

New Co-Adjutor Bishop



The above is a photograph of the Rev. John Haddeney, Rector of North Sydney, C. B., Co-Adjutor Bishop-Elect of the Diocese of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.

People Swallow Some Weird Things

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Few of us get the chance of swallowing live crocodiles eggs, for although a full grown specimen may have arms five feet long, and weigh 200 or 300 pounds, the eggs are no larger than grains of rice.

Eastern and Southern Trains Held For Xmas Shopping

For the accommodation of passengers doing shopping and marketing at Charlottetown, the Southern train scheduled to leave Murray Harbor at 7.45 a.m. will on December 22nd, 23rd, and 24th leave one hour earlier, or 6.45 a.m. returning will leave Charlottetown one hour later, or 4.30 p.m.

District Passenger Agent's Office, Charlottetown, P. E. Island, December 16th, 1924. 1438-12-17-14

NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the shareholders of The John R. Dinns Pedigreed Foxes, Ltd., will be held in the Board of Trade Rooms, Tuesday night at 8 p. m. Dec. 30, 1924.

JOHN R. DINNIS, Pres. 1433-12-17-m61

AUCTION SALE

To be sold by public auction on the premises on Monday, 22nd December, at 12 o'clock noon, the farm of 65 acres at Bell, Lot 48, now or lately occupied by Daniel J. McDonald, with stock, implements and equipment including, 3 horses, 1 milch cow, potato sprayer, scuffer, horse hoe, digger, disc harrow, gang plow, mower, woodsleigh, bod-sleigh, truck wagon, driving wagon, poles, work harness, driving harness, riding saddle, shovels, cross cut saw, axes, tools, etc.

J. A. McDONALD, Auctioneer. 69-12-16M31.

Business Locals

RATES:—2c per word for one insertion; 1 1/2c per word per insertion for two insertions; 1c per word per insertion for three insertions.

SEE OUR LINE OF CHRISTMAS BOOKLETS, postcards and Children's Story Books. Taylor's News Store. 1436-12-17-31

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TUNE HARDLY APPOSITE

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The musical powder box which plays a tune when opened, is a favorite novelty in the Christmas displays this season. One of the favorite tunes is that old college melody, "Drink Up and Get a Red Nose." The tune is innocuous, since the contents of the box assures against any such result.

TWELVE MINUTE CROSSING WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The army air service has just announced that an airplane flight has been made by an army aviator from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast in twelve minutes. The flight was across the Panama canal zone.

GETTING AFTER KING'S AUSTRALIAN RECIPROCITY

Opposition to the new Canadian-Australian trade agreement under which the duty on all foreign raisins except Australian will be increased to three cents a pound continues to develop in the three prairie provinces.

Following up the recent petition sent by the Manitoba wholesale grocers to the government at Ottawa protesting against the increase in the duty on raisins, the Grain Growers' Guide, an influential paper which has a wide circulation through the Western provinces, answers the government's assertion that the increase in the price of raisins to the consumer would not be great and that trade outlets will soon adjust themselves to the new conditions by say so.

"It is apparently of little interest how much the consumer is soaked provided there is benefit for the manufacturer. This Australian treaty is merely a case of placing another burden of \$1,000,000 upon the consumers of Canada in order to subsidize the growers of raisins in Australia, 6,000 miles away, and open up new markets for the Canadian manufacturers.

"The present duty of two-thirds of a cent per pound on raisins is plenty high enough. Furthermore, the consumers of Canada are not complaining about either the variety or the quality of the raisins they are now eating. If the Dominion government wished to encourage trade with Australia they might have placed Australian raisins on the free list and left the general tariff where it stands today. But to raise the duty 350 per cent and take \$1,000,000 out of the consumers of Canada in order to subsidize growers 6,000 miles away is an indefensible act. Here on the prairie the consumers are already heavily penalized in order to subsidize our own protected industries and our own Canadian fruit growers. But when it comes to placing another burden on our consumers for the benefit of growers in other lands, it is going a bit too far."

Once All Hats Made of Wool

Felted wool was the earliest form into which this fibre was manufactured. The primitive races, covering before they had learned to spin and weave, that peculiar characteristic of wool which causes it to mat together, by the application of heat, moisture and pressure, into a firm and smooth texture, susceptible of a great variety of uses. Modern machinery has utilized this peculiarity for many purposes. It has been found in the manufacture of hats, formerly called felt hats, but now made of wool for its raw material, that fur is better suited for this use.

"All Aboard for Summerside"—Holman's Refund First-Class Return Railway Fare From Any Island Station to Customers, Coming by Train, Making Cash Purchases of \$25.00 or More.

Visit Summerside, see your relatives and friends, do your Xmas Shopping, with the assurance that your Railway fare will cost you nothing.

Holman's will refund your railway fare—from any Island station—upon the presentation to the Cashier of your cash sales receipt to the amount of \$25.00 or more. Your purchases may be made in any department or all departments of the store—if the total is \$25.00 or more, we will refund your Railway fare.

ALL ABOARD FOR HOLMAN'S!

See Santa—Visit Toyland

Don't fail to visit TOYLAND at Holman's—here are all the toys, games, dolls and playthings the heart of youth could desire.

HOLMAN'S SUMMERSIDE

WGYP Program

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18 WGYP (Schenectady, N. Y.) General Electric Company 790 Kilocycles (380 Meters) Eastern Standard Time 11:55 a. m.—Time signals. 12:30 p. m.—Stock market report. 12:40 p. m.—Produce market report. 12:45 p. m.—Weather report. 2:00 p. m.—Music and talk. "Good Times for Young People." Daniel Chase, Physical Training Bureau, State Department of Education. 6:00 p. m.—Produce and stock market quotations; news bulletin. 6:15 p. m.—Report on condition of New York State Highways, furnished by Captain A. W. Brandt, State Highway Commissioner. 6:30 p. m.—Dinner music by Hotel Ten Eyck Orchestra, Albany, N. Y. 7:45 p. m.—"A Few Moments with New Books," L. L. Hopkins, Assistant Librarian, General Electric Company. Selection, March, "Prosperity" ... WGY Orchestra. 8:00 p. m.—Talk on "Border Ballads" Dr. Charles Alexander Richmond, President of Union College. Selection, "Lonely Hearts" ... Hill Orchestra. 8:20 p. m.—Comedy, "Wedding Bells," by Salisbury Field. WGY Players.

Scourge Of African Lions Fires His Last Shot

(Associated Press) CAPE TOWN, Dec. 16.—"Yank" Allen, the terror of South African lions, has died here but only after he accounted for 258 of the beasts. Allen, who was a native of Texas, came to South Africa 17 years ago to ride the British South African Company's ranches of lions. So well did he do his work that for the last ten years lions in the company's district became about as abundant as bison on the American Prairie, and he eventually cut himself out of a job. His big lions is a record, even for South Africa. Allen's description of a lion was that it was nothing more than a big dog, and that it was safest not to open fire until the animal was within 20 yards of the gun.

England's Oldest Widow Seeks Another Husband

(Associated Press) TREPTREE, Eng., Dec. 16.—Mrs. Betsy Pennick, who was a debutante when Victoria became Queen of England in 1837, is on the lookout for a husband. She is 106 years old and still going strong. Having just recovered from a period of illness, she says she wants someone to provide for her for the rest of her days. Mrs. Pennick was married 86 years ago, but has been a widow for 40 years. She is thought to be the oldest of King George's subjects in England.

60 Sailors Step Lively When This Woman Commands

(Associated Press) LONDON, Dec. 16.—When the Russ a ship Tovarish sailed from Port Talbot, Glamorganshire, recently, a woman captain, known as Conrad Djalchanki, stood on the quarter-deck in command of a crew of 60 men. The original captain of the Tovarish was released from prison in Russia to navigate the vessel. When it arrived at Port Talbot he disappeared, and all efforts on the part of Soviet agents to find him failed. Friends said he knew he would be forced to return to prison immediately upon his arrival in Russia, and that he seized the first opportunity to escape.

Tutankhamen's Mother-in-Law Was Great Lover

LONDON, Dec. 16.—A woman whose amazing beauty enchants the eye and the mind, although she died in Egypt 3,500 years ago, is causing a sensation in one of the Egyptian rooms of the British Museum. She is Queen Nefertiti, wife of the Pharaoh Akhnaton, and mother-in-law of Tutankhamen. The almost life-size colored bust which has just been presented to the museum is a replica of the original found in the ruins of Tell-Amarna, and now in the Berlin Museum.

Perhaps European

"She is the finest example of Egyptian portraiture," says Dr. Hall, keeper of the Egyptian antiquities in the British Museum. "Famous archaeologists and artists who have seen her agree that she is most beautiful woman of antiquity, and that as a work of art her portrait bust is the most living thing that has come down from the ancient world. Her personality is surrounded by mystery. Some experts think she was a Syrian, others even suggest that she may have come from Europe.

A strange fact about this remarkable work is that the left socket is vacant. Archaeologists are divided between the belief held by Arthur Weigall, the great authority on this period, that the queen was blind in one eye, or that the sculptor did not finish his work. Visitors to the museum have suggested to the authorities that the empty eye socket should be filled in.

The Perfect Lovers

Nefertiti is linked with the first royal love affair pictured by artists. Earlier and later queens of Egypt are sculptured beside their husbands in conventional attitudes, but Akhnaton commanded his artists at El Amarna to paint himself and his wife, not as king and queen of Egypt, but as human beings. The rock tombs of Amarna are full of realistic reliefs showing Akhnaton and his beautiful wife holding hands. There is one picture of Nefertiti sitting on her husband's knee. The history of the ideal City of the Sun built by Akhnaton 3,500 years ago, so that he and his wife could experiment with Utopia, suggests that this delicate aristocratic woman was also one of the first great lovers in history.

Talked to Death Says His Doctor

EDMONTON, Dec. 16.—A new cause was recognized recently when Donald Mackie, Provincial registrar, accepted a death certificate from a Lethbridge doctor in which the cause was given as "talked to death." The doctor refused to change the certificate, explaining that he had operated upon the patient, who would have recovered had not a number of relatives literally "talked him to death" in an effort to get him to change his will.

Farmers Flock To Cities And France Lacks Bread

(Associated Press) PARIS, Dec. 16.—Making 500,000 grains of wheat grow from one in a year and a half, was cited in the dusty debate of the Chamber of Deputies on agriculture recently as a laboratory accomplishment, rather than putting in the shade the old adage about making two leaves grow where one grew before. This scientific achievement was used by Deputy Comper-Moral to show how valuable science could be to the farmer.

France has a back to the farm movement but the tide to the city continues to increase. Before the war more than half the population was rural, it was shown by the various speakers, and now only a third of the people cultivate the soil. And meantime the wheat shortage, extraordinarily serious this year, is worrying economists and politicians for the reason that bread, the standard of the Frenchman for the cost of living, goes up in price constantly without regard to the campaigns of successive cabinets and long speeches by ministers of different political complexions. In comparing practice with possibility, M. Comper-Moral said the farmer, on an average, grew only 25 grains of wheat from one while the scientist grew his half million.

LLOYD GEORGE SEES TROUBLE VERY SOON

Russia Wants Her Lost Provinces Back—Advises Watchful Eye

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The result of the German elections tells the same story as the American, British and French elections—people everywhere want to settle down to business. In each case they have returned parties that they think, for the time being, to be least likely to create disturbance. In one country it may be the Conservatives—in the next it is the Radicals—in the third it is the Socialists. In France, the Conservatives were committed to the continued reign of the sword in the Rhineland. The French peasant wanted peace and quiet, so he voted Radical. In Britain, the Socialist Government, as long as it worked quietly at its problems, gave satisfaction in quite unexpected quarters and a general election in the summer might have strengthened it; but it very foolishly entangled itself with a foreign government, whose leading supporters were organizing movements to stir up mutiny in our army and navy, and the nation swept the Conservatives into power with the largest majority that party ever achieved. The country was so anxious for a quiet life that, in order to make sure, it chose the party which it deemed to be the furthest removed from the disturbances.

Man's Great Faith In Power of Drugs

LONDON, Dec. 16.—How the finding of a pearl in a mussel first awakened his interest, in surgery was told by Sir John H. L. St. John, the famous surgeon, at a lecture in Manchester. "My father," said Sir John, "learning that pearls occur in freshwater mussels, led us to collect a bushel. After carefully searching them he found one pearl as big as a grain of mustard seed. This shell was experience quickened in me an interest in animal concretions, especially pearls, bezels, agate, opals—and finally gall-stones." Sir John went on to comment on man's faith in drugs. "Next to belief in the existence of a future place of permanent bliss," said Sir John, "nothing is more deeply rooted in the mind of man than faith in drugs.

Sees Christmas Tree First Time

LAPORTE, Ind., Dec. 16.—This Christmas will be the happiest in the life of Lillian Palen, nine years old. She will see a Christmas tree loaded with beautiful presents for the first time. Lillian's sight has been restored to her through operations performed by Dr. Joel Whitaker of Indianapolis. The child was born blind in July, 1915. While Lillian was in the school for the blind at Indianapolis, Dr. Whitaker performed the first operation on her eyes. Two more operations later have given the child sight. Lillian, whose mother and father desisted her and her three sisters three years ago, is living with an aunt near here. She is going to school where she stands high in her classes and is popular with her classmates and teachers.

700 Tons of Mail On Way to Canada

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The Royal Mail steamer Ohio has left Southampton carrying an enormous Christmas mail for Canada, consisting of 6,000 bags representing nearly 700 tons.

WHY SHE DID NOT OBJECT

It is a poor yarn that doesn't stand an occasional new adaptation, which we consider apology enough for the following revival: Two girls, strangers to each other, were seated at the table in a fashionable restaurant. One of them finishing when the other was about to begin, lunched back in her chair and lit a cigarette. The other one seemed to resent this and said: "I suppose you do not object to my eating while you are smoking?" Her vis-a-vis looked at her quizzically, and then answered brightly: "Well, no, not so long as I can hear the orchestra."

Use Ostrich Skin For Newest Shoes

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The up-to-date woman has a regular "monogerie" in her shoe cupboard. To dainