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CANTON AND BRITISH ENVOYS DISAGREE

ATMOSPHERE IS CREATED FOR OTHER PARLEYS

Lampson Leaves For Peking Following Conferences

Chang Tso Lin's Threat to Send Warships to South Held Alarming

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Hon. Miles Lampson, British minister to China, left Hankow last night for Peking, British United Press is officially informed today that he did not succeed in reaching any agreement with the Cantonese leaders although his conversations with Eugene Chen were most cordial and an atmosphere was created which is regarded as favorable for future conversations.

At the moment, the Soviet idea, to a certain extent the Soviet government, have a firm hold on the majority of the Cantonese but the British government believes that this is merely a temporary phase, and that the moment the so-called Chinese red succeed in establishing their power over the whole of the country, they will throw off Russian influence and adopt a reasonable attitude.

INSIDE NOT REVEALED. Internal forces operating in the Cantonese movement are not yet revealed and the aims which will govern the future of the movement are not clearly defined but the British officials are in touch with the situation and are optimistic of a situation that will enable the establishment of a coalition between China and the British government before very long.

TSO LINS THREATS. Meanwhile Chang Tso Lin is threatening to send warships against Canton which would create a situation even more serious than that at present. There is still strong suspicion in Southern China, which is said to be fostered by the Japanese that the British are secretly supporting Chang Tso Lin despite the emphasis of British officials. In view of this any movement against Canton by Chang Tso Lin would unquestionably strengthen the anti-British movement.

KING UNDECIDED ABOUT PARIS TRIP

Rumanian Cabinet Opposes Ferdinand Leaving Kingdom at This Stage

BUCHAREST, Dec. 18.—Although it has been decided to send King Ferdinand to Paris for medical treatment, opposition by the Rumanian cabinet now has made it uncertain whether the trip will be attempted. The king himself, whose desire to go to Paris for medical treatment was largely inspired by a wish to see his errand son, former Prince Carol, has wavered in his determination to make the trip. The king's condition is steadily improving as a result of the last operation which he underwent in Bucharest.

FOUND OPERATOR DEAD. BARRIE, Ont., Dec. 18.—For more than an hour yesterday irate telephone subscribers banged hooks on their instruments in an effort to get "central" but there was no response. At last a subscriber living near the local exchange went in person to report trouble, and found J. M. Mitchell, aged 54, manager of the Oro Telephone Company, who had been relieving the operator, dead at the switchboard. He had expired sitting in the operator's chair with the headphones clamped over his ears.

MISSIONARIES FRED. LONDON, Dec. 18.—The Baptist missionary Society today received a cable message from China stating that the eight months' siege of Sianfu, capital of Shensi Province, has been terminated and six British missionaries liberated.

MENNONITES LEAVE. NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—An entire colony of Mennonites, 200 in all, the religious sect which has maintained a prosperous settlement in Western Canada for generations, will migrate in a body to Puerto Casado, Paraguay, leaving New York today on the Muncie liner Western World. Delegates representing the sect went to Paraguay several months ago and made arrangements for the settlement. They are reported to be wealthy.

BURIED AT CAPITAL. FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 18.—The funeral of James T. Sharkey, barber of this city, whose death occurred in Montreal, took place this morning. High mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Dunstan's church by Very Rev. Dean Carney in the presence of a large congregation. The burials of the city attended in large numbers. Interment was made at the Hermitage.

German Crisis Seen As Clash Between Republicans and Monarchists

Ad. Education

EAT OYSTERS AT THE... STEAKS, CHOPS, SANDWICHES, ROAST DINNERS, HOME MADE PIES.

HERE'S ONE WAY TO FINANCE A college career. Marjorie McDurk, of Oak Lane, Pa., has taken to sandwich-making in Philadelphia for funds to complete her studies at Temple University. Some competition for the tattered boys who usually hold such jobs!

PROMINENT ARTIST RESIGNS CHARGE. Storm of Protest Over King's Portrait Causes Sims' Withdrawal

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Charles Sims, whose painting of King George V was withdrawn from the Royal Academy, has resigned as trustee and keeper of that institution. Sims is now in New York. It is believed that his action is the sequel to withdrawal of his portrait of the king from the exhibition held in Amsterdam and in Pittsburgh. His works are noted among art connoisseurs throughout the world.

Chosen Manager of F. H. S. Hockey Team

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 18.—Donald Whiteman has been chosen as manager of the Fredericton High School 1935-36 hockey team. No captain has yet been elected, however, for either the hockey or basketball teams, although Jack Fowler was elected this week as manager of the basketball team, and left this morning for Saint John to attend the annual meeting of the executive of New Brunswick inter-scholastic basketball league.

Man Who Saved Many Drowns in Storm

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Umberto Passos Freitas, scientist and oceanographer, who rescued many victims of the sinking of three ships by German submarines during the war off the Island of Madeira, has met death in these same waters, a Lisbon despatch to the Daily Mail reports.

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COLD WAVE TO CONTINUE, SAYS WEATHER MAN

Mercury Hovering Near Zero on Atlantic Seaboard

FROM THE NORTH

Concern Felt for Two Lake Steamers, Now Long Overdue, Is Report

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—King Weather today held the Northeast States in his grip, ranging from a few degrees above zero to temperatures 16 degrees below zero being reported from points near the Canadian border. A biting wind added to the discomfort of pedestrians.

The cold will continue, the weather bureau announced. The last of the grain boats coming down from the Canadian head of the lakes are battling with high winds, and the intense cold is covering the vessels with thick coatings of ice, according to reports from Buffalo.

TWO BOATS MISSED. Much concern is felt here for the safety of the steamship Charles O. Smith and the Fitzgerald, both unreported for several days on Lake Superior. The two steamers left Port William early in the week with the Charles O. Smith, which arrived at the Soo on Friday afternoon. The steamers Harvey H. Brown and the Leonard B. Duluth on Sunday for Port William, have returned to the former port and will winter there. The Leonard B. and Harvey D. Goulder, out of Port William earlier in the week, have returned to remain there until spring.

FAMILY DROWNED. Cutter Goes Through Ice While Crossing Ottawa River

PEMBROKE, Ont., Dec. 18.—Driving in a blizzard, which swept over the Upper Ottawa river yesterday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. John McGuire and their 6-year old child, were drowned in the Ottawa river when the cutter in which they were driving went through a hole in the ice, while they were returning from Christmas shopping at Pembroke. All of the dead lie at Deners Centre, Allumette Island. An inquest will be conducted by C. E. Joseph, coroner.

COBHAM HONORED. British Aviator Awarded First Prize in Aeronaotics

PARIS, Dec. 18.—Sir Alan Cobham, British aviator, who now is visiting in the United States, yesterday was awarded the first prize in the International Aeronaotics Competition. Representatives of 18 nations participated in the meeting which was held in London. Cobham's recent flight from London to Australia and return, the greatest flying feat of 1935.

German Radio Fans Protest Advertising

BERLIN, Dec. 18.—A movement against excessive advertising over the radio is under way in Germany. Speakers for the newly organized radio protective association, an organization of listeners in, hint that the time may come when a radio strike will be declared against the government, which controls the radio broadcasting unless the amount of "hook-up" is curtailed. Since each fan pays a license fee of 50 cents a month, such a move would force attention through loss of revenue, to the government.

Many Love Letters For Youthful Member

OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—Although last year is still 378 days away, this has not deterred scores and scores of members of the fair sex from writing voluminous letters to Louis Auger, M. P. for Prescott, and youngest member of parliament, in which congratulations, politics and love are generally mixed. Most of the girls who write relate him on his election and then to the young parliamentarian congratulatory without delay at once describe their charms, emphasizing particularly the color of their eyes and also elaborate upon their tresses, and the general amiability of their dispositions, he revealed.

NO CHANCE, WHATEVER. CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Mrs. Margaret Frank, 300-pound wife of G. O. Frank, who tips the scales at 130 pounds, sued Frank for divorce, charging cruelty. Frank exhibited two broken ribs at the divorce hearing, "the result of handling by my wife," Judge Fred Rush surveyed the couple. "Cruelty," he said looking at Mrs. Frank, "divorce denied."

Whiskerino Championship Won By Hair

OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—A special to the Journal from Timmins, Ont., says: "Pat O'Gorman, aged 34, of Timmins, is champion whiskerino of the world, winning by a hair from Wm. Cosington. O'Gorman entered the novel whisker-growing contest with a clean chin on October 16, and by some secret process which he refuses to disclose at the present moment raised a thick, bushy growth of hair on his chin and cheeks, measuring one inch and 15-32 in length, with 29 hairs to the inch. He obtained the maximum number of points for prominence and nine points out of a possible 10 for thickness. "For this effort he wins a \$1,000 accident policy for one year, a \$50 suit, a \$30 gold watch, a big turkey, 2,000 pounds of anthracite coal, safety razor and a \$10 rocking chair. "Twenty-one whisker growers competed. At the conclusion of the evening all competitors repaired to a barber shop."

SHOE MEN SEEKING TAXES ABOLITION. Want Removal of Stamp Tariff on Commercial Paper—Other Motions

MONTREAL, Dec. 18.—Removal of double taxation of companies' earnings by the abolition of such tax on export prior to distribution by shoe holders, is one of the resolutions passed by the Shoe Manufacturers of Canada and which will be submitted to the Dominion government. Other demands the abolition of all stamp taxes on commercial paper; the appointment of a qualified chief inspector of footwear by the customs department to distribution by shoe holders, and a request that the bulk sales act of the province be amended so as to make it illegal for a merchant to dispose of his stocks in bulk, without first obtaining the consent in writing of a two-thirds majority of his creditors.

IRIS ACQUITTED. DUBLIN, Ireland, Dec. 18.—Patrick Breunel, owner of a moving picture theatre in Drumcollogher, which was destroyed by the last September, was acquitted of a manslaughter charge. The jury disagreed on similar charges against Ford, lessee of the theatre, and Patrick Downing, its operator.

Offer Scholarships For Research Work. OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—The external affairs department announces that scholarships are being offered by the Royal Society of Great Britain, under the Foulerton Research Fund, for research in medicine or contributory sciences. Canadian applicants are invited for the scholarships of £700 per annum and which are open to men and women equally. Candidates who will give practically their whole time to such research are invited to write to the Royal Society, Burlington House, London, W. 1, before March 1, 1937, stating their age, qualifications for research, and references by persons who can speak for their experience in research.

Poland Seeks Data On Canadian Pool. CALGARY, Dec. 18.—From far away Poland comes the request for information of organization and methods of the Canadian Wheat Pool. This request has just been received at the wheat pool office here from R. Maugiewicz, vice consul-general at Montreal. He states that the information is for his government.

COMPLETE STATE CASE. CANTON, Ohio, Dec. 18.—The state completed its presentation of direct testimony in the trial of Patrick Eugene McDermott, charged with the murder of Don R. Mellet, Canton publisher, today.

JAPAN TENSE WHILE EMPEROR FIGHTS ILLNESS

End Is Only Matter of Hours, Correspondents Say

6 PHYSICIANS

"Important Announcement Coming" Papers Are Told by Court

TOKIO, Dec. 18.—A bulletin issued by the Household Department at 8 o'clock tonight said the condition of Emperor Yoshihito was "virtually unchanged. Although no one outside the Royal Family, members of the cabinet and their attendants know what is happening in the carefully guarded chamber of the royal villa at Hayama, where Emperor Yoshihito is dying, the outside world today began to hear whispers of the ruler's passing. Newspaper correspondents have been told that an "important announcement" is coming.

The nation is stilled with expectancy which always precedes such an occasion in the Imperial Palace. The cabinet has made its visit to the bedside. Battleships ride at anchor almost within sight of the villa. Day and night Princes and Princesses of the blood, remain faithfully near the sick room, and other members of the Royal Family are at hand.

SIX PHYSICIANS. Six physicians remain with their ruler, working with the determination that marks the unwillingness of their kind to capitulate to death. Oxygen, saline solutions and every known element for combating the disease, have been resorted to in the effort to save him. He has bronchial pneumonia. Yoshihito still is a young man so far as his span of years is concerned. But he has been ailing since 1921, when the crown of state were lifted from his shoulders and set upon the stronger ones of his eldest son, Crown Prince Hirohito.

STOLE 22 CASES OF LIQUOR, IS CHARGE. Fredericton Men Arrested For Theft From Box Car at McGivney Jct.

FREDERICTON, Dec. 18.—Norman Fletcher, 28, and William Palfy, 21, arrested yesterday by C. N. R. Constable Austin F. Steves, of Newcastle, at McGivney Junction, charged with the theft of twenty-two cases of liquor from a C. N. R. car at McGivney on or about December 12, were remanded in Police Court here today until Thursday, December 23, for hearing.

CAME FROM ONTARIO. The theft with which they are charged occurred last week-end, when the liquor was stolen from a C. N. R. car at McGivney while en route from Ontario to Fredericton consigned to the New Brunswick Liquor Commission. Twelve cases of Scotch and 10 cases of cocktails were removed from the consignment.

C. N. R. constables who were engaged in the case, finally located what is alleged to have been the contents of twenty of the stolen cases in a barn at McGivney. The bottles had been removed from the cases and the latter destroyed. The bottles were hidden about the barn.

ONLY a few more days remain to make contributions to the Empty Stocking Fund, and the response in the closing days has been most gratifying. Today, the fund stands at the \$2,136.31 mark, mainly through co-operative giving yesterday, the total being \$220.90. Among the headliners were those from the superintendent's department, Bank of Nova Scotia, the Pollyanna Club, Central Baptist church, the City Cornet Band, C. G. I. T., Rexton, N.B., Mechanical Department, Repair Shop and Island Yard, Canadian National (\$52.40); employees Emerson & Co., T. H. Estabrooks Company, Saint John Millinery Company, and employees of Royal Hotel. Other contributions swelled the total, and if the returns continue in the same proportion, there is every likelihood the \$3,000 mark will be reached.

ON MONDAY, the work of filling the stockings will commence. Relief shifts of Boy Scouts will work all day on this, and at night various societies have kindly agreed to help out members of the staff. This is a task of considerable magnitude, and were it not for such assistance the office staff would be swamped.

IN ADDITION to acknowledging money gifts, several contributions from the following have been received in the shape of mittens and stockings: G. K. L., three pairs mittens; Mrs. James Vail, three pairs mittens; Mrs. W. W. Patterson, six pairs mittens; A. Friend, 3 pairs mittens; Lucy Pearson, three pairs mittens and two pairs stockings; Mrs. A. Cameron, seven pairs mittens; Annie C. Meahan, three pairs stockings; Friends, six pairs mittens; Master Chester Lyons, two pairs mittens and wool hat; Friend, two pairs mittens and fancy candy bags; Mrs. S. J. McKel, two pairs mittens; Friend, three pairs mittens and one pair stockings.

