

WEATHER FORECAST! TORONTO (noon)—Fresh N. W. breeze, local snow flurries to-day, mostly fair and rather cold to-night and Thursday.

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The Annual Christmas Tree for the children of the Methodist Orphanage will be held in the Methodist College Hall on Thursday, Dec. 27th. Donations will be gratefully received and may be sent direct to Mrs. Harold Ayre, 96 Military Road; Miss Mary MacKay, Sutherland Place; Miss Elsie Herder, Rennie's Mill Road.

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TO LET — House in West End, 8 rooms, water and sewerage; apply 52 Pennywell Road or 'phone 1465K. dec17.17

ORPHANAGE CHRISTMAS TREE!

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WANTED—Immediately, a General Servant; apply No. 30 Carter's Hill. dec19.11

WANTED—At once, a General Girl; apply to Mrs. M. BAMBURCK, 240 New Gower St. dec19.31

WANTED—A Girl for general household work; apply to Mrs. PHILLIPS, 100 Springdale St. dec18.17

WANTED—A Good General Girl; apply with reference to Mrs. O'KEEFE, 89 Hamilton St. dec18.31

WANTED—Immediately, a Good Maid; apply to Mrs. J. R. BENNETT, Monkstown Road. dec17.17

WANTED—A General Maid for small family; apply Mrs. LYNCH, 11 Ordinance Street. dec17.17

WANTED—A Cook and Housemaid; apply to LADY REID, Circular Road. dec17.17

WANTED—A General Servant; apply 49 Hamilton Street. dec17.17

WANTED — A Maid with knowledge of plain cooking; apply to Mrs. H. E. COWAN, 5 Military Road, any time after 7 p.m. dec19.31

WANTED—Immediately, a Good General Girl, reference required; apply to Mrs. W. CONDON, 77 Bond Street. dec19.31

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WANTED—Immediately, a General Servant; must have references; apply Mrs. JOHN T. O'MARA, 111 Military Road. dec19.21

WANTED—Immediately, a Good General Maid in family of three, reference required; apply 127 Gower Street. dec19.31

WANTED — Middle Aged Woman or Reliable Girl to take charge of home, short distance from town; apply HOWARD HOTEL. dec13.60d

WANTED — A Good Reliable Girl for general household, references required; apply Mrs. CRUMMEY, 41 Scott Street. dec18.21

WANTED—Immediately, a Girl for light household, small family; apply Mrs. E. ASH, Head Mundy's Pond Road. dec18.21

WANTED—A General Maid; must understand plain cooking, references required; apply 80 LeMarchant Road. dec5.17

WANTED—Immediately, a Girl who understands plain cooking, references required, good wages; apply to Mrs. T. H. CARTER, 81 Military Road. dec18.17

WANTED—A Maid who understands plain cooking; references required; apply Mrs. F. W. BRADSHAW, 37 Military Road. dec17.17

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CHAPTER XLVII.

"The accursed scoundrel!" muttered the baronet. "I saw his yellow face as the carriage passed!"

For a minute the clergyman left the room, but came back, saying: "Follow me to the vestry, please, through the passage that communicates with the rectory. Make as little noise as possible."

The whole party obeyed, on the very tip-toe of expectation, Sir John leaning on the arm of Markham, and Captain Campbell walking between his son and wife.

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All eyes were turned upon him, and Sir John started to his feet, saying: "Heaven forgive you, Castlemon! We were friends once. Why could you have tortured and bled one all these years? Tell me that Campbell—my sister's husband—yet lives!"

Castlemon's eyes were fixed upon Mrs. Campbell; then, suddenly pushing one of the bandages back from his face, he cried:

"Do you not know me? It is I, Harry Campbell, in very truth! Castlemon died many years since, of fever, in the jungle, after deserting the army. Now, can you understand my revenge? I stand before you in dust and ashes! My shame is more than I can bear; but, if God spares me, I will lead a new life—for the enduring faith of my injured wife, for the priceless gift of so noble a son."

"Oh, Harry!" cried his wife. "I cared for you through it all; I will not desert you now!"

She clung to him, while his tears fell on her upturned face.

Noel was startled, but he stepped forward, saying, boldly, for he saw that Sir John had averted his face:

"Father, if I did not stand by you now, I should be an unnatural craven indeed!"

"I do not deserve this!" murmured Captain Campbell. "I never understood the meaning of love until now. Sir John and I were enemies and rivals. We have done each other many bitter wrongs in the past; but the crime of conspiring to ruin the fair name of his wife, and those that should bear his name, by a mock marriage, is unpardonable. I make no excuses; the scheme was mine and Castlemon's, because we hated Sir John. We met with Lawson at the gaming-table, and attracted by his glib tongue and knowledge of Biblical quotations, we laxed him with being a parson, but he strongly denied it, though he confessed to having studied for the church."

"I was ashamed of being seen in so wicked a place," the clergyman interposed, "though I had been driven by lack of funds to try my luck."

"Then it was," proceeded Campbell, "that our scheme began to ripen. We confided in Lawson, but I'll acknowledge that we did not obtain

his consent until he had been paid fifty rupees and had a promise of fifty more when his work was done. In a few days an expected uprising of the natives took place, and we seized that opportunity to get Sir John and the girl that he had cheated us both of, to go through a marriage ceremony that was to be in reality no marriage at all. Our colonel had been killed, and his daughter, who was affianced to Sir John, needed protection. I do not think that I need dwell longer upon this horrible subject. Only let me say how thankful I am to Heaven that Mr. Lawson deceived us! To me there have been long weeks of bitter—bitter remorse!"

For a minute he was shaken with emotion.

"In self-justification," put in the clergyman, "let me say that before joining in the shameful plot, I made full inquiries about Sir John Sterne and Miss Mervin, and knew that no harm could result from a legal marriage between them. Then the affair entirely escaped my memory for years."

Suddenly Sir John spoke:

"I have been terribly punished, but I am by no means blameless. It is true that Campbell and I hated each other, as young men. But let it be forgotten. When I discovered the fancied wrong that had been done to me, and my little child, I was not responsible for my actions. I searched high and low for Campbell and Castlemon, with murder in my heart. At length I heard that Campbell had

fallen in battle, and I resolved to mutilate his dead body, or finish him, if any life were left. My unerring instinct guided me to him. He was half-buried among a heap of slain. I flashed my sword in his face, and he begged for mercy. He was parched with fever's burning thirst. Satisfied that he was dying, I laughed at him, wished him a speedy journey to a darker world, and left him."

He held out his hand to Campbell, and added:

"I believe that I deserved your hate, but I forgive all for my sister's sake."

Captain Campbell was too overcome to reply, but he grasped Sir John's outstretched hand, not letting go until Mr. Lawson exclaimed:

"The butler and Lord Somerton's valet have gone into the church. The earl is not far behind."

Even as he spoke, the Park carriage appeared at the foot of the hill, and as it passed the rectory Captain Campbell stood at the window, by the side of Sir John.

(To be continued.)

"You, Charlie—you, who always quiz me so unmercifully of my love of misery?"

"Pooh, dear! that was in the old times, when I teased you for the pleasure of making it up again," he answered, with a quiver in his voice that brought the tears into her eyes.

"Let me have my way, Lil. When I cannot praise your purchases, I can criticize them, and it will be a real advantage to have something more to look at and think about than my own aches and pains."

"There was no denying this; and his cheerfulness was so infectious that

after a little hesitation Lady Ormsby and her daughter yielded to his wishes. The bride's trousseau was ordered, the pleasant bustle of preparations for the auspicious event commenced, and so heroically did Charles Ormsby keep his sufferings out of sight that it was only at times his parents were reminded that ere long they must expect to lose him.

"Isn't it too early for you to leave your room, my dear boy?" Sir George asked, as he supported the attenuated frame of his son, and led him to an easy-chair near the breakfast table.

"It was Lil's canaries that lured

me from my downy couch," was the reply, spoken with a smile, although the young man was evidently exhausted with the exertion of coming downstairs. "I listened to their warbling till it translated itself into 'Up, sluggard—up! Make the most of the sunshine,' and so here I am."

"And you are already so fatigued that you will be fit for nothing for some hours," the anxious father murmured.

"Never mind, sir. I like to be with you while I can," words which had such an ominous sound that Sir George buried himself in his newspaper, while Lily began to talk as fast as she could about some piece of current news to keep back the drops that would persist in welling into her blue eyes whenever her brother made any allusion to his helpless state.

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GREECE WITHOUT A KING.
LONDON, Dec. 18.—The Greek nation, which in recent years has suffered so many dynasty changes, will to-morrow again be without a King, and under the regency of the aged Admiral Coundouriotis who filled a similar role in 1920. According to the Athens press the king's absence will be regarded as a permanent one, but the general opinion is that when the king and queen depart for Bucharest to-morrow another king will have disappeared from the rapidly diminishing number of European thrones. The Revolutionary Cabinet, prompted by the decisive defeat of the Royalists at the polls, served notice of his resignation on the young monarch, and the king had no alternative but to accept. Allied and Balkan diplomats made representations on behalf of their Governments against the expulsion of the king but too late to save the situation. Former Premier Venizelos, who is in Paris, has again been invited to return to Greece to undertake the Government. His reply is not yet known, but it is believed he will not accept unless a united call comes from the whole people. According to latest advices the situation remains outwardly calm but great anxiety for the future prevails, although the tone of the Royalist press is comparatively moderate.

KING GEORGE OF GREECE EXPELLED.
LONDON, Dec. 18.—The expulsion of King George from Greece announced in to-day's despatches from Athens, drew forth the opinion from diplomatists in London upon the notable tendencies toward democracy manifested by the countries of Europe during the past six years. The exile of George of Greece, they observed, represented the tenth king who has made his exit since the war; the monarchs previously affected being those of Russia, Germany, Austria, Bulgaria, Montenegro, Turkey, Egypt and the Kings of the German federated states such as Bavaria.

LEAVE ATHENS FOR ROMANIA.
ATHENS, Dec. 18.—King George and Queen Elizabeth will leave Athens to-night for Rumania, it is announced by a newspaper here to-day.
King George II, of Greece, eldest son of the late King Constantine, acceded to the Throne on September 18th, 1922, after his father had been forced to abdicate by the Gonasas Plastras revolt. In the last few months Republican and pro-Venizelos sentiment in Greece has been growing rapidly. On Saturday of last week the long deferred elections took place and the returns showed such a preponderance of Liberal-Republican sentiment that a dynastic crisis seemed inevitable. Tragedy and disaster have lurked in the paths of the Greek Royal Family since the assassination of King George I, in 1923.

TANGIER DIFFICULTY OUT OF THE WAY.
PARIS, Dec. 18.—An agreement between the Powers as to the future of Tangier was signed at the Foreign Office this afternoon by British, French and Spanish delegates. The plan maintains the open door at the port. The sovereignty of the Sultan of Morocco will be maintained through a representative council, the Mandoub, named by the Sultan himself. This official is to have charge of administration of Muslim and Israelite inhabitants.

