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POLICE ARREST 26 IN EDMONTON RAID

BONDHOLDERS URGE ALBERTA FORCE CALGARY

Telegrams Urge Brownlee to Force City to Pay Exchange

TO CONSIDER IT IN WIDEST VIEW

Province Has Also to Meet Debentures in U. S. Funds

EDMONTON, Dec. 21 (CP)—Telegrams urging the Alberta government take action to enforce the City of Calgary to pay exchange in meeting debentures totalling over $2,500,000 due in New York Jan. 1 were received today by Premier J. E. Brownlee of Alberta.

The requests were made from actual debenture holders as a result of the Calgary city council voting to make the debenture payments in Canadian funds only, ignoring the adverse exchange requiring $300,000 additional to meet the bonds in United States funds.

Premier Brownlee said the whole question of Calgary's refusal to make the exchange payments was under consideration in the light of effect the city's action would have on other municipalities in the province also having to meet debentures in United States funds. Whether any representations would be made to have Calgary make the exchange payment was unknown.

GUNSHOT VICTIM SUFFERED AGONIES

Police Piece Together Shooting of Heyworth

VICTORIA, Dec. 21 (CP)—With his head covered with blood and pitted all over from buckshot fired from a shotgun through the window of his cabin, William Heyworth, farmer, of Birch Island, in the British Columbia interior, staggered from his chair to the bed room where he partly undressed and went to bed clad only in undershirt and topshirt. Heyworth must have suffered agonies during the next day or more before he attempted to get up and fell unconscious across the bed, dying of shock or exposure.

These facts were pieced together by provincial police who have been investigating the murder since Dec. 10, when Frank Dinning, a neighboring farmer, calling on Heyworth, discovered the cabin door splintered and wrecked. Heyworth had been seen alive last on Dec. 6.

Indian trackers who were set at work, ascertained that the slayer wore only socks when the crime was committed, and ran from the scene to the highway, later putting on shoes and making for the railway tracks.

Will Move for B.C., Conduct City Affairs

Alderman States North Vancouver Cannot Carry On

NORTH VANCOUVER, Dec. 21—Ald. H. C. E. Anderson has given notice of motion that at the first meeting of the council in January he will submit a resolution suggesting that the city voluntarily request the provincial government to appoint a commission to administer affairs of the city.

"I believe that is the proper course for us to follow because of the impossible situation in which the corporation and the ratepayers find themselves" he declared.

He points out that revenue is forty per cent less than in normal times, that there is a continued increase in relief costs, that the city is three months behind in bond interest and six weeks behind in salaries.

DOG TRIES THREE TIMES TO SUICIDE

BUDAPEST, Dec. 21 (AP).—Three attempts at suicide have been made by Pal, a German setter, as a result of being separated from his master, owner of a restaurant in Budapest.

So his owner explained when Pal jumped off a bridge over the Danube, only to be pulled out by a rescue crew.

The first time the dog thought himself deserted he was caught by a soldier as he seemed about to jump over the edge of a cliff. Again, his master said, the dog was found hanging with a spoke of an iron fence through his collar.

INCREASE IN INCOME TAX?

Revenues Falling Off and Unemployment Costs Mounting

VICTORIA, Dec. 21 (CP).—The Jones one per cent tax on incomes which is expected to bring between $2,750,000 and $3,000,000 into the British Columbia treasury yearly may have to be doubled or trebled. It was said in some quarters at the parliament buildings today.

With revenues falling and unemployment costs mounting a tax on incomes and wages earmarked for unemployment relief may be necessary, it was said in some circles. This tax may be one or two per cent in addition to the one per cent tax now being collected by employers. While the matter has not been brought up in executive council, it is considered likely a round table discussion will be held in the near future and some line of action planned.

While details of the proposed new tax have not been worked out, it is thought employers would merely double or treble the amount now deducted from the wages of their workmen or work women and remit to the government. People with incomes other than wages would be more difficult to reach, but in these cases the banks may be called upon to assist in collection of the new tax.

FATHER BEDARD DIES AT COAST

Carried on Missionary Work in Interior

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., Dec. 21 (CP)—Father Julian Augustine Bedard, O. M. I., chaplain to St. Mary's hospital and provincial bursar of the oblate fathers from 1917 to 1931, is dead here following a long illness.

He entered the Oblate Fathers Novitiate at Lachine, Que., Sept. 14, 1882, and took his final vows two years later. He was ordained priest June 24, 1887, by Archbishop J. Duhamel of Ottawa. The same year he came to British Columbia and settled at Kamloops carrying on missionary work throughout the interior. In 1893 he went to Williams Lake and in 1897 to St. Mary's at Mission City. He was for six years parish priest at North Vancouver. During the past two years he had lived in New Westminster.

LONGEVITY AN ART IN TURKEY

ELBISTAN, Turkey, Dec. 21 (AP).—Turkey's stock of centenarians is booming.

While Zaro Agha quavers his claim of 156 years, a younger but surer oldster in this village produces a birth certificate giving his age as 127 years.

This latest claimant to the world's longevity record goes by the name of Gibo, belongs to the Alaoglu tribe, possesses all his faculties, and has never been ill.

IMITATES MOVIES, WOUNDS HERSELF

ROCHESTER, N.Y., Dec. 21 (AP).—This is the way the cowboys do it in the movies, said Joseph Arena, nine, as he showed his six-year-old Josephine how to spin a revolver on his finger today.

As he twirled the weapon it discharged, the bullet entering the girl's body near the heart and inflicting a wound hospital physicians said probably would result fatally.

WELL-KNOWN GRAIN MAN DIES

WINNIPEG, Dec. 21 (CP)—Donald Roy McIntyre, 37, at one time sales manager of the Canadian Cooperative Wheat pool and one of the best known grain men in the west, died today following a long illness.

WHEAT MUST BE CONSIGNED TO U. K. POINT

Transit Through Foreign Country in Itself Is No Obstacle

WILL BENEFIT CANADIAN PORTS

British Customs State Decision on Import Principle Made

LONDON, Dec. 21 (CP cable) — If Canadian wheat shipped to the United Kingdom market is to get the new British preference of six cents a bushel, then it must be consigned to a point in the United Kingdom before it leaves the Dominion.

This in brief is the effect of a decision rendered today by the British customs authorities, who declined to grant the preference on a small test shipment brought over on the Laconia.

The decision may prove of tremendous benefit to Canadian seaports, in that it hits the practice of shipping Canadian wheat to United States elevators for later sale abroad. Canadian wheat handled in the old manner is not eligible for the preference, if it is for the British market.

MERE TRANSIT NO OBSTACLE

It is stressed that mere transit of the wheat through a foreign country does not, of itself, form a fatal obstacle to obtain the preference, but shipments to gain the preference must satisfy the vital requirement of through consignment from a part of the empire to the United Kingdom.

The customs authorities found the documents accompanying the Laconia shipment of three carloads, which originated in Canada and came through the United States, did not comply with the conditions necessary to establish the claim, in that they furnished no evidence the wheat was consigned to Britain when it left Canada.

It was authoritatively explained the customs authorities did not reach their decision because of adhesion to any unnecessary or meticulous regulations, but based it on an important principle.

NO DESPUTE

In the case of the Laconia shipment, it was added, there was no dispute regarding its Canadian origin and its transit from Fort William to Liverpool was fully traced by the documents presented. But there was no evidence that when the wheat left Canada it was definitely consigned to the United Kingdom and this requirement of consignment is an essential principle in applying the British preference.

Otherwise it might be argued United States or other foreign exporters might purchase or store empire grain for sale to Great Britain under the preference benefits.

The government is most anxious that the full benefits of the preference should accrue to Canadian wheat growers, it was also stated.

The customs authorities give assurance they are always ready to carefully consider any evidence produced with the object of showing the necessary conditions are complied with, or to give advice on this point to anybody concerned, either here or abroad.

BUSINESS SHOULD PICK UP

NEW YORK, Dec. 21 (CP).—"If the preference question is settled business should pick up now through Saint John and Halifax," commented W. C. Mott, secretary of the North American Export association, when informed today British customs authorities had decided against granting preference on the Laconia grain test shipment.

LADY FURNESS SEEKS DIVORCE

LONDON, Dec. 21 (AP).—Lady Furness, a twin sister of Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt of New York and a sister to Mrs. Benjamin Thaw Jr., of Pittsburgh, filed suit for divorce today against Lord Furness, shipbuilding magnate, charging misconduct.

EVANS FACES CHARGES ADVOCATING FORCE

VANCOUVER, Dec. 21— Charged with advocating force to affect governmental change and uttering remarks against His Majesty the King, Walter H. Evans of Vancouver was lodged in Oakalla prison today.

...oes on Trial

OWEN SOUND, Dec. 21 (CP).—Melville Wilkie today was committed for trial on charges of murder of his wife and their six-months-old daughter. The child was dead when rescued from the blazing Wilkie house on the night of December 6. Mrs. Wilkie died in hospital of burns next day. Above is shown Melville Wilkie and his bride of a year ago.

BOY IN COMA OVER A YEAR

Contracted Form "Sleeping Sickness"; Mother Is Hopeful

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 21 (CP).—There is a Christmas tree at the bedside of little Joe Huggins, but he cannot see the tinsel and the candles placed there by loving hands.

Ten-year-old "sleeping," most doctors agreed today, may never fully awake" from the coma into which he lapsed on November 4, 1931, from a cause unknown to physicians.

His foster mother, Mrs. S. T. Rider, however, has not lost all hope.

"I am sure Joe knows what is going on around him, although he cannot talk," she said today. "Last week, I heard Joe make a noise. I rushed into his room. He was laughing. There was a most beautiful expression on his face.

"We have talked so much about Christmas and Santa Claus that I knew he has an idea what is going on."

A noted brain specialist was not so optimistic in his statement today, terming the malady "encephalitis," a form of "sleeping sickness."

"It is highly improbable that he will ever awaken. He may live on for years," he said.

MACHRAY INQUIRY ADJOURNS, TIME

WINNIPEG, Dec. 21 (CP).—After having heard more than 1,650,000 words of evidence a board of inquiry today adjourned its enquiry into $1,000,000 loss in University of Manitoba endowments until after the Christmas holidays.

The commission will resume its hearing on January 6, when Mr. Justice R. N. Dennistoun, for many years a partner in the legal and investment firm of Machray, Sharpe and Dennistoun, which acted as investment agents for the college funds, will take the stand.

Christmas Broadcast Starts Sunday, 5:55

King's Speech to Be Heard at 6:45, B. C. Time

OTTAWA, Dec. 21 (CP)— The Christmas broadcast during which his majesty will address his subjects throughout the empire will commence at 8:55 E.S.T. (8:55) a.m. on Dec. 25, when the opening announcements will be made. At sharp 9 o'clock, E.S.T. or five minutes later, London will go on the air. At 9:45 a.m. E.S.T. his majesty will take over the microphone and his address will conclude the broadcast.

Owing to errors in transmission some confusion of time was contained in a story describing the broadcast, published Wednesday morning.

A difference of three hours between Pacific standard time and eastern standard time will bring this Christmas broadcast to Nelson at 8:55 Sunday morning. Thus the King's speech will be heard at 7:45 o'clock.

A. Y. MURDOCH DIES

WINNIPEG, Dec. 21 (CP)—A. Y. Murdoch, 58, manager of Silks, limited, and for many years a prominent figure in the Commercial Travellers' association, died today after a lengthy illness.

LIQUOR THIEVES TAKE THE BEST

VICTORIA, Dec. 21 (CP)—Burglars who entered the government liquor store at Parksville were apparently connoisseurs, for while they took 153 bottles of liquor, they chose only the best liquers and wines, apparently taking their time in making the selections. No money was taken.

Entrance was made by forcing the door of the store.

MART FOR SOFT WOODS TALKED

Bennett Rumored to Have Discussed It; Is on Board Liner

SOUTHAMPTON, Dec. 21. — (CP Cable)—Prime Minister R. B. Bennett of Canada sailed for home today aboard the liner Majestic after a brief visit in London. The Majestic is due in New York Dec. 27 and Mr. Bennett expects to be back at his desk in Ottawa by Dec. 28.

Mr. Bennett's visit, originally described as a holiday, brought him into contact with numerous government ministers and officials. The exact significance of these contacts remained unrevealed tonight. In a broadcast message to the British people last night the Canadian prime minister said he had enjoyed an exchange of ideas "with men imbued with a common desire to advance and improve the progress of the Empire."

Among matters he was rumored to have discussed with United Kingdom officials was the question of securing a better market for Canadian soft woods, at present at a disadvantage in Great Britain because of competition from state-controlled or state-aided timber industries in northern Europe.

He was believed to have discussed the question of wheat shipments from Canada to Great Britain under terms of the British customs regulation which allows it a preference of six cents a bushel provided it is consigned direct from Canada to a British consignee.

LONE GUNMAN RAIDS TILL

VANCOUVER, Dec. 21 (CP).—A lone gunman walked into United Cigar Company's branch store at 2793 Granville street at 7:15 tonight and after requesting a girl clerk to serve him with chewing gum, covered her with an automatic pistol and raided the cash register of $75. Police were on the scene three minutes later, but found no trace of the bandit.

CHINESE APPEAL IS DISMISSED

VANCOUVER, Dec. 21—Appeal of Lou Sang from a police court conviction for having 414 quarts and 301 pints of unlawfully manufactured whisky and rum in his possession on Musquean Indian reserve was dismissed in county court. Judge Ellis increased the sentence, imposed by Magistrate J. A. Findlay, from three to six months. In addition, the Chinaman must pay a $500 fine, or serve a further six months.

PAUL OUTPOINTS OPPONENT

TOLEDO, Dec. 21 (AP).—Tommy Paul, National Boxing association featherweight champion, outpointed Johnny Mitchell of Detroit, in a tame 10-round bout tonight. Paul refused to extend himself at any time.

BEER BILL PASSES TO THE SENATE

Approving Measure First Successful Move by the Wets in 12 Years

AFFIRMATIVE VOTE CAUSES SURPRISE

Severe Defeat for Prohibitionists; Party Lines Shattered

By CECIL DICKSON
Associated Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21 (AP).—Trampling down all dry opposition United States house of representatives wets jammed the Democratic 3.2 per cent beer bill through congress unchanged today and laid it on the doorstep of the senate where early action is promised.

The big vote, 230 to 165, approving the measure was the first successful move by wets in either branch of congress to modify the Volstead act since it became law 12 years ago. Shouts and applause greeted Speaker John N. Garner's announcement of the bill's passage. The size of the affirmative vote surprised even the most active advocates of the measure, including Speaker Garner, who said: "It was bigger than I expected, and shows that a majority of the house wants to follow the will of the majority of the people."

Chairman James Collier of the ways and means committee, who piloted the bill, said—

"It will give the people a malt beverage to drink and the federal treasury much needed revenue."

Action came after three and a half hours of exciting debate, watched by a number of senators.

SEVERE DEFEAT

It was the most severe defeat suffered by the house prohibitionists in many years. Party lines were shattered in the final vote. Among the 230 votes for the bill 133 Democrats, 96 Republicans and one Farmer-Laborite were recorded. Sixty-four Democrats joined 101 Republicans in opposition. Lame ducks voting for included 17 Democrats and 43 Republicans and voting against, 12 Democrats and 69 Republicans.

KENNEDY HEADS ORANGE LODGE

J. A. Smith Conducts the Election

G. A. Kenney was elected worshipful master of the Nelson Loyal Orange lodge No. 1692 at a well attended meeting in the Knights Pythias hall Tuesday night.

The election was ably carried out by J. A. Smith who was assisted by A. J. Manson and W. Calbick.

Officers elected were A. J. Manson, immediate past master; G. A. Kenney, worshipful master; L. Cull deputy master; A. J. Manson, recording secretary; T. Roynon, financial secretary; J. Weston, chaplain; J. A. Smith, treasurer; F. Williams, director of ceremonies; F. Plowman, first lecturer; H. Roper, inside tyler; W. Calbick, first committeeman; J. A. Knauf, second committeeman; G. A. Kenney and F. Plowman, auditors.

FOR 50 CENTS HE WOULD DEFEND U.S.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21 (AP).—Just imagine what Louis Temes, 30, would do for—say a dollar.

Two negroes, armed with firearms, held him up on the street.

He punched in all directions, landing rights and lefts, ignoring the pistols.

Finally one of the robbers shot him in the left arm.

Despite the wound Temes fought on. The negroes gave up in disgust and fled.

Then Temes walked home, jingling the 30 cents that was in his pockets.

FLU BRINGS ABOUT BOTTOMLEY TRADE

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 21. (CP)—Sidney Weil, president of Cincinnati Reds, nursed Branch Rickey, vice-president of St. Louis Cardinals through an attack of influenza. And that, says, Weil, is how Cincinnati Reds got "Sunny Jim" Bottomley from the Cards in exchange for Pitcher Owen Carroll and Outfielder Estil Crabtree.

The illness brought them close together and the Reds' second big trade of the winter followed.

SOME "SHINGLES" ARE BARRELLED

FORT FRANCES, Ont., Dec. 21—(CP)—It would puzzle one to imagine how lack of shingles could spoil anyone's Christmas but the natal day in Chicago will lack a lot—in fact, a box car full—of Christmas cheer because police intercepted a Chicago bound car laden with "shingles."

The "shingles" were few but the car also contained 79 barrels of whiskey which, perhaps, is what the Chicago clients were really anxious about. The consignment, bound from Winnipeg to Chicago, will be poured into the Rainy river.

GANG FUGITIVE IS PARDONED

Governor of New Jersey Decides Case "Upon Its Merits"

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 21 (AP)—Robert Elliott Burns is no longer a fugitive from justice—so far as New Jersey is concerned.

Governor A. Harry Moore early tonight flatly refused to send the convict-author back in a Georgia chain gang from which he twice escaped.

After listening to tales alleged brutalities in chain gangs, of the use of "sweat boxes" and "stocks" in Georgia prison camps, Governor Moore announced he decided the case "upon its merits." The United States constitution leaves the governor no apparent discretion in extradition proceedings. He said, but the United States and New Jersey supreme courts have ruled he may decide upon merits.

Burns, a short, nervous person, was pushed and pulled by spectators who rushed from the assembly chamber galleries to shake his hand. His mother rushed across the chamber but could not reach her son. His brother, Rev. Vincent J. Burns, threw his arms about the former fugitive in elation.

The ex-convict, who had listened intently to the debate by his eminent array of counsel, supplied by the American civil liberties union, and the representatives of Georgia, was taken to another room. There he met his mother. Tears in her eyes, she kissed him.

Anxious to thank Governor Moore, who made his freedom possible, Burns was taken to the executive offices. He kissed the governor's hands as he expressed his gratitude. He was obviously surprised by the governor's reaction.

"Burn's," said Governor Moore, "you can stay in New Jersey as long as you lead an honest life and remain a good citizen. But never mind the publicity stuff. It is now up to you whether you go back."

VOTE MAY HINGE ON SEALED BALLOT

VANCOUVER, Dec. 21—One sealed ballot, cast after the voter had been challenged in Lord Roberts' school, may have an important bearing on the aldermanic election in ward one when votes in the contest are recounted Thursday morning by Chief Justice Aulay Morrison.

In this ward the election count gave Daryl H. Kent 661 votes and J. H. Shinnick 660. Other candidates were Ald. E. W. Dean and W. T. Styles.

The sealed vote was one cast by a man in Lord Roberts' school after his son had inadvertently voted under his father's name. Both reside at the same address but the son should have voted in another word, where he owns property.

