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WITNESSES MAY FACE CHARGES OF PERJURING

Commissioner Tells Witness That Commission May Recommend Action

FAY TELLS PROBE OF HIS LIQUOR ACTIVIES

Says Martino Was 'Stool Pigeon'; Rodriguez Not a 'Myth,' He States

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13.—Four witnesses who have appeared before the customs commission and given evidence in the Chris Moeller liquor ship case, may be prosecuted for perjury. Chief Justice J. T. Brown, chairman of the commission, announced this afternoon that he and his fellow commissioners are considering the advisability of recommending to the attorney-general of British Columbia the prosecution of the four witnesses.

This announcement came at the conclusion of the examination of Tom Fay, an important witness in the Chris Moeller case. Mr. Fay could not be found for over a week, but finally turned up and gave evidence today. When he had concluded, Hon. N. W. Rowell, commission counsel, who conducted his examination, said that he thought it only fair to inform the witnesses in the Chris Moeller case that before the Vancouver sittings of the commission are over, he would recommend that the evidence taken in this now celebrated case be turned over to the attorney-general of British Columbia with a recommendation that four witnesses be prosecuted for perjury.

"We are seriously considering that," Chairman Brown said.

Is Real Flesh and Blood

The evidence of Tom Fay again introduced the mysterious "Rodriguez," referred to by some witness as the consignee of the Chris Moeller's 21,000 case cargo. Rodriguez, declared Mr. Fay, is not a myth. He is a real flesh and blood man who purchased the cargo of the Chris Moeller after some negotiations with Mr. Fay in San Francisco and Los Angeles last fall. The cargo was bound for San Blas, Mexico, said Mr. Fay, who admitted that he had acted as a "land agent" for liquor cargoes in San Francisco and Los Angeles some years ago.

Mr. Fay was asked by counsel whether he had met a man called Martino, in Los Angeles. He replied that he had met Martino accompanied by "a stool pigeon called Faulkner."

Martino, in reality M. F. Malone, United States secret service officer, who testified before the commission last week, told on having met Tom Fay in Los Angeles under the name of James Cameron. Today Mr. Fay informed the commission that he had traveled under so many names he could not remember them all.

Not With Stool Pigeon

"Did you go for an automobile ride with Martino?" asked Mr. Rowell, referring to Malone's evidence.

"I don't ride with stool pigeons," was the reply.

"Faulkner," said the witness, "is a former convict who was released in order to act as a stool pigeon and get information for the United States secret service." He asserted that Martino, or Malone, had given lying testimony about him (Fay) before the commission.

Mr. Fay objected strenuously to giving names of men in San Francisco and Los Angeles whom he had met on his trip last autumn. Finally he wrote them down and handed the list to counsel. The men, he said, were under indictment in the courts of the United States and the reason that he had not appeared at once to testify before the commission was

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Immodesty of Women's Dress Is Theme of the Pope's Address in Rome

ROME, Dec. 13. —Pope Pius took the stand today that what he termed the increasing immodesty in women's fashions constituted "an ugly, ruinous, catastrophic tendency which Catholic husbands, fathers and brothers should attempt to check at all costs."

The pope was addressing 1000 members of the Rome section of the Catholic Men's association. Thanking his auditors for an expressed willingness to cooperate in the campaign against immoral and irreverent fashions, the pontiff solemnly asserted modern styles to be "irreverent precisely because they are immoral, irreverent to human dignity, irreverent to body and soul."

Fifty-eight Sailors Died in Santiago as Tug Was Sunk in Storm

SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 13.—An official report to the government on the disaster in the port of Lota, southern Chile, Saturday night, placed the number of dead at 58. Sixty-seven men were on the tug Arauco, which sank during a storm, and nine were saved by the crew of the colliery Angonos.

The victims include the crew of the tug and workmen who were returning ashore after loading coal on the Angonos.

ADMITS FORGED REVENUE STAMP ON B. C. LIQUOR

Label Says Liquor Distilled in U. S.; Pink Vouchers Still Mystery

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13.—Pink vouchers torn in two, which, Hon. N. W. Rowell, K.C., said he was informed represented payments to officials of the provincial government by the Joseph Kennedy company, liquor export house of British Columbia, commanded the attention of the customs royal commission today. The vouchers which are marked only by initials were discovered by the auditors for the commission. Then they disappeared and finally, after they were demanded by counsel, reappeared today torn in two.

George Reifel, president of the Kennedy company, was on the stand, but persistent questioning by counsel failed to elucidate from him any explanation of the vouchers. Mr. Rowell took one of these torn pink slips for $125 with the initial "M" on it and tried to get some light about it, but Mr. Reifel insisted that he knew nothing about these payments.

J. W. Deb Farris, one of the counsel present, questioned the relevance of Mr. Rowell's questions in regard to these vouchers. What had the vouchers to do with an investigation such as that being prosecuted by the customs commission, he asked.

Pertinent Matter

Chief Justice Brown, chairman of the commission, intervened. If the business of this company was going to be carried on by purchasing immunity from provincial government officials, it was certainly a pertinent matter for inquiry, he insisted.

Further questioning on the vouchers was deferred for the present.

Mr. Reifell produced a number of labels which, he said, were used by the British Columbia Distillery to cover liquor distilled in this province. One of them testified that the liquor had been distilled under the supervision of the United States government officers.

The label purported to cover liquor distilled in the United States.

"And you forged the internal revenue stamp of the United States and put it over the top," Mr. Rowell said to the witness.

"Yes," admitted Mr. Reifel.

Laborites Resist Attempt Weaken the Minimum Wage Law

VICTORIA, Dec. 13.—Any attempt to weaken British Columbia's new minimum wage scale law will be vigorously resisted by labor members of the provincial legislature.

"Any attempt to rescind or weaken the law seriously cannot be tolerated," Major R. J. Burde, of Alberni, "father" of the legislation, declared today. "Certainly I shall resist any such proposal with all means in my power, and to me it is inconceivable that the house, which passed the legislation almost unanimously last year, could turn around and scrap it or weaken it in such a way as to make it ineffective."

"The point I am considering is whether the law should not be made still more effective than it is."

Port Arthur Area Is in Grip of Bad Storm; Vessels Halt

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Dec. 13.—The season's worst blizzard drove in from the northwest today to the accompaniment of zero temperature and all the other trimmings that go with a genuine winter storm. Transportation facilities are considerably handicapped. A fleet of 15 boats which cleared from docks yesterday on the last day of the insurance period of navigation. is hugging shelter closely in Thunder Bay for it is apparent that Lake Superior must be in one of its most angry moods.

GUTHRIE GOES AFTER KING'S TRADE TREATIES

Canada Suffers in Every Trade Treaty Made, Says; Clashes With Malcolm

CLAIMS LIB RANKS ARE SPLIT ON TRADE ISSUES

Report on Conference Spells Disaster, Says Leader of Conservatives

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—Debate got under way in the house of commons today on the address in reply to the speech from the throne.

The report on the recent Imperial conference held the center of attention in an address by Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Conservative leader. Premier King replied in the evening.

The former assailed the report, particularly as regards its pronouncements on status of the dominions. He held that the protection of minorities as safeguarded by the right of veto by the crown had been removed. The situation created by the report, he declared, was "the most serious that has ever been laid before the parliament of Canada since Confederation."

Mr. Guthrie said it was the desire of the opposition to cooperate with the government on any problems of this session.

Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Conservative leader, made his first utterance one of welcome to the new governor-general. He also expressed his welcome to Premier King and Hon. Ernest Lapointe on their return from the Imperial conference.

The Conservative house leader highly complimented the mover of the address (L. M. Auger, Liberal, Prescott) and the seconder (A. E. McPherson, Liberal, Portage la Prairie) for the showing they had made in their maiden speeches. He recalled that it was only a little over a quarter of a century ago that he himself had had the honor of moving the address, the seconder on that occasion (Hon. Charles Marcil, Liberal, Bon Aventure) still occupied his seat in the house.

The nearness of the approach of Canada's diamond jubilee was sufficient to arouse the greatest patriotic fervor in the breasts of Canadians, but when coupled with the announcement that the Prince of Wales might be expected to be in attendance for the celebration on July 1, next, the greatest importance was added to the occasion.

Meighen a Loss

Mr. Guthrie, in referring to the absence of Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen from the house, declared that Mr. Meighen's loss was "a distinct loss to the public service of Canada and to this parliament."

Something must be done, said the Conservative leader, to remedy the

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This Is the Time for Action, Says Premier Oliver to the Gyros

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13.—"Opening up of the vast territories of British Columbia, as yet untouched, has been and will be the policy of the provincial government," declared Premier John Oliver, addressing a luncheon meeting of the Gyro club here today. "This is no time for pessimism," continued the speaker, "it is a time for action. It is only with the opening up of the vast territory that is tributary to the cities that the largest and fullest prosperity for the entire province of British Columbia can be secured."

One Train Derails, Two Others Collide in Dense Weather

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—Three passenger trains, one on the Reading railway, and two in a rear-end collision on the Pennsylvania, were wrecked today in the dense fog that hung over New Jersey in the vicinity of Trenton and New Brunswick.

Four persons were slightly hurt in the Pennsylvania wreck and no one was injured in the accident on the Reading, according to reports received at the general offices of the two companies here.

INSTANTLY KILLED

EDMONTON, Dec. 13.—John C. Miller, aged 60, was instantly killed this morning when the sleigh he was driving was struck by a C.P.R. passenger train south of Millet.

One Alberta Drift Is Fifteen Feet Deep and Seven Hundred Feet Long

CALGARY, Dec. 13.—Indicating the herculean task confronting snow plows on railway lines following Saturday's blizzard is a report at the Canadian Pacific of a snowdrift east of Standard, Alta., 15 feet deep, and 700 feet long.

Trains are again catching up to schedule. A freight train is still stalled near Acme.

Few reports of live stock losses have been received. A report from Anderson is that a flock of 1500 sheep was in the blizzard and trailers have since found 16 dead scattered along a distance of five miles along the railway fence.

ARRESTED MAN KILLS OFFICER

Wounds Another, Then He Shoots Self Through Heart in Montreal

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—After shooting and killing High Constable Eugene Messier, of East Farnham, and seriously wounding Deputy Sheriff Arthur Jamieson of Woterloo, Que., a town 60 miles southeast of Montreal, Wilfrid Detorme, a blacksmith of Savages Mills, Que., shot himself in the heart and died in a room at Brooks House, Waterloo, shortly after 11:45 o'clock this morning. Detorme had just been placed under arrest by the two officers and was leading them into his room in the hotel to give up his weapon when he suddenly turned upon them and blazed away.

A coroner's jury returned a verdict of murder and suicide.

Jamieson, who was wounded, seriously in the right arm, was able to testify at the inquest.

Evidence which was heard by the jury showed that Detorme had some time ago purchased some property from A. Beaumont and the deeds had been passed before Notary Boule of Waterloo. Later Detorme conceived the idea that he had been cheated in the deal and on Sunday he met Beaumont in Boule's office and there were hot words. The quarrel ended with Detorme drawing his revolver and threatening to shoot both Boule and Beaumont.

This morning Boule swore out a warrant against Detorme, charging him with threatening.

CENTRAL STATES IN STORM GRIP

Blizzard With Zero Weather Carries Death and Destruction

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—From the Aleutians to the Alleghenies winter clamped its bitter grip today, accompanied by zero weather and heavy snow.

A cold wave whirling across the northern states sent temperatures tumbling to the zero mark and buried the northwestern plains under a fall of snow which impeded traffic and caused accidents and death.

Tonight the fall in temperatures made itself felt across Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Michigan and the first below zero weather of the winter was promised before morning in all the central states. To the west, over the area crossed earlier today and last night by the storm wave, the thermometers record temperatures ranging from six below zero in Sioux City to 31 below zero at Winder, Mont. Half a dozen points in Minnesota and the Dakotas reported 30 degrees or more under the zero mark.

Deaths attributed to the storm stood tonight at 16. Two aged men were frozen to death in Minnesota and Iowa, overcome by cold near their homes, while Colorado and Montana reported a death apiece.

In Minnesota where drifts 10 feet deep were reported in places passengers of a train bound for the Twin Cities waded a mile through the snow when the engine was derailed, to get to a relief train. A car ferry was aground on the rocks in Lake Michigan near Milwaukee, while four vessels stood by to rescue the crew of 53 men if the storm prevented recovery of the cargo.

MAYORALTY LEAD IS HELD BY HAIR

SASKATOON, Dec. 13.—John W. Hair held first place in the mayoralty contest at the end of the first count in connection with the civic elections here today. The second count under proportional representation takes place tomorrow.

PREMIER AND GUTHRIE IN FIRST DEBATE

Imperial Conference and Maritimes Report Keeps Leaders Busy

CONFERENCE DECISIONS DISASTROUS: GUTHRIE

Premier Says Members Not Bound; Conservatives Can Move Amendment

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—The report of the Imperial conference and the report of the royal commission on maritime claims formed the basis of absorbing interest in the house of commons today when the leaders of the historical parties joined issue in the debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne. Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Conservative house leader, spoke in the afternoon and Premier Mackenzie King followed him tonight. The debate on the address gives generous latitudes as to what subjects may be discussed, and while the traditional tariff question was brought in, the recently active issue of immigration and the trek of Canadians to the United States was referred to more or less pointedly, the Imperial conference and the maritime report were the questions on which the members of the crowded galleries took the keenest interest.

Premier King was asked by Mr. Guthrie to state definitely what the government was going to do to implement the recommendations made by the royal commission into the claims of the maritime provinces. The prime minister replied that he had not yet had an opportunity to give the report that consideration necessary before pronouncing the government's policy in regard to it.

Ruined Confederation

As to the Imperial conference, Hon. Hugh Guthrie expressed fear that in their anxiety to make Canada master of its own destiny the members of the conference had wiped out the basis of Confederation, had swept aside the rights granted to minorities in that compromise agreement among the various provinces and races known as the British North America act.

He questioned whether another Dominion government under this report could not wipe out provincial legislatures, wipe out dual languages in the federal parliament or another, other of the provisions of that act which protected the minorities in the country of diversified races.

"In no particular is the hand of any member of the house bound by anything in the report of that (Imperial) conference," said Premier King, in taking up this question. "The government will recommend the adoption of the report and any member can move an amendment if he wishes. It will receive fullest consideration." He did not share any of Mr. Guthrie's fears as to its dangers. A day will be set aside for the discussion of the report.

Two new members moved and seconded the adoption of the address. L. M. Auger, Liberal, Prescott, the youngest member of the house, was the mover, and A. E. McPherson, Liberal, Portage la Prairie, was the seconder.

Coal Company Has Reelected Directors With One Exception

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—With the exception of Sir Trevor Dawson, who has retired from the board, the directorate of the Dominion Coal company was reelected at the annual meeting of that company here today. In the course of his remarks, President R. M. Wolvin declared that the current year would closely approximate the company's best pre-war years.

Five Prospectors in Red Lake Area Lost in Recent Blizzard

TORONTO, Dec. 13.—A message received here today from Major C. Dunlop, who has been prospecting near Red Lake, indicated that five prospectors were lost in a blizzard which raged over the mining district over the week-end. Major Dunlop stated in the message that all his party were safe and that provincial police were organizing a party to search for the missing men.

Montreal Apartment House Is Prey to Flames; Wall Down

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—Fire, roaring its way through a four-story apartment house on Girouard avenue, Montreal, drove 14 families to the street, today, endangered the lives of firemen and a sick child, and caused damage estimated roughly at $35,000. Its cause was undetermined.

The lives of the firemen and a child were imperilled when smoke, seeking an outlet, blew out a wall of the building.

TEN THOUSAND WENT TO LIBS CAMPAIGN FUND

Consolidated Exporters Contributed in December, 1925, Probe Reveals

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13.—The sum of $10,000 was contributed to the Liberal campaign funds by the Consolidated Exporters of British Columbia in the month of December, 1925. This was brought out before the customs probe this evening when Russell Whitelaw, a director of this large liquor export company, was on the stand.

Hon. N. W. Rowell, K.C., commission counsel, produced the cheque, which was dated December 21, 1925, and asked Mr. Whitelaw to explain it.

"As far as I know it was for campaign funds," he said.

"To whom was it paid?" pursued counsel.

Mr. Whitelaw said it was paid to F. R. Anderson, one of the counsel for the Consolidated.

Promise Was Made

Mr. Anderson, present in the court room, explained that he had been handed the check to redeem a promise which, he understood had been made by the Consolidated Exporters to contribute to the Liberal campaign fund. An election had been held two months previously but the Consolidated had not made their contribution at the time. He had taken the $10,000 and handed it "to the man who was recognized as the leader of the Liberal party here."

Mr. Rowell had been examining the witness with regard to the release of a bond on one of the Consolidated liquor ships which coincided with the date of the check. Mr. Anderson said that there was no connection between the release of the ship and the contribution to campaign funds.

INQUEST ORDERED IN TORONTO DEATH

TORONTO, Dec. 13.—After holding a consultation with Coroner W. L. Bond, crown attorney, Eric Armour, K.C., announced tonight that an inquest would be held into the death of William Ferguson, 49, Toronto broker, who was found dead early today in a bedroom of his home in Richmond Hill, 15 miles north of Toronto.

Ferguson's body, with a bullet wound in the roof of the mouth, was found by his wife in the house, which neither occupied, Ferguson living in the city while his wife acted as housekeeper for a neighbor. Almost above the body a .22 caliber rifle projected from the wall pointing downward at a slight angle from a niche which seems to have been sawed out especially to hold in this manner this particular gun. Nearby lay the box in which the weapon had been purchased in a downtown departmental store and a bill of sale.

Department Denies Large Loan Next Year to Build Roads in the Province

VICTORIA, Dec. 13.—Reports that the provincial government intends to spend $16,000,000 on road construction during the next three years, and will ask the legislature at its opening session for power to borrow this large amount, was denied at the public works department today.

