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W. S. Gifford, Pres. of American Telephone and Telegraph Co., and Sir Evelyn Murray, of British P. O., Converse

DREAM OF SCIENTISTS NOW REALITY

Conversation Delayed Somewhat by Static; Operators Plug in First Commercial Call at \$25 a minute at Expiration of Official Talk

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The dream of scientists became a reality today, when commercial radio telephone service between New York and London was formally inaugurated.

The epochal event took place this morning, when official greetings were exchanged between President W. S. Gifford, of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, in New York, and Sir G. Evelyn P. Murray, secretary of the British General Post Office, in London.

The worst atmospheric conditions in months produced static which somewhat delayed the initial conversation. Seated at a table in the offices of the A. T. and T. Company in Lower Broadway, President Gifford lifted up the receiver at 8.44 o'clock and said to the operator: "Can you get me Sir Evelyn Murray in London?" In a few seconds later, the telephone bell tinkled, and Mr. Gifford said: "Good morning."

STATIC INTERRUPTS

Shortly afterwards static interrupted the proceedings and the two officials frequently said "I beg your pardon," as they strained their ears to catch the words.

Conditions became better after a time, however, and Mr. Gifford told Sir Evelyn that he believed the new service would link the two countries together as neighbors in a real sense. He congratulated the British General Post Office on its co-operation.

Sir Evelyn replied he was certain that the inauguration of personal conversation between the two countries would strengthen the existing friendly ties.

FIRST CALL MADE

As the two officials said good-bye, the operators plugged in for the first call of the regular commercial service at the rate of \$25 a minute.

Officials here, following their announced intention, declined to make public the name of the lucky person to make the first call. The official conversations lasted five minutes. Thirty prominent reporters listened in on the first talk with head receivers.

At 8.49 o'clock, when the formalities were over, the service to the other listeners-in was automatically discontinued.

CHICAGO CASE IS IN HANDS OF JURY

Suit Against Leopold and Loeb For \$100,000 is Completed

JOILET, Ill., Jan. 7.—The \$100,000 damage suit against Nathan Leopold, Jr., and Richard Loeb, "thrill slayers," charged with kidnaping and murdering Charles Rees, Chicago taxicab driver, was put in the hands of the jury yesterday following fiery closing arguments.

The sons of wealthy Chicago parents were denounced as perjurers, by David K. Toney, attorney for Rees, who declared that neither told the truth. Under ordinary circumstances, he said, it was possible to believe defendants in a law suit, but this case was different.

"Leopold and Loeb are not in good repute," he told the jury. "They glory in their crime. Why, when I read into the record of the story of their killing of Bobby Franks, for which they are now serving a penitentiary sentence, Leopold snickered and yawned, instead of hanging his head in shame."

BRAIN HITS TRAM, 5 KILLED, 17 HURT

Gopher Limited Ploughs Into Stalled Street Car in Wisconsin

SUPERIOR, Wis., Jan. 7.—Five persons were killed and 17 injured when the gopher limited, owned by the Gopher Limited, on the Great Northern Railroad ploughed through a stalled street car last night.

Witnesses said that the car had started across the railroad tracks when the crossing gates descended, knocking the trolley pole down, and stopping the vehicle. As the engine's headlight glared into the view there were shrieks as the street car passengers darted for the exits. The cab of the street car was tossed against a building, housing the crossing watchman, while the trucks were carried 800 feet.

Further Efforts Pending To Oust Member For St. Antoine

National Body For Students Of Canadian Universities Is Urged To Promote Unity

TORONTO, Jan. 7.—Formation of a national federation of Canadian university students with a view to promoting a better understanding between students in the eastern, central and western sections of Canada, is recommended in a report released by the secretary of a student conference held recently in Montreal. L. I. Greene, Bishop's College, Lennoxville, as pro tem president; Jean Lesage, University of Montreal, as pro tem vice-president, and Percy Davies, University of Alberta, as pro tem secretary, were elected by the conference. In the event of ten Canadian university student bodies approving the recommendations in the report and accepting membership in the N.F.C.U.S., these officers will function until the first annual meeting of the Federation.

N.B. JOURNALS BASIS OF CASE

Offered at Gould Hearing, Despite Stronuous Objections

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The senate's investigation of bribery charges against Senator Gould, Republican, Maine, got under way today with a row at the beginning provoked by the question whether the legal rule of evidence should apply to the inquiry. The committee finally agreed the rule was not applicable to a Senate committee hearing, but counsel for the Maine senator voted exceptions. Senator Walsh, Democrat, Montana, author of the investigating resolution, precipitated the dispute when he offered the journal of the Province of New Brunswick House of Assembly containing an opinion of Judge McKeown, who held that Senator Gould had participated in a \$100,000 bribe of a federal member of the province. F. W. Hineckley, chief counsel for Gould, objected on the grounds that it was not legal evidence.

FORMS BASIS

After Senator Shortridge, Republican, California, acting chairman of the committee, had upheld the objection, the committee overruled the chairman and Senator Walsh read the judgment which he said, would form the basis of the inquiry as to whether the money

Father of 34 Children Is House Guest

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Reuben C. Bland, 72, Robinsonville, N. C., father of 34 children, came to Washington today, called on President Coolidge, and was given a rousing reception from the House galleries.

Bland was introduced to the House by Representative Warren, North Carolina, Democrat. "Bland is supreme in his line," Warren said as the House roared with laughter.

At the White House, the champion father told the President that he smoked and drank all of his life and outdid a prohibitionist father of 27 children recently introduced to Coolidge by Representative Upshar, Georgia, Democrat.

"I keep a jug of liquor under my bed and never turn down a drink," Bland told the President.

No Chance For Sale Of "Earns Cliffe"

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 7.—There is small likelihood of "Earnscliffe," the Ottawa home of Sir John Macdonald when he was Prime Minister, becoming in the near future the property of the Conservative party as a home for its leader, as suggested by Hon. Chas. Murphy in a letter to local papers yesterday. "Earnscliffe" is not for sale," said Dr. Charles A. E. Harris, the present owner. "I value the house and the precious memories of my dear wife, and then the memories of Sir John Macdonald, which are more precious than gold. One doesn't sell one's soul for money."

Police Drive Off Hi-Jackers In Raid On N. J. Rum Cache

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Jan. 7.—Last night, after the letter called at the home of a policeman and asked protection from a gang of hi-jackers, whom he suspected of planning a raid on his liquor cache. Bullets tore through the clothing of three policemen, but none was injured. Jack Burgo, a cook employed at the Burgess place, is in hospital with a bullet near his brain. Reinforced by a detail of New Bedford bluecoats, Dartmouth police rounded up 12 men in a garage just over the city line early this morning. At the time several rifles, repeating shotguns and automatic pistols were seized. Fox was detained by police.

U.S. COLONY AT HANKOW BEING PUT ON VESSEL

Are Being Placed on British Ship, En Route to Shanghai

CHEN PROTESTS

Cantonese Foreign Minister Puts Blame for Trouble on British Forces

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Referring to the Chinese situation, the Daily Telegraph this morning says: "A swift and decisive change in the British policy is demanded by the crushing proof, furnished at Hankow, of the unwisdom of relying upon conciliation at all costs." The Daily News advocates recognition of the Cantonese government.

HANKOW, Jan. 7.—Anxiety for the safety of Americans in Hankow arose late last night, when a British steamer was closed opposite the United States consulate and Frank F. Lockhart, consul, circularized the United States colony advising women and children to go aboard and take provisions for three days. Fifty women went aboard the ship and made ready to sail for Shanghai.

RUN DOWN BY CAR

Aubrey Mackenzie Severely Injured at Truro

TRURO, N. S., Jan. 7.—With his left leg broken, his head and arm badly hurt, and suffering from internal injuries, Aubrey Mackenzie, 54, lies in hospital here, the victim of an automobile accident near his home in Truro, last night. Mackenzie was struck by an automobile operated by an unknown driver, who proceeded on his way apparently unaware of the accident. The victim only removed to Truro recently, in order to complete the education of his eight children. His condition is reported as critical.

TO SEE MUSSOLINI

Winston Churchill to Interview Finance Minister Also

GENOA, Jan. 7.—Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, expects to visit Rome about January 15, when he will meet Premier Mussolini and the Italian Minister of Defence, Count Volpi, but his mission will not be an official one. He is to interview the plans before he sailed today for a brief visit to Egypt.

U. S. War Vessels Off To Nicaragua

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 7.—Six additional United States war vessels were proceeding or preparing to sail at once to reinforce the squadron already in Nicaraguan waters under command of Rear Admiral Latimer. They carry an expeditionary force of 400 marines and consist of two cruisers, three destroyers and a submarine tender. Orders for dispatching of this complement of ships and men to Nicaragua were issued by the navy department today, without it was said, any request having been made by Admiral Latimer for reinforcements. The 40 marines are to constitute the legion guard at Managua, the capital, where it was explained they will relieve men from the cruiser Galveston.

BLAMES BRITISH

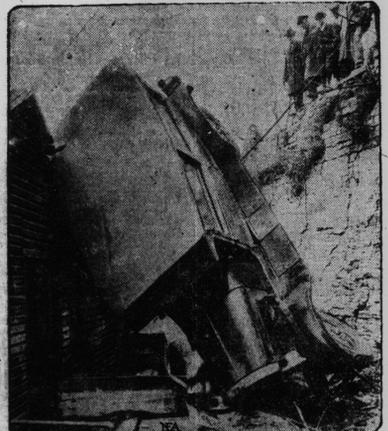
Foreign Minister Chen issued a proclamation blaming the British for the incident of January 3, which he declared resulted in the "tragically wounding of a number of Chinese." So far as is known outside of government headquarters but two Chinese were hurt and their injuries were slight.

Chen's proclamation declared the nationalist government "establishes a commission of provisional administration in the British concession to assume control of public safety and municipal affairs, undertaking full responsibility for the safety of foreign lives and property."

The proclamation is equivalent in effect to retraction of the British concession with the Chinese remaining in full control of all bureaus in the district. Because of a steady rain, few people were on the streets.

By HERBERT BAILEY British United Press LONDON, Jan. 7.—The official news that conditions in Hankow are quiet. Continued on Page 2, column 4

Driver Escapes



THOUGH the auto never will look just the same, the girl driver escaped unhurt! Forty feet was the height from which the car dived at Joliet, Ill.

BRAZIL PRESS NOT FRIENDLY TO SOVIET TRADE DELEGATION

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 7.—Arrival at the most exclusive hotel in the city of Boris Kravavsky, head of an alleged Soviet delegation named to open commercial relations between Brazil and Russia, has brought caustic criticism from the press.

The Soviet, which has been active in the far east, is now endeavoring to stretch its claws westward and gain a foothold in points offering the weakest resistance," says the newspaper *Noite*.

The newspaper *Gazeta Noticias* predicts that the government will deal ruthlessly with such Bolshevist propagandists as Kravavsky and will prevent the spread of Bolshevism to Brazil.

NO DETAILS OF BIG N. B. DEVELOPMENT

R. B. Hanson Refuses to Divulge Particulars of Proposed \$75,000,000 Expenditure

Special to The Times-Star FREDERICTON, Jan. 7.—F. C. Squires, of Woodstock, this morning made application for reduction of alimony in the divorce action of Allice vs. George Dionne, a Victoria case tried some time ago. On behalf of the plaintiff wife, C. L. Dougherty opposed the application. The hearing was before Mr. Justice Crocket in Chambers. Adjournment was made.

FATALLY BURNED

Mrs. M. McDonald, Glace Bay, Victim of Accident

GLACE BAY, N. S., Jan. 7.—Mrs. Michael McDonald, aged 67, of Dominion No. 4, was fatally burned yesterday when her clothing caught fire at an open grate. She died last night in St. Joseph's Hospital.

VISITS MONTREAL

Miss Margaret Bondfield to Give Two Addresses There

MONTREAL, Jan. 7.—Miss Margaret Bondfield, member of the British House of Commons, will visit Montreal this week-end, when she is scheduled to give two addresses, one before a public gathering at the People's Forum on Saturday evening, and the second before the Montreal Women's Club on Monday at a luncheon gathering.

Livestock Officials To Meet At Amherst

Special to The Times-Star FREDERICTON, Jan. 7.—The Maritime Live Stock Association is to meet in Amherst on Jan. 12. From the N. B. Department of Agriculture it is expected that Hon. Lewis Smith, the Minister; Harvey Mitchell, the Deputy Minister; and James Bremner, live stock superintendent, will attend. A report of J. K. King on the recent exhibit of New Brunswick hogs at Chicago is to be considered, also the proposal to make Nova Scotia a prohibited territory in regard to tubercular test among cattle.

APPEAL FILED IN COURT TO UNSEAT BELL

Original Claim Was Dismissed by Judge Bruneau

NEW PETITION

Will Be Forwarded to Registrar of Supreme Bench at Ottawa

MONTREAL, Jan. 7.—Further efforts to oust Leslie G. Bell, Conservative M. P. for St. Antoine Division, from his seat in the House of Commons, have been made with the institution of an appeal from the judgment of Mr. Justice Bruneau, who, on December 28, dismissed a petition filed in the name of Andrew Valiantes, an elector of the division, who tried to upset Mr. Bell's election on the grounds of illegality in the conduct of the election campaign.

Intimation that an appeal would be entered in the Supreme Court of Canada, is given on the day judgment was delivered, by Donald Ryan, attorney for the petitioner and Mr. Ryan had filed his appeal in the Superior Court here, and deposited the necessary guarantees.

NEW PETITION

A new petition setting forth the grounds on which the petitioner thinks the election should be declared null and void has been filed with the Registrar of the Supreme Court at Ottawa. A legal battle is promised before the case is finally settled.

VISITING CAPITAL AFTER 35 YEARS

A. M. Brotherton, Machine Gun Inventor, Going on to Mint, N. B.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 7.—A. M. Brotherton, of Philadelphia, a native of New Brunswick, who was the inventor of a new type of machine gun used by French troops, arrived here yesterday after an absence of 35 years from the province. This morning Mr. Brotherton left for Mint, where he expects to renew acquaintance with a number of former friends.

During the war he succeeded in perfecting his invention, which was then shown to a United States army officer. He was induced to go to France, where he secured the opportunity of submitting his invention to the French government, with the result that it was immediately taken up and manufactured for use by the French troops.

The Weather

SYNOPSIS—The high pressure which was over the Western States yesterday is now passing rapidly across the Great Lakes, while a depression is developing over the Northwestern States. The weather has become much colder in Ontario and Quebec, but continues moderate in the west.

FAIR AND COLDER

MARITIME—Fresh to strong west and northwest winds, fair today and Saturday, becoming colder, zero temperatures Saturday morning.

NEW ENGLAND—Fair and continued colder tonight; Saturday increasing cloudiness with rising temperature; diminishing north-west winds, becoming east and southeast Saturday.

TEMPERATURES

Table with columns for location, highest during, and lowest during. Locations include Toronto, Montreal, and Halifax.

BRITISH COAL TRADE SHOWS QUICK REVIVAL

December Exports Best in Four Years, London Reports

By H. BAILEY, British United Press. LONDON, Jan. 7.—The amazing revival in the coal trade, following the return to work, has given rise to considerable industrial optimism.

AFTER LOST MARKETS It is possible that the revival may only be temporary and may be due to shortage in stocks of coal among customers of the British mines.

N. B. Journals Are Basis of Charges

Continued from page 1 was wrongfully paid in connection with a railroad contract.

