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HOW LYNCH WON CHAMPIONSHIP

Last Night's Fight in New York By Rounds

Defeated Pete Herman for the Bantamweight Honors in Madison Square Garden—Great Cheering for New Leader.

New York, Dec. 23.—Here is how Joe Lynch of New York won the bantamweight championship of the world last night from Pete Herman of New Orleans.

Round One.—They began with light sparring, Lynch landing left to the head. At close quarters, Herman sent both hands in rapid succession to the body. Lynch jabbed left to the face and hooked his right to head. Herman swung right left to head. Both boys were palpably nervous and were just feeling each other out. They exchanged light body blows, and just before the bell the champion landed left and right in the rapid succession three times to the body. There was no damage done and the round was pretty even.

Round Two.—After an exchange of body blows Lynch landed a hard right hook to the head. He landed another hard right and missed a left to the body. They exchanged lefts to the face. Lynch tried long left jabs for the body without damage, and they fell into clinch. Lynch jabbed his left to the nose and the bell found them in a rally at close quarters, both playing for the body mostly. Lynch's round.

Round Three.—Herman landed a hard left hook on the jaw. After some light fighting Herman sent his right to the back of the neck and Lynch crossed his right hand to the jaw, sending Herman to the ropes, where he followed him and attempted another right to the head. Herman clinched in his own corner and Lynch sent a short right to the head before the bell. Lynch's round.

Round Four.—Herman did some showy work with both hands at close quarters. Lynch landed a hard right to the head and right to the body. Lynch jabbed left to the face and right to the head. Lynch jabbed left to the face and right to the head. Lynch jabbed left to the face and right to the head. Lynch jabbed left to the face and right to the head.

Round Five.—Lynch planted two hard lefts on the head. The second one staggered Herman. Lynch landed left and right on the head. Lynch landed left and right on the head. Lynch landed left and right on the head.

Round Six.—Most of Herman's leads were short. Lynch's right enabling him to land long lefts to the face and head and right to the body and then Lynch landed four rights on the head and left on the body without return. Lynch seemed to be holding back and in the boxing that ensued, Herman proved to be the cleverer and had the round by more than a shade.

Round Seven.—Lynch cut loose with two right swings which Herman blocked. Lynch stepped in, but Lynch drove him back with left and right to the face. They exchanged body blows and Lynch landed left to the head. Lynch jabbed left to the face and stepped in with left to the head. Lynch jabbed left to the face and stepped in with left to the head.

Round Eight.—Lynch popped a hard left from a right swing. Lynch jabbed his left twice to face and stepped in with left to the head. Lynch jabbed left to the face and stepped in with left to the head.

Round Nine.—Lynch landed several body blows and out-boxed Lynch. The end of the fight was a draw. (Continued on page 9, third column.)

COLLAPSES AS HE UNDRESSES

Sudden Death of President of Montreal Herald Pub. Co.

Montreal, Dec. 23.—Alfred Lethead, president of the Montreal Herald Publishing Company, Ltd., died suddenly this morning at his residence in Outremont. He had returned from his office early in the afternoon not feeling well, but he did not retire until about 10 o'clock. While undressing he collapsed and died before a doctor could be summoned. He was fifty years of age, and is survived by his wife and two brothers, both of this city.

C. N. R. BRAKEMAN FOUND IN ROOM; HEAD BLOWN OFF

Quebec, Dec. 23.—Nelson Cantin, 23 years of age, a brakeman on the C. N. R., was found in his room yesterday with the top of his head blown off. It is supposed that while dressing himself he had reached for his rifle, which was beside the bed, and that it discharged, as the muzzle was pointing to his head. Deputy Coroner Bedard held an inquest and a verdict of accidental death was brought in.

Commercial Club Offers Suggestions Regarding Handling of the Budget

Delegation Presents Views Before Meeting

Itemized Statements in All Departments Advocated—Think Public Should be Allowed to Express Opinion—Harbor Commission and Overhead Crossing Also Touched Upon.

A committee from the Commercial Club waited on the common council committee meeting this morning to present suggestions regarding the compiling and handling of the civic budget. They also asked for information regarding harbor commission and the abolition of the level crossing at the bridge end of Douglas avenue.

The delegation was composed of H. R. McLellan, secretary of the club; Baron Wilson, R. S. Sims and A. P. Paterson. Mr. McLellan presented the matters on behalf of the delegation.

He said that all civic departments should be treated on the same basis and the club believes that some departments are not acting in the same way as others regarding estimates.

"We believe," he said, "as you do, that an itemized budget is necessary. While all departments submit a fairly well-prepared estimate of expenditures they are not always lodged with the controller. Only three items were so lodged by the water and sewerage department this year. We believe that the engineer's charge of each department should certify to the requirements of that department before any payments are made."

"We believe that the estimates should be printed and made public at least a week before they are to be discussed by the council, and taxpayers should be given an opportunity of appearing before the council before a budget is finally passed by the council."

Regarding the matter of filing estimates with the comptroller, Mr. McLellan said in this way a check could be kept on the expenditures.

Regarding the fact that the water and sewerage department might not be able to estimate the expenses for the year, he suggested the formation of a question bureau to take care of unusual expenditures.

Regarding the matter of sewage treatment, Mr. McLellan said that the sewerage is a fair charge to water rates. He said that the public works, safety and ferry departments should be carried out by one department.

Mr. Jones asked why Mr. McLellan had changed his opinion regarding filing of estimates with the comptroller. Mr. McLellan replied that he had always advocated this procedure while in the city council. Mr. Bullock said he did not remember hearing the question raised while he and Mr. McLellan were at the board together.

Commissioner Thornton said that there were a few items which could not be itemized, such as repairs to public buildings. He said that the estimates were filed by the common clerk after being passed. Regarding the matter of a contingent account, Mr. McLellan said that it is necessary to have a contingent account.

Speaking on the matter of throwing these matters open to the public, the mayor said there would be strong representations made on both sides, and it usually settles their own judgment. In reply to a question from Commissioner Jones, Mr. McLellan said he had had a sum of \$2,000 passed while he was commissioner of public safety without accounting for the expenditures. On motion it was decided to furnish each commissioner with a copy of the common council's proposal and to deal with it at the same time as the 1921 budget.

BORDENS TO SHUT DOWN TRURO PLANT FOR SOME 60 DAYS

This Will Affect 270 Milk Producers in Nova Scotia Counties.

Truro, N. S., Dec. 23.—Announcement was made here that the Borden Company, Ltd., manufacturers of condensed milk, would close its plant here for probably sixty days beginning the first of next month. The step is taken because of present market conditions. Two hundred and seventy milk producers in Cumberland, Colchester and Hants counties will be affected by this shut-down. With the closing down of the plant here the Borden Company will have but one of the five factories in operation that at Ingersoll, Ont.

WOMAN BANDIT Takes Prominent Part in Highway Robbery in New York State.

Port Chester, N. Y., Dec. 23.—A woman bandit yesterday made her appearance near here, and while two companions looked on, robbed Mrs. Clarence W. Mertz, wife of a local contractor, of \$800 in cash and \$1,000 in checks.

Mrs. Mertz was driving toward White Plains in her automobile when another car drew up in the road before her, and the woman looked on as Mrs. Mertz's car and ordered her to hand over her valuables. After she had complied, the woman searched her, retaining two suit bags, saying: "You may need this in your hurry."

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SAYS CANDY IS FOOD AND SHOULD BE FREE OF TAX

Montreal, Dec. 23.—That candy is a food and therefore should be exempt from any tax imposed upon luxuries is the assertion made by the manufacturers of candy and sugar products.

John Parquharson, manager of the Montreal Biscuit Co., said yesterday that the manufacturers of candy think it unfair that the government has not removed the luxury tax from candy, when it has done so from automobiles, furs, jewelry and the other luxuries of life.

Parquharson said that it is a necessity, because of the high price of candy, to exempt it from tax.

SOME STOCKS WERE STRONGER TODAY ON MONTREAL MARKET

Montreal, Dec. 23.—The local stock exchange showed signs of consolidation from the extreme weakness of the last few days, during this morning's trading, and the general tone was a great deal more optimistic than yesterday. The most prominent was a seven point jump forward in the price of Montreal, which opened at 137 and then immediately rose to 150.

Wayagamack was the next strongest issue, rising from 79 to 82 1/2. The Spanish River stock then advanced a half point to 79 1/2.

Abitibi was also stronger by half a point at 92 1/2 as was National Breweries at 42 1/2. Laurentide was the only issue this morning to decline even fractionally. This stock went down from its closing figure at 88 to 87 1/2. Brazilian went up a quarter point to 28 1/4 while Brompton rose a whole point to 45. Atlantic Sugar, which closed at 17 last night did not appear during the early trading.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said the times reporter to Mr. Hiram now, "the world at this time of year would be a howling wilderness if it weren't for the women."

"Well," said Hiram, pulling his whiskers, "that depends on the woman. Now there's Zeb Perkins's wife. If you see the way she makes Zeb toe the mark—ah! he'd listen to her jaw for about a week—I calculate you'd think a wildness was a bargain at a million dollars if you could have it to yourself."

"That may be," said the reporter, "but I was thinking of another kind of woman—the angel of Christmas. She knows no fatigue. She spends her days thinking of other people. She can tell you what you ought to buy and where to get it, and she'll help you. She'll shop all day and work at home till late at night. The children take her side and hold whispered conferences, and she keeps all their secrets as well as her own. She has a smile and a kind word for every one she meets in the way and thinks he is doing it all. It is pure joy to think of her good temper, her patience and her bounty."

"Mister," said Hiram, "I take my hat off to that woman, every time. She's tempted to think there ain't nothing good in human nature—just call her to mind the same old over—yes, sir. Three or four wolves on a dark night 'ud make you think the w was a hulk pack—'Bye, Hen!"

POLL IN SCOTLAND ON PROHIBITION

Complete Returns Show No Drastic Changes, Forty-one Licenses Cut off and Thirty-five Parishes Limit Number

London, Dec. 23.—(Canadian Associated Press)—Peterhead and Aberdeen, chief centres of the Scotch fishing industry, have voted for a limitation of the liquor licenses, which means a cancellation of twenty-five per cent of the existing licenses. These are the last districts in Scotland to vote on the question, but the prohibition has ceased for the whole of the country.

TURKS SEIZE GREEK STEAMSHIPS

Constantinople, Dec. 23.—Greeks employed in provincial branches of the Ottoman Bank in the Aegean coast, have been ordered to leave Asia Minor within forty-eight hours. Turkish nationalists who control ports along the Black sea coast of Asia Minor, have commanded all Greek steamers anchored in those harbors.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, P. P. S. 18 p. p. Director of meteorological service.

Synopsis.—The disturbance which extended from the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico yesterday in low centered near the Georgian Bay as a well-defined storm, causing gales with rain or snow from Ontario to the maritime provinces. An area of high pressure and cold weather covers the maritime provinces.

Mostly Fair; Somewhat Cold. Maritime—Strong winds and gales, with rain; snow in northern New Brunswick; Friday strong winds and gales from westward, local snow flurries, but mostly fair and turning somewhat cold. Gulf and North Shore—Easterly gales with snow. Friday west to northwest gales; clearing. New England—Cloudy and colder to night and Friday; strong northwest and west winds, and gales along the south coast.

Toronto, Dec. 23.—Temperatures: Lowest 8 a.m. yesterday, night. Prince Rupert ... 28 48 16 Victoria ... 43 42 16 Kamloops ... 24 42 16 Calgary ... 24 42 16 Edmonton ... 20 44 16 Prince Albert ... 4 4 0 Winnipeg ... 4 4 0 White River ... 0 16 0 Sault Ste. Marie ... 24 36 16 Toronto ... 37 39 47 Kingston ... 40 32 28 Ottawa ... 40 32 22 Montreal ... 36 32 22 Quebec ... 20 18 10 St. John, N. B. ... 40 32 20 Halifax ... 40 32 20 St. John's, Nfld. ... 28 42 34 Detroit ... 30 42 34 New York ... 46 40 40

SOVIET GRIP ON ARMENIA. London, Dec. 23.—The Armenia Soviet has decreed the abolition of private property and the repudiation of all debts and other obligations, says a despatch to the London Times from Constantinople. Below zero.

Steamship Sussex On Navy Island Bar With Heavy Cargo Aboard

Wind and Tide Take Her As She Swings From Berth

The steamer Sussex, while being pulled out into the stream about eight-thirty o'clock this morning preparatory to starting on a trip to Australia and New Zealand, was carried by wind and tide on to Navy Island Bar, where she still pulls her off the bar but all to no avail. At present she lies directly across the west side ferry slip, and as a result of the accident the ferry service is cancelled. Another effort will be made to float the ship at high tide tonight, and it is hoped, will be successful.

ARE FIGHTING D'ANNUNZIO NOW

Military Operations Begun by Italian Forces

London, Dec. 23.—Military operations have been begun by Italian operations troops against forces in and about Fiume commanded by Captain D'Annunzio, who refuses to evacuate the city and permit Italy to put into operation the provisions of the treaty of Rapallo. Despatches received here state that military works along the line marking the frontier of the "regency of Guarnere" have been raided, and an Italian destroyer, the D'Annunzio, which has been sent to Italy to put into operation the provisions of the treaty of Rapallo. Despatches received here state that military works along the line marking the frontier of the "regency of Guarnere" have been raided, and an Italian destroyer, the D'Annunzio, which has been sent to Italy to put into operation the provisions of the treaty of Rapallo.

ARE OPPOSED TO MIENNONITES

Mississippi Soldiers Don't Want Them to Move There From Canada.

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 23.—Officers of the Mississippi branch of the American Legion announced here last night that they will immediately file a protest with the authorities at Washington against the immigration to this state of a large number of Mennonites from Canada. The legion, it was said, opposed the colonization project on the grounds that they are "conscientious objectors to military service and teach only the German language in their schools."

ASYLUM BURNED; EVERYONE SAFE

St. Peter's, C. B., Dec. 23.—Members of the staff together with the twenty-seven patients succeeded in saving themselves from the Richmond County Asylum for the Insane here, catching fire from a defective flue, was completely destroyed by fire yesterday. Later the patients were removed to the Public Hall, where they are now quarantined. The damage at \$20,000 is protected by insurance.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS WM McCUTCHEON

The sudden death of Mrs. William McCutcheon of Olivette, Queens County, N. B., on Wednesday evening, Dec. 15, greatly shocked her family and wide circle of friends. Mrs. McCutcheon was assistant post master, a life-long resident, and highly esteemed in the community. She had been enjoying good health but during the day was seized with a slight attack of heart trouble, although after a couple of hours she resumed her duties as usual.

LET THE FARMER HAVE TWO WINES

Here is a Suggestion That Governor Shoup of Colorado is Asked to Promote. Denver, Colo., Dec. 23.—One wife for each man in the cities, two for each man on the farms—this is what Governor Shoup as a solution of the farm program in a letter received at the governor's office. Adoption of the suggestion, Smith believes, will make Governor Shoup a greater man than Lincoln, but the governor has not decided whether he will include Smith's suggestion in his message to the legislature as one of the proposed measures for the relief of the Colorado farmer.

CHRISTMAS APPEAL TO PRESBYTERIANS

Toronto, Dec. 23.—In order to meet a budget of \$1,600,000 for 1920—an increase of about twenty-five per cent over last year's budget—the general board of the Presbyterian church in Canada has issued an appeal to Presbyterians throughout the dominion for a special Christmas offering. It will be necessary to raise \$900,000 in December and January, or more than \$200,000 more than in the corresponding period last year.

LOVD GEORGE IS UNDER FIRE

Criticism of His Plans for the Unemployed

More Additions to Idle Ranks—Belfast Industries Close and 30,000 Affected—Premier Slashes Army and Navy Estimates.

London, Dec. 23.—The government is subjected to much criticism at the hands of the opposition press on the inadequacy of its unemployment plans. Lloyd George's suggestion that emigration is the only real remedy is seized upon by the Westminster Gazette, which asks: Did ever a premier confess so fully the bankruptcy of his statesmanship?

The Labor leaders declare that the fifteen shillings which the unemployed will now be qualified to receive under the government unemployment insurance act is totally insufficient, considering the high cost of living.

Additions to the idle ranks are announced owing to trade depression. The Belfast spinning mills and factories closed down yesterday, with 30,000 persons affected.

Receiving a deputation of representatives of the municipalities of thirty-three towns, including London, Cardiff, Leicester and Nottingham, who urged the grant of liberal financial assistance to the local authorities to alleviate unemployment, Lloyd George yesterday regretted that it was impossible for the government to accede to their demand for assistance to the extent of seventy-five per cent of the cost of undertakings of this character. He could not in health reburden taxpayers for such a sacrifice.

London, Dec. 23.—Estimates submitted by the army and navy departments have been returned by Lloyd George, as chairman and he has instructed the departments man of the cabinet's finance committee, to reduce their figures by more than one-half, says the Daily Mail.

The paper says it has ascertained that the total national expenditures for the coming year must be held at near \$500,000,000 pounds as possible, the newspaper says.

London, Dec. 23.—(Canadian Associated Press)—The Times and Daily Mail both make scathing comments today upon Premier Lloyd George's suggestion that emigration would relieve unemployment in these islands, pointing out that the overseas dominions and the United States are also confronted with serious unemployment problems. The Mail says:

"We are faced with the difficulty that if the emigrants are of the type that would be readily accepted abroad, we can not afford to lose them, while if they have suffered in health and capital they will not be permitted to land."

The Times directs attention to what it calls the fiasco of the recent emigration bill when, it says, the dominions were told in so many words that they were trying to get rid of their surplus population whose presence here was absolutely necessary to supply the ravages made by the war. Now that times are hard, the Times adds, the government turns in a panic to a suggestion which it then did its utmost to discourage.

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Here is what Smith has to say: "I am a farmer, seven miles south of Denver. My wife is sick and I can't hire any house help. You are a good governor, or the people would not have elected you by such a large majority the second time. You should originate some good help the farmers, and I offer you something to help the farmers and you can lead all the other governors if you can get it made a law."

"It is, let the city man have one wife and the farmers have two wives. You, see, one could help the other, and a farmer could more surely raise boys to work the farm and not need to hire any high wages. Then the farmers could sell crops cheap, and make money, and living in cities would be cheaper and many young men would leave cities to be on farms and have two wives."

EXCHANGE TODAY.

New York, Dec. 23.—Sterling exchange steady. Demand 32 1/2; cables, 35 1/2; Canadian dollars 15 1/2 per cent discount. Year

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Be sure and visit the big Xmas sale of home-cooking at the College Inn, 103 Charlotte street. Tea, cake, 25c. lb. bread, 15c. tea biscuits, 15c. don., pie, 14c. up; coffee rolls, 2c.

Christmas dinner at the Clifton House, price \$1.50. 1777-12-23

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TOUCHING SCENES AT TOMB OF THE UNKNOWN WARRIOR

London, Dec. 6.—(Associated Press Correspondence).—Scenes of touching instances have been witnessed at the tomb of Britain's "Unknown Warrior" in Westminster Abbey as long lines of men, women and children have passed the black marble slab covering the grave, for several days since the burial there of the unidentified soldier.

The fact that no one knows the name of the man who lies beneath the slab leads many to offer tributes in the hope perhaps that the body is that of a missing son. The mother of one of the thousands of unknown warriors, any one of whom might be reposing in Westminster Abbey, laid three war medals, the Mons Star, the Victory Medal and the British War Medal on the grave as she passed in the line. They had been awarded to her only son, who was wounded three times and afterwards reported missing.

A soldier's modest offering of flowers bore the inscription: "In loving memory of my two pals and all the other pals." The epitaph placed on the slab reads: "For King and Country—Greater Love Hath No Man Than This."

DOG GOES THROUGH FIRE RESCUING CAT

Everett, Maine, Dec. 23.—Judson T. Logan and members of his family overlooked the family cat, "Chum," when they made a hurried escape from their burning home in Irving street. But "Ted," their big St. Bernard, remembered. The dog discovered the absence of his playmate, rushed back through the smoke and soon reappeared with "Chum" in his mouth.

Incidentally, the Logans, as well as the occupants of another apartment in the house, give the dog credit for awakening them by barking so that they reached the street before their escape was cut off by the flames.

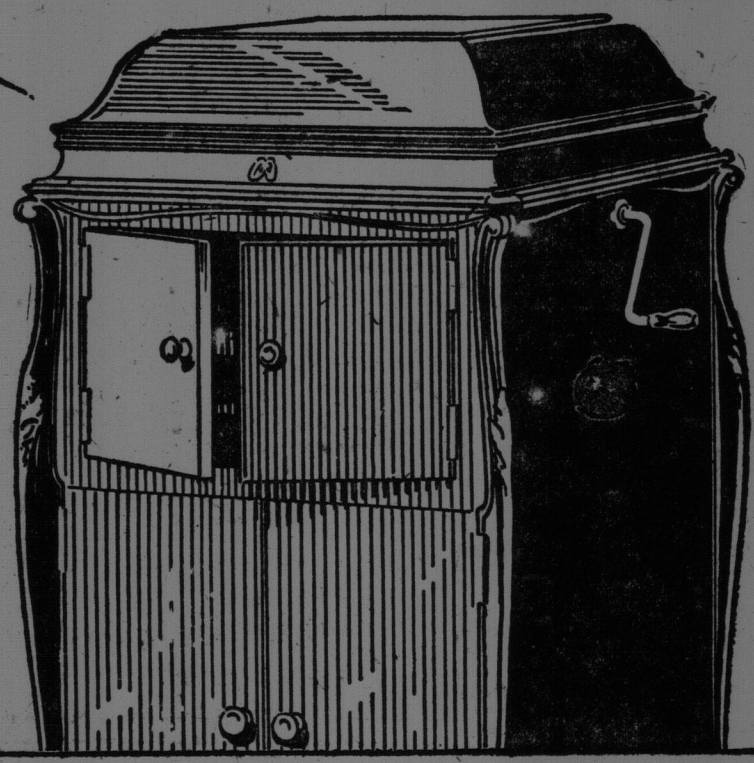
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10 pounds for, \$1.15
10 pounds Brown Sugar, \$1.00
Tomatoes, Large Tins, 8c
Cans, 2 Cans for, 35c
Peas, per can, 17c
Red Clover, per lb., 25c
Finest Large Figs, per lb., 28c
Red Rose and King Cole Tea, 54c
Potatoes, per peck, 38c
New Prunes, 2 pounds for, 25c
New Raisins, per package, 25c
New Currants, per package, 25c
Dromedary Dates, per package, 25c
New Western Grey Buckwheat, 3c
Rice, 2 pounds for, 24c
Choice New Onions, 10 pounds for, 25c
Choice Butter, per pound, 68c
Margarine per pound, 38c
Fresh Eggs, per dozen, \$1.15
1 lb. Block Shortening, 24c
3 pound Tins Shortening, 68c
5 Pound Tins Shortening, \$1.15
Bean Pork, per pound, 28c
Picnic Ham, per pound, 28c
We Carry the Finest Lines of Western Beef, Lamb, Pork in the City. Also the best Chickens, Fowl and Turkey direct from the country. Just try us once and we know you will come again.
CORNER ACADIA AND MAIN. 12-24

Gifts for Men

The old joke about the Christmas present Neckwear which is relegated to obscurity after the holidays has no application here. Every man's taste in scarfs can be gratified in our beautiful assortment. Prices are 75c., \$1.00 to \$4.50.
Other Gift Suggestions
Mufflers, \$2 to \$7.50.
Silk Shirts, \$7.50, \$9, \$11.
Evening Dress Shirts, \$3.75, \$4, \$4.25.
Negligee Shirts, \$2 to \$4.50.
Dress Vests, \$6 to \$18.
Tuxedo Vests, \$5.
Gloves, \$2 to \$4.50.
Fancy Vests, \$6.75 to \$11.
Cane, \$2.50 to \$4.50.
Raincoats, \$15 to \$50.
Overcoats, \$20 to \$63.
Suits, \$25 to \$70.

Gift Goods Reduced

All Our Remaining Stock of Ivory, Dolls Perfumes, Stationery Marked Very Low To Clear WASSONS TWO STORES
NEW LOW PRICES.
Velva Flannel, a soft nice make of goods, suitable for house dresses, waists, or linings, in plain colors, stripes and small checks. One to eight yard lengths. Great value at 80c yard. Store closed at 6. Saturday 10 p.m.

Xmas Grocery Specials

At Purdy's
10 lbs. Granulated Sugar \$1.15
100 lb. Granulated Sugar \$11.00
24 lb. bag Robin Hood, Cream of Wheat, or Royal Household Flour, \$1.70
96 lb. bag Robin Hood, Cream of Wheat Flour, \$6.30
Trio Raisins, pkg., 22c
Red Ribbon Raisins pkg., 25c
Currants, pkg., 25c
6 pkg. Figs, 25c
2 pkg. Durham Dates, 25c
2 pkg. Dromedary Dates, 25c
Dessert Peaches, pkg., 30c
Mixed Nuts, lb., 30c
2 lbs. Prunes, 25c
Christmas Candy, lb., 35c
10 lbs. Onions, 25c
Potatoes, pk., 40c
3 lbs. Western Grey Buckwheat, 25c
Butter, in 5 lb. lots, lb., 64c
Purdy's Cash Grocery
96 WALL STREET
Phone Main 4553.

Good News for Santa Claus!

We have just added to our great Christmas stock one carload of Dolls, Toys and Novelties, purchased from one of the leading importers at greatly reduced prices. These we will sell at wholesale prices and less. This is your opportunity to save. Don't fail to get our prices before you buy or you will be sorry like many others.
McMILLAN'S STORE will be open every evening until Christmas. 12-25
The new toys include: Planos, 80c up to \$15.00 moving picture machines for \$10.00, \$12.00 construction wheel toy set for \$8.50; \$15.00 sets for \$12.50; \$10.00 phone sets for \$8.50; \$10.00 phone sets for \$8.50; Kid dolls with moving eyes, long curly hair, \$3.00, \$3.88, \$4.25 and \$5.00; unbreakable dolls, 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, 95c, \$1.10, \$1.75, \$2.25; wash sets, 90c, 1.44; tea sets, 60c, 75c, \$1.20, \$1.75, \$2.75; black boards, 20c; cradles, 95c, \$1.75; beds, 95c; horses, 35c, 50c, \$1.00, \$2.65; rocking horses \$3.75, \$4.00; horses and wagons, 50c; \$1.00 \$2.50; \$4.25; \$5.00; Locomotives, 25c, 35c, 45c, 65c, \$4.25; auto, 50c; moving pictures, 8c; dancing toys, \$1.50; automobile, 25c, 35c, \$1.00, \$1.35, \$2.25, \$2.75; cannons, 25c, 50c, \$1.50, \$2.00; doll carriages, \$1.35, \$1.45, \$2.20 to \$5.00; furniture sets 50c.
We still have a big assortment of dolls at 5c, 10c, 25c, 35c, 50c, to \$5.00. Everything in toys, 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, to \$16.00 each. All these prices less 10 per cent.

Buy Your Christmas Teas and Coffees at HUMPHREY'S COFFEE STORE

14 KING STREET 'PHONE MAIN 1785
We carry the finest lines of Western Beef, Lamb, Pork in the City. Also the best Chickens, Fowl and Turkey direct from the country. Just try us once and we know you will come again.
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GILMOUR'S

68 King Street
New Stock Seeded and Seedless Raisins, pkg., 25c
New Stock Cleaned Currants, full lb., pkg., 25c
3 pgs. Figs for, 25c
Almond Meal, lb., \$1.00
Almond Paste, 1/4, 2/3, 1/2, 3/4, 35c
Dates, lb., 35c
PURE LARD.
1 lb. Block, 23c
2 lb. tin, 45c
3 lb. tin, 65c
5 lb. tin, \$1.00
Swifts Silver Leaf
3 lb. cake Slipp and Flawelling for \$1.00
SHORTENING
1 lb. blocks, 24c
3 lb. tin, \$1.10
10 lb tin, \$2.15
20 lb. pails, \$4.35
New Delaware Potatoes 1/2 bbl. bag, \$1.95
Toghter's Pure Cocoa in bulk, lb., 25c
50c bot. Marshing Cherries for, 45c
Pure Fruit Syrup, bottle, 39c
Pure Fruit Juice, bottle, 39c
Pure Raspberry, bottle, 39c
Peppermint Dry Ginger Ale, doz., \$2.00
5 lb. Nelson's Assorted Chocolates for, \$3.10
1/2 boxes Willard's Chocolates, 35c
5 lb. boxes Frank White Hard Mix. Flour for, \$2.25
Fancy Xmas Stockings each, \$1.00
Cluster Raisins, lb., 35c
Imported French, 25c and 30c
H. P. Sauce for bottle, \$1.45
Tea and Perrins Sauce, bottle, 42c
Lazebny's Sauce, bottle, 25c
Lazebny's Pickles, bottle, 55c
Sterling Pickles, mixed or chow, bot., 30c
16 oz. bottle Pure Orange Marmalade 35c
Coke Laundry Soap, \$1.45
New Shelled Walnuts, lb., 60c
New Shelled Almonds, lb., 60c
Shredded Coconut, 1/4, 12c
98 lb. Bag Robin Hood, Cream of Wheat Five Roses or Royal Household Flour for, \$6.35
24 lb. bags, \$1.69
96 lb. bags Star, \$6.20
Finest Orange Pekoe Tea, lb., 38c
5 lb. tin, \$1.90
Crisco, 1/2, 2/3, 2/4, 2/5, 2/6, 2/7, 2/8, 2/9, 2/10, 2/11, 2/12, 2/13, 2/14, 2/15, 2/16, 2/17, 2/18, 2/19, 2/20, 2/21, 2/22, 2/23, 2/24, 2/25, 2/26, 2/27, 2/28, 2/29, 2/30, 2/31, 2/32, 2/33, 2/34, 2/35, 2/36, 2/37, 2/38, 2/39, 2/40, 2/41, 2/42, 2/43, 2/44, 2/45, 2/46, 2/47, 2/48, 2/49, 2/50, 2/51, 2/52, 2/53, 2/54, 2/55, 2/56, 2/57, 2/58, 2/59, 2/60, 2/61, 2/62, 2/63, 2/64, 2/65, 2/66, 2/67, 2/68, 2/69, 2/70, 2/71, 2/72, 2/73, 2/74, 2/75, 2/76, 2/77, 2/78, 2/79, 2/80, 2/81, 2/82, 2/83, 2/84, 2/85, 2/86, 2/87, 2/88, 2/89, 2/90, 2/91, 2/92, 2/93, 2/94, 2/95, 2/96, 2/97, 2/98, 2/99, 2/100, 2/101, 2/102, 2/103, 2/104, 2/105, 2/106, 2/107, 2/108, 2/109, 2/110, 2/111, 2/112, 2/113, 2/114, 2/115, 2/116, 2/117, 2/118, 2/119, 2/120, 2/121, 2/122, 2/123, 2/124, 2/125, 2/126, 2/127, 2/128, 2/129, 2/130, 2/131, 2/132, 2/133, 2/134, 2/135, 2/136, 2/137, 2/138, 2/139, 2/140, 2/141, 2/142, 2/143, 2/144, 2/145, 2/146, 2/147, 2/148, 2/149, 2/150, 2/151, 2/152, 2/153, 2/154, 2/155, 2/156, 2/157, 2/158, 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DISTRIBUTING RELIEF

The experience of the present winter suggests either that there should be a social welfare department at City Hall, to make investigations, and give emergency relief, or that the Associated Charities should be given a larger grant and made the medium of enquiry and distribution. There are many cases where a mother and children are in sore need of temporary help.