It was learned that the 1927 work would amount to about $2,000,000, provided the house approves of the idea.

Vancouver Firemen Fight Blaze for Eight Hours

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13.—Hampered by cold weather, firemen fought for eight hours this morning to subdue a blaze in a Bowman storage company warehouse here which started shortly after midnight. One of the fire fighters had to be removed to his home, suffering from cramps brought on by exposure. The fire loss, consisting chiefly of paints, was estimated at $75,000.

FIVE-YEAR-OLD IS BURNED TO DEATH IN HOME

Two Suffer Severe Burns, Others Hurt and Frostbitten in Prairie Fire

TEN PEOPLE ASLEEP IN HOUSE AS FIRE STARTS

Coal Oil Lamp Fires Another Saskatchewan Home; Mother and Babe Are Frostbitten

SASKATOON, Sask., Dec. 13.—Irene Toews, aged 5, was probably fatally burned, Herman Rieson, aged 21, and Rev. Mr. Ens, a Mennonite minister, are suffering from severe burns, Riesen and Bishop David Toews were badly cut by glass and have lost much blood, and six other members of the Toews family are suffering from burns and frost bite as a result of a fire which destroyed the Rosthern residence of Bishop Toews, one of the heads of the Mennonite church in western Canada, at about 4:30 o'clock this morning.

Young Reisen, Bishop Toews' nephew, after making his own escape by jumping from a second-storey window, as did the rest of the family, found that Irene and Alma Toews, 8 years old, were still in the burning building and rushed back to drag them out.

Ten people were asleep in the house at the time the fire broke out. Two of the Toews girls, sleeping on the ground floor of the house, were awakened by the crackling of flames and roused the other sleepers upstairs.

At this time the upper storey was in flames and the occupants of the second-story bedrooms, except the little girls, leaped in night attire from their bedroom windows to the ground.

According to Rosthern citizens arriving in Saskatoon today the thermometer registered nearly 40 degrees below zero at the time of the fire.

Severely Frost Bitten

SASKATOON, Sask., Dec. 13.—Escaping in their night attire from their burning home at Kipling, Sask., at 5 o'clock this morning, Mrs. W. Bruce and her sons, Robert, aged 18, and Allan, aged 2 1-2 years, suffered seriously from frost bite, and burns, the cold chilling them to the marrow while they awaited admission to a neighbor's house. The fire started when W. Bruce, who is the school janitor, got up to attend to his duties, and upset the coal oil lamp, which in turn ignited and exploded a gasoline lamp. Robert was badly burned in helping his father rescue his mother and small brother from the house, which was burned to the ground.

GO AFTER BRIAND

PARIS, Dec. 13.—An anti-Briand demonstration was carried out on the arrival of the French minister from Geneva tonight. The police interfered and a clash with Young Royalists followed. Fifteen Nationalists were arrested.

The Weather

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NELSON	2	14
Victoria	19	28
Vancouver	20	30
Kamloops	4	8
Prince Rupert	20	24
Estevan	22	24
Calgary	20*	1*
Winnipeg	22*	16*
Portland	26	32
San Francisco	48	56
Seattle	26	30
Spokane	10	12
Penticton	10	19
Vernon	6	14
Grand Forks	5	17
Kaslo	1	10
Cranbrook	18*	14
Edmonton	16*	8*
Swift Current	22*	18*
Prince Albert	24*	18*
Qu'Appelle	..	20*

* Below zero.

Forecast—Nelson and vicinity: Continued fine and cold.

CRERAR GUEST HUGE BANQUET AT KIMBERLEY

KIMBERLEY B.C., Dec. 13. — Following the banquet which was tendered to him R. E. Crerar can be in no doubt as to the regret which is felt in his leaving the district to reside in Rossland. The Kimberley board of trade took the initiative in arranging the affair and were ably assisted by the Elks Gyro club and other organizations with which Mr. Crerar has been associated during his stay here. The affair took place at a local cafe, E. S. Shannon, who succeeds Mr. Crerar as president of the board of trade, acting as chairman. Mr. Shannon offered the toast of the evening to their guest in a felicitous speech voicing the regret the board felt in Mr. Crerar's departure. A presentation was made to Mr. Crerar, consisting of a traveling bag, from his friends in Kimberley, while Mrs. Crerar was remembered with a beautiful piece of china. In acknowledging, Mr. Crerar spoke very feelingly of his pleasant relations in Kimberley in business circles as well as in connection with the board of trade, Gyro club, Elks and sporting circles and greatly appreciated the confidence which had been placed in him and the assistance given in the various undertakings he had been connected with. Other speakers during the evening were W. M. Archibald E. G. Montgomery M. M. O'Brien and W. M. Lindsay for the company; Pontus Johnson for the Gyro club; G. Griffiths for the Elks; S. G. Clark for the Otis Staples Lumber company; and Thomas Summers for the board of trade. M. J. Evans, J. Dixon and W. J. Cleave rendered vocal selections during the evening.

Numerous veterans' organizations, in United States fight proposed ban on poison gas in future wars.

GUTHRIE GOES AFTER KING'S TRADE TREATIES

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inequality of representation in parliament. He made it clear in passing that he was no supporter of proportional representation. Quoting *from the report of the chief electoral* officer, Mr. Guthrie pointed out that Conservatives had 115,000 more votes than Liberals in the last general election. Yet in the house, Conservatives had 91 seats and Liberals 115 or 116. The Conservatives had a popular majority of 115,000 yet the party which had the minority of ballots had the largest representation in the house.

Popular Opinion Not Shown

In western Canada 200,000 votes had been cast for Conservatives and 400,000 for all other candidates yet the Conservatives had but one member in the house of commons and the others, 63.

"Popular opinion in the west is not represented in this house," he said. In Quebec 40 per cent of the electors voted for "straight Conservative" candidates "yet six is our representation in this house."

"This disparity can be made to disappear if we act on a reasonable principle of representation by population," he said.

Trade Treaties Lax

Mr. Guthrie then took up trade matters, pointing out that the Dominion's favorable trade balance of $302,000,000 was made up by Canada's trade with Great Britain. Trade with the United States was on a different basis and year by year the country to the south kept draining away our natural resources. The minister of agriculture (Mr. Motherwell) was a scientific agriculturalist, but Mr. Guthrie believed that the country would benefit if the minister would confine his activities to agriculture and not to business matters such as the trade treaties. Canada imported 8,000,000 pounds of butter in the last 12 months and exported 9,240,000 pounds.

"Why not let the Canadian dairy farmer have the benefit of his own home market? The minister will hear from the dairy associations about this question."

Mr. Guthrie charged that in every treaty-making transaction the King government had had with another country, the Canadian people had suffered. He analyzed the trade figures of the last few years and declared that after treaties were made with France, Italy and Australia and New Zealand Canada's exports to these countries had gone down and the imports from these countries had gone up.

Clashes With Malcolm

While he was discussing the Australian treaty, he clashed sharply with the minister of trade and commerce, Hon. Mr. Malcolm. That gentleman, said Mr. Guthrie, was one of the most prosperous buisness men in Ontario because the tariff on furniture had been kept up to 30 per cent, while the tariff on other important industries, such as the manufacture of wool had been tampered with. Mr. Malcolm protested that there had been no discrimination against the woolen industry. He began to discuss the point, but Mr. Guthrie declined to be interrupted more than once. He suggested to Mr. Speaker that there was a tendency for too much interruption in the house. Describing Mr. Malcolm as "an outstanding exponent of protection," and Mr. Motherwell as "an outstanding exponent of free trade," Mr. Guthrie wondered how they could "sit cheek to jowl in the cabinet, each responsible for each others' actions." He was also, he said, at a loss to understand how the member for Brandon (Hon. Robert Forke, minister of immigration) could "sit around the cabinet council and permit his confrere to enjoy a protection of 30 per cent on his particular industry." Another opinion on this point, Mr. Guthrie would like to have was that of John Evans (Independent, Progressive, Rosetown). Mr. Guthrie reiterated his conclusion that the woolen industry in Canada had suffered under the Liberal tariff policy.

Strike Out Sales Tax

Business men complained strongly,

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Organizations, Business Houses, Donate to Christmas Cheer Fund; Meeting Tonight Arranges Work

Checks, pledges and announcements of donations voted to the Nelson Christmas Cheer Fund poured into the offices of The Daily News yesterday. Crediting every money donation announced, the *fund last night stood at $446, an advance of $264.*

A donation of $75 by the Rotary club and one of $50 by the Masonic lodge were the high spots in the day's gifts, but there *were also four donations of $25 from business houses or business men,* one of whom hides his identity behind the title of "Santa Claus."

The city council in fortnightly session last night confirmed Mayor J. A. McDonald's promise of a civic contribution of $50, and formally voted that sum.

ARRANGE GRAND CONCERT

Another new development was the announcement that W. S. King and W. Nicol are promoting a grand concert for next Monday night, for the benefit of the fund. J. E. Annable has arranged to donate the use of the opera house, and all the artists concerned will donate their services, so that the only expense that will have to come out of the proceeds will be the fuel bill. Mr. King is managing the business details, and Mr. Nicol the stage end, and many of Nelson's best known artists are to appear. Numbers being arranged for include instrumental and vocal music, sketches and dance numbers.

Alderman Samuel Barton, treasurer of St. Paul's church, has been appointed to receive donations from that congregation.

Tonight will be an important one in the development of the Nelson Christmas Cheer fund for those facing an otherwise cheerless Christmas, for workless or orphaned homes, for the little shut-ins. At 8 o'clock all representatives of organizations will meet with the nucleus committee, and the enlarged central committee will map out the work to be done, and arrange for its allotment.

LATEST CONTRIBUTIONS

The state of the fund now is:

Previously announced	$182.00
Women's Hospital Aid society	5.00
Nelson temple, Pythian Sisters	10.00
Joseph E. Goulding	2.00
Nelson Masonic lodge	50.00
Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Leith	10.00
Hudson's Bay company	25.00
A. Foster	2.00
Wood-Vallance Hardware company	25.00
W. S. King	10.00
Santa Claus	25.00
The Daily News	25.00
Nelson Rotary club	75.00
To Date	$446.00

Aylmer police and county constabulary fail in identifying men who mobbed Constable Soper.

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THE GUMPS—WHAT THE WELL DRESSED WOMAN IS (NOT) WEARING

NELSON INVITES ASSOCIATION OF POLICE CHIEFS

Superintendent Coates to Help Trail Down Radio Interference

FAVOR GAS PUMPS OFF THE STREET

Street Railway Track on Front Street to Be Filled Level

A "hearty invitation" was issued by the city council last night to the Northwest Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs to hold its annual convention in Nelson next summer. In extending the invitation, the council "undertook on behalf of the city to cooperate and assist the officers of the association in making the convention an interesting and successful one." City Clerk W. E. Wasson was instructed to communicate the invitation.

This action, it is believed, will assure the convention to Nelson, Inspector W. R. Dunwoody having recently advised the Rotary and Gyro clubs and the city fathers that the executive of the association was willing to name Nelson as the meeting place provided welcome and support were assured. The inspector has been assured of cooperation by every organization that he has approached.

Electrical Superintendent J. F. Coates was instructed to assist the Nelson Radio association in determining the causes of interference in radio reception in Nelson, "with a view to having conditions remedied if possible." This action was the result of recent representations from the association.

Policy on Garage Pumps

J. A. Thomas, provincial fire marshal, wrote asking the council's view as to the advisability of the municipalities being given power to prohibit the locating of gasoline pumps at garages on the street, seeing this was now prohibited by the government in unorganized territory.

It was pointed out by Alderman R. A. Peebles that the trend was in that direction. He suggested that the situation could be met by issuing no more permits for pumps on the street, as in time those now on streets would wear out when they could be replaced under the new order.

On motion of Aldermen A. S. Horswill and R. A. Peebles, the council expressed itself as "of the opinion that no further gasoline pumps should be installed on the curb."

The public works department was instructed to fill the space between the street railway rails on Front street to the level of the rest of the street.

Print Voters' List

Award of the contract for printing the annual civic voters' list was made to the News Publishing company, the lowest tenderer.

BOAT SIX HOURS LATE

Owing presumably to weather conditions in Alberta, which delayed the westbound Crow train, the Crow boat from Kootenay Landing was six hours late in reaching Nelson last night.

SOCIAL BRIEFS FROM TRAIL AND TADANAC

This column is conducted by Mrs. Thomas Weston of Trail. Phone her of all social events in Trail-Rossland territory.

TRAIL, B.C., Dec. 13. — On her eighteenth birthday, Saturday, Miss Rose Woodgar was surprised by a party of young people at the Woodgar home in East Trail. The evening was spent delightfully in games and dancing. A tasty supper was served at midnight. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. S. Aitbone, Mr. and Mrs. J. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. J. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Woodgar, Mr. and Mrs. A. McDonald, the Misses E. Brookes, R. Woodgar, J. Doherty and G. Eyres, and Clifford Milne, H. Bailey, A. Armstrong, B. Maitland and G. Woodgar.

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Dr. M. F. Keeley of Bay avenue returned today after spending the week-end with his family in Nelson.

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A score of little folks were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. W. Evans of Bay avenue yesterday afternoon, at the seventh birthday of their daughter, Renee. Games of all kinds, and some Highland dancing by guests were enjoyed. A delightful supper around an illuminated birthday cake followed. The guests were Peggy McWhinnie, Susan Wilson, Isobel Farnum, Jessie Weston, Camille Hall, Donald William, Leonard Evans, Jennie Evans, Frank Dryad, Rosie Kopak, Billie Kopak, Gillard Richardson, Frena Bradley, Alex. Bradley, Ada Douglas, Elsie Douglas and Loretta Douglas.

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Mrs. A. Goldsworthy of East Trail was the guest of Mrs. W. Cook of Rossland for the week-end.

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Guy Blake formerly of this city, who has been employed in the Alberta oil fields for some months, has returned to reside here.

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E. P. McDermid of Kelowna is a business visitor here for a few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Fletcher of Spokane left for their home yesterday after spending the week here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Meikle of Bay avenue.

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TRAIL AMATEUR MUSICAL SOCIETY

Notice to members—A social will be held in Odd Fellows' Hall, Thursday, December 16 at 8:30 p.m. Members are invited to each bring one friend. Membership tickets may be obtained on or before the night of the social from

C. D. LESLIE,
Hon. Secretary.

(6034)

EIGHT TRAIL MEN HELD ON BOOZE CHARGES

Cache of Liquor Found in Canada Pool Hall; Cases Up Today

TRAIL, B.C., Dec. 13. — Eight men and enough hard liquor and beer to start a young liquor store fell into the police drag net on Sunday night. The men will appear in police court at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The cache was the result of a raid on the Canada pool hall in the Gulch. The men will face charges of violating the liquor law.

TRAIL RANGERS ARE HOSTS AT DANCE

TRAIL, B.C., Dec. 13.—The Trail Rangers football club was host at a snappy dance in the K.P. hall tonight, given as a means of keeping the members together during the winter, and to augment the finances of the club.

A novelty was a pea guessing contest. It was won by Mrs. A. Ogg, whose calculating eye appraised the bottle of peas at 2160. There were actually 2102. Her prize was a beautiful brush, comb and mirror set.

The committee in charge was S. Stewart, Bob Yule, W. Robertson and the team manager, W. Kennedy.

TRAIL HOCKEY MEN MAY BE ON ICE TONIGHT

So Says 'Ice' Young; Has Sheets Nearly Ready for Curlers

TRAIL, B.C., Dec. 13. — Hockey players and curlers here are due to come into their own tomorrow night. With the mercury hovering between 5 and 10 degrees above zero, ice making at the rink on the big hockey sheet and three curling rinks went briskly forward all day. John (Ice) Young declared there will be both hockey and curling ice tomorrow night.

Like grass after a summer rain, hockey players sprang into life this morning and held an enthusiastic meeting to arrange for their first practice of the season at 7:30 tomorrow night, under the eye of their manager, R. B. Dimock, and probably the other executive members—P. Hallett, president; Som Stewart, vice-president; and Ray Jones.

Enough Men for Two Teams

It has been frequently rumored that Trail will have an exceptionally strong team to contest the senior West Kootenay league series this winter. The club executive members so far, however, have neither affirmed nor denied it. They say only that they have enough material in hand now to make two teams. Which players will make the grade and get a berth on the regular Trail league team is known to no one. Half a dozen practice games will be played for the executive to comb the bunch for the men best able to carry the Trail colors. The fans will get an opportunity, during these practice games, of finding out for themselves that Trail will have a top notch aggregation and will be able to give Nelson and Rossland teams many a thrilling battle for the league championship.

Curlers Ready to Go

Curlers by the dozen were tonight looking over their stanes and taking the measure of new besoms. Icemaker Young has promised them that, with continued low temperatures, there will be three rinks marked out and ready for play tomorrow evening. The fourth Christmas. Extension of the south wall rink will not be ready until after of the building is preventing any ice making on the fourth rink for the present.

FORTY-NINE CREEK PIONEER IS BURIED

Andrew Lindblad Is Laid in Cemetery; Many at Funeral

The funeral of Andrew Gustave Lindblad, aged 61 years, long a resident of 49-Creek, who died in Kootenay Lake General hospital last Thursday, was held from the Standard undertaking parlors Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. It was well attended.

The pallbearers were John Johnson, E. Mastberg, Olaf Johnson, E. Olson, J. Levine, E. Bergstrom. Rev. E. G. Turner, pastor of the Baptist church, officiated at the parlors and the grave.