REPORTERS TELL STORY

Oliver H. S. Garrett, a New York World reporter, the first witness, testified that he had been sent by his newspaper to investigate the accuracy of the charges against Senator Gould.

STILL ALARM

At 6:00 this morning a still alarm was rung in for a chimney fire at 11 St. Patrick street. No. 1 chimney responded and the fire extinguished with salt.

Use the Want Ad. way.

75c Specials For Prizes. Odd Cups and Saucers that make the prettiest Bridge Prizes go on display today at the special price of 75c. Any number of selections—just the kind so many are collecting. Ferguson & Page SENIOR JEWELERS

BEAUTIFUL BEDROOM SUITE at \$79.50. DINING ROOM SUITE, Eight Pieces, at \$81.00. AMLAND BROS., LTD. 19 WATERLOO STREET

THIS IS REAL PARENTHOOD



A decade ago, when he had only 12 children, W. L. Travis, of Gatawba county, North Carolina, got a letter from ex-President Roosevelt congratulating him on the size of his family.

LAKEVILLE FARMER SHOT; ONE SOUGHT

Taken to Kentville Hospital With Wounds in Head After Argument

KENTVILLE, N. S., Jan. 6.—Charles Stokes, a farmer of Lakeville, near here, was taken to hospital today with two gunshot wounds in his head following his story of how the wounds were inflicted, police left for Lakeville with a warrant for the arrest of John McLean, charged with shooting with intent to kill.

HILLSBORO LODGE INSTALS OFFICERS

HILLSBORO, Jan. 6.—Hillsboro Masonic Lodge, Howard, No. 18 A. F. officers: W. M., E. H. Erving; S. W., F. O. Erb; J. W., B. J. Dash; treasurer, J. L. Peck; secretary, A. Sherwood; S. D., O. L. Stevens; J. D., L. F. C. Stevens; chaplain, Joseph E. Stevens; D. C., Harry Bennett; S. C., M. F. McKay; J. S., B. K. Hight; I. G., N. W. Evans; Tyler, G. E. Dawes.

Hoppe Takes Lead In Championship Play

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Willie Hoppe went to the front in his fight to wrest the world's 182 ball line billiard title from Eric Hagenlacher, last night, by winning the second block of their 1,000 point title match, 564 to 340.

HALIFAX NETS \$9,400 LIQUOR FINES IN 1926

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 6.—May, June and July are the most "temperate" months of the year in Halifax, according to the figures just issued showing the contribution to the city treasury made by liquor law violators for 1926.

"ROLLING CLUB" IS STARTED IN BRITAIN

LONDON, Jan. 6.—A "rolling club" has been started by a member of parliament, and several fellow members were admitted before parliament adjourned.

U. S. COLONY AT HANKOW BRING PUT ON VESSEL

One of the most cherished possessions of the H. A. C. is the Great Vellum book, in which there is a gallery of Royal signatures and the autographs of celebrated men, including those of Christopher Wren, Vanbrugh, the French engineers, Percy Kirke, the notorious leader of "Kirk's Lambs," and Samuel Pepys, the diarist.

STORMY PERIOD

A stormy period confronts the government when Parliament reassembles. While the majority of the members agree that the British policy is the best possible under present conditions, they want to know why Britain alone is suffering from the outbursts, and why some of the anti-foreign propaganda for action is directed against the other powers.

NAMED DIRECTOR

CHATHAM, Jan. 6.—A. G. Dickson has been notified by B. W. Wade of Toronto, secretary of the Canadian Swine Breeders' Association, that he has been elected a director, representing the Maritime Provinces, on the board of directors for that association.

25 ARE DROWNED

SEBASTOPOL, Crimea, Jan. 7.—Wireless dispatches report that 25 persons were drowned when an unnamed Turkish steamer sank last night in the Black Sea near the Toulinsk peninsula (Cape Tula, Rumania). Further south a second Turkish vessel foundered with unknown loss of life. A violent storm is lashing the whole Crimean coast and spreading havoc.

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H. B. McAFEE, Champlain Street, W. E. Phone W. 515.

Use the Want Ad. Way

OLD RECORDS OF ARTILLERY COMPANY FOUND

Secretary Has Written History of Ancient Order

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Years of research in dusty archives has yielded the story of England's oldest regiment, the Honourable Artillery Company, familiarly known as the "H. A. C."

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Rates reduced. In 1926 the average labor charges have cost you from \$1.00 to \$1.25 per hour. At this time we offer you our still better service at 75c per hour. Immediate co-operation regarding your work will complete our new method and your car will get the personal attention of J. M. Dimock of Dimock's Ltd. Repair Service, 1001 say ave. Phone 9480.

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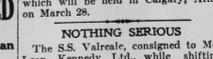
NOTHING SERIOUS

The S.S. Valreal, consigned to McLean, Kennedy, Ltd., while shifting from berth No. 4, Sand Point, to the dry dock at 115 o'clock this afternoon, touched ground as she was leaving the main harbor. Three tugs were taking the ship around and with the aid of a derrick she was freed in about an hour. She was going to dock for engine repairs.

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Butter-Krust BREAD One of the 10 Robinson Pan Breads

Bodies of Brothers To N. B. For Burial

MONCTON, Jan. 6.—The bodies of George and Keller MacPherson, who lost their lives in a boarding house fire at Hanover, Mass., on New Year's night, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon and were taken north to Harcourt last night on the Maritime Express for burial this afternoon at their former home, Emmerson, Kent county.

BUSINESS LOCALS

THORNE'S STORE HOURS During the months of January, February and March, the stores of W. P. Thorne & Co., Ltd., will close on Saturdays at 1 o'clock.

Clearance sale, Ideal Millinery, German street. Hats \$1 and \$2. Ideal millinery.

Furnace Repairs and Gas Water Heaters—P. Campbell & Co., 73 Prince Wm. St.

Hockey at Arena tonight, 8 p. m. Twelve bands on Carleton Rink tonight.

CLEARANCE SALE All fall and winter millinery. Prices \$1.00, \$3.00 and \$7.50.—Francis Skinner, 60 King street.

Ladies' A. O. H. card party tonight. Band Saturday afternoon, Carleton Rink.

South End Rink. Twelve bands tonight. Lent a Hand Circle tea and sale at the Guild Saturday, 4 to 6.30. Tickets 25 cents.

Band Saturday afternoon Carleton Rink. Victoria Bank, band tonight.

LEVINE'S TAXI SERVICE When calling for a taxi don't forget Levine's Taxi Service, 25c. per passenger in city. Meeting all boats and trains. Limousine at taxi rates. Phone M. 8683. Office 37 North street.

Skate at the "Vic" tonight. Dr. A. F. Orr has moved from 155 Germain to 4 Wellington row.

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NO NEED FOR AID. BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 7.—The Italian steamer, Numidia, which broadcast appeals for help last night, and this morning, reported at 4 o'clock today that it was no longer in need of assistance. Rudder trouble was responsible for its difficulty, the captain said, in a brief radio received here by the communications division of the Carleton Navy Yard.

Band tonight, East End Rink.

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Gum Boots Laced Gum Rubbers, Moccasin modelling with thick sole and heel—men's from \$2.95; Boys', sizes 1 to 5, from \$2.45; Sizes 11 to 13, from \$2.15; Sizes 6 to 10, \$1.75. Other styles for Men \$3.75, \$3.90 to \$8.75. Laced Overshoe Gum Rubbers with all rubber vamp and lacing, roll edge sole and heel. 7 inch height, \$3.95—9 inch, mighty special at \$4.25. Knee tying Knit Stockings 75c, \$1, \$1.25. High Felt Stockings, leather bound, \$1.50.

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SAINT JOHN, N. B., JANUARY 7, 1922.

HIGHER TAX RATE
INTEREST will be renewed in the British re-
port and its recommendations by the announce-
ment that the tax rate for this year in Saint John
may be \$3.50. This is higher than last year's rate;

SONGS FOR SOLDIERS AND OTHERS
AN editorial advocating a cheerful attitude
towards work and life in general, a plea none
will desire to contest, a Canadian weekly magazine
links cheer with song.

Technical training, apprenticeship and mathe-
matics are all problems worthy of consideration.
And also might not industrialists and educational
authorities consult each other more freely?

The President of the Incorporated Association of
Headmasters (of Great Britain) is evidently a
highbrow of the loftiest type. He declares that
the commercial cinema depends on its ability to
attract the largest number of silly people in their
silly moments.

The political contest in Antigonish-Guyabrook
is attracting leading members of both the Liberal
and Conservative parties, who are enjoying all the
delights of a winter campaign.

Reference was made in yesterday's Times-Star
to the excellence of the public health nursing ser-
vice, and it is satisfactory to note further that
there has been a corresponding reduction in the
infant death rate.

Other Views
IMPERIAL AIRWAYS
THAT flying is a safe method of travel where
all precautions are carefully observed is shown
by the experience of Imperial Airways, which
worked through the busiest winter months with
passengers, and flown 2,000,000 miles without a
single mishap involving injury to passengers or
the aircraft.

MEALS AND MARRIAGE
IT all sounds horribly matter-of-fact, but sent-
iment can't hold out long against badly cooked
meals. They are not by any means the prime
consideration in married life, but they go a long
way towards promoting harmony or discord.

News and Views From
The British Capital
LONDON, December 23, 1921.—Anglo-Indians,
and particularly soldiers, who know the deli-
cate conditions obtaining on the frontiers, non-
west and northeast, read much more into the pres-
ent troubles in China than the mere loss of com-
mercial prestige or the antagonism to foreign
influence generally at the treaty ports.

London's Poets.
It really would be interesting to know why
Diaghileff's Russian Ballet at the Lyceum, the
rhythmic fire and smouldering beauty of which
quite normal minds can enjoy, attracts all the
bizarre eccentrics and fatuous poseurs in London.

The Kingdom of Canada
(London Free Press)
THE alleged new status of Canada has raised
the question of whether the name Dominion
should not be changed to that of Kingdom.

Be Yourself
THERE'S a little phrase going the
rounds of town. It's
"Be yourself!"
Short, as slang almost always is, and
characteristically very much to the
point, most of you have heard it;

After Dinner
Stories
A YOUTHFUL Sunday school
teacher vouches for the veracity
of this one. The Sunday before Christmas she
was telling her group of mischievous
pupils the story of the Child in
the Manger. They listened attentively,
even forgetting to squirm and wriggle.

Rural England And
Scotland
(L. W. Robertson Scott, in London World Today)
THE characteristic feature of rural life in a large
part of England is the village. In it a farm
worker may live all his life in the same cottage,
a cottage in which his father and grandfather,
even remote forebears, may have lived before him.

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Nature
ITS SAP PRODUCES SIRUP AND
SUGAR
By Arthur N. Pack
"MAPLE SUGAR"
Anyone who has traveled
through New England and Eastern
Canada must be familiar with this
sign, and have sampled some of the de-
licious candy it advertises.

Poems I Love
BY CHAS. HANSON TOWNE
"Martin," by Joyce Kilmer.
LIKE E. A. Robinson's "Flam-
monde," this poem by the late
Joyce Kilmer is a striking por-
trait, the revelation of a whole life
done with a few deft and powerful
strokes.

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Very highest grade of Scotch—far hotter and clean-
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INSTITUTIONS GIVEN BEQUESTS

Will of American Brass Co. Head Goes to Probate

ANSONIA, Conn., Jan. 7.—Charles F. Brooker, chairman of the board of the American Brass Company, who died three weeks ago at Dayton, Fla., left an estate estimated at more than \$3,000,000 to relatives and charitable and educational institutions under his will, filed for probate here.

NEPHEW AND BANK ARE EXECUTORS

Frank N. Travis, a nephew, Alton Farrell, a stepson, and the Ansonia National Bank were named executors. The will provides \$10,000 each for Mr. Travis and Mr. Farrell. The compensation of the bank will be fixed by law. No bond is required of the executors.

Yale University receives \$50,000; the Charlotte Hungerford Hospital of Torrington, \$50,000; the Waterbury Hospital, \$20,000; Kenosha Hospital, \$20,000; General Hospital Society of Connecticut, \$20,000; New Haven County Anti-Tuberculosis Association, \$10,000; Griffin Hospital, Derby, \$10,000; and the Y. M. C. A. of Torrington and Ansonia each \$10,000.

Hillside Cemetery of Torrington receives \$10,000, the trustees of Dartmouth College, \$50,000; Leland Stanford Junior University, \$50,000; Torrington Library, \$20,000; Pine Grove Cemetery of Ansonia, \$10,000; Christ Episcopal Church of Ansonia, \$40,000; and the Julia Day Nursery of Ansonia, \$30,000.

TRUST FUNDS ARE PROVIDED

A legacy in trust of \$100,000 is left to a nephew, Charles M. Travis; Frank N. Travis, is bequeathed \$150,000; Mrs. Hazel E. Farrell, wife of Alton Farrell, \$100,000; and Mrs. Lillian Farrell Cheney, of New Haven, \$50,000.

Alton Farrell receives \$150,000 and also the personal effects. In another provision Farrell is to get \$50,000 and a similar sum goes to Mrs. Lillian Farrell Cheney.

The sum of \$40,000 is left in trust for each of the five children of Alton Farrell and Mrs. Lillian Cheney. A legacy of \$10,000 is bequeathed to Dr. Benjamin Austin Cheney, of New Haven.

Charles E. Steel, private secretary to Mr. Brooker, is left a trust fund of \$25,000.

FRIENDS BENEFIT

The remainder of the estate is bequeathed as follows: A sum of \$5,000 to Charles Brooker Allen, a grandson; \$5,000 to Godfrey Bowen, a grandson; \$5,000 to Miss Marian Bowen, \$15,000 to Miss Harriett B. Parker, \$15,000 to his wife, Mrs. Carrie Olivett Johnson; \$10,000 for another niece, Mrs. Margaret Travis Wadhams, and \$15,000 to John A. Coe.

Ballot For Officers Of Provident Fund

Special to The Times-Star. MONTFON, Jan. 7.—Notices have been posted by C. E. Trice, secretary of the Provident Fund Board of the C. N. R., in connection with the annual election of two representatives of the employees of the I. C. R. and P. E. I. divisions. Nominations will close on Saturday, Jan. 15, and the ballots will be distributed with the first pay in February to those eligible to vote.

IN OFFICE TODAY

Governors of 4 New England States Have Inaugurals. BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 7.—Governors of four New England States took office yesterday, two for the first time, and two began their second terms. The new governors were John E. Weeks, of Vermont and Huntley N. Spaulding, of New Hampshire. Those beginning their second terms were Alvin T. Fuller of Massachusetts, and Ralph O. Brewster of Maine.

Pneumonia Left Her With A Bad Cough

Mrs. W. B. Bennett, 2207 14th St., West, Calgary, Alta., writes: "Over a year ago, before my twins were born, I had an attack of pneumonia which left me with a very bad cough. Being under the doctor's care, he tried first one thing and then another, but I coughed day and night. A friend brought me a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup."

Morgan Fights McGraw At New York Tonight

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Ted Morgan, of Seattle, holder of the junior lightweight title, returns to Madison Square Garden tonight to test his punching prowess on a lightweight. His opponent, in a feature ten round match will be Phil McGraw, of Detroit. McGraw, an aggressive, fast-hitting lightweight, is looked upon as the most dangerous for Morgan has met here since he mounted the throne, but the crown will not be at stake. He will fight the Detroit boxer at catchweights.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup

for to try, and after coughing for two months and taking four six ounce bottles of cough medicine, I got rid of my cough with one and a half bottles of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup."