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Selling the Sheik's Steed



RAMADAN, blooded horse that bore Rudolph Valentino across the desert in his famous sheik pictures, was sold at auction in Hollywood as the late actor's estate was liquidated. Ramadan, with two other horses, brought a total of \$2,025. This picture shows the famous horse going under the hammer.

EXCEEDS WOOLWORTH BUILDING BY 500 FEET

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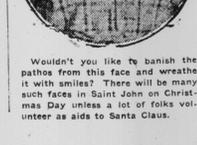
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You're Needed



Wouldn't you like to banish the patches from this face and weather it with smiles? There will be many such faces in Saint John on Christmas Day unless a score of folks volunteer as aids to Santa Claus.

FOREIGN POLICY NOT LIKELY TO BE CHANGED

Former Chancellor Luthers Mentioned as the New Leader

PAPERS COMMENT

Hindenburg Talks Over Situation With Heads of Reichstag Parties

LONDON, Dec. 18.—British newspapers today viewed the overthrow of the Marx cabinet in Germany as an important crisis in a struggle between supporters of the republic and of the old monarchist regime. The Chronicle says the real issue in the present political upset is broadly "democracy versus militarism," and adds that it is hopeful that militarism will not be victorious.

The Times declares that the crisis is no ordinary one as it raises the fundamental question of who governs Germany. "The Reichstag debate," the paper says, "has put the question of the regime and its connection with the army into the foreground."

"The Nationalists, recognizing this, have taken up the challenge and joined the Socialists in overthrowing the government, so it may be made clear who really governs Germany—genuine republicans or groups who are working for political and military restoration."

ANOTHER VIEW. The Post declares that the defeat of the government has placed the whole foreign policy of Germany in doubt. "Whether or not what has commonly been described as the Locarno spirit, will continue to prevail is still to be discovered," the paper says.

French commentators follow their usual line in dealing with the cabinet crisis. L'Ere Nouvelle, organ of the Left, says it is pleased Germany will cry a halt to those leading her toward "transactions of deliverance."

"Perthuis" in the Echo De Paris, concludes that Germany's two dominating forces, bureaucracy and the army, are working ceaselessly to wash out the world of states until the hollow "all rest is only the confusion of small interests in superficial imitation of the political ideas and customs of western Europe."

BERLIN, Dec. 18.—Indications are that the cabinet of Chancellor Marx which resigned yesterday after a defeat in the Reichstag, will continue in office until January 19, and many members left the capital to be with their families for Christmas. Former Chancellor Hans Luthers, who is now returning to America, is mentioned most frequently by the rightists as the successor.

President Von Hindenburg this morning received successively the chairman of the People's Party, the Socialists, the Centreists and the German Nationalists. The discussions were officially described as "merely informative."

The Weather

SYNOPSIS—A pronounced area of high pressure is centered over the Great Lakes and decidedly cold weather prevails over Ontario and Quebec. It has continued cold in Manitoba and comparatively mild in Alberta. Light snow has fallen in the Maritime Provinces. Decidedly Cold. MARITIME: Strong winds or moderate gales from northwest; cloudy and much colder with local snowfalls or flurries. Sunday, northwest to west winds, fair and decidedly cold. NEW ENGLAND: Fair, continued cold tonight; Sunday, increasing cloudiness; not so cold; fresh north winds. Temperatures. TORONTO, Dec. 18, 1935. Highest during day. Lowest during night. 8 a.m. 24 22. Kamsloops 24 22. Calgary 14 26 12. Edmonton 4 20 4. Winnipeg 2 4 6. Toronto 13 18 7. Montreal 14 22 4. Saint John 10 24 16. Halifax 25 19 2. Below zero.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Xmas tree lights, \$1.39. Energy Supply Co., Ltd., 44-46 Dock St. 12-25
Pyrex oven ware 20 per cent off. Duval's, Waterloo street. 12-20
Do your Christmas shopping here. Our store is packed with Xmas cheer. To help you out we'll do our part; Shop right here—the store with a heart. Harts, 14 Charlotte street. 12-19

Best 50c dinner in town at the Lansdowne House, 40 King Square. 12-19
BARGAINS AT 2 BARKERS
If you want real bargains in lined Christmas tree ornaments, dolls, toys, games, Christmas groceries and confectionery, call at 2 Barkers, 100 Princess street.
ELECTRIC TABLE LAMPS.
We are selling out our stock of table lamps, \$30.00 values, your choice \$15.00. While they last. Jones Electric Co., 16 Charlotte street. 12-19
Percy H. Steeves, B. C. L., graduate of U. N. B. Law School at Saint John has opened an office in Edmundston, N. B.
JUST RECEIVED.
Snappy silk hats, bright colors. Just the thing for Christmas. Felt and velvet hats greatly reduced. Ideal Millinery, German street. 12-18
McMillan's open this evening and every evening until Christmas. 12-21

Sixty Cents Sends A Personal Greeting To The British Isles
The Canadian Pacific Telegraph have inaugurated a special Xmas and New Year greeting cablegram to the British Isles at the rate of sixty cents for ten words. They are also offering another class of service consisting of specially prepared greetings for one dollar. Cablegrams for delivery Xmas will be accepted until midnight, December 21st and for New Year not later than December 29th. Further particulars may be obtained by enquiring at main office, 40-42 King street, or call M.286. 12-21
Hankies and ties, gloves galore—You'll find a variety at our store. Sox and Shirts and any kind of sweat-shirt at Harts—you can't do better. Harts, 14 Charlotte street. 12-19

Christmas Rink, ice perfect, band tonight.
CHRISTMAS SALE
Covered Delivery sleds, Dump-sleds, Pungs, cheap. Edgewood's, City Road. 12-24
GIFTS FOR MAILING.
Daintily hand worked Swiss and Irish linen handkerchiefs, in beautiful designs and colors. Hawkers, Prince Wm. street. 12-19
ARE YOU WITH US?
We certainly are prepared for this Christmas with a large assortment of Christmas gifts at very low prices. M. Syers, 685 Main Street.
BARNES & CO. OPEN EVENINGS
The store of Barnes & Co., Ltd., Prince William street, will be open tonight and every night until Christmas.
Double coupons at Louis Green's Cigar Store this Friday and Saturday.
Do you know that you can get the ten best gifts in our store for \$1.50 and please that many kiddies coming from you. F. W. Woolworth Co., Ltd. 12-25

Fathers, mothers and children buy your Xmas gifts here. Look at our window display. Anything you don't see, ask for. Sizes, prices and service right. M. Syers.
ANNOUNCEMENT
The New Brunswick Power Company wish to announce that their showrooms will be open to the public tonight and every night during Christmas week. New Brunswick Power Company.
DAD'S PRESENT.
We have a complete toilet shaving set, shaving brush, shaving cream, talcum and face cream for \$2.50, in gift package. Hawkers, Prince Wm. street. 12-19
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Another \$1.00 Special FOR SATURDAY
Owing to the popularity of our last week's special, we are making another one this week, with even more variety and better values than before. As a good number of articles are one only, it will pay to shop early.
See our large window display.
O. H. WARWICK CO., LTD.
78-80-82 KING STREET

Nicer Marcel
50c gets here smarter and longer lasting Marcel Waves. N. McGRATH Imperial Theatre Suite.
The Salvation Army Industrial Department
36 511 JAMES STREET
We collect waste newspapers, magazines, cast-off clothing, discarded furniture, etc. Phone Main 1661 and our truck will call.

HER HAPPIEST CHRISTMAS
There is nothing you can give a woman that is so "PERSONAL" as the one thing that will lighten her burden the whole year 'round. And that one thing is the HOOSIER KITCHEN CABINET.
It works for her and with her every day of the year, easing the strain of her house work, shortening the time she must spend in the kitchen, turning drudgery into happiness.
Through all the years it will minister to the health and happiness of the woman who means more to you than all the world. It will save her miles of useless steps every day. The famous Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet will be delivered to your home on easy terms. Come in and see them.
AMLAND BROS., LTD., 19 Waterloo Street

CHRISTMAS IS NEAR
HAVE A GOOD COOK STOVE IN YOUR HOME TO DO YOUR BAKING
COOK STOVES SOLD OR EXCHANGED
At The Cheapest Price in The City
GIVE US A CALL
Cheapest and Largest Second Hand Store in The City
EAST END STOVE HOSPITAL
N. D. SKINNER, Proprietor
257-259 CITY ROAD
THIEF CHARGE DISMISSED.
FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 19.—A boy, aged 15 years, belonging to Fredericton, was arrested Friday night on charges of stealing a horse, the property of Robert Grievies. The boy arrived here driving the horse, attached to a sleigh, but was surprised when told that he was charged with theft. This morning Police Magistrate Limerick ordered the boy released from custody upon hearing an explanation of the circumstances.
TO APPEAR TODAY
LOS ANGELES, Calif., Dec. 18.—The Examiner, in a copyrighted story, says Kenneth G. Ormiston, will-o-wisp radio man in the Almer McPherson case, is in the custody of Ben Cohn, chief of the district attorney's detectives and reiterates that he will appear for arraignment some time today.
TRAVELS LONG WAY.
SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., Dec. 18.—A remarkable incident is reported today—the case of a child at Houston, Texas, who addressed a letter to Santa Claus to Northland, Ont. and the epistle through the efficiency of the Amtrak and Canadian postal employees reached Northland on the Algoma Central Railway 24 miles north of the Soo.
TURKEY COMES HIGH
FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 18.—In the last week-end market before Christmas here today turkey was selling at 70 and 75 cents per pound. Other lines of poultry also were stiff in price.

Give Furniture It Stays With You
Spinet Desk
Tea Cart
Easy Chairs
Smoker Stands
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Sewing Cabinet
Kroehler Suite \$200
Walnut \$40.90
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When you choose Jewelry you give brilliantly—a Gift of lifelong happiness. You'll enjoy shopping at Ferguson & Page, the service is so helpful and so many smart things to see. Among Gifts for Ladies are the following:
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THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, SAINT JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1926

GIFTS PRESENTED TO PASTOR AND WIFE

Tabernacle Baptist Members Call on Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tedford

Rev. A. L. and Mrs. Tedford were very agreeably surprised last evening when about 80 members of the Tabernacle Baptist church and congregation called at their home and announced that they had come to spend the evening and extend Christmas wishes. On behalf of the company, Deacon A. H. Patterson presented to Mr. and Mrs. Tedford a beautiful china set and outfit of stainless steel knives and silver spoons.

WILL CO-OPERATE

At the monthly meeting of the Saint John Trades and Labor Council, held last evening in their hall, Union street, the matter of a community chest to co-operate in this matter. A committee was appointed to attend the general meeting of organizations at which the question of a survey will be taken up.

BACK FROM CAMPS

Loggers Due to Commence Yarding After Christmas

Special to The Times-Star
FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 18.—The exodus of men from the logging camps in New Brunswick will begin this week-end and will be in full force next week. The custom for some years has been to leave the woods for the Christmas season. Retail trade in many centres is benefited by the return of the men. Conditions for yarding are now excellent in all sections of the province, due to snow and cold weather. Yarding will begin in January.

Bodily Voted, 19 to 14, On Lloyd George Offer

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Acceptance of the income from Lloyd George's election fund by the organizing committee of the Liberal party is taken to mean that the former premier has captured control of the party machine. There is much concern among the party members, however, and no present sign of real harmony. The committee voted acceptance, 19 to 14, of the offer of the income from the fund, which is being represented by the strength of the adherents of Viscount Grey, who has been mentioned as head of the Asquith section of the party, and since the retirement of Lord Oxford and Asquith. "We call this unity," says the Liberal Star, commenting on the committee's action, "but it is not even near unity. We must do better than this before we can even pretend that the Liberal party is an homogeneous whole."

WORD IS SENT HERE

The city detective department has been notified of the disappearance of Warren LeVigne, Bathurst war veteran, who has been missing since Dec. 2. He is a married man with three children, about 35 years of age and has an excellent work record to his credit. A sharp look out is being kept by the local force.

COLD AT CAPITAL

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 18.—A minimum temperature of five degrees above zero was recorded at the Dominion Experimental Station here last night. Dampness in the air made the cold seem much greater. Today the temperature is low.

HAPPINESS IS SOMETIMES FOUND WHERE THE AVERAGE MAN GOES TO SEEK IT.

CORNER BEEF AND CABBAGE

Western Corned Beef 12c. lb.
Cabbage, Carrots, Turnips, Parsnips, Squash
City Club Ginger Ale.
6 Bottles in Carton 90c.
30c. returned for bottles and carton
H. B. McAFEE,
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516 Main St. Phone M. 2913
229 Charlotte St. Phone M. 5101
20 lb Pail Pure Lard . . . \$3.60
20 lb Pails Shortening . . . \$2.90
24 lb Bags Flour (all kinds) . . . \$1.15
98 lb Bags Flour . . . \$4.35
2 lbs Seedless Raisins . . . 25c
2 lbs Muscat Raisins . . . 25c
3 lbs Bulk Dates . . . 25c
2 Cans Peas . . . 23c
9 lbs Onions . . . 25c
New Mince Meat, lb . . . 15c
Sweet Florida Oranges, doz . . . 33c

THE CLOTHING TRADE

We are well stocked in fine Blue Cheincoats
OVERCOATS
Various prices.
Merchant Tailors quoted
Special prices in these materials by the yard.
CLAYTON AND SONS
HALIFAX

Deaths and Births Equal in Number

Deaths in the city for the last week numbered 19, births 19 and marriages 6. The causes given for death were as follows: Myocarditis, four; pneumonia, three; senility, inanition, anemia, intussusception, premature birth, broncho-pneumonia, cerebral haemorrhage, perforated appendix, intestinal obstruction, chronic suppurative cellulitis and mixed staphylococcal infection of the throat.

PLANS FOR NORTHLAND

S. S. Northland undergoing repairs at the dry dock is expected to be ready to sail, in four or five days, for Cuba. She will maintain a passenger service between Havana and Nassau. She will probably take some cargo and a few passengers from here. McClean, Kennedy, Ltd., are the local agents for the ship.

Y. P. S. MEETS

The Young People's Society of Portland United Church met last evening in the school room. Miss Annie Hartshorne was in the chair. Devotional exercises were in charge of Miss Bessie Hill and Miss Mary Kirk had charge of the program. Pleasing solos were sung by Miss Cora Carter and Miss Elsie Spence, and benediction was given.

