other provinces, they should be reminded of the greater common danger and the need of unity in the face of a common foe.

King George says: "The world-wide struggle for the triumph of right and liberty is entering upon its last and most difficult phase. The enemy is striving by desperate assault and subtle intrigue to perpetuate the wrongs already committed and stem the tide of a free civilization."

Will 1918 see the end of the war? Whether it does or not, the war must not end until Prussian militarism has been crushed. The world must be saved from a repetition of the horrors of the last three and a half years.

The Belgian minister at Petrograd declares the German peace proposals are not acceptable to his country. He is right. Belgium must be restored and also guaranteed against any future destruction by German barbarians.

The most sought-after persons in society today are the coal man and the plumber. And yet it is doubtful if they feel very highly flattered by the attentions lavished upon them by all classes.

Have we all been suffering from the cold streak that went down the spine of certain patriots when news came of the re-opening of the Valley Railway enquiry?

It is said that the Germans had a million casualties along the French front this year. And the French had the best of the fighting all through the year.

Out of fifty-four German Zeppelins forty have been destroyed since the war began. The Zeppelin proved to be one of Germany's failures.

Perhaps the cold wave will lessen the heat of controversy in certain sections of Quebec and Ontario. It would be worth a few shivers to witness such a result.

New Year's Eve will be celebrated this time without the aid of a whisky bottle. That is one great source of satisfaction for the citizen.

The Germans are on the offensive in the west. Thank Russia for that.

NEW YEAR'S SPECIALS

- 1 lb. Block Pure Lard..... 22c
1 lb. Block Shortening..... 27c
1 lb. tin Crisco..... 32c
Choice Butter—Per lb..... 48c
Clark's Chili Sauce Beans..... 22c
Kkawah Jelly—Per pkg..... 10c
Tuna Fish—Per tin..... 30c
Yacht Club Mayonnaise..... 20c and 50c
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Dear lad! We can never forget you, Who went with the willing men When the call for the best came ringing Along by the moor and glen.

'Tis not a long road to the meeting, When the world's deep pain is o'er; We'll patiently till the shadows Sink over the sea and shore.

A heavy explosion occurred in Sydney last night in the Cross Fertilizer plant near the steel plant. The explosion set fire to the main building.

WORTH PASTING ON.

(Great Thoughts.) Here are a dozen don'ts for daily duties: Don't leave the sky out of your landscape. Don't use a pile driver to pin on a bow of ribbon. Don't let your stream of life be a murmuring stream.

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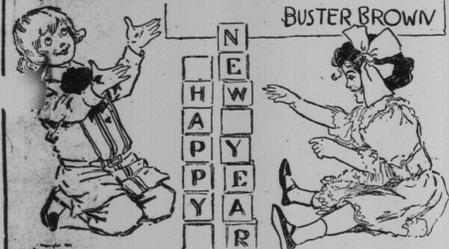
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CHURCH, CONVENT AND GLEBE HOUSE BURNED. The loss exceeds \$100,000. The theory is that the fire was caused by a defective fire in the rear part of the church.

Victrola It is not too late to get your Victrola for the Holidays You will enjoy its sweet music on New Year's Day—and appreciate it still more each succeeding day

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War Menus
Save Wheat, Beef and Bacon the men at the front. Incomes on the Office of the Food Controller for Canada.

MENU FOR TUESDAY.
(New Year's Day)
for 1918—Save and Substitute.
Breakfast:
Fried Fresh Herrings, or Bread, Tea or Coffee.
Dinner:
Roast Goose, Apple Sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Turnips, Carrot Pudding, Raisins.
Supper:
Cornmeal Gems, Maple Syrup, Bread Butter, Fruit Cake, Cocoa.
The recipe for Cornmeal Gems, mentioned above, is as follows:
One cup cornmeal.
One cup flour.
Three-quarter cup milk.
One egg.
One tablespoon melted butter.
One tablespoon sugar.
Three teaspoons baking powder.
Half teaspoon salt.
Mix and bake the same as for ordinary muffins.
(Wheat and meat saving recipes by Domestic Science Experts of the Canadian Food Controller's Office.)