MENTAL DEFECTIVES.

Nova Scotia has had for some time a League for the Protection of the Feeble Minded. It has now changed its name and will hereafter be known as the Nova Scotia Society for Mental Hygiene. It has also decided to enlarge the scope of its work so as to include the work of psychiatric clinics and other phases of mental hygiene.

THE AMERICAN TARIFF.

The majority by which the emergency tariff bill, known as the Fordney Bill, passed the House of Representatives at Washington proves that there is a very strong sentiment in favor of a high tariff. The vote was 196 to 86, and all amendments were promptly voted down.

HOW WE HELP UNCLE SAM.

In view of what is now transpiring at Washington there is food for thought in the following reference to Canada's grain trade. It appears in a despatch from Fort William.

N. B. COAL SITUATION.

According to John Henderson of the Wilton-Henderson Coal Co., Minto, said that operations at the mines are at a standstill although there is plenty of coal. Large concerns, who formerly took the entire output of this mine, have, in some instances, cancelled their orders.



Rippling Rhymes by Walt Mason. (Copyright by George Matthew Adams.)

USELESS REGRETS.

I'm old and badly on the blink; I have no brains with which to think, no teeth with which to eat; my head is bald, my ears are blind, and cumatit, the compound kind, is sitting in my feet.

CANADA—EAST AND WEST

Domestic Happenings of Other Days.

CHAMPLAIN AS CHURCHMAN

The gallant French general, the Marquis de Montcalm, complained bitterly, in the days of his rule in Quebec of the wild careers and personal lives of many of his officers. That condition had been true of the new colony when Samuël de Champlain, famous governor and explorer, first began his work in the new world.

THE UNBROKEN LINE.

We who have trod the borderlands of death, Where courage high walks hand in hand with fear, Shall we not bask when the Spirit saith, "All ye were brothers there, be brothers here?"

LIGHTER VEIN.

He had been trying for at least fifteen minutes to get a number on the telephone. First of all, he had been given the wrong number four times successively. Then central furnished him with some diversion by showing him in on a busy line, where two women were talking avidly about new hats.

TELLS OF WILHELM'S EFFORT TO ESCAPE

Was Found Concealed Under Load of Hay Leaving Castle Grounds. Toronto, Dec. 23.—"I wish the people of Canada could see the precautions taken by the Netherlands government for the safe keeping of Count Hohenlohe-Solmers," said Dirk Van Vught, a Dutch journalist here.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

Hon. Frank G. Howland, president of the Barre (Vt.) Savings Bank and Trust Company, has been arrested charged with the embezzlement of \$2,950 from the bank, which has been closed by State Bank Commissioner Carpenter.

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Aluminum Ware for Xmas Gifts. The housewife who prides herself on her kitchen will dearly appreciate a gift of "Wear-Ever." They give better cooking, lighten the work, brighten the kitchen—bring Christmas cheer the whole year 'round.

McAVITY'S. Phone M. 2540. 11-17 King St. No Luxury Tax. Open Every Evening From Now Until Christmas.

Give Footwear. All felt slippers greatly reduced Thursday and Friday. Every pair must be sold before 10 o'clock Friday night.

WIEZEL'S CASH STORE. 242 Union St. Xmas Gifts at Mill-to-Consumer Prices.

La Tour Flour. To any home in town, at Mill-to-Consumer Prices. Phone West 8. Fowler Milling Co. Ltd. St. John, West.

FOLEY'S PREPARED FIRE CLAY. You can line your own stove with FOLEY'S PREPARED FIRE CLAY.

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The BUSY BEE. WE have neither time nor space at this busy time to tell you of the good things to eat, that we have for Christmas. Come and look them over yourself.

10% Reduction for Remaining Days on Christmas Sales. FERGUSON & PAGE. The Jewelers, 41 King Street.

INVEST YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFT MONEY IN Furniture! Give Useful Presents and Your Gifts Will Be Doubly Valued. JACOBSON & CO., 673 Main St.

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 Our Display on Tables for Inspection
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LOCAL NEWS

Band on Carleton Bink Christmas afternoon and evening.
 Men's Hockey Boots only \$3 a pair at The Ideal Store, 108-105 Union St. West. 17844-12-27
 Band on Carleton Bink Christmas afternoon and evening.
 Felt Slippers, all colors for every member of the family. The Ideal Store, 108-105 Union St. West.
 Yarmouth Creamery Butter. Try it once and use it always.—Fred Bryden, City Market. 17845-12-27
 Special assortment of Xmas ties, 75c. to \$2.50. Free boxes. The Ideal Store, 108-105 Union St. West.
 Mild cured rolled bacon, breakfast bacon, shoulders, and hams.—Fred Bryden, City Market. 17845-12-27
 Give something practical and useful. Shirts, gloves and ties. Reduced prices. The Ideal Store, 108-105 Union St. West.

RECENT WEDDINGS

Miss Winifred Horne, daughter of Harry Horne, of Fredericton, was united in marriage yesterday to Henry W. Whittaker of Kingston, by Rev. Mr. Gray of Oromocto.
 Miss Joan Amelia, daughter of Mrs. J. Tervis, of Moncton, was united in marriage yesterday at her mother's home, to Thomas M. Kirby, formerly of this city, traveler for the Webster Cigar Company. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Bowley Green. Mr. and Mrs. Kirby will reside in Sackville.

RECENT DEATHS

Mrs. Joseph, formerly of Chatham, died at her home in Toronto on Monday morning. She leaves two sons, one sister and one brother.
 Chatham, Dec. 22.—(Special)—The death occurred at the Hotel Dieu Hospital this morning of William Troy. Mr. Troy was only ill a few days with pneumonia and his death comes as a great shock to his many friends. He was seventy-seven years of age and is survived by his wife, three sons, Leo, of Toronto; Thomas and Richard, at home, and one daughter, Sister Troy, of the Hotel Dieu.

UP WENT TURKEYS ON MARKET IN FREDERICTON

(Fredericton Gleaner, Wednesday.)
 Turkeys jumped in price in the country market this morning. They were scarce, and those people who insist upon having a turkey on the table for Christmas will evidently have to pay seventy-five or eighty cents a pound for it. Early arrivals at the market today asked casual enquirers as high as \$1 a pound for turkey, but when it came time for actual sales there was a wide range of prices, all the way from as low as sixty-eight to eighty cents a pound being paid.
 Most of the sales of first class birds were made at eighty cents, even when they were sold in lots of half a dozen or more. Some sales were made at seventy-five cents and there were occasional transactions at seventy and sixty-five cents.
 The upward tendency of poultry prices was not reflected in turkeys alone, as they were sold in lots of half a dozen or fifty cents a pound. Chickens were high, big chickens being fifty cents a pound. With turkeys scarce and prices higher than last week the demand for other kinds of poultry was increased.
 The range of prices today:—
 Pork, per pound, 12 to 20 cents.
 Beef, by the carcass, 16 cents.
 Lamb, per pound, 6 to 12 cents.
 Mutton, per pound, 15 to 22 cents.
 Chickens, per pound, 35 to 45 cents.
 Poultry, per pound, 65 to 90 cents.
 Geese, per pound, 50 cents.
 Butter, per pound, 50 to 55 cents.
 Eggs, per dozen, 80 cents.
 Carrots, per barrel, \$2.50.
 Turnips, per barrel, \$2.50.
 Potatoes, per barrel, \$2 to \$2.50.
 Apples, per barrel, \$4 to \$6.
 Wood, per cord, \$14 to \$20.
 Hay, per ton, \$22 to \$30.

U. N. B. Graduates to Wed.
 Mrs. Annie Russell MacKnight, of Amherst, N. S. formerly of Chatham, N. B., announces the engagement of her daughter, Elizabeth Ines MacKnight, of Montreal, to Norman Wilson of Ottawa, only son of William Wilson and the late Mrs. Wilson of Chatham, N. B. The wedding will take place early in January. Both Miss MacKnight and Mr. Wilson are graduates of the University of New Brunswick.

The most oddly constructed prison in the world is at Statesville, Ill. It is in the form of a cylinder and a slight curve in the skylight, figured out by a professor in astronomy at the University of Chicago, gives every one of the 248 cells, which do not get sunlight except 30 minutes of sunlight on every bright day. It is a prison de luxe, for every cell has a washbowl, with hot and cold water.

Our Stores Will Be Open Every Evening Until Christmas.

Gifts for the Whole Family at Christmas

Whether You Are Buying For Men or Women, You Will Find the Best of Its Kind at This Store

It Will Rejuvenate Mother to Give Her Something She Really Wants

- A Fur Coat, Neck Piece, or Muff—Just now you can buy them here at wonderfully low prices.
- A Pretty Afternoon Dress of taffeta, satin, crepe-de-chine or perhaps some fine woolen material.
- A Dress or Blouse Length of silk, velvet or cloth.
- A Heavy Dark Skirt to wear with winter coats and blouses.
- A Very Dainty Blouse, of her most becoming color.
- A Fine Woolen Hug Me-Tight or Shetland Shawl.
- A New Rug for the living room or her own room.
- A Bissed Carpet Sweeper.
- A Hoover Vacuum Cleaner.
- A Bright New Piano Lamp or perhaps a Chesterfield or Reading Lamp.
- A Pair of Warm Blankets—She always has room for an extra pair.
- A Pretty Bed Comforter in colors to harmonize with her furniture and hangings.
- A Dainty Spanish Lace Scarf—You can find them in black or white.

Gifts For Father and the Grown-Up Boys

- Neckwear—Of latest shape and design. You will find plenty of it here, moderately priced.
- Hosiery—Of fine quality, best fitting kinds, in black and fashionable colors.
- Mighty Fine Gloves—in all wanted shades, lined or unlined.
- Fur or Cloth Caps—in the snuggest styles you have seen.
- Underwear that fits wonderfully well. His favorites make it here.
- Big Comfortable Sweaters—in popular collar styles, colors and stitches.
- Shirts that launder well; either for dress occasions or ordinary every-day uses.
- Mufflers in materials of fine texture or wool.
- Warm Bath Robes and Dressing Gowns—in plain colors or fancy stitches. Some are plain, others elaborated with trimmings of fancy silk.
- Knocking Jackets—Good looking and well made.
- Some have collars, cuffs and pocket tabs of reverse side of material or some contrasting color.
- Baggage—Made to stand the strain of many a journey.
- Motor Rugs—A gift that lasts the year round.
- Leather—Cigarette Cases, Tobacco Pouches, Collar Bags, Razor Straps, Coin Purses, Card Cases, Bill Folds, Key Holders, Writing Cases, Playing Cards in leather cases, Coat Hangers in leather cases, etc.
- Thermos Goods—Bottles, Food Jars, Lunch Sets, Drinking Cups, Sandwich Boxes, Lunch Boxes with Bottles, etc.
- Toilet Articles—Egny Backed Cloth and Military Brushes, Ivory Tooth Brush Holders, Tooth Brushes, Nail Brushes, Shaving Brushes, Shaving Sets, Soap Boxes, Mirrors, etc.
- Umbrellas with strong coverings and latest ideas in handles.
- Walking Sticks—in a choice of well designed handles.
- There are more things here that men would like. If you come in our salesmen will be glad to make suggestions.

Two Big Specials in Men's Coat Sweaters

Any man would be delighted with such a fine gift as one of these. Made in popular plain colors or novelty mixtures; collarless or with comfortable shawl or military collars.

Prices are very low.
 \$5.00 and \$10.00 each.

Boys' Sweaters made from fine English Jersey also offering splendid bargains.

(Men's and Boys' Furnishin Section, Ground Floor.)

For That Baby

Exclusive Novelties of many kinds are showing in the cases of the Children's Room. We will tell you of just a few:
 Carriage Covers, Pillow Covers, Hand-Decorated Carriage Bows, Dainty Bibs, Woolen Jackets, Booties, Silk Boots, Kimonos, Rompers, Fine Dresses, Toys of all sorts in very dainty varieties.

Come in and let us show you the rest.

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Gifts For the Big Girl or the Young Housewife

- An Evening Frock of colored tulle, metallic tissue or taffeta. Just find out her favorite color and we'll help you make a satisfactory selection.
- A Short Fur Coat with trimmings of contrasting fur. She might be delighted with a Neck Piece of fur.
- A Dainty Piece of Underwear—All sorts of pieces are showing in silk, crepe-de-chine, wash satin, hand-embroidered Madras, and other kinds trimmed with fine laces and embroideries.
- A New Jumper or Overblouse—These are fashioned of georgette crepe, crepe-de-chine and other dainty fabrics.
- A Smart Piece of Neckwear—There are collars, fichus, vests, sets and ties to choose from. The evening scarfs offer very attractive suggestions.
- Baggage—She would love a Traveling Bag or Wardrobe Trunk.
- A Leather Purse—Or if not that, a Velvet Hand Bag, or a stylish beaded bag.
- Ivory Toilet or Manicure Pieces—Start her on a set if she has not some pieces already; if she has, just add a few more.
- An Ostrich Feather Fan—Every girl likes to own one. Evening Gloves are also most acceptable.
- An Umbrella—Black or colored silk, with colored wrist ring, or silver mounted handle.
- A Soft Wool Scarf—She'd like it to wear with her heavy cloth coat.
- A Silk Negligee and perhaps a Bowdler Cap to match it.
- A Silk Under skirt—They are here in shades to wear with evening gowns, or practical colors and qualities for every day wear.

