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BOSTON STORES ON FULL TIME

Coal Restrictions Against Them Are Lifted.

SOME TRAINS RESUME

Railroad Service Restoration, However, Not So Rapid—Eight Thousand Armenians Hear Plea for Country—'Red' Sunday School in Lawrence Broken Up by Police.

(Special to Times.) Boston, Dec. 15.—Boston's business affairs, curtailed last week by a federal order restraining the use of fuel, resumed normal operations today. Every store and office building affected by the coal restrictions is permitted to return to its usual hours, using as much light and heat as may be necessary.

Restoration of railroad service will not be quite so rapid. The Boston and Maine has made plans for putting its seventy-four trains before the new year, bringing the service practically to normal. Only two trains, however, will be resumed.

The New Haven railroad announces that tomorrow sixty-four of the 119 trains taken off will be restored. Within a week, provided shipment of coal continues uninterrupted, all scheduled service will be back.

The Boston and Albany is on normal schedule today, except the 20th century and one other through train.

James J. Skowron, New England fuel administrator, started for Washington at night to find out the real situation in the movement of coal. He wants to know just what New England can expect in immediate deliveries of coal. It comes down to a transportation problem altogether. Assuming the miners are going back to work, the amount of coal produced will depend on the movement of the railroads.

Armenians. Eight thousand Armenians thronged the building yesterday afternoon to hear the American military and civil officials and urge the recognition of the republic of Armenia by the United States.

Professor Hart of Harvard declared that "as a result of the present must die." He asserted that success of the Armenian nation meant that Europe and Christianity, just give way. He referred to the new state of Armenia as "the new state of Kurdistan, and declared that he would have been a "king of Hell."

The League of Nations covenant will continue to confront the American people until it is enacted and that it is sure eventually to be enacted as the "coming of the sun in the morning," were statements by Rev. A. Z. Conrad before his sermon in Park street church last night in answer to a question which had been submitted.

Active warfare against "Red" activities were opened by Lawrence police yesterday. A squad went to I. W. V. hall and dismissed a Sunday school class of about forty children, and warned Ima Kaplan, apparently in charge, and other adults that the dissemination of radical and revolutionary propaganda will not be tolerated in the community.

The visit was the second of the police to this "Red" school. Three weeks ago the police raided the school and officers found as in full swing with several men and women as teachers, Marshal O'Brien charged of operations and against the acts of the adults present, sent the children, who were all of non-English speaking parents, to their homes and which were used by the pupils.

'INEAL SHAKEN BY EARTHQUAKE' Juneau, Alaska, Dec. 15.—Juneau and vicinity were rocked at 4:10 p.m. yesterday by one of the heaviest earthquakes experienced here in years.

N. B. Power Company Seeks Tax Reduction

Council Takes up Appeal But Awaits Advice of City Solicitor—The Bullock-Fisher Incident Closed

OLIVE BRANCH FROM HITCHCOCK

First Definite Move Toward Breasing U. S. Senate Deal-Over Treaty

Washington, D. C., Dec. 15.—The first definite move towards breaking the treaty deadlock on the German peace treaty came unexpectedly late on Saturday when the Senate took up the treaty for discussion.

Senator Hitchcock, Democrat, urged a compromise through a committee of consultation and said he "held out the olive branch."

During the discussion, however, Senator Hitchcock broke down in motion to bring up the peace treaty until some understanding had been reached in a conference between Republicans and Democratic leaders.

Washington, Dec. 15.—President Wilson yesterday intervened in the Peace Treaty dilemma with an announcement that he had "no compromise or concession of any kind in mind."

The White House statement apparently had no effect in changing the treaty situation. Democratic leaders, endorsing the president's view, declared that it did not preclude a senate compromise and that compromise efforts would proceed.

Other Appeals. Appeals from the Harris Abbot Co. and the Swift Canadian Co. were also taken up. The mayor said that in the assessors' report on these cases, it was stated that both these companies contended they were over-assessed on income.

High Praise for British Ships. Viscount Jellicoe Visits Carmania to See Nelson Plate Won For Victory

Halifax, Dec. 15.—Viscount Jellicoe paid a high tribute to the work of the British merchant marine throughout the war at a function aboard the Cunard liner Carmania on Saturday afternoon.

Washington American League Club Sold. Washington, Dec. 15.—Sale of the Washington baseball club of the American League by a stock company which formerly owned it to Clark C. Griffith and William M. Richardson, Philadelphia, was announced here last night.

Theatre Roof Collapses; 14 Children Killed. Paris, Dec. 15.—(Havas)—A despatch to the Echo de Paris from Paris says that fourteen children were killed and thirty injured by the collapse of the roof of a moving picture theatre there.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said the Hiram reporter to Mr. Hiram, "we must hang a few women. If it is not done, I'll never give another cent for the cause of child welfare—not a cent."

"How much did you give?" queried Hiram. "Ten cents," insisted Hiram.

"Look here," he said. "If we go on putting children into homes without hanging a few mothers, the public will support."

"Well, then, send them to jail," said the reporter.

"That's how we break 'em," said Hiram. "We don't care how many we give or how many we take."

CONSTABLES IN IRELAND SHOT; ONE IS KILLED. Men From The Messina Are Being Taken to Boston

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 15.—The crew of the steamer Messina is safe aboard the steamer Regina, bound for Boston. The Messina was abandoned in a sinking condition in latitude 47.29 north, longitude 88.1 west.

SPEND \$2,200 AT HALIFAX IN WORK ON THE S. S. CARMANIA. Halifax, Dec. 15.—Temporary repairs, costing \$2,200, are being made to the Cunard liner Carmania, while she is being coaled in the stream.

WEATHER REPORT. Issued by authority of the department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Sturges, chief, director of meteorological service.

FOR TORONTO COUNCIL. The Toronto Council will meet on Monday, Dec. 15, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

RAILWAY COMMISSION PRIVATE CAR GETS INTO TROUBLE IN NOVA SCOTIA. The private car Acadia, bearing members of the railway commission attached to the first section of No. 200 train Ocean Limited, left the track at Grand Lake about eleven thirty last night.

THE WINNIEP TRIAL. Winnipeg, Dec. 14.—A speech by Rev. Mr. Ivens read in evidence at the trial of R. B. Russell, strike leader, here, stated that "the parliament of the city is now in the labor temple instead of the city hall, and with reference to the war between capital and labor, 'If you will but stand firm for a short time, we will bring them cringing on their knees to you, saying: 'What must we do to be saved?'"

Fear Schooner Gone With All On Board

Report of St. Clair Therault Reaching Port in Nova Scotia Now Declared Mistake

ROYAL CASTLE AT COMPEIGNE AFIRE

Historic Furniture Saved But Lovely Woodwork and Many Paintings Destroyed

Paris, Dec. 15.—The cause of a fire which early on Sunday morning damaged portions of the old Royal Castle at Compeigne remains a mystery. The electricity in the building was cut off before midnight on Saturday, so that a theory that the blaze was started by a short circuit has been abandoned.

AMERICAN IS IN MEXICAN HANDS

Held for \$10,000 Ransom by Villista Men—Englishman Seized But Later Released

Eagle Pass, Texas, Dec. 15.—Frank Hugo, an American citizen, manager of the J. M. Dobies ranch near Masquitas state of Coahuila, is being held for ransom by the Villistas who raided Mustang on last Tuesday.

SETTLEMENT OF THE FIUME DIFFICULTY. Agreement Between D'Annunzio and Italian Premier Reported Signed

Fiume, Dec. 15.—(Associated Press)—An agreement between D'Annunzio and the government solving the Fiume situation has been signed by Premier Nitti and D'Annunzio, according to Pedrazzi, head of the press.

MAY WANT TO PUT KAISER ON WITNESS STAND. Berlin, Dec. 15.—Former Emperor William may be included in the list of witnesses who are to be cross-examined by a sub-committee of the parliamentary committee inquiring into responsibility for the war.

LIBERALS ENDORSE NOMINEE FOR SPEAKER. Toronto, Dec. 15.—Pictou county Liberals at a largely attended meeting in Pictou on Saturday, sanctioned the acceptance of the speakership of the Ontario legislature by Nelson P. P. Pictou.

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ATTEMPT ON LIFE OF PREMIER IN CAIRO. Cairo, Dec. 15.—An unsuccessful attempt was made this morning to assassinate the premier. The attack was made while he was driving to the ministry. His assailant, a student, was arrested.

NAMES MEIGHEN FOR PREMIERSHIP

Ottawa Newspaper Definite About Borden's Retirement

EARLY IN THE NEW YEAR

Declares Decision Was Made Known to Colleagues Last Week—Andrew Hayden, Barrister, is Appointed Secretary of Liberal Party

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—The Ottawa Journal says this morning: "Sir Robert Borden is retiring from Canadian public life. His resignation from the premiership will be officially announced immediately after the new year, and a caucus of the Unionist parliamentary party summoned in Ottawa to select his successor."

LITTLE BRITISH WAR IS ENDED. Two Columns Had Been Sent to Punish Ku's For Murder

London, Dec. 15.—Another milestone has been reached in the Fiume situation. The return of two columns operating to the northeast of Mosul and to the south of Baghdad has been reported.

LIBERAL SECRETARY. Ottawa, Dec. 15.—Andrew Hayden, M. A., barrister, of Ottawa, has been appointed general secretary of the national Liberal organization committee and will assume the duties at once.

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LOCAL NEWS

LADIES
If you want quality work and satisfactory service why not patronize the New System Laundry, Phone M 1707. We know how.

Men's patent and gun metal dancing pumps, \$6.00. The very thing for the season's events. Wiesela, 243 Union street.

Demand the Union Label. Smoke Cosmopolitan and Pipin Cigars, Union made. 106930-12-23

CLIFTON HOUSE DINING ROOM OPEN EVENINGS. 12-16

MULLHOLLAND'S CHRISTMAS DISPLAY
Beautiful artistic Christmas and New Year cards, tags, seals and calendars now on view. Everything on first floor. 11-27-17

Women's lace and button boots at the very low price of \$2.55. Wiesela, 243 Union street. 12-17

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READ THIS
Mullholland the Hatter and Furnisher, No. 7 Waterloo street, has just received another large shipment of hats and caps to be sold at bargain prices. Now come for a bargain. Look for electric sign Mullholland's. A call on this firm is advised. 12-22

New trunks, club bags and suit cases at bargain prices at Mullholland's, No. 7 Waterloo street. 12-22

XMAS GIFTS
Try Mullholland's, No. 7 Waterloo street, near Union street. Everything new in shirts, ties, braces, mufflers, gloves, umbrellas, handkerchiefs, hose, etc. All high grade goods at very low prices. Electric sign Mullholland's, Waterloo street. 12-22

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UNION MADE
Overalls, jumpers, gloves, mitts, shirts, etc. For high grade goods at the lowest prices in town try Mullholland's, No. 7 Waterloo street, near Union street. 12-22

Women's high cut boots in black, brown, grey and two tone, \$4.85. Wiesela, 243 Union street. 12-17

MEN'S WEAR FOR XMAS
Fancy booted—silk-front shirts, hosiery, braces, garters, belts, armlets, handkerchiefs, soft collars, gloves. Wonderful assortment, moderate prices, at Chas. Magnuson & Son, 54-56 Dock street. 12-22

MEN'S BOXED TIES
Compare our 75c and \$1.00 ties with others and we will win. Wonderful values, large shapes, exclusive patterns. \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 to \$3.50. At Chas. Magnuson & Son, 54-56 Dock street. 12-22

"HOUSEMAIDS"
Twenty dollars with bonus and board for housemaids around the age of thirty. Easy work in this city. Write Box H 42 Times. 106934-12-16

You can get a 60c doll all this week at Kerrett's, 222 Union street, for 32c. 12-16

LOCAL NEWS

LOST—Pair Eyeglasses at corner Rockland Road and Parks street. Finder rewarded if returned to Times Office. 106104-12-16

LOST—Bunch keys between 3:30 and 5 p. m. Wednesday. Finder please leave at Times Office. Reward. 106103-12-16

Xmas gifts for your friends; coupons for yourself at Louis Green's, Charlotte street. Visit our premium display room.