AWAY TO JOIN SHIP

Dr. J. M. Cruikshank, medical officer of the S. S. Canadian Fisher, who has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Cruikshank, 12 Olive street, West Saint John, left last evening for Halifax. He will join his ship at that port and will sail for the British West Indies tonight.

A man I hate is Herbert Pyle; He always wears a patent smile.

The Best Cough Syrup is Home-made

Here's an easy way to save \$2, and get the best cough medicine you ever tried.

You've probably heard of this famous home-made cough syrup. But have you ever used it? Thousands of families feel that they could hardly keep house without it. It's sweet and chunky, but the way it takes hold of a cough will soon earn it a permanent place in your home.

Into a 16-oz. bottle, pour 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex; then add plain granulated sugar syrup to fill up the bottle. Or, if desired, use clarified honey instead of sugar syrup. Either way, it tastes good, never spoils, and gives you 16 ounces of better cough remedy than you could buy ready-made for \$2.00.

PINEX for Coughs

Fought Blaze in 30 Degrees Below Zero

SASKATOON, Dec. 17.—Every fireman in the city was called out late yesterday to fight in 30 below zero, the most spectacular fire ever seen in Saskatoon, which completely destroyed two warehouses in the Canadian National Railway yards. The loss of property stored in the buildings has been estimated at more than \$50,000, while the value of the buildings, owing to the absence of the owner, is unknown.

Alberta, Canada, university students raised a fund of \$20,000 themselves to build a skating and hockey rink on the campus.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

What Could Be a More Pleasant Surprise on Xmas

Our line of Bulk Candles and Christmas Novelties is now complete, including Hand Made Xmas Mixtures, 25c. lb.; Hand Made Berley Toys, 25c. lb.; Candy Cakes, 30c. lb.; Chicken Bones, Butter Puffs, Butter Cups, Cut Rock Mixtures, Coconut Gems, Hand Dipped Creams and numerous other lines.

Moirs, Rowntrees, Dorothy Kington, Ganongs, Robertson's, etc.

All Done up in Fancy Christmas Packages Prices Ranging from 10c. to \$2.00.

Small, Medium and Large Cedar Chests Filled With Chocolates

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Moirs XXX assorted in 5 lb. boxes, \$3.25; Ganong's extra assorted, \$3.25; Dorothy Kington, extra assorted, \$3.25. Also a splendid assorted chocolate at \$1.75 per 5 lb. box.

We have a splendid Christmas Box of Chocolates, Creams, Jellies and Caramels at \$1.50 per 5 lb. box. This is a real good family box. Our stock of Christmas Novelties, Pascals Parlor Stores, Chocolate Belts, Candy Vegetables and numerous other lines are good for Christmas Tree, Stockings, or Table. Fire Crackers 25c. 50c. 75c. a box. Christmas Stockings from 5c. to \$2.00.

We have a full line of Fruit to suit every taste and pocket. Sun-dried Seedless Oranges from 25c. to 90c. dozen. Florida Oranges, Malagar Grapes, Red Emperor Grapes, Florida Grapefruit, Japanese Oranges, Wineap Apples, Current Raisins, Figs, Dates, Shelled Walnuts, Shelled Almonds, New Mixed Nuts, New Filberts, Walnuts Brazil, Almonds.

We will deliver your order to any part of the city. Just phone M. 5284. Leave us your order, we will do the rest.

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Opposite Simonds St. Opposite Palace Theatre
Where You Get The Most of The Best For The Least

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FROM OUR FRESH CHRISTMAS SPECIALS
Fancy Boxes of the Finest
Moir's, Dorothy Kington, Ganong's, Rowntrees

Half Pounds Moir's, D. K., Ganong's, Robertson's, etc. 35c., 40c., 45c., 50c.

Two Pounds All best makes \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 Pounds, 75c., 80c., \$1

5-lb. Boxes Moir's, \$2.75, \$3.25 Ganong's, \$2.98 Dorothy Kington, \$3.25 Special for \$1.75

Gift Boxes \$1.25, \$2, \$2.20, \$2.75, \$3 to \$5 Baskets \$4.50 Cedar Chests \$6, \$7

Purest Hard Mixture 19c. pound—5 lb., 89c.

Christmas Kisses 25c. lb.—5 lb., \$1

Mixed Nuts Filberts, Walnuts, Almonds, Brazil, 25c. lb.—5 lb., \$1

FOR THE CHRISTMAS TREE AND TO FILL THE STOCKINGS

12 Chocolate Toys in a box for 60c. Clocks, Lamps, Birds, Clubs, etc.)

Chocolate Bananas 5c. bunch of 4
Chocolate Animals 10c., 6 for 50c.
Cigars 10c. Watches 10c. Trees 10c.
Engine 75c. Policeman 45c. Pistols 25c.
Painting Sets 25c. Candy Stores 50c.
Candy Canes 35c. lb. \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50

Gum—6 in box, 25c. Tree Boxes, 10c., 15c., 25c. Jelly Gums, 29c. lb.

WASSONS 2 STORES

9 Sydney Street 715 Main Street
GET YOUR FREE CHRISTMAS CHECKS

AT CARLETON'S

Men's All Wool Shirts and Drawers \$1.50 ea.
Men's Special Fleece Shirts and Drawers \$1.00 ea.
Real Value in Men's Top Shirts from \$1.00 to \$1.75 ea.
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Store Hours 8.30 to 6 P. M.—Saturday 10 P. M.

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REWARD in GOLD

To the largest Sausage coupon holder I will give \$5.00 in gold on January 21st, 1927. Beginning Dec. 20th, 1926, to Jan. 20th, 1927 look for the coupon in each package of Taylor's Sausages. Save them, and on Jan. 21st, 1927, bring them to my office, 220 Bridge street, and get your reward, for you may be the largest coupon holder. Always insist upon getting Dunn's Dry Irish Sugar Cured Hams and Bacon for top quality and flavor. G. B. TAYLOR

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Our whole stock must be sold—STORE TO LET. Hundreds of Dolls at half price. Mamma Dolls, Baby Edie Dolls, Jointed Dolls, Kid Dolls—get our prices before they buy.

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10c. Toys reduced to 5c.
15c. and 20c. Toys reduced to 10c.
25c. Toys reduced to 15c.
50c. Mechanical Toys 25c. and 35c.
Trains on Track 45c.
\$1.50 Trains reduced to 75c.
\$1.75 Trains reduced to 95c.
\$2.75 Trains reduced to 1.75
Child's Toy Dish—10c., 15c., 25c., 40c., 60c., 85c. to \$1.50, all reduced
\$2.00 Pianos 15c.
\$5c. Horses and Carts 15c.
75c. Tool Sets 35c.
\$1.00 Tool Sets 50c.
Toy Horses—5c., 10c., 15c., 25c. to \$1.10 each
Toy Stables—10c., 15c., 50c., 75c. to \$1.10 each—all reduced

ARNOLD'S Dept. Store

157-159 Prince Edward Street 12-19

ROBERTSON'S

Orange and Lemon Peel, lb. 25c.
Citron Peel, lb. 50c.
11 oz. pkg. Seedless Raisins 11c.
15 oz. pkg. Seedless Raisins 14c.
2 pkgs. Cleaned Currants (1 lb. size) 27c.
2 lbs. New Mince Meat 28c.
2 lbs. New Dates 25c.
Almond Meal, lb. 25c.
3 Bottles Lemon or Vanilla 23c.
2 oz. Bottle Clark's Lemon or Vanilla 25c.
Creamery Butter (2 lb. flats), lb. 42c.
1 lb. Block Pure Lard 52c.
2 lbs. Choice Onions 23c.
3 Boxes Matches (400 count) 25c.
5 Bags Table Salt 25c.
98 lb. Bag Robin Hood or Cream of West Flour 44.35
24 lb. Bags 115.10
100 lb. Bag Lantic Fine Granulated Sugar 7.00
14 lbs. Lantic Fine Granulated Sugar 1.00
3 lbs. Pulverized Sugar 27c.
Peas, Corn and Tomatoes 2 for 25c.
15 lbs. String Beans 25c.
California Peaches and Pears, tin 25c.
Sliced or Crushed Pineapple, tin 25c.
Cranberry Sauce, only 30c. lb.
Good 4 String Beans 33c.
35 oz. Bottle Sweet Pickles 49c.
35 oz. Bottle Sour Mixed Pickles 49c.
4 lb. Tin Apple and Strawberry Jam 39c.
Small Picnic Hams, lb. 20c.

ROBERTSON'S

654 Main St. Phone M. 3461
Cor. Waterloo and Golding St.
Phone M. 3457

THE 2 BARKERS, LTD.

100 Princess St. Phone M. 642
65 Prince Edw. Phone M. 1630
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Best New Mixed Nuts 21c. per lb.
Brazil Nuts 16c. per lb.
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Walnuts 21c. per lb.
Almond Nuts 22c. per lb.

CONFECTIONERY

Dark Mixed Candy, only 16c. lb.
Choice Hard Mixed Candy 15c. lb.
Barker's Cut Mixed Candy 23c. lb.
Xmas Mixture only 19c. lb.
Peanut Butter 23c. lb.
Peanut Taffie 23c. lb.
Candy Cakes 25c. lb.
Hand Made Bakery Toys only 21c. lb.
Assorted Kisses 30c. lb.
5 lb. Box Assorted Chocolates 1.35
5 lb. Box Family Mixture 1.35
5 lb. Box Leader Chocolates 50c.
1/2 lb. Box Leader Chocolates 25c.
Regular 50c. Ass. Chocolates 35c. lb.
Regular 80c. Ass. Chocolates 50c. lb.
Snowflake Coconut Candy 25c. lb.
Chocolates Fudge, only 30c. lb.
Best Bon Bon Mixture 30c. lb.
Also a variety of other candies at Low Prices.

SHELLED WALNUTS

Shelled Walnuts 55c. and 60c. lb.
Shelled Peanuts 30c. lb.
Shelled Almonds 22c. lb.

PEELS

Lemon and Orange peel per lb. 25c.
Citron peel per lb. 49c.

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Good Bulk Tea 45c. lb.
Special Blend Tea 25c. lb.
Pure Ceylon Tea 55c. lb.
Barker's Blend Tea 60c. lb.
Dolls' Blend Tea 65c. lb.

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Dolls 10c. up
Regular 25c. Toys for 15c.
Regular 50c. Toys for 35c.
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Regular \$1.00 Toys for 60c. to 75c.
Regular \$1.25 to \$1.50 Toys for \$1.00.
Reg. \$2 to \$3 from \$1.50 to \$2.00.
Regular 50c. Paperies for 25c.
Large Assortment reg. 75c. to \$1.75.
Sound Books, your choice at 45c.
Christmas Stockings 10c., 15c., 30c.
Large variety Games from 10c. up
Children's Books from 5c. up
Dolls' Dress Beds from 25c. up
Drems from 15c. up
A few Extra Fine French Ivory and Pearl Manicure Sets at less than half price.
Children's Dishes 15c. and up
Reg. 15c. Card Tinsel, 6 vds. only 10c.
Reg. 25c. Card Tinsel, 6 vds. only 15c.
Xmas Ribbon and Artificial Snow at half price.
Come to Barker's TOY DEPARTMENT for Bargains. You will save money by purchasing your Xmas Candy and Groceries at the 2 Barkers Ltd. Orders delivered.
Good Apples, per bbl from \$1.25 up. Get our Xmas price list for other bargains.

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At The
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Music and laughter and gaiety everywhere for this New Year's Eve. Twelve o'clock—zero hour. A pause and the New Year of 1927 has swept in, noisily heralded by hundreds of tooting horns. The Admiral Beatty will be the centre of it all, the vortex of the merry throng.

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GETTING TOGETHER

THERE was much significance in the conference between representative farmers and leading business men of the city in the Board of Trade yesterday. It was the beginning of a movement which deserves the very hearty support of the business men of Saint John.

BAXTER'S LUCK

AT the last session of the New Brunswick legislature, the Premier, Hon. Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, painted a gloomy picture of the financial prospects of the province for the coming year.

Now comes the statement from Frederickton that the province is to benefit by more than \$200,000 from inheritance tax on the property of the late Lady Strathcona situated in this part of the country.

A FRIENDLY CRITIC

DISCUSSING the report of the Duncan Commission, the Calgary Herald thinks it possible that a twenty per cent. cut in freight rates applied to the Maritimes "may have reactions in other parts of the Dominion."

"In general this may be said, that the remainder of Canada is in sympathy with the Maritimes' effort to escape from difficulties created by geographical and historical conditions."

ENGAGING CANDOR

IN the correspondence column of the New York World there appeared recently a letter signed "(Miss) P. Chattahoochee Fink, Secretary, International Dry Travel League."

"It was only the other day that I asked a prominent government official whom I happened to meet one evening in the home of a dear friend why he went to Europe and back this summer on an English vessel instead of sailing under the glorious Star Spangled Banner which paid him his salary, and he told me that it was on account of the milk he was getting on a milk diet, or partly so, by doctor's orders."

produce milk more rapidly on the water than on land. It seemed strange to me that the foreign ships should do this and the Americans not, until I was told by a sailor whom I made inquiries that it was because several of the sailors on the American ships had been hooked by the cows, so they thought it best to get rid of them to avoid accidents.

The cities of the Western Provinces are confronted every winter with an unemployment problem. In addition to a slowing up in some other seasonal occupations there is a drift into the city of men from the harvest fields.

The Manitoba Free Press says: "Dimes in his coat, dimes in his pockets and even dimes in his food have caused a Leavenworth man, name withheld by postal authorities, to call for help."

The late Mr. John R. Vaughan had been so long a familiar figure in King street that his passing brings a sense of loss to the older folk who frequent that business thoroughfare.

The streets of Saint John are dangerous to life and limb. Because the sidewalks were not cleaned after the big storm they are now a combination of hog-backs and glare ice, with today a deceptive covering of light snow.

We are told that the people of the Republic of Colombia desire the establishment of direct steamship lines to Saint John and Halifax.

The example of the Royal Family is always one that may advantageously be taken as a pattern by His Majesty's loyal subjects and particularly worthy of emulation is the decree that the ingredients of the Royal Christmas dinner shall consist entirely of Empire food products.

Other Views

THE PRESS AS A MODERN FORCE. (La Presse) IN his address before the Advertising Club of Hamilton, Ald. T. G. Morgan described in a very excellent manner the important part that the newspaper plays in modern life.

MOST of our evils are curable. We make the "woodlands glad or mad." We are finding out that the personal equation is the bisecting line and co-efficient of all our reckonings.

GOOD TEETH V. FINE MANNERS. (Kitchener Record) IF we would just forget that we are perfect gentlemen and gentlemen, and crunch our food loudly and with vigor at our dining tables, our teeth would last years longer and give less wear while we have them.