For Small Brother

- A Brand New Suit—Made in a good boyish style with plenty of pockets.
- A Warm Overcoat—One that will stand any amount of climbing fences and skating.
- A Bath Robe—Made in a style almost like his Dad's.
- A Woolen Sweater—in a serviceable color; one that will fasten up to the neck if he wants it to.
- A Cloth Cap—If he likes one with an inside band, you can find it here.
- Gym Pants—Any boy interested in gymnasium work would say thanks for these.
- Snow Suits—For little boys, of course, made in long overall style with feet.
- Small Boys' Jersey Suits—With short pants.
- Woolen Toggles and Caps.
- Short Mackinaw Coats—Some of these are very warm. In many cases active boys prefer them to longer coats.
- Toys and Games For Boys—You will have to take a look around Toyland to see these to advantage. The things boys like best are there: Meccano Sets in sizes 0 to 5; Sleds, Educational Blocks, Express Wagons, Brass Cornets, and dozens of other things. You'll know when you see them that they will surely please the boys.

For Small Sister

- Party Frocks—Something pretty nice in pale colored taffeta, crepe-de-chine or Georgette crepe. If you prefer it, a very dainty white voile dress is gifty.
- Dark Dresses—For school wear there are serges in navy blue, fashioned in the styles girls admire most. Silk frocks are also showing in dark colors.
- Winter Coats—Long lengths in all sorts of colors. Some are becomingly trimmed with touches of fur or plush.
- Wool Sweaters—Coat and Pull-over styles, in all the fashionable colors, and combinations.
- A Kimono—They are here in warm velours, padded silk, and crepes.
- Whitewear—Every girl likes pretty whitewear, and it is easily selected from our stocks.
- Toys—Dolls of many kinds, Dolls' Furniture, Grocery Stores, Picture Books, Stationary, Dolls' Sleighs and Carriages, Building Blocks, and many more, showing in Toyland.

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NEW BRUNSWICK WANTS CATTLE EMBARGO LIFTED

Fredericton, Dec. 22.—Hon. D. W. Messersau, minister of agriculture for New Brunswick, has sent a cablegram on the part of his department urging that the embargo against the importation of Canadian cattle into England be discontinued.

LABOR SUSTAINED IN BY-ELECTIONS Coal Miners Strongly Support Candidates in Wales.

(Canadian Press Despatch) London, Dec. 2.—In the by-election in Aberllyry, or south division of the Rhonda Valley district of Glamorganshire, George Barker, Labor, polled 15,468 votes, and G. Hay Morgan, Coalition-Liberal, 7,842 votes.

Boys' Club Waits Sing in City Streets

It was with a bright greeting, composed for their first appearance as waiters, that nine of the boys of the Boys' Club last night sang so gayly and so sweetly outside the doors of many of the favored city residences.

BIG EXODUS OF FISHERS FROM NEWFOUNDLAND

Failure of Fisheries and Low Prices Compel Men to Seek Other Fields.

St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 9.—(Associated Press Correspondence.)—Several thousand fishermen have left Newfoundland owing to the comparative failure of the colony's fisheries this year and the low price received for the product.

newed competition with Scotch, Dutch and other foreign markets due to the return of peace conditions, the value was greatly reduced. The early spring fishery for cod off the south coast and the seal fishery off the east coast were failures.

commission of parliament by Yves Le Troquer, minister of public works. The purchase would involve an expenditure of two million francs.

The normal price, owing to excise conditions. "I believe in my heart you are some tramp I gave a piece of pie few days ago," said the woman a door.

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VENISON AT \$100 A PLATE

Jersey Game Warden Ends Feast by Finding Fawns' Carcasses. Chatsworth, N. J., Dec. 23.—Fifteen hunters suddenly lost their appetite for a venison dinner when State Game Warden Charles C. Morton walked into their camp at Sandy Ridge, produced a search warrant and found the carcasses of two fawns, illegally killed, that had furnished steaks for the feast.

The state law for the protection of fawns stipulates that a hunter must see the horns on a buck deer before he shoots.

The boys who sang last night were all under twelve years of age. Their names were: Arthur Gibbon, the collector; Arthur Fishwick, Peter Gould, Joe Comeau, Donald Comeau, Louis Comeau, Ralph Wannamaker, William Guitler and Weldon Winchester. Their number probably will be augmented tonight.

END OF GREAT NORTHWESTERN

Telegraph Company Which Has Offices in This Province to be Merged in C. N. T.

Toronto, Dec. 22.—"G. N. W." as the name for a telegraph company is to be no more, for after January 1, the name of the Great Northwestern Telegraph Co. is to be changed to the Canadian National Telegraphs. While no official information has been given out, it is learned that such a change is actually planned.

Previous to the government's purchase of the Canadian National Railway the latter owned and operated its own private telegraph system, which is now amalgamated with the G. N. W.

The Great Northwestern Company has offices in the northern counties of New Brunswick.

EVELYN NESBIT CHARGES LARGENY

New York, Dec. 23.—Evelyn Nesbit, former wife of Harry K. Thaw, and of Jack Clifford, dancer, appeared in West Side court here to press a charge of grand larceny she had filed against her brother, Howard, one of the principal witnesses in the Thaw murder case.

BEWARE OF YAWN

Paris, Dec. 23.—If your street car neighbor yawns or hiccoughs it might be a good idea to leave the car as a safety precaution. The French Academy of Medicine has decided that either symptom is contagious and may spread the epidemic of a disease known as encephalitis lethargica, which has appeared all over Europe. Thousands of victims of sleeping sickness have been reported here since the disease first appeared, but the majority of cases are mild. Fewer than a score have developed fatal complications.

In a report to the academy last week it was asserted that the disease can be transmitted by the breath, clothing or bed covers.

H.—Hello, old fellow: congratulations. I hear you have married a lady with an independent fortune. J.—No, I married a fortune with a very independent lady.—Philadelphia, North American.

COME, Judge for Yourself

Don't take anyone's word for it. But just see how easy it is here to procure rich furs—whether for gifts or for yourself—the old pre-war quality and the old pre-war prices.

THIS IS A SHOP OF SENSIBLE GIFTS. But Remember-- This is how this unparalleled opportunity comes about. Magee's always make furs or have attire made especially to sell to discriminating folks, from only the select pelts and materials. No second qualities, no unnecessary expense added and all thought has always been that our customers receive maximum value for minimum cost.

FUR COATS For 50 p.c. of Their Worth. There's a delightful array of models in Hudson and Near Seal Russian Pony Muskrat Raccoon Kolinsky and priced now \$98.50, \$100, \$125, \$200, \$325.

HATS DAD certainly would appreciate a Stetson or Knox Hat—\$7. MOTHER would thank you for a tailored Winter Hat of Silk Plush, Velour, Beaver—They're \$4.95, \$5.50, \$8.25 now.

FROCKS For most every occasion. Serge, Tricotine, Silk, Satin, Velvet, Tricolettes, For 50 Per Cent. of Their Worth \$19.00, \$21.00, \$26.50, \$30.00 and the Discounts are Genuine.

WOOLEN COATS of the finer materials and including many models For \$25.00, \$30.00 and \$34.00 Instead of twice as much.

CAPS of winter weight Men's \$1.25 and Boys' \$2.85 now. UMBRELLAS are sensible and useful gifts and \$3.50, \$6.75, \$8.50, \$12.00 are the prices.

GLOVES that are most desirable for gifts. Men's Woolen, Suede, Mocha, Cape and others \$1.35, \$2.50, \$5.00, \$6.00 and more. SCARVES of the finest woolen and prices begin at \$3.65.

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Y STOLID GUARDS WELCOME HOME E NATION'S DEAD

ption at Pier as 2,479 Bodies Arrives

nts Warn Officials to De- Shipment Home "Till ter Christmas"—Gloomy sene in New York.

(N. Y. Evening Post.)
 were unloading dead soldiers in en yesterday afternoon, swinging ver from the hoins of the army -1 Wheaton, which rested gray at in its berth after its gruesome the long, black, grimy Pier 4, surky length was draped and old flags and bunting to welcome al boys home. The fact that this as greatest number of dead sol- to be brought back aboard one here were 2,479 of the long, boxes hoisted high over the e's side—did not impress the few scomed them (or break the mon- of this long business of receiving rter cargo of a nation's dead. -homboremen, pulling at the and scuttling off with bodies on baggage trucks, and the few bored soldiers doing sentry along the long, flat-decked pier, there — and getting home the 's getting extremely tame to them. w long have they been doing asked the one person who had to watch the process — and to it was a "deadly novelty" — of a ng boy with a gun, meaning only out how long it took to get 2,479 off a boat.
 they've been at this about six a now—and it's still going on.



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and devotee of literature and the arts, a profound student of human nature, Lady Foster brings to grace her new residence more than the sound and brilliant qualities of the well-known Scots-woman. In pursuit of a better understanding of the Empire, its resources and

1918-1914 she made two journeys from coast to coast writing her impressions, in a terse, vivid style, for London publications, and looking into the various phases of women's work in the Dominion.
 On the occasion of her second visit to Canada, she spent some months on the Pacific Coast, the bearer of important messages from British statesmen to the Premier, Sir Richard McBride. During the war, Lady Foster spent much time in Paris and in Northern France. During the heavy bombardment of Soissons she was busy in a hospital given over to serious cases.
 By special permission she was allowed to visit the battle areas of the Marne and the Oise to inspect the graves of her kinsmen killed at the first battle of the Marne, and to report on work for the homeless in these districts. She was also the bearer of sympathy and cheer to a group of badly-wounded Scots Guardsmen at Chalons. In London she was associated with Lady Howard de Walden and other friends in the management of their private hospitals for the wounded. Her marriage followed on her return from Scotland where she had spent the shooting season paying a round of visits to friends.

Visit Semi-ready Sale and Buy Gifts that are made For Him



Shirts, Ties, Robes, Suits, Overcoats—all made for princely gifts of utility for men.
 All clothing and furnishings reduced in price.

drawled the boy dully. "Sometimes I wonder why they didn't let 'em stay over there, anyway."

Gibe of a Topsy Guard.

"How much are you getting for writing up this thing?" asked the huge, kind, imaginative, and somewhat tipsy Irish guard on the pier, who stood at the foot of a gangplank, watching the boxes soar and fall. "So much the square inch? What you want's some 'rty stuff, now, isn't it? Well, that last box, that come over before you come had flowers on it."

But the only flowers on that pier were those grown in this kind, clumsy mind, which felt in an inarticulate way that this wasn't just the way people expected to find things here, and that something ought to be done, if in words only, to furnish up the situation, tone it down, and gloss it over with romance.

Up in a busy office full of stenographers and underlings, where the most human work of all goes on, the writing of letters to the boys' homes, to find out the wishes of the home people, the Colonel told the plans for these thousands of boys who had come home for Christmas, but must not reach their homes on Christmas Day.

"Before or after," he said, "but not on Christmas Day. The mothers write and say if we can get them there by the first or so, to get them down, but if not, to hold the bodies here until Christmas Day is over. There are a great many of them, and they go to every part of the country. So there are a great many which we must hold here a while."

Trundled Off by Number.

On each wooden box is the name, rank, and number of its occupant, and the state and town to which it goes. Also, on the box is the word "Cemetery," followed by a number. According to the address, each box is trundled off in haste to that part of the pier dedicated to the section of the country indicated, where the coffins are set up on wooden horses, in a long, close row. Pier 4, Hoboken, is a great, full enclosure, by the time, with a brand-new flag, which will go with it through the last stage of the trip and see the body brought honorably to the place where it belongs.

Thinking about those little towns, and the final peace which will come to families when the flag-draped bodies come home again at least is the only way one watching at the pier can be reconciled to this ordeal. Any one concerned with the grim detail of getting the dead boys home must think of the little towns and the families constantly. For the little towns, the families, do not know or imagine the grim details of the job. If they did they might not have decided in favor of that long, unnatural trip.

If every father, for instance, had forgotten about being the father, and imagined he was the boy himself, would he have chosen to go alive and be brought back, dead, to come back in a box like a trunk, hoisted with some thousands of others over the side of a silent ship to a silent, friendless pier?

SIR GEO. E. FOSTER'S BRIDE.

(Montreal Star)

Miss Jessie M. Allen, who, recently at Geneva, was given away in marriage by the Rt. Hon. Arthur J. Balfour, P. C., O. M., to the Canadian Statesman and delegate to the League of Nations Conference, Sir George, Foster, K. C. M. G., D. C. L., LL. D., is the only child of the late Sir William Allen, M. P., a prominent figure in his day in Imperial politics, and his first wife, a kinswoman of Lord Lovat, daughter of Col. Simon Fraser, and thus related to that gallant Master of Lovat who fought under Wolfe in Canada.
 A vivacious raconteuse, a keen critic

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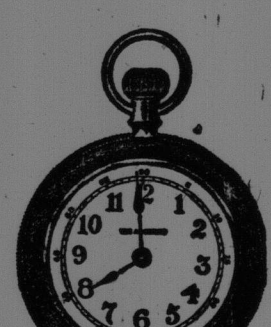
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 Watches \$2.50 and \$3.50	 Electric Toasters \$7.50 to \$10.00	 Bread Boards \$1.25 to \$2.00
 Aluminum Hot Water Bottles \$4.00	 Vacuum Bottles \$2.25 to \$8.75	 Alarm Clocks \$2.50 to \$7.00

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 25.00 O'Coats now 18.00
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 35.00 O'Coats now 23.50
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Dress and working trousers selling from \$5.00 to \$10.00

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LOCAL NEWS

PICK-POCKETS AT WORK.
Pocket-picking among crowds of Christmas shoppers in Fredericton stores has been reported to the police.

IN THE MARKET.
Turkeys were quoted at 70c. a pound, while geese and ducks were quoted at 60c. and chickens at 50c.

CHOIR ENTERTAINED.
Members of the choir of St. Matthew's church were entertained last evening at the home of J. Fraser Gregory, Douglas avenue. A programme of music was carried out and refreshments were served.

MRS. BEVERLY BELYEA.
A wide circle of friends will hear with regret of the death of Mrs. Beverly Belyea, which occurred at her residence, 90 Prince street, West End, early this morning. She was a member of Carlton Methodist Church and also a member of The Women's Missionary Society, being of loyalist descent and an old resident of the West Side, she will be greatly missed by everybody who loved her for her kindly disposition.

Mrs. Belyea is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Samuel Ivens and Mrs. William Beattie of West St. John, and Mrs. Sanford Evans of Long Beach, Kings Co., N. B. Also one brother, Daniel Carpenter of Carpenter, Queens Co.

INVENTOR OF THE TELEPHONE HERE

Dr. Graham Bell Has Something More Coming

Nearly Completed But Not Yet Ready for Announcement—Returned Today After Visit to Native Scotland.

Among the passengers who arrived on the C. P. O. liner Empress of France this morning was Dr. Alexander Graham-Bell, whose great invention of the telephone in 1874 made him one of the most famous men in the world. He is en route to Baddeck, N. S., after a visit to his native land, Scotland. He is accompanied by his wife, his granddaughter, Miss Governor, of Washington, and a friend, Miss McKenzie, of Baddeck. While visiting his home town, Edinburgh, he was tendered a public reception, headed by Lord Provost and seventy-two councillors. He was presented a silver casket containing an official document giving him "The Freedom of Edinburgh." He is the first man to achieve this distinguished honor since Leith and the surrounding districts were incorporated into Greater Edinburgh.

Referring to his visit to his native land, he said, "It is sad to find myself a stranger in your native country." However, he said this was greatly offset by the hearty welcome extended him and the honors conferred.

When asked if he had any other great inventions in mind, he said he has practically completed one, but is unable at the present time to divulge the nature of it. Later in the winter he will leave Baddeck and go to Washington on official business.

ASK PROVINCE TO BEAR EXPENSE OF NON-RESIDENTS

Patients From Out of Town Being Treated at Expense of County.

The board of commissioners of the St. John county hospital, which met this morning, decided to ask the municipal council to memorialize the provincial government, asking it to provide for the support of non-resident patients in the institution. It was pointed out that the residents of the city and county would be taken care of through the tax levy for the hospital, while the expense of patients from other places, who had a definite place of residence could be charged to the municipality, which they were domiciled. The difficulty arose in the case of those who had no permanent place of residence. Estimates for the year 1921 were also discussed.

NOTABLES HERE ON BIG LINER

Empress of France at Sand Point With 1,500 Passengers, Mails and Cargo.

The large C. P. O. S. liner Empress of France arrived in port this morning at seven o'clock from Liverpool with over 1,500 passengers, 6,220 packages of mail and 1,200 tons of general cargo. The steamer is on her first trip to this port since last spring, and is in command of Captain E. Cook.

Among the notables on board were: The Rt. Hon. The Countess of Minto, who came to Canada to attend the wedding of her son, the Earl of Minto, which will take place in Montreal in the near future; Major General J. Lyons Bigger, V. D., C. M. G., who is en route to Ottawa; Dr. S. Levin, a poet, who is here on a visit from London; Hon. K. Ryder of London; E. J. Stearns, B. S. C., F. C. S., of Brantford, Ont.; and Lady M. Scott, of London, who is en route to Ottawa.

The passenger list consisted of 117 first, 207 second and more than 1,100 steerage passengers. When the liner docked the first and second cabin passengers were inspected by the immigration officials on board and later the third class were taken to the immigration shed. The cabin passengers were started for their destination this afternoon in two special trains, the first getting away at 1:30 o'clock and the second at 2:30 o'clock. St. John passengers on the steamer were Mrs. A. C. Gilmour and her son, master A. C. Gilmour; Mrs. L. Curry of Halifax was among the cabin passengers.

PUBLIC BEQUESTS

Several in Will of Robert B. Paterson, in Probate Court.

The will of the late Robert B. Paterson has been probated at \$60,000. The will was proved and the appointment of his widow, W. S. Fisher and F. W. Roach as executors confirmed. The bulk of the estate was left to members of the family but public bequests were as follows: to the Children's Aid Society; the Protestant Orphans' Asylum, \$250; St. David's Church Memorial Hall, \$500; Pine Hill Presbyterian College, Halifax, for a bursary, \$1,000. Dr. J. Roy Campbell, K. C., was proctor.

WHITE MAN LYNCHED

Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 23.—Tom W. Vickery, a white man held on a charge of murder in connection with the killing of Policeman J. C. Couch on Monday night, was taken from the county jail here soon after midnight by a mob and hanged. Several shots were fired into his body.

ARE FREED TO GO BACK TO HALIFAX

Leo Prest and Percy Swynner, both of Halifax, were before Judge Josiah in the Kings county court yesterday, under the Speedy Trial Act, and were allowed to go on a suspended sentence on condition that they would go to their homes, which they agreed to do. The two had been arrested by Sergeant Detective Power and Detective Donahue at Ononette a few weeks ago on charge of breaking and entering a cottage. They elected to be tried without jury and pleaded guilty. They left for their homes on the Halifax train last night. It is understood that two prominent St. John lawyers, who were not interested in the case, paid the legal fees.

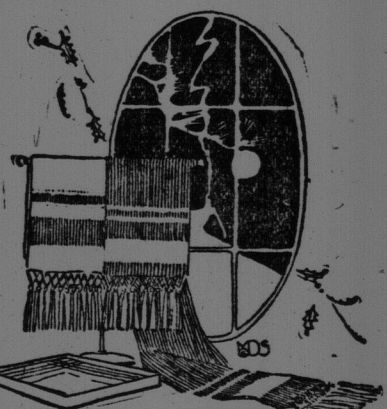
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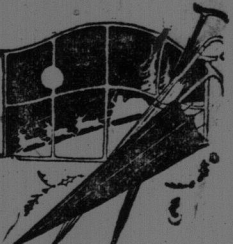
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PRICES WENT UP A STEP AT A TIME THEY CAN'T COME DOWN THE BANNISTER.

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Therefore our Special Xmas Discount of Ten Per Cent on all GLENWOOD Ranges comes as OPPORTUNITY knocking at the door of the thrifty housewife to help her solve the HIGH PRICE PROBLEM of the Kitchen Range.

This is the year for Practical Xmas Gifts, and display economy in their selection. The GLENWOOD Range is "made in St. John." Every purchase of Home Made Product helps to solve our present local labor conditions. The above discount will apply on all orders booked this week for January delivery.



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| Hosiery..... | 75c to \$3 | Hosiery..... | \$1 to \$7 |
| Gloves..... | \$1.25 to \$8 | Blouses..... | \$4.50 to \$20 |
| Mufflers..... | \$2.50 to \$10 | Kimonos..... | \$9 to \$20 |
| Dressing Gowns | \$22 to \$35 | Umbrellas..... | \$2 to \$20 |

- | For Boys | | Wool Overalls | |
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Morning will Prove the Gift

Beautiful Christmas carols and Christmas Chimes will gladden the heart of every member of the household and bring to your home the true spirit of Christmas.

Think of the many years of pleasure which you and yours will derive from this machine. Consider the influence for good music will have upon your children and then consider the cost and you will find it is the cheapest gift you can buy considering the pleasure it will give and the years you will enjoy it.

We have the McLAGAN in various styles and at a varied price range. As the McLAGAN will play all disc records the whole family will be benefited in the selection.



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And they, individually, are priced so sensibly now, it's easy to decide.
Page 6 Tells How Little Everything Costs Here.

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MRS. AWALT SUFFERED FOR FORTY-ONE YEARS

Halifax Woman Says It Certainly Seems Wonderful Tanlac Has Given Her That Longed-For Relief. "Last fall I began reading about Tanlac, and finally decided to try it out in my case. I was in such a bad condition I couldn't even take a full dose, and had to begin with a very small amount. But the medicine certainly brought me out. I am eating just anything I want now without suffering with my stomach and my appetite is better than I ever expected it to be again."

NIGHT SESSIONS OF COURT, IF NEEDED

Night sessions of the police court, after Christmas, if necessary, to put a stop to illicit liquor traffic made by the magistrate yesterday afternoon in concluding the case against Tony Vassil, charged with having liquor in his possession otherwise than in his private dwelling. The accused was fined \$200 or six months in jail. His honor said that, with additional liquor inspectors and with cooperation between the police and the liquor inspectors and with the New Year close at hand, a determined effort could be made to stamp out, so far as possible, any illegal traffic in liquors in the city. If necessary, night sessions of the police court would be held.

For Tight Throat Colds in Children

The kind that comes on suddenly at night and so often develop into Croup and Bronchitis. Wring out a flannel cloth dipped into a cup of hot water to which a teaspoonful of

Painkiller (Perry Davis) has been added. Wrap this around the child's throat as hot as can be borne and cover with another flannel to keep the child dry and the heat in.

ONLY ONE Painkiller (Perry Davis) The warmth and drawing power of this reliable old household remedy will soothe and relax and induce sleep, springing both mother and child a wakeful night and usually entirely averting what would otherwise have been a severe cold.

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USE The Want Ad Was

STEAMER SERVICE TO NEWFOUNDLAND

Arrangements Completed For Direct Fortnightly Sailings Between This Port and St. John's. A new steamer service from this port will be opened by the Canada Steamship Lines, Limited, to St. John's (Nfld.). The company, for which the local agents are Nagle & Wigmore, has definitely decided to operate a service which will be of great benefit to New Brunswick merchants, as it will save the long rail haul from points in the province to Halifax. The freight rates on this route will be the same as from Halifax.

GETS HOOD-UP MAN WITH \$10,000 LOOT

Brooklyn Policeman Captures Fugitive After Chase Over Back-Yard Fence - Finds Him in a Closet. New York, Dec. 22.—A daylight hold-up in Brooklyn on Monday resulted in the capture of one of the bandits by a policeman and the immediate recovery of all the booty, amounting to \$10,000. The policeman who made the arrest was Sergeant Frank Curran, of the 101st street station, who caught his man with the plunder after a chase over backyard fences.

EDUCATORS FIT BOOKS TO SUIT INDIVIDUAL CHILD

Clinic Where Specialists Study His Needs May Prove Boon to Harassed Parents. New York, Dec. 22.—If little Mary had a pain, a visit to a visit from the doctor would be in order, but if little Mary had things at her kitchen or her grandpa's what is the answer? "Spare the rod and spoil the child," was the old adage, but now the idea is to spare the child and spoil the rod. Then the rod suddenly went out of fashion and persuasion came to the fore in the juvenile world. Now this, it is said, is losing caste and the modern educator believes in still more indirect methods.

NOT TO DISCHARGE MILITIAMEN WHO ARE NOW ON DUTY

Ottawa, Dec. 22.—In view of the unemployment situation, the militia department has decided not to discharge the last remaining members of the Canadian expeditionary force who are still on duty at headquarters and in the militia districts. A small number of these men are engaged in clerical work at Ottawa throughout the dominion, but they were to have been released at the end of the calendar year.

Will Dearer Coal Mean More Coughs?

With coal so dear, no one wants to light the furnace early in the season in spite of cold, bleak days. The result is, hundreds have caught cold, and now have bronchial coughs. If you would just realize it, no man, woman or child needs to endure the misery a day longer. Buckley's Bronchitis Mixture is the one remedy which never fails. It works like magic. Actually one dose brings relief, even in the most obstinate cases, and starts you immediately on the road to health. It has succeeded in cases where every other remedy known to medical science has failed.

A KIDNEY REMEDY

Kidney troubles are frequently caused by badly digested food which overtaxes these organs to eliminate the irritant acids formed. Help your stomach to properly digest the food by taking 15 to 30 drops of Extract of Roots, sold as Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, and your kidney disorder will promptly disappear. Get the genuine.

SUFFERED DAY AND NIGHT

The Tortures of Dyspepsia Relieved By "Fruit-a-tives". Little Bras Dor, C. B. "I was a terrible sufferer from Dyspepsia and Constipation for years. I had after eating, belching gas, constant headaches and did not sleep well at night. Finally, a friend told me to try 'Fruit-a-tives' in a week, the Constipation was corrected and soon I was free of pain, headaches and that miserable feeling that accompanies Dyspepsia. I continued to take this splendid fruit medicine and now I am well, strong and vigorous. ROBERT NEWTON. 40c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

CUTICURA PROMOTES THICK HAIR

Cuticura Soap shampoos preceded by touches of Cuticura Ointment to spots of dandruff, itching and irritation are most successful. These fragrant emollients save the hair, clear the skin and meet every want of the toilet and bath. Soap 25c. Ointment 25c. 40c. Tubes 25c. Sold throughout the Dominion. Cuticura Depot: Toronto, 225, St. Patrick St. Cuticura Soap shaves without rasor.

WANT IMMIGRANTS FOR THIS PROVINCE

At a meeting of the Woodstock Board of Trade this week correspondence showed that many immigrants were coming to Canada from England. R. F. Armstrong said that the board should do something to get part of these immigrants. When he was overseas he attended a lecture in England advocating emigration to Canada, and showing Canadian views, but not one word was said about the maritime provinces. He protested to the lecturer on the failure to give the maritime provinces a show and that gentleman said it was almost impossible to get any facts about the maritime provinces. Dr. W. D. Rankin, the office in London conducted by the province was a failure. I called there on two or three occasions and the provincial representative hardly knew where New Brunswick was. He did not look over his files to see if he had any information on the subject. The prospects for immigrants were far better here than in the west. R. F. Armstrong, when I called at the London office I found the windows were covered with dust. There were a few shaves of wheat and a few apples that had been there for many months. The immigrants would be meek, uneducated, and without any money. Moved by Dr. Rankin, seconded by R. F. Armstrong, the maritime province was to be represented by a committee to write to the provincial secretary and steps are being taken to re-open the N. B. office at London. The money to be used in advertising is being done or efforts being made to secure our share of the English immigrants. Carried.

When Appetite Fails And Health Declines Follow This Suggestion

REQUIRES ONLY A COUPLE OF SMALL TABLETS AFTER MEALS TO FIX YOU UP AGAIN. A New Blood-Food Called Ferronase Sure to Restore You Quickly. Every day comes the good news of wonderful relief with Ferronase. In Peterboro' it worked marvels for Louis McLean—put him right on his feet and made him entirely well. "About three years ago," says Mr. McLean, "I had the Grippe which left me in a very run-down condition that finally developed into Dyspepsia. I was unable to eat but a few things and had a car'ing time. I finally gave up treating with the doctors because they did not help me and on the advice of a friend I bought Ferronase. It is the only medicine Ferronase as an ideal restorative. Ferronase gives you force, energy, vim, it brings back the appetite, it is a tonic, it restores the vitality, it prevents headaches—guarantees good health. Thousands use Ferronase—they all feel better. Try it yourself—sold in 50c boxes, six for \$2.50, at all dealers or direct from The Cattarhose Co., Kingston, Ont.

GEE, I'M HAPPY MY CATARRH ALL GONE

Suffered Like a Book for Years—Got Relief in Ten Minutes. Catarrhose Did Cure. That's the way hundreds of the boys around town are talking since Catarrhose got into the drug store. Nothing on earth like Catarrhose to really relieve Catarrh, Glands or Bronchitis. It's a healing vapor full of pine essences and healing balsams. It spreads over the surfaces that are wet and sore from coughing. Every spot that is congested is healed—irritation is soothed away, phlegm and secretions are cleared out and all symptoms of cold and Catarrh are relieved. So quick, so sure, so pleasant as Catarrhose. Beware of cheap substitutes meant to deceive you for genuine Catarrhose. All dealers sell Catarrhose, large size which lasts two months price \$1.50; small size 50c; sample size 25c.

RIGA WATER RELIEVES HABITUAL CONSTIPATION

The House Carpenters' Union met last evening in the Oddfellows' hall in Union street. The president, Joseph Nixon, occupied the chair.