Floral offerings received were as follows: Mother and family; John Lindblad and family, Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. Sutton, Trail, B.C.; Scandinavian Ladies' aid; C.P.R. Telegraph Employees, Edmonton, Alta.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Nelson; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jerome, Mrs. T. J. Rock and Trueman; Mr. and Mrs. J. Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. George Talbot, Mr. and Mrs. James Balding, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hall and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Robinson and family, Mrs. D. Ronmark, Mr. and Mrs. August Collin, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Mastberg and Annie, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hanson, Miss Bessie Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. John McPhail, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bell, Mrs. Bentsberg, Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Levine and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lawson and May, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bergstrom and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Collinson, Mr. and Mrs. O. Johnson and Carl, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lauritz.

Trail Youth Is Fined for Accidental Hit on Street Light Bulb

TRAIL B.C., Dec. 13.—Recent action by the police to stem an epidemic of broken street lights by offering monetary reward to informants has borne curious fruit.

One Trail youngster appearing in juvenile court Saturday had to pay a fine of $5 and damages amounting to $1.35. Aiming with an air gun at a target stuck on a light post, he shot wide, and popped off the light!

To be fined $5 seemed tough. To find that the kid who told on him would get $5 was tougher. But to know that the "squealer" was his friendly competitor in the shooting match proved a complex in legal procedure, human nature and the power of money that pained as well as baffled him.

Miss Whyte Addresses Trail Club; Farewell Party for Miss Harris

TRAIL, B.C., Dec. 13.—Excelsior club of the Knox United church tonight had Miss Olive Whyte, traveling deaconess of the United Church in Canada, to lead their open forum discussion with the topic "Should Missionary Money Be Used for Educational Purposes?" Four members also spoke. The consensus of opinion was favorable in that it was held education was the true field of missionary enterprise.

A social hour following was in the nature of a farewell party to Miss Heather Harris who has been connected with the club for the past six months. She planned to leave for her home in Sandon to reside at the end of the week. Refreshments were served. C. Aubrey Phillips, president, presided.

New jubilee stamp issue is subject of protest over inclusion of Laurier with Macdonald.

Man Held at Coast May Be Swindler Who Operated on Kootenay

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13. — Local police are investigating the probability that James Young, alias Ross, alias Wilson, held here on several charges of issuing bogus checks may be the man wanted in several Kootenay centers for operations there a short time ago. When arrested he had several checks marked with a forged rubber accepted stamp. Police also found $874.

Nelson News of the Day

Before you buy elsewhere, see the lovely Dressed Dolls at the Church Helpers' Bazaar today. (6043)

We have many calls these days for clothing, and would appreciate if anyone havink etaoinek3 etaoin taoin oin one having any kind of clothing would kindly send it to the Salvation Army, or phone 618L, and we will call. (6035)

A splendid display of fancy and staple articles suitable for Christmas Presents, also Home Cooking, Candy and Afternoon Tea at the Memorial Hall today. (6042)

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Andrew Lindblad and family wish to thank their many friends for kindness and sympathy rendered in their sad bereavement. (6036)

That Christmas Present you are looking for—The Church Helpers have it at their Bazaar today. (6041)

Visit Grizzelle's Greenhouses and select your plants for Christmas. Cyclamen, Berry Plants, Begonias, Ferns, etc. Hundreds to choose from. Cut Flowers should be ordered now. (6045)

COME AND ENJOY THE JITNEY DANCING AT THE BAZAAR AND FROLIC IN THE MEMORIAL HALL TONIGHT, 8 TO 12 O'CLOCK. YOUR FRIENDS WILL BE THERE. (6040)

Why walk this weather? Ring up **YOUR TAXI 44.** (5919)

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CHURCH HELPERS' BAZAAR AND FROLIC IN THE MEMORIAL HALL THIS AFTERNOON AND EVENING. 3-6 AND 8-12 O'CLOCK. COME AND ENJOY YOURSELF. (6039)

Scouts' Second Annual Presentation Ceremony at the Canadian Legion Quarters on Friday, December 17th, 7:30 p.m. Music—Speeches. Free. (6046)

Winter battery storage. Dill's Electric. Phone 8. We will call. (5885)

The funeral of the late Ben Arcure will take place from the Church of Mary Immaculate, Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock. (6049)

Wonderful display of Christmas Gifts. Nothing over $1. See booth of Mrs. Lakes' circle at Church Helpers' Bazaar, Memorial Hall, today. (6050)

Forthcoming Events

When arranging for any affair of a public or semi-public nature in Nelson, it is advisable to ascertain that no competing event has been arranged for the date contemplated. Two events of a similar nature on one evening may spoil the attendance at both. It is also very desirable, when a date has been decided upon, to let the public know of it, so that no other competing affair may be arranged for the same evening.

To meet this situation, The Daily News is commencing a "Forthcoming Events" column, which will appear below "Nelson News of the Day."

This column will be confined to notices of affairs a week or more distant. Events arranged for earlier dates will be advertised under the "Nelson News of the Day" heading.

The charge for the first insertion will be 25 cents for one line and 15 cents for each additional line. Most announcements in this column can be confined to one line. Additional insertions will be charged at 15 cents a line.

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TRAIL LEGION ELECTS DUFFY ITS DELEGATE

Col. Cooper Is Alternate in Lively Election at Trail Branch

TRAIL, B.C., Dec. 13.—With all the thrills and excitement characterizing political elections, the Trail branch of the Canadian Legion tonight elected R. Duffy its official delegate, and Colonel Ashley Cooper, alternative, to the forthcoming Dominion convention of the Legion in Winnipeg.

Questioning of the validity of certain actions at the last executive meeting brought to light that the composition of the executive committee was contrary to the adopted constitution and bylaws of the Legion. The humorous situation was expanded by the revelation that actions of the committee as then functioning were legal.

Those executive members holding seats strictly in accordance with the newly adopted mode of procedure have now to legalize the actions of the functioning, though illegal, executive, which went out of office tonight, and to take the correct formal steps for augmenting their numbers to a working size.

Six new applicants were admitted to membership.

COCKLE HEAVY APPLE WINNER

Takes Three Firsts With Four Entries; the Kootenay Victors

With four entries, J. W. Cockle of Kaslo won three firsts and one third prize in the apple classes at the recent provincial winter fair at Vancouver. Out of a possible $30 in prize money, Mr. Cockle carried off $29.

E. C. Francis of Sunshine Bay with only one entry, carried off second prize in the plate of Cox's Oranges class.

Mr. Cockle, in a letter to The Daily News, states competition was greater than at any previous show. Attendance was poor, however, on account of the wet weather.

Kootenay prize winners at the fair, according to his revised summary, were: Three boxes Spitzenberg, Capt. A. Forslund, Edgewood, fourth; box Spitzenbergs, Capt. A. Forslund, Edgewood, third; box Cox's Orange, J. W. Cockle, Kaslo, first; S. R. Sherman, Boswell, third; box Kings, J. W. Cockle, Kaslo, first; plate Cox's Orange, E. C. Francis, Sunshine Bay, second; J. W. Cockle, Kaslo, third; plate Kings, J. W. Cockle, Kaslo, first; plate Wageners, Major Budd, Queens Bay, second.

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BROTHER NELSON MAN FOUND DEAD

Herbert Brooks Carter Dies at Coast; Brother of J. S. Carter

Following a lengthy illness with lung trouble Herbert Brooks Carter, a brother of J. S. Carter of Nelson, was found dead in bed in Vancouver yesterday, according to a wire received by Mr. Carter.

Herbert Carter was a bachelor, aged 58, and had no immediate relatives other than his brother here. He came west in 1890, and had been with the hotel department of the Canadian Pacific railway at Banff and Vancouver for some time.

He visited Mr. Carter here on several occasions.

NO STENOG MEANS AN ALL-DAY COURT

Magistrate Brown Asks Relief; City Hall Will Help Out

William Brown, police magistrate, in a letter to the city council, read at last night's session, contended that the services of a stenographer at sessions of the police court would save time for all connected with the court and avert some of these all-day trials necessitated by his having to take down all testimony in longhand. He suggested that the detailing of one of the city hall stenographers to court work on suitable cases would serve the need, and that the work except in rare cases would not extend to transcription, which would only be needed when a case was appealed.

"I believe that it would be a great convenience to the public, to the witnesses, to the police force, to the lawyers, and to myself, if the city would permit one stenographer to attend all suitable police court cases," he concluded.

While various aldermen expressed the view that there were some cases that did not need recording in shorthand, it was decided, on motion of Alderman A. S. Horswill, to give permission for the city clerk to assign a stenographer to a police court case when the circumstances were favorable.

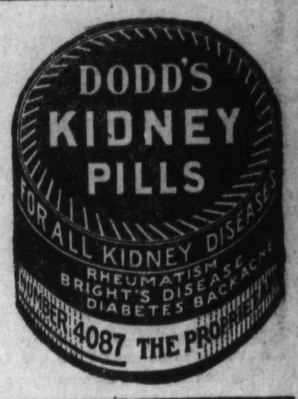
Coroner's Jury Views the Body of Ben Arcure

Dr. H. H. MacKenzie, district coroner, yesterday impaneled a jury to inquire into the death of Ben Arcure, C. P. R. section man, who was killed Sunday morning by Canadian Pacific railway train No. 12, about 3½ miles west of Nelson, while patrolling on a hand speeder.

The jury, composed of D. L. Kerr, W. McCreath, J. Fowles, D. Blane, T. Keith and T. Moran, viewed the body at 1 p.m. yesterday, at D. J. Robertson's undertaking parlors.

The inquest was adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning at the court house.

REGINA, Dec. 13.—On a total vote of 5232, Lieut-Col. James M. Cara was elected by a majority of 142 over Alderman W. H. Hill to the mayoralty of the city today.



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"But won't the people on the paper be terribly angry if you throw them down after you get over?" Judy asked uncertainly.

"Oh, I'll write them the news. And believe me it will be first-line news, too! I won't be sitting in an easy-chair miles from the guns when I write it!"

He was like a small boy. Judy's heart was tender toward him.

"You're splendid!" she cried. "Splendid!"

"Do you really think so, Judy?"

"Of course I do!"

"How much does that mean, Judy?"

"That I hope I'll always be the very best friend you have!"

"Is that—all, Judy?" His voice dropped wearily. "I thought perhaps it meant more than that!" He looked down at his hands, turned them curiously. "You see," he went on slowly, "it would mean a lot to have someone over here to—to—belong to! Don't laugh, Judy!"

Her eyes were filled with tears. "I'm not laughing!" she said unsteadily. She pushed ahead. "But you have your people, Tommy! Think what you mean to them!"

His bitter glance met hers. "I don't mean a thing to them!" he said sharply. "My mother has always been too busy with society and my father with his mines and making more money to squander, to take time to care about me! If I died tomorrow, Judy, they'd put on mourning and be counting the days till they could take it off! That's what money does to people, Judy! There isn't a single living soul any place that would shed one tear for me!"

"I should!" Judy was crying now, openly.

"But you don't belong to me, Judy! Won't you say you'll marry me, so that I can go away with that thought? If I come back safely and you still don't love me, why then you can break it off! Won't you let me have a chance to win you, Judy?"

Judy covered her face with her hands. "Oh, how can I know what's right to do?" she cried helplessly.

"It's right to make me happy, Judy!"

"Ah, but will you be happy? You know I don't love you, Tommy!"

"I know! But I can make you!" His voice was steady and sure. "All I want you to do is to give me the chance to make you love me! That isn't much to ask, surely, Judy?"

"Do you love me, Tommy?"

"You know I do! I want to marry you, don't I?"

"Oh, I don't know! I don't know!" Judy twisted her hands restlessly. "You're making it so hard for me, Tommy!" Her cry was a plea for mercy.

"It isn't hard to say 'Yes,' is it, Judy?"

"It is for me—without love!"

"Say it, Judy! Say 'Yes, Tommy'."

She looked up at him steadily, deep into his yes. "Y-yes, Tommy!" she said slowly.

Then she winced, fearing he would kiss her. But he didn't. He reached over gently and caught her restless hands and drew them up to his lips and kissed them very gently.

"Thank you, my dear!" he said. "You won't regret it!"

And suddenly she laughed, almost hysterically. "I think this must be the funniest engagement in the world!" she cried. "You know I don't love you and I'm sure you don't love me!"

"Don't be too sure!" Tommy said warningly. And then he, too, laughed. And holding hands under the candles, they laughed and laughed till the tiny room rang with their laughter!

(To Be Continued.)

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Marketing by Compulsion

Affording facilities for organized marketing of fruit, and compelling the use of certain channels for marketing, are two entirely different things.

The Associated Growers of British Columbia have specifically disclaimed suggesting legislation for compelling the use of one channel for marketing the provincial apple crop.

Yet for some reason news circles in Victoria persistently predict the discussion of compulsion, at the coming legislative session. The mere hint from some obscure quarter that the Associated Growers are intending to suggest legislation along that line—a hint apparently entirely unjustified—is sending the smaller organizations and individual Independents into paroxysms.

Conceivably a stress of circumstances could arise, as in wartime, when governments would be justified in taking the most extreme measures in directing the commercial handling of particular products.

Outside of such times, governments feel their duty done when they pass facilitating legislation, and when they prescribe grades, as does the Dominion government.

Cooperation the Key

At a time when the Associated Growers were seemingly effecting the most for their membership, two conditions came about which were uncontrollable. One was the temporary breakup of the prairie harvest by bad weather, which automatically halted the prairie apple buying for a few weeks, and the other was a large British Columbia crop.

If every apple raiser had backed the Associated in these conditions of stress, the minimum loss would have been experienced.

But Independent shippers, selling for any price they could get, on a market that required the most judicious handling for getting the most from it for all shippers, demoralized the market. This again is something the Associated certainly cannot be held responsible for.

Just now, after a period of association with the Associated that was mutually beneficial, some of the Independent organizations are raising a hue and cry, and launching new bitter controversies.

It is to be hoped that this bitterness will be allayed when its false basis is appreciated, and that cooperation will march forward, instead of retrogress, during the discussions of the ensuing winter.

Ten Years Ago

(From The Daily News, Dec. 14, 1916.)

The members of a Norwegian shipping syndicate headed by Otto Dohl and Captain Dederick today completed final arrangements with the Coughlin company of Vancouver, B.C., for the construction of three vessels valued at $1,250,000.

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An organization to be known as the Dominion prohibition committee was the outcome of the conference of temperance leaders from every province in Canada held in Ottawa yesterday. The committee's aim is a "bone dry" Canada.

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The Slocan Star stock gains of 2¼ cents was the feature of the Spokane stock market yesterday.

Twenty Years Ago

(From The Daily News, Dec. 14, 1906.)

Brandon, Man., is suffering from a fuel famine. The temperature has dropped to 25 degrees below zero. All public schools and several hotels have closed because of the lack of fuel for heating and cooking purposes.

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According to the statement of Mayor Gillett, the city will suffer very little inconveniences on December 21, when the new municipal power plant is first put into operation. Industrial concerns and business houses are promised unbroken light service, but private houses may suffer for a few days, and it might be necessary to shut down the street car service for a day or two.

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J. A. Gilker has moved into his new residence on Victoria street.

The Lighter Side

Readers of The Daily News contribute many of the best items to this column. Just sign your name or initials, or nom-de-plume, and send in your brightest ideas. — Editor, Lighter Side.

AUNT HET

"There's a silver lining to almost ever'thing except twins."

Home is a place where the questionable eggs aren't set aside to scramble.

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Shaw isn't the only one. Other notables might earn a reward by keeping still one year.

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A village is a place where the men marry school teachers that come from other towns.

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To waste money is bad; to waste time is worse; to waste opportunities for pleasure is unpardonable.

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Statesmen learn little. He who has come nearest to conquering the world didn't use a sword.

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THAT CRITIC WHO SAYS WE HAVE FORGOTTEN HOW TO ENJOY LEISURE, SHOULD WATCH A PLUMBER.

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Act I: "I feel so sorry for him; I'm going to marry him." Act II: "We feel so sorry for her, poor thing."

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The old-timers also took something to make them sleep. They began taking it at 5 a. m. and kept at it until dark.

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One of the best jokes on the road is that one beginning, "The original New York company."

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The merit of a vaudeville idea is guaged by the number of weeks that pass before seven others steal it.

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Even the man who respects good women most is glad they aren't always near to watch him.

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"Spelling is modified by time." True enough; and eventually "duce" may be "deuce."

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It is estimated that if people who talk at the movies were placed end to end, it would serve them right.

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Science says that oceans will cover everything in a few thousand years. Let's hear no more talk of poor fish.

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The advantage in telling the truth is that you needn't add to it each time you tell it to make it impressive.

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MODERN MORALITY IS EASIER. EVE WOULD HAVE THOUGHT TWICE ABOUT THE APPLE IF THERE HAD BEEN ANY NEIGHBORS TO FIND OUT ABOUT IT.

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Correct this sentence: "I've had a cold for days," said he, "and no friend has suggested a remedy."

Ashes for the Seas

Above is the late Maj. C. Gardner Johnson, shipping man of Vancouver, who requested that his ashes be scattered over southern seas by moonlight. His wish will be carried out within a few days.

The "Apache" motor trail, Maricopa county, Arizona, follows approximately the route used by "the Apache Kid" and his band of warriors in raids on white settlements in the early '80s.

Efficient Housekeeping

By LAURA A. KIRKMAN

ANSWERS TO INQUIRIES

TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast
Left Over Prunes
Cereal
Creamed Dried Beef
Pop Overs Coffee

Luncheon
Baked Beans Catsup
Left Over Celery Rolls
Cookies Tea

Dinner
Onion Cream Soup
Meat Fritters
Potatoes Pickles Turnips
Apple Betty Sauce
Coffee

Anxious—"How can I learn to become a good cook?"

Answer—There are two ways: go to a reliable cooking school. Or buy a first class cook book and practice. Buy an oven thermometer and use it in baking (for most cake, pie and bread failures come from having the oven either too hot or not hot enough) do not be anxious or discouraged when you chance to fail—just keep on trying.