IMPOSSIBLE DREAM. (Portland Oregonian) THOUGH English has been chosen as the language of the Tokyo conference, Esperantists profess to be encouraged by the fact that their lingua was also considered.

News and Views From The British Capital

LONDON, December 2, 1926.—It has not escaped the eagle eyes of the lobbyist at the House of Commons that Mr. Lloyd George has lately carried round with him a fairly capacious cardboard satchel.

We have been assured that soldiers are the only true judges of a soldier. If the same applies to journalists, it seems to us with even greater veracity, than Mr. C. P. Scott, the splendid veteran who for so many years has controlled the Manchester Guardian sans peur et sans reproche, ranks unique among great editors of today.

For several seasons Mount Vesuvius, once more at its old tricks is the most famous though by no means the most formidable, of volcanoes.

The end of the flat racing season and the advent of the National Hunt are, I hear, causing the racing mania among Londoners some concern.

Attendance at Race Meetings. The end of the flat racing season and the advent of the National Hunt are, I hear, causing the racing mania among Londoners some concern.

Record Breaking Monster

THE next ideal at which racing motorists are aiming, says a London letter, is the production of a car which will cover three miles in a second.

Massey In Washington

ONE finds millions of Canadians in the United States and a great many Americans in Canada. We are related by marriage, by social contacts and by the strongest kind of business ties.

Preparing For Peace

A DISARMAMENT conference is not to be held during 1927. The nations evidently want to arm themselves during the early winter to arrange a peace footing.

Queer Quirks of Nature

YOU may have seen some hapless fly or bee stark and dead upon pale purple clusters of the milkweed blossoms, and probably have believed most of the rest of the world, that the milkweed's nectar is poison.



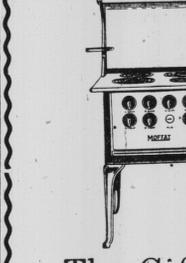
Fly Caught in Milkweed

The milkweed is interesting, though the farmer holds it in high contempt. Its seed lightly floats almost incredible distances upon the bursting of the pod.

The flower attracts to itself the insects upon which it depends for continuation, and forces them to perform the office of pollination.

Foley's Prepared Fireclay

FOR LINING YOUR OWN STOVE. Sold by Hardware Dealers



The Gift that Does the Most Good, Pays For Itself, Comes On Easy Terms. The Moffat Is Better By Far. OUR OWN HYDRO OPEN EVENINGS, CANTERBURY ST.

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Poems I Love

"To the Terrestrial Globe," by W. S. Gilbert. Roll on! Roll on! Through pathless realms of space Roll on!

Elizabeth, aged six, went to visit her grandmother in the country for the first time. To her amazement grandma took off her hair and laid it on the bureau.

Open evenings until Xmas. are always welcome. Make all the home folks happy with things Electrical.

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For Kiddies— Pretty bright colored Rubber and Oil Raincoats. Colored Rubber Hats. For Growing Boys— Strong, sturdy Rubber Coats, Hats and Boots.

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ESTEY & CO., Ltd.-49 Dock St.

Specially wrapped for Xmas PEG TOP 5c Always the Best Never Equalled For 40 Years

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DOLLIES AND GIRLIES Go together for wherever little lassies gather at Christmas time, there will one find also a collection of Dolls, for it's the most important item in every little girl's Christmas.

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SCOUTS DUTY TO BE USEFUL EMPHASIZED

Third Scout Law Subject of This Week's Talk

REQUIREMENTS FOR ANOTHER BADGE

Success Attends Toy Repair Shop—Weekly Reports of Troops

Today's Boy Scout talk is on the third scout law, "A Scout's duty is to be useful and to help others. It follows:

"A Scout is to do his duty before anything else, even though he gives up his own pleasure, or comfort or safety to do it. When in difficulty to know which of two things to do, he must ask himself, 'Which is my duty?' that is, 'Which is best for other people?'

"The heroes of every nation from ancient times to our own day have been those who have sacrificed themselves for others. The highest of all forms of happiness is found in helpfulness to others and Scouts who are living up to the third Scout law know that this is true. They have proved it by experience.

"The motto of the Scout Movement is 'Be Prepared', which means that you are always in a state of readiness, both in mind and body, to do your duty. Readiness in mind is having the willingness to do your part and by having thought out beforehand the accidents or other emergencies that may arise so that you may know the right thing to do; readiness in body by making yourself strong and alert and able to act whenever an emergency occurs.

"It does not matter, as Roland Phillips has written in his admirable little volume of letters to a patrol leader on the Scout law, whether the goal turns out to be a big one or a small one, whether it takes a long time or a short time, whether it is difficult or whether it is easy. The only thing that matters is that the Scout is ready to do it with a spirit of sacrifice and of service, and that he goes about the world more cheerful because he knows that a Scout's duty is to be useful and to help others."

"After all, happiness is found chiefly in the gentle smiles, the little kindnesses of thought and word of those about us. It has been said, 'Two lives are made by the life of one who is kind and good, then our whole existence will be full of harmony and sweetness. Learn to think of others before thinking of yourself and you will find friends enough, and of the best.'"

BADGE REQUIREMENTS
Qualifications for Friend to Animals—Proficiency Badge are—1. Have a general knowledge of the habits and principal points of a horse, and of the following—Cattle, sheep, goats, pigs, dogs, cats, poultry. In the case of two selected animals, be able to describe treatment and know how to apply remedies for ordinary wounds, exhaustion, and illness, and be able to show a drench for colic should be given.

TOY REPAIR SHOP
As the Christmas season approaches the troops and packs are looking for their usual Christmas good turns and hope that there will be plenty of them. The Rivers are very busy with their toys and a large staff of the older Scouts are working hard repairing the toys for distribution at Christmas time.

CONCILIATION BODY FINISHES HEARINGS
Working Conditions Issue in Controversy Remains to be Aired
The team of J. Drury & Son is doing excellent work on the collecting and the services of the team is much appreciated. Those in charge of the Repair Shop are highly pleased with the response of the people and feel that it will be a success. The flowers are experimenting on this idea and feel that next year they will be able to do the work more extensively.

NO. 15 PORTLAND UNITED
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CANT SUPPRESS 'EM
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Commencing Today Sale of Children's Winter Coats All Greatly Reduced

Cloths are Velva, Polo and Tweeds. Many have fur collar and cuffs. Sizes 2 to 14 years. Prices from \$3.50 to \$10.95 (Children's Dept.—Second Floor.)

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Past Chancellors Association Addressed by Fletcher Peacock in Start of Series

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Mr. Peacock dealt with the various subjects which are taken up under vocational training, explaining the course taught. His address was followed with great attention and was most appreciated. E. M. Smith, president of the association, was chairman, and extended to Mr. Peacock the hearty thanks of the members. It was a supper gathering, and an excellent repast was served. The address last night was the first of a series to be given during the coming season by prominent speakers. At the next meeting Hon. Dr. Walter Powers and Hynd Development in New Brunswick.

COUP IS ENDED
LONDON, Dec. 18.—The crisis caused yesterday by the military coup d'etat directed by General Smetona, has come to an end, says a message received today from Kovno by the Lithuanian legation. The message stated that President Grinius, after accepting the resignation of the Szezevicius cabinet, resumed his normal duties at Kovno. He has appointed Prof. Valdenaras, premier and minister of foreign affairs, and other nationalists as members of the new cabinet.

Dorothy Dix

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A WOMAN writes asking for a reliable recipe for managing a man with a contrary disposition. Her husband, she says, admits that he is of a peculiar temperament, but she would have no trouble in getting along with him if she only knew the right way to treat him.



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SO FAR the lady has not been able to find the key that unlocks the good nature and generosity of her husband, and so she seeks advice from other women who have been up against the same sort of proposition.

OF COURSE, one would like to say that the best way to treat a contrary man is to bat him over the head with a coffee pot, but unfortunately women lack the physical strength to enforce such an argument against contrariness, besides, which our effete civilization discourages such wholesome means of family discipline.

ALL that is left, then, for the woman who is married to a man with a mulish disposition is to treat him as she would any other donkey who hasn't sense enough to do what is right and proper because it is right and proper, and who has to be cajoled along the way he should go.

THE discouraging thing about contrariness is that it is an outward and visible sign of lack of brains. And that is an incurable malady. A man or woman of intelligence can always be cured of a fault. He or she may be enlightened, broadened or raised up to higher levels, but a fool is hopeless. You can never do anything with him or her and it is useless to try. You only bruise yourself by beating up against a stone wall of narrowness and prejudice that never gives an inch.

THEREFORE, if you find out that a man or woman is contrary by nature, turn and flee from them if you would save your happiness, though you be at the very steps of the altar. But if you make your discovery later, if you have taken a donkey for better or worse, make the best of it by learning how to circumvent his or her peculiarity. In doing this, the first thing to remember is always to let this silly fool think that he has suggested everything that you want to do.

IF YOU want to have the parlor papered in green instead of purple, don't rashly say that you are going to have green or your donkey will put his foot down and declare for purple. On the contrary, gently and insidiously suggest the idea of green paper, and when you perceive that the time is right, ask him what color he would prefer to have the parlor paper and he will say green and berate you for not having thought of it yourself before.

IN THE next place, remember that the law of contrariness always works backward, so that you can work a mulish husband by it. Never show that you are keen to do anything or go any place that you have set your heart on, but affect a supreme indifference to it. If you have determined on spending the summer at the shore, send off a lot of advertisements of mountain resorts. Mr. Mule will immediately be filled with a mad enthusiasm for the sea and refuse to consider anything else and to the seashore you will go, just to show who is boss in his family.

AVOID all arguments as you would the pestilence. An argument with a contrary man is like a mordant that sets a eye and makes it indelible.

IF HE says black is white, let it go at that and he may forget what opinion he expressed and recognize white for the color of it. But if he once commits himself that black is white, he will stick to it, to the end of time.

A WISE man changes his opinion with a different light that he gets on the subject, but a donkey, having no mind to change, can't possibly alter it.

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OF COURSE, the less sense a man has, the more amenable to flattery and the easier he is to work, so there is nothing for the woman who is married to a contrary man to do but to get busy with the salve and plaster him over, daily, with fulsome compliments.

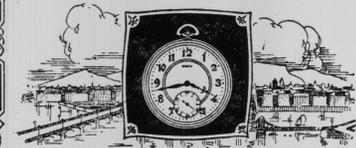
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MEN do not realize it, but there's nothing that disgusts and disillusiones a woman like having to manage her husband. The day she finds out that the man she has married has to be worked and cajoled into doing the thing he should do, her idol topples off its pedestal and shatters into fragments at her feet. This woman who is married to a contrary man must doubtless put up with him, and use what wits and patience Heaven sent her. But let all girls beware of ever journeying to the altar with the man who says, "I'm all right if you know how to manage me."

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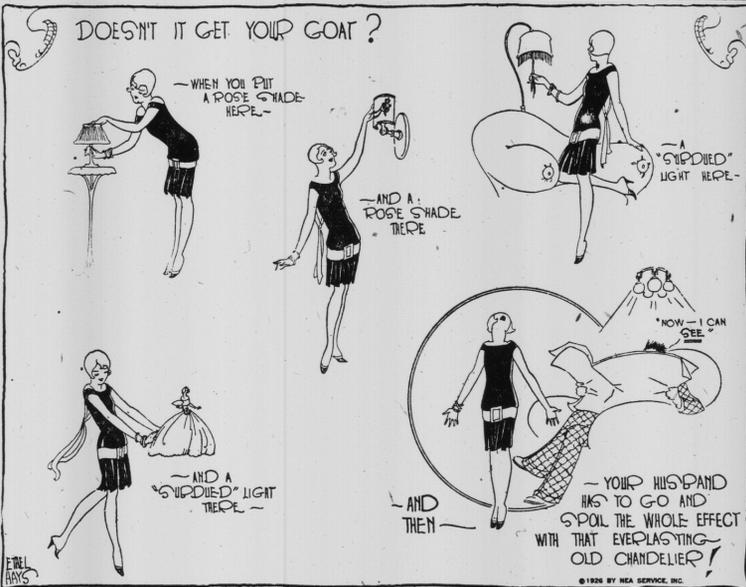
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MENU HINT

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TODAY'S RECIPES

Filet of Haddock Wash and scrape to remove scales, cut in serving pieces, dip in flour and fry in bacon fat.

Original Sauce

Three tablespoons mayonnaise, two tablespoons pepper hash, drained, one tablespoon catsup, one dash of white pepper, mix well.

Tasty Potatoes

One quart raw potatoes, cut in inch dice. Boil in salted water till just done, drain, steam for a moment and turn into a hot serving dish and dress with one-quarter cup cream, one teaspoon minced onion, one teaspoon prepared mustard, mixed together.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaels

Oh, who can say of beauty just what it is or why some glimpses of transient loveliness can soothe and satisfy? Who knows why sunset's glory just drifts into night can ease the ache the day has brought and lend the soul delight? Who knows why sweet notes soaring in swiftly-ceasing song can leave a tender memory to linger all life long? Not I, who follow beauty and worship from afar her hints in every violet, her torch in every star! Not I, who find her glamour in joy of youth and lass, and watch her fading wonder across old faces pass. We glow but shine not the same for any two, yet fills some lack all know.

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Umbrella handles are growing shorter and stockier from month to month. All sorts of amusing carved wooden figures are used to lend distinction to the handle.

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BEHIND THE SCREEN

By GILBERT PICKARD.

"MARRY a professional? Never!" This from Gilda Gray, erstwhile "Queen of Shimmy," now glorifying the South Sea Islands in the movies. Gilda's happily married to Gil Boag, a New York dance hall owner, and she's firmly convinced that marriage doesn't hamper an actress—providing she marries a non-professional.

"Good heavens, imagine being married to an actor and having to play up to him constantly," she exclaims. "When I step off the stage or the movie set I leave Gilda Gray behind and I am myself. Then, too, professional jealousy is apt to creep in and spoil an actor's romance."

Gilda has just finished a 20 weeks' tour of film houses with her picture, "Aloma of the South Sea." She is ready to begin her second film, "Cabaret," a story of night life as it was and is. When she made "Aloma," Miss Gray had neither acting nor screen experience. She is primarily a singer and dancer, although she has never taken a dancing lesson.

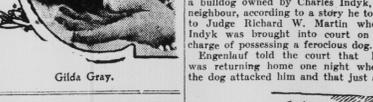
She candidly says: "I don't know anything about acting. I just put my heart into it and was myself. I leave the posing to others because I don't know how to do it. There's one thing I have learned—you can't conceal anything from the camera. It peers way down deep and reveals you as you are."