BATTLE RAGING IN MEXICO.
EL PASO, Dec. 18.—Federal troops have captured San Marcos, a most important strategic point between Vera Cruz and Mexico and are advancing steadily towards the seaport stronghold of the Rebels, according to advices received by Mexican Consul General Ruiz at El Paso. Federal troops, after fighting sixteen hours, captured an immense amount of ammunition, small arms, a number of cannons, and several trains. The War Department at Mexico City has officially announced the evacuation of Puebla, and the possession of Apizaco, 70 miles east of the capital. According to despatches received from Rebel headquarters at Vera Cruz, a battle waged all day yesterday and Rebel reinforcements are now being rushed to the scene.

CLEARED FOR ACTION.
HONGKONG, Dec. 18.—The flotilla of foreign gunboats in harbor at Canton, where a tense situation has prevailed since the recent threat of Dr. Sun Yet Sen, South China leader, to seize the Customs funds, apparently is preparing for eventualities. Some warships are being cleared for action and French sailors have landed at Shamen and are stationed in the city.

NO DICKERING GOING ON.
LONDON, Dec. 18.—Former Premier Asquith, speaking at a meeting of members of the Liberal Party this afternoon, declared the Liberals intend to remain free from alliance with other parties. "There have been no overtures, direct or indirect, official or unofficial, above

ground or subterranean, by us with the leaders of either of the other parties," Mr. Asquith said. Lloyd George also spoke and said he was in complete agreement with the policy laid down by Mr. Asquith.

ST. LAWRENCE WIDE OPEN.
MONTREAL, Dec. 18.—Despite the current cold wave the St. Lawrence River was to-day practically free of ice, and so far as navigation is concerned, in just as good condition as in mid-summer.

EXHIBITION TO OPEN ON ST. GEORGE'S DAY.
LONDON, Dec. 18.—It is understood the date of opening the British Empire Exhibition has been fixed for April 23rd, and the 24th, St. George's Day.

WILL TAKE EVIDENCE OF REPUBLICANS.
NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Supreme Court Justice Robert F. Wagner, signed an order yesterday making effective his recent decision requiring and permitting Eamon de Valera, Austin Stack and Robert Barton, Irish Republicans, to testify against the Irish Free State in its suit to impress the money held by the local banks in the name of the Irish Republic. Justice Wagner's order directed that if any of the prospective witnesses were interfered with, to prevent them from testifying, that the injunction to prevent the withdrawal of funds would be dissolved and the pressing the suit. The evidence of the Republicans is to be taken by a Supreme Court representative in Ireland between Jan. 10th and Feb. 28th.

EX-KAISER GETS VERDICT.
DORTMUND, Dec. 18.—A verdict has been rendered in favor of former German Emperor William in the libel suit instituted against the editor-in-chief of the General Anzeiger, Herr Von Der Heydt, for having published the story that the Kaiser in 1895 caused the suicide of Lieutenant Von Hahnke. A fine of 300 gold marks was imposed.

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ARRANGEMENTS FINALIZED FOR ST. STEPHEN'S NIGHT.

The B. I. S. Literary and Amusement Committee held a meeting last night in connection with St. Stephen's Night dance. It was decided to hold a card party in conjunction, which will commence at 8 o'clock. The Ladies' Auxiliary have perfected their plans for the serving of supper, and nothing will be left undone to make the occasion a real success. The club rooms will be decorated, while several novel features will be introduced. Dancing will start at 10 o'clock to the strains of the Prince's Orchestra, and a most enjoyable evening is being anticipated by all.

McMurdo's Store News.
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E. 487—Jas. Chaffey, City.
M. 297—W. T. Petrie, Grand Falls.
E. 398—P. W. Keegan, City.
P. 26—D. R. Thistle, Trade Review.
L. 235—E. P. Knight, City.
L. 31—W. C. Winsborough, City.
E. 164—J. W. Garland, do Daily News.
R. 387—Edith Parsons, Victoria St.
R. 860—D. S. Ferguson, do Nfld. Government Railway.
M. 637—Jerome Maloney, Grand Falls.
E. 570—Ruby Hase, Cornwall Ave.
P. 1050—R. Johnson, do Royal Stores Ltd.
M. 325—J. Barker, Grand Falls.
E. 286—F. C. Wills, City.
P. 807—Fred Moore, City.
E. 293—Mrs. F. Maher, Patrick St.
M. 455.
L. 94—E. Rendell, do Bowling Bros. Ltd.
P. 1029—Fred White, City.
E. 1038—R. Furlong, Winter Ave.
R. 657—Wm. Casey, New Gower St.
M. 915—John Farnham, Heart's Content.
M. 870—Phil LeMessurier, City.
R. 901—E. T. Snow, City.
E. 286—F. C. Wills, City.
P. 405—W. C. Winsborough, City.
L. 291—John Miller, City.
R. 71—Warwick Smith, City.
R. 864—H. Phipps, do Knowling's West End.
M. 784—Jas. Johnson, do Sun Life.
L. 453—Miss White, do Jas. Baird Ltd.
M. 562—P. Pippy, City.
R. 878—John Webber, Bannerman Street.
M. 861—John Farnham, Heart's Content.
M. 768—Thos. Volsey, York Street.
M. 823—Miss Asham, Grand Falls.
I. 224—C. Godden, City.
E. 432—W. Newberry, do G. P. O.
R. 923—Miss I. Barnes, Patrick St.
BOX OF CHOCOLATES.
L. 598—Robert Rodgers, Pleasant Street.
E. 962—W. Sweetapple.
P. 709—Percy LeMessurier, City.
R. 295—Stam Winsor, do H. M. Customs.
P. 989—John Roberts, do Crosbie Hotel.
E. 555—E. F. McLeod, 5 Job Street.
P. 331—J. F. Nichol, City.
M. 120—E. A. Crowther, City.
E. 108—E. M. Atkin, do Higgins, Hunt, & Emerson.
L. 83—F. Wills, Jr., City.
P. 263—Violet Pond, do Crosbie Hotel.
M. 668—Mrs. E. T. Petrie, Grand Falls.
M. Co. Ltd.
R. 519—W. Long, do G. Knowling's, Ltd.
E. 483—James Collins, Parker & Moore.
M. 432—S. L. Sheppard, Deer Lake.
M. 682—H. T. Spurrell, Grand Falls.
E. 1098—D. C. Edwards, Grand Falls.
R. 474—Annie Dunphy, 105 Gower Street.
XMAS CAKE.
P. 104—M. Alyward, 98 Queen's Road.
P. 777—J. Newhook, City.
E. 204—Wm. Walsh, do Daily News.
M. 62—John Taylor, City.
E. 723—Adelaide Talk, Livingstone Street.
P. 432—Warwick Smith, City.
P. 1068—Louis Mullowney, Witness Bay.
E. 194—M. Noonan, do N.G.R.
P. 63—George Morris, Queen's Rd.
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P. 348—Joshua Hooky, City.
M. 850—E. T. Snow, City.
M. 26—Frank McRae, Crosbie Hotel.
M. 804—J. L. Boston, Heart's Content.
P. 813—F. C. Wills, City.
E. 888—Dr. A. H. Carnell, City.
E. 344—E. P. Knight, do Bowling Bros. Ltd.
L. 282—C. J. M. Freshwater Road.
E. 56—R. G. Freeman, Victoria St.
R. 583—J. Edwards, do Royal Stores Ltd.
E. 849—John O'Neil, 35 Water St.
P. 155—S. Winsor, do H.M. Customs.
E. 816—W. C. Pottle, do Nfld. Gov. Railway.
M. 309—Noble Baird, Grand Falls.
BOX OF CIGARS.
P. 800—W. C. Winsborough, City.
M. 10—C. Godden, City.
P. 438—L. T. Stick, City.
E. 14—M. Taylor, Cabot Street.
E. 470—Jean Goudie, Freshwater Road.
L. 628—Mrs. P. Duany, Cochrane Street.
L. 97—E. Rendell, do Bowling Bros. Ltd.
M. 99—W. C. Winsborough, City.
E. 847—E. D. Spurrell, City.
R. 1070—J. K. Horgan, 279 Stores.
E. 723—J. K. McCaffery, do Royal Bank.
R. 253—Thomas Ricketts, V.C.
E. 1—M. P. Smart, Port aux Basques.
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Notice is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 29th day of December, 1923, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors, if any, to the Liquidators of the said Company, Post Office Box 866, and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidators, are by their solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 27th day of November, A.D. 1923.

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1 Square Piano, in good condition.
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All Seasonable Merchandise--Including all Practical
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Silk Overblouses

The most beautiful collection of
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Would make an ideal Christmas
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Wool Jerseys, Brushed Wool Jaquettes,
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Mid-Season HATS

AT THE GREATEST REDUCTIONS OF
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Every \$3.50 Hat
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Every \$7.98 Hat
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Every Hat a new wanted Winter Model.

Never have highest quality FUR COATS been
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All FUR COATS specially priced for this week.
Gorgeous Coats made to sell for twice the price
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Every Coat of guaranteed quality -- well
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Coats for Women, Juniors, Misses and Stout Women

This is an Opportunity of Opportunities--DO NOT MISS IT!

\$12.98

Buys actual 17.00 Coats
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Featuring fine styles in Velours--also Sport; Stripes,
Plaids and Plain materials; Tailored styles, too; handsomely
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\$12.98.

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Buys actual 24.00 Coats
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You will be amazed at what values you get in LADIES'
COATS at \$17.50. Plenty of FASHIONABLE VELOURS,
FUR COLLARED MODELS and Plain Styles; all hand-
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\$22.50

Buys actual 33.00 Coats
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Never before have we been able to offer such a gathering of
High Grade COATS at prices that barely cover the cost
of materials alone. ALL THE FINEST FABRICS and FASHIONABLE FURS OF THE SEASON are represented
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Buys actual 39.00 Coats
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MOTHERS! Look at these GIRLS' COATS

Busy Mothers will find here every
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Polaires, Stripes, Overplaids,
Polo Coats, mostly Fur-trimmed
Sizes 8 to 16 years.

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Clever Dressy Styles for your
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Coats Ages 5 to 8 years.

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Fur Chokers, 7.00 up to 14.98
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MEN!

A Special Offering of Wonder-
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OVERCOATS

At reductions of fully 40 per cent., this SPECIAL SALE brings a
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If you need that NEW OVERCOAT--Come in--Share in the
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PRICES NOW AT

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All DRESSES Reduced!

THE FACT IS CLEAR--We are going after the BIGGEST DRESS BUSINESS in our
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\$3.00 **\$7.98** **\$10.98**

It will certainly pay you to
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in a hurry.

Dresses originally priced
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Not a Dress in this lot
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COME EARLY!

\$14.98 **\$20.00** **\$27.00**

Fine Canton Crepes, lus-
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Values up to \$20.00. Misses'
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Crepes, worth up to \$30.00.
Women's, Misses' and Extra
Sizes.

Buys Dresses up to \$37.50,
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Satins, Laces, Taffetas. All
Sizes up to 52 inches.

BOYS!

Boys' Overcoats and 1 and 2 Pants-Suits

EXCEPTIONAL VALUES--GREATEST FOR YEARS!

\$4.50 **\$6.50** **\$9.95** **\$12.95**

Store-wide Special Values, beginning to-day! Mothers will ap-
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Boys. All the wanted Styles and materials in OVERCOATS and
SUITS, and all wonderful garments--Ages 8 to 18 years.

Small Boys' Suits and Overcoats

Ages 3 to 8 years.
Splendid little fellows' SUITS and OVER-
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Harvey's Biscuits 37 varieties.
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 In either shape, color
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 Just stop in and look 'em over.
 If you have not decided on Neckwear for Xmas
 A visit will settle you.
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 Each tie neatly boxed.

Yours for quality and service.

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Suitable for the Christmas Trade

China Cabinets, Book Cases, Jardiniere Stands,
 Children's High Chairs, Children's Rockers,
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 The Latest Designs in Wall Paper.
 Card Tables with Folding Legs,
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See Our Special Dining Room Suite

BUFFET, FIVE CHAIRS and EXTENSION TABLE.
 When you get our figure on this, you will wonder how we can manufacture this up-to-date Suite for the price.

White Enamel Bedsteads, Mattress and Pillows,
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 60 YEARS OF QUALITY AND SERVICE.

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Just Folks.

By EDGAR A GUEST

APPROACHING CHRISTMAS.
 Last night at eight o'clock he said,
 "I think it's time to go to bed."
 And putting down his book, he went
 Without the fuss of being sent.
 And then I smiled, and understood
 That he had started being good.

He placed his garments on a chair.
 His knickers neatly folded there.
 His shoes and stockings, smiled at us.
 As if to say: "The morning fuss
 Of dressing will no longer be;
 He's started being orderly."

I chuckled as I turned my head
 To watch him sleeping in his bed.
 A wondrous change had taken place—
 Our boy had washed his hands and
 face!

Born very seldom think I said,
 To wash before they go to bed.

We have a model boy to-day.
 With Christmas shining down the way.
 Cynics may call this youthful galle.
 But I behold it with a smile.

For once, just like that roguish elf,
 I played at being good myself.

Suppose there were no Christmas day,
 No gifts for which to dream and pray,
 No sweet rewards for conduct fair,
 Our lives would then be bleak and bare.

We should grow old and never see
 How very good our boys can be.

"Bought and Paid For"

Large and appreciative audiences which saw "Bought and Paid For", at the Majestic Theatre, on Monday and last night, speak very highly of the production. "Bought and Paid For" won fame for Ames Ayres, and should be seen by every lover of the silent drama. To-day is the last opportunity to see the picture. To-morrow a complete change of programme is billed at the Majestic when a feature of a special and particular calibre will be exhibited.

The Christmas Spirit

We publish the following as it is typical in spirit of the numerous responses which have been made to our appeal:—

Editor Evening Telegram
 Dear Sir.—Allow me, from my heart of hearts, to offer you my most sincere congratulations on the excellence and true Christian charity of your Editorial of to-day's date, wherein you splendidly appeal to our Bachelor friends in behalf of The Little Santa Claus Letter Writers. I am not a bachelor, but have seven little writers of Christmas appeals to St. Nicholas, but if you will forward to me one of these letters, I will gladly see that one more stocking is not empty on the morning of the birth of Him who said, "Suffer little children to come unto me."
 Yours sincerely,
 PARENT.
 St. John's, Dec. 18th 1923.

Rockefeller and His Immense Wealth

GOAL REACHED AFTER A HERCULEAN TASK.

How did Rockefeller, the richest man in the world, amass his millions? On the surface it seems amazing, but when all the facts are known it will be seen that the means were simple. The future oil king received only an elementary schooling, and at sixteen found work as office boy and assistant bookkeeper with a produce and commission merchant, remaining three years and leaving to enter the produce business in 1859 with a partner. The first year he did more than \$500,000 worth of business, and before he was 22 he became interested in oil. After investigating and calculating, he invested his money and established the oil refining firm of Andrews, Clark & Co., which was soon changed to Rockefeller & Andrews.

The business grew. Rockefeller's chief difficulty was in getting sufficient capital and credit for expansion. In 1866 he formed the new oil company of William Rockefeller & Company. Later Rockefeller & Co. was established in New York City to manage the export business of both firms. In "Rags To Riches," in which Wesley Barry is starred, coming to the Nickel Monday next, a great story, very much like the above, is told. Nobody in St. John's will want to miss this wonderful screen drama.

A Special Appeal

Perfume has a very special appeal during the gift season, and most ladies prefer good scent as a gift to anything else. This season many discriminating ladies are selecting for their fastidious friends THREE FLOWERS perfumes and Powders and stores displaying these high class toilet requisites are kept busy during these days. It has been truly said that Perfume is the gift Divine and there is now no doubt but that THREE FLOWERS PERFUME is the choice of discriminating people.

Housekeepers who are proud of their art in Bread making, should use TRIUMPH Flour, as it gives the best results.

TEA SETS
 21 pieces, Floral & daintly decorated,
 The Set, 3.98

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CUP & SAUCER SPECIAL
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Xmas China and Glassware

Toilet Sets Splendid values, uncrasable wares. From 3.50 to 15.00	Cut Glass Specials CELERY VASE 14.00 CENTRE VASE 10.50 CENTRE VASE 7.80 SALAD BOWLS 18.00 BERRY BOWLS 14.50 ORANGE BOWLS 12.50 SPOON TRAYS 12.00 BON BONS 7.50 NAPPYS 3.00 TUMBLERS 2.20	Dinner Sets Floral, dainty and conventional designs. Come in 30 and 54 pieces. From 9.95 up.
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JAPANESE CHINA BARGAINS

Tea Set 21 pieces with Sugar Bowl, Cream Jug and Tea Pot on Legs. The Set 11.75	Berry Set Splendid quality, 7 pieces, 10 in. Berry Bowl, and 6 individual. Yours for 3.00	Cake Set Six—6 in. Plates, and One—10 in. Centre Plate. A Bargain, 4.00
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Bouquet Stands with Hanging Sprays, only to be had at Knowling's
SEE THEM

Console Sets One Flared Dish with Base and 2 Candle Holders.	Chocolate Sets Come in Art colors, Yellow, Pink, Green and other dainty designs.	Trinket Sets Tray Hat Pin Holder, Powder Box and Hair Receiver. While they last 1.60
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VEGETABLE DISHES 65c.,

Berry Bowls Real Bargains See For Yourself
 20c., 39c., 42c., 45c., 49c., 65c. and 85c.

Glass Jugs  1 1/2 Pint size. 28c. each.	Glass Jugs  Pint size. 20c.	Cake Stands  40c. up to 1.75	Glass Jugs  Good Value at 70c. Knowling's Price 50c.
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Special Price for Tumblers
 80c., 90c., 1.55, 2.00 3.20 Per Doz.

Pudding Bowls, All Sizes.	Meat Platters, All Sizes.	Gravey Boats, All Sizes.	Pudding Steamers All Sizes. See them!
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The Broadway House of Fashion

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NOW ON!

Tidings of More Than Passing Interest are Told Here

For weeks we have been preparing to stage this GREAT DECEMBER ECONOMY SALE, during which our astonishingly Low Prices will demonstrate to your entire satisfaction, our power in the markets, which permits us to establish such a Low Price Margin Policy.

Transactions of great Magnitude were Responsible for These Values

THOUSANDS OF GARMENTS!

All new 1923 stock, have recently been sent to us from our Central Control Sales Dept. in New York, with this injunction--**SELL!--irrespective of Cost Prices--SELL!** This order, which means undreamed of bargains for you, we intend to follow "E'en Though the Heavens Fall."

Boys' Suits & Overcoats

Even if you've recently purchased, it will pay you during this SALE to add to your Boys' wardrobe—at savings distinctly worth while.

Suits

250 BOYS' SUITS, to fit from 8 to 15 years. The most sensational values offered since before the war. **ECONOMY SALE PRICES.**

3.95 - 7.50 - 9.90

Overcoats

BOYS! We can fit you out with just the sort of OVERCOAT that the heart of a boy desires.

EVERY COAT SELLING FOR LESS THAN COST.

Prices from 4.95 up

Basement Bargains!

WOOL SWEATERS.
100 only Ladies' Knitted Sweaters. Regular Price \$3.75.
Basement Bargain Price 98c.

SCARFS.
About Six Dozen, all one pattern; Novelty Wool Scarfs. Reg. Price \$2.00.
Now 98c.

SATIN DRESSES.
Just a few—Ladies' Black Satin Dresses, with gold tinsel and silk trimming. Regular Price \$24.90.
Basement Bargain Price \$9.90

CORSETS.
200 Pairs Women's Corsets—White and Pink—less than Half Price.
Only 75c.

GIRLS' SCHOOL DRESSES.
Made in two-tone effects, of serviceable Cotton Gabardine. Sizes 8 to 14 years.
Basement Bargain Price 98c.

BOY-PROOF SUITS.
These Suits are well named, being made from heavy grade Cotton Tweed. Sizes 8 to 14 years.
Basement Bargain Price \$3.98

FREE!

We undertake to make, Free of Charge, all necessary alterations on garments bought at this Store.

Economy Sale

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Coats and Dresses

Regardless of cost or former prices, OUR DECEMBER ECONOMY SALE will bring before your notice—CHILD'S, WOMEN'S & MISSES' COATS and DRESSES—The newest products of 1923-4 Season, at prices that will make you OPEN YOUR EYES IN AMAZEMENT!

CHILD'S DRESSES.
A limited quantity of All-Wool Serge and Novelty Plaid Dresses, to fit girls from 8 to 14 years. Values from \$5.50 to \$11.50.

Now Only \$2.90 to \$7.50.

CHILD'S COATS.
Without exaggeration—Our Child's and Misses' Coats are easily the best values that we have ever seen. Some plain, others fur-trimmed.

Prices: \$2.80, \$5.90, \$7.90 up.

Coats

LADIES! At the prices that we are quoting, you can now purchase your WINTER COAT for a little more than Half Price. The STYLES ARE RIGHT! THE FABRICS ARE RIGHT! AND THE PRICES ARE BEYOND COMPARE. All we ask is an opportunity to prove our Statements. Prices

5.90 - 16.90 - 24.90

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Dresses

From All-Wool Serge Dresses at \$5.90 to High Grade Evening and Semi-Evening Dresses, with every conceivable style, shade and fabric to choose from, is a big order—But we are prepared to accept same because WE CAN DELIVER THE GOODS at UNBELIEVABLY LOW PRICES.

Men's Suits & Overcoats

Let us assure you that only once in a life-time does a SALE like this occur. So excellent are the Fabrics—So perfect the Tailoring—that we have no hesitation whatever in advising the most particular dressers to accept the SAVINGS OF THIS EXTRAORDINARY OFFER!

Overcoats

MEN! You simply must see these wonderful values—an immense range to select from; and every COAT worth from \$35.00 to \$38.00.

All One Price 24.90
OTHER COATS \$16.25, \$35.90, Etc.

Suits

Our MEN'S SUITS are positively without equal, and to appreciate this fact, you should examine them in detail.

DECEMBER ECONOMY SALE PRICES

8.90 - 19.50 - 28.90

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Basement Bargains!

KNITTED SUITS.
23 Only Ladies' All-Wool Knitted Suits, in Saxe-Blue only. Reg. Price \$13.00.
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Ladies' Heavy Wool and Cotton Sweater Coats—Cardinal and Rose shades only. Regular Price, \$2.95.
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Another gathering of Sweater Bargains. Values to \$3.25.
Basement Bargain Price \$1.95

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A wonderful array of Serge, Poiret Twill and Canton Crepe Dresses.
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Heavy Cotton Serge and Gabardine Dresses. Specially Selected.
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EIDERDOWN BATH ROBES, KNITTED PULL-OVERS, SILK & WOOL JACQUETTES.
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In the Realms of Sport

WRESTLING FIGHT PLANS FOR NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Champion bouts for the world's light-heavyweight and middle weight titles probably will be staged here before the end of the year.

Tex Rickard was working to-day for a McTigue-Taney bout for the light-heavyweight title, and a Greb-Taney return bout for the middleweight crown.

McTigue refuses to sign with Rickard, Rickard will start work on a bout with Georges Carpentier; he is considering Battling Siki, Tommy Gibbons or Tunney as an opponent for the Frenchman.

Greb denied he had said after his fight with Tunney Monday night that the "jackets had been fixed," and that he would never fight in New York again. To prove it he said he was going to meet Johnny Wilson, the former middleweight champion, in a return bout as soon as he has a rest.

TUMULTUOUS SCENES AFTER RUGBY MATCH.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Unusually tumultuous scenes were enacted in the East End of London following yesterday's rugby football match between Oxford and Cambridge universities. The two teams and their friends visited the Winter Theatre Garden in Covent Garden. They climbed in and out of the boxes in the theatre and invaded the orchestra and stage and eventually ended the performance by the visible annoyance of the rest of the audience. The police influence of the theatre attendants and police prevented ugly demonstrations which were developing.

Some undergraduates at the vaudeville show in the Duke of York Theatre behaved noisily. They subsequently met in Piccadilly Circus, where a policeman arrested one of their number who had climbed a scaffolding at the Criterion Restaurant. The crowd rescued the man, who jumped into a passing motor-car which dashed off, followed by the constable in a taxi-cab. The students ran behind shouting and cheering.

HOW WITH THE TRAMP ATHLETES.

GETTYSBURG, Pa., Dec. 12.—Elimination of the so-called "tramp" athlete from college sports is the object of a movement launched by athletic officials at Gettysburg College. The "tramp" athlete is one who transfers from one college to another, frequently playing more than the usual four years of college football and often counting as a college player after he has obtained a degree. The proposed plan to eliminate him would prohibit an athlete from playing more than four years, and play these contests would be considered a full year's play. Any graduate who has a degree would be barred from participation in an intercollegiate contest.

FIRPO RETURNING TO U. S.

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 13.—Luis Firpo, the heavyweight fighter, returning recently to a report that James J. Jeffries, former world heavyweight champion, had accepted an offer of \$75,000 to train him for his next fight, declared that he knew nothing of any such arrangement.

Firpo added that Hugh Gartland, of New York, and Billy McCann were assisting in his business affairs in the United States and it was possible they might have conferred with Jeffries regarding training. He said, however, the sum mentioned was excessive.

Firpo declared that he could not accept the challenge for a fight with Martin Romero-Rojas, the Chilean heavyweight, as he would return in a short time to the United States.

THE PASSING HOUR.

Reason Enough.
She—Why do people cry at weddings?
He—Well, I imagine those who have been married themselves start and the others join in.

They Sure Stop Then!
People who haven't time to stop at grade-crossing manage to find time attend the funeral.

One Experience Enough.
"Why don't you advertise?"
Town Storekeeper—"No, sirree, I once and it pretty near ruined me."

How was that?
"Why, people came in and, hontch, they near all the stuff I had."

Seeing Clearly.
Stage Hand—"Did you say you wanted a window or a widow?"
Show Manager—"I said window, they're both much alike. When they get near either of them I always look out."

HEAD LEG AMPUTATED.

Seaman John Walsh, of the Schooner Rita, was the victim of an accident at Harbor Grace, had his leg amputated at the General Hospital yesterday.

Have you a Suit or Overcoat to make? We make a specialty of making up customers own goods at prices that are absolute lowest for first class work.

BARRELL THE TAILOR, 310 Water St.—Nov 17, 1923

Have Good Xmas Music in Your Own Home With a Columbia Grafonola.



We are giving 18 selected 10 in. Columbia double-disc Records FREE to every purchaser of a Columbia Grafonola.

The music of Christmas! How dear it is to us all. The quaint old carols, handed down from mediaeval times. The magnificent hymns and anthems of the great composers of a later day in the Christian year. All these have been faithfully reproduced for the Columbia Grafonola, the grafonola that is absolutely perfect in its reproduction of "The human voice divine."

Why not have your festal music in your own home? A Columbia can be yours this Christmas at a lower price than ever before. One glance below will assure you of this, added to which is the absolutely Free Gift of 18 Double-Disc Records.

Think it well over, and make one of your Christmas purchases, for yourself or a friend, a Columbia Grafonola.



New Columbia Model 530 Console Design

New three-Spring motor with automatic start and new non-set automatic stop and new Reproducer. Finished in Brown Mahogany or Walnut, with all exposed metal parts in Nickel. Shelves for Records. Tone-control leaves behind sliding panel.

SALE PRICE **250.00**

18 RECORDS FREE.



18 selected 10 inch Double-Disc Records absolutely FREE to every purchaser of a Columbia or New Columbia Grafonola during this Sale !!

New Columbia Model 550 Very handsome Console Design

The new three-Spring Motor with automatic start, and new non-set automatic stop and new reproducer. Finished in fine, beautifully grained Brown Mahogany or Walnut, with all exposed metal parts in Nickel. Shelves with complete set of albums for records. Tone-control leaves behind sliding panel.

SALE PRICE **300.00**

Hear a New Columbia To-day in our Store! It

will be a revelation to you to hear how beautifully and truthfully the New Columbia reproduces the music you love. Let us play for you the music you love best, vocal, orchestral or dance selections. Observe the glorious purity of tone. Notice the entire absence of annoying "shrilling." Compare the rendition with that of any other instrument. Your most critical tests will convince you that the New Columbia has actually eclipsed all previous talking machine achievements. YOU WILL WANT ONE FOR YOUR HOME.

The New Columbia Reproducer

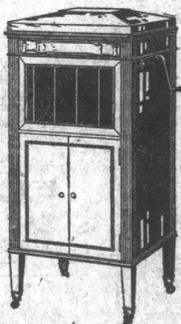
The New Columbia Reproducer faithfully reproduces all ranges of vocal and instrumental tones. It plays all records better. Records played upon it do not have that occasional blare of excessive vibration or rattle known to talking machine experts as "blast." A patented, exclusively Columbia spring "Shock-absorber" on the new Reproducer, takes up all excessive vibration, and eliminates that defect of yesterday's machine.

The New Columbia has patented Tone-control. Each model (including the beautiful consoles) has the "Organ-pipe" tone-control leaves, which throw the tone freely and fully instead of straining it through interrupting fabric or lattice-work.

The New Columbia

has an automatic start and stop. A brand-new patent feature for your convenience. The motor starts when the tone-arm is moved over to place the needle on the record. The record stops revolving automatically when the music stops, no matter what the length of the record! You can put on a record and go upstairs or into the next room, finish the dance, or keep your comfortable seat, knowing that when the music stops the record will no longer revolve. In 10,000 times, by actual test, it has never failed to operate.

New Columbia Model 420 Upright Cabinet Design



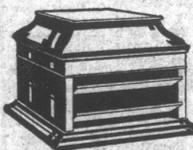
New three-Spring Motor, with new No. 12 Reproducer. Shelves for Records. Finished in Brown Mahogany. All exposed metal parts in Nickel. Exclusive tone-control leaves.

SALE PRICE **165.00**

The New Columbia Has a Better, Quieter Motor

The New Columbia motor runs with absolute regularity and accuracy. It is made of finest steel. Its bearings are entirely bronze and brass, its gears are bevelled and machined so that gear meets gear without a whisper, and when its finely tempered steel Springs expand, the action is as regular as the swinging of a pendulum, and as quiet as the ticking of a finely jewelled watch.

The New Motor is provided with an oiling system easy to reach and unfailingly effective. Each motor is run for hours, thoroughly tested and inspected before it goes into the cabinet.



Two Specially Good Machines for Xmas Gifts

All the dear old hymns and carols of Christmas-tide for Christmas morning, all the newest Fox-trots and Waltzes for Christmas night. All the best music of all the world, all the time is within your reach, on a Columbia.

Columbia Grafonola Type C

A substantial, beautifully made instrument, finished in Brown Mahogany or Quarter-cut Golden Oak. A compact machine yet absolutely complete in every detail. Has singularly clear and lovely tones. "A real, friendly little machine, full of good cheer and companionship." Size 16 1/4 in. at base, 12 3/8 in. high.

Reg. \$75.00.

SALE PRICE

60.00

Columbia Grafonola Type D

Simple and dignified in outline, the tone volume of this popular Model is astounding and the tone quality is exceptionally beautiful. Equipped with new three-spring motor. Mahogany or Quarter-cut Golden Oak. Base 18 1/2 x 21 1/2, 13 3/8 in. high.

Reg. \$100.00.

SALE PRICE

75.00

PLAY IT AGAIN WITH A CESCO REPEATER

The Cesco Repeater automatically repeats Grafonola Records. Simple in construction, with nothing to get out of order; made of sheet steel, weighing less than 3 ounces. The 'Cesco' is a little wonder.

In action, as the needle reaches the end of the record the tone-arm is raised by the "Cesco" quick as a flash and gently placed at the starting point. There is no break or pause between ending and starting.

SALE PRICE

1.50

The New Columbia Grafonola

is an instrument that eclipses all previous talking machine achievements. After years of research, Columbia musical experts and engineers have produced an instrument which establishes the Grafonola on a higher musical plane than it has ever heretofore obtained, and we present the "New Columbia Grafonola as the most perfect music-reproducing instrument ever built.

New Columbia Model 239 CONSOLE DESIGN

Three Spring A. C. Motor with No. 6 New Reproducer. Finished in fine Brown Mahogany. Shelves for Records. Has a new divided top, and a disappearing drop panel in front of tone chamber.

SALE PRICE **165.00**

U. S. PICTURE & PORTRAIT CO.

**London Producers
Seek to Popularize
BRITISH MADE FILMS.**

LONDON.—The British used to smile at the American custom of picking out days out of the calendar to give up interest in country things, and the lively worshippers of the "week" to sell. But now the British are acquiring the habit themselves. Or perhaps it is being thrust upon them by presenters and producers and the lively worshippers of the "week" to sell. But now the British are acquiring the habit themselves. Or perhaps it is being thrust upon them by presenters and producers and the lively worshippers of the "week" to sell. But now the British are acquiring the habit themselves. Or perhaps it is being thrust upon them by presenters and producers and the lively worshippers of the "week" to sell.

Have you sent in your entry for the THREE FLOWERS Talcum contest? Competition soon closing. Someone will get the twenty dollars for CHRISTMAS gift—decide!

**Empire Fashions
for Women**

LET LONDON LEAD. "Looking at it from the standpoint of a woman, I think the British Empire Exhibition will afford an excellent opportunity for the display of British-made women's wear." Mrs. Wm. R. Warren, wife of the Prime Minister of Newfoundland who is at present in London, used these words in an interview to-day. "The British people," said Mrs. Warren "are as inventive, ingenious, and as artistic as any other race, and there is no reason in the world why styles should not originate in London as well as in other parts of the globe. The quality and excellence of British material is too well known to need comment. Designers and dressmakers in Gt. Britain would be well advised to avail themselves to the very fullest extent of the wonderful opportunity afforded them at the Exhibition next year, of showing the world that they can compete on equal terms with those of other nations. If the Exhibition authorities could see their way to offering prizes for the best designs of women's apparel, the result, I feel sure, would be both interesting and instructive. "I regard the Exhibition as the shop window of the Empire. In it will be displayed to the world the goods which we have to sell. As it is inevitably to be a very attractive window, and as it is certain that the goods displayed will be of first rate quality, we are safe in assuming that we shall not have long to wait for the advent of purchasers."

It is the easiest twenty dollars you'll ever get. Just send in your testimonial for THREE FLOWERS TALCUM. Write your honest, frank opinions of this talcum and send the letter accompanied by an empty talcum tin to GERARD S. DOYLE'S—decide!

**British Like
Breakfast Foods**

London, Nov. 12 (A.P.)—England is to be introduced to breakfast foods in various forms of wheat. A company has been formed to make the breakfast foods from wheat grown in England. At present such breakfast foods are almost entirely imported from Canada with a small percentage coming from the United States. The new factory will produce foods for consumption in Great Britain and the continent, where the sale of this type of breakfast dish is increasing rapidly.

Gifts for Everyone

Now concerning Christmas Gifts, it is necessary to emphasize this suggestion: That thoughtful planning and early buying will bring much more agreeable results all around than can be possibly achieved by waiting. This store is brimful of new and charming, beautiful to look upon, delightful to possess. It is part of wisdom therefore, to make your selections before the inevitable "rush" begins. On this page you will find about 500 gift suggestions which are typical of the thousands of gifts offered in this store.

The Royal Stores, Limited The Store with the Christmas Spirit

Some Things to Give Her

- Charming Blouses.**
Multitudes of them offering ample scope for selection, at prices you will agree are most reasonable. Newest models in Silk, Tricotee, Shantung, Georgette and Crepe de Chine, in all the newest styles and wanted shades. Prices, each \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.25, \$5.00, \$6.00 up to \$20.00
- Gloves.**
Lined Kid and Suede, in assorted colors and sizes. Prices, per pair \$1.50 up to \$7.50
Unlined Kid and Suede. Prices, per pair \$1.50 up to \$3.50
- Wool Gloves.** In assorted colors and sizes. Prices, per pair \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$9.50, \$10.00
- Hosiery.**
Silk Hosiery in Black and White and assorted colors. Prices, per pair \$1.70, \$2.00, \$2.40, \$2.85 and \$3.50
Cashmere Hosiery, in Black, colored and Heather mixtures. Prices, per pair \$1.00 up to \$1.50
- Dressing Gowns.**
Prices, each \$2.10, \$3.00, \$3.45, \$4.25, \$10.75 up to \$27.00
- Dressing Sacques.**
Prices, each \$1.20, \$1.50, \$2.25, \$2.75 and \$6.00
- Wool Boudoir Jackets.**
Prices, each \$5.00, \$5.75 and \$6.00
- Wool Jumpers and Jackettes.**
Prices, each \$1.75, \$2.10, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$4.80, \$7.00 up to \$14.00
- Sweater Coats.**
Prices, each \$3.75 up to \$22.00
- Felt Slippers.**
In a wonderful variety of colors and styles. Prices, per pair \$1.40, \$1.55, \$1.75, \$1.95 and \$2.25
- Spats.**
Colors of Black, Grey and Brown. Prices, per pair \$1.15, \$1.40 and \$1.75
- Silk Handkerchief Sachet.**
Containing three Handkerchiefs. Prices, each \$1.10, \$1.30, \$1.50 and \$1.50
- Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs.**
White with colored borders and assorted fancy. Prices, each \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$5c.
- Silk Handkerchiefs.**
Colored and Shantung Silk. Price, each \$2.50
- Handkerchiefs.**
Beautiful boxed for gift giving. Prices, per box 55c, 65c, 75c, 80c, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.40, \$1.65, \$2.00, \$2.10, \$2.25, \$3.00 and \$4.25
- White Lawn Handkerchiefs.**
With Lace, embroidery and hemstitching. Prices each 7c, 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c, 17c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, up to \$1.10
- Dressing Cases.**
Prices, each \$2.75, \$4.70, \$6.20, \$7.00, \$8.00, \$9.00, \$11.00, \$12.75, \$13.50 and \$14.00
- Brush and Comb Sets.**
Prices, per set \$2.25, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$4.70, \$5.50 and \$6.75
- Gift Stationery.**
In Fancy boxes. Prices, from 30c. up to \$5.00 per box.
- Work Boxes.**
Unfringed. Prices, each \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.40 up to \$4.40
Fringed. Prices, each \$1.40, \$1.60, \$2.25 and \$2.75
- Neckwear Novelties.**
In Lace and Organza. Prices, each 34c, 45c, 60c, 75c, 90c, \$1.10, \$1.20 up to \$4.55
- Silk Scarves.**
In Black, White and all the latest colors. Prices each 70c, \$1.10, \$1.30, \$1.55, \$1.75, \$2.20 up to \$2.50
- Wool Scarves.**
For every requirement, narrow Wool Scarves, Motor Scarves, Motor Wraps, Angora Wool Scarves, etc. Prices, each 90c, \$1.30, \$1.60, \$1.90 up to \$3.50
- Beaded Hand Bags.**
In a variety of pretty designs. Prices, each \$1.30, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$6.00
- Leather Hand Bags.**
In a big variety of Black and Colored. Prices, each \$1.45, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.00 up to \$10.25
- Suede Shopping Bags.**
Assorted colors. Prices, each \$1.75 and \$3.50
- Chain Mesh Hand Bags.**
Price, each \$1.00
- Glove and Handkerchief Boxes.**
Prices, each \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$1.10
- Umbrellas.**
Assorted handles, White and Amber tipped, assorted colors, best quality silk covering. Prices, each \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$9.50, \$10.00, \$10.50, \$11.00, \$11.50, \$12.00, \$12.50, \$13.00, \$13.50, \$14.00, \$14.50, \$15.00, \$15.50, \$16.00, \$16.50, \$17.00, \$17.50, \$18.00, \$18.50, \$19.00, \$19.50, \$20.00

Some Things to Give Him

- Tunic Shirts.**
Well shaped, full size, correct fitting, sizes 14 to 17 1/2. Prices, each \$1.20, \$1.40, \$1.50, \$1.80, \$2.00, \$2.20, \$2.35, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.25
- Silk Ties.**
Wide flowing ends and straight cut. Prices, each 70c, 90c, \$1.20, \$1.50, \$1.65 and \$2.50
- Knitted Ties.**
In Black and assorted colors. Prices, each 35c, 50c, 60c, 85c, and \$1.20
- Dressing Gowns.**
Made of Eiderdown and heavy Flannelette. Prices, each \$8.50, \$11.75, \$15.50, \$17.00 and \$21.50
- Socks.**
In a big variety of plain and fancy colors. Prices, per pair \$1.00 up to \$1.50
- Handkerchiefs.**
White Lawn and Excelsa, also colored border. Prices, each \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50
- Silk.**
In Crimson and White, Initialed and plain. Prices, each \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50
- Velour Hats.**
Genuine English and Austrian All Fur Velour. Prices, each \$7.25, \$10.20 and \$13.00
- Winter Caps.**
In Blue and Brown Naps and assorted Tweeds for men and boys. Prices, each \$1.00, \$1.40, \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.90
- Braes.**
Leather and corded ends. Prices, per pair \$1.30, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.25
- Men's Leggings.**
Black and Tan Leather. Price, per pair \$3.75
- Boys' and Youths' Leggings.**
Black and Tan Leather. Prices, per pair \$2.75 and \$5.00
- Felt Slippers.**
Colors of Grey, Brown, etc. Prices, per pair \$1.30, \$1.50, \$1.65 and \$1.85
- Leather Slippers.**
Black and Tan. Prices, per pair \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$2.70
- Men's Pipes.**
Straight and Curved stems. Prices from 40c. each up to \$2.25
- Case Pipes.**
Prices, from \$1.00 up to \$2.50 up to \$6.00
- Military Brushes.**
In Leather case. Prices, per set \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00
- Dressing Cases.**
Prices, each \$4.25, \$5.50, \$6.20, \$7.00, \$7.75, \$8.20, \$10.50, \$12.00, \$13.50, \$14.50 and \$17.50
- Shaving Sets.**
Prices, per set \$1.45, \$2.70, \$3.60, \$4.00, 6.30 and \$9.00
- Collar Boxes.**
Leather. Prices, each \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.40 and \$4.90
- Collar Pouches.**
Prices, each \$1.00, \$1.40, \$1.70 and \$5.40
- Collar Boxes.**
Leatherette. Prices, each \$1.45, 70c, and 90c.
- Glove Boxes.**
Prices, each \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and 90c.
- Tie Boxes.**
Prices, each \$1.00, \$1.25, 70c, and 90c.
- Handkerchief Boxes.**
Prices, each \$1.00, \$1.25, 70c, and 90c.
- Dancing Pumps.**
Oxford style, Black Patent Leather. Price, each \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.25, \$4.50, \$4.75, \$5.00, \$5.25, \$5.50, \$5.75, \$6.00, \$6.25, \$6.50, \$6.75, \$7.00, \$7.25, \$7.50, \$7.75, \$8.00, \$8.25, \$8.50, \$8.75, \$9.00, \$9.25, \$9.50, \$9.75, \$10.00, \$10.25, \$10.50, \$10.75, \$11.00, \$11.25, \$11.50, \$11.75, \$12.00, \$12.25, \$12.50, \$12.75, \$13.00, \$13.25, \$13.50, \$13.75, \$14.00, \$14.25, \$14.50, \$14.75, \$15.00, \$15.25, \$15.50, \$15.75, \$16.00, \$16.25, \$16.50, \$16.75, \$17.00, \$17.25, \$17.50, \$17.75, \$18.00, \$18.25, \$18.50, \$18.75, \$19.00, \$19.25, \$19.50, \$19.75, \$20.00

Beautiful Rugs

- The entire family can join in the purchasing of these Rugs.
- Mohair Hearth Rugs.**
Colors of Red, Green, Gold and Black.
Size 24 x 60. Price, each \$14.75
Size 30 x 60. Price, each \$12.00
- Axminster Rugs.**
In a wide assortment of new and novel designs and colorings. Prices, each \$6.50, \$8.00, \$9.50, \$9.00 and \$10.50
- Velvet Rugs.**
In new and exquisite designs and colors. Prices, each \$4.00, \$4.75, \$5.75, \$6.50 and \$6.00
- Tapestry Rugs.**
In all the season's patterns, in new and wanted colorings. Prices, each \$3.00 & \$3.25
- Door Mats.**
Mohair, colors of Green, Black, Red and Gold.
Size 11 x 23. Price, each \$2.25
Size 12 x 30. Price, each \$2.75
- Tapestry Door Mats.**
In a big assortment, in new and bright designs and colors. Prices, each 75c, \$1.10 and \$1.25
- Axminster Door Mats.**
In all the new colors and designs, assorted sizes. Prices, each \$1.45 and \$1.55
- Wool Door Mats.**
Mottled castris, with Black and Green and Red and Green striped borders; size 11 x 23. Price, each \$1.40



Furs Ideal Gifts
Our Furs for this season consists of a wonderful variety of wanted pieces. Here you will find the Furs of all Furdom and made into Muffs, Stoles, Collarettes, etc. that must appeal to all women, because of their beauty and worth.

Fur Sets.
Blue Manishurian Wolf—Prices, per set \$21.50 to \$25.00
Black Dakota Wolf—\$26.00 to \$37.50
Skunk Opposum—\$64.00 to \$105.00

Collars and Stoles.
In Caracule, Wolf, Lynx and Coon. Prices, each \$3.25 up to \$57.50

Muffs.
Barrel and Pillow shaped, in Brown and Black Wolf, Fox, etc. Prices, each \$6.00 up to \$14.00

Wool Blankets

- Give a pair of our Riverside Wool Blankets this Christmas, and keep your memory green for a life time.
- Part Wool Blankets.**
Guaranteed 70% Wool, of a very special quality.
- Size 60 x 70. Price, per pair \$5.00
Size 64 x 70. Price, per pair \$5.25
Size 60 x 78. Price, per pair \$5.75
Size 66 x 88. Price, per pair \$5.75
Size 70 x 85. Price, per pair \$10.00
- All Wool Blankets.**
Guaranteed 100% Wool—the Ideal Blanket.
- Size 64 x 70. Price, per pair \$5.75
Size 60 x 78. Price, per pair \$5.90
Size 66 x 88. Price, per pair \$10.50
Size 70 x 88. Price, per pair \$12.00
Size 75 x 90. Price, per pair \$15.00
Size 84 x 90. Price, per pair \$16.50
- Eiderdowns.**
For Kiddles' Coats; size 24 x 36. Price, each \$4.50
- Eiderdown quilts.**
Filled with pure picked Down, covered with high grade Art Saten, in handsome floral designs, in assorted colors. Prices, each \$15.00, \$16.50, \$21.00 and \$24.00



Silver Hat Pins
We are now offering a beautiful assortment of Near Silver Metal Hat Pins. These Pins are guaranteed not to tarnish, and will wear white clean through, warranted for 10 years.

Prices, each \$1.45, 80c, and 75c.
And in boxes of two.
Prices, per box \$4c, and 65c.

Don't Forget the Toys

The real playful gift for little tots, and the educational kind for the older boys and girls. We have so many and they are so varied, that we can do no better than ask you to come and look them over yourself.

Christmas Tags and Seals

A truly wonderful selection of all the very newest in Christmas Tags and Seals. In fact the best and biggest selection we have had for years. Get yours now.

Price per package \$1.12c.

Fountain Pens

The Peter Pan with 14kt. gold point, Tritium tipped, in all shades. Price, each \$1.25

A big assortment of Fountain Pens, including the Waterman. Prices, each \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 up to \$7.25.

Decorating Flowers

We have a beautiful selection of Decoration Flowers, real natural looking, for table and other decorations, sold in bunches. This assortment includes, Carnations, Tulips, Roses, Poppies, etc. Prices, per bunch \$1.10

Christmas and New Year Cards

- Boxes of Cards.**
Prices, per box \$1.30, 35c, and 80c
- Christmas Cards.**
Prices, per package \$1.50, and 37c
- Christmas Cards.**
Price, each \$1.1c
- Christmas Greeting Cards.**
Price, each \$1.5c

Novelty Gift Goods

- Bead Necklets.**
In almost every procurable shade, assorted lengths. Prices, each 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 80c, 85c, \$1.10, \$1.20, \$1.45, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$4.25
- Spanish Hair Combs.**
With and without brilliants. Prices, each 17c, 30c, 40c, 45c, and 80c.
- Brilliant Bar Pins.**
Prices, each \$5c, \$1.30, \$1.45 and \$1.70
- Brilliant Hair Bands.**
Prices, each \$1.50, 75c, and \$2.25
- Pearl Necklets.**
Prices, each 20c, 35c, 50c, \$1.65 and \$1.85
- Egyptian Brooches.**
"King Tut" design. Price, each \$1.70c.
- Egyptian Necklets.**
"King Tut" design. Price, each \$1.50
- Fancy Brooches.**
Prices, each \$1.00, 60c, and 70c.
- Fancy Garters.**
Prices, per pair \$1.45, 45c, 65c, and 85c.
- Bangles and Bracelets.**
Colors of Red, Green, Rose, Blue, Yellow, Amethyst, White and Black. Prices, each 20c, 25c, 30c, 45c, 50c, and 65c.
- Celluloid Bag Frames.**
Assorted colors. Prices, each \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.10, \$2.50 and \$3.20
- Novelty Half Belts.**
In all shades. Prices, each \$1.50 & \$1.75
- Fancy Clocks.**
Prices, each \$5.10, 5.65 and \$7.30
- Wrist Watches.**
Price, each \$2.50
- Manicure Sets.**
In nickle case, Cartridge shape. Price, per set \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$9.50, \$10.00, \$10.50, \$11.00, \$11.50, \$12.00, \$12.50, \$13.00, \$13.50, \$14.00, \$14.50, \$15.00, \$15.50, \$16.00, \$16.50, \$17.00, \$17.50, \$18.00, \$18.50, \$19.00, \$19.50, \$20.00
- Perfumes.** Price, per bottle \$1.75 and \$3.25
- Toilet Water.** Price, per bottle \$1.25, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.25
- Colgate Requisites.**
Perfumes, 1 bottle in a neat box. Prices, per box 35c, 50c, \$1.10, \$1.20, \$1.45, \$1.50, \$1.70, \$1.80, \$2.00, \$2.40 up to \$10.25.
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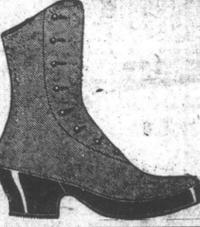
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SIDE TALKS.

By Ruth Cameron.

AND SO IS ENVI.

We are often reminded that sympathy in a friend's misfortune is a rare and beautiful quality. I am inclined to doubt if it is as rare as is generally supposed. In his good fortune.

Some young people whom I know have recently built a most charming little house in a very pretty spot on the shore of a lake. When they bought the lot there were many comments from their friends.

Kind Friends Speak.

Said one: "Yes, I know where it is. Isn't it pretty? I know someone who had friends who lived near there once, but they had to move out because there were so many bugs there." (It was afterwards discovered that the kind friend who made that remark had quite mistaken the location.)

Said another: "It's lovely. You'll enjoy it. My employer was going to build down there at one time but he was afraid of malaria."

And yet another friend contributed the Babbitt witticism: "I'll come out and see you after the mosquito season is over."

After the house was built, further contributions were made. As for instance: "It certainly is a darling little house. I do wish we might have one, but we are going to wait until building goes down, for Roger says anything built now won't be worth more than half what it cost in a few years."

"It certainly is the sweetest little house, and so fresh and dainty looking. I think you are so brave to tackle the job of keeping all that white paint and all those little windows clean. Did you ever see my cousin's house, it's a lot like this. She's just sold it, because she simply couldn't keep it clean herself and couldn't keep a maid out

in the country. They've moved into an apartment and she's so happy."

Who was it said "God defend us from our friends, we can defend ourselves from our enemies?"

How Much Happiness They Spill. Fortunately, these people are sufficiently in love with their adorable house and its charming location, not to be depressed by these reactions of their friends to their good fortune.

Sometimes, however, one hasn't this blessed surety and then such reactions may change pleasure into uncertainty and disappointment.

Take this new hat which you bought with such delight, spending twice what you should have, because you felt it was so unusual and becoming that you were willing to wear it two years. After getting it home you suffered the usual reaction. "Is it really a perfect little gem, or did I just imagine it because I was confused by looking at so many hats?" you asked yourself.

And then came your friends. "Oh, isn't it stunning, my dear! I only hope it won't be fragile. You know, Grace had one with some flowers like that and they simply wilted the first time she wore it out a damp day—not rain at all, my dear, but just damp."

What She Leaves Unsaid! "Isn't it a beauty! Do put it on. Yes, I think it's a perfectly lovely straw, and those flowers are the loveliest color. Where did you get it?" But nothing is said about becomingness, and after a little she ends up with: "Where is that hat you had last year? I thought it was so becoming, I always say I'd rather have a hat becoming than smart or expensive."

There is just one thing that can take the sting out of these reactions. And that is to search for the emotion that so often (all unsuspected by its possessor, perhaps) lies beneath them. Imitation, we are told, is one of the sincerest forms of flattery. And so is envy.

Recaptured After Six Weeks' Liberty

Penal Servitude for Last of London Prisoners.

The last of the three escaped London prisoners, was recaptured in a billiards room in Margate on Wednesday night, and appeared at the London Sessions yesterday.

He was Arthur Wallace, twenty-seven, and he appeared in the dock with Frederick Moore, twenty-seven, artist, another of the prisoners who escaped from the Sessions House at Newington-causeway on October 11.

Moore was caught the day after his escape, and the third prisoner, Patrick, who was also captured a few days after escaping, was sentenced to a long term of imprisonment some time ago.

Moore and Wallace pleaded guilty to a charge of attempting to break into a house in St. John's Wood. Wallace was sentenced to three years' penal servitude and Moore to twenty-one months' hard labour.

Several Convictions.

They were convicted on further charges of stealing from other houses. Both prisoners were smartly dressed, and Wallace entered the dock with a jaunty air, wearing a grey overcoat, with a witness recognised as the property of her husband.

Mr. McGuire, prosecuting, mentioned that in two of the houses entered the prisoners had broken wine bottles and strewn the contents all over the place.

In another house, where a table had been laid for some celebrations, they committed wanton and wilful damage.

Found Their Way Out.

"Not only did they cause trouble in the houses they visited," continued counsel, "but they also created trouble in this building."

"Oh, yes," smilingly said Sir Robert Wallace, the chairman, "they were brought here, and they found their way out."

Detective-Sergeant Pike, said that Moore had been many times convicted since 1913, and Wallace had been sent to prison on several occasions.

"In one afternoon they broke into three residences," declared witness.

Sir Robert Wallace highly commended two schoolboys, Eric Foot and Raymond May, of Putney, who led to the arrest of the two men in the first instance. They were each awarded ten shillings in addition to their expenses.

Life in Margate.

Wallace, despite the extra vigilance of thousands of police in all parts of the country, eluded his pursuers for six weeks.

Wallace had been in Margate for the past month—and he had been living in a small apartment house in a quiet part of the town.

He had apparently been visiting various public places without any attempt at disguise.

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Vienna, Nov. 28 (A.P.)—All the romance being wrung from the historic old Blue Danube made famous in song, music and story almost everywhere. Prosaic Danube boatmen who care but little about waiting are looking forward to next summer which promises to be the busiest, in a transportation way, in the river's history.

Dredges have been at work on the river, and this natural trade route through central Europe to the Black Sea, Constantinople and Odessa, has been greatly improved and deepened. New boats with larger carrying capacity are being built for the spring trade and transshipment facilities are being developed.

Completion of the Danube-Rhine and the Danube-Elbe canals also will add to the river's importance as a shipping route.

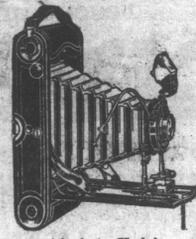
German Trains Curtailed

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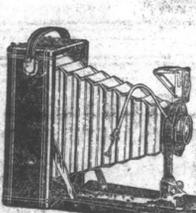
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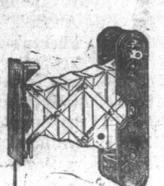
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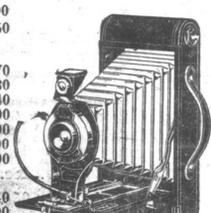
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Household Notes.

Mashed potato, seasoned with minced onion, chopped nut meats, sage, paprika and beaten egg, makes an excellent stuffing for roast goose.

There is a tradition about Christmas pies and puddings that need not be broken—since an excellent sherry flavoured is obtainable at the grocery store.

For an unusual appetizer, serve celery, cut in two inch pieces, filled with cream, cheese, brushed with soft margarine, rolled in chopped nuts and chilled.

Ulster Purchases

Mansion

Belfast, Dec. 19 (A.P.)—The Ulster government has purchased Hillsborough Castle, County Down, as an official residence for the Governor-General. "Baron's Court" is too remote from Belfast.

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Hindu-Muslim Unity

INDIA'S BIG PROBLEM DECLARES EDUCATOR.

CALCUTTA—(A.P.)—Sir Rabbidranath Tagore, poet and educator, has condemned the proposed wrecking of the legislative councils, and questioned the possibility of any adequate self-government in India on account of the difficulties between Hindu and Mohammedans. He advocated the building up of new and independent institutions instead of trying to wreck those now in existence, and held the regeneration of rural life to be more important than national reform.

The one problem of the day, said the poet, was the question of Hindu-Muslim unity. He considered that the leaders of the country had not yet been able to arrive at any practical or permanent solution of this problem, and was thoroughly convinced that until the question has been effectively solved, all efforts to establish self-government will be wasted. He stated emphatically that he was not one of those who thought freedom from foreign rule would immediately solve all India's difficulties. "The Mohammedans," he continued, "are united in all religious matters, and have a democratic organization. I cannot understand why they wish to come to terms with the Hindus who are demoralized with internal divisions and dissensions and full of the false pride of religious aristocracy. The Mohammedans have strength in them and are conscious of it. They know that the Hindus are weak. I cannot expect the Mohammedans to rise above their nature and determine their relations with the Hindus in a spirit of broadmindedness."

"I went to Malabar immediately after the Moplah rebellion. There I saw with my own eyes how 4,000,000 Hindus had become mortally afraid of only 1,000,000 Mohammedans. The Hindus are living at the mercy of the Mohammedans. What has been possible under the British Government would remain possible should that Government be removed."

"Another factor which makes it almost impossible for Hindu-Muslim unity to become an accomplished fact is that the Mohammedans cannot confine their patriotism to any one country within geographical limits. The Mohammed world has been built up on a basis of religious fraternity. It is the bond of religion alone which firmly unites Mohammedans scattered over widely different parts of the globe. Even such men as Mohammed Ali have declared that under no circumstances is it permissible for any Mohammedan, whatever his country may be, to stand against any other Mohammedan."

AN OLD FRIEND BACK.
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Putting it up to Lloyd George

(From the London Times.)

We should all be glad to agree with France; but we have had an extremely painful experience of agreements that were dangerous and destructive because of their insincerity. The present unrest in Europe and the profound divergence of policy that afflicts both France and England are due in large measure to the demoralizing influence of the Lloyd George period. The time for facile and soporific agreement is over.

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How He Missed It

(From the Yorkshire Post.)

The steamer was only a few feet from the quay when there was a sudden commotion and a man came shouting to the officials to get a moment. Without pausing in his stride, he flung his bag on to the boat, took a desperate leap and landed on the deck with a crash. "Good!" he gasped, as he was assisted to his feet. "Just did it. A few seconds later I should have missed it."

"Missed it!" exclaimed one of the passengers. "This boat is just coming in."

Tax Collector Sent to Prison

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Dec. 12.—Former City Tax Collector Howard Smith to-day pleaded guilty to embezzlement of \$85,000.05 of the city's funds, and was sentenced by Judge Isaac Wolfe in the Superior Court to not less than three nor more than six years in State Prison. Smith disappeared during May, 1922, when an examination of his books disclosed a shortage.

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CHRISTMAS GIFTS

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Second Prize!

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D elightful users spread its fame,
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Men and Things

It began to pour rain the other day as Gabriele D'Annunzio, the Italian poet, was out in his garden setting inspiration for his poem. Gabriele stayed out and caught an awful cold. Evidently the enthusiastic D'Annunzio does not know enough to go in out of the rain.

Out in the West the season for the drownings of skaters has commenced, and a couple of boys have gone thru the ice. On Lake Manitoba the other day four fishermen broke through and perished. There will be many such tragedies all over Canada before long. The skaters should heed the fatalities and not venture on the ice before it is several inches thick.

Christmas is drawing near and the spirit of Santa Claus is in the air, especially wherever there are children. The citizens in their good fortune should not forget their less fortunate fellows. To play Santa Claus to someone who needs assistance is the best way to keep the season.

The Crown Prince of Germany is credited with saying that with 20,000 men he could wipe out the present Republican Government. The Crown Prince had an army of tens of thousands of men in front of Verdun and was beaten. He could hardly win now when he lost in such circumstances in the great war. He is a dead one and doesn't know it.

A representative deputation, including the Lord Bishop of Qu'Appelle and Brigadier-General Tuxford, visited upon the Premier and other ministers of Saskatchewan the other day and asked for a change in the liquor laws. Saskatchewan has so-called prohibition, which is more or less of a joke. The Province is destined to have a referendum some of these fine days, and the result is hardly to be doubted. The province is between two that have already gone the way it is bound to go before long. Prohibition is being killed.

In the States an amateur radio fan was shocked to death not long ago, while in Montreal a man was badly burned about the hands while installing a radio. The system is becoming quite common, and the enthusiasts should remember that there is danger in carelessness. Safety first should go with radio as well as everything else.

Georges Carpentier signifies that he is ready to meet Mike McTigue, Gene Tunney, Harry Greb or the excitable Battling Siki. Carpentier has to look for engagements now, it seems. He is not what he used to be before Jack Dempsey knocked his world championship aspirations higher than a kite.

A man in Hull offered to commit murder for \$200 but he made the mistake of making the offer to a detective in Hull and was arrested as a vagrant. He was a stranger and may have come from New York, where there seems to be keen competition in the killing business.

A visitor from Buffalo reports that the bars are still in existence there, and that they have the old rails, swing doors and all such familiar appurtenances. Furthermore, they sell both whiskey and beer by the glass. This is under so-called prohibition, and similar conditions prevail in Philadelphia and many other cities, so far as we know here. To say the least, the law does not seem to be strictly maintained across the border, despite their whiskey chasing navy and armies of Federal and State prohibition officers, not to mention the local police.

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VARIETIES OF WORK

For hours I racked my care-worn dome, attempting to think up a poem, and racked it all in vain; and to myself I said, "Meseems I have exhausted a l l the themes that are both safe and sane." I wrung my hands and walked the floor and bit large fragments from the door, my language was a shame; I soaked my head as though in pain, and tore my hair, but all in vain, no inspiration came. There is a delegate named John; he came that day to mow my lawn, and when his task was done, he said, "It seems to me unfair, that you infest an easy chair, while I toil in the sun. That blamed old-mover breaks my back and makes my hinges groan and crack while pushing to and fro; and while I earn a rusty plank you sit around composing junk and draw nine bucks or so." "It does seem fierce," I sadly said; "no wonder you are seething red, and ready for a scrap; yet oft, when I watch you sweat, you look to me like fortune's pet, you seem a lucky chap. We all have grief and care to burn, for t'other's job we weakly yearn, in moments of despair; and every man will sigh, 'Alas,' though he may mow the luscious grass, or teeter in a chair."

Greenland Minerals 20,000,000 Years Older Than Adam.
Philadelphia, Pa.—Minerals extracted from the earth in Greenland antedating the Garden of Eden by 50,000,000 years are on exhibition at the Academy of Natural Science here. They were discovered by Dr. Samuel G. Gordon of the academy, who has just returned from exploring the Arctic country.
Whether the minerals, which were found in large quantities, could be made of any commercial value was problematical, Dr. Gordon said, owing to the inaccessibility of Greenland. The minerals are imbedded in quartz and will be analyzed by the academy.

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Meteor Hits Statue

A meteorite fell at Abingdon, England, recently which damaged a statue. It was an unusual large specimen and it was fortunate that nobody was hurt. It has been estimated by scientists that some 20,000,000 enter the earth's atmosphere every day. Their average weight is about one-fifth of an ounce, and each year over 40,000 tons of meteoric dust falls on the earth's surface. Analysis of meteorites found after falling shows them to be composed of a kind of iron, about the same specific gravity as wrought iron. Fortunately nearly all big meteorites have fallen in sparsely populated districts. The biggest known to have fallen in Great Britain, fell in a field at Rowton, Shropshire, on April 20, 1876. It can be seen in the Natural History Museum, South Kensington. It is composed of pure iron, weighing 3 lb.

WHY SHE WORRIED.
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Speech Day Bishop Feild College

Bishop Feild College Speech Day took place last evening in the Casino and was attended by a large number of parents and friends of the School. Promptly at 8.15 His Excellency the Governor and Lady Allardice arrived, and were received at the entrance by his Lordship the Bishop and other Directors, while a Guard of Honour under the command of Captain Horsley, O.C. Corps, came to the General Salute. The guard was then inspected by the Governor, who complimented the members on their smart appearance. As the Vice-regal party entered, the National Anthem was played, the audience remaining standing until the party had taken their seats.

The boys' performance consisted of the following programme which was splendidly given in every detail:—
Drill—C Co.
Carol—Come all ye Christian men rejoice.
Physical Training.
Piano Solo—R. Percival.
The Death of the Duke of York—W. Kent, R. Phillips.
Drill—K Co.
A Demonstration in Physics.
Carol—Good King Wenceslas; R. Withers, R. Wood, and Chorus.
The physics demonstration, which showed a class of boys at work—more or less seriously—was a novel item, and a series of pyramids received great applause. The programme clearly showed that in the training system in vogue at the College, the most careful attention is given to every branch of education, and that education in the broadest sense of the word is the object aimed at and achieved by those responsible for the welfare of the Institution.

In the report submitted by the Headmaster, Mr. R. R. Wood, B.A., a summary of the work of the school year was given, and showed that the high standard of the College from every point of view, mentally, morally and physically was being fully maintained. He referred with pride, albeit modestly, to the College's unique record in having gained for the third year in succession the Rhodes Scholarship.

The prizes were then distributed to the lucky winners by his Excellency—no mean task, and carried out without a hitch. (A list of prizes and prize winners appears below.)

The Superintendent of Education, Dr. W. W. Blackall, B.A., D.C.L., M.B.E. then presented his report. This took the form of a diary report of his two days' visit. He took the audience into the various classrooms and described in detail how he found the work conducted, and the manner in which he discovered whether or not the pupils were grasping the subject matter in each case. It was a practical manner of satisfying the parents of the thoroughness of the work and methods of the Institution. While speaking in the highest terms of the work of the Council of Higher Education, he stressed the point that in his opinion the time had come when the scope of the examinations should be confined to the senior classes only.

A vote of thanks having been moved by Major L. C. Outerbridge, D.S.O., and seconded by Mayor Tasker Cook, M.L.C., it was put to the gathering by his Lordship the Bishop and carried in the usual hearty manner.

His Excellency, upon rising, congratulated the Headmaster most heartily upon his report and upon the work of the school, and proceeded to give the boys "something to think about," which was food for thought not only for the young folk, but for the grown ups as well. He emphasized the urgency of having in view a goal to the achievement of which they should direct their efforts and govern their actions, and pointed out that it was only by such means that they could hope to secure success. He gave a brief glimpse of his own distinguished career, and told them that from his earliest days in the Civil Service he had determined to be a Governor, and claimed that it was because of that determination that he had attained his object. In closing he wished both parents and boys a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. The National Anthem then brought a very interesting evening to a close.

PRIZE LIST, 1923.

Industry—Sr. A.A., D. Fraser; Jr. A.A., C. W. Carter; Lr. V.L.A., F. Rendell; Lr. V.L. B. H. White; Upper V. S. Wood; Lr. V. J. Watson; Up. IV, Edgar House; Lr. IV, R. Duder; Up. III, Edwin House; Lr. III, R. Farndale.

The Job Scholarship—R. Phillips.

The Bowring Medals—Jr. A.A., R. Mercer; Inter, H. Milley; Prelim, G. W. Smith.

The Steele Medal—Edgar House.

The Knowling Scholarships and Medals—Form VI, R. Anderson; Form V, S. Wood; Form IV, Edgar House.

Rhodes Ideal Scholar—R. Anderson.

The McCowan Medal—R. Anderson.

The Bertram Medal—G. H. Haines (Upper VI. b.)

English Essay Medals—Up. VI. A. W. Kent; Lr. VI, H. Milley.

Examination Honours—Sr. A.A., D. Fraser; Jr. A.A., R. Mercer; R. Phil-

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lips, W. M. Yetman; Inter, H. Milley; G. Strirling, F. Rendell; Prelim, G. W. Smith; S. ood; Primary, Edgar House; R. Duder, F. Hayward, A. Wright, C. Gould; Form III, Edwin House, G. LeMessurier, J. Nichols, H. Miller, E. Campbell, J. Carnell, R. Farndale.

Examination Passes—Sr. A.A., R. Percival, W. H. Palmer, Jr. A.A., C. W. Carter, E. Lear, E. J. Greenland, G. Martin, M. Blackmore; Inter, J. Grieve, C. Goldstone, J. T. Smith, R. S. Petten, G. W. Hynes, L. Coombs, H. E. White, W. Fitzgerald, D. Andrews, G. Bryant, W. Coker, R. Miller, R. Arkite, T. Hibbs, A. Howard; Prelim, J. Watson, D. Stuart, B. Rowe, J. Croobie, C. Godden, H. Vavasour, A. E. Hemmens, H. Bursell, G. Canning, R. White, E. Eales, J. Arkite, H. Feaver, J. Roberts, A. Goodridge, E. Perlin, W. Tucker, E. White, C. Cornick, A. Tranfield, F. Phillips; Primary, E. Hiscock, W. Williams, R. Whitten, W. Bright, W. Canning, C. Phillips, R. Charles, R. Wood, B. Humphries, R. Tucker, H. Butler; Form III, F. Strirling, N. Wood, W. Redstone, C. Keats, M. Levitz, G. Olyvere, G. Morescombe, P. Croobie, R. Harris, R. Vokey, D. Smith, J. Chalkcr, O. Williams, E. Peckford, R. Pike, B. Modell.

Donors of Prizes.

The College very heartily thanks the following ladies and gentlemen who have provided the prizes:—The Lord Bishop, Rev. Canon Bolt, M.A., D.C.L., Rev. Canon Jeeves, Rev. Canon Earp, Sir William Horwood, C.J., Sir Joseph Outerbridge, Sir Marmaduke Winter, Sir William Lloyd, Sir John Croobie, Hon. R. Watson, Hon. Tasker Cook, Hon. S. Milley, A. J. Harvey, J. R. Bennett, A. S. Rendell, R. B. Job, Eric Bowring, W. S. Monroe, H. W. LeMessurier, C.M.G., W. W. Blackall, B.A., D.C.L., W. E. Wood, F. C. Bertram, H. Outerbridge, L. Outerbridge, C. McK. Harvey, Gordon Winter, Herbert Winter, F. C. Alderdice, W. A. Ellis, F. A. Mews, F. E. Rendell, Lt. Col. W. F. Rendell, J. W. McNelly, H. C. Hayward, J. C. Croucher, J. A. Winter, Geo. R. Williams, S. O. Steele, Mrs. L. Miller, Mrs. A. Macpherson, Mrs. J. S. Mann, Mrs. Parsons, E. W. Connick, J. Scammell, W. N. Gray, I. Perlin, J. C. Phillips, L. J. Harnum, A. B. Perlin, H. W. Stirling, Mrs. Gosling, P. Knowling, G. Knowling, W. Knowling, Percie Johnson, R. Dowden, C. J. Stuart, E. R. Bowring, Jr., Mrs. Edwards, Dr. T. Anderson, H. A. Winter, J. Munloch, R. R. Wood.

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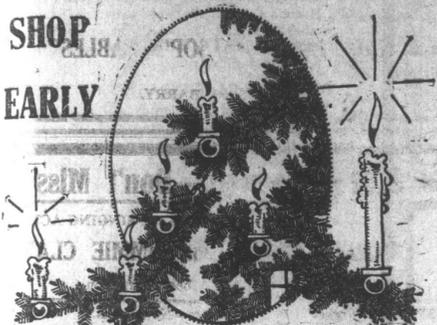
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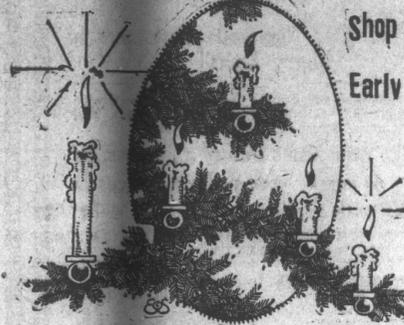
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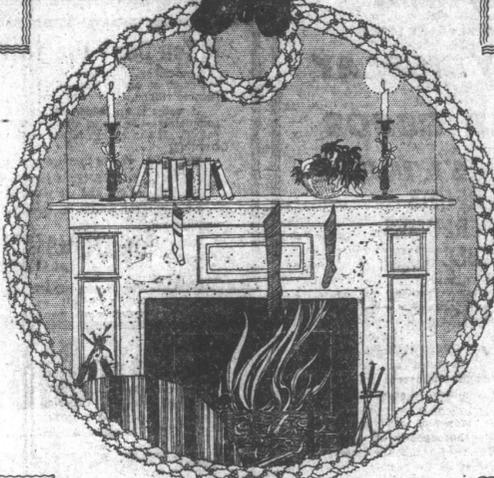
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Passenger trains will operate between St. John's and Heart's Content, in both directions, Wednesday, December 26th, and Thursday, December 27th. Train will leave St. John's 8.45 a.m., and leave Heart's Content 6.00 a.m. both days.

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Morning and evening trains will run between St. John's and Carbonear, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, of this week, and Monday and Tuesday of next week. Leave St. John's 8.45 a.m. and 6.00 p.m., and leave Carbonear 7.50 a.m. and 4.15 p.m.

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