Price 25c per bottle, large family size 50c; put up only by The W. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Boy Mourned As Dead Found By Girl



Some weeks ago a seven-year-old boy was found lying in a New York street with an artery of his right foot severed. Taken to Flower Hospital an operation saved his life but he could not identify himself. During a party in the children's dispensary at the hospital the boy was wheeled through a neighboring ward where Frances Trobat 7 recovering from pneumonia recognized the boy as her playmate Nicholas Ritzo. His parents had mourned him as dead or kidnapped. Photo shows young Nicholas with Frances and their nurses Helen Reese and Frances Maguire.

ACROSS CANADA

ST. CATHARINES, Ont.—Louis Brinkel of this city was convicted of chicken stealing Monday by the evidence of three hens. When Thomas Secord found six chickens missing, he took a police officer to Brinkel's home. Three of the chickens were found there.

MONTREAL—Canadian indoor tennis championships will be held on the courts of the Montreal Indoor Tennis Club from January 18 to 22. The events will be the Canadian men's singles and doubles.

MONTREAL—Church offices in the buildings erected in front of St. James' United church are now ready for occupancy. Already the Montreal-Ottawa conference and local presbytery executive staff have moved into the new home. St. James' church is about to take possession of its section of the building.

MONTREAL—Over eight million more dollars in customs sales tax and excise duties was collected by the port of Montreal in 1926 than in 1925. Last year's total collections were \$84,000,000, as compared with \$86,996,558 in 1925.

TORONTO—No news regarding the diamond drilling results at the Area property in northern Quebec is expected until next week. When drilling gets under way on Thursday of last week it was expected that the drill might interest the mineralized zone by today. Some delays have been encountered. Things generally have been against rapid progress being made. It is most unlikely that any information will come to hand until January 10 at the earliest.

OTTAWA—It is possible that the judgment of the Dominion Railway Board on the application of the Bell Telephone Company for a 25 per cent increase in its rates will be rendered at the end of this week or early next week. Steady progress has been made in a consideration of the mass of evidence.

QUEBEC—Notice has been received by the Minister of Lands and Forests that the Portneuf Power Company intends to apply for permission to construct a dam, power house and other works on the Ste. Anne de la Paroisse River at or near St. Alban, Portneuf county; and also that the St. Maurice River Boom and Driving Co., Ltd., of Three Rivers, intends to erect a pier and enlarge its booms on the St. Maurice River at Grande Piles.

AUSTRALIA NEEDS AMERICAN CAPITAL

Premier Bruce Says His Country Has Vast Potential Resources. CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—"America should invest its wealth in Australia for its own sake," Premier Bruce of Australia, told members of the Industrial Club, last night. The premier compared Australia, as a young country, to Chicago and the middle west—a nation of 6,000,000 persons and rich in undeveloped resources.

Australia is an undeveloped nation with resources equal to those in the United States. The commonwealth alone, of all the nations of the world, is the one which may replace the wealth lost in the recent war. The whole basis of the present economic problems, is how we are to create assets to replace the economic credits expended during the war years.

Though Australia is a great undeveloped source of wealth, it cannot be exploited without increased capital and population. The United States is the country which must supply much of the capital.

Flowers Wins

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Jan. 7.—Tiger Flowers, former middleweight champion, knocked out Tat Jackson, negro heavyweight of Washington (Court House, Okla.) in the second round of a scheduled ten and bout last night. Flowers weighed 166 pounds; Jackson 190.

Saskatoon In Lead

SASKATOON, Sask., Jan. 7.—Saskatoon Shells jumped into the race for the championship of the Prairie League last night, by scoring a 3-2 victory over Calgary Tigers. The win was recorded four minutes and fifty seconds after the start of the overtime period.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNUAL TREAT IS ENJOYABLE

St. Columba Visited by Santa Claus—Children Have Fine Time

The annual Sunday school Christmas treat and entertainment of St. Columba Presbyterian church was held last night when a nicely decorated tree was much in evidence and an old-fashioned fire place with logs burning on the hearth added a very pleasing touch in the decorative scheme. Santa Claus appeared and was very ably represented by Fred Morrow, who arrived at the close of the program and

assisted by Mrs. Edward Duff, distributed bags of candy and nuts to every member of the school. Gifts were exchanged between the teachers and pupils. Rev. W. M. Townsend's boys' Bible class presented him a gift of gold. Mrs. Samuel Compton and Miss Annie M. Townsend, who had memorized and recited the shorter catechism, were awarded diplomas which had been signed by Rev. J. A. MacGillivray, moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly, and Rev. W. M. Kannavin, D.D., general secretary of Sunday schools and Young People's Societies for the Presbyterian Church of Canada.

Mr. Townsend presented the diplomas and read a letter of appreciation from Dr. Kannavin. Mr. Townsend, on behalf of the Sunday school, presented books to Miss A. E. Townsend, a teacher, who had perfect attendance during the year and to Mrs. W. J. Stinson, Miss Bessie MacQuarrie, Miss Margaret Ewart and Miss Margaret Rose, for good attendance. Percy Hemm, a little Chinese member of the Sunday school, was also awarded a book for almost perfect attendance. Mr. Townsend also presented awards of merit to Howard Brownell for good attendance at church and Sunday school and to Kathleen

America, Gladys Storey, Mildred Morrow, Raymond Morrow for good attendance at Sunday school. The program was as follows: Chorus by seven little girls dressed in white; recitation, Frances Murray; recitation, Gordon Snodgrass; solo, Gladys Storey; dialogue, "Telephone Orders"; Kathleen Masson and F. Brownell; recitation, Frances Wall; recitation, Helen Snodgrass; recitation, Patricia Walls; chorus, "All Obedy"; by boys and girls; drill, by seven girls; recitation, Kathleen Amero; dialogue, "The Christmas Spirit"; by several girls; chorus, "Tiny Tots"; by several little girls; recitation, Gladys Storey; recitation, Mildred Morrow; dialogue, "Why Do We Have Christmas?"; chorus, "Jingle Bells"; by 14 boys and girls; recitation, Helen Amero; chorus, "Beautiful Garden of Prayer"; by 10 little girls; flag salutation; God Save the King.

Among those who took part in the drills were Agnes Gordon, Raymond Brownell, Kathleen Masson and Jimmy Burns. GRIPPE EPIDEMIC DIES. PARIS, Jan. 7.—The epidemic of la grippe caused by the recent drastic changes in temperature, is dying down in the Paris region but continues to ravage several of the provinces.

Housewives Rely on "SALADA" TEA

Its goodness never fails. Ask for it.

Russian Predicts Seven Earthquakes. LENINGRAD, Jan. 7.—The prediction that a far more terrible earthquake than that which devastated Armenia last May, may occur there at any time, was made by Russia's greatest seismologist, Prof. Nickiforov. The professor said that Leningken, centre of the last violent disturbance, was in a vast amphitheatre of volcanic action, that gigantic layers had been loosened and that the subterranean rock and earth, seeking to find a level, would cause convulsions for months. No less than 33 shocks have been recorded in Armenia since November 2, keeping the population in a state of alarm.

Stores open 9 a.m. Close 6 p.m. during the winter months. Friday, January 7

Sale of Fur Coats. There's a decided advantage in buying your Fur Coat now. You will find at your disposal the most popular furs—fashioned to preserve their chic throughout several years of continuous wear, and just as winter begins our entire stock of Fur Coats has been marked at special clearing prices. (Fur Dept.—Second Floor.)

40 Satin Dresses Saturday \$9.90. Lovely quality Satin Face Crepe Dresses at a price that would little more than pay for the fabric alone. A good range of styles to choose from. Colors include Chinese blue, navy, gold, brown, sand, rosewood and black. Sizes in the lot 16, 18, 20, 38 and 40. Special Saturday \$9.90. (Costume Dept.—Second Floor.)

January Clearance Sale Children's Jersey Suits. Just the time to fit the small boy and girl out in the most satisfactory winter sport suit imaginable. These 4-Piece Knitted Suits, comprising Sweater, Togue, Overalls and Mittens, come in good colors—viz., navy, grey, heather, copen, white and cardinal. Sizes 2, 3, 4 years, with a few 5 and 6 year sizes. Marked very low for quick clearance. Sale price \$3.50. (Men's Clothing Dept.—Second Floor.)

Scotch Tartan Plaid Viyella Flannel Special Price 89c. yd. Genuine Viyella Tartan Flannels, serviceable and unshrinkable, most suitable for ladies' or children's dresses. (Wash Goods Dept.—Ground Floor.)

Annual Free-Hemming will begin on Monday, January 10. For further particulars, see our advertisement in Saturday's paper.

Hosiery You Need For Evening, Street and Sports Wear. Women's Silk and Wool Hose—Soft and comfortable, good colors. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Price 75c. pair. Pure Silk Hose with ladder stop. New evening shades as peach, silver, grain, champagne, buff, woodland rose and white. All sizes. Price \$1.75 pair. The latest in gaiters. Assorted colors. \$1.75 and \$3 pair. (Hosiery Dept.—Ground Floor.)

Annual Whitewear Showing of Ladies' and Children's Undergarments. The lure of dainty lingerie proves irresistible to the average woman. There is something very appealing in this attractive display of Undergarments—fresh new stockings in delicate and gay colorings—tailored, hand-made, embroidery and lace-trimmed—all sizes and the very newest models to make your selection from at attractive prices. (Ladies' and Children's Departments—Second Floor.)

Hand Bags. STYLISH AND DURABLE. English-made Hand Bags—in Pin Seal, Morocco, Velvet, Calf, Alligator, and Fancy Striped Grain, fitted with mirror, inner purse, memo pad, pencil, etc. Prices \$7.50 to \$11. Pouch Bags, in sheep skin, seal, India, also many fancy grains in sand, blonde, grey, red, blue, black, etc. \$5 to \$9.25. Underarm Bags in grey, tan, blue, brown, blonde and black, in real leather and fitted with mirror, inner purse, etc. Prices \$4.25 to \$12. A special lot of Beaded Bags, in light and dark colorings with chain and cord handles and fancy tops. \$1.25 and \$1.75. (Purse Dept.—Ground Floor.)

Sale of Linoleum Rugs. And Piece Goods Still on in Our Carpet Department—Remarkable Values. If you have a large room you want covered at a low price, this is your opportunity. A piece, 4 yds. by 5 yards, Heavy Printed Linoleum, \$17. (Carpet Dept.—Germain street entrance.)

SIMMONS. Over 600 coils yield to every body curve. Deep layers of new foiled cotton. Eight ventilators keep it always fresh. Security and evenly tufted. Uniform top. Four handles: Convenient for turning. Each coil acts in its own fabric pocket. Cotton surrounds both sides and ends. Finest cover adds life and beauty. Firm edge: Good appearance when dressed.

January Clearance of Mattresses. Simmons' All Cotton Mattresses, with imperial roll edges, heavy ticking, hand tufted. All sizes. Exceptional value at \$6.95. M. R. A. Special All Cotton Mattresses—Layer built, hand tufted, French roll edges. All sizes. Exceptional value at \$8.75. Simmons' White Cotton Mattresses—Built not stuffed, fine quality tick, imperial roll edges. All sizes. Exceptional value at \$11. The Saint John Hand Upholstered Mattress, made exclusively for us by Simmons. French roll edges, all sizes. Exceptional value at \$15. Simmons' Sunstar Layerbuilt White Felt Mattresses—Hand made, taped edges, heavy ticking. All sizes. Exceptional value at \$17.50. The Maritime Mattresses, as illustrated above, made by Simmons exclusively for M. R. A. Fully guaranteed in every detail. Ventilated. All sizes. Exceptional value at \$32.50. M. R. A., Ltd., Where "Good" Furniture Is Not Expensive. (Furniture Store—Market Square.)

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Dorothy Dix

The Puzzled Bachelor to Whom Girls Grow Less Attractive on Longer Acquaintance— Earnest Advice to Girl Who Doesn't Attract Men—Can an Ungrateful Daughter Be Forced to Support Mother?

DEAR MISS DIX—Is there such a thing as lasting love? The older I get the more I doubt it. Just at first a girl is very attractive, but after a while when you become better acquainted, you lose interest in her.



ANSWER: Of course, there is such a thing as real, lasting love. It is true that we are seldom privileged to behold it, just as we seldom see a flawless jewel, or a perfect rose, or any other thing that has perfect form and is free from all the muddling world of ours.

But now and then we see an old couple who are as much in love with each other after forty or fifty years of wedlock as they were when they stood before the altar.

We all know men still in love with wives who are querulous and nagging and complain through long stretches of invalidism; men who uncomplainingly spend their lives slaving to support extravagant wives, who never give them so much as a "thank you."

And we all know wives who still love the men who beat and mistreat them; whose love endures even unfaithfulness; wives who go down into the depths of poverty and shame for their husbands; wives who can still love the drunken beasts they open the door for at night; wives who are waiting without the gates of prisons to take back into the shelter of their arms the men who have shamed them.

You cannot see such examples of love as these without knowing that there is such a thing as a love that passes all comprehension, and that is strong enough to endure every vicissitude of fate. But it is not given to many of us either to arouse this feeling in others or to experience it ourselves.

Most of us are just as incapable of the grand passion as we are of singing in grand choirs. We are too little, too narrow, too selfish, too stingy. The only person we ever really love with a whole-hearted devotion is ourselves.

We think we love because some man or woman has a physical attraction for us, or we find him or her an agreeable and amusing companion, or because he or she can make life more comfortable for us. This feeling lasts only as long as the party of the other part ministers to our pleasure, and when that ceases our fickle fancy turns to some one else.

This sort of love is only self-love. Real love seeks not its own but the happiness and well-being of its object. It never changes because it never tires of sacrificing to its beloved.

Whether the women of this day seldom have the qualities that inspire a deathless devotion in men, or whether men have become so self-centered that they no longer are capable of a great love, no one knows.

But one thing is sure, you will be wise not to marry until you find a girl who grows more and more fascinating to you every time you see her, and whom you love better than you do yourself.

DEAR MISS DIX—I am a girl of 22 and good-looking, but I do not attract men. I am a girl of 22 and good-looking, but I do not attract men. I am a girl of 22 and good-looking, but I do not attract men.

ANSWER: There is no Old Doctor Know It All who has any remedy for a case such as yours is. In olden times, women bought love philters and sorceries, which they surreptitiously administered to the men or sorcerers, which they surreptitiously administered to the men or sorcerers, which they surreptitiously administered to the men or sorcerers.

Why certain girls attract men while other girls, just as good-looking and intelligent, never have a heart to bless themselves with; why some women can marry seven times, and other women who are far better fitted to make good wives than they are, have Spenser engraved upon their tombstones, is a mystery that all solving. It just happens that way.

And nobody can prescribe for the girl's trouble, because nobody knows what ails her. Sometimes it is because she isn't anxious enough to please men, but just as often it is because she is too anxious to please them. Sometimes it is because she is a dumbbell. Sometimes it is because she is a human phonograph. Sometimes it is because she doesn't dress well enough, but it is just as likely to be because she dresses too much. And there you are.

My earnest advice to the girl who doesn't attract men is to try to forget it. Quit worrying over it. Interest yourself in other things. Go to work and make your own money, and do it so you need not be out of all the good times. Perhaps that doesn't sound very cheerful to the girl who wants the admiration of men, but when you accept the fact that a thing is beyond your reach, and you can't have it, anyway, you can make yourself very cheerful with the things you can have. A consolation prize is better than no prize at all.

But I certainly think that if you want to be popular nowadays you will have to learn to dance. The modern youth appears to put far more stress upon a girl's heels than he does upon her head or her heart.

DEAR MISS DIX—I am the mother of a large family, most of whom are dead. I am a widow, and for the last eighteen years I have been supported by one daughter who works hard, and who has sacrificed her life to me.

I have another daughter who is married, and who has grown sons at work. She is well off financially, but she has never given me a penny. She doesn't even come to see me, although she is one of the pillars of the church in the little town in which she lives.

Is there not some way that I can make this ungrateful daughter contribute to my support and lift some of the burden from my single daughter? ANXIOUS MOTHER.

ANSWER: The law would compel your tight-fisted daughter to contribute to your support. The best way to do it would be to have a lawyer write a letter to your daughter telling her that you are going to bring suit to compel her to contribute to your maintenance, unless she voluntarily makes you a monthly allowance.

She evidently values her position in the community, and would not want to be disgraced by having it known that she refused to take care of the mother who bore her.

Every day we read in the papers about the desolation that must flood an old woman's heart as she sees the child she bore in agony, and for whom she has sacrificed and toiled, begrudge her even a crust of bread or a bed. Nor can I think of any human means equal to that of the man or woman who turns an old parent out to starve as they would a worn out old work horse.

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Now's The Time To Plan Wardrobe

By HENRI BENDÉL

WHILE budgeting the resolutions for the New Year, you may not include one or two regarding clothes? Better, why not plan your wardrobe for the year in January and then keep to your schedule and see how much better you fare than when you buy from season to season.

The modern rule in clothes is fewer and better models. Just as the smart woman has eliminated unnecessary details and meaningless decoration from her gowns, so has she banished the superfluous frock.

Clothes have become much more adaptable. Each gown can play more than one role if called upon to do so. The same dress that may be worn with propriety in the morning need not be inappropriate for the theatre or tea.

Many women have simplified their clothes problems by wearing the modified sport type for practically every day occasion. Then with smart evening attire they can take care of any social demands.

ONE COLOR SCHEME As you budget for the year, select your main color scheme, and buy within your color harmony so that you have no frock that cannot be matched with one or more of your stock of hats and coats.

I believe that beige and brown or beige and black or navy blue and gray makes the most practical color structure. By keeping your hats, wraps and shoes within a two-color limit, you introduce no jarring note in the essentials.

While your main and your most important day clothes can come within these color limits, you can vary as much as you like in your occasional and incidental frocks.

I have had photographed for today three frocks that make charming additions to any well-planned wardrobe. While they were especially designed for Florida or the Riviera, they are not limited in their appeal. They are easy to wear, and becoming to almost any type of woman.

Practical indeed is the Chanel creation which combines a brown crepe de chine blouse with a printed, fold skirt. The blouse is trimmed with self-covered buttons, the skirt is pleated on the side and bound with the brown a



A white crepe de chine frock from Lanvin. The pockets and cuffs are of gold cloth.

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While nothing could be more charming than the white and gold combination, this same model could be effectively copied in endless combinations of light and dark shades.

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ANSWER: Of course, there is such a thing as real, lasting love. It is true that we are seldom privileged to behold it, just as we seldom see a flawless jewel, or a perfect rose, or any other thing that has perfect form and is free from all the muddling world of ours.

Medicine and Surgery Make Amazing Gains

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first of a series of articles by Dr. Fishbein, reviewing the progress of medicine and surgery during the last 25 years.

By DR. MORRIS FISHBELN MEDICINE has progressed amazingly during the last 25 years. The benefits of organization that is characteristically American have reached every American community.

Medical science has increased so greatly that specialization now is necessary in many fields. Few men are capable of comprehending or applying all the intricacies and refinements of diagnosis and treatment as it is today.

FIND CAUSES AND REMEDIES This century has seen the discovery of the causes of whooping cough, infectious jaundice, African sleeping sickness, syphilis and possibly measles. The discovery of the cause, in most instances, has resulted in a method of control.

The modern hospital is built around a pathologic laboratory. The constituents of the human body have been analyzed down to their fundamental substances.

Surgery has taken marvelous strides and has become extraordinarily conservative. Operations are seldom done by competent surgeons without the most exacting diagnosis.

X-RAY'S WONDERFUL AID The X-ray has helped wonderfully toward accurate diagnosis. Fifteen years ago an operation on the chest was a hazardous undertaking. Today surgical leaders do not hesitate to operate on the lungs, the lining of the chest wall, various parts of the gastrointestinal tract and even the heart and the great blood vessels.

In 1927 a man's expectancy of life was 35 years. In the century that has elapsed the life expectancy has increased by 20. A child born today may reasonably be expected to live to be 55. Through periodic physical examination the span can be lengthened.

(The next article will be: Medicine and Pharmacology.)

Flapper Fanny Says

It takes more than a needle and thread to mend your ways.

Fashion Fancies.

Here is a modish new street frock, recommended because of its trim appearance and its slenderizing lines.

The material is wool crepe in black. Added smartness is given by the use of a line of tiny covered buttons down the side, with narrow bands of braid in gold, red and blue.

A Thought Watch and pray that ye enter not into temptation; the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.—Matt. 26:41.

I KNOW and love the good, yet, ah! the wrong pursuit.—Petrarch.

To Banish COUGHS COLDS and BRONCHIAL TROUBLES Take PEPS

PEPS tablets give off agreeable and highly germicidal fumes that bathe the throat and breathing passages and allay soreness and inflammation and ward off dangerous colds and chills.

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When shopping a Peps in the mouth soothes the throat and relieves that annoying and persistent cough.

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BEHIND THE SCREEN

Above (top to bottom) are Ramon Novarro, Lon Chaney and Norman Kerry, and (right) Antonio Moreno.

By DAN THOMAS. THERE are accidents and accidents—disasters and luck. This story deals with the accidents which have made movie stars. Many of celluloid's celebrities are occupying their present positions because of accidents. Many of them started out to be anything from an engineer to a minister.

Antonio Moreno started life in Spain with but one object—to become a priest. "It was while I was in school studying for priesthood that I first felt a desire to act," says Tony. "I took part in a religious play and liked it so well that I decided to give up preaching and become an actor. I came to America, and after a few months on the stage, was given a part in a picture. And I have been before the camera ever since."

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See-Sawing On Broadway

FROM a story in a Manhattan theatrical newspaper devoted to Broadway gossip I have clipped this paragraph:

"Vivian Minor was known intimately enough in the theatrical and night club world to be hailed by nicknames. But she died a pauper in the night. Hotel last week with an empty box of sleeping pills near her bed."

THERE are two things which, in the lingo of Broadway, you should "tab." I—Broadway hailed her nicknames. The day had come when she needed bromides in order to sleep.

If you happen to live in a town where the postmaster calls everyone "Bill" and "Joe" and you fall into a snug sleep after a hard day's work, you may find it hard to read between the lines. Broadway understands! Oh, very well.

BUT, wait a minute, until I tell you a couple of stories! They are typical Manhattan tales. About the time of the war Vivian Minor came into New York and swung off the train in a huge, crowded railroad station. Don't forget that railroad station—it figures in the story!

She was as unimportant as any other person in the great depot. Her husband was a captain in the army, or something, and divorced her in France. Or perhaps she divorced him. That's unimportant. A couple of years later Vivian's mother died and the attractive girl came into \$50,000. That's important.

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It's not mere coincidence that science continues to advise the use of cod-liver oil as a substitute for sunlight, or that coughs, colds or other respiratory ills are more troublesome in winter.

For more than fifty years Scott's Emulsion has been like rays of sunlight in thousands of homes. It helps keep people strong during the sun-short days of winter.

Scott's Emulsion is the pleasant way to obtain the benefits of cod-liver oil vitamins. Before winter's ills overtake you, build up your resistance with Scott's Emulsion!

Scott & Bowne, Toronto, Ont.

The Rhyming Optimist

By ALINE MICHAELIS. The poet sang of mystic things in accents sweet and clear; his voice was like a viol's strings, but few were there to hear. His song was all of regions far beyond man's longing gaze, the ordered march of star by star, the sun's dim, hidden ways. There was such beauty in his tones as when the restless sea tossed her snowy arms and moans for all earth's misery; but few there were who understood or even paused to hear the poet in his mystic mood of solemn awe and fear. But when he sang of simple things that all his brothers knew—Spring sunlight on a robin's wings, great pines against the blue—then men came from foreign lands to hear him as he sang, until that I decided to give up preaching and become an actor. I came to America, and after a few months on the stage, was given a part in a picture. And I have been before the camera ever since."

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Piles QUICKLY BANISHED

"I suffered years of agony through blind itching piles," says Mrs. W. Hughes, of Hochelaga St., Montreal. "Pain, loss of strength, complete misery, was my daily lot until I came across Zam-Buk. I know now that there is nothing on earth to equal this grand herbal healer. Since it lifted me from misery, my earnest wish is to make Zam-Buk known

Social Personal and Club News

Mrs. N. C. Scott Is Named President of The United W. M. S. of Saint John

Mrs. N. C. Scott was elected president of the United Women's Missionary Societies of the city at the annual meeting held yesterday afternoon in St. David's Memorial Hall...

Social Notes

The first meeting, since the holiday season of the Junior League Bridge Club, was held at the home of Mr. Macgregor Grant, Elliott Row, on Wednesday evening...

Maritime Y. W. C. A. Course Now Being Held At Moncton Given Addresses of Merit

MONCTON, Jan. 7.—The Maritime Y. W. C. A. course, which is being attended by representatives of the various branches throughout the Dominion...

Church and Social Order Subject of Week of Prayer

Forceful and timely addresses were delivered at a number of the special services held last evening in connection with the week of prayer observance by 40 Protestant congregations in the city...

Weddings

WOOD-CAMERON SHEDIAC, Jan. 6.—Mrs. Leona Cameron of McKee's Mills, near Bouchette, and Leonard M. Wood of McKee's Mills were united in marriage at the home of Rev. Robert M. Brodie...

Baptist W. M. S. and C. G. I. T. Girls Hold Norton Meetings

NORTON, Jan. 6.—The W. M. S. of the United Baptist church held its January meeting at the home of Mrs. G. C. Brown Tuesday afternoon...

Women's Institute Meets At Apohaqui; Guests Mrs. H. S. Jones

APOHAQUI, Jan. 6.—The Christmas meeting of the Apohaqui Women's Institute was held on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 6, at the home of Mrs. H. S. Jones...

Christmas Party Is Enjoyed At Mothers' Meeting At St. Paul's

The Christmas party of the members of the Mothers' meeting of St. Paul's church held last evening in the school room of the church was very heartily enjoyed by everyone present...

Alexandra Temple Auxiliary Meets

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Alexandra Temple of Honor at its meeting in the Temple Hall, Main street, yesterday afternoon received the very hearty thanks of the Temple for the Christmas gift of \$150 presented by the Auxiliary...

REGRETS HIS PASSING.

Feeling reference to the loss sustained by the Home for Incurables in the death of F. B. Ellis, who was treasurer of that institution for 13 years, was made at the meeting of the directors yesterday afternoon...

RESUMES STUDIES.

Fraser F. Fulton, who spent the Christmas vacation in the city with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. G. Fulton, left on Wednesday for Montreal to resume his studies at McGill University...

FAIRY STORY.

Once there was a man who went just into a haberdashery to buy just one collar and emerged after having bought just one collar.

LONDON HOUSE New Year Sales! Have The Greatest Savings On All Your Winter Needs. Imported British Tweed Coats, Large Fur Collared Values to \$29.75, 20 Doz. Towels Turk and Huck Sale 29c. each, 4 for \$1, Girls' School Dresses, A Big Remnant Bargain Counter In Annex Saturday, Stamped Goods In New Year Sales.

So EASY to Keep Your Floors Bright and Shining. Johnson's Electric Floor Polish. EMERSON BROS., LTD. 25 Germain Street. Close at 1 on Saturdays Phone Main 1910

BABSON SCHOOL GETS MILLION

Founder's Gift Is to Aid in Developing Ideals of Service

Development of business training that will instill into students the Christian ideals of service, "emphasizing that real profits come only from helping to make the world better," is the goal of Roger W. Babson of Wellesley Hills, Mass., in giving an endowment of \$1,200,000 to the Babson Statistical Institute.

Accompanying the gift is an agreement on the part of Mr. Babson to donate the further sum of \$50,000 annually above the total of \$1,200,000 for each additional year Mr. Babson lives after Dec. 31, 1926.

In presenting this amount of money to the Babson Institute, the endowment fund of this school becomes second to the George F. Baker fund endowment the Harvard School of Business Administration.

The purpose of this gift is to experiment with the system of individual training in which Mr. and Mrs. Babson are interested with the underlying idea that habits are more important than knowledge. To quote Mr. Babson:

"In these days of experts, knowledge can easily be purchased, but the habits necessary to success and happiness can only be acquired through training."

The other purposes of the gift, as outlined in a letter written to the trustees of the Babson Institute by Mr. Babson, are:

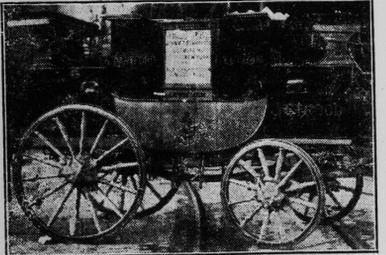
"To train men in the fundamental habits of integrity, industry, temperance, accuracy, promptness, initiative, concentration, thrift and the other basic requisites to a truly happy and successful business life."

"To acquire fundamental business knowledge with special attention to the great underlying cycle movements and showing the opportunities and dangers accompanying such movements."

"To teach men where they can find information on any subject and what are the best methods of securing such information accurately and quickly when desired."

DON'T SAY IT. A SCOTTISH PROVERB: Never be the first to say, "What's yours?"

Sam Weller's Coach Leaves England



The famous old stage-coach "Commodore," of which Charles Dickens made Sam Weller the driver, has been sold to a former Canadian—J. McE. Bowman, the millionaire hotelman of New York. The picture shows the old coach on the dock, ready for its trans-Atlantic trip.

BUILT ORGAN OUT OF CANS AND SLATS

British Miner Earns Unique Livelihood For Self and Family

LEEDS, Jan. 6—A home-made three-manual organ which has in its "innards" such homely articles as old syrup tins and the discarded knobs from a brass bedstead has recently been making a tour of Yorkshire. It is attached to a platform coupled to the frame of a bicycle, and so can easily be propelled from place to place.

John Dayton, a Nottingham miner, made this unique instrument out of packing cases and now plays it for a living. Six years ago he was prevented from carrying on his usual employment, and he conceived the idea of the organ.

"I had never seen the inside of an organ," he said to an interviewer, "and everything in the instrument is of my own construction. I used old packing cases for the framework and sound-boards. I made every reed from old clock-springs, the keys from opal glass, the bellows of American leather."

Originally the organ had only one key-board, but with practice came ambition. Now the instrument has three manuals and eight stops. Many of the

stop-handles are made of old fancy buttons and others of bedstead knobs. Part of an alarm clock has been used to work the tremolo fan and the syring has been used for some of the pipes.

There has been little enough attempt at external "finish," wires and tubes peep out from unexpected places, but the instrument has a fair volume of tone. The constructor-organizer wanders from town to town giving his novel "recitals," and earns enough to keep a wife and child from the proceeds of collections taken from the audience. He lives with his family in a caravan.