We neglected to ask whether she was to do her famous South Sea dance, a feature of "Aloma," and past Ziegfeld Follies, in "Cabaret." Probably not, for Gilda's a wise showman and she's not going to give the public a chance to tire of her act.

In "The Vamp of Venice," Connie Talmadge's latest picture, she is an elusive young Venetian crook who swims the famous canals in search of victims.

Little Joe

NOT WATCHING YOUR STEP IS WHAT MAKES YOU FALL DOWN ON THE JOB

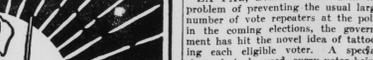


Girl Plays Her Own Life In Stage Role

METUCHEN, N. J., Dec. 17—Charlotte Mills, whose mother was slain in De Russes' Lane four years ago with the Rev. Edward Wheeler Hall of New Brunswick, is going on the stage in a new play based on the famous Hall-Mills case. Charlotte has joined the stock company of the Rialto Theatre and will make her next appearance in two weeks in a play called "Who's Guilty?" It is said that the author of the play leaves the case such a mystery as it is today. On stage, Miss Mills will play the role she has played in real life, daughter of the slain choir singer.

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HEALTH SERVICE

Children Are Careless And Eyes Are Precious

By DR. MORRIS FISHEIN

AMONG the most serious accidents that may occur to a child are those affecting its eyes.

Children are notoriously careless in these matters. The child compelled to unite a knot in a shoe lace may find it necessary to use a scissors, a knife, or a fork.

The child's face is brought close to the shoe; the hand with the knife may slip and injure the eye. Such an injury is practically impossible to heal perfectly.

The air-gun has been responsible for the destruction of the eyes of many children. When a boy is given a jack-knife, he should be told to draw it away from the body and never toward the face.

Home-made swords, spears and sharp sticks make playthings with a

warlike spirit, but the child should be warned that his carelessness may destroy the eyesight and future of some other child.

After an accident do not put anything into the eye, but cover it at once with a large, clean handkerchief and send as soon as possible for a competent physician who has given special attention to eye injuries.

The physician will have to make the decision as to whether or not the injury is so great as to warrant removal of the eyeball or whether there exists a possibility of cure without the occurrence of the secondary inflammation that may affect the other eye.

Some mothers fear the wearing of glasses because breaking of the lenses may injure the child's eyes. According to available records, the number of eyes injured by the breaking of lenses is extremely small.

Officers and men to reconstruct the scene. Gaze through that same window now and see the frantic nighttime crowds—pushing, shoving, rushing, grabbing food and rushing away again to their little coops.

Often I have wondered what the nation's fathers would say could they look upon this spectacle—would they regret that they saved the nation; or would they merely gasp in awe as do others from the quiet places beyond the Manhattan skyline?

GILBERT SWAN.

See-Sawing On Broadway

TRINITY CHURCH, whose crumbling old frame stands dignified and holy sentry duty in the centre of America's money capital, is ever pointed out as one of the glaring incongruities of New York.

No visitor ever walks along Wall Street without being reminded that one of the oldest and quaintest churches in America stands at the head of the field of the modern Mias as a sort of spiritual warning to those who put mammon before all else.

Yet, I doubt if a dozen of those who have sermonized on this circumstance, have ever stopped to read the epitaph that time has all but eaten from the gravestone of one William Bradford, printer, standing in the venerable Trinity churchyard. He had died, I am told, at a very ripe old age and, ere death overtook him, he jotted this verse that seems more incongruous even than the church itself in the light of its location almost at the very intersection of Wall Street:

"Reader, reflect how soon you'll leave this stage!
You find but few attain to such an age.
Life's full of pain. Lo! Here's a place of rest.
Prepare to meet your God, then you are blest!"

Of course you cannot expect that the busy money changers in the Wall Street skyscrapers have ever had time to stop and read—and reflect!

STRANGE it is, too, to consider that in this heart of a present-day commercialism are hidden, and practically unknown to thousands of the bustling agents of business, practically all the important landmarks of New York. Hardly a month passes but some historic relic is erased.

Now and then the puppets of a modern machine age come in direct contact with the atmosphere of American history.

Thus, there are groups of Wall Streeters who lunch daily at France's Tavern, where is preserved the exact atmosphere and flavor of revolutionary days. The menus, alas, sound extremely up-to-date and the prices are equally modern—for one must pay for his atmosphere in New York, as elsewhere.

And there is a doorman in colonial garb, looking for all the world like a movie extra, but who assists the atmosphere if you don't scrutinize his features too closely. The waiters are waiters, but the walls and the rooms and the treasures therein are the same that greeted the eye of George Washington and those myriad others who gathered over their ale and wine cups and beef in those tolling days of the nation.

THE final incongruity comes when one ascends to the room from which Washington said farewell to his

GIRDLES FOR STOUT

The right kind of soft girde correctly placed on the hipline of a dress and perhaps tied with a huge bow at the side will make the figure seem slimmer. But placed too high or too low, it will accentuate the hip curves.

BARBARIC JEWELRY

Barbaric bracelets are in vogue, and may be worn in great numbers. Silver with lapis lazuli, turquoise or jade, is most popular.

HOOPS AND PENDANTS

Earrings in fashion are long pendants, or jeweled hoops. Jade and pearls are still most popular.

SMALL SCARFS

Scarfs are rather small this season, and are knotted under one ear, on the side of the hat which is tilted upwards.

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DANISH KING CARRIES NOTE

Woman Fishmonger Asks His Majesty to Take Message

LONDON, Dec. 18—While King Christian of Denmark was in Stockholm on the occasion of the wedding of his niece, Princess Astrid, he was, the Svemborg Antislidende relates, passing the fish market one morning when he saw in a shop a fine specimen of a pike.

"I want that pike," the King said to the woman in the shop.

"You are a Dane," the woman replied, "and perhaps you know Soren Jensen, shoemaker in Amager."

"Well, I think I have heard his name before," the king replied smiling. (Soren Jensen is a very common name.)

"I thought you would know him," she said; "he is my brother-in-law."

"I shall give him your regards when I return to Copenhagen," the king replied.

"Give him the kindest regards from Amalie Lundstrom, and tell him that Sophy gave birth to twins last week and that John got off all right when he was examined for a soldier. He was not taken on account of being flat-footed."

"With the greatest pleasure," the king said, jotting down some notes on his cuff, "and what is the price of the pike?"

REFUSES PAYMENT

The woman refused payment, wrapped the fish up in a newspaper, and put it under the arm of the King, who smilingly bid her farewell.

An hour later a footman from the castle arrived with a letter to Mrs. Amalie Lundstrom, who was astonished to find enclosed a photograph of the king, on the back of which he had written: "To my dear Mrs. Amalie Lundstrom with respectful thanks for the beautiful pike. My wife asks me to give you her regards."

"WHAT'S the score, Sam?"

"Fifty-two to nothing, suh."

"Your side losing?"

"Losing? Why, man, alive, suh, we ain't been to bat yet."

Deaths

A. A. H. Whelpley

Arthur A. H. Whelpley died suddenly at Amesbury, Mass., yesterday. No particulars were given in the telegram which brought the sad news to his sister, Mrs. Robert C. Holder, in

Saint John. Mr. Whelpley was the son of the late John and Mary Whelpley, of this city, and has many friends here. He left Saint John when a young man and has resided in the United States ever since. He was manager of a large automobile and carriage manufacturing concern at Amesbury.

SENDING daughter to a finishing school after puts the finish on father's bank account.

1927 HALIFAX FAIR BACKED.

HALIFAX, Dec. 17—Members of the city council placed themselves on record last night as favoring an expenditure not to exceed \$200,000 for

the re-establishment of the provincial exhibition and in view of their almost unanimous decision, the re-establishment of the annual fair seems assured for 1927.



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BANK AND RAIL MEN WILL BE INVITED

Possibilities in Domestic and Foreign Trade Pointed out at Session

THE opening move of what is expected and hoped will result in a great agricultural re-awakening in New Brunswick was made yesterday afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms...

SOME REVELATIONS

While no attempt was made yesterday to reach definite conclusions, a mass of information was presented showing that the farmers were laboring under many difficulties which might be overcome, provided the cooperation of all interests in the province was forthcoming...

BANKS CAN HELP

Among the chief reasons given for the lack of growth in New Brunswick's farm industry, one more bitterly complained of than any other was lack of elasticity on the part of the banks...

EXPORT TRADE

D. S. Cole, Canadian Government trade agent at Bristol, who was in the city, explained to the meeting that there was a yawning market in the old country for the farm products of Canada...

DOMESTIC MARKETS

Figures presented by F. Maclure Sclanders, commissioner of the Saint John Board of Trade, showed that last week New Brunswick imported 8,828,298 dozens of eggs, 346,829 pounds of cheese, 1,460,756 pounds of butter, 3,100,440 pounds of oatmeal, 338,061 barrels of flour, 9,890,424 pounds of meats and 2,892,092 pounds of poultry...

CARELESS HANDLING

Another feature mentioned, which was working against the farmer, was the alleged careless handling of eggs and other perishable products by transportation companies, resulting in a huge loss each year to the producer...

OTHER MATTERS

Among other matters taken up in a general way were the improvement of live stock and poultry, stimulation

Local News

EIGHT ON LIST

In the Police Court this morning eight men pleaded guilty to drunkenness and were fined \$8 or two months in jail. An additional charge of having liquor in his possession was laid against one, but he was remanded on this charge because of his condition.

NOON TIME FIRE

Slight damage was done by fire which broke out about noon today in the second-hand store run by Mrs. Woodcock, 267 City road. The blaze broke out about 12:30 and was extinguished by the chemical from No. 4 station.

CHRISTMAS TREE MARKET

Although the frontage of King Square on the eastern and southern sides, has been staked off and numbered for the Christmas tree merchants, as was done last year to avoid argument, etc., there were only a few trees on sale up to noon today.

TO MUNICIPAL HOME

George Jackson, aged 83, of England, was arrested at 8:30 this morning by Constables Lobb and Durbin on a charge of being a vagrant. He was ordered to the Municipal Home for the winter months. Harvey Calhoun, also was sent to the Municipal Home for the same period in a like case.

DEATH OF CHILD

The death of Phyllis Isabella Mitchell, aged five, occurred yesterday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Mitchell, 192 Queen street. She was five years of age and had been ill for some time. Besides her parents, two sisters, Audrey and Meda, survive. The funeral took place today.

SAINT JOHN'S M. P.'s

Thomas Bell, M. P., left Ottawa yesterday for Baltimore, Md., where he will join Mrs. Bell and Miss Katherine Bell, who are the guests of Mrs. Bell's sister, Mrs. John Calhoun, for the holiday season. Col. Murray MacLaren, M. P., is expected in the city Monday morning to spend Christmas at his home here.

HERE WITH COAL

S. S. Otter, assigned to H. E. Kane and Co., arrived in port this morning at 10 o'clock from Hampton Roads, Va., with a cargo of coal for the Atlantic Sugar Refineries, which she is now discharging at the east side of Long wharf. She will later call at the wharf of Pettibone wharf, where she will load general freight for the British West Indies.

GREAT SHOPPING WEATHER

An official of a large mercantile establishment told a Times-Star man today that weather such as yesterday and today was worth tens of thousands of dollars to the storekeepers. It is ideal Christmas shopping—bright, crisp, fairly cold and best of all there is no snow. A white Christmas was always a good business Christmas, he said.

APPRECIATION SHOWN

Letters of thanks for copies of the "True Story of Confederation" are daily being received at the Board of Trade and most of the letters contain requests for more copies. This morning the secretary of one of the smaller Boards of Trade wrote expressing appreciation of the Maritime Board of Trade bulletin and enclosing a check for their 1927 membership in the Maritime Board.

DIED THIS MORNING

Mrs. Francis Elizabeth Pigeon, passed peacefully away on Saturday morning, December 12, at 219 St. James street, at her residence 251 City Line, West Saint John. Mrs. Pigeon was the widow of Charles T. Pigeon of the Customs House, and had lived in her present residence for 51 years. She was a member of St. George's Church and the funeral will be held from St. George's at 2 p. m. on Monday, December 21.

TO LEAVE TONIGHT

Mrs. Robert C. Holder, 20 City Road will leave for Amesbury, Mass., this evening because of the unexpected death of her brother Arthur A. H. Whelpley, word of which reached Mrs. Holder by wire last night. It was not known that Mr. Whelpley was ill, therefore the news have proven a shock to relatives here. Arthur Whelpley was a son of the late John and Mary Whelpley, originally of Upper-Butt of later years Saint John. He was an automobile painter and finisher by trade and enjoyed a lucrative business. The widow is of American birth. There are no children. Mrs. Holder who leaves tonight, is the sole remaining member of the John Whelpley family.

MARRIAGES

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MORE SAND FOR CITY STREETS IS PROMISED

Icy Spots Dangerous in Rush of Christmas Shopping

MILL, DOCK, KING AND OTHER SIDEWALKS

Sand Teams Were to Be Out This Afternoon, Says Official

With Christmas shoppers, many of the main thoroughfares of the city, the conditions underfoot become an important factor and at present there is danger to the unwary pedestrian as some of the city streets need attention. Last evening conditions on King street were bad and several falls resulted. A survey made this morning by a reporter showed that conditions in Mill and Dock streets were very bad. At the south east corner of Mill and Dock streets, there was bad spot and on each side of North street, for a distance of about 80 feet, there were several dangerous places on the eastern side of Mill street.

IN KING STREET

Conditions in Market Square and on King street were good this morning, but at the northwest corner of Germain and King there was an icy spot upon which juveniles took the opportunity to slip. At the head of King street, across Germain street, there were several bad places, also farther up King street, at the head of Union and along Charlotte to the north, walking was good, but there was a bad spot at the intersection of Union and Dock streets. There also were several bad places about half way between North Market and Union streets.

ADDITIONAL DANGERS

Additional dangers besides the ice were pointed out by the city engineer and when wet were dangerous.

THE SAND MAN

The civic public works department, asked about this, reported six slings of sand this morning on the east side of the harbor distributing sand on the sidewalks. Clifford Price, superintendent of streets, said that owing to weather conditions, after the sand had been spread, snow blowing off the roofs of buildings was depositing on the sand, and the wind and the feet of pedestrians carried it away. It was said the team would go out again this afternoon.

BOY CARED FOR

A juvenile was brought into the Police Station this morning at 2:46 for protection. It was said that he was a foster farm boy who had been working near Hampton, but left to come to the city. He is being held while information is being established with the superintendent of the Coscar Farm. The boy has no contact with his employer but said he was "just lonesome."