CARLETON COUNTY POTATO MEN ASK OTTAWA TO HELP

Woodstock, N. B., Dec. 22.—The proposed high duties on potatoes shipped to the United States, if carried out, means a very serious situation for the Carleton county potato growers. The effect of such a step would far-reaching and every branch of business would be hit hard. There are thousands of bushels of potatoes in Carleton county that cannot possibly be consumed in Canada. One prominent farmer today said: "If this embargo goes on it means utter ruin and there is no use trying to disguise the fact. There is much unrest as, if the American market is closed, thousands of bushels of potatoes will simply rot. When it is taken into consideration that the cost nearly 22 per cent to raise potatoes last season it will be seen that a tremendous loss will result by the proposed legislation. It is felt that the Canadian government should take the matter in hand to head off this movement if it is possible to do so. It is all very well to talk of retaliation but this will not help the present emergency." D. McCain, of Florenceville, who is a heavy shipper, endeavored to have the minister of customs make some move in the matter but the latter either did not realize or misunderstood the situation, as the following telegrams would indicate. Mr. McCain wired as follows: "Hon. R. W. Wignome, Ottawa: "Newspaper reports state that an embargo or prohibitive tariff is about to be placed on the export of potatoes to the United States. If so, this means complete ruin to this county as there are thousands of bushels to be shipped and there is no possible sale in Canada. Cannot some arrangement be made to stop this procedure? Must act quickly. (Signed) 'A. D. McCAIN' The minister of customs replied as follows: "A. D. McCain, Florenceville, Carleton Co., N. B.: "Your view. Canadian government not contemplating placing any restriction on any export of potatoes to the United States. (Signed) 'R. W. WIGNOME' It will be seen that Wignome did not cover the present difficulty.

A FARMER IS N. S. OPPOSITION HEAD

Truro, N. S., Dec. 22.—Nine opposition members of the legislature held a meeting here today to elect a provincial leader. D. G. McKenzie, of Malagash, one of the two farmer members for Cumberland, was the man chosen. W. F. Way, of Sydney Mines, one of the Labor members for Cape Breton, was appointed chief whip. It was decided to hold a farmer-labor convention at Halifax about the middle of January before the opening of the legislature. The chief whip said the meeting today was a farmer-labor meeting. Asked if Dr. MacDonald and Dr. LeBlanc, Conservative members for Richmond, had been invited to attend the meeting he said they had not.

PHOSFERINE BANISHED ALL TRACES OF SUFFERING.

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FIRST SYMPTOMS OF INFLUENZA

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BANDIT HANGED IN A TRIPLE TRAGEDY

(Canadian Press Despatch.) Lethbridge, Alberta, Dec. 22.—Saying "good bye everybody" to those who stood upon the scaffold with him, Thomas Bassoff, bandit murderer, shot into eternity at the end of hangedman's noose at the provincial jail here at 6:04 this morning, and thus the fifth life in the chain of tragedies in the Crown's Nest Pass bandit hunt of last August, has been snuffed out. Bassoff died almost instantly.

GROCCER FINED FOR HIDING SMALLPOX

Ottawa, Dec. 22.—The maximum penalty of \$100 and costs was imposed on William J. Kerwin, grocer, in the police court when he pleaded guilty to a charge of concealing contagious diseases in his home. Jules Andetto, city sanitary inspector, who laid the charge against Kerwin, said that within a few days of the discovery a member of Kerwin's family had smallpox, seventeen cases broke out within a stone's throw of his domicile.

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Little Brother of All

The Christ Child into the stable came,
Twist the midnight and the morn;



Santa Claus

If a body hears a prancing
On the snowy roof—
While she's hanging Christmas stockings—

A Christmas-Tide

(Louella C. Poole)
Could every lapsing child be taught
Beside his mother's knee,

Christmas Spirit

Over the world, with outspread wings,
The Spirit of Christmas hroods and sings
Of happy, hopeful, helpful things

A Christmas Song

Sing a song of Christmas,
Puddings full of plums,
Four and twenty snow-birds

Results of Christmas Exams at University Of New Brunswick

The following are the University of New Brunswick pass lists for the terminal examinations held this week:

Table with multiple columns listing student names and their respective exam results across various subjects like Mathematics, Latin, Greek, etc.

(Continued on Page 15.)

Times and Star Classified Pages

THE AVERAGE DAILY NET PAID CIRCULATION OF THE TIMES-STAR FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS OF 1918 WAS 14,098

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REAL ESTATE
WANTED
To communicate with owners having properties for sale in the city and suburbs. No charge unless we make sale.

AUTOS FOR SALE
FOR SALE—McLAUGHLIN BUICK Truck, in good running order. Cheap for quick sale. E. R. Robertson, Douglas Ave. 1787-12-31

AUCTIONS
I am now prepared to accept any sales Household furniture, stocks, real estate, etc. Contact me. Expert work guaranteed.

FURNISHED ROOMS
TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, 277 Princess street. 1784-12-31

WANTED—MALE HELP
SALESMAN—A SELF-RESPECTING Salesman, whose ambition is beyond his present occupation, might find more congenial employment with us, and at the same time double his income.

WANTED—FEMALE
CHAMBER MAID WANTED—ASIA Hotel, corner Mill and Pond. 1786-12-28

COOKS AND MAIDS
WANTED—MAID TO ASSIST WITH house work, small family. Mrs. R. W. Hawker, 40 Summer street. 1786-12-28

FOR SALE—THREE FAMILY House on Queen street, freestone one flat of nine rooms, two of six rooms each. Bath, electric, oil, present rentals \$900. Box Y 68, Times. 17619-12-27

ALWAYS A FEW GOOD USED Cars which we sell at what they cost us after thorough overhauling. Payment one-half cash, balance spread over six months. Victory Garage & Supply Co., 82 Duke street. Phone Main 4100. 1783-12-28

GRAND CLEARANCE SALE OF ALL NEW GOODS in lady's and children's wear, boys' suits, fur, misses' dresses, gent's furnishings, and a full line of all kinds of dry goods.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM, 118 St. James. Private family. Phone M 3849-41. 1777-12-27

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOOK-keeper, competent to supervise accounting department; good opportunity. G. E. Barbour Company, Limited. 1788-12-24

WANTED—SMART, INTELLIGENT young lady for flower store, permanent position to right party. Apply in person to K. Pedersen, Ltd., 98 Charlotte street. 1773-12-24

WANTED—GENERAL GIRL, Apply with references, Mrs. Walter Gilbert, 146 Charlotte street. 12-21-T.F.

FOR SALE—DRESS SUIT, NEW, size 36. Bargain for quick sale. Apply 68 Germain street. 17808-12-27

HOSE TAKES FIRE WHILE IN USE
Phenomenon Investigated by Boston Fire Department

TOYS AND DOLLS
I am instructed to sell at Public Auction at 139 Brussels street, one of the finest stocks of Toys and Dolls.

FLATS TO LET
TO LET—SMALL FLAT, REAR, APPLY 50 Spring street. 17828-12-30

WANTED—SALESMEN WITH SOME business experience. Apply at London Life Ins. Co., mornings. 17899-12-25

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD, private family, by gentleman, central location. Phone Main 4205. 17786-12-30

WOOD AND COAL
A Practical Christmas Gift
A Ton or Load of Our Well Screened Soft Coal

FOR SALE—MINK COLLAR AND Muff. Price \$25.00. Apply Box Y 92, Times. 12-24

Tech Professor Thinks Friction Between Cotton Jackets the Cause—Rubber Lining Not Affected.

Bailiff's Sale
There will be sold at Public Auction at 36 British street, in the City of Saint John on Monday, December 27th, 1920, at 10:30 o'clock:

TO LET—SMALL FLAT, 67 MAIN street. Apply Kenneth A. Wilson, 48 Canterbury street. 17790-12-30

WANTED—MEN TO TRAIN AS salesmen with new company, rare opportunities, 68 Mill street, 18945-12-25

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD, private family, by gentleman, central location. Phone Main 4205. 17786-12-30

COAL
R. P. & W. F. STARR LIMITED
49 Smythe Street. 157 Union Street.

HORSES, ETC.
HORSE FOR SALE—HEAVY CLYDE Draft Horse, 5 years old, weighs 1900 lbs. in splendid condition, no bad habits.

Professor Augustus H. Gill, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, examined the hose burned, and without making a chemical analysis reported his belief that the hose was ignited from excessive friction caused by vibration between two cotton jackets.

HOUSES TO LET
TO LET—SELF-CONTAINED FURNISHED House, 51 Kennedy street, N. C. Scott. 17899-12-29

TO PURCHASE
WANTED—TO PURCHASE Double Flat Top Desk. P. O. Box 28, West St. John. 17838-12-28

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD, private family, by gentleman, central location. Phone Main 4205. 17786-12-30

LOST AND FOUND
LOST—TUESDAY P. M., GLASSES in case Shopping district. Telephone M. 1887. 17848-12-24

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MONCTON ROTARIANS ALL RECEIVE GIFTS
The Rotary Club met this noon hour in the Brunswick dining hall, where luncheon was served. C. B. Triton presided.

Rubber Lining Uninjured.
This point of water, together with the friction caused by the two cotton jackets rubbing against each other, apparently caused the flame.

SHIPPING
ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN, DEC 23.
High Tide... 9:24 Low Tide... 3:41

TO EUROPE
ST. JOHN—LIVERPOOL
Dec. 20 (Jan. 20) A.T. 22 Emp. of France
Jan. 6 (Feb. 9) Mar. 15 Emp. of Britain

ROOMS AND BOARDING
BOARDERS WANTED, 178 CHARLOTTE. 17846-12-31

LOST AND FOUND
LOST—SMALL BROWN POCKET-book containing small sum money, West St. John Car or head of King Fisher return Woolworth Department Store. 17841-12-24

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CHRISTMAS SALE—SPECIAL PRICES in Ash Fungus, Speed Sleighs, Delivery Sleds. Freight prepaid. Write for prices. Easy terms. Edgewood's, City Road. 17840-12-24

Boy Kills Mother
Moosemin, Sask., Dec. 23.—Mrs. C. A. Mitchell, wife of a farmer residing five miles south of here, was shot and killed by her ten-year-old son, Peter. The father gave the gun to the lad to take to the house while he attended to some chores.

AMERICAN COMPANIES ASK SPECIAL TREATMENT RE TAXES IN CHINA
Shanghai, Nov. 14.—(Associated Press Correspondence)—American commercial bodies here and American commercial interests generally in China are engaged in a campaign to induce the United States Congress to pass a law relieving them from the payment of income tax to the United States Treasury.

TO LET—STORAGE FOR AUTO-mobility, 49 Erin street. 17810-12-28

ROOMS TO LET
TO LET—LARGE ROOMS, 26 RICHMOND. 17822-12-27

LOST AND FOUND
LOST—SATURDAY LAST, SUM OF money in envelope. Finder return Times Office, Newark. 17748-12-24

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49 Smythe Street. 157 Union Street.

CLARA BARTON SMITH TAKEN
Juno, Dec. 23.—Clara Barton Smith, who died in Ardmore, Okla., in connection with the death of J. L. Hamon, Oklahoma millionaire arrived here last night and immediately was taken into custody by Sheriff B. Garrett, of Ardmore, who had arrived on the border an hour before.

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Eyes examined and Glasses Fitted by the latest methods.

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ROOMS TO LET
TO LET—THREE BRIGHT SUNNY rooms, central, rent reasonable. Phone Main 8470. 17555-12-24

SITUATIONS WANTED
YOUNG LADY WISHES POSITION, as governess for small children. Box A 165 Times. 23-T.F.

DRY KINDLING
6 Casks for \$4.00. Delivered South of Union Street. 1-23 Broad. Tel. M. 203

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FOR SALE—DRY SLAB WOOD, C. A. Price, corner Stanley and City Road. Main 4608 or 87-81. 17850-12-3

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SITUATIONS VACANT
MAKE MONEY AT HOME—\$15 TO \$60 paid weekly for your spare time writing show cards for us. No canvassing. We instruct and supply you with work. West-Angus Showcard Service, 57 T. Colborne street, Toronto. 11-18-1921

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OMOBILES STORED, \$4 a day; overhauling done by contract; cars always ready. At Thompson's, 407-11. Phone 668.

BABY CLOTHING

75 BEAUTIFUL LONG gowns, daintily made of the finest silk; everything required; ten doll. Send for catalogue, Mrs. M. 407-11. Phone 668.

GGAGE TRANSFER

A YELLOW TRUCK FOR FUR- re moving, baggage transfer and trucking. St. John Transport Co., Cliff street.

BARGAINS

AT VARIETY OF GOODS FOR Christmas presents at Wetmore's on Cliff street.

SALE—AS WE ARE HEAVILY stocked in Oval Frames and we the room, we have reduced every thing to clear as many as possible before night. Kerrett's, 222 Union street. 1746-12-22

SI TOYS! XMAS TOYS, DOLLS, sines, Tanks, Flying Machines, Drums, Games, all kinds of cal Toys, Socks, Skates, Trimmings Xmas Trees. Buy now and save y at Lipsett's Variety Store, corner ds and Esplanade streets.

ENGRAVERS

WESLEY & CO., ARTISTS d engravers, 89 Water street. Tele- e M. 982.

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A YELLOW TRUCK FOR e transfers, furniture moving and trucking. St. John Transport Co., Cliff street.

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5 BEAVER, VLOUR AND hats blocked in dolls. Open T. R. James, 222 Union street, op- e Adelaide street.

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ION FOUNDRY AND MACHINE ork, Limited, George E. B. Engineers 187, West St. John, N. B. Engineers, Machinists, Iron and Brass Foundry.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

SSON'S DRUG STORES ISSUE marriage Licenses: Hours, 8:30 a.m. 10:30 p.m.

MEN'S CLOTHING

'S CLOTHING, OVERCOATS— e have in stock some very fine Over- coats, well made and trimmed and sell- at a low price from \$20 up. W. J. ne & Co., Custom and Ready-to- Clothing, 182 Union street.

MONEY ORDERS

ID A DOMINION EXPRESS Money Order. Five Dollars costs three

PIANO MOVING

OS MOVED BY AUTO. FUR- ture moved to the country. General age; reasonable rates. Arthur S. house. Phone 814-21.

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UTURE TAKEN DAY OR NIGHT, sh or shine while U wait. Films de- eveloped and printed quick, clear, reason- e price. We enlarge any photographs. King Square, St. John, N. B. Phone 8.

PLUMBING

RDON W. NOBLE PLUMBER and heater, Jobbing given personal at- ion. Telephone 2000-31, 154 Water- o street.

REPAIRING

URNITURE REPAIRING AND UP- olstering, 287 Union. Phone 915-11.

SECOND-HAND GOODS

75 PAY HIGHEST CASH PRICES for Second-Hand Goods. Phone 2284-41 e Main street.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—GEN- tlemen's cast-off clothing, boots, fur ats, jewelry, musical instruments, bi- cycles, guns, revolvers, and tools, etc. Highest cash prices paid. Lamport 6 Dock street. Phone 4170.

SECOND-HAND GOODS

NOW IS THE TIME, THE WINTER is coming. Come and get your soldier overcoats at bargain prices. Also, great bargains in men's working boots. Come and see for yourself. Don't miss the bargains. Dominion Second Hand Store, 641 Main street, St. John, N. B. Phone M. 4272.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—LADIES' and gentlemen's cast off clothing, boots; highest cash prices paid. Call or write Lamport Bros., 645 Main street, Phone Main 2284-11.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—GEN- tlemen's cast off clothing, boots, musical instruments, jewelry, bicycles, guns, revolvers, tools, etc. Highest cash prices paid. Call or write H. Williams, 16 Dock street, St. John, N. B., Phone Main 4232.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—GEN- tlemen's cast off clothing, fur coats, jewelry, diamonds, old gold and silver, musical instruments, bicycles, guns, revolvers, tools, etc. Best prices paid. Call or write H. Gilbert, 14 Mill street. Phone 2292-11.

SILVER-PLATERS

GOLD, SILVER, NICKEL, BRASS and Copper Plating, Automobile parts made as good as new, 24 Waterloo street, J. Grouncines.

SNAPSHOTS FINISHED

SEND ANY ROLL OF FILM AND we, to Wassons, St. John, N. B., Box 1243 and have a set of very best pic- tures, glossy finish. Work returned postpaid.

LADIES' TAILORING

LADIES ORDER NOW TO SAVE \$10, guaranteed. Serges and Tweed Suits, \$45 and \$50. Morin, 50 Germain -upstairs. 1700-12-22

STOVES

FOR SALE—SECOND HAND HOT Blast Ovens, Franklin, Silver, Moser, Quebec Heaters and Tides, from \$5.50 up. J. M. Logan, 18 1/2 Market Square, Main 2773. Open evenings. 17667-12-24

UMBRELLAS

UMBRELLAS REPAIRED AND RE- covered, 573 Main street. 17111-1-11

UPHOLSTERING

UPHOLSTERING OF FURNITURE, Cushions and Covers. Thomas Cum- mings, 178 Wentworth street, Phone 2683-21. 16111-1-8

WALL PAPERS

FOR SALE—GOING OUT OF WALL Paper Sale. Prices are so low it will pay you to get even your spring paper now. Great bargains in airbrans. Ker- rett's, 222 Union street. 17465-12-25

WATCH REPAIRERS

DIAMONDS BOUGHT AND SOLD, Watch and Clock Repairing a Special- ty. G. D. Perkins, 48 Princess street.

RINGS, WATCHES, CLOCKS FOR sale, watch repairing, seven years in Waltham factory. G. B. Huggard, 67 Peters street.

W. BAILEY, THE ENGLISH, AMER- ican and Swiss expert watch repairer, 128 Mill street (next Hygienic Bakery).

HOLD-UP TRIED IN MONTREAL

Three Men, Attack Citizen But Are Frightened Away—Had a Stolen Car.

Montreal, Dec. 23.—The hold-up crime wave is beginning to affect Montreal, and last night Peter Rabinovitch, of 222 Ontario street, who with his wife, had just stepped into the courtyard of the Berthole Apartments, where he lives, when three men jumped on him and ordered him to hand over his money. He gave fight and called for help, as did also his wife. Their cries attracted the captain of a nearby fire station and a chauffeur. When they arrived the hold- up men jumped into an auto and sped away. They gave chase and the men stopped their car and ran away in different directions. Their machine was found to be a car which had been stolen earlier in the evening. No arrests were made.

Mr. Rabinovitch lost nothing and suffered only slight bruises about the head and face.

UNEMPLOYED TO PARADE IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 23.—A parade through the principle streets of the city upon yesterday at a mass meeting of un- employed. Some were opposed to the plan, and there were shouts of "Remem- ber what happened in Winnipeg," but the motion carried.

A resolution urging the federal author- ities to discourage any attempt to send unemployed of Great Britain to Canada was overwhelmingly voted down. "Let them come," shouted one "the more the merrier."

FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(J. M. Robinson & Sons, members Mon- treal Stock Exchange.)

New York, Dec. 23.

Table with columns: Close, Open, Noon, Prev. Includes stocks like Am Semstar, Am Car and Pdry, Am Locomotive, etc.

WAYAGAMACK YEARLY REPORT

Montreal, Dec. 23.—The annual state- ment of the Wayagamack Pulp and Paper Co. Ltd., published today, to November 30, shows earnings nearly double those of the preceding year. They stand at \$2,122,707 against \$1,203,097 in 1919.

After fixed charges and taxes, etc., are deducted, there remains available for dividend an amount equal to 22.1 per cent and during the year the stock of the company was put on a six per cent basis. Total assets have increased by nearly \$2,000,000 and the most important changes in the balance sheet are an in- crease of \$600,000 in accounts and bills payable and a bank loss of \$600,000 these being the effect of purchases of timber limits, etc., during the year.

DISCOUNTING OUR DOLLARS.

(Toronto Globe.)

New interest is taken in the exchange situation between Canada and the United States because of the record levels to which the premium on New York funds has climbed during the past few days. Having now passed 18 per cent, and with uncertainty, but a belief that it will go yet higher, Canadians who have financial relations with the United States are naturally concerned as to the conditions and its causes. Exchange at the best is a subject for highly trained bankers and economists, and even there it is a rash man who ventures a prophe- cy as to the course of exchange or to a full explanation of movements. A good many Canadians who have not studied the subject have nothing but in- dignation for the American merchant who would discount the Canadian dollar by 15 or 20 per cent, and regard the action as an insult. This, of course, is not the explanation, for while an iso- lated border merchant might for reasons of dilute or natural spots take such ac- tion, the fact that Canadian money is at a substantial discount among the ken- nels of traders and financiers on both sides, shows that the discount is based on fundamental conditions. The argument of insult or spite would not ex- plain Canada's discount on the English pound, which has persisted for months past, and even now with some improve- ment the pound sterling is worth only a little over \$4 in Canada.

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS.

(J. M. Robinson & Sons, members Mon- treal Stock Market.)

Montreal, Dec. 23.

Table with columns: Montreal, Dec. 23. Includes items like Can. Bank of Commerce, Bank of Montreal, etc.

OTTAWA AUTO DEALERS WANT SOME \$50,000

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—Contending that the government owes them \$50,000 in luxury taxes paid on automobiles which will not be sold till next spring, the members of the Automobile Trade As- sociation of Ottawa yesterday met to decide what steps should be taken to re- cover the amount. No definite plan of action was decided upon, it being agreed to meet again when further data will be produced. A resolution will probably be framed and the claims of the automobile dealers set forth and forwarded to the government.

BANK OF TORONTO.

Toronto, Dec. 23.—An increase of \$6,012 in the net profits of the Bank of Toronto on the annual statement issued by the bank for the year ended Novem- ber 30, 1920. The amount of the immediately avail- able assets, which now stand at \$43,221,649.25, show a decrease of \$6,844,221.64 for the year, but nevertheless represent nearly 47 per cent of the bank's liabilities to the public.

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At Cost To Clear. We offer you the balance of our stock of Men's and Boys' Mackinaw Coats, Buffalo Coats, Fur Coats, Mitts, Horse Blankets and Sleigh Robes at cost to clear. NOW IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE 30 TO 50 CENTS ON EVERY DOLLAR. We still have a nice assortment left of Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases, which we are offering at Bargain Prices. H. HORTON & SON, Limited 9 and 11 Market Square

WOMAN ALONE IN CAR CROSSES CONTINENT. Younger, traveled 8,000 miles. She was on the road five weeks and three days, being held up eight days in Kansas because of the heavy rains and mud. She crossed the desert, where for miles not a single habitation or person was to be seen; crossed the mountains, traveling beside precipices and through miles of Kansas mud, the worst experience of all, in her opinion. During these weeks she had some trying times, but always slept under a roof. "Both men and women were ready to help with information or with practical shown her on the road. In motoring across the continent, Miss

Gifts for Men Folk. TO help you solve quickly your problems as to Gifts for Men Folk we offer you a few sugges- tions of gifts that men always welcome on Christmas morning. "Gillette" and "Auto-Stop" Safety Razors, the kind that will give, always, a quick, comfortable shave. Priced from \$5.00 up. Lunch Boxes, each fully equipped with food compartments and Vacuum Bot- tle. Priced from \$3.00 up. Exercisers—Terry's Spring, \$4.35; \$4.80; \$5.50. Terry's Combination Five-in-One, \$5.50; \$6.35; \$7.00. Elastic Exercisers, \$2.85; \$3.90; \$5.65 a set. Eveready Daylo Safety Lights, the kind that have long ago outgrown the name "flashlight." There are all styles, from the vest pocket to the Eveready Watchman's Lamp. Electric Reading Lamps from \$8.50 to \$35 each. "Sterno" Solid Alco- hol Stoves for heat- ing shaving water. Priced from \$1.25 up. "Big Ben" the Alarm Clock that keeps all appointments promptly. Also other reliable kinds. Vacuum Bottles—All finishes. Pints from \$3.00 up. Quarts from \$3.00 up. W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd. Store Hours from 8.30 a.m. Open Every Evening Before Christmas Till 10 O'Clock.

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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1920

BODY OF WOMAN ON LONG BEACH SANDS

Another Seemingly Baffling Mystery Confronts Police of New York.

Long Beach, N. Y., Dec. 23.—A body found on the beach here has been identified as that of Mrs. John A. Lee, of Brooklyn.

Mrs. Lee, who had been missing from her home for a day, was the widow of a prominent physician, who died recently. The identification was made by a milliner who sold the hat found on the body, which was clothed in mourning.

The coroner's physician announced that a wound in the head, at first believed to have been caused by a bullet, was a bruise from a fall. He expressed the belief the woman had committed suicide by taking poison.

PROTEST AGAINST WOMAN INSPECTOR

Customs Activity at Ferry Annoying Windsor Citizens.

Windsor, Ont., Dec. 23.—Following the receipt of scores of complaints from citizens against the presence here of a special woman customs inspector, who it is alleged has caused to be searched women and girls indiscriminately as they came off the Detroit ferries, Mayor Winter wired the customs department at Ottawa a formal message of protest.

The mayor in his telegram points out that there is a regular lady inspector at this port, who is on duty at all times, and that in addition the local customs staff is a highly efficient one. Visitors from across the line, the mayor wired, are also being held up and "unduly embarrassed," from all of which relief is asked.

FORDNEY BILL PASSES HOUSE

Tariff Measure Adopted by U. S. Legislature 196 to 86—Defiant Minority Makes Protest.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)

Washington, Dec. 22.—Over the protests of a defiant minority, the house tonight adopted the Fordney emergency tariff bill, by a vote of 196 to 86. The vote was taken at 8.45 o'clock after eight hours of debate.

It was evident long before the vote was taken that supporters of the measure, designed to protect some twenty odd farm products for a ten months period, had the situation well in hand. But Representative Henry T. Ransley, Democrat, Illinois, leading the opposition, opened a bitter attack, which increased in intensity as the debate wore on.

As finally approved and reported to the house, the bill includes the following import duties: Wheat, 30 cents bushel; wheat flour, 20 per cent; corn, 15 cents bushel; beans, 2 cents pound; potatoes, 25 cents bushel; onions, 40 cents bushel; cattle, 30 per cent; sheep, 32 a head; lambs, 31 a head; lamb and mutton, 2 1/2 cents a pound; wool, unwashed, 15 cents pound; wool, washed, 30 cents pound; wool (manufactures of), 45 cents pound; wool, scoured, 45 cents pound.

GIRL ACCIDENTLY SHOT BY YOUNGER BROTHER

Niagara Falls, Ont., Dec. 22.—Ten-year-old Gussie Laccoo, daughter of P. Laccoo, Queen street fruit dealer, was accidentally shot by her nine-year-old brother, James, in their house adjoining the store. The girl was rushed to the hospital, where she is in a precarious condition and not expected to live.

GERMAN WOMEN SEE NEED FOR THEIR COWS

Berlin, Dec. 22.—Surrender to the allies of 800,000 milk cows which has been demanded under the terms of the Versailles treaty would have disastrous results in Germany, says a letter to the women in France from a committee of German women. Continued deprivation of the German people of the milk supply represented by these cows would result in weakening public stamina and individual resistance and therefore operate to reduce the ability of Germany to fulfill treaty obligations through necessary production, the letter asserts.

"As women and defenders of the rights of children," the letter declares "we embrace with equal sympathy suffering children of all nations. Our sympathy goes out in fullest measure to the children in the devastated regions in France where it appears to us to be urgent that help should be granted as speedily as possible. On the other hand we see the need of every part of Germany is so great that further reduction of the milk supply would be equivalent to the death sentence for hundreds of thousands of children. Instead of the 20,000,000,000 litres of milk which Germany produced annually in peace times, the country is now producing only 4,800,000,000.

SENT UP FOR TRIAL

In the police court yesterday afternoon a case against Richard Kane and James A. Covenay, charged on suspicion of stealing a registered package from a North End mail bag, was resumed and the accused were sent up for trial. On going on the stand both accused said they did not take the package and did not know how the tear came to be in the mail bag. Covenay said he left Kane at Wall street and Kane said he took fire mail bags to the post office. E. S. Ritchie and J. A. Barry were the counsel for the defense.

In summing up the evidence the magistrate said that so far the evidence given did not raise a strong presumption of guilt. The two accused were admitted to bail of \$1,000 each and two sureties each of \$500. The case will come up for trial at the January sitting of the supreme court.

PHILADELPHIA FIREMEN SAVE 68 LITTLE GIRLS

Matrons and Nurses Aiding, No Fatalities Attend Burning of Lutheran Asylum.

Philadelphia, Dec. 22.—Fire destroyed a two-story dormitory of the Lutheran Orphans' Home and asylum in Germantown, causing a loss estimated at \$100,000.

Sixty-eight children, all girls between six and fourteen years old, were asleep in the building when the fire broke out, but through the heroic work of nurses, matrons and firemen all were got out safely. Twenty-six of the children, two matrons and one fireman were overcome by smoke.

The blaze had gained great headway before it was discovered, and when the children and their caretakers, Sister Anna and Mrs. Ninette Campbell, were awakened they found the second story filled with smoke. Led by the matrons, the little charges groped their way toward the fire escape, but they had not gone far before they found their path blocked by flames. Retracing their steps, they attempted to reach the stair-

way; but there, too, fire and smoke barred their exit.

When it appeared as if all chance of getting out safely had passed, the matrons heard the tinkling of shattered glass and the next instant saw the helmeted head of a fireman at one of the windows. Soon another fireman appeared.

The two entered the smoke-filled room and, aided by the matrons, carried the children to windows, where other firemen took them down ladders to safety. Fifteen of them were unconscious and were removed to hospitals, where they were soon revived. Both matrons were scorched and suffered from the effects of the smoke.

There was no panic among the children, Mrs. Campbell said.

DUTCH ACTOR HONORED

Amsterdam, Dec. 5.—(Associated Press Correspondence)—Louis Bouwmeester, 78 years old, a Dutch actor of Shakespearean roles, has just been decorated by the Queen of Holland. The honor was bestowed at the celebration of his 60th anniversary as an actor.

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Great Xmas Blouse Sale

The latest styles at new prices. Not a sale of old stock. Not a blouse in our store subject to luxury tax.

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Who is forgotten?

While there is yet time, go over your list and see if you have presents for every one you should remember. It's most humiliating to find on Christmas morning someone has been forgotten—doubly so if that someone has remembered you. Such a breach of kindness a etiquette is unnecessary—see that no one is forgotten.

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We have an attractive display of MANTEL CLOCKS in Mahogany, Oak and Enamel Finish. Any one of which can be considered an ornament as well as a time-piece.

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Every woman welcomes a piece of silver as a present. Our assortment is the best we have ever shown:

Bake Dishes \$ 8.55 up
Sandwich Plates 3.25 up
Butter Dishes 3.75 up
Bon-Bons 3.75 up
Toast Racks 2.00 up
Marmalade Jars 4.00 up
Casseroles 12.65 up
Fruit Baskets 10.00 up
Bread Trays 4.50 up
Children's Mugs 2.45 up
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Baby Spoon \$1.00	Cold Meat Server .. \$3.00	Child's Set \$5.00
Butter Knife 1.75	Gravy Ladle 3.50	Cheese Scoop 5.00
Baby Spoon and Pusher 2.00	Tomato Server 4.00	Pie Server 5.00
Sugar Tongs 2.25	Berry Spoon 4.25	Ice Cream Server .. 5.00
Jelly Server 2.50	1-2 doz. Tea Spoons 4.50	Sets of Community Plate, in cases, \$17.50 up
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If he has one already give him 3 dozen blades in a gift package . \$3.00

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SPORTS NEWS OF A DAY, HOME AND ABROAD

LING. Industrial League. Avity's took three points from the...

Total Ave. 97 100 87 284 71-2-3

Y. M. C. A. Seniors. The Y. M. C. A. Senior League, last...

Total Ave. 82 89 85 256 81-1-3

Permanent Force League. A game was run off last evening...

Total Ave. 74 76 74 224 74-2-3

C. O. C. No. 1. Total Ave. 69 85 69 203 69-1-3

Second Game. A game was won by No. 3...

Total Ave. 66 66 66 198 66-1-3

C. O. C. No. 8. Total Ave. 67 67 67 201 67-1-3

More games will be played to...

Interesting bowling match was...

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Whites Barley Toys, Xmas Mixture and Candy Canes. 5 lb. boxes of Chocolates for \$2.50.

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C'ndon H. Allan, Gen.-Mgr

University of New Brunswick. Howie has been elected secretary treasurer.

Hamilton Wins. Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 22—Hamilton inaugurated the local professional season here tonight by defeating the Canadiens.

Ottawa Defeats St. Patricks. Ottawa defeated St. Patricks last night at the capital, 5 to 3, in the opening game of the N. H. World's Championship.

Stockholm, Dec. 22—Sweden has accepted an invitation from the International Ice Hockey League to arrange a tournament for the world's championship and European championship at Stockholm in February.

A stirring and exciting basketball game in the senior section of the City Basketball League was played last evening on the Y. M. C. A. floor.

Senior Structures—Class II—Wills, Whittaker.

Senior Reinforced Concrete—Class I—Whittaker.

Senior Wood Technology—Class I—Whittaker.

Senior Forestry Management—Class I—Whittaker.

Senior Botany—Class I—Whittaker.

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Senior Anatomy—Class I—Whittaker.

Senior Physiology—Class I—Whittaker.

Senior Chemistry—Class I—Whittaker.

Senior Mathematics—Class I—Whittaker.

Senior English—Class I—Whittaker.

Senior History—Class I—Whittaker.

Senior Geography—Class I—Whittaker.

Senior Civics—Class I—Whittaker.

Senior Art—Class I—Whittaker.

Senior Music—Class I—Whittaker.

Senior Physical Education—Class I—Whittaker.

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CORINNE GRIFFITH IN Whisper Market A DAINTY PICTURE

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In the Wonderfully Spectacular "THE ISLE OF CONQUEST"

SANTA CLAUS PLAYLET "Red Wing, the Indian Child"

35—CHILDREN IN SCENIC SKETCH—35 3.30 AND 8.30 P. M.

FRIDAY AND CHRISTMAS Jack Pickford in the Sweet Play "THE LITTLE SHEPHERD OF KINGDOM COME"

WALK WITH MAN THEN BEAT HIM AND STEAL \$687

L. Pinbolt Injured in Toronto by Hold-up Men, Who Use New Tactics.

Two robbers assaulted and robbed Louis Pinbolt of \$187 in cash and a \$300 dollar Victory bond at 7 o'clock Saturday evening at the foot of Carlaw avenue.

Acting Inspector Nat Guthrie of Peace avenue station received a telephone message Saturday evening from the eastern lighthouse, and immediately went over to interview Mr. Pinbolt.

In his story to the police, Mr. Pinbolt declared that two men, about 25 years of age, wearing dark clothing, approached him and asked him if he was going over to the lighthouse.

They took him about the face and hands with their fists, closing both of his eyes, then rifled his pockets, stole the \$300 bond and \$187 in cash.

LOCAL NEWS An automobile was destroyed by fire on the Loch Lomond road last night.

Miss Grace Eild Hutchinson was successfully operated on for appendicitis at Mount Sinai Hospital, New York, on Monday last and is progressing splendidly.

The congregation of the Waterloo street Baptist church has purchased the organ from the old Congregational church, now being transformed to a Phythian forest.

Among the passengers who will sail from St. John on the C. P. O. S. steamer Victorian is Atwood Bridges, son of Dr. H. S. Bridges of this city and special Rhodes scholar for Canada.

WOMAN FOUND DEAD; MONEY TIED TO THIGH New York, Dec. 22.—A woman with \$16,000 in bills bound to her right thigh by a handkerchief was found dead of gas poisoning in a room on East 12th street here yesterday.

COMMUNISTS BEING SENT BACK FROM THE U. S. TO RUSSIA New York, Dec. 22.—Twenty-three communists surrendered themselves at Ellis Island yesterday for deportation to Russia.

MULLHOLLAND, THE HATTER Direct Importer of English, American and Italian High Grade Hats and Caps.

MULLHOLLAND, THE HATTER 7 WATERLOO ST. (Near Union St.)

handicap event. The handicap given each girl was the difference between her average during the season in the Girls' League and that of her opponent.

Girls. Driscoll (15), 74 87 67 228 76 Butler (14), 17 86 78 241 83

Men. Till (10), 68 74 78 219 71-3-3

St. F. X. Boys Home Students from various colleges continue to pour into the city to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Junior League The present standing of the Junior League is as follows:

Junior Wolves 8 0

St. Peter's 9 4

Portland 4 4

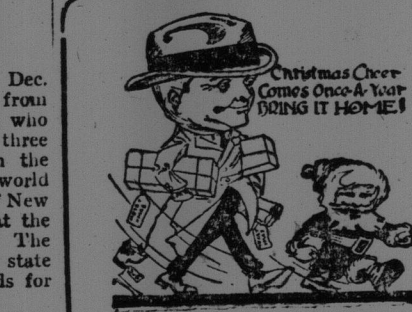
Y. M. C. A. 5 7

Black's 6 0

Atlantic 0 8

Lyons Wins Championship. Madison Square Garden, N. Y., Dec. 22—Joe Lyons, the little fighter from the west side of Manhattan island, won the bantamweight championship of the world on a decision from Pete Herman, of New Orleans, in a fifteen-round battle at the Madison Square Garden tonight.

HOCKEY. Fredericton Elects Lounsbury. Fredericton, Dec. 22.—(Spl.)—William Lounsbury has been elected captain of the Fredericton hockey team by unanimous vote.



Grand Christmas Display

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Men's Wool, Silk and Silk-Knit Mufflers, Fancy Boxed Armbands, Garters, Belts, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Silk Front Shirts, Cashmere Hose, Suspenders, etc.

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AGREE TO HOLD GRAIN FOR RAISE; BANKS CLOSE

(New York Evening Post.)
More than 10,000 indignant Dakota farmers agree not to sell wheat until it reaches \$2.50 a bushel—nearly a dollar above present prices—and banks close their doors all over the State. These farmers are members of the National Wheat Growers' Association. In Washington, Idaho, and Oregon a similar organization, the Northwest Wheat Growers' Association, is rapidly gaining strength. From Oklahoma to Minnesota farm papers and agricultural leaders are trying to persuade grain farmers that they can take a leaf from the book of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, the Pacific Co-operative Poultry Producers, and the various leagues of dairymen, including that which flourishes in this State. An impossibility? Admitting that it is ridiculous to think of combining grain growers as a whole, these organizers believe that it is quite feasible to build up associations that will control the exportable surplus of wheat. They believe that the organizations can play a material role in determining prices. Incidentally they point out that they can pay for careful market news, establish statistical departments, and organize other valuable services. The plan of operation devised for these associations is simple. In general, an ironclad contract is prepared by which the farmer-member agrees to market all

Season's Greetings

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his wheat through the association for a term of years. A warehousing corporation is created subsidiary to and controlled by the co-operative association, and it issues stock. The association takes over the wheat by grades, gives receipts for it, and pools it in elevators and warehouses until it deems the market favorable. To finance the farmer while he waits for the proceeds of his crop the association borrows money upon the stored wheat as represented by cer-

tificates signed by the warehousing corporation. At the recent meeting of the grain growers' Committee of Seventeen in Chicago, Mr. Julius Barnes opposed any effort by farmers to form combinations to fix prices. He believes they would be undesirable, that they would be unsuccessful anyway, and that open, free competition will be the best safeguard of an equitable market. As a matter of fact, farmers should realize that the California Fruit Growers' Exchange and most similar bodies do not fix prices—they are simply agencies to secure the best rates the market offers. The Committee of Seventeen itself agreed that no permanent or extensive co-operative marketing movement was probable unless economic necessity forced many farmers into it. Co-operative organizations of farmers can accomplish many sound purposes, and ought to be encouraged. But if any farmers believe that they can build up associations which will add one-third to the price of wheat as if by magic, they should be disabused.

HON. F. B. CARVELL IS CRITICIZED

(Toronto Globe)
Referring to some criticisms on the attitude of the Railway Board in regard to the increase in rates, Mr. Carvell, Chairman of the Board, says: "Talk about Bolshevism! I saw stuff in the Winnipeg papers such as I hope never to see again in my life-time papers that consider themselves responsible and respectable. It is not a question of the law, it is a question of what the people want; if the Board won't give them what they want, get out! Talk about Bolshevism!"

"If there is a Soviet in Winnipeg they can blame some of the newspapers for it out there, because I saw newspapers there not only red in ink, but red in everything you can imagine. I am sorry to have been compelled to read such things as I have read in some of the Winnipeg newspapers about the Board trying to follow the law, and when they said the law stands in the way, to put the Board out of existence." There is a good deal of loose talk about Bolshevism. Mr. Meighen tried to link the Farmers' party with Bolshevism, because it threatens his precarious hold on office, and now Mr. Carvell calls the Winnipeg papers Bolshevist because they criticize his Board. The Winnipeg papers need no defense from us, but their attitude during the strike in the summer of 1919 is fairly good evidence of their dislike of Bolshevism. There is nothing revolutionary about criticizing the Railway Commissioners, or even about proposing to abolish the Board, though that would be an extreme and, as we regard it, an unnecessary measure. The Railway Board is not a sacred thing nor an essential part of the constitution, but a statutory creation only a few years old. It is not even, in the strict sense, a court, for it occasionally wanders out of the field of law into that of politics and finance and declares that it is a national necessity that the Canadian Pacific Railway be kept in a healthy financial condition and that the National Railways ought not to be faced with an annual deficit. If criticism of these and other findings is Bolshevistic, we are afraid that the present Government of Canada falls under the curse, for it says, in reviewing the decision of the Board, "what constitutes a fair and reasonable rate should now be arrived at without reference to the requirements of the Canadian National system." If the Government is not tainted with Bolshevism, can the Board clear itself from that imputation while it assumes to take the place of Parliament in deciding a question of public policy? And if the Board and the Government may disagree why should the Press be silent? An exaggerated defence for persons in office is not essential to the maintenance of law, order and the constitution.

It was apparent that he had sufficient time permitted to leave the office. He went to the office of the chief enforcement officer in Manhattan who transferred him temporarily to another district.

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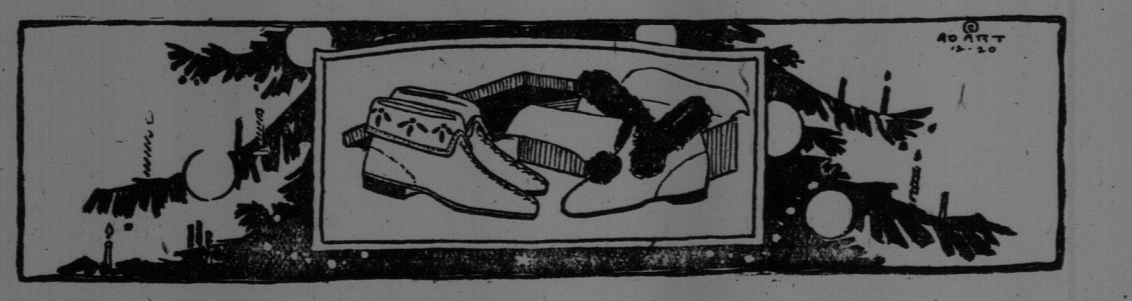
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DRY CHIEF USES FISTS TO STOP OFFICIAL LEAK

Captain Merrill Tells of Pummeling One of His Federal Agents in Brooklyn.

(New York Times)
A new method in the disciplining of a federal prohibition agent was revealed yesterday by Captain Eugene E. Merrill, Chief Prohibition Enforcement Agent in Brooklyn. Captain Merrill fought with the marines in France. Before that he was a lieutenant commander in the navy. He has been in charge of the prohibition office in Brooklyn since Nov. 15, and some things that have happened have not been to his liking. He told how he undertook to remedy matters. "For some time past there have been leaks in my office," the captain said. "Not leaks from seized evidence, but leaks as to the serving of search warrants. When my most trusted men arrived at a suspected place with a search warrant the place was always clean. It became so that I quit the use of search warrants. The climax came when some of my men went to a restaurant in Flatbush this week after a complaint had been made against it. When they arrived there they found that another of my men had preceded them by ten minutes. "On Wednesday evening I was in a restaurant in Brooklyn looking things over when this same man came in. He sat at another table, and immediately began to tell the people who ran the place that the thing he desired most was to get me in a room with himself and prove to me that he was the better man. I decided to give him a chance to do so. "Yesterday morning, when the entire force of men was in the office I locked the door leading to the corridor (the office is on the fourth floor of the Federal building in Brooklyn). I then closed the door leading to the office of the young lady stenographers and walked over to where this man was sitting. I told him to get on his feet. When he stood up I told him he was a skunk and that he was not fit company for the other men in the office, and that as he had evinced a desire to meet me man to man I was ready to accommodate him. "He put his hands up, but there was not much to him. Three or four uppercuts to the jaw and a few straight punches to the body sent him to the floor, where he chose to remain. When



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 - Dark Woolen Plaid Felt and Leather Sole, Bedroom Slippers, sewed with double row of inlaid stitching, **\$1.95, \$2.50, \$2.75**
 - Felt Cosy Slippers with chrome leather covered bottoms; black, red, navy blue, dark green, brown and grey, **\$1.50**
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 - Black and Brown Pulman Slippers, **\$2.35, \$3.25**
 - Misses' and Children's Red, Blue and Brown Strap and Plain Felt Slippers with extra wearing chrome bottoms, **85c., 95c., \$1.15, \$1.25, \$1.50**
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 - One Jap and one Crepe-de-Chine Night Gown, **\$8.25** value at, **\$4.95**
 - One Woolen Cape Scarf, Green Heather mixture with White trimming, **\$18.00** value at, **\$12.50**
 - One Blue Sleeveless Sweater, **\$5.00** at, **\$2.00**
 - 2 Bob Long Heavy Pull-Over Sweaters, **\$11.85** value at, **\$7.85**



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