As it was he voted in the morning at Lord Roberts' school, believing that, as he resided there, he should vote in that district. Later in the day the father applied for his ballot papers and was informed that he had already voted. Investigation showed that the son had voted. The father was permitted to cast his ballot, which was sealed in a separate envelope. This vote, however, may have an important bearing on the situation. If it results in a tie, the casting vote will lie with City Clerk Charles Jones, returning officer.

ONE BOY IS CAUGHT BUT SEVEN REPORT

KINGSBRIDGE, Eng., Dec. 21—(AP)— A boy, caughte by the headmaster of the school here in a breach of the rules, was told to prepare for punishment three days later.

On the fateful day, the headmaster announced to the school—"The boy who committed the serious offense three days ago must report to my study for punishment, tonight."

Seven boys reported.

ENCIRCLE HALL AND PICK OUT WANTED MEN

25 Men and One Woman Arrested as Alleged Communists

MOVE PREVENTS HUNGER MARCH

Many Innocent Folk Hurt in Tuesday's Short Riot

EDMONTON, Dec. 21 (CP).—Twenty-five men and one woman, alleged leaders of the proposed "hunger march" that was broken up here Tuesday, were arrested today as they attended a conference in the Ukrainian hall, headquarters of the marchers.

Arrests of the Communists were carried out by R.C.M.P., who surrounded the building. Officers walked into the hall and picked out the men they wanted. All of the men arrested were placed in the city jail.

In several instances fleet-footed R.C.M.P. constables had to run half a block before they caught some of the so-called leaders who attempted to leave the building.

PREVENT MARCH

As a result of the arrests here today, a demonstration which had been planned at the headquarters of the "hunger marchers" failed to materialize.

The names of those arrested are: William Murray Patterson, Alex Miller, Peter Kytoruk, Harry Johnson, A. W. Farmer, Anotony Mowashawski, William Keyes, Lewis Hallman, Pete Kassian, James Brightwell, Sam Rosin, Antony Woytychya, Ben Swankey, John Nickelek, Mike Hayduk, Peter Doley, Jack Sereta, Richard Lexa, Karino Staudinger, Tom Draper and Mike Kotuk.

As a result of the riot in Edmonton on Tuesday, the city is threatened with several damage claims. One man, who claimed to be watching the proceedings, reported his eye-glasses smashed and his eyes blackened by a city policeman who was wielding a baton.

INNOCENT HIT

During the height of the battle many innocent citizens were caught in the jam, when the police rushed the marchers. When the police charged, the batons fell upon friend or foe without favor and several bystanders were caught in the stampede.

Mayor D. K. Knott expressed regret some spectators had been injured. He pointed out, however, warnings had been given by police the parade would not be permitted and everyone had been warned trouble could be expected if those orders were not observed.

Under the circumstances, all citizens would have been well advised to stay well out of the area where the trouble was most likely to occur declared the mayor.

Some 200 Christmas trees staked on the Market square for sale purposes were damaged during the fighting. One vendor claims he had $75 worth of trees damaged. He is lodging a claim against the city for damages.

BUCHAN COMMITTED FOR TRIAL ON THEFT CHARGE

VANCOUVER, Dec. 21.—Carl Buchan, charged with breaking into premises of E. & S. Currie, Granville street, and stealing neckties valued at $350, was committed by Police Magistrate W. M. McKay for trial. William Blackwood, charged with Buchan, was committed for trial on Monday.

THE WEATHER

Temperatures:	Min.	Max.
NELSON	32	34
Victoria	41	45
Kamloops	32	36
Vancouver	36	44
Estevan Point	40	44
Prince Rupert	34	40
Atlin	6*	2*
Dawson	6*	0
Seattle	40	46
Portland	42	48
San Francisco	42	54
Spokane	34	42
Prince George	0	22
Los Angeles	50	60
Penticton	32	—
Vernon	27	—
Grand Forks	30	43
Kaslo	27	32
Cranbrook	29	33
Calgary	10	30
Edmonton	4	18
Swift Current	6	32
Prince Albert	4	10
Qu'Appelle	2	20
Winnipeg	10	18
Nanaimo	39	45

Forecast, Nelson and vicinity—Unsettled and mild with occasional sleet or snow.

$534.10 CASH, $27 GOODS ADDED TO THE CHEER FUND

$414.75 Cash and $20 Merchandise Reported Tuesday; $119.35 Cash and $7 Merchandise Wednesday

Tuesday was another $400 day for the Christmas Cheer fund, canvassers list and direct donations turned over to Treasurer W. E. Wasson aggregating $414.75 in cash and $20 in goods. Over half of the day's total, or $217, was subscribed by the section from Vernon street north.

Further lists and donations reported Wednesday added $119.35 in cash and $7 in merchandise. This brought the total reported on the two days to $534.10 in cash and $27 in merchandise.

Acknowledgments are as follows—

Vernon street north—

Brackman-Ker Milling Company, Ltd.	$15.00
Miss B. Ebbs	2.00
MacDonald's Consolidated, Limited	25.00
W. C. Will	3.00
Mrs. Sarah Wade	5.00
Mrs. Jennie McIntyre	20.00
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Brown	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Widdowson	5.00
Nelson Transfer Company, Limited	15.00
A. D. Allen	2.00
H. Wassick	2.00
Stirling Hotel	5.00
Nelson Iron Works, Ltd.	10.00
Wing Lee	1.00
Mrs. G. Clifton	5.00
Mrs. Rosie Ayres	25.00
Mrs. Louis Cunliff	2.00
Harry Houston	20.00
B. C. Veneer Works, Ltd.	25.00
George Dvorjets	25.00

Core street both sides west to Cottonwood and south—

Mrs. D. MacFarlane	.50
Mrs. Jack Wood	1.00
Mrs. G. A. Fletcher	1.00
M. I. Brown	1.00
Mrs. John Eliason	.50
Mrs. E. Hanson	1.00
Miss D. Peterson	1.00
Jack Robertson	.20
Mrs. H. Stirzaker	.50
Mrs. A. Wood	.50
Mrs. D. Bain	1.00
T. H. Lane	1.00
Mrs. A. G. Lane	.25
Mrs. J. L. Sommers	.25
E. Gerrish	1.00
V. Bolletti	.25
Mrs. A. Johnston	.50
Crescent Dairy	1.00
R. Leonard	.50
Chas. Chappell	.50
Mrs. James Forbes	.25
Friend No. 1	.50
Mrs. J. P. Lang	.50
Mrs. J. Goulding	.50
Mrs. J. Levine	1.00
H. W. Moore	1.00
Mrs. A. Manson	.50
S. C. Latornell	.50
M. C. Latornell	.50
Nick Maglio	.50
Friend No. 2	.30
H. D. Ramsden	1.00
Mrs. F. A. Martin	1.00
A. J. Manson	1.00
Mrs. L. Craufurd	1.00
N. L. Ball	.50
Mrs. S. Bate	1.00

Baker street north side west of Ward.—

H. R. Maundrell	5.00
B. Lowery	1.00
Standard Furniture Company	5.00
Brown & Co., Ltd., merchandise	5.00
Watson Shoe Company, Limited, merchandise	5.00
Hipperson Hardware Company, Limited	5.00
H. Hughes	1.00
Mrs. Enfield	1.00
National Fruit Company merchandise	10.00
A. G. Lambert Company, Ltd.	2.00
H. Brook	.50
Greyhound Cafe	.25
William News Stand	1.00
J. Learmonth	1.00
H. Harrop	1.00
John Hunter	1.50
George Horstead	2.00
G. A. Hunter	5.00
Hamilton, Wragge & Hamilton	10.00
E. A. Melander	1.00
Brown & Dawson	10.00
S. A. Williams	3.00
C. E. Browell	.50
L. D. Cafe	1.00
G. Lee Warner	1.00
J. O. Lennie	2.00
Standard Cafe	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hanson	1.50
E. Hanson	1.00
Friend No. 3	2.50
M. and A.	.50
J. F. Meagher	2.50

Hoover, Observatory and Robson streets

A. H. B.	.50
W. H. I.	.25
Mrs. M. Scully	1.25
Mrs. R. W. Hinton	.50
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Collinson	2.00
Mr. and Mrs P. G. Morey	3.00
Mrs. J. A. McDonald	.50
W. J. Clarke	.75
Mrs. S. T.	.25
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dunnett	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton	2.00
Mrs. S. S. Fraser	.50
Mr. and Mrs. Aldersmith	1.00
Gwen and Charlie Penny	1.00

City offices—

D. L. Ure	1.00
C. A. Moir	1.00
Miss Esther Levine	1.00
Miss Dorothy Smith	1.00
Miss Eileen Dill	1.00
Fred L. Erwin	3.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wasson	10.00
G. W. Steele	2.50

Miscellaneous—

B. A. Smith, R. R. No. 1	2.00
Knights of Columbia	10.00
John Gilroy	5.00
Trinity Live Wires	4.00
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F. C. Whitehouse	5.00
Miss E. Pierson	1.00
Miss K. Ethel Gray	10.00
J. E. Hanson	.50
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R. L. McBride	5.00
Mrs. W. H. Jeffs	1.00
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Both sides of Pine street and west to corner of Cedar and Vernon, omitting hospital:

Mrs. G. Massey	$ 1.00
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F. E. H.	.50
Anonymous No. 2	.25

Both sides of Nelson avenue and west to lake, from Pine to shipyard:

Mayor and Mrs. J. P. Morgan	20.00
G. Gilchrist	.50
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R. Clerihew	.75
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Miscellaneous:

Rt. Rev. J. C. McKenzie	5.00
Queen's Bay Church guild	5.00
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Mr. and Mrs. C. F. P. Faulkner	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Male	2.00
Mrs. Woodsill	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clark	1.00
F. Monaghan	5.00
M. H. Maloney	1.00
J. Ballantyne	1.00

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Mrs. C. Morris	2.00
Effie Morris	.50
Bobby Morris	.50
H. A. Matheson	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Jenne	1.00
Friend No. 6	.50
Cash	$534.10
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In the list published Wednesday W. O. P. Clery was credited with a donation of $2, which should have been $2.50.

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THREE IN RACE FOR MAYOR OF TORONTO

TORONTO, Dec. 21.—Three were nominated for mayor as Toronto's political pot began boiling today. The mayoralty candidates are the present mayor, W. J. Stewart, Robert B. Leslie and R. M. Tuthill.

INVESTMENTS ARE SHOWN TO BE PROFITABLE

Dealings of Sun Life and Officers Told at Harpell Trial

By FRANK FLAHERTY
Canadian Press Staff Writer

MONTREAL, Dec. 21 (CP) — Dealings of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada and of several of its officers in the securities of the Insull-owned Middle West Utilities company were disclosed at the trial of James J. Harpell, publisher of business newspapers, on a criminal libel charge today. Thomas B. Macaulay, president of the Sun Life and other officers of the company who subscribed to a syndicate which purchased stock in the Middle West company, reaped a profit of 28 per cent on the money they paid in.

Prior to the trial a commission from the Quebec court of King's bench in Chicago examined Patrick J. Fallon, treasurer of Insull, Son and company, Inc., who disclosed the Chicago transactions. Evidence taken by the commission was read in court today. Insull, Son and company, Inc., were managers of the syndicate which under-wrote a block of Middle West stock.

END CASE THIS WEEK

An effort will be made to end the case this week in order to avoid the necessity of keeping the jury over the Christmas holiday, and although a number of prominent witnesses subpoenaed by the defence have not yet been called it appeared tonight the defence might be able to close its case tomorrow. In asking for an early adjournment today Caliste Cormier, defence counsel, said he hoped to finish his evidence early Friday at the latest and possibly tomorrow night.

Mitchell F. Hepburn, M.P., for Elgin West, and leader of the Liberal party in Ontario, added to the list of possible witnesses when he was subpoenaed today. He attempted to discuss the affairs of the Sun Life in the house of commons recently but was ruled out of order.

The evidence taken at Chicago showed Mr. Macaulay, who complains he was libelled by Harpell in the magazine the Journal of Commerce, subscribed $250,000 to the syndicate which dealt in Middle West stock. Four other Sun Life officials each subscribed $100,000. Six per cent of the subscriptions were paid in which in Macaulay's case amounted to $15,000. When the syndicate was wound up the $15,000 would return to Macaulay with the 28 per cent profit of $3,760.02.

The Sun Life later purchased from Insull, Son and company, Inc., 104,257 shares of the six per cent convertible preferred stock, series "A" of Middle West Utilities at prices ranging from $100 per share to $107.108. None of this stock, according to Mr. Fallon, had been held by the syndicate.

Quake Results From Growth of Mountains

Doctor States Continuous Upward Thrust of Earth

SAN FRANSISCO, Dec. 21 (AP) —Earthquake shocks felt last night and early today over a considerable portion of the United States far west were attributed by the Carnegie Institute seismological laboratory at Pasadena to the growth of mountains in Nevada.

After shocks were experienced today, particularly in west-central Nevada, the apparent epicentre, chimneys toppled and windows were broken at Fallon.

The main shocks, started at 10:11 o'clock last night, were felt over a wide area from Denver, Colo., to Long Beach, Calif.

Dr. Charles F. Richter, Pasadena seismologist, said today the epicentre should show some "interesting effects" when examined. He said the after shocks showed a continuous movement of mountain growth and that the upward thrust of the earth was of considerable area.

REGINA TRIMS EDMONTON, 8-5

REGINA, Sask., Dec. 21.—Setting a new goal-scoring record for western Canada's new professional hockey league, Regina Capitals tonight trimmed the Edmonton Eskimos by a score of 8-5 at the stadium here tonight.

The game was far from a one-sided affair, with both goalies kept busy during the night.

B. C. COMMITTEES DISCUSS RELIEF

VICTORIA, Dec. 21 (CP)—The unemployment committee and subcommittee of the government met today for a two-hour discussion of the brief presented by the Union of British Columbia Municipalities on relief affairs. The report of the committee will go before the cabinet today for consideration. The province's reply to the union is expected to follow cabinet review of the question.

CANADIAN-AMERICAN

At Philadelphia—
Boston 1; Philadelphia 1.

MacKAY WILL RUN IN CALGARY BY-ELECTION

CALGARY, Dec. 21 (CP)—A. C. MacKay of algary, secretary of the Alberta Retail Merchants' association, today announced himself a candidate in the Calgary by-election to fill the vacancy in the Alberta legislature caused by the resignation of Dr. H. W. McGill, Conservative. Dr. McGill resigned when he was appointed deputy superintendent-general of Indian affairs at Ottawa.

A. D. MacTIER TO RETIRE FROM C.P.

MONTREAL, Dec. 21 (CP)—A. D. MacTier, vice-president of eastern lines, Canadian Pacific railway, will retire on Dec. 31, E. W. Beatty, K. C., chairman and president of the company, announced here today. Mr. MacTier retires under the company's pension rules.

Social Events of Trail City

TRAIL, B. C., Dec. 21—St. Andrew's Anglican church was the scene of a quiet wedding yesterday when Evelyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Cooper of Grand Forks was united in marriage to Louis Demore, son of M. Demore of this city, Rev. Leonard A. Morrant performed the ceremony.

The bride, charming in a dress of white with hat and accessories to correspond, was attended by Mrs. Clarence Cashato as matron of honor.

The groom was supported by Alec Rettie.

A reception to immediate friends was held after the ceremony at the home of Mrs. M. Rettie, Rossland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Demore will reside in Trail.

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Ladies of the Royal Purple were hostesses last evening at a military whist drive in the Elks' hall. A prize for low score at half time was won by Italy with nine flags. The players at that table were Mrs. C. Vasey, Mrs. Herbert Johnston, J. Woods and A. E. Layland. The final prize for high score went to Mrs. G. Hill, Mrs. A. G. Cottrell, Mrs. Charles Simms and A. C. Clark, who played for Holand. A lucky ticket was held by Mrs. Joseph Kelly. Delightfully arranged refreshments were served by Mrs. A. McWhinnie, Mrs. William Morrice, Mrs. A. Sherman, Mrs. E. Matthews, Stanley McKay, James Hardington and J. H. Matthews. Mr. McKay had charge of the card games.

Trail News of the Day

TRAIL HOUSES AND LOTS — INsurance. Notary. J. D. Anderson. (5027)

B.C. AWAITS REPLY, P.G.E.

Ryan States Pleased With Contacts in East

VICTORIA, Dec. 21 (CP)—Report on the progress of negotiations over the Pacific Great Eastern railway with an eastern syndicate to which the government has given a statement of the terms on which it might be prepared to do business, was made to Premier Tolmie and the cabinet today by Col. E. J. Ryan. Premier Tolmie said he was well satisfied with the contacts made in the east and elsewhere by Colonel Ryan and that the government was awaiting the reply of the group.

"Colonel Ryan seems to have contacted a number of men of good standing, representing capital, who now have the proposal under consideration. The question is very much alive and we are awaiting replies," Premier Tolmie stated.

TRAIL TAKES CUP CURLING, 62 TO 19

TRAIL, B. C., Dec. 21.—Trail-Tadanac cadmium cup competition playoffs in the Trail Curling club tonight resulted in sweeping victory for Trail with a win of 62-19. Tuesday night will see the start of a new series.

Tonight's games resulted as follows:

W. B. Hunter 17, J. A. McLeod 1; L. H. Jackson 18, J. J. Fingland 7; G. J. Kinnis; P. F. McIntyre 8; H. W. McInnes 11, Jack Campbell 3.

RAILWAY WAGE PARLEY ENDED

Compromise to Extend Reduction Nine Months

CHICAGO, Dec. 22 (Thursday) (AP).—With the last union representatives reporting approval early today, the wage parley between railway labor and managers reached agreement with a compromise to extend for nine months the 10 per cent deduction of the basic wage scale.

Shortly after midnight the Brotherhood of Firemen and Trainmen, last to approve of the compromise agreed to the proposal. Signing the new agreement was expected before the session adjourned, thereby terminating nine days' negotiation.

The new agreement replaces one signed last winter providing for a deduction of 10 per cent from the basic wage. It contains a clause permitting either side to appeal for a revision of the basic wage on or after June 15. The new agreement will be effective February 1. The day after last winter's agreement terminates.

SYRACUSE STARS BEAT CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 21 (CP)—In an International Hockey league contest marked by speed and rough playing, Syracuse Stars tonight defeated Cleveland Indians for the fourth time this season. The score was 6-4.

MALCEWICZ WINS BOUT

WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 21 (AP). —Joe Malcewicz, Utica, N.Y., threw Jack Washburn, California, in the main bout of a wrestling show tonight.

FORESTER YOUNG PEOPLE TREATED

At Christmas Tree Program in K. P. Hall

The younger folk of the Ancient Order of Forester members were entertained royally Wednesday evening in the Knights of Pythias hall. Refreshments were served and after a short program consisting mainly of recitations and singing, gifts and bags of canadies and nuts were distributed.

Supper was served by a committee composed of Mrs. J. T. Brown, Mrs. L. Dunk, Mrs. B. Erickson, Mrs. E. Sutcliffe, A. J. Crack and Jack Maber.

Included in the program was community singing, recitations and games. Those who gave recitations were Freddie Sutcliffe, Violet Crack, Sylvia Morgan, Irene Kraft, Norman Fairhead, Delores Elliott, Gertrude Crack, Marie Stringer, Phyllis Elliott, and June Morgan.

LADY FORESTERS ELECT OFFICERS

Miss Murphy Is Elected Chief Ranger

Court Ellen A.O.F. members held their regular meeting Wednesday night, holding an election of officers, which was followed by a social hour.

Officers were elected as follows: Mrs. E. Sutcliffe, past chief ranger; Miss K. Murphy, chief ranger; Miss N. Jarvis, sub-chief ranger; Mrs. W. Heasall, treasurer; Mrs. R. Vyse, secretary; Mrs. L. Dunk, senior woodward; Mrs. E. Erickson, junior woodward; Mrs. J. Brown, senior beadle; Mrs. A. Cuthbert, junior beadle; Mrs. L. Dunk, Mrs. F. Foster and Mrs. E. Sutcliffe, trustees.