MENU FOR WEDNESDAY.
Breakfast:
Buckwheat Griddle Cakes, Syrup, Toast, Coffee.
Dinner:
Beef Stew, Potatoes, Turnips, Brown Bread, Coddled Apples.
Supper:
Fish Kedgeree, Rhubarb Preserve.
The recipes for Buckwheat Griddle Cakes and Fish Kedgeree, mentioned above are as follows:
Buckwheat Griddle Cakes—
Half cup fine bread crumbs.
Two cups scalded milk.
Half teaspoon salt.
Quarter yeast cake.
Half cup lukewarm water.
One egg.
One tablespoon molasses.
Put milk over crumbs and soak thirty minutes; add salt, yeast cake dissolved in lukewarm water, and buckwheat flour; mix well; drop into hot pan; fry over fire until browned; well, add molasses one-fourth

HOOVER TO ISSUE A NEW HOME CARD

Food Facts and Conservation Set Forth by United States Administrator

The U. S. Food Administration will issue shortly a new home card carrying a message from Herbert Hoover that puts the situation squarely before the members of the administration.
The new card asks for a portless Saturday, a wheatless meal each day, as well as wheatless Tuesday, a meatless meal each day, as well as meatless Wednesday and a reduction of sugar to a monthly allowance of three pounds per person.
More than ten million families have pledged themselves to help make the year go around—this pledge, unless we interpret patriotism as mere lip loyalty and insincere affection, is a pledge to service as real as that of the soldier. The pledge card is not a mere scrap of paper, but the pledge of the American women to stand by the declaration of war.

The new home card reads: UNITED STATES FOOD ADMINISTRATION. Additional Directions to First Home Card.
Read again your original home card. If you have lost it, apply for another to the federal food administrator for your state.
(Shield)
(Insigla)
The Food Administration, aside from those general directions, asks everyone to maintain rigidly a minimum of at least:
One wheatless day each week and one wheatless meal each day, the wheatless day to be Wednesday. By wheatless, we mean to eat no wheat products.
One meatless day each week, which shall be Tuesday, and one meatless meal each day. By meatless, we mean to eat no red meat—beef, pork, mutton, lamb; no preserved meat—bacon, ham or lard.
Sugar—You can materially reduce sugar by reducing the use of candy and sweet drinks. We will make every endeavor to see that the country is provided with a supply of household sugar on the basis of three pounds of sugar for each person per month. Do not consume more.
Human foodstuffs comprise three principal elements:
Protein: Mainly present in meats, beans, fish, poultry, milk, and to some extent in grains.
Fats: That is, butter, cream, lard, bacon, margarine, cooking fats, beans, cottonseed oil and other vegetables.
Carbohydrate: Grains, sugar, potatoes and other vegetables.

As a nation we eat and waste 80 per cent. more protein than we require to maintain health. Therefore, we can reduce the amount of meat we eat without harm.
We eat and waste 240 per cent. more fat than is necessary.
Of the carbohydrate we can just as well consume corn, oats and the other cereals as wheat, and we have abundant supplies of potatoes and sugar.
Do not limit your supplies of milk and table butter, but consume it all. Don't waste any.
You can reduce the consumption of fats by reducing pastry and fried foods.
Remember the gospel of the clean plate, the serving of small portions, the purchase of less supplies.
Hoarding—Any person in the United States who hoards foodstuffs than he customarily keeps at home in peace times is defeating the food administration in its purpose to secure a just distribution of food and in its great endeavor to reduce prices. The hoarding of food in households is not only necessary, as the government is protecting the food supply of our people, but it is selfish and is a cause of high prices.
Such actions multiplied by thousands increase the demands upon our railroads for cars, and already, because of our military demands, it is with extreme difficulty we can now move the vitally necessary food to markets.
There is much insidious propaganda in the country against conservation and increased production. All opposition to these services is direct assistance to the enemy.
The reverse side of the card carries a message to those who have signed the pledge card of the food administration. It is as follows:
UNITED STATES FOOD ADMINISTRATION.
Washington, December, 1917.
(Shield)
(Insigla)
To Members of the United States Food Administration:
The food situation in Europe is far graver than when the preliminary survey of the food supply of the world for this year was made. We have an abundance of the food administration, by the prevention of exports, to retain for our people an ample supply of every essential

