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GERMANS NOW AT PEACE WITH ALL THE ALLIED POWERS EXCEPTING UNITED STATES

Execution of the Peace Treaty Imposes Upon Germany the Heaviest Sacrifices Ever Borne by a Nation, Says Von Lersner.

READY AND WILLING TO DO HER UTMOST

Thinks Allies Will Make a Mistake if They Insist on Having Certain Germans Turned Over to Them for Trial.

Paris, Jan. 10.—(By The Associated Press)—Ratifications of the treaty of Versailles were exchanged, and peace between Germany, France, Great Britain and the other allied powers, with the exception of the United States, became effective at 4.16 o'clock this afternoon. There were eleven hour rumors of a further postponement, but these proved to be groundless.

The outstanding comment tonight on the ceremony is that it leaves the United States the only power which was actively at war with Germany now not at a peace table. That was the note sounded by Baron Kurt Von Lersner, head of the German peace delegation, in a statement to The Associated Press immediately after the ceremony.

"I am naturally happy that peace has finally become effective," Baron Von Lersner said. "Execution of the treaty of Versailles imposes upon Germany the heaviest sacrifices ever borne by a nation in modern times. We lost in the west and in the east territory that belonged to Russia for many centuries. We have assumed enormous economic obligations. Nevertheless, I am glad that peace is at last re-established, because it will give back to Germany her beloved sons still prisoners abroad."

Germany Ready To Do.

Asked as to execution of the terms of the treaty, Baron Von Lersner declared that Germany was ready and determined to do her utmost. He continued:

"We have already, even without being obliged by the terms of the treaty, delivered a considerable quantity of products, including one and half millions tons of coal to France, and Germany will go to the utmost limit of her power in fulfilling all the obligations she has incurred. It will mean hard times for Germany, but with the recovery of our ardor for labor and production, we hope to meet every emergency."

Europe Should Work Together.

The recovery of our economic prosperity is as much to the interest of the Entente as it is to us, on account of the great economic difficulties that threaten all Europe. It is obvious, speaking chiefly of France, that her economic prosperity depends on the economic recovery of Germany. Baron Von Lersner said he had had several very satisfactory conferences with Louis Loucheur, French minister of reconstruction, regarding the resumption of trade relations between Germany and France, and added that he hoped the European nations, working together, would solve the great economic problems. The most thorny remaining problem appeared to Von Lersner to be the question of the extradition of a considerable number of German officers, officials and soldiers to be tried abroad for crimes alleged to have been committed by them during the war.

"I do not want to give up all hope," he said. "I am sure that the conviction will finally prevail that by not availing themselves strictly of rights conceded in the treaty for the extradition of those accused, they may cause the greatest consequences not only for Germany, but for quiet and order in Europe generally. We petitioned two months ago very frankly to the Allies. The harmful consequences that might ensue if their right to demand extradition should be executed literally. At the same time we submitted written suggestions for the solution of the delicate problem."

Features of Proposal.

The principal features of this proposition were that Germany would undertake to arrange before the Supreme Court of Germany all persons accused by the Entente; would exempt all such from the law of amnesty; and would consent to the presence of representatives of the Entente at the trial as public prosecutors, with fullest rights of control. Germany in the meantime has enacted

Preparation For War Urged By Foch As Real Measure of Prudence

Paris, Friday, Jan. 9.—Preparation for war is urged as a measure of prudence by Marshal Foch in an interview printed today by the Excelsior. "War is no longer an art," he said, "but a science and industry, and the French can learn much from a study of the works of Germans."

"The lesson which France and the world should draw from the war is the lesson from prudence," he said.

The interview with Marshal Foch was gained through the reporter being able to present him with photographs of his grand-nephews taken by the newspaper Excelsior photographer in Brittany. Marshal Foch said he did not expect to find time to produce any work on the war.

Former Kaiser Now Said To Be Insane And At Times Becomes Raving Maniac

London, Jan. 11.—Insanity is the name now given to the undefined illness which has beset the former Kaiser Wilhelm for some time past. The household at Chateau Amersfoort, marooned as on an island by the overflowing of the Rhine, is said to be keeping watch over an ex-Kaiser incoherent and senile, whose condition of trembling imbecility is varied only by moods of maniacal raving. The rigid isolation from outside surveillance which has made it difficult to obtain an accurate picture of the ex-Kaiser, today is said to be solely for the purpose of concealing Wilhelm's pitiful condition.

To Reduce Silver In Shortage Is Serious Dom. Coins Standard in the Future Shall be of Eight Hundred by Weight of Fine Silver to Two Hundred of Alloy.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 11.—(By Canadian Press, Ltd.)—The silver content in Canadian silver coins is greatly reduced by an order published in the Canada Gazette, which states that "on and after January 1, 1920, the standard for silver coins of the currency of Canada shall be that of one thousand parts of weight, eight hundred shall be of fine silver and two hundred of alloy."

The former standard was 925 parts of fine silver to 75 parts of alloy, and that rate Canadian and British silver coins had the highest silver content of those of any country. The United States silver coinage contains 900 parts silver. Sir Henry Drayton, Minister of Finance, stated last night that this would bring Canadian coinage to the same level as that of many other countries and would check any melting of silver coins for the sale of silver. With the rise in the price of silver to such an extent many Canadian silver coins had been disappearing from circulation and it was a practical certainty that they were being melted down and the metal sold as such.

Meanwhile a condition of acute newspaper shortage exists in Winnipeg. The supply in hand, with the strictest economy in its use, will suffice for only one or two issues of the Winnipeg newspapers.

FIRST STEP TAKEN IN REORGANIZATION OF ACTIVE MILITIA

Ottawa, Jan. 11.—By Canadian Press Limited)—The first step in the reorganization of the Canadian active militia is being taken in the publication of an order laying down the general lines which will be followed in bringing the new force into life. The order is not concerned with details, and gives no indication of the policy to be pursued in the matter of naming units, but it provides for the disbandment of every militia unit in Canada—a complete cleaning of the slate—and the immediate creation of the new force. "The rank and file being automatically discharged," says the order, "the commanding officer has a clear field for re-engagement in suitable ranks and vacancies for new men of overseas experience, not former members of the unit."

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After the settlement of a few details connected with the arrangements of the execution of the treaty Baron Lersner will leave for Berlin for a short rest, the first he has had since coming to Paris in advance of the German peace delegation.

King's Message.

London, Jan. 10.—Replying to a loyal message from the citizens of London on the occasion of the ratification of peace, the King has telegraphed the Lord Mayor of London as follows: "With all my heart, I reciprocate their hopes and fervently pray that, please God, this day may be the dawn of a new era in which the people of the British Empire may forever live at peace with itself and with all men."

Newsprint Shortage Is Serious

Paper Controller Threatens to Commandeer Paper Output if Mills Fail to Obey Regulations Promulgated.

Winnipeg, Jan. 11.—Owing to the serious newsprint shortage strong representations have been made by the western newspapers to R. A. Pringle, and that official took action on Saturday designed to restore normal conditions to the western papers. Mr. Pringle on Saturday wired the Port Francoeur mill instructions to supply the western newspapers with their required supplies.

"I order and direct you," Mr. Pringle said, "to supply western Canada newspapers at the rate of 1,000 tons per month beginning December 4. Shipments must be resumed today on this basis, otherwise I will instruct the commissioner of customs to place embargoes on paper and will have it commandeered."

A representative of the paper controller is stationed for the time being at Port Francoeur and he was authorized by wire from Ottawa on Saturday to prohibit exports from the Port Francoeur mill and commandeer the paper, if these drastic steps are necessary and to secure supplies of paper for Manitoba and Saskatchewan papers.

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LABOR WILL ASK PROV. GOVERNMENT FOR SPECIAL ACTS

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Jan. 11.—The Fredericton Labor Council at a meeting last week, gave the provincial government recommendations from the New Brunswick Federation of Labor. One of these recommendations calls upon the Provincial Government to establish a Department of Labor in this province.

They also considered matters in connection with the Workmen's Compensation Act, and the Provincial Government grant all the expenses of medical attendance and hospital expenses paid as well, and they are ready to pay a tax to augment the fund in order that this may be provided for the men.

The Federation will request the Provincial Government to make certain amendments to the Factory Act, whereby the employers will provide reading rooms, dressing rooms for workers, and separate toilets for the men and women in their employ.

The Federation also wants the Provincial Government to appoint a standing minimum wage board consisting of two representatives of labor, two representatives of employers and a chairman chosen by the other four members of the board, one of the labor and one of the representatives of the employers to be a woman. The government will also be asked to pass a Mother's Pension Act and appoint a board of three members to handle the business under the act.

GOV'T MAY CREATE COMMISSIONER OF FINANCE

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Jan. 11.—The creation of a Dominion Commissioner of Finance, whose duties would be equivalent to those of a Deputy Minister, although enlarged in scope, and whose remuneration would be more in harmony with the responsibility and exacting duties of such a post, is under consideration by the government. While not yet decided upon the proposal is said to be advanced to the point where a suitable man—Mr. Thomas Bradburn of Toronto—is in view for the job.

FLAMES STILL BELCHING FROM NEW VULCANO

Every Village in Vicinity of San Miguel Has Been Destroyed and Waters Near the Crater Are Contaminated.