"Babe" Didrikson Goes Professional

Announces She Is Contemplating Several Offers

BEAUMONT, Texas, Dec. 21 (AP) —Mildred Babe Didrikson, noted girl athlete, announced tonight she has said farewell to amateur athletics and is now a professional.

Arriving home from Dallas she issued a statement declaring she had accepted several offers made her, but emphasizing matrimony will not be among the things she will accept "at least for the present."

Miss Didrikson wired L. B. Benedetto, secretary of the southern A. A. U., at New Orleans, telling him of her plans.

Her statement follows.—

"It is true that I have resigned my position in Dallas and that I am considering the acceptance of not one but several of the numerous offers that have recently been made to me.

MAKE UP LISTS TO GET HAMPERS

A three-hour session of the relief committee and the clergy of the city was held at the city hall Wednesday afternoon, for the purpose of checking over relief applicants and names suggested by members of the public, and from them making up a list of families and individuals in Nelson and district to receive hampers through the Christmas Cheer fund.

Persons who know of families or individuals not receiving relief who should receive hampers are advised to make sure that the names are in the hands of the committee.

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REGINA EDITOR REMANDED, LIBEL

REGINA, Dec. 21 (CP)—W. F. Kerr, well-known Regina newspaperman and editor of the "Saskatchewan Liberal," weekly publication was remanded without plea to Jan. 4 when he appeared in police court today on a charge of publishing defamatory libel.

Charge was laid by George Ross, unsuccessful candidate of the unemployed workers' council in the recent municipal elections, as the result of a report published in the "Liberal" terming Ross "an openly avowed communist."

Huge Whist Drive Staged by Legion

Occupants of Mexico Table Are Winners

One hundred and forty-four persons participated in one of the largest whist drives staged by the Canadian legion to date, Wednesday night. The hall was also packed with dancers following whist.

Mexico was the winning table on a draw after playing to a tie with Trail. The table was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hipperson, Miss May Lawson and Mrs. S. Kidwell, who each receive turkeys. Mrs. D. Wade, Mrs. A. Wylie, L. Richards and E. Y. Brake occupied table Trail.

The committee in charge included Mrs. E. Player, Mrs. Cookson, Fred Hartwig and A. Elliott. E. Y. Brake was master of ceremonies.

TREAT IS GIVEN SUNDAY SCHOOL

Presbyterian Young People Entertained

Presbyterian kiddies were given a real treat Wednesday night in the form of a Christmas tree program and a substantial supper.

At the close of the entertainment Santa Claus in person of J. Alexander, appeared on the scene and bags of sweets and presents were distributed. Rev. J. Youngson was presented with a fountain pen by the Sunday school pupils.

The entertainment was under the supervision of Rev. James Youngson and J. Alexander and the supper helpers were Mrs. D. T. Heddle, Mrs. J. B. Gray, Mrs. J. Alexander, Mrs. N. Winlaw, Mrs. James Kay, Mrs. T. W. Choate, Mrs. H. H. Currie, Miss Mary Heddle, Miss Helen Affleck, Miss Mary Winlaw and Miss Peggy Grimes.

A program of recitations, vocal and instrumental numbers included, recitation, "A Fairy Went a Marketing," Betty Hickey; duet, "The Ink Pot," Dalton Boomer and Douglas Winlaw; violin duet, "The Christmas Carols," Nan and Hazel Stout; duet, "The Lighthearted Fairy," Betty and Verna Hickey; violin solo, "Gypsy Warning," Hazel Stout; duet, "Come Into My Arm" Miss Helen Stout and J. Alexander; duet, "Won't You Buy My Pretty Flowers," Lillian and Verna Hickey; recitation, "A Fair Warning to Santa Claus," Jimmy Stout; recitation, "Dreams," Helen Stout.

Popular fallacies are more plentiful than popular facts.

FIGURES ABOUT DISEASES SPREAD BY RAW MILK

S. Henry Avers, Bacteriologist, Dairy Division, Bureau of Animal Industry, a leading authority on pasteurization, has written on "The Present Status of the Pasteurization of Milk," which is published as United States Department of Agriculture Bulletin No. 342. We quote the portion of this dealing with the necessity of pasteurization:

"The need for safeguarding the milk supply is amply proved by the numerous epidemics traced to milk. Trask reported 179 epidemics of typhoid fever from 1881 to 1907 of which 107 were in the United States, 51 epidemics of scarlet fever, including 25 in this country, during the same period, and 23 epidemics of diphtheria from 1879 to 1907, including 15 in the United States. These were all traced to milk. He also listed 7 epidemics of sore throat, most of which occurred in England. Since 1907 several epidemics of septic sore throat have been traced to milk. Among these may be mentioned the epidemics of Boston, Chicago and Baltimore, and others which have occurred in smaller cities.

"The problem of pasteurization is not based simply on the question of which is preferable, raw or pasteurized milk, but rather upon the most economical and practical way of producing a safe milk supply."

The above figures about outbreaks of disease from raw milk are impressive and should convince one of the necessity for using only pasteurized milk.

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EDGEWOOD HAS 12 INCHES SNOW

Fair Board and Farmers Institute Meet

EDGEWOOD, B.C., Dec. 21.—A windlass having arrived from Nakusp, the forestry launch is now being beached before the lake freezes. C. Nicholls and K. Coates are in charge of the operation.

Miss Wilson has returned from a short visit to Spokane.

Miss White, Inonoaklin valley school teacher, has left for her home at Nakusp.

A Christmas party in honor of Florence Jeanette Nicholls was given at the home of her parents on December 18, a beautifully decorated cake centering the table. Mrs. L. Littlewood worked the decoration skilfully in sugar.

Mrs. M. Daly has been confined to her home for a few days with the flu.

W. Webster, Edgewood teacher, is spending his vacation at Victoria and later with his parents in Nelson.

The Christmas treat for the school children of the Edgewood and Inonoaklin valley schools was a combined affair and went off splendidly. Miss White and Mr. Webster, teachers, assisted by Mrs. Daly, for the dramatics, are being congratulated on the success attained. Glees and carols were sung in unison by both schools. A duet was beautifully rendered by two little girls, Dolores Ferrie and Lorna Simms. After the concert the children were treated to a most enjoyable repast and games ended the evening for the younger, the later part being given over to the older folk for a dance.

On Sunday at St. Agnes church Edgewood, a christening ceremony took place. Jeanette Florence Nicholls, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Nicholls, being baptized. Canon Thompson officiated.

The annual meeting of the Farmers institute took place Friday afternoon. Owing to the executive of the Farmers institute also being the male executive of the fair board, the Inonoaklin and Edgewood valley fair report was read. During the proceedings the chair of the late secretary, W. H. Cowell, was left vacan, out of respect for him. The new board is as follows: President, W. Skipmaker; vice-president, W. Boothby; secretary-treasurer, J. Egloff; directors, W. Rogg, R. Hopp and J. de Gans.

CALGARY PEOPLE MOVE, PASSMORE

PASSMORE, B. C., Dec. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair of Calgary, Alta., have taken up residence at F. Flyn's ranch.

G. Forbes motored to Rossland on Friday to bring his daughter, Margaret, home. She has been attending school there.

NAKUSP GROUP STAGE PARTY

NAKUSP, B. C., Dec. 21.—A Christmas party was held Monday evening in the small hall under the auspices of the Young People's Discussion group. The program consisted of a novelty assortment of contests and dances. C. Howarth, Jr., and E. Oxenham were in charge of the entertainment.

Miss Islip, Nakusp Back for Holidays

NAKUSP, B. C., Dec. 21—Miss Nancy Islip of Columbia college, New Westminster, arrived on Saturday to spend Christmas at her home here.

Miss Betty White, who is teaching at Inonoaklin Valley, is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White.

Miss Lillias Kerr, who has been taking senior matriculation in Trail, arrived Friday to spend the Christmas holidays at her home here.

Mrs. L. J. Edwards left last week to spend Christmas in Calgary, the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. McCamon.

MRS. LARSEN WINS RAFFLE AT FORKS

GRAND FORKS, B.C., Dec. 21.—Miss Elsie Nyberg of Fife was a week-end guest of Mis Alice Flynn.

Misses Nellie and Lydia Knight left on Friday for Boundary Falls.

R. Johnson of Rock Creek was a visitor to the city on Friday.

Miss A. Benzies, Miss Ella Phillips and Miss M. Patterson of the public school teaching staff, left for their homes in Nelson on Saturday.

Mr. Dyer of Ferry, Wash., was a business visitor to the city on Wednesday.

Daniel McDonald has been appointed manager of the skating rink this season.

Miss M. Muirhead and B. Harford of the high school staff left on Saturday for the coast.

W. Gowans and daughter Betty spent the week-end in Nelson.

Miss Margaret MacDonald who teaches Fruitvale school, left Saturday for her home in Kaslo.

Mrs. W. Larsen, who won the $50 cash prize at the Carmi dance was again lucky when she won first prize in the drawing for three quilts which were raffled by the Womeh's institute. Caswell Todhunter won second prize. The proceeds of the raffle were for the benefit of the needy in the community.

W. Eureby returned from Nelson this week.

Miss T. Barlee returned from Castlegar to spend the holidays at her home here.

Globe Trotter Slain by Mysterious Stranger

Capt. Walter Wanderwell, globe trotter, shown in (2) with his wife, was slain mysteriously the night of Dec 8 aboard his yacht, Carma, at Long Beach, Calif. Mrs. Aloha Wanderwell, widow of Capt. Wanderwell, is seen in (1) as she appeared in New York in November, 1929, following her return from a tour of the world that began in 1922.

Salmo School Has Annual Concert

Wide Range of Numbers in Lively Program

SALMO, B. C., Dec. 21 — The pupils of the Salmo school held their annual concert in the Salmo hall Thursday night.

Carl Lindow acted as chairman while the following program was presented:

"O, Canada" song, school children; "From Paris," recitation, June Fair; "A Hero", monologue, Edward Hearn; "Daddy's Girl", recitation, Marjorie Cawley; "Sandman", recitation, Annie Jmaiff; "Forgetful Father," dialogue, two boys and two girls; "While Shepherd Watch" song, school children; "After Christmas," recitation, Billy Stewart; "Santa and Fractions", monologue, Olga Haakenson; "Pa's Cheap Car," recitation, Maxine Lindow; "Mother Goose and Her Children" dialogue, grade 1 and 2; "A Wish", recitation, Jack Trimble; "Holy Nights", song, school children; "Awful Luck", recitation, Alan McLeod; "That's Different", monologue, Kathleen Hearn; "Then Santa Did Come", recitation, Annie Jmaiff; "Christmas Spelling", recitation, Frances Kubah; "The Faithful Be . nies", play, grade 3 and 4; "What' I Always Know", recitation, Hazel Jmaiff; "Jingle Bells", song, school children; "Remembering Rosie," monologue, Raymond Bush; "Trials of Christmas" recitation, Hazel Dorey; "Mixed numbers", play, four girls; "Difference of Opinion", recitation, Hazel Jmaiff; "The First Nowell", song, school children; "When the Wooly Dog Wagged His Tail", Naomi Lindsrom; "On Christmas Eve", monologue, Kathleen Hearn; "Don't Open Till Christmas", recitation, Shuley Lindstrom; "Old Shanty in Shanty Town," song, Grade VI, girls; "My Christmas Gifts", monologue, Guy Cawley; "Another Christmas Trouble", monologue, Virginia Bernis; "Presents For All", monologue, Elmer Haakensan; "No Peace on Earth", monologue, Clarence Cawley; "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing", song, group of girls; "Received With Pleasure", dialogue, Grade VI and VIII; "Farewell to You and Christmas Eve", song, school children.

Then "Santa Claus" in the person of R. Bush entered the hall and distributed a bag of candy, nuts and fruit to each child.

WYNNDEL HAS CHICKEN SHOOT

WYNNDEL, B. C., Dec. 21.—A successful chicken shoot was held near the pre-cooling plant Sunday afternoon. Those winning chickens were A. Steiner, A. Erickson, H. Grinke, F. Hagen, Lawrence Davis and E. Uri.

SCHOOL CONCERT AT WILLOW POINT

WILLOW POINT, B. C., Dec. 20—An entertainment was given by the pupils of the Willow Point school under the direction of their teacher, Miss Gwen Ferguson.

The school was prettily decorated. Two trees were gay with colored bags and novelties which were distributed by the teacher to every pupil at the close of the concert.

The program consisted of: Song "First Nowell," girls; recitation, "The Letter C," Alex. Sutherland; dance, Pamela Taylor, music by Walter Palmer; "Chicken Little," six pupils of grade I and II; recitation, Susan Lawse; "Christmas Dolls," intermediate grade boys and girls dressed as dolls; recitation, Louis de Cocq; favorite seasons in which the judge gave the decision to Winter, by the higher grades; recitation, Daphne Shrieves; song, chorus, "Holy Night."

At the close of the entertainment Pamela Taylor on behalf of the pupils, presented Miss Ferguson with a Christmas gift.

Mrs. E. H. Applewhaite voiced the appreciation of the audience after which refreshments were served, teacher and children acting as hosts to parents and friends.

WILLOW POINT SCHOOL REPORTS

WILLOW POINT, B. C., Dec. 21—The following is the standing of Willow Point school pupils to December 16:

Grade I— Susan Lawse, Helen Sutherland, David Worsfold, Joan Thompson, Winnie and Jimmie Bing.

Grade II—Hugh Worsfold, Richard Roberts, Billy Heddle, Douglas Shrieves.

Grade III—Daphne Shrieves, Peter Shrieves, Herbert Hearmonth.

Grade IV—Louis de Cocq, Agnes Fyfe, Audrey Heddle, Alex. Sutherland, Eric Denny, Charlie Shrieves Harry and Jerry Fitzsimmons.

Grade V—Betty Shrieves, Leonard Grayson.

Grade VI—Mary Horrigan, Betty Howe, Francis Campbell, Pamela Taylor, Phyllis Green, Walter Palmer, Nora Marshal.

Grade VII—Vera Pavlis, Mildred Horrigan, Mima Sutherland, Jessie Grayson, Mary Campbell.

Four grade VII pupils, Barbara Campbell, Violet Palmer, Clarice and Phyllis Shannon, entered the Nelson junior high in Nelson at the beginning of December.

FEATURE PEDIGREED POULTRY

A feature of outstanding interest at the forthcoming Royal Winter Fair in Toronto, particularly to the poultry men of Canada, will be the exhibit of registered birds presented by the Canadian National Poultry Record association. The display will feature the more important birds of production poultry, such as the Barred and White Plymouth Rocks, White Leghorns, White Wyandottes and the display itself will be made up largely of registered cockerels, birds suitable for the heading of farmers' breeding flocks to improve both production and egg size.

NAKUSP PUPILS HOLD CONCERT

Supervised by Miss Phyllis Sheffield

NAKUSP, B. C., Dec. 21. —Brouse community hall was tastefully decorated Friday evening for the Community Christmas tree program. Multicolored balloons and crepe paper streamers were strung from a large Christmas bell which was hung from the center light. The tree itself was decked with shimmering tinsel and icicles and was laden with gifts.

A concert program arranged by Miss Phyllis Sheffield was delightfully presented. Programs made by the school children read as follows: Opening chorus; recitation, Henry Hohenlightner; dialogue, "That Long Ago Duet," by Miss Sheffield, M. Henke, S. Reyden, A. Ehl, W. Henke, and C. Kershaw; song, "Christmas Jenny", four girls; junior Santas, junior grades; recitation, Henry Hohenlightner; dialogue, mixed numbers, chorus, Santa Lucia; violin trio; P. Leib, G. Hohenlightner and Henry Hohenlighter; recitation, Mabel Jones; "The Fatel Guest," Miss Sheffield, M. Henke, S. Reyden, H. Hohenlightner; duet, Gertrude and Mary Henke; recitation, Mabel Jones and Gordon Henke; song, "The Sleepy Town Express," closing song.

Paul Henke, secretary of the school board acted as chairman.

At the conclusion of the program there was a jingle of bells and Santa Claus arrived to distribute the gifts.

A dance followed and at midnight refreshments were served.

SPECIAL SERVICE HELD AT NAKUSP

NAKUSP, B. C., Dec. 21.—A special service was conducted by Rev. A. C. Pound in the Nakusp United church Sunday evening. After a short address, "The Christmas Story" was shown by lantern slides, also pictures of village life in India.

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WOMAN'S PAGE

Answers by Beatrice

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Dear Miss Fairfax:

Several young men have asked me to marry them, and I've always declined, because I thought these proposals were just caused by "puppy love", although I'm quite fond of one young man. But that isn't my problem. I want love from my parents, and I don't get it. They give me everything but love. When I kiss my mother, she turns her cheek to me. It always hurts me. If my father asks where we want to go of an evening, my suggestions are never given a thought. I do all I can to make mother love me, but it seems impossible.

PATSY

Are you sure you're not a bit over-sensitive about this, Patsy dear? Some excellent parents are not demonstrative to their children; they're just not made that way. As for turning her cheek for you to kiss, that's supposed to be the proper way, doctors tell me. Unfortunately, people sometimes have mouth germs, and cheek kisses avoid them. Don't let yourself dwell on the thought that parents who give you everything don't love you devotedly.

HARD TIMES SENDS ROMANCE GLIMMERING

Dear Miss Fairfax:

I am 24 years old, and the "Only Girl" is 22. We've gone together for almost five years. We're very much in love and the chief object of our lives is to marry and have a home together. But my future looks terrible dark, and marriage seems beyond my grasp for years to come, owing to loss of job, and to poverty. It doesn't seem fair to the girl to keep on like this, but whenever I try to tell she's wasting her youth waiting on me, she just laughs and tells me not to talk silly. What should I do about this?

PERPLEXED AL.

If the girl knows your circumstances and insists on waiting, "till the clouds roll by" and you're in a position to marry, her attitude relieves you of any further responsibility. If she wants to wait, it's up to her. It's not the square thing, however, for a man to pay devoted attention to a girl year after year and never say anything about marriage or the future. But if girls understand and are willing to wait you and other men who have drawn such faithful prizes are to be congratulated.

NO TIME TO BE STUBBORN

Dear Miss Fairfax:

I have been going with a young man off and on for about two years but lately we have not seen much of each other, due to his having no position. During this absence I have become very fond of him. In fact, I am sure I am now in love with him, and I am inclined to think he loves me. But he has to support his mother and an aunt. This was his reason for not being married long ago. The last time we were together, he seemed terribly blue. Perhaps I am inclined to be stubbern, but I do not want to make the next move by inviting him to go to a dance at the college.

L.

When a man has lost his job, it's mighty poor time to indulge in stubborness or any other form of being coy. Do, by all means, invite him to the dance, and do everything in your power to keep up his courage and self-confidence till he is on his feet again.

A LEISURELY AFFAIR

Dear Miss Fairfax:

I am 23 and have been going with a man a little older than I am, for four years. I'm very much in love with him. He has never asked me to marry him. We go out at least twice a week and have never had a quarrel. He doesn't care if I go out with other men, but maybe it is because he hasn't very much money to spend on me. He says he wants me to have a good time. To my knowledge he doesn't go out with anyone else. Will you try and help me figure him out?

ANXIOUS

With a stalling cavalier, such as you describe this gentleman to be, you've got to put a straight question to yourself "Is the friendship this man gives me enough to fill my life? Will it be enough, granting that I never marry?" Because, my dear, when a man has gone with a girl for four years and never said what the Irish call the "good hard word", delightful though he may be, he belongs to the type known as "time wasters."