Hard to Drop Meat?
All depends on what you eat as a substitute. It is a good time to study "food value."
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foodstuffs. The harvests of our Allies have proved less than we had contemplated, and the great outpouring of shipping by the submarine during the last few months has further prevented them from the demands of the Allies there is a call upon us by the friendly neutrals for food supplies, and if we can not at least in part respond to these neutral calls, starvation on an unparalleled scale must ensue.
"Food has now taken a dominant position in the war, and we must ask the American people to sacrifice far more than was at first thought necessary. We have exported the whole of the surplus of the wheat from this harvest after reserving to ourselves an amount sufficient for our normal consumption of seed and flour until the next harvest, and the amount of wheat flour that the war bread of our Allies during this winter will be simply the amount that present time forces their consumption month by month. In other words, every grain of wheat or its products that the Allies receive from the United States from now on will be exactly the amount which our people have saved each month on their behalf.
The Allies today ask for 25 per cent. more meat and fats (pork, dairy products and vegetable oils) than we consider our monthly production permits us to send them without trenching on our own supplies, and on the other hand, we can consume less. Due to the shortage in shipping, our available sugar supplies must be less than normal from the present time forward.
Thus every particle of diminished consumption by the American people is one particle more for the soldiers, men, women and children of our Allies and for the starving people in other countries. This is a personal obligation upon every one of us toward some individual abroad in this emergency who is entitled to the extent of our own individual negligence.
If we are to produce the consumption of the few products which we cannot export and which we must not waste any foodstuffs. A great many individuals in our population eat far more food than is necessary to maintain their health and strength. In this emergency only the simplest of living is patriotic. We want no person in the United States to eat less than is required for good health and full strength, for in this emergency America requires every atom of the productive power of our people. While many can eat less, we must not waste any foodstuffs, and we must not risk the few that are vitally needed for export.
We must not overlook the fact that Russia collapsed, not because of the Germans on her borders, but largely because of the failure to organize and feed her own citizens and, if we are to emerge victorious from this war, we can not allow the collapse of another of our Allies—there is the most drastic reduction in their consumption; there is actual privation among their women and children; there is starvation in Belgium.
We have already issued a series of suggestions in the Home Card—a card that is now hanging in over ten millions of homes. These suggestions have and ready shown important results, and to these we now add others. The problem of saving in food is a local and individual one, so that more precise and definite rules just to all can be formulated. It is a matter for the conscientious consideration of every individual that he or she should eat only what is necessary to maintain bodily health and strength and unselfishly to

BOY SCOUTS AND THEIR LEADERS

(Canadian Finance)
Harry Lauder the other day told an eastern audience that the sea coast of Great Britain was in large part guarded by Boy Scouts. Too young to go into active conflict they are a bulwark of defence at home. And, though Canadian Boy Scouts may not be called to as literal a defence work as their brother leaders of the Old Land, they are learning lessons of service today that must go to strengthen the Canada of tomorrow.
Chipper, natty little chaps, you have noted them often lately—briskly doing their errands for Red Cross or Victory Loan committees. And so intently earnest about it that they frequently forget the scout law as to "smiling under all difficulties"—at least, until you caught their eye and started 'em off again by an impossible-to-keep-back friendly grin of your own.
In Manitoba alone there are today over 2,500 Boy Scouts—two battalions. Each lad is pledged on his honor: "To do his duty to God and the King; to help others at all times; to obey the Scout Law." Hundreds of other lads who are anxious to avail themselves of the activities of this greatest of boys' organizations are serving in the various battalions of the C. E. F. Some of them have made the supreme sacrifice, many of them have been reported in the casualties, and the others are rendering a good account of themselves in the strenuous warfare of the trenches.
Can you help carry on until the boys come home? The boy of today is well cared for in the home. In the school he is under the influence of the best. While he is at church and Sunday school, the man on the street says, "If he learns no good he learns no ill." But what of those hours that he spends outside of home, school and church?
"No man's land must be occupied," as Provincial Secretary A. T. MacIntosh puts it. That narrow indefinite territory between Right and Wrong is the boy's battle-ground; the activities provided in the Boy Scout programme open avenues for the occupation of his spare

Next Sunday Special Day of Prayer

Ottawa, Dec. 30—Sunday, January 6, has been fixed by proclamation as a special day of prayer throughout the dominion. The proclamation cites the following message from the King:
To my people:
The world-wide struggle for the triumph of right and liberty, is entering upon its last and most difficult phase. The enemy is striving by desperate assault and subtle intrigue to perpetuate the wrongs already committed and stem the tide of a free civilization. We have yet to complete the great task to which more than three years ago we dedicated ourselves. At such a time I would call upon you to devote a special day of prayer that we may have the clear sightedness and strength necessary to the victory of our cause. This victory will be gained only if we steadfastly remember the responsibility which rests upon us and in a spirit of reverent obedience ask the blessing of Almighty God upon our endeavors.
With hearts grateful for the divine guidance which has led us so far, the sacrifices we may yet have to make before our work is done. I therefore hereby appoint January 6, the first Sunday of the year, to be set aside as a special day of prayer and thanksgiving in all the churches throughout my dominions and require that this letter be read at the services held on that day.
One hundred and fifteen newboys of the city were entertained at the Y. M. C. A. Saturday evening and the time passed pleasantly in games and refreshments. Yesterday morning fifty boys turned out to an early meeting in the icy temperature. A meeting was addressed by F. C. Cross in the Y. M. C. A. last night.

WAR NEWS OF LAST NIGHT

London, Dec. 30—There was heavy fighting today south of Cambrai. The Germans made a strong attack on a front of about two miles, according to Field Marshal Haig's report from headquarters tonight. They succeeded in gaining foothold at two points, but later were ejected in part by British counter-attacks.
Germans Fail at Ypres.
London, Dec. 30—The Germans made an attack last night northeast of Ypres, it is announced officially. The enemy was repulsed completely. The statement follows: "Following the activity of their artillery northeast of Ypres, the enemy yesterday evening carried out a local attack against our positions in the neighborhood of the Ypres-Staden Railway. The attack was completely repulsed by our fire."
London, Dec. 29—The British have made another considerable advance in the neighborhood of Jerusalem, the Turks having been beaten back on a front of thirteen miles.
London, Dec. 29—The British Labor party is taking steps to follow up the campaign for the solidarity of the workers of the Entente Allied nations, which a beginning has been made by the French and British labor organizations in framing their war aim. The next action contemplated is an assembly of the inter-Allied labor conferences.
The views of the American Federation of Labor will be invited, as a conference without American participation would be useless.
London, Dec. 29—(By the Associated Press)—Whether correctly or not, the suppression of Admiral Sir John Jellicoe as First sea lord is popularly believed to have been the direct sequel of the loss of the three British destroyers near the Dutch coast, this incident has been generally known here, although just announced officially.
London, Dec. 31—One of the forts at Kronstadt, the naval base near Petrograd, has been blown up by an extremely violent explosion, according to a Petrograd despatch to the Times. There are no details.
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LOCAL NEWS

Hon. F. B. Carvell arrived in the city last evening from Halifax, and left for Woodstock this morning and will proceed to Ottawa.

Caesar Barnaco, Cuban Consul at St. John, has received notification that his country has declared war on Austria-Hungary. Cuba raised \$2,000,000 to be spent on the Allies' Christmas.

Triplets were born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward McClosky, Bridge Street, on last Friday, all girls. One of the babies died, but it is hoped that the other two will live.

In the Coburg Street Christian church last evening, Mrs. Martha Baughman spoke in the interests of the Christian Women's Board of Missions. She is one of the board's field organizers.

Forty men in khaki, on their way to Bermuda, attended service at St. David's, King street east, last night and were entertained after the service.

ST. PETER'S Y. M. A.

The annual meeting and Christmas reunion of St. Peter's Young Men's Association was held at the Y. M. A. hall, North End, yesterday afternoon. The officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, George Connelley; vice-president, J. U. Hagerly; secretary, James P. Martin; assistant secretary, J. J. Corkery; treasurer, James McIntyre; assistant treasurer, Gerald McGovern; chairman sport committee, H. Cleary; chairman literary and dramatic committee, Arthur Howard; sergeant-at-arms, Ernest Harrington.

Addresses were delivered by Rev. F. Coghlan, C. S. R., spiritual director of the association; and to William McVey, retiring president, and the incoming officers. New Year's gifts were presented to Father Coghlan, the members of the orchestra and to William McVey, caretaker of the rooms, after which the following programme was carried out: Selections by the orchestra, solo by Andrew Moore, reading by H. Doyle, solo by Harry Dever, violin solo by Maunsell O'Neill and a solo by Harry McQuade.

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London Daily News Correspondent's Opinions

PRESSURE OF DEMOCRACY

Russian Foreign Minister Declares This is Back of German Acceptance of Basis for Negotiations — Austro-Hungary on Point of Revolt

London, Dec. 30.—The Petrograd correspondent of the Daily News, who has just returned there after a three months' visit to England, telegraphing under date of Saturday, says that reports of disorder in the Russian capital printed in English newspapers are based mainly on wilful misrepresentations by opposition newspapers in Petrograd. He says that the city is more orderly than for some months before the Bolshevik took control, and that the report for the first time since the revolution is based on real facts.

The constituent assembly, the correspondent hears, will meet soon as delegates from the Ukraine arrive, perhaps in ten days. He asserts that whatever is the decision of the assembly as constituted at present, it will not alter the essential direction of Russian policy, although it might, by weakening the government at home, weaken it in its dealings with Germany.

Any attempt to turn out the Bolshevik government by force would result only in anarchy favorable to the Germans, says the correspondent, who does not believe that such force is available. He writes enthusiastically about Leon Trotsky, who told him that the war would be decided by social rather than military pressure. Trotsky is quoted as saying:

"The German democracy looks to the Russian revolution. It is the recognition of this fact that compels the German government to accept Russian principles as the basis for negotiations." Trotsky said the German offer was a victory for the democratic movement generally, not only of the Russian and German democracy. Austria-Hungary, he said, is on the point of revolt, and every country in Europe is feeling the pressure of democracy from below. The German attitude, Trotsky added, means that the German government is wiser than most governments, because it recognizes real facts.

Democratic pressure, Trotsky is quoted as arguing, forced the Germans to reject their grandiose plans of conquest and to accept the peace in which there are neither conquerors nor conquered. He admitted, however, that such a peace could hardly be achieved unless the Entente Allies joined the negotiations.

Frolicsly Russians, the correspondent says, feel that Germany's terms offered at Brest-Litovsk were for the purpose of confounding the Allies and winning sympathy. These Russians oppose a separate peace, but say the next world belongs to the Allies.

London, Dec. 30.—A Petrograd despatch from the Associated Press says that under Saturday's date says proved by documents in possession of



A shrine that must be smashed.—From the News of the World, London.

that Leon Trotsky is expected to present a new communication to the Allies Sunday. This despatch quotes Baron Admiral Keyserling, former German military attaché at Petrograd, and a member of the German peace delegation, as saying:

"The Germans quite frankly desire an honorable peace. The present attitude of Russia's allies apparently is a bar to this end. The attitude now between Russia and Germany is friendly, not one of enmity. Germany is now waiting to hear the Entente Allies' terms and war aims."

"Thanks to the Russian revolution I can speak my innermost thoughts freely. Our first thought now is general peace and freedom for all nations. Let Russian freedom teach us to obtain a like freedom at home."

Says Hapsburgs Must Go. The first speaker, Czech, made a violent attack upon Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian prime minister, who recently outlined the Austro-German peace terms at Brest-Litovsk, characterizing Czernin's programme of safe definition within the limits of the Austrian constitution as an imperialistic fraud.

"If a separate peace is concluded," he said, "we shall be sent to fight against the Italians, French and other allies. That we will not do. There was a gendarme of Europe, the Russian Czar, another gendarme, the dynasty of the Hapsburgs and the Hohenzollerns, which, too, must be overthrown."

In the course of an interview Baron Keyserling, discussing the details of the enforcement of an armistice in the White Sea and Arctic ocean, said that the Russian representatives insisted that German naval supply ships must cease. The Germans asked for three days' recess in order to communicate with Berlin before replying.

London, Dec. 31.—The Times prints a long letter from its Petrograd correspondent dated Saturday, which purports to substantiate the view that the Bolshevik revolt was managed by Germany and that the movement is essentially anti-national and anti-Russian. The letter says: "It is a notorious fact and has been proved by documents in possession of

the Kerensky government that Germany commissioned Lenin and gave him money to go to Russia to sow disaffection in the Russian army."

Petrograd, Dec. 30.—Silent crowds thronged the Nevsky Prospekt and other prominent thoroughfares, reading peace banners carried by marchers, in a procession here, but without applause. One banner bore the inscription "No separate peace with the Kaiser; no union with the capitalists." Some of the banners read: "Long live the constituent assembly with the saboteurs" and "Down with the constitutional democrats," and similar mottoes discrediting the constitutional democratic party.

Petrograd, Dec. 30.—The directors of the private banks of Petrograd which were raided by the Bolsheviks and imprisoned in the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul, B. B. Stevens, manager of the Petrograd branch of the National City Bank of New York, and his assistant were released.

Fred Toney Arrested. Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 28.—Fred Toney, star pitcher of the Cincinnati Reds, has been arrested here charged with conspiracy to violate section 6 of the Selective Draft Act. Toney pleaded not guilty, waived examination and was bound over to the March, 1918, session of the federal district court. A bond of \$2,000 was furnished by Frank Underwood, a local restaurant proprietor, and Toney was released.

The pitcher refused to make any statement. The punishment for the offense, that of conspiring to make fraudulent representations of dependencies, is one year in a federal prison, followed by army service.

The arrest of Toney followed an investigation conducted by the government for two weeks. It is said in the warrant that Toney when registering under the draft act falsely swore that his wife, child, mother, stepfather and sister are wholly dependent upon him for a livelihood. At that time he gave his income as \$5,000 annually, represented by salary from the Cincinnati club, in an affidavit with which he supported his exemption claims. District Attorney Douglas contends that for the last three years Toney has not lived with his wife, who is employed as an operator by the Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Company, has contributed but little to her support, and, further, that his exemption claims were not supported by the facts.

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THE GOVERNMENT'S OPPORTUNITY

(Toronto Globe.) The minister of immigration and colonization, Hon. Mr. Calder, says that the union government must do things in "a big, aggressive way" if it is to hold the confidence of the people. Mr. Calder is right. The government has a national, not a party, mandate, and will be expected to administer the country with a national purpose and breadth of view. No administration since confederation has had so free a hand. It is not fet-

tered by obligations to party friends and party interests. In no other federal election have so many Canadian set aside partisan prepossessions or selfish motives and fixed their minds on a single issue. First and foremost the government must enforce the military service act without fear or favor. This is the specific and supreme duty laid upon it by the popular will expressed at the polls. But it has made other pledges which it must fulfill, and it must do "big and aggressive things" to justify coalition and the postponement of a decision on certain questions, such as the tariff, which are highly controversial, and which Liberal and Conservative Unionists have agreed not to reopen while the war claims their joint endeavors.

The country has been told that in order to mobilize all its strength for the cause, all parties should unite their forces and concentrate their energies on war problems. Complete co-operation has not been possible because of a cleavage on the issue of conscription, but the popular vote proves that the administration rests on a genuinely non-partisan basis—the assent of an overwhelming majority of the Canadian electors—while the cabinet itself, when completed, will not be open to the reproach of one-sidedness, and will adequately represent the highest ability in the public life of the country. Liberal, Conservative, and Labor. A government built on this foundation owes much to the people, and it has the power to discharge the debt if it has courage, seriousness, and vision. It has promised to abolish the patronage system, to reform the civil service, to lay a heavier share of the financial burdens of the war upon wealth, to prevent excessive profits and combinations to raise prices, to bring about the co-

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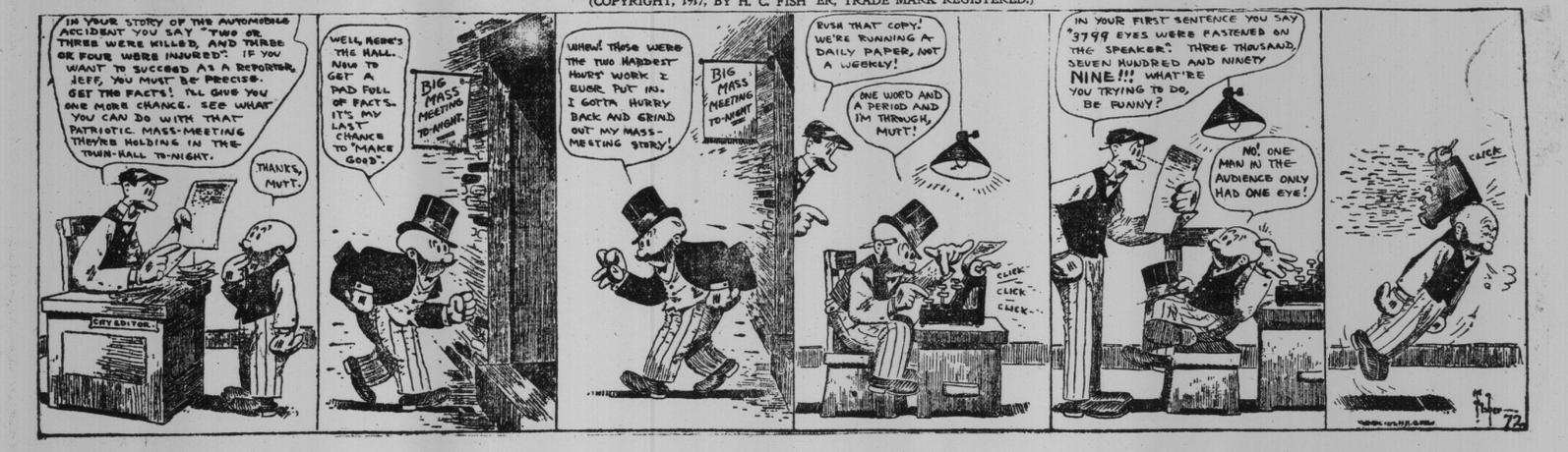


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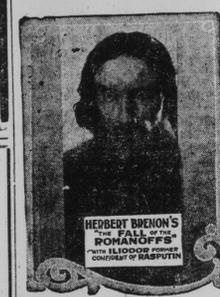
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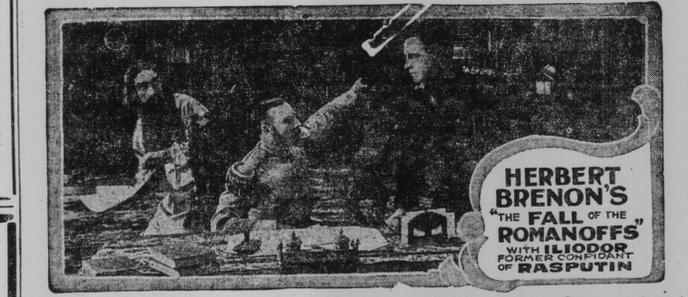
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LOCAL NEWS
PRESENTATION
The members of No. 1 Hose Company recently made Donald Allen, their assistant foreman, the recipient of a signet ring. Mr. Allen is retiring from the fire department.