STRIKE VOTE IN SOUTH

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 6—William G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, today confirmed a report that conductors, trainmen and yardmen of railroads in southeastern territory are taking a strike vote. Mr. Lee refused to make any other statement.

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HATCH INSURED FOR MILLION DOLLARS

Policy on Life of Distillery Head Largest Written in Canada

TORONTO, Jan. 7—Insurance of \$1,000,000 on the life of H. C. Hatch, president of Gooderham & Worts, Limited, arising out of the acquisition by these interests of the distillery business of Hiram Walker & Sons, Walkerville, has been underwritten by the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Canada, the initial premium being \$30,000. This is said to be the largest life policy ever written in this country, and it brings up the insurance carried on Mr. Hatch to \$1,000,000.

If death overtook Mr. Hatch at the present juncture, loss to the underwriters would be: On behalf of Hiram Walker, Limited, \$1,000,000; on behalf of Gooderham & Worts, \$250,000; on behalf of Mr. Hatch's heirs, \$200,000, and previous insurance totalling approximately \$100,000.

Mr. Hatch has been chosen to head the new holding company of Hiram Walker, Ltd.

N. S. FRUIT PROBERS TO SAIL FROM HERE

HALIFAX, Jan. 6—Announcement was made here today by Hon. J. A. Walker, minister of natural resources and provincial development, that Professor W. A. Middleton, provincial horticulturist, and Eric Leslie, secretary of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association, would sail from Saint John today on the Metagama, on a special tour of Great Britain for the purpose of investigating the conditions under which Nova Scotia apples are marketed in the old country.

GERMAN WILL SING IN AMERICA SOON

British United Press

BERLIN, Jan. 6—The Metropolitan Opera audiences will have an opportunity to hear one of the leading singers of Germany, when Michael Bohren, basso, arrives there within a few weeks for a series of 32 engagements. Bohren has been loaned to the Metropolitan and is now arranging to sail for New York. His most popular role is sung with Hans Sachs in Wagner's Meistersinger.

Critics recently acclaimed him as Germany's most powerful singer and both his voice and endurance are much praised. With Sachs he sang in Strauss' Rosenkavalier Saturday at Leipzig and in another opera there Sunday. Both then went by airplane to Paris where they sang Monday, returning to Berlin in the same plane and singing in Tosca Wednesday.

MANITOBA TO VOTE

Appeal to Country Likely This Summer, is Winnipeg Report

WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 6—Manitoba will be the scene of a provincial election this year and already preparations for the campaign are under way. The date has not yet been fixed, and probably will not be announced until after the regular meeting of the legislature in February, but it is likely to be held during the month of June or July, according to present indications.

Premier John Bracken and his administration will seek the endorsement of the electorate, and the first candidate was nominated today. J. M. Black, K. C., of Morden, was nominated as Bracken supporter at a convention held at Morden this morning. He

will represent the constituency of Morden-Rhineland. John Kennedy, a Conservative, is the present member for Morden-Rhineland.

EIGHT MISSING

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 6—Eight lives are believed to have been lost when the seine fishing boat Jessie Island No. 4 foundered on the west coast of Vancouver Island. Latest information states the vessel

was located by the Bamfield lifeboat today in Pachena Bay, a total wreck. Two whites and six Indians are said to have been on board when the vessel left Chemainus for Barkley Sound, Dec. 26.

FOUR KILLED

SUPERIOR, Wis., Jan. 6—Four persons were killed and 17 injured when a Great Northern passenger train hit a trolley car here tonight at a grade crossing.

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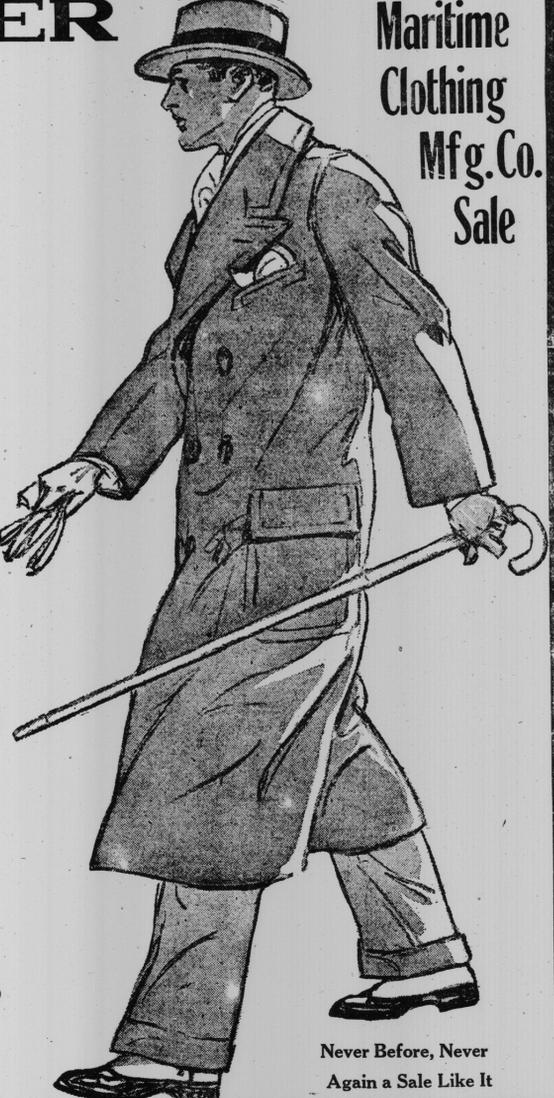
CROWDS RUSH SALE OF MANUFACTURER

To give all a fair chance to get at the Factory Exit Sale of Coats for Men, Women and Children, extra sales clerks have had to be hired Never was such excitement—never a Sale direct from manufacturer to Saint John Public—at one-third below wholesale. Forced out of their factory by incoming tenant, Stock of 1,500 Coats removed to Store at corner Charlotte Street and Princess, formerly occupied by Allan Pharmacy.



- LADIES' \$2.00 Take your pick of 200 Coats and Suits—but there are only 100 of them. Many buy to make into Kiddies' Clothes. \$4.75 250 Ladies' Coats of \$15 to \$22.50 retail value. Some fur-trimmed—all the loveliest English Coatings of every color—fully lined and interlined. Manufacturer's Close-Out Sale \$4.75. \$8.45 300 Ladies' Velour and other All Wool Coats—FUR TRIMMED. Made to retail around \$20. Dig in and help yourself at \$8.45. \$12.75 Best Suedenes with choicest Mouflon Fur Collars and Cuffs. \$14.75 The most stylish colors and nicest modelling—\$35 value if worth a cent. Only 250 Coats at \$12.75 and \$14.75. Furred Tweeds at prices too low to be believed here. See them, that's all—150 of them. 200 Spring Coats almost given away.

- MEN'S Fifteen Dollar Warm in dignified Browns and long-lasting thickness. Manufacturer's Quitting Sale at \$9.00. Blue Chinchillas and other nice colors in Coatings of robust weight—36 to 40 ounces to square yard. Smart and snappy, \$22.50 retail value. Buy here for \$13.75. Lots of Blue Chinchillas of \$35 and \$40 swankiness along with every Gray, in soft and warm wools; 36-40 ounces to yd. Buy from quitting Manufacturer at \$16.50. Forty dollar best English Meltons in beautiful Blues and Grays, both regular and straight line Ulsters. Buy quick from departing Manufacturer at \$19.50. KIDDIES' Made from remnants of best Men's Overcoatings. Finest a boy or girl ever wore. Only 75 left. Sizes 4 to 12. Price by size \$3.50 to \$6.50



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SAINT JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, JANUARY 7, 1927

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LARGE STEAMSHIP COMPANY FIGURING ON SAINT JOHN SERVICE

Nova Scotian Officials Leave Here For England To Boost Apple Trade

NEGOTIATIONS OPENED WITH CONSUL HERE

This is Additional to Proposal for Clarke Steamship Co.

BELIEVES PROSPECTS ARE MUCH BRIGHTER

Two Vessels Would Call Here on Voyages Between Europe and Cuba

NEGOTIATIONS have been entered into with R. G. Betancourt, Cuban consul at Saint John, by a large steamship company operating more than 20 ships of the finest type, regarding the establishing of a Saint John to Havana steamship service, Mr. Betancourt said this morning.

With this line negotiating for such a service and the favorable inclination shown the proposition by the Clarke Steamship Company, he felt that something definite would be arrived at in the near future.

CLARKE S. S. SUBSIDY.

Reports that a subsidy of \$10,000 had been granted by the Clarke Steamship Company by the Cuban government could not be officially confirmed although it is believed to be true. "El Mundo," a Cuban newspaper, in a recent edition carried an article to the effect that such a subsidy had been granted in an effort to promote increased tourist traffic in Cuba.

FAVORABLE VIEW.

The other company negotiating with Mr. Betancourt operates a service between Pacific coast ports and Europe. It is proposed to have two more ships placed on the run and to call at Havana and Saint John on the return trip. The company is inclined to look on the matter with favor, Mr. Betancourt said. Letters from prominent Cuban importers and exporters have been sent to them guaranteeing cargoes provided a regular schedule is adopted. The Clarke Company is also showing much interest in the matter and Mr. Clarke is going further into the matter with Mr. Betancourt.

PROSPECT IN APPLES.

Mr. Betancourt pointed out another matter of importance. Thousands of barrels of apples are imported annually by Cuba from California, apples that are good in many cases not only for eating but also for making into applesauce. Mr. Betancourt said, "Cuba," he said, "offers a wonderful market for apples grown in the Maritimes. Practically all that is needed is the establishment of a regular service and possibilities for such a service looks better now than ever in the past."

BIRTHS

JONES—On Jan. 7, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Jones, 6 Sydney street, a son, Charles E. Jones, Jr.

MARRIAGES

HUMPHREY-THOMPSON—On Friday evening, Dec. 24, 1926, Rev. W. J. Johnson, of the Coburg Christian church, united in marriage Gene Mae, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Thompson, to Francis Edwin Humphrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Humphrey, both of West Saint John.

DEATHS

ROSMAN—Suddenly, on Jan. 4, 1927, at Brooklyn, New York, Lily Ruth, aged five years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Rosman, formerly of Saint John.

IN MEMORIAM

WATERS—In loving memory of Mrs. Matilda Waters, who passed away Jan. 7, 1926, but not forgotten.

DAUGHTER AND SON-IN-LAW.

MAXWELL—In loving memory of Jane, beloved wife of William J. Maxwell, who departed this life Jan. 7, 1925, but not forgotten.

Local News

ENGAGEMENT  
Mr. and Mrs. James Naves wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Sarah Jane, to Alton Joseph Calvin. The wedding will take place in the near future.

ONE YEAR AGO

Today is the first anniversary of the death of former Mayor Frank L. Potts, who passed away on the morning of the New Brunswick Board of Public Utilities, G. Earle Logan.

AWAIT REPORT

Delay in the arrival of a report from S. H. Milgram is the cause of no action being taken yet in the matter of electricity rates for Woodstock, it was said this morning by the secretary of the New Brunswick Board of Public Utilities, G. Earle Logan.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Friends of Frank E. Jones, 109 King street east, son of John B. Jones, former city commissioner, will regret to learn of his being operated on at 1 o'clock this morning at the General Public Hospital by Dr. J. H. MacIntyre.

BY-LAW MATTER.

Myer Cohen, charged with allowing water to run across the sidewalk from his premises at 112 Pond street, was represented in court today by his counsel, J. Starr Tall. The magistrate allowed until Monday morning to rectify the matter.

Letters To The Editor

HORSES AND THE FERRY.  
Editor Times-Star:  
Sir,—Through the columns of your paper, may I appeal to some readers who have a love for horses. Few realize the conditions on the ferry-boat, especially in winter, when the horses are packed in a small space with many of them with their heads in the water. It is a hard enough time in other years at times of thaw, when the Ludlow was not roofed over, and now and ice could form on the top of the boat.

The ferry Carleton is on this winter, and the drive-way is completely roofed over. Surely there are some horse-lovers in the city who, if they realized these conditions, would try and have things made a little easier for the horses who are hauled heavy loads over the ferry this winter.

Yours truly,  
EVA M. NEWCOMB,  
120 Prince street, Saint John West.

Shipping

PORT OF SAINT JOHN

Cleared  
Strm. Lord Londonderry, 3625, Heddley & Co., sailed today for London, via Halifax, with passengers and general cargo.

MARINE NOTES

S.S. Calgary, consigned to J. T. Knight & Co., sailed today for London, via Halifax, with passengers and general cargo.

Deaths

A. A. Bourgeois  
ST. ANSELME, N. B., Jan. 7.—Abraham A. Bourgeois, 70 years of age, farmer, of St. Anselme, died at his home, yesterday noon, following an illness of some duration. He was a highly respected resident of the district where he had lived practically all his life. The funeral will take place at St. Anselme.

Baseball Players

Guests of Manager  
Members of the Saint John baseball team were entertained at a turkey dinner at the home of Thomas Campbell, manager of the team.

RESIGNS OFFICE

Mr. McIntyre Retires as Packing Company President  
G. C. P. McIntyre, president of the British-Canadian Packing Company, Ltd., handed his resignation to the directors at a meeting held yesterday. It was learned this morning. The reason for Mr. McIntyre's resignation was not stated. He left the city last night for Montreal.

Lands Minister

Is In City Today  
Hon. C. D. Richards, Minister of Lands and Mines, arrived in the city today from Fredericton. He came here on private business.

PERSONALS

The Countess of Ashburnham, of Fredericton, has gone to Boston to spend a few weeks.

PROGRESS MADE PREPARING FOR HARBOR CHANGE

Council Committee Meets—More Names for Mayor's Committee  
The committee of the whole council met in conference this morning with the city solicitor, Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., and discussed the proposed harbor nationalization bill. After the conference His Worship said that just as soon as a rough draft of the bill had been prepared along the lines indicated in the discussion this morning, it would be submitted to the committee suggested by himself, representative of the interests affected.

RED CROSS WORK FOR SOLDIERS IS REPORTED ON

Local Hospital Committee in Session—24 Soldiers in County Hospital  
At a meeting of the Red Cross Hospital Committee held this morning Mrs. W. H. Shaw reported there were now 24 soldiers at East Saint John Hospital. Donations of socks had been received from Miss Harriet Hazen, face cloths from Miss Beulah Seely and pencils from Morton Smith. Mrs. Doody reported that no drives had been possible the last month.

MUST NOT MAKE USE OF CENTS FOR FUSES

Case in Police Court Over Use of Substitute—Dangerous, Says Marshal  
Harry Ross, proprietor of a dairy, appeared in the Police Court this morning as a result of information laid by City Electrician J. B. Cunningham. He was charged with inserting copper coins in fuses inside his store. He pleaded guilty, but said he was in ignorance of a by-law prohibiting tampering with fuses. Fire Marshal McLellan told the magistrate this was one of the surest ways to cause a fire. As it was the first case of its kind to come under the new by-law, he requested the public to become acquainted with it. The magistrate imposed a fine of \$20, but said he would allow it to stand.

STATUTE BODY TO MEET AT CAPITAL

Acts Relating to Agriculture to be Taken up by N. B. Law Revisors  
The correspondence included a letter from Moncton in reference to assisting the Statute Book Committee at Christmas celebration; a letter to Mrs. Vroom from the I. O. E. of Reading, N. B., in reference to the burial of full military honors. A photo of the very beautiful bride, Mrs. Vroom, at Regina, and of her sister was also included.

POINTS TO DRY DOCK AS BIG BOON TO CITY

Official Speaks of Work and Wages, Following Statement by Mayor  
Asked about the Mayor's statement at yesterday's City Hall meeting, relative to the dry dock and competition with local iron industries, an official of the dry dock company said this morning that the great part of the work done by the company was not in competition with the Saint John foundries, nor had the dry dock a monopoly on the work of floating repairs or that which did not necessitate placing a keel in the dock.

Funerals

Eskeid Wann.  
The funeral of Eskeid Wann of Musquash, took place yesterday afternoon. Rev. E. V. Buchanan conducted service at the home and church with a large congregation present. Rev. Mr. Buchanan spoke feelingly of Mr. Wann. The hymns "Rock of Ages," "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Jesus Saviour, Pilot Me" were sung. The pall bearers were James Reid, Milton Reid, Walter Wayne, Clarence Thompson, James Kerrigan and Nathaniel Belding. There were many floral tributes. Interment was in Musquash cemetery.

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Finds It Necessary To Build Tunnel to Carry Water Main Under C.N.R. Railway Tracks

The repairs to the water main running under the C. N. R. railway tracks were completed yesterday. The damage was reported caused by the vibration of engines and cars passing over the main and eventually this main would have to be laid in a tunnel as was done at the Gilbert's Lane crossing. At the latter place there was a break practically every week, Commissioner Wigmore said, but since the concrete tunnel had been built and the pipe along there has not been a leak there. Next spring he will recommend the building of a tunnel from Pond street to Dorchester street extension to carry the main there.

CONSIDERS FINE ON SECOND CHARGE

Lucien Sweet, aged 21 years, a sailor, appeared before the police magistrate this morning on a charge of drunkenness and having liquor in his possession. He was fined \$8 on the first charge. Sergeant Corvick and Police Officer MacIntyre were present. The judge said he would give further consideration as to the amount of fine. The minimum fine for such cases is \$50. J. Starr Tall prosecuted. Three other men were fined \$8 for imbibing the forbidden beverage to excess.

SETTLEMENT MADE IN MONCTON CASE

Chancery Matter Was Over Deeds to Property at Legler's Corner  
In the Chancery Court this morning, Mr. Justice Grimmer presiding, counsel appeared at the case of Blakey & Son, Ltd., against F. A. McCully and S. B. LeBlanc, an action which was commenced here last week for the recovery of the deeds to a property at Legler's Corner near Moncton.

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COURT DATES IN SAINT JOHN FOR 1927 ARRANGED

Chancery, Circuit, Bankruptcy, County and Probate Sittings Detailed  
Arrangement of the court sittings to be held at Saint John during 1927 is announced today, together with the names of the judges to preside at the sittings, as follows:

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Cashwell Out On \$2,000 Bail Until Jan. 14

FREDERICK CASHWELL, in the Union street wife-shooting case, was allowed out on bail of \$2,000 this morning, on application of his counsel, Wm. M. Ryan, to appear before Magistrate Henderson on Friday, January 14, at 10:30 a. m., when it is expected, his wife will be able to give evidence. The bondsman were his brother John and Commissioner T. H. Bullock.

MARKET SURVEY TO BE MADE IN OLD COUNTRY

Prof. Middleton and Eric Leslie Sail on S.S. Metagama  
A COMPLETE survey of the marketing of Nova Scotia apples in Great Britain will be made by Professor J. A. Middleton, provincial horticulturist, and Eric Leslie, secretary of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association, who sailed from Saint John this afternoon on the S. S. Metagama of the C. P. S. S. on a special tour of the British Isles.

CONSULT ON WAYS TO PROMOTE BUSINESS

One Is Horticulturist; Other Secretary of Fruit Growers' Association  
The survey will be confined chiefly to England and Scotland. The investigation will be made with an effort of improving the market of the Nova Scotia apples. There has been no outward dissatisfaction at the manner in which the apples are being marketed, but gentlemen said today when interviewed, but it was thought that by making a complete investigation of the export trade of Nova Scotia apples would be somewhat improved.

WILL INTERVIEW BUYERS.

The method of transportation will be studied to some extent and the various buyers throughout the old country will be personally interviewed in an effort to obtain the fullest data on the present method of marketing the apples and suggestions for improving the system.

EXPORTS LARGE.

Professor Middleton and Mr. Leslie are being seen on the tour by the Department of Natural Resources of the government of Nova Scotia. On their return they will make a report to that department and to the education which Mr. Leslie represents.

EXPORTS LARGE.

Mr. Leslie said that during the last five years the apple crop in Nova Scotia has averaged one million and a half barrels. The greater part of this, he said, was exported to Great Britain. Summing up the situation, he said that Nova Scotia exports annually to the British Isles more apples by 400,000 barrels than does the rest of the Dominion. He said that the quantity of apples exported to the United States was approximately \$150,000 less than in 1925, while the insurance paid would amount to \$200,000 less. Routine business was transacted at the meeting yesterday.

FIRE LOSS LESS IN PROVINCE IN 1926

Reduction of Approximately \$150,000 is Estimate of Marshal McLellan  
A meeting of the Saint John members of the New Brunswick Fire Prevention Board was held in the office of Fire Marshal McLellan here yesterday afternoon. H. H. McLellan said this morning that while the complete figures were not yet ready, the fire loss in the province for the year 1926 would be approximately \$150,000 less than in 1925, while the insurance paid would amount to \$200,000 less. Routine business was transacted at the meeting yesterday.

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ARMY HEADS  
CHEERFUL OVER  
1927 OUTLOOK

Evangeline Booth Optimistic  
as Cynical 1927  
Opens

By VIRGINIA SWAIN  
NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The regiment of faith go marching on. Against embattled doubt and worldliness and cruelty, one aging, red-haired woman leads 80,000 soldiers.

Lately risen from a year's illness, Evangeline Booth, gives thanks for her recovery, and greets the 43rd New Year of her service for God—with faith, hope and resolution.

While wine flowed and horns brayed on Broadway, Evangeline Booth spent the watches of New Year's Eve in the quiet of her Scarsdale home, at work on a new Army hymn, begun during the woful nights of her illness. New Year's Day saw the last details completed for her campaign for Christianity in 1927.

SEE OBSTACLES  
Greater obstacles than ever before the pessimists have seen for religion this year—greater materialism, blacker doubt and wilder license.

Commander Booth denies their prophecies.  
"Looking into 1927," she says, "I see a world filled with the sunshine of human sympathy, with zeal for good work and with remembrance of God."

"Idleness and sloth are disappearing. The streets of the world are filled with hurrying workers, and the sins of leisure and luxury are slipping away."  
"Castes and classes are merging, inequalities are gradually vanishing, and education is giving every child its chance."

"The war left great ills. But it left some good. Humanity learned to think of sorrow and death, to witness suffering, to recognize the realities of purity and unselfishness and courage."  
"The wells of feeling and sympathy were let loose. All mankind felt its heart softened. Since the war, American charities have found more people to care for, it is true. But they also found more people ready to give."

"The war brought many ills into the ranks of labor. Even the little children who learned to knit for the army have a greater respect for work than the last generation had."  
"When they talk to me of youth's skepticism and license, I say to them, 'It is not a weakness of the heart, but of the head. Youth WILL be in style, and when skepticism and license are the style, boys and girls will follow it, because they have not learned to think.'

"Prohibition alone proves that the world is growing better. No matter what its opponents say, I know that the evils of liquor among the working people have been decimated by the Volstead law."  
"I worked as a flower girl in Marylebone, London, to get my first view of alum life, 39 years ago. I saw men murdered, children starved and women beaten by drink. I remember those slum streets as a mist of blood and tears and whiskey fumes."

There are shadows in the picture of 1927, Commander Booth admits. And the greatest menace is prosperity! Material prosperity makes men forget the world's first warning of Armageddon, says Evangeline Booth. For the first time in the history of the Army, Christmas giving in New York fell short of the budget this year.

"When times are good, people forget that element of human selfishness which never comes into contact with economic changes. Most of the people we deal with are as helpless in time of prosperity as in a financial panic."  
"We must watch prosperity—let it make us snug and worldly. When banks flourish, churches may go bankrupt."

And so "Make the soul prosper, as well as the pocketbook," is Evangeline Booth's first warning of Armageddon this year.  
"The second is: 'Work for the young. America's children will rule world history, twenty years hence. What you teach them decides destiny.'"

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EVANGELINE BOOTH  
This drawing of Commander Booth shows her, bundled up because of illness, at her task of composing a new hymn. It was made by L. W. Redner, NEA Service artist, from a photograph.

It is the third and last. Evangeline Booth—a militant religionist—pacifist to the death in world politics. She has met the wrecks and dead ends of war too often to see glamor in flags and cannonades.

About the broken New Year's resolutions—Commander Booth has a word to say, too.  
"A broken vow is not to be thrown away. Put up your shattered vows as you would a porcelain vase."  
"But to keep them whole, make no light vows."  
"Resolve on goodness from your heart, and in the sight of God."

DIGBY MAY GET GYPSUM PLANT  
Representatives Now Looking Over Site There is Report

DIGBY, Jan. 6.—It is understood that should satisfactory arrangements be made regarding the sale of certain lands and a suitable location be found, there is a strong possibility that an American gypsum company may establish a shipping point in Digby. It is estimated that at least \$100,000 would be spent in building operations.

Representatives of the company have been in Digby and Annapolis counties during the past few weeks and options have been taken on some of the property there. Points along the road at Port Wade on the Annapolis side of the basin were visited and also farther shore at the Digby town site of Smith's Cove. It is understood that there are at least two sites that are suitable, one in Digby and the other in Annapolis, both on the shore line of the basin.

BUILD WAREHOUSES  
As far as can be learned there would be storage warehouses and the gypsum coming by rail would be stored to await shipment.

The Digby Basin is open at all seasons and free of ice except a little pack ice in exceptionally severe winters. It is navigable to steamers of all sizes and will make a magnificent shipping port.

Besides the warehouses a pier would be built which would accommodate the largest freighters.

It is also understood that the building of a number of houses would be part of the scheme, the houses to be used as homes for the workmen employed at the warehouses.

MANY YEARS CLERK OF SUPREME COURT  
James Lawson, Former Canadian Official, Dies in Westfield, Mass.

WESTFIELD, Mass., Jan. 6.—James Lawson, who at the time of his retirement in 1923, had completed 42 years as docket and records clerk of the Supreme Court of Canada, was buried here yesterday.

Mr. Lawson, who was 70 years old, died at the Nobel Hospital, here, following his wife in death, by less than two months.

The funeral was held from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Russell, and burial was in Pine Hill cemetery. Mr. Lawson was a native of Halifax, his father, William Lawson, was a member of the firm of Lawson, Farrington and Company, which sailed the brig America between Halifax and Boston.

Mr. Lawson attended Upper Canada College and was with the Hudson's Bay Company in Labrador for a number of years. Later he served on the staff of Donald Smith, later Lord Strathcona.

MRS. VICKERS REMEMBERED.  
SUSSEX, Jan. 6.—In reference to the presentation of a watch to E. H. Vickers, in last week's issue, it was omitted to state that Mrs. Vickers was also the recipient of a handsome wardrobe trunk, the gift of her many Sussex friends.

4 POLISH SHIPS NAMED  
GDYNIA, Poland, Jan. 6.—Four vessels, which will constitute Poland's first merchant marine, today were christened by the Minister of Commerce and Industry and other officials. The vessels were named the Carow, Posen, Thorn, and Kattowice. Enthusiastic demonstrations were held.

BY-ELECTION IN ANTONIO IS STRENUOUS

Army of Workers Supporting Rival Candidates

ANTONIONISH, N. S., Jan. 6.—With more than a dozen present members of either the Federal or Provincial Parliaments and a score of lesser lights of the political world, including many ex-members of parliament, directing the campaign in Antigonish-Guyaboro to elect a member to the Federal House for the vacancy created by the death of Hon. J. C. Douglas, these two counties forming the dual constituency, have become the battle-ground for one of the most interesting political fights in the history of the province.

Both William Duff, former Queens-Lunenburgh member who is the Liberal candidate, and Neil R. McArthur, K. C. of Glace Bay, who carries the hopes of the Conservative party, are supported by small armies of workers who have gathered from near and far, and it is anticipated the numbers will be swollen the latter part of the week by several cabinet ministers of the federal government.

BOTH NON-RESIDENTS.  
Neither candidate is a resident of the constituency. Both Mr. Duff and Mr. McArthur have been busy this week campaigning in their own behalf. They set out yesterday in double horse sleighs for a week's tour of the remote parts of the province, accompanied by Col. Thomas Cameron, P. M. A., and Mr. Duff's attendant was D. D. Boyd, Liberal candidate in the federal elections of last September in Cape Breton West and Kitchener in Cape Breton West.

Hon. J. L. Ralston, minister of national defence, arrived today to direct the activities of the Liberal campaign and was so far the only cabinet minister in the field. His friends are taking McArthur in the campaign and Mr. McArthur was today the recipient of a presentation from the party of his friends in the constituency.

Colonel Allison Borden, Liberal organizer for the province, was taken ill shortly after his arrival here Monday and was today admitted to the hospital. His condition was not reported serious, but Mrs. Borden was summoned from Kentville to attend to him. Two other members of the party for both parties and this little university town has almost doubled its population in a week. Winter conditions that accommodation at hotels and private homes is greatly taxed. Nomination day will be next Tuesday and polling will be on January 18.

SLEIGHS USED IN CAMPAIGN.  
The campaign has many interesting features, one of them being the complete return to the conditions of the many years ago. Winter conditions on the highways prevent the use of anything but horse-drawn vehicles and the workers accustomed to the modern means of travel, must go about the two big counties in sleighs—the methods which their fathers took as a matter of course. But the unfortunate part of it is, according to old campaigners, that the horse and sleigh of today is not what it was 50 years ago, nor are the drivers so able. Last night two workers returning from a meeting in the county were over-turned from their sleigh but escaped with nothing worse than a drenching in a water-splashed ditch. Two other workers driving many miles to address a meeting were stopped near their destination by a flooded highway and forced to give up their appointment.

FIRE LOSS IN NEW GLASGOW.  
NEW GLASGOW, N. S., Jan. 6.—A fire in the basement of Morris Spitz's dry goods store on Provost street tonight caused damage estimated at \$18,000, mostly from smoke and water.

GIRL BARS SHARE IN RICHES  
NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—A share in the \$2,000,000 estate of Lewis W. Minford, sugar broker of Deal, N. J., has been refused by his daughter, Grace Minford, a nun, because she believes her reward will be infinitely greater.

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Alberta Will Bring Up Rates Case Next  
OTTAWA, Jan. 6.—Alberta will have the floor on the resumption on Tuesday morning of the general freight rate equalization case before the Dominion Board of Railway Commissioners.

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ROTHESAY COLLEGIATE BOYS FOREGO FEAST TO AID NEEDY  
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Deaths  
Mrs. Harley Clark.  
MONCTON, Jan. 6.—Mrs. Harley Clark died at the family home, 10 Clark street, at nine o'clock this evening following a brief illness of pneumonia.

Miss Onessa Church Weldon, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William E. Weldon, of that place. Her husband, the late Edwin C. Jones, predeceased her some 20 years ago. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Walter Nugent, and four grandchildren, also one sister, George M. Weldon, and one brother, N. Jones, of this city, is a brother-in-law.

Garage Man Kills Wife And Is Slain  
PENTICTON, B. C., Jan. 6.—Armed with two rifles, George Barden, garage man, shot and killed his wife in the house next door to their own here this morning, and after being pleaded with for nearly three hours by police officers, William Steele, owner of the house in which the tragedy occurred and other neighbors, who surrounded the dwelling, was fatally wounded in an exchange of shots with J. Robertson, provincial game warden.

FAILS TO FIND DELICT.  
HALIFAX, Jan. 6.—The steamer George M. Cochrane, returned to port today after spending several days in an unsuccessful search for the derelict Annabelle Cameron which has been drifting about in the maritime sea for a month, a menace to navigation. The Annabelle Cameron carried a valuable lumber cargo.

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In commenting on the generosity of the Rothessay Collegiate school students, Father Young said: "Such splendid self-sacrifice is certainly worthy of commendation and I cannot begin to thank them for their splendid generosity. It also goes to show that they are being taught not to be selfish. What the boys want is a tremendous help, as the poverty is so absolutely distressing, and I thank God for their wonderful gift."

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ENGLAND'S LOAN MAY BE BIGGEST SINCE THE WAR

\$265,000,000 of Government Obligations Maturing

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Rather unexpected by this week's government decision to issue details of the conversion loan necessary to provide for the replacement of maturing government securities during the coming year.

Another feature which has been received in fact that the new conversion loan runs for 30 years, thus avoiding the danger of a large short term debt.

This loan will be the largest since the war, although the chief feature of the new stock which will be issued is that it is convertible into government securities.

The loan also carries a unique sinking fund feature, as for ten years, the government will purchase quarterly on the market £10,000,000 of the loan for cancellation.

This definite fixation of a sinking fund will be the chief feature of the loan, as it will ensure that the government will be able to meet its obligations at the end of the term.

It is also worth noting that the loan will be issued in the form of a new stock, which will be convertible into government securities at the option of the holder.

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Manitoba Paper Output May Grow

MONTREAL, Jan. 6.—There seems to be a good prospect for further pulp development in the province of Manitoba.

The Manitoba Paper and Pulp Company has already begun to operate and that company is making efforts to increase its timber holdings.

Also, the Backus-Brooks interests have announced that they intend to begin the construction of a new non-pulp mill as soon as they are assured of sufficient timber limits.

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MANY FAVORABLE TRADE SIGNS HERE

Canada's Business is More Diversified Than Before, Says Bank

TORONTO, Jan. 7.—The monthly letter of the Canadian Bank of Commerce is published today.

The drop in prices of farm products, the drop in the volume of bank deposits, and the drop in the volume of bank loans, are the chief features of the letter.

The letter also points out that the Canadian business is more diversified than before the war, and that the country is better equipped to meet the demands of a world market.

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Russell Motors' Earnings Increase

TORONTO, Jan. 7.—There is growing investment interest in Russell Motor Car Co., which owns Canada Cycle & Motor Co. and Willys-Overland (Canada).

The earnings of the company for the half year just closing are said to be very good. Details as to the nature of the business which has been responsible for the improvement are lacking.

The motor car business for Russell Motor also has been very good. It was said that the earnings for the previous year ended last July 31st, would have been better if it had not been for the untimely influence of the Robb budget.

President T. A. Russell remarked at that time that amendments had become effective which materially corrected the ill-effects of the early rulings and he hoped that the satisfactory future could be safely forecast.

Production Value Rises to \$242,886,000 of 1926. Rise of 7.1 Per Cent.

MONTREAL, Jan. 6.—Canada's mineral industries yielded a new record output in 1926 when the value of production reached \$242,886,000, an advance of 7.1 per cent over the total of \$226,833,362 reported for 1925.

The official estimate compiled by S. J. Cook, chief of the mining, metallurgical and chemical branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa, and published in a preliminary report, issued by the bureau on Monday, shows that the record of \$227,839,665 was established in 1925.

Metal mining showed great strength in 1926, the value of production of all production of copper, lead and zinc being higher than in 1925, gold was slightly less than in the previous year.

The value of natural gas was greater in 1926 and the aggregate value of the output of all minerals was \$242,886,000, an advance of 7.1 per cent over the total of \$226,833,362 reported for 1925.

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Trade of Dominion Near \$2,500,000,000

OTTAWA, Jan. 7.—Canada's trade with the United States in 1926 was valued at \$2,500,000,000, an increase of about \$100,000,000 over 1925.

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Equipment, Steel Business Is Good

TORONTO, Jan. 7.—Definite reason for optimism is provided by figures on 1926 sales of the Canadian Machinery Annual Review number by leading steel and equipment firms.

Some branches of the steel industry show a more optimistic outlook than others, but on the whole the reports are optimistic.

Most of the steel industry has been busy in 1926, and the profit on individual lots was not as good as that of a year ago.

That the profit on individual lots was not as good as that of a year ago is probably a correct claim, at any rate it is voiced by many of the industry's leading firms.

However, increased totals of trade orders for 1927 are being received, and the Board of Directors has declared a quarterly dividend of Fifty Cents (50c) a share on the Common Stock of this company, payable February 15th, 1927, to Common Stockholders of record at the close of business February 1st, 1927.

Checks will be mailed. Transfer books will not close. OWEN SHEPHERD, President.

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NOVA SCOTIA GIRL TO TRY ENGLISH CHANNEL SWIM NEXT SEASON

EVA MORRISON ON WAY HOME TO PICTOU TO REST

Has Been Offered Several Flattering Contracts, But Declined Them

Special to The Times-Star. YARMOUTH, N. S., Jan. 7.—Among the passengers arriving in Yarmouth from Boston this morning was Miss Eva Morrison, Nova Scotia's famous swimmer, who is on her way to her home in Pictou. Miss Morrison carried two massive cups, one under each arm. One of the trophies awarded her by Senator McConnelly for her performance in swimming from the Charlottetown bridge to Boston Light and four miles on the return to her starting point. The other was from Michael Pitney, president of the Street Swimming Club, for winning an endurance test of swimming "in ice water one hour and thirty-two minutes, which feat she performed a year ago. Miss Morrison has just been offered several flattering contracts covering a five-year period, but up to the present has declined to sign in any way, and says she is going home to rest. Next season she anticipates an attempt to swim the English Channel.

ST. ANDREW'S CLUB ALL SET FOR OPENER

Rinks Chosen For Bonspiel Tomorrow Afternoon—Will Serve Dinner

The opening bonspiel for St. Andrew's Curling Club this year will be held tomorrow. Half the members curl at two and seven o'clock and the other half at four and nine o'clock, all having dinner at the club at six o'clock. The members are looking forward to a most pleasant day.

AT 2 O'CLOCK

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes H. C. Crocker, B. L. Gerow, J. K. Henkingson, etc.

AT 4 O'CLOCK

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SYDNEY DEFEATED

SYDNEY, N. S., Jan. 6.—Antigonish defeated Sydney Millionaires tonight in an exhibition game at the Arena 9 to 0. The game was played on a wet ice surface, which made fast work difficult. "Doc" Cameron and E. Murray starred for the visitors, the former scoring twice in the first period.

Featuring Blue Overcoats

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Fredericton Team Here Tonight For Local Opening of Hockey League

Jack Delaney Is Gold Mine For Manager

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Jack Delaney's victory over Bud Gorman and his establishment in the heavyweight division is another instance where cheap contracts have led to a gold mine. Delaney cost Pete Kelly, his manager, \$800. He has already earned \$200,000 and is still going strong. Jack Kearns got Jack Dempsey's contract for boxing in the back room of a Frisco saloon. Jack Sharkey never cost Johnny Buckley a dime and he has made a small fortune already and is gunning for a \$100,000 bout with Tunney.

Bowling

North End League. The Indians took three points from the Yankees in the North End Community League game played last night on Black's alleys. The Senators and the Athletics will roll in tonight's game of the league. Last night's scores were as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Team and Score. Includes Yankees, Indians, Senators, etc.

Commercial League.

In the postponed game of the Commercial League played last night on Black's alleys, the Bankers defaulted to the Standard Dairies team which took all four points. The scores of the Standard Dairies team were as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes C. W. Alden, E. J. Terry, etc.

N. B. Power Company League.

The Mechanical Department took all four points from the Linemen in a N. B. Power Company League match last night on the Imperial alleys. The scores were 1,448 to 1,294.

C. and C. League.

The Customs took three points from the Express in a Civic and Civil Service League match last night on the Imperial alleys. Following is the summary:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes Customs, Express, etc.

Vic-Imperial League.

The Maple Leafs took all four points from the Thistles in a Vic-Imperial League match on the Imperial alleys last night. Following is the summary:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes Thistles, Maple Leafs, etc.

Business Men

Team No. 2 took all four from Team No. 1 on the Y. M. C. A. alleys last evening, as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes Team No. 1, Team No. 2, etc.

House League

The Dormitories took all four points from the Y's Men on the Y. M. C. A. alleys as follows last night:

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GANDIL BACKS UP 'THE SWEDIE' IN AFFIDAVIT

Makes Definite Charges Regarding Throwing of Games in 1917

DEFINITE CHARGES.

Whereas Risberg's story was general, Gandil's charges are definite. He names several players and tells the part which he played in games he alleges were "thrown." Pertinent paragraphs in his affidavit are "I know that the four games September 2 and 3, 1917, were thrown by Detroit to Chicago, and that subsequently a fund of money was raised to which all have one or two of the White Sox team contributed \$46 apiece, and that subsequently money was delivered by me to Bill Jones, a pitcher for Detroit."

CHAPTER V.

I WAS making \$3.50 a week then as a cooper. I told the folks at home I was making \$2.50 and changed the pay envelope every Saturday night because it was a rule of the house that all my boys turn over our pay and take what cash was left after expenses. Well, with what I'd saved, which wasn't very much, I decided to have a fling on the Bowery one night. It was Saturday, July 11, 1884. My older brother, Con, accompanied me, and we drifted into Frank White's saloon near Houston street and sneaked into the boxing hall in the back behind the bar. He could kick us out."

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Novel Boxing Verdict Is Cause of Talk

LONDON, Jan. 7.—There is some discussion in boxing circles over an unprecedented privilege which was granted the Belgian boxer, Van Marcoy, during a recent bout here. In the second round of his fight with "Sonny" Bird, the Belgian was cautioned for hitting. Almost immediately afterward Bird did the same thing, putting Van Marcoy out of action temporarily. Instead of disqualifying Bird, the referee allowed Van Marcoy a five-minute respite in which to recover, a decision never given in England, and for which, experts say, no justification can be found in British boxing rules. Bird was declared the winner in the sixth round when Van Marcoy was unable to continue.

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Not all the money he collected, Gandil said, was in cash. Some made pledges. "I remember getting promises of cash from Felch, Williams, Schalk, Lieblich, John Collins, Risberg, Eddie Collins, Cleve, Faber, Jackson, Joe Benz, Eddie Murphy, Red Russell and a few others whose names I do not remember. I did not get any from Rowland or Kid Gleason." Describing the hanging of the pool to Bill James, Gandil deposited: "We (Risberg and Gandil) went to a room in the Aldine Hotel, Philadelphia, where we found Bill James, Daus, Oscar Stunage and Cunningham playing poker. I called outside and said, 'Bill, here's the money I promised you, or words to that effect. About the only thing I remember Bill saying was 'That's good, Howard's been anxious for his dough.'"

Wintry Wings

MONTREAL, Jan. 7.—Easing up in the last four minutes of the match with a 1-1 lead cost the Montreal Maroons a National Hockey League game here last night with the New York Americans. With their two goal lead, the Maroons lay back and took things easy. The Americans, quick to take advantage of their opponents' lapse, scored two goals in the last minute of the contest to tie the score and make overtime necessary. The Maroon supporters were paralyzed by this sudden turn in fortune, but were even more so when the Americans notched the winning goal in the overtime period, to take the game by a 4-3 score. This is the second time that Maroons have been beaten after holding a commanding lead for a greater part of the game. In Chicago last week they were defeated after being two goals up and less than two minutes to go. For fifty-five minutes of the game last night the Maroons held command of the play and secured what appeared to be a commanding lead by scoring in the first and second periods. Burch brought his team within striking distance when he scored in the third period. This was somewhat nullified later in the session when Jimmy Rothchild, on a pass from Nels Stewart, scored to give Montreal a 3-1 advantage. Four minutes before the end of the game the Montreal management sent in their spare, Hoeh, who gave the Montreal fans a scare when he scored from close-in one minute before the final whistle. Thirty seconds later Laurie Scott left the spectators dumfounded when he lifted a long shot that Benedict never had a chance to stop. The Americans had a distinct edge on the play the overtime session and the Green brothers came close to scoring in the first few minutes. Burch settled the issue when he scored a long shot that caught Benedict napping and gave the Americans the game. By their victory, the Americans are comfortably lodged in second place of the Canadian division, holding a four point margin over the third place team.

Exciting and Fast Game Is Anticipated

Capital Team Has Been Strengthened; Intermediate Game Also This Evening

THE LINE-UP

Following is the probable line-up of the teams: Fredericton: Fulliers, Goal, Hickson, Defence, Clark, Fraser, McManus, McManus, Keating, Forwards, Keane, Kelley, Colwell, Mountain, Creighton, Rathburn, Chalmers. Immediately following the league game, the Nationals and Argonauts, West Side team, will meet in an Intermediate League game.

N. H. L. Standing

Table with 2 columns: Team and Points. Includes Ottawa, Americans, Canadiens, Montreal, St. Pats, etc.

BEARCATS WIN

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THE LINE-UP

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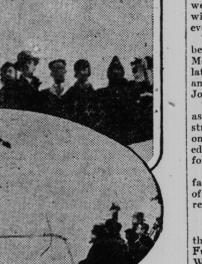
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CONFLICT OVER GOLFING DATES IS CONCLUDED

British Open Championship Now in July and U. S. in June

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The clash between the United States Golf Association and the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrew's over the selection of conflicting dates for the open championships of the two countries is over. Following extended cable negotiations that have been carried on between the two governing bodies, Secretary H. H. Ramsay, of the United States Golf Association, announced

that the matter had been amicably adjusted by the choice of new dates. In order to avoid the conflict that has caused considerable ill-will abroad, and that would have soured the death-knell of international golf this year, the two associations have compromised. The United States open championship which is to be played at the Oakmont Club will be played on June 14, 15 and 16, and the British open during the week of July 11. Originally both championships had been scheduled for the same week in June, but British dates being June 20-25 and the American June 23-25. Commenting on the change, Secretary Ramsay said that negotiations had just been completed and that he was more than gratified by the way things had worked out. "It would have been unfortunate if international golf which has assumed such tremendous importance and which has brought the countries in such close relationship that it would be rather calamitous to drop it even for a year," he said. "We believe that the results of our negotiations will be approved by golfers generally. The conflict of the original dates was unfortunate, particularly when there was no desire on our part to deliberately conflict with the dates heretofore arranged by the British."

TUNNEY SIGNS PACT WITH TEX RICKARD

To Fight After July 1 Anyone Selected by Promoter—Big Retainer

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 6.—Gene Tunney, world's heavyweight champion, today agreed to defend his title next September against any contender selected by Tex Rickard, promoter, for what was declared to be the largest guarantee ever made for a fight. The contract was signed this afternoon. The agreement is reported to call for a flat guarantee of \$400,000 for Tunney and 30 per cent of the net proceeds over \$1,000,000. The percentage is expected to net Tunney as much or more than Jack Dempsey received in the Philadelphia encounter. Rickard is to post \$100,000 by Jan. 11, and another \$100,000 May 1. He is to announce Tunney's opponent not later than June 15. ANY TIME AFTER JULY 1. The contract, it was learned, calls for Tunney's services any time after

July 1, and provides he is not to engage in any title bout in the meantime. Rickard has six candidates in mind to oppose the champion. They are Jack Dempsey, former title-holder; Jack Sharkey, Jack Delaney, Paulino Uzcudun, Jim Maloney and Paul Berlenbach. Starting next month, he plans to hold elimination tournaments, the first being between Berlenbach and Paulino. The survivor of the eliminations would get a crack at Dempsey, and the winner of this bout would be awarded the privilege of fighting Tunney. In addition to the promoter and the champion, those present were Bill Gibson, Tunney's manager, and Dudley Field Malone, his legal adviser.

KENTVILLE VICTORS. KENTVILLE, N. S., Jan. 6.—By a score of 6 to 3, the Kentville hockey team defeated Dartmouth in an exhibition game here tonight. 'T' WAS THE PRINCIPLE. DOCTOR: So the coin the child swallowed has been safely recovered. Well, you must be glad. Mother: Yes, we were very pleased to recover the money at first, but afterwards we discovered it was a counterfeit coin.—Dorfbarber, Berlin.

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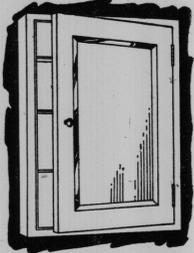
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## MAKE PLANS FOR EXAMINATIONS IN PROVINCE

### Saint John Ambulance Association First Aid and Home Nursing

Preparations for conducting the provincial contests in first aid and home nursing were made at the meeting of the Provincial Council of the St. John Ambulance Association, held last evening in the Health Centre, with Dr. James Magee, president, in the chair. The Council heartily endorsed the suggestion that survey of welfare work in the city should be conducted and pledged the Association to give any assistance possible to further the making of the survey.

Dr. Magee was named as a representative to attend any meetings called in connection with the survey. Those present at the meeting were Mrs. Murray MacLaren, Mrs. T. N. Vincent, Miss Harriet Vincent, Miss Irene Barber, Dr. James Magee, Dr. G. G. Corbett and C. A. Robinson. The Council appointed Dr. Corbett to conduct the examinations for the provincial senior first aid trophy, a handsome silver shield. These examinations will be held between Jan. 27 and Jan. 31 and entries for the contest close on Jan. 10—seven teams have already been entered in the competition.

Miss K. M. Stewart, Reg. N., was appointed to conduct the examinations in New Brunswick for the Junior trophies, the Walter Nesbitt, first aid trophy, and the Murray MacLaren home nursing shield. Examinations for these trophies will be conducted from Feb. 1 to Feb. 10, and the centres from which entries have already been received are Saint John, Robesay, Fredericton, Moncton, Hampton, Plaster Rock, Gagetown and McAdam.

### ORGANIZES EMPLOYEES.

It was learned with much gratification that a first aid class had been organized by Jack Reiter among the members of the mechanical department of the Street Railway employees and that from this class a team had been chosen to enter the competition for the Dominion Trophy. William Harris is the president of the class. It was understood also that there would be many Cadet teams from the city and province entering the Wallace Hamilton Nesbitt trophy of the Association. Among these Cadet teams are two from the newly organized Cadet Corps of the Saint John Vocational School.

It was learned with much satisfaction that Sir Douglas Hazen had very graciously consented to accept the appointment as honorary president of the Association. With reference to the resignation from membership on the Council because of pressure of other duties.

## EXPECT 45 FROM N. B. AT MOTOR CONGRESS

### World Motor Gathering to be Held in New York Next Week

Several invitations to attend the Third World Motor Congress, to be held in New York city under the auspices of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, have been received in the city and throughout the province, through the New Brunswick Automobile Association.

Already 45 persons have signified their intention of attending. Fred W. Coombs, manager of the Motor Car and Equipment Co., Ltd., of this city, will leave Saturday night to attend. Although efforts have been made by J. Charlton Berris, secretary of the N. B. A. A., to have the province of New Brunswick officially represented, it is not known yet whether it will be so.

### OPENS JAN. 10.

The congress will be held on Jan. 10 and 11 in the Hotel Roosevelt, New York, which belongs to the same chain of hotels as the Admiral Beatty. Special rates and accommodations have been arranged for all guests. All branches of motordom will be dealt with at the congress. The speeches will be simultaneously translated into English, French, Spanish and German for the convenience of the large number which, it is expected, will be present from all parts of the continent.

## FINE CONCERT IN LOCAL INSTITUTE

### Metagana Party Delight Large Audience With Their Excellent Program

The grand concert program given by the Metagana orchestra and concert party before a packed house in the Seaman's Institute last night was one of the finest entertainments that has yet been given in the Institute and was very greatly enjoyed and heartily applauded. The ship's entertainers displayed exceptional talent and their program was varied, well chosen and in every way delightful.

Thomas King, of the Metagana, was the chairman of the evening. L. H. Abrams was accompanist and the various numbers were as follows: Overture, orchestra, musical director, H. MacPherson; song, Robert Hayes; piano selections, Robert Grogan; comic song, Jack Garvey; piano-accompanied selections, W. Mallon; song, E. A. Jordan; comic song, Fred Evans; violin solo, H. MacPherson; song and story, Harry Hammond; piano-accompanied selections, W. Mallon; song, Robert Hayes, and orchestra.

### ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, JAN. 7.

High Tide... 2:18 P.M.  
Low Tide... 8:22 Low Tide... 8:47  
Sun Rises... 8:03 Sun Sets... 4:58

### Local News

#### TRANSFERRED HERE

Dr. Aurele Gaudet, of the Maritime Dental Parlors, has been transferred from Halifax to the Saint John office.

#### ON FREDERICTON RUN

Ernest Whelpley has succeeded John E. Costley as conductor on the Saint-John-Fredericton train, and is now senior conductor of the C. P. R. on the Atlantic division. Mr. Costley retired on December 31. Mr. Whelpley has been conductor on the Montreal train for several years.

## MILITARY ORDERS ARE ANNOUNCED

### Certificates to Three Lieutenants—Leave of Absence For Col. Buchanan

Military orders applying to this district made public today include announcement of the granting of certificates C.S.A.S. "A" wing, instructor, to Lieut. C. del. Millidge, Saint John Fusiliers; Lieut. W. H. Morgan, 4th Light Infantry; and Lieut. E. B. Hachey, North Shore Regiment. Signal gratuities of \$5 each for each officer and \$3 for each other rank have been paid to the various units in this district, totalling \$387.

Leave of absence has been granted to Lt.-Col. M. C. Buchanan, M. C., commanding the York Regiment, from Jan. 4 to Jan. 24. (Bothways) Article 15 (c), instructions for the continuation of instruction at Edmondston, to continue for six weeks from Feb. 1 to authorized.

Canadian Officers Training Corps, University of New Brunswick Contingent—Lieut. (superannuated) K. D. Sheldrick, New Brunswick Rangers, is attached for duty, temporarily, under the provisions of Article 15 (c), instructions for the Canadian Officers Training Corps, 1924, with effect from Nov. 20, 1926.

## ARTHUR ROSS HEADS GOLDEN RULE LODGE

### Installation of Odd Fellows is Conducted With Many Members Attending

The officers of Golden Rule Lodge No. 46, I. O. O. F., were installed last night by J. A. Murdoch, deputy grand master, and other acting grand officers. The meeting was one of the best attended for some time, and after the business session a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served. The officers are: Arthur Ross, Noble Grand; George W. Belyea, Vice Grand; J. H. Robinson, recording secretary; W. J. Watson, financial secretary; F. K. Griffith, treasurer; W. H. McLeod, R. G. W. W. A. Allingham, L. S. N. G.; Charles Gates, R. S. V. G.; R. R. Melvin, L. S. V. G.; S. L. Ewart, secretary; Harry Norris, L. S. S.; Fred H. McIntyre, J. G. S.; Harry B. Smith, O. G. After the installation addresses were given by the new officers.

## FIREMEN ARE TWICE OUT THIS MORNING

### Blaze in Leinster Street Carpenter Shed; Automobile Afire in Pond Street

An alarm from box 71 was rung in this morning at 8 o'clock calling the firemen to the rear of 142 Leinster street, where smoke was coming from the roof of a carpenter shed owned and occupied by W. H. Stirling. The fire was centred around the chimney, and thus necessitated removing a portion of the metal ledge. The all-out sound of 20 minutes later. It is supposed the fire was due to a defective stove. An automobile took fire this morning at 6.30 o'clock in Pond street. The fire department, responded to a call from Mrs. Damage was done to the coil and wiring. A short circuit was given as the cause.

### As Hiram Sees It

"Does Miss Birdie McWhat visit you and Mrs. Hornbeam quite frequently this winter?" The Times-Star reporter inquired of Mr. Hiram Hornbeam.

"Birdie," said Hiram, "is the busiest gal in the Settlement. She's the secretary of the 'Up an' GH Club'—an' you'd be surprised to see what a lot of things they're tendin' to. She's the treasurer of the Wimmen's Institute—an' one of the head-beetlers in the Ski Club. She sings in the choir an' belongs to the Sewin' Circle. She joined the Egg Club an' is goin' in for hens an' chickens. Yes, sir—Birdie can't keep still a minute. She was over the other night to ask Hanner to do some oost' for a tea-meetin' I don't know what we'd do without Birdie. She was askin' me for some subjects for a debate she's gittin' up. She led a spellin' bee last week. I guess it's a good thing for some feller that Birdie don't make up her mind to marry him—(c) he wouldn't never get away, sir."

"My regards to Miss Birdie," said the reporter. "May her shadow never grow less."

"She has to stand twice in the same place afore she kin make a shadder now," said Hiram—"but she's a mighty good gal—list the same."

## SCOUTS REPORT ON TOY REPAIR SHOP HELPERS

### Speak of Those Who Aided and List Donors of the Toys

W. E. Hoyt, district secretary of the Saint John District Council of the Boy Scouts' Association, expressed today his thanks for and appreciation of the support given them in their Christmas time "good turn," the Christmas toy repair shop. It proved such a success that it was decided to have one every year. The association acknowledges donations as follows: Materials for painting toys, T. McAvity & Sons, W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd., Robertson, Foster & Smith, and Emerson Bros., Ltd.; paper for wrapping, Barnes & Co., Ltd.; materials for mending of books, J. & A. McMillan; showcards, P. A. Bastin, Flewelling Press, Ltd.; Art Studios, (P. N. Woodley); N. B. Power Co. for street car passes to assist in the collecting of toys; J. Drury & Son, for use of their workshop in Waterloo street and also use of team in collecting and delivering the toys; The Evening Times-Star, The Telegraph-Journal and the "Imperial News," (Horace Goodwin, manager); J. G. Arnone, Venetian Gardens, for loaning the window for display purposes; for publicity: Misses A. and M. Belyea, and the 4th Company (Bothways) Girl Guides, under the leadership of Miss Dorothy Purdy in dressing dolls; the 2nd Company (St. Paul's) for assistance in repairing books.

### SENT TOYS.

They thank the following from the city who sent in toys: Mrs. W. K. Clawson, H. H. Magee, Mrs. O. R. Warwick, Mrs. A. A. Turnbull, Master Charles Gilmour, Master Frederick Powell, Mrs. T. W. McLeod, Miss M. Mahoney, Mrs. H. E. Gilvan, Mrs. G. A. Watters, W. M. McKelvey, Master Charles Miller, Mrs. A. H. Wetmore, Mrs. J. Foster, Murray Crossley, Miss Frances White, Master Burton Gamble, Master Harold and Arthur Thomas, Mrs. W. B. Horsman, Mrs. S. J. Parsons, Mrs. R. S. Lugin, Mrs. F. W. McLennan, Mrs. W. D. Brown, Mrs. R. J. Thompson, Masters Murray and Earl Corbett, Mrs. D. McClelland, Cyril Baidic, Mrs. L. H. Roberts, Mrs. W. R. Brown, Master Charles and Miss Virginia Lynch, Mrs. C. P. Humphries, Mrs. R. Quigg, Duval's department store, Master Arthur Peters, Miss W. Linton, Mrs. H. A. Lyman, Mrs. Norman Hutchison, Master Gregory Wainwright, Mrs. E. C. Cowan, Master Dominic Cunningham, Mrs. J. R. Suggs, Master Dale Harrison, Master Harvey Carter, Mrs. G. E. West, Mrs. J. O. McKenzie, Mrs. D. Stillwell, Mrs. M. Quinn, Mrs. H. P. Shields, Mrs. W. Wall, Master Edward R. Coughlan, Mrs. F. T. Bond, Mrs. Chas. Leonard, Mrs. Percy Hunter, Mrs. C. A. Bridgen, Mrs. G. Lewis, Mrs. F. Choppin, Ralph Coleman, Mrs. A. E. Cox, Mrs. R. J. Dunham, Mrs. H. C. McCauley, Master James McMillan, Mrs. G. D. Watters, Mrs. E. A. Cameron, Mrs. G. R. Melvin, Mrs. W. Stewart, Mrs. A. E. Tremontsky, Mrs. T. F. Drummond, Mrs. A. Lyon, Mrs. H. C. Earle, Mrs. O. J. Delaney, Mrs. J. S. Henderson, Mrs. W. A. Charlton, Mrs. L. Henniger, Master James Dunlop, Mrs. W. J. Edwards, Master Lewis Scott, Misses Constance and Madison Peat, Miss Nellie Conolly, Master Stewart Sheraton, Mrs. P. A. Clarke, Master John McClaren, "Maple Leaves" junior branch of the Red Cross of the New Albert School, Mrs. K. C. Fraser, Mrs. E. W. Henry, J. Hopkins, Mrs. H. W. Wilson, Master Phillips Wetmore, Mrs. C. J. McKelvey, Mrs. A. A. Fielding, Mrs. L. J. Harrison, Mrs. E. Hartshorne, Master H. C. Creighton, Mrs. E. R. Ruckold, Master J. Martin, Mrs. Charles Conlon, Mrs. C. G. Ward, Masters John and Rodman Logan, and Miss Joan Fitzgerald.

### FROM OUTSIDE CITY.

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## DEATHS OF INFANTS IN CITY ARE FEWER

### Health Board Figures Show Decline—Rate is Not Yet Determined

The number of infant deaths in Saint John during 1926 was less than the number in any previous year, during which statistics have been kept, but it is not definitely known what the infant mortality rate was during that year as the number of births may not yet be fully listed. While deaths are reported within a day or two there is sometimes undue delay in reporting births and until a few months have elapsed, the infant mortality rate cannot be very accurately computed. It is believed, however, that there has been a very decided drop in that rate in 1926 as compared with the previous year. Dr. William Warwick, medical health officer for this district, said yesterday that the number of infant deaths in Saint John in 1925 had totalled 152 and that year the death rate was 119 for every 1,000 live births. The low infant death rate, which has not been reached, was attained in 1924 when there were 129 infant deaths or 1.2 for every 1,000 live births. It is hoped that the rate for 1926 may fall below 102 but the number of births

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This year was considerably less than in either of the two preceding years. One fact of which the health authorities are proud is that the percentage of infant deaths due to intestinal trouble was very greatly lowered in 1926 in Saint John. Only slightly over seven per cent of the deaths of children under one year of age were due to intestinal causes.