If he can't afford to marry, he should tell you quite frankly that he enjoys your society, but marriage is out of the question for him. But it's not fair to a girl to drift along year after year till youth and opportunity have fled, and then tell her that—as so many of these leisurely cavaliers have done.

SAYS: "MEN ARE ALL ALIKE."

Dear Miss Fairfax:

I am 21, but look about 14 and my family doesn't realize that I have grown up. I have four older sisters, none of whom have any intentions of getting married. That is because mother and father made a mistake, and fight day and night. I have a wonderful mother, and she says she doesn't want any of us to marry, because men are all the same.

My sisters go out on the sly—but I've always stayed home. I would just love to have a home of my own.

Shall I leave home, or stay in this dead town where nothing ever happens, and go to my grave an old maid without a friend?

Discouraged.

Youre pretty young, my dear, to imagine any such a gloomy fate is going to overtake you. But even if the town is dead, and you're not allowed to have boy friends, don't think of leaving home during such hard times as these. I'm a great believer in families talking things out peaceably. Just tell your mother how you feel about things, and that you and your sisters would like to make some friends of your own age. You girls must try to make her realize you should have your chance at happiness, even if her marriage has been a failure. Meeting boys on the sly is poor policy, and I hope you won't do it.

Every town has one man who won't have much of a funeral because when he's dead there won't be anybody left to arrange such things.

HOW TO BE-FIT AND be CHEER-FULL

RECIPE:

Take a cup of Bovril every day for a month, about 11 o'clock. It will increase your stamina, tone up your system and give you a fine feeling of vigor and strength.

DRINK BEEF IN BOVRIL AND BE-FIT

Where Are the Gifts of Yesteryear?

We're talking about gifts for Uncle, Aunt, Cousin and Charles Junior ! ! ! But what about the gifts we gave these fine people last year? Were they real gifts, or just bright, sparkling bargains that are now forgotten?

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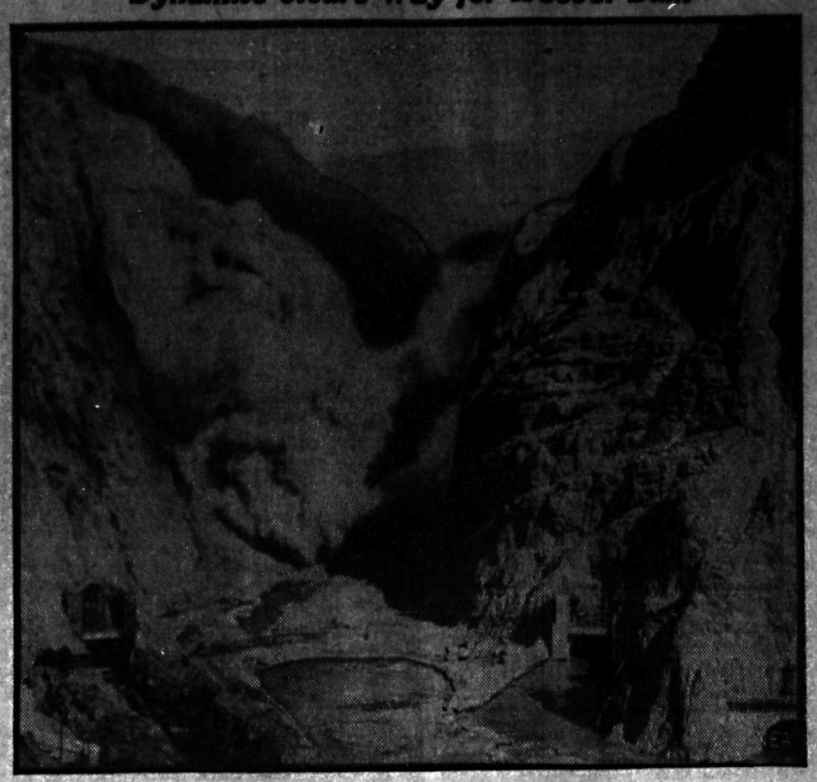

With a deafening roar, this titanic blast of dynamite ripped the sides of Boulder canyon in Colorado, clearing the way for the gigantic Hoover dam which is to block the canyon and harness the horsepower of the Colorado river.

Efficient Housekeeping

By LAURA A. KIRKMAN

TOMORROW'S MENU

BREAKFAST

Peach Sauce
Cereal
Scrambled Eggs — Toast
Marmalade — Coffee

LUNCHEON

French Toast
Sirup
Fruit Salad
Doughnuts — Cocoa

DINNER

Celery
Crab Special
Pimiento Rice — Succotash
Lemon Gelatine Molds
Coffee

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

Surely every home will have at least some sort of Yuletide decorations, to cheer its occupants and to remind them of the religious significance of December 25. Even the family with the slendereet purse can manage to get permission from some land-owner to pick a few sprays of bittersweet, to put in the living-room or on the Christmas dinner-table.

Even though one cannot afford a Christmas tree, with its electric bulbs and tinsel trimmings, one can often manage to buy one of the tiny imitation Christmas trees, and with a few cents' worth of tinsel and a few home made trimmings, such as strung popcorn and bright designs cut from tinfoil and colored papers we can achieve quite a festive appearance.

Crepe paper, too, makes the best room trimmings for a Christmas party. For instance, alternated twisted narrow streamers of green and red crepe paper, festooned from ceiling to corners of a room, is most effective, or hung in an outline around windows.

Whether or not you have guests at the Christmas dinner-table, you will surely want some sort of surprise to enliven the occasion, such as the following:

FORTUNE WALNUTS: With a knife-blade split walnuts into two perfect halves, remove nut-meat, and then glue the two halves of each nut together over a tiny strip of paper on which you have written some cheerful prediction, such as "You will soon become rich." "Fame awaits you." "A new love will soon enrich your life." Heap the nuts on a fruit plate and see who first discovers that they contain "fortunes"!

Tomorrow—Good Doughnuts

Scallops a la Newburg

Boil one pint of scallops for five minutes, drain, cut in quarters. Saute in six tablespoons butter, four tablespoons flour, half teaspoon paprika, salt and pepper to taste. Pour on two cups scalded milk, stir constantly and cook until thickened. Combine one beaten egg yolk and half cup thin cream and add to hot mixture just before serving. Cook and stir until egg is cooked, but do not overcook. One tablespoon of cooking sherry may be added. Serve seven people.

START SEARCH FOR MISSING COAST MAN

VICTORIA, Dec. 21 (CP)—Police today commenced an island-wide search for J. C. Jordan, ex-naval officer and former vice-principal of Albert Bay Indian school, missing since last Friday.

Owing to the fact that Mr. Jordan was not in good health, his friends are worried about his safety.

Speaking of criminals, the way to rid the premises of snakes is to prevent further hatching.

Your Children

One of the bulletins sent out by the children's bureaus gives a table by which mothers may check up on the health of their babies.

The normal health baby has:

A good appetite; absence of vomiting or regurgitation, normal bowel movements; a steady gain in weight; clear skin; bright, wideopen eyes; alert, springy muscles; a contented expression; very little crying; quiet, unbroken sleep with eyes and mouth closed; no evidence of pain or discomfort (I do not think the colic of a new baby is evidence of illness); a constant growing in stature and intelligence.

Other points are:

The soft spot at the back of the head closes in six weeks. The one at the top from 1½ to 2 years.

EYE COLOR CHANGES

Nearly all babies have blue eyes at birth, but the permanent color usually appears in the first few weeks.

The baby usually begins to recognize objects at about six to eight weeks, and can focus is eyes on an object when about three months old. He rarely sheds tears before this time.

Hearing in the sense of knowing where the sound comes from does not develop uptil he is two months old.

The baby learns to hold up his head when the body is supported during the fourth month.

He laughs aloud at the third to fifth month.

He reaches for toys and holds them from the fifth to seventh month.

At seven to eight months he usually can sit erect, and often creeps.

During the ninth and tenth month he attempts to bear his weight on his feet and can stand without assistance at 11 to 12 months.

THOSE FIRST STEPS

He begins to walk alone in the twelfth or thirteenth months and walks well alone at 15 to 16 months.

At one year of age a few little words are spoken. At the end of the second year he makes short sentences.

This, of course, is a standard chart and all standards must allow for deviation. A sick spell of any length will sometimes retard regular development for a while.

Then, too, there is a difference in children. Girls usually talk before boys. Sometimes babies walk at nine or 10 months. Others are quite slow. No two are quite alike.

If a baby generally speaking, does not measure up to these figures there may be need of a doctor's opinion.

For Better Waffles

Overheating of the batter in one of the reasons why waffles are a bit tough at times. As in making muffins, we should beat the egg yolks, whip the milk or cream into them, add all the dry ingredients at one time, and beat them just enough to moisten well. No more.

In whipping the beating, the batter will have a pebbly look, and you may think these lumps should be smoothed out, but don't worry about them, they will disappear in the baking.

The egg whites, beaten stiffly, may be folded into the batter after the dry ingredients are in, but practically the same results can be obtained by beating the whole eggs well and beating the milk into them.

Quick Coffee Cake

Two tablespoons butter, one-half cup sugar, one egg, one-half cup sweet milk, one cup flour, two teaspoons baking powder, one-fourth teaspoon salt, one-half cup brown sugar, one-half cup nut meats, one teablespoon butter. Follow cake method of mixing. When it has been patted into shape in the pan, sprinkle coarsely cut nut meats over sugar, dot with butter and bake in oven from fifteen to twenty minutes.

Another thing you discover at a winter resort is that social leaders assay about a six karats to the hundredweight.

HELPFUL HINTS FOR HOUSEWIVES

Before the days of scientific refrigeration, ham and cured meats of various sorts were the principal summer meats. And even now, although fresh meats are available in abundance ham finds special favor during hot weather.

Canadian bacon, which is the tenderloin of pork cured and smoked always can be substituted for ham.

If you are going to bake a ham or several pounds of Canadian bacon, always let them stand in cold water for at least eight hours, depending of course on the size of the cut. Both the flavor and texture of the meat are greatly improved by the freshening.

Another point to keep in mind is the necessity of slow cooking. The curling process drys and hardens the fibres of the meat, so, in order to prevent brittleness, long, slow cooking is imperative. Whether the cooking process be boiling, broiling or baking, low temperature must be maintained.

When baked or broiled ham is sliced there are often crumbs of meat which break off and are unsuitable for serving. These bits of meat can be used to make a delectable salad. This salad is more delicate than the ham salad made so piquant with horseradish for spring meals.

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Ham Salad

Two cups finely chopped cooked ham, ½ cup chopped celery, 1 green pepper, 6 stuffed olives 1 cup cooked salad dressing, 1 tablespoon granulated gelatine, 2 tablespoons cold water, ½ cup boiling water, ½ cup orange juice.

Soften gelatine in cold water for five minutes. Add to boiling water and stir until dissolved. Add orange juice and when cool and beginning to jelly fold in salad dressing. Add remaining ingredients and turn into mold. Let stand on ice for several hours to chill and become firm. Unmold and serve with cucumber cream dressing.

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GREENWOOD HOLDS A CHRISTMAS TREE

Principal of School Starts Festivities

GREENWOOD, B.C., Dec. 21.—The annual Christmas tree was held on Friday afternoon at the school. Principal J. Reid started the festivities by inviting all the pupils of the school to a "banquet" at 12 noon. After a remarkably good feast they adjourned to the big school room, where the Christmas tree, beautifully decorated and crowned by a brilliant star awaited them. The pupils of Mis Grant's room staged a charming little play entitled "Santa's Helpers," all the pupils taking part. Master Roy Rudell, who is a visitor from Vancouver, played a violin selection. Father Christmas, who bore no signs of starvation, but looked remarkably fat and well fed during these hard times, arrived at 2 o'clock and distributed presents, candies and good cheer, after which the happy youngsters left for their homes. There were 80 children entertained from the district.

Miss Rudell arrived in Greenwood on Saturday from Slocan Park to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Rudell, at the manse.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Reid and two small sons left on Friday afternoon for Nelson where they will spend the festive season with Mrs. Reid's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilchrist.

Bob Forshaw arrived from Vancouver, where he is attending the John Oliver school, on Saturday, to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents here.

Mrs. G. S. Walters returned to her home here on Monday after spending the week-end the guest of Mrs. T. Clark at Beaverdell.

Maccabees Choose Mrs. Pitt President

ROSSLAND, B. C., Dec. 24—Mrs. Sarah Pitt was elected president of Rossland Review No. 5, W. B. A., Maccabees, at the annual meeting of the Review, the other officers chosen being—Mrs. Sarah Ellis, vice-president; Laura Donavon, past president; Jane Cunningham, treasurer; Lilian Jamieson, recording secretary; Ida Corbett, Chapla.; Marerford, sergeant; Elizabeth Trembath, musician. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Sarah Ellis, a delightful social hour being enjoyed at the close of the meeting. A pleasing feature was the presentation of a pretty cup and saucer to Mrs. Jewell of Trail, in honor of her birthday.

Society

This column is conducted by Mrs. M. J. Vigneux. All new of a social nature, including receptions, private entertainments, personal items, marriages, etc will appear in this column. Telephone Mrs. Vigneux at her home, 519 Silica street.

Miss Helen Ferguson, who is attending the University of British Columbia in Vancouver, returned Tuesday evening to spend the Christmas vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. S. Ferguson, Silica street.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. White of Salmo were city shoppers yesterday.

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Miss Eileen Horswill, who teaches at the Motherlode mill, has arrived to visit during the holidays at the home on Robson street of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Horswill.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Steel, who have been in town for the past 10 days, have left for their home in Vancouver. They came to attend the funeral of the former's mother, Mrs. R. J. Steel.

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M. P. McKinnon of Crawford Bay was a visitor to town Tuesday.

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Among shoppers in the city yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Perry of the Reno mine.

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Dr. R. J. Douglas, D.D., was in Nelson yesterday en route to his home in Westminster.

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Mrs. W. Calbick, Fairview, has as her guests her daughter, Mrs. S. Mitchell and two children of South Slocan.

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Miss Winnie Harrop of Harrop is a city visitor.

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Malcolm McPhee, who attends normal school in Victoria, recently passed through en route to visit his parents in Cranbrook.

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Shoppers in the city yesterday included Mrs. John Gilroy of Willow Point.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. S. King, Kerr apartments are expecting their son Cecil of Vernon to arrive Saturday to spend Christmas day in Nelson.

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Miss Frances Latham of the staff of the Trail-Tadanac hospital was in town recently en route to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Latham in Kaslo.

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Miss Marian Richmond, who attends normal in Victoria, was a visitor in town en route to her home in Cranbrook.

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Dr. Douglas Barclay of Kaslo, who was called to the coast through the death of his mother, passed through Nelson yesterday en route home. He was accompanied home by his sister who will spend the holidays in Kaslo.

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Mrs. J. D. Young, Kootenay street, have as their guest their daughter, Miss Jeanette, who has been attending normal school in Victoria.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Dimock of New Denver were in town last evening guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hufty. They leave this morning for Carmangay, Alta., where they will spend Christmas at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Homer Dimock, formerly of Nelson.

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Miss Jean McCreath, a student of the Victoria normal school, was a recent visitor in town en route to her home in Cranbrook where she goes to spend the Christmas vacation.

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Mrs. E. Kilberg, Granite road, has left for San Francisco, Calif., where she will visit at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Klingbeil.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hall, Josephine street, have as their guests their son, J. Crofton Hall, who has been on construction work in the Boundary district.

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Mrs. H. McCarthy and her son, Stanley, of Sunshine Bay paid a visit to town yesterday.

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H. Woolley of New Denver spent yesterday in Nelson.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Pritchard, Fairview, have as their guests their son, Charles Pritchard, who attends Victoria normal school.

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Otis Hawkins of Nelway spent yesterday in town.

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Miss Ruth Hancock, who teaches at Silverton, is spending a couple of days visiting friends in the city. She will return to Silverton where her mother resides, to spend Christmas.

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Mr. Seamark of Kaslo was a city shopper yesterday.

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Among visitors to town yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. W. Soles of Sunshine Bay.

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W. Timms of Kaslo paid a visit to Nelson yesterday.

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Miss Jean McDonald, who attends normal school in Victoria, passed through the city recently en route to Cranbrook where her parents reside.

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Mrs. James Kennedy of Balfour was a city shopper yesterday.

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Miss Jean Boomer, who attends the University of British Columbia in Vancouver, is expected home this evening to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Boomer, Baker street.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Fairbanks of Harrop and their family spent yesterday in town.

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F. G. Stanmore of Salmo paid a visit to Nelson yesterday.

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Miss Katie Darough, Josephine street, has returned from several weeks spent visiting in California, Oregon and Washington.

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Mrs. W. Gerbracht, Mill street, leaves this morning for Toronto where she will visit relatives.

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Miss Hazel Fuller of Bridesville was in town yesterday en route to Kaslo where her parents reside.

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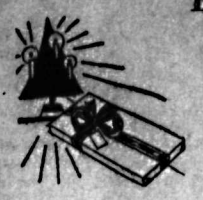
Yesterday afternoon the Sisters of St. Joseph's academy were the recipients of a splendid shower, many useful parcels being received. Those assisting in serving at the tea hour were Miss Violet McDougall, Miss Marguerite Gagnon, Miss Priscilla Gelinas, Miss Jean Burns, Miss Catherine Rahal, Mrs. Ernest Bergeron, Mrs. Henri Gagnon and Mrs. R. Lunn. The conveners were Mrs. Philip Rahal, Mrs. A. G. Gelinas and Mrs. M. Scally. Among those attending were Mrs. W. J. Meagher, Mrs. Gregoire Choquette, Mrs. H. D. Lindsay, Mrs. U. LePage, Miss Mona Stubbs, Mrs. W. Biner, Mrs. Kearns, Mrs. H. Coyle, Mrs. T. Maglio, Mrs. Arthur Perrier, Mrs. Walter Crowther, Mrs. Charles Romano, Mrs. W. E. Keyt, Mrs. L. McKinnon, Miss Elizabeth McKinnon, Mrs. L. E. McKinnon, Mrs. George Trainor, Mrs. Leslie Trainor, Mrs. J. P. Duffy, Miss Helen Scanlan, Mrs. L. Colletti, Mrs. N. Cassios, Mrs. L. M. Varner, Mrs. A. McFletcher, Mrs. Douglas Cummins, Mrs. Fred Denison, Mrs. L. H. Choquette, Mrs. E. Strangehlin, Mrs. Philip Long, Mrs. Gracien Bourgeois, Mrs. Gillis, Mrs. Augustine Ryan, Mrs. Joseph Sturgeon, Mrs. M. J. Vigneux, Mrs. P. J. Gallagher, Mrs. A. Lapointe, Mrs. J. Morrison, Mrs. Margaret Madden, Miss Margaret Madden, Mrs. Roy W. Hunter, Mrs McPherson, Mrs. C. V. Gagnon, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Fred W. Conway, Mrs. J. Muraro, Mrs. Frank Murphy, Mrs. L. Maddin, Mrs. Herron, Mrs. J. Vivian, Mrs. J. Burns, Mrs. Bouchard, Mrs. James Eccles, Mrs. C. E. Mansfield, Mrs. Scala, Mrs. Leriger Sr., Mrs. Leriger Jr. Mrs. W. Biner, Mrs. Julius Reisterer, Mrs. Colin F. McDougall, Mrs. Edgington, Mrs. A. Long, Mrs. Betsy Kinahan, Mrs. F. L. Boyd, Mrs. Arthur Keeler, Mrs. M. J. Varseveld, Mrs. William Desjardins, Mrs. J. Bennett, Mrs. McAdam, Mrs. Woolls, Mrs. George Fleury, Mrs. D. Maglio, Mrs. DeGuglam, Mrs. V. Pasacreta, Mrs. Stephen Vingo, Mrs. Lazina, Mrs. A. Choquette, J. O. Patenaude, Alex. Marshall, Mrs. Kasiancie, Mrs. A. W. Stubbs, Mrs. Sacco, Mrs. G. Jones, Mrs. P. Santer, Mrs. C. Santer, Mrs. Franchello, Mrs. Vulcano, Miss C. MacLean, Mrs. M. B. Scully, Granite road, Mrs. McPhail, Mrs. Peter Germain, and Mrs. M. Enfield.

The Store of Smart and Practical Gifts

JUST THREE MORE SHOPPING DAYS BEFORE CHRISTMAS



With our immense stocks of useful gifts this store is well able to look after your last minute needs. Everything is new and bright. Better quality than is usually shown and the price is no higher and in many cases lower than you pay elsewhere. Come in today and come in the morning if possible.

Women's Scarfs

New Roman stripes in a range of colors. All new styles.
EACH ..... 95¢
OTHER SCARVES AT, EACH $1.25 TO $2.50.

Women's Kid Gloves

French Kid Gloves in Pullon styles. Assorted colors. All sizes.
THE PAIR . $1.95
OTHER GLOVES AT, THE PAIR, $2.50, $2.95 TO $4.50.

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Supersilk hard twisted yarns in dull finish. Sheer weight. All colors and sizes.
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OTHER HOSE AT, THE PAIR, $1.00 TO $1.95.

WOMEN'S CREPE-DE-CHINE SETS

Pantees and Brassieres of good quality crepe de chine. Assorted colors and sizes.
THE SET $1.95
OTHER SETS AT, THE SET $2.25 TO $2.95.

Embroidered Guest TOWELS

Hand embroidered pure linen towels in natural shade. Splendid quality.
EACH ..... 65¢
OTHER TOWELS AT, EACH, 45¢ TO 85¢.

Crepe-de-Chine Gowns

Pure silk crepe de chine with lace trimming. All colors.
EACH $4.50
OTHER GOWNS AT, EACH, $5.50 TO $7.50.

Meagher's

607 Baker St. Phone 200

DRUGS GIFTS BOOKS **MINTON'S PHARMACY** TOYS KODAKS STATIONERY

Toiletries

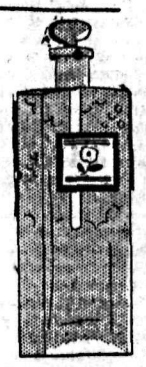
Maybe you will find it here.
Hudnuts Compacts, $1.00 to $6.50.
Houbigant Compact ... $1.75
Coty Compacts, $1.25 and $2.50.
Ashes of Roses sets, $2.50 to $5.00.
Yardley Sets, 85¢ to $5.00.
Hudnut Sets ..... $1.75 to $6.00
Cutex Sets ..... 60¢ to $4.00

Parker or Waterman Pen and Pencil Sets—Ladies' or Gents' ..... $4.00 to $10.00

PRESCRIPTIONS

The primary function of any drug store is the filling of your doctor's prescriptions. This very important service takes precedence over every other activity of our store. With us you are assured of the highest quality of drugs, chemicals and Pharmaceuticals, combined with the maximum of professional knowledge. Our prices are reasonable.

Perfumes



Every woman loves perfumes. It is the one gift that is sure to please.
Evening in Paris, 50¢ to $3.50.
Ashes of Roses, 50¢ and $1.50.
Coty's all odors, 50¢ to $15.00.
Gemey, $1.00, $3.50 and $5.00.
Yardley's, ... 35¢ to $1.50
Hudnut's, all odors ..... 75¢ to $5.00

WRITING CASES

Suitable gift for man or woman. $1.50 to $6.75.

STATIONERY

Per box ..... 50¢ to $2.50

PHONE 100 — WE DELIVER — ANYTIME — ANYWHERE

Gifts for Men

Yardley's Shaving Bowl, $1.00
Yardley's Sets, $1.00 to $4.00.
William's Shaving Sets, 50¢ and $1.00.
Houbigant's, $2.00 and $2.50.
Military Brush Sets, $2.00 to $17.50.
Rolls Razors, $7.50 and $10.00.
Gillette Razors $3.49
Auto-Strop Razors ... $5.00
Purses ..... 50¢ to $3.75
Purse and Key Holder Sets, $2.00 to $5.75.
Pouches ..... 50¢ to $3.00
Cigars and Cigarettes.

Kodaks

A gift for the whole family, at reduced prices Regular $36. No. 2c Kodak, series III, with anastigmat lens, F6.3, for $24.75
Regular $26.75 No. 1A Kodak, with F7.7 lens, for $19.75
Regular $17.50 1A Kodak, for $12.85
Regular $8.00 Vest Pocket Kodak with case for $4.75
$3.25 Brownies for ... $2.75
$1.00 Photo Albums, for ..... 65¢

Gifts at 1-2 Price

Ladies' Hand Bags
Framed Mottos
Plaques
Perfumizers

French Ivory Toilet sets. Beautiful gift in new designs and colors.
3-piece, Mirror, Brush and Comb; regular $5.75, for $4.75
8-pieces; regular $29.00 for $17.50
8-pieces; regular $65.00 for $40.00
13-pieces; regular $16.75 for $10.95
All in Gift Box.

Drugs at Cut Prices

Coty Face Powder ..... 59¢
Colgates Tooth Paste ... 19¢
Pond's Creams ..... 39¢

50c Dr. West Tooth Brush; 25c Minty's Tooth Paste; BOTH FOR ..... 49¢

$1.00 Parke Davis Mineral Oil ..... 69¢
35c Ex-Lax ..... 29¢

60c Aqua Velva ..... 39¢
50c William's Shaving Cream ..... 39¢

25c Kleenex ..... 19¢
Kotex ..... 25¢
Modess with tin of Vemo ..... 25¢

Christmas Cards— Box of 24 cards. Real Bargain at ..... 79¢
9 Cards; regular 10c each, for ..... 50¢

SANTA CLAUS AT WINLAW SCHOOL

WINLAW, B. C., Dec. 21 —The annual Christmas tree and concert by the children of Division I and Division II of the Winlaw school was held under the auspices of the teachers, Miss J. Varseveld and Miss Y. Bourgeois. Every item on the program was well rendered and was a credit to the pupils and teachers. The concert was greatly enjoyed by the large crowd.

Santa arrived with a large sack filled with candy bags for each child present and the amusing and pleasant ways of old Santa brought many a laugh from young and old alike.

Votes of thanks were passed to Miss M. Gagnon of Nelson for assisting with the music and to Mrs. J. Smith and Mrs. W. Sutherland for helping to make the costumes and to Mrs. E. G. Edey, Mrs. F. Stenson and Mrs. W. Knight for the supper. The music for the dancing was given by Miss Ivy Edey, Miss M. Gagnon, Mr. H. Clark and Arvid Swanson.

The following was the program.—Song, "Sing Along", Div. I and II; playlet, "Santa Claus Strikes," Div II; piano solo, "Old Black Joe" Miss M. Gagnon; song, "I Don't Want to Play in Your Yard", girls of Div. II; piano solo, "Come Back to Erin", Miss M. Gagnon; play, "The Little Boy No One Wanted" Div. I; piano solo, "Old Heart Songs", Miss M. Gagnon; song, "I Mustn't, I Mustn't," Mary Chernoff and Edwin Swanson.

E. J. Edey acted as chairman, C. Willford, W. Knight and W. R. Cutler helped Santa at the Christmas tree.

INDEX NUMBER OF WHOLESALE PRICES IN OCTOBER

The Dominion bureau of statistics index number of wholesale prices on the base 1926 equals 100, fell from 66.9 in September to 65 in October.

ARMORY HOCKEY BOYS NEED AID

Have You Any Used Skates, Shoes, Etc.? They Will Help Good Cause

A number of the boys at the armory, headed by M. Campbell and C. R. Smith, are endeavoring to organize a hockey team.

They have, they believe, the material for a team which can lick anything in the district, and, above all, they want to play hockey to get away from the deadly monotony of idleness.

But they need equipment—not new expensive equipment, but they feel that many Nelson residents probably have used skates, used skating or hockey shoes, and hockey sticks which they would be willing to donate to help the boys along. They have about half the equipment required.

They can also use to advantage used sweaters, and heavy socks.

Anyone wishing to assist is asked to leave the required articles at the armory, or if they will telephone The Nelson Daily News, a messenger will be sent to call for the articles.

BUTTER PRODUCTION GREATER

A statement just issued by the Dominion bureau of statistics shows that butter production for 1931 increased from a total of 282,251,061 pounds in 1930 to a total of 330,595,246 pounds in 1931. During the same period cheese production fell off nearly 18,000,000 pounds from 119,951,103 pounds for 1930 to 116,857,939 for 1931. While there was an increase of 50,000 pounds in the volume of home-made cheese there was a decrease of practically 15,000,000 pounds in the volume of factory cheese.—Dept. of Agriculture.

Scientists in search of rubber substitutes shouldn't overlook simple things. Have they ever noticed how a worm will stretch?

Christmas Concert Held at Vallican

Santa Claus Distributes the Presents and Candies

VALLICAN, B. C., Dec. 21—The Christmas concert and treat was held in the school on Thursday evening, December 15th, the program was as follows.—

"Recitation of Welcome", Marie Saucey; "O Canada", chorus by school children; "Good King Wenceslas," recitation, "Santa and the dren, recitation, "Santa and the Mouse", by Jimmy Rolland; vocal solo, "Georgia Lullaby," by Mrs. Saucey; play, "Broken Toys", by some of school children; recitation, "The Twenty-sixth", by Olav Hopland; Professor Zilch-Mystery Man; patomime, down the Stovepipe Hole recitation, "Hang up the Baby's stocking," song by three boys, "The Boy's Christmas," Donald Coleman, Olav Hopland, and Frank Munch; recitation, "A Wee Maid," Mimi Saucey; Snowball Frolic, monologue, "Somebody's Picture," Enid Forbes; solo, "Listen to the Mocking Bird," Miss Antique; nativity tableau, "Oh Little Town of Bethlehem," Eleanor Coleman; "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," chorus; "While Shepherd's Watched," chorus; "Ve Three Kings of Orient," chorus; "Silent Night", chorus; solo, "Holy, Holy", Mrs. Saucey.

After the program Santa Claus arrived and distributed the presents and candies and nuts among the children. The rest of the evening was spent in games and dancing. Refreshments were served about midnight.

Miss Kathleen Butler left for Kaslo Friday morning where she will spend the holidays with her mother.

Mrs. G. Strong spent a few days in Nelson, returning Thursday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Archibald and family.

A spendthrift is one who spends his money. A tightwad is one who saves it for somebody else to spend.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1932.

In Soviet Russia

Butter, $8.00 a pound.

A pound of meat, $5.00.

These prices, ladies and gentlemen, are those which are prevailing in Soviet Russia today, at an hour when the five year plan, which was supposed to bring about comfort and plenty for everyone in Russia, is nearing the end of its term.

Russia is naturally a bountiful agricultural country, yet Soviet administration and Soviet principles, whatever they may be, have brought the country virtually to the edge of starvation.

Sugar can only be obtained on ration card. Even potatoes are now being doled out on the card system. Ration workers who are able to eat this winter will subsist almost entirely on black bread, potatoes and cabbage. Even the specialists, such as engineers and technicians, have had their rations cut four-fifths, and they are charged the prohibitively high prices, with the demand being made that they pay in foreign currency, although the Soviet pays their salaries in rubles. The charges average two and a half times the world price levels. Obviously such drastic measures would not have been adopted had not there been a real need to husband the nation's food supply.

The causes of this extraordinary food stingency in a naturally rich agricultural country are not far to seek. The following quotation from a dispatch to The London Observer by a staff correspondent in Moscow states the facts succinctly:

> The peasant, whether enrolled in a collective farm or not, is simply not putting his heart and his back into his his work. Too much has been taken from him, and too little has been given him, during the process of building the Magnitogorosks, the Dnieprostrois, and the other industrial giants of the Five Year Plan. Moreover, the effects of the wholesale slaughtering of cattle are keenly felt. Both the reports of foreign observers and the reports of the Soviet newspapers bear witness to an amazing neglect of the fields which seems to have resulted in one of the greatest weed crops in history.
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> So a writer in Pravda refers to "the thick forest of weeds as high as a man," in the Kropotkin region of the North Caucasus. The same observer refers to the perishing of corn, millet and sunflowers in the Upper Don as a result of late sowing. The harvesting combines, which are used on the fields sometimes cannot function because of the weeds, which obstruct the stacking of the grain and naturally very much reduce the yield of the planted area.
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> So far the Communist effort to break this crisis of agriculture and food supply has mostly assumed the form of pushing on a larger output of manufactured goods for the villages, and recommending that every factory, so far as possible, organize its own subsidiary agricultural enterprises, such as pig and rabbit farms. It will not be surprising if the next months witness more drastic and far-reaching measures in this field, because the problem of turning the curve of food production upward again yields to no other in its urgency.

There is no talk in Moscow now of a bigger and better Five Year Plan for the future. The keynote is "consolidation and adjustment."

Communists in Canada are offering the communistic plan as a solution of our present difficulties. They would not feel so enthusiastic about it if they were at the present time living in Russia, where the exponents of communism have had an opportunity since 1916, more than 16 years, to put their theories into effect, without being in any way interfered with by the wicked capitalists or the still more wicked bourgeois, whom the communists attack with bitterness.

Export Trade Growing

From all parts of Canada come reports of the manner in which Canadian export business to Great Britain is already being stimulated as a result of the Empire trade agreements.

Shipments of canned fruits and vegetables have been going forward to Britain from the Niagara Peninsula.

Grain exports have appreciably increased and are being made through Canadian ports, giving employment to hundreds of people.

Canadian poultry is finding its way into the wider markets that have been opened.

Automobile exports to Empire countries have been resumed.

The preference on Canadian soft woods recently announced by the British Government as a result of the trade agreements will provide an immediate new outlet for products of British Columbia and the Ottawa valley.

The quota for Canadian bacon promises to bring several million dollars of new revenue to Canadian hog producers.

Altogether, the trade agreements have provided the best fillip to business and employment that Canada has experienced in many years. The results have been quick and, what is more, are only beginning.

25 Years Ago

(From The Daily News of December 22, 1907.)

A farewell reception was given Mrs. M. S. Parry yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. S. Lennie.

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Yesterday the Crows Nest Pass Coal company paid out in wages the substantial sum of $205,000 at their coke and timber camps.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. J. H. Holmes of Kaslo and their little son passed through town yesterday on their way to Victoria where they will spend the Christmas holidays.

"Between You and Me"

By "J.B.C."

"A Anthropoid Jr." sends in this answer to the teaser about the monkey and the rope.

As a lineal descendent of the same race as the principals involved in the teaser from Kaslo, may I humbly offer a solution. This problem presumes a state of perfect counter-poise, so the tonnage of the weight and that of my distant relative must be exactly the same. The next step is to find, if possible, a ratio between the respective weights of the rope and the simian.

Unsnarling the last sentence in the problem, which is full of verbal snags, rather than mathematical pit-falls, we find that it boils down to the fact that the weight and the rope weigh one and one-half times as much as the monkey, hence the monkey weighs twice as much as the rope.

Reverting to the family affairs of the primates, we find that their combined ages is 4 years, and simmers down to the fact that the fond momma is six times as old as her pride and joy, and that Junior weighs as many pounds as the old girl has seen tough winters. When unravelled, the facts are that the mother is three and three-seventh years old and the punk weighs that many pounds.

The rope weighs half that or one and five-seventh pounds. As the rope goes 4 feet to the pound, six and six-seventh feet is the length.

On the Air Tonight

KGO NETWORK
KGO - KHQ - KOMO - KFI - KGW
790 590 920 640 620

6:00 Capt. Henry's Show boat
7:00 Hour dance music O'Keefe and Baron Munchausen
8:00 Amos 'n' Andy
8:15 Symphony Hour.
9:15 Howard Thurston, magician
9:30 Concert in Rhythm
10:00 News flashes
10:15 Dance music, Phil Harris' and Earl Burtnett's orchs altern.
11:35 Dollo Sargent, organist

KPO NETWORK
KPO - KGA - KJR - KEX
680 1470 970 1180

6:30 Police Chief Quinn (KPO)
6:45 Cecil and Sally (KPO)
7:00 John and Ned harm. duo.
7:15 Tarzan of the Apes, (KPO)
7:30 Log O' the Day, Dr. L. Cross
8:00 Myron Nlesley, tenor
8:15 Sodero's NBC orch. fr. N. Y.
9:00 The Goldbergs, strip
9:15 Synco-Thots, piano duo
9:30 Hollywood on the air
10:00 "Mad Cargo," mystery drama
10:30 Ship of Dreams, orch. soloists
11:00 Pacific Serenaders and orch.
11:30 Tom Gerun's orch.

COLUMBIA NETWORK
KOL - KVI - KOIN - KSL - KFRC
1270 570 940 1130 610

6:00 Music that satisfies
6:15 Smith Ballew and orch.
6:30 "Omar Khayyam" fr. L. A.
7:00 The Songsmiths, fr. Kan. City
7:15 Keyboard Varieties fr. Kansas
7:30 "Human side of news" Hill
7:45 "Myrt and Marge' fr. Chicago
8:00 Symphony orchestra
8:30 Isham Jones' orch.
9:00 Eddie Duchin's orch.
9:30 Riviera orchestra

1210 k CJOR
VANCOUVER

6:30 News flashes
6:45 Musical pgr.
7:15 Musical pgr.
7:30 Ted Williams
7:45 Laddie Watkis
8:00 Troubadours
8:30 Wrestling

1130 k KSL 265.3 m
SALT LAKE CITY 50,000 w

7:00 Fam. Furn. Stories
7:15 KSL Novelty Group
8:00 Pep 88 pgr.
9:00 Education by radio
10:00 Covey's orch.
10:30 Stan Smith's orch.

1050 k KNX 285.5 m
HOLLYWOOD 25,000 w

6:00 News
6:15 Bill, Mac and Jimmy
6:30 Oh-h-h Elmer
6:45 Feature pgr.
7:00 Frank Watanabe
7:15 KNX Dance band
7:45 Musical pgr.
8:01 Orchestra Trio
8:00 Frost report
8:15 "Dutch Girl"
8:45 Golden memories
9:00 News items
9:15 Dance band
9:30 Lubovski Violin Choir
10:00 KNX orchestra
10:30 Organ concert

1030 k CNRV 291.1 m

6:00 Popular recordings
6:30 Dinner music
6:45 Zoda Vale, Xmas Fund
7:00 Recordings
7:15 "Ad-a-Walker-er"
7:30 News Herald
7:45 Talk
8:00 "Deal of pleasure"
8:30 News service
8:50 Continental concert orch.

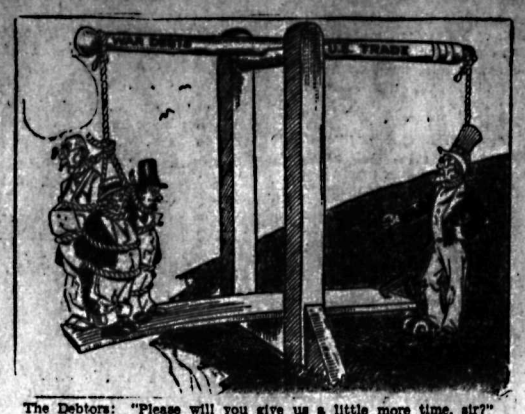
983 k CFCN 304.6 m
CALGARY 10,000 w

6:00 "Jolly Millers"
6:15 Our Jimmy and Jane
6:30 Eclipse pgr.
8:00 See KGO Network

610 k KFRC 491.5 m
SAN FRANCISCO 1000 w

8:00 Globe headlines
9:15 Eb and Zeb comedians
10:00 Bisquick Band E. T.
10:05 Flo-Rito's orch
10:40 Stan Smith's orch.
11:20 Dancing with Stars
12:00 Midnight hour

Simile: He looked as forlorn as a cold fried egg.



The Debtors: "Please will you give us a little more time, sir?"
The Creditor: "What, again?—I'll be hanged if I do!"
The Debtors: "Well, you'll be hanged if you don't!"—Strube in The Daily Express, London.

What Do You Think?

NOT TECHNOCRACY, BUT CRAZIOCRACY

To the Editor of The Nelson Daily News:

Sir:—Something has been said in this column about Europeans taking Uncle Sam for a sucker. To some extent our dear old uncle has justified this estimate of his character. There is reason to doubt his shrewdness as a business man and the Hawley Smoot tariff justifies the doubt but times without number Uncle Sam has proved himself unbelievably credulous and gullible. In its day Phrenology had an enormous vogue among our American cousins. Expence with his own contrymen led Barnum to declare that the public liked to be humbugged. Intelligence tests with their I. Q's, E. Q's, D. F's, etc., furnish irrefutable evidence that Barnum's estimate of the character of his countrymen still holds good. And there seems little hope that Uncle Sam will ever get over his childish propensity to believe anything that anybody likes to tell him or to buy at any price any glittering bauble that is dangled before his eyes. As proofs of the hopelessness of his case one may cite the following:

(1) His falling for the German estimate of relativity and its author. Einstein has just sold himself to Uncle Sam as the greatest thinker of modern times. Einstein is reputed to have said that there were not more than a dozen men in the world who comprehended the theory of relativity and he might have added: "The author of the theory is not among the number."

(2) Uncle Sam is credulous or he would not believe that he could float the ship of state into the harbor of prosperity on a flood of beer.

(3) But the latest proof of the weakness of his character is to be found in a new form of lunacy that goes under the name of Technocracy. This is being offered to Uncle Sam as a substitute for statecraft, theology, religion, education, economics, currency, banking, and common sense. Uncle Sam has only to imbibe deeply of the wisdom of the new cult and all his troubles—commercial, financial and spiritual—will be over. They certainly will not in the way the technocrats promise.

But Jack Canuck is also being offered a C. O. D. package containing all the blessings of the millennium if he will only adopt the cult and fall down and worship its prophets. The advance propaganda of the devotees of technocracy has aready found front page space in some of our great (?) dailies. To me it is the most transparent mass of misstatement, gross exaggeration, and unjustified faith in quack nostrums and I am surprised that any hard-headed Canadian should take it seriously

One need give but one example of gross exaggeration.

"A farmer can do in one hour what it took him 3000 hours to do in 1840".

Great as is this exaggeration, human gullibility is even greater. I have actually heard farmers repeat it as a startling revelation. Let us examine it just one moment. The combine is perhaps the greatest labor-saving machine on the farm. Say the combine cuts, threshes and bags two acres of grain per hour. With the cradle cutting the grain might be 20 hours' work; binding is another 20 hours' work; stooking and hauling in say another 20 hours' work; threshing cleaning and bagging say 50 bushels of grain one month's work say 300 hours and you have a total of less than 400 hours work. This estimate has overestimated the capacity of the combine and undersetimated that of the man. No farmer would pay any man nearly two month's wages for preparing 50 bushels for market not even at wages paid in 1840.

But notwithstanding combines, gang-plows, tractors, etc., the great part of the work on the farm is and will always be done by hand by as slow and laborious processes as in 1840. The greater part of the work on the farm consists of chores where machines and machine processes are of no avail. Horses cannot be fed, curried, cleaned, and harnessed by machinery. Cows cannot be bedded, fed, and cleaned by machinery. Fences, buildings, tractors, combines, are not kept in state of repair by machinery. Bees are not inspected, swarms are not hived, fruit trees are not pruned by machinery. Within the house, meals are not prepared, dishes are not washed, beds are not made, tables are not set by machinery. And yet a coast daily actually printed:

"Farmers can do in one hour what it took him 3000 hours to do in 1840"

And Canadian and British Columbia farmers at that have actually read it, swallowed it whole and repeated it. This is propaganda emanating from New York, sponsored by engineers and technical experts. This is technocracy. The right name might be craziocracy.

FARMER

NELSON B. C. DEC. 19.

URGES CUT DOWN FARM OUTPUT

To Editor of The Nelson Daily News:

Sir: I read an editorial in your paper some time back on Mixed Farming. It seems Farming and Agriculture are always mixed but not as they are today. It matters not what line of farming one goes in for if he cannot sell what he produces at a working profit. One only has to look down the live stock reports or wheat prices to know it is useless to expect anything for the labor and capital invested in these lines. But while the present prices of stock and grain are so low, it seems the time when the grain growers who showed their real ability as producers of grain should now make the supreme sacrifice and grow as little grain and stock as possible. If they can sow grass on their drifting summer fallows—anything to get root fibre and humus back into the land—in sight of two years they will be seeding it to wheat again and getting a price that will pay expences. Possibly by this time people will realize as never before that food and those that produce it are the ones on which the rest of the trades and professions depend for their existence.

Can you picture a world failure of wheat and stock, for it is directly dependant on it. Money would fly around to buy and get it, but it would serve all alike without food. In the past and now everything the grower of food would buy is but of proportion in value. He can't buy lumber, hence the lumber jack, mill worker, etc, are out of work. He can't buy machinery so the factory closes. He can't buy coal so the mine shuts down and so one could mention all other lines to say nothing of luxuries. No one has yet invented a machine to produce wheat or stock. Mother nature rules us yet. If those who work hand in hand with nature to supply the foundation of life (Food) would make a united effort to contract it they could make the rest eat out of their hands. Not with the idea of monopoly or hold up for money's sake but that all should have enough to eat.

The Agriculturist wants the comfortable house, with electric light, bath, etc, a radio, a car, good clothes and what's more he deserves them. He cannot run a farm on union hours; he must work with nature, make hay in the sunshine. If it rains he must wait, while the factory man under a roof can carry on. He quits at dark, still you can carry on all night if you like. But till such times that the consumer of food gets a better knowledge of the purchasing power of the producer of food things will not improve.

I wonder how many prairie farmers came West in the last thirty years to make a home or to make money and go back east or to the States. What we want is homes, not wheat growing factories for that is about what many so called farms were, the owner coming up from the States to sell his crop and go back till the next year. But we all stepped out a bit too far and this is the result. The next generation will get the benefit. If you want better prices for wheat and stock cut your production to the bone for the coming year or so.

HAY SEED

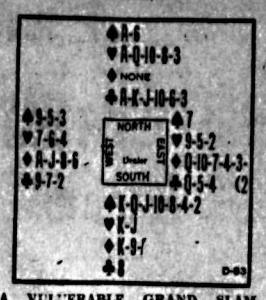
Boswell B. C. DEC. 19

AUNT HET

"Amy wouldn't think automobiles had made the world worse if she could remember when men set around home in their undershirts all day Sunday."

Auction and Contract Bridge

By the World's Leading Authority, MILTON C. WORK



A VULNERABLE GRAND SLAM

The announcement of the international code, effective on November 1st, with its premium of 2250 for a vulnerable Grand Slam caused every Contract Bridge player in the country to watch eagerly for a chance to annex the big premium and to wonder how soon it would be scored in a game in which he participated.

Four Glen Ridge, New Jersey, players did not have long to wait. On November 4th in a rubber game the following hand was dealt, North and South being vulnerable, and East and West not vulnerable. Mr. and Mrs. George S. Kaighn, Jr. occupied the North and South seats respectively, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen P. Robertson sat West and East. The cards were distributed as follows:

The bidding was extremely interesting. It started with a call of one Spade by South, West passed and North made a forcing jump shift by calling three Clubs. East passed and South rebid his Spades, after which North cleverly bid four Clubs so as to get another bid from South. The game demand jump-shift made on the first round forced South to keep the bidding open until a game bid was reached. If North had bid four Hearts on this round so as to show South his two suiter, the bidding might have stopped then and there, and North had no idea of having it stop so early. South began the third round by calling four Spades, and after that North, being satisfied as to the character of South's hand, ventured a bid of seven Spades. This bid was doubled by West and North boldly redoubled.

The play started with the lead of the Ace of Diamonds by West who hoped that he would at once defeat the contract, but Mrs. Kaighn, the Declarer, played the hand on a basis of taking no chances. She ruffed the Ace of Diamonds with the Ace of trumps (Her four trump honors would drop all the adverse trumps even if they were all in one hand), and then led a trump from the North hand, putting the South hand in without risk. If North had ruffed with asmall Spade and then led the Ace of Spades, it would have been necessary to put South in with a Heart and in a freak hand of this character it was possible that the first round of Hearts would be ruffed. Of course, after four rounds of trumps, there was nothing to the play and the Declarer had the happy experience of scoring 2250 for a Grand Slam, 840 for seven tricks redoubled, 100 for four honors in one hand, plus 700 for a two game rubber.

Twenty Years Ago

(From The Daily News of December, 22, 1912.)

W. H. Bullock-Webster, the Victoria barrister, for a number of years a resident of Nelson, will be chairman of the board of conciliation to investigate the demands of Kootenay mine owners for an increase of 50 cents per day in wages.

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A car of liquor jumped the track at the Nakusp slip yesterday and went into the lake. It was recovered with little breakage.

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Thomas Abriel was reelected president of the Nakusp Farmers' institute last night.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Levasseur returned on Saturday from a honeymoon spent in Winnipeg and other points east of the rockies.

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E. R. Vipond of Nakusp is a guest in the city.

Ten Years Ago

(From The Daily News of Decem 22, 1922.)

E. Bowkett of Howser, noted McLeary football player, is a visitor in the city, a guest of a A. Wallac.

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Miss Helen Sloan, British Columbia Telephone company's agent at Grand Forks arrived in the city last night to spend the holidays with her sister, Miss Pauline Sloan.

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Miss Kathleen Irving, teacher at West Arrow Park, arrived in the city last night.

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Born, December 18, to Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Smith of Boulder Mills, a son.

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In a million dollar fire Chicago's street railway station was destroyed yesterday.

CORN RESISTS DROUGHT

One of the interesting conclusions made from the studies of drought resistance of crops at the Dominion experimental station at Swift Current, Sask., is the ability of corn to survive even an extended period of drought. This crop of course makes its best growth when ample supply of water is available, but it will respond under conditions too severe for other crops to survive. Corn gives the brightest yields of several crops tested for drought resistance at Swift Current.

That Body of Yours

By JAMES W. BARTON

RELIEVING SERIOUS HEART CASES

Only a few years ago the words "heart disease" were sufficient to throw the patient and family into the depths of despair. Every form of work or exercise was forbidden as the patient "might fall dead" at any moment.

The war came along and showed what Dr. James MacKenzie has been teaching for years, namely that a heart murmur was not a serious condition as long as the heart was doing its work. A leaky pump continues to pump water year after year, often doing much more work than a perfect but very small pump, or in the case of the heart, a heart whose normal muscular walls are not really powerful.

And so it has come about that many thousands of individuals with heart murmurs enjoy life and live as long as those whose hearts are free from murmurs.

But what about those with severe heart disease, whose feet, ankles, knees, or other parts become swollen—filled with fluid?

Until recently all that was done was to give them digitalis which slowed and strengthened the heart beat, and for a number of years they would be able to live almost a normal life, always of course being in danger of collapse.

Today however, physicians are able to help many of these severe cases of heart disease by vigorous treatment.

Drs. H. T. Hyman, and N. F. Fenichel, New York City, report 100 cases of the severe or serious type in which relief was obtained by the following methods:

(1) Rest, complete rest of mind and body for a time, with foods that were easily digested and thus no digestive upsets occuring to interfere with the heart's action.

(2) The fluid that had accumulated in the cavities of the body—abdomen, joints, and so forth—was removed by mechanical means.

(3) The drug digitalis was used as a routine treatment—the greatest heart drug known to science.

(4) The use of diuretics. A diuretic is a drug that enables kidneys to throw off more fluid.

It is certainly gratifying to see how these serious heart cases formerly without hope, are now relieved of their symptoms and able to get something out of life.

The 302 track mileage of the British Columbia Electric railway is the longest of its kind in Canada, Montreal coming next and Toronto third. However, in passengers carried in 1931 Montreal Tramways led with 339,816,000 passengers, Toronto second with 275,445,000 and British Columbia third with 85,478,000.

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In the Heart of SPOKANE

ANNOUNCES

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HARRY F. GOETZ, Mgr.

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The Coeur d'Alene is the only hotel in Spokane that has for years consistently maintained this policy in regard to Canadian money.

SPOKANE, Wash.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

We have suitable Christmas Gifts for all members of the family at prices so low that any purse may buy. When in doubt as to what to give, call and we will gladly show you what we have.

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Table and Pocket Cutlery, Silverware, Sleds, Toys, Table Lamps, Bridge Lamps, Cut Glass, Brassware, Chinaware, Hockey Sticks, Flash Lights, Cased Carvers, Tobacco Jars, Book Ends, Art Pottery, Cups and Saucers, Casseroles, Pie Plates, Crystalware, Watches, Lamp Shades, Trays, Boys' Wagons, Fruit Knives, Tea Sets, Guns, Rifles, Shotguns, Mechanics' Tools, Purses, Salad Sets, Ranges, Smokers' Sets, Razors, Electric Goods, etc., etc.

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SPORT PAGE

FROM BENCH WARMER TO STAR HITTER

Alexander Found Himself in Being Shifted and Won Batting Honor

JIMMY FOXX BEST ALL-ROUND HITTER

Official Score Gives Alexander 367; Foxx 364; Gehrig 349

BY PAUL MICKELSON,
Associated Press Sports Writer

CHICAGO, Dec. 21. — (AP) — Something hit big Dale Alexander last June when he was jerked from the bench at Detroit and traded down baseball's river to the cellar dwelling Boston Red Sox.

From a substitute, bench warming, .250 hitter in the camp of the Tigers, he opened such a terrific drive with his war club that he won the 1932 batting championship of the American league with a three point margin over Jimmy Foxx of Philadelphia.

Final official averages released today gave the towering Red Sox first baseman the batting crown with a percentage of .367 to Foxx's .364. Lou Gehrig of the New York Yankees made it one-to-three for the first seekers by finishing third with .349. Outfielder Heine Manush of Washington ranked fourth at .342 and Babe Ruth in fifth position with .341.

In becoming perhaps the first bench warmer to grow into a batting champion in one season, Alexander hit a .372 clip for the Red Sox in 101 games, banging out 140 hits in 376 times at bat.

FOXX ALL-AROUND HITTER

All-around hitting honors of the season went to Foxx, however. Foxx was first in runs scored at 151, first home runs with 58, a total two less than Babe Ruth's all-time record, first in total bases at 438 and in runs batted in, a total unofficially set at 169.

Ben Chapman of the World champion Yankees, led in stolen bases for the second consecutive season, but fell far below his 1931 mark of 61. His total was 38.

The Athletics, runners-up to New York in the championship standing, led in team batting with an average of .290 with the Yankees four points behind and Cleveland third at .285.

WILL SIGN SCHMELING AND MAX BAER TO MEET

NEW YORK, Dec. 20 (AP)—Joe Jacobs, manager of Max Schmeling, announced today he would meet tomorrow afternoon with Ancil Hoffman, manger of Max Baer, and sign articles for a 15-round heavyweight match Jack Dempsey will promote in June.

LEITHAM WILL MEET WOLFRAM

WINNIPEG, Dec. 21 (CP)—Bobby Leitham, of Montreal, Canadian bantamweight boxing champion, and Frankie Wolfram, of Winnipeg, will meet here in a 15-round bout that will headline a charity boxing show at the auditorium on Dec. 30.

BATTAGLIA HAS BIG AMBITIONS

Wants to Win the Heavyweight Championship; Would Meet Walker

NEW YORK, Dec. 21. (CP)—Frankie Battaglia, that surly-haired likable youngster from Winnipeg, who made his debut in "big time" fight circles only a few weeks ago, is already thoroughly acclaimed to Gotham's whims and fashions.

This 22 year old, who has smashed to the canvas 26 of his last 30 opponents, has eyes on the heavyweight crown now adorning the frowning brow of Jack Sharkey.

"I stipulated in my contract with the garden promoter that I would not have to fight Devlin under 160," he said. "Why should I take off weight when it is my ambition to put it on. I fight George Nichols of Buffalo, (the national boxing association's light heavyweight champion) in Chicago, December 28. I figure to belt him out.

My ambition is to win the heavyweight championship, and I will be big enough to go after it in the summer of 1934. I weigh 162 pounds now. I have grown half-an-inch in height in the last few months and put on weight too."

The good-looking Winnipeg boy knows he can fight. He's not backward in expressing his belief in his own fighting abilities.

He expressed a desire to trade wallops with Mickey Walker, the former middleweight champion. "And I don't care what he scales, either," Frankie added.

SCOTTISH SOCCER CUP FIRST ROUND

50 Teams Are Listed to Play January 21

GLASGOW, Dec. 21 (CP cable)—Fifty teams were listed tonight for the first round of the Scottish soccer cup competition to be played Jan. 21, including all the teams of the Scottish first and second division and 12 minor teams.

Rangers, sharing leadership of the Scottish first division, meet Arbroath, at present in 12th position in the second division; Celtic, tied with Rangers, are to meet Dunfermline, who are in fifth place in the second division. Motherwell are only five points ahead of Hamilton in the first division and this clash should be a keen struggle. Hearts, however, meet a minor aggregation, Solway Star and should have no trouble advancing into the second round. The draw is as follows:

Stenhousemuir vs Morton.
King's Park vs St. Miren.
Aberdeen vs Penicuck Athletic.
St. Bernard's vs Partick.
Airdrieonians vs Alloa.
Clyde vs Fraserburgh.
Stanraer vs Bo'ness.
Queen of the South vs Third Lanark
Edinburgh City vs Ayr.
St. Johnstone vs East Fife.
Falkirk Amateurs vs Queen's Park.
East Stirling vs Montrose.
Cowdenbeath vs Dundee.
Dunfermline vs Celtic.
Raith vs Falkirk
Armadale vs Dundee United.
Lickgelly vs Kilmarnock.
Albion vs Inverness Thistle.
Rangers vs Arbroath.
Hearts vs Solway star.
Dumbarton vs Beith.
Hamilton vs Motherwell.
Leith vs Brechin City.

Perhaps man doesn't become good until he is old because it takes him that long to learn all of the laws.

Nicknames Spell Nix on Real Names

Douglas Fairbanks once told me he addressed an envelope in France with the single word "Babe", United States of America as an experiment and it was delivered a short time later to Babe Ruth, for whom it was intended.

There are frequently clubhouse nicknames which are comparatively unknown, Ruth is called "Jidge" by his Yankee teammates; while Walter Johnson, the speed ball king of other days was known as "Barney". He was best knowp however as "Big Train" and he received letters with only his nickname on the envelope.

The late Christy Mathewson used to be known as "Big Six", and letters addressed to him with only a numeral 8 on the envelope were promptly delivered to the great pitcher.

Next to "Babe" Ruth, I would say that the leading nicknames in the game today are "Dazzy" Vance, "Hack" Wilson, "Rabbit" Maranville, "Pie" Traynor, "Kiki" Cuyler and "Mule" Haas.

When Babe Ruth retires we will probably have a long linage of "Babes", just as we have had a long string of lefthanded "Rubes" to follow the wake of the late "Rube" Waddell.

GREENLEAF WINS EIGHTH GAME, ROW

NEW YORK, Dec. 21 (AP)—Ralph Greenleaf, defending titleholder, today won his eighth consecutive game in the United States pocket billiard championship, defeating Pasquale Natalle of Chicago, 125 to 57, in 18 innings with a record run of 106 for the tournament. Greenleaf was minus 23 when he put together his high cluster in the 18th inning to take the lead.

SOUTHWORTH TO COACH GIANTS

NEW YORK, Dec. 21 (CP).—Billy Southworth, former manager of St. Louis Cardinals, and the Cardinal farms at Rochester and Columbus, has signed as coach with New York Giants for the 1933 season, the ball club announced today.

LES PARTICK IS PRESIDENT OF RANGERS

Also Reigns as Vice-President of the Madison Square Gardens

STEPS INTO PLACE HAMMOND VACATES

Transfer Comes From a Disagreement; Rumors of Money Affairs

By SAM ROBERTSON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

NEW YORK, Dec. 21 (CP).—Curtis Lester Patrick, the hockey duke of Drummondville, Que., reigned tonight as president of the New York Ranger ice-team and vice-president of the $7,000,000 Madison Square Garden Tex Rickard built.

His ascension to a new place of power in United States sport circles came today as he formally stepped into the pretention's shoes just vacated by Col. John S. Hammond, one of the fathers of hockey in the eastern States.

DUE TO DISAGREEMENT

Officially, the transfer of offices was described as due to the colonel's disagreement with certain policies of President William F. Carey of the Garden. But officially it was known there had long been strife between Hammond and Carey—a difference of opinion that had flared openly since the hockey-loving Hammond dropped the general managership of the sports palace to Frank Bruen when Carey was elected president of the Garden after Rickard's death in 1929.

Hammond was one of the last survivors of the Rickard regime. Wealthy, he had assisted the old peer of promoters to complete financial arrangements for constructing the Garden.

UNDER-CURRENT RUMORS

Simultaneous with the ascension of the Drummondville boy who wore a hockey uniform for 19 consecutive seasons, and back in 1911 helped to form the Pacific Coast Hockey league, there came an under-current of rumors concerning affairs at the Garden.

Garden officials did not comment on the story which related to sports auditorium failed to turn over the 50 per cent tax required by law on premiums charged ticket brokers in excess of the value of tickets. Box office employees discharged last summer were reported to have drawn the matter to the attention of the government.

The sums supposedly involved, unofficially mounting into hundreds of thousands of dollars, did not find their way into the Garden treasury according to the published report.

The new offices lanky Mr. Patrick found himself occupying tonight culminated a career filled with drama. He had spent 30 years with the ice sport since leaving his Quebec home to don the jersey of Brandon's Manitoba Wheat Kings in 1903.

Since then he captained, managed and coached teams in the Canadian east and west before coming here to lead the classic Ranger band in the N.H.L., seven seasons back. He promoted the game on the Pacific coast with his brother Frank, and many of the rules now governing the pastime were born of his agile brain.

The announcing guns of the New York garden he will now help govern boomed loud in the fall of '26 when the Rangers came to town wtih a ranger of the hockey world at their head. Under Patrick's guidance the team reached the league play-offs each season and lifted the cherished Stanley cup in '28—with silver-haired Lester himself taking the ice as a goal-tender to help his boys trim Montreal Maroons.

The offices he holds tonight have been richly earned. The drums of Drummondville have cause to beat loud and long for a native son who has made good.

McLarnin Reaches Home in Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Dec. (CP). — Jimmy McLarnin, Vancouver's fistic idol, who last week slipped the powder to Sammy Fuller in Madison Square Garden, New York, arrived home tonight after a tempestuous journey from the big metropolis.

Eager to spend as much of the yuletide season around the family fireside as possible, Jimmy decided to make the rip by air. He took off from New York last week-end. All went well until the plane neared Wyoming. Then a heavy snowstorm resulted in a forced landing at Cheyenne. The machine was somewhat damaged but the veteran ringster escaped injury. He resumed his journey, by train, arriving home at 8 o'clock tonight.

HOOKS and SLIDES

BY WILLIAM BRAUCH

The Sporting News is a paper printed weekly in St. Louis, and is devoted exclusively to baseball. It might be regarded as being "in the know" regarding any inside talk concerning Hornsby's possible succession to Gabby Street as manager of the Cardinals. Says the Sporting News:

"Although Sam Breadon and Branch Rickey, as well as Rog Hornsby himself, went out of their way to assure everybody that the engagement of the rajah as prayer on the 1933 Cardinals was not the forerunner to his even ual elevation to the management of the team, the man on the street arched a quizzical eyebrow when the news became known.

"Somehow, the man on the street could not be convinced that the Messrs. Breadon and Rickey were not looking ahead for possible eventualities that might bring the Rajah back in charge of the team on which he won his greatest distinction as a field leader in 1926.

"This was a manifestly unfair attitude toward Charley Street, who has given St. Louis two pennants during his three years' incumbency, but you can't shoot a fan for making the first and last guess."

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SHOOTING STARTS

There you have it—the excitement has begun already! You know, that wherever Hornsby has gone—to the Giants, Braves and Cubs—stories of discord have followed him.

The Sporting News suggests that St. Louis fans are "guessing that" Hornsby will succeed Street, and that the fans see Breadon and Rickey getting ready for such an eventuality.

Why doesn't it appear that there's trouble already!

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HORNSBY AT SECOND

Ostensibly, the idea is to play Hornsby at second base and Frisch at third. But surely there is little doubt among any of those who have watched Hornsby's play the last few years that he no longer is a second baseman. He can still hit, to be sure, but around the base his fielding just won't do. The hardiest optimist among the critical paying clientele knows very well that Hornsby no longer is an infielder, and Hornsby knows it himself.

It would be more reasonable to assume, in the light of the facts, that Hornsby's chief baseball services in the year of 1933 will be as a coach. He is a great developer of youthful talent. There probably is not a wiser teacher in baseball.

Many remarks in the press box during the late world series were to the general effect that "this would not have happened if the old Rajah had been running the show for the Cubs."

That appears to be the best guess this corner can offer, since it is just about impossible on the face of the whole matter that Hornsby will play. He will coach and wait.

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WAIT—WHAT FOR?

And if the team, directed by Old Sarge Gabby Street, should slip next year as badly as the boys fell off in 1932, what will happen?

Will Messrs. Breadon and Rickey call the Old Sarge aside and pat him on the shoulder and say, after the manner of college football coaches, "Oh, that's all right, Charley, better luck next time. Baseball's only a game, after all"?

Maybe they will. Maybe they also will hand him a ticket to Rochester or another of the Cardinal farms. It has been done.

Then who would become manager of the Cardinals? Perhaps, Santa Claus?

WARM SPELL TAKES SNOW

Temperature Remains Above Frost Mark

Our 16 inches of snow that fell during the past week including four inches recorded Wednesday, is rapidly disappearing as a result of the prevailing warm spell. Melting was given an impetus Wednesday by the highest temperatures of the past week. At no time during the day did the government thermometers register below 32 degrees. The maximum was 34 degrees.

In the morning snow fell to the extent of four inches in the upper section of the city while at times rain fell on the lower levels.

SUPERIORS BEAT PRAGUE TEAM

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, Dec. 21 (CP cable).—Ten thousand persons saw Edmonton Superiors outplay a Prague hockey team 3-0. The Czechoslovakians held the Canadians scoreless at the end of the second period but could not withstand the pace in the last act.

That street car got on my nerves. —John McEwaddy, Brooklyn motorman, explaining why he took his four children and went to Ireland.

Modern academic methods may be wrong, but the third grade no longer has the itch.

Are You Among Those Who Say: "I Never Read Advertisements"

TO SAY "I never read advertisements" would be much like saying "I never use soap," or "I never read newespapers," or "No one can teach me anything," or "I know everything."

Most advertisements are incitements to their readers to do or be or buy or use something for their immediated or prospective advantage. Advertisers, to be successful and to live long, have to offer something of value or of desire—something really wanted or needed by the public. Advertisers, to live long, must not cheat the expectations of confidence of those who buy what they offer or propose.

Here are some questions to be answered by those who say "I never read advertisements"—

1. What alarm clock would you buy if you needed one?
2. What camera would you buy, for your own use, or to give a son or daughter?
3. What motor car possesses your favor?
4. What face cream or shaving soap or cream, or tooth paste did you use today?
5. What laundry soap (or flakes) is in your kitchen right now?
6. Does the breakfast bacon which you like best have a brand name?
7. The watch on your wrist — what name does it bear?
8. Your shoes—who made them?
9. Your life insurance policy—what company issued it?
10. The giner ale which you serve to guests—what brand is it?
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"Murder of the Night Club Lady"

The New Thatcher Colt Detective Mystery

By Anthony Abbot

CHAPTER TWENTY-FOUR
(Continued)

"Real clues often do not seem to be necessarily important when you find them. Like that picture of Basil on Lola's bureau. You can call it guess-work if you like, but I know that I have seen those earnest, eager features somewhere before. I cannot get that unknown boy's face out of my mind. The picture may not necessarily be important—but I believe it is. The mention of his name threw old Mrs. Carewe into a fit. Yet she said she did not know his last name. And Lola had been kissing the portrain—the scarlet mark of her lip-stick was on the glass."

"You consider these major mysteries?" asked Dougherty lugubriously.

"Time will tell. Certainly the question of Christine Quires' movements between twelve-fifteen o'clock, when she left the elevator and four o'clock, when we discovered her lying stiff, wet and dead is a major mystery. We searched those rooms thoroughly—we still do not know where she could have been concealed, although I have a theory about that. How did she get into the apartment without being seen by the three people in the place? And how did her killer get in—if none of the three persons present in the apartment is guilty?"

"Those questions, I agree, are for the moment unanswerable," rumbled Dougherty.

"Yet there are others that pique my curiosity even more," continued the commissioner. "Why is it, for example, that the two rooms of mother and daughter offer such a crazy contrast to the rest of the apartment—and to each other?"

"Does it matter?"

"I don't know. But the contrast remains—a peasant simplicity in the mother's room, a garish old-fashioned mid-Victorian fussiness in the daughter's—and the rest of the rooms in chaste modern simplicity. There is something behind that, Dougherty."

"Sounds metaphysical to me!"

"And without metaphysics I have seldom seen any mystery solved. There is the curious three-months' visit of this heiress at Lola's home. Why? Lola had never had any other friend visit her for so long. Your jewel theory may be right—but Christine had no jewels to amount to anything. She was heiress to a million. Did Lola intend to advise her about investments, as she did Guy Everett? Mrs. Carewe hinted at something of the kind. There is a lead that promises something. But if it does lead us anywhere, then we shall have to ask ourselves a harder question—why should Lola or anyone else want Christine to die before she received her inheritance?"

"The girl knew too much about the jewel racket," insisted Dougherty doughtily. "I'll bet you find that her brother inherits the money after her."

"But Lola has never met the brother. You see, there is some essential factor that keeps evading us all the time—when we find that missing segment, the rest of the pieces probably will fall into place. Why was Guy Everett so nervous when we questioned him? Did he really go on a solitary auto ride last night? What method was used to kill these two women? Dougherty, old man, I could go on indefinitely reciting the riddles that still have to be anawered in this perplexing case!"

"And when you get all through you'll come back to my jewel-ring idea," predicted Dougherty, gratefully accepting a second glass from the Jamaican butler.

"Perhaps," conceded Colt, "but in the meanwhile, you would not have us overlook the other possibilities within the ambit of this inquiry."

"No. But I can't keep whiffling from one opinion to another. You mean—"

"I mean that, granting at the moment we do not know how Lola Carewe and Christine Quires were slain, there are a number of people who might have killed them. We begin with Guy Everett. He had a motive of one kind or another; it seems trivial, but if he had a grudge against Lola and Christine, he might have slain them—sordid, if you like—but sheer malice has served as the motive of many murders in our records. Then there was the elevator boy. Not a very dignified or likely suspect—and yet, so far as we know, he was the last person to see Christine Quires while she was conscious. Eunice James seems to have had no motive at all—yet she might have. But Mrs. Carewe was annoyed by Christine's presence in the apartment—in senile madness, she might have killed her daughter and guest. Chung had his reasons. Never forget the fury of the Cyclops—the malicious vengeance of the ugly man who considers himself a superior being, who loves and is turned down. Perhaps, indeed, so did Vincent Rowland have a motive. Or Doctor Baldwin, unapt to do such a deed, yet with opportunities, as you very wisely suggest. Again, the brother would have a million-dollar reason for wishing to get rid of his sister—and God knows he would not be the first brother to kill his sister with tricky deceitfulness and for the same reason. I could go on, widening the list, but for our purposes the ones I have named are sufficient."

"I believe there was more than one murderer. There were at least two. Whatever happened, it was too complicated for just one person to get away with it," declared Dougherty fervently.

"Bravo, Dougherty," cried Thatcher Colt. "Your reasoning sounds accurate. But what if the poor girls were the accomplices in their own execution?"

"I hadn't thought of that," confessed Dougherty. "Sounds metaphysical again. How could they be?"

"I don't know—but there are several theories that occur to me."

"The very look of the corpse," declared Dougherty, "suggested poison to me. Have you formed any notion as to what kind of poison might have been used?"

"Not in the least. But Multooler has promised the earliest possible word. In any case, I still feel we are dealing with a highly superior criminal intelligence. Even as far as we have gone, we can see that the plan was outrageously well worked out."

In the silence that followed we could hear the early morning noises from the dark defile of West Seventieth street—the creaking harness of a horse, and the clinking of milk bottles carried in a basket.

Colt lit his pipe.

(To be Continued Tomorrow)

SKATING POPULAR AT SOUTH SLOCAN

SOUTH SLOCAN, B. C. DEC.21.—Skating is the favorite pastime on the old Anderson slough which is covered with a splendid sheet of ice. A bonfire and jolly weiner roast was held by a party of skaters consisting of the following: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson, Mrs. Frisby, Miss Irene Frisby, Miss Cathie Laurie, Miss Millie Potosky, Miss Beatrice Muir, Frank Frisby, Ben Irving, Gordon Batley, W. Somerville, John Laurie, Emil Carlson, Alan Frisby, G. H. Bishop and Stan O'Genski.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Horlick who have been on three weeks trip to Fort William and Winnipeg have returned. They visited in Regina and Calgary en route home.

Miss Millie Potosky is the guest of her sisters Misses Mary and Julia Potosky at the Kerr apartments, Nelson, for a few days.

Miss Elsie Gansner has left to spend the school vacation at her home, Taghum.

W. Somerville who has been with the West Kootenay Power and Light Co. at No 3 plant for the past three months has returned to Trail.

Curtis C. White who has been with the West Kootenay Power and Light Co. at No 3 plant for several months left on Thursday for his hame, Portrieuc Quebec.

J. E. Macdonald was a Trail visitor during the week.

Miss Doreen Long of Nelson is the guest of her grandmother Mrs. R. G. Elliot for the Christmas school vacation.

A. R. Johnson, principal of the school has left for Nelson to spend the Christmas vacation with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hardin were shoppers in Nelson on Saturday. They were accompanied by Miss Lilian Goddard of Vancouver.

NAKUSP HOOP GAME GOES TO TROJANS

NAKUSP, B. C., Dec. 21—Trojan fans on Friday night saw their team take a 43-16 win at the expense of the Legionnaires whose ranks were depleted by illness. The Trojans played cool tricky basketball.

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BIG EXPORT OF WHEAT FROM VANCOUVER

The port of Vancouver overtopped Montreal in export clearances of Canadian wheat during the week ending October 28. The amount was 2,234,184 bushels and Montreal 1,476,141. Last year in the corresponding week Vancouver exported 493,466 bushels. The amount sent overseas from the port of Vancouver during the first 13 weeks of the crop year was 18,934,375 bushels as compared with 9,200,821 in the same period last year. The amount sent out from Montreal was 28,732,251 bushels compared with 15,355,596 last year. However, Vancouver will be exporting wheat during the winter when the St. Lawrence is ice bound.

DRESSMAKING (7)

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Market and Mining News

WHEAT RISES AS OFFERINGS EASE

General Tone of World Grain News Is Bullish

WINNIPEG, Dec. 21 (CP)—The last time in many sessions pressure of offerings lightened, sufficient export demand appeared to bring a measure of firmness to trading in wheat on the grain exchange here today and prices closed ⅝ to ⅞ higher.

December closed at 40⅛, May at 43⅝ and July at 43¾.

Foreign trade was not large but another bullish factor was the general tone of world grain news. The Australian new crop some 2,500,000 bushels less in a government report, and United States government reports on the new winter wheat crop in the south were construed as bullish.

POUND ADVANCES

Canadian Dollar Closes Weaker

NEW YORK, Dec. 21 (CP)—The pound sterling continued its advance on foreign exchanges today, losing 13-16 cent higher at $3.34⅛ for cables, its peak for the day. The Canadian dollar, however, closed ¼ cent off at 86⅝ cents (U.S. premium of 13⅜ per cent).

The dollar opened at 86⅞ cents. Sterling started the day at $3.34⅝ and reached its low for the day at noon at $3.33⅝.

New York Stocks

	High	Low	Close
Allegheny	1⅛	1	1⅛
Allied Chemical	80¼	79	79⅛
Am Can	54⅝	53½	53⅝
Am For Power	6¾	6½	6½
Am Ice	4⅞	—	4⅞
Am Ma & Fdy	12½	12⅛	12⅛
Am Smelt & Ref	12	11⅞	12½
Am Telephone	104¾	103½	103½
Am Tobacco	59	56¾	57½
Anaconda	6⅛	5⅞	6¼
Atchison	39½	38⅝	38¾
Auburn Motors	52½	50¼	50½
Baldwin	5	4¾	4¾
B & O	8⅝	8¼	8⅜
Bendix Aviation	10	—	10
Beth Steel	13⅛	13	13¼
Canada Dry	9⅛	—	9⅛
C P	13⅝	13¼	13½
Cerro de Pasco	6½	5½	5½
C & O	26¼	25¾	25⅞
Chrysler	16½	16⅛	16¼
Com & South	2⅜	2¼	2¼
Con Gas N Y	58⅞	58⅛	58½
Corn Prod	52⅞	51½	52½
C Wright pfd	—	—	2¾
Dupont	37⅛	36¼	36¾
Eastman Kodak	55¾	54⅝	55¾
Elec P & L	6¼	6⅛	6⅛
Erie	5	—	5
Ford English	—	—	3⅛
Ford of Canada	—	—	5¾
First Nat Stores	53¼	52½	53¼
Free Texas	24⅛	—	24⅛
Gen Motors	13⅛	13¼	13⅜
Gen Elec	15¼	14⅞	15
Gen Foods	25	24½	24⅞
Gold Dust	14½	14⅛	14⅜
Goodrich	4½	—	4½
Granby	4½	—	4½
G N pfd	8⅛	8	8
G W Sugar	6⅞	—	6⅞
Howe Sound	5⅝	5¼	5¼
Hudson Motors	4⅝	—	4¾
Ins Copper	2	1⅞	2
Inter Nickel	7⅞	7½	7¾
Inter Tel & Tel	7	6½	6½
Jewel Tea Co	—	—	37½
Kelly Spring	1	—	1
Kenn Copper	8⅛	7⅝	7½
Kresge S S	10⅝	—	10¼
Mack Truck	20	19⅝	19¾
Milwaukee pfd	2⅜	2¼	2¼
Nash Motors	13⅛	13	13⅛
Nat Dairy Prod	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝
N P & L	—	—	14⅝
N Y Central	19⅝	18⅛	18⅛
Pac Gas & Elec	30	29½	29⅞
Packard Motors	2⅝	2¼	2¼
Penn R R	14¾	14	14⅜
Phillips Pete	4⅞	4¾	4¾
Pure Oil	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Radio Corp	5⅛	5	5⅛
Radio Keith Or	3½	2⅞	3⅜
Rem Rand	3	—	3
R I	3⅝	3½	3⅝
Safe Stores	39½	39	39½
S Louis & S F	⅞	¾	¾
Shell Union	5⅛	—	5⅛
S Cal Edison	26⅛	25⅛	26⅛
S P	16¾	15⅞	16⅛
Stand. Oil Cal	24	23⅛	24
Stan Oil Ind	—	—	21⅛
Stan Oil N J	30⅛	29¾	30
Stewart Warner	3	2⅞	2⅞
Studebaker	4⅝	4⅜	4⅛
Texas Corp	13⅛	12¾	12¾
Texas G Sul	22	21⅝	21⅞
Timken Roller	14⅞	14½	14½
Underwood Typo	12½	—	12½
Union Carbide	25⅝	24⅝	25⅞
United Aircraft	26⅛	25⅞	25¾
U P	70⅛	68⅞	69⅛
U S Pipe & Fdy	—	—	10⅛
U S Rubber	4⅛	4	4
U S Steel	27⅞	26⅝	27⅜
Vanadium Steel	11½	11⅜	11½
West Elec	28⅛	27¼	27½
Yellow Truck	3⅝	3⅛	3⅛

Toronto Industrials

Bell Telephone	92
Brazilian	9⅝
B A Oil	8
Cons Mining	62
Ford of Canada "A"	6¾
Hiram Walker	5¾
Imperial Oil	5⅝
International Nickel	8⅞
International Pete	11¾
Loblaw "A"	11¼
Massey Harris	19
Dominion Stores	16⅛

DOW JONES AVERAGES

30 industrials	58.97	up .19
20 rails	25.88	off .51
20 utilities	27.27	off .10

VANCOUVER STOCK TRADING IS DULL

Flurries in Reno and Also Georgia River

VANCOUVER, Dec. 21 (CP)—With the exception of flurries in Reno gold and Georgia River, trading was dull and uninteresting on the Vancouver stock exchange today. Trading dropped off in the afternoon session to make one of the lightest half day's on the exchange for the past month. Only single transactions in eight issues were chalked up.