THE FISHERY SALE
At a meeting of the Fisheries Committee in city hall this morning, Commissioner Russell was authorized to secure an auctioneer to sell the fishing lots in the harbor.

AWAY TO TORONTO.
Corp. W. P. Phillips and Arthur H. Phillips left for Toronto on Saturday to spend New Year's with their sister, Mrs. R. P. Sweetman.

FIRE IN A. W. ADAMS HOME
A slight fire broke out this morning in the home of Arthur W. Adams, 22 Mecklenburg street. An alarm was sent in from Box 32 and on the arrival of the chemical fire was soon extinguished. The origin of the fire is not known, but Mr. Adams is of the opinion that it was caused by hot ashes falling on the floor. The damage is estimated at between three and four hundred dollars.

MRS. HUGH S. GREGORY
The death of Mrs. Ellen Gregory, widow of Hugh S. Gregory, took place at eight o'clock this morning at her home, 170 Canterbury street, after a short illness of pneumonia. Mrs. Gregory was seventy-six years of age and leaves one daughter, Miss Alma at home and five sons, Norman N. Alexander, Hugh Roy and Willard B., all of this city and H. W. Gregory of British Columbia. The funeral will be from her late residence on Wednesday afternoon to Trinity church with service at 2.30.

DEATH OF THOMAS W. BREEN
The death of Thomas W. Breen occurred early this morning at his residence, 84 Moore street, at the age of eighty-four years. In his younger days, when shipbuilding was active, Mr. Breen was a boss shipjoiner, and he was always a fine type of citizen. In more recent years he was in the employ of T. McAvity & Sons. He was an active member of Portland Methodist church. Besides his wife, he leaves three sons—James I. of Buffalo, N. Y.; Thomas D. of Roxbury, Mass.; and Herbert P., of this city. The funeral will take place from his late residence tomorrow afternoon, with service at half-past two o'clock.

MRS. SAMUEL HAINES
The death of Mrs. Samuel Haines of St. Mary's, N. B., occurred yesterday afternoon at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Arthur, Acamae Station, after a short illness. Mrs. Haines was ninety-two years old and leaves four sons, Churchill of Bridgetown, Maine; Charles E., of Milo, Maine; I. S. Haines of Portland, and Samuel of Boston, and three daughters, Mrs. J. Fleming of St. Mary's, Mrs. Joseph Arthur of Acamae, and Mrs. Gilbert Pringle of Peterboro, Ontario. The funeral service took place this afternoon at her late residence. Services were conducted by Rev. Walter P. Dunham. The body will be taken tonight to St. Mary's, where interment will be made tomorrow.

SEVEN ARE KILLED AND MANY HURT IN HEAD-ON COLLISION
North Vernon, Ind., Dec. 30.—Seven are known to be dead and about twenty injured as the result of a head-on collision between a westbound and an eastbound Baltimore & Ohio train, a mile east of here last night. All the dead were members of the crew. The cause of the wreck is reported to have been the failure of the automatic block system to work.

FRANCE HOLDS HER BATTLE LINE FIRMLY
She Has Reserves Ready and Looks to Future With Utmost Confidence
Philadelphia, Dec. 31.—Germany is endeavoring to gain a decisive victory in the world war before the United States armies enter it, but France still is firmly holding her battle line and has reserves to fill any gaps, according to Edouard De Billy, deputy French high commissioner in the United States. A statement from M. De Billy was received at the convention of the American Historical Association in this city. The commissioner unavailably was absent.
"Though our losses have been unavoidably great," M. De Billy said, "the French army is still holding now more than two-thirds of the French front and she is keeping in the rear reserves to fill all the gaps. France is looking forward to the future with utmost confidence."

THE RAILWAYS' TROUBLES
At Some Places Along the C. P. R. 60 Below Zero
Montreal, Dec. 31.—A railway official states: "The traveling public who may have to put up with some little inconvenience in connection with train delays should remember that the weather now being experienced is the worst and coldest recorded for any December within the last sixteen years. There were 2,000 miles, for instance, on the Canadian Pacific system where the thermometer registered 80 degrees below or more and at some places it was as low as 60 degrees. The engineers and trainmen who work under such conditions are little short of heroes. The additional cost of coal under such conditions amounts to many thousands of dollars and the burden placed upon the railways cannot be minimized."

SERBS FROM STATES TO FIGHT FOR HOMETLAND.
Chicago, Dec. 31.—One thousand Serbs left Chicago yesterday for the east on their way to Europe to help re-take their native homes from the Austrians and Bulgarians.

POWERFUL PREACHER, DOMINICAN, OPENS RETREAT FOR MEN
Great Numbers in Cathedral at Opening Exercises and at Masses This Morning
A four day retreat was most successfully begun in the Cathedral last evening for the men of the city under the auspices of the Young Men's Catholic Institute by Rev. J. H. Healy, an eminent Dominican from New York. Since the erection of the Cathedral, this is the first occasion on which a Dominican priest has occupied the pulpit.
Previous to the retreat exercises, Father Healy gave the history of the Rosary. Following this, Father Healy delivered his first sermon of the retreat, dealing with the various states of life to which men are called.
This preacher is a powerful orator, eloquent and direct, with marked strength of expression and command of language and great ability to sway his hearers. He made a deep impression at the exercises last evening and at the Sunday masses, at all of which he spoke.
Again this morning at half-past five and seven o'clock Father Healy preached at retreat masses. On all occasions, despite the very cold weather, there were great gatherings of men. This morning Father Healy spoke on confession. On concluding the retreat here on Thursday, he will leave for Florida, where he is to preach on next Sunday.

TWENTY EIGHT CHINESE FREED ON DEPOSIT
Raid Last Night on Premises At 126 Mill Street
On a deposit of \$1,000, \$200 of which was in bond, twenty-eight Chinese captured in a raid last night were allowed to go. They were brought before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning, and although no evidence was heard, nor pleadings taken, they were allowed out on the deposit and the trial was set for Wednesday morning at eleven o'clock. Edmund S. Ritchie is appearing for the defense.
In response to a complaint made by a Chinese, who said he had been fleeced there, Detective Duncan, Briggs and Biddiscombe raided No. 126 Mill street last night, accompanied by Sergeant-Scott and Sullivan, and, after some difficulty gained admittance. They found gambling material and twenty-eight persons were arrested and the paraphernalia brought to the police station. This is the third time that the premises at 126 Mill street have been raided.
Two men charged with drunkenness forfeited their deposits by not appearing at the police court this morning.

FAIRVILLE WORK FOR THE HALIFAX PEOPLE
A meeting of the Halifax relief committee of Fairville was held yesterday afternoon, the chairman, Joseph L. O'Brien, presiding.
Miss Mary O'Brien reported that proceeds from a pantry and fancy goods sale in connection with an entertainment held in Gaiety Theatre before Christmas, amounted to \$40.50, while the sale of tickets to the concert realized \$59.25.
T. J. O'Rourke, who generously donated the use of his theatre, had charge of the programmes and reported a revenue of \$25 from this source.
A bill of \$36.48 for flannel, made up and sent to the Halifax sufferers, was ordered paid. This will be attended to at once by the treasurer, Rev. P. R. Hayward, and it was decided that the balance should be donated toward the fund for relieving the blind sufferers in the great catastrophe.
It was said at the meeting that financial contributions were coming in very well and three outside sections were yet to hear from Peckard Campbell of Fairville held a birthday party recently and the guests instead of bringing presents were asked to contribute toward the Halifax fund. The tidy sum of \$11.40 was realized and turned over to Miss O'Brien, who placed it in the care of the treasurer.
A resolution of appreciation for the generosity and kindness of Mr. O'Rourke was warmly passed by the meeting. Mr. O'Rourke responded briefly and as usual gave to others most of the credit he deserved himself.
The secretary was instructed to write all those who took part in the programme expressing thanks of the committee.

MILITARY MEDAL WON BY ANOTHER ST. JOHN SOLDIER
Friends of Pte. Murray Hatheway of this city will be pleased to know that his mother has received a military medal, which was awarded to him at the Vimy Ridge fight.
Private Hatheway left here with the 118th Battalion in July 1916, and in October of that year was drafted into another battalion with which unit he has been serving as a signaller for the last fourteen months.

NO TIMES TOMORROW
The Evening Times will not be published tomorrow, New Year's Day.
OTTAWA CASUALTY LIST.
Ottawa, Dec. 30.—Casualties:
I. INFANTRY.
II. Thomas Riggs, Charlottetown, P.E.I. ARTILLERY.
III. D. W. Buchanan, Neil's Harbor, N. S. MACHINE GUN COMPANY.
Died of Wounds.
W. M. Mader, Halifax.
Death of George Castle.
Chicago, Dec. 31.—George Castle, once partner of the late Charles E. Kohl, and one of the most widely known theatrical men in the country, died on Saturday night at Miami, Florida. He was sixty-seven years old.

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