Another Bride—"So many recipes call for onion juice. How is it obtained?"

Answer—Put one or two onions through your food chopper and then drain the juice of the chopped onion from the firm bits.

Mrs. A.—"Can you give me a formula for a bleaching powder solution for linens and cottons?"

Answer—To Prepare Bleaching Powder for Use: Never use bleaching powder or chloride of lime, for silks or woolens. It is good simply for linens and cottons. To prepare for use, stir two teaspoons of it into a pint of water in a glass dish. Allow to settle and pour off the clear portion. To this add a few drops of vinegar. Immerse the fabric to be bleached or, in the case of a spot to be taken out, stretch the soiled part over a bowl of boiling water and apply bleaching solution to the stain with a clean medicine dropper. When the spot disappears, or when the fabric is sufficiently whitened, transfer to a pan of hot water and ammonia, or to a solution of hyposulphate of soda (one tablespoonfull to a quart of water) to check the action of the lime. Rinse in clear cold water, wring out, and dry.

Lazy—"It is such a nuisance to run ribbon through my lingerie continually. What can you suggest to make the task easier? Is there any dainty washable drawstring to use in place of the ribbon?"

Answer—Many women crochet silk cords to stay permanently in their lingerie in place of ribbons (washing will, of course, not ruin the cord). But to my mind there is nothing quite so dainty as ribbon. Here is an easy way to run it in: Before removing it preparatory to washing the garment, sew to one end a piece of tape the same length. As the ribbon is drawn out, the tape takes its place. After washing, sew ribbon to tape end, and draw tape out and ribbon in.

Tomorrow—Beneficial Cabbage.

Address inquiries to Miss Kirkman and inclose stamped-addressed envelope for reply.—Editor.

THE WALKER FOX CUP

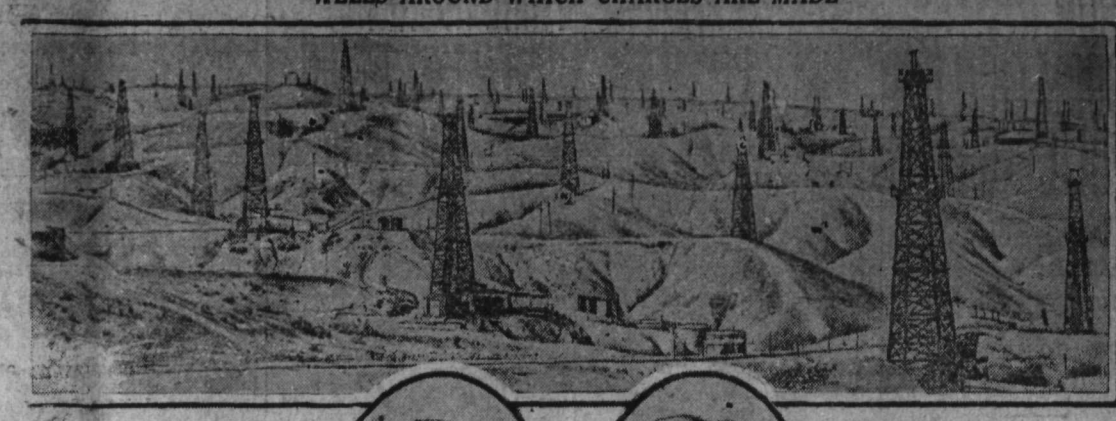
Hallowed by traditions of more than 25 years of competition, the Ed Walker cup, emblematic of the national championship in fox hound field trials, is the object for possession of which sportsmen annually spend thousands of dollars in breeding and training fox hounds.

The National Foxhunters' association, which annually conducts the All Age stake to decide the championship, estimates that more than $1,000,000 has been spent to win it.

The owner or kennel winning the cup three times may keep it permanently, but to date only one owner—Sam Wooldridge of Versailles, Ky.—has accomplished that feat and he returned the trophy to competition.

The cup was donated in honor of Ed. Walker of Paint Lick, Ky., son of the founder of the Walker strain of fox hounds.

WELLS AROUND WHICH CHARGES ARE MADE



Above is shown the Elk Hills, Cal., naval reserve, which was leased to Edward L. Doheny, multimillionaire oil magnate, under the Harding regime in the United States. As a result Albert B. Fall, lower left, former United States secretary of the interior, and Doheny, lower right, are on trial in Washington, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government. Fall is alleged to have received a $100,000 bribe in connection with the transaction.

MARITIME PATROL KEEPS BOATS BUSY

Sea Lanes Kept Clear of Derelicts or Vessels Warned by Service

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—While seas quietly lap the shores of the world, a vigilant maritime patrol, unknown to most "landlubbers," busily stalks the silent but treacherous foes to commercial shipping.

Icebergs, floating debris, land abutments, drifting buoys, derelicts and opaque fogs are constant menaces to navigation against which war must be waged. The nerve center of operations the world over is the hydrographic office of the navy department.

Reports Dangerous Derelicts

This bureau tries first of all to keep a finger on the whereabouts of all dangers to shipping about which it is imperative, in safety's cause, to know. An elaborate intelligence service, enlisting cooperation of hydrographic services of other countries, assists the bureau to chart known impediments to water traffic and send out warnings.

Constant communication with ships at sea, advising them of newly sighted derelicts, rafts and other things is maintained. The bureau supplies all navigators with information and asks their reciprocation by advising of the longitude and latitude of icebergs and other straylings. It immediately disseminates the news over all ocean highways.

Meanwhile the navy and coast guard annihilation squadrons are notified and patrols sent to visit the scenes of drifters and remove them.

Hunting Lost Boats

A task which the coast guard tackled last July was to find and destroy 37 steel cylindrical pontoons which were lost from a barge that broke adrift off the coast of North Carolina, menacing coastwise shipping.

A target raft which had to be abandoned during a hurricane while it was being towed caused "policemen of the main" some trouble. After a 10-day search it was located, the position signalled to the hydrographic bureau and six destroyers were sent to look for it. The mine sweeper Rail eventually picked up the tow and hauled it into port.

Reconnaissance patrols are maintained along water highways in the spring months to look out for errant icebergs. The patrols are withdrawn June 30, when it is assumed the shipping lanes are safe. The duty of patrol boats is to report daily the situation in their territories to the hydrographic office which rebroadcasts twice a day warnings to mariners.

Invaluable service is carried on by radio from the hydrographic office for the guidance of open-sea navigators who may lack knowledge of conditions on approaching American shores. Radio compass bearings are broadcast to aid them.

Gloomy Dean Inge Has to Laugh When His Wife Tells Story

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Here is a story that made "Gloomy" Dean Inge of St. Paul, laugh out loud, and it was told by his wife.

A doctor who left his patient on his deathbed at night ordered the man's wife to take his temperature every hour. In the morning the physician arrived to find the bed empty.

"Yus," said the wife. "We didn't have no thermometer. So I gave him the barometer. That pointed to 'Very dry'—so I gave him two pints of ale, and now he's gone to work."

That Body of Yours

By JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

High Blood Pressure

It is rather fortunate that everybody with high blood pressure is not aware that he has it, because the worry about it would in a great many cases be more serious than the condition itself.

A southern physician reports his findings on 100 cases of true high blood pressure. He tells us that the kidneys were involved in about one-half the cases, and other organs in the other half.

A family history of heart and kidney trouble was found in 55 of the 100 cases, so while heredity may play a part, it does not necessarily do so.

The outstanding symptoms in most of his cases were so-called digestive symptoms, constipation, headache, dizziness, shortness of breath, and palpitation of the heart.

Three out of every four patients found it necessary to pass urine during the night, which is a sign that the blood is under high pressure.

The heart is usually enlarged because of this extra work of pumping the blood through vessels that have lost some of their elasticity.

Further, he points out that infection in other parts of the body, teeth, tonsils gall bladder and so forth, focal infections they are called, are practically always present in these cases of high blood pressure.

As regards the outcome of cases with high blood pressure it all comes down to the matter of the conditions of the arteries themselves.

No matter how high the blood pressure if the blood vessels are retaining their elasticity there is practically no danger.

So the treatment of high blood pressure is just the treatment of the kidneys, the heart and the removal of any infections anywhere in the body. This physician reports that 82 per cent of the cases where these infections were found and removed, showed improvement almost immediately.

Meanwhile the prevention of high blood pressure is simply not eating or drinking too much, avoiding mental and physical strain, and not allowing the poisons due to constipation to get into the blood stream and thence to the lining coat of the arteries.

Zionist Head

LOUIS LIPSKY

President of the Zionist Federation of America, who will lead the Canadian Hebrew celebration of the 25th anniversary of the Jewish national fund for the restoring of Palestine.

JOCKEY HAYNES IN GERMANY

Everest Haynes, American jockey, who has been riding in Germany all season, came within two wins of being the premier jockey in the country. Haynes won an even 100 races out of about 400 starts. Otto Schmidt, German, who was one of the three men to receive the "golden bow," the highest athletic award this year, won 102 races out of approximately the same number of starts as his American competitor.

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LUMBER PAYROLL FIFTY MILLIONS GYROS ARE TOLD

Poole Tells of Timber Industry of Province; Heavy Depletion

I. R. Poole, speaking before the Gyro club at its meeting in the Canadian Legion building last night, stated there were approximately 18,000,000 acres of merchantable timber in British Columbia. In addition there were 14,000,000 acres of sparsely timbered country.

When the last survey was made, Mr. Poole stated, it was estimated there were 350,000,000,000 feet of timber in the province and about 15,000,000 feet of poles and ties. Much of this timber could not be marketed for economic reasons, one of which was that some of it was inaccessible.

West of the Cascade range was known as the coast district, while east of the range the territory was called the interior. There was about 125,000,000,000 feet in the interior and about 225,000,000,000 in the coast district.

By Species

The amounts of the various species of timber in British Columbia were outlined by Mr. Poole as follows: Red cedar 77,000,000,000 feet, of which 18,000,000,000 were in the interior; Douglas fir 76,000,000,000 feet, of which 12,000,000,000 was in the interior; spruce 72,000,000,000 feet, with 58,000,000,000 feet in the interior; hemlock 64,000,000,000 feet, with 12,000,000,000 feet in the interior; and balsam 32,000,000,000 feet, with 13,000,000,000 feet in the interior. Jack pine, white pine, yellow pine, yellow cedar and larch or tamarac, 19,000,000,000 feet, of which most was in the interior.

Timber Depletion Rapid

Mr. Poole said that the present rate of cutting, combined with the loss by fire, would result in the cream of the timber in British Columbia being gone in about 25 years. Each year there was a depletion of 80,000 acres.

He stated 40,000 men were employed by lumber interests in the province, with an annual payroll of $50,000,000. According to statistics, one out of every five persons in British Columbia derived their income, directly or indirectly, from the lumber industry. The industry paid $3,500,000 in direct taxes annually.

British steamer Sunning was boarded and fired by pirates off Hongkong.

MASONS COMMIT BODY TO EARTH OF MR. DAWSON

Largely Attended Funeral Is Held From Late Residence

At his late residence, 215 Victoria street, an impressive and very largely attended funeral service was held for the late Benjamin R. Dawson who died Friday, after a residence in Nelson of 27 years.

Rev. W. C. Mawhinney of Trinity church and Rev. F. R. G. Dredge of St. Paul's church jointly conducted the service, which was attended by members of Nelson Masonic lodge, No. 23, in a body. Mrs. H. H. Hinitt sang sweetly "I Shall See Him Face to Face;" G. A. Brown and T. Crannage rendered "Rock of Ages" and "Lead Kindly Light."

At the grave the age-old Masonic burial ritual committed Mr. Dawson's body to the earth, Fred L. Irwin being in charge.

The pallbearers were E. Gammon, G. W. Steele, D. Brown, J. E. McKenzie, H. E. Dill and A. D. Emory.

Mr. Dawson was a life member of Ionic lodge, A.F. & A.M., No. 25, of Winnipeg.

Floral offerings were received from Mrs. B. R. Dawson, wife; Mr. and Mrs. Hosford, Mr. Dawson's brother-in-law and sister, Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. H. West, Oakland; Ionic lodge of Masons, No. 25, Winnipeg, Man.; Royal Arch chapter, A.F. & A.M., Nelson; Nelson lodge No. 23, A.F. & A.M.; Canadian Freight association, Winnipeg; freight office and freight shed freight yards, and baggage room staff, Nelson; Nelson yard crews; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dill, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Annable, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Bennett, Dolph and Florrie Brown, library board, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Redpath, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Genge, Nelson; Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Collingwood Gray, Bonnington; Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Smythe, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bunyan, Billy and Donald Bunyan, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bamford, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. H. McArthur, Mr. and Mrs. George Motion, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Sheffield, Mrs. Gilbert Hartin, Mr. and Mrs. R. Andrew, Nelson; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Drew, Regina; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. John Towler, Dr. and Mrs. W. O. Rose, Nelson; Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Carter, Trail; C. P. R. Bowling club, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Niven, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mansfield, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lane and Tommy Mrs. McLennan, Mr. and Mrs. James O'Shea, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Fotheringham, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Currie, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Stewart, Jim, Walter and Maude McCandlish and Charles Driscoll, Mr. and Mrs. James Weir and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. Michelson and Mrs. A. A. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. P. Craven and Dick, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lambert, Nelson; Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy, Balfour; Mr. and Mrs. A. Ioanin and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Noxon, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Long, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pitts and Dr. and Mrs. Harry Pitts, Mrs. M. Sandercock and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Nelson and L. K. Larson, Mrs. J. K. Salter, Nelson; Mrs. H. Wallach and family, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Whimster, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. J. Stobo, Nelson.

SOCIETY

This column is being conducted by Mrs. M. J. Vigneux. All news of a social nature, including receptions, private entertainments, personal items, marriages, etc., will appear in this column. Telephone Mrs. Vigneux at her home.

Mrs. H. Dimock, 710 Mill street, has had as her guest her brother, Charles Hagarty of Vancouver, who left last night for his home.

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Mrs. James Young of Tadanac is spending a few days in the city with friends.

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The Home league of the Salvation Army at its sale of work in the Annable block Saturday, realized $103.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beeston, Victoria street, have as their guest Mr. Beeston's mother, Mrs. E. K. Beeston of Victoria, formerly of Nelson, who arrived Sunday morning by the Kettle Valley.

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S. S. Frank, who spent yesterday in Nelson, leaves this morning for his home at Boswell.

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Mr. and Mrs. Angus Shaw had as their house guest Mrs. D. G. Bissett of Trail, who has now returned home.

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Mrs. George Keys, who has been spending the past week in the city the guest of her sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Campbell, Carbonate street, left last night for her home in Nakusp.

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A. F. Roberts of Riondel spent yesterday in town on business.

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A. W. Lymbery of Gray Creek was a city visitor yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Nearn of Saskatchewan have arrived in town and taken up residence at 912 Stanley street.

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Edward Taylor mining man of Beaverdell, left last night for his home after a few days in Nelson.

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Miss E. M. Hull of the Dominion government telephone service, left yesterday for Vernon, where she has been transferred.

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R. A. Grimes, mining man of Kimberley, was a visitor to Nelson Sunday.

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A. Deverson of Gray Creek spent yesterday in town.

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Walter Sibbald of Gray Creek spent yesterday in the city.

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William Wells of Edmonton supreme agent of the Knights of Columbus, is expected in the city tomorrow evening, and he will pay a fraternal visit to the Nelson council of the order Thursday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kerr of Longbeach were city visitors Saturday to attend the Hamilton-Quain wedding.

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Miss Marion Yonge, R.N., of Trail, spent yesterday in Nelson renewing old acquaintance.

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W. B. Hunter of Trail motored to Nelson Sunday.

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J. Scott, inspector of C.P.R. telegraphs with headquarters in Nelson, left last night for Revelstoke.

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Miss Mae Haggart of the government office staff returned to duty Monday after a sick leave of a month during which time she was operated on for appendicitis.

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F. H. Peterson of Gray Creek spent yesterday shopping in Nelson.

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E. P. Crawford M.E. of Kimberley, was a visitor to the city Sunday.

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A. O. E. Jackson of Trail was among the out-of-town guests to attend the Hamilton-Quain wedding Saturday.

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Mr. Coleman of Deanshaven spent yesterday in town.

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Leonard Purdy of South Slocan was a visitor to Nelson Saturday.

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COMPLETE PLANS ICE CARNIVAL

Rotarians May Stage It This Week; to Meet Gyros on Ice

Meeting yesterday in the Hume hotel, the Nelson Rotary club made final arrangements for its ice carnival, which will be staged when skating opens here, either on Thursday, or early next week.

A feature will be a hockey match between the Rotarians and Gyros. There will be two 10-minute periods in the game. It was not stated whether the players would wear skis or snowshoes, but the hockey "sticks" will be brooms, and the "puck" will be a football.

The Rotary club team will be A. A. Perrier, A. B. Gilker, E. P. Dawson, R. W. Dawson, Howard Bush, Fire Chief M. H. Maloney, A. Browne and Rev. D. F. Cowie.

The bankruptcy laws in Ireland date from 1872. Since then there have been improvements in the bankruptcy laws of Great Britain, but they were not applied to Ireland.

The post office in Sweden is a money-making institution, the net profits for the last year being $3,271,317.56 or 55 cents per inhabitant.

Customs and excise office in Guelph has issued 1700 permits for the manufacture of "home brew".

Headache Made Her So Sick She Could Not Work

Miss Lola White, Cape Bald, N.B., writes:—"I suffered severely, for a long time, with a bad headache. It would ache and ache until it made me so sick I could not work at all.