WHAT TO GIVE
Wouldn't it be like a Tuxedo coat for Christmas? We have just opened the very latest model in the well known 20th Century Brand unsurpassed for style, tailoring and fit. A man who attends any functions at all finds one of these indispensable. Gilmour's, King street.

DEMAND MADE BY OPERATORS OF C. P. R.
Toronto, Dec. 15—If the reply of General Manager McMillan of the C. P. R. Telegraph Company to the demands of its operators that employ in the head office in Toronto now working on the bonus system be paid straight wages, is not satisfactory, the operators will serve notice of "immediate action" according to G. F. Pawson, chairman of the province. The reply is expected by Wednesday, and is delayed because of business which took Mr. McMillan to Halifax. This was the decision of operators of the company who met here today. 11-27-17

A Pittsburg, Mass., woman discovered after she had walked a block on her way to business that she had not put her skirt on. 12-22

Modern training pays. Get it now. Corner Mill and Union Sts. St. John, N. B.

The Progressive School
If our courses had not been the kind that you should have, we won't, not within two months after establishing our school, have been forced to acquire larger premises to accommodate the large number of young people wishing to take Modern training. 12-22

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Royal Household, Robin Hood, Regal or Five Roses, 24 lb. bags, \$1.55
Purity, 24 lb. Bags, \$1.40
Sugars, 10 lbs., \$1.25
100 lb. Bag Sugar, \$12.50
Shortening, 1 lb. blocks, 35c
5 lb. tin, 95c
10 lb. tin Shortening, \$2.99
20 lb. tin, \$5.99
Clematis XXXX Rolls 43c
King Nut Margarine, 35c
Raisins, Choice Seedless, 20c pkgs.
Currants, 25c pkgs.
Dromedary Dates, 25c pkgs.
New Peaches, 24c pkgs.
New Prunes, 2 lb. 35c

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CANNED GOODS
Corn, 17c tin, \$1.90 doz.
Peas, 18c tin, \$2.00 doz.
Tomatoes (large), 18c tin, \$2.10 doz.
String Beans, 18c tin, \$2.10 doz.
Pumpkin, 11c tin, \$1.25 doz.

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24 lb. bag Pure Flour, \$1.50
Kings Quality Flour, barrels, \$12.25
Choice Mince Meat, 2 lbs., 35c
2 pkg. Mince Meat, 27c
New Seeded Raisins, 25c pkgs.
New Currants, 25c pkgs.
Crisco, 34c
2 lb. Prunes, 25c
2 lb. Raisins, 25c
Bee Jelly Powder, 3 for 25c
2 lb. Rice, 35c
Choice Apples, 65c lb.
Choice Butter, 35c
Large Bottle Pickles, 35c
Mixed Nuts, 35c lb.
2 cans Milk for 25c

Xmas is Drawing Nearer
Remember Your Fruit Cake, We Carry a Full Line of Choice Groceries
Choice Seeded Raisins, pkg., 15c
Fancy Seeded Raisins, 19c
Choice Cleaned Currants, 30c
New Dates, per pkg., 25c
New Fancy Figs, per box, 45c
New Fancy Figs, per box, 25c
Lemon, Orange Peel, per box, 50c
Fancy Shell Walnuts, 17c
1 lb. box Fancy Mixed Peel, 55c
Choice New Prunes, per lb., 17c
Fancy Lobsters, per tin, 35c
CRISCO
1 lb. tin Crisco, \$2.00
4 lb. tin Crisco, \$1.15
Largest tin, 9 lbs., \$3.15
NUTS WHILE THEY LAST
Walnuts, 37c
Pistachios, 40c
Brazil Nuts, 35c
Almonds, 40c
Mixed Nuts, 37c
FLOUR
98 lb. Robin Hood, \$5.95
98 lb. Royal Household, \$3.15
24 lb. Royal Household, \$1.55
24 lb. Robin Hood, \$1.45
49 lb. Purity, \$3.25
6 lb. pail Mince Meat, \$1.30

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That Will Make Him More Comfortable and Be of Real Use.
Rubber Diapers, \$1.25
Hot Water Bottles, 90c-\$2.50
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Puff and Soap Boxes, 20c, 35c, 75c
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Holy Name Society.
The Holy Name societies of the Cathedral and St. John the Baptist church yesterday morning received communion in a body. Nearly 1000 men were communicants at the Cathedral and about 200 in the Lower Cove church. Rev. Wm. Duke addressed the former while Rev. A. W. Meahan, D. D., preached to the men of his parish.

XMAS SPECIALS
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DRIED FRUITS
Red or Blue Ribbon Raisins, 19c
15 oz. pkg. Fancy Seedless Raisins, 23c
Royal Excelsior Currants, pkg., 30c
New Figs, fancy stock, per lb., 45c
New Dromedary Dates, 25c
New Prunes, per lb., 17c
Fancy Peaches, per lb., 30c
Choice Evaporated Apples, 25c
LARD AND SHORTENING
1 lb. block Pure Lard, 33c
3 lb. tin Pure Lard, 90c
5 lb. tin Pure Lard, \$1.40
20 lb. pail Pure Lard, \$6.25
1 lb. block Domestic, 34c
3 lb. tin Domestic, 95c
1 lb. tin Crisco, 34c
Large tin Crisco, \$2.38
MISCELLANEOUS
4 lbs. Onions, 25c
2 pkgs. Shredded Wheat, 25c
4 lbs. Barley, 25c
3 lbs. Graham Flour, 25c
3 1/2 lbs. Oatmeal, 25c
1 1/2 lbs. Bran, 25c
3/4 lb. New Buckwheat, 25c
2 lbs. Rice, 25c
2 pkgs. Minute Tapioca, 25c
1 lb. Pearl Tapioca, 35c
2 pkgs. Cornstarch Tapioca, 25c
2 pkgs. Gelatine, 25c
2 bottles Worcestershire Sauce, 25c
5 bars Lemon Soap, 25c
4 bars White Knight Soap, 25c
4 pkgs. Gold Dust, 25c
3 pkgs. Pearline, 25c
3 Quarts Cranberries, 32c
Jersey Cream Baking Powder, 24c & 30c
Royal Baking Powder, large, 41c
2 lbs. Choice Mince Meat, 35c
16 oz. tin Pure Fruit Jam, 68c
1 lb. tin Lipton's Coffee, Strawberry Jam, 35c
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T. & P. Brand Pickles—Mixed or Chow, 32c
Libby's Relish, large bottle, 32c
Fry's or Baker's Cocoa, 1/2 lb. tin, 25c
Whole Green Peas, 17c qt.
Campbell's Soups, 22c qt.
Pure Fruit Syrups—All Flavors, 22c
FLOUR
24 lb. bag Robin Hood, Royal Household, Five Roses and Regal, 55c
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Cooking Figs, 30c per lb.
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Shelled Almonds, 67c
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Xmas Mixed Candy, Only 30c
40c Grain Mixture, Only 30c
Hand-Made Barley Toys, Only 33c
Candy Canes, Only 40c
Regular 60c Chocolates, Only 40c
5 lb. box Chocolates, Only \$1.75 per box
1/2 lb. box Best Chocolates, 40c

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Regular \$1.50 to \$2.00 Goods, For \$1.25 to \$1.50
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50c Christmas Stocking, 15c
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BEGINNING OF THE END.

The despatches from Ottawa to the morning papers make it clear that Sir Robert Borden will soon cease to be the premier of Canada. There is universal regret that ill-health is forcing him to retire from public life, but not so many will mourn the collapse of Union government and the passing of the Conservative party as a dominating force in Canadian politics. An attempt is being made to carry on under a new premier to be selected early in the new year, but there will be less force of public opinion behind the reorganized cabinet than Sir Robert Borden was able to command.

Mr. Cressy predicts that there will be seventy-five farmer representatives in the next house. There will certainly be a large representation from that source, and all over the country there are evidences of a growing dislike for the present administration. Any one of the men mentioned as Sir Robert's successor would find it extremely difficult to arouse any enthusiasm in the country. There will be no satisfactory government until the people have expressed their wishes at the general election. Whatever is done in the interim will be of a makeshift character, making the people more eager to get the opportunity to speak at the polls.

The Standard's Ottawa correspondent puts Hon. Arthur Meighen forward as the probable choice for a successor to Sir Robert Borden. "He intimates that Sir Thomas White left the cabinet because of thwarted ambition and sets forth a list of objections which would appear to spoil any chance Sir Thomas may have had before he retired. Hon. Mr. Meighen, on the other hand, is thus described: "There has not been a first rate government achievement during the past five years with which his name has not been associated, and he has conceived as well as piloted some of the most important legislation to come before the house. An indefatigable worker, with a mind of infinite reserve and great analytical power, the prime minister has relied upon him to an enormous extent, and even his bitter political opponents have admitted his brilliant political opportunities. He has brought to a salutary recognition of his unusual capacity. And quite apart from his outstanding ability, Mr. Meighen has other qualifications for the post. In the first place, he is a Conservative of the Borden school, a progressive who, while rejecting the claim that to persevere it is necessary to grasp at every innovation, believes in reasonable progress, and in dealing with the affairs of the country with a regard for not merely a single class but for the nation as a whole. In this respect he will appeal to the moderate men of his party, whether Liberal or Conservative. In the second place, he is a western man, and his choice will satisfy the laudable ambition of the section to contribute a premier to the Dominion."

Even Mr. Meighen himself may perhaps be excused if he has failed to discover in himself all of the many superior qualities herein set forth. The people of the maritime provinces have certainly not appreciated him as anything of an admirer. He is a western man, it is true; but, if we may believe Hon. Mr. Cressy, the west is not ready to hail him as its deliverer. What Quebec would do to him needs no telling, and neither in Ontario nor in the maritime provinces is there present evidence of a great desire to hail him chief. The caucus which will choose Sir Robert Borden's successor will have no light task. It is indeed, difficult to see how an early appeal to the people can be avoided. Until that is done there will be no government at Ottawa representative of the views of the majority. Sir Robert Borden's retirement makes the situation distinctly worse from the viewpoint of union government.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION.

Canada today faces a political situation unique in its history. The movement launched to secure for the farmers control of the next parliament may fall to realize fully the hopes of the leaders, but it will be far enough successful to alter in a very important way the conditions hitherto prevailing. The farmers have more in common with the Liberals than with the Conservatives. They have decided not to merge with the Liberals, however, but to be a party in themselves. If they should hold the balance of power, they would prefer a coalition with the Liberals rather than with the Conservatives. The latter, so far as present indications offer a basis for judgment, will be in the minority. One of the reasons why Union government has been losing popularity is that it has leaned to the side of the Conservatives. It is true the Liberal leaders have declared it to be their policy to oppose the farmer candidates in the federal elections, but when the contest is over the representatives of these two parties will have more in common with each other than with the common political enemy which Sir Robert Borden's retirement will also leave without an outstanding leader. There will be three parties in the next parliament. There seems no reason to doubt that some two of them will get together in a working agreement to conduct the affairs of the country, and that the Conservative party will not be one of these. It gained power by waving the flag when there was no justification whatever for such an appeal, and was saved from utter defeat by the national exigency which led to the formation of the Union government. The day of reckoning is now at hand, and it is still trying to buttress itself



Rippling Rhymes by Walt Mason

THE WOLF.