WAS NOT SOLD

A three-story wooden building, 594-596 Main street, was offered for sale this morning at Chubb's corner by Auctioneer W. A. Stepler. The property was offered subject to a mortgage of \$1,750, and was withdrawn at \$112 above the mortgage.

STORM REPORTS

"Heavy gales and a thick snow storm on the Bay of Fundy, was reported received from Yarmouth this morning, at the Marine and Fisheries office."

BIRTHS

JAKOBSEN.—At the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, on Nov. 23, 1926, to Mrs. E. E. Franos, the widow of Charles E. Franos, a daughter.

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Postmaster Advises on Time of Mailing Christmas Material For The West

First Extra Help Added Here—Special Delivery in the City is Arranged for Morning of Holiday

Citizens of Saint John who wish to send Christmas mail to Western Canada should mail it not later than Monday at 8 o'clock in order to reach destination before Christmas. Alexander Thompson, postmaster, said this morning. This applies to Edmonton, Calgary and other places this side of the mountains. Mail for Winnipeg should not be mailed later than 3 p. m. on Tuesday and for Toronto, Montreal and Quebec on Wednesday for Christmas delivery.

Twenty-five extra men will be used by the local department to assist in the Christmas rush. Three were taken on yesterday at the railway station.

Contracts Given For Eaton Building Work

Work will be carried on night and day on the remodelling of the building purchased in Canterbury street for manufacturing purposes by the T. Eaton Company, Ltd. The work commenced today. The contract for plumbing and heating was awarded to R. E. Fitzgerald, 35 Dock street, who will employ from 12 to 15 men on the work.

TO GIVE PEONIES

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Court Decides Alibi in Smuggled Liquor Case Has Been Established

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PERSONALS

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READY IN FEW DAYS

Repairs to the ferry steamer Governor Carleton were about completed and she would be ready for the route on Tuesday of next week. Commissioner Prink, acting commissioner of harbor and ferries, said this morning. A new lead pipe has been placed around the tail shaft and some other smaller repairs have been made.

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MORE REPORTS ON EXERCISES AS SCHOOL ENDS

H. A. Powell Gives Practical Address and Offers Prize

At the St. Vincent's Boys' High school closing on Friday the boys were addressed by H. A. Powell and Rev. W. M. Duke. Both speakers were introduced by Principal W. J. Shea, and were greeted with warm applause by the pupils.

Mr. Powell delivered an eloquent and very practical address on school subjects, dealing particularly with the studies of literature and history. He exhorted the boys to cultivate a taste for serious subjects, which deal with real persons and things, and not to indulge in the reading of mere novels, which appealed to the imagination rather than to the intellect.

Mr. Powell stressed the great benefit to be derived from the study of memoirs and instances the reading of the lives of such men as Bonaparte, Edmund Burke and other celebrities of various nationalities.

He touched on certain points of Canadian history from the time of the French regime to the present day, and said he would willingly give a prize for the best composition on Canadian history if the school authorities would desire it.

Rev. Fr. Duke, rector of the Cathedral, congratulated the pupils on being so fortunate as to have such a speaker as Mr. Powell with them. He complimented them on the good attendance and the high standard of the school and exhorted them to persevere in their studies.

Rev. Fathers Reynolds, McDonald, Gillen and Nichol of the Cathedral were present. In the published program there were several omissions. Frank Coughlan of Grade 4 played a piano selection, and Gerald O'Neil read a composition on "The First Christmas."

There was inadvertently omitted from the published program at St. Patrick's school closing, reference to the presentation of the G. S. Hayes prize. It was won by Margaret Johnston and was presented by E. R. W. Ingraham on behalf of Mr. Hayes.

AT LITTLE RIVER Little River school held its Christmas closing exercises yesterday under the direction of Miss Fernie Pepper, principal, and Miss Lois Ellis, teacher of the primary department.

Short addresses were given by Miss Turner and Harvey Arlio, secretary of the school, and candy and fruit were distributed from two beautiful trees.

The program was as follows: Scripture reading; Lord's Prayer; recitation, "Welcome Speech," Harold Mitchell; "Dolly's Christmas," Vita McCaskill; "I know the nicest Secret," Mary Clark; "Christmas Time," Florence Almon; "Christmas Roses," Daye Dorey; reading lesson, Grade 1; recitation, "The Wrong Side," Irban McCaskill; "Twenty Times a Year," Maureen Sharkey; "Happy Christmas," Cavell Lewis; song, "Jolly Old St. Nicholas," by the school; recitation, "Questions," Margaret Lewis; "Why?" Lorne Lawless; "Old Sec-kies," by Edna McCaskill; "Little Baby Jesus," Ivy Cave; reading lesson, Grade 2; recitation, "A Wise Old Owl," Leonard Hyman; "A Letter from Santa Claus," Fred Dorey; "Christmas Gift," Josephine Smith; monologue, "Tim Tired of 'Being a Boy,'" Frank Mitchell; carol, "Silent Night," by the school; recitation, "Looking for Santa," James McCaskill; "If You're Good," Helen Lawless; "Out of Style," Gerold McCaskill; reading lesson, Grade 3; recitation, "Christmas candles," Irene Cave; song, "Day After Christmas," by the school; recitation, "Kettle Talk," Frank Mitchell; song, "Happy Children," by the school; recitation, "Dolly's Bath," Marion McLaughlin; duet, "Hovering Close to Earth's Portal," Margaret Lewis and Josephine Smith; flag salutation; God Save The King.

AT BROOKVILLE The school at Brookville, of which Miss Jessie Gilliland is teacher, held its Christmas closing yesterday. Following was the program: Recitation, "Welcome," by Mary Irvine; song, "Glad Bells of Christmas," by school; recitation, "Christmas is Coming," Roy Earle; playlet, "Presents," by nine children; recitation, "The Kitten's Christmas," Irish Bachel; "The Santa Claus," John White, "I wonder, Charlie Rae, 'A Timely Pointer,'" Betty Crawford; "Christmas Day," Stuart Earle; dialogue, "The Christmas Spirit," recitation, "It Seems Queer," Douglas Watt; "Christmas Baskets," five girls; recitation, "Christmas Trees and Holy," by Colin Watt; singing, "Merry Christmas Bells," by eight girls; recitation, "Parents' Christmas Present," Wendell Rao; recitation, "Bundles," Dorothy Sutherland.

At the Christmas exercises Friday the Catholic and Protestant classes amalgamated, including Grades 1, 2, 3 and 4. The program was directed by Miss Edna McLaughlin. Miss McNulty who have charge of the Protestant and Catholic classes respectively.

BURMA STIRRED OVER PREACHING OF LITTLE BOY

Five-year Old Lad Recites The Buddhist Scriptures There

LONDON, Dec. 18.—All Burma now sings a song with a haunting refrain about Maung Tun Kyiang, a five-year-old prodigy who preaches and recites the Buddhist scriptures and is believed to be a reincarnation of Yunkyaung, a famous Burmese Buddhist.

Maung Tun Kyiang is held to be one of the "winas"—children who can, as Burmese do not doubt, reveal the story of their past lives. Every one, according to the Buddhist doctrine, leads a series of existences on earth, recalling names and incidents of other lives.

Little Maung Tun Kyiang—whose name, literally translated, means "Master Distinguished Fragrant"—has for months past preached with great success to crowds of people and it is now declared, after a series of exacting tests, that he thoroughly understands what he preaches, and is regarded as a genuine "wina."

He reads both Burmese and Pali—an Indian language—and has become the most popular Burmese preacher of modern times. His audiences seem spellbound when he preaches.

Maung Tun Kyiang's parents are poor working people—his father a farm hand and his mother a mat weaver.

HONOR URGED FOR NAVY

Next Year's Nobel Prize Should Be Awarded Admiralty, Says Bridgman

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Next year's Nobel peace prize ought to be awarded to the British Admiralty Board in the opinion of the Rt. Hon. William C. Bridgman, First Lord of the Admiralty.

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INVESTIGATION DEMANDED.

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It is not this contemptuous reference to the report costing nearly \$8,000 show that the Mayor himself considers it only a joke—"It is not necessary" to study it, or act upon it, or attack or defend it, and he proposes, among other things, to throw it in the wastebasket, which many people think is the proper place for it.

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Scott & Company offered to carry out a complete audit and investigation of civic affairs by efficiency experts for the same amount \$10,000.

Ordinary theories regarding real estate do not apply to Saint John. When a city is prosperous its real estate is prosperous, and it will therefore bear taxation. But Saint John is not prosperous. There are over 1,000 vacant places in the city, and for other towns, and real estate is already so overburdened with taxation that it is impossible to dispose of it. Yet Dr. Brittain, comparing Saint John with Toronto, etc., thinks real estate is not taxed enough, and, to make matters worse, he would place all power of assessment in the hands of one man, presumably the present chairman of the Board of Assessors.

Taking Saint John real estate is like taxing a corpse. Real estate owners, please ponder over these facts: Civic expenditures are constantly increasing. Bonds are being issued without restraint to meet this squandering of our money. Real estate will be little for the redemption of these bonds.

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HEAVY CHRISTMAS TRAVEL EXPECTED

Thousands of Canadians in U. S. Expected Back Across The Border

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The railways which operate services to Canadian points anticipate particularly heavy travel across the border for the Christmas holidays this year. Thousands of Canadian residents in the United States will travel back to their former homes in the Dominion to hang their Christmas stockings on the old home fireplaces. In addition a great many Americans apparently plan to take advantage of a holiday to visit Canadian points in order to take part in winter sports or festivities that mark the Christmas season in the country to the north.

Shipping

PORT OF SAINT JOHN Arrived Saturday, Dec. 18. S. S. P. Steamer Chicago, from British West Indies via Halifax, Coastwise—S. S. Empress, 6:15, McDonald, for Digby.

MARINE NOTES. S. S. Comino sailed at noon today for London, with a large general cargo. S. S. P. Steamer Chicago, from British West Indies via Halifax, sailed at noon today for this port, with general cargo.

Shipping continued with news of various vessels and cargo arrivals and departures from the port of Saint John.

HAD BAD SPELLS WITH HER HEART

Mrs. R. G. Hall, Bolton Centre, Que., writes: "Some time ago I had had spells with my heart which I believe was caused by nervousness. I tried everything I could think of, but could get no relief until one of my friends persuaded me to get a box of MILBURN'S HEART NERVE PILLS.

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Many mothers in Canada have a high esteem for Father John's Medicine, but none more than Mrs. Francis Cole of 362 Premier Avenue, Verdun, Montreal. This seventy-year-old family remedy has been "the friend in need" throughout her married life.

Urges Completion of St. Lawrence Route

TOLEDO, Ohio, Dec. 18.—With the aid of people of the Middle West, the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence waterways project may be brought to the construction phase in two years in the opinion of W. L. Harding, former governor of Iowa, and president-elect of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater Association.

CHARGE IS LAID IN STOCK THEFT

Newcastle Police Act Against Paul Harrison in The Matter

Special to The Times-Star. NEWCASTLE, Dec. 18.—Information has been laid here against Paul Harrison, charging him with obtaining certificates for 200 shares of New Brunswick Telephone Co., Ltd., stock from Dr. J. D. MacMillan, a dentist of this place.

H. E. Boyce, asked about the matter, said today that he did not authorize anybody to obtain the stock certificates, and he also declared that Paul Harrison is not and never was a representative of the Equitable Agency.

Funerals

Daniel Hagerly. The funeral of Daniel Hagerly was held this morning from his late residence, 283 Main street, at St. Peter's church for requiem high mass by Rev. James Cloran; Rev. Fr. Coffin, deacon, and Rev. F. Kearney, sub-deacon. The funeral was largely attended and many spiritual and floral offerings were received.

THIRD STILL OUT

Christmas Seals Campaign Report Today

The committee in charge of the Christmas seals campaign of the local Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, reported this morning that more than two thirds of the seals sent through the mails had been heard from.

Weekly Text. "Then they that feared the Lord spoke often one to another; and the Lord hearkened and heard; and a book of remembrance was written before Him, for them that feared the Lord and that thought upon His name."—Malachi 3: 16. Submitted by Rev. James F. Dunlop, Pastor, Charlotte Street Baptist Church.

QUEEN SQ. THEATRE Sunday Night, Dec. 19, 7.30 P. M. Evangelist: J. W. COOPER, of New York Nation Wide Preacher and Bible Teacher. The Davis Sisters. Good Music Live Testimonies Stirring Message. Mr. Cooper will speak at FULL GOSPEL ASSEMBLY HALL, 24 Charlotte Street, SUNDAY MORNING at 11 o'clock. In the Afternoon, at 2.30 his subject will be: Seven Bible Reasons for the Soon Coming of Jesus. The public cordially invited to all these services.

SAINT ANDREW'S KIRK UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA. REV. J. S. BONNELL, B. A., B. D., MINISTER. 11 a. m.—THE ANGELS' SONG. A Christmas message. 2.30 p. m.—WHITE GIFT SUNDAY. Parents and visitors cordially invited. Good program. 7 p. m.—CHRIST AND THE WORLD'S PAIN. How can we reconcile a world where there is pain and suffering with an Almighty and All Loving Creator? Different solutions have been offered: 1. That of H. G. Wells and others, "God is all loving, but not almighty." 2. That of Thomas Hardy and others, "Man is the victim of blind fate." 3. "There is no pain or suffering in the world." How did Jesus meet and answer this problem?

CHRISTMAS MUSIC. Excellent Christmas music will be furnished at both services by St. Andrew's Choir and Orchestra. SERIES OF SERMONS FOR JANUARY. Every Sunday morning the sermon will be on Paul's Epistle to the Ephesians: "An Ancient Letter With a Modern Message." Every Sunday night the subject will be "Fundamentals of Protestantism." The sermons will instruct our people in the causes of the Reformation and the fundamentals of our faith. VISITORS WELCOME.

ST. DAVID'S UNITED CHURCH. REV. HUGH MILLER, M. A., B. D. SYDNEY STREET. 11 a. m.—REV. R. G. FULTON, Centenary Church. 2.30—WHITE GIFT SERVICE, in the Memorial Hall. All members of the school, parents and friends urged to be present. A special programme of music, etc., will be rendered by pupils. 7 p. m.—PRE-CHRISTMAS SERVICE. Rev. W. C. Ross, Principal Mt. Allison Ladies' College. A special service of song will be rendered by the choir, consisting of hymns, anthems, etc., including the following: Morning Anthem—"Arise, Shine, For Thy Light is Come" (Elvey) Evening Solo—"The New Born King" (L'Etoile) Ladies' Trio—"Sleep Holy Babe" (Mathews) Anthem—"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" (Sullivan) Obligation, Mrs. Ferris. THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER will be observed Christmas Morning, Saturday, 25th, 11 to 11.30. No tokens. All friends and visitors welcome.

Centenary United Church OF CANADA. Rev. R. G. Fulton, Minister. 11 a. m.—Rev. W. A. Ross B. A., the recently appointed Principal of Mt. Allison Ladies' College. 2.30 p. m.—White Gift Sunday in the Church School. Open Sunday with a special program. 7 p. m.—The Minister. Sermon topic: Vision or Reality. Mr. E. A. Collins, Mus. B. (Cant.) F. R. C. O., organist. Full choir of forty voices. A CORDIAL WELCOME.

QUEEN SQUARE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA. Rev. H. C. Rice, B. A., Minister. 11 a. m.—"The Life Rather Than The Profession." 7 p. m.—"The Divine and Human Ministry." A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL.

Thornton Pleads For Greater Tolerance. CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Success has been responsible for more disasters than has adversity and over-reaching is its monstrous gold-child, Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways said in an address last night before the Illinois Manufacturers' Association. "Over-reaching carries in its train tolerance, prejudice and injustice, and banishes a day was killed" by a street car yesterday afternoon near the intersection of Main and Portland streets.

GOD'S DETECTIVE STORY. AT 7 P. M. the Rev. James Dunlop will give the closing address on ROMANCE AND TRAGEDY IN HEBREW HISTORY. "The Bible has the true educational method—open the Book where you will, you'll find a story." MORNING SERVICE, 11 o'clock—Theme: THE MYSTIC MOOD. AFTERNOON, 2:15—SUNDAY SCHOOL, and organized classes. Theme for Men's Class: Pleasure—the Church's Outlook. CHARLOTTE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH. WEST SAINT JOHN. WELCOME. COME EARLY.

GERMAIN STREET BAPTIST CHURCH. Corner Germain and Queen Streets. Pastor, Rev. S. S. Poole, D. D. 11 a. m.—Special Christmas exercise, "WHITE GIFTS FOR THE KING," in charge of the Sunday School. The different classes and departments of the school will present their "White Gifts" in a unique manner. There will be a pageant, "The Shepherds' Vision," in which several classes of the school will participate. 2.30 p. m.—Sunday School and organized Bible classes. Brotherhood will meet as usual; all men invited. 7 p. m.—The Pastor, Dr. Poole, will preach. Subject: "THE HIDDEN HOST" WEDNESDAY, 8 P. M.—Prayer and Praise Service of Church. The Choir, under the direction of Dr. H. C. Dunlop, Organist and Choir Director, will render their programme of Christmas music next Sunday, December 26. STRANGERS AND VISITORS WELCOME.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH. Corner Leinster and Carmarthen Streets. Rev. Bruce D. Knott, B. A., Pastor. 11 a. m.—Sermon subject: "NO ROOM." Anthem—"Let us now go even unto Bethlehem," "Christians Awake." 2.30 p. m.—Sunday School, organized classes. Brotherhood theme: "A Divided World." 7 p. m.—Sermon subject: "DO WE NEED A NEW BIBLE?" If we had a new Bible, what kind would it be? Who would write it? Would we destroy the old one? Evening Music—Anthem—"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear." Quartette—"All the City Lies in Sleeping." Monday, 7.30 p. m.—B. Y. P. U. Wednesday, 8 p. m.—Prayer and Praise. All Seats Free. Strangers and visitors cordially welcomed.

MAIN STREET BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. M. S. Richardson, M. A., Pastor. 11 a. m.—Sermon subject, "WHAT SEEKEST THOU?" 2.30 p. m.—Men's Brotherhood, subject: "JESUS AND THE KINGDOM." 7 p. m.—Sermon subject: "THE CRY OF THE AGES ANSWERED." Good music at all services. T. C. Cochrane, organist and leader. STRANGERS MADE WELCOME.

TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH. Haymarket Square. Rev. Allan Lawrence Tedford, Pastor. 11 a. m.—Worship, story, sermon, "The Song of Love." 2.30 p. m.—Help make the S. S. attendance a record today. Come! 6.50 p. m.—Evangelism and sermon, "Do You Fear Death?" Why? What is death? What is the bitterness of death? What is the second death? The glory of death! Monday, Y. P.; Wednesday, prayers; Thursday eve, Xmas baskets packed. Bring your White Gifts to the King Sunday. A CORDIAL WELCOME.

WATERLOO STREET BAPTIST CHURCH. Pastor—REV. J. D. WETMORE. MORNING SERVICE, 11 a. m. SABBATH SCHOOL, 2.30 p. m. EVENING SERVICE, 7 p. m.—Pastor. WELCOME.

COBURG STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH. 11 A. M.—E. N. Stockford. 2.30 P. M.—Bible School. 7 P. M.—Mr. F. SOMMER, of Toronto, will be the special speaker; subject: "IS GOD IN THIS PLACE?" 8 P. M.—Christian Endeavor. MONDAY, 8 P. M.—Young People's meeting. THURSDAY, 8 P. M.—Prayer Meeting. A WELCOME AWAITS YOU.

THE LATTER RAIN PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY. PARADISE HALL, Charlotte St., Opp. King Square. Meetings every Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 7.45 p. m. Sunday, 11 a. m., 7.45 p. m. Sunday School, 2.45 p. m. Everybody welcome. O. A. Speed, Pastor.

BACK TO THE BIBLE MEETINGS. Brick Church, corner Peel and Carleton. Hear EVANGELIST FREDERICK STRAY, SUNDAY, 7 P. M. Subject: "IS THE PROPHETIC PHOTOGRAPH OF THE PAPACY TRUE TO LIFE?" Seats Free. All Welcome.

SAINT LUKE'S CHURCH. ALL SEATS FREE. REV. R. P. MCKIM, Rector. 8 A. M.—Holy Communion. 11 A. M.—Conclusion of series of Advent Sermons, "Jesus is Coming." 7 P. M.—White Gift Service. Large Choir of Children, and Tabernacle.

Pythians Plan For Public Installation. At a meeting of Carleton Tower Lodge, No. 87, Knights of Pythias, last evening in Castle Hall, Guilford street, the rank of Page was conferred on two candidates. Plans were made for the public installation of the officers on the first Friday in January and committees appointed to arrange the program. E. P. Fullerton, chancellor commander, presided at the meeting. STORY TELLING HOUR. Fifteen children attended the story telling period at the Free Public Library this morning. The story was entitled "Christmas Customs" from Dickens' "Christmas Carol" and was told by Lois A. R. Lord.

ANGLICAN. ST. JOHN'S (STONE) CHURCH. Carleton Street, at the Top of Germain Street. Rector—Rev. A. L. Fleming, L. Th. Fourth Sunday in Advent. 8 a. m.—Holy Communion. 11 a. m.—Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon. 2.30 p. m.—Sunday School. 7 p. m.—Evening Prayer. Sermon—Later Prophets. W. E. Gladstone, Religion and the State. CHRISTMAS DAY. Services at 8 a. m. and 11 a. m. Strangers cordially invited.

BAPTIST. VICTORIA ST. BAPTIST CHURCH. 11 a. m.—THE GREAT INVENTIVE. 2.30 p. m.—Sunday School. 7 p. m.—BIBLICAL LIFE. "Crossing the Bar," Mrs. Brentnall. Male Quartette. Pastor, Rev. E. R. MacWilliam.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA. KNOX CHURCH. 24 CITY ROAD. Rev. W. L. Newton, B. A., B. D., Minister. Residence, 218 Germain Street. Telephone, Main 5400. 11 o'clock—Morning service. 2.30—Sabbath School and Bible classes. The Minister will preach at both services. Strangers and Visitors Cordially Invited.

REFORMED BAPTIST CHURCH. Carleton Street. Preaching at 11 and 7. Sunday School 2.30. Tuesday evening, prayer meeting 7.45. ALL WELCOME. Rev. P. J. Traffon, Pastor. PRINCE EDWARD STREET CHURCH. 81-83 Prince Edward Street. Archibald Gibson, Minister. 11 a. m.—"FROM FAMINE TO FULLNESS IN SAMARIA." 2.30 p. m.—Sunday School. 7 p. m.—"HOW GOD SAVED A MAN 4000 YEARS AGO. HAS HE SAVED YOU THAT WAY?" Women's Meeting Thursday, 8-4 p. m. Special speaker.

EXMOUTH STREET UNITED CHURCH. Rev. Ernest E. Styles, Minister. 11 a. m.—"The Responsibility of Ability." 2.30 p. m.—Sunday School. 7 p. m.—WHITE GIFTS FOR THE KING. Service by the Sunday School. Everybody will be made welcome.

PORTLAND UNITED CHURCH. Rev. H. A. Goodwin, Pastor. 11 a. m.—The Signs of Jesus. 2.30 p. m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes. 7 p. m.—The Monastery of Sin. The White Gift Sunday will be observed in the Sunday School. Everybody bring something to help give Christmas cheer to some needy ones. THE PEOPLE'S CHURCH.

HOLIDAY TIME EVENTS MANY AT LOCAL Y. M. C. A.

Much of Interest From Next Sunday Till New Year's Arranged

The Y. M. C. A. has prepared an extensive program for the holiday season, including special services, sing-songs, educational trips to manufacturing plants in the city, games and other attractions. The program will commence on Sunday, December 19, with special Christmas service for the junior department. On Tuesday the senior boys will stage an athletic meet

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In the morning, and the following day the junior boys will put on a similar affair. Thursday afternoon will be spent out of doors, all members being invited to take part in a toboggan party.

CHRISTMAS AT HOME.

Christmas Day at home will be held. On the Monday following Christmas an education tour will be made of the Nashwaak Paper and Pulp Company's plant. On Tuesday a similar trip through the Acadia Sugar Refinery, and in the evening the H-Y old boys will hold a reunion. Wednesday a visit will be made to the British-Canadian Parking Company plant, and a regular City League basketball fixture will be the attraction in the evening. A boys' swimming meet will be conducted on Thursday morning, and in the evening the newboys will be entertained. Special basketball games will be staged on New Year's Eve, followed by a sing-song, stunts, and a "hot-dog" festival. A special watchnight service, commencing at 11:03 o'clock will be conducted, with the Rev. B. D. Kuott as the speaker. New Year's Day will be the last and biggest day on the program. At 9:45 in the morning a breakfast will be served the dormitory members, with Rev. Dr. Farquharson as a special speaker. Following this, the members of the staff will meet the directors in a game of volley ball. In the afternoon the members of the boys' department will stage a ping-pong tournament, after which gymnasium demonstrations will be given by the comers, junior school, senior school, senior leaders and business boys' classes. The Y. M. C. A. will give a concert in the rotunda during the latter part of the afternoon, after which tea will be served by the Ladies' Auxiliary. The swimming pool will be open to the public from 4:30 to 6 o'clock. The concluding number on the program will be special basketball games in the evening.

NEW TENDERS FOR WEST INDIES LINE SOUGHT

All Bids Must Be In To Government By Jan. 20

OTTAWA, Dec. 17—The government has decided to call for new tenders for the steamship service between Canada and the British West Indies along the same lines as those specified in the tenders called for

in January of 1926. New tenders must be in the hands of the Department of Trade and Commerce by Jan. 20, 1927.

The terms of the Canadian-West Indies trade treaty call for special steamship services as part of Canada's obligation. It only remains for these services to become operative before the whole treaty comes into effect.

ISLANDS AWAIT SERVICE.

All the islands of the West Indies, Bermuda, British Guiana and British Honduras have ratified the treaty, and have been waiting for the steamship service. The agreement calls for two services. One a fortnightly freight, passenger and mail from Canadian ocean ports all the year round, calling at Bermuda, St. Kitts, Nevis, Antigua, Montserrat, Dominica, Barbados, Trinidad and Demerara. The vessels in this service are to be from 5,000 to 6,000 tons, with a speed of 12 knots or more, and accommodation for 100 first class, 20 second class and 100 storage passengers. There must be cold storage space of 10,000 cubic feet. The other service is to be a fortnightly freight service of vessels of about 4,000 tons. The rates are to be controlled by the Canadian government. The other parties to the agreement will contribute £29,000 annually to the service. Canada has also undertaken a fortnightly mail, passenger and freight service between St. Lawrence ports in summer and other Canadian ports in winter, calling both ways at Bermuda, the Bahamas and Kingston, Jamaica.

The passenger service is to be similar to the former service, and there will be refrigeration for 70,000 stems of bananas, and for Canadian wheat.

The sale of women's shoes has increased between 40 and 50 per cent in the last 10 years.

MAY EXPEL TROTSKY.

MOSCOW, Dec. 17—Leon Trotsky and Gregory Zinovieff, opponents of the majority faction of the Communist

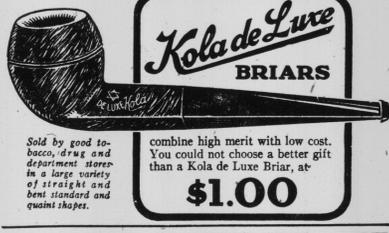
party, may be expelled from party membership, it was intimated in a speech by President Alex Rykoff, president of the council of commissars. He warned the opposition not to be surprised if expulsion was resorted to.

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C. N. SOLICITOR TELLS AUDIENCE ABOUT CANADA

Capt. State Gives Interesting Address in Queen Square Church Hall

The lecture given last evening in Queen Square United church hall by Capt. C. Milton State, official lecturer of the Canadian National Railways, was listened to with the closest attention by a large and appreciative audience. The chairman of the evening, Leroi M. King, introduced the speaker, who expressed the purpose of the lecture was to show to the people of the south the Canadian National Railway and the purpose of the lecture was to show to the people of the south the Canadian National Railway and the purpose of the lecture was to show to the people of the south the Canadian National Railway...

WONDERFUL SCENERY

Views shown of the great north country were beyond description. Flowers were in bloom, and the speaker hastened to remark that the pictures were taken in August. The streets were all well kept, and the laws were predominant, doing away with the local impression that Alaska was a snow bound region. One feature shown in the slides was the fact that bobbed hair and short skirts have not yet reached the great north country. Jasper and Robson parks, the great playgrounds of Western Canada, were next shown, as they are linked up with the C. N. R. system. Mount Holimon is the highest peak in Canada, being 13,600 feet above sea level. One of the numerous peaks in this district is now shown as Mount Edith Cavell, in memory of the famous war nurse. At Jasper Park, which is about 4,400 square miles in extent, is the largest totem pole in the world. The scene changed from there to Regina and it could be easily seen from the slide that Regina, the capital of Saskatchewan, is one of the more modern cities. The view is a remarkably clear one. Winnipeg was next shown as the headquarters of the Hudson-Bay Company, a modern metropolis of the mid-west, connecting the new country with the old. Some excellent views of Nipigon, in Ontario, were next shown, depicting clearly the wonderful country where the Prince of Wales spent a holiday some years ago. One of the pretty slides was that of Algonquin Park, in Ontario, which for sheer beauty is hard to excel. Ottawa, the capital city, Montreal the metropolis of Canada, the St. Lawrence river, Quebec City, the ancient fortress of Canada, the Gaspe shore were quickly shown, and then the scene shifted to New Brunswick.