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NELSON WINS GYRO CONTEST

Best Attendance in District; Pick Gyro Hockey Team

With an average attendance of 97 per cent, the Nelson Gyro club won the District No. 8 attendance contest for November, for clubs having a membership of less than 50, it was announced at last night's meeting of the club in the Canadian Legion building. R. D. Barnes, president, presided.

A hockey team which will represent the Gyros in a match with representatives of the Rotary club when that body stages its ice carnival in the near future, was announced as consisting of J. B. Gray, I. R. Poole, J. A. Ferguson, P. E. Poulin, Dave Wade, Gordon Bennett and Wib Blanchard.

Richards Gets Prize Male Bird as Special for the Recent Show

W. J. Richards of Nelson has received a letter from Charles Good, former district poultry instructor here, now manager of the Bolivar Leghorn farm at Cloverdale, stating he was sending Mr. Richards a prize male bird, a special prize won by Mr. Richards at the recent district no. 8 poultry show at Grand Forks.

Mr. Good stated a sister of the bird he was sending was entered in a Santa Cruz contest. Another sister was at Puyallup. A brother had been shipped to Tritino, Italy. His dam's record was 241 eggs in her pullet year.

PROCTER NOTES

PROCTER, B.C., Dec. 13.—An enjoyable social evening was held in the recreation room of the Procter superior school on Saturday evening last by the First Troop of Procter Boy Scouts under the leadership of C. Blossett.

Games, competitions and dancing — the music being supplied by J. Robinson C. Blossett and R. MacKinnon — occupied the evening, during which delicious refreshments were served.

The invited guests were Rev. George Kinney, Mrs. H. Severn, J. Robinson, Miss Cherry Sewell, Miss Nellie Spencer, Miss Rosa Severn, Miss Annie MacKinnon, Miss Betty Edgcumbe, Miss Nancy Severn, Miss Morag MacKinnon, Miss Eleanor Merrifield, Miss May Muirhead, Miss Hilda Heighton, Miss Violet Muirhead, Miss Marguerite Schulze, Miss Olive Muirhead, Miss Lily Heighton and Miss Iris Cronin.

Pine stumps found on the bottom of the Baltic sea prove that the southern tip of the Scandinavian peninsula was once connected with the European continent, making the Baltic an inland, fresh water body.

Constable seized motion picture outfit at prohibition meeting in Kemptville.

FIRE AWAKENS JEFFS FAMILY

Wall Adjoining Fireplace Ignites; Damage Limited

A roaring fire in the fireplace of W. H. Jeffs' residence at 1110 Hoover street, Sunday night, a consequence of the cold dip, so heated the bricks that adjoining woodwork of the dining room wall ignited at 5 o'clock yesterday morning.

The crackling of the flames awoke Mr. Jeffs who called up the fire department, and in a couple of minutes Chief W. H. Maloney and his firemen were on the job, and soon had the fire out.

Damage was largely limited to the wall, where the firemen had to chop through to get the fire thoroughly out.

Mr. Jeffs recently bought the property from Mrs. Caroline McBride.

Asquithians Will Not Accept Any Aid From Lloyd Georgians

LONDON, Dec. 13.—A new ban against Lloyd George was pronounced by Viscount Grey tonight, addressing 300 Asquithian Liberals at a dinner given in honor of Vivian Phillips, the chief Asquithian organizer. There was no move made, however, toward new leadership. Lord Grey had been mentioned as likely to succeed the Earl of Oxford and Asquith as the leader of that section of the Liberal party, but an appeal had been made by prominent Liberals against embarrassing the party by undue emphasis on the dissensions within the ranks.

It was impossible, said Lord Grey, to pass a sponge over past difficulties ;it was equally impossible to keep step with Mr. Lloyd George and it was unwholesome and altogether unprecedented that one man in the party should be in sole control of an enormous fund for his own political purposes.

Denouncing Mr. Lloyd George's policy toward the recent general strike and with regard to China, Lord Grey finally announced that the Asquithian Liberals would stand outside of any financial negotiations with Mr. Lloyd George.

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Manufacturing of split pine shake shingles has been revived on a commercial basis by Henry Ford, who wished to use the old-fashioned shingles to restore historic buildings he has bought.

Pacific Milk's Richness

Mrs. M. Brown of Nanaimo, in a letter received Wednesday, says she has used Pacific Milk continuously for a year and gets the fullest satisfaction from it.

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'Two Above' Is Low Mark; Rivetters on Steel Barge Quit Work

SEVERE FROST IS PIE TO ICE MAKERS

Skaters Hie to Lake Edge for an Afternoon of Sport

Thirty degrees of frost in Nelson Sunday night caused harsh words among householders, while at th same time hockey and curling fans wore grins "a mile wide."

While water pipes were freezing in many houses, even in some apartment houses, and while householders stoked up furnaces and heaters, Dan Manhart and "Scotty" Williamson, ice makers respectively at the skating and curling rinks, were bundled to the necks, gleefully directing hoses over the sheets in these two rinks, to get splendid bottoms for the ice sheets. Three inches of ice was reported at the skating rink yesterday.

Scores of boys, some with hockey sticks and some content just to skate, found a splendid sheet of hard, smooth ice on the lake shore near the match block factory in the afternoon. Two young ladies, evidently ardent skaters, were also presen , but they spent their time around a bonfire built on the shore.

Too Cold Working With Steel

But working in the stinging cold was less pleasant. Work had to be suspended on the steel barge under construction, a high wind making the cold hard on the rivetters.

Yesterday's minimum temperature was 2 degrees above zero, or 30 degrees below the freezing point, a drop of 12 degrees from Sunday's minimum and 13 degrees colder than was recorded all last winter. The high st temperature during the day was 14, just 18 degrees lower than the freezing point.

Continued cold weather is forecast, with winds and probably fine snow.

Rumania Planning Balkan Pact Same as Locarno Body

BUCHAREST, Dec. 13.—Rumania is planning to offer its good services as mediator between Italy and Jugo-Slavia in their controversy over the Italian-Albanian treaty. This was announced today in diplomatic circles and also published in the newspapers.

Rumania will propose a Balkan pact similar to the Locarno pact.

Sale of B. C. Telephone Interests May Mean Radical System Change

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13. — With the announcement of the sale of the controlling interest of the British Columbia Telepohne company to United States interests keen interest is being taken here as to whether or not the sale will mean the operation of automatic phones here. The statement issued by the new interests is regarded as foreshadowing a radical change.

STOCKMEN ELECT

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13.—At the annual meeting of the British Columbia Live Stock Breeders association, George Hangster of Victoria was re-elected president. H. Helmer of Nicola and George Hay of Kamloops were chosen vice-president and secretary-treasurer, respectively.

COBHAM IS GREETED

Sir Alan Cobham and his wife, British explor rs, land at Bolling field, Washington, in he Moth on the second lap of their aerial journey in America. They were met by a distinguished group of Washingtonians and later presented to President Coolidge. In the group beside the Moth are, left to right, John Oliver La Gorce, vice-president of the National Geographic society; Lady Cobham and Sir Alan Cobham.

Diplomacy Used in Choosing Names for American Airplanes

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Names have a lot of significance for one reason or another—even names for airships.

Take the cases of the quintet of army amphibians assigned to make the "good relations flight" to Latin America. They are christened the "New York," "St. Louis," "San Francisco," "San Antonio" and "Detroit," in recognition of what these five cities are doing in commercial aviation. But behind the selection of those names stands a picture of official Washington rolling its head on sleepless pillows for many nights before the selection was made.

Names of international or national heroes of Latin America first were given consideration. But since each country has a different acknowledged hero, it would be difficult to select five without offending the countries not represented.

Famous early discoverers also were on the list, but again the question resolved itself of possible regional objections. Then the ships of Columbus were suggested but some historians show there were three in the discoverer's fleet, and five names were needed.

Names of rivers were advanced. Again objections, on account of confusion that might arise in the transmission of dispatches, should, for example the "Parana" crash into the "La Plata."

Emblem Also Bothered

Nor was the selection of names the only problem. Choice of an emblem for the planes appeared to have possible international repercussions. The first emblem submitted had at the upper right edge the American Eagle, bearing an olive branch. But to certain officials there were things that might be misinterpreted. The eagle was too large. He was placed higher than the South American continent. What was more, flying toward it and possibly some one might think the old bird was grinning, or even worse, smirking.

So, the apparent trite yet practical names of American cities were adopted for the ships, and their emblem became a conventional one showing a winged circle enclosing the North and South American continents.

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Germans Hope to Explode Bomb on the Moon Shortly

BERLIN, Dec. 13.—An attempt to hit the moon with a bomb is the announced purpose of a newly founded astronomical society of which Dr. Franz Hoeff, noted Viennese astronomer, is one of the leading members.

Discounting American plans for shooting a man up to the moon as a "bit too fantastic," Dr. Hoeff is quoted as saying the society will attempt next year to obtain virtually the same scientific results with a light-bomb rocket weighing about one ton. The moon rocket on which engineers and savants are now working is designed to reach the moon in 10 hours, propelled through space at the rate of a little more than six miles a second, by a series of powder explosions within. When the rocket lands the impact is intended to explode a huge chemical bomb, the blaze of which is to be sufficiently brilliant to be observed from the earth.

POINCARE'S 16-HOUR DAY

PARIS, Dec. 13.—Premier Poincare, minister of finance, puts in sixteen hours a day at his job, either at his office or at home. Unless forced to attend an official luncheon or dinner, he rarely spends over 20 minutes at the table. His beverage is water. And he does not smoke.

WOMEN'S CLOTHES INTEREST PRINCE

LONDON, Dec. 13.—The Prince of Wales displayed keen interest in a number of beautiful women's fur coats shown at the Empire Products exhibition. A special mannequin parade was held for him and he engaged one of the most charming mannequins present in conversation. After a few inquiries about the prevailing fashions he thanked her for her display of dresses.

CANADA'S SHIP LINE CARRIED FIRM'S WHISKEY

Merchant Marine Transported Booze When Other Lines Refused, Probe Hears

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13.—Russell Whitelaw, a director of the Consolidated Exporters of British Columbia told the customs commission today that the Canadian government merchant marine had agreed to transport liquor from Great Britain to Vancouver on through bills of lading for Mexican or Central American ports. As brought out in evidence already given, most of this liquor ultimately goes to the United States.

Mr. Whitelaw said that other steamship lines had refused to carry it before the Canadian government line accepted the job.

"The Canadian government merchant marine said they would want 20 shillings more a ton for carrying it," said Mr. Whitelaw. "We thought we could not be associated with anyone better than the Canadian government, and that it was quite safe."

The arrangement with the government line had been made by the London agent of the Consolidated with the C.G.M.M., there, said Mr. Whitelaw.

"It was confirmed by the Montreal office of the Canadian government merchant marine," added the witness.

"Well the Canadian government merchant marine is not above this commission," said Mr. Rowell. He asked the witness to furnish the name of the officer of the merchant marine in Montreal who had confirmed the arrangement.

The witness said he would get the correspondence which was now in London.

CALGARY'S MILL RATE IS RAISED CONSIDERABLY

CALGARY, Dec. 13.—Calgary's mill rate for 1927 based on tentative estimates completed Monday will be 48 mills, Mayor Webster stated. The 1926 mill rate is 41.75.

Condemns 'Idle Rich'

LADY CYNTHIA MOSLEY

Who is creating a sensation in England in aiding her husband in his campaign as Labor candidate in a byelection in Smethwick. Lady Mosley has dropped her title for the occasion and in her speeches roundly condemns the "idle rich."

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WORDING SHOWS ARTHUR'S BELT OWN PROPERTY

Given Him by Commission; Names Seven Wrestlers He Defeated

The statement of Ernie Arthur of Trail who defended his title against Mervin Barackman, of Cashmere, Washington, here Saturday, that he is perfectly within his rights in claiming the Canadian middleweight wrestling championship belt as his own property is borne out by an inscription on the belt, as Barackman acknowledged when the inscription was read to him.

"This belt was given by the Canadian Athletic commission to Ernie Arthur, who is recognized by them as the Canadian middleweight champion wrestler," is the inscription borne on one of the shields on the belt, of which there are three.

The center shield is the largest and pictures a ring, with two wrestlers in a grapple.

The third shield bears the names of the men whom Arthur beat during the five years set by the commission during which he must successfully defend it before it was to become his personal property. They are Jim Green, St. John, N.B.; Fred Diotte, Ottawa; Charlie Miller, Young Hackenschmidt, Wilfred Barrett, all of Montreal, Pat Brown, Texas; and Carl Van Warden, Fort William.

Arthur stated Friday night that the belt was presented to him in 1919 by the Athletic commission, according to its promise. It was promised to him in 1914, but he went overseas, serving four and one half years with a regiment of French Chasseurs. He is a Frenchman by birth.

The Trail wrestler came west about three years ago, wrestling in Lethbridge, Edmonton, Moose Jaw, and recently in Portland.

REGINA CAPS PUT MOOSE JAW BACK

Win Five to Three in Fast Game; Benson Awarded Major Penalty

REGINA, Dec. 13. — In the best played game of the season here tonight, Regina Capitals beat Moose Jaw in a Prairie league game by 5 to 3. The game was replete with fast work and excellent combination by both teams. Though Moose Jaw started off by taking the first goal and retaining their lead through the first period, Regina outscored them in the second period to take a 2-goal lead, and thereafter scored goal for goal.

Rose put Moose Jaw in the lead after 12 minutes of a ding-dong struggle, in which the visitors held the whiphand. They retained this lead right up to the interval, though the Regina attacks multiplied as the period passed.

After seven minutes of the second period, Acaster, who was one of the stars of the night, tied up the score and Morrison put them one up a few minutes later. The home team took a 2-goal lead before the end of the period when Acaster scored again on Sunderland's pass.

Coming out in the final session, Moose Jaw scored through Aubrey's individual effort. Regina came back in a few minutes through Acaster Gottselig. Connelly scored for Moose Jaw soon after, and the 2-goal difference was maintained when Regina tallied by the agency of Naismith and Gottselig.

Minor infractions of the rules only occurred throughout the game until just before the close, when Benson was given a major penalty for tripping and slashing.

Moose Jaw — Regina

Goal: Paquet — R. Morrison

Defence: Benson — Prowse; Matz — Conn

Center: Shaw — Daly

Forwards: Thorsteinson — Acaster; Rose — Gottselig; Connelly — Naismith; Aubrey — C. Morrison; Sutherland — Dalman; Mitchell — Sunderland

Referee—Meeking.

Summary

First period—1, Moose Jaw, Rose, 12.

Second period—2, Regina, Acaster, 7; 3, Regina, Morrison, 9:30; 4, Regina, Acaster, 15.

Third period—5, Moose Jaw, Aubrey, 3:37; 6, Regina, Acaster, 4:32; 7, Moose Jaw, Connelly, 13:30; 8, Regina, Naismith, 15:27.

PERSSON LOSES

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 13.—Pat McCarthy, Boston heavyweight, received the decision over Harry Persson of Sweden in a 12-round bout here tonight.

United States tennis officials are reported to be in favor of Germany's admission to the Davis cup competition and membership in the International Lawn Tennis federation.

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SPORTS

Epidemic of Hurt Fingers Among Stars

By AL DEMAREE
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Gorge Von Elm, National amateur golf champion, is the latest athlete to come up with several injured digits, in what is threatening to become an epidemic in mashed hands among champions in various lines of sport.

Pete Latzo, who grabbed the welterweight title from Mickey Walker, let a window fall on one of his valuable hands, and is now as helpless as a Babe Ruth would be without a bat.

"Wild Bill" Mehlhorn famous golfer, carelessly let a glass top table fall on one of his fingers and since then has had it amputated. How much this will interfere with his golf will be determined by his playing this winter in California, Texas and Florida.

Mordecai (three-fingered) Brown, one of the greatest curve ball pitchers in baseball history, had a very interesting hand. He lost one of his fingers in his youth, and it apparently helped him in pitching. He had perfect control and the stump of the lost finger gave him one of the best curve balls in the game.

Jimmy Archer, the old Chicago catcher, while he had the regulation number of fingers, had his right arm so severely burned in his youth that one tendon contracted and gave him a crooked arm. This injury made him famous, as he developed a snap throw with his crooked arm that lost no time in getting the ball away.

New St. Louis Coach Likes 'Tough Spots,' So Takes New Post

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 13. — Daniel Philip Howley, who has been signed to manage the St. Louis Browns for three years, likes "tough spots." He said so himself.

The declaration followed mention of the fact that he was encountering a "tough spot" in taking over the reins of Phil Ball's aggregation from George Sisler.

"I wouldn't feel at home in a soft spot," the Irish pilot said. "I've had tough ones all my life."

Brought Toronto to Top

He then recounted his experiences with Montreal for four years, his management of Toronto in 1918 when the war took away all his players, and how, in 1926, there was not a single player who had been in Toronto uniform when he was appointed manager. Toronto won the International league race and then whipped Louisville.

Howley, a native of Massachusetts, has had a varied career in baseball. Farmed out by Indianapolis to Grand Rapids, he helped that club win a pennant in 1906. The next four years he caught for the Hoosier team and helped them win a bunting in 1908. Ordered to Louisville in 1911, he refused to report and went to Utica. He was sold to Cleveland in 1912, was assigned to Portland and in 1913 was bought by the Phillies.

It was at that time, Howley said, that he realized that he was not destined for a big league catcher. He chose to manage a club.

His Diamond Theories

Howley has several requisites for success on the diamond.

"You must have the players," he said. "The players must be in condition. The players must hustle and there must be harmony."

"Never humiliate a baseball player on the field" is another.

As to his method of operation, he prefers a tight defence and good pitching rather than concentration on slugging.

One practice session a day during the training season is a cardinal virtue of the Browns' helmsman.

"I believe in one practice session a day, but it must be a long drill, with the players hustling every minute of the time. When you try two sessions, the noon hour and lunch break up the work and the afternoon session is worse than time wasted."

GOLF PROGRESS IN GERMANY

Golf is making slow but steady progress in Germany. In the last season foreigners won virtually all important international tournaments.

Percy Allis, English professional in Berlin, won the national open. English and American diplomatic and business residents of the capital won seven out of the 10 matches in the annual international tournament of the Berlin Country club.

There is some agitation for a public golf course, but city officials believe the sport is not yet popular enough to warrant the expenditure. Of the 1000 German and foreign members of the Berlin Country club, it is said, less than 200 can actually play golf.

The proposal to form an Intercollegiate Football league is opposed by Yale university "on the general principle that it must inevitably contaminate and commercialize intercollegiate football."

PORTS WALLOP EX-KINGS IN HOCKEY WAR

Score Nine Goals to B. C. Team's Lone Tally in Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13.—Port Arthur hockey team, world's amateur champions, concluded their coast visit here tonight by winning their fourth straight game when they defeated the Ex-King George high school team of this city by a score of 9 to 1. The visitors scored 33 goals during the four games and had only three scored against them.

Port Arthur aggregation were much superior to their opponents both in the point of speed and combination. The game started fast and except for a few short periods, was productive of good hockey. The locals' only counter came half way through the final session after the visitors had netted three counters in each of the two preceding periods and had notched another just a minute before.

Chapman, playing on the left wing of the visiting team, was the best player on the ice. Six penalties were handed out, all but one to the Port Arthur players, with Gray getting a maximum penalty.

Lineup

Ex-King George	Position	Port Arthur
	Goal	
Hope		Enright
	Defence	
Bain		Burke
Pennock		Wilson
	Wing	
Nolan		Gray
	Center	
Jones		Chapman
	Wing	
Gyles		L'Heureux
	Substitutes	
Clark		Traer
Dowman		Forslund
Henderson		J. Thompson

Referee—George Irvine.

Summary

First period—1, Port Arthur, Chapman, 3:25; 2, Port Arthur, L'Heureux, 4:35; 3, Port Arthur, Chapman, :15

Second period—4, Port Arthur, Chapman, 7:45; 5, Port Arthur, Traer, 3:00; 6, Port Arthur, Wilson, 2:30.

Third period—7, Port Arthur, Wilson, 6:30; 8, Ex-King George, Clark, 1:10; 9, Port Arthur, Traer, 8:10; 10, Port Arthur, Chapman, 10:30.

Penalties

First period—Burke.

Second period—Wilson, Burke and L'Heureux.

Third period—Gray, Pennock.

Landis' Salary May Be Boosted Another Ten Thousand Dollars

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—A proposed salary increase of $10,000 for Baseball Commissioner Landis was received without enthusiasm today by National league club owners. Although the magnates unanimously favor reelection of Landis to another term of seven years, they indicated today on the eve of their annual meeting that the circuit will oppose a move to boost his salary to $60,000 annually

Draws for Third Round English Cup Play Are Announced

LONDON, Dec. 13.—The draw for the third round of the English Football association cup was announced today. The games will be played on January 8, 1927, and the teams of the first and second divisions of the English league will then begin their competition games.

The draw:

Reading vs. Manchester United.
Bristol Rovers vs. Portsmouth.
Fulham vs. Chesterfield.
Barnsley vs. Crewe.
Sheffield vs. Brighton.
Coventry City vs. Preston Northend.
Darlington vs. Rhyl.
Everton vs. Poole.
Birmingham vs. Manchester City.
Hull vs. West Bromwich.
South Shields vs. Plymouth.
Newcastle vs. Notts County.
Southampton vs. Norwich.
South Port vs. Blackburn.
Cardiff vs. Aston Villa.
Burnley vs. Grimsby.
Chelsea vs. Luton.
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Bradford City vs. Derby County.
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Ashington vs. Notts Forest.

Anderson of Tennis Fame Becomes Teacher and Is Professional

SYDNEY Australia, Dec. 13. — In his last game as an amateur J. O. Anderson defeated Gerald Patterson 4-6, 9-7, 6-2, 6-2 at tennis here Saturday. After his victory over Patterson, Anderson became a professional tennis teacher.

CALGARY GIVES EDMONTON ESKS GOOD LICKING

Buster Huffman Breaks Into Scoring Column; Score Is Five to One

EDMONTON, Alta., Dec. 13.—Showing superior powers, the Calgary Tigers outlasted the Edmonton Eskimos in the opening game of the Prairie Hockey league here tonight and chalked up a comparatively easy 5 to 1 victory.

The Eskimos held the visitors fairly well in the first period, but after the first few minutes of the second stanza were never in the picture. The Tigers had a decided margin in speed while their defence held better than that of the home talent. They were leading 1-0 at the close of the first period, increased to 3-1 in the second and added two more in the final 20 minutes without a comeback from the Eskimos. The veteran "Spunk" Sparrow was the pick of the visitors, with Savage and Anderson also showing well.

The game was played in bitter cold and was witnessed by a small crowd.

Lineup

Edmonton	Position	Calgary
	Goal	
Fowler		Timmins
	Defence	
Harris		Headley
McIntyre		Savage
	Forward	
Morris		Anderson
Woods		Huffman
	Subs	
Evans		Martin
Peters		Frew
Teal		Knipfel
Monk		Mackie

Referee—Battell.

Summary

First period—1, Calgary, Martin, 11:25.

Second period—2, Edmonton, Morris, 2:00; 3, Calgary, Sparrow, 6:20; 4, Calgary, Savage, 8:10.

Third period—5, Calgary, Huffman, :41; 6, Calgary, Anderson, 13:40.

Penalties

First period—None.

Second period—Woods, Morris, McIntyre, Harris.

Third period—None.

ROSENBLOOM WINS OVER K. O. KAPLAN

Middleweights Put Over Slow Show in Headliner at Madison Square

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Maxey Rosenbloom of New York defeated K. O. Kaplan, his fellow townsman, among the leading contenders for middleweight boxing honors, in a slow 10-round feature bout at Madison Square Garden tonight. Rosenbloom weighed 159 and Kaplan 157 3-4.

The match was marred by constant clinching throughout.

Only in the late rounds did Rosenbloom's mauling style edge him to the fore. Kaplan staged a rally in the final session, scoring repeatedly with heavy lefts to the head and body, but could not overcome Rosenbloom's point advantage. There were no knockdowns.

Alf Mancini, Anglo-Italian welterweight, fought a draw with Farmer Joe Cooper of Indiana.

Johnny Phillips, Toronto lightweight, whipped Sammy Morgan of New York in a fast four-round bout.

Babe Herman, veteran New York featherweight, won a 10-round decision from Eddie Anderson, the Wyoming cowboy, in a semi-final. Herman weighed 129 1-2, Anderson 126.

TORONTO, Dec. 13.—Marlboros Hockey club of this city swamped North Bay Trappers, 9 goals to 2, in a semi-final of the Sportsmen's Patriotic association junior series here tonight. The winners will now meet St. Andrew's college in the final.

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BASKET GAMES AT THE HUME FAST AND HARD

Railwaymen Beat Crusaders; Fairview Juniors Beat Diehards

After dropping their first basketball game of the season in the intermediate league, the C.P.R. hoop team last night defeated the Crusaders 24 to 18, to tie themselves with the latter for second place. The Fairview juniors, in a junior league game preceding the intermediate mix, defeated the Diehards 24 to 7. R. StDenis refereed for the intermediates and K. Rees for the juniors, the games being played at the Hume school.

The intermediate game was fast and hard fought all the way, penalties being handed out freely to players of both teams by R. StDenis, referee.

The railway boys showed up well last night and promise some keen competition for the other teams of the intermediate league.

The teams were:

C.P.R.—W. Freno, A. Scanlan, guards; L. Aurelio, center; A. Bradshaw, H. Morgan, forwards.

Crusaders—B. Wardale, J. Simms, guards; A. Cumming, center; A. Jeffs, W. Jeffs, R. Johnson, forwards.

Fairview—R. StDenis, R. Ringrose, guards; H. Chapman, center; H. Rothery, W. Lauritz, forwards.

Diehards—J. Bates, R. Bell, guards; W. Jeffries, center; B. Burns, J. Vigneaux, forwards.

The standing of the teams in both leagues follows:

Intermediate League

	P.	W.	L.
Fairview	2	2	0
C. P. R.	2	1	1
Crusaders	2	1	1
High school	1	0	1
Business College	1	0	1
S. T. Club	0	0	0

Junior League

	P.	W.	L.
Fairview	1	1	0
Wolves "A"	1	1	0
Wolves "B"	1	1	0
High School	0	0	1
Tuxis Boys	0	0	1

American League Is Backing Reelection of Judge Kershaw Landis

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—There is no desire on the part of the American league club owners to supplant K. M. Landis as baseball commissioner or to oppose his reelection for a seven-year term, which will come up at the joint meeting of the major league clubs here Thursday.

This was apparent tonight as club owners of the American league gathered for their annual meeting tomorrow. It is probable that the American league in extending its indorsement may decide to boost Landis' salary.

WINDSOR HORNETS BEAT TIGER CREW

WINDSOR, Dec. 13.—A long tricky shot by Andy Bellemer from near center ice, that completely deceived Lookhart, gave Windsor Hornets a 3 to 2 verdict over Hamilton Tigers, after one minute of overtime in a Canadian Hockey league fixture here tonight. For the first period the visitors were played off their feet, but in the second and third periods they showed more life and succeeded in tying the score.

May Be Minister

HON. J. E. SINCLAIR

Liberal, Queens, P. E. I., who is mentioned as probable first choice for the new presumable portfolio of fisheries which Premier King stated would go to a Prince Edward Island man. He was a minister without portfolio in the last cabinet. Another possibility is that the new portfolio may be of colonization, which is now coupled with immigration under Hon. Robert Forke. This might not be so acceptable a post to Hon. Mr. Sinclair.

ELKS WIN TWO AND LOSE TWO

Outbowl the League-Leading Merchants; Lose to Legion

In the first of two matches in the City Bowling league which they played last night at the Semaphore alleys, the Elks took two out of three games from the league leading Merchants team. This is the first time this year that the Merchants have dropped any games. In the second match the Elks, conceding their opponents a handicap of 65 pins, dropped two out of three games to the lowly Canadian Legion five.

The scores:

Elks—

	1st	2nd	3rd
N. Cassios	134	165	152
A. Langill	162	189	167
R. H. Maber	142	171	177
T. Bush	136	169	168
A. G. Gelinas	165	122	169
Totals	739	816	833

Merchants—

	1st	2nd	3rd
J. Bell	182	149	180
J. Hamson	154	157	117
J. Goulding	146	128	145
R. Brown	140	145	136
R. Watson	160	143	140
Handicap	7	7	7
Totals	789	729	725

Second Game:

Canadian Legion—

	1st	2nd	3rd
D. Hinton	152	162	97
J. Spencer	167	143	136
C. Miller	138	138	134
A. Oliver	125	122	136
F. Hartwig	140	163	178
Handicap	65	65	65
Totals	787	793	746

Elks—

	1st	2nd	3rd
N. Cassios	140	170	156
A. Langill	158	130	161
R. H. Maber	156	157	169
T. Bush	147	165	187
A. G. Gelinas	143	109	128
Totals	744	731	801

Attacks Lloyd George

LORD BIRKENHEAD

Secretary for India, who has made a vigorous attack on Lloyd George for the latter's declaration in a recent speech that the Chinese were struggling for their fundamental rights and that Red agents are not to blame for the Chinese trouble.

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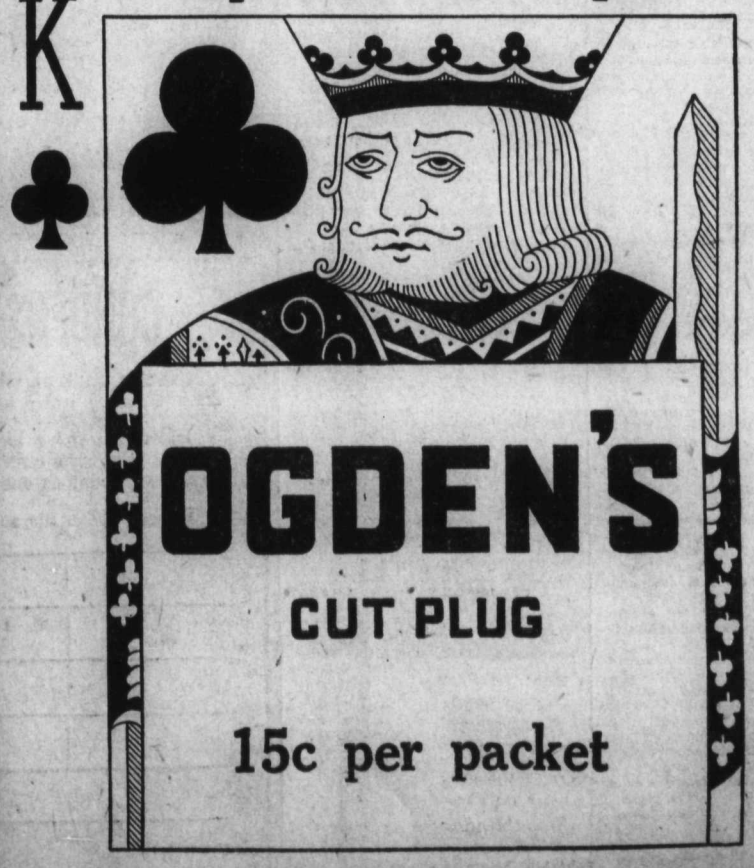

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CRITICISM BY GUTHRIE WIDE, SAYS PREMIER

Claims Conservative Leader on Conference Issue Criticized All British Delegates

CANADIANS MAINTAINED CANADIAN VIEWPOINT

Replies to Guthrie Election Charges; Congratulates Hon. Dr. Tolmie

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—After extending congratulations to Hon. Hugh Guthrie as Conservative house leader, and to the mover and seconder of the address, Premier Mackenzie King, who resumed the debate when the house of commons convened after dinner tonight, said it was a source of gratification that so many old members of parliament had been returned. He welcomed the new members.

Referring to the absence of Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, Mr. King said he was not going to pronounce any valedictory, "as I am not so sure he will not be back again."

He said Canada was fortunate in having so able a statesman as Lord Willingdon as governor-general. He then launched into a discussion of the report of the Imperial conference. After reading the designation of the governor-general as having the same relationship to the government of Canada as the King had to the government of Great Britain, he said: "The important thing is that his excellency is the representative of His Majesty, is a viceroy and not the representative of the British government or any department of the British government."

Separate Day

The premier intimated that a day would be set apart for discussion in the commons on the Imperial conference report. Any amendment on the report would be properly considered. No member of parliament had been bound, he said, by the report.

Premier King said he had not yet had sufficient time to give the consideration he wished to give to the maritime report or of having conferences with his colleagues about it to an extent that would enable him to make a pronouncement tonight as to what the government's legislation would be as a result of its recommendations.

Discussing the Imperial conference report, Premier King said the Conservative house leader had inquired why the word "crown" had been substituted for the word "king" in the definition of the status of the governor-general in the report of the proceedings of the Imperial conference. There was not, said Premier King, any desire on the part of anyone to have the "crown" mean anyone other than the living sovereign. The mportant feature of the paragraph of the report was that the governor-general was "the personal representative of His Majesty" and not the representative of any government or department. In a self-governing dominion the governor-general was in identically the same position in relation to the affairs of that particular country as His Majesty the King was in relation to the affairs of Great Britain.

Had Run Away

Mr. Guthrie had complained of the problem of representation but he should remember that the ridings were redrawn by a committee of the house comprising Liberal and Conservative members. Mr. Guthrie had run away from the solution which might be the application in part, at least, of the single transferable vote or of proportional representation.

"We have suffered far too much in this country in the past from honorable gentlemen opposite preaching blue ruin," said Mr. King. The answer could be found in the statements appearing regularly in the reports of financial and banking institutions. Canada was enjoying great prosperity.

The Conservative leader could claim for the maritime Conservative members any advantage secured through the Duncan report, but those same members criticized the government for appointing the Duncan commission.

Gets One Back

The prime minister said that Mr. Guthrie had sought to amuse the house by referring to those sitting on government benches who had not always seen eye to eye with the government. There was nothing, said Mr. King to those who sat cheek by jowl in the opposition ranks where the leader himself was a former Liberal and where other old Liberals sat in close alliance with the old Tory party and even carried off all the honors.

Mr. Guthrie had referred to the tariff, but the prime minister had noticed that Conservatives always avoided putting in specific terms exactly what their stand was on the tariff. He hoped that when the budget was brought down this session the Conservative leader would move a tariff amendment in order to see where his followers from the maritimes lined up.

Criticized All

Coming to the question of the Imperial conference, Premier King said that Mr. Guthrie in criticizing the Canadian delegates also criticized the delegates from every part of the British Empire. They had agreed unanimously to the terms of the report now under discussion.

Mr. King thought that Mr. Guthrie had failed to strike the distinction between "status" and "stature." Canada had not presumed to claim equal seniority in the commonwealth of Empire. He thought a suitable analogy could be found in the house of commons where the newest members, technically had the same rights as a member of such long standing as Mr. Speaker himself, but did not arrogate to himself the same stature. All that Canada had done was to claim rights equal to those of any other part of the Empire when it came to dealing with Canada's own external affairs.

Canada's Viewpoint

All that Canada's representatives in London this year had sought to do was to maintain the Canadian viewpoint, said Mr. King, and he believed the report did, in the main present the point of view of Canadians. Step by step the conference had proceeded along the lines laid down beforehand in an agenda which was known to all parties in the house. The sub-committee which had considered the all-important question of inter-Imperial relations had been presided over by Hon. Ernest Lapointe, who had earned the admiration and gratitude of the committee for the manner in which he accomplished his task.

This, said Mr. King, was intended to be the end of his speech, but the leader of the opposition had chosen to introduce some criticisms of the government in reference to the last election campaign. He had accused the Liberal party of propaganda designed to mislead the British people. Mr. King thought the British people had been misled chiefly by the section of the press which conveyed the idea that the Conservative party would be returned to power. The Canadian people, the premier continued, was never misled, but unfortunately, some of the British people were led to believe that such a thing as annexation was possible, added the prime minister.

Premier King expressed his willingness to cooperate in the expressed desire of Mr. Guthrie to have the debate of the house carried on on a high plane. He believed during the last two years there had been more personal bitterness than had been necessary.

The prime minister also extended his congratulations to the member for Victoria (Hon. S. F. Tolmie) on his election as leader of the Conservative party in British Columbia.

Senator Dies

WILLIAM B. McKINLEY

United States senator for Illinois, who died last week.

WITNESSES MAY FACE CHARGES OF PERJURING

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that he wanted to shield them. He denied that he had been associated with R. M. Morgan, president of the Eastern Freighters of Vancouver, in arranging for the disposition for the Chris Moeller cargo, and he also denied sending the large remittances of cash from Los Angeles and San Francisco which evidence shows were received by the Manitoba Refineries of British Columbia, shippers of the Chris Moeller cargo. Some names which he traveled under, said Mr. Fay, were Doherty, Cameron, Black and Blossom.

Used Code

Mr. Rowell showed the witness a number of the mysterious code telegrams which were sent to "James Cameron" from Vancouver during the time that Fay was in Los Angeles and San Francisco, but Mr. Fay denied receiving them. He explained that they were really intended for an associate of his called Sid Smith, and that he had handed them over to Smith without finding out their contents as soon as they reached him. He explained that his meetings with "Rod," the consignee of the Chris Moeller cargo, were usually in secret. When he wanted to meet Rodriguez he sent a letter to him at the general delivery in Los Angeles or San Francisco addressed to De Mor, which he explained was a code name.

Mr. Fay admitted having visited Ensenada, Mexico, to which many shipments of liquor are consigned. He said he had never been in Mexico and wanted to see the country. "Did you go down to get landing certificates and bills of health?" asked Mr. Rowell.

"No," was the reply.

When counsel asked him if he was not surprised at something which occurred, Mr. Fay replied quietly: "No, I am never surprised at anything in this business."

Wallinger, Cranbrook Member, Leaves for the Session Opening, Victoria

CRANBROOK, B.C., Dec. 13.—N. A. Wallinger, provincial member for the Cranbrook district, left for Victoria on Monday in order to attend the opening of the session on Thursday. He anticipated that the opening would be only a very brief matter, and that adjournment would come forthwith till after the holiday season. He will return again before going to the main portion of the session.

RANBROOK FEELS THE COLD SPELL TOO

CRANBROOK, B.C., Dec. 13.—After several false alarms winter arrived in real earnest over the week-end, the thermometer taking a phenomenal tumble on Saturday. So rapidly did the severe cold come that it was difficult to get the ice in shape at the two rinks with the skaters, hockey players and curlers have been devoutly hoping for during the past two months. Both rinks will now be in full swing in a few or two. On the railroad the cold weather has brought the usual difficulties, and trains from the east particularly are running late on account of severe weather encountered. The westbound on Monday morning encountered about 35 below at Crow's Nest, along with over two feet of snow and was about five hours late in reaching this city.

Michigan City, Ind., recently dedicated a monument to the memory of men who bore arms in world war.

GUTHRIE GOES AFTER KING'S TRADE TREATIES

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said Mr. Guthrie, that the sales tax was an injustice. This tax had been increased by the King government and now stood at 5 per cent. While the amount collected in the last year of the Meighen administration prior to 1921 was $73,000,000, the total collected for the fiscal year ended March 31, last, was the increased sum of $98,000,000.

Mr. Guthrie believed that the present way to handle the situation was to "boldly strike out" the sales tax and the stamp tax and keep the country's expenditures down. He wished to declare that during the administration of the Meighen government *since July, last, "tremendous* savings" were made to the people of Canada. As a consequence of the economy practiced by the Meighen government, Canada had been able to pay off $50,000,000 of maturing loans without borrowing any money. Economies should be practiced by the government and there was a growing demand throughout Canada, that expenditures should be cut down. The people of Canada were doubtlessly surprised the other day to learn that the national debt of November 30, last, was $2,344,436,000. "When are we going to start paying off this debt?" asked Mr. Guthrie.

Credit Due Taxes

The prime minister had had several years in which to learn what maritime rights were but it was *only in the last parliament* that Conservatives from the maritimes had compelled the attention of the government and only did the government act. "I don't know whether the Duncan report meets with the approval of the people of the maritimes or not, but I know that if any satisfaction is given the credit will be due to members on this side of the house."

Mr. Guthrie asked the prime minister to give in the course of his remarks some indication of the action proposed by the government on the Duncan report.

Of the Imperial conference, Mr. *Guthrie said that one section of the* country was inclined to think that there was nothing new in the report.

"I view it as a matter of very great consequence, but I cannot offer at the present time any unalterable opinion because of parts of the report which I do not understand," Mr. Guthrie said. He added that he had seen the agenda of the conference last summer and there was nothing of a constitutional nature referred to. He believed that the results of the conference were as much of a surprise to Mr. King as to anyone.

May Spell Disaster

Mr. Guthrie analyzed the wording of several parts of the report. The house, he said, was not yet in possession of all the official reports of the conference. It had yet to hear from Canada's delegates, a full report of their mission. Until this was forthcoming, he would not speak too broadly on the subject. But he did believe that some very serious changes had been made and that the gate had been left open for grave injustice *should any government of the future* "in its madness" choose to take advantage of it. In the history of Canada, so serious a problem as this had never faced this parliament, he said.

At this point there was laughter from the Liberal side.

Mr. Guthrie pointed to Hon. Ernest Lapointe and said: "He has had his laugh, but I will guarantee he will not vote this document through the house in its present form. If he does at some future date it will spell disaster for this country."

Dealing with previous Imperial conferences, Mr. Guthrie said: "Nothing was more emphasized in 1911 than our right to govern ourselves, our rights were clear and well understood."

The rights of the dominions had been further emphasized, he pointed out, at the conference in 1917 and when the peace treaty ending the great war was signed. Then Canada "stood shoulder *to shoulder with the other nations,* recognized as being on an equality with Great Britain."

In the 1921 Imperial conference position of Canada had become so well recognized that it was decided it was not necessary to hold a constitutional conference.

Takes Exception

Mr. Guthrie took exception to a reference in the report to the overseas dominions and the mother country as "autonomous communities within the British Empire equal in status, in no way subordinate one to the other of *their domestic or external affairs*" and "every self-governing member of the Empire is now master of its own destiny."

The opposition leader proceeded to consider the extent to which this language brings us. This confederation (of Canada), was founded upon compromise, he said. We now have every domestic matter placed in our own hands. Can we change the basis of confederation? Can we change the compromise upon which this confederation is founded? Mr. Guthrie *stressed the* distinction of the two principal races in Canada. He believed that if any government of the future proposed to abrogate the special features in the national constitution upon which confederation was based, that government would have absolute power to do so under the ruling of the Imperial conference.

No Interference

"Some time in the future some government of this country may arise and propose to abolish bilingualism in this parliament—a matter of purely domestic concern, with no external application whatever," Mr. Guthrie went on. "We are masters of our own destiny, this document says, and nobody can interfere with us; no other power can interfere; we are subject to no compulsion. The British government cannot interfere; we are not subordinate to them."

Mr. Guthrie was also of the opinion that "if a government should arise at some time in the future and, in its madness I would say, propose to abolish the provincial legislatures in this country and adopt a system of legislature union, I submit that, under that language, they could do so." Nobody *could rebuke, nobody could interfere,* he added. The power of veto had been done away with, he said, and the right to refuse to assent to a bill, exercised only once about 50 years ago, had been apparently wiped out.

Most Serious

"Now, what is the situation?" Mr. Guthrie went on. "I submit that it is the most serious situation that has been laid before the parliament of Canada since confederation. I would not allow any part of the Dominion of Canada or *any section of this Dominion to be* exposed to attacks in the future, to take away the rights which we, in this country, look upon as sacred rights. I would not allow the protection to be taken away from minorities. Why was there not some limitation in regard to Canada?"

The official opposition, said Mr. Guthrie in conclusion, was anxious to cooperate with the government on any of the problems of this session. This problem especially, he said, should be *approached in a non-partisan way.* But the opposition had its rights. On this problem, more than any other, it was entitled to the fullest enlightenment, and he hoped that the government would realize the necessity for cooperation if this problem was to be solved.

CHARGES DISMISSED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The impeachment charges against former Federal Judge English of Illinois was dismissed today by the senate. Judge English resigned last year after the the house had voted to put him on trial.

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LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

IN PROBATE

In the matter of the Estate of Lee Yat, late of Sirdar in the Province of British Columbia, deceased, Intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that Letters of Administration of the Estate of Lee Yat, late of Sirdar, in the Province of British Columbia, Cook, have been issued to Lee Lun pursuant to the order of His Honour J. A. Forin, LOCAL JUDGE, dated December 6th, 1926, and all creditors of the said Lee Yat, who died on *or about the 31st day of January, 1926,* are on or before the 31st day of December, A.D. 1926, to send by post prepaid to Lee Lun at Nelson, British Columbia, or to the undersigned, his Solicitors, their Christian and surname, address and description, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their account and the nature of their securities if any, held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the said Estate.

DATED at Nelson, British Columbia, this 13th day of December, A.D. 1926.

BROWN & DAWSON,
Solicitors for Lee Lun, Administrator of Lee Yat Estate.
Approved.
H. R. T.,
D. R. (6044)

SHERIFF'S SALE OF MINERAL CLAIMS

Under and by virtue of an order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Murphy, dated the second day of November, 1926, I will offer for sale at public auction, at my office at the Court House, Nelson, B.C., on Wednesday, December 15th, 1926, at *12 o'clock noon, all the* interest of the Spy Glass Mining Development company, limited (nonpersonal liability) in Lots 7524 and 7525, Group one (1), Kootenay District, and known as the "Spy Glass" and "Globe" Mineral claims.

Judgment Creditor—Robert Garvin McLeod.

Judgment Debtor—The Spy Glass Mining Development Company, Limited (Nonpersonal Liability).

Registered Owner—The Spy Glass Mining Development Company, Limited, (Nonpersonal Liability).

Registered charges—None.

Applications for Registration—None.

Authorized Assignments under the "Bankruptcy Act"—None.

Assignments for benefit of creditors —None.

Judgments—Robert Garvin McLeod, judgment creditor, the Spy Glass *Development Company, Limited* (Nonpersonal Liability) Judgment debtor.

Mechanics Liens—None.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

Dated this 15th day of November, 1926.

JAMES H. DOYLE,
(5697) Sheriff of South Kootenay.

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MONTREAL POWER IS IN NEW LOW

Activity Forces Issue Down; Irregularity Is Noted at Montreal

MONTREAL, Dec. 13. — While prices continued irregular in today's session of the Montreal exchange there was apparently an improvement over the reactionary tendency that prevailed in the closing days of last week and at the close gains were in excess of losses in a broad but generally dull list.

Montreal Power was again the most prominent in regard to activity. The heavy selling of this issue continued which forced the price down to the new low of 67¾. It later firmed to 68¼, closing at this figure, for a net loss of ¾. Quebec Power was the strong feature, closing at 187, for a net gain of 4 points.

Winnipeg Electric closed at the new high of 63½ for a net gain of 1¾ points.

Of the balance of the market Brazilian was outstanding. After opening at 104 it moved up to 105½ for a net gain of 1½ points.

Total sales—18,806 shares; bonds — $144,400.

Closing Prices

Asbestos 23½, Abitibi 88½, Ind. Alcohol 31, Brazil 105½, Breweries 67½, Brompton 36½, Cement 117, B.C. Fish. 97, Laurentide 112, B.E. Steel 2nd pfd. 2¾, Spanish pfd. 113¾, Spanish com. 102, Steamers pf. old 91, new 75, Steamers com. new 30, Montreal Power 68¼, Quebec Power 187½, Smelters 252¼, Shawinigan 266½, Steel of Canada 114, Atlantic Sugar 30, Textile 101, Winnipeg Electric 63½.

Montreal Sales

MONTREAL, Dec. 13. — Sales — 740 Abitibi, 765 Asbestos, 170 Asbestos pfd., 1338 Atlantic Sugar, 105 Atlantic Sugar pfd., 195 B. C. Fish., 290 B. E. Steel 2nd pfd., 1330 Brazilian, 130 Brompton, 215 Canada Car, 2245 Can. Ind. Alcohol, 802 Can. S.S. new pfd., 261 Dominion Bridge, 185 Dom. Coal, 190 Glass, 1072 Laurentide, 3126 Montreal Power, 645 Breweries, 370 Quebec Power, 351 Shawinigan, 715 Cons. Smelters, 370 Spanish River, 160 Spanish River pfd., 145 Steel of Canada, 100 Steel of Canada pfd., 900 Wayagamack, 1385 Winnipeg Electric.

BRITISH COLUMBIA EGGS

Fresh extras 55c, firsts 49c to 50c, pullets 44c.

Markets

NORANDA IS ONE OF THE LEADERS

Gooderham & Worts Also Prominent on Toronto Stock Market

TORONTO, Dec. 13. — Gooderham & Worts and Noranda shares were the outstanding performers in today's brisk trading on the Toronto stock exchange.

Gooderham & Worts shares came out at 39 and moved up to 41¾. The market dropped back to 40¼ at the close, a net gain of ⅜.

Seagram was almost equally active. This issue closed at 17, a net advance of ⅛.

After starting at $22.20, Noranda worked up to $22.95, closing at $22.75.

International Nickel moved up 1½, to 38½. Page Hersey, common, was pushed up 2, to 59. The preferred was much more active than the common and gained 1 point for a new high of 119. Smelters held around 251 and 252, and it was comparatively neglected.

Toronto Sales

TORONTO, Dec. 13. — Toronto stock exchange sales: 222 American Sales Book, 101 American Sales Book pfd., 100 Asbestos, 615 Atlantic Sugar, 135 Atlantic Sugar pfd., 175 Brazilian, 265 Ind. Alcohol, 225 Int. Nickel, 155 Massey-Harris, 385 Page Hersey, 120 Porto Rico Railway, 166 Twin City, 310 Winnipeg Railway.

WHEAT VALUES ARE BOOSTED CONSIDERABLY

CHICAGO, Dec. 13. — Unexpected big falling off in the United States wheat visible supply did a good deal to boost wheat values today at the last. Moreover, a severe cold wave was in prospect with domestic winter wheat reported as virtually bare of any covering of snow to protect the crop. Wheat closed firm, ⅜c to 1¾c net higher, corn ⅜c to ⅝c off, oats ¼c to ⅞c up, and provisions unchanged to 30c lower.

MOTORS ACTIVITY LEADER NEW YORK

General Motors and Chrysler Lead List of Advances; Rail Shares Are Steady

NEW YORK, Dec. 13. — Strength and activity of the motor shares overshadowed all other developments in today's irregularly higher movement of stock prices. The advance took place in the face of a stiffening of call money rates and a revival of rumors of motor car price cuts.

The higher call money rate followed the calling of over $25,000,000 in loans in preparation for federal income tax and other mid-month payments. The weekly statement of the New York Federal Reserve bank showed an increase of only $8,125,000 in brokers' loans in the week ended last Wednesday.

General Motors and Chrysler led the advance in the motor group, the former touching 150 and the latter 43¾, both stocks closing at the top and showing gains of 3⅝ and 3⅞ points, respectively. Peerless was run up from 25¾ to 30, and then eased to 29, up 3½ net.

Prospects of special dividend developments on several leading carriers within the next few months had a steadying influence on the rail shares. Pere Marquette was bid up 4 points to a new high of 122, but lost more than half its gain.

Total sales—1,794,400 shares.

New York Quotations

	High	Low	Close
Allied Chem.	141¾	139½	139¾
Amer. Loco.	110	109	110
Amer. Tele.	150	149¾	150
Atchison	160⅝	159	160¼
Baldwin	158	156⅛	.....
Balt. & Ohio	108⅝	107½	107¾
Can. Pacific	165	164⅛	.....
Cerro de Pasco	65	64¾	.....
Chile Copper	36⅛	35⅝	35½
Chrysler Corp.	43¾	41	43¾
Corn Products	19¼	18¾	19¼
Dodge "A"	27¾	27⅛	27¾
Dupont	170	165	170
Gen. Motors	150	146¾	150
Granby Cons.	36⅛	35¾	.....
Gt. Nor. pfd.	83¾	82⅞	.....
Howe Sound	40½	40¼	.....
Insp. Copper	27¼	27	.....
Intl. Nickel	38	.....	.....
Kenne. Copper	63½	63	63⅛
N. Y. Central	137⅝	136	136⅝
Nor. Pacific	81⅝	80⅞	.....
Phillips Pete.	57¼	56⅝	56¾
Radio Corp.	60¼	59⅛	.....
Rock Island	69⅜	68⅝	69⅛
Shell Union Oil	29¾	29¼	29½
Sinc. Cons.	19	18⅞	19
Sou. Pacific	107⅞	107⅜	.....
Stan. Oil Cal.	58	57⅞	58⅛
Stan. Oil N. J.	38	37¾	38
Stude. Corp.	55⅞	55½	55⅞
Tex. Gulf Sulph.	50¼	49⅛	50
Union Oil Cal.	53½	52⅞	53
Union Pacific	162¼	162	162⅛
U. S. Rubber	59⅛	58⅝	59
U. S. Steel	151½	150⅞	151
Willys Ovld.	22¾	22½	22¾

Today's Dividends

Am. La Fr. Eng. com q	25c
Am. La Fr. Eng. pf q	$1.75
Am. Pub. Util. part pf q	$1.75
Am. Pub. Util. prior pf q	$1.75
Am. Snuff com q	3%
Am. Snuff pf q	1½%
Am. Steel & Fdy. com q	75c
Am. Steel & Fdy. pf q	$1.75
Arkansas Nat. Gas q	12c
Beech Nut Pack. com q	12c
Beech Nut Pack pf q	1¾%
Brillo Mfg. pf A q	50c
Burroughs Add. M. com q	75c
Consol. Coal accum pf	$1.75
Can. Genl. Elect. pf q	1¾%
Chatham-Phoenix q	4%
Fleishman Co. q	50c
Fleishman Co. extra	25c
Intl. Shoe com q	$1.75
Illinois Pr. & Lt. par pf q	1½%
Illinois Pr. & Lt. 6% pf q	1½%
Illinois Pr. & Lt. 7% pf q	1¾%
Illinois Traction pf q	1½%
Merk & Co. pf q	$1
Mountain Producers q	60c
Nat. Breweries com q	$1
Nat. Breweries pf q	1¾%
Nat. Pub. Service com A q	40c
Nat. Supply extra com q	$2
North West Util. pr lien q	$1.75
Oil Well Supply pf q	$1.75
Old Colony R.R. q	1¾%
Penick & Ford pf q	1¾%
Penick & Ford init com q	25c
Power Co. of Canada pf q	1½%
St. Louis-San. Fran. com q	$1.75
St. Louis-San Fran. pf q	$1.50
Salt Lake Creek Consol q	20c
Schulte Retail Strs. pf q	$2
So. Pitts Walter pf q	1¾%
Sterling Prod. q	$1.25
Sterling Prod. extra	$1
Union Pass Ry. sa	$4.75
United Lt. & Pr. pf A q	$1.62
United Lt. & Pr. pf B q	$1
United Lt. & Pr. old com A q	60c
United Lt. & Pr. old com B q	60c
United Lt. & Pr. new com B q	12c
United Lt. & Pr. new com B q	12c
U. S. Trust q	12½%
Utah Coke & Gas pf q	$1.75
Utah Coke & Gas part pf q	$1.75
Ward Baking pf q	$1.75
Ward Baking class A q	$2
West Penn. Elect. Cl A q	$1.75
West Phil. Pass. Ry. sa	$5

Egg Markets

OTTAWA, Dec. 13. — Toronto dealers are paying for ungraded eggs delivered extras 64c, firsts 53c, seconds 35c.

Montreal—Extras 60c to 63c, firsts 53c to 55c, pullet extras 45c to 48c.

Winnipeg — Extras 56c, firsts 52c, seconds 40c.

Saskatchewan — Extras 45c to 50c, firsts 40c to 45c, seconds 35c.

Edmonton — Extras 50c, firsts 45c, seconds 40c.

Vancouver — Extras 49c, firsts 44c to 45c, pullet extras 38c.

Chicago — Spot 42c to 45c, Decembers 35c, January 43c, February 32⅞c.

New York — Extra firsts 52c to 55c, firsts 47c to 49c, December 37c.

WINNIPEG GRAIN QUOTATIONS

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Dec.	128	128¾	127½	128⅜
May	132½	133¼	132⅛	133¼
July	132⅝	133¼	132	133⅜
Oats—				
Dec.	54⅝	55⅛	54⅝	55⅛
May	57⅝	58	57⅝	58
July	57¼	57¼	57	57¼
Barley—				
Dec.	63¼	63¼	62⅞	63
May	67	67⅝	67	67⅝
Flax—				
Dec.	188¼	188⅝	187⅝	188⅝
May	197	197½	196⅝	197¼
Rye—				
Dec.	88½	88⅞	88¼	88⅞
May	93⅝	94⅜	93½	94⅜

UPWARD MOVEMENT ON MINE EXCHANGE

TORONTO, Dec. 13. — A strong upward movement on the Standard mining exchange this morning broke the dullness of the past few sessions and at the same time trading substantially increased in volume. Noranda was the outstanding feature in the general upturn, recording a new high of $22.95; Wright Hargreaves improved 6, at $9.20; Teck Hughes 1, at $4.83; Nipissing 10, at $6.95; and Dome 23, at $12.23. Hollinger, Lake Shore Mining Corpn. and other stocks all firmed slightly. Tough Oakes losing 1½, at 55½, was reactionary, and McIntyre eased 25, at $24.25.

Vancouver Flour Price Drops Fifty Cents Per Barrel During Week

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13. — Flour in Vancouver has dropped 50c per barrel in the past week, making the wholesale price for 98-pound jutes, f.o.b. Vancouver, $8.85 a barrel. There was a decline of 30c a barrel on the beginning of the week and another decline of 20c on Saturday.

Exchange Rates

NEW YORK, Dec. 13. — Sterling exchange firm at $4.80⅝ for 60-day bills and $4.84½ for demand.

Foreign bar silver—54c.

Marks—23.80.

Kronen—26.41.

Canadian dollars—5-64 discount.

Francs—3.98c.

Lire—4.56½c.

Nelson approximate rate sterling—$4.86¾.

Canada Bonds

WINNIPEG, Dec. 13. — The Dominion war issue prices:

War loans—1931, $100.05; 1937, $103.

Victory Loans — 1927 $100.60; 1933, $104b, $104.05a; 1934, $103.35b, $103.40a; 1937, $107.25b, $107.50a.

War loan renewals — 1927, $100.25; 1932, $102.50b, $102.70a.

Refunding loans — 1928, $100; 1943, $101.85; 1944, $96.30b, $96.25a; 1940, 96.20b, $96.30a; 1946, $96.25b, $96.35a.

Metal Markets

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Copper steady, electrolytic spot and futures 13⅝c.

Tin—Firm; spot and nearby $68.62, February $67.

Iron — Steady; No. 2 f.o.b. eastern Penna. $22.50 to $23. No. 2 f.o.b. Buffalo $19 to $20, No. 2 f.o.b. Alabama $20 to $21.

Lead—Dull; spot $7.90.

Zinc—Steady; East St. Louis spot and futures $7.05.

Antimony—Spot $13.50.

At London—

Standard copper—Spot £57 10s, futures £58 5s. Electrolytic—Spot £64 5s, futures £64 15s.

Tin—Spot, £307 12s 6d, futures £298 2s 6d.

Lead—Spot £29 2s 6d, futures £29 10s.

Zinc—Spot and futures £33.

Vancouver Stocks

	Bid	Asked
B. C. Silver	1.70	1.77
Cork Province	.....	.05
Dunwell	.....	1.05
Glacier	.05	.07
Gladstone	.30	.32
Granby	35.50	37.50
Howe Sound	40.00	42.00
Indian Mines	.....	.05
Int. Coal	.14	.18
Lucky Jim	.15	.16
McGillivray	.74	.83
Premier	2.00	2.05
Silvercrest	.....	.05½
Silversmith	.26½	.28
Surf Inlet	.01¾	.02¼
Leadsmith	.....	.08
B. C. Mont.	.....	.00⅛
Brit. Petr.	.08¾	.09
Maple Leaf	.....	.30

Toronto Mines

	Bid	Asked
Hollinger	18.70	18.90
Amulet	1.45	.....
West Dome	.22	.22½
Kirkland	.74	.75
Lake Shore	14.40	14.60
McIntyre	24.50	24.75
Noranda	22.40	22.50
Teck Hughes	4.81	4.82
Vipond	1.59	.....
Castle Trethewey	1.10	1.12
Keeley	1.55	.....
Mining Corpn.	2.90	.....

Dominion Live Stock

WINNIPEG, Dec. 13. — The receipts today 3600 cattle, 4470 hogs and 470 sheep.

Steers—Choice $5.75 to $6, fair to good $5 to $5.50.

Butcher heifers—Choice $5.50 to $6, fair to good $4 to $5.25.

Butcher cows—Choice $4.25 to $4.50, fair to good $3.75 to $4.

Bulls—Good $3.25 to $3.50.

Oxen—Good $3 to $3.75.

Stocker steers—Choice $4.25 to $4.50, fair to good $3 to $4.

Stocker heifers—Choice $3.50 to $3.75, fair to good $2.75 to $3.25.

Feeder steers—Choice $4.25 to $5, fair to good $3.75 to $4.

Calves—Choice $7 to $8, good $5 to $6.

Hogs — Select bacon $11.27½, thick smooths $10.25, heavies $9.75, lights and feeders $10.25.

Lambs—Fair to good $9 to $9.50.

Sheep—Fair to good $5.50 to $7.

CALGARY, Dec. 13. — Receipts cattle 661, calves 66, hogs 366, sheep 443.

Steers — Choice $5.25 to $5.50, fair to good $4.50 to $5, medium $4 to $4.25, common $3.50 to $3.75.

Butcher heifers—Choice $4.50 to $5, fair to good $4 to $4.50.

Butcher cows—Choice $3.75 to $4.25, fair to good $3.25 to $3.50, medium $2.75 to $3, canners and cutters $1.50 to $2.60.

Bulls — Good $3 to $3.50, common $2.50 to $2.90.

Stocker steers—Choice $4.75, fair to good $3.50 to $4.50.

Stocker heifers—Choice $3.50 to $3.75, fair to good $2.75 to $3.25.

Feeder steers—Choice $5 to $5.50, fair to good $4.50 to $5.

Calves—Choice $5 to $5.25, good $4.50 to $4.75.

Hogs—Select bacon $12.10, thick smooth $11, heavies $10, extra heavies $9, roughs $8, sows No. 1 $8, sows No. 2 $6.50, stags $3.

Lambs—Fair to good $9 to $10.

Sheep—Fair to good $6 to $8.

Franz Werfel's latest play, "Paul Among the Jews," is scoring notable successes in a number of German cities.

KILLS SELF WHILE SHOOTING COYOTE

CALGARY, Dec. 13.—Louis La Valley, cook, employed near Keith, Alta., fired at a coyote out of an upper window of the ranch house Monday night and killed himself when the rifle exploded, throwing the bolt back against his face. He died in hospital here three hours after the accident.

Police Find Body of Babe in Incinerator Heap, Calgary; Murder

CALGARY, Dec. 13.—Police are searching for the parents of a new born babe found frozen at the local incinerator plant and developments today indicate murder. An autopsy was performed by Dr. T. A. Wright and it was found the child's throat had been cut. The little body was wrapped in rags and these are the only clues the police have at this time. They believe the body was carried to the city dump Friday in one of the garbage wagons.

QUEBEC POWER FIRM TO INCREASE CAPITAL

QUEBEC, Dec. 13. — The Quebec Power company has been authorized to increase its capital stock from $10,000,000 to $15,000,000.

Minneapolis Grain

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 13.—Flour unchanged at $8 to $8.05, shipments 34,119 barrels.

Bran—$26.

Wheat—No. 1 northern $1.40 to $1.42, May $1.41¼, December $1.39.

Corn—No. 3 yellow 73c to 74c.

Oats—No. 3 white 44⅝c to 45⅞c.

Flax—No. 1, $2.18½ to $2.28½.

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Dec. 13. — Butter and cheese firm, eggs active.

Cheese — Finest westerns, 18¼c to 18½c.

Butter — No. 1 pasteurized, 40c to 40¼c.

Eggs — Storage extras 45c to 46c, firsts 42c to 43c, seconds 37c to 39c, fresh specials 70c extras 65c.

ISAAC BRIGHAM DEAD

WINNIPEG, Dec. 13.—Isaac R. Brigham, old timer of the west, who served with distinction under Colonel Sam Steele, of the Lord Strathcona Horse, in the Boer war, and rendered the British government valuable service in installing numerous sawmills in Great Britain during the great war, is dead here.

About two weeks ago he came from Moosomin, Sask., to Winnipeg for medical treatment, and entered the hospital. His case was hopeless however, and he passed away in his 69th year.

F. de Sieyas is on trial in Winnipeg for fraud in supplying coal to the government.

RELATION TO TENNYSON

Here is a recent studio portrait of Lady Thompson, wife of Sir Thomas Thompson, directly related to the famous poet laureate, Lord Alfred Tennyson, whose spiritual beauty in profile now gives her an amazing likeness to Rossetti's famous "Joan of Arc." She was Miss Millicent Tennyson d'Eimdourt before her marriage.

Fifteen Killed and Thirty Injured When Chemicals Explode

NICE, France, Dec. 13.—A tank containing chemicals for the manufacture of chlorine exploded at St. Auban, a few miles from Nice, today, killing 15 persons and injuring 30.

British war office is tabulating possibilities of London "dugouts" for future air raids.

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A List of Gift Inspirations

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SILK BED SPREADS—Unusual and beautiful in appearance, at a popular price. Size 72x105. Scalloped edge. Colors: Rose, blue, maize, lavender and leaf green. Price **$6.95**

GUEST SET—Comprising one thoroughly absorbent Turkish towel and two wash cloths. Boxed with "Guest Set," nicely finished. Each **$1.50**

TURKISH BATH TOWELS of high quality cotton. Very well napped, with neat embossed patterns. Swimming Girl border. Size 20x38. Each **$1.75**

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Also Canadian-made, white or grey. From, pair ..... **$2.75** to **$3.25**

Personal Shopper will be pleased to make selection of your Christmas gifts. Please give full details.

Ladies' Wear

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS IN RAYON SILK—Ladies' Silk Underwear, in three of the leading makes: Woods, Watson's and Mercury. Following you will find a list of very inexpensive practical presents that would be greatly appreciated by the recipient, in all the leading shades of malmaison (pale yellow), peach, japonica (rose pink), mist (blue), marie antoinette (old rose), versailles (french blue), pink, white, mauve, pansy, black, american beauty, golden pheasant, midnight blue, sand, cinder, orchid. These come in the following articles:

Vests	**$1.25, $1.50, $1.95**
Bloomers	**$1.95, $2.25, $2.50, $2.95, $3.50**
Slips	**$2.98, $3.25, $3.50, $3.95, $4.25**
Nightgowns	**$3.50, $3.95**
Teddies	**$2.98, $3.50**
Pyjamas	**$5.50, $5.95**
Bobette Bloomers	**$2.25, $2.50**
Step-Ins	**$2.25, $2.50, $2.95, $3.25**

THREE ONLY, FUR COATS—Two nice Muskrats and one Baltic Seal. Priced at **$195.00, $197.50, $275.00**

EVENING OR PARTY DRESSES, in all pastel shades. Moderately priced. Made of Georgette, Crepe de Chene. Prices from ..... **$16.95** to **$37.50**

Shoe Department

We are making a special showing of Slippers for House Wear, and have very attractively priced lines in Leather or Felt.

MEN'S VELVET HOUSE SLIPPERS, with flexible leather soles **$1.95**

MEN'S STRONG CORD CLOTH SLIPPERS, with good strong leather soles, per pair **$1.95**

LADIES' SOFT BLACK KID SLIPPERS, fur bound, fleecy lined **$2.75**

LADIES' GOOD FELT SLIPPERS, with leather soles **$1.25**

LADIES' STRONG CLOTH SLIPPERS, stout leather soles **$1.50**

For a choice Christmas Gift there could not be better than a pair of Indian-made Moccasin Slippers. We can show you a splendid selection at prices ranging from **$1.75** to **$3.25**. They come in various colors and are all fur-bound and cosily lined. A really attractive present.

Also a nice selection of Bedroom and Boudoir Slippers for Ladies, from **$1.25**. Many colors and styles to choose from.

The Ark

Ladies' Fine Cashmere Hose, **75¢** per pair. Silk Bloomers, **$1.25** and **$1.75** pair. Vests, **75¢, $1.00, $1.25.** Silk Hose, **50¢** per pair. Boys' Hose, **40¢, 60¢, 75¢** per pair. Flannelette, Apron Gingham, Crepe, Factory Cotton, Towelling, all **25¢** per yard. Men's Wear and Staple Dry Goods. Stoves and Furniture. Cheapest in the city.

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Lady Curlers at Kimberley Are All Ready for Season

KIMBERLEY, B.C. Dec. 13. — The Kimberley Ladies' Curling club has now been organized and officers elected. The membership fee has been set at $2.50 for the season and the new rink is being reserved for the ladies for four afternoons a week. The ladies are looking forward to games with the Chapman Camp ladies and also with the Cranbrook ladies' teams. Officers for the Kimberley ladies' club have been named as follows: President Mrs. James; vice-president, Mrs. O'Brien; secretary-treasurer, Miss F. Gignac; executive—Mrs. R. Rutherford, Mrs. J. Holland, Mrs. F. Smith, Mrs. R. Stephens, Mrs. C. McKay.

Girl Guides Prove Great Entertainers at Cranbrook Feed

CRANBROOK, B.C., Dec. 13. — The girl guides on Saturday night gave a supper at the K. P. hall and proved very successful entertainers, many grownups taking in the generous meal served. As a result the guides added about $25 to their funds, it is understood.

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New Sultanas, 2 lbs. for ....**35¢**
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Goods on view morning of sale.
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G. HORSTEAD,
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Preferred Gifts for Men

A gift of "something to wear" goes straight to a man's heart, carrying with the season's good wishes the thoughtfulness of the giver. Herewith we present only a few suggestions worthy of consideration:

Shirts,	**$2.00** to **$9.00**	Mufflers,	**$1.65** to **$6.50**
Pyjamas,	**$2.50** to **$14.00**	Coats,	**$3.75**
Sweaters,	**$4.50** to **$10.00**	Belts,	**$1.50** to **$2.50**
Hosiery,	**50¢** to **$2.25**	Hankies,	**25¢** to **$2.00**
Neckwear,	**75¢** to **$2.50**	Gloves,	**$2.00** to **$5.00**

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