The wolf is at the door, my friends, the wolf is at the door; by day and night his howl ascends, likewise his snarling roar. I might have buckled down to toil and kept the brute away, but such a scheme as that would foil my plans for endless play. Before the war I used to work, and go home tired at night; but now all thoughts of labor, ah, there's too much fun in sight. I still have gasoline to burn, I laid in quite a store; and when that's gone perhaps I'll earn the coin to buy some more. For modern man must have his gas, and tires, with one to spare, although his children live on grass and have no shoes to wear. Oh, there are movie shows by night, and jamborees by day, and he's indeed a feeble fellow who never interferes with having bully times. The wolf is at the door, I wot, the wolf is at the door, and I've no mutton in the pot, nor credit at the store. My wife insists the outlook's drear, unless I earn some times, but wot must never interfere with having bully times. My children clamor for a bone, and weeping wend their ways, but work is something we've outgrown in these enlightened days. The wolf is at the door, I wot, the wolf is at the door, but I have still some gasoline, so let the wolf go hang.

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RECENT WEDDINGS

CANADA—EAST AND WEST

Domestic Happenings of Other Days

THE FINIAN THREAT.

About the middle of December, 1865, an invasion of Canada by the Fenian Society began to loom upon the horizon. For some time before there had been a possibility of such action but it was not taken very seriously by Upper and Lower Canada. But in December it was announced by the Fenians from New York that they had organized a force of 10,000 men for an attack upon the two British provinces and it was rumored that the 12th, following March was the day for the blow. It was said that the invaders had large stocks of arms ready for the affair.

In Canada at that time there were about 22,000 volunteer soldiers poorly armed and equipped. There were also in the country about 12,000 British regulars so it was thought they would be able to handle any Fenians who might venture across the line from the south. Instinctively the British soldiers of the government of the day really feared an attempt to enter Canada from the west. The Fenian danger was the men of the British land to repel an invader that when the 10,000 Fenians were discovered that more than 4,000 more were ready with their guns.

LIGHTER VEIN.

Observing that the eaves of his kitchen chimney were ready to come away, Mr. Higgins, valiant head of the family, climbed a tree that stood near the house, and from that vantage point watched him from below.

MORNING NEWS OVER-THE WIRE

D. H. McDougall, president of the Nova Scotia and Coal Co., with other officials returned to Halifax on Saturday afternoon after a trip to England and the continent. Among other things done while they were abroad was a finalise the purchase of Belgian interests in the company which secures control of valuable coal areas in Picton county, N. S.

FUR FARMING IN P. E. I.

(Continued.)

The recognition of Prince Edward Island as the centre of fur farming as an established and scientific industry is constantly in evidence. The fame of the island has spread not only through the Atlantic and the Pacific, Norway has drawn upon Prince Edward Island breeders a fur farming industry in that country. Japanese business men in Canada and the United States, are paying a special visit to the island to get first-hand information of fur farming methods.

PROSECUTION OF HUNS FOR CRIMES OF WAR

Berlin, Dec. 15.—The bill for the prosecution of those charged with war crimes and offenses has passed all stages in the national assembly. The action of the assembly on the bill was unanimous.

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What the Government is Doing to Develop Port of Vancouver.

(Montreal Gazette, Friday.)

A. D. Swann returned to the city last night from Ottawa, where he has been in consultation with representatives of the Vancouver harbor commission. Before leaving Ottawa Mr. Swann was appointed consulting engineer for the whole scheme of harbor development at Vancouver, which is to be proceeded with without delay.

Select Shoes As Gifts For the Children

It costs money to shoe a family these times, but you can afford to purchase at our figures. We bought before the advance.

"Hulbut Welts" Button, Bead or Strap \$2.95 to \$5.00
"Classic" \$2.50 to \$5.65
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Drums 20c, 32c, 42c, \$1.10, \$1.65
Guns, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c, 75c, 85c, 95c. to \$1.75
Tinker Toys 75c.
Tinker Blocks 40c.
Tinker Pins \$1.75
Gilbert Erector Sets \$3.75, \$7.50
Electrical Sets \$3.75, \$4.50, \$7.50
Puzzles, Magic Sets, Telegraph Sets, Trains on Track \$1.75 to \$4.75
Large Trains \$5c. to \$4.75
Pianos, \$1.10, \$1.45, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$4.50
Sandy Andy Toys, 95c. to \$1.10, \$1.45, \$2.75
Toy Horses, 45c, 80c, 95c, \$1.45, \$2.10, \$2.55
Rocking Horses, \$1.95, \$3.75, \$5.00
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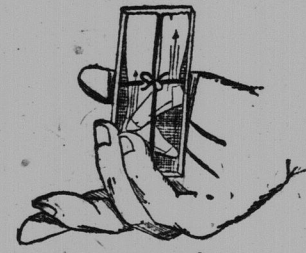
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The following reliable kinds will be sure to please:

- Tan Cape, unlined \$1.55 to \$3.75
- Grey Suede \$1.75 to \$3.00
- Beaver Suede \$2.00 to \$3.00
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- Grey Suede, silk lined \$3.00 to \$3.75
- Grey Buck \$3.75 and \$4.75
- Gre. Mocha, fur lined \$6.00 and \$9.50
- Tan Mocha Mitts, fur lined \$5.00
- Wool Gloves in many weights and colors.

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Any of these would make an attractive gift.
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You'll find all the best liked styles here. Popular open end shapes are in a host of neat patterns and color blendings.

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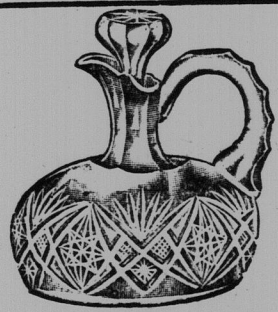
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Cairo, Dec. 15—The local committee of the Egyptian nationalist delegation which visited Paris during the peace conference, issued a statement yesterday saying that the Egyptian mission would decide to boycott the mission headed by Viscount Milner on the following grounds—

First—That the Egyptian question is international and to enter into negotiations with the British commission would be to classify the question as domestic.

Second—That the commission wishes to conduct negotiations based on a protectorate, which the nation does not accept.

Third—That the plebiscite must be held under martial law.

Form of Compulsory Service Considered

Montreal, Dec. 14—At a complimentary banquet tendered Major-General Wilson, C. M. G., who is retiring as G. O. C. No. 4 district, on Saturday night, interesting announcements as to the military and naval service in Canada were made by Major-General Mewburn and Hon. Mr. Balfour. The latter said that he was considering a scheme for naval defence with advice given by Admiral Jellicoe in his recent visit to Canada. General Mewburn intimated that he was considering a form of compulsory service for both the permanent and active militia.

General Wilson's successor will be Lieutenant-General C. J. Armstrong.

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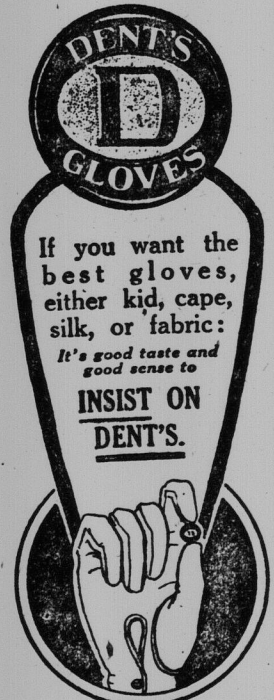
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Ladies' Strapped Purses, fine quality leather, in the newest styles and most popular sizes. Pretty shades of blue, brown, grey and black. All nicely finished and fitted. Ranging in price from \$1.45 to \$6.95 each.

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Price 49c. to 85c. each.

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\$13.50 to \$25.00.
New Tuxedo Shawl Scarfs in pretty heather mixtures made with pockets and patent leather belt.

\$12.50 to \$18.80.
Warm Brushed Wool and Plain Knit Scarfs in light or dark shades.

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Women's Gloves in finest quality French Kid, finished with silk embroidery stitching on back in new shades of tans, browns, greys, also black and white. All sizes. In pretty Christmas boxes.

Ranging in price from \$2.85 to \$3.50 per pair.

We have a splendid showing of Women's Cape Gloves for Christmas, in colors, tans, browns, beavers and greys. Ranging in price from \$2.25 to \$2.95 per pair.

Women's Perrin's French Suede Gloves, nice fine quality finished with silk embroidery stitching of gift. Colors, grey, tans and black. Price \$2.95 per pair.

Splendid showing of Women's, Children's and Misses' Warm Gloves and Mitts. Very specially priced for Christmas.



UNDERSKIRTS ARE SENSIBLE GIFTS AND JUST SUCH A GIFT THAT YOU CAN GIVE SOME FRIEND OR RELATIVE AND BE SURE IT WILL RECEIVE A HEARTY WELCOME.

A splendid showing of colored and black satin finished Satens Underskirts for women and misses, in Christmas boxes. Specially priced.

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Silk Finish More Underskirts made with deep corded ruffles in colors and black. Very special value.

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See our showing of lovely Silk Underskirts in the newest ideas both colors and black; American silks, Jersey, satin, etc. Splendid values.

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WHY NOT A BLOUSE FOR A CHRISTMAS GIFT?

It is one any girl or woman will appreciate. This new Christmas assortment is so complete too that you will find no trouble in selecting one that will please.

There are dark suit shales, pretty beige, delicate flesh, maise, white, etc. There are voile blouses and Georgette Blouses, in fact a blouse for every occasion and so reasonably priced, too.

One special line of Crepe de Chine in all dainty colorings and new designs, in Christmas boxes.

Specially priced at \$4.95 each.

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WHY NOT GIVE HER SOME NICE STOCKINGS.

Women's Pure Silk Hose in navy, grey, smoke, beaver, brown, champagne, sand, taupe, pink, sky, black and white. All sizes.

Women's Glove Silk Hose in good quality black and brown only. In Christmas boxes, \$3.75 per pair.

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MORE EVIDENCE IN DETZER CASE

New York, Dec. 15.—Testimony that Capt. Karl W. Detzer had struck military prisoners in France in the face and ordered his sergeants to "beat them up" in order to force "confessions" was given by three witnesses when he was placed on trial at Governor's Island.

The offenses with which Capt. Detzer is charged, occurred while he was in charge of "criminal investigation" in the Le Mans area. The defendant was in command of the 20th Military Police Company.

George E. Williams of Corning Iowa, discharged private, asserted that after he had been slapped by Detzer, the captain ordered Sergeants U. S. Madden and Frank Hoyt "to take him out in the yard and make him come clean."

Williams declared that while Hoyt held his hands behind his back, Madden beat him, until, fearing he was to be "killed," he had signed a statement, which he believed was to that effect, that he had stolen government property.

Private Thomas J. McAdams, now attached to the 8th Guard Company at Governors Island, testified that after having been "picked up" in the street at a time when he was an attendant patient at a base hospital, he had been beaten by Sergeant Hoyt.

Detzer, he said, came into the room, asked him why he did not confess to a certain crime so that he would not be beaten any more and left, after Hoyt had said: "Get out of the room, captain, while I give him some more."

McAdams said he had signed a statement prepared by Hoyt because he was in fear of his life, not only from the beating he said he had received, but by the appearance of Capt. Detzer and his men "armed with guns and blackjacks."

Samuel G. Roth of Chicago testified that Sergeant Madden and Hoyt had kept Mechanic William G. Warner standing at attention for a long period by Detzer's orders. He said that finally Warner had "confessed" but that when this confession had been found to be untrue, he was beaten again.

Thomas Gossett of Galveston, Texas, once a guard in the office of Capt. Detzer, testified that he had never seen any prisoner struck.

Claims Capt. Detzer Made Excessive. In outlining his case for the defense, Lieut. Thomas L. Hefferman declared that a military police company had to be organized at Le Mans because many complaints had been received from the French of "dangerous criminals."

He added that "the court is going to see the type of men who gave the A. E. F. a black eye in France" and then who had been removed from the company by Detzer and who bore a grudge.

He said that the "most important man," the "really cruel man," had taken French leave and that any cruelty practiced had been done against Detzer's order.

Sergeant Madden of Pittsburgh, once a member of Pennsylvania state constabulary, was not in court. He will be tried at the end of the present case. Sergeant Hoyt, according to the judge advocate, deserted in France.

A NEW USE FOR THE AEROPLANE. The department of agriculture at Ottawa has discovered a new use for the aeroplane. The entomological branch is investigating the mosquito in the Lower Fraser Valley in British Columbia.

WOULD CO-ORDINATE CHARITABLE BODIES

Vice-President Marshall of the United States Favors Control by Red Cross.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Vice-President Marshall, addressing the annual meeting of the American Red Cross here, advocated the co-ordination of all charitable and social organizations in the United States under one big federation to be operated by the American Red Cross.

The financial report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919, showed a net cost of operation was \$ per cent, and that during the fiscal year \$10,000,000 was available for Red Cross operations. Of this sum \$21,000,000 was actually spent during the fiscal year.

All of the officers were re-elected with President Wilson as president, except Dr. Stockton Axson, secretary, who will be succeeded by Miss Mabel T. Bourdman of Washington.

GERMAN LINER ON FIRE IN NEW YORK HARBOR

New York, Dec. 14.—Fire has broken out on the former North German Lloyd liner Graf Waldersee, recently a United States army transport and now anchored in the Hudson River pending transfer to Great Britain. Two army transports anchored nearby are endeavoring to render assistance.

Residents at Spuyten Duyvil, opposite the anchorage of the Graf Waldersee reported that the big liner was enveloped in smoke through which flames were leaping. Two fire boats and a police tug were rushed to the assistance of the liner.

The Graf Waldersee is a boat of 18,000 tons and was one of the fleet of German merchantmen seized by the Allies in German ports after the signing of the armistice. She was allotted to the United States for use as a transport and was taken over by the American navy at Brest in March of this year.

Manslaughter in Second Degree. Cutting corns with a razor is dangerous and unsafe. The only remedy is Putnam's Corn Extractor, which removes corns and warts in one day. Because painless and safe, only "Putnam's," 25c. per bottle at all dealers.

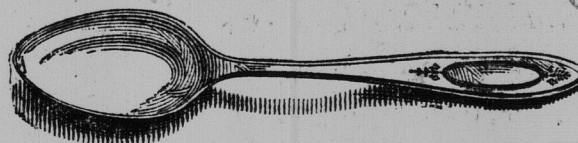
AN EXPENSIVE LUXURY. (L. G. Denis in Conservation.) In Montreal the daily quantity of water consumed weighs twelve times as much as the entire population of the city. In other words, every individual may be said to consume twelve times his own weight of water.

One of the commonest causes of over-consumption is the policy adopted by our eastern cities of supplying water on the flat rate with absolute no control of the individual consumption or waste. In the prairie provinces, on the other hand, we find a much lower consumption which, of course, is due to the fact that, in that section, the charges are usually made on the metric basis.

PRISONERS TAKEN. Eagle Pass, Texas, Dec. 18.—Two Americans and an Englishman are reported among the men taken by the Villistas in the raid of Tuesday last of Mustang, state of Coahuila, and who are now held.

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

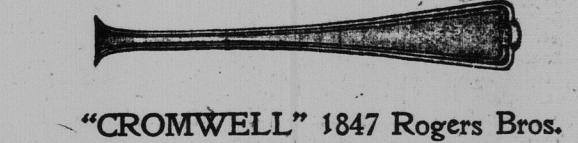
We specialize in Tableware and carry a well selected stock of Sterling and Electro Plated Spoons, Forks and Knives in the various patterns shown here; at this season our assortment is most complete.



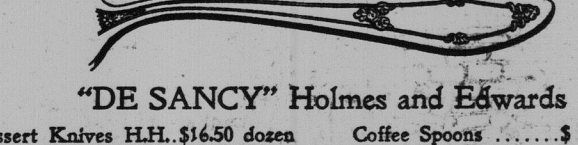
"ADAM" Community Plate. Coffee Spoons \$7.00 dozen, Tea Spoons 7.00 dozen, Dinner Spoons 13.00 dozen, Table Spoons 14.00 dozen, Bouillon Spoons 12.00 dozen.



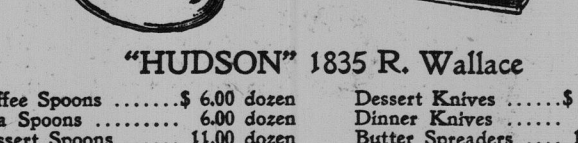
"SHERATON" Community Plate. Coffee Spoons \$7.00 dozen, Tea Spoons 7.00 dozen, Dinner Spoons 13.00 dozen, Table Spoons 14.00 dozen, Bouillon Spoons 12.00 dozen, Soup Spoons 14.00 dozen.



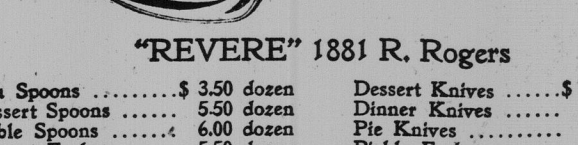
"CROMWELL" 1847 Rogers Bros. Coffee Spoons \$6.50 dozen, Tea Spoons 6.50 dozen, Dinner Spoons 11.50 dozen, Table Spoons 13.00 dozen, Soup Spoons 13.00 dozen, Bouillon Spoons 11.00 dozen.



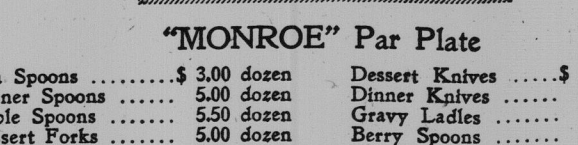
"DE SANCY" Holmes and Edwards. Dessert Knives H.H. \$16.50 dozen, Dinner Knives H.H. 17.50 dozen, Dessert Spoons 11.00 dozen, Dinner Forks 12.00 dozen, Cold Meat Forks 1.50 each.



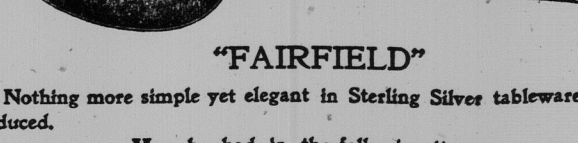
"HUDSON" 1835 R. Wallace. Coffee Spoons \$6.00 dozen, Tea Spoons 6.00 dozen, Dinner Spoons 11.00 dozen, Table Spoons 12.00 dozen, Dessert Forks 11.00 dozen, Dinner Forks 12.00 dozen.



"REVERE" 1831 R. Rogers. Tea Spoons \$3.50 dozen, Dessert Spoons 5.50 dozen, Table Spoons 6.00 dozen, Dinner Forks 6.00 dozen, Cold Meat Forks 1.25 each.



"MONROE" Par Plate. Tea Spoons \$3.00 dozen, Dinner Spoons 5.00 dozen, Dessert Forks 5.00 dozen, Dinner Forks 5.50 dozen.



"FAIRFIELD". Nothing more simple yet elegant in Sterling Silver tableware has been produced. May be had in the following items: Coffee and Tea Spoons, Dessert and Dinner Knives, Dessert and Dinner Forks, Oyster and Meat Forks, Sugar Spoons and Sifters, Butter and Pie Knives.

McAVITY'S 11-17 King St. Phone M. 2540

Gullible Farmer Buys Partnership In North Pole Says Promoter of "Aurora Borealis Ice Company" Fleeced Him For \$20,000

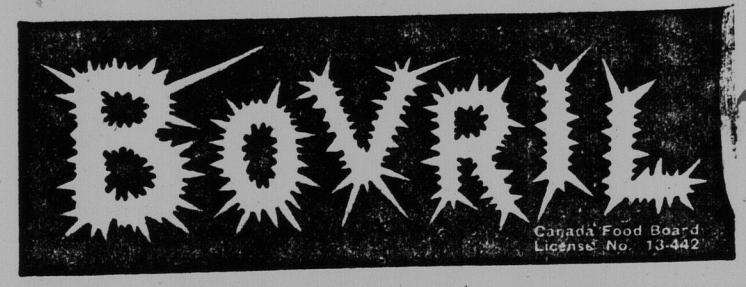
Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 13.—Bewailing the loss of \$20,000, representing his entire savings, Homer Hogarth, a farmer of Minneapolis, applied to Assistant County Attorney Olson for a warrant for the arrest of Galileo Grubb, alias Galileo Grubb, alleged participant in the discovery of the North Pole and promoter for the Aurora Borealis Ice Company, a concern which Hogarth thought was to revolutionize the ice business of the world.

Hogarth, a wealthy farmer, owner of a half-section of Kansas land, said that last July Galileo Grubb first appeared on his farm. He was equipped with apparatus similar to that used by surveyors, making some sort of measurements with his instruments and continually looking toward the skies and making gesticulations as though absorbed in calculating some abstruse problems in mathematics.

Finally, when on a spot not more than a hundred yards from Hogarth's back door, the latter says, the stranger exclaimed: "This is the spot; the very spot." Then Hogarth says the mysterious stranger introduced himself as Galileo Grubb, explaining that while he was an Italian, for business purposes he used the contraction "Grubb" as his last name.

From time to time thereafter, he said, Grubb made Hogarth offers for the purchase of the land at a price largely in excess of its valuation, all of which he declined.

Hogarth says Grubb finally abandoned the attempt to purchase and agreed under a pledge of secrecy to take Hogarth into partnership in what he confidently asserted was one of the greatest busi-



ness ventures ever contemplated. He said Grubb explained that he was an Italian scientist who had accompanied Peary on his expedition to the North Pole and that the Pole was really a steep projection from the center of the earth, the fountain head of all electric principle and the source of the Aurora Borealis. These facts, Grubb asserted, Peary had kept secret, but he, Grubb, was ready to reveal them to the world. He had invented, he told the farmer, a mighty scoop, to be attached to the Pole and to be run by electricity from the Pole. In the process of the earth's revolution about its axis, Grubb explained, the scoop would dip into the ice of the Arctic Circle and as the earth re-

Shirriff's Orange Marmalade. Before anybody knew about marmalade, nature perfected Seville Oranges and Cuban Sugar Cane. Shirriff's Orange Marmalade combines the perfection of both. Fatness of Seville, sweetness of Cuba, blended in the Shirriff way! Just try it. For sale everywhere in glass or large tins. Sales Agents, Harold F. Ritchie & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

Automobile Skates. The Ideal Gift. Light, Graceful, Strong. The Skates with Aluminum Tops PATENTED.

DIM-A-LITE. Enables you to turn your Electric Light "up" or "down". Full - Half - Dim - Nitelite - and Out. SCREWS into the socket like an ordinary lamp, which in turn screws into the Dim-a-lite, enabling you to turn your light up or down just the same as you used to do with gas. Indispensable for the sick room, nursery, bathroom or in fact any room in the home, hospital, club or hotel. Ask for the Dim-a-lite by name. For Sale by All Electrical Dealers. Benjamin Electric Mfg. Co. of Canada, Limited, 11-17 Charlotte St., Toronto.

The Season's Greetings are extended to the readers of The Telegraph and Times-Star thousands of whom are Policyholders in The Manufacturers Life Insurance Company. The year just closing has been one of unprecedented success. Not only has the new business been greatly in excess of that of any previous year, but the payments to Policyholders by way of dividends and maturities have broken all previous records. Thirty-two festive seasons have come and gone since The Manufacturers Life was first incorporated. The Manufacturers Life is now more than a Life Insurance Company. It is a national institution, built on service to its Policyholders. Although the season is one of gladness, we are not unmindful of the fact that many homes would today be bereft of any comforts had it not been for the wisdom of the head of the family in carrying adequate insurance in The Manufacturers Life. At some future date, there is going to be a vacant chair at your family table. The wants of the season will be the same then as now. Are you going to ensure these comforts to those dependent on you, or leave the matter to chance? You can provide for your loved ones in a better way than by a Monthly Income Policy with The Manufacturers Life. The Manufacturers Life Insurance Company. HEAD OFFICE - TORONTO, CANADA. THE E. R. MACHUM CO., LTD., Managers for the Maritime Provinces, St. John, N. B. Without obligation, will you kindly furnish me with full particulars of your Guaranteed Policies. I am _____ years of age, and am _____ (Married/Single). Name _____ Address _____

Globe-Wernicke SECTIONAL BOOKCASES. For a lover of books what more fitting gift than a bookcase to keep the precious volumes - to preserve them - to display their beautiful bindings. Proper harmony with any furnishing theme will be found in the many designs of wood-tones available in.

THE BUSINESS COLUMN

Underwear and Hosiery
Are Hulse's Sole Lines
By concentrating on underwear and hosiery alone, Earl A. Hulse, of Toledo, Ohio, has been able to build up one of the most successful businesses in this line in the country, recently opening the first exclusive underwear and hosiery store in the United States.

At last the kiddies have come into their own. Little Miss Six-Goin'-on-Seven, in quest of a "doll" as a carriage, a doll crib, can now make her selections and do her buying in a store devoted exclusively to dolls and that goes with them, located on America's most famous fashion boulevard—Fifth avenue, New York.

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FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET. (J. M. Robinson & Sons, Member Montreal Stock Exchange) New York, Dec. 15. Prev. Close. Open. Noon.

PROTECTION AND FINANCIAL POWER

A speaker on behalf of Mr. McKinnon, the Unionist candidate in North Ontario, said that it was largely through protection that the world's money market had been removed from London to New York.

SELF-GOVERNMENT IN INDIA

The India government bill, which had its third reading in the commons last Friday, is pretty certain of approval in the house of lords, because it embodies the findings of a joint committee which spent nearly half a year in studying the recommendations of the Montagu-Chelmsford report.

THE IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFT

Folks who have reached the eye-glass age have been given about everything givable, why not give them a Pair of New Glasses?

Overcoats OF STYLE

An Overcoat that possesses warmth and quality alone, is not an Overcoat in every sense. It is not wholly an Overcoat unless it has style.

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

(J. M. Robinson & Sons, Member Montreal Stock Exchange) Montreal, Dec. 15.

TRAVELERS' PRESIDENT GIVEN WARM RECEPTION

Mr. Sime Greeted on Return from Halifax - C. T. A. Had Successful Year.

Practical Christmas Gifts

The well known quality of Levine's Footwear is now firmly established in the public mind; but we wish to draw attention to a few of our Christmas lines and the unusual values offered.

EXTENSIVE VARIETY OF SLIPPERS

- Men's Felt Slippers, 98c. to \$2.85
Ladies' Cozy Felt Slippers, \$1.25 to \$2.45
Men's Alligator and Kid Slippers, \$1.75 to \$3.85
Ladies' Plaid Felt and Wool Slippers, \$1.45 to \$2.85

BRITISH PORTS

Plymouth, Dec. 14—Ard, str Ryndam, New York for Rotterdam, via Harve, France, and the British West Indies, via Halifax.

MONTREAL'S DAIRY PRODUCE EXPORTS

Exports of Cheese and Butter For Season Smaller and Eggs Larger Than in 1918.

GROCERY PRICES IN THREE OF BIG CITIES OF CANADA

The following comment on the market situation as regards food stuffs appeared in Canadian Grocer last week:

Many Price Changes In Hardware Lines and Most of Them Upward

Price changes are unusually numerous this week and almost without exception are upward. Among the advances that have taken place are: Steel bit and pipe, 1 to 2 points; nipples, 5 points.

HOKEY BOOTS

- Men's Hockey Boots From \$2.85 to \$5.85
Ladies' Hockey Boots From \$3.50 to \$6.50
Boys' Hockey Boots From \$2.95 to \$4.50
Misses' Hockey Boots From \$2.85 to \$3.50

SPATS GAITERS RUBBERS

Levine's Shoe Stores
107 Charlotte Street—8 1-2 Brussels Street

LADIES' FUR COATS AND SETS

Come along, Ladies!—Overcoats, Suits, Furs, Fur Coats, Dresses, Waists and Raincoats.

WOULD HAVE HIM GIVEN FIFTEEN YEARS IN PRISON

Munich, Dec. 15.—The trial of Alois Lindner, a ship's cook and butcher, on a trial of shooting Minister of the Interior Auer in the Diet last January, was concluded this morning with the state's attorney's plea for a conviction and his demand for a sentence of fifteen years' imprisonment in the penitentiary.

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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1919

Christmas Perfume

Dainty odors, put up in ground glass bottles, set in a pretty French Ivory Case; something out of the ordinary.

Prices \$2.50, \$2.75, \$4.00

The Ross Drug Co., Ltd

100 KING STREET

The Retail Store St. John, N. B.

Visit Our Christmas Showroom

You will find the newest to be had in Christmas Cards, Toys, Dolls, Boxed Novelties, Fancy Goods, Games; also Millinery for wear during the holiday season.

MARR MILLINERY CO., LTD.

We announce, with pleasure, the arrival of a limited number of Baby Safety Straps, assorted colors.

Best Quality Christmas Ribbon; all wanted colors. 6c. a yard.

Special Christmas Sale

of Ladies' All Wool and Silk Sweaters, Pullovers, and Slip-ons. New Colors, including Amber, Nile, Rose, Pale Pink, Heather, etc. These will all be sold at Greatly Reduced Prices.

Prices range from \$2.50 to \$14.00.

F. S. THOMAS

539 to 545 Main Street

GOOD VALUE ALL THE TIME IN Men's and Boys' Overcoats

A Large Assortment to Select From—Call and See



440 Main St. St. John, N. B. Cor. Sheriff

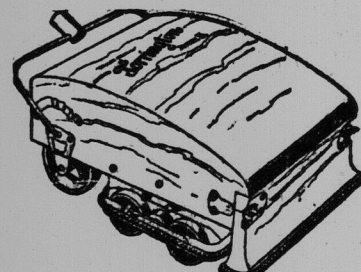
Special Christmas Dinner At The ROYAL

The Royal's Christmas Dinner has always been a big feature of the Holiday Season; this year, it is to be better than ever. But to avoid disappointment, you'll have to BOOK YOUR SEATS EARLY.

The Best Time is NOW.

THE ROYAL HOTEL
Phone Main 1900

A Household Gift



That Brings Comfort All the Year

The TORRINGTON VACUUM SWEEPER is one of the household needs women often long for, but sometimes hesitate to purchase, little realizing that the outfit would be repaid manifold by the saving of labor, and the greater durability of carpets and rugs. The TORRINGTON is Easy to Run, Easy to Empty, and will last for years.

Price, Complete with Carpet Sweeper Attachment, \$11.50.

W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD.

Stores Open at 8.30 a. m.—Close at 6 p. m.—Saturdays Open till 10 p. m.

LOCAL NEWS

CALENDAR TIME

Hazel Brothers, Sydney street, have issued a very dainty calendar for 1920. A beautiful picture, "Peg o' My Heart," is a feature.

ON HEALTH BUSINESS

Dr. J. F. L. Brown, district medical health officer for the southern district, went to Moncton this morning on health matters.

FINE ADDRESS

In St. Phillip's church last evening the speaker was Rev. A. F. McL. Smith, New Brunswick secretary of the inter-church forward movement. He gave an inspiring address on "Prayer," which was heard with appreciative attention by large congregation.

LUDLOW STREET S. SCHOOL

The exercises in connection with Ludlow street Baptist Sunday school were of a special nature on Sunday. Duncan McIntosh, of Glasgow, Scotland, delivered a very inspiring address on "The King's Son, Jesus." At the conclusion he sang with effect "The Ninety and Nine." Mr. McIntosh's chief steward of the Pretorian, now in port, and received a hearty welcome from many friends he has made in Ludlow street church. During the service a solo was sung by Ralph J. Rupert, with violin accompaniment by C. E. King. The superintendent of the Sunday school, R. H. Parsons, presided.

WEST END SUNDAY SCHOOLS

The annual meeting of the West End district of the St. John County Sunday School Association was held yesterday afternoon in the Congdon Methodist church. The president of the district, R. H. Parsons, presided. An inspiring address on Sunday school work was given by Rev. A. S. Bishop. A nominating committee consisting of the superintendents of West Side Sunday schools was appointed to report at a later date and also to make plans for the organizing of a teacher training class on the West Side. C. R. Wesson, president of the County Sunday School Association, offered valuable suggestions.

FORMER ST. JOHN

PASTOR, PRESIDED AT TABLET UNVEILING

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Dec. 15.—On Sunday morning a memorial tablet erected by the Methodist church to the heroism of members of the congregation who enlisted in the war was unveiled. A sermon "On the Emancipators of the Race" was preached by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Fullerton, who was also prominently identified with recruiting, being president of the P. E. I. Patriotic Society. The subject of his sermon was "Their Glorious Triumph Over Death."

FORMER RAIDER

IN FIRE GRIP

Prinz Eitel Friederich, Now the Dekalb, Ablaze in the Hudson.

New York, Dec. 15.—An investigation was under way today to determine the cause of a fire which last night badly damaged the United States army transport Dekalb, anchored in the Hudson River. Details of the blaze and the extent of the damage were withheld by naval officers.

The Dekalb, formerly the German raider Prinz Eitel Friederich, caught fire from a cause not made public a little before midnight. The blaze started on the port side amidships and spread rapidly. The skeleton crew of thirty-five was unable to cope with the flames and wireless calls for help were sent for city fire boats.

The crew finally was forced to take to small boats. After several hours' hard work the fire was controlled. For a time it was feared the blaze might spread to the transport Graf Waldersee, formerly a Hamburg-American liner, and the Mongolian which were anchored nearby. The Dekalb was being converted into an oil burner.

HEARING IN HALIFAX

TODAY; HERE TOMORROW

Application by Telegraph Companies For Increase in Rates

Halifax, Dec. 15.—The board of railway commissioners met this morning to hear any protests offered to the application of the Western Union and Canadian Pacific telegraph companies for increased rates. General Managers G. D. Perry of the C. N. W. Telegraph Company, A. J. McMillan of Canadian Pacific Telegraphs and Supt. C. W. McKee, representing the Western Union Telegraph Company, with local representatives, were present. H. R. Silver, president of the board of trade, said that unless the telegraph service was efficient it was worthless and under present conditions prevailing throughout the world there seemed no immediate prospect of a radical change in the cost of doing business. He would recommend that the commission when satisfied of the authenticity of the telegraph companies' representations grant such increase as the board thought advisable. His understanding was that the different boards of trade throughout Nova Scotia were in accord with the views of the Halifax board of trade. The commission will meet in St. John tomorrow.

THE STEEL STRIKE

Washington, D. C., Dec. 15.—Continuation of the nation-wide steel workers' strike was voted yesterday by a conference of the twenty-four presidents of unions connected with the steel industry. It was said there were only two dissenting votes, most of the union leaders maintaining that victory in the controversy was in sight.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

The co-operation of advertising patrons is requested in the direction of getting "copy" into the business office on or before 4.30 p. m. on the day previous to publication. Very often the receipt of a large advertisement or even regular changes after that hour serves to dislocate the regular work of getting the paper made up in time to catch the mails—and not infrequently such ads. are at the last moment left out.

This situation is not of service to either the advertiser or our readers and we therefore, request that you be received in the business office.

Not later than 4.30 p. m.

BOYS HELPING IN XMAS RUSH AT POST OFFICE

Ten Will Go on Duty on Saturday — Heavy Overseas Mail — Many Parcels, Including Some for Germany, Being Sent.

In order to help with the Christmas rush in the distribution of mail for the holiday season, ten boys have been appointed as helpers to the letter carriers of the local staff and will go on duty on next Saturday. An effort was made to get returned soldiers, but whether because the money offered was not considered sufficient or for some other reason, it was declared impossible to get help from this quarter.

The boys who will go on duty on Saturday and continue at work for ten days are all high school students: J. W. Thomas, Paddock street; G. H. Coleman, Winter street; Fred Strong, Summer street; Joseph Butler, Metcalf street; Roy Fullerton, Watson street; Clarence Hoyt, Winter street; Ralph Shannon, Wright street; and Vernon Bowman, all of Prospect street. The idea of having boys help in the street carrying is new in St. John, but here they have given excellent service in assisting on the floor of the office.

Concerning the Christmas mails, J. S. Fligor, who is acting postmaster in the absence of Mr. King, said today that while the overseas lot was not so large as in the last few years it was larger than before the war. The quantity of mail taken on the steamer Corleon, which was the Christmas mail yesterday, was particularly large, and included a great many parcels for various parts of Great Britain, Belgium and France, while there were not a few for Germany as well. The correspondence with the other side is apparently being actively continued by the returned soldiers and the parcels being sent would suggest that they are now trying to re-associate with their friends in the old world for kindness shown them at the festive season in other years when they were amongst them.

HAD BUNDLES READY TO TAKE

That the two men who were found in the garage at the rear of Mrs. George K. McLeod's house, 101 Burpee avenue, early yesterday morning were not seeking a "haven of refuge" from the storm, as indicated in a published report, was declared proved today by the fact that when they fled, bundles were left by them tied up securely, containing articles which it was very evident they intended to get into the city.

The daughter first heard the noise of the men getting into the garage. Her brother, Stuart McLeod, was awakened and the police were telephoned for.

It was said today that it was half an hour before the police reached the scene, that two calls were sent in and those from the central station arrived before those from the North End. Taking his revolver, Mr. McLeod went to get to the garage and hold the men up, but they got away, leaving behind what they had apparently come for—bundles of motor car tools, some overcoats and other things. Inspector Caples and Policemen McNeil and Lobb made search in the vicinity, but were unable to locate them.

POLICE COURT

In police court circles it was comparatively quiet over the week-end, there being only four prisoners in the police court this morning. Joseph Murphy was charged with being drunk and also with having liquor in his possession other than his private dwelling and a fine of \$80 was imposed. He was arrested by Sergeant Jormay and Policeman Lindsay.

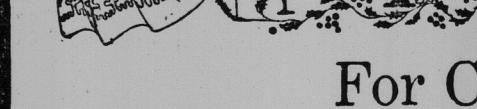
A man was accosted yesterday afternoon by Inspectors McAlnish and Merryfield in Main street and it was found that he had a bottle of liquor in his possession, but because of circumstances he was allowed to go home on condition that he would appear in court Thursday morning. A deposit of \$200 was put up.

In the case against William Truffen, charged with having liquor on his premises other than in his private dwelling, a fine of \$80 was imposed. E. S. Ritchie appeared for the defendant.

A case against Harry Kent, arraigned on a liquor charge, resumed this morning, was again postponed until Friday, Dec. 19. Judgment was to have been given this morning but Inspector Merryfield pressed for a conviction on the grounds that the defendant had been before the court before and for this reason the matter is receiving further consideration from the magistrate. E. S. Ritchie appeared for the defendant.

Three men, charged with drunkenness, pleaded guilty and were remanded to jail.

Have You Thought of A Veil



For Christmas Gift

We are showing some of the newest of Winter Veils with many novel ideas in Meshes and Weaves, which offer excellent gift opportunities.

SLIP-ON VEILS 15c. to 75c.
VEILING by the yard 25c. to \$1.25 yard

GIVE HER A DRESS LENGTH

The most practical, as well as the most pleasing gift to many women folk is a length of pretty goods for a dress or suit. We will help the man select what we know the woman will like.

Fancy Resida Cloth, 40 in. wide. . . \$2.00 yard
Novelty Zebelline Plaids, 48 in. . . \$4.50 yard
All-Wool Serges, 56 in. . . \$4.50 yard
Mixed Tweeds, 56 in. . . \$3.40 to \$4.60 yard
Fancy Plaids and Checks, 36 to 44 in. . . \$1.10 to \$2.75 yard
All-Wool Black Cloths, 56 in. . . \$3.75 to \$4.50 yard

MACAULAY BROTHERS & COMPANY, Limited

The Silver Moon Self Feeder

For Economy, Durability and Satisfaction

The qualities of the Silver Moon need little explanation to the householders of this city. Thousands are already in use, all giving the same excellent satisfaction.

We Have Still Some Second-Hand Feeders at Attractive Prices!
See Our Line! Get Our Prices!

XMAS COOKING UTENSILS OF ALL KINDS!
155 Union street. St. John, N. B. D. J. BARRETT
Glenwood Ranges. Oil Heaters
Clean Your Chimney With "Witch," the Famous Soot Destroyer

ONLY 8 MORE SHOPPING DAYS AFTER TODAY The Store of the Christmas Spirit

That the Boys of St. John appreciate having a "Boys' Shop" all their own is brought home to us quite forcibly every once in a while by receiving from our boy friends a write-up or endorsement of the Boys' Shop. Here is one that just came in, and from time to time we will publish more of them to show the boys that we appreciate their efforts and the personal interest they take in "their own shop."



FOR CHRISTMAS

Now is the time to get the boys gifts. The boys like anything that comes from the BOYS' SHOP

Fourth Floor OAK HALL
Look For the Big Sign.



MOTHERS—What stronger appeal do you need than this one, direct from the heart of "One of the Boys?"

OAK HALL - - SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED KING STREET

For Wife or Mother to Lighten Her Labors

A Eureka Vacuum Cleaner

As a gift proposition and one that will serve as a perpetual reminder of your thoughtfulness throughout the years to come, it would be hard to beat a good Vacuum Cleaner — such as the Eureka, for instance.

Powerful of motor, there is no Cleaner made that is in its class. It fairly lifts the carpet from the floor, and the several attachments make no corner safe for dust to lurk in.

If at a loss what to give of an ACCEPTABLE nature, and one that is SURELY needed—you need go no further than a Eureka Cleaner.

Step in and let us demonstrate for your satisfaction its wonderful working ability.



A. Ernest Everett THE HOUSE FURNISHER
91 Charlotte Street

Scores of other things here, too, for every member of the family or person on your "to remember" list.

Beautifully Made Garments of fur that are trimmed with contrasting fur on the collar and cuffs. Your size is here. We have been fortunate and we are going to share our good fortune with you.

TEN OF THESE GARMENTS of differing fur are on sale at the following prices.

\$245.00	\$210.00	\$165.00	\$130.00
Buy a \$300 Coat	For a \$250 Gar.	For a \$200 Coat	For a \$175 Gar.

Magee's Gift Shop St. John

LARGE AUDIENCE HEARD LECTURE IN IMPERIAL THEATRE

A large audience heard the lecture on Christian Science delivered in the Imperial Theatre, yesterday afternoon, by Charles I. O'Brien of Boston.

Dr. Legale, who is a native of the city over the week-end was the Rev. Dr. Moorshead Legate of Montreal, an interesting visitor to the city.

WAS CHAPLAIN FOR THREE YEARS WITH THE AUSTRALIANS

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SIR ROBERT SAID TO BE ABOUT TO RESIGN AS PREMIER

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—That Sir Robert Borden for eighteen years as premier of the dominion, will announce his resignation to a caucus of his followers early in the new year, is stated tonight on what is believed to be most reliable authority.

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—(By Canadian Press)—There is nothing to say about the resignation of Sir Robert Borden, but it is a matter which is being discussed in Ottawa.

SALVATION ARMY OVERSEAS OFFICERS WERE WELCOMED

The Salvation Army meetings of the week-end were of much interest. Those at the Charlotte street citadel were conducted by Brigadier and Mrs. Moore.

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'SYRUP OF FIGS' CHILD'S LAXATIVE



Look at Tongues! Remove Poisons From Stomach, Liver and Bowels. Accept 'California' Syrup of Figs only for the little children of the family.

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DENTISTRY TO BE SEPARATE FACULTY

Announcement Follows Meeting of McGill Corporation—Numbers 100 Students. Formalities have yet to be completed with, but soon dentistry at McGill, instead of being a department of the faculty of medicine, will, as one of the results of the decision of the corporation meeting on Wednesday, be raised to the dignity of a faculty.

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Stomach Disorder ONLY SIX MONTHS TO LIVE

Mr. Hans Kehli, Magnolia, Alta. writes: "Some years ago I became very sick from stomach disorder, which the doctor told me had started from drinking bad water. I tried local doctors, but finding I got worse from day to day I went to a doctor in Edmonton. He told me that I must have an operation, and that if I didn't I couldn't live any longer than six months. I told him I had better die after six months than be cut to pieces. I did not have the operation, but returned home. No one was there to meet me at the station, because I did not know I was coming. I felt so bad I couldn't walk farther than 10 yards without resting. It took me 4 hours to walk 5 miles, the distance from the station to my home. Some weeks later I read an advertisement about your Burdock Blood Bitters. After I had used one bottle I felt much better, and after I had used three bottles I was completely cured, therefore you see your B. B. B. has saved my life. I cannot praise it too highly. Burdock Blood Bitters puts the stomach into shape by promoting perfect digestion, and restoring health and strength to the system. Manufactured only by The T. Milburn Co. Limited, Toronto, Ont."

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MISSION CIRCLE'S TEA AND SALE. The members of the Star Mission Circle of the Exmouth street Methodist Church had many patrons and guests who greatly enjoyed the tea and sale which they held in the church school rooms on Saturday afternoon, under the benevolent presidency of Miss Blanche Myles.

Interesting Sketch of Hon. T. A. Crerar. An exchange gives the following sketch of Hon. T. A. Crerar, now visiting his home in the west.

MRS. DENNISON SERIOUSLY ILL IN ST. THOMAS. St. Thomas, Ont., Dec. 14.—Mrs. Dennison, a most brilliant man when he held the portfolio of minister of agriculture in the Union Government, before a big meeting of farmers here this afternoon.

MR. POWELL IN Y. M. C. I. COURSE. Gives Deeply Interesting Lecture in Cliff Street Auditorium on Parliamentary Reminiscences.

INSECT KILLER MISTAKEN FOR BAKING POWDER. Kalamazoo, Mich., Dec. 13.—Four inmates of the Kalamazoo County Jail, in which insect powder, mistaken for baking powder, had been accidentally mixed last night.

FOR THE SICK. Place One Level Teaspoonful of GROVE'S O-PEN-TRATE SALVE in a hot saucer in the sick room. The Antiseptic Vapor rising from the heated salve makes breathing easy for the patient.