N. B. SCENES

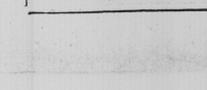
When the slide was thrown on the screen depicting a log jam on the Miramichi river, murmurs of approval could be heard all over the audience. Then Saint John city was shown and an audible murmur could be heard as people pointed out places they recognized. Halifax, another great port, was shown and the trip concluded with a short visit to Prince Edward Island, the Cozy Corner of Canada. Since last January Captain State had delivered over 112 lectures in the United States and Canada to over 60,000 people. The purpose of the lecture was to make Canada better known to Canadians, and last night he succeeded beyond expectation so far as his audience was concerned. Before the lecture a very pleasing solo was rendered by William Mc-

Face Badly Broken Out With Pimples Cuticura Healed

"My face was so badly broken out with pimples that it was actually disfigured. They first started with a few blackheads on the sides of my face, and later, they spread to my forehead, chin and neck. They itched and burned so that I could hardly rest. They looked so badly that I was ashamed to be seen in public. The trouble lasted about three years. I read an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment so purchased some. I used about two boxes of Cuticura Soap and four cakes of Cuticura Ointment and four cakes of Soap and was healed." (Signed) Mrs. John Kelly, Rt. 3, Bay City, Mich., Nov. 5, 1923. Nothing so insures a healthy, clear complexion, soft, smooth hands and glossy, luxuriant hair as Cuticura Soap, assisted by Cuticura Ointment when necessary. Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: Cuticura Dept., P.O. Box 1024, Station 10, Boston, Mass. Cuticura Soap 25c. Cuticura Ointment 25c.

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WORLD NEWS IN SHORT METRE

LONDON—Col. William Hayward, commanding officer of the 15th New York National Guard, is in Africa hunting big game. Hayward's goal was the country beyond Nairobi, then northward to Khartoum where the party was to be joined by Mrs. Hayward.

LAWRENCE, Mass.—Patrolman John Haffner and his friend John Bessington took a day off in the woods recently. A cat dropped off a tree onto Bessington's shoulder. The automatic service pistol of Patrolman Haffner barked once and the cat crumpled to the ground. It happened to be a wildcat.

LOS ANGELES—Buses now run day and night on through schedules between Seattle and Los Angeles, skirting the Pacific Ocean for more than 1,000 miles. The seats are arranged so that pressing a button at night lets the backs down. Air cushions are used on most of the seats.

LONDON—There is one country in the world where the woman is undisputed head of the household. It is Tibet, where the husband must bring his earnings home or account for them, and if he does not earn as much as his wife thinks he should, he is likely to be divorced and chased from the home. Tibetan women are thrifty and show more enterprise than the men.

BOSTON—The productivity of rubber trees should be increased, rather than efforts made to manufacture synthetic rubber, according to Dr. L. W. Weber, rubber technologist. He cited the greater production added to the sugar beet as an instance of what could be done with rubber, being yielding nine times as much as they used to.

Eachern, "Land of Hope and Glory," accompanied by Mrs. B. M. McLean. A vote of thanks was tendered the speaker by Rev. H. C. Rice, of Queen Square United church, seconded by Fred Green, which was carried unanimously and tendered to the speaker by the chairman, Mr. King.

VERA CRUZ — Madame Alexandra Kilanetsky, Soviet Russia's first woman minister to Mexico and the first woman diplomat in the history of the country, says her main objective in Mexico will be the establishment of closer commercial relations between Russia and Mexico, even by the method of direct steamship lines if necessary.

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa—Violent earth tremors shook the Rand, South Africa's famous gold-

LONDON — Propped up on pillows at his window, Fred Holland, 80, a bedridden sporting farmer, recently bade farewell to the bounds he had followed for years. A special meeting of the huntman was arranged at his home in Leicester after he had expressed the desire to see the dogs for the last time.

STRASBURG — Restoration of the famous old Strasburg cathedral, a work begun by the Germans in 1907, has been completed. The edifice was reopened recently with ceremonies.

WINSTED, Conn.—Spring will come early! Forrest L. Jepson, a knitting mill superintendent here, and Charles Bushnell, of Hartland, picked and exhibited a large cluster of pussy willows recently.

PARIS — A chef, seeking novelties, recently served a medieval meal. The table cloth was ploated so guests could wipe their mouths and fingers; no plates or forks were used. The uncarpeted floor was strewn with foliage. The platters were of wood, and all dishes and decanters of pewter. There were red party, minced fowl, old wines, roots and leeks served with spice sauce and garlic, fruit and sweet wine from Cyprus.

LONDON — Former Premier Lloyd George paid his first visit to a motion picture theatre recently. With his wife and daughter, Megan, he saw the motion picture Ben Hur, at the Tivoli theatre. After the performance, he said it was quite a novel experience for him, as hitherto the only motion pictures he had seen were at private projections in his own home.

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STRASBURG — Restoration of the famous old Strasburg cathedral, a work begun by the Germans in 1907, has been completed. The edifice was reopened recently with ceremonies.

WINSTED, Conn.—Spring will come early! Forrest L. Jepson, a knitting mill superintendent here, and Charles Bushnell, of Hartland, picked and exhibited a large cluster of pussy willows recently.

PARIS — A chef, seeking novelties, recently served a medieval meal. The table cloth was ploated so guests could wipe their mouths and fingers; no plates or forks were used. The uncarpeted floor was strewn with foliage. The platters were of wood, and all dishes and decanters of pewter. There were red party, minced fowl, old wines, roots and leeks served with spice sauce and garlic, fruit and sweet wine from Cyprus.

LONDON — There is one country in the world where the woman is undisputed head of the household. It is Tibet, where the husband must bring his earnings home or account for them, and if he does not earn as much as his wife thinks he should, he is likely to be divorced and chased from the home. Tibetan women are thrifty and show more enterprise than the men.

BOSTON—The productivity of rubber trees should be increased, rather than efforts made to manufacture synthetic rubber, according to Dr. L. W. Weber, rubber technologist. He cited the greater production added to the sugar beet as an instance of what could be done with rubber, being yielding nine times as much as they used to.

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IN FAVOR OF CENTRAL BODY TO RULE GAME

Golf Has Come to Parting of Ways—Suggestions For Control

TORONTO, Dec. 18.—Speaking to the Western Golf and Country Club here today B. L. Anderson, secretary of the Royal Canadian Golf Association, said that the parting of the ways had been reached in Canada and the next few months would decide whether the parent body, the Royal Canadian Golf Association, would continue to be the clearing house in Canada for golfing rules and regulations or whether the great distances of this country would be permitted to sectionalize the activities of the association. In other words, Mr. Anderson asked if there would be provincial autonomy and independence to the destruction of the R. C. G. A. or constructive provincial autonomy with the retention of a central executive whose duties would be to keep in touch with parent bodies of other countries, frame rules and construct various championships.

MAKING BIG STRIDES

During the course of his address Mr. Anderson said that some 75,000 acres in Canada were devoted to golf courses. A few years ago there were only 20 clubs in Canada. Now there were more than 400. There were 1,000,000 Canadian golfers and \$125,000,000 invested in golf property in this country. He outlined the aims of the R. C. G. A. and said a special committee was now considering the following suggestions: That there be a closer co-operation between the R. C. G. A. and the provincial associations. That the executive committee of the R. C. G. A. be composed of representatives of the provincial associations. That the provincial associations have absolute local autonomy within the province. That the annual meeting be held during the week of the amateur championship. Why, judge, don't be silly! Ruppert: Whoever heard tell of such a thing? Quinn: You're just a great big darling and I don't know what you'd do without you Kenney, no fool!

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To Stage Benefit In New York For Sam Langford, Boston "Tar Baby"

West May Secede Owing To Defeat of Jackson Proposal

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The NUT CRACKER by Joe Williams

LANDIS: The meeting is now called to order. Comiskey: To order what? Herman (drowsily): Make me a ginger ale this time. NAVIN (talking with reportorial still): Sure, I'll admit Cobb still has a lot of color but I'm running a ball club, not a paint shop. Moriarty: I have always been a friend of the umpire. I hope the umpire won't forget that next season. Especially when the winning run is on third. LANDIS: There has been some talk of curtailing the commissioner's power. Quinn: Why, judge, don't be silly! Ruppert: Whoever heard tell of such a thing? Quinn: You're just a great big darling and I don't know what you'd do without you Kenney, no fool!

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Sports

AMHERST PLAYS HERE ON NEW YEAR'S

Fast Nova Scotia Hockey Team to Clash With Fueliers at Arena

AMHERST, N. S., Dec. 17.—The Amherst hockey team, with its two reinstated players, Lester and Irving Pickerton, will journey to Saint John for their first game of the season.

Amherst lost out in Saint John last season, but afterwards they managed to come through with the pennant in the Central Section, and during the season held the Furo Bears, Maritime champions, to a 3-1 score.

Buddies Double Count On Dumbbells Team

The Buddies defeated the Dumbbells in a regular girls' basketball league game played under girls' rules at the Y. W. C. A. last night.

BUSHY GRAHAM DEFEATED

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Bushy Graham's bantam weight championship hopes were unexpectedly dimmed to-night when he lost a 10-round judges' decision to Tony Cannoneri before a throng of ten thousand at Madison Square Garden.

Mother's Battle With Wolf Successful

MODESTA, Calif., Dec. 18.—Attacked by a wolf, Mrs. Pete Honrado battled for her life and her two small children in front of her cabin at Nine Stanislaus.

MOOSEJAW MAROONS LEAD PRAIRIE LOOP

Now Out in Front With Three Wins, a Draw and Defeat

MOOSEJAW, Sask., Dec. 18.—When Edmonton Eskimos were noosing out the league leading Regina Capitals, 3-2, at Edmonton, Moosejaw Maroons on their home ice, administered an 8-3 defeat to Harry Cameron and his Saskatoon Crescents, in a sparkling Prairie League fixture last night.

MUSICAL PRESENTS

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Princess Mary (Viscountess Lascelles) is very pleased to discover that both of her little sons are developing marked musical tastes.

Use the Want Ad. way.

MAIL DRIVER DIES

BLANDFORD, Lunenburg Co., N. S., Dec. 17.—Henry Publicover, 68, mail driver on the Hubbards-Blandford-East River route, died suddenly in front of his home yesterday afternoon shortly after delivering the mail at the Blandford post office.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. ALL KIDNEY DISEASES. RHEUMATISM. BRIGIT'S DISORDER. DIABETES. 4087 THE PHARMACY.

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WINDSOR WIP'S

LONDON, Ont., Dec. 17.—Windsor Hornets are tied for the leadership of the Canadian Professional Hockey League as a result of defeating the London Progers by the score of 3 to 2 in a five-minute overtime game here to-night.

OPERA HOUSE - TONIGHT ONLY. PRICES 15c., 25c. THE Runaway. CLARA BOW - WARNER BAXTER. GEORGE BANCKROFT - WILLIAM POWELL.

STARTING MONDAY THE LADY OF THE HAREM. ERNEST TORRENCE. GRETA NISSEN. WILLIAM COLLIER. LOUISE FAZENDA.

Amusements

Crowds Yesterday—Will Be More Today

IMPERIAL KIDS SCORE HIT! Beatrice Lilly, English Comedienne. ALSO JACK PICKFORD In Screaming Farce "EXIT SMILING".

Our Annual Christmas Sketch "THE NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTMAS" 8.30 8.30. Or Getting the Youngsters Off to Bed. A natural scene in 1,000 Saint John homes next Friday night.

Queen Square - Today. DOUBLE FEATURE BILL. FULL OF PEP AND ACTION FROM START TO FINISH. MORE PAY - LESS WORK. "WILD TO GO".

Skating -- ARENA -- Skating. BAND TONIGHT—ICE PERFECT. Music Wonderful—All The Latest Hits Ladies' and Gent's Skates to Hire—Phone M. 5067.

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IMPERIAL Next Week's 3 Big Bills. Christmas Good Cheer Programmes. Mon. and Tues. - Handsome Joe Schildkraut. In The Charming Society Comedy—Adventure.

PALACE TONIGHT WESTERN FEATURE SERIAL STORY OUR GANG COMEDY. MONDAY and TUESDAY BLUEBEARD'S WIVES with Blanche Sweet Lois Wilson Ben Lyon.

Her Idea of Fur Coat Value. Trust a woman to know real values in Fur. The Women have been buying heavily at the Vogue Sale as proven by a look at the big gaps in the stock.

Talking Pictures - UNIQUE - Monday. FOUR OUTSTANDING ATTRACTIONS "Fighting Heart" Series; Cheney at The Piano Phonofilm and "Accidental Husband".

Meet the PRINCE. JOSEPH SCHILDKRAUT. Wednesday's Show "THE BOY FRIEND" A Veritable Scream of Domestic Fun.

FREE! Imperial's Christmas Contest \$100 WORTH OF PLAYTHINGS. Name Age Address Date CUT THIS OUT and DEPOSIT IN LOBBY.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS. "TWENTY FIVE CENTS FOR THIS LITTLE BOTTLE OF CREAM!! WHY, THAT'S A BIG ROBBER!!"

That's What Oscar Thinks. "AN A GREAT BIG BOTTLE OF MILK TWICE AS BIG AS THIS ONEY COSTS SIXTY CENTS!! THAT'S A BIG ROBBER!!"

By BLOSSER. "MISTER HUCKLEBAUM'S DELICATESSEN CHARGED ME A QUARTER FOR THIS BOTTLE OF CREAM—I CAN'T SEE WHY THIS LITTLE BOTTLE COSTS MORE THAN A BIG BOTTLE OF MILK!!"

\$ALESMAN SAM. "DADDY—THERE AINT A DARN THING TO SHOOT WITHOUT A RABBIT—SQUIRREL PRESENT OR SOMETHING."

But You Can't Shoot It. "BLANKET!! NO LUCK YET."

By SWAN. "HELLO, OLD TOP—WHY DON'T YOU SHOOT SOMETHING? WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE GAME?" FOOTBALL!

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