Reno, with 4,000 shares out, ended the day at 57½, up 1½. Bralorne continued to show firmness, halving a two point advance to close at 1.19.

BONDS SLIDE

High Grade Investment Groups Resist

NEW YORK, Dec. 21 (AP)—The bond market again stepped down to a lower level today despite resistance displayed by the highest grade investment groups. Continued pressure on some of the semi-speculative liens was the weak link in the price chain. The rails were the principal sufferer, although a few of the utilities exhibited a declining trend. United States governments were generally firm. Volume increased on the down grade, sales totalling $11,781,000 against $10,720,000 yesterday.

Toronto Stocks

Abana	.02½
Arno	.01⅞
Ajax	.66
Amulet	.09
A P Consolidated	.06
Base Metals	1.00
Barry Hollinger	.08
Big Missouri	.09
Calmont	.05
C and E Lands	.25
Clericy	.00⅝
Dome	x13.75
Dalhousie	.12
Eastcrest	.06½
Falconbridge	1.70
Granada	1.03
Home Oil	.30
Howey	.62
Hollinger	5.50
Hudson Bay	2.90
International Nickel	8.85
Kirkland Lake	33.50
Macassa	.20
Manitoba Basin	.01½
Malartic	.04½
McIntyre	22.70
Mining Corp	1.10
Newbec	.04
Nipissing	.75
Noranda	19.00
Pend Oreille	.50
San Antonio	.68
Sherrit Gordon	.38
Sudbury Basin	.58
Sterling Pacific	.11
Siscoe	.96
Tech Hughes	3.65
Vipond	.20
Ventures	.63
Wright Hargreaves	3.36
Waite Ackerman	.75

Exchanges

MONTREAL, Dec. 21 (CP)—British and foreign exchange in relation to the Canadian dollar, as compiled by the Royal Bank of Canada, closed today as follows:

Argentina, peso	.2995
Australia, pound	3.0805
Belgium, belga	.1596
Brazil, milreis	.0866
China, Hongkong dollars	.7446
Czechoslovakia, crown	.0342
Denmark, krone	.2001
Finland, finmark	.0173
France, franc	.0450
Germany, reichsmark	.2743
Great Britain, pound	3.8487
Greece, drachma	.0067
India, rupee	.2926
Italy, lire	.0590
Japan, yen	.2477
Jugoslavia, dinar	.0161
New Zealand, pound	3.4968
Norway, krone	.1988
Poland, zloti	.1302
Roumania, leu	.0071
South Africa, pound	5.5405
Spain, peseta	.0893
Sweden, krone	.2106
Switzerland, franc	.2219

United States, dollar, 15 3-16 per cent premium.

Dominion Livestock

WINNIPEG, Dec. 21—Receipts — Cattle, 410; calves, 35; hogs, 1850; sheep, 60.

Cattle—steers, up to 1050 lbs., good and choice $3.25-$4.00; over 1050 lbs., good and choice $3.00-$3.75; heifers good and choice $3.25-$3.75; fed calves, good and choice $5.00-$6.00. cows, good $1.75-$2.25; bulls, good $1.75-$2.00; stocker and feeder steers, good $1.75-$2.00; veal calves, good and choice $5.00-$6.50.

Hogs—select bacon $1.00 per head premium, bacon $3.25; butchers $1.00 per head discount, heavy $2.75; extra heavy $2.50-$2.60; lights and feeders $1.50-$2.65; sows $2.50.

Lambs—good handyweight $3.75 $4.00.

Sheep—good heavies $1.50.

Metal Markets

NEW YORK, Dec. 21 (AP)—Copper yuer; lectrolytic, spot 5. Future 5⅛. Tin steady; spot and nearby 22.90; future 23.05. ron quiet, unchanged. Lead quiet; spot New York 2.00; east St. Louis 2.87. Zinc dull; east St. Louis spot and future 3.12. Antimony 5.40.

At London, copper, standard spot £28 2s 6d; future £28 10s. Electrolytic, spot £32 15s; future £34 5s Tin, spot £148 12s 6d; future £150. Lead, spot £11; future £11 7s 6d; Zinc, spot and future £15 7s 6d.

SISCOE UNDER ACCUMULATION

Eldorado Also Active on Mining Board

TORONTO, Dec. 21 (CP)—Interest in the Standard mining exchange listings today centered in Siscoe and Eldorado which were under active accumulation all day. The rest of the board was dormant except for a turnover of 174,000 shares of Algoma, whose balloon was punctured, sending it down to 3 cents.

There was no life in the high-priced golds today. Dome picked up 15 cents to 13.95, while Lake Shore lost 25, and McIntyre 20. Pioneer of B.C. was unchanged at 4.50.

Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG, Dec. 21 (CP)—Grain market quotations:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat:				
Dec.	39⅝	40⅛	39⅛	40⅛
May	42⅛	42⅝	41⅝	42⅝
July	43¼	43¾	43	43¾
Oats:				
Dec.	20⅛	20⅜	20⅛	20⅜
May	21⅝	21¾	21⅛	21⅜
July	21⅞	22	21⅞	22
Barley:				
Dec.	27⅛	27⅛	27	27
May	26⅛	27	26⅛	27
July	—	—	—	26⅝
Flax:				
Dec.	—	—	—	70¾
May	73	74⅛	73	74¼
July	74⅝	75	74⅝	74⅞
Rye:				
Dec.	—	—	—	29
May	31¾	31⅞	31¼	31⅞
July	32	32½	32	32½

Cash grain close:

Wheat: No. 1 hard 40⅝; No. 1 nor. 40⅛; No. 2 nor. 37⅝; No. 3 nor. 35⅝; No. 4 nor. 33⅝; No. 5 31⅝; No. 6 27⅝; feed 23⅝; track 39⅞; No. 1 durum 43⅝.

Egg Markets

OTTAWA, Dec. 21—(CP)—Eggs:

Toronto—The fresh egg market here is still unsettled but a little more steady and prices are unchanged. The market on storage eggs is steady to firm and prices also unchanged. Poultry is moving well but supplies are much heavier particularly turkeys which are inclined to be easier.

Montreal—Ontario eggs are selling on spot at extras 33 to 34, firsts 28 to 29, pullet extras 27 with British Columbia stocks bringing one cent above these prices.

St. John—The fresh egg market here is weak and paying prices to producers and country shippers have dropped to extras 33 to 36, firsts 26 to 29, seconds 16 to 19.

PLACE OTHER ITEMS ON FREE LIST IMPORT

LONDON, Dec. 22—(AP)— The treasury issued an order today placing on the free list for import into the United Kingdom, effective Dec. 29, manila hemp, iron bromide, bristles, non-precious imitations or artificial stones and beads, foreign patent office specifications, and tantalum metal.

A SENTIMENTAL ASSOCIATION

Tucked away among the obscure items in the trade figures of the Dominion bureau of statistics during the past year is the valuation of $10 placed on goods imported from the Falkland Islands. It is not stated exactly what the items were but they came to Canada under the classification of "scientific and educational equipment."

There is a sentiment for Canadians about the Falkland islands which that obscure item arouses. It was there that the first Canadian colony was established. That was in the days of the French regime. These islands were the scene also of Admiral Sturdee's famous naval victory at the beginning of the great war. Today the Falkland islands are peopled largely by Scottish sheep farmers. Whaling is an important source of revenue.

IRISH HORSES

The Irish Free State does a large business, as for centuries Ireland has done, in the export of horses. In the past nine months 6846 have been purchased by the United Kingdom alone at a value of over $5,000,000. Last year in the same period the business done was 7487 horses at over $8,000,000.

MONTREAL MARKET IN HOLIDAY SPIRIT

Selling Exceeds Demand and Prices Ease

MONTREAL, Dec. 21 (CP)—Holiday spirit prevailed on the Montreal stock exchange today and stocks sagged slightly because what little selling there was exceeded demand. Turnover amounted to only 3500 shares.

Market leaders were substantially unchanged on the day's trading. Brazilian and Nickel both closed unchanged while Canadian Pacific eased ¼ to 15¼. Half-point declines were shown by B.C. Power and Power corporation.

Montreal Stocks

Bank of Commerce	135
Bank of Montreal	168
Bank of Nova Scotia	259
Royal bank	131½
Abitibi Power & Paper	40
Asbestos corporation	20
Bell Telephone	90½
Brazilian T L & Power	9½
British American Oil	7⅛
Canada Bronze	14
Canadian Car & Foundry	3¼
Canadian Cement	2½
Can Industrial Alcohol	2
Cons Mining & Smelting	61
Dominion Bridge	14⅝
Dominion Glass	45
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	1
Dominion Textile	51½
A P Grain	3¾
Imperial Tobacco	8⅛
Lake of the Woods	6
Massey Harris	2¼
Montreal Power	30½
Montreal Telegraph	111
National Breweries	15⅞
Ogilvie Milling	117
Power corporation	7½
Quebec Power	12
Shawinigan	9⅞
Steel of Canada	15¾
Winnipeg Railway	3
Winnipeg Railway pfd	5

NEW STOCK REGULATIONS, TO COME INTO EFFECT

OTTAWA, Dec. 21 (CP)—New regulations designed to greatly facilitate the import of pedigreed breeding stock from the United Kingdom, and the export of live stock, particularly cattle, from Canada to the United Kingdom, will come into operation within two weeks, it was announced by the department of agriculture today.

TURKEY PRICES ADVANCE CENT

MONTREAL, Dec. 21 (CP)—An upturn in turkey prices featured the produce and dairy market here today.

Under a heavy demand from retail stores turkeys advanced a cent a pound. Active trading was again experienced. Quotations were 17 cents for "A" grade, 15 cents for "B" grade and 12 cents a pound for "C" grade.

Rallies Pull Wheat From New Low Level

Closes Unsettled Slightly Up at Chicago

By JOHN P. BOUGHAN
Associated Press Market Editor

CHICAGO, Dec. 21 (AP)—Extensive liquidating sales by eastern holders of wheat futures tumbled the Chicago market temporarily today to below the season's bottom level, but fractional rallies ensued. Accuracy of Washington official crop estimates was widely questioned.

Late rallies in wheat prices were ascribed to purchase orders on the part of United States government-sponsored agencies and to buying here against simultaneous sales at Winnipeg. Liverpool wheat quotations declined to a new all-time record low for futures in that market and to the lowest known for cash wheat or futures in England since 1588.

Wheat in Chicago closed unsettled at the same as yesterday's finish to ⅜ higher, corn a shade to ⅝ down, oats ⅛ off to ⅛ up, and provisions unchanged to 15 cents lower.

CANADA'S FUR INDUSTRY

Despite the fact that the number of fur farms in Canada increased over 1000 to a total of 6824 for 1930, the total investment in land and buildings, $5,563,346, was $5000 less than the preceding year, and the value of fur-bearing animals at $16,197,747 was $5,000,000 less than the value in the preceding year. The fur industry is rapidly expanding throughout the Dominion and much valuable assistance to it is given through experimental and research work carried on under the direction of the Dominion department of agriculture.

BRITISH IMPORTS OF COPPER ORE

The United Kingdom got no copper ore in September from either Canada or Spain, but 969 tons from other countries. During the nine months ending September the British imports of copper ore totalled 22,747 tons, of which 9154 tons were received from Canada, 5387 tons from Spain and 8206 from other countries.

PRICES EASE AS BUYING IS LACKING

Some Buying Develops in International Nickel

TORONTO, Dec. 21 (CP)—Toronto stock exchange trading developed into a real holiday market today with long intervals between sales and prices easing down mainly because of the lack of buying interest. Turnover was under 4000 shares, the lowest for a full session this fall.

A little buying developed in International Nickel. It closed unchanged at 8⅞. Ford "A" was offered in small blocks which weakened the stock to 6¾. Brazilian recorded a gain of ⅛ at 9⅝. C.P.R. was unchanged at 15⅝ and Consolidated Smelters lost a half point to 61.

Minneapolis Grain

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 21 (AP) — Flour unchanged. Shipments 17,334. Bran 9.00-50.

Wheat—No. 1 Nor. 45¾-46⅝; No. 1 red dur. 47¼; Dec. 43⅛; May 44¾; July 44⅞.

Corn—No. 3 Yellow 19 to 21.

Oats —No. 3 White 13⅞-14⅝.

Flax—No. 1 1.04-07.

CATTLE MOVEMENT SLOWER

The current issue of the Live Stock Market and Meat Trade Review published by the Dominion Live Stock branch contains the following review of live stock movement for the first nine months of the current year:

"Shipments of cattle from western to eastern Canada this year for the first nine months show 57,740 as compared with 67,885 a year ago, or over 10,000 fewer. The movement indicates that 13,804 went direct to feed lots, a decrease of about 5800 head; 30,859 went to stock yards, a decrease of 1600 head; and 13,077 went direct to packing plants, a decrease of 3117 head, when compared with the movement for the same period of last year. The movement from the west to the east for the month of September only totalled 1688 head, or 4367 less than for September, 1931. The decreases were due to smaller shipments to feed lots and stock yards in the east."

BRANDED BEEF POPULAR

Figures issued by the Markets intelligence service of the Dominion live stock branch for the first nine months of the current year show an increase of over 2,000,000 lbs. in the sales of branded beef. The total for this period in 1932 being 16,179,999 lbs. as compared with 13,908,788 lbs. for the corresponding period last year.

LONDON CLOSE

LONDON, Dec. 21 (AP)—Closing—American stocks quoted in dollars at four shillings per dollar.—

Brazilian traction $12½; Canadian Pacific $90¼; Hydro Electric $10¾; International Nickel $11¾; British American tobacco £5; Distillers 54s 3d; Dunlop rubber 19s 1½d; Electrical & M. pd. Ord. 11s; Ford Ltd., 20s; Hudson Bay 16s 6d; Imperial Chemical 23s 9d; Imperial Tobacco 96s 3d; Shell T. & T. £2¾; Vickers 7s 3d; British 5% per cent war loan £98¾; British four per cent 1960-90 £108⅝.

FIX POUND VALUE UNTIL MARCH, 1933

OTTAWA, Dec. 21 (CP)—By order-in-council the government has continued until March 31, 1933, the fixed valuation of the pound sterling for special duty purposes at the rate of $4.40.

In so doing, the government continues the policy of regarding importations into Canada from the United Kingdom as having a value based on that particular rate of exchange.

In Canadian currency, however, the pound sterling for the purposes of ordinary commercial interchange is rated considerably below the $4.40 figure, the rate at present fluctuating in the neighborhood of $3.84.

Ontario Faces New Year With Deficit

Treasurer Issues Pre-Sessional Statement

TORONTO, Dec. 21 (CP)—Ontario faces the new year with a deficit of $1,975,000. In the pre-sessional statement issued today by Hon. E. A. Dunlop, provincial treasurer, the estimated surplus of $365,000 had given way through force of circumstance to the deficit of nearly $2,000,000.

Exchange charges were directly responsible for the deficit. Mr. Dunlop said. And direct employment relief also accounted for the province being "in red." "Without the extraordinary charge of $2,330,000 for New York exchanges and direct unemployment relief, $609,000, aggregating $3,139,000, the year would have shown a surplus of $1,164,000," the provincial treasurer reported.

EXCHANGE AND MARKET CLOSE SATURDAY

MONTREAL, Dec. 21 (CP)—No sessions of the Montreal stock exchange and the Montreal curb market will be held on Saturday, Dec. 24, and Monday, Dec. 26, according to an official notice posted today.

WALL STREET HOLDS PRICES

Puts Brakes on Recent Downward Slide

By JOHN L. COOLEY
Associated Press Financial Writer

NEW YORK, Dec. 21—The stock market today put the brakes on the recent downward slip, but contented itself mainly with holding prices as they were. There was little evidence of a rally.

Some of the industrial favorites, including United States Steel preferred, responded to the lash of short covering, running up a point or so, but the main body of industrial stocks were steady or only fractionally higher.

Vancouver List

MINES	Bid	Ask
Big Missouri	.09	.10
Bralorne	1.19	1.22
Coast Copper	1.60	2.25
George Copper	.35	—
Georgia River	.02¾	.03
Golconda	.16	.21
Grandview	.02⅝	.03⅛
Int C & C	.10	.11
Lucky Jim	—	.01½
National Silver	.01½	—
Noble Five	.02¼	.03
Pioneer Gold	4.50	4.55
Porter Idaho	.03½	.04½
Premier	.58	.59
Reno Gold	.57½	.60
Silvercrest	—	.01
Wellington	—	.01½
OILS		
C and E Lands		.26
Dalhousie		.10
Eastcrest		.08
Home Oil		.30
Mayland		.19
Mercury		.08¼
McLeod		.20
Okalta new		.05¼
Sterling Pacific		.11

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY, Dec. 21 —Receipts—Cattle, 63; sheep, 196; hogs, 551.

Steers—good and choice, $2.50-$3.00; medium, $2.25-$2.50; common, $1.50-$2.00.

Heifers—good and choice, $2.50-$2.75; medium, $2.00-$2.25; common, $1.50-$2.00.

Cows—good, $1.60-$1.75; medium, $1.25-$1.50; common, $1.00; canners and cutters, .50-.75.

Bulls—good, $1.50; common, $1.00-$1.25.

Sheep—good handyweight, $2.00-$2.50; common, $1.00-$1.50.

Lambs—good handyweight, $3.50-$3.75; common, $3.00-$3.50; feeders, $3.00.

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