

### DEFENCE SAYS CLARK INSANE WHEN HE SHOT

Family Witnesses in Grand Falls Murder Reveal Long Life of Insanity in Family

### FAMILY TAIN IS INCREASED BY HURT

Prisoner Shows No Interest at All in the Trial and the Evidence Produced.

Special to The Standard  
Andover, N. B., Dec. 1.—If you have an uncle who may have been regarded as a real "devil in his old home town," and if that uncle took a sudden change when the travelling preacher came around, put on his best suit of clothes and went to the cottage prayer meeting where he prayed faster than "Bill Sharoon," can't you watch out, it is a sign of insanity.

If perchance, you have another uncle who used to get drunk, it may be regarded as another queer thing in the family tree, all of which might be given a twist to prove you are insane. These were some of the things brought out by the defense today in an effort to convince the jury that Newman Clark is not guilty of killing Phoebe Bell, because he was insane at the time he shot her and was, therefore, not responsible for his acts.

### Admits the Crime

The defendant's counsel, in opening his case before the jury said that he didn't deny that Newman Clark killed Phoebe Bell on March 25th, but that when he did he was insane and had for some time been acting in a queer and unnatural manner, his mind being weakened by disease until it became deranged and the illness was reached on March 25 when reason fled and the physical man, without any control, committed the murderous assault.

Somewhere in the far past there were two families, one by the name of Russell and the other a Dorsey. Charles Clark, father of Newman, had the flannel blood flowing in his veins and there was insanity there while the Dorsey blood traveled the system of Newman Clark's mother and insanity was there to be alleged.

### Open Family Closes

Family closets were opened up by Mr. Jones, attorney for the prisoner, and some of the things that members of a family do not like to reveal publicly were brought to view in order if possible to save the prisoner from the gallows. The defendant's counsel sought to show that on both sides of Newman Clark's family there was insanity the affliction coming from the grandmother's side in each case. Witnesses were produced to substantiate the contentions of the defense. Uncles and cousins, besides an aged grandfather, and a mother, bowled by her sorrow and grief over the prisoner's predicament, told of the weaknesses existing in the family line and of the insanity among uncles and aunts. The prisoner's career from babyhood to his present state of mind was traced to his grandfather and went on a farm for himself, was sold by the mother.

### Fits While a Child

She said that in infancy he had been subject to fits. These persisted until he was about four years old when they seemed to have disappeared. They returned when he was 15, but nine years of age and caused him much trouble. After the attacks had ceased the boy, she said, would suffer severely with headaches and be in a semistupor condition. It was also brought out in evidence that Newman Clark, when a lad, had received two severe injuries to his head by falls.

### Taint From Two Sides

The defendant's counsel maintains that the taint of insanity has been inherited from both sides of the family, and has been aggravated to some extent by the injuries received in boyhood. Witnesses were produced, mostly relatives, who claimed that there had been a great change in the last four years. Testimony was given showing that he had always conducted his affairs successfully until four years ago when he apparently lost interest and neglected his duties. It was said he was unable to carry on any conversation he may have started because of lapse of memory, that he would frequently lay something down that he had in his hand and then forget where he placed it. Members of the family testified that Newman would at times become morose, sit with his head in his hands and never speak unless spoken to, mannerisms foreign to his natural self. All these things on being related into a chain of evidence to convince the jury that the prisoner was insane when he killed Phoebe Bell and cannot be held to pay the penalty for his crime.

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### TWO BIG QUESTIONS

Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—Two important questions—political and co-operative marketing of grain—are to be discussed at a meeting of the Canadian Council of Agriculturists in Winnipeg on Dec. 7 and 8, and vital decisions may be reached.

### Christmas Nuts To Be Much Cheaper Than in Other Years

Drop of From 25 to 35 cts. Per Pound is Reported by the Wholesalers.

Montreal, Dec. 1.—Christmas nuts and raisins, as well as other holiday goodies will be much cheaper this season, according to a local wholesaler today. Although people put off ordering so long, that walnuts, almonds and filberts will be scarce and difficult to buy, housewives will notice a considerable difference in their cost. What the grocers bought a year ago for 85 cents, they are now purchasing for from 50 to 55 cents. Filberts and other varieties are reduced from 15 to 20 per cent.

### RUM RUNNING BY AIRSHIP IS LATEST SCHEME

Ring at Winnipeg Has Clever Plan to Beat the Liquor Inspectors.

### POLICE HAVE TAKEN FORTY-FOUR AUTOS

Fines When Offenders Are Caught Are Paid by the "Trust."

Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—Airplanes are being used constantly by members of the alleged crime trust, which police believe has its headquarters in Winnipeg to smuggle liquor and other goods across the border, the Tribune declares it learned today. The Tribune story continues: "The mounted police and customs department officials campaign against the smugglers is proceeding with great energy."

### Capture 44 Autos

With the last two months, forty-four automobiles have been seized while actually engaged in the running of liquor and smuggling of other goods. The officials are now in possession of full evidence, proving most thorough and costly organization on the part of the law-breakers, even to the extent that American smugglers have been and are guaranteed by certain liquor dealers and boot-leggers against interference by Canada law, so that when smugglers are captured the liquor people with whom they do business in Manitoba pay the penalty."

### D'ANNUNZIO AT WAR WITH ITALY

State of War Will Come Into Effect on Friday Says Report.

London, Dec. 1.—Gabriele D'Annunzio, in command of insurgents at Fiume, has declared war on Italy, according to a Milan despatch to the London Times. The state of war will begin Friday.

### DUTCH CABINET RESIGNS ON ISSUE OF SCHOOL SALARY

London, Dec. 1.—The Dutch cabinet has resigned as a result of the second chamber parliament rejecting the government's proposal for higher salaries for teachers, says a despatch to the Central News from The Hague. The Netherlands Cabinet, headed by Jonkherr De Beerenbroek took office in September, 1918.

### EX-GERMAN EMPRESS IS EXTREMELY WEAK

Doorn, Holland, Dec. 1.—The condition of Augusta Victoria, the former German Empress, was little changed during the day. She was still fully conscious at five o'clock this evening, though much exhausted by the heart attacks.

### FARMERS WILL NOT JOIN GOVERNMENT IN MANITOBA HOUSE

Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—William Robson, leader of the Farmers' Party in the provincial legislature in a statement today, claims that he was entirely misquoted on November 22, when he was reported as having said that he and his party had agreed to support the Norris Government for one year. The Farmers' Party in the legislature would continue its absolute independence, he said.

### LIBERALS IN LEAD IN THE B. C. ELECTION

Sharp Contests Are Reported in Many of the Ridings of Province.

### MRS. RALPH SMITH MAKES FINE RUN

Definite Reports Not Expected Until Today as Ridings Are Hard to Reach.

Vancouver, Dec. 1.—With election returns from nearly all the ridings in the province still far from complete at 8:30 p.m., the Liberal candidates in many of the constituencies appear to be in the lead with their Conservative opponents close up.

Hon. Wm. Sloan, minister of mines, has been elected in Nanaimo. Whit-side, Liberal, New Westminster, is elected by 381 majority, and Anderson, Liberal, in Kamloops, has a good lead. Four Liberal candidates in Vancouver appear at this hour to be leading, with the Conservative candidates holding a strong vote. In Victoria, three Liberals and one Conservative are leading. Mr. Ross, Conservative, is elected in Nelson by over 400.

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 1.—Four Liberal candidates are leading in this city, Mrs. Ralph Smith, Liberal, leads the poll, with MacKenzie, Farris, W. Macdonald, with Hon. J. W. Bowser, Conservative, following. Warden, Conservative, and Ramsay, Liberal, are close for sixth place—six to be elected.

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### WORLD NEWS TODAY

CANADA  
College Hall, a part of Acadia University at Wolfville, N. S., is burned, with a loss of \$200,000. Bank robbers hold up Merchant's Bank at London, Ont., and get loose money.

Brompton Paper and Hammer Co. closes work for the winter. Three escaped from Port Arthur prison after locking up the ward on a cell.

Bread is dropping to 14 cents per loaf retail in Edmonton today.

THE BRITISH ISLES  
Since the first of the year 573 British subjects have been murdered in Ireland.

Scotland Yard continues to make many raids on Stan Pein quarters in England and Scotland. Workless crowds in a London suburb have taken possession of the city hall as a place in which to live.

MEXICO  
General Obregon has been inaugurated as president of Mexico.

EUROPE  
D'Annunzio has declared war on Italy, the state of conflict to begin on Friday.

### SAILOR CHASED BY THE FLYING DUTCHMAN DEAD

John Winters of Gloucester Claimed to Have Seen Ghostly Ship He Had Sunk.

### PHANTOM CREW IN THE RIGGING

Vessel That Caused Fatal Accident Was Driven from Sea by the "Dutchman."

Gloucester, Mass., Dec. 1.—The burial today of John Winters recalled to old time fishermen, a tradition of a modern Flying Dutchman and its ghostly crew that were believed to roam the seas in pursuit of a ship that had sunk them to the bottom. Winters was the last survivor of the crew of the Gloucester schooner Charles Haskell, which in a storm in March, 1889, was driven ashore and sunk. A Salem schooner and the sailing crew on Georges fishing banks. He died of the fishermen's saug harbor in his 82nd year, repeating almost to the last the tale of the ghost ship of the fishing banks which was supposed to have pursued the Haskell throughout its career as a phantom.

Saw Phantom Crew.  
Once off Eastern Point, at the entrance of Gloucester harbor, Winters said, a schooner ran down the water alongside the Haskell, and her phantom crew climbed the rigging, declaring themselves the ghosts of the Salem fishermen. Winters and others of the Haskell's crew refused to fish in the ship again, and a new crew was taken on. They returned with a similar story of a ghostly visitation at sea, took their dunnage bags and quit. Another, and still a fourth crew were shipped, but each came to port with a renewal of the story of a ship abroad in white and specter crew and the Haskell was hauled up, unable to get men. She finished her sea-going as a sand freighter, and the Salem ship was not heard of again.

Priest is Arrested  
Clon, County Kilkenny, Ireland, Dec. 1.—A Catholic priest was arrested last evening. He was conveyed to the military barracks.

### AMENDMENT WANTED LEAVE ULSTER UNDER THE IMPERIAL RULE

House of Lords Defeated the Measure by Vote of 111 to 53.

London, Dec. 1.—There appeared to be a prospect today that the Irish Home Rule Bill would throw the committee stage in the House of Lords without serious amendments. The Lords today rejected Lord Middleton's amendment which would have had the effect of creating one parliament for Southern Ireland and leaving the six Ulster counties under the imperial rule. The government resisted the amendment on the ground that it struck at the whole framework of the bill, and the amendment was defeated by a vote of 111 to 53.

### FREDERICTON WOMAN CAPTURED A MOOSE

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 1.—Mrs. R. S. Wilby, of this city, is one of the few women who succeeded in shooting a bull moose during the hunting season which closed yesterday. In the woods back of Gosselin's Station on Thursday last, where she was hunting with Leonard McAleer as guide, she succeeded in shooting a moose which had a splendid spread of antlers and which was one of the finest specimens of moose shot this season. Mrs. Wilby reports the moose as being very plentiful in that section, there being eleven in the lot in which she shot hers, and seven in another lot which she saw later.

### INSPECTOR BELL DIES IN WEST

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 1.—The death occurred here yesterday of Inspector A. L. Bell, Royal Canadian Mounted Police, a pioneer officer of the force. He entered the Royal North West Mounted Police twenty-three years ago, and for seventeen years served in the Yukon.

### AMHERSTBURG EDITOR IN HARNESS 46 YEARS

Windsor, Dec. 1.—The Amherstburg Echo one of the oldest weeklies in Canada, celebrating its forty-sixth birthday this week. John Ansd, its editor, has been in the harness forty-six years and five other employees have an aggregate of 149 years' service to their credit. The Echo was founded soon after Confederation.

### SINN FEINERS MURDERED 673 SINCE JAN. 1ST

Statistics Do Not Include Victims of Londonderry and Belfast Riots.

### NEARLY 3,000 RAIDS TO SECURE ARMS

Scotland Yard Busy Rounding up Suspects in England and Scotland.

London, Dec. 1.—Persons to the number of 673 have been killed or wounded in Ireland up to Nov. 31 of the present year by anti-government elements, according to a statement issued today by the Home Office. The deaths do not include twenty persons killed in Londonderry, and sixty-two in Belfast during the summer rioting, nor fifteen cadets killed in the Kilmichael ambush on Sunday night.

The statement says that 151 policemen have been killed and 230 wounded; that twenty-seven soldiers have been killed and 103 wounded. Citizens to the number of forty-one have been killed and 101 wounded.

Nearly 3,000 Raids  
Sixty-seven court houses have been destroyed, and 629 police barracks have been destroyed since 1911. There have been 830 raids on constabulary stations and lighthouses. In addition to these there has been 2,961 raids made for arms.

Another official statement says the arrests in Ireland averaged considerably over 100 weekly. During the last three weeks of November forty persons were taken into custody for political offences, including 169 during the last week of the month.

Scotland Yard Busy  
London, Dec. 1.—Operations of Scotland Yard, who are dealing with the Sinn Fein organization in London continued today active, searching of residences and business houses in various parts of the city. The searches were carried on mostly in the southwest portion of the city, which is largely a residential district for the middle class.

Two men were detained as a result of the searches. One of them later was released, no charge having been preferred against him. The police are maintaining the greatest secrecy with regard to their operations.

Professor Re-arrested  
Dublin, Dec. 1.—Professor John MacNeill, Sinn Fein member of parliament, was again arrested last night. He had been released from prison the previous day, having been arrested in Dublin on Nov. 28.

A large party of auxiliaries, equipped with a motor and searchlights, visited Professor MacNeill's residence at Booterstown, near Kingstown, and took him and his second son into custody. His eldest son is already in jail.

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### CONDEMN EXCISE TOBACCO TAXES

Retailers Declare it Bears Unequally Upon the Trade in Canada.

Montreal, Dec. 1.—That the present excise tax on tobacco is wasteful and bears unequally on certain of the interests concerned was the general trend of opinion at the meeting of the tobacco section of the Montreal Retail Merchants' Association this afternoon.

According to the present regulations a tax of five cents per pound is levied by the government on the growers, but the evasion of the charge is so easy to the farmer who may simply dispose of a large part of his stock privately without the formality of affixing the government stamp that the total revenue, according to the government, falls far below the available amount.

The luxury tax also came up for considerable adverse criticism at the meeting today. "It is making dishonest merchants out of men who otherwise would be honest," said Mr. G. Laplante, president of the association. "Small merchants who know their customers are able to sell to them without charging the additional luxury tax, and this works a hardship on the larger business man who makes an honest return of all luxury charges."

### FEDERAL AGENT SAYS HOPELESS TASK TO MAKE NEW YORK DRY

New York, Dec. 1.—Trying to make New York dry is a "hopeless task," says Frank L. Boyd, Federal Prohibition Agent here since Sept. 25, who has been relieved at his own request. In seventy-five days Boyd has made an average of thirty arrests a day and has confiscated liquor valued at \$1,200,000.

### SCOTTISH ISLAND DRY.

London, Dec. 1.—The island of Lewis in the Scottish prohibition bill has voted dry.

### Edmonton Bread Selling Retail At Eleven Cents Now

Fourth Drop in Prices in Last Two Months Goes Into Effect Today.

Edmonton, Alta., Dec. 1.—Local bread prices broke for the fourth time within two months this morning, when quotations were lowered by one cent. On the glide back to pre-war prices, bread today is being sold at nine cents a loaf, wholesale, and eleven cents retail.

### INDIAN LOCKED WARDER IN JAIL AND THEN FLED

Changed His Clothes, Cooked Breakfast and Released Friends Before Flitting.

### SENSATIONAL JAIL DELIVERY IN NORTH

Visited Other Cells and Said Good-Bye to Prisoners Before Quitting Prison.

Port Arthur, Ont., Dec. 1.—At the Port Arthur district jail at six o'clock this morning, Joseph Bushie, an Indian convict under sentence of fourteen months, locked his warder in his cell, took his keys, released two others and then went into the jail kitchen, cooked a breakfast, changed clothes and leisurely walked out, leaving the civilian clothes tickets on the jailer's desk as a reminder.

Bushie as the warder was passing his cell, called to him, "Hi, warder, let me out of here, I've got scrubbing to do this morning." Warden Robinson asked the cook if that was so, and the kitchen man intimated that "he thought he might do a little."

Locked in Cell  
As the warder opened the cell door, Bushie grabbed him, took away his keys, shoved him into his cell and locked the door. Bushie next released Webb and Gannigan, both short term men, and all three men repaired to the kitchen for a meal before taking their departure. The escaping prisoners took the best of the civilian clothes at hand. Gannigan carried a machine gun case belonging to a prisoner, Scotty Fraser. Before the three men left the building they visited the other prisoners, said their farewells, and as Gannigan passed Scotty's cell, he said, "Scotty, I'm going to wear your coat, so that you won't get it out, ta, ta, Scotty, see you later."

The escape was not learned until the day-warder came on duty at seven o'clock.

### WORKLESS TAKE CITY HALL FOR SLEEPING ROOM

Civic Buildings in Suburb of London Are Occupied by Unemployed.

### ONE COUNCIL HAS PROVIDED HOMES

No Violence When City Hall Was Taken Over by Men Who Had No Shelter.

London, Dec. 1.—Restiveness among the city's unemployed, coupled with the lack of housing accommodations, led to the seizure of the town hall at Edmonton, a northern suburb of London, by several hundred men today. The occupation of the building was entirely without violence. The men announce that they will use the town hall as their headquarters until something is done for them.

The town hall at Tottenham, another working district near the city, was the scene of a similar peaceful seizure yesterday. The unemployed men who took possession of the building, however, evacuated it today when the council announced that accommodations had been found for them in the corner's court and in two large storehouses.

### TIMES SQUARE HAS \$25,000 NOON FIRE

New York, Dec. 1.—Times Square, the heart of the theatrical district, was thrown into confusion about one o'clock today when a fire broke out in the quarters of a motion picture concern in the Langacre building. Many extra pieces of apparatus were summoned to check the spread of the flames.

A studio room, with contents valued at \$25,000, was destroyed by the fire, which made rapid headway.

### COLLEGE HALL AT WOLFVILLE IS FIRE RUIN

Flames Broke Out at 11:30 Last Night and Soon Destroyed Old Property.

### COLLEGE RECORDS HAVE BEEN LOST

Students Found Fire Fiercely and Made Heroic Endeavor to Save Building.

Wolfville, N. S., Dec. 1.—College Hall, a part of Acadia University here, was the scene of a great fire this evening, and as a result it is a total ruin, with a loss of over \$200,000. The flames were discovered by a student in another building, a little before midnight. The alarm was raised at once, and the Wolfville fire department was soon on the scene. With the students it made a heroic endeavor to extinguish the outbreak, but it was soon seen that there was no hope of saving the College Hall, so the brigade centred its efforts upon saving the adjoining properties.

Built in 1879.  
The building that was burned was erected in 1879 at a cost at that time of about \$80,000, but it was valued at over \$200,000 at the present time. A great many of the records of the Baptist denomination were stored within and while the students succeeded in saving some of these it is known that the majority were lost in the disaster.

Oil Paintings Gone.  
Acadia College hall was one of the central buildings of Acadia University and was used as the administrative office of the institution. Efforts to remove the furniture did not avail much, and many valuable records were destroyed, including the irreplaceable oil paintings of all the past presidents of the university.

The fire was one of the most spectacular ever witnessed in this part of Nova Scotia. Fortunately there was no wind, else there would have been grave danger to the whole town. The fire was confined to the wooden walls of the large structure. The fire is supposed to have originated from the furnace, and it made rapid headway.

Airship Burned, Too.  
The German airplane presented by the Canadian Government to the university, one hundred rifles belonging to the Boy Scouts, all the treasures in the museum, together with the furnishings and a fine collection of stuffed birds, the property of Robbie Tetta, were destroyed.

There is insurance of about \$40,000. At 1:30 o'clock this morning only the smoldering ruins of the building remained. At one time it was thought that the fire would extend to the seminary, but fortunately this did not occur.

President Cutler is at present in Boston and is not expected home before Friday.

### EGGING OF THE MINE SPEAKERS HELPS LEADERS

Outbreak Where Eggs Were Hatched at Onstors Rebounds Upon Strikers.

### LOCALS CONDEMN THE WILD TACTICS

Nearly Every District is Bitterly Opposed to the Rowdy Action.

Sydney, N. S., Dec. 1.—With President Baxter leaving for the mainland, and David Ross for Inverness, Secretary James B. MacLachlan will remain at home. Owing to the success of the agreement, it is necessary for him to attend to the ballots and the preliminary work connected with the election. As a result, Mr. Baxter will speak in Thorburn tomorrow night alone, but he will later be joined by David Ross at Westville. Both officials are quite confident of the success of the agreement. Scores of supporters have been won to the Montreal side due to the treatment accorded Messrs. Baxter and MacLachlan at Westwood on Tuesday evening.

### Strengthens the Leaders.

Sympathy has been enlisted to their cause. The action of the Waterford local, at Sydney Mines, has been deeply augmented. Miners in each and every section of the Cape Breton district deplore the attitude that the rowdies took at the Tuesday night session. The expression of the mining men is being given practical effect. This evening three locals passed resolutions condemning the "rough house" proceedings at Waterford.

### Against the Outbreak.

One Waterford local, No. 4536, has gone on record stating that the organization had no part in the outbreak. Jubilee local, at Sydney Mines, addressed by Mr. Baxter and Mr. Ross, passed a resolution condemning the action of the men who throw missiles at the speakers, while Dominion No. 4, plus its condemnation assures Messrs. Baxter and MacLachlan of support in the question of the "agreement."

### OPPOSE CLOSED SHOP AND UNION

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Dec. 1.—The closed shop and the new rate of pay were the subjects of a conference between the Administrative Commission and a delegation of the Police Union headed by Sgt. Bouchard yesterday, as a result of which the men decided to call a special meeting as soon as a written communication of the Commission's views is received. The Commission declared itself positively opposed to any introduction of the "closed shop," and refused to recognize the Police Union with its present affiliations.

### WHEN RHEUMATISM HITS YOU HARD

Sloan's Liniment should be kept handy for aches and pains.

When you wait for a severe pain, an ache, a rheumatic twinge following exposure, a sore muscle, a sprain, or lameness to make you quit work, when you should have Sloan's Liniment handy to help curb it and keep you active, and fit and on the job!

Without rubbing, for it penetrates, apply a bit today to the afflicted part. Note the gratifying, clean, prompt relief that follows. Sloan's Liniment couldn't keep its many thousands of friends the world over if it didn't make good. That's worth remembering. All drug stores—three sizes—the largest is the most economical. 35c, 75c, \$1.40. Made in Canada.

### Sloan's Liniment

In 1919 Its 30th year of Business

### The Dominion Life Assurance COMPANY

Paid to its Policyholders \$619,577.41

### ROY L. SIPPPELL

Pres. Mgr. St. John, N. B.

### DEFEATED TWO MEETING WITH THE CABINET

Premier Has Nothing to Say After Two-Hour Conference With His Colleagues.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 1.—The Cabinet of the Province was in session here this evening with the Premier, the Hon. Mr. Foster, presiding. With the head set of the two ministers who were held at the elections in October—the Hon. Mr. Murray and the Hon. Mr. Tweeddale. The session did not begin until after ten o'clock and it was not over until midnight but at the conclusion the Premier announced that he was not ready to make any announcements regarding their deliberations.

### Some of the Problems

It is understood that one of the chief items of discussion was the appointment of a new Chief Inspector to succeed the Rev. W. D. Wilson who had resigned and whose term of office ended on Nov. 30. Although nothing is known officially here it is believed that the two defeated ministers are on the point of quitting their offices. One rumor is that their work will be taken over by their colleagues for a time; another is that there will be some new cabinet members announced in a short time. The sessions of the council will be continued tomorrow.

### BELL 'PHONE CALLS WOULD BE HIGHER BY FIFTY PER CENT.

Charge Proposed Also Where Caller is Unable to Secure Person Desired.

Toronto, Dec. 1.—In a new pronouncement upon long distance telephone rates, the Bell Telephone Company declares that its application will increase of approximately 25 per cent in person-to-person talks and 50 per cent in appointment and message calls. But the station-to-station rate where the person calling will talk to anyone at a given number instead of some particular person there will not be increased over the present long distance schedule except that for a distance of less than 32 miles. The initial period of conversation will be five minutes instead of three. The company also proposed a "port charge" when a call has to be abandoned after the operators have done work on it of approximately one quarter of the station-to-station rate.

### NINE KILLED IN HUNTING SEASON

Same Number of Lives Sacrificed as 1919—Big Game Total Exceeds Last Year.

Special to The Standard. Bangor, Me., Dec. 1.—The big game season which closed at last midnight exacted a toll of nine lives.

Of the nine persons who lost their lives during the season, one was killed in mistake for a deer, three accidentally shot themselves, one was accidentally shot and killed by his wife, three were accidentally killed by their companions and one was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun by his dog stepping on the trigger.

The total number of game killed this year, as compared with 1919 is as follows:

Deer	1920	1919
Bears	2,598	2,147
Moose	28	28
Total	2,626	2,303

### THIRTEEN POUNDS OF GRANULATED SUGAR FOR ONE DOLLAR

Ottawa, Dec. 1.—Although there was no change in the wholesale quotations of sugar, a record low retail price has been set by one store in Ottawa which is offering sugar at 13 pounds for a dollar, or less than 8 cents a pound. This is the lowest that this commodity has reached for over two years. It is but an isolated case, however, the prevailing price in the grocery stores being 13 and 14 cents.

Toronto, Dec. 1.—It was established today that the mysterious trunk, which, according to an evening paper, last night might have something to do with the disappearance of Ambrose Small a year ago, contained nothing but books.

The police department this morning stated that the \$100,000 in Victory Bonds, which were recovered when John Donaghy was brought back to Toronto, on Monday, had been hidden between the two plastered walls in the attic of the house of Donaghy's sister.

### POMERANIAN FOUND.

A valuable brown Pomeranian dog was picked up at the Western Union Telegraph building, at about 11:45 o'clock last night by Melvin Budge. It awaits its owner at the Central Police Station.

### RANK AND FILE CONSERVATIVES TO PICK CHIEF

Attempt of Leaders to Name Candidates in Ontario Fails.

Toronto, Dec. 1.—At the first conservative convention in Ontario in sixteen years, which opened here this afternoon with about 2,500 delegates registered and a few hundred more expected tomorrow, the old-timers of the party stalwarts were given plainly to understand that the business of the convention was going to be run from the body of the hall, not from the platform—in short, that it was a meeting of the rank and file, not the leaders of the party only.

### Stopped a Leader

An intimation to this effect was given early in the proceedings when the nominating of committees was begun. A prominent conservative of the platform started to read a list of names, but was stopped by the delegates on the floor. Practically the only business done this afternoon was the selection of a permanent chairman of the convention and the naming of committees. The selection of a leader of the party for the Province of Ontario will be the chairman of the convention, which had been temporary chairman at the opening of the convention, was elected permanent chairman.

### VETERANS TAXED TO RAISE BONUS THE STATE GIVES

Strange Situation Develops at Boston Where State Aid is Given Heroes.

Boston, Dec. 1.—Men who fought with the Allied forces in the war and now live here must pay part of the bonus given by the State to its veterans. This was the chairman of the committee, Captain Joe E. Thompson, M.P.P., for Northeast Toronto, who had been temporary chairman at the opening of the convention, was elected permanent chairman.

### HON. MR. CARVELL DOUBTS FIGURES HE IS OFFERED

Apparent Some Witnesses Have Shut Their Eyes He Tells the Court.

Ottawa, Dec. 1.—Doubt as to the accuracy of figures placed before the railway commissioner by witnesses at the adjusted express rates hearing was expressed this morning by Hon. F. B. Carvell, who challenged the statements of M. H. Staples, an official of the U. F. O., who quoted the figures of the Ontario Government Commission to the effect that it cost a farmer \$2.85 to produce 100 pounds of milk, which that farmer had to sell for \$2.33 at a loss to himself.

At another point, when two witnesses, wholesalers, had declared that they knew nothing of the retail prices of their products, the chairman intimated that it was apparent the witnesses had shut their eyes purposely because they did not want to tell the board what the retail prices were. The witnesses in question were R. J. McLean, manager of Boves Creamery, Toronto, who declared he did not know the retail price of his firm's products, and H. R. Grey, of Dunn, Langlois & Co., Montreal.

### P. E. CLAIMS RAIL SERVICE BREAKS TERMS

Train Service to Upper Canada a Violation of British North America Act.

Montreal, Dec. 1.—Geo. W. Gardner, King's printer at Charlottetown, P. E. I., interviewed here today, stated that Islanders had a grievance in connection with the railway service from Montreal, which they find insufficient. Anyone leaving Montreal by the evening train, he says, arrives at Sackville in time to wait twenty hours for connection to the island, and the choice lies between a slow train in the morning, which takes two days and a half to reach its destination, or a fast evening train in the evening with the twenty-hour wait at Sackville.

In addition there is Sunday service so that anyone leaving Montreal on Friday evening must wait until Monday at Sackville for a train to the island. Mr. Gardner claims this condition of affairs is an open breach of the terms on which the islanders are connected to the island, and if a change is not soon brought about, the Islanders will again appeal to the London Privy Council, which in 1885, on a similar complaint, granted them \$20,000 indemnity.

### JOHN BAUDEN DIED ON 97TH BIRTHDAY

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Dec. 1.—John Bauden, retired merchant after a brief illness, died yesterday on his 97th birthday, at his residence, Westmount.

Mr. Bauden was born at Cornwall, England, and came to Canada in 1870. He entered into the meat and cold business which he kept up for many years. It was reported that he was the first to ship a boned-out cattle to England from Montreal. He later became associated with the Adams Steamship Line in the insurance department. In this connection Mr. Bauden often mentioned that he was the first one to send a telegram from Montreal to Quebec.

New York, Dec. 1.—Judge James T. Malone, of General Sessions, dropped dead today outside his chambers at 1:45 o'clock, just after hearing a murder trial.

### CUT THIS OUT

OLD ENGLISH REMEDY FOR CATARRH, CATARRH, DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES.

If you know of some one who is troubled with Catarrh of the Head, or ordinary catarrh cut out this formula and hand it to them and you may have the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps forever total deafness. In England scientists for a long time past have recognized that catarrh is a constitutional disease and necessarily requires constitutional treatment.

### MRS. JANE ROWAN DEAD

Oromocto, N. B., Dec. 1.—Mrs. Jane Rowan, widow of the late James Rowan, died last evening at the home of her nephew, Thomas McElroy, Oromocto. Deceased was 76 years of age, and was formerly Miss Jane McElroy, and had been in her usual health until about a week ago when she contracted a cold. Yesterday the family physician was called, who found Mrs. Rowan suffering with pneumonia, and she passed away last evening. She was one of those who lost their homes in the fire which burned a large section of Oromocto in 1919, and she made her home with Mr. McElroy since that time. She had no family, but is survived by two nephews, Thomas J. McElroy and Thomas McElroy, of Oromocto. The funeral will take place tomorrow, leaving the late home at 12:30 o'clock. Solemn service will be conducted by Very Rev. Deane Carney at St. Dunstan's church at 2:30 o'clock, and interment will be made at the Hermitage.



### Gift Furniture

The gift within the family circle—or from friend to family—is one which gives real pleasure to giver and recipient alike.

A complete suite of furniture for an individual room or some certain piece of furniture to fill a corner or finish a decorative plan, will serve daily as a pleasant reminder of thoughtfully expressed good wishes. Our special gift assortments on display in our showrooms are of a scope that makes selection simple, and of a character to insure the dignity and quality of excellence demanded in a domestic gift.

### J. MARCUS, 30-36 Dock St.

### BEEF AND PORK PRICES DOWN

Beef at Fredericton Sells at 8 and 10 Cents Per Pound and Pork at 17 Cents.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 1.—The mid-week market this morning was an unusually large one and produce was offered in abundance. There was a big supply of beef and pork, and prices dropped considerably from those prevailing last week. Pork was offered at 17 cents a pound by the quarter; but there was little demand even at the lower prices, while beef was offered at 8 to 10 cents a pound.

The prevailing prices today: Potatoes, per barrel, \$3 to \$3.50. Turkeys, per barrel, \$1. Carrots, per barrel, \$2. Beets, per half barrel, \$1. Cabbage, each, 5 cents. Beef, per pound, 8 to 10 cents. Lamb, per pound, 15 to 25 cents. Pork, per pound, by carcasses, 17 cents; by quarter, 20 cents. Chickens, per pound, 30 cents. Eggs, per dozen, 70 to 75 cents. Butter, per pound, 50 cents. Hay, per ton, \$22. Hides, per pound, 5 cents.

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### RESIST PAYMENTS TO EX-KAISER'S FAMILY

Berlin, Dec. 1.—Disorderly scenes occurred in the Prussian Assembly yesterday following a debate on a motion presented by the majority Socialists which would transfer property owned by the Hohenzollern family to the Prussian State and would assign a suitable income to members of the former reigning house. So serious was the situation that the vice-president was compelled to suspend the sitting.

Herr Heilmann, a Socialist, who introduced the motion, argued that for every million marks paid to the Hohenzollern former enemies of Germany would "claim another billion in reparations."

### FRENCH COMMUNISTS DROWN.

Paris, Dec. 1.—Three French Communist leaders who participated in the recent Communist congress at Moscow have perished in the wreck of a sailing boat which they leased at Murmann for the return trip to France, says a despatch from Stockholm.

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Mahogany Candlesticks; Candle Shades in wide variety, and Colonial Candles in assorted colors and sizes.

KING STREET STORE—STREET FLOOR.

### Bohemian Glassware

NOVEL AND DELIGHTFUL Bohemian Glassware is among the latest features of our Holiday Gift Displays, and already is very popular.

The artistic combination of an orange background and narrow black stripes produces a permanently pleasing effect—an effect that "wears well."

Compotes, Fruit Dishes, Candy Jars, Vases and Jardinieres are but part of the variety composing our display of Bohemian Glassware, which is shown today in our

KING STREET WINDOW

### Sparkling Cut Glass

in which our exhibit is exceptionally large this year, is invariably welcome at Christmas-tide.

The very choicest cuts are shown in Water Sets, Tumblers, Goblets, Compotes, Punch Bowls, Fruit Dishes, Bon-Bon Dishes, Celery Dishes, Spoon Trays, and a full line of Toilet Table Accessories, in our

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SEE THE FURS IN OUR WINDOWS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY (Not Before or After.)

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### Muffs and Scarfs at \$14.89

Formerly priced from \$30.00 to \$45.00.

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### Liquor Cases In Police Court

Considerable Evidence in the Tony Vasil Case—Former Inspector Testifies.

A case against Tony Vasil, charged with having liquor in his grocery shop, Main street, was resumed in the police court yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Louise Hurwitz of 25 Long Wharf, boarding mistress of Cosky Ross, the informant in the case, was called to rebut evidence produced at the last hearing, that the informant was drunk some time before the alleged sale had been made. Mrs. Hurwitz stated that Ross had his supper at her place between the hours of five and six on Saturday, Nov. 20. She could not say whether he was drunk or not. She did not smell any liquor on him.

### Can I Fix You, Man?

Inspector Journeay stated that when he, in company with inspectors Hopkins and Henderson, were searching Vasil's premises on Nov. 13, Vasil said: "Can I fix you, men, and how much money do you want?" Journeay asked: "Did you have anything to do with anyone else?" and Vasil replied, "Yes, I fixed the other fellow all right."

Inspector Henderson corroborated Journeay's evidence.

Inspector Hopkins said he asked the Austrian who it was he had fixed. The witness had an idea in his own mind as to who it was, as Inspector Henderson had told him.

In answer to the magistrate, the witness said that Vasil did not succeed in fixing any of the inspectors.

Considerable argument ensued between J. A. Barry, for the defense, and W. M. Ryan, for the prosecution, as to what evidence was allowable in rebuttal. After the argument had proceeded at some length, the magistrate gave his ruling, and John Boschek was called to the stand.

The witness said he knew Cosky Ross. On the night in question he saw him shortly after six o'clock on a street corner on the Long Wharf.

He spoke to him, but Ross was too drunk to reply. Witness, himself, never took a drink. If he ever spoke to anyone, they always replied; they all knew him.

### Former Inspector Testifies

John W. Mahoney, a former employe of the prohibition authorities, stated that he knew Ross to see him, and that he saw him near the Cold Storage on Main street at about 6:50 o'clock on November 20. Ross was drunk at the time.

Mahoney said he was not friendly with Tony, but he did ever receive any money from him and would positively swear to that. He had searched Tony's shop with Inspector Henderson. The latter found an empty flask there and passed it over to the witness when they were walking down Main street. As he did not want it, he wanted to get rid of it, he went back and gave it to Vasil. He told him at the time to clean up the bottles in the cellar and put a cellar door on.

Since that time Tony had told him that on the day the search was made he had given money to a man representing himself to be a liquor inspector. He was shorter than the witness and wore a brown coat and tan shoes.

The witness stated that he had gone to Vasil's store several times since then for different reasons. He had been there twice to bring Vasil to court and several times to advise him when Chief Inspector Wilson would be in the city. The reason was that Tony had wanted to be present at an investigation before the chief.

Questioned by the prosecution, Mahoney said he did not want to give evidence in the case in favor of Tony, as Inspector Hopkins had accused him of being the man who received the money.

Mr. Barry was summing up the case for the defense when the court adjourned at five o'clock.

### Another Case

In the morning Ready's Beverages, Ltd., were charged with selling beer containing over two per cent. proof. Inspectors Journeay and Hopkins told of finding the beer in question in a box marked Ready's Beverages. M. V. Paddock, provincial assayer, said the beer was over two per cent. in strength. J. A. Barry, for the defense, said there was no evidence to show that the beer came from Ready's Beverages.

W. M. Ryan, for the prosecution, submitted that there was a good prima facie case. His Honor said that he could not dismiss the case unless the defense produced some evidence.

Mattio Betti, in whose shop the beer was found, said that he had never dealt with Ready's, and got his beer from a man he did not know. The case adjourned till Thursday at two o'clock.

Thos. Draycott pleaded guilty to having his store open on Sunday, and was remanded.

Harry Kent pleaded not guilty to obstructing an officer by refusing to show him his record of lemon extract sales. F. C. Corner gave evidence. Adjourned to procure witnesses.

### A MISTAKE

St. John, N. B., Nov. 30, 1920.

Mr. John McDonald, Inland Revenue Department, St. John, N. B.

Dear Sir,—My attention has been called to a statement said to have been made by me when appearing before the Tariff Commissioners with the Retail Merchants' Association to discuss the Luxury Tax Collections, in St. John on the 9th inst. that I had stated that the Inland Revenue staff left their duties and offices at 4 p.m. daily. I beg to state that I have no knowledge of having made such a statement, and cannot understand how anyone could have construed my remarks to have implied or conveyed such an impression as I had no knowledge of their general office hours.

Respecting that such a remark should have been taken of my remarks, I am dear sir, Respectfully yours, (Sgd.) WILLIAM HAWKER.

### FRUIT MEN ARE MUCH OPPOSED TO HIGH RATES

Claim Forty Per Cent. Express Increase Will Ruin the Industry.

### BOARDS OF TRADE FIGHT PROPOSALS

Fruit Men Claim They Are Bearing Too Heavy a Load at Present Time.

Ottawa, Dec. 1.—Hearing of evidence and the admission of additional statements by interests opposed to a forty per cent. increase in express rates, occupied the attention of the railroad board until the afternoon of yesterday. The arguments of the fruit men sitting called for the presentation of argument by counsel for and against the application by the express association of Canada for higher rates.

The arguments which have been commenced this morning will not be proceeded with until some time on Thursday. It will probably not be concluded until Friday afternoon.

### Many Oppose Rates.

Statements and evidence adverse to the granting of the proposed increases were presented today on behalf of Toronto and Montreal Boards of Trade, dairymen, vegetable growers, fishermen, fruit and other interests.

Mr. T. Marshall, for the Toronto Board of Trade, estimated that a forty per cent. increase in express rates would mean another five to six millions for the Canadian railways. He thought that the express end of the railway business had been sufficiently taken care of by the recent judgment giving a forty per cent. increase in freight rates.

Representatives of the fruit and vegetable growing interests predicted that serious results would follow the granting of the full increase asked for. They agreed, however, that if it were necessary to give the express companies higher rates, the food producers were willing to assume their share of the burden. A statement to this effect made by Mr. George E. McIntosh, of the federal fruit division, was strongly objected to by Mr. D. A. Scott, counsel for the National Dairy Association of Canada, and other interested parties.

Mr. Scott maintained that such products are already bearing more than their proper proportion of rates, and any increased rates given should be placed on articles carrying first class rates.

### Maritime Fish Co.

A. H. Brittain, Montreal, vice-president of the Maritime Fish Company, on behalf of the producers of fish on the Atlantic coast, and Ontario, objected that such products are already bearing more than their proper proportion of rates, and any increased rates given should be placed on articles carrying first class rates.

Mr. Brittain said that if the increase in rates on fresh and mildly cured fish, on the grounds that the product is a low-priced food intended for the masses. An increase of forty per cent. of the present commodity rates, he said would practically kill the development of this industry between the Atlantic coast and the large centres in Quebec and Ontario. The producers of fish are in accord with the judgment given in March of last year in which the board declined to increase commodity rates.

Mr. Brittain said that if the express companies require further revenue the producers of Atlantic sea fish feel that the higher rates should be placed on articles of general merchandise and first class commodities, where the increases would not be materially felt, and not on low priced food commodities. The movement of fish by the Atlantic coast is absolutely necessary to the fishing industry and the consuming public.

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### HOW TO "BE FIT" AT SIXTY

BY DR. LEE HERBERT SMITH.

As our boys "came marching home," they brought a certain red-blooded doctrine, and showed us the glory of a perfect body. They will show us how to "keep fit," even if we have passed middle life and are beyond the athletic stage. For the tired business man, the man who feels the daily grind and the nightly fog, has meager appetite, headaches, nerves unstrung, is gloomy, ending in a soggy brain, try the right way. Get out of bed, open the window, breathe deeply, exercise the army "setting-up" exercise or use dumb bells, until in a warm glow.

Before breakfast take hot water, and occasionally castor oil or a pleasant laxative made up of May-apple, aloin, jalap, and sold by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

As Prof. Strauss says, "The excretion of uric acid we are able to effect by exciting diuresis." Drink copiously of soft rain or distilled water, six or eight glasses per day, hot water before meals, and obtain Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets, for 60 cts., at the nearest drug store and take them three times a day. If you want a trial package send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

"Anuric" (anti-uric-acid) is the recent discovery of Dr. Pierce and is much more potent than lithia, for it will dissolve uric acid as hot tea dissolves sugar.

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Indigestion, Acidity, Sourness and Gases ended with "Pape's Dispepsin"

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### MYSTERIOUS TRUNK CONTAINS BOOKS ONLY

Montreal, Dec. 1.—Hon. R. A. Squires, Premier of Newfoundland, interviewed here today, stated that while in England in relation to the Labrador-Quebec boundary dispute, he took the opportunity of visiting Italy with a view to promoting the fish trade between that country and Newfoundland. In England too, he discussed the transportation problem with Sir George Foster, Canadian Minister of Trade and Commerce, and Hon. Dr. Reid, Minister of Railways for Canada.

### MILD WINTER BAYS WORM.

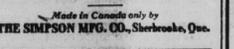
St. Catharines, Ont., Dec. 1.—A resident of this city yesterday picked a bunch of summer flowers in his garden and found a fish worm clinging to the roots of a plant. The fish worm indicated a mild winter, he said.

### TRY... SIMPSON'S Washing Compound

20 Washings for 20 Cents

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### The Cause of Colds

Men who work indoors in offices, stores, factories and warehouses, are in constant danger of contracting coughs and colds, through over or under heated buildings and cold draughts. Their most reliable protection is

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Mont McDonald, Business, St. John, says:—"For three months I suffered with a severe bronchial cough which baffled all treatment. Hawker's Tolu and Cherry Balsam was suggested and bought two bottles, completely eradicated the cough. I recommend it to all similarly afflicted."

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The Canadian Drug Co., Limited, ST. JOHN, N. B.

### DEFENCE SAYS CLARK INSANE WHEN HE SHOT

Family Witnesses in Grand Falls Murder Reveal Long Line of Insanity in Family.

### FAMILY TAINT IS INCREASED BY HURT

Prisoner Shows No Interest at All in the Trial and the Evidence Produced.

(Continued from page 1)

The prisoner today maintains that stoic indifference to proceedings that characterized his manner yesterday. He lay back in his chair with his eyes fixed upon the ceiling occasionally shifting them to the western hills. At no time did he show any interest in the evidence being adduced or did the sharp clashes between attorneys over admissibility of evidence arouse him from his stupor.

### Went With His Mother

Only once did his demeanor change, only once did he show signs of interest in affairs; that was when his aged mother came to the prisoner's dock. He turned, spoke to her and kissed her forehead, then turned back to his prison cell. The Crown closed its case shortly after the opening of court this morning. The attorney general produced witnesses to corroborate the events already set forth as to the shooting and incidents following the tragedy.

### To Buy Revolver

Witnesses were put on by the attorney general with the purpose of showing intent on the part of the prisoner to do bodily harm to the deceased and unfortunate girl. Witnesses

### We Invite You

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# "SALADA"

And then---It's Always Good Alike.

He gave evidence relative to the prisoner's efforts to purchase a revolver a day or two before the murder. The most important evidence today for the Crown was given by George M. Taylor, a merchant of Grand Falls. According to his story the prisoner came into his store about nine o'clock in the morning on the day of the tragedy. He stood in the front of the store watching for someone. His vision was in the direction of the Pelletier House where Phoebe Bell was supposed to be stopping for a time. He remained there until after two o'clock when Phoebe Bell went by the store, in the direction of the Wood's house where the tragedy occurred. After she had gone along Clark left the store and followed in the same direction. About two hours after, the tragedy occurred.

### Evidence to Show Intent

This testimony, as brought out by the attorney general, comes in the line of circumstance that might have a bearing on the intent in Clark's mind to do damage.

The attorney general fought the insanity charge all the way this afternoon and many legal contentions put

forth by him were sustained by the court and the introduction of much evidence that would be damaging to the Crown was blocked. It is expected Dr. Anglin will be on the stand tomorrow and give the results of his observations. The Crown has a few witnesses in rebuttal and it is expected the evidence will be all in tomorrow.

### READ THE LIST

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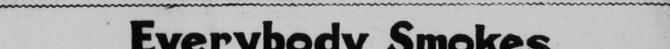
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COMMUNISTS DROWN.

Dec. 1.—Three French Communist leaders who participated in the Communist congress at were perished in the wrecking boat which they leaved for the return trip to

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### FRANCE WANTS A REVISION OF THE TURKISH TREATY

#### Leagues Trying to Bring Lloyd George Around to His Way of Thinking.

By WYTHE WILLIAMS.

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London, Dec. 1.—In an official report submitted to the Anglo-French conference just started in London, it is informed that French League leaders are in close contact with Lloyd George, who is charged with the difficult diplomatic mission of swinging the British over to ultimate revision of the Turkish treaty with Greece. The defeat of Venizelos, who was in alliance with the Entente in the Near East, has upset the best-laid plans of the League leaders. They are now in a dilemma. The League is again rising like a grim specter in the Balkans.

The French mission is installed in London near the ambassador and accompanied by M. Lejeune, secretary for foreign affairs, M. L. de la Roche, an interpreter, Rome and the League to send a delegate at the last minute and he is now on his way.

#### French Attitude Summarized.

While other pressing subjects will be discussed at the first meeting of the League, the question of Greece and the Orient is foremost. My informant has expressed the French attitude as follows:  
"First, public opinion is hostile to the return of Constantinople to the throne of Greece. The French people still remember the massacre of their marines in December, 1918, and furthermore, France considers that the return of Constantinople to the throne of Greece in the Balkans were causes of the war in 1914, and today Germany has a considerable army in the Balkans. The Greek Nationalist party and with the Bolsheviks. A pro-German Greece would serve as a base for German aggression in the whole Orient."  
"The French Government has already proposed to London that the two governments and eventually Italy refuse absolutely to recognize Constantinople. London has not yet accepted this view. Although London does not want to engage against Constantinople, it has affirmed the principle. To reason of 'family relations' must be added certain political reasons.

#### Greece England's Soldier.

"Greece is the soldier of England in the Orient. The Turkish problem and England would be impossible without the aid of Greece. To abandon Greece would mean the renewal of the Turkish treaty problem and England does not wish this, knowing that on the one hand she would never regain the sympathies of the Turks and that on the other that she will always be able to dominate a state so essentially maritime as Greece."  
"Second, instead of engaging exclusively against Constantinople, the League should rather remain with free hands in Turkey. For many believe that it is not at Athens but at Constantinople that the Greek problem ought to be settled. And the solution is the revision of the Turkish treaty with Greece. This treaty of Sevres has, in French opinion, sacrificed Turkey for Greece, and Venizelos has been considered a sure friend of the Entente.

The French nation has never ceased to regret this sacrifice and the Entente would be as far back as the San Remo conference, at which it finally agreed in order to avoid a dispute with England, France has constantly stated that the Turkish treaty can only be guaranteed with force, and that as force is ready for use against the Turkish Nationalists, the British must be replied that the Greeks would serve as a permanent base for Greece, however, has not yet succeeded in placing the League in a position to give the Greek army, divided by the political situation, is unable to campaign against the Turkish and the Entente would gain nothing by the growth of a Greek state, that would be pro-German, for lasting peace in the Orient. France is favorable to giving the Turkish concessions which they claim in the Sevres treaty. But the point of view of France and England is very different.

#### U. S. WAR LOSSES

Washington, Dec. 1.—Official figures on United States army casualties in the war are continued in the annual report of Surgeon General Ireland made public last night, showing 34,349 killed and 224,089 wounded.

#### BREAD DOWN.

New Glasgow, N. S., Dec. 1.—Bread dropped two cents per double loaf here this morning, to 14 cents.

#### TO BE TROUBLED WITH CONSTIPATION

##### The Cause of Many Ills.

If you do not feel well and go to your family physician, one of the first things he will do is ask you to hold out your tongue. The reason for this is that the condition of the tongue shows the condition of the stomach and bowels. If you allow your bowels to become constipated you will have bilious attacks, sick headaches, constipation, bad breath, heartburn, water brash, etc., and those troublesome piles, which cause so much annoyance and misery.

Try your bowels moving regularly and you won't be sick. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People will not only give you a healthy complexion, but they will also give you a healthy stomach and bowels. They are purely vegetable and do not grip, weaken or sicken.

#### NOARDS

An aged infirmarian.  
"He stopped one of those  
"He took an evening  
"To all my own health he  
"I've wanted high, I've hunted low  
"A bookworm's nose  
"I've tried the men who peddle junk  
"But nowhere in the land.

"Can I find a trace of what I need  
"To make my sets complete,  
"My search for peripherals  
"Seems doomed to meet defeat."

"What! What! You speak man,  
"The stranger then replied,  
"Go forth, go forth as I direct,  
"And do not turn aside."

"Go, seek the dentist's waiting room,  
"The doctor's office, too,  
"And on their shelves you find  
"The stuff you have in view."

"Ye shall find Goder's Lady's Book  
"Of 1917,  
"And Golden Hours and Lullabies  
"And Swinton's Magazine."

"Ye'll find the New York Ledger there  
"And Puck of '94,  
"With all the many magazines  
"From countries all about."

"So go and look those waiting rooms  
"I'm giving you the hint—  
"And you shall find whatever is  
"Completely out of print."

The old man did as he was bid,  
"He filled his sets, and then  
"He sold the rest of what he found  
"To junk and garbage men."

This made him rich, but dentist folk  
"And doctors growl,  
"Their waiting rooms had never known  
"That anything was gone!"  
—Berton Bruley

#### PALESTINE MAY BECOME WORLD HEALTH RESORT

##### Problems Connected With Occupation by Jews Being Rapidly Solved.

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London, Nov. 28.—Palestine as a world health resort is a possibility for the development of the country. There is no reason why the hot springs of Tiberias on the Sea of Galilee, if properly developed, should not become a world-famous watering place, according to Doctor Stein, political secretary of the Zionist Association, who recently arrived in London from Palestine.

Dr. Stein speaks optimistically of the future of Palestine under Jewish rule. "The immigration authorities," he says, "will only admit a certain number every month, as there are many acute problems to be solved before general re-occupation can be permitted. The present average number is 1,000 per month."

#### HOMELESS IN LONDON TAKE DRASTIC ACTION

##### Take Possession of Houses Held for Sale and Force Rental.

London, Dec. 1.—Scores of homeless in the East Ham district had the local branch of the National Union of ex-servicemen to take drastic action in regard to empty houses which are marked "to be sold."  
They have taken possession of one of these houses without consent of the owners and two ex-servicemen are now in the house, which is marked "to be sold." The seizure was made in conjunction with the People's Protection League and the East Ham Trades Council.

#### LARGE QUANTITY OF AMMUNITION GIVEN UP

##### Time for Voluntary Surrender by Germans Has Passed.

By VIGGO TOEPPER.  
Berlin, Dec. 1.—The term for the voluntary surrender of arms and munitions in accordance with the Spa convention has expired and owners of arms, etc., not surrendered will now be subjected to heavy fines and imprisonment. In Greater Berlin 34,000 rifles, 1,064 machine guns and 1,960,000 cartridges have been given up. In Prussia 13,159 rifles, 48 machine guns, 4 artillery guns and large quantities of spare parts were given up. In addition to 30,000 cartridges and quantities of explosives.

### OPERATION WAS NOT NECESSARY

#### "Fruit-a-tives" Restored Her To Perfect Health.

153 Papineau Ave. Montreal.  
"For three years, I suffered great pain in the lower part of my body, with swelling or bloating. I saw a specialist who said I must undergo an operation. I refused."

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"The first box gave great relief, and I continued the treatment. Now my health is excellent—I am free of pain and the 'Fruit-a-tives' my warmest recommendation."  
—Mme. F. GARREAU.

64c per box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

#### SOVIETS QUARREL OVER NEW OFFENSIVE

##### Divided as to Whether India or Poland to be Attacked Next.

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Paris, Dec. 1.—Serious information has reached Paris officials from a German source to the effect that the Soviet government is now hesitating between throwing the victorious troops that routed General Wrangel against India or against Poland. Zinoviev, head of the Third International, is in favor of an offensive against India, while Trotsky, the war minister, yearns for another try at Poland.

#### OBITUARY

Robert Parks.  
Newcastle, N. B., Dec. 1.—The death occurred at his home, in Redbank, on Sunday, of Robert Parks, at the advanced age of 73 years. He has been ill for some time. He is survived by a widow, one daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Marchant, Redbank, and six sons: Arnold and Derry of New Hampshire, Robert in North Dakota, Percy and Herbert in Seattle, Wash., and William and Elmer of Redbank. The funeral will take place this afternoon. Interment in Redbank cemetery.

#### MANY FRENCH MARRIAGES WERE NOT RECORDED

(London Daily Mail and Cross-Atlantic.)  
Paris, Dec. 1.—The French civil authorities have discovered that for many years marriages at a village near Loriet, Brittany, were illegally conducted in an inn and not recorded on the proper register. A number of couples are, therefore, not legally married. The village officials have each received a notice of the illegality of their marriages. Steps are being taken to rectify the mistakes.

#### INJUNCTION AGAINST EASTERN S. S. LINES

Special to The Standard.  
Portland, Me., Dec. 1.—In the Supreme Court Monday on petition of the Metropolitan Steamship Co., Justice Scott Wilson issued a temporary injunction restraining the Eastern Steamship Lines, Inc., and directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. from disposing of property of a value of over \$3,000,000.

The injunction covers two wharves in Boston and a lighter of which the petitioning company claims it was deprived by fraud and which it has brought action to recover. The respondent corporation claims that the two steamships included in the claim had been bargained for but not delivered, it was relieved from the terms of the injunction as far as they were concerned. No date was fixed for a hearing on making the injunction permanent.

#### CANADIAN CREW SUE U. S. OWNER FOR WAGES

Portland, Me., Nov. 30.—Captain Fred Riley, John Bridges of Eastport, Maine; Michael Berwin of Eastport, Stewart Douglas Buchanan of Moncton, N. B., and Russell Ogilvie of Parrott, N. B., the crew of the wrecked schooner Pocomasset, have brought suit in the United States district court here to recover their wages. The schooner was wrecked on Trund's reef, Cape Elizabeth, November 22, while on a voyage from Wiscasset, N. B., to Stamford, Conn., with lumber.

### WANTS U. S. LEAGUE WITH DOMINIONS

#### Senator Lodge Urges Canada, Australia and U. S. to Act on Asiatic Question.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 1.—Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, principal speaker at the Union League Club Founders' Day exercises here tonight, said he did not think the duties on imports are now bearing their fair proportion of the expenditures of the United States, "I think," he added, "with justice we can add to the revenue from that source and relieve taxpayers from more galling and injurious taxes."

The Massachusetts senator said the whole system of taxation must be re-adjusted, and that he was afraid the United States will have to continue to raise a very large amount by taxes.

Speaking of the talks before Congress, Senator Lodge said that when the Republican party comes into complete control it will have to reorganize all the departments and bring about economies.

Talking of immigration, Senator Lodge said that the present time the laws are not being properly enforced, "I say that," he added, "because the Department of Justice has ordered the deportation of many men who had come here in violation of our laws, and who are dangerous to the United States."

"We have heard a great deal about leagues and agreements," said the senator, "There is one arrangement I should like to make very much, and that is an arrangement with Canada, Australia and New Zealand in regard to Asiatic immigration. Their danger is the same as ours, and the shadow of competition will be able to reorganize all the departments and bring about economies."

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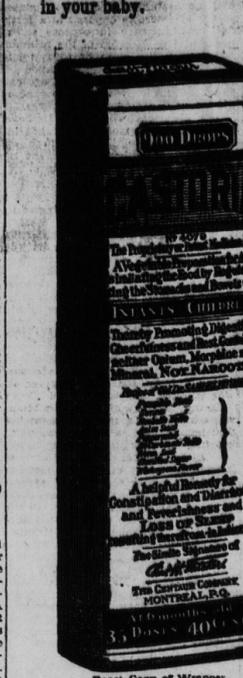
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### Children Cry For Fletcher's CASTORIA

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#### NAVAL AGREEMENT WOULD WORLD PEACE BETTER THAN LEAGUE

English Statesmen Believe if U. S. and Britain Would Combine Peace Assured.

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London, Dec. 1.—Lord Sydenham, referring to the proposal for an Anglo-American naval agreement, writes that he originated the idea in an article in the North American Review in March, 1914.

#### NEWSPAPER WORKERS PLAN REAL HOLIDAY

(Copyright, 1920, by Cross-Atlantic.)  
London, Dec. 1.—Newspaper workers in London are to have a real Christmas holiday if the movement now gaining ground in Fleet street proves successful. It is planned to suspend publication on Christmas, the Sunday following, and Monday, which is Boxing day, allowing three days

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# THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

## Rickard Receives Willard's Contract

Former World's Champion Will Fight the Winner of Dempsey-Brennan Fight.

New York, Dec. 1.—Tex Rickard announced this morning he had received contracts signed by Jess Willard, former world's heavyweight champion, Jack Dempsey, present title holder, and Bill Brennan for a championship bout on March 17, 1921, between Willard and the winner of the Dempsey-Brennan fight here on Dec. 14th. Reports to this effect had been circulated for some time, but official announcement of contracts having been signed was not made until today.

## Wiggins Will Fight Gibbons

Twelve Round No Decision Bout Takes Place in Toledo on December 6.

Toledo, Dec. 1.—Chuck Wiggins, Indianapolis light heavyweight boxer, will meet Tommy Gibbons, of St. Paul, in a 12-round no-decision bout here Dec. 6. It was announced by the commission last night. The commission rescinded its action barring Wiggins for failure to post a forfeit of \$200. The forfeit arrived by wire yesterday and was posted.

## Jack Dempsey And Al Thacher

Negotiations Opened to Have These Big Fellows Fight in Toledo.

Toledo, Dec. 1.—Negotiations were opened between Jack Kearns, manager of Jack Dempsey, world's champion heavyweight boxer, and Al Thacher, Toledo promoter today, with a view to staging the proposed Dempsey-Kearns fight in Toledo. Thacher said he would go before the commission for a permit for a decision if it can make a "satisfactory deal with Kearns."

## Old Country Football Games

London, Dec. 1.—In a second league soccer game played today Leeds defeated Coventry by 4 to 0. Games played for the Rugby Union Championship were: Middlesex 2, Surrey 3; Hampshire 59, East Counties 6; Leicestershire 23, North Midlands 4; Dewsbury tied with Oldham in Northern Union Rugby match. Neither team scored.

## HEAVYWEIGHT SPARS WITH THE BANTAM

Dempsey is Sparring Partner to Jack Sharkey, Also Working Out for Brennan Fight.

New York, Nov. 30.—Jack Dempsey, world heavyweight boxing champion, is acting as sparring partner to Jack Sharkey, local heavyweight, in preparation for the latter's bout here next Thursday with Joe Lynch. Dempsey has also commenced daily workouts for his bout with Bill Brennan here on Dec. 14.

## ANOTHER SIX-DAY RACE IN NEW YORK

New York, Dec. 1.—Fred Taylor, of Newark, amateur bicycle champion, will make his professional debut in the Madison Square Garden six-day race, which begins at midnight next Sunday. It was announced today. He and Tom Smith, also of Newark, will be one of the seven teams entered.

## SIGNED WITH DETROIT.

Kansas City, Dec. 1.—Arthur Bocca, a Kansas City baseball player, who played at Bigfoot, Idaho, last year, has signed a contract with the Detroit Americans. He is an outfielder.

## WILL NOT RETURN.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Dec. 1.—Carl Hillblom, who managed the Akron Club of the International League during the 1920 season, will not return to that club next season as announced here today.

## City Basketball League Games

Alerts Won from Y. M. C. I. Seniors—St John High Trimmed Y.M.C.I. Intermediates.

The Alerts won from the Y. M. C. I. Seniors by a score of 58 to 5, and St. John High won from the Y. M. C. I. Intermediates by a score of 58 to 4. In two other one-sided games at the Y. M. C. I. last evening.

## Request To Bar Chuck Wiggins

Toledo Ohio, Nov. 30.—Toledo boxing commission today took further action to limit the activities of Chuck Wiggins, Indianapolis lightweight boxer, by asking Commissioner Bigger, of Michigan, to bar Wiggins from participating in bouts in that state.

## ONE BIG UNION FOR TRANSPORT WORKERS?

Ballot to be Taken on Question in England—Seamen May Go in Too.

London, Dec. 1.—A ballot will be taken within the next few days of the federation of all the workers who are now affiliated with the Transport Workers' Federation, except the seamen, shall be drawn together in one big union.

## GIRLS OF ST. JUDE'S DEFEAT FAIRVILLE

The girls of St. Jude's won by a score of 6 to 1 from the Fairville Baptist Girls in an interesting basketball game last evening. Miss Hare was the star of the match, scoring three field goals for St. Jude's. Miss Belyea scored one point for her team on a foul. The line-up of the two teams was as follows:

## WOMAN SWIMMER CANCELLED PLANS

Detroit, Nov. 30.—Miss Margaret Woodbridge, star woman swimmer, has cancelled her plans to tour the city today with Miss Elizabeth Blithley, the Australian union having decided to finance the trip.

## PITCHER COBLE JOINS CHICAGO NATIONALS

Chicago, Dec. 1.—A pitcher, James Coble, of the independent baseball team in Charleston, Ill., today was added to the staff of the Chicago National League Club, when Manager Evers signed him to a contract for 1921, making a total of 16 pitchers on the Cubs' staff for next season.

## WITNESS DECLARES AT ROYAL COMMISSION THAT ALL HIS ACTIONS WERE CORRECT.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 30.—According to P. F. Morrison, resident engineer on construction work on St. Margaret's Bay Road, in his evidence this afternoon before the Royal Commission investigating road matters in Nova Scotia, James Cavitch, the contractor, who is building the road for the highway board, had said to him last July that he (Cavitch) was losing money on the work.

## HAMILTON HITS PROFITERS.

Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 29.—With a view of discouraging profiteering, Hamilton City Council recently went into the potato business, and it is reported that the venture has been successful up to the present. A difference of 75 cents a bag was made by the city at the last sale between "retail" and "private" potatoes. The city has now purchased 2,200 bags and are appealing to the citizens to share behind them and buy out the entire shipment.

## SOME WELL KNOWN FIGHTERS



## Local Bowling

Y. M. C. A. HOUSE LEAGUE

In the Y. M. C. A. House League last evening the Wanderers took all four points from the Wanderers. The score follows:

Rivards	
Dunham	80 88 80 253 84 1-3
J. MacGowan	88 94 84 268 82 1-3
Sommerville	85 88 88 243 81
Stewart	75 71 89 225 78 1-3
Jenkins	72 100 103 275 91 1-3
403 488 431 1272	
Wanderers	
McEwen	78 92 78 243 81
Kelley	89 88 71 258 86
Shannon	75 80 75 230 76 1-3
Smith	72 71 80 223 74 1-3
Hunter	76 82 86 244 81 1-3
386 413 390 1198	

Y. M. C. I. HOUSE LEAGUE

Honors were even in the Y. M. C. I. House League last evening, the Robins and the Eagles each scoring two points. The scores:

Robins	
Maher	84 82 89 255 83 1-3
O'Connor	85 74 78 273 79
Jenkins	80 86 83 249 83
Winchester	108 89 89 286 95 1-3
Wharton	81 89 89 270 90
450 428 428 1307	
Eagles	
Kelley	88 84 79 251 83 1-3
McAuliffe	86 87 83 276 92
Kane	71 65 84 220 73 1-3
Jennings	82 85 82 249 81
Garnett	73 81 80 234 81 1-3
386 435 443 1264	

HIGH "Y" TEAMS BOWL

In a match game on the Y. M. C. I. alleys yesterday afternoon between teams of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. M. C. I. High "Y" the latter team captured all four points. The teams expect to have a number of games this season.

The scores follow:

Y. M. C. I.	
Williams	71 85 84 243 81
McCroskey	87 87 88 242 80 1-3
Heardon	80 89 84 252 84
Foyas	71 70 66 207 69
Burns	81 85 79 235 76
370 413 381 1469	
Y. M. C. A.	
Robertson	64 73 56 193 64 1-3
Rockwell	71 69 68 208 69
Hayes	61 66 74 201 67
Connolly	69 71 69 209 69 1-3
Stammers	81 67 63 241 80 1-3
352 378 360 1090	

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

In the Commercial League on Black's alleys last night, the Post Office team won three points from Vassie & Co. The scores follow:

Vassie & Co.	
Carney	76 71 74 241 80 1-3
Hewley	76 77 76 229 76 1-3
Hennecey	82 80 89 267 89
Curry	82 76 83 241 80 1-3
Riley	86 81 79 253 86
421 431 431 1282	
Post Office	
Maxwell	81 92 92 270 90
O'Leary	79 80 81 240 80 1-3
Brannen	74 87 74 235 78 1-3
Clark	69 68 68 205 68 1-3
Roberts	100 92 83 285 95
403 465 436 1304	

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

Last night on Black's alleys in the Industrial League the Imperial Oil Co. and T. S. Simms teams broke even, each taking two points. The individual scores follow:

Imperial Oil Co.	
McCarthy	67 74 74 215 71 1-3
Smith	71 72 69 212 70 1-3
McPherson	84 84 109 264 85
Rupert	81 85 78 254 84 1-3
Carr	70 73 85 228 76
379 388 406 1172	
T. S. Simms	
Olive	85 104 87 280 93 1-3
Ross	77 80 89 250 85 1-3
Rogers	86 72 75 233 77
Power	74 68 85 227 75
Ritchie	71 80 74 225 75
392 406 418 1217	

GAMES TONIGHT

On Black's alleys tonight in the Commercial League, the Sugar Refinery and T. S. Simms & Co. will roll. In the City League games will be between the Nationals and Ramblers.

## Willard Says He Will Come Back

Contract to Meet Dempsey or Brennan Been in Rickard's Possession Some Time.

Lawrence, Kansas, Dec. 1.—When told today that a dispatch from New York stated he had signed a contract to meet the winner of the Dempsey-Brennan fight, Jess Willard, former world's heavyweight champion, declared his signature had been in the hands of Tex Rickard, promoter, for some time but that this fact had not been announced pending the completion of the signature of other parties.

## English Sportsman Died At A Dinner

Baron Desborough Was One of World's Best Known Men in Sport.

London, Dec. 1.—Baron Desborough died suddenly tonight while making a speech at a dinner at Birmingham, according to the London Times. Baron Desborough (William Henry Grenfell) was one of the world's best known sportsmen. Baron Desborough was born in 1855.

## BIG WHEAT ACREAGE PLANTED IN KANSAS

Reports Show 2,708,742 Acres Above Average Fall Sowing.

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 1.—Kansas farmers this fall planted probably the third largest acreage of wheat in the history of the state, according to a canvass just completed and announced by J. C. Mohler, secretary of the State Board of Agriculture.

## Little Hop-Skipper

Little Hop-Skipper comes in through the gate. Up through the garden and over the lawn. Little Hop-Skipper is fearfully late—Over an hour of the morning is gone. There is so much for Hop-Skipper to do—

## Wearily Hop-Skipper

Wearily Hop-Skipper creeps into my arms. A Spanish physician claims to have cured cases of hiccoughs by this treatment. The patient lies down and draws up his knees until his thighs are pressed tightly to his abdomen, the lower part of the legs being pressed against the thighs by bending the knees. The position is held for several minutes. The effect of this is to press the abdominal organs up against the diaphragm and to sustain the pressure until the diaphragm ceases its spasmodic contraction.

## MACDONALD'S "BRITISH CONSOLS"

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Recently, at a meeting of some prominent men in England, the question of sinking a shaft into the earth to a depth of from 12 to 30 miles, as a possible new source of power was discussed. The cost of sinking such a shaft to 12 miles would be at least \$20,000,000 and would take about 55 years to complete, this being about ten times the depth of any shaft in existence. The greatest problem to be reckoned with would be that of heat, it being definitely known that the temperature rises one degree to every 70 feet of descent. During the first two or three miles the waste matter could be hoisted to the surface by means of a cable, but beyond this depth cables of the best steel would break under their own weight. Although engineers could doubtless tackle this tremendous task, the problems involved would be of quite a novel and difficult nature.

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THE IRISH PROBLEM.

We do not notice that Mr. Lindsay Crawford had any suggestion to make for restoring peace in Ireland, beyond the plea that he offered that she should be given her own way, and allowed to lead her own life.

The most pressing question at the present time, however, is how to restore order, and make political negotiations, if there are to be any, possible. It will be necessary to track down the criminals, who, not content with perpetrating murders and arson in Ireland, have now begun operations across the Channel and set fire to buildings in Liverpool and other places.

To many the reluctance of the British Government to apply martial law to Ireland is difficult to understand. Military authorities have recommended it. Its application would greatly reduce the difficulties of their task. It would almost certainly reduce the number of murders and other outrages, and would make it much easier for the authorities to isolate the Sinn Fein who urge direct action from those who shrink from crimes of violence, either through fear of the consequences or because of conscience.

It seems probable that the fact that the war has been carried to England may have the effect of rousing British public opinion to demand sudden and drastic action. The torch in Liverpool may be the means of kindling that British spirit that is so slow to waver and so hard to subdue.

HELP FOR DISABLED MEN.

Down to short time ago, an Employment Bureau was maintained by the Dominion Government in this and most other populous places in the country. It was maintained primarily for the purpose of assisting returned soldiers to find jobs, and it proved of very great benefit not only to returned men, but to hundreds of others who were out of work.

per cent, provided the civic authorities will make up the balance. As the cost of upkeep of the office in this city is only some \$5,000, the amount that the city would be called upon to contribute would be \$1,250 only. But the City Council will not do it.

There are at the present time quite a large number of men out of work, a very considerable proportion of whom are returned men; many of these are more or less maimed for life, others are still able-bodied. Until the last few weeks there has been an organization known as The Discharged Soldiers' Commission, which, under the charge of Mr. Charles Robinson, has been doing a great work for returned men.

South African Political Problems. Canadians may imagine they have thorny enough political problems, but the difficulties which beset the Dominion are as nothing compared with the questions which are facing South Africa.

Since the armistice only the state-manship of General Smuts has prevented the South African Dominion from being plunged into civil war. A section of the Dutch-speaking people, led by General Hertzog, have deliberately set up for their aim a South African Republic. For years this has been the ambition of General Hertzog and his followers, but it is only recently that they became bold enough to advocate openly such a policy.

General Smuts, by his patriotism and his wisdom, has so far saved South Africa from this danger, and the outlook is that he will be able to oscillate all her most irreconcilable. General Smuts has appealed for support to all who believe in race unity, are loyal to the constitution and reject republicanism. His appeal has been approved by his own party, largely composed of loyal Dutch, and the Unionists, a party representing wholly the English-speaking South Africans, led by Sir Thomas Smuts.

These two parties have now merged in order to face a common enemy. The London Times, commenting on the development, says: "To the patriotic service of their country both the component parts of the new party make contributions. General Smuts and his followers, but it is only recently that they became bold enough to advocate openly such a policy. They profess to want to accomplish their aim by constitutional means, but any attempt at such a revolution would mean civil war."

THE PRESIDENT AND HIS PERQUISITES

(Bangor Daily News.) Here is what the American people know upon their President: A salary of \$75,000 a year. Another \$25,000 for travelling expenses.

A home on which the attention of the world is focused. Furnishings and maintenance, complete for this house. A private room in the Capitol Building. A force of 50 policemen to guard the house and grounds.

WHAT OTHERS SAY. In the Lighthouse. (Bellville Intelligencer.) The lonely life of a lighthouse keeper is emphasized in a press despatch telling of the death of the wife of Alfred H. Griffith, for twenty-two years keeper of a lighthouse on a lonely rock in Georgian Bay known as "The Giant's Tomb."

SMELT FISHING. Special to The Standard. Moncton, N. B., Dec. 1.—Smelt fishing with nets begins today. The recent cold snap has formed considerable ice in the smaller streams, but in the deep waters at Buctouche and other points it is not strong enough for extensive operations.

GUARDED BY SECRET SERVICE. The White House furnishings are usually repaired or renewed every four years. The linen is specially made, with the United States coat-of-arms woven into the texture of the goods. The china and glassware also have the United States seal. Ten dozen of everything properly to set the White House table for a formal dinner. Practically all of the furniture and draperies have been especially made.

THE SOCIAL SECRETARY. Since the White House is the social centre of the United States one of the most important attaches of the administration is the social secretary of the first lady of the land. This is no sine-cure. The social secretary has a position of serious responsibility. To her is entrusted the difficult task of rejecting, as well as the pleasant one of accepting courtesies proffered the wife of the President. She has the social register at her finger tips. She serves the wife of the chief of a democracy, but at the same time the dignified traditions of the executive mansion must be upheld. The social secretary became an institution under Mrs. Roosevelt. The social secretary must be an authority on questions of precedence, and helps the mistress of the White House entertain.

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Benny's Note Book. Pop was smoking and thinking last night and I was supposed to be doing my lesson, and I said, Pop. Who, me? said pop. Meaning what did I want, and I said. Have you got time for me to ask you a question, pop? Time for you to ask it, yes, said pop. Meaning that didn't say he had time to answer it if he didn't want to, and I said. Well, I wanted to ask you, pop, is it too early for me to tell you what I want for Christmas? That depends on what you want, said pop. Well, I'll tell you, I said, I want a blue bicycle with a coaster brake. Its too early, said pop. And he kept on smoking and thinking, and I said, Well, suppose I an without something else instead of a blue bicycle with a coaster brake. Sutch as what? said pop. Sutch as a blue bicycle without a coaster brake, I said. Too early, said pop. And he kept on smoking and thinking as if the conversation was all over. Wich it wasn't, me saying, Well, G. pop, suppose I substitute something entirely altogether different? Sutch as what? said pop, and I said, Sutch as a pair of ball bearing roller skates, is it too early to ask for those? No, said pop, and I said, Well, I want it to be too early to ask about the blue bicycle with a coaster brake? Neyer, said pop. And he kept on smoking and thinking and I kept on doing my lesson and washing I wasn't.

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### IN THE EDITOR'S MAIL

#### THE BRITISH NORTH AMERICA ACT, 1867, AND THE MARITIME PROVINCES

To the Editor of The St. John Standard.

Sir:—In any attempt to discuss the question which has been raised in the Maritime Provinces through Confederation, etc., I would be at a great disadvantage, because of lack of such knowledge, and this might be suggested as a reason why I should not attempt to discuss the matter at all. However, with the belief that some attention should be attracted to our position with regard to the above, the following is offered:

A better heading might be suggested in, "When Ontario appears to have arrived, and New Brunswick is yet due."

In order that the reader may follow some of the suggestions regarding New Brunswick's chances in this "heads I win and tails you lose" proposition of Ontario, it may be well to cite some of the figures regarding representation and the financial benefits accruing to each province.

The House of Commons had 181 members: Ontario 82; Quebec 65; Nova Scotia 13 and New Brunswick 15. The House of Commons now has 234 members: New Brunswick losing 2 members in the 1914 redistribution. At the time of Confederation the following provision was made for other portions of Canada to come in via: Quebec being set as a standard for representation; Quebec to have 60 members.

There shall be assigned to each of the other provinces such numbers of members as will bear the same proportion to number of its population as the number 65 bears to the number of the population of Quebec.

The new Canada under Confederation is the debt of the Maritime Provinces, as follows: Ontario and Quebec were liable for any excess over \$2,500,000 and to be charged 5 per cent. per annum. Nova Scotia liable for any amount exceeding \$5,000,000 and New Brunswick for any amount over \$7,000,000.

In case the total debt of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick did not exceed \$15,000,000, they were to receive semi-annually in advance 5 per cent. interest per annum on the difference between the actual amount of their debts and the \$15,000,000. It would appear by the insertion of the foregoing clause that there was some doubt as to the intentions of the Maritime Provinces, and none regarding those of Ontario and Quebec. Canada was to pay for Provincial Government to Ontario \$30,000, Quebec \$70,000; Nova Scotia \$40,000 and New Brunswick \$50,000, and an annual grant to each Province of 50 cents per head of population of that census. Nova Scotia and New Brunswick to receive an amount of 400,000 acres, and thereafter at the same rate. New Brunswick was also to receive \$50,000 per annum for the maintenance of its public works, and to be deducted from the \$50,000. Some sweetens apparently.

All duties and revenues over which the respective legislatures of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, etc., shall form one Consolidated Reserve Fund, to be appropriated for the Public Service of Canada.

This is where Ontario seems to have commenced business and New Brunswick stopped doing business, in order to get the best of both worlds relative to the facilities for doing business were concerned.

The great problem for New Brunswick, is not whether Canada is to be maintained as a whole, but whether that maintenance calls for the interests of New Brunswick to appear only as subscribers to that unity, insofar as the slow death of our own.

Are we only to be permitted to so subscribe and sit at the same time have our natural resources and just benefits to be absorbed by an over-allment of benefits to the Upper Provinces?

We know that the average New Brunswicker does not appreciate the situation, but that what is actually occurring, and we are stupidly and blindly permitting it to go on.

Political parties have reached a degree of madness and blindness—for power—and some day a situation will be created which will prompt us to rise up in rebellion.

How imbecile it is, how criminally idiotic, for us to commit gradual suicide in order that we appear patriotic, in the sense of the term as practiced and defined by the Province of Ontario.

The Maritime Provinces should cooperate for the protection of their rights and demand full recognition of the intentions of the British North America Act. That cooperation which will secure to us a proper development of our natural facilities and resources and thereby our commerce.

The present situation is a genuine danger created wholly by the standard of politics as practiced in Canada, and the apparent security the voter feels in supporting his particular party. We must take up the burden of battling the politicians of the day or at least testing them, not in form of politics. We in New Brunswick are experiencing the folly of Confederation to an alarming extent, particularly in St. John, and instead of blaming our Provincial representatives of that time for their action in support of Confederation—they no doubt being deceived by the alluring promises held out to them at the time of this pact—let us of the Maritime Provinces, or New Brunswick at least, decide to select one of two courses, namely: receive our just dues or be prepared to take the alternative, becoming our own directors of the future and conserving the rights for application in such manner as will place us in a position which nature intended us to occupy. We cannot do worse and the possibilities of doing better are numerous. Planks and platforms for political parties and for politicians for

### WEDDINGS

New Castle, N. B., Dec. 1.—The marriage of Mr. Clarence Gough, of New Brunswick, and Miss Ada Jones, of St. John, was solemnized at St. Andrew's Church yesterday, W. J. Bate, Rector, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Gough will reside here.

### NEW DINING CAR SERVICE BETWEEN ST. JOHN AND MEADAM

With Canadian Pacific general change of time, November 28, the St. John to Meadum train will leave at 6.00 p. m. local time, daily, except Sundays.

This is the only train operating between St. John and Meadum carrying passengers from points in the Maritime Provinces to the New England States.

Passengers from East of St. John particularly, as well as from Nova Scotia via Digby, will be pleased to know that in future regular Dining Car will be attached to this train and will serve dinner en route to Meadum Junction.

On account of earlier departure of the service last winter, it will enable patrons of the All Hall Line to procure meal on this train after a departure from St. John.

A SUMMER VISITOR.  
Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 1.—A lone-lit caterpillar, long and thin, and apparently mixed up in his day's work, was found this morning by Miss Ada Jones on the snow outside her home at North Devon this morning.

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## PRICES CONTINUE ON THE DOWNWARD TREND IN ENGLAND

Gov't Guarantee Needed to Bolster up Foreign Trading and Stabilize Markets.

By SIR GEORGE PAISH. (Copyright, 1920, By Public Ledger.) London, Dec. 1.—Fall in prices continue to make headway. Many firms are finding ever-increasing difficulty in meeting their liabilities. How great the trouble will be depends, of course, on how far the fall in prices goes, but the situation is already causing anxiety, not only to firms caught with large stocks and others who have placed future contracts, but to those engaged in completing orders for goods for which buyers may be unable to pay. Indeed, the circle of anxiety is still wider, as firms to whom money is due for goods already supplied are in many cases doubtful if they will be able to obtain payment. Fortunately, bankers have during the last few years of large profits set aside big hidden reserves against the possibility of loss when the war period came to an end, and, consequently, they are in an exceptionally strong position to meet losses.

Efforts to create a new kind of credit to continental nations have so far been without result. Manufacturers and merchants in this country are not willing to accept payments for goods supplied to continental nations in foreign government bonds, but negotiations are still proceeding with London underwriters and insurance offices for the purpose of ascertaining if any plan can be evolved by which credits to the continent can be assured, or if any insurance guarantees can be obtained for due payment of interest, and principal by continental governments on prior lion bonds issued to obtain credits for private manufacturers.

British Guarantees Needed. In well-informed quarters, however, the opinion is expressed that for such negotiations to have any practical effect the guarantee of the British Government will also have to be given, a guarantee which the government is certainly not disposed to give at present. Therefore, indications are not very hopeful as to the success of the negotiations. Prices seem likely to show progressive decline rather than recovery, while unemployment may become still more general. In considering the situation, however, account must still be had of the possibility of collective guarantee of credits by various nations in order to prevent a complete breakdown and losses on a scale which no nation could witness without anxiety.

The suggested advance by America to enable German manufacturers to purchase cotton and the German people food, to the extent of German funds in the United States, would be a step in the right direction. Recovery in German production is essential to recovery in production of the other states of Europe. If the sum thus available for purchase of American products were to be added part of the amount at the disposal of the War Finance Corporation for encouragement of American exports a total sum could be provided that would enable American farmers and planters to dispose of

## FREDERICK WILL NOT HEAR CRAWFORD

His Friends Will Not Invite Him Unless Leading Protestants Make Request.

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 1.—Officers of the Fredericton branch of the Self-Determination of Ireland League made a definite statement this morning that Lindsay Crawford of Toronto, the president of the organization for Canada, would not be brought here by the league to address a public meeting.

Reports that Crawford was coming here caused a public protest meeting to be held last night and at noon today a delegation from that meeting waited upon Mayor Reid at City Hall and presented a resolution demanding that such a meeting be not permitted, as it would be "conducive to strife and would be detrimental to the peace and welfare of the city."

On the ground that the league's head has been uttering seditious speeches, "The only condition under which Mr. Crawford will be asked to come to Fredericton will be a request from leading Protestant citizens who want to hear both sides of the story about Ireland," said ex-Ald. Hugh O'Neill, president of the Fredericton branch of the Self-Determination for Ireland League.

### CUSTOMS RECEIPTS LOWER.

The customs figures here for November show a decrease from those of the corresponding month of last year. The figures follow:—

1919	1920
Customs duties \$483,756.41	\$117,384.24
Sales tax	6,565.59
Excise tax	2,994.28
Sick Mariners' fees	422.16
Pilotage	1,727.00
Steamboat ins.	485.52
Sundries	107.31
	387.57
	\$487,382.16
	\$144,842.26
Decrease	\$342,539.90

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## FUNERALS.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Nairn took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of John Ryan, 126 Rockland road, to Holy Trinity Church, where burial service was read by Right Rev. J. J. Walsh, V. G., D. F. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of Jeremiah Dineen was held yesterday afternoon from his late residence, 56 Richmond street, to Forsyth. Service was conducted by Rev. George F. Dawson.

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# AMUSEMENTS

## DEMONTS CHAPTER I. O. D. E. MEETING

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## Postponed The Regular Meeting

Mrs. Adam Will be Requested to Address Y. W. P. A. on Denmark Friday Evening.

At a meeting of the Y. W. P. A. executive it was decided to postpone the regular Thursday meeting until the following evening and to ask Mrs. Adam to address the association upon Denmark.

A resolution affirming the necessity of a Juvenile Court in St. John was re-endorsed. The report of the dance committee showed a deficit and several plans to raise funds for the winter's work were discussed.

The General Public Hospital Alumnae Society of Nurses will furnish the lecture room at the new Nurses' Home. This information was given yesterday to Mrs. W. W. White by Miss Mitchell, matron of the hospital.

It is a long time since we have had bouques of crepe de chine, but now the kind of georgette has been finally sounded and crepe de chine, it seems, is rising slowly to take its place.

December first was the birthday of the Queen Mother Alexandra who was born in 1844. In many cities where the kindheartedness of Queen Alexandra is well known, the day was celebrated as "Rose Day."

Crepe de chine appears again and again in the newest of the French frocks imported and is called for again and again by dressmakers depicting with more or less independence the French designs to our taste.

Her Specialty. The hand bared out a shimmy. And Sally danced like sin. The little lady lolled and lolled. But, my, how she could spin!

## REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR GIRL

By HELEN ROWLAND (Copyright, 1920, by The Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.)

It's A Wonderful World, BUT— From all the hills of Nineteen-twenty. Deliver us! We've had a plenty. From pills and bombs and malcontents. From politics and lofty rents. From reckless fools in speeding cars. From skirts that aim to reach the stars. From backless gowns and padded cars. From taxes, strikes, and profiteers. From oil-stock and wood alcohol. And home-brew—saddest thing of all— From out-boards, and all that stink. Deliver us—we've had enough!

A lover reassured is a lover cured. Love is a voyage of discovery; a girl starts out on the high seas for the Isle of Romance and finds herself, a few years later, on a tramp steamer sailing for No-Man's-Land, or marooned on a little island of matrimony with a fat husband and five children.

Every accusation from a woman is a nail in the coffin of a man's love. A man never forgets the first kiss, a woman the last kiss; because that is the one each of them had the hardest time getting.

WELCOME TO QUEEN ALEXANDRA (Upon the occasion of her marriage, March 7, 1862.) But all of us Danes in our welcome of thee. Saxon and Norman and Dane are we. But all of us Danes in our welcome of thee. Welcome her, thunders of fort and of fleet. Welcome her, thundering cheer of the street. Welcome her, all things youthful and dapper. Scatter the blossom under her feet. Break, happy land, into earlier flowers. Make music, O bird, in the new budded bowers. Blazon your mottoes of blessing and prayer. Welcome her, welcome her, all that is ours. Warble, O bugle, and trumpet, blare. Flaps flutter out upon tarrets and towers. Flames on the windy headland flare. And welcome her, welcome the land's desire. The seeking's daughter as happy as fair. Bileful bride of a bileful heir. Ride of the heir of the kings of the sea. O joy to the people and joy to the throne. Come to us, love us, and make us your own. For Saxon, or Dane or Norman we, Teuton or Celt, or whatever we be, We are each all Dane in our welcome of thee. Alexandra. —Alfred Tennyson.

WITH COOKING APPLES. Apple Meringue Pudding. Prepare a pint of stewed apple, sweeten to taste and flavor with a bit of cinnamon. While the apple is hot stir in gradually the beaten yolks of three eggs. Beat very light, pour into a buttered dish, and bake for ten minutes. Without drawing the pudding from the oven cover it with a meringue made of the beaten whites of the eggs together with two "tablespoons of sugar and flavored with quarter of a teaspoon of essence of almond. Spread the meringue on evenly and quickly with a tablespoon, close the oven again and brown lightly. Serve hot or cold as preferred.

Baked Apple Dumplings. Pare and core six nice round apples. Put a piece of butter and a teaspoonful of sugar into each. Then make a covering as follows: Take four cups of flour, one teaspoonful of salt, and four teaspoonfuls of baking powder and stir thoroughly. Add a piece of lard as large as a duck egg. Moisten with milk, a pint, more or less, according as the handling of the dough permits. Work it quickly and lightly. Form the dough into cup shapes and in them place the apple, drawing the edges together in the middle. Pierce all over with a fork and bake in a quick oven about twenty minutes. Serve hot with cream and sugar.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN. Women political workers declare that in the United States country women appear more interested in politics than their sisters in the cities. Florence Spenser Dwyer, a noted specialist on suitable dress for women, has planned a complete wardrobe, which will fit into an ordinary traveling bag. Business women of St. Augustine, Fla., took the initiative in establishing a system of garbage disposal adequate to the needs of the city.

## New Theatre And A New Star

Miss Frances White in "Jimmie," a Musical Comedy, Scoring a Success.

New York, Dec. 1.—A new theatre, a new star, and an attention to the theatrical lexicon were presented to New York by the Selwyns recently. The new theatre, the Apollo, is the second of two theatres which the Selwyns have erected on bloc on 52nd street not far from Broadway. Its entrance admirably that of the recently opened Times Square Theatre, where Florence Reed is meeting with success in "The Mirage."

The new star is Frances White. Five years ago she made her first appearance in vaudeville here, and since that time had gone the rounds of the roof shows and the musical comedy stages, aiding each season to her train of admirers. Miss White is a comedienne of the petti and petite type.

Blind Boy Recovers Sight of One Eye. Special to The Standard.—Moncton, N. B., Dec. 1.—A case of the blind recently, Eddie Despres, the eighteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Despres, of Lewisville, who was born blind, having just arrived home from Notre Dame Hospital in Montreal with the sight of one eye restored and hoping for the restoration of the sight of the other.

Gray Hair Becomes Dark and Beautiful. Try Grandmother's Old Favorite Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome.

SHILOH FOR COUGHS. OPERA HOUSE VAUDEVILLE. Matinee at 2.30 Evening 7.30 and 9. 5 ACTS OF HIGH CLASS VAUDEVILLE and SERIAL PHOTO DRAMA.

## Is Your Blood Starving For Iron? —Then Eat Spinach and Apples

And Re-enforce Them With a Little Organic Iron Instead of Taking Stimulating Medicines.

If your house were falling down as a result of a bad foundation you would not waste your time by merely proping it up, but you would replace and strengthen the foundation. Organic iron is the foundation of your blood. When your blood is starving for iron no more tonics nor stimulants can put you right. You must have iron, for without iron your blood cannot absorb and assimilate your food as it should and nothing you eat does you the proper amount of good. You do not get the strength out of it. To get organic iron you must eat the peels of fruits and vegetables and the husks of grains as our forefathers did, or take organic iron from time to time and eat more such iron-containing foods as spinach and apples. But be sure that the iron you take is organic iron and not metallic iron or mineral iron which people usually take, as metallic iron is iron just as comes from the action of strong acids on small pieces of iron, and is an entirely different thing from organic iron. Organic iron is like the iron in your blood and like the iron in spinach, lentils and apples. It may be had from your druggist under the name of Nuxated Iron. Nuxated Iron represents organic iron in such highly condensed form that one dose of it is estimated to be approximately equivalent (in organic iron content) to eating one-half quart of spinach, one quart of green vegetables or half a peck of apples. Over 4,000,000 people annually are using Nuxated Iron. It will not injure the teeth nor disturb the stomach. A few doses will often commence to enrich your blood, give you new strength and energy and quickly revitalize worn-out, exhausted nerves. Your money will be refunded by the manufacturers if you do not obtain satisfactory results. Beware of substitutes. Always insist on having genuine organic iron—Nuxated Iron. Look for the letters N. I. on every tablet. At all druggists.

EMPERIAL. ANOTHER PICTURE FROM BIG NOVEL. ELAINE HAMMERSTEIN. "The Shadow of Rosalie Burnes". Directed by Geo. Archambault. Splendid picture by a screen star whose brilliance is constantly growing.

FRJ.—Wallace Reid in "The Dancing Fool".

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## BIRTHDAY OF THE QUEEN MOTHER

December first was the birthday of the Queen Mother Alexandra who was born in 1844. In many cities where the kindheartedness of Queen Alexandra is well known, the day was celebrated as "Rose Day."

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## EXPECT VERDICT IN THE SCIENCE CASE IN MA

All Arguments in the Science Case Have Been Concluded. Boston, Dec. 1.—The case of the Christian Science Church with the full bench of the Court of Massachusetts today for an audience that included from England and other courts heard the last of the arguments between the church and the state in the case of the construction of the will of Mary Baker Eddy, the organization and its by-laws. Except for the filing of the case, which was expected to be done by the court on March 1st.

The Last Argument. The last word in argument was given by Charles F. Quinn, Jr., of Boston, who appeared as spokesman for the church. The general had turned over to Quinn the case of the construction of the will of Mary Baker Eddy, which had created a public charity of which he is the trustee. Quinn had to contend with the board of directors of the church, which controls the Science Publishing Society.

## HUN MILITARISTS WANT BOLSHIEVISM

See in it an Opportunity to Restore Old Army. By VIGGO TOEPFER. (Copyright, 1920, by Cross-Publishing Co.) Berlin, Dec. 1.—Bavarian militarists who are the mainstay of the German government, are in the process of organizing a public charity of which he is the trustee. Quinn had to contend with the board of directors of the church, which controls the Science Publishing Society.

## NIGHT CLUB INSTALLED BY LONDON POP

Songs Provided During the Jazz. By HUGH DRYDEN. (Copyright, 1920, by Cross-Publishing Co.) London, Dec. 1.—The new night club at the Midland Hotel, which was opened, nearly a year ago, at that time nearly a big and little, consisted of a big dig to sing in a hot and gave accommodation. A man who engages the biggest restaurant company said: "We are over on the singers of talent for whom a tremendous demand. We pay \$100 upwards a week, which they regard as a princely sum."

## FOR COOKING ECONOMY

MAZON. The song during a meal is a feature. The service is perfectly still while the song is being sung. It is also a feature of smaller hotels and restaurants, where the song is not very high.

EXPECT VERDICT IN THE SCIENCE CASE IN MARCH

All Arguments in the Christian Science Case Have Been Concluded Now.

Boston, Dec. 1.—The future policy of the Christian Science Church lay with the full bench of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts today.

The last argument was by Charles F. Choate, Jr., of this city, who appeared as spokesman for Attorney-General Allen.

HUN MILITARISTS WANT BOLSHEVISM

See in it an Opportunity to Restore Old Army Regime.

By VIGGO TOEPPER. (Copyright, 1920, by Cross-Atlantic.) Berlin, Dec. 1.—Everything is in a ferment that comes to the mind of the German extremist Nationalists.

The reinforcement of the German Communist party indeed is most opportune for the men of the extreme right like Hitler, Stresemann, and Lettau von Vorbeck.

In the opinion of these men, von Vorbeck not long openly declared, German Soviets would never become anything but imitators of the Russian Bolsheviks.

NIGHT CLUB INSTEAD OF CABARET FAVORED BY LONDON POPULACE

Songs Provided During Meals by Noted Artists—No Use for Jazz.

By HUGH DRYDEN. (Copyright, 1920, by Cross-Atlantic.) London, Dec. 1.—London has not yet got the cabaret habit—though it has expensive and exclusive night clubs.

The introduction of songs into the hotel musical program was first made at the Midland Hotel, Manchester, when it was opened, nearly 20 years ago.

A man who engages singers for the biggest restaurants company in Britain, said: "We are ever on the lookout for singers of talent, for whom there is a tremendous demand."

"The provincial cities will not have any artists but the best. At Liverpool the audiences are most critical, and all over the North of England the people are musical, and frequently discuss music while at dinner."

"The song during a meal is now a regular feature. The service is temporarily stopped, and the dinner is made perfectly still while the song is being sung."

For Cooking Economy MAZOLA

WELSH MINERS ARE COMING TO CANADA

First Contingent Are Now on Way—Five Hundred to Come.

(Copyright, 1920, by Cross-Atlantic.) London, Dec. 1.—Fifty Welsh miners sailed yesterday for the west coast, destined chiefly for British Columbia and Ontario.

FRENCH WINE GROWERS LOOK FOR HARD WINTER

Many of Them Selling Their Vineyards and Giving up Business.

By HENRY WILLIAM FRANCIS. (Copyright, 1920, by Cross-Atlantic.) Paris, Nov. 30.—The year 1920 promises to be a record wine-producing year in France.

With the United States, formerly one of France's biggest wine customers, pledged to "dryness" or such "wetness" as home-brewing affords, with Germany, formerly another "good spender" of the market, and with England restricting the importation of wine by the heaviest taxation.

Some of the growers are selling out rather than cope with the situation. The latest to follow this course is the Duc de Tremella, owner of the famous Chateau Margaux with its dependencies and famous vineyards which for more than a century have produced one of the most celebrated brands of Bordeaux wine.

MONCTON BUILDING PERMITS

Moncton, N. B., Dec. 1.—Building permits in this city for November totalled \$1,185,323.

TROUBLED WITH ITCHY ECZEMA

Wash On Face And Limbs. Cuticura Heals.

"I had been troubled with eczema on my face which took the form of a rash. Lather & wash out on my limbs and they itched very much, causing me to scratch these until they were bleeding. The rash would often keep me awake at night."

MONCTON MAY HAVE TOWN MANAGER

Moncton, N. B., Dec. 1.—The matter of a town manager for Moncton was discussed at the Rotary Club luncheon here yesterday.

COAL PRICES CUT

New Glasgow, N. S., Dec. 1.—The Acadia Coal Co. have reduced their price for coal to the domestic trade to 75 cents to \$1 per ton.

D'ANNUNZIO HAS TURNED PIRATE

Seized British Steamer Loaded With Flour and Food.

Trieste, Dec. 1.—The steamer Nerante, loaded with flour and fodder, had been captured by Gabriele D'Annunzio in the Adriatic near Pola.

WEIGHT OF KITTEN CAUSED BABY'S DEATH

Special to The Standard. Chatham, N. B., Dec. 1.—John Howard Koehler, seven months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Koehler, of Round Bay, N. B., suffocated when a pet kitten climbed into his crib and went to sleep on the baby's chest.

The crib was standing on a porch. The family believe that the kitten, chilled by the outdoor air, had climbed into the crib to get warm by nestling close to the baby.

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I. W. W. ARRESTS Chicago, Nov. 30.—Thirty-eight alleged radicals were arrested by the police today in a raid on I. W. W. headquarters. Several thousand pamphlets said to be of a revolutionary nature were seized.

You Know Smarts. Aunt Mary had been introduced to all the friends of the family while visiting her brother. Now she was trying to discover if her nieces favored any young man in particular. "That Mr. Smarts who comes here seems a clever young man, Maude," she began. "Yes," replied Maude, "he is clever." "What is his profession?" "A bit of a lawyer and a bit of a musician." "But what is he really?" asked Aunt Mary, puzzled. "Well," explained the girl, "the lawyer says he is a musician and the musician says he is a lawyer." — Ottawa Journal.

# THE STANDARD'S FINANCIAL SECTION

## SHARP RALLY IN WALL STREET IS MARKET FEATURE

Firm Almost to Strong Was Status of the Exchange at Close of the Day.

## OILS ROSE FAST ON SHORT COVERINGS

Southern Pacific Railway Breaks on News of New Rail Announcement.

New York, Dec. 1.—The stock market manifested a reactionary trend during the early and intermediate periods of today's lively session, but receded vigorously in the final hour, with the closing at a firm to almost strong tempo.

Recurrent liquidation started with the more speculative issues, notably those embracing the steels, equipments and copper, and low priced rails, but soon encompassed the investment transactions and industrial of the better class.

Most Sweeping Reversals. Reversals were most sweeping when it became known that the Southern Pacific Company later would announce the terms of its plan to separate its holdings from the railway system, the stock breaking 3 1/2 points.

Oil prices rose sharply on short covering, the Mexican group leading with a net gain of three points, for Mexican Petroleum, United States Steel recovered all but the smallest fraction of its quarterly dividend, and Chile Copper, one of the active features of the session, also closed at a one point gain.

Shipping was among the five issues to recover with popular industrial and the entire market felt the influence of the rally in Southern Pacific, which replaced its loss with a net gain of 1 point.

Oils Up On Shorts. Oil prices rose sharply on short covering, the Mexican group leading with a net gain of three points, for Mexican Petroleum, United States Steel recovered all but the smallest fraction of its quarterly dividend, and Chile Copper, one of the active features of the session, also closed at a one point gain.

Chicago Grain. Wheat High Low Close. March 1.65 1.55 1.62 1/2. December 1.55 1.53 1.61 1/2.

## IN THE PUBLIC EYE



J. T. McCall

J. T. McCall is one of the founders and president of Drummond, McCall and Company, Limited, iron steel and metal merchants of Montreal. He is a native of Mauchline, Ayrshire, Scotland. He was educated in the schools of his native town and subsequently took a course at Glasgow University.

## PORK PRICES DROP AT CHARLOTTETOWN

Special to The Standard.

Charlottetown, Dec. 1.—There was a well-stocked market yesterday, with prices remaining about the same as all along. The principal thing of note was a drop of one cent since last week in the price of pork, the buyers paying 15 1/2 cents for best, other butchers' prices were as follows: Oats, 70 to 75 cents; potatoes, 65 to 70c; hay, \$27 to \$28 ton; straw, \$10 to \$12; and turnips, 20c, basket.

## BROMPTON PLANT IS CLOSED FOR WINTER

Quebec, Dec. 1.—The Brompton Pulp and Lumber Company, of Brompton, Que., will close down for the winter. A few hundred men will be without work. The reason given by the firm's officials for closing is the necessity of extensive repairs to the plant.

## DIVIDENDS DECLARED

Montreal, Dec. 1.—Dividends declared are: Canadian Car and Foundry Co., Ltd., 1 1/4 per cent on preferred for quarter ending December 31, payable January 10 to record December 27.

## UNLISTED MARKET

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Dec. 1.—Trading in unlisted securities on today's stock market here was: Brompton pd 10 at 7 1/2, 10 at 7 1/2, 25 at 7 1/2, 40 at 7 1/2.

## LONDON OILS

London, Dec. 1.—Calcutta mixed, 25 1/2. Refined oil 47s. 6d. Spirit oil 46s. Petroleum, American, refined, 25 1/2.

## MONTREAL PRODUCTS

Montreal, Dec. 1.—Oats, Canadian western, No. 2, 77c; No. 3, 73 1/2c. Flour, Manitoba spring wheat, patent, \$11.10.

## RAW SUGAR STEADY

New York, Dec. 1.—Raw sugar steady at 4 1/2 cents for Cuban cut and freight, equal to 35 1/2 for centrifugal. Refined quiet at 36 1/2 to 39 1/2 for fine granulated. Except for December, which was about a point lower under liquidation the sugar futures market was steady and prices at midday unchanged. Trading was light.

## HUGE TRADING BUT AT DECLINE IN NAT. BREWERIES

Stock Deals Totalled 2,200 Shares But Market Ended With a Four Point Drop.

Montreal, Dec. 1.—With the exception of a few more or less inactive stocks, the general run of issues on the local exchange today made poor headway against the selling pressure exerted, a pressure notably prominent in National Breweries, although some of the papers were specially weak. It viewed in the light of the increase in the price of newspaper announced yesterday, Breweries was sold to a extent of 2,200 shares and closed at a low 1 1/2, representing a net loss of 4 points.

## LAURENTIDE CO'Y SELLS NEW OUTPUT TO NEW YORK TIMES

Montreal, Dec. 1.—Statement is made by George H. Chabouin Jr., president of the Laurentide Co. Ltd., that the new paper mill of the company is now in operation and the production of newspaper is now approximately 400 tons daily, the former capacity of 225 tons having been increased by 175 tons. At the annual meeting recently President Chabouin stated that his company had entered into a five-year contract with the New York Times for the additional output made possible by the new installation.

## CUSTOMS RECEIPTS FOR NOVEMBER DOWN NEARLY THREE MILLION

Ottawa, Dec. 1.—Customs receipts for the month of November, 1920, show a decrease as compared with November, 1919, of approximately \$2,500,000, but with the inland revenue returns for the month, those of a net increase of \$4,697,620.64 for customs and inland revenue collections for last month as against November, 1919. The increase in collections from war excise (luxury tax) manufacturer tax and sales tax last month was \$8,136,076.17, as compared with November of last year. For the month of November, 1920, the total collections from customs and inland revenue were \$29,490,751.69, as against a total of \$27,793,131.33 in November, 1919.

## MONTREAL SALES

Table with columns: Item, Bid, Ask. Includes items like Abitibi, Canadian Car and Foundry, etc.

## Morning

Table with columns: Item, Price. Includes items like Steamships, Canadian Car and Foundry, etc.

## Afternoon

Table with columns: Item, Price. Includes items like Steamships, Canadian Car and Foundry, etc.

## IN THE PUBLIC EYE



Geo. H. Smithers

George H. Smithers, senior member of Burnett and Company, and one of the leading members of the Montreal Stock Exchange is prominently connected with Canadian financial and industrial interests. He is a director of Canada Steamships Limited, Toronto Railway, Paton Manufacturing Company, British and Colonial Land Company and the Dominion and Scottish Land Company of Edinburgh. Mr. Smithers is also a life governor of the company and is also a life governor or director of numerous hospitals and charitable organizations.

## WINNIPEG WHEAT PRICES UP FIVE CENTS EVERYWHERE

Coarse Grain Market Continues Quiet and Without Spectacular Features.

Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—With a firm undertone wheat, which opened lower at mid-session, advanced on better buying power developing, and at the close was six to five cents higher for cash. The demands for cash wheat was just fair and the offerings were not heavy. Premiums were unchanged to one cent higher.

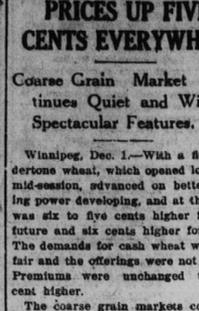
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Special to The Standard.

Montreal, Dec. 1.—Rev. Dr. C. A. Eaton, the well-known Baptist minister who has been heard with pleasure and...

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Canadian Mariner On Maiden Voyage

Latest Addition to C. G. M. M. Fleet is Fine Vessel and Smart.

The newest of the C. G. M. M. ships, the Canadian Mariner, arrived at port yesterday from Halifax and docked at the McLeod wharf, where she will load grain for Italy. She is 400 feet long, 8,200 tons deadweight, and 5,111 tons net register.

PUBLICATION OF TREATIES RAISES KNOTTY PROBLEM

Brings up Right of League to Do So When One Party Not Member.

(Copyright, 1920, by Public Ledger) Geneva, Dec. 1.—A little flurry of excitement was caused today in the lobbies of the League Assembly at the announcement that the League Secretariat had wished for the first time two treaties affecting the United States. Sweden, it seems, registered this week two treaties made with the Washington government covering questions of copyright and consular service.

MARINE NEWS

Table with tide information: High Tide, Low Tide, etc.

Furness Line

From London To London via Halifax, N. S. Nov. 18—Castelton... Dec. 18

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From Manchester To Manchester via Halifax, N. S. Nov. 22—Man. Corporation... Dec. 15

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CUNARD ANCHOR

PORTLAND-GLASGOW Dec. 9, (Christmas Balling) ... Dec. 20, Feb. 15, Mar. 30, ...

MAJOR CHURCHILL HAS ARRIVED AT GENEVA

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CHRISTMAS TREES FOR UNITED STATES

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A self-respecting man, whose ambition is beyond his present occupation, might find more congenial employment with us and at the same time double his income. We require a man of clear character, sound in mind and body, of strong personality, who would appreciate a life's position with a fast-growing concern, where industry would be rewarded with far above average earnings. Married men preferred. Apply to Mr. Mercer, second floor, 167 Prince William St.

WANTED

WANTED—Teacher for School District No. 4 Parish of Eildon, County of Westmorland, for term opening January, 1921. Salary \$67 per month. Apply at once to David J. Wyers, Sec'y to School Trustees, Wyers Brook.

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purchasing power. The prices of such securities must therefore necessarily advance.

Into this class of securities falls naturally the new issue, New Brunswick Telephone stock. By decision of the N. Board of Public Utilities company is entitled to and pay Eight Per on its Investment, and company's record in the is such as to justify confidence. This is a Investment.

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MEN AND BUSINESS (By Richard Spillane)

About 850,000 typewriters will be manufactured this year. That means approximately 2300 a day, or nearly 100 an hour for every hour night and day the year round.

Do you? Of course not. It was Christopher Latham Sholes who devised it in 1867. He was collector of customs at Milwaukee at the time. Not until March, 1868, did he take out a patent. The first typewriter was a rather poor affair, but the fundamental principles of the first machine remain in every type-bar machine today.

Sholes died in 1890. He was a consumptive and shared the fate of many of those with a spark of genius, for when he was buried not even a headstone marked his grave. Now it is proposed—30 years after his death—to do honor to him. A monument is to be placed over his grave when the \$2,000 which it will cost is collected. About \$1,500 has been subscribed in sums of \$1 or less.

Mention has been made of Raymond E. Fosdick's book, "American Police Systems." Some of the figures in it almost stagger belief. For example: Boston's arrests in 1918 exceeded London's by 22,530. Philadelphia's arrests in 1918 exceeded London's by 20,005. Chicago's arrests in 1918 exceeded London's by 121,377.

In 1919 there were 5637 automobiles stolen in New York. In London 290 were stolen and in Liverpool only 10. In 1918 Chicago had 22 robberies for every one robbery in London and 14 for every one robbery in England and Wales.

Los Angeles in 1916 had 64 more robberies than England, Scotland and Wales combined. Liverpool is one-third larger than Cleveland, yet Cleveland in 1919 reported 31 times as many robberies as Liverpool.

Chicago is only one-third the size of London yet had 12 times as many murders as London in one year. In 1917 Chicago had more murders than England, Scotland and Wales combined. Here is a three-years record of the United States:

Table with 2 columns: Year, Murders, Executions. 1918: 8372, 115. 1917: 7883, 85. 1916: 7667, 85. Total: 23,842, 286.

From this it would appear that only one murderer out of 86 is executed in America.

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POTS Three over restaurant or hotel gas range, silent salesman, 41 arm chair, 3 coffee and one hot water urn, small gas stove, M. T. Tables, also M. T. Counter and fixtures, dishes and other restaurant equipment, etc.

BY AUCTION I am instructed to sell the above at store No. 101 Charlotte St. on Friday afternoon the 1st. inst. at 3 o'clock. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

POTS Upright Piano, Mission Leather Davenport, Axminster Squares, Brass Bed, Chiffoniers, Dressing table, Mission dining suite, kitchen range, etc.

AT RESIDENCE I am instructed to sell at residence No. 204 Douglas Ave. on Thursday morning the 2nd. inst. at 10 o'clock the contents of house consisting in part: Brass bed, springs and mattress, 5 Axminster squares, Axminster stair and hall carpets, chiffoniers, dressing table, mission leather Davenport, mahogany tables, upholstered tapestry arm chair and rocker, library table and chairs, full dining suite in mission, kitchen range, oilstove, curtains and a large assortment of other household effects. At 12.30 o'clock one almost new upright piano and stool. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

THE WEATHER. Toronto, Dec. 1.—Fairly pronounced...

AROUND THE CITY

DOMINION SAVINGS BANK. The Dominion Savings Bank for November shows the following deposits...

HERE FOR WINTER. A number of C. P. O. S. Baggage clerks arrived in the city yesterday in preparation for the winter season...

JOINS C. P. R. FORCE. Two former constables of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police—Norman Noel and Clifford Struthers...

IN MEMORY OF MISS STAMEERS. The Alumni Society of Nurses of the General Public Hospital has decided to furnish the library in the new nurses' home...

SOME TURNIPS. Burton M. Wood, of Musquash, produced two turnips...

CONDITIONS IN SYDNEY. A traveler who arrived in the city yesterday from Sydney, C. B., says that business in that section of the country is unsettled...

LAST NIGHT'S STORM. Last night's rain left little, if any, snow on the city streets...

BISHOP LEBLANC MAKES APPOINTMENTS

At the first Synod of the St. John Diocese, held in the Cathedral on Tuesday, His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc announced the following appointments...

It was also announced that Rev. J. Gaudet has been appointed a Rural Dean...

Selection of The Rhodes Scholar

Committee Met Tuesday and Wednesday—Henri P. Binet Magdalen Islands, Selected.

The Committee for Selection of Rhodes Scholars for the Province of New Brunswick held their meeting at the office of Chief Justice Hastings...

Exceptional Career. Mr. Binet, the successful candidate, has had an exceptional career both as a scholar and as an athlete...

The present appointment is the third under the new method of selection, the first going to Gregory Binet, of the U. N. B., the second to Geo. F. Skinner, of Mt. Allison University...

Staff Sends Letter To Commissioners

Want Larger Hospital Staff and Better Laboratory Facilities—Nurses Punished.

A communication from the Staff of the General Public Hospital regarding the standardization of that institution was read at a meeting of the commissioners...

The staff's letter dealt with a communication written by Dr. Henry Hedon and published in the press. It was pointed out to the Commissioners that it was not so much increased accommodation...

Heating and Dietician. The heating system of the hospital was considered carefully, the remodeling of the system in the main building being discussed...

Serious Complaints. Serious complaints have reached the board that nurses have had to serve too long at one period at the epidemic...

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There were present yesterday Dr. J. Agan.

Little Selling Of Victory Bonds

Local Broker Understands Bonds Will Show Good Appreciation Soon.

There has been comparatively little selling of Canadian Victory bonds in St. John since the dissolving of the Victory Loan Commission...

Temporary Slump. It would appear from investigation that the slump on the market was only of a temporary nature...

Machine Gun And Signalling Corps Proposition Placed Before High School Cadets by Col. Snow and Others.

A machine gun corps and a signalling corps may form a branch of the St. John High School Cadets in the near future...

Just what succeeds the officers will meet with in their efforts to recruit the new signallers remains to be seen...

CITY'S NEW ENGINE TESTED YESTERDAY. New Combination Pumping Engine Was Demonstrated at Reed's Point.

The new combination pumping engine and chemical was given a test yesterday afternoon at Reed's Point, lifting water out of the harbor...

LUMBER LADEN SCOW PICKED UP IN BAY. Owned by J. A. Gregory and Drifted Away from West End—Picked up by Stadium.

Some time during Tuesday night a scow laden with lumber belonging to J. A. Gregory drifted from No. 2 wharf on the West Side...

CONGREGATIONAL SOCIAL ENJOYED. A congregational social was held last evening at the Church of God Shepherd Hall, Fairville...

PERSONALS. Dr. and Mrs. R. T. Rutherford, of Quebec City, are guests at the Clifton House.

CLIFTON HOUSE, ALL MEALS 60c. Mr. Adam will lecture on Denmark at Natural History rooms, Union Street, Friday evening at eight o'clock.

Statement Given By Longshoremen

Negotiations Practically Concluded—Agreements to be Signed by Those Affected.

Meetings of the International Longshoremen's Association, Local No. 273; Coal Handlers and Trimmers, Local 810; and Freight Handlers, Local 838, were held last night...

Local No. 273, Longshoremen, will receive the same rate of wages as that paid last year, that is 70 cents per hour and certain differentials...

Local No. 835, Freight Handlers, have practically concluded negotiations for a slight increase over last year's rate.

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The Quickest Way to Turn Furs Into Cash Is to Sell Them—Hence This Sale. Nothing mysterious about this sale—unless it is why those who haven't yet come in haven't come in! We prefer the cash to the stock, so we tell you about it—and in price language you can quickly understand.