ESTIMATE OF 2,000 DEAD STILL HOLDS

One Small Child Said to be the Only Survivor of the Village of Santilo, State of Puebla.

Mexico City, Jan. 11.—Flames are still being emitted by the new volcano at San Miguel in the western part of the state of Vera Cruz, according to advices received here. It is stated volcanic dust has floated as far as Coscomatepec, about twenty miles east of the new crater. Every village in that vicinity has been destroyed, while lava and floods of contaminated water from sources opened by the recent earthquakes are flooding the district near the crater.

Refugees from San Miguel confirm earlier reports telling of numerous deaths from falling buildings and poisoned gases. Rebels, who had their headquarters in that region, have suffered severely, both from casualties and from loss of supplies, it was stated. Reports from Tecoco, by way of Vera Cruz, state a panic prevails there from the fear that the old volcano Cofre de Perote will become active since cracks have appeared on the sides of the mountain.

Death Toll Grows.

Mexico City, Jan. 11.—Six hundred persons were killed at Barranca Grande when that place was destroyed last Saturday by earthquake, according to special despatches from Vera Cruz last night. Jalapa, former capital of the state of Vera Cruz, and Tecoco were virtually ruined, it is stated, while the village of Ayahualco was crushed by great rocks dislodged from the adjacent mountain and sent crashing into the valley. A similar accident is said to have befallen the village of Xihuanaco.

One small child is said to be the only survivor of all the inhabitants of the village of Santilo, state of Puebla, which was overwhelmed by poisonous gases. Indian refugees, arriving at Huasteca from San Miguel region, are unable to give any details regarding the loss of lives there, but say hundreds of persons were killed.

Although the new crater at San Miguel is still emitting fire and smoke, reports from other districts in the earthquake and little to those already received. Government despatches, which were filed after the first excitement and confusion had ended, give small hope that original estimates of 2,000 dead will be decreased. A slight reduction in the number of deaths is indicated by a note formed on the slopes of Cofre de Perote is given in a Vera Cruz report. It is said the towns engulfed in the disaster, Huasteca, Barranca Grande, Gascatera, Ixtahuacan, Choyula and San Jose Atlixco.

GERMANY WEEPS AT THE THOUGHT OF PARTING

Berlin, Jan. 11.—(By The Associated Press)—The Government has issued the following proclamation to the German inhabitants of the territory which are being separated from Germany: "The unhappy issue of the war has left us defenceless to the arbitrary will of an opponent who is imposing upon us, in the name of peace, the heaviest of sacrifices, the first of which is the renunciation of German territory. We are bound to the principles of self-determination, by which hundreds of thousands of our German countrymen are being placed under foreign dominion. German brothers and sisters: 'Not only in the hour of farewell, but forever, mourning for our loss will fill our hearts. We vow to you, on behalf of the German people, that we will never forget you. You, on your part, will not forget your common German fatherland, of that we are sure.'"

The evening of the party little church was crowded to its utmost capacity to hear Rev. J. E. DeWolfe, D.D., president of Acadia Seminary, who is a son of the Union street Baptist church, and a native of the East. His sermon was "The Kingdom of God." His sermon was one of the most eloquent, most appealing and most eloquent that has been heard in St. Stephen's many years. At both services the efficient choir of the church rendered excellent music. At the evening service a solo was splendidly rendered by Mrs. George Lockhart of St. John, nee Miss George Nesbitt of St. Stephen's. Monday evening the annual church meeting will be held when official reports will be received and 1919 officers elected.

At a jubilee meeting of the church and congregation to be held Wednesday evening on the occasion of the church's 50th anniversary, Rev. J. E. DeWolfe, D.D., 1870-1872; Rev. J. T. Easton 1872-1875; Rev. J. T. Easton 1875-1879; Rev. Thomas Hunt, 1881-1887; and the present beloved pastor since 1888.

IRKUTSK OCCUPIED BY THE SOCIAL REVOLUTIONISTS

London, Monday, Jan. 12.—According to the Daily Mail's Harbin correspondent under date of January 9, the Japanese Military Intelligence Department says that Irkutsk is wholly occupied by the social revolutionists, and Admiral Kolchak's army has been completely dispersed. The Japanese civilians have been evacuated from Irkutsk.

Other reliable sources indicate that the Czech-Slovak and Japanese have reached an understanding with the social revolutionists not to interfere with each other.

It is officially stated that all the American troops have been ordered to evacuate Manchuria by March 1.

Indications That British Gov't Will Refuse To Reconsider Ry. Matter

London, Jan. 11.—Premier Lloyd George has summoned Sir Robert Stevenson Horne, Minister of Labor and Sir Eric Geddis, Minister of Transportation to Paris for a talk on the railway dispute. The Ministers started for the French capital today and are expected to return Tuesday, when the Cabinet will discuss the matter further and meet the Railwaymen's Committee. A long statement issued today, purporting to reflect the Government's views in the matter, takes the line that the railwaymen rejected the Government's proposals without maturely considering them, and declares that had longer time been devoted to the detailed legislation of the offer, a different result might have been obtained. The statement adds that there is indication that the Government will refuse a reconsideration of the matter.

Steamer Dashed On The Rocks

Thirty-Five Members of Crew of Forty-Two Drowned When Big Vessel Was Wrecked on Kimmer Ledge Rock.

Weymouth, England, Jan. 11.—Thirty-five members of the crew of forty-two of the British steamer Trevald were drowned when the big vessel was wrecked on Kimmer Ledge Rock near St. Alban's Head during a violent storm in the Channel, Saturday. The Trevald, bound from Calcutta to Dundee with a cargo, struck the rock late Friday night. The vessel immediately wireless for assistance, but owing to the severity of the storm and the dense darkness the tug which put out from Weymouth was unable to find her. Later her position was established by wireless and early Saturday a tug and a Weymouth lifeboat went to the assistance of the steamer.

The Trevald was tight on the rock and was unable to get clear because both wind and sea were against her. The lifeboat tried several times to reach the doomed steamer, but was beaten back by the storm. It was impossible for the lifeboat to shoot a line because of her distance from land.

Finally the captain signalled to the tug that he was going to abandon the ship. The crew put off in two boats, which were immediately swamped by the raging sea. While the coast guard watched, powerless to lend aid, the seafarers fought for their lives, but only seven reached shore. The captain was among those drowned. Shortly after the crew abandoned the Trevald, the vessel broke in two.

50TH ANNIVERSARY OF ST. STEPHEN BAPTIST CHURCH

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, Jan. 11.—The Union street Baptist church, of which Dr. Doucette has been the esteemed pastor since 1888, is observing its 50th anniversary of its establishment with appropriate services. At the opening service here this morning the sermon was preached by Captain Rev. S. P. Porter, recently of German street church, St. John, who was listened to with very close attention by a large congregation. Rev. Dr. Doucette, who was the second pastor of the church from 1872 to 1875, and the only living expatriate, was expected to have been present to preach, but was unable to attend because of his advanced age and weather conditions. The address by Captain Porter has left a marked impression on all who were fortunate enough to have been present.

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HUNGER STRIKE OF SINN FEINERS ENDS

Cork, Jan. 11.—The hunger strike of forty Sinn Fein prisoners in the jail here, which began last Tuesday in protest against the discrimination shown by the authorities in the ameliorative treatment promised them, ended today. The Mayor of Cork intervened and secured a betterment of the treatment of the men.

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League of Nations Comes Into Force With Peace Treaty and Its Usefulness Depends Upon the People.

SHALL IT BE REAL OR AN IMPOSTURE?

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London, Jan. 11.—(By The Associated Press)—Whether the League of Nations is to be the real thing or an imposture depends upon the attitudes of the peoples, and not least the British people, in the opinion of Lord Robert Cecil, who, as chairman of the executive committee of the League of Nations Union, issued the following statement today: "The Peace Treaty comes into force today and with it the League of Nations. We of the League of Nations welcome its advent, but we must not think that we have yet achieved our ends. The league exists, but what is it to be? Is it to be the real or an imposture? Are we going to make it an efficient instrument of peace, or is it to become an addition to the cumbersome forms of old fashioned diplomacy?"

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MAJ. HOOPER TAKEN SUDDENLY ILL AT FREDERICTON

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 11.—Major E. B. Hooper, chaplain of No. 7 Military District, who spends each Sunday here on duties at the D. S. C. R. hospital, was seized with a severe chill this morning, and is now confined to his room at the Barker House, with Dr. W. C. Crockett in attendance. He was to have preached at Christ Church Cathedral this evening, but, although unable to do so, he hopes to be able to return to St. John tomorrow.

A general exchange of pulpits took place today in the Evangelical churches of Fredericton, marking the conclusion of the week of prayer.

Representatives of the branches of the United Farmers, interested in the opening of a co-operative store at Fredericton, met here on Saturday and completed arrangements for taking over the store of Sanson & McNally on Queen street, West, at an early date.

FLAMES DESTROYED WAREHOUSE OF THE RICHMOND PAPER CO.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 11.—The warehouse of the Richmond Paper Company, owned by Orr Brothers, on Hollis street, was burned this afternoon with an approximate loss of \$75,000, about three-fourths of which is covered by insurance.

Defective wiring is said to be the cause of the fire, which broke out on the south end of the second floor and spread so quickly through the two upper stories of the structure that the firemen, who arrived shortly afterward, were unable to enter the smoke-filled building and had to pour streams of water through the windows and on the roof from the three sides. After the first spectacular fares of the flames the water began to take effect, and, although the fire burned with great stubbornness through the stock rooms, brick buildings. The books and papers of the Richmond concern and Shafter's, Limited, who occupied offices on the ground floor, were saved. Shafter's had only recently moved into their offices in the Richmond building.

Statistics Reveal New Brunswick As One of Heaviest Users of Sugar

Ottawa, Jan. 11.—The per capita distribution of sugar in Canada during the year 1919 was 94.95 pounds and of amount Ontario had the heaviest share with 130.80 pounds per capita for her 2,820,000 people. British Columbia with 325,900 consumed only 68.98 pounds of sugar per capita, and this is thought to be chiefly due to the increased development of the maple sugar industry in the province.

The figures were issued by the Canadian Trade Commission and are based on population figures supplied by the Bureau of Census and Statistics. They show that, while there was no control over the distribution of sugar, the refiners treated all provinces fairly equally.

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MONCTON CIVIC ELECTIONS TAKE PLACE JAN. 26TH

Special to The Standard. Moncton, N. B., Jan. 11.—Moncton civic elections take place two weeks from tomorrow, and Organized Labor, which last year elected its largest representation to the Board, practically controlling the Council, will this year put almost a complete ticket in the field. A. C. Chapman, who was defeated by Mayor Hanford Price last year, by a narrow majority, has announced that he is in the field again this year for the Mayor's chair. It is understood that Mr. Chapman is running with the endorsement of the Labor men. Ald. John Stewart and Ald. C. Melanson will be the Labor ticket for the aldermen at large. Ald. Blackwood, who was elected at large last year, is retiring from the Council. Mayor Price has also officially announced his retirement from the Board.

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"PROFESSOR X" IDENTIFIED AS DR. J. L. BRAND

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 11.—A man, referred to as "Professor X," suffering from loss of memory at Lambertville, N. J., was yesterday identified as Dr. John L. Brand, by his son, Lieut. Commander Charles L. Brand, who is stationed at the Philadelphia navy yard. Dr. Brand's home is in Worcester, Mass. He has been missing three years. He was unable to recognize his son.

V. A. D. MEETING HELD SATURDAY

Excellent Reports Received at Session in Trinity School Rooms—Vote of Gratitude and Letter of Appreciation Received.

A meeting of the V. A. D. was held at Trinity school room on Saturday evening, Mrs. G. A. Kuhring presiding. Excellent reports for the year were given by Miss Johnnie Monroe, Miss Audrey Bullock, Miss Dorothy Robinson and Mrs. Alex Rowan. In interesting accounts of work in France were given by Miss Marion Magee and Miss Grace Kuhring.

PILES

Do not suffer with itching, bleeding piles. No surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once and as certainly as you can see. All dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample boxes free if you mention this paper and enclose 2c. stamp to pay postage.

MRS. SANFORD'S MESSAGE TO WORKING WOMEN

Laurel, Miss.—"Eight years ago I was suffering with pains and weakness caused by a female trouble. I had headaches, dizziness, backache, and was unable to do my work part of the time. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me and I took twelve bottles of it, and my health has been good ever since. I am able to run the machine and do dress-making besides my housework. You are at liberty to publish my letter if it will help some poor suffering woman."

ALBERTA'S PROFITS FROM LIQUOR TRADE

Calgary, Alta., Jan. 11.—The Alberta Government has received an amount of approximately \$300,000 during the year 1919 in the handling of liquor imported and sold through the Government vendors to drug stores and to citizens on prescriptions, according to a statement issued by R. G. Boyle.

W. E. Ward's 20 p. c. Discount Sale NOW ON

Our entire stock of Men's Furnishings, Hats and Caps at twenty per cent. less than regular prices. Special values in Underwear, Shirts, Gloves and Sweaters. Red Label Underwear \$2.59 garment Blue Label Underwear \$2.98 garment 100 pairs Wool Gloves, regular \$1.50. Sale price 98c. SEE OUR SHOW WINDOWS. W. E. WARD Semi-ready Store, 51-53 King Street

Are You Fat? Just Try This

Thousands of overfat people have become slim by following the advice of doctors who recommend Marmola Prescription Tablets, these harmless little fat reducers that simplify the dose of the famous Marmola Prescription.

LOCAL COUNCIL EXECUTIVE MEET

Considerable Business Transacted Saturday—Reques from Soldiers Re-Establishment Committee, Reports Received and Other Business Transacted.

Old boots and shoes are needed for soldiers. This was announced on Saturday afternoon at an executive meeting of the Local Council of Women presided over by Mrs. E. Atherton Smith. The request came to Mrs. Smith from a member of the soldiers' re-establishment committee of Fredericton, who stated that there are some fifty soldiers learning boot and shoe repairing. They have run out of material to practice on and it was suggested yesterday that the Council of Women shall hold a "needy boot and shoe day" at which collections will be made of worn boots to be forwarded to Fredericton, the men to have the proceeds of the sale of the footwear when needed. This plan was endorsed by the executive and will be brought up at the general meeting.

MACKENZIE KING AT HALIFAX

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 11.—Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and Mr. Ernest Lapointe, M. P., arrived here late tonight and on Monday night will address public meetings. They were met at the station by prominent party leaders and accompanied to the Orpheus Theatre that it has been decided to hold another meeting at St. Patrick's Hall.

COUNT FIFTY! NO RHEUMATIC PAIN

Don't suffer! Instant relief follows a rubbing with old "St. Jacobs Liniment."

Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA

Fletcher's Castoria is strictly a remedy for Infants and Children. Foods are specially prepared for babies. A baby's medicine is even more essential for Baby. Remedies primarily prepared for grown-ups are not interchangeable. It was the need of a remedy for the common ailments of Infants and Children that brought Castoria before the public after years of research, and no claim has been made for it that its use for over 30 years has not proven.

What is CASTORIA?

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Director of Posts In Somaliland

J. C. Hawkhurst of Marconi Company of England, Tells Standard of life in British Protectorate in Africa—Has Met Famous People and Travelled Extensively.

It has fallen to the lot of J. C. Hawkhurst of the Marconi International Marine Communication Company of London, England, to travel considerably over the globe and to be stationed in some most interesting places meeting some very famous people. Mr. Hawkhurst, who with his wife and small daughter, is sailing today on the S.S. Metagama, has been in St. John about sixteen months in charge of the office of the above mentioned wireless company. This company, during the war equipped practically all the ships in Canada, for the Ministry of Shipping, and supplied the operators. The Canadian Marconi Company will, in future, look after their wireless.

Before coming to Canada, Mr. Hawkhurst was in the colonial civil service and was director of post and telegraphs in British Somaliland for five years. Talking to The Standard yesterday Mr. Hawkhurst told of his first six months in that country being enlivened by a raid by the Derwishes on the fort where he was stationed. The country was divided into friendly and unfriendly tribes, the latter adherents of the Mad Mullah, and the British government was kept busy trying to maintain law and order. At this particular time the Indian troops came over and the Derwishes were driven back to the coast. The Derwishes are a fanatical tribe of Mohammedans and fighting was going on practically all the time. They are also fanatical enemies of the British.

Mr. Hawkhurst told of many trips taken with the camel corps, a semi-military constabulary, on their expeditions into the interior. These were a class of men, officered by British army men or those who had seen service in India. Something like 120 men accompanied him on his first expedition into the interior. He introduced portable wireless telegraph which was of great value for military operations. The wireless was used by the British and Hindoo or Somaliland merchants but was chiefly for the use of the British.

The post went through the country by means of camels, a service maintained in the interior. The different military posts and magisterial districts. In this country, some 60,000 miles square with a population of about 1,000,000, only about thirty white men, all officials. The governor's wife accompanied her husband on many of his trips through the interior. She was with him, living for the most part on the coast and going home to England during the hottest of the hot weather. A temperature of 120 degrees was usual and the climate is such that men usually stay only nine months in a year, going away to leave for the other three months. During the war officials were asked to stay at their posts though all instantly resigned on news of the outbreak of war, which was received by the wireless. Many died from the effects of the prolonged stay in that tropical climate.

Life in Somaliland was described as delightful with plenty of hunting. Big game was plentiful and one could shoot antelope, lions and leopards and elephants were found in the interior. The natives, when friendly, were rather amiable, and gratitude was an unknown virtue among them. They are a nomad tribe, walking about the arid deserts with perhaps a donkey for their wife or wives. Four wives are allowed, but most natives are content with two.

After some questioning Mr. Hawkhurst was induced to state that he is the author of a book called "A Handbook of Technical Instruction for Wireless Telegraphers," and that the volume was practically the basis used for the instruction of Marconi operators, being largely used during the war as a text book.

Big Demonstration At Chubb's Corner

Under Auspices of Commercial Club Resolution Was Presented to Directors of C. N. R. Saturday at Noon—Dr. Barnhill Tells of Plans for Development Here.

The gathering at Chubb's Corner on Saturday at noon under the auspices of the Commercial Club was large. The representative citizens unanimously supported and endorsed a resolution submitted by the Club to Dr. A. P. Barnhill, member of the Board of Directors of the C. N. R., for presentation to the Board at the meeting of the Board scheduled to take place in Toronto this week. The resolution pointed out the congested and unsatisfactory condition of present dock and terminal facilities, inadequate yard room and the need for a new terminal. The necessity of prompt action towards the relief of such congestion and the necessity of providing the port with greatly increased facilities, erection of additional grain elevators and deep water terminals.

In reply Dr. Barnhill said: "In so far as your resolution voices a protest against the management of the Canadian National Railways, I assure you that the protest is against the former management of the C. N. R., as the present management is still acting under the appropriations presented by the previous management. At our next meeting the first appropriations prepared under the present management will be submitted, and I feel confident, with my knowledge of the present board and the present chief and their feeling towards all important points in the system, that St. John will have a far more satisfactory terminal facilities should be provided by the Government in fulfillment of its general promise to this city. The Government of Canada that additional terminal facilities should be provided by the Government in fulfillment of its general promise to this city. The Government of Canada that additional terminal facilities should be provided by the Government in fulfillment of its general promise to this city.

LOCAL WOMAN COULDN'T SLEEP

What "Liv-rite Tonic" Did for Mrs. Maud Blizard, Erin Street, St. John—Her Words of Thanks.

To those who are troubled from causes associated with the liver, the experience of a St. John woman, Mrs. Maud Blizard, 73 Erin street, should be of much value. If they follow her advice they will become as ardent believers in the curative properties of "Liv-rite Tonic" as she apparently has, for she recommends it to any who are finding their system run down, who are suffering from blood impurities, such as pimples, eruptions, and general feeling of weariness or listlessness.

After Stocktaking CLEAN-UP OF MEN'S OVERCOATS

Where is the man who does not want to be well dressed—in comfort and in fashion? Where is the man who is not anxious to get all he can for his money when he is buying clothing? This sale offers the better kind of Overcoats and Ulsters at prices very much less than the usual markings. They are overcoats of good quality, reliability and integrity—and they're good fitters. Sale prices \$15 and \$20 to \$32. Gilmour's, 68 King St.

SUICIDE THEORY NOW ACCEPTED

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Jan. 10.—The autopsy on the body of Mrs. Corbett Ellis, of Harmony, was concluded today. The doctors found the internal organs normal. The only fatal wound was that in the throat. There is no further development in the case and the suicide theory so far is generally accepted.

BORN.

EVANS—January 10 at the Maternity Hospital to Captain and Mrs. Harold O. Evans, a daughter, Jean Campbell.

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St. John Vocational Schools WINTER TERM

Committee—Dr. A. P. Emery, Chairman; A. Gordon Leavitt, Secretary; Mrs. W. Edmond Raymond, Mrs. Richard O'Brien, Alexander Wilson, J. D. P. Lewis, George P. Hennessy and Thomas Nagle. Will give you a chance to get FREE training in the following: FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS—(Tuesday and Friday Evenings)—7.45 to 9.45. Beginning Tuesday, January 20: Dress-Making, Millinery, Domestic Science, Knitting. FOR MEN AND BOYS—(Evenings to be announced later.) Applied Mathematics, Estimating for Builders, Elementary Mechanical Drawing, Architectural Drawing, Machine Drawing, Sketching and Reading blue prints, Sheet Metal Pattern Drafting, Lettering Courses, including show card writing. Sign Painting, Elementary Courses in theory of electricity. Course in electric wiring. Course in elementary motor mechanics. Course in Theoretical and Practical Chemistry.

St. John Vocational Schools WINTER TERM

Any one interested in any of the above courses who desires to take a course may register Friday and Saturday of this week and Monday and Tuesday of next week, Afternoons 3 o'clock to 5; Evenings 7.30 to 9.30 at the School Trustees' Office, No. 1 Hazen Ave., or phone M. 4206. All courses are free but a registration fee of \$2.00 will be collected for each course, to be returned if the student attends the classes satisfactorily.

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THE MINE-S

(New York) They never had a glory; To them the joy faded; The nation never the story; Of how they live how they die; Unseen, unmarked, duty called to; On mine-circled; Were spread; No storms delayed; Appalled them; The death was 'al' ahead.

THE PRESMA ASSISTA

The regular monthly International Pressants' Union No. 36 day evening in the Union street. The ed by a large attend... lowing officers were coming year: A. Ellson, presi... J. Maxwell, vice... W. Ward, record... R. Green, H... P. Brown, treasu... C. Finlay, serge... Delegates to the Council: W. How... Hopkins, H. L. W... Delegates to all... son, W. Ward, P... Audit committee... Technical commit... Ellson, M. Hasti... Deyver. Executive commit... Campbell, W. Dri... Whelpley, M. Has... Maxwell, A. Ellson

THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

Another Fast Win For Carpenter

Champion's Manager Announced He Would Fight Dempsey in New Jersey on September 6—What Promoter and the Other Say.

Bordeaux, Jan. 10.—George Carpenter knocked out "Blind" McCoy, at the beginning of the second round of their fight here tonight. At the conclusion of the fight M. Desamps, manager of Carpenter, announced to the audience that he had telegraphed this morning to Jack Dempsey's manager that the Dempsey-Carpenter fight would take place in New Jersey on September sixth, Labor Day.

What Promoter Says. San Diego, Calif., Jan. 10.—James W. Coffroth, who has been proceeding in the belief that his bid of \$400,000 for a world's championship fight between Dempsey and Carpenter virtually had been accepted, said tonight that he was unable to explain the announcement of M. Desamps, Carpenter's manager, that the fight would be held on September sixth (Labor Day) in New Jersey. Coffroth said: "When men work on a purse proposition instead of a percentage of the gate receipts, we do not take it that they are concerned in the battle ground."

"Things may come around so that Desamps may have his wish granted, although I always will adhere to my belief that Tia Juana must have the first call if I promote the fight. The date is a matter of agreement in either July 4 or September 6 is immaterial to me."

Coffroth had just returned from Tia Juana where he and Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager, had inspected a possible site for an arena. Jack Dempsey Talks. Los Angeles, Calif., Jan. 10.—"All arrangements for me to fight Carpenter are in Kearns' hands," Jack Dempsey said tonight of Desamps' statement that the contest would be held in New Jersey, September 6.

"Anything he does is all right with me and I have made no effort to keep up with the various proposals made. This New Jersey affair is news to me, but maybe it won't be to Kearns."

THE MINE-SWEEPERS.

(New York World.) They never had a half a chance at glory; To them the joy of battle was denied; The nation never thrilled to read the story Of how they lived and toiled and died. Unseen, unmarked, they went where duty called them;

On mine-enrolled seas their nets were spread; No storms delayed, no dangers grim appalled them. The death was always lurking just ahead. Day in, day out, their dreary vigil keeping. As on across the tide their vessels stole. Alert of mind, untroubled and un-sleeping. They calmly kept their perilous patrol.

And if there came a flash, a roar of thunder, And smothered in a whirl of hissing foam A ship and all aboard of her went under. No cable sent the tragic story home. They brought to port no submarine as booty. Their shouts of triumph ringing in the breeze. It never was their high and glorious duty To scourge these slinking serpents from the seas.

They wore no crown of fame, yet their devotion For victory's mighty progress cleared the way. Made safe an army's path across the ocean. And baffled craft and cunning of their prey. They wore no crown of fame—and yet their story When half its glowing chapters have been told Will write their names upon the roll of glory. In fine, resplendent characters of gold!

THE PRESSMAN AND ASSISTANTS' UNION

The regular monthly meeting of the International Pressman's and Assistants' Union No. 36 was held last Saturday evening in the Odd Fellows' hall, Union street. The meeting was marked by a large attendance and the following officers were elected for the coming year:

- A. Ellison, president.
- J. Maxwell, vice-president.
- W. Ward, recording secretary.
- W. R. Green, financial secretary.
- F. Brown, treasurer.
- C. Finlay, sergeant-at-arms.
- Delegates to the Trades and Labor Council: W. Howard, P. Ellison, H. Hopkins, H. L. Whelpley, A. Dever.
- Delegates to allied label: A. Ellison, W. Ward, P. Brown.
- Audit committee: W. Ward, H. Brown.
- Technical committee: J. Spitts, Ellison, M. Hastings, W. Howard, Dever.
- Executive committee: P. Brown, Campbell, W. Driscoll, C. Lee, H. Whelpley, M. Hastings, F. Ellison, Maxwell, A. Ellison, A. Dever.

The English Cup Matches

Over Half a Million Spectators Witnessed the Matches on Saturday—42,000 at Birmingham-Everton Game.

London, Jan. 11.—(Canadian Associated Press)—Despite wretched weather, particularly in the northeast of England, well over half a million spectators witnessed the English cup matches, the largest attendance being 42,000 at the Birmingham-Everton match, with 35,000 at the Bolton-Chelsea game, 33,000 at Ashton-Queens Park, 40,000 at Sheffield United-South End.

In the only match between First League teams Chelsea won a narrow victory over Bolton. The first half of this game was very fast, and Chelsea was soon in difficulties. Croll and Wilding being injured, and McNeil being sent off the field for a foul on Donaldson. Rochdale, who waived their right of ground against the Arsenal, created a big sensation at High Bury during the first half by leading two goals to one. However, Arsenal were later on their mettle and waged war in the second half almost entirely in the defence from the visiting backs and goalkeeper. Lewis played a great game for Arsenal, Milne, Nuttall and Mallalieu being prominent for the visitors. Portsmouth gave Bradford people an unpleasant surprise by leading two to one at half time, but the ground was so covered with water as to render the football farcical, the wonder really being that the teams took the ground for further play, and the game was eventually abandoned. Aston opened in determined fashion against Queens Park, whose defence was generally overplayed, while their forwards found the Villa forwards much too strong. South End were deservedly applauded. Tottenham delighted the Bristol crowd with their good margin against the Rovers, who never showed up with the usual skill of visitors. Cantrell did the hat trick, being subsequently helped off the field, injured. The other Tottenham goal was scored by Banks, while Hyam, the centre forward, earned Bristol's solitary goal, this being his sixth goal in eight matches. Several inches of snow were on Newcastle's grounds, where the home team received Crystal Palace, who played a wacky game against a manifestly superior side. Newcastle's goals were scored by Dixon and Hale. Speaking generally, the Southern League failed to make a big impression against the First League team. Cardiff, however, deserved a victory against Oldham, taking every opportunity the home team afforded at the beginning of the game, but within five minutes from the start the city were two goals ahead. Goodwin throughout the game did wonderfully well, and Woodman was the best half on the field. The Orient were certainly outplayed, but had nothing to be ashamed of.

"St. John Author" Constance Bruce, author of "Humor and Tragedy," was born at St. John, N. B., and is a daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Bruce, founder and first Principal of St. Andrew's College, Toronto. Miss Bruce came to Toronto when very young and attended Haverall College, where she received her nurse's training in New York. Enlisting in Toronto at the beginning of the war, she went overseas with the first contingent of Canadian nurses and served in Belgium, Mesopotamia, France, and then returned to England, where she wrote her book while serving in various military hospitals. "Humor and Tragedy" is profusely illustrated with pen and ink sketches from Miss Bruce's own pen.

"What's My Daughter Doing?" Mrs. Florence King, president of the National Woman's Association of Commerce, of Chicago, calls "what's my daughter doing," one of the biggest questions before the country today. Miss King is the leading woman attorney of the United States. She came from an Iowa farm, and made her way to the top in the most difficult of professions—the law. She is the only woman who ever won a case before the Supreme Court of the United States. Therefore her opinion should be worth something. "Give a girl a straight eye and a clear brain and you have little to fear as to what she does with her heart," she says.

Old Country Football Results

London, Jan. 10.—(Canadian Associated Press)—Old Country Football results today were:

Scottish League. Albion Rovers 0; Clyde 2. Ayr United 0; Motherwell 0. Celtic 1; Morton 1. Dumbarton 4; Aberdeen 0. Dundee 3; Kilmarnock 2. Falkirk 3; Hibernians 0. Hamilton 1; Rangers 2. Hearts 1; Third Lanark 1. Partick 3; Airdrieonians 1. Queens Park 1; Raith R. 2. St. Mirren 0; Clyde Bank 3. Swinton 13; Broughton 3. W. Hells 0; St. Helens Recreation 3. Rochdale 18; Warrington 0. St. Helens 6; Salford 13. Swinton 13; Broughton 3. W. Hells 0; St. Helens Recreation 3. Rochdale 18; Warrington 0. St. Helens 6; Salford 13. Swinton 13; Broughton 3. W. Hells 0; St. Helens Recreation 3. Rochdale 18; Warrington 0. St. Helens 6; Salford 13.

Rugby Union County Champs

London, Jan. 11.—(By Canadian Associated Press)—Results in the Rugby Union county championships were:

Cumberland 5; Durham 0. Yorkshire 17; Cheshire 0. Somerset 0; Devon 0. Club matches were: Blackheath 44; Rosslyn 3. Guy's 18; Old Merchant Tailors 3. Cardiff 17; Bristol 0. Coventry 0; Leicester 12. Bath 0; Gloucester 2. Bedford 7; London club 14. Ilkley 15; Headington 3. Northern Union Rugby results were: Bradford 0; Wakefield 8. Huddersfield 12; Wigan 8.

PARRSOBORO SHIP SINKS WITH CARGO OFF PORT GREVILLE

Parrsboro, N. S., Jan. 11.—The steamer Merle C. 212 tons register, with a cargo of four hundred tons of coal sank in deep water off Port Greville, N. S. today. When off Cape Chignecto, last night, the vessel sprang a leak and the captain put back for Port Greville. Fearing the vessel would sink with them, the crew abandoned her and made for here. She was a new vessel having been built last summer, and was owned by Captain Robert Kerr and others of Parrsboro.

POLICE COURT CASES SATURDAY

In the Police Court, Saturday, a liquor charge against George Danford was dismissed, and the liquor seized from him ordered returned by the court. L. A. Condon defended Danford. It will be remembered that the inspectors raided Danford's premises for liquor which was finally disclosed to them by the defendant, concealed in a piano. Nathan Metzler pleaded not guilty to a charge laid by S. M. Wetmore, secretary of the S. P. C. The case was postponed till Tuesday at 2 o'clock.

DEPUTY PORT WARDEN DIES AT MONTREAL

Montreal, Que., Jan. 11.—David Robinson Stewart, deputy port warden of Montreal, died at the Montreal General Hospital early today, following three weeks' illness from pneumonia. He was appointed deputy port warden in April 1914. He is survived by his widow, who was Miss Gussie Congie, of St. John, N. B., and two young children.

REAL COWBOY OF THE ECUADOR

Wonderful Rider Whose Chief Concern is Not to Lose His Hat.

Jose A. Campos in Inter-America. It is the custom to celebrate the popular festival of San Pedro Pablo in the Sabana Grande with an equestrian frenzy. I say equestrian frenzy for it is now known that this is the hippic festival par excellence; every one who wishes to celebrate it and to contribute to the honor and glory of the holy apostles must go on horseback, or, lacking a horse, he must mount the first ass he chances upon and set out on a gallop like the Cossacks of the plains. The only ones who come off whole are our montuvios, who, to tell the truth, are not outdone by the Venezuelan llaneros or the Argentine gauchos.

These montuvios are the heroes of the festival of San Pedro Pablo and San Fagundes, the only ones who survive all the numbers on the program. Give a montuvio a half broken mule he is in his element and you will see him transfigured. He puts on him one of the great, broad pointed saddles of national manufacture, with long leathers from which hang enormous metal stirrups; sets brutal bits in his mouth and tightens the martingale until the neck of the animal is given a curve of sixty degrees; attaches the indispensable cotton saddlebags of the coast, of vivid tint and finished with tassels and a fringe; coils at the head of the saddle twenty or twenty-five fathoms of rope; and then mounts, displaying wide pantaloons of cloth, girded at the waist with a long belt, from which hangs a ponderous machete, a starched shirt without a collar, a poncho as ample as a choir cloak, a wide brimmed manabita hat, called a "singa," which hangs a ponderous machete, and finally the inevitable "sponzo," spurs bound tight, "as hard as a knot" to the bare feet.

There you have the type. A heftier re montuve, two yards long, by way of a hunting crop in his right hand; a Daulesen cigar between his teeth and a bottle of aguardiente in his left. The mule may caper and cut up to his heart's content; run away, kick, roll over on the ground. One of our countrymen hardly notices these details. What you see is that he always stays on his horse.

These are the equipment of the man and his beset that from the moment they set out together form a single creature. The mule may caper and cut up to his heart's content; run away, kick, roll over on the ground. One of our countrymen hardly notices these details. What you see is that he always stays on his horse.

The only time he becomes disturbed is when his hat falls off. The montuvio has an infinite affection for his hat, however old or worthless it may be. He would expose his life a thousand times rather than run the risk of losing his hat. If it falls in the water he plunges into the most dangerous current to recover it; if he is pursued by justice and, during the flight his hat escapes him, he turns squarely around, goes back, secures it, and lets himself be captured. Finally when he gets drunk and goes to sleep outdoors a relation of a friend who thinks something of him takes charge of his hat and keeps it for him lest he lose it. If he drops his cigar or matches he picks it off the ground without dismounting—performing prodigies of horsemanship, to all appearances with the greatest ease—as if it were at his side on a table.

A Jewel Safe That Rings If Burgled. It is a dainty little jewel box, weighing only four pounds, so nicely can carry it easily when traveling. So could Mr. Burglar, but he will not; for the minute he lays a hand on it, a bell inside—wound up by a lady before she retires—begins to ring frantically. Any wise burglar would drop it at once and run himself.

OTTAWA TRIMMED QUEBEC.

Ottawa, Jan. 11.—Eddie Gerard and his Ottawa Senators retained their position at the top of the heap in the National Hockey League Saturday night, when they decisively defeated the Quebec Bull Dogs at the local arena, winning by a score of 7 to 1, in the presence of another capacity crowd.

Philadelphia, Penna., Jan. 10.—Benj. Valgar, the French fighter, outpointed Cal Delaney, of Cleveland, in a six-round bout here tonight. Waterbury Conn., Jan. 10.—Jack Aherm, the dancing master of Brooklyn, N. Y., was knocked out in the eighth round of a ten round bout here tonight by Eddie Trembley, of Bridgeport, middleweight champion of Canada. The knockout came as a surprise for honors were even up to the seventh round. Trembley rushed Aherm and floored him with a wicked right to the head.

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Charlottetown, P. E. I. —with its horse races in the street, the car ferry in the ice of the straits, etc., in moving pictures. Topics of the Day Also. WED.—Dorothy Dalton "MARKET OF SOULS"

HOCKEY AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, Jan. 11.—Showing a complete return to their best form, the players of the Canadian Hockey Club signalled their initial appearance in Montreal this season by defeating St. Patrick's of Toronto at Jean Joly arena on Saturday night in a decisive manner by 14 to 7.

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King M. P. LIBERAL LEADER

And Ernest LaPointe, M.P. For Quebec

IMPERIAL THEATRE

FRIDAY, JAN. 16, 8 P.M. The address of Hon. Mr. King will be of interest to every Canadian, irrespective of party affiliations. Mr. LaPointe, who resigned a safe seat to drive Armand Lavergne out of Quebec East, is one of the ablest of Canadian parliamentarians.

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MY BROTHER

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MR. KING AND LABOR.

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King: "Speaking for myself, my intention in industrial problems is bred of my Liberalism. Liberalism is to be the expansion of higher human freedom. What the workers in one form or another are seeking is what we, as Liberals, have all along been speaking of as more in the way of equality of opportunity."

Mr. King's message to labor is sufficiently vague. It is contained in his discourse devoted to the curative properties of Liberalism; so it may be supposed he intends to tell labor that faith in Liberal principles is the condition of salvation. What Mr. King means by Liberal principles is not clear; neither does the history of the Liberal party in Canada afford much light. In opposition to the Liberal party in Canada has professed faith in the political philosophy of Liberalism without making any great effort to visualize its application to Canadian problems; in power the Liberal party has been frankly opportunist the most of the time, and when it attempted to proceed on its principles it met with disaster. So when Mr. King talks vaguely of applying Liberal principles to labor questions we can only interpret his intention in the light of what we know of Liberalism as a philosophy of political practice.

The Trades and Labor Council has decided to start a movement to abolish commission form of government, and return to the British system. When the American invention was adopted here rather extravagant expectations were held out to the people, but few of them have been realized, and there has for some time been increasing discontent with the administration of civic affairs. Promptitude of decision and continuity of policy were to be features of the new system, but on the question of a street paving programme, for instance, commission form of government has exhibited a capacity for vacillation unequalled in the whole history of political wobbles. Assurances were given that commission would create a constructive interest in civic affairs on the part of the general citizenship; the interest excited has been mainly in the form of wonder that the commissioners were any at all, and the prospect of a political movement to reconstruct the civic administration the coming months are not likely to be lacking in interest.

The fact is Liberalism as a philosophy of political practice has gone the way of Carter's Cataclysm and Goethe's Theory of Colors into the museum of history. Today it lingers in the world of thought as a reminiscence of a former stage of social development, just as a rudimentary remnant of a third eye remains in the back of our heads, a legacy that links us with our extinct ancestors of the sturrian age. Herbert Spencer was a conspicuous example of the peculiar effects of Liberalism upon a mind otherwise open to clear conceptions. As a scientist Spencer's perceptions were straightforward and clear; but when he dealt with questions of practical politics his perceptions were sometimes as distorted as if he was using the rudimentary eye in the back of his head. As a scientist he developed the evolutionary theory, and built up a synthetic philosophy the high lights of which still illumine the march of knowledge; as a politician he defended the obsolete and anti-evolutionary doctrines of Liberalism. As Dr. Jekyll he wrote his "Synthetic Philosophy"; as Mr. Hyde he repudiated the main principles of his philosophy in "The Man Versus the State." Mr. King may have this dual capacity. Only a madman would want to condemn labor to the tender mercies of Liberal principles.

BOOZE AND BUNCOMBE.

London will be confronted with trouble by an uprising of her East End population, if England adopts prohibition, says Rev. Dr. Campbell Morgan, pastor of Westminster Chapel, London. When Uncle Sam went on the water wagon, Gompers predicted revolution among the foreign-born. And the other day he was sermonizing about the good results of prohibition which has principally hit the poorer classes. The reverend gentleman from London who is preaching over the border expresses a view which has been strongly held by the classes in England. The magnificent fabric of the life of the classes in England owes something to cheap beer. Booze is the riches of the poor man. Church and State have cast a halo over the Englishman's pot of beer; the Divine Right of Kings has gone by the board, but the inalienable right of the lower orders to cheap beer is imbedded in the constitution of things. Where the cheap beer flows wages are low; booze is really the cheapest form of dissipation the working class can indulge in; when a fellow can for a few pennies' worth of beer feel like a live lord his interest in material acquisitions is not great.

Great British statesmen have figuratively taken off their hats to John Barleycorn; they have made no secret

of their belief that a sober Britain would be a hard Britain to govern in the good old fashion. Lloyd George has been dancing about like a pea on a hot skillet ever since his Government began to impose restrictions on the sale of booze and let the price go up. Nevertheless when the Rev. Mr. Morgan condemns prohibition because he fears revolution will follow in its wake it may be doubted if his soul is the abiding place of Christian charity. If, as his words imply, the existing order of society in Great Britain is founded on the degradation of the working classes who need beer to keep their content with their lot, a radical change in the social order ought not to have many terrors for preachers of the gospel of the brotherhood of man.

In any case the British working classes, drunk or sober, appear to have made up their minds to obtain a larger share of life, and to accommodate their desires some sort of a revolution in the existing order of society is necessary. Efforts to create a new Merrie England are less likely likely to be accompanied by civil tumult if the population is relatively sober and able to see its problems in proper perspective.

CIVIC RECONSTRUCTION.

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Various Canadian papers are advocating the enactment of legislation which will make it a criminal offence for public or civic employees to engage in strikes which directly affect vital services or endanger the lives, health or property of the citizens at large. The Winnipeg strike and the Montreal water-works strike have afforded conspicuous examples of the inconveniences and dangers of strikes of civic employees. Provision for compulsory arbitration is an indispensable condition to declaring strikes illegal. At present Canada has legislation providing for compulsory arbitration in disputes affecting public services such as transportation, but the enforcement of such legislation when both parties show a recalcitrant attitude is not an easy matter. But even small strikes or lockouts now have such widespread effects upon related industries or services that public opinion is plainly swinging towards the views that compulsory arbitration is becoming a public necessity.

But civic and other public authorities are not always free from the responsibility for strikes. Sometimes they are very dilatory in dealing with legitimate grievances, and a public administration that allows its employees to come to a conclusion that a demonstration of solidarity is necessary before there will be action has nothing to be proud of. Civic authorities who are prone to play lady bountiful are often annoyed by self-assertion on the part of civic employees, and indisposed to consider demands, if the civic employees are newly organized. Until civic authorities show a keener disposition to arbitrate disputes with employees, the unions will not be keen for arbitration. But it is worth noting that the more powerful a union is the reader it is to accept arbitration, and abide by the awards. The International Bricklayers' Union has not had a strike of any consequence for many years. In that trade arbitration, though not compulsory, is accepted as a matter of course.

THE CARAQUET RAILWAY.

The indisposition or inability of the owners of the Caraquez Railway to provide a decent service is causing increasing annoyance in Gloucester County. Between the price the Federal Government is willing to pay for the railway, and the price the owners demand, there is a matter of between fifty and one hundred thousand dollars. The Northern Light says "The Local Government attempted to take a hand at improving matters, but the drastic methods proposed by the Minister of Public Works were, to all intents and purposes, disallowed by the Federal Government, following a protest by the railway owners." The Northern Light suggests that the County Council issue bonds to make up the difference in price, and argues that it would be good business, as the resultant progress in the county would probably liquidate the cost of the bonds. It adds: "The people would be bound to benefit in many ways by efficient Government management of the railroad; the shippers would be saved many of the annoyances of conducting business at present; the Government would have its offer accepted and the railway owners would receive an amount which they could feel justified in accepting in justice to their bondholders."

WHAT THEY SAY

A Willing Worker. (Exchange.) Mayor Church of Toronto scores 100 per cent. in the matter of regular attendance at council meetings. During his five years in office he has not missed a session.

Man's Best Friend. (Calgary Herald.) A dog carried a life-line through storm-tossed waters from a stranded steamer to the shore, and thus made possible the rescue of no less than ninety persons. If there is one animal more than another that deserves the best man can give it is the dog, best of all the dumb friends of mankind.

Returning the "Reds." (Hullfax Chronicle.) An excellent and timely example is being set by the American Government in the steps which it is taking for the suppression of Anarchism and Bolshevism in the United States. The proceedings will be watched with special interest by Canadians. The Dominion has been infected with and has suffered considerably from the same disease which is unquestionably spreading and showing symptoms of becoming more virulent. It is not a malady indigenous to either Canada or the United States. It has been introduced by outsiders of various kinds, who have been allowed the run of the two countries. It is high time now for their suppression, or at least for the indefinite curbing of their utterances and activities.

A BIT OF FUN

The Old Trick. The cook has been swept overboard, sir. "Captain—Just like a cook, to leave without giving notice."
Thinking of Manikins. Mrs. Galey (in department store)—I want you to see the walking dolls, Jack.
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No, I can't say that it is, no, sed pop, and ma sed, I didn't think it was, the band is different, has the band anything to do with the quality of a cigar?

Only in a general way, sed pop, and ma sed, How were those cigars I gave you?
Fine, very fine, unusually fine, sed pop, and I sed, wich ones are they pop?—are they the ones in the box underneath the pile of fonograf records?
Wat are you talking about, how do you get that way? sed pop giving me a fierce look, and ma went and pulled the box out from underneath the records and opened it, saying, Well I declare, they're all still here all but 2.

They won't be there long, my dear, they're unusually fine cigars, but I always save the best till the last, its the same principle as dizzert sed pop.

Willyum Potts, I want to see you smook one of these cigars this instant, and I want to watch your expression wile you smook it, sed ma.

But my dear, I still have half of this cigar to finish, sed pop, and ma sed, Finish it later, I don't like the band on it much, anyway. And pop put the rest of his cigar down on the ash thing and lit one of ma's and started to smook it slow, me and ma both watching his expression, wile it probably was much more satisfied looking than wat it would be, if nobody hadn't bin watching him except me, ma saying, Well, I must say you seem to be enjoying it.

My dear, its an unusually fine cigar, sed pop, and ma sed, Then smook another one as soon as you get throo that one.

O good hevins, I mean, im afraid that would be too many cigars in one evening, sed pop. And he gave me another fierce look as if I had sumthing to do with it, wile I had, and pritty soon after that I quick finished my homework and went to bed on account of thinking ma mite go out of the room and leave me alone with pop.

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OBITUARY Mrs. Geo. E. Grant. Mrs. George E. Grant died Saturday afternoon at her home in St. Andrew's N. B. after a week's illness. She is survived by her husband, Mr. George E. Grant, Wm. A. Lingley, of Carleton, one sister, Mrs. Bernard Laroune, of Montreal, and two brothers, William R. and Harry, of this city. Mrs. Grant was formerly Miss Edith Lingley of Carleton, and had many friends who will regret her death. She will be buried in St. John.

Yarmouth, Jan. 10.—The news has been received here of the death in San Francisco, Cal., of Irvin Ashley Lovitt, the last surviving member of the family of the late George H. Lovitt, Yarmouth, north. The deceased, before going to California, was prominently known in yachting circles, and held membership tickets in the leading yacht club of the maritime provinces. At that time he owned, sailed and raced the beautiful yacht Hermes, and later the Hermes II. Since residing in California he has been engaged in fruit farming and ranching. Mr. Lovitt was fifty-four years and two months of age.

MOTHERS! NEVER NEGLECT WHOOPING COUGH Many mothers make the mistake of thinking that whooping cough is not of serious importance, but unfortunately this mistake often leads to the neglect of this dangerous child's disease. Never neglect whooping cough, for it may be followed by some serious lung trouble. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is highly recommended by mothers everywhere for the relief of this trouble. It will clear the clogged-up air passage of the mucous and phlegm that has collected and in this way bring on the "whoop" which brings the so-much-sought-for relief. Mrs. Francis Burlington, Newgate, B. C., writes: "This spring three of my children took the whooping cough, and they had it so bad I thought they would choke. I was getting pretty worried when my sister wrote me, telling me to try Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. I sent for some right away, and, believe me, I will never forget how it worked. I will always have it in my house."

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL. A member of the S.S. Melanaga crew was taken to the General Public Hospital yesterday afternoon, believed to be suffering from pneumonia.

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Rothsay by Rev. W. P. Dunham of Pairville This was followed by a business session and election of officers as follows: President, Rev. M. Watterson, of Kingston; 1st vice president, Mr. George Raymond of Norton; 2nd vice president, Miss Annie Puddington of Rothsay; secretary-treasurer, Rev. Thomas Parker. Interesting papers were read by Rev. Gordon Lawrence of Hampton and George Raymond of Norton. Luncheon was served at 1 o'clock. At the afternoon session Miss Catherine Robinson gave a paper on music in the schools, this was followed by questions and discussion and the meeting closed at about 4 o'clock. Thirty delegates attended. The Friday night bridge met last week with Mrs. Carritte when those present were Miss Hooper, Mrs. Bethel, Mrs. John Davidson, Mrs. Bell,

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Puddington, Mr. Elmer Puddington, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. John Sayre, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. John Belyas and others. The Reading Club will resume their weekly meetings on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. W. J. Davidson. Miss Picheur has returned home from a visit to Boston. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Allison gave a coasting party on Saturday night which was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robinson, Mrs. Heber Daniel, Miss Puddington, Miss Kerr, Miss Daniel, Miss Purdy, Mr. Purdy and Mr. Harold Brock. The dancing class met on Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Colin Mackay. On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. A. E. Cornell entertained at a greatly enjoyed bridge of five tables. The rooms were very bright and attractive with Christmas greenery and red carnations. Mrs. Bethel, of Pombrook, Ont., was the guest of honor. Other players were Mrs. Albert Wilson, Mrs. Langdon, Mrs. Sleep (Anaher), Mrs. Leslie Lovitt (Yarmouth), Mrs. James P. Robertson, Mrs. Saxon, Miss Longley, Mrs. Arthur Sharpe (St. John), Mrs. Bell, Miss Hooper, Mrs. H. F. Puddington, Mrs. Holly, Miss Brock, Miss Kerr, Mrs. W. S. Allison, Mrs. Alex. Fowler, Mrs. John M. Robinson, Miss Allison, Mrs. Harry Gilbert. The prize winners were: 1st, Miss Longley; 2nd, Mrs. Bell; 3rd, Miss Allison.

Miss Hooper and Mrs. Bethel, who spent the Christmas holidays guests at Mr. and Mrs. James P. Robertson, St. John, returned to Rothsay on Wednesday. For Lieutenant Wallace Turnbull, Rev. Dr. W. B. Hibbard entertained at the men's camp on Long Island last Saturday evening. The party included Lieut. Turnbull, Rev. Dr. Hibbard, Mr. H. F. Puddington, Mr. R. Turnbull, Mr. Thomas Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Puddington, Mr. Cooper, Mr. John Davidson, Mr. Scott, Rev. Canon Daniel, Mr. Percy Fairweather, Dr. Peters, Mrs. J. and Mrs. H. F. Puddington, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Thomson, Colonel and Mrs. Herbert Clinch, Miss Mabel Thomson, Miss Catherine Bell and Mr. Moffet Bell were afternoon tea guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Puddington.

A very happy time was given the members of Rothsay Presbyterian Sunday School last evening (Thursday), when in the church Hall tea was served at six o'clock. At eight o'clock a large number of parents and friends had gathered and enjoyed the programme, which opened by the singing of the Doxology, followed by prayer by the minister, Rev. J. J. Graham. A little exercise in which Mother Goose introduced her children to the Christmas story was very nicely presented. Each of the children taking part had a rhyme to say, and at the end were presented with gifts by the fairy. Then Santa Claus arrived and paraded the hall, finally arriving at the handsome large tree placed on the platform. Here he opened his pack, and called the Sunday School roll, when each member came forward and received candy and oranges. A bountiful supply of refreshments was served to all present before the close of a greatly enjoyed affair. Mr. Hastings, who is spending this winter in St. John, was present and received a hearty welcome.

A trip to Long Island is planned for Saturday afternoon by a number of the men interested in the summer camps, who expect to stay in a supply of ice for the coming season. Miss Hazel McArthur celebrated a birthday anniversary on Wednesday by entertaining a few friends from the city at a greatly enjoyed coasting party. Her guests included Mrs. Freeman Hamm, Mrs. Kenneth Campbell, Miss Edith Miller, Miss Blanch Boatsey, Miss Helen Gault, Mrs. Catherine McArthur and Miss Elizabeth Morrison. Another birthday party was that of Mr. Harold Brock, who was host at a men's dinner on Monday night. Miss Allison left on yesterday's (Thursday) C. P. R. to visit friends in Montreal. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoyt and two children are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cornell for a few days. They are moving from New Glasgow, N. S., to make their home at Seattle, Wash. Miss Daning and Miss Stoddard are spending part of the Christmas holidays in New York.

Miss Pitcher, Miss Puddington, Miss Allison, Mrs. Harry Gilbert, Miss Brock, Miss Kerr, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. McIntyre, Miss Donville, Mrs. Blanchet and Mrs. Carritte. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Blair. A meeting of the executive of the Rothsay Chapter I. O. D. E. was held at the residence of Mrs. Bell on Wednesday morning. Mrs. Lambord entertained informally at the week-end. Thursday Mrs. Heber Daniel who been here spending Christmas and New Year with Rev. Canon and Mrs. Daniel at "The Rectory" left for her home in Montreal. Miss Annette Holly is spending a few days in St. John, the guest of Mrs. Fred Sayre Queen Square. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Puddington on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Lord of New Zealand, their young son and daughter, and at the tea hour Mr. Percy Fairweather and Mr. John Davidson. Mrs. J. McAleery of St. John spent Thursday with Mrs. McArthur at Riverview. Among those who on Monday night went to St. John and attended the Ball given by De Monts Chapter I. O. D. E. were, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Fowler, His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Pursey, Miss Kathryn Holly, Mr. George Holly, Mr. Jack Holly, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mackay,

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WEEK CLOSED WITH INTEREST ON THE SPECULATIVE LIST New York, Jan. 10.—The week in the stock market ended very much in the fashion that it began, interest continuing concentrated in the more speculative shares.

TORONTO GRAIN QUOTATIONS Toronto, Ont., Jan. 11.—The grain quotations on the Board of Trade Saturday were as follows: Manitoba wheat, No. 1 northern, \$2.89; No. 2, \$2.77; No. 3, \$2.73; in store Fort William.

ROYAL BANK OF CANADA ENJOYED GREATEST GROWTH OF ANY YEAR SINCE BANK WAS INCORPORATED Annual Meeting Marked the Close of Jubilee Year—Steady Growth from Local Bank to International Institution—Sir Herbert Holt and Mr. Edson L. Pease Deal With Canada's Internal Problems and the Possibilities of Export Trade—Mr. C. E. Neill, General Manager, Reports on Expansion Enjoyed by the Bank During the Past Year—Pays Strong Tribute to Staff.

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Expansion of Trade. Mr. Edson L. Pease, the Vice President and Managing Director, in his address dealt more particularly with the expansion of trade and how Canada had readjusted herself to the conditions that had arisen since the close of the European war.

Trade Position. "The increase in commercial loans indicates no curtailment in this class. In fact, it has been competition for commercial loans to total deposits on November 30, 1919, was 53.55 as compared with 73.53 in November, 1914.

Exchange Situation. The problem of exchange grows in perplexity. The prevailing rates in addition to value to almost all our exports but of immense imports from the United States are penalized.

How to Meet Conditions. The Government is still discharging some of the heavy obligations arising out of the war and the net public debt now fast approaches two billion dollars.

Production is Needed. To keep production from falling off and to increase it, thus furnishing full employment for labor, is more essential now than ever.

Foreign Trade Developments. The year just concluded has given additional proof of the service to the country and advantage to the bank of our branches in foreign fields.

countries, which have so greatly increased their purchasing power, is of the utmost importance. We have therefore decided to extend our operations in this direction, and in addition to branches opened during the past year at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, Buenos Aires in the Argentine, and Montevideo, Uruguay, we shall shortly be established at Sao Paulo in Brazil, Bogota and Barranquilla, Colombia.

William Thomas Murray. Digby, Jan. 9.—A well known farmer of Digby County, in the person of William A. Hutchison, died last Friday at the residence of his niece, Mrs. Joseph O'Neill in Marshfield.

Obituary. Nellie Parker Troop. Bellefleur, Jan. 9.—Death has again visited Bellefleur, and claimed as its victim Miss Nellie Parker Troop, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Troop.

Obituary. Mrs. Ada Sutherland. Digby, Jan. 9.—News was received here on Saturday morning of the death of Mrs. Ada Sutherland at the hospital in Chatham, N. B., of blood poisoning.

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Weddings. Digby, Jan. 9.—A very pretty wedding took place in the Bear River on December 22, at the home of Rev. F. H. Bone, when Gerald Clifton Brayne, of Tusket, Yarmouth Co., was united in marriage to Miss Jennie F. Johnson.

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Coastwise—str Stadium, Pike, 49, Alma, N. B.

Arrived Sunday, Jan. 11.
S.S. Aspen, 1898, New York.
S.S. Glenapeak.

Sailed Sunday.
S.S. Bellerby, Greece.

CANADIAN PORTS.
Halifax, Jan. 9.—Sld str Manchester Importer, Manchester.

BRITISH PORTS.
London, Jan. 9.—Ard str Sicilian, St. John; str Mattawa, St. John.
Newport, England, Jan. 9.—Ard str Aldale, St. John.

FOREIGN PORTS.
Antwerp, Jan. 5.—Ard str Great City (Br), New York via Halifax, Portland, Me.
Havre, Jan. 7.—Sld str Hallhaven, Liverpool, Jan. 7.—Sld str Empress of Franco, St. John.
Southampton, Jan. 8.—Sld str Royal George (Br), New York via Halifax.

Sailed for Greece.
The S.S. Bellerby sailed yesterday morning for Greece with a cargo of grain. She was consigned to William Thomson & Company.

Arrived Yesterday.
The S.S. Aspen, consigned to William Thomson & Company, arrived in port yesterday morning from New York. She will load a cargo for Sweden.

Will Sail Today.
The C. P. O. S. Liner Metagama will sail today for Liverpool with a large general cargo, passengers and mails.

Due Here the 15th.
The C. P. O. S. Liner Empress of France sailed from Liverpool at 6 p. m. on the 7th, and is due on Thursday. She has a total of 1,334 passengers on board—182 first class, 467 second and 65 third class.

For This Port.
The S.S. Carrigan Head, Head Line, sailed from the United Kingdom for St. John on the 7th. On her arrival at this port, about the 20th she will load a general cargo for Belfast.

New Steamer.
The Georgia, a new steamer of the Elder-Deppeler Line, will sail for South African ports from here about the 15th of this month.

Due at This Port.
The Jekri, formerly the War Pilot, is due at this port on the 20th, and



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5:00 Lv.	Fredericton	Ar.	10:00 a.m.
7:47 Lv.	Woodstock	Ar.	7:12 a.m.
9:00 Lv.	Centreville	Lv.	6:00 a.m.

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"Snag little concession! Have you any Presbyterians in the village?"

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Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Lepreau, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

H. W. WOODS,
Post Office Inspector, Office, St. John, N. B., December 28th, 1919.

Compliments For Sinn Feiners.
(Hamilton Times.)

Colonel Arthur Lynch, who fought with the Boers and later was a Home Rule member of the British Parliament, has come to the United States to denounce the present Sinn Fein movement. He calls it "a campaign of violence without a carefully thought-out plan." It's a criminal organization.

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THE WEATHER. Toronto, Jan. 11.—The weather has been moderately cold...

AROUND THE CITY. NEGLECT OF CHILDREN. Elmer Thomas was arrested yesterday charged with the neglect of his children.

PLACES OF INTEREST. Lily Lake and vicinity was well patronized yesterday afternoon with people taking advantage of the good condition of the ice and fine weather.

PRICE OF BOOZE ADVANCES. Everything is going up and along with other lines it is said that now the price of whiskey is costing four dollars per bottle with a prescription.

Presented Tablet To St. David's Church. John S. Seaton Made Presentation Yesterday in Memorial Service Conducted.

AN EVANGELISTIC SERVICE WAS HELD. A special evangelistic service was held at Victoria Street Baptist Church last evening.

REVIEW GRANTED. A review in the case of George Carvell versus the Bishop of St. John in the matter of an erection of a garage in Cliff street, has been granted by the Supreme Court of N. B.

Memorial Service In Ludlow Church. Impressive Sermon Last Evening by Pastor in Memory of Fred Nice and Other Departed Members of Congregation.

A most impressive memorial service was held in the Ludlow Street Baptist Church last evening in memory of the late Fred Nice and other members of the congregation who had passed away during the past year.

RETURNED FROM K. OF C. CONFERENCE. State Deputy of K. of C., Dr. W. P. Broderick returned on Saturday from Ottawa after attending meetings of National Executive and Army Huts.

Cost of Living Still On Up Grade. Dominion Labor Gazette Shows Average Cost of Family Budget of Staple Foods in Some Sixty Cities Higher in December and Previous Months.

REV. DR. HEARTZ OF HALIFAX PREACHED. Large Congregation at Exmouth Methodist Last Evening—Was Pastor of This Church 52 Years Ago.

THE FORWARD MOVEMENT. To read the lesson of the Forward Movement rather an innovation was introduced at the evening service at St. John's (Stone) church last evening.

SLEIGH DRIVE AND SUPPER. For the regular classes of Stone church Sunday school, a sleigh drive and supper was held on Saturday evening.

COMMITTEE MEETING. A meeting of the Co-operative Committee of the Canadian Girls' Training was held at the Y. W. C. A. on Saturday evening.

Gambling Was The Subject of Sermon. Rev. Dr. Hutchinson in Main Street Church Last Evening Preached on the Evil—Gave Some Advice to the Ladies.

There was a large congregation at the Main Street Baptist church last evening when the pastor, Rev. Dr. Hutchinson, preached a most interesting sermon, taking for his subject "Gambling."

FOUND DYNAMITE Among The Coal. Well Known Citizen Located Six Inch Stick of Explosive in Sydney Coal He Was About to Place in the Stove.

"It is hard enough to pay an extremely high price for coal, and then be satisfied to obtain the precious black diamonds, but to be supplied with something that might move houses and contents and have them all scattered into some other section of the city is more than a fellow is bargaining for these days."

TURKEYS WERE SCARCE. Turkeys were scarce and not of the best quality in market Saturday in Halifax.

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