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ANGLICAN LAYMEN HEAR OF WORK OF FORWARD MOVE

In the interests of the Anglican forward movement, a meeting, especially for wardens and vestrymen of the Anglican churches of the city, was held in the school room of St. John's (Stone) church yesterday afternoon and was attended by a large gathering representative of all the churches. The object of the meeting was to explain to the wardens and vestrymen what organization already had been made for carrying on the movement systematically and to give them a full realization of their own responsibility in their own parishes. The chairman of the meeting was Chief Justice Sir Douglas Hasen. Many impressive addresses were heard from the speakers among the clergy and laity.

CELEBRATED THE ANNIVERSARY BY PAYING MORTGAGE

Yesterday being the twenty-first anniversary of the opening of St. Matthew's Presbyterian church, Douglas avenue, the occasion was duly celebrated. Rev. Thos. Stewart, D.D. of Halifax, preached at both the morning and evening services. At the evening service Dr. Stewart spoke on the missionary aspect of the all the western civilization, so highly prized today, was traceable to the gospel church was that, after 1800 years, most of the people of the world had heard work costs least of any and has the greatest results was another view of the matter. Several examples were given of the work of missionaries in different parts of the world and the speaker told nomination by its particular beliefs, but rather by its work in the spreading of Christianity throughout the world, which was the main business of the church.

IN CITY PULPITS. The Baptist ministers of the city absorbed their monthly exchange of pulpits yesterday at the morning services. The churches in which the various ministers preached were as follows: Taber-

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Paris, Dec. 15 (Havas)—Fernand Monier, former president of the Paris court of appeals, died yesterday.

SHIPOWNERS MADE FABULOUS PROFITS

Washington, Dec. 15—Profits made by shipowners during the war were "fabulous" and "unbelievable," John H. Rosetter, former director of operations of the Shipping Board, told the senate commerce committee, in testimony made public by Chairman Jones. The board realized enormous profits on some ships, he said, but the earnings of privately-owned vessels were even greater.

TREW HIMSELF IN FRONT OF TRAIN

Charged at Marylebone, London, with attempting to commit suicide, Frank Howard, aged forty-two, a porter, was said to have thrown himself in front of a train at Fiddlington Station. George Beasley said that he saw the defendant take off his hat and coat and jump in front of an engine which was backing out of a platform. He shouted to the driver, who was able to pull up his engine.

Ivory Toilet Goods. In buying Christmas goods of Ivory, the public should be warned of the danger of buying goods stamped "French Ivory," as the name means nothing. Canada or United States for that matter, as any person can label his goods "French Ivory." The best Ivory is labelled ORIENTAL IVORY; each piece is absolutely guaranteed not to turn yellow or tarnish. ORIENTAL IVORY may cost a little more, but you are sure to get the best kind of Ivory in asking for this brand.

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New York, Dec. 15—More lives were ended as a result of automobile accidents in New York state this year than in the last seven years of war and banditry in Mexico, according to a statement made by Secretary of State Hugo, on the eve of a "safety first" movement to educate the children of the city's streets as to the dangers of the automobile.

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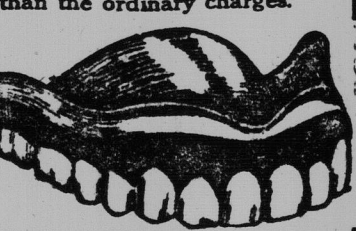
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Names of Lucky 51 in Drawing in Aid of St. Joachim's Church, Silver Falls.

The drawing of the "Home Winter Lottery," in aid of St. Joachim's church, Silver Falls, was held on Saturday evening. A committee consisting of J. M. Donovan, Herbert Creighton, Daniel J. Bette and Joseph Poole, conducted the drawing. The winners will communicate with Rev. C. P. J. Carleton, as to receiving their prizes, at M. 281-21. Following is the list of winners:

- 1. Ton of coal, Delima Gendron, 91 Waterloo street; ticket 1762.
2. Five dollars in gold, G. Kingston, 32 Frederic street; ticket 1482.
3. Load of wood, Mrs. M. Mullin, 89 Broad street; ticket 1074.
4. Load of wood, Geraldine Carleton, 33 Paddock street; ticket 1074.
5. Five dollars in gold, G. Kingston, 32 Frederic street; ticket 1482.
6. Five dollars in gold, M. Scanlan, 45 Lombard street; ticket 2480.
7. Bag of flour, Marguerite Horgan, 77 Haven street; ticket 1074.
8. Bag of flour, E. Morrison, 190 Germain street; ticket 2278.
9. Bag of flour, Lissie MacCormack, Coldbrook; ticket 346.
10. Bag of flour, Frank Boyle, Red Head; ticket 4057.
11. Bag of flour, Mrs. Groves, Westworth street; ticket 2134.
12. Barrel of potatoes, Rev. Wm. Duke, Palace; ticket 601.
13. Barrel of potatoes, John E. Crowley, 43 Lombard street; ticket 2480.
14. Barrel of potatoes, George Addison, 131 Erin street; ticket 4013.
15. Barrel of potatoes, Gertrude Byrne, 105 Erin street; ticket 2376.
16. Barrel of potatoes, Thomas Myles, Silver Falls; ticket 4066.
17. Bag of potatoes, Maurice Donovan, Coldbrook; ticket 337.
18. Bag of potatoes, Mary MacDermott, 8 Middle street; ticket 681.
19. Barrel of potatoes, M. Hayes, City Market; ticket 288.
20. Bag of potatoes, Geraldine Mulholland, 12 Charles street; ticket 8015.
21. Bag of potatoes, Lillian White, 30 Delhi street; ticket 4231.
22. Bag of potatoes, Mrs. J. O'Connell, Coldbrook; ticket 353.
23. Bag of potatoes, Thomas Carter, 20 Brussels street; ticket 2936.
24. Bag of potatoes, F. O'Brien, 24 Adelaide street; ticket 3465.

- 25. Bag of potatoes, M. E. Drummie, 265 Duke street; ticket 3412.
26. Bag of potatoes, F. J. Carney, Hanover street; ticket 1461.
27. Bag of potatoes, Mrs. T. L. Murphy, 168 Waterloo street; ticket 3464.
28. Bag of potatoes, C. M. VanWart, Wright street; ticket 2255.
29. Barrel of turnips, Rev. A. J. O'Neill, City West; ticket 654.
30. Barrel of turnips, Bedford Const. Co., East St. John; ticket 3840.
31. Barrel of turnips, Bernard Ryan, Norton; ticket 2239.
32. Barrel of turnips, H. M. Donovan, Coldbrook; ticket 328.
33. Barrel of turnips, Mrs. C. C. Thorne, Coldbrook; ticket 228.
34. Barrel of turnips, John Ritchie, Silver Falls; ticket 1182.
35. Barrel of turnips, Rev. A. J. O'Neill, City West; ticket 386.
36. Bag of turnips, Alice Breen, 4 Short street; ticket 4050.
37. Bag of turnips, Mrs. P. Coholan, Somerset street; ticket 4241.
38. Bag of turnips, Thomas Carter, 20 Brussels street; ticket 2535.
39. Bag of turnips, Mrs. P. Kane, 48 Sea street; ticket 1293.
40. Bag of turnips, Mary MacHugh, Lakewood; ticket 4058.
41. Bag of turnips, Thomas Coughlan, 97 Princess street; ticket 2593.
42. Bag of turnips, Thomas Carter, 20 Brussels street; ticket 2535.
43. Bag of turnips, M. T. Kane, 48 Sea street; ticket 1293.
44. Bag of turnips, Laura MacCrossin, Rothsay avenue; ticket 2954.
45. Bag of turnips, James O'Leary, Coldbrook; ticket 1458.
46. 10 pound round of beef, M. Doherty, 59 St. James street; ticket 2870.
47. 5 pounds of tea, F. G. MacKinnon, 89 Pitt street; ticket 419.
48. 1 barrel of cigars, Mrs. Armstrong, 39 Parlock street; ticket 122.
49. 5 pound tub of butter, F. Quinlan, 129 Broad street; ticket 4539.
50. Crocheted yoke, Mrs. D. Callahan, 223 Brussels street; ticket 2210.
51. 5 pounds tea, Margaret MacCrossin, 181 Paradise row; ticket 1754.

SHOWS NERVE WITH LEG IN DEADLY GRIP

Whelan Smokes During His Rescue at Fore River.

Quincy, Dec. 15.—There may be nerve men in the employ of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company than Harold Whelan, aged twenty-two, of Dorchester, who calmly smoked a pipe while working to lift tons of steel plates from one of his legs, which had been practically cut off at the knee by the pile of metal which had toppled over on him. The young man calmly smoked cigarettes for nearly half an hour, while his leg was being held by a crane. During that time Dr. W. R. Hurley stayed by his side, holding a tourniquet above the wound, and alongside the pile of steel a motor ambulance stood waiting to take Whelan to the hospital the moment he was released. High overhead an electric crane picked the plates one by one from the prostrate man. It was delicate work to fasten the hooks and chains around the plates without imposing any additional jar on Whelan's legs. More than one workman turned away from the sight with a sinking stomach, but Whelan calmly smoked until the last plate was lifted. Then willing hands quickly lifted him onto a stretcher and he was placed in the ambulance, losing no time in making the Quincy City Hospital.

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A STEEL HELMET KING.

When the steel helmet was first introduced among the constant armies it could hardly have been anticipated that it would figure one day as a king's "crown" in the philatelic "portraiture of a country; yet the unexpected has happened. King Albert, who was the first monarch to wear a "tin hat," can also claim the distinction of being the first ruler to be depicted wearing the protective headgear of the front line on the new postage stamps of Belgium.

SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

BOWLING.

Commercial League. In the Commercial League game in Black's alleys on Saturday, the Maritime Wall Works team took four points from the Imperial Optical Co.

Maritime Wall Works. Total. Avg. Anderson 92 81 86 259 86 1-3

Imperial Optical Co. Total. Avg. Epstein 78 81 78 237 79

The G. E. Barbour Co. and Western Union teams roll tonight.

ATHLETICS.

Y. M. C. A. Competitions. The senior athletes of the Y. M. C. A. had a workout Saturday for their dual meet with the intermediates next Friday.

BASKETBALL.

St. Paul's Boys Won. In a friendly game of basketball on Saturday afternoon, St. Paul's team won from the Y. M. C. A. "B" class.

Junior "A" League. The Junior "A" school boys basketball league is proving very close, the final games of both "A" and "B" league will be played next week.

Junior "A". First game—Spruce, captain, 14, Irving, Humphrey, Brown, Holston; Langstroth, captain, (1), Rookwell, Fraser, Moore, Wark.

Junior "B" Games. First game—Wetmore, captain, (9), Richter, Smith, McAndrews, Black, Noble, captain, (8), Webber, Henry, Plumpton, Carty.

McCain, Brown, Goodwin, Turner; Robertson, captain, (2), Cohen, Howard, Brown, Jenkins.

FOOTBALL.

Rugby Results. London, Dec. 14 (Canadian Associated Press)—Two more games were decided in the Rugby county championship.

Northern Union. Barrow, 18; Wigan, 3. Bramley, 8; Highley, 3.

Club Rugby Games. Harlequins, 8; Merchant Tailors, 5. Guy's Hospital, 10; London Welsh, 3.

Old Country Results. London, Dec. 13 (C. A. P.)—Results of Old Country football games today follow:

First Division. Bolton W., 1; Bradford C., 1. Bradford, 0; Preston N. E., 3.

Second Division. Birmingham, 2; Stoke, 1. Blackpool, 0; Huddersfield, 3.

Southern League. Bristol R., 1; Southampton, 1. Brentford, 1; Swanses, T., 1.

Scottish League. Airdrieonians, 0; Celtic, 0. Ayr United, 2; Morton, 0.

THE RING. Slackey to Meet Herman. Jack Slackey, who was given the popular decision over Jimmy Wilde, English flyweight last week, will meet Pete Herman, bantamweight, in one bout of a five-event programme under the auspices of the Newark Sportsman's Club in the First Regiment Armory, Newark, on Dec. 22.

Big Bouts for New York. The International Sporting Club of New York paid \$750,000 for land in Lexington avenue on which to build a clubhouse. The plans are to hold bouts at the club five nights a week, including amateur and army and navy championships.

Won on a Foul. Philadelphia, Dec. 12—Benny Valgar, the French lightweight, won from George "Knockout" Chaney, of Baltimore, on a foul in the fifth round of a scheduled six-round bout here tonight.

the bout through superior punching ability up to the time it was stopped.

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ark, on Dec. 22. A heavyweight bout will be between Frank Moran and Sergeant Jack Burke.

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SPORT NEWS OF A DAY: HOME AND ABROAD

AQUATICS. Boy Scout Tests. Several Boy Scouts successfully passed their tests for their swimming badge in the Y. M. C. A. pool Saturday afternoon...

THE TURF. Valuable Fifty Dies. New York, Dec. 12.—Ophelia, a successful three-year-old filly, belonging to Mrs. Joseph E. Davis, died yesterday at Gravesend...

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British Airman Was Trying to Fly from England to Australia

London, Dec. 15.—The airplane of Captain C. E. Howell, one of the British airmen in the London-Melbourne flight, was wrecked on St. George's Bay, island of Corfu, on Dec. 10, and there is no sign of Howell or his machine...

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GREAT AMOUNT OF ENERGY IS WASTED

Another Source Beyond Coal Burning Oxygen of Air Must be Found

(Special Cable to the N. Y. Times and Montreal Gazette.) London, Dec. 11.—Sir Oliver Lodge, speaking at the Royal Society of Arts yesterday amplified the lecture he delivered on atomic energy at Birmingham Sept. 18. Predicting that the time will come when atomic energy will supersede coal as the source of power, Sir Oliver said...

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FRANTIC RUSH FOR WHISKEY

Manager of Liquor Firm in England Says His Life is Becoming Misery.

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materially increased" the report said. "This class of work needs experienced officers who will devote their entire time and all their energies to the task."

EARL HAIG UNEMPLOYED. (London Chronicle.) Field Marshal Lord Haig, in reply to a telegraphic inquiry by the Glasgow Evening News as to whether he had decided to retire from active service, stated that he had decided on nothing, and that the only thing was that his appointment being abolished he would be unemployed.

It was announced recently that the office of commander-in-chief of the forces in Great Britain, to which Earl Haig was appointed in March last, will be abolished as from Feb. 1 next. The decision is part of the economy campaign of the government.

AS IN OLDER DAYS



To endow a permanent cot in the L. O. D. E. Preventorium for Children, the Lady Ross Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, Toronto, organized "Vanity Fair," consisting of a banquet, bridge and dance, the participants wearing the costumes of olden days. A feature of the affair was a 150-year-old coach, an heirloom of the Gooderham family, which was driven through the streets of Toronto.

DEVELOPMENT AT NIAGARA FALLS

Ontario Hydro-electric Power Commission Carrying on Wonderful Power Operations

(Canadian Municipal Journal.) Operating the largest shovels in the world and reversing the flow of a river, the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario is carrying on an enormous engineering project at Niagara Falls, practically without the use of steam. There are many startling phases to this work, which is the largest engineering feat attempted in the Dominion of Canada, and the biggest engineering job at present being carried on in the North American continent. In order to get water to the new power house which will be erected just above Queenston, the Commission will utilize four and a quarter miles of the Welland River, causing this sluggish stream to flow backward and to take water from the Niagara River instead of emptying into it above the Falls. Connecting with the Welland River is a power canal, stretching from Queenston and encircling the city of Niagara Falls, Ont., which will be eight and a quarter miles long when completed. The original survey for the Niagara

development was made in 1914, and the construction work began in May, 1917. The commission expects to have the new plant in working order in 1922. War conditions handicapped the engineers, but this year's operations were begun on a gigantic scale. A trip over the right of way will impress the observer with the vast scope of the undertaking which, in its completed state, will cost approximately \$27,000,000. Two miles above the brink of Niagara Falls a steam dredge, the largest ever built at the channel of the Welland River bottom and a portion of Hog Island which guards the entrance to this historic creek. The lone dredge and its attendant tugs are the only pieces of equipment engaged on the entire Niagara development which are not owned by the Hydro Electric Power Commission. They, with six or seven switch engines are the only apparatus in use on the development which require steam in their operation. Even the drills employed on the rock deposits of the canal right of way are operated by air, electrically compressed. A mile or two inland a huge clamshell swing from an aerial cableway, drops into the river and then emerges, bringing with it generous bites from the river bottom, which are deposited on the river bank at the foot of the lower from where the operator directs the earth and clay along the north bank of the river reveals the effectiveness of the clamshell in this particular portion of the development. A short ride from Niagara Falls over its right of way, brings one to the canal proper, where the activities of huge electric shovels, electric trains and gangs of men present a striking picture. The weary householder passing the furnace, shored by shovels, from the ton or two of coal, his winter's supply, will marvel at the economy of the shovels which pick up from eight to ten tons of material, lift it seventy feet into the air and deposit it into waiting cars, all within the short space of forty seconds. Trains, hauled by electric locomotives, convey the mud and clay to the dump at St. David's. The boulders and rock from the canal are borne away to the stone crusher on the cliff above Queenston, and converted into material for roadways, railroad road-bed and riprap which will line the shores of the canal. The stone crusher, which has a capacity of 4,000 cubic yards, is well worth a visit. The rocks from the excavations are cast into a trough opening into gigantic steel jaw which grind and munch, breaking the largest pieces into smaller bits that are carried away on a belt conveyor. A series of crushers reduce the rocks to a form where they may be utilized for building purposes and stored for future use. Fifty-five miles of railway, all electrified, and tapping five trunk lines, are required in the construction work on the development. On this railway the commission has in operation more electric locomotives than any railway system in Canada. At present 2,000 men are employed on the big job. These men are housed and fed by the commission. A surgeon, an ambulance and a hospital maintained by the commission are at the disposal of the employes in case of accident. The adoption of the newest safety devices has minimized the danger of accident on the development, and the commission has devoted a great deal of time to safety first propaganda in order to safeguard the men in its employ. About 2,000 acres, or 50 per cent of the lands, acquired by the commission for its right of way, have been converted into farms, and the produce from the farms is sold to the employes of the commission. The commission maintains its own telephone system on the development and it has connections throughout the province. Garages, machine shops and office buildings line the right of way.

Advertisement for Columbus Rubbers, featuring a large illustration of a shoe and the text 'SAVE YOUR SHOES WEAR COLUMBUS RUBBERS'.

DREADED TO SEE THE NIGHT COME

St. Johns Woman Says Tanlac Helped Her More Than All Other Medicines.

"When I had taken only one bottle of Tanlac I realized it had done me more good than all the other medicine I had ever taken," said Mrs. John Street, who resides at 27 La Merchant street, St. John's Newfoundland, recently. Continuing, she said: "For two years I suffered something awful with indigestion, and what I ate did not seem to do me any good, as gas would form and my heart would palpitate something dreadful, and at times I would simply have to gasp for breath. I became very weak and ran down and felt tired all the time, and most of the time was unable to do my housework. I was extremely nervous, and the least little noise out of the ordinary would completely upset me. I dreaded to see night come, as it was almost impossible for me to sleep and I was so restless I could not just roll and toss from one side of the bed to the other all night long. I also had severe headaches and an awful pain in my side all the time. "One day I read a statement from a lady, who lives in this city, telling of the benefit she had received from taking Tanlac, and as her condition was described as being very similar to mine, I decided to try Tanlac and I am glad I did, for since taking it I have been entirely relieved of all my troubles. I have regained my strength and am able to do all my own housework and my nerves are in fine condition. I can sleep all night long as peacefully as a child and always get up in the morning feeling good and refreshed. I never have any headache now and the pain in my side is completely gone. I take great pleasure in saying a good word for Tanlac and know it will help any one that is in the condition I was."

RUSSIA CHARGED WITH INSPIRING RADICALS IN U.S.

Lusk Committee's Report to Legislature Ready; Russian Workers, Communists and I. W. W. Seek Overthrow of Government by Force, it is Said

(New York Evening Post.) Radical agitation in this country, with its resultant social unrest, is not due to economic conditions, but to an organized, artificially stimulated movement under the inspiration of the Russian Soviet government. This opinion will be submitted to the New York legislature in an exhaustive report by the joint legislative committee which has been investigating radical activities here since its organization last May, it was learned today. Three big groups of the radical element have been supplying the forces for wholesale dissemination of Bolshevik propaganda throughout the depth and breadth of the land, the report will assert, the anarchists group, including the Union of Russian Workers and other organizations; the syndicalist group, the main body of which are the Industrial Workers of the World, and the Communist party, including the Communist party of America and the Communist Labor party. In each of these groups the overthrow of government by illegal means, including violence, is the weapon urged upon the masses, the report will state. New York city is one of the big headquarters for the organized movement, the report will point out, with Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit and virtually every

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Industrial centre from the Atlantic to the Pacific harboring a headquarters for the radical campaign. In the six months of the committee's active investigation—it took the month of May to plan its methods of procedure and get well under way—it has ferreted out practically every nook and cranny in Greater New York where radicalism extending to all sections of the country had its nest, the report will state. Hundreds of arrests have been made on information furnished by the committee. Scores of indictments for criminal anarchy have been turned on data prepared and made available by it. The first conviction for criminal anarchy in the United States is expected for New York on information furnished by it, on which Carl Pivov and Gust Alonen, publishers of a Finnish radical newspaper here, are serving sentences of from four to eight years in Sing Sing. (The so-called Chicago anarchists, arrested in the Haymarket riots here 92 years ago, were convicted of murder and not anarchy.)

Upwards of 700 men have been employed by the legislative committee in its investigation of the radical movement. That number of special agents, state constabulary and New York policemen were used in the execution of search warrants, procured against seventy-one Communist headquarters here on Nov. 8. A hundred men were used in the search of the Rand School of Social Science, headquarters of the left wing of the Socialist party and I. W. W. headquarters on June 21. Execution of search warrants against the Union of Russian Workers on Aug. 14 employed nearly as many. The nineteen persons indicted here yesterday charged with criminal anarchy were arrested on information procured by the committee. Sixteen arrests in Cortland, N. Y., were made on similar information similarly procured. Indictments of Jay Lovestone and Hyman Bielewicz, Communists, in The Bronx recently, and three others in New York county, on criminal anarchy charges were returned on evidence collected by the legislative committee. Two men are held now in Brooklyn on similar information similarly procured. In virtually all instances counsel for the committee prepared the cases in detail. These facts will be pointed to by the committee in its report to the legislature as indicative of a need for aggressive action in dealing with the radical movement. The thoroughness of its work will be pointed out before starting to search for new evidence, the committee amassed a complete library of radical literature—books, periodicals, newspapers, leaflets and handbills. Then it established a bureau of translation to study the foreign language press. Radical meetings were covered and stenographic notes taken. Wherever evidence seemed to indicate seditious activity, search warrants were procured and executed. The first was asked for and executed June 12 when the Soviet Bureau of Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, self-styled ambassador of the Russian Soviet government here, was entered and books and papers seized for examination. It will be pointed out in the committee's report that every search warrant which has been legally tested has been sustained by the courts. Special inquiry was directed at the foreign language and radical press in New York. Of forty-six such newspapers it was found that only two were self-supporting, the committee report

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