

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday: Victoria and vicinity—Easterly and southerly winds, mostly cloudy and mild, with rain.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Playhouse—Pantomime. Royal—The Black Panther's Club. Capitol—The Man From Glenagary. Columbia—Queen of the Turf. Dominion—The Five Dollar Baby.

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Mr. Lloyd George Tells of Peace Conferences in 1922

Says Various Gatherings Showed That The World Was Regaining Composure—Washington, Cannes, Genoa and Their Significance—Reduction of Bolshevik Army—Thinks a Sinister Note, However, Is Sounded By France

D. Lloyd George

Special Cable to The Times (Copyright 1922)

The year 1922 witnessed a genuine struggle on the part of the nations to establish peace conditions in the world. During 1919-1920 and 1921, "the Tarantella was still in their blood."

one period, I think it was the year of grace 1920, there were thirty wars, great and small, proceeding simultaneously.

Who was to blame?

Everybody and nobody. Mankind had just passed through the most nerve shattering experience in all its racking history, and was not responsible for its actions.

REGAINING SANITY

Nineteen hundred and twenty-two was a year of restored composure. The outward visible sign was seen in the changed character of the international conferences held during the year.

OVERSTRAINED NERVES

But 1922 testifies to many striking symptoms of recovering sanity on the part of the tortured continents. Before 1922 you had everywhere the querulosity of the overstrained nerve; the slightest offence or misunderstanding, however unintentional, provoked a quarrel.

TWO LABOR MEN IN AUSTRALIA ELECTED TO THE SENATE

Sydney, N. S. W., Dec. 29.—(Canadian Press Cable via Reuters).—The counting of preference votes cast in the Australian federal election of December 16, which is proceeding slowly, indicates the election of two more labor members, McDougall and Grant, to the Senate.

NATIONAL HOME PLAN IS OUTLINED FOR ARMENIANS

Lausanne, Dec. 29.—Plans for an Armenian National Home, financed with a possible \$20,000,000 appropriation by the United States Congress or a popular loan in the United States, in addition to funds from other countries, were presented to the Near East Conference to-day by the United States delegation.

SUPPORTS PLAN FOR COMMISSION ON REPARATIONS

Secretary of State of the United States, who approves the suggestion that an independent commission, including prominent financiers of the United States, should study Germany's condition and make recommendations to solve the reparations problem.

TURKS REPORTED TO BE MOVING TROOPS TOWARD MOSUL NOW

6,000 Men Said to Be on Way to Oilfield From Van; Lausanne Conference Ends Sixth Week; Turks Awaiting Instruction From Angora.

Athens, Dec. 30.—The Turks are sending reinforcements in the direction of Mosul, the rich oil district, the ownership of which is in dispute at the Lausanne Conference, according to advices to the Central News from a reliable source.

A division of 6,000 Turkish troops, it is stated, has already left Van for Mosul.

ONE-THIRD OF TREATY SUM SUGGESTED AS REPARATIONS TOTAL

London, Dec. 30.—Premier Bonar Law will take to the conference of Premiers in Paris a complete plan upon which the British Cabinet passed judgment yesterday in the hope of obtaining a French agreement for a final settlement of the reparations problem, it was announced in British official quarters to-day.

Details of Mr. Bonar Law's reparations plan were not available, but it is believed it will set down Germany's total obligations at approximately one-third the Versailles Treaty figure.

British desire that the French should give Germany a fair trial under the new scheme, which, if it should not be productive of the desired results, would be supplemented by French schemes involving coercive methods.

It was stated in official circles this afternoon that it was believed the speech delivered by the United States Secretary of State in New Haven, Conn., last night would be helpful to the Paris conference.

LLOYD GEORGE TO GO ON SPANISH SHIP TO MOROCCO

Madrid, Dec. 30.—Spain has placed the cruiser Reina Regente at the disposal of David Lloyd George, the former British Prime Minister, who intends to visit various ports on the Moroccan coast during his stay in Spain.

BELIEVE GERMANS LAG WITH INTENT

French Say They Avoid Restoring Financial Stability That Is French Answer to U.S. Secretary's Speech

Paris, Dec. 30.—The French Government has made an intensive study of the reparations question for the last four years and is convinced Germany does not want to restore her financial stability if such a step would mean payment in full of a reasonable war indemnity.

CITY GETS MORE LIQUOR MONEY

Share of Profits Up to September 30 Is \$49,957.83

City Treasurer E. C. Smith received in this morning's City Hall mail a cheque for \$49,957.83 as Victoria's share of Provincial liquor profits for six months ending September 30.

MANY TO GET JOBS ON U.B.C. WORK

Government Orders Start at Point Grey Next Week But Only Family Men, and No Bachelors, to Go on Payroll

Arrangements have been completed here by Attorney-General Manson, the Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, and the Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Education, to start work on the clearing of the University site at Point Grey early next week.

FUEL DISTRIBUTION CONTROL PLAN IS CONTINUED IN U. S.

Washington, Dec. 30.—President Harding has decided to continue the existing federal control of fuel distribution for at least another month, it was announced to-day at the White House.

EIGHT MEN NEVER TO RETURN TO U.S.

Prison Terms Are Ended on That Condition Were Convicted of Violation of War-time Laws

Washington, Dec. 30.—The sentences of eight members of the Industrial Workers of the World, convicted in the Hollywood case of conspiracy and violation of war-time laws, were commuted by President Harding to-day to expire at once on condition that the eight prisoners leave the United States and never return.

HEAVY SUNSHINE RECORD FOR YEAR

134 Hours Above Average in 1922; Year Abnormally Cold and Dry

Weather conditions in Victoria during the year 1922 were abnormally sunny, dry and cool, owing to the abnormal movements of the great storm centres which passed to the south instead of to the North according to the report of Superintendent Napier Denison of the Meteorological Observatory to-day.

TO MODERNIZE U.S. BATTLESHIPS

Appropriation of \$6,500,000 Asked by Harding

Washington, Dec. 30.—A supplementary appropriation of \$6,500,000 for modernization of battleships was requested of Congress to-day by President Harding, who transmitted a letter from Secretary Denby declaring that as a result of the Washington Conference decisions the nation must adopt a new policy regarding its capital ships if they are "to be maintained at a standard of efficiency comparable with that of similar vessels of foreign powers."

BERNHARDT WISHES TO APPEAR ON STAGE

Says She Will Be Seen in the Theatre Next Wednesday

Paris, Dec. 30.—Whether Sarah Bernhardt, who announced yesterday that she would return to the stage next Wednesday, can persuade her physicians that she is ready for the opening performance of "Un Sûr de Roman" seems problematical.

AGENTS-GENERAL MAKE REQUEST

Canadian Provincial Spokesmen Would Deal Directly With British Government

Special to The Times. London, Dec. 30.—Agents-General of the Canadian provinces in London waited here to-day on Hon. W. S. Fielding, Canadian Minister of Finance, to ask that their official status be improved. F. C. Wade, Agent-General of British Columbia, who was the spokesman, stated that prior to Lord Strathcona's time the right of the provincial representatives to communicate direct with the Crown was recognized. He claimed that the only way in which provincial business could be done expeditiously and satisfactorily was by direct communication, and quoted many authorities to show that the Canadian Agents-General should enjoy the same status as the Agents-General of the States of the Australian Commonwealth.

BANK CLEARINGS FOR PAST YEAR

Total For Victoria During the Year Was \$105,775,654

Vancouver, \$682,964,537; New Westminster, \$27,367,208

Bank clearings in this city for the year totaled \$105,775,654, according to statistics issued to-day, as compared with \$122,416,244 the previous year. The clearings for the month of December just closed were \$9,003,294.

GERMANS BUSY BUILDING SHIPS

Restoring Merchant Fleet at Surprising Rate

Improvement in Economic Condition of Country

Washington, Dec. 30.—German industry is pulling away from what appeared a few weeks ago to be the brink of chaos and a turn in the economic tide in that country is due, according to opinions expressed by officials here on the basis of information received relating to shipbuilding and tobacco growing in Germany.

POLICE WATCH FOR GROVER C. BERGDOLL

Seek to Arrest U.S. Army Draft Dodger at Pensacola

Ships at Other Gulf of Mexico Ports Searched

YOUNG MAN SNIFFED DRUGS IN PUBLIC; SENTENCED

Montreal, Dec. 30.—A public exhibition of drug sniffing in a St. Lawrence Street restaurant during the noon hour rush was responsible for the arrest of Armand Bergeron, 21, who pleaded guilty to-day to having sniffed drugs in his possession and was sentenced to six months in jail or a fine of \$200.

O'CONNELL FIRE CHECKED IN TIME

Firemen Stop Flames After Twenty Minutes' Work Last Night

"Smoker's Carelessness" Cause Ascribed by Fire Marshal

Shortly after the premises had been closed for the evening fire broke out in the clothing store of J. D. O'Connell's, Ltd., at 817 Government Street, last night. The alarm was turned in at 6.17 p. m., five fire companies responding. On the way down to the fire the Yates Street engine crashed into an automobile and was put out of commission.

FRAUD CHARGES IN WASHINGTON

Ex-Assistant War Secretary and Others Indicted

Washington, Dec. 30.—Benedict Crowell, Assistant Secretary of War in the Wilson administration, and six other men associated with the Council of National Defence were indicted here to-day by a special grand jury investigating war frauds on charges of conspiracy to defraud the Government in construction of war-time army camps and cantonments.

SIX ITALIANS TO BE EXECUTED IN LOUISIANA

New Orleans, La., Dec. 30.—The death sentences twice imposed on six Italian nationals on charges of murder in connection with an attempt to rob a bank in the Strawberry section of Tangipahoa parish have been affirmed by the state Supreme Court.

CLEVELAND THUGS GOT \$20,000

Took Company's Money Intended For Men's Wages

Cleveland, Dec. 30.—Armed bandits to-day held up the paymaster of the Ferry Cap and Screw Company and escaped with the \$20,000 weekly payroll. The paymaster, who had just returned from a bank with the money, heavily guarded by an armed escort, was caught off his guard by the sudden raid.



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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Interesting Values in Men's Pure Wool Worsted Yarn Socks at 50c and 75c at The Shirt, Collar and Tie Shop Ltd., 718 Yates Street, Metropolitan Bldg.

Miss Griffith, Dressmaker, is temporarily conducting her business on top floor Woolworth Building, Suite 202. Phone 653.

The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will be holding their second annual dance on Tuesday, January 16, in Alexandra Ballroom, Ozard's Orchestra. Buffet supper. Gentlemen, \$1.00; ladies, 75c.


Delicious New Year's Dinner served at the Dominion Hotel on Monday from 5 to 8.30 for \$1.25. Make your reservations now.

### MOTHER AND FOUR CHILDREN KILLED

Asphyxiated When Gas Escaped in Kitchen

Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 30.—Mrs. Catherine R. Simone and her four young children were asphyxiated by gas escaping from a kitchen range and a water heater in their home early today. Mrs. Simone evidently was preparing breakfast for her husband, a night worker, when all were overcome. He discovered the bodies upon his return home. He was so overwhelmed by the tragedy that he was removed to a hospital.

The monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Association will be held on Thursday morning, January 4, at 10.30, in the Market Building, instead of Tuesday, the usual day.



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### TWO MEN FACE ROBBERY CHARGE

Extradition From New York to Mount Forest, Ont., Asked

New York, Dec. 30.—Floyd Nolan of Memphis, Tenn., and Lewis Austin of Tulsa, Okla., were held by Federal Commissioner Hitchcock today for a hearing January 6 on complaint of Frederick Watson, British consul, who asked they be extradited to Canada to face the charge of robbery on December 15 of \$40,000 from the Royal Bank of Canada at Mount Forest, Ont. Both men, Federal authorities said, have served sentences in Texas jails.

### BUSINESS FAILURES

Toronto, Dec. 30.—Failures in Canada and Newfoundland for the week ended December 29 totalled seventy-six, as compared with sixty-three in the corresponding week of 1921, according to Dun's Bulletin news report.

### TONNAGE ENTERING AND LEAVING PORT IN 1922

Statistics covering the number of vessels, both ocean and coastwise, arriving and departing at this port between January 1 and December 29, 1922, as compiled at the Customs House, to-day, are as follows:

Inwards		Outwards	
No. of Vessels	Net Tonnage	No. of Vessels	Net Tonnage
2,673	2,233,853	2,706	1,599,954
Inwards From Sea			
CARGO			
	No. of Vessels	Net Tonnage	Tons Weight Measurement
With cargo	1,053	3,510,764	25,393 8,693
In ballast	1,979	1,051,446	.....
Outwards To Sea			
	No. of Vessels	Net Tonnage	Tons Weight Measurement
With cargo	1,129	1,146,682	34,092 4,490
In ballast	1,603	1,805,724	.....

### NO ACTION TO BE TAKEN ON FISHERY REPORT

Telegraphic advice has to-day been received from the Department at Ottawa to the effect that no action will be taken on the Fisheries Commission report that will affect next season's operations and that the existing regulations and policy including the reduction in Oriental licenses decided upon and advised through the press last August will govern the industry during the season of 1923. As far as the reduction in the number of licenses which will be issued for the season 1923 to other than resident white British subjects or Canadian Indians, the following will obtain:

**Salmon Gill-Nets**  
District No. 1—Fifteen per cent.  
District No. 2—Nasas River, 12 per cent.; Skeena River, 10 per cent.; Rivers Inlet and Smith's Inlet, 50 per cent.; all other portions of this district, 15 per cent.  
District No. 3—Fifteen per cent.  
The reduction in salmon trolling will be 50 per cent. of the number issued for the season 1922, which equals another third of the number issued in 1921.  
The reduction in the number of herring purse-seines and gill-net licenses will be a general one of 15 per cent. of the number issued in 1922.

### HARDING PLANS U. S. TO SHARE IN ECONOMIC DEBATE

Washington, Dec. 30.—Although privately stating that he was prepared to offer it as an amendment to some other bill should the necessity arise, Senator Borah's decision to withhold his proposal for an international economic conference as an amendment to the Naval Appropriation Bill was regarded to-day as settling the immediate issue which has held the Senate in its grip for nearly a week.

**Soundings Out Situation.**  
The Idaho Senator's announcement that he would withhold the proposed amendment came as the climax of the senate battle late yesterday. Administration assurances had been given by Senator Watson of Indiana that the President already was sounding out the situation in a way which might lead to a movement aiding in the adjustment of economic conditions in Europe. He appealed to Senator Borah for this reason not to press his proposed resolution.

### LIQUOR FOUND ON U. S. ARMY SHIP AT HONOLULU

Honolulu, Dec. 30.—Prohibition enforcement agents and customs officials to-day seized 132 bottles of liquor, including brandy, wine, curacao and vermouth, aboard the United States army transport Meigs, which had just arrived from Japan. Customs officers said two of the ship's officers would be examined in connection with the seizure.

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### EXPERIMENTS ON UNEMPLOYED HERE

Psycho-analysis and Auto-suggestion Administered to 12 Men by Prof. Baker

Three of the twelve unemployed who subjected themselves to experimentation with psycho-analysis, auto-suggestion and other forms of psychology at the hands of Professor R. S. Baker, head of the psychologists here, have already got jobs, it was announced this afternoon.  
The treatments of psycho-analysis and auto-suggestion were administered a couple of days ago by Dr. Baker. Although this, the last week in the year, has been a slow week, two of the men thus treated immediately got jobs, while a third did shortly afterwards. The others will likely get their jobs early next week, Dr. Baker said.  
The experiments on the twelve idle men were carried out here by Professor Baker solely in the interests of science and to see whether it might not be possible to cure the unemployment problem here by the administration of psycho-analysis and auto-suggestion. The mentality of the men is not impaired by these treatments, but is considerably strengthened, they drop their pessimism and discouragement and almost immediately gain confidence in themselves.

### OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

London, Dec. 30.—(Canadian Press Cable)—The first football games played in the Old Country to-day follow:  
**English League—First Division**  
Arsenal 2, Stoke 0.  
Aston Villa 1, Preston North End 0.  
Sunderland 5, Birmingham 3.  
Blackburn Rovers 5, West Bromwich Albion 0.  
Bolton Wanderers 0, Cardiff City 0.  
Sheffield United 2, Burnley 1.  
Chelsea 0, Liverpool 0.  
Everton 0, Huddersfield Town 2.  
Manchester City 3, Oldham Athletic 2.  
Middlesboro 2, Tottenham Hot-spurs 0.  
Notts Forest 0, Newcastle United 1.  
**Second Division.**  
Barnsley 0, Leicester 1.  
Blackpool 3, The Wednesday 1.  
Bradford City 1, Crystal Palace 1.  
Bury 2, Stockport 0.  
Clapton Orient 5, Rotherham 1.  
Coventry City 1, Wets Ham United 3.  
**Derby County 0, Notts County 0.**  
Hull City 2, Manchester United 1.  
Portvale 1, Leeds United 2.  
Southampton 2, Fulham 0.  
Wolverhampton W. 1, South Shields 0.  
Accrington S. 4, Halifax T. 1.  
Chesterfield 2, Durham City 1.  
Crewe A. 1, Tranmere Rovers 0.  
Grimsby Town 0, Bradford 1.  
Lincoln City 1, Barrow 1.  
Nelson 4, Hartlepool U. 1.  
Rochdale 2, Ashington 0.  
Stalybridge 1, A. Darlington 2.  
Wiganboro C. 1, Walsall 3.  
Wrexham 1, Southport 1.  
**Third Division—Southern Section.**  
Bristol Rovers-Norwich C. postponed.  
Charlton Athletics 0, Watford 0.  
Reading 2, Exeter City 3.  
Gillingham 1, Bristol City 1.  
Luton Town 2, Millwall 2.  
**Fourth Division—Southern Section.**  
Northampton 0, Brighton and Hove Albion 0.  
Plymouth A.-Brentford, postponed.  
Queens Park Rovers 0, Portsmouth 1.  
Swansea T. 5, Aberdare A. 1.  
Swindon T. 2, Newport C. 2.  
**SCOTTISH LEAGUE.**  
**First Division.**  
Airdrieonians 2, Ayr United 1.  
Clyde 2, Partick Thistle 0.  
Dundee 4, Albion Rovers 0.  
Hearts 1, Hamilton Athletics 2.  
Kilmarnock 1, Hibernians 0.  
Morton 1, Alloa 0.  
Motherwell 3, Falkirk 2.  
Raith Rovers 0, Celtic 3.  
Rangers 1, Aberdeen 1.  
Third Lanark 1, St. Mirren 2.

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### SCHOONER SENDS CALL FOR HELP

Craft With Rum Cargo in Distress Off Nova Scotia

Halifax, Dec. 30.—The British auxiliary schooner Dorin, with a cargo of rum, to-day sent out an S.O.S. call. Her position was 75 miles south of Sambro Lightship.

### \$10,000 LICENSE SCARES OFF MOST LIQUOR WAREHOUSES

Only Six Likely to Continue Business in B.C.

Beer-sellers to Go to Jail, Starting Monday


All except about six of the 27 liquor warehouses which have been operating in British Columbia will go out of business to-day.  
Their disappearance will be the result of the law Attorney-General Manson had put through the Legislature this month increasing the license from \$2,000 a year to \$10,000.  
Most of the warehouses which will continue in business will be merely branches of the Consolidated Exporters Corporation, which is the official name for the private liquor trust in this Province, formed by the individual houses in an attempt to resist the inroads made on their business by the Government. The trust will have to pay \$10,000 licence for each warehouse.  
During the last year there have been nearly 40 warehouses operating in various parts of the Province.  
Commencing Monday a straight jail sentence of from one to three months will be what beer-sellers will get instead of merely a small fine for first offence. This is aimed at clubs as well as private bootleggers.  
Next week annual liquor permits will be cut from \$5 to \$2, and beer permits from \$2 to \$1. All single purchase and tourist permits will be done away with.

### OBITUARY RECORD

There passed away last evening at a late hour at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, George Chadwick LeLievre, aged 72 years, a native of Victoria, lately residing at Penitence, B. C. He leaves to mourn his loss his parents, brothers and sisters. The remains are reposing at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, from where the funeral will take place Tuesday afternoon, January 2, at 2 o'clock. The remains will be laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of the late Alexander Riddell took place yesterday afternoon from the B. C. Funeral Chapel, where service was conducted by the Rev. Dr. Campbell. There was a large attendance of friends and relatives and many beautiful floral tributes covered the casket and hearse. The hymns sung were "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "O God, Our Help in Ages Past." The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. E. C. Hayward, T. W. C. Hawkins, J. T. Muirhead, N. P. Macdonald, E. B. L. Rogerson and C. A. Webb. The remains were laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of baby Edith Frances Garrett, the ten weeks' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garrett, of 480



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Criddle Street, Esquimalt, took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. F. C. Chapman officiated. Relatives and numerous friends were in attendance, and the little casket was covered with many beautiful flowers. Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of the late Christopher Storey, who passed away at the residence of his sons last Tuesday, took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, when Rev. Dr. W. J. Stippell officiated. Relatives and a large gathering of friends attended, and the casket was covered with many beautiful flowers. The pallbearers were Messrs. Joseph Curry, James Boydell, John Baxter, M. Dwyer, J. Ellis and Larson. Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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**WOOD BUFFALO TO BE PROTECTED**

Large Area in Northern Alberta Is Made National Park

Last Remaining Herd in Natural Wild State

Ottawa, Dec. 30.—Action has been taken by the Government to set aside a large area along the Peace, Little Buffalo and Slave Rivers in the Province of Alberta, as a national park for the preservation of the wood buffalo, in their natural habitat in the vicinity of Fort Smith. This area is set aside, it is stated officially, because otherwise there is grave danger of the only remaining herd of buffalo in their natural wild state becoming extinct.

**"MOONSHINE" WAS SEIZED IN STORE IN EUGENE, ORE.**

Eugene, Ore., Dec. 30.—In a raid on a cigar store here owned by Jack Fulton, former matchmaker of boxing for the Eugene Boxing Commission, twelve gallons of "moonshine" were confiscated and Fulton was arrested yesterday afternoon. He was unable to give \$1,500 bail and was locked up in the county jail.

Life is like tennis, in that the player who doesn't serve well usually loses in the end.

**DOES NOT BELIEVE WOLVES ATE MEN**

Arthur Heming Discredits Northern Ontario Story

Toronto, Dec. 30.—Arthur Heming, nature student and writer, is skeptical regarding the Port Arthur story telling of the alleged Northern Ontario tragedy in which wolves had devoured an old trapper and two Indians in the Sturgeon River country. In fact he says he does not believe a word of it.

"Ever since boyhood I have trailed these wolf yarns," said Mr. Heming, "and have found nothing but flub-dub. An old Hudson's Bay factor, after a long life, knew of one death, an old man having been killed by a wolf, but that wolf was suffering from distemper. In other words, it was like a mad dog."

"As to wolf packs, the largest so-called pack of which I have any knowledge or could get any authentic information was one of eight males. These stories are absolutely ridiculous."

"I am not alone. All naturalists agree with me."

**GREETINGS SENT BY MR. LARKIN**

Message to Canada From High Commissioner in London

Message Also Cabled by Lord Burnham

Calgary, Dec. 30.—The Calgary Herald has received the following cable messages of New Year greetings to the Canadian public and friends in this country, which by arrangement with the senders are transmitted over the Canadian Press wires to the daily press of the Dominion:

"London, Eng., Dec. 29, 1922. 'I highly appreciate your courtesy in giving me the opportunity of extending to the readers of your Canadian papers my very best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year.'

"In looking back on the year that just closing, in so far as Canada is concerned, I see so many encouraging signs of a general revival of business activities that I look forward with unbounded confidence to the next twelve months, which I am sure will mean to us greater development and prosperity to our country."

Best New Year greetings to my fellow-countrymen.

(Sgd.) P. C. LARKIN.

"London, Eng., Dec. 29, 1922. 'My wife and I shall never forget the prodigious and hearty reception in Canada during the Imperial Press Conference.'

"I rejoice to hear of Canada's returning prosperity and strongly urge the glorious fertility of the West by British settlement. Very little can be done without cordial cooperation between the national Governments and private enterprise. Now is the crucial opportunity."

(Sgd.) BURNHAM.

**OPPOSE CAPITAL PUNISHMENT LAW**

Members of Canadian Prisoners' Welfare Association Urge Change

Montreal, Dec. 30.—Legislation for the abolition of capital punishment during the forthcoming session of Parliament will be asked by the Canadian Prisoners' Welfare Association and many of its supporters. Hanging of women is especially opposed and efforts will be made to prevent the carrying out of the death sentence passed on Florence Lassandra, to take place at Fort Saskatchewan on February 21.

**WARM TORONTO ELECTION CAMPAIGN**

Toronto, Dec. 30.—Two candidates for the majority and sixty-two for the Council are now in the home stretch of what is probably the warmest municipal election campaign in the history of Toronto. Never before has the issue been so definite and the line so sharply drawn among the candidates. Political, sectarian and racial questions among the candidates have been eradicated, and the candidates have divided entirely on the question as to whether or not the candidate is in favor of an agreement between the city and the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission regarding the entrance to the city of a six-track radial railway along the city's newly developed waterfront. The agreement itself will be also submitted directly to the ratepayers next Monday.

**WAGE POSITION IN BRITAIN REVIEWED**

Fall in Workers' Earnings Continued in 1922

London, Dec. 30 (Canadian Press Cable).—A review of the wage position in Great Britain shows that the heavy fall which began in 1921 has been continuous, and with the exception of railway service wages, has reached its lowest point in the history of the chief industries. The reductions have amounted to as much as 25,000,000 in the weekly wages in 1922 following the drop of £7,000,000 in 1921. The prospects of some improvement in wages are reasonably assuring. The coal industry is already absorbing all its unemployed. In the iron and steel engineering trades, however, there is still much unemployment.

The loss of working days through trade disputes has not been so great this year as in 1921, when the three months of stoppage of coal mining occurred, but even so, nearly 19,000,000 working days have been lost this year, chiefly as a result of differences between employees and employers in the shipbuilding and engineering trades.

**MONTREAL'S 1922 FIRE RECORD**

Eight Persons Lost Lives; 138 Injured; 850 Animals Killed

Montreal, Dec. 30.—Eight Montrealers lost their lives, 138 were burned, injured or overcome by gas and 850 animals were killed in the course of fires in this city during the last twelve months.

While the records at the headquarters of the Montreal fire department do not show the monetary losses from fire, they indicate that the year 1922 was one of the most disastrous in the history of the city from the firemen's point of view. The large number of fires in big institutions, particularly Catholic, was one of the principal causes of the heavy loss of life and property.

**POET IN PRISON IS MADE A PICK AND SHOVEL MAN**

New York, Dec. 30.—Sing Sing Prison authorities asked James Morrissey what his business was when he arrived there to begin a two-year sentence for carrying a concealed weapon in Westchester County.

He replied that he was a poet.

"What do you want to work at in prison?" asked the attendant.

"Writing poetry," said Morrissey.

He was told that writing poetry was not on the approved list of jobs for convicts, and he was put to work with a pick and shovel.

**SLEIGH ACCIDENT CAUSED DEATH OF AGED PRAIRIE MAN**

Moosomin, Sask., Dec. 30.—Wrapped in a horse blanket beside a broken sleigh, the body of Angus McMillan was found a mile from Moosomin, McMillan, who was seventy years of age and who suffered from heart disease, is believed to have died of shock when the tongue of his sleigh broke, throwing him against the dashboard of the vehicle.

**BODY OF CHINESE FOUND NEAR BRIGHOUSE; CASE OF SUICIDE**

Brighouse, B. C., Dec. 30.—The body of a Chinaman, whose name and address have not been discovered, was picked up about one mile west of the Sea Island bridge to the mainland in the north arm of the Fraser River about 2 p. m. yesterday. Chief Andrew Waddell stated no marks of violence were found, and that it appeared to be a case of suicide.

**\$1,000,000,000 CREDITS URGED**

Senator Suggests U. S. Sell Foodstuffs to Germany

Introduces Bill in Washington Upper House

Washington, Dec. 30.—Extension of credits to Germany up to a maximum of \$1,000,000,000 for use in buying foodstuffs in the United States is proposed in a bill introduced yesterday by Senator Bursum, Republican, New Mexico, and referred to the Finance Committee.

The bill, which Senator Bursum said was framed "on sound business lines," would authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to reimburse American producers of foodstuffs for their commodities purchased by the German Government and also to pay for the transportation of such products. Germany in return would place as security bonds secured by industrial obligations and repay the amount loaned within ten years, and in the meantime pay interest at five per cent.

The credits to be extended might amount to \$50,000,000 a month. The United States Treasury Department would issue bonds to cover the credits.

**MONEY ORDER FRAUDS REPORTED**

Warning Issued by Post Office Department of Canada

Ottawa, Dec. 30.—The Post Office Department has issued a further warning against accepting money orders from unidentified strangers. Raised money orders, it is found, are still being accepted by business firms in this way.

The Department adds that it can accept no responsibility for losses sustained.

**MRS. L. J. GEISER WAS FOUND DEAD IN VANCOUVER**

Vancover, Dec. 30.—Locked in the bedroom of her home at 1562 Triumph Street, police yesterday discovered the body of Mrs. L. J. Geiser, 30. Death, which occurred several days ago, is believed to have been due to natural causes.

As far as the police have been able to learn, the woman's only relatives are in Bourne-mouth, England, from where she came to Vancouver eighteen years ago.

**AIR PATROL SERVICE IS PROPOSED AT NATIONAL PARK**

Banff, Alta., Dec. 30.—A survey of suitable aerodrome and landing sites in connection with the proposed National Park has been completed by the Acting Director of the Airway, and the Inspector of Canadian National Parks. An aerodrome site near Canmore in the Rocky Mountains, and eight other essential landing places were selected in the two parks, as well as a number of emergency and non-essential landing grounds.

With the opening of the Banff-Windermere motor highway across the Rockies, and the resulting increase in traffic through the parks the fire hazard will be considered, and it is believed that the establishment of an aeroplane patrol service will be of great importance in this connection. Owing to the mountainous nature of the country the regular warden service is handicapped in its patrol work and the feasibility of aeroplanes in augmenting the service has been under consideration by the Department of the Interior for some time.

**A. HAUPT DIED IN YOKOHAMA**

Yokohama, Dec. 30.—August Haupt, president of the Japan Sailing Company of New York, died here yesterday. Mr. Haupt had been suffering from insomnia.

**CAR SHOPS TO REOPEN.**

Moose Jaw, Dec. 30.—The car shops of the Canadian Pacific Railway here, which were closed December 22, will be opened again January 2, officials have announced.

**NEWS AND NOTES FROM THE MINES**

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**VANCOUVER ISLAND NEWS**

**PLEASANT EVENT HELD AT SAYWARD**

Christmas Tree and Social Evening Greatly Enjoyed

Special to The Times  
 Sayward—The Sayward Progressive Association gave a Christmas tree and social evening and dance, held at the Sayward schoolhouse on Wednesday night, January 3, at 2 p. m.

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 The flying cloud, the  
 frosty light,  
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 and let him die.

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 Ring in the new,  
 Ring out the false,  
 Ring in the true,  
 Ring happy bells across  
 the snow,  
 The year is going let him go.

Tennyson.

**SHELLY BROS**  
 1923

**been temporarily shut down on account of weather conditions.**

Mining Development.  
 Controlling large coal properties south and east of the Crow's Nest station, the Spokane and Alberta Coal and Coke Company, an American concern, is spending considerable money at the present time in development. The company, which looks to Spokane and the Pacific Northwest as its market, expects to be shipping coal this winter. A large force of miners will be employed, it is understood, after rail facilities are opened up.

Permission has been granted by the Canadian Pacific Railway for the linking up of the company's three mile spur with the Crow main line, just east of Crow's Nest. This spur is under construction. Grant Smith, McDonnell & Company, main contractor on the Lethbridge Northern Irrigation Project, having the contract. They are making rapid progress despite the low temperature and mountain snows.

The Spokane and Alberta Coal and Coke Company is composed of Spokane mining men and capitalists, with L. K. Armstrong as general manager. They have been doing some development work for over a year, but not until arrangements were made for the linking up of the property with the railway could actual mining of coal be accomplished. The headquarters of the company are in Spokane.

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THE YEAR 1922.

When all things have been taken into account the City of Victoria and the surrounding communities have had very little to complain about in the year that is now about to close. Economic conditions obtaining here during the last twelve months would compare very favorably with those of other more industrially favored communities.

As far as the immediate neighborhood is concerned our building activity may be taken as the most reliable barometer of economic conditions. The total values involved in this connection considerably exceed those of last year and more than double the annual figures which used to cheer us up considerably a little more than ten years ago.

Of particular interest to ourselves and of value in our appeal for more visitors and residents is the fact that Victoria is one of the healthiest cities on the American continent. The year's report contains a wealth of important statistical data that should and no doubt will be capitalized by our publicity bureau.

In the country as a whole there is much to be thankful for. Canada has just harvested a great crop—the largest since 1915. Her export trade has increased month by month. The relationship between imports and exports continues to improve the favorable trade balance.

From such economic backwash as this country has suffered it has been possible to extract consolation from the fact that no part of the New World has escaped it. One exception may be permitted. California at the present time is experiencing a boom in return for a lavish expenditure to increase its tourist business.

As for the world in general the prospect is not so pleasing. None the less it can be said that in spite of the dark clouds which are hanging over the Near East and Europe as a whole there are signs of hope and final deliverance from international nagging and perpetual strife.

AN INDUSTRIES BOARD.

It is difficult to believe our morning contemporary is serious in its suggestion that the grant which the city gives to the Victoria-Publicity Bureau might be diverted to an Industries Board which, it is claimed, should be established here. Obviously, the only effective work a Board such as is proposed could do must be on public lines and this is now being done by the Victoria-Publicity Bureau, an established organization with widespread connections, much more efficiently than any newly-created body could do it.

An Industries Board could not start industries itself or promote them by giving financial subsidies, loans or guarantees, because it would not have the funds or credit for the purpose. The amount placed at the disposal of the Industries Board, set up by the Provincial Government several years ago at the instigation of many public

bodies, was something like a million dollars, on which there is bound to be a substantial loss as far as the Provincial Treasury is concerned. Of this sum more than \$250,000 had been loaned to industries on Vancouver Island up to the end of 1921. Only six of the seventy-six industries assisted by that Board in British Columbia had repaid their loans by the end of last year. How far would \$25,000 go in that direction?

The best a local Industries Board could do, therefore, would be to give publicity to our resources and its own opinion of the industrial opportunities of Vancouver Island, which already is being done by the Publicity Bureau, reinforced by the Victoria Chamber of Commerce. But in the last analysis, of course, hard-headed men of business will not invest their money unless the prospects of success commend themselves to their own independent judgment as favorable.

To our mind the large movement of Canadians to Southern California—from Ontario and the Prairies as well as from British Columbia—is a striking demonstration of the value of an energetic publicity organization. Everybody, at all familiar with the development of Southern California knows, of course, that the basis of it was the appeal Los Angeles and its environs made to the whole world on account of their scenic, residential and climatic advantages—an appeal on which millions of dollars have been expended. Last year several hundred thousands were appropriated solely to advertise Los Angeles as a Summer, as well as a Winter, resort. With the expansion of population by the exploitation of the natural charms industrial activity necessarily followed, just as the settlement of the rural districts in Ontario was followed by the establishment of factories in the cities with which to supply the settlers with their needs.

Incidentally, it ought to be borne in mind that a large part of the stream of people flowing to Southern California comes from industrial centres of the Eastern States whose factories are operating on half time and whose slum conditions—the like of which Victoria never has seen, by the way—are pitiable. Los Angeles, of course, has a big advantage in being in a populous state which, in turn, has a hundred million people behind it. But she has made herself what she is by thirty-five years of sheer publicity of the same kind now carried on, but in a much more limited measure, here. We might add that the construction of a three hundred thousand dollar ferry steamer now begun here is directly due to the activities of the Victoria-Publicity Bureau in promoting the Anaerotes Ferry. That is one practical way to develop industries.

THE BORAH AMENDMENT.

Although indications of American participation in subsequent attempts to restore the economic equilibrium of Europe are not very definite at the moment the President's message to Senator Borah and the observations of Secretary of State Hughes last night lend color to the belief that something is "in the wind."

It is highly probable that the Idaho Senator's amendment in debate might have rendered the political situation somewhat uncomfortable for the British mission headed by Mr. Baldwin. On that account the President no doubt dropped the hint that the purpose which Senator Borah had in mind might be achieved some other way—now under consideration.

THE BEST TEST.

It has been announced from New York that on New Year's Eve Mr. Arbuckle will appear in person at a music hall when two of the films in which he is the dominant figure will be shown.

This is the best course the portly comedian could take to discover for himself just what the public thinks of his contemplated return to the industry in which he was an undoubted success. If he has a grain of intelligence he will take his cue from the reception that will be accorded him. If it should be favorable he will probably expect similar greetings elsewhere and no doubt govern himself accordingly. If it should be the reverse he will probably drop out of the limelight altogether.

In any event neither permission to return to the movies nor condemnatory resolutions will settle the issue. It rests with the patron. He will decide.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Chinese canaries are apparently gifted with a keen sense of propriety where music is concerned. They positively refuse to warble to the strains of what is popularly termed "jazz."

For one year the Coast regions of British Columbia have observed the rule of "turn to the right." But none of those terrible tragedies, those motor wrecks, inquests, and what not, that were going to litter the calendar have come to pass in consequence.

News from London indicates that if Great Britain should become embroiled with Turkey the British Government will consult the Dominions. Yes, we can quite understand that there will be no more feverish messages of the Churchill type.

OUR CONTEMPORARIES

A HAPPY WEST

London Free Press.—It is to the interests of the east to see that the western farmers get fair treatment and every possible cent for their products. A discontinued west soon reflects on the prosperity of eastern Canada.

YES, WHY NOT?

Manitoba Free Press.—The French government has presented Canada with 250 acres to establish a permanent memorial park at Vimy Ridge. Perhaps we need something in Canada too that we may not forget what our sons did there.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legibly written. The chance of insertion, all communications must bear the name and address of the writer. The publication or rejection of the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

CHIROPRACTIC CONTROVERSY.

To the Editor.—I note "By-stander's" Letter on the Medico-Chiropractic controversy and his argument that people supporting the chiropractors are ungrateful and prone to forget what they owe to the medical profession. I do not agree with his point of view, however. No one is attacking the medical profession or denying the good they have done or the absolute impossibility of doing without them. We honor them for their work and overlook their shortcomings, believing that they do their best. Incidentally I have been associated with medical men all my life and some of my more intimate friends are amongst them, so I should be prejudiced in their favor. They are far from being infallible as "By-stander" would have us believe. "By-stander" would claim that because the medical profession has achieved so much by hard work, study and money, that we must try any other remedy that positively forbids it; we are the only registered men, licensed to take your money in this province, and if you don't like it change your representative.

"We are spending large sums of money on a Home for Incurables. Go to it." "By-stander" illustrates his argument by saying, no one would be willing to travel on a steamship whose engineer had refused to qualify himself on the usual lines. Granted, but the analogy is that of a certified steam engineer in the case of a wreck refusing to let his passengers get off with a man in a gas boat because he did not see how it could work.

This is not right. Every man has the inalienable right to protect his life and health as he may see best. "By-stander" forgets that of that 20,000 "ungrateful" patients fully 90 per cent have been under the registered medical men before they went to the chiropractors. The medical men have diagnosed and doped them for months and years, being able only to afford temporary relief. Eventually these people, without faith but as a forlorn hope have been persuaded to try chiropractic, and to their astonishment have rapidly regained their health and freedom of their limbs. As for children, I know of one who could not feed herself and had to be constantly attended, in spite of the best medical treatment; who is now happy, normal school girl, thanks to chiropractic treatment. Is it to be wondered at that these people, not one or two, but numbered by the thousands, year tens of thousands, insist that the chiropractors have a fair deal and not be burked by a hostile majority of examiners who have no intention of letting them pass?

There is no reason why a chiropractic college should not hold its own examinations in and certain certified necessary subjects, agreed upon use the same examination papers that are set for the ordinary medical student, all taking the exam. at the same time. This would obviate the chance of cap questions being set which only the examiner himself could answer. The whole idea of the recent enquiry as I read it seemed to be to discredit the chiropractors and their theory. The evidence of the doctors was taken as gospel whilst that of the chiropractors was discounted. Is it evidence when a man says he knows nothing about chiropractic but it is all damned nonsense? I have heard the same remark about a forked willow turning down over water in some hands, which science cannot explain. In the same way when ten thousand people swear that they have been cured by a certain treatment and Dr. McKeechie says that they haven't is he not on a par with the man in the asylum who thought everyone was mad but himself. Whose evidence would be taken in a court of law?

Professor Whitnall may have proved to Mr. Jackson that subluxation of the spine is a fallacy but he has not proved to the people that the bones of the spine cannot be moved or adjusted or advanced; any scientific reason for the positive results of such adjustment to him it is all "damned nonsense" and the chairman is convinced. How is it that the young boy brought for demonstration in diagnosis who was declared to be "dangerously ill and ought to be in the hospital" by the medical men has been working at his trade every day since and one adjustment has relieved him of his peculiar twitching of his arm for which he visited him. Finally the medical men beyond dogmatic denials have advanced no proof that the adjustment of the spine made by the chiropractors do not make the cures that are claimed for them. Nor have they shown any possibility of harm resulting from their treatment except from allowing some disease to run on which the chiropractor cannot cure and which he has failed to diagnose. Presuming the chiropractic theory of diagnosis is wrong, there should still be the minimum of risk as most of his patients have been first through medical hands. The issue is Mr. Wismer said, is squarely on the shoulders of Mr. Oliver, Mr. Manson and Mr. Jackson, and the contempt with which Mr. Oliver treated his petitioners when he said "if you don't like it change your representatives" was to say the least, ill advised. Chiropractic, even though it did only what the medical men claim, made people imagine they were well and able to go about their ordinary business, would be worth fostering and the closest inquiry as to the reason for such results, since the chiropractors claim far more—that they can alleviate and cure many diseases and disabilities which have resisted orthodox treatment, and so many patients back them up in these claims and demand their recognition, it would have been more in the public interest had the Government committed itself to take evidence on a series of test cases to prove or disprove the efficacy of chiropractic treatment instead of taking one man's word as evidence that it was all nonsense. The esteem and honor in which the medical profession is held would have been more enhanced had the \$15,000 it expended to win this case been employed in a searching enquiry into the scientific reasoning of the results of chiropractic. As it is they have convinced no one

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but the chairman that it is a fallacy, or that cures are not genuine. G. E. GODDARD, Sidney, B. C.

CARNIVAL STATEMENT.

To the Editor.—Since my letter of December 20, which appeared in your columns after a number of other correspondents had reached the G. W. V. A. to publish a financial statement of the Fall Carnival, I have watched the correspondence columns of both The Times and The Colonist for some response on their part. The only thing that has so far emanated from G. W. V. A. headquarters to date, however, is a highly colored description of the wonders of their forthcoming "Extravaganza," in which reference was made to the Fall Carnival at which "over \$3,000 was taken in." This very vague and ambiguous announcement was doubtless meant to meet the repeated requests for a statement of receipts and expenditures. Unfortunately the public is still very much in the dark. We know that "more than \$3,000 was taken in"—very much more—but what we want to know is exactly how much more and how much of the amount extracted from an easy-going public in the sacred name of charity actually reached that charity. The G. W. V. A. say they have an audited statement; if that is so the public is entitled to see it before another attempt (such as contemplated) is made to appeal to their large-heartedness again. As the G. W. V. A. are deaf to all requests for a full, detailed statement of receipts and expenditures of the Fall Carnival there seems to be nothing left to do but to challenge them to publish it. Failure on their part to do so can only be interpreted in one way. CHAS. SHEPHEARD, 326 Douglas Street, Dec. 29.

The WEATHER Daily Bulletin furnished by the Victoria Weather-station Department.

Victoria, Dec. 29.—5 a. m.—The barometer remains low on the Coast and rain has been general southward to California. Zero temperatures are becoming general in the prairies. Reports: Victoria—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 43; minimum, 29; wind, 10 miles S. E.; rain, .02; weather, raining. Vancouver—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 42; minimum, 28; wind, 6 miles E.; rain, .18; weather, cloudy.

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Quebec, Dec. 29.—(Canadian Press)—Arthur Sauve, Leader of the Opposition, speaking in the Legislative Assembly, criticized the administration for disposal of Crown lands in the Province of Quebec. He repeated his charges that certain politicians had made fortunes out of politics. Mr. Sauve said he had claimed on many occasions that even Ministers had made fortunes out of politics and that he had asked for a full inquiry into his charges, but the Government had refused to grant him his request. Mr. Sauve moved a motion of censure in connection with the administration of Crown lands. The Speaker declared Mr. Sauve's motion out of order and the Leader of the Opposition appealed to the House, a vote being taken; the Speaker's decision was maintained by a division of five to fifty-one.

SPEAKER'S RULING UPHELD BY HOUSE

No Motion of Censure Against Quebec Government

Temperature table with columns for Max. Min. and locations: Tatoosh, Grand Forks, Nelson, Kaslo, Regina, Edmonton, Qu'Appelle, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, St. John, Halifax.

SEATTLE SCOUTS VISIT

Stuart P. Walsh, executive head of the Boy Scout movement in Seattle, was in this city yesterday with eight Patrol Leaders from the Seattle troops. The American Scouts were entertained by the members of the local association. A demonstration of Wolf Cub work was given by the James Bay Pack, and later the visitors were fed at a "buff feed" held in the headquarters of the St. Mary's troop. The visitors were much impressed with the Wolf Cub work, and keenly appreciative of the courtesy extended to them while in this city.

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## BURGLARS TAKE HOLIDAY WHISKY

Provincial Police are out looking for the men who were so determined to have a merry Christmas, although they didn't have the price to pay for it, that they raided the Government liquor store at McBride, three nights before Christmas Eve.

The burglars got away with eight full cases of whisky and brandy which had been put in stock for the festive rush. The liquors stolen are valued at around \$600. Residents of the district have complained to the police that robbery was particularly despicable because many of them were unable to make their plum puddings and hard sauces as interesting as they had intended.

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### SUES CITY FOR DAMAGE TO CAR

W. W. Harvey has issued a writ against the city, claiming \$500 for damages to his automobile, which rolled over a street embankment near the armories some months ago. City Solicitor H. S. Pringle announced today. No statement of claim describing the accident in detail has been filed yet. While he has not had an opportunity of investigating the case, Mr. Pringle believes that the time has passed when it is possible for Mr. Harvey to issue a writ for damages against the city.

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### NEWS IN BRIEF

The officer commanding No. 1 Company, 11th C. M. G. Brigade, extends to all ranks heartiest season's greetings and wishes for a prosperous and happy New Year.

Dr. L. K. Poyntz will speak on "Raiding in the Women's Canadian Club" at its regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon, January 2, at the Empress Hotel.

The regular meeting of the Lady Alderson Chapter, I. O. D. E., will take place at the headquarters, Jones Building, on Tuesday afternoon, at 2.30.

To Discuss the proposed Saanich bus service a special meeting of the Saanich Council convened this afternoon at Royal Oak, when details of the Lake Hill service were talked over.

The Kumtuka Club will hold a special New Year's luncheon on Tuesday at noon in David Spencer's, Ltd., for the benefit of teachers and other members unable to attend the ordinary luncheons. Miss Henrietta Bradshaw will speak.

Mrs. Jolliffe, wife of the Rev. Gordon Jolliffe, of the mission boat Thomas Crosby, is spending the holidays in Victoria with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Miller. She will be at the evening service of the Esquimalt Methodist Church tomorrow.

A British mail, comprising 60 bags of parcel post and 40 bags of papers arrived at the Post Office this morning. Trucks are being specially chartered to clean up the New Year mail before Monday, so that this mail will be delivered this afternoon.

Charged on Remand in the City Police Court yesterday with failure to report taxable liquor stock, John Paine was discharged. R. C. Lowe appeared for the accused, and C. L. Harrison, City Prosecutor, for the Liquor Control Board. The evidence occupied a lengthy afternoon session of the Court.

The regular Kiwanis gathering on Tuesday night will take the form of a Ladies' Night, commencing with a banquet at the Dominion Hotel at 7.30 p. m. An excellent programme preceded by the installation of 1923 officers and followed by dancing will be carried out. The wives and lady friends of the Kiwanis members will be the honor guests of the occasion.

Princess Patricia Lodge, Daughters of St. George, held their monthly "whist" drive in the Orange Hall on Wednesday evening, December 27. Quite a large crowd attended. Mrs. Humphreys being the lucky winner of the chicken. The prizes went to the following: First gentleman, Mr. Humphreys; second, Geo. Logan; third, Frank Jarvis; special prize of \$25, Mrs. Russell; ladies: First, N. Harrison; second, Mrs. Chambers.

Claiming that the Dominion Sales Co. has suffered a loss of about \$500 of the library appropriation in Victoria alone, the British Columbia Library Association at the termination of its convention here decided to send John Ridginton, its new president, to Ottawa to interview Hon. W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance, with a view to overcoming the difficulty. Retiring president John Hosie's address on "Shack Literature" was deeply appreciated and it was found very interesting.

Probates and administrations issued in the Supreme and County Court this week included the estate of Daniel Bassi, who died at Victoria on February 1, 1915, estate valued at \$700; Marion C. Kinsey, died at Victoria on July 17, estate \$788; William Christie, formerly of Victoria, who died at Auckland, New Zealand, on May 23, estate \$18,829.88; Gerald Miller, charged with reversing the direction of an automobile on Douglas Street, was fined \$5.

In St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West, on Thursday, the annual Christmas treat for the children was held. The lecturer, Mr. Bryant, showed some interesting pictures on the screen which the children thoroughly enjoyed after which they had refreshments, candy and oranges. A very interesting item on the programme was the presentation of a beautiful pearl pendant to Mrs. Cotford, the organist of the church, for her faithful services. On Sunday morning there will be a children's choir and a special children's sermon at 11 a. m., all adults are invited to attend this interesting service. At 7.30 the Rev. Smith Patterson will preach as usual.

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### Y.M.C.A. ROAD RACE HAS BEEN CANCELLED

Jimmy Bucket Only Runner to Enter: Boys' Relay Race Will Be Held

"Y" Has Planned Big Programme for New Year's Day and Invites Public

The annual Y. M. C. A. New Year's Day five-mile road race has been cancelled. The only runner to enter, Jimmy Bucket, last year this race was held in a relay event for the Dunlop Cup. The event was won by the team representing the Elks' Club, Vancouver. The Vancouver Y. M. C. A. also sent over a team. This year the Y. M. C. A. decided to revert back to their old idea of holding a five-mile road race. The race was promised hearty co-operation from all the sporting circles in the city. However, the snow and slush knocked everything on the head and kept the runners from getting into trim for the hard grind. The Princess Pats intended to send in a couple of runners but they are now on guard duty and have no chance of getting into shape. The First Presbyterians have no one on which to pin their colors while the Crusaders have the former winner, J. Bucket. The "Y" canvassed every place in the city to try and secure entries but without success so the only possible thing to do was to call it off for this year.

Five Entries in Relay.

The other event of the programme will be run off, the boys' two-mile relay race, eight boys to a team. Five entries have been received for this race and a good stiff opposition is expected between the different teams. Last year's winners, the James Bay Methodists, have not entered. The Belmonts are not able to field a team while the Congregationalists had a fine team but their luck left them and six of their runners are down with sickness. The teams that are entered are as follows: Y. M. C. A., First Presbyterians, Metropolitan Methodist, St. Andrew's and the Centennial Hustlers. The teams will line up as follows: Metropolitanists—Tredwell, O'Neil, Fendry, McInnes, Baylow, Whiteley, Catterall, and Kay. Substitutes, McElhoes, Manager, Mr. Abbott. Colors, blue and white.

St. Andrew's—Estlin, L. Smith, MacLean, Addie, C. Smith, Thorsburn, Manager, Bill Erickson. Colors, blue and white.

Centennial Hustlers—Hooper, Bates, Hole, Jeeves, Freeborn, McEwan, Bayless and Kellet. Manager, James McEwan. Colors, green and orange.

First Presbyterians—Crawford, Skillings, Broadwell, Erice, Frace, McCallum, Olson and six of their runners are appealing for support at the elections are of a type of businessmen whom I believe will give an efficient administration.

### COUNCIL MEMBERS SAY FAREWELL TO CITY HALL OFFICE

Present Council Officially Dead To-morrow; No Administration Monday

Mayor William Marchant and defeated members of the City Council to-day cleared their desks of waste papers and left the City Hall for the last time as City officials. They will actually remain in office until midnight to-morrow night but the Hall will be closed Sunday and Monday. There will be no City Council Monday as Mayor-Elect Reginald Hayward and his colleagues will not be sworn in until Tuesday morning at 10.30 o'clock.

The Mayor took home with him to-day an enormous grip full of personal correspondence and papers which he has received this year. He has been busy for some days straightening out City files so that his successor, Reginald Hayward, may have a clear desk when he takes office.

Alderman R. W. Perry came down to the City Hall to-day to say goodbye to the Mayor and City officials with whom he has been on especially friendly terms during his year in office. Mr. Perry predicted that he would be back in the Council in 1924.

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### HURLS VERBAL STONES AT REEVE

Councillor Macnicol Charges Pledge-busting by Reeve Watson

Councillor Robert Macnicol of Ward Two last night advised the Saanich Workmen's Association as to their best procedure when considering the merits of candidates for municipal office.

He declared that Reeve Watson was a pledge breaker, inasmuch as he had broken faith with Councillor Dooley last year on the wage reduction question. He recalled that at Tillamook School Councillor Dooley had the night before election day, opposed any wage cut save it started at the top of the salary list, and Reeve Watson later, amid applause, announced an agreement with Councillor Dooley, only to depart from that policy when installed in office.

Councillor Macnicol also flayed Councillor McWilliam on this question, declaring "He has acted against his own conscience and the wishes of his own ward on this wage reduction question, solely to curry favor with the farmer vote in this race for the Reeveship, which he admits he has been grooming himself for all through the past year."

Councillor Macnicol and Ernest Orr, candidate for the councillorship in Ward Seven, dealt with the question which the Saanich workmen place before all candidates for municipal office, both pledging support to most of the clauses and voicing opposition to none.



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### PATTULLO TO MEET NATIVE SONS HERE

Plans to bring immigrants into B. C. and other parts of Canada and Government policy with respect to the nationality and place of nativity of persons who get jobs at the Parliament Buildings, are to be discussed next Thursday night by the Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands.

The meeting with the Minister was arranged on the invitation of the hon. Mr. J. E. Bennett, Minister of Education.

The Native Sons at their last meeting decided to meet on the first and third Thursday of each month in their new hall, Ewenney & McConnell Building, Langley Street. The organization is now taking up the case of native born Canadians who are being let out of jobs or of those who cannot get jobs, while persons from Europe come in and are fixed up almost without delay.

Arrangements are being made for a Native Sons ball here.

The letter was, undoubtedly, written very badly, and the manager reproved the clerk who had composed it.

"A man who does not make himself understood is a fool," he shouted. "Do you understand me?"

"No, sir," the clerk replied.

### CANARD RE GERMAN HEADSTONES DENIED BY GRAVES COMMISSION

A report circulated in an English journal some time ago to the effect that the tombstones erected over the graves of soldiers in France and Belgium were made in Germany led Mrs. Mrs. F. Kitching of 2934 Cedar Hill Road to write to the secretary of the Imperial War Graves Commission asking if there were any foundation for the report. The result is a categorical denial from the secretary of the Commission couched in the following terms: "With reference to statements that have recently appeared in the press, the Imperial War Graves Commission announces that all the headstones which they are erecting or have erected on war graves in France and Belgium are made in England, Scotland, Ireland or Wales. There is not the slightest foundation for the suggestion that any of the headstones erected are of German make or material."

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Christmas Party Held Under Auspices of Cowichan Society

Special to The Times. Duncan.—The Christmas party held under the auspices of the Cowichan Children's Aid Society...

On the stage was a gorgeously decorated Christmas tree laden with toys, the work of the King's Daughters...

The climax of beauty was, however, in the gay shop of dolls managed by Mrs. Innes-Noel...

Miss Monk and a drummer provided music for the games, and Mrs. H. C. Martin, Mrs. Swan, Mrs. Smyly...

Little Miss Faith Macdonald danced charmingly and Mrs. Stuart entertained the children with jolly recitations.

A very good tea was provided by the Cowichan Women's Institute, with lemonade and milk for the children.

Mrs. Innes-Noel was convener of the entertainment. Over \$131 was taken in and the expenses were very little owing to the generous help given by the women's organizations.

The annual meeting of the Cowichan Children's Aid Society will take place on the third Monday of January...

Return Home. Mr. and Mrs. T. Corfield returned to Courtenay after spending the holiday with Mrs. Corfield's mother...

Happy Valley Children Were Given Prizes. Special to The Times. Happy Valley.—A very pleasant event took place at the Happy Valley Mission Hall on Thursday evening...

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Alexander, of Portland, are spending the New Year holidays in Victoria as the guests of the latter's parents, Captain and Mrs. Gosse, Belleville Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowlands, of Seattle, are expected in Victoria to spend the New Year holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rowlands, Phoenix Place.

Miss Bebs Buscombe, of Vancouver arrived in Victoria on Thursday for the New Year holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rowlands, Phoenix Place.

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Mrs. McFarland, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thomas, Rockland Avenue, for the past week, left today for her home in Vancouver.

Among those who left yesterday afternoon to spend the New Year holiday in Seattle was Miss Lena Harris, who will be the guest of her sister over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fleming are leaving on Tuesday next for a month's holiday, traveling as far East as Toronto and returning by way of California.

Mrs. James Parfitt entertained at a luncheon party on Thursday in honor of her house guest, Mrs. A. Harding, of Seattle, who, with her two children is spending the holidays here.

Miss Caroline Hickens-Smith who has been on the staff of the Juneau Hospital for the past four years has returned to Victoria and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Hughes, Halfour Avenue.

Lieut. Col. E. A. Robertson and the officers of the 8th Regiment, C.E. A., will receive in their mess at the Armory on New Year's Day from 4 until 6 p. m.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Nichol left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver to attend the annual ball of the Vancouver Club last evening.

Miss Dorothy Stuart Robertson left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver to attend the annual ball of the Vancouver Club.

Mrs. Spouse, who is severing his connection with the school at the end of the week, was presented with a beautifully bound prayer-book in appreciation of his devoted services to the Sunday School.

WOMEN JURORS IN ENGLISH TRIAL

Three Started; But Only One Finished. Delicate Question For the Court Authorities

London, Dec. 29.—(Canadian Press)—A delicate question with reference to women jurors came up in a recent trial in the King's Bench Division here.

The counsel for the plaintiff said it was a case that it was not desirable that women should have to hear if they did not wish to do so and he and counsel for the defendant had agreed that the women should be discharged from the jury if they wished it.

Justice McCardie, the presiding judge, said that a question of principle had been raised, as to whether women were to be jurors only when a case was pleasant.

Counsel for the plaintiff said he did not think the women could claim to be released as a right, but if the parties in the case regarded it as desirable, and the presiding judge agreed, they could be excused as a matter of grace.

Addressing the three women of the jury, the judge said: "The question at issue in this case involves relations between two men, so it will involve sexual points of the gravest delicacy—questions which even men would hesitate to discuss among themselves."

One woman at once left the jury box, but the other two remained. His Lordship remarked: "I have a very high respect for the courage of these two ladies."

Justice McCardie—"I shall not sit a view either way. I know it raises a very serious question, not only as to the privileges, but as to the duty of a juror. On the other hand, there is a question as to how far it is wise to maintain the ideal of many men that women are purer and more dignified in the eyes of men if they are ignorant of the grim facts to which I have referred."

Then again addressing the two women jurors, His Lordship said: "If you desire to remain do not think that I wish you to do otherwise than as your conscience dictates. Do you both desire to remain, whatever the consequences?"

One of the two replied, "Yes, my Lord."

Thereupon the judge remarked that there were other women in Court, and they would have gathered that the case was of an extremely unpleasant character. They would not wish to remain would be free to leave.

Then the trial was begun.

Backwith, Mrs. Conyers, Mrs. D. Allan, the Misses Mary Middleton, Bessie Middleton, Edna Middleton, Florence MacMillan, Mamie MacMillan, Emmie Gilman, Hedy's Leitch, Margery Beckwith, Kathleen Johnson, Evelyn Johnson, Susie Johnson, Mrs. H. Gutterer, Mrs. J. E. Meyers, of Vancouver.

The Dean of Columbia will be at home to gentlemen at the Deanery, 52 Burdette Avenue, on New Year's Day from 3 to 6 p. m.

PRETTY WEDDING. A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Lawrence of Kenting, when their eldest daughter, Aleta Belle, was joined in wedlock to Mr. Joseph Alexander Patterson, late of Paris, Ont., and now a resident of Courtenay, B. C. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. E. Meyers.

Mr. Harold Stenson entertained at a very jolly dance at his home on Vancouver Street last evening in honor of Mr. Stuart Wilders who is leaving next week for Vancouver where he has accepted the position of Zala's orchestra supplied the excellent dance music.

Miss Marjorie Beckwith, of Cumberland, is spending the New Year holidays in Victoria as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Beckwith, Cowichan Street.

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GIFTS AND DANCING ON JAMES ISLAND

Special to The Times. James Island.—A concert was given by the Sunday and Day Schools of James Island. At the same time a ladies' committee had arranged for a Christmas tree.

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# OCEAN AND COASTWISE SHIPPING NEWS

## SHIPPING REGISTER PRINTS STRONG ARTICLE ON RECENT SS. DOROTHY ALEXANDER CASE

The question of fumigating ships at American ports and the actions of American health officers were strongly criticized in an editorial appearing in the Shipping Register, with reference to the recent \$10,000 fine imposed upon the Dorothy Alexander at Port Townsend.

The article reads as follows: The question of excessive and idle fumigation for coastwise vessels has been brought to an issue by the United States Public Health Service's fine of \$10,000 against the steamer Dorothy Alexander for failure to pass pratique at Port Townsend when bound for Los Angeles via Seattle and San Francisco.

Further, the agitation for sane and reasonable quarantine practices has brought to light the fact that the intercoastal lines are suffering not only from unwarranted delays and expense on Puget Sound, but also from the whims of Public Health Service officials at other Pacific coast ports.

The word of the quarantine doctor is law, as perhaps it should be, but these Government officials should be exceedingly cautious about exercising this peremptory authority. More than that, the rules that govern the inspectors should be thoroughly revised on a common-sense basis, or there should be a general house-cleaning of the men at the head of the Public Health Service.

There are two utterly absurd rules in force that are not to be called upon to explain. The first is that a steamer bound from a British Columbia port to San Francisco need not pass pratique, while a steamer bound from British Columbia to Los Angeles or any other port beyond San Francisco must be inspected on Puget Sound.

The law requires, so we are informed, that an intercoastal vessel be fumigated once every six months, and as much oftener as circumstances may make advisable. For a vessel that plies only between the United States Atlantic, the Panama Canal, the United States Pacific and British Columbia, it would seem that the semi-annual fumigation should be all that is necessary.

The United States Health Service needs to be reminded that it does not do all the inspecting that there is to be done; that in turn might be subject to inspection before receiving a bill of competency.

O. S. K. SCHEDULE GIVES SAILINGS

Advices have been received from the head office of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha which gives the sailing dates and port of calls under the new schedule arranged by them for their fleet of ships calling at this port.

Despite the fact that February is the shortest month of the year there will be three vessels sailing outbound due to the fact that the change in date of the Arizona Maru takes place on February 25.

The schedule for the Maru boats are as follows: Sailing from Seattle and Victoria: Africa Maru, January 8 calling at Yokohama, Kobe, Dairen, Shanghai and Hongkong; Hawaii Maru, January 29 calling at Yokohama, Kobe, Moji, Shanghai, Manila and Shanghai; Alabama Maru, February 8 calling at Yokohama, Kobe, Moji, Dairen, Shanghai and Hongkong; Arabia Maru, February 22 calling at Yokohama, Kobe, Moji, Dairen, Shanghai and Hongkong; Arabia Maru, February 22 calling at Yokohama, Kobe, Moji, Dairen, Shanghai and Hongkong.

She: "You think it's unlucky to be thirteen at table?" He: "I do. Why once when there were thirteen of us round the table I had a most delightful girl sitting next to me."

She: "And she died?" He: "No—I married her."—Tit-Bits.

EDMONTON RADIO CONCERT TO-NIGHT

Seattle, Dec. 29.—Radiophone station CJCA, the northernmost in the world, will broadcast a special concert programme at 10:15 o'clock.

Ships at a Glance

Ships to Arrive: Hawaii Maru, Orient, Jan. 2; President Jackson, Orient, Jan. 2; Tashyank, U. K., Jan. 2; Tashyank, U. K., Jan. 2; Tashyank, U. K., Jan. 2.

Ships to Depart: Princess Victoria leaves 2:15 p. m.; Princess Louise or Princess Alice leaves 11:45 p. m. daily.

WILLSOLO OUT OF IMMEDIATE DANGER

According to a radiogram received from the master of the Willsolo, a Williams Steamship Company vessel bound from Seattle for Baltimore and run ashore in a dense fog off the Atlantic coast, is out of immediate danger.

## OVER TWO MILLIONS IN REVENUE IS COLLECTED

Customs Report Shows Increase of \$889,609.07; Liquor Cause of Increase

Two and a half million dollars was the total amount of revenue collected at the Victoria Customs offices for the year of 1922 and the total of \$300,000 is the sum expected to be taken in when the offices close to-day for the close of this month.

When speaking of the increase in revenue for the month of December, Mr. Dewar stated that it was due largely to the increase in exports of liquor stuffs, especially around Christmas time. The same thing occurred last year, but the total was not so great as this year.

The exact total of duty for December up to yesterday was \$299,667.63, but receipts indicated that \$300,000 could be obtained if collected to-day.

These figures do not include the Inland Revenue but are receipts of Customs only. Comparing the total of last year's receipts with the one this year, there is a large increase. Last year's total was \$1,652,717.69, while this year offers an interesting comparison. There is a difference of \$889,609.07 between this year's total and last. The total sum collected this year is \$2,542,326.76.

The total amount collected for each month of the year is as follows, including duty, excise, sales and sundries: January, \$212,222.15; February, \$141,958.12; March, \$148,417.79; April, \$160,874.82; May, \$188,739.91; June, \$223,938.86; July, \$213,676.82; August, \$218,576.22; September, \$199,377.48; October, \$263,772.25; November, \$259,106.29; December, \$299,667.34.

STEAMERS DELAYED BY PACIFIC STORMS

San Francisco, Cal. Dec. 29.—More than 200 small craft that usually make daily or semi-weekly trips outside of the Golden Gate have been tied up in the bay for the past two days because of the rough weather beyond the heads.

The steamer Northland arrived in port yesterday, nine days from Seattle via Port Angeles, six days and two hours overdue, with its entire deckload missing as the result of encountering a terrific southerly gale off North Humboldt Wednesday night.

Shipping News at Port of Seattle

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 30.—Statistics compiled by the Seattle Port Commission show that the total revenue of Seattle's public shipping terminals from January 1, 1917, to July 1, 1922, was \$3,175,733.88.

Positions by Radio

(Information supplied through Canadian Government plant at Gonzales Heights, December 30. All ships positions at 8 p. m., December 29, except where noted.)

Estevan, Dec. 30.—E. D. Kingsley, Vancouver for San Francisco, 230 miles north of San Francisco; Hollywood, Aberdeen for San Francisco, 75 miles south of Gray's Harbor; Broad Arrow, San Francisco for Yokohama, 963 miles west of San Francisco; Ryufuku Maru, position 49.54 north and 143.21 west, inbound; Iyo Maru, 49.53 north and 146.07 west, inbound; Canadian Farmer, Astoria for San Pedro, 650 miles from San Pedro; Empress of Russia, 183 miles from Cape Flattery, outbound; Lom, arriving December 21, in the afternoon; Mandasan Maru, 54.14 north and 146.56 west, outbound; Canadian Observer is 200 miles south of Cape Flattery, bound for San Pedro; State Maru, San Francisco for Vancouver, 540 miles south of Vancouver; Yoshida Maru, 44.49 north and 141.65 west, outbound; China Maru for Norfolk, 47.30 north and 124.30 west; Makura, 630 miles from Victoria, outbound; Hawaii Maru, 49.56 north and 163.24 west, inbound; Robert Dollar, San Francisco, 1.75 miles from San Francisco; Laavegas, Newcastle for Honolulu, 750 miles southwest of Honolulu; Bearport, Portland for Yokohama, 3,760 miles from Columbia River; Restorer at Midway Island; Calgarolite, Lobitos for Vancouver, 110 miles south of San Francisco; Stuart Dollar, Seattle for Yokohama, 2,594 miles from Seattle; President Jackson, Yokohama for Seattle, 1,611 miles from Seattle; Spokane, leaving Ketchikan for Wrangell, 5.45 a. m., December 30.

TO MEET IN MONTREAL

Washington, Dec. 29.—"Deke" of the United States and Canada, representing about fifty chapters of Delta Kappa Epsilon college fraternity, in annual convention here yesterday selected Montreal for next year's meeting place at the invitation of Gen. Sir Arthur Currie, Principal of McGill University, where Tau Alpha chapter of the fraternity is situated.

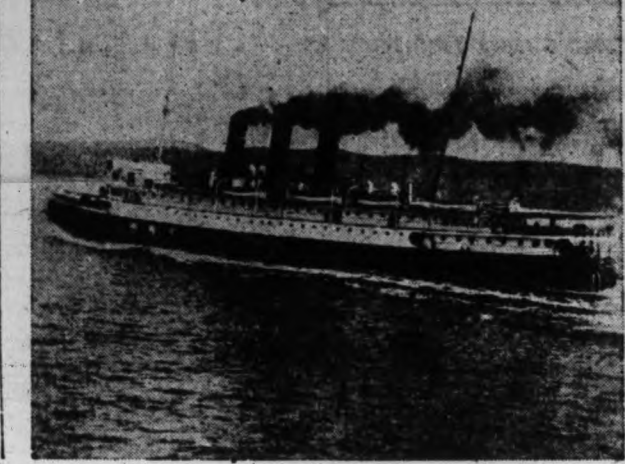
TWELVE STEEL SHIPS FOR PACIFIC TRADE

With the object in view to save the recovery of the rail-tie-up that was a feature of the California fruit growing season this year, and which led the growers thousands of dollars, the newly organized Motor Transport Service Corporation are sending representatives to the Atlantic coast to purchase twelve steel vessels.

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## Maintains Winter Service



PRINCE GEORGE

The above G. T. P. liner will inaugurate the new schedule effective tomorrow, when she sails northbound for Prince Rupert, Stewart and Anxoy on Sunday at 11 o'clock. The Prince Rupert is in drydock and her sister ship will take over the winter service until March.

## PRINCE GEORGE WILL BEGIN SCHEDULE

Due to the fact that the Prince Rupert is in drydock at Prince Rupert for general overhauling and cleaning a new schedule has been arranged by the Grand Trunk Pacific Steamship Company in which the Prince George will carry on the work of the two ships for the next two or three months.

When the Prince George leaves Victoria to-morrow at 11 o'clock she will inaugurate the sailing under this new schedule. Arriving at Vancouver 8:30 Monday morning, she is due to leave there northbound for Prince Rupert, Stewart and Anxoy at 8 p. m. the same day.

Her port of calls and arrival dates will be as follows: Leaving Powell River on Tuesday morning she is scheduled to reach Ocean Falls the evening of the same day leaving late Tuesday night for Swanson Bay, arriving there on Wednesday morning and proceeding to Prince Rupert, arriving there at 10:30 on Wednesday morning. She will stay there but a few hours, being due to call at Stewart on Thursday and the United States Anxoy before returning to Prince Rupert. Her schedule states that she calls at Stewart on Thursday morning at 6 o'clock. The entire trip will be of one week duration.

Had Remarkable Career; Towed Floating Drydock to Manila Harbor

Seattle, Dec. 30.—For service as a merchant ship in the coastal and Alaska trade, the famous United States naval collier Caesar, has been purchased by R. W. Crosby, Seattle shipping man, from the United States Navy Department.

The vessel is now at the naval station, Mare Island, and Mr. Crosby will leave Seattle Tuesday for California to take her over. She will be brought to Seattle soon, converted into an oil burner and made ready for her new service.

The Caesar will be placed in the coastwise lumber trade this winter. She will be used in towing barges loaded with lumber from Puget Sound to California. Next summer she will be operated on the Seattle-Alaska route, Mr. Crosby said last night.

The vessel is equipped with a powerful towing machine and can be used advantageously in towing lumber barges up and down the coast. She was equipped with new boilers last year and was in active service until last July, when she was taken out of commission at the Mare Island Navy Yard.

The Caesar served for years as a naval collier and supply ship on both the Atlantic and Pacific. The greatest feat of her entire career was towing the huge Dewey Drydock from the Atlantic coast to Manila via the Suez Canal. The Caesar was formerly the British steamship Kingston. She was built in Stockton, England, in 1896 and purchased by the United States Government during the Spanish-American War. She has a displacement of 5,920 tons, and is of 2,072 net tons register, 322 feet long, 44 feet beam with a draft of 23.3 feet.

C. G. M. MOVEMENTS.

The S.S. Canadian Volunteer sailed from Halifax on Thursday for British Columbia via the Panama Canal. The Canadian Highlander sailed December 23 from Sydney for Vancouver via Newcastle, Millington and Auckland.

The Canadian Freighter left Singapore for Cuba via the Panama Canal December 21.

The Canadian Britisher left Adelaide December 21 for Sydney via Newcastle.

## PIONEER C.P.R. OFFICIAL DEAD

Late Alexander Lindsay Was First Traffic Superintendent at Yale

A well-known pioneer of the Province, Alexander Lindsay, who was the first telegraph operator and traffic superintendent at Yale in the days when that was the C. P. R. terminus, died this morning in Vancouver. The late Mr. Lindsay was born in Scotland 75 years ago and had been a resident of Victoria for 49 years.

He was a member of the Order of Woodmen of the World. The late Mr. Lindsay is survived by two daughters, Mrs. W. N. Winsby, of Victoria, and Mrs. C. V. Reister, of Vancouver; three sons, Alexander Lindsay of Spokane; Roderick, of Frederick, N.B.; and Albert Lindsay, of Victoria, also two sisters, Mrs. Robert Skinner, of Vancouver, and Mrs. Robert Welsh, of Bellingham. The remains will be brought to this city to-morrow and conveyed to the B. C. Funeral Chapel from where the funeral will take place on Tuesday at 2:30. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CANADIAN WINNER TO BE OVERHAULED

Prince Rupert, Dec. 29.—The Drydock Company has been advised that the Canadian Government Merchant Marine freighter Canadian Winner is due here about January 15 for overhauling.

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Maroon's Winning Streak Is Shattered By Meeking's Goal

Wee Harry Converts Pass From Frederickson In Third Period Giving Victoria One-Goal Lead Which Club Protected By Splendid Defensive Tactics; Cougars Paid Less Attention to Offensive Work and Made Sure of Defence

Vancouver's winning streak was perforated last night. Harry Meeking put the final hole through it, the one which spelled defeat for the invaders. Frederickson closed on Lehman and when Hughie came out with his eyes bulging "Freddie" slipped the washer to Harry, who made no mistake and found the net. That goal broke up the tie score and Victoria nursed along the advantage until the end, winning out by 4-3.

The Maroons have been cutting a wide path in the Coast League during the past few weeks. Up until last night they had won four of their last five games and had climbed from the cellar berth to a tie with Seattle for first place. Manager Cook was hoping for a win last night as it would have put his club out in front for the first time this year. Despite all that Lloyd and his active clansmen could do they were unable to halt the two-man rushes of Victoria and were counted out in the end.

A Different Style of Play.

Vancouver had to toddle along without the services of their flashy skater, Mickey MacKay, but it is doubtful whether the Maroons would have even with him in harness. The Cougars played a different style of game last night, paying far more attention to their defensive tactics than to a wonderful offensive display.

Not once during the whole evening was the Victoria goal left with but two men in front to break up a Vancouver rush. At times Victoria sent three men on an attack, but which ever wing man was forced out of the play doubled back in his tracks and took up a position similar to that of the rover in the seven-man game, and hurried himself at the Vancouver men as they retreated.

Victoria has lost many of its games in the past through trying too much offensive play. Even with one or two goal leads the Cougars have kept tearing away with three-man rushes and with only Boucher and Meeking has been given openings, seized them and rushed through to win. In the last game here Vancouver was lagging in throwing passes and Meeking and Cook were perished in leaving their defence open, and as a result the Maroons crawled up to even terms, and eventually won out.

A Different Story.

But last night it was a different story. Three men were always camped in front, and when a forward opportunity presented itself three-men broke like a flash, closed on Lehman and as soon as the play was completed were back on the defensive before the Maroons could get on the offensive. By hiding their time the Cougars quite often caught the Maroons' defence flat-footed. The winning goal came as a result of Vancouver's defensive strategy. Both Duncan and Cook were up gunning for a goal when Victoria got away. Frederickson and Meeking showed their speed, and with only Boucher and Meeking outguessing they had the goal in their pocket before either of the Vancouver defence men could get back to help break up the play.

The Cougars intend to follow their instructions more closely in the future. The terrific speed of the club has quite often led the forwards astray, and they have been beaten on offensive play, looking for a dozen goals even when they were one up. In future they intend to make sure of their defence, and when they have the defence in a hole, to break fast and tear in for a goal.

A Rare Old Pair.

The two-man rushes staged last night by Frederickson and Meeking were a real treat. This pair showed surprising speed in their stick-handling ability, and had Hughie Lehman not been up to form the Maroons would have had a far bigger score than against them. The way the shooting end of Victoria was entitled to a far more decisive verdict. The Cougars plastered Lehman from every angle, and all four shots that got by him were in the net. The Cougars had no chance to save. Fowler did not have near the work to do that fell to the lot of the opposing goalie, but he was beaten three times. One of the goals were from close quarters, and the one which Parkes got in the third period was very soft.

Lester Patrick and his boys were particularly pleased at the way things panned out. The new system worked very well, and it will be given a further test in Vancouver on Monday night when the Cougars meet the Maroons on the Mainland Ice. The Cougars have a heavy schedule ahead of them, and they will have to conserve their energy against them. The way the shooting end of Victoria was entitled to a far more decisive verdict. The Cougars plastered Lehman from every angle, and all four shots that got by him were in the net. The Cougars had no chance to save. Fowler did not have near the work to do that fell to the lot of the opposing goalie, but he was beaten three times. One of the goals were from close quarters, and the one which Parkes got in the third period was very soft.

As a result of last night's victory Victoria has come up to within two games of Seattle and Vancouver, who tied for first place. During the hard week the Cougars can pull up and make the race as tight as a morn and give the local fans a chance to

Lewis and Dempsey Signed For a Mixed Bout; Million Rules

San Francisco, Dec. 30.—Ed "Strangler" Lewis, champion wrestler, announced today that arrangements have been completed for a mixed match between Jack Dempsey and himself.

Lewis produced signed articles covering the match which were drawn at Wichita, Kansas, and carried the signature of Jack Kearns, manager for Dempsey.

The articles, a sporting writer observed, "contained one million rules as to how the two are to behave themselves."

Lewis said: "We have made this match. There are only a few details to be worked out. You can think what you want about it, but when I meet the champion of the world in the fist line he will learn he is meeting the champion of the world in a style of combat that does not call for putting on gloves. I do not want to boast, but if I am thrown against the firing line, with the world's champion pugilist the people who like sports will get the same shock they received when Siki whipped Carpenter."

The date and place of the match was not announced.

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 30.—Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion pugilist, said today he had not been informed that articles had been signed for a mixed bout between Ed (Strangler) Lewis, champion wrestler and himself, as announced in San Francisco, but declared he was ready for the match. Negotiations for the bout, Dempsey said, were in the hands of his manager, Jack Kearns.

Even when Clem was carrying the puck. Slim Halderon got the plaudits of the fans in great measure. He played a sound game.

UPLANDS GOLF MATCHES HAVE BEEN CANCELLED

Owing to the recent rains the two competitions which were to have been staged at the Uplands Golf Club to-morrow and Monday have been called off. The men's monthly medal competition was slated for to-morrow and a mixed foursome for the holiday.

EDMONTON'S RECORD IS STILL UNBROKEN

Regina Fails to Halt Eskimos in Their Mad Dash in Prairie League

Edmonton, Dec. 30.—Edmonton maintained their unbeaten record here last night by defeating Regina 3 to 1 in a game which for two periods was fast and clever hockey, and which in the third developed into a mad scramble for the puck, interspersed with flashy individual and two-man rushes up and down the ice.

TIGERS DEFEAT VICS

Sarazen Tells How He Learned Control

Champion Golfer Explains His Method of Overcoming the Hook and the Slice; Beginners Will Hook If They Have Not Learned Proper Grip; Gene Learned Body Control From Vardon; Skill and Grace Better Than Sheer Power

BY GENE SARAZEN World's Champion Golfer

Now it is one thing to be able to slice a golf shot and another to control the slice. The average beginner, failing to keep the elbows close to the body, is prone to cut across the ball, which invariably produces a slice.

That isn't the kind of sliced shot I was after. What I set out to develop and what I needed was the kind of slice that had a slight fade-away to the right.

This shot is very twist when the greens are dried out or very slippery. The reverse twist which a slice produces retards the speed of the ball after it lands. A sliced ball will never run far.

I had noticed that most professionals and star amateur players generally shifted their feet whenever they wanted to hit this kind of shot or whenever they wanted to hit any unusual shot. I had got my swing grooved so well and had worked out such a comfortable stance I absolutely hated the idea of changing my feet to play a different shot.

One day I went out for my usual practice session. I had given this matter considerable thought. I had finally decided on a plan. I knew that if I changed my feet, the soundness of my game would be impaired and that any shot I played in a different manner from what I had been accustomed to would probably be a hit or miss shot.

As I say, I had an important time. One day I decided on a plan. I knew that if I changed my feet, the soundness of my game would be impaired and that any shot I played in a different manner from what I had been accustomed to would probably be a hit or miss shot.

Works Same Plan on Slice. I moved the ball to and fro until I had located the right spot. That spot was almost opposite the heel of my left foot. In other words, I found that by moving the ball off the left foot than the right, and by cutting across the ball slightly, I got the results I desired. I play most of my shot with the ball almost opposite the centre of my stance.

ATHLETES GATHERING FOR WINTER CARNIVAL

Montreal Is Scene of Preparations For Two Months' Sport Programme

Montreal, Dec. 30.—The advance guard of the crowd of athletes and lovers of winter sports, who will attend the carnival here beginning January 5 and last for two months, has arrived and is putting in a lot of practice work and skating. International competitions will be held in all these lines of sport during the carnival.

ZBYSKO WINS WHEN OPPONENT IS INJURED

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 30.—Stanislau Zbyzsko, former champion heavyweight wrestler, won a match here last night with Allen Eustace, claimant of the Kansas title, after Eustace had taken one fall. Eustace lost the second fall and refused to enter the third, asserting his foot had been injured. Eustace won the first fall with a body hold and arm lock in 32 minutes and 33 seconds, and Zbyzsko the second with a toe hold in five minutes.

FIRPO BEING LINED UP FOR A BIG SCRAP

New York, Dec. 30.—Tex Rickard announced yesterday he was arranging a bout between Louis Firpo, the South American light heavyweight, and the winner of the Bill Brennan-Floyd Johnson match in this city January 12. The South American has already agreed to return to the United States as soon as the match could be arranged.

SOO BEATS DULUTH

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 30.—The Canadian Soo hockey team defeated Duluth here last night, 5 to 1.

RYAN THROWS MONDY

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 30.—Jack Ryan, of Texas, won from Tom Mondy, of Colorado, in straight falls in a preliminary wrestling bout preceding the Zbyzsko-Eustace and Dugid-East matches here last night.

EAST MEETS WEST. Stanford University, Cal., Dec. 30.—East will again meet West at football this year when the University of Pittsburgh plays Stanford University in the stadium here to-morrow. Observers predict a low score with the odds favoring the visiting panthers, who are rated one of the best teams from beyond the Mississippi.

push, and Lehman made a great save on the iclander's shot. Maroons Even It Up

Half way through the period Parkes evened the score, his slow, low shot getting under Fowler's skates. Halderon went through, but Lehman blocked the shot and Clem Loughlin followed in with a fast one, but the goalie picked up the rebound. Then came the winning goal. Frederickson and Meeking skated very fast, the former carrying the puck around Duncan, and when Lehman came out he sent the rubber skimming across to Meeking, who found the net with a quick shot.

The teams were: Victoria Position Vancouver Fowler, Goal. Lehman C. Loughlin, Defence. Duncan Halderon, Defence. Cook Oatman, Forward. Harris Frederickson, Centre. Boucher Meeking, Forward. Parkes Dunderdale, Forward. Deneny W. Loughlin, Forward. Alesitne Anderson, Forward. Cotch, Forward.

Summary. First period—1, Vancouver, Cook scored from right with back-hand shot.

Second period—2, Victoria. Oatman scored on pass from behind from Meeking, 15, 3. Victoria, Halderon, scored on solo rush, 30, 4. Vancouver, Parkes scored from right, 1:22, 5, Victoria. Frederickson picked corner after long rush, 17:11, 6.

Third period—6, Vancouver, Parkes scored from close in on a pass from Harris; 7, Victoria, Meeking scored on pass from Frederickson from in front, 3:28.

Penalties. First period—None. Second period—Meeking, 2 min.; Halderon, 2 min. Third period—Cook, 2 min.; Frederickson, 2 min.

P.C.H.A. RECORDS

Table with columns: Team Standing, Individual Scores, Pen. G. A. Pts. Min. Includes teams like Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle, etc.

RIGHT OFF THE ICE

Lehman's cunning was overcome by nice stick-work. All Victoria's goals came after the defence was penetrated, which shows that Cook and Duncan are not invincible.

Meeking and Frederickson certainly looked good on the offensive. Their rushes were very brilliant, and the winning goal was a fitting climax to their night's play.

Eddie Oatman did not figure so much on the offensive, as he was lending a hand on the defensive. Eddie's back-checking was much in evidence during the evening.

Boucher's back-checking again featured the Vancouver display. Offensively, however, Frank was not up to the form of his previous game.

Duncan tried hard to get a goal. Twice he went right through but was off his balance when he came to shoot. Duncan did not look as good as he did last year.

Cook maintains his lead at the top of the scoring division by beating the Cougars in the game with his noted back-hand shot. Cook holds the record for long range shooting. It's a wonder he doesn't shoot from his own goal and save the effort of skating to centre ice. The result would be the same.

Summary. First period—1, Edmonton, Keats, 7:00, 2, Edmonton, Gagne, from Newell, 4:00. Second period—3, Regina, Moran, 2:30. Third period—4, Edmonton, Morrison, 19:10.

Further in golf than sheer power will. Studies Stars and Finishes Third. Having heard so much of Bobby Jones I sought him out next. Jones is a second Vardon. He is fully as graceful as the Englishman and has all of Vardon's characteristics. If anything, he is even better than the Briton because he has the punch. Vardon could get distance when he had to, but Jones seems to be able to get the distance without trying. I was stuck on his game as well. Once he starts winning I don't think he'll ever stop.

I had already watched Hutchison play his back-spin shot at Pinehurst, but the Hutchies always interesting and so I followed him again during the preliminary rounds. I took note of the manner in which he played his spade or mashie-niblick and decided that some day I would master that shot also. Hagen did not seem to be playing well during this meeting, fourth seemed to lack the "touch," as we saw, and was not bringing off his shots as usual.

With this array of talent on hand I was frightened a little. I thought how lucky I would be if only I could qualify. You can imagine how happy I felt when I qualified third in that great field! Jack Hutchison, who is always near the top, led the field with the remarkable score of 141. Jack Burke was second. Inexperience proved costly again in this tournament, and I made several foolish mistakes which hurt me considerably. Nevertheless, I feel quite proud in finishing among the first fifteen. That, I thought, wasn't so bad, considering it was my first National championship. My total score was 511, and his I looked back I saw where, with good judgment, I might well have been a dozen or so shots better.

After all, I thought, I will have another chance soon and went back to Fort Wayne feeling very contented. (Copyright, 1922, by The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

PANCHO THE PUNCHO TRIMS ANOTHER MAN

Fiery Little Filipino Flyweight Goes Out of His Class, But Wins Bout

New York, Dec. 30.—Pancho Villa, flyweight champion, again went out on his class last night and defeated Terry Martin, Providence bantamweight, in a sensational 15-round contest at Madison Square Garden. The Filipino received the judges' decision after a bout that kept the crowd on its toes from start to finish.

Villa's title was not at stake. Martin weighed 115½, more than three pounds over the flyweight limit. Villa scaled at 111.

Villa took the advantage from the start, boxing in characteristically cyclonic fashion, but he found Martin unwilling to snap punches. The Providence man landed several hard body blows in the first, but was swept to the ropes in the second when Villa landed a terrific body attack. Both mixed freely in the third, Villa sending Martin back on his heels once with a smashing left hook.

Villa hammered Martin into the ring in the fourth, opening a cut on his rival's nose, but the Filipino was sent staggering back with a left swing that connected on his jaw.

Both swung wildly in the seventh, but in the eighth Villa apparently had Martin in distress, as he landed several smashing left hooks to the head. Martin came back strong, however, at the end of the round, and punished Villa severely about the middle of the ninth.

Martin forced Villa to the defensive with terrific two-fisted attack in the tenth. The New Englander landed hard blows to the body and rocked the Filipino with stiff left jabs. Villa outboxed his opponent in the eleventh and twelfth, neither boxer landing effectively in these rounds.

Villa Holds Advantage. Villa smashed both fists to the head in the thirteenth, sending Martin partly through the ropes with a left uppercut.

Villa peppered his rival about the body. Honors were about even during several stiff body blows in return. They mixed furiously in the final round, Martin offsetting Villa's stiff jabs with amazing righting to the body. Villa was the aggressor in most of the fighting.

A WIN FOR GORILLA

Sacramento, Cal., Dec. 30.—Torilla Jones, of Oakland, scored a decisive win from Tim Kelley, of San Francisco, last night after a fast four-round bout. In the special event Frankie Britt, of Seattle, beat Joe Medina all the way and received the verdict.

THRILLING PLAY IN BASKETBALL GAMES

Ladysmith Beaten by One Point by Saints; One Point Decides Girls' Game

Three closely contested games were played last night at the Trades Hall gymnasium, the junior boys' encounter between Ladysmith and St. Andrew's providing the greatest excitement of the evening, the locals eventually winning by 20-19.

The Ladysmith boys played a very fine game and during the first period looked like sure winners. They ran up a score of 8 points to 1 in the early stages of the game. McGarigal, Wargo and Kunal doing some remarkable shooting with the whole team working together well. St. Andrew's rallied for a time and at half time the score stood Ladysmith 9, St. Andrew's 5.

Game Very Fast. The second period brought out all the surplus speed of both teams, the game getting very fast. The score was tied several times near the close of the game, some nice shots being scored on both sides.

Doug Robertson tied the score two minutes before time at 17 all. Ladysmith went ahead by one point, but W. Griffiths came right back with another basket putting St. Andrew's one point ahead just as the final whistle sounded.

The game was fast and exciting, and created much enthusiasm among the spectators. "Bud" Hocking made a very capable referee. The teams were: St. Andrew's—W. Griffiths, Doug Robertson, Tom Little, Doug Taylor, Bill Atkins, Bob Moffat. Ladysmith—McGarigal, Noon, Wargo, Gordon, G. Kunal, D. Kunal, Tassin, Mikola.

Girls' Game Class. The senior girls' game between St. Andrew's and Christ Church was also quite exciting, the result being in doubt right up to the finish. St. Andrew's won out 13-12.

Christ Church girls led for quite a while, Florrie Gates and Kathy Wellburn finding the basket regularly. The play was evenly divided in the opening period each team securing five points.

The Cathedral girls forged ahead again early in the second period Kathy Wellburn scoring twice and Florrie Gates, Dorothy Melville, Jessie Widdowson and Iola Worthington and Dorothy Melville followed with two baskets in succession, thereby putting St. Andrew's one point ahead after a very thrilling finish. The teams were: St. Andrew's—Belinda Hamilton, Helen Boyce, Dorothy Melville, Jessie Widdowson, Iola Worthington. Christ Church—Kathy Wellburn, Phyllis Gates, Florrie Gates, Marjorie Locke, Grace Wellburn.

St. Andrew's sent to the close game from St. Mary's by 20-17. Each team scored 10 points in the first period, play being about equal. St. Andrew's forged ahead towards the close, finally winning by 3 points. The teams were: St. Andrew's—Earl Squire, Chuck Smith, Bill Erickson, Alex Mack, Henry Estlin, Chas. Filla, St. Mary's—A. Bell, B. Hoadley, O. Foubister, F. Jeffries, G. Ross.

FAST TIME EXPECTED WHEN SPEEDBOATS MEET

Los Angeles, Dec. 30.—Faster time was expected to-day in the second heat of a three-day racing programme for speed boats under the auspices of the California Yacht Club and Los Angeles Club Motorboat Racing Association. The course for to-day's race was to be the same as yesterday when the Miss America, I. owned by Garfield Wood, of Detroit, led the field to the tape over the 30 miles in 34 minutes 41.2 seconds.

Cecil B. de Mille's Miss Cecilia was destroyed by flames yesterday when the engine backfired and set fire to the craft.

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# at the Dominion Theatre

## DOMINION

The child actors who appear with Viola Dana in her new Metro picture, "The Five-Dollar Baby," by Irvin S. Cobb, at the Dominion Theatre, are enthusiastic about the story. Miss Dana, overbearing two of them—boys about ten years old—discussing the picture, found an unexpected reason for their enthusiasm. One boy was saying, "I'll bet that Jack Dempsey, Babe Ruth, Mugsy McGraw or none of them would write a play like this."

Miss Dana asked who he thought had written "The Five-Dollar Baby." "Why, Ty Cobb, of course," he said.

Her Taylor adapted the story for the screen. John Arnold did the photography.

## CAPITOL

"The Man From Glengarry," by Ralph Connor, the feature now playing at the Capitol Theatre, produced and made in Canada by Ernest Shipman, himself a Canadian, has many claims to being absolutely an all-time production. Aside from the fact of its being made here, that it reproduces Canadian scenery and background at its best, the picture is sold within the Dominion to an all-Canadian firm, the Famous Players Canadian Corporation; the advertising, publicity and exploitation campaign has been done in Canada. Even the artist who drew the clever designs for newspaper display, which will be seen from coast to coast, is a well-known Canadian, A. S. McCrea, born and bred in the great lumber country near Omeamee, adjacent to both Peterborough and Lindsay, some of

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 Capitol—"The Man From Glengarry."  
 Columbia—"Queen of the Turf."  
 Royal—"The Black Panther's Cub."

the most valuable timber lands in the country.

The virile character of his work, the action, the correct detail are noticeable to everyone who recognizes the real thing. This end of the work is very important, and it is another decided triumph for the makers and distributors of "The Man From Glengarry."

## COLUMBIA

Lovers of the horse, those who like fast-moving melodrama on the screen, those who admire a dare-devil young woman as courageous as she is beautiful and those who love the thrill and tingle of the race course on derby day will find plenty of enjoyment in "Queen of the Turf," the big racing drama—released by R.C. Pictures—now showing at the Columbia Theatre for the last time to-day. "Queen of the Turf" has been described by turf and screen critics who have reviewed it as another "Chickens" because it has all the big punch elements of that great old melodrama of the race track that thrived the world on the stage more than a decade ago.

## ROYAL VICTORIA

Charles Algernon Swinburne's immortal poem, "Faustine," which has never failed to fascinate and hold enthralled the readers of each new coming generation, forms the basis of one of the most lavish photoplays presented in many seasons, "The Black Panther's Cub," produced by W. K. Ziegfeld and starring Florence Reed, which is shown at the Royal for the last time to-day.

As "The Black Panther's Cub" or the daughter of "Faustine," Miss Reed returns to the screen, after a prolonged absence, in one of the most entertaining and spectacular roles she has ever assumed.

Scarcely less important is the supporting cast with which Mr. Ziegfeld has surrounded the leading figure in the play. Such names as Norman Trevor, Charlie Foxe, Tyrone Power and Henry Stephenson are sufficiently important in the amusement world to individually insure the success of any production, whether on the stage or screen, and yet this array of theatrical talent has been combined by the producer in this one production. Scarcely of hardly less equal prominence in the cast are William Roselle, Mile. Dazie and Paula Shay. It would be difficult to single out

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Marion Swayne is starring in "The Man From Glengarry"

any one of these artists for individual praise.

The production in itself is one of the fastest-moving pieces of photoplay work ever seen on the screen. There is a touch of the allegorical in it when the story goes back to the days of gladiatorial combat and moments of the original Faustine's cold and calculating tyranny.

Emile Chautaur, who directed the production, is himself a Frenchman, and the scenes that are laid in the French capital are particularly true to life and atmosphere.

Every youth has day dreams, and Buster Keaton is no exception to the

rule, consequently he decided to make a comedy with the "Day Dreams" of youth as the theme. The picture is exceedingly funny and will be an added attraction to the feature.

## ELMAN STUDIES BOOKS IN EVERY SPARE MOMENT

After Mischa Elman, the world-famous violinist, who will appear here on Friday, January 12 at the Capitol Theatre, finishes his recital and gets to his hotel after the re-

ception which will be held for him behind the stage, he will find time to reach for fifteen or twenty minutes some extract from one of the French, German or English classics. Mr. Elman is by no means a blind devotee of the "read fifteen minutes a day and get cultured" school. He finds, however, that the mental stimulus of the thought of some of the great masters of literature helps in the quickening of his mental processes.

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Every man hath two birthdays; two days at least, in every year, which set him upon revolving the lapse of time, as it affects his mortal duration. The one is that which in an especial manner he termeth his. In the gradual desuetude of old observances, this custom of solemnizing our proper birthday hath nearly passed away, or is left to children, who reflect nothing at all about the matter, nor understand anything in it beyond cake and orange. But the birth of a New Year is of an interest too wide to be pretermitted by king or cobbler. No one ever regarded the First of January with indifference, or that regard no time. I begin to know its worth, as when a person dies. It takes a personal color; nor was it a poetical flight in a contemporary, when he exclaimed:

I saw the skirts of the departing Year,  
 Of all sound of all bells—bells, the music nearest bordering on heaven—most solemn and touching is the peal which rings out the Old Year. I never hear it without a gathering-up of my mind to a concentration which I begin to know its worth, as when a person dies. It takes a personal color; nor was it a poetical flight in a contemporary, when he exclaimed:

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It is no more that which in sober sadness every one of us seems to be conscious of, in that awful leaving-taking.

The elders, with whom I was brought up, were of a character not likely to let slip the sacred observance of any old institution; and the ringing out of the Old Year was kept by them with circumstances of peculiar ceremony. In those days the sound of those midnight chimes, though it seemed to raise hilarity in all around me, never failed to bring a train of pensive imagery into my fancy. Yet I then scarce conceived what it meant, or thought of it as a reckoning that concerned me. No childhood alone, but the young man till thirty, never feels practically that he is mortal. He knows it indeed, and it needs no words to preach a homily on the fragility of life; but he brings it not home to himself, any more than in a hot June we can appropriate to our imagination the freezing days of December. But now, shall I confess a truth?—I feel these audits but too powerfully. I begin to count the probabilities of my duration and to grieve at the expenditure of moments and shortest periods, like misers' farthings. In proportion as the years both lessen and thicken, I set more count upon their periods, and would fain lay my ineffectual finger upon the spoke of the great wheel. I am not content with my "like the great weaver's shuttle." These metaphors solace me not, nor sweeten the unpalatable draught of mortality, which I begin to be carried with the tide, that smoothly bears human life to eternity; and reluctant as I am to leave this green earth; the face of town and country; the unspeakable rural solitudes, and the sweet security of streets, I would set up my tabernacle there. I am content to stand still at the age to which I am arrived; I, and my friends; to be no younger, no richer, no handsomer, my life, I want to be weaned by age; or drop, like mellow fruit, as they say, into the grave. Any alteration, on this earth of mine, in diet or in lodging, puzzles and discomposes me. My household-gods plant a terrible fixed foot and are not rooted up without blood. They do not willingly seek Lavinian shores. A new state of being staggers me.

Sun, and sky, and breeze, and solitary walks, and Summer holidays, and the greenness of the fields, and the delicious juices of meats and fishes, and society, and the cheerful glass, and candle-light, and fireside conversations, and innocent jests, and irony itself—do these things go out with life?

Can a ghost laugh, or shake his gaited limbs, when you are pleasant with him?

And you, my midnight darlings, my Folios; must I part with the little delight of having you (myself) in my embraces? Must knowledge come to me, if it come at all, by some awkward experiment of initiation, and be longed for by this familiar process of reading?

Shall I enjoy friendships there, wanting the smiling indications which point me to them here—the recognizable face—the sweet assurance of a look?

## TAR SOAP IS SWEET PERFUME TO MING TOY

Suddenly transplanting a girl from her home in China, where she has been raised in the doctrines of Confucius and the Orient, to an aristocratic American home where the good manners of the Occident attain perfection is bound to create many amusing situations, and that is just what happens in "East is West," the First National attraction in which Constance Talmadge is starred all next week at the Royal Victoria Theatre.

Constance Talmadge creates constant laughter when, as Ming Toy, she is installed in the home of the Bensons. Billy Benson is in love with her and she is living under the scrutiny of the elder Bensons. But she nevertheless thinks that tar soap has the sweetest odor of all American perfumes, and regards gum-chewing as a fine art.

However, love works a wonderful metamorphosis, and in the end Billy Benson and his parents have reason to be proud of Ming Toy.

Billy Benson is played by Edward Burns. Warner Oland is seen as Charlie Yong, the villainous "fifty-fifty" Chinaman who has absorbed all the evils of the new civilization of the West. Nigel Barrie plays Jimmy Potter, Billy Benson's chum. Other roles are played by E. A. Lawrence, Frank Lanning, Winter Hill and Lillian Lawrence. "East is West" was directed by Sidney Franklin.

## EX-SERVICE MEN ENTERTAIN KIDDIES

Armories Is Scene of Wild Excitement at Christmas Tree

The Armories rang with laughter and fun yesterday afternoon on the occasion of the celebration of the joint Christmas tree by all of the ex-service organizations in the city. Including the parents there were well over 1,000 present, and everyone had a splendid time.

The big tree was charmingly decorated and simply laden with all sorts of good things for the good kiddies whom Santa Claus had sent fit to remember in fitting manner.

The ex-service organizations and their ladies are to be credited for the able manner in which the whole programme was carried out.

Everything had been thought out beforehand, and the result was that all associations had compiled a register of their members' children, together with a note of their ages, so that each youngster found a present that was entirely suitable.

The Boys' Naval Brigade band under very excellent programme of music during the afternoon. R. R. Webb led the community singing and a number of artists assisted. The dancing of little Marie Louise Lowry was greatly enjoyed, and the tiny tot was accorded a warm reception.

Hundreds of good things had been set out on the tables, and when the kiddies sat down to tea there was great rejoicing. The ladies worked hard to insure that all the youngsters had a good time, and in this they fully succeeded. It was when Samuel Meade, president of the British Columbia Division, announced that the presents would be distributed that pandemonium broke loose and the real fun began, however. None

## BAND CONCERT ON SUNDAY EVENING

Programme at Capitol Will Be of High Order; To Resume To-morrow

The Sunday evening band concerts are to be resumed, and to-morrow at the Capitol several numbers appropriate to the season will be given. The 16th Canadian Scottish under Bandmaster James M. Miller, will render four selections, including "The Gondollers," and a Yuletide Potpourri called "Around the Christmas Tree." The soloist will be Handley Wells, basso, who will sing Gounod's famous song, "Nazareth," accompanied by the band and the choir of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, has kindly consented to give some delightful carols, and among the soloists of the choir are Masters Bowers and Sherwood, and Mrs. Meaton. F. T. C. Wickett, A. R. C. G. choirmaster, will conduct the choir, and T. R. Myers will act as accompanist. The following is the programme:

Yuletide Potpourri—"Around the Christmas Tree"..... Tobani  
 Descriptive Fantasia—"The Coloured Wedding"..... Gounod  
 Song—"Nazareth"..... Gounod  
 Mr. Handley Wells.  
 Selection—"Gondollers"..... Sullivan  
 March—"Spirit of the Goldenrod".....  
 Programme of Carols.  
 "The First Nowel".....  
 "This Night Bright Angel".....  
 Solo—"Under the Stars"..... M. C. Brown  
 Master Stanley Bowers.  
 "Chantons! Barges, Roue, Roue"  
 "Obiencureus Nult"  
 Solo—"Maître Charlie Sherwood."  
 Solo—"Abide With Me"  
 Solo—"Christmas Bells"  
 Solo—"Sir F. Bridge"

## SANTA CLAUS HELPS ROTARIANS TO MAKE POOR KIDDIES HAPPY

Arrives Specially to Distribute Gifts to Club's Little Guests

Santa Claus, looking strangely like Rotarian Ernest Halsall, arrived at the Capitol Theatre yesterday afternoon especially to help the Rotary Club stage its annual Christmas party for children who are not having much fun in their homes this Winter. The old gentleman was in high spirits and beamed with him less a person than Jack Frost, who, in spite of his weird garb, bore a striking resemblance to Rotarian R. Lamb.

Santa Claus told the six hundred children who had gathered in the Capitol a lot about his home at the North Pole, and declared that he could do all sorts of wonderful things such as disappearing into thin air and dashing through the sky in his reindeer-drawn sleigh. Then he called to his northern home again, where, assisted by a number of Rotarians, he distributed toys to them. The gifts were distributed according to the ages of the children and everything was done without a hitch. In the centre of the stage stood a huge Christmas tree, festooned with bright colored electric lights.

When he had seen that all the children had gifts, Santa bade his little friends and relatives another year and as the curtain went down the kiddies could plainly hear the jingle of his sleigh bells as he flew away to his northern home again. While Santa was busy with the presents, Rotarian Bob Webb amused the children by singing "Able" and telling of the adventures of Able's daughter Rachel. The children witnessed the regular motion picture programme during the rest of the afternoon. As they left they were given packages of candy and fruit at the door.

## ORPHANAGE TREE

Friends of Youngsters Provided Fine Entertainment

Every little inmate of the B. C. Orphanage was treated to a wonderful time yesterday afternoon, when their many friends gathered for a Christmas Tree treat for them at the home.

The affair began with a concert which the children themselves participated in. Brief addresses were given by Rev. William Stevenson, Rev. A. deB. Owen and Mayor-elect Reginald Hayward.

Santa Claus was very good to everyone, and he bestowed his gifts with a cheeriness that did every heart good. The various women's organizations in the City assisted in making the affair a success, and the rooms were charmingly decorated for the occasion.

## BOYS' NAVAL BRIGADE

The following orders are issued for the week ending January 6, 1923:

Monday, 6.30 p. m.—Band practice. Tuesday, 7.30 p. m.—Both watches parade and instruction.

Wednesday, 7.30 p. m.—Both watches instruction. Thursday, 7.30 p. m.—Both watches and band for inspection by S. E. O. and President of British Columbia Division.

All ratings without exception must attend all parades this week in preparation for inspection on Thursday night.

(Sd.) P. W. TRIBE, Acting Commanding Officer.

## PRESENTATION MADE

A handsome set of pipes and a tobacco pouch were presented to Lt. E. M. Pearce, Assistant Unit Medical Director of the local office of the S. C. R. yesterday at a pleasing cere-

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mony in which C. C. Tunnard made the presentation on behalf of the staff. Dr. Pearce is severing his connection with the S. C. R. after an association of several years, from 1919 in fact, to take up his duties with the Royal Provincial Jubilee Hospital at Vancouver. It is expected, will assume the duties of Assistant Unit Medical Director in the New Year.

## PANTOMIME WILL RUN NEXT WEEK

Capacity Houses Have Been the Rule at the Playhouse

All attendance records have been broken at the Playhouse this week with capacity houses every night. The unanimous opinion of those who have seen the show is that it is the brightest and best musical production ever offered here. When "Robinson Crusoe and His Maiden Aunt" was announced it was promised that it would be as full of good music and laughter as it was possible to get. This promise has been fulfilled to the fullest extent as is shown by the tremendous applause tendered by crowded houses throughout the whole evening. Those who have not seen the pantomime have missed a treat and should reserve their seats for the remaining performances at once to avoid being disappointed. The pantomime will open next week's engagement on Monday afternoon matinee at 2.30, and will continue every evening at 8.30, with a matinee next Saturday. The advance booking for next week has already been large, and there is no doubt that capacity audiences will continue throughout the week.

## TRUE

A fellow has to hustle here if he would gain renown. No man has ever become a cheer by comfortably sitting down.

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 Air robs coffee of its flavor—Nabob's vacuum pack which preserves NABOB and makes it the best for you to buy ALWAYS FRESH



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## A Stubborn Cough Loosens Right Up

This home-made remedy is a wonder for quick results. Easily made and clearly made.

Here is a home-made syrup which millions of people have found to be the most dependable means of breaking up stubborn coughs. It is cheap and simple, but very prompt in action. Under its healing, soothing influence, chest soreness goes, phlegm loosens, breathing becomes easier, tickling in throat stops and you get a good night's restful sleep. The usual throat and chest colds are conquered by it in 24 hours or less. Nothing better for bronchitis, hoarseness, croup, throat tickle, bronchial asthma or winter coughs.

To make this splendid cough syrup, pour 2½ ounces of Pinex into a 16-oz. bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup and shake thoroughly. If you prefer, use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, you get a succulent family syrup—of much better cough syrup than you could buy ready-made for \$2.50. Keeps perfectly and children love its pleasant taste.

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# LEVER LININGS APPEAR AS YEAR 1922 CLOSES

## FOUR MEMORABLE DAYS IN 1922

- Sept. 14—Smyrna In Flames—Greek Defeat Complete.
- Oct. 19—Lloyd George Resigns—Coalition Ended.
- Oct. 30—Fascisti Triumph—Mussolini Forms Cabinet.
- Dec. 6—Ireland Becomes Separate Nation.

## An Optimistic Outlook



Young Hopeful—Cheer up! When I'm a little older just watch me send them all about their business. "Prospects for the coming year grow brighter every day."

### NECROLOGY, 1922

January 1—Sir Thomas Sutherland, G.C.M.G., British shipowner, London, 87.

January 1—Alexander C. Hurchison, architect, Montreal, 83.

January 5—Sir Ernest Shackleton, British explorer, on board steamship *Quest*, 47.

January 6—John O'Neill, M.L.A., Toronto, 65.

January 7—Right Rev. Mgr. Francis Xavier Brunet, Bishop of Montreal, 73.

January 8—Joseph Oliver, former Mayor, Toronto, 70.

January 8—Mrs. George Foster Peabody ("Katrine," "Trask") writer and philanthropist, Saratoga Springs, N.Y., 71.

January 9—Hon. Mr. Justice Lavigne, Court of King's Bench, Montreal, 74.

January 10—Viscount Falkland, London, 74.

January 10—Sir William Matthews, Harbor Engineer, London, 77.

January 10—Hon. F. G. Tudor, former Minister Australian Commonwealth, Melbourne, 56.

January 10—R. A. Pringle, K.C., barrister and former M.P., Ottawa, 54.

January 10—Prince Okuma, statesman and former Prime Minister Japan, Tokio, 83.

January 11—Edgar Bundy, A.R.A., British painter, London.

January 12—Right Hon. Thomas Lough, former Parliamentary Secretary Education, London, 72.

January 13—Thomas Gibson Bowles, Parliamentarian, London.

January 14—Mrs. Whitney, widow of Sir James Whitney, Toronto, 77.

January 14—Eugene D. Larfleur, chief engineer Department Public Works, Ottawa, 61.

January 15—Sir John Kirk, G.C.M.G., Foreign Secretary Royal Geographical Society, London, 89.

January 17—Sir Charles Augustin Fannon, B.A., former Lord Mayor of London, 74.

January 17—Judge W. P. Archibald, Dominion Parole Officer, Ottawa, 60.

January 17—Joseph Kent, president Central Canada Exhibition Association, Ottawa, 59.

January 19—Judge R. D. Gunn, County Court, Ottawa, 59.

January 19—Most Rev. Charles Hugh Gauthier, Archbishop of Ottawa, Ottawa, 78.

January 20—Hon. Edward Laidlaw Wetmore, former Chief Justice of Saskatchewan, Victoria, B. C., 81.

January 21—Rev. Frederick Langbridge, author, London, 73.

January 21—John Kendrick Bangs, American humorist, Atlantic City, 59.

January 22—Viscount Bryce (James Bryce), British statesman, Sidmouth, 83.

January 22—His Holiness Pope Benedict XV., 67.

January 22—Sir William Christie, F.R.S., former Astronomer Royal, at sea, 77.

January 23—Cardinal Almaraz Santos, Archbishop of Toledo, Spain, Madrid, 74.

January 23—Ven. William Henry Collison, Archbishop of Caledonia, Kinloch, B. C., 74.

January 24—Senator Arthur Boyer, Montreal, 70.

January 24—Arthur Nikisch, Hungarian conductor, Leipzig, 66.

January 26—Senator Robert Beth, horse breeder, Bowmanville, Ont., 78.

January 27—Giovanni Verga, Italian novelist, Rome, 82.

January 27—Rit Rev. John Grisdale, former Bishop of Qu'Appelle, Winnipeg, 76.

January 27—"Nelly Bly" (Mrs. Elizabeth Seaman), Journalist, New York, 59.

February 1—Field Marshal Prince Yamagata, Japanese commander, Odawara, 84.

February 3—John Butler Yeats, Irish painter, New York, 82.

February 3—General Christian De Wet, Boer Commander, Westendorp, 67.

February 4—Duke of Leinster, at Edinburgh, 85.

February 4—Col. W. J. Stewart, Montreal, 70.

February 6—Cardinal J. Martin Vattani, Rome, 79.

February 9—Col. J. M. Elder, surgeon, Montreal, 62.

February 7—Sir Alfred Bird, M.P., London, 72.

February 8—Count Admiral Sukehiro Kabayama, former Minister, Tokio, 85.

February 8—Major-General Donald B. Cameron, former Commandant of R.M.C., Kingston, Dingswall, Scotland, 83.

February 9—Sir George Carter, steamship owner in Yorkshire, 62.

February 12—Sir Edward Cooper, London, former Lord Mayor, London, 74.

February 14—Lord Dundas, Scottish Judge, Edinburgh, 68.

February 15—Dr. James Martin Peables, physician, Los Angeles, 89.

February 17—Bishop John Edward Robinson, Bishop Southern Asia, Bangalore, India, 72.

February 17—John T. Hawke, Canadian editor, Moncton, N.B., 48.

February 18—Major-General J. Lyons Biggan, Canadian soldier, Montreal, 64.

February 18—Major-General Sir David Watson, Canadian commander in Great War, Quebec, 51.

February 20—Sir John David McCure, British educationist, London, 62.

February 20—Hon. George R. Smith, Legislative Councillor, Theford Mines, 62.

February 23—Viscount Harcourt, former Colonial Secretary, London, 59.

February 24—Arthur D. Rossalis, A. R. C. A., painter, Los Angeles.

February 25—Dr. Bernard Walter Evans, painter, London, 78.

March 3—Sir Donald Macmaster, Bart., M. P., lawyer, London, 75.

March 3—Henry Bataille, dramatist, Paris, 60.

March 4—Senator John Milne, Hamilton, 83.

March 15—J. A. Green, Shakespearean scholar, Sheffield, 55.

March 16—Hon. James Wilberforce Forster, Judge, Superior Court, Nova Scotia, Halifax, 73.

March 17—Mgr. N. C. Chailfoux, Bishop of Sherbrooke, Sherbrooke, 72.

March 17—Right Rev. R. H. Whitcombe, Bishop of Colchester, Colchester, 60.

March 24—Ernest A. Vizefelly, translator and author, London, 69.

March 26—Dennis Cochin, statesman, Paris, 68.

March 26—Sir William Stewart Dick-Cunyngham, Bart., Commander Black Watch, Edinburgh, 51.

March 28—Sir Reginald Henry Cox, Bart., banker, London, 65.

March 28—Brigadier-General John A. Bell-Smyth, London, 54.

March 28—C. O. F. Wright, U. F. A., member of the Alberta Legislature, Edmonton, 39.

March 29—Right Rev. George Frederick Hose, formerly Bishop of Singapore, London, 84.

March 30—Sir John Eaton, merchant, Toronto, 46.

March 30—Sir Walter Charlton Hughes, Indian administrator, London, 72.

April 1—Ex-Emperor Karl of Austria-Hungary, Funchal, Madeira, 35.

April 1—Miss Gertrude Page (Mrs. Alexander Dobbin), novelist, Fort Salisbury, Rhodesia.

April 2—Mr. Justice T. L. Metcalfe, Court of Appeals, Manitoba, Winnipeg, 62.

April 4—Sir John Kirk, philanthropist, Westcott, England, 75.

April 5—Frederic Villiers, war correspondent, London, 70.

April 6—Robert Glasgow, historian, New York, 46.

April 7—Prof. A. V. Dicey, constitutional lawyer, Oxford, 87.

April 7—Hon. J. S. T. McGowan, former Labor Premier, N. S. W., Sydney, 65.

April 8—Sir Patrick Manson, physician, London, 74.

April 9—General Erich von Falkenhayn, former German Minister of War, German Army, Potsdam, 61.

April 12—Rev. William J. McKay, LL. M., editor, Toronto, 84.

April 13—Right Hon. Thomas Burt, miner, M. P., Newcastle, 84.

April 13—Ross Macpherson Smith, aviator (killed), Brooklands, Chobsey, England, 76.

April 15—T. H. Rieder, manufacturer, Montreal, 43.

April 15—Henry V. Esmond, playwright, Paris, 53.

April 18—Dowager Countess of Derby, wife of former Governor-General of Canada, London, 82.

April 19—Sir Alfred Pierce Gould, surgeon, London, 70.

April 19—Miss Marjorie L. C. Pickett, authoress, Vancouver, 39.

April 20—Sir Henry Eric Richards, lawyer, London, 61.

April 26—Frederick Marmaduke Van Rensselaer Dey, creator of "Nick Carter," New York, 41.

April 27—Senator Frederick Pemberton Thompson, Ottawa, 74.

April 28—Paul Deschanel, former President of France, Paris, 85.

April 29—Richard Croker, former "Boss" Tammany Hall, at Glencairn Castle, Scotland, 81.

May 1—Hon. John Sutherland, Parliamentarian, Manitoba, Winnipeg, 84.

May 1—Sir Ernest M. Raeburn, K.B.E., former Director-General British Office of Shipping, New York, aged 43.

June 1—Robert Reid "Rob Wainlock" Scottish-Canadian poet, Montreal, 70.

June 2—Sir John David Rees, Bart., M. P., at Chesterfield, 67.

June 2—N. Stewart Dunlop, horticulturist of C. P. R., Montreal, 81.

June 5—Mr. Justice L. T. Marchal, Superior Court, of Quebec, Vaudeuil, 58.

June 5—Lillian Russell (Mrs. Alexander P. Moore) actress, Pittsburgh, 60.

June 7—Thomas McDougall, former president, Canadian Bankers' Association, Montreal, 80.

June 9—Edward Parnell, Mayor of Winnipeg, Man., Victoria, B. C., 63.

June 10—Earl of Westmorland, A. D. C. to King George, Brighton, 63.

June 14—James Logie Robertson ("Hugh Halliburton"), Scottish poet, Edinburgh, 70.

June 17—John W. Miller, former Secretary McGill University, Montreal, 56.

June 17—Mr. Justice R. H. Chauvigny, Superior Court of Quebec, in Montreal, 59.

June 18—Sir Robert Philip, former Prime Minister, Queensland, Brisbane, 70.

June 19—Admiral Sir Lewis Beau-mont, Sussex, 75.

June 21—Take Jonescu, famous Rumanian statesman, in Rome, aged 65.

June 22—Field-Marshal Sir Henry Wilson, Bart., G.C.B., D.S.O., M.P., for North Down and former Chief of the Imperial General Staff (assassinated), in London, aged 58.

June 23—Dr. Wu Ting Fang, Chinese diplomat, Canton, 80.

June 24—William Rockefeller,

Standard Oil Company, North Tarrytown, N.Y., 81.

June 25—Dr. Walter Rathenau, German Foreign Minister (assassinated), Berlin, 58.

June 25—Sir George Robert Parkin, former Principal of U.C.C., Toronto, Chobsey, England, 76.

June 25—Cardinal Theodore Valfre di Bonzo, former Papal Nuncio, Australia, Rome, 69.

June 26—Albert of Monaco, scientist, Paris, 74.

July 6—Dr. W. J. Wanless, Toronto, surgeon missionary, India, 57.

July 6—Sir John Sandys, classical scholar, Cambridge, 72.

July 7—Sir William Nelson, Bart., Nelson Steamship Line, London, 71.

July 8—Frank R. Hallway, Montreal, 81.

July 9—Louis J. A. Derome, publisher, Montreal, 81.

July 9—Major-General Sir Geoffrey Barton, British commander, London, 78.

July 11—Sir George Prothero, editor, Quarterly Review, London, 74.

July 12—Sir Thomas Glen-Coats, Bart., manufacturer and philanthropist, Paisley, Scotland, 76.

July 12—Admiral John Moresby, explorer, Portsmouth, 92.

July 13—Major-General Frederick Falkiner Minchin, Military Adviser, Ministry of Munitions, Tipperary, Ireland, 62.

July 15—Charles R. Miller, editor, New York Times, New York, 73.

July 22—Mrs. Everard Coates (Sara Jeannette Duncan), Canadian novelist, Toronto, 87.

July 27—Julia Mary, French novelist, Paris, 77.

August 1—Professor J. J. MacKenzie, mathematician, Montreal, 57.

August 2—Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of telephone, Baddeck, N.S., 70.

August 12—Arthur Griffith, President, Dail Eireann, Dublin, 50.

August 14—Viscount Northcliffe, newspaper owner and publicist, London, 57.

August 16—Dr. Henri Larouche, Director, Civic Laboratory, Montreal, 63.

August 18—Genevieve Ward, American born tragedienne, London, 84.

August 21—Hon. E. X. Drouin, former Judge, Superior Court, Bout de Ville, 96.

August 22—Michael Collins, Irish

Free State leader, assassinated near Boston, 39.

August 23—Sir Thomas Brock, sculptor, London, 75.

August 23—General Sir Jacob Van Deventer, South African soldier, Bloemfontein, 48.

September 3—Henry H. Dawson, Australian novelist, Sydney, 53.

September 4—General Sir Pertab Singh, Regent, Jodhpur, India, Simla, 78.

September 5—George R. Sims ("Dagonet"), journalist, dramatist, London, 75.

September 5—Bishop Samuel Fallows, Reformed Episcopal Church, Chicago, 86.

September 7—Lieut. B. W. Maynard, aviator, killed, Rutland, Vt., 30.

September 10—Wilfrid Scawen Blunt, poet, traveller and agitator, London, 82.

September 17—R. B. Angus, former president Bank of Montreal, Senneville, near Montreal, 91.

September 21—Sir Charles Santley, Bart., manufacturer and philanthropist, Paisley, Scotland, 76.

September 22—Earl Spencer, K.G., former Lord Chamberlain, London, 58.

September 26—Sir George Gregory Wade, former Premier of N. S. W., Sydney, 65.

September 26—U. S. Senator Thos. E. Watson, Washington, D.C., 66.

October 1—Hon. Simon Joyce, former M. L. C., Nova Scotia, Halifax, 74.

October 2—Rev. Dr. Byron H. Stauffer, Toronto City Temple, Toronto, 52.

October 7—Hon. J. A. Stewart, Minister, Montreal, 55.

October 10—Isaac Guggenheim, American capitalist, Southampton, England, 68.

October 16—Sol. Sir Arthur Davidson, Esquary to King, London, 66.

October 19—D. A. Lafortune, K.C., M.P., Crown Prosecutor, Montreal, 74.

October 19—Henry P. Borden, civil engineer, Ottawa, 50.

October 21—Hon. Arthur Drysdale, former Justice Supreme Court, N.S., Halifax, 65.

October 22—Admiral Sir Algernon De Horsey, K.C.B., Cowes, Isle of Wight, 96.

October 22—Rev. Dr. Lyman Ab-

charges of fraud in connection with monies received in connection with patriotic sweepstake was begun on March 8. After a long hearing Bottomley was found guilty and sentenced to serve seven years penal servitude on April 25.

A bombshell burst in the political arena with the announcement of the resignation of Lord Montagu, Secretary of State for India, owing to having gone over the heads of the Government of the day in making an appeal direct to the people with regard to India. On March 20, it was announced that Stefansson the Arctic explorer had hoisted the British flag on Wrangell Island. On March 23 the submarine H-43 was rammed and sunk by H. M. S. Versatile with a total loss of the crew.

**Industrial Troubles.**

The world was grieved to hear of the loss of Sir Ross Smith the intrepid aviator who was killed at Brooklands on March 23. Trouble among the men employed in the engineering trades culminated this month in a general strike and efforts to bring about a settlement were at once begun. A strike in the shipping industry was settled on May 5. On May 21 King George and Queen Mary paid a state visit to Belgium. Unemployment caused the outbreak of riots at Sheffield on May 13, but the trouble was soon settled.

There was loss of life and property at the sinking of the P. and O. steamer *Egypt* when ninety-six persons met death on May 20. The visit of Crown Prince and Queen Sweden on May 22, was the occasion of several popular ceremonies. Arthur Balfour was raised to the peerage with the title and dignity of a earl on May 30.

The engineering strike which still persisted came within sight of settlement on May 31 with the distribution of voting papers on June 2. It was announced that the settlement had been accepted. Ten days later the strike came to an end. A sensation was caused in financial circles with the arrest in Vienna of E. Beven, chairman of the Equitable Insurance Co., who had fled after discovery of alleged frauds in the handling of the company's balance sheets. Bevan was brought back and was tried in London in December. A visit by former President Taft was paid during the Summer.

**A Great Soldier Murdered.**

On June 22 the world was shocked with the announcement of the assassination of Sir Henry Wilson by two fanatical Irish murderers who were tried and sentenced and paid the penalty of their crime on August 10. Sir Henry Wilson's body was given a public funeral at St. Paul's on June 28. The annual conference of Labor opened this year at Edinburgh and was noticeable for the fact that affiliation with the Communist movement was turned down by a large majority. On July 17, His Majesty opened the new offices of the London County Council at the same day the Council of the League of Nations held a meeting at St. James Palace. On July 18 society in London flocked to the nuptials of Lord Louis Mountbatten, a cousin of the King, and Miss Edwina Ashley, England's richest heiress. On July 27 there was an accident at Liverpool Street station in which 45 persons were injured. On July 29 there was a gigantic demonstration in Hyde Park in which the slogan "No More War" was discussed and unanimously approved.

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**IRELAND**

The year 1922 was an historic one for Ireland. The day which closed the year previous at Downing Street was ratified by the Dail Eireann by a vote of 64 to 57, and De Valera, the Sinn Fein leader, immediately announced his intention of opposing its clauses on January 7. January 16 saw the last of Dublin Castle and British rule and the departure of the Black and Tans began. The attitude of Belfast was openly hostile, and there were riots and killings in many areas. On April 12 there was serious rioting in Dublin Courts, when the Republicans were on the day. On May 4 four days truce was declared, and on May 20 an agreement was reached between De Valera and Michael Collins. The rebels were held on June 23 throughout the country which showed a majority for the treaty.

**Battle of Four Courts.**

There was further fighting in Dublin in June, and the surrender of the four Courts, long held by the rebels, took place. Heavy fighting continued, however, and on July 7 it was reported that Sackville Street was in flames. Only July 7 the rebels were held in a country where they were volunteers, which was freely responded to. On July 20 Limerick and Waterford, which had been held for some time by the rebels, were captured by Republican troops. On August 11 Cork was also taken by the Regulars. On August 22 the world was shocked with the news of the execution of Michael Collins who had been killed in fighting near Bandon. Mr. Cosgrave was chosen in his place,

**FRANCE**

The year opened with a conference of the great Powers at Cannes, at which practically no progress was made for the settlement of the vexed questions which were convened to settle. As a result of the conference Briand fell just as M. Leygues had fallen after Boulogne proved futile. Briand returned to Paris on June 28. The annual conference of Labor opened this year at Edinburgh and was noticeable for the fact that affiliation with the Communist movement was turned down by a large majority. On July 17, His Majesty opened the new offices of the London County Council at the same day the Council of the League of Nations held a meeting at St. James Palace. On July 18 society in London flocked to the nuptials of Lord Louis Mountbatten, a cousin of the King, and Miss Edwina Ashley, England's richest heiress. On July 27 there was an accident at Liverpool Street station in which 45 persons were injured. On July 29 there was a gigantic demonstration in Hyde Park in which the slogan "No More War" was discussed and unanimously approved.

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**ENTENTE IS STRAINED.**

France suffered a loss with the disaster to her great battleship *France* in Quiberon Bay. On September 12, 1922, the battleship was sunk in the East, the relations with England were still further strained. France having a year previously signed an agreement with England to support the Turks. The Marquis of Curzon went to Paris on October 6 and did a great deal to bring back the Entente to its former state. President Clemenceau paid a visit to the United States late in the Fall, but did more harm than good by his outspokenness in his professed attempt to bring into a secret agreement with Rapallo just before the conference met. M. Barthou, who handled the affairs of France at the conference, was handicapped through the fact that he had no plenipotentiary and had to continually telephone for instructions to Poincare before taking the smallest step. The relations between France and England were at the lowest ebb at the end of the Genoa conference.

**CANADA**

The year 1922 has been a very quiet one for Canada politically. Following the general elections held at the end of 1921 the Right Honorable Arthur Meighan who had been defeated at Portage La Prairie contested the seat at Grenville, Ont., successfully defeating A. K. Patterson, the Progressive candidate. Meighan was succeeded by Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of Interior and he was elected by acclamation in Argenteuil County, Quebec, on February 25 and on March 14, Hon. J. R. King, Minister of Public Works, was elected at East Kootenay, B. C. On March 21, Rodolphe Outin, Liberal, was elected by acclamation in Vaudeuil-Soulanges, Quebec, replacing Gustave Boyer, who had been created a Senator. On May 15 George Bouchard was elected by acclamation as Liberal member for Kamouraska, succeeding A. S. Sibley who was appointed to a judgeship. On August 31 A. J. Benoit, an Independent, was elected to fill the vacancy in the House of Commons caused by the elevation of the sitting member to a judgeship. His opponent was Stanislaus Foulis, the regular Liberal nominee. Theodore Kheumain, K. C., was elected Liberal member for Jacques Cartier county and on the same day John S. Robinson, a Liberal, was elected member for Gloucester, succeeding E. A. Sibley, Liberal, by acclamation on November 20, and on December 4, two important elections were held. Hon. Robert B. Finlay, Liberal, was elected Liberal member for another Liberal and a Labor candidate. In Lunenburg, E. F. Preston held the Conservative seat and was elected after David Findlay. Both Mr. Mackenzie King and Arthur Meighan visited this constituency during the campaign.

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# OUR 45TH JANUARY SALE COMMENCES TUESDAY

## Big Values in Silks, Dress Goods and Staples



### Goods Marked For January Sale in The Staple Department

**Extraordinary Bargains in Linen Damask Table Cloths—All Perfect Goods**

58 x 72 inches, sale price	<b>\$2.75</b>
54 x 63 inches, sale price	<b>\$2.75</b>
64 x 72 inches, sale price	<b>\$3.50</b>
72 x 72 inches, sale price	<b>\$3.50</b>
72 x 90 inches, sale price	<b>\$4.50</b>

**Irish Embroidered and Lace-Trimmed Runners, Squares, Tray Cloths and Centres.** Regular to \$1.50, on sale at, each **59c**. Regular to \$2.50, on sale at, each **\$1.19**

**Oddments in Real Hand-Made Madeira Doilies, Tray Cloths, Centre Pieces, Tea Cloths, slightly crumpled in the Christmas rush. All to go at**

**HALF PRICE**

**Double Satin Linen Damask Cloths, Handsome Ivy Leaf Design**

36 x 36 inches, sale price	<b>\$1.50</b>
45 x 45 inches, sale price	<b>\$2.50</b>
54 x 54 inches, sale price	<b>\$2.50</b>
63 x 63 inches, sale price	<b>\$4.75</b>
72 x 72 inches, sale price	<b>\$4.50</b>
70 x 80 inches, sale price	<b>\$5.75</b>
72 x 90 inches, sale price	<b>\$7.50</b>
72 x 108 inches, sale price	<b>\$10.50</b>

(Napkins to Match)

**Real French Linen Lace Hand-Made Cluny Runners, Centres and Tray Cloths, oddments. All to go at**

**HALF PRICE**

**Battenberg Lace Table Centres, round, large size, 54-inch; all clean stock. Regular \$3.75 values, each** **\$1.59**

**Sale Bargains in White and Stripe Turkish Towels, various odd lots left from the Christmas trade, greatly reduced to clean them up; 79c, 59c, 50c, values, all to go at, each** **39c**

**Better Grade Turkish Towels, colored bordered. Some slightly soiled. Reg. \$1.75, \$1.50 and \$1.25, all to go at, each** **98c**

**Crash Roller Towels, all 2 1/2 yards long, strong and durable qualities. Ready to use. Special sale offer, each** **50c**

**Stripe Turkish Roller Towels and Heavy All-Linen Crash Roller Towels, all 2 1/2 yards long. A big January special offer at, each** **\$1.00**

An extraordinary purchase of Table Damask Napkins, fully 25 per cent under regular prices; large size; 24 inches square. Regular \$5.75 a dozen, on sale at **\$4.50**

### White Woolen Blankets Remarkable Sale Values

Size 60 x 80 inches, regular \$6.75, sale price, a pair	<b>\$5.00</b>
Size 64 x 84 inches, regular \$7.95, sale price, a pair	<b>\$6.00</b>
Size 72 x 84 inches, regular \$9.50, sale price, a pair	<b>\$7.00</b>

**Slightly Soiled Blankets, through defective packing. Our best grade "Ideal" Blankets, pure Australian wool, large size, 70 x 90 inches. Regular \$15.95 a pair. Special January Sale Price, each** **\$5.95**

—Staples, Main Floor

**Heather Grey Blankets Special Sale Price \$7.50 Pair**

Excellent Grade Blankets, 10 lbs., size 70 x 90 inches. Regular \$10.50 a pair. Special at **\$7.50**

**Beacon Plaid and Indian Blankets at, Each, \$4.95**

Blankets in attractive colorings, all our balance of stock. Regular \$6.75 and \$7.50 values. January Sale price, **\$4.95**

## COTTONS At January Sale Prices

**Fine Underwear Cambric, pure finish and soft even weave; 36-inch. Special Sale Price, per yard** **29c**

**Longcloth, best grade, made from selected long cotton; 36 inches wide. Special Sale Price, per yard** **49c**

**Twill Bleached Cotton, 36 inches wide. An exceptional offer. Special Price, yard,** **23c**

**DISH TOWELS, HEMMED READY FOR USE**

Special Sale Price, 6 for **\$1.75**

Heavy Twill, Scotch grade. Special Sale Price, 6 for **\$2.25**

—Staples, Main Floor

### Comforters At Remarkably Low Prices for This Sale

**Cotton Wool-Filled Comforters, remarkable value at, each** **\$1.98**

**Comforters, filled with selected cotton wool, pink with bluebird design. On sale at** **\$3.25**

**Best Grade Cotton-Filled Comforters, extra large size and well filled, Paisley designs. Special Sale Price, each** **\$3.95**

**PURE DOWN-FILLED COMFORTERS**

A remarkable offer, including oddments in our various qualities, in values up to \$19.75; all sizes. Special Price, **\$7.95**

### Bedspreads at Sale Prices

**English White Honeycomb Bedspreads, best grade, size 66 x 88; 28 only; a quality that will last for years. Regular \$4.75 value. Special price** **\$2.98**

**English Marcella Bedspreads, slightly soiled in the Christmas rush; three-quarter and double bed sizes; no two alike. All marked to go at Sale Prices.**

—Staple Dept.

### Flannelettes and Flannels For January Sale

Flannelettes, patterned in various stripes, broken quantities, grouped to clear at two prices.

**Flannelettes, 32, 34 and 38 inches wide; 16 pieces. Reg. 35c and 40c at, a yard** **29c**

**Flannelettes, including the best grade double warp qualities, also 36-Inch Twill, Stripe Ceylons. Regular 50c and 65c a yard. Clean-Up Price, a yard** **45c**

### White and Cream Flannelettes, Including English "Velvet" Grades

**Two Special Lots On Sale**

**Strong, durable quality, 30 and 34 inches wide. Regular 25c and 30c a yard. On sale at, a yard** **19c**

**Super grade, made from the best Egyptian cotton. Excellent wearing Flannelette, 34 and 36 inches wide. Regular 45c and 49c. On sale at, a yard** **39c**

**Striped Flannelettes, excellent Canadian make, 14 different stripes and checks to select from and a few pieces of white. On sale at, a yard** **16c**

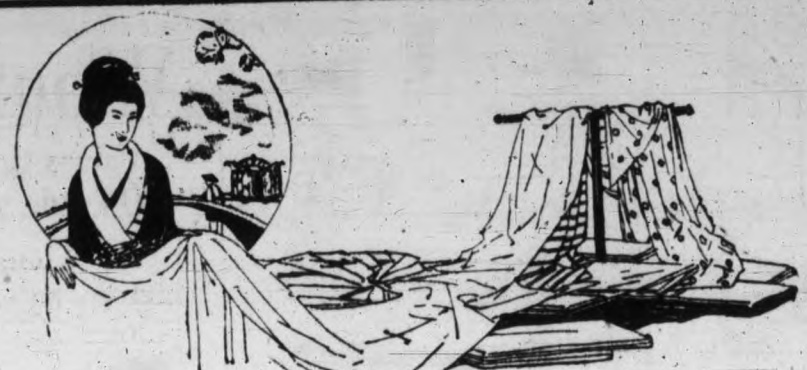
**Robe Eiderdown Flannels, in various designs and colorings. A big clean-up.**

**27 inches wide, regular 39c a yard, Clean-Up** **59c**

**36 inches wide, regular \$1.15 a yard, Clean-Up** **89c**

**Grey Woolen Shirtings, excellent grades, will make strong work shirts; plain greys and khaki, and neat dark stripes; 28 inches wide. Regular 65c and 75c. On sale at, a yard** **49c**

—Staples, Main Floor



### A Great Selection of the Best SILKS Priced for the January Sale

**36-Inch Duvetyn at, a Yard, \$3.98**

A silk greatly in vogue for dresses and millinery. The quality offered at the price quoted above is most excellent and is shown in navy, black, biscuit, poppy and white. Big value at, a yard **\$3.98**

**40-Inch Silk Georgette, Special at, a Yard, \$1.98**

A close pile silk velvet of a grade that will make up well in hats; shown in navy, grey, biscuit, sky, pink, white, taupe, Paddy, Myrtle and old rose. Big value at, a yard **\$1.98**

**40-Inch Silk Crepe de Chine, On Sale at, a Yard, \$1.98**

A medium weight silk, useful for dresses or underwear; shown in a complete range of colors. At, a yard **\$1.98**

**24-Inch Satins, Regular 89c, On Sale at 49c**

Heavy grade cotton back satin suitable for cushion covers, etc., in shades of green, grey and cerise. On sale at, yard, **49c**

**Tinsel Georgette at, a Yard, \$4.95**

Gold and silver embroidered Georgette, and ninon, in handsome designs; suitable for evening wear; marked at far less than the original price. Big value, yard, **\$4.95**

**Striped Habutai Silk, Regular \$2.25, On Sale at \$1.49**

A silk of useful grade for women's waists, etc., in plain and fancy stripe and a full yard wide. On sale at **\$1.49**

**36-Inch Silk Taffeta, Regular \$2.50, On Sale at \$1.29**

A bright taffeta silk in a chiffon finish, and a most durable grade; grey, wine, taupe, pink, Paddy and cerise. Special value at, a yard **\$1.29**

**50-Inch Black Sealette, Extra Special Value at, a Yard, \$6.75**

A serviceable plush, with a deep rich pile, durable and will make up well. Wonderful value at, a yard **\$6.75**

**40-Inch Silk Georgette, Special at, a Yard, \$1.98**

A silk most useful for trimmings or over drapes. Some are plain others are finished with a small self figure; in a complete range of colorings. Big value at **\$1.98**

**Millinery Velvet On Sale, Yard, 69c**

A close pile silk velvet of a grade that will make up well in hats; shown in navy, grey, biscuit, sky, pink, white, taupe, Paddy, Myrtle and old rose. Big value at, a yard **69c**

**21-Inch Check Velveteen, Special at, a Yard, 39c**

Only a limited quantity of this velvet to sell at this price. It has a black ground with a small and large check. An excellent grade for Children's dresses. On sale at, a yard **39c**

**Fancy Lining Satins On Sale at, a Yard, \$2.59**

These are first grade silks, some worth as high as \$6.75 a yard. They are shown in a variety of colorings. Ideal linings for coats. January Sale Price, yard, **\$2.59**

**40-Inch French Foulards On Sale at, a Yard, \$3.98**

Superior grade French goods, the designs are excellent and the material will drape well; suitable for smart frocks; navy and black grounds. Big value at, yard, **\$3.98**

**50-Inch Figured Plush, Special Value at, a Yard, \$6.50**

Figured plush in a heavy pile and marked at less than half price. An opportunity to get a coat length at a low cost.

### January Sale Opportunities in the Dress Goods Department

**56-Inch Polo Coatings, a heavy material that will make up into warm coats and will give exceptional wear; regular \$3.75 value. On sale at, a yard** **\$2.95**

**54-Inch Jersey Cloth, in a few colorings only. An excellent material and suitable for inexpensive skirts. Myrtle, brown, jade, silver and fawn; regular \$2.98 values at, a yard** **\$1.98**

**50-Inch Wool Plaid and Stripe Material, smart looking excellent grade and suitable for sports skirts—one of the real snaps of the sale; regular \$6.50 a yard. On sale at** **\$2.50**

**Tweeds and Coatings, oddments of our regular stock, widths vary from 44 to 54 inches, mostly greys and fawns; hard wearing tweeds; astonishing values; regular to \$2.50. On sale at, a yard** **98c**

**56-Inch Flocked Tweeds, a tweed ground with flecked effects; shown in attractive and useful colorings; regular \$3.50 values. On sale at, a yard** **\$2.50**

**54-Inch Stripe Shirtings, of heavyweight and neat stripes. The colorings are the best, the material of first quality; regular \$2.95. On sale at, a yard** **\$1.98**

**54-Inch Shepherd Plaid, an extra well woven material in black and white plaid and a large color check running through. Makes up well in children's dresses and jackets and will wear well; regular \$2.25 value at** **\$1.19**

**56-Inch Tweed Mixture, a large selection that are the production of English and Scotch mills, strong tweeds that will wear well; suitable for almost any use you wish to put them. A great assortment of colorings; values to \$2.95. On sale at** **\$1.98**

**54-Inch Stripe and Check Material, of excellent weight, well woven and will prove most effectual in dresses and skirts; regular \$2.75 values at, a yard** **\$1.19**

—Dress Goods, Main Floor



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# OUR 45TH JANUARY SALE COMMENCES TUESDAY

## A Great Selection of Children's Cloth Coats Reduced for the Sale



### Women's Suits \$25

Values to \$98.75  
On Sale at . . . . .

Every Woman's Suit in our stock at this one price for the January Sale. Velour, Tricotine and Serge Fur-Trimmed Suits in shades of brown, saxe, mauve and navy, trimmed with beaverine, squirrel and beaver. They have roll or convertible collars, some have fur cuffs and are finished with self trimming or embroidery. Sizes 16 to 42.

Plain Navy and Black Suits, smartly tailored on long lines with narrow belts and finished with self trimming or braid. Sizes 16 to 42. All at one price, each . . . . .

**\$25**

—Mantles, First Floor

### Women's and Misses' COATS

Priced For January Clearance Sale

- Blanket Cloth Coats, in colors of grey and brown, trimmed with cable stitching and buttons; half lined, and in belted styles with slash pockets—sizes 16 to 42. Marked for January Sale . . . . . **\$11.90**
- Fur-Trimmed Velour Coats, in shades of brown, taupe and navy, half lined and with convertible beaverine collar; sizes 16 to 38. January Sale . . . . . **\$16.90**
- Fur-Trimmed Velour Coats, in plain tailored styles, shown in shades of nigger, cinnamon, navy and taupe, fully lined with plain and fancy linings, trimmed with embroidery and silk tassels, in loose or belted effects, slash or patch pockets; sizes 16 to 44. January Sale Price . . . . . **\$24.90**
- Fur-Trimmed Velour Coats, in plain and tailored styles, in shades of brown, sand, navy and taupe, many are trimmed with beaverine collar and cuffs; fully lined and finished with embroidery and cable stitching; sizes 16 to 44. January Sale Price . . . . . **\$28.90**
- Velour Coats, in plain and fancy styles, trimmed with kit-cross and beaverine collars; fully lined and neatly embroidered; shown in shades of black, nigger, navy, taupe and fawn; sizes 16 to 46. January Sale Price . . . . . **\$34.90**
- Fur-Trimmed Coats of English Velour and Bolivia Cloth, with beaverine collars and cuffs and fully lined. They are neatly embroidered and finished with fringe. They have storm cuffs and are shown in sizes 16 to 44; taupe, reindeer and sand. Values to \$95.00 on sale at . . . . . **\$39.90**
- Coats of Bolivia Cloth and English Velours, trimmed with beaverine and opossum collars and cuffs, and have storm sleeves. An excellent selection. Values to \$145.00, priced for January Sale, . . . . . **\$49.90**

—Mantles, First Floor

## BLOUSES

Bargains For the January Sale

- Pique Blouses, with convertible collars, in plain white material, and square collar styles trimmed with plain blue and white check. Sizes 34 to 44. January Sale, each . . . . . **\$1.98**
- Middies of Serge and Flannel, Balkan or straight styles with silk braid on collars, cuffs and pockets; shown in shades of navy, green, fawn, rose and scarlet; sizes 34 to 42. Values to \$2.95 at . . . . . **\$2.98**
- Pongee Silk Blouses, in square collar styles, with pleating on collar, cuffs and front; natural only. Crepe de Chine Blouses in tailored styles with button cuffs and convertible collar. Georgette Overblouse with real lace; very dainty. Size range from 34 to 42. Values to \$9.75. On sale at, each . . . . . **\$4.98**

—Blouses, First Floor

### All Silk Veilings to Clear at, a Yard, 25c

We have gone through our Veiling Stock and turned out all our short lengths and odd lines, and have marked them for speedy clearance.

All Silk Veilings of French Manufacture, in a large variety of styles and designs, plain and fancy and medium mesh, and with popular chenille and silk scroll borders. Regular to 75c, on sale at, a yard . . . . . **25c**

—Veils, Main Floor

### Women's Underskirts at 95c

Underskirts made of flowered taffetine or in plain colors. Regular \$1.50 values at . . . . . **95c**

—Whitewear, First Floor

## Tricotine, Silk, Serge and Canton Crepe DRESSES

Marked For January Sale

- Tricotine, Serge and English Knitted Dresses, in neat styles and are very serviceable; suitable for business or street wear; trimmed with braids and embroidery. Several styles at, each . . . . . **\$9.90**
- Smart Serge Dresses, designed in straight loose lines and side panels with a touch of color; others are trimmed with embroidery and braid. January Sale Price . . . . . **\$12.90**
- A Choice Selection of Taffeta, Canton Crepe, Canton Net and Tricotine Dresses, in very pretty styles. They are trimmed with beads, braid, embroidery and contrasting materials. These are wonderful values at the January Sale Price . . . . . **\$19.90**
- Poirot Twill Dresses, made with panels and very prettily embroidered; some have collars and vest, and are attractively trimmed; navy only . . . . . **\$24.90**
- Dresses of Canton Crepes, hand-woven homespuns and serges, made in the most popular styles. All are wonderful values at the Sale Price . . . . . **\$14.90**

—Mantles, First Floor

## House Dresses

At Remarkably Low Prices For the January Sale

- Dresses of Best Grade Plaid Ginghams and Chambray, made in all the new styles, with short or three-quarter sleeves; belted or loose styles with wide girdles and finished with collars of organdie or self. Values to \$4.50 at, each . . . . . **\$2.90**
- House Dresses of Ginghams, Muslins, Prints, and Pique and Gingham Combined, many styles to select from. Regular to \$3.00 at . . . . . **\$1.98**
- House Dresses of Good Grade Striped Prints, trimmed with plain colors. On sale at . . . . . **98c**
- House Dresses of Good Grade Ginghams, in fancy plaids, trimmed with braid. On sale at, each . . . . . **\$1.75**

—Whitewear, First Floor

## Women's Hosiery At Sale Prices

3,000 Pairs of Women's Silk Hose, black-only. Excellent wearing hosiery, but have slight imperfections. A big January Sale Bargain at, 49c a pair . . . . .

- Women's Fancy Silk Hose, with lace effect clox fronts and drop stitch; black, brown, grey, sand, beige, navy and white. Regular \$2.50 values at, a pair . . . . . **\$1.98**
- Women's Silk Hose, with fancy embroidered silk clox; black with white, white with black, grey with blue, sand with brown. Reg. \$2.00 values on sale at . . . . . **\$1.50**
- Silk Hose, black only, with fine ribbed garter tops and double heels, soles and toes. Regular \$1.50 values, **98c**
- Fancy Silk Hose, with lace fronts and dropstitch, and with reinforced heels, soles and toes; black, brown, navy, sand, camel and grey. Regular \$1.50 on sale at . . . . . **98c**
- Women's Glove Silk Hose, full fashioned and with pointed heels, in shades of navy, brown and grey. Splendid value. Regular \$3.95 values on sale at, a pair . . . . . **\$2.98**
- Women's Silk Hose, reinforced with lisle at foot, shown in shades of black, brown, camel, sand, grey and white. Reg. \$1.25 on sale at, a pair . . . . . **89c**
- Women's Heather Mixture Hose, with high spliced heels and toes; grey, navy and in purple mixtures. Reg. \$1.25 values at, a pair . . . . . **59c**
- Women's Cashmere Hose, full fashioned and seamless with garter hem; black only. Special at, a pair . . . . . **75c**
- Women's Cashmere Finished Hose, with wide hem, seamless and with spliced heels and toes, a pair . . . . . **50c**
- Women's All-Wool Cashmere Hose, full fashioned, widened top, high spliced heels and toes; black, brown, navy, grey, fawn and cream, also brown, grey, green and Lovat mixtures. Reg. \$1.50 on sale at, a pair . . . . . **98c**
- Heather Mixture Cashmere Hose, with fancy silk embroidered clox, in contrasting colors; brown, grey, camel, fawn and Lovat. Regular \$1.75 on sale at, a pair . . . . . **\$1.25**
- Women's Heavy Cotton Hose, with double heels, soles and toes; brown, black, white and sand. Regular 50c for . . . . . **35c**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

## Startling Reductions in MILLINERY For the January Sale

- All Our Highest Priced Models, no reserve, values to \$30.00 to clear at, each . . . . . **\$9.90**
- 1 Table of Specially Selected Models, to clear at . . . . . **\$7.50**
- 1 Table of Beautifully Trimmed Hats and Toques, each . . . . . **\$5.00**
- 1 Table of Hats, exceptional value, regular to \$10.00, each . . . . . **\$3.75**
- 1 Table of Felt, Crush and Block Shaped Sport Hats, each . . . . . **\$3.75**
- A Few Trimmed and Ready-to-Wear Hats, each . . . . . **\$2.00**
- 1 Table of Assorted Hats, to clear at, each . . . . . **\$1.00**
- Women's Beaver and Velour Felt Hats, selling at, each . . . . . **\$7.50**
- 1 Table of Assorted Children's Hats, of plush and velvet, in soft, crush and blocked styles. Values to \$4.50. January Sale Price, each . . . . . **\$1.25**
- 1 Table of Assorted Children's Plush and Pressed Beaver Hats, to clear at, each . . . . . **\$1.95**
- Children's Beaver Hats, values to \$7.50, to clear at, each . . . . . **\$3.95**

—Millinery, First Floor

## Women's Sweaters Priced For the January Sale

- All-Wool Tuxedo Style Sweaters, with narrow belt and two pockets, shown in contrasting shades of green and white, red and black, eau de Nile, and fawn, and in plain colors of navy, henna, black and cardinal. Sizes 34 to 40 . . . . . **\$3.95**
- Silk Sweaters, in fancy and plain weave, fashioned in tuxedo style with narrow belts, and in shades of black, henna, Alice blue, navy and green; small sizes only. Regular \$12.50 values on sale at . . . . . **\$4.95**

—Sweaters, First Floor

## Sheets and Pillow Slips at January Sale Prices

- Cotton Sheets, all direct from the mills. The best qualities procurable at the prices—
- Size 72 x 90 inches—Special sale price, a pair . . . . . **\$2.95**
- Size 80 x 90 inches—Special sale price, a pair . . . . . **\$3.50**
- Pillow Slips, standard sizes—Special sale price, a pair . . . . . **55c**
- Pillow Slips, hemstitched—Special sale price, a pair . . . . . **79c**

—Staple Dept.

## NIGHTGOWNS AND CHEMISES AT SALE PRICES

- Silk and Satin Chemises, well made and of excellent grade. Values to \$6.75, on sale for . . . . . **\$3.50**
- Hand-Made Nightgowns, of finest grade nainsook, neatly hand-embroidered. Regular to \$7.50, on sale at . . . . . **\$4.90**

—Whitewear, First Floor

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## Men's Overcoats—in All-Wool Cloths—on Sale at \$16.50



**Men's Suits**  
Priced for the  
January Sale at  
**\$14.50**

In this offering of Men's Suits you have an opportunity to secure a serviceable, well tailored suit at a real bargain price. They are made in rough serges, green, grey, striped and mixed tweeds. Mostly they are models in conservative three-button styles, are well trimmed and of excellent appearance. Sizes 36 to 42. Values \$18.00 to \$25.00, on sale at, a suit ..... **\$14.50**

**Men's Suits \$24.50**  
Reduced to . . . . .

In these you are offered high-grade blue serges and tweeds in neat patterns. They are shown in the latest models and in superior finish. Most remarkable values. Regular \$30.00 to \$37.00 values for ..... **\$24.50**  
—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

**Boys' Suits Reduced for the January Sale—\$6.50 \$8.95 and \$10**

**Boys' Strong Tweed Suits** for school wear and tailored to meet this requirement. They are made from strong tweed, wool lined and well finished in every respect. Suits that will give your boy a neat appearance; regular \$10.00 values at ..... **\$6.50**  
**Boys' Suits** made of selected tweeds, stylish suits in better, semi-shaped and other fashionable models. Just the shades you may desire; values to \$12.75. On sale at ..... **\$8.95**  
**Boys' Suits** in mannish models, made from excellent grade cloth. They are shown in popular shades and each suit has an extra pair of pants adding to the life of the suit. These suits sold at \$13.00 and have been reduced for the sale at ..... **\$10.00**  
—Boys' Clothing, Main Floor

### Laces and Embroideries at January Sale Prices

**Swiss Embroidery Edgings**, 2 to 4 inches wide, in longcloth, cambrie and muslin, fine open patterns and closed designs. A few of these are slightly soiled, but most are practically new goods; values to 25c. On sale at, a yard ..... **5c**  
**White Organdie Edging**, 4 to 6 inches wide, an extra fine quality; many pretty rose-lacy designs are to be found in the selection; values to 50c. On sale at, a yard ..... **19c**  
**Real Hand Made Flax Lace**, at less than half price, 1½ to 7 inches wide; regular values 25c to \$3.75. January Sale, per square yard **10c** to ..... **98c**  
**Wooden Bead Girdles**, in colored effects, black, gold, blue and green; regular 98c to \$1.50 values. All to go at, a string ..... **69c**  
—Main Floor

### January Sale Values in the Infants' Dept.

**Short Kimonos** of eiderdown, pink and blue; regular \$1.75. On sale at ..... **\$1.00**  
**Babies' Diaper Pads**, regular 50c. On sale at ..... **25c**  
**Babies' All-Wool Costers**, slightly soiled; regular to \$2.50. On sale at ..... **\$1.50**  
**Babies' All-Wool Pullovers**, slightly soiled; regular \$3.50 values for ..... **\$2.00**  
Regular \$1.50 to \$2.00 for **\$1.00**  
**Babies' Pure Wool Flannel Barracosts**, trimmed with stitching; regular \$1.75 for ..... **\$1.00**  
**Babies' Nightgowns**, of good grade flannelette, neck and sleeves hemstitched, and trimmed with narrow lace; values to \$2.00 for ..... **\$1.00**  
**Babies' Flannelette Gowns** trimmed with tucks and fancy stitching; regular 75c and \$1.00 values at each ..... **50c**  
**Underskirts**, of striped flannelette regular 75c. On sale at ..... **50c**  
**Babies' Wool Flannel Bands**, regular 75c for ..... **50c**  
**Babies' Flannelette Barracosts**, regular 75c. On sale at ..... **50c**  
—Infants', First Floor

**Men's Suits January Sale Shoe Bargains**  
That Will Start the Sale Off With a Rush

**Men's Light Boots**, for best wear, brown or black calfskin on neat recede toe last and Balmoral pattern with solid leather, sewn soles; all sizes; values \$5.50. **\$3.85**  
On sale, pair .....  
**Men's Fine Quality Boots**, of black or brown calf, in all shapes of toes; Blucher or Balmoral styles. They have leather or rubber heels and all Goodyear welts; values \$7.50 and \$8.00. **\$5.85**  
On sale, pair .....  
**Men's Plain Toe Boots**, brown or black calf and of stout weight; have leather soles and are screwed and stitched for greater durability; all sizes. On sale, **\$5.85**  
pair .....  
**Boys' Dress Boots**, of black or brown calf, Blucher and Balmoral styles. These include our famous "Billy Buster" boot of brown calf, with waterproof chrome leather soles, that will give double the wear of oak tanned leather; sizes to 5½; values to \$5.50, for ..... **\$3.95**  
**Men's Felt Slippers**, with soft, chrome leather soles. The "Kosy Korner" brand in black, brown, grey and wine; regular \$1.00, for ..... **\$1.00**

**Women's Oxfords and Pumps** of patent leather, brown calf, black and brown kid, suede combinations, etc. This offering contains values as high as \$10.00. Fast selling shoes in which the styles have become broken are marked for clearance. The styles include practically all the popular numbers, such as brogues, military heel Oxfords, in all leathers; strap pumps and patent and beige suede flapper pumps; all on sale at, pair ... **\$5.85**  
**Women's Low Shoes** at \$3.85. A large assortment of Oxfords and pumps in this group; black and brown calf Oxfords, with low heels, brown strap pumps, etc. All leathers represented and all wonderful values at the sale price **\$3.85**  
a pair .....  
**Women's Brown Calf Lace Boots**, with welted soles and military heels; values as high as \$10.00. On sale at, **\$5.85**  
a pair .....  
**Women's Patent Leather Strap Pumps**, with grey, suede quarters and military heels. One of the season's most fashionable shoes; all sizes. On sale at **\$4.95**  
a pair .....

Clearing Several Hundred Pairs of Bedroom and Warm House Slippers, including felt slippers with leather soles and heels; kid and suede bouidoir slippers, etc. All on sale at, a pair ..... **\$1.45**

—Women's Shoes, Main Floor

—Men's Shoes, First Floor

### January Sale Values in Wools

**Monarch Alpaca Wools**, an exceptionally high grade of ice wool, used for shawls, sweaters and scarfs; in shades of mist, pink, jade, henna, navy, rose, emerald, tobacco brown, lemon and turquoise. On sale at, 1-oz. balls for ..... **27c**  
**Monarch Silver Twist**, a 2-ply fine quality floss, twisted with fine art silk. Suitable for women's and children's fancy garments. 1-oz. balls on sale for ..... **27c**  
**Peri Lusta, Jewel and Slipper Cottons**, a highly mercerized perle cotton, in fine or heavier quality; suitable for women's and children's sweaters, scarfs and tams; also used for towel ends; shown in Spring green, rose, pink, Azalia, grey, orange yellow, turkey, red, China blue, light blue, saze blue, old gold and purple. On sale at, a ball ..... **29c**  
—Wools, First Floor

### Corsets Marked for the January Sale

**Back Lace Corsets** of white coutil, with medium low bust, free hip, and four hose supporters; sizes 20 to 30. Special value at ..... **98c**  
**Sports Model Corsets**, of white coutil, back lace with elastic top; free hip and four hose supporters; sizes 20 to 27. **\$1.25**  
**Back-Lace Corsets**, of heavy, pink coutil with embroidery trimmed tip, graduated front clasp, and free hip. For medium to full figures; sizes 20 to 30. January Sale Price ..... **\$1.75**  
**Children's Waists**, with button fronts and lace backs, made of heavy jean, with shoulder straps; small sizes only; regular \$1.25 values for ..... **50c**  
—Corsets, First Floor

### January Sale Values in the Children's Ready-to-Wear

**Children's Overall Gaiters**, white only; sizes for the ages of 3, 4 and 5 years. Sale Price ..... **\$1.75**  
**Children's White Flannelette Gowns**, with V or high neck, for the ages of 2 to 4 years at ..... **65c**  
For the ages of 6, 8 and 10 years, each, **90c**  
For the ages of 12 to 14 years, each, **\$1.25**  
**Children's 1-Piece Pyjamas**, white or colored for 6 to 14 years at, a suit ..... **\$1.98**  
**Flannelette Drawers**, with frill at knee and buttoned at waist; sizes for 8 to 14 years at ..... **49c**  
**Children's Colored Stripe Sleepers**, of flannelette for 2, 4 and 6 years. January Sale Price, a suit ..... **65c**  
**Clearing Children's Sample Raincoats**, in fawn, brown, and French blue; sizes for 6 to 14 years; values to \$13.95. On sale at, each ..... **\$6.75**

**Children's Colored Flannel and Serge Middies**, in Bromley, Balkan or regulation styles. Bromley middies, made with round detachable collars and cuffs of white linen, black patent leather belt and two slash pockets; sizes for the ages of 8 to 14 years; in shades of rose, navy, henna, green, and mustard; values to \$4.75. January Sale Price ..... **\$2.98**  
**Children's Colored Drawers**, with elastic at waist and knee, for 2 to 12 years at ..... **49c**  
**Children's Raincoats**, values to \$7.90. On sale at ..... **\$3.75**  
**Children's All-Wool Coat Sweaters**, button-up style with pocket and belt sizes, for the ages of 4 to 10 years at ..... **\$3.75**  
12 to 14 years at ..... **\$4.75**  
**Children's Kimonos**, in assorted designs and colored mauve, pink, grey, red and navy, for the ages of 6 to 12 years; regular values \$3.75. On sale for ..... **\$2.98**  
Children's, First Floor

**Men's Underwear**  
Clearing at January Sale Prices

All Broken Sizes

**English Heavy Gold Fleece Shirts and Drawers**, shirts 38 to 42; drawers 34 to 40. Special January Sale values, garment, **\$6.00**  
**English Wolsey de Luxe Brand, Medium Weight, Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers**, shirts 34, 36 and 44 only; drawers 32 to 42. January Sale Price, a garment at ..... **\$4.39**  
**"Wolsey" Natural Cashmere Shirts and Drawers**, size 36 shirts; drawers 34, 36 and 40. January Sale Price, a garment ..... **\$4.39**  
**3 Dozen Only, "Tiger" Brand Heavy Grey Wool Shirts and Drawers**; odd sizes at, a garment ..... **\$1.49**  
**2 Dozen Only Tiger Brand Shirts and Drawers**, fleece lined; odd sizes at, a garment ..... **\$1.39**



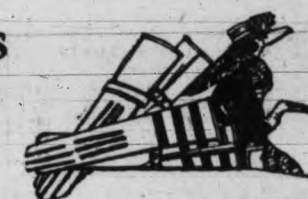
**6 Dozen Only, "Nova Scotia" Heavy Cream Ribbed Shirts and Drawers**. On sale, at, a garment ..... **\$1.15**  
**"Eureka" Brand Cream Shirts and Drawers**, medium weight. Special value at, a garment ..... **95c**  
**Stanfield's Medium Weight Natural Elastic Rib Drawers**, sizes 32 and 36 only. Must be closed out as we are overstocked with these two sizes; regular \$2.00 values. On sale at, a pair ..... **\$1.49**  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### Men's Sweaters and Jerseys Marked for January Sale

**One Dozen Heavy Navy Blue Wool Jerseys**, pullover style; size 42 and 44; regular \$3.75 value. On sale at, each ..... **\$2.95**  
**Men's Fine White Cashmere Jerseys**, pullover style with tape neck. 6 only. To clear at, each ..... **\$3.45**  
**English Made Heavy Wool Sweater Coats**, with shawl collar and two pockets; Oxford, navy and brown; regular \$7.25 values at ..... **\$6.45**  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### Women's Gloves at Reduced Prices for January Sale

**Women's Chamoise Suede Gloves**, Kayser and Griffin make, will wash well and fit neatly; shown in regulation length, 2 dome style with self or contrasting points; in shades of chamois, grey, pongee, mastic, black and white; regular \$1.00 values for January Sale, per pair ..... **69c**  
**Women's Kayser Leatherette Gauntlets**, an ideal glove for present wear of good weight and perfect fitting; have strap wrist fastener and self points; shown in shades of mastic, brown, sand, grey and white; regular \$1.75 value. On sale at ..... **98c**  
**Men's Woolen Gloves**, close knit, and pure wool. Pullover wrist style; grey and brown; sizes 7 to 8½; regular \$1.25. On sale at, a pair ..... **69c**



**Women's Pure Silk Gloves**, only five dozen in the assortment; high grade, queen quality, pure silk gloves; every pair perfect. Double finger tips; black and white; sizes 6, 6½ and 7; regular \$2.00 value. On sale at, a pair ..... **95c**  
**Trefousse French Kid Gloves**, absolutely correct in style, overseam sewn and 2-dome clasp; self points and in shades of mode, tan, grey, brown, slate, white and black; regular \$2.75 values. On sale at ..... **\$1.95**  
—Women's Gloves, Main Floor

### Toilet Requisites and Drug Sundries

During January Sale you will find many specially priced lines in these sections, in addition to the following list.

**\$1.75 Values, Hot Water Bottles, 98c**  
**\$1.50 Values, Whalebone Hair Brushes for ..... \$1.00**  
**\$1.75 Values, Whalebone Hair Brushes for ..... \$1.25**  
**\$2.00 Values, Whalebone Hair Brushes for ..... \$1.27**  
**25c Values, Talcum, assorted 2 for 25c**  
**\$1.75 Value Wilson's Invalid Port for ..... \$1.43**  
**10c Values, Toilet Soaps, 4 for ..... 25c**  
**20c Values, Bath Soaps, 3 for ..... 42c**  
**20c Values, Gibb's Lemon Soaps, 3 for ..... 46c**  
**40c Values, Dr. Howard's Health Salts 2 for ..... 63c**  
**\$1.00 Values, Bishop's Fruit Saline, 50c**  
**\$1.75 Values, Vacuum Bottles, ..... 87c**  
**90c Values, Tooth Brushes ..... 35c**  
**25c Values, Tooth Pastes, assorted, 3 for ..... 35c**  
**35c Values, Shaving Sticks, assorted, 3 for ..... 35c**  
**\$2.00 per oz. Malba Perfume, several odors, per oz. .... 90c**  
**35c Values, Emulsified Cocoa Nut Oil for ..... 33c**  
**50c Values, Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil for ..... 35c**

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# The Children's Page

## MAKE THE NEW YEAR GIVE YOU HAPPINESS

AFTER his labors of last Monday Santa Claus is now resting at his Winter home in Lapland. No doubt he is looking upon the children of the world, and watching the effects of his visit. He will smile to see Eileen playing with her new dollie, and Tommy building bridges upon the nursery floor.

What do you think he would do if he saw any little child grow cross and bold after they had received his good gifts? Why, he would take out a big book and open the ledger at the page which is devoted to the life of that child and therein he would make a note of the fact.

"Having received one toy train, one fret-saw outfit, an army of toy soldiers, and a bugle, Billy is now behaving in a rude and ill-tempered manner—December 26," would run the ledger of the kind old Father Christmas. Next year when making up his lists of those children he was going to visit Santa Claus would turn to the record of every child and would see what they had done during the year. He would note that on December 26, Billy was bold and if he ran short of toys he would not be so sorry if that child were forgotten in the distribution of good things.

All this leads us to the point of the New Year and annual resolutions. Monday will be New Year's Day, and 365 days lie ahead of us upon which to make our mark. What is it that makes for happiness? What made us happy on Christmas Day? Was it not the fact, that we had been good girls and boys and harbored no mean thoughts; that felt love and dealt kindly with all? That, then, is one of the secrets of happiness.

Let us resolve in the New Year to make the most of every minute of every day. To start out each morning with that object in view, and to see that we hurt none in the course of our work or play. We can hurt others sometimes without thinking we do so, and that is why we should plan ahead to be sure that our pleasures or activities will not interfere with the pleasures of others. When the sun shines it is easy to be happy and bright; but let us resolve to have a smile for use on the rainy days.

When school grows a little irksome and we would rather be outside on the playfields, let us make short work of our lessons by mastering them. It is the unprepared lesson that causes all the trouble and spells detention and disgrace. It has often been said that lazy people will do twice as much work in avoiding their duty as they would had they performed that duty itself. To put it another way the best way to do our work is to "stay with it" until that work is finished and complete.

Let us resolve to cultivate the habit of cheerfulness. One smiling face is enough to make others smile and in return others smiling will make us happy. What a wonderful place the world would be if everyone wore a smile, not just the smile of the face, but the smile in the heart. It is the smile in the heart which makes people happy and all the world a warmer, better place in which to live.

People are more than willing to be happy and would smile all the time were it not for factors which discourage them. A cross word is like a wet blanket that chills the warmth out of the heart and it cannot smile. Disobedience to our parents is another wet blanket to their enjoyment. There are many wet blankets in life, and each of them acts in keeping the world from its true measure of happiness.

Have you ever noticed people passing on the street. Ten will pass with thoughtful and somewhat gloomy faces. These you let pass without another look. Presently you may see one with a gay air and a happy smile—this one will attract your attention and perhaps make you smile too. Why not be the one to smile. Let us resolve to cultivate cheerfulness in all its forms: cheerful obedience, unselfishness, kindness, and a desire to make others happy, in every way we can. Then at the end of each day we should be able to say to ourselves, "Someone is the happier to-day for my presence." If we can say that on each and every day, we will have won a reward that will reflect itself in the happiness of our hearts.

Let us resolve also to study hard. To master our lessons and to make a mark for ourselves at school. Both in class and on the playing fields let us strive to be worth while. Our lives were not given to us to waste in self pleasure, but to use in making others happy; by working honestly to the accomplishment of that which it is our duty to do; and to make the world a little better for our living.

It is a great opportunity that is given us, and let us in this New Year take up the task of making a success of every day in the year. Friendships, holidays, happiness, and all the good things of life lie in wait for those who try.



FOR CHILDREN  
The Sandman Story For To-night

### MISS KITTEN'S SURPRISE.

MISS KITTEN was young indeed and she had never caught a mouse all by herself. To be sure she had caught a mouse with the help of her mother, who was the best mouser around, but to find one and catch it was a joy yet in store for Miss Kitten.

One day while her mother was asleep on the barn floor in the sun Miss Kitten saw a mouse running about some barrels and bags. This little mouse had been told by his wise mother not to go out of his home in the hay loft, for big Pussy and her kitten would certainly be about and big Pussy would catch him. But mother mouse fell asleep just as Kitten's mother had done and little mouse thought this would be a nice time to run about and try his luck at finding something to eat all by himself.

He had spied Miss Kitten just as soon as she spied him and being a fast runner little mouse ran behind a barrel. Then he ran out and Miss Kitten, without waking her mother, ran after him.

Over the boxes and under the bags and behind the barrels went little mouse and Miss Kitten followed or watched and after him she went until little mouse began to wonder if he had been wise in coming out.

But at last he found a place between two big boxes where he thought he was safe and here he intended to stay until Miss Kitten was tired of watching for him and then he would run out and go home.

But little mouse was young and he would have known that kittens if they have wise mothers are taught to watch and never leave till the cornered mouse comes out. And so after a long time little mouse poked out the tip end of his nose and there sat Miss Kitten, her eyes big and round.

Back went little mouse's nose like a flash, but Miss Kitten knew he was still there and she knew, too, that there was no opening in the wall of the barn through which he could escape or he would not be behind the boxes.

It was then time for her to act. Miss Kitten knew this and set she did. Between the boxes where little mouse had run she poked her nose and then her paw and the boxes moved. Then she slowly worked her body between them.

All this time the boxes moved so slowly that little mouse, having nowhere to go if he ran, kept behind one of the boxes close to the wall.

But at last the tip of Miss Kitten's nose was too close for safety and he ran, with Miss Kitten close at his heels.

A hole! Little mouse saw it right in the floor and, not caring where it landed him, into it he went.

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Miss Kitten thought this must be the very last lesson she had to learn about mice as she sadly walked with her mother to the house to drink her noonday saucer of milk.

In his hayloft home little mouse was crying because he had as he thought lost his tail. "She pulled it right off," he told his mother. "Oh, no, she didn't," said Mrs. Mouse. "Look! Here is your tail all safe behind you where it belongs, but you had better be careful that she does not catch you running about the barn again, for you may not be so lucky the next time."

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## BUDDY AND HIS FRIENDS

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THE DAY BUDDIE BROUGHT HIS LITTLE FAMILY INTO THE HOUSE

His lovely, slim, long tail! It looked to Miss Kitten like a good handle with which to pull little mouse out of the hole through which he was escaping and she caught as it and pulled. Little mouse in the hole pulled too. He was desperate so he pulled hard, though he was sure he was to lose his tail. And then all at once he was free, and off he ran for home, leaving in the paws of Miss Kitten the skin

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## TOMMY WALKS ON PLUM PUDDING LANE

AFTER a hearty participation of Christmas fare, in which roast turkey and plum pudding played a major part, Tommy sat down in the depths of an arm chair to read a book that had been given him by Santa Claus that morning. For it was Christmas Day, and Tommy was having a very enjoyable time indeed.

Presently the book slipped from between his fingers as the little head bent lower and lower in drowsiness. Soon he was fast asleep, or so you and I would have said. To Tommy, however, he had but started on his adventures, for no sooner had he laid aside the book than he seemed to be out in the open air and walking along a strangely pleasant country.

As he passed a telephone post at the side of the road, he noticed the name of the street. It was Plum Pudding Avenue, and now that he knew its name, Tommy recognized what he had formerly taken to be large cobble stones as the inverted bowls of hundreds and hundreds of plum puddings. Wide and resplendent boulevards lined the road, one side having date trees, while walnut trees formed their counterpart on the other side of the road.

He passed by the gates of several mansions, each bearing a distinctive name. One was called Cranberry Sauce House, another Mince Pie Mansion, while a third was called The Raisins, and so on. In the grounds of most of the houses were beautiful artificial lakes of ice cream. Now ordinarily Tommy would not have been able to pass a lake of ice cream without stopping to see if it were vanilla or plain; but now, however, he seemed in a hurry and went steadily along the road.

Though he walked fast enough Tommy did not have any clear idea of why he was going down that road. Something seemed to impel him onward. He passed several cross streets, each inviting enough to have turned the head of Tommy on another occasion. For he ambled by Chocolate Lane without as much as turning his head, and had it not been for a large chocolate sign post he would not have noticed there was a street there at all.

He did notice that the fences around the different grounds were made of sugar candy, and speculated for a while as to why that should be; but he could arrive at no solution. As he progressed he became more animated, for by now he had arrived at the suspicion that he was not at home at all but was wandering in foreign lands. He did not know what land it was, but that did not matter for the moment, he decided.

The road at this point broadened out and presently Tommy sighted a large woodshed, but what a wood! It was a forest of Christmas Trees. Short and bushy conifers with drums, bugles, toy soldiers, meccano sets, wireless aerials and other highly desired articles all strung in endless procession around the trees, and hanging from their numerous branches.

The little boy had not progressed very far into the woods when his curiosity got the better of him and he looked about for some inhabitant of this strange land to ask what the place was, and if he could come there to live for ever and ever. Presently Tommy sighted a figure pruning one of the Christmas Trees and stepped across the grass to ask him about the wonderland that lay on every hand.

"What place is this, please, sir?" queried Tommy with all respect for an inhabitant of such a fairy land.

"This, young man, is Santa Land, and you are now in Christmas Tree Woods not far from the home of Santa Claus himself," was the reply.

"Oh, and can I see Santa Claus on Christmas Day?" continued Tommy.

"Well, I will tell him you are grateful, but you could not see him now as he is fast asleep and will be for some time yet. You see he is very tired after his round of the world on Christmas Eve," was the explanation given by the gardener.

"Well, do you think he would let me come and live here for ever?" continued Tommy in breathless excitement.

"Certainly, only there is one condition, and that is you must come alone. You would have to leave your mother and father and your big brother and everybody at home; for they are grown up and could not live here," replied the gardener of Santa Land.

"Oh," said Tommy, "too bad. I don't think I would like to live here if I had to leave everybody at home. You see, sir, they love me and

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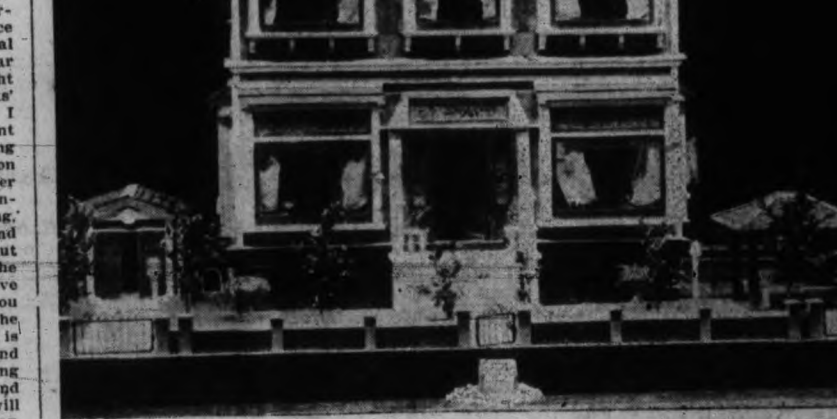
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### Doll's House Is Fairy Palace



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TOYS FURNITURE  
**TOOL-CRAFT**  
BY FRANK I. SOLAR  
HOUSEHOLD MECHANICS

### How to Make a Thong and Block Puzzle

A Real Puzzler  
The Japanese aren't the only persons who can make clever puzzles. Try this one. It looks simple at first—but wait until you attempt to solve it. Grow-ups, as well as children, find this a fascinating test of skill and patience.

Here is a sure enough puzzle that will keep the whole family guessing. You will have to watch the solution sketch in the drawing above very carefully to work it out yourself.

Cut two pieces of wood according to the dimensions on the detailed drawing. Form them with a plane chisel or jackknife and then bore the holes.

If you have a piece of leather belt or leather shoelace, fasten it at each end to the wooden pieces, as shown. If not, make a thong out of common binding tape, sewing a loop by turning back each end. Of course if you have the leather a slit should be cut with a penknife to make the loop.

The real job comes in assembling the parts, but by watching the solution sketch you will be able to thread the pieces on the thong correctly.

The complete puzzle, as shown in Fig. 1, is assembled ready to solve. The trick is then to take the pieces of wood off the thong. This can be done only by slipping the end of the thong with the slit around through the inside hole, as shown in Fig. 4.

Before asking anyone to work this puzzle, put it together and take it apart several times yourself, just to be on the safe side.

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"I wish Santa Claus had brought me a new doll for Christmas," said Dolly.

"But your old doll is as good as ever," answered her mother.

"So am I as good as ever," retorted the little girl, "but the doctor brought me a new baby."

FIG 1  
BUCKSKIN THONG

FIG 2  
WOOD MAKE TWO

FIG 3

FIG 4  
METHOD FOR SOLVING PUZZLE

OBJECT—TO PUT WOOD PIECES ON THONG AND REMOVE THEM



# TIMES DAILY-PICTURE PAGE



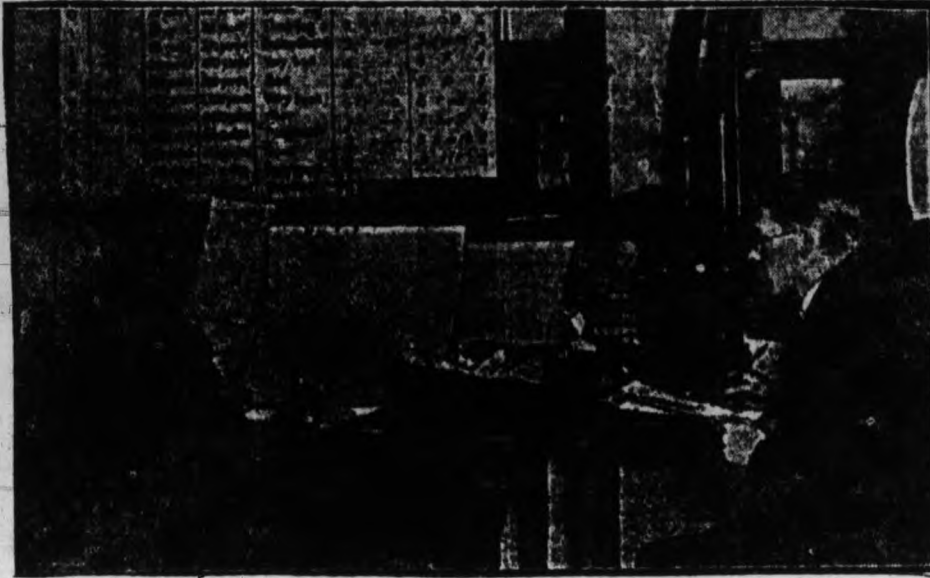
**Ex-President W. H. Taft**  
of the United States, is recovering from a serious operation performed in Washington.



**Mrs. Edith Thompson**  
who is under sentence of death in London, England, for the murder of her husband, and whose appeal was refused by the Lord Chief Justice.



**Prince George**  
youngest son of the King operated on for appendicitis.



Keeping an eye on the London fog. Meteorological section of the Air Ministry busy estimating the probable duration of a recent heavy fog.

**Will Wed Heir**



Part of the fortune of the late Adolphus Busch will come to Miss Lottie Tauscher, above, daughter of Mme Johanna Gadski, famous singer, when she weds Ernst Busch, cousin of the "beer king," in Berlin. The engagement was announced recently.

**Mme. Albani**



A recent picture of the great Canadian singer, for whose benefit a testimonial concert is being discussed.

### THE ROAD TO SUCCESS.



**Wilson Crockett**  
Labor member of the Ontario Legislature for South Wentworth, is named in a writ alleging breach of promise, filed by Mrs. Cordelia Wilkins, a widow, of Highgate. Damages of \$25,000 are asked.



**A. P. Willis**  
Elected President of Canadian Piano Manufacturers' Association. (Canadian Newspaper Service Photo)  
A. P. Willis, head of the Willis Piano Company, Limited, Montreal, was elected president of the Canadian Piano Manufacturers' Association at the annual meeting recently held in Toronto. Mr. Willis is the first eastern manufacturer elected to this position.

### "From Dr. Lorenz"



The greatest Christmas gifts—regained health—are the presents given by Dr. Lorenz, famous Austrian surgeon to Jacob Silowitch, of Brooklyn, N. Y. (above), and Fred Bantz of Newark, N. J. Bantz was considered hopelessly deformed and Silowitch was reconciled to a life on crutches.



"What would you suggest for a rich uncle, who is very feeble and walks with difficulty?"  
"How about a few banana peels?"—Judge.



**Dr. H. F. Wadden**  
President of Brandon College, Manitoba, has been appointed chancellor of McMaster University, Toronto.



**Lt. Com. E. Hilton Young**  
is chief National Liberal whip in the British Commons, succeeding C. A. McCurdy.



Jack Canuck:—Thanks, John, for giving my cattle a clean bill of health from disease, from which all the world knew they did not suffer.

### Pole Upheaval



**General Haller**  
hero of the World War, is now the centre of the political upheaval in Poland.



Col. Amery (left), First Lord of the Admiralty, and Earl Beatty, the First Sea Lord, arriving at Downing Street for a Cabinet meeting in the Near East.



**Miss E. Monk**  
Who has been awarded the I.O.D.E. Scholarship from the Province of Quebec.



**Finds Treasure**  
Lord Carnarvon, above, is back in England with \$40,000,000 worth of Egyptian treasure he discovered in unearthing the tomb of King Tutankhamun near Luxor, Egypt.







IGNORANT OF GOLD LACE, BUT COULD BUILD ROADS

Colonel MacKendrick Said What He Thought and Said It With Vigor—He Had His Way at Last.

By W. L. E.

COL. W. G. MacKendrick, who recently tendered his services as road expert with the British forces in the Near East, had to cut a lot of red tape and override a great deal of opposition before he was able to put into operation those revolutionary methods of building military roads behind the lines during the great war which earned for him a colonelcy and the Distinguished Service Medal.

First of all, he had to convert the coterie of officers comprising the staff to the methods he had employed in road-building in Canada. For instance, it was the rule of the army engineers, when preparing the foundation for a road, to place the underlying large, flat stones in a vertical, instead of in a horizontal, position, as was Col. MacKendrick's practice in road-building. This might have been perfectly proper in a dry climate, but it didn't work in "Flanders Field," as was proved by the fact that the vertically-placed stones, under pressure of the heavily-laden military trucks, were driven deeply into the soft, moist soil, while the slush beneath was forced to the surface, thus destroying the roads. Military regulations not permitting Col. MacKendrick to change the system, he obtained the consent of the staff of the high command to appear before it for the purpose of discussing the matter. Now if there is one outstanding characteristic about Col. MacKendrick, it is his penchant for plain speaking. He says what he thinks, and says it with vigor. So when he faced the staff he introduced the subject something after this manner, according to the version of one who was present:

"Gentlemen, I don't know what rank you occupy, for not being a military man I don't know one darned piece of gold lace from another. But having built roads from Halifax to Vancouver, I do know something about road-building. Furthermore, I know that your road-building methods behind these lines are wrong, and absolutely so."

As among the gold-laced officers present—although the outspoken colonel was unaware of it at the time—there were engineers of repute, his expressions of opinion were not altogether received with open arms. But before the conference closed all except two or three of the dozen officers present gave their concurrence to Col. MacKendrick's recommendations.

On another occasion he was ordered to construct a new road to circumvent one that was made impassable by the persistency with which it was being shelled by the enemy. Part of the proposed road ran through an extensive swamp, which he was instructed to make passable by filling in with material brought by motor trucks to the site. After surveying the site, Col. MacKendrick came to the conclusion that the method ordered was not only too costly—for the material would cost about a cent a pound laid down—but that a solid roadway could never be built in that way, while speed in construction was essential.

"Let me put in a foundation of planks," he urged the higher command, "and then I'll soon have a roadway for you."

This being denied, filling operations began, but almost as fast as the material was dumped it was absorbed by the quicksands of the swamp. Just then, owing to the death of his son on the field of battle, Col. MacKendrick obtained a week's furlough, which he took advantage of to visit London and present his difficulty in respect to this particular piece of road-building to the authorities there. But even there his efforts were abortive until one day, meeting Sir Joseph Flavelle on the street, the latter, after listening to the burden of his complaint, took him direct to Sir Eric Geddes. That solved the problem. In a few days Col. MacKendrick had the desired planks, and the road was built in scheduled time.

Sir William's Trousers Made His Election Sure

Electorate Could Not Resist Sir William's Whimsical Acknowledgment of an Old Scotch Lady's Care.

IT was in 1882, just forty years ago, that Sir Wm. Mulock, Chief Justice of Ontario, in the interest of the Liberal party in North York, contested his first election. His opponent was Mr. Anderson.

Upon the eve of the election, excitement ran high throughout the riding, and, although there were then no automobiles or more modern means of conveyance, great crowds gathered in the various meeting places.

It was just such a gathering that Sir William, then a very popular and a rising young barrister, addressed in the village of Bradford. He appeared upon the balcony of Birmingham's hotel, which has since been burned. The initial cheering had scarcely subsided when an old Scotch lady, who could no longer restrain her enthusiasm, shouted: "Many a time have I mended your trousers, Mr. Mulock."

"Many a time I would have gone without any, had you not mended them, my dear woman," was Sir William's quick response. Needless to state he won the election.

Mainly About People

Once Mr. Burnaby's Hat Represented the Moon

Whether it Was Inhabited or Not Was a Question That Made Him Blush.

WITH the sleigh-bells jingling out a merry yuletide note, the snow sifting down in great soft flakes, and the jolly face of Santa Claus figuratively peering around every corner like a giant elf, the setting was well adapted to put Mr. R. W. E. Burnaby, of U. F. O. fame, in his kindest mood. Of course it was quite a long time ago, how long no one is supposed to enquire, and just where makes no difference, for Mr. Burnaby himself has been heard to tell the story in the same breath as he declares he has taught Sunday school more than once and is proud of it.

Sufficient that it was the last day before the Christmas holidays, and that in front of him was a small class of kiddies to whom he was trying to teach a lesson in geography. "Now here is the globe," said Mr. Burnaby, pointing to the big ball revolving on its axis before the very eyes of the youngsters. "This, as you know, represents the world with its oceans and continents, its longitude and latitude. That ink bottle there we'll take that to be the sun. It doesn't look just like a sun, does it? Of course not. But it will do for the purposes of my illustration."

By this time the seriousness of the children indicated that they were becoming deeply interested in the treatment which was to be given of the earth and its distant relatives. Mr. Burnaby proceeded to complete the trio of examples. Picking up a friendly old fedora which he wore he placed it in proper position and said:

"Now we'll take my hat for the third object. Suppose we say, just for the sake of visualizing things, that it represents the moon."

Just then a hand shot up in the air and a freckled, straight-haired boy who generally washed most of his face every Sunday caught the teacher's eye.

"Yes, Teddy, what is it?" enquired Mr. Burnaby.

"Please, sir," asked the lad, "is it inhabited?" It is said that Teddy found a huge bag of candy at the foot of his bed Christmas morning with the initials "R. W. E. B." on a card. The joke was worth it.



R. W. E. Burnaby.



The Link Between the Home Rulers and the Sinn Fein.

THIS is the latest photograph of Governor-General Timothy Healy of Ireland. It was taken in the garden of his home in Dublin a few hours after his appointment to his high office, while he was chatting amiably with a Free State trooper. In the last few years Healy has been a sort of link between the old constitutional methods of the Home Rulers and the revolutionary Sinn Feiners.

Many a Citizen of Toronto Owes His First Attack of the Colic to R. J.'s Generosity

There Was the Case of a Green Street Car Conductor Who Was Promoted Because He Refused to Let Nobody Travel "on His Face."

POPULAR, jovial, R. J., better known as "Bob" Fleming, four times and possibly five times mayor of Toronto, has for more years than it is polite to mention been the city's Falstaff. He has been the centre of gravity for innumerable jests. Whenever there was a good joke unclaimed, it naturally gravitated to Mr. Fleming. Probably he himself at this date cannot tell truth from fiction in the mass of merry legend that has accumulated around him.

Some of the early stories about him show his quickness of judgment and kindness of heart. The late Controller Hubbard delighted to tell of his first glimpse of "Bob." He was bargaining with a farmer for a load of hay, in the slow and leisurely manner of the early days of barter and chaffer, when up came a young stripling, who in a twinkling went him a dollar a ton better and secured the coveted prize, the only load on the market. "Who is that?" said he, turning sadly away. "That's Bob Fleming," was a bystander's reply. "There is a young man who will make his mark," added Mr. Hubbard, little thinking how true a prophet he was.

Later on, Mr. Fleming turned the profit from that load of hay into an apple orchard. Every autumn, he flung the gate wide open and said to all theurchins of "Cabbage Town": "Boys, have all the apples you want." They may have

got less romance than if they had been allowed to "hook" them, but they certainly got more apples. Many a now-prominent citizen of Toronto owes his first attack of colic to the generosity of Bob Fleming.

Somewhere back in the same period, Mr. Peter Ryan states that "Bob" used often to return home with nothing between his jacket and skin, so often did he give away his shirt to friends in difficulties.

He never gave away a friend either. Once, when he was alderman, a certain newspaper was unfriendly to him was boosting him vigorously for mayor. Mr. H. S. Howland, mayor at that time, was far from pleased with this, and suspected R. J. of being responsible for certain leakages of city hall state secrets to this same newspaper. Once he thought he "had the goods" on Bob and taxed him openly with it before witnesses. "It is perfectly natural that a newspaper should want to support me," said Mr. Fleming, with his famous smile. "It is also perfectly natural that I should give them a little news in return for their good will." Mayor Howland snatched eagerly at this implied confession. "Then you admit," said he, angrily, "that you gave information to —?" (here he named the newspaper). "Oh, no," said Bob, in mock surprise. "I was referring to the Christian Guardian."

R. J. has always been an unruffled man, slow to take offense. Once, when manager of the street railway, he tried to heat his way with a green conductor who did not know him. The conductor shoved the box belligerently under his nose. "I never pay a fare," said R. J. "I always travel on my face." "Your face isn't fare enough for me," said the conductor. "Come across." So R. J. solemnly came across, but the next day sent for him and promoted him.

WONDERFUL VITALITY AT EIGHTY-FOUR,

President of E. B. Eddy Company Goes to Bed With the Hens, Gets Up With the Roosters, and Begins Work at 7 a.m.—Lives in His Work.

IF you were eighty-four years old and boundedly blessed with this world's goods would you go to work at seven every morning and stay on the job until the whistle blows at five in the evening?

Praps not, but George H. Millen, the octogenarian president and general manager of the E. B. Eddy Co., Hull, and thereby the incumbent of one of the biggest executive positions in Canadian industry, makes such a day's work a rule of his business activities.

As the supreme head of the giant concern and various other industries still associated with the name of the late E. B. Eddy, Mr. Millen sets a practical example in application to work to the thousands of his employees, who are turning out one hundred and twenty million matches, as well as considerably over one hundred tons of paper, including one million paper bags every working day.

It seems safe to venture that Mr. Millen is the only man in Canada of his age and post.

tion, who almost vies with the milkman in starting his day's duties early and puts in a full day, as he does.

Why does he do it? Because he loves his labor and the association with the twenty-five hundred or more workers under his control. Despite his four score and four years Mr. Millen enjoys wonderful vitality which he attributes in a large degree to "going to bed with the hens and getting up with the roosters" for he retires at about nine-thirty o'clock every night.

Mr. Millen has been with the company for fifty-six years and attained his present exalted position nine years ago.

ANOTHER ONE FOR MARGOT

THOUGH Mr. Asquith was receiving congratulations on his seventieth birthday last week, it is difficult to think of him among the septuagenarians. He is telling all his friends that he never felt better or stronger in his life. All the same, he has aged a bit in appearance of late. The wicked are saying that the change began to be noticeable just about the time that "Margot's" first book of reminiscences came out.—London Opinion.

NOW that the ex-Kaiser has married a widow, we sincerely hope that all those who have persistently demanded that he should be punished are now satisfied.—Passing Show

Sir George's Christmas Wishes to Operator "A"

Canadian Pacific Chief Overlooked the Breach of Regulations in Respect to the Sentiment.

THE day before Christmas it is the usual custom for railway officials to receive and send complimentary telegrams, containing the season's greetings and good wishes for the coming year.

A telegraph operator whose mind ran from the sublime to the ridiculous was receiving a number of these "well wishing and congratulatory telegrams" addressed to G. J. Bury (now Sir George), who was at that time vice-president and general manager of western lines Canadian Pacific Railway.

The operator turned over the corner of the telegram and wrote with a lead pencil, "These are my sentiments, too, Operator 'A.'" The vice-president's office was located in the same building, and in a short time the door to the telegraph room darkened and there stood Sir George himself looking around the room. He went over to the chief in charge, and said, "Which is Operator 'A'?"

The chief, pointing to the guilty operator, replied, "There he is, Mr. M—."

The operator could hear every word that was spoken, and now realized that he had broken one of the rules of privacy of telegrams, as well as taken liberties with one of the biggest officials on western lines, one who would tolerate no "monkey business." He almost collapsed; and, if there had been any way of getting out, would have made a run for it.

But Sir George went over to him and said: "I want to shake hands with you, Mr. M—. Thank you for your kind wishes, and I hope you will have a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year."

Sir George lived up to his reputation that he never escaped him, no odds how trivial. He was a great railroad man, and will never be forgotten out west, and especially by Operator "A."



Sir Geo. Bury.

ONE TIME MR. ROWELL JUST TOUCHED THE BELL

But Former President of the Council Is an Orator Whose Gifted Tongue Never Fails.

SOMETIMES praise, no matter how well directed, fails to ring the bell. Hon. Newton Rowell is one of those orators whose gifted tongue can invariably be relied upon to extricate its owner from trying situations. But once upon a time—and not so long ago, either—it was nip and tuck whether or not that gifted tongue would take the count, and all because certain laudatory remarks of the minister's, though ably put and well aimed, failed to draw the "bull's eye" signal.

The time was the summer of 1918, the place, a Witley reserve mess, and the occasion, a farewell dinner to a prominent Canadian general who was retiring from the service to engage in business in old London. Hon. Newton Rowell, who had just returned from a visit to the Canadian corps sports, at Tignes, in France, was a distinguished guest at the general's table. Eventually, as anticipated, he rose to his feet to address the gathering.

Hon. N. W. Rowell, the spirit of which, by this time, had been elevated to dizzy altitudes through the application, generally, of treatment since branded by the O.T.A. as obsolete—"peut etre."

At one table sat a little Cockney captain—not Cockney in the sense of being attached to an English regiment (for, quite the contrary, he had been one of two surviving officers of a western Ontario unit, that day at Courcellette), but thoroughly Cockney in the sense of belief that the Guards ranked heads and shoulders above all other fighting representations on the front. This little captain was doing his best to give conscientious audience to Hon. Mr. Rowell's address, but someone was constantly pushing those tall, spindly glasses his way—and—well—

Hon. Mr. Rowell, with reference to his recent trip to France, was saying (something of this order):

"And I said to this British general: 'How do the Guards and Canadians compare?' And he, thinking it over, replied: 'Well, for a hard, rearguard action, like the retreat from Mons, I'd take the Guards because of the splendid discipline and traditions they have inherited. But for a deadly, paralyzing blow, give me the Canadians because of their greater resourcefulness and initiative.'"

"And later on (Mr. Rowell talking) I heard this British general talking to a companion in rank. And he said: 'I had a rather pertinent question put me a while back.' Said the second general: 'What was it?' Whereupon No. 1 explained the particular question in detail, summing up by enquiring No. 2's frank opinion.

"Why, I'd take the Canadians in both cases," said the second British general. A perfect storm of applause! Hon. Newton Rowell smiled broadly. He had registered. But had he?

Far down the room the little Cockney captain had sprung to his feet, cheeks flaming. His Guards ridiculed like that? Eh, what? He'd say not. Then like whip cracks his words stung that crowded room to quiet.

"It's all d—d rot. You don't know what you're talking about, man!"

Silence! And a lot more silence.

Hon. Mr. Rowell brought to his command all the diplomacy and tact he could muster. Very gracefully he smoothed over and ironed out the kinks of this very trying situation. And every one breathed freely. But not until the fiery Cockney captain had been "shown the air."

The Canadian statesman went on talking. And over their cups the diners soon forgot the incident. But out in one of the alleyways between the huts, one of the two surviving officers of a famous fighting unit, that day, at Courcellette, gnashed his teeth and tore his hair and spat contemptuously toward a brilliantly lighted mess room, and alternately wept and sang something about "The Guards—God bless 'em."

A SAINT IN THE SLUMS

NO romance of fiction is more wonderful than the story of Alice Hughes, the daughter of Thomas Hughes, who wrote "Tom Brown's Schooldays."

She has given up a life of comfort and luxury to go and live in Whitechapel, where she devotes her time and fortune to the London poor. A frail, delicate woman, she has made every possible sacrifice for those less fortunate than herself.

She has been called "The Saint in the Slums," and she has certainly earned the title. Everyone within miles of her humble dwelling in Blackwall Buildings loves and respects her, as indeed they have cause to do. She never wears a hat because she says so many of her friends cannot afford one. In the same spirit she does everything. Her clothes are so shabby that people often press alms upon her, to be astonished at her reply: "Thank you, I am rich and don't need them."

The Heart of Lothair

THE late Marguets of Bute—the "Lothair" of Disraeli—had his heart conveyed by sea, in the custody of his eldest and favorite daughter, from Scotland to the Mount of Olives, at Jerusalem, for entombment.

The heart of King Robert Bruce—Scotland's national hero—after the strangest vicissitudes in connection with a vain attempt of his knight, Black Douglas, to convey it to the Holy Land, in fulfillment of a vow by that monarch, to make a pilgrimage to Jerusalem, was brought back from Spain, and lies buried in the now ruined abbey of Melrose, the "Kennaquhair" of Sir Walter Scott's story of "The Abbot."—Answers.

Certainly a Dear Friend

THE junior clerk sought out his employer and timidly addressed him. "Could I have a fortnight's leave of absence, sir, to attend the wedding of a friend?" "It must be a dear friend for you to want all that time!" inquired the "boss," sarcastically. "Well, after the wedding, sir, she shall be my wife!"—Pearson's



Two Old Friends Meet Again

DR. JAMES L. HUGHES, Canadian educationist and former chief inspector of Toronto public schools, who has his back partly turned here, is talking to his friend, Sir Henry Gamley, the great Scottish sculptor, in Edinburgh. Sir Henry's name was in the news recently when his statue of the late King Edward VII. was unveiled at Edinburgh. Every time that Dr. Hughes leads his party of teachers to Europe, he takes them to visit Sir Henry's studio. This is a picture taken just outside the studio this fall before 136 teachers and Dr. Hughes bade good-bye.

SHAW'S WITTY REPLY

SOME many stories are current concerning Mr. Bernard Shaw's alleged curtness in declining dinner invitations—he is, of course, a vegetarian—that the following comes as a welcome change.

Recently a great London lady asked him rather suddenly to her house to dine, and added an apology begging him to excuse her for giving so short a notice "to the most engaged man in London."

The most engaged man in London is very glad to dine with the most engaging woman," was the witty reply of the author of "Blanco Posnet."

A PRIMA DONNA'S BATH SONG

A GOOD story is told by a reporter who went to interview Mme. Tetrazzini one morning. He was informed that the prima donna was in her bath. The servant went to tell her mistress of the reporter's arrival and received this reply: "It is very good of him to come, but it is too early. I am in my bath. But if he will stand there I will sing to him."

And to the accompaniment of splashing Mme. Tetrazzini entertained the caller with a ballad!

A POET'S SCHOOL BOOKS

DURING his school days at Westward Ho, Mr. Rudyard Kipling often sold some of his school books to an old dame, then keeping a kind of curiosity shop at Bideford. She related that many people had been to her shop in after years to try to buy Kipling's old books, hoping to find rhymes scribbled in the margins—and how put out they were to hear I had rubbed all his scribbling out!

"No," I says, "Master Kipling was always fair to me, and he may have written things not so good as those he has sold since. I wasn't going to have 'em poking their fun at him."

CLOTHES AND THE MAN

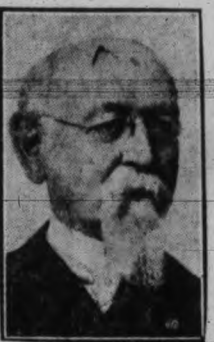
LOYD GEORGE needs a new press, remarks the "Tailor and Cutter" in one of its recent leaders. Of course, the reference is to his notoriously shabby trousers: "Mr. Bonar Law is not much better, and as for Mr. Churchill," continues the writer, "it would be unfair to drag him from his room and discuss his dressing-gown or pyjamas. We cannot, however, resist a surmise whether he has added a nightcap to his list of head-gear." Only Labor ranges from rags to riches.



Sir Wm. Mulock.



R. J. Fleming.



G. H. Millen.





# Regular Fellers

by Gene Byrnes

NOW SPELL THE LAST NAME



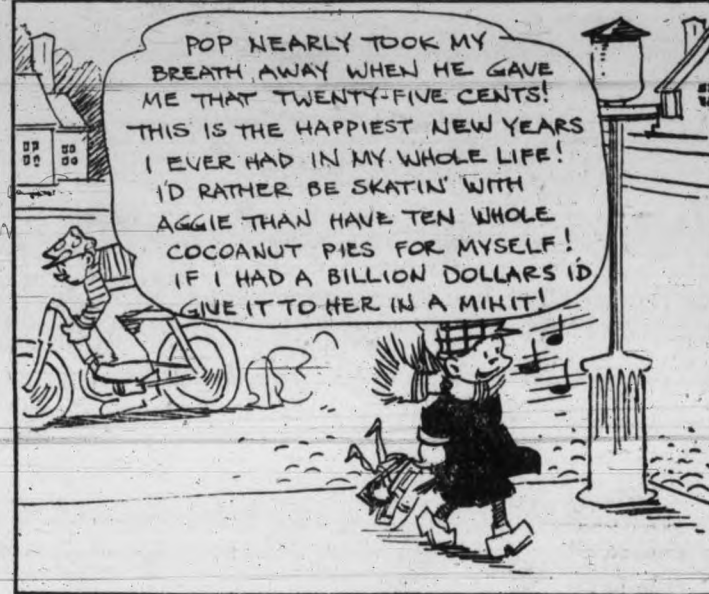
SANTA CLAUS SENT ME THE LOVELIEST PAIR OF ICE SKATES FOR CHRISTMAS BUT I CAN'T USE THEM BECAUSE I DON'T KNOW HOW TO SKATE

I DOWANNA TALK ABOUT MYSELF BUT I'M THE CHAMPEEN SKATER OF OUR GANG AN' IF YOU WANNA MEET ME TO-MORROW MORNIN' WE'LL GO TO THE PARK AN' I'LL TEACH YOU HOW TO SKATE

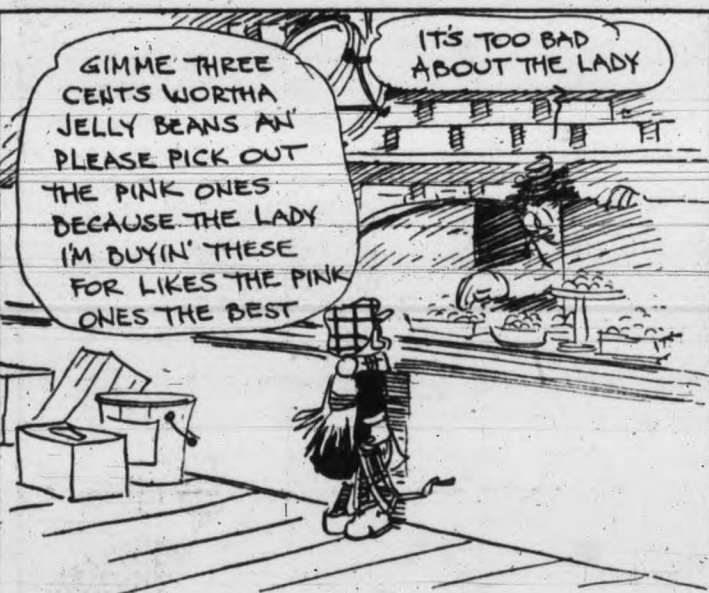


TO-MORROW IS NEW YEARS AN' ALL THE FELLERS ARE GOIN' SKATIN' EARLY IN THE MORNIN'! WHAT TIME WILL YOU MEET US?

I CAN'T GO SKATIN' WITH THE FELLERS TO-MORROW CAUSE I'M GOIN' SKATIN' WITH SOMEBODY ELSE.



POP NEARLY TOOK MY BREATH AWAY WHEN HE GAVE ME THAT TWENTY-FIVE CENTS! THIS IS THE HAPPIEST NEW YEARS I EVER HAD IN MY WHOLE LIFE! I'D RATHER BE SKATIN' WITH AGGIE THAN HAVE TEN WHOLE COCOANUT PIES FOR MYSELF! IF I HAD A BILLION DOLLARS I'D GIVE IT TO HER IN A MINIT!



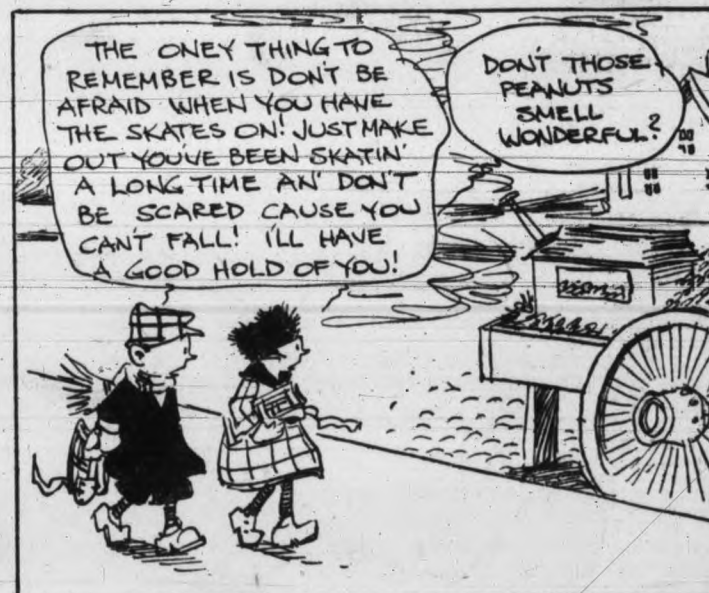
GIMME THREE CENTS WORTH A JELLY BEANS AN' PLEASE PICK OUT THE PINK ONES BECAUSE THE LADY I'M BUYIN' THESE FOR LIKES THE PINK ONES THE BEST

IT'S TOO BAD ABOUT THE LADY



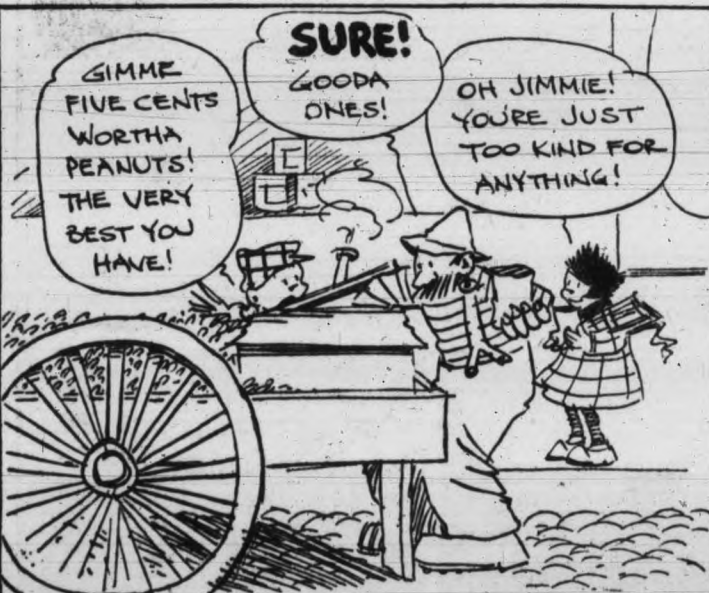
THE REASON I'M TWO MINITS LATE IS I BOUGHT YOU A PRESENT! HERE!

OH THANK YOU! JUST WHAT I LOVE! AND ALL PINK ONES TOO!



THE ONEY THING TO REMEMBER IS DON'T BE AFRAID WHEN YOU HAVE THE SKATES ON! JUST MAKE OUT YOU'VE BEEN SKATIN' A LONG TIME AN' DON'T BE SCARED CAUSE YOU CAN'T FALL! I'LL HAVE A GOOD HOLD OF YOU!

DON'T THOSE PEANUTS SMELL WONDERFUL?



GIMME FIVE CENTS WORTH PEANUTS! THE VERY BEST YOU HAVE!

SURE!

GOODA ONES!

OH JIMMIE! YOU'RE JUST TOO KIND FOR ANYTHING!



YOU'LL FIND OUT THAT SKATIN' IS EASY! I'LL HAVE HOLD OF YOU SO YOU CAN'T FALL DOWN AN' ALL YOU HAFTA DO IS SKATE!

I'M SORRY YOU BOUGHT THOSE PEANUTS! I WISH YOU HAD SAVED THE MONEY AND BOUGHT SOME CHESTNUTS INSTEAD



GIMME FIVE CENTS WORTH CHESTNUTS AN' PICK OUT THE BIG ONES

BIG-A-THE-WONS!



THIS IS THE FIRST TIME THEY EVER CHARGED! GEE WHIZ! AN' ALL I GOT IS TWELVE CENTS

NOTICE  
OWING TO THE EXTRA UP KEEP OF THE PARK DURING THE SKATING SEASON WE ARE COMPELLED TO CHARGE EACH PERSON 10¢ ADMISSION



I SPENT ALL MY MONEY SO ALL I COULD BUY WAS ONE TICKET! YOU USE IT AN' I'LL WAIT OUTSIDE FOR YOU! I'M SORRY YOU WON'T HAVE ANYBODY TO SHOW YOU HOW TO SKATE

I'M SO SORRY YOU CAN'T COME ALONG

TICKETS TICKETS PLEASE



I NEVER SAW ANYBODY LEARN AS FAST AS YOU AGGIE!

JUST TAKE HOLD OF MY ARM AGAIN AN' WELL SKATE RIGHT ACROSS!

MY NEW YEARS RESOLUTION IS I'M THROUGH WITH WIMMIN' FOREVER AN' FOREVER AN' FOREVER

HERE'S HOW YOU SKATE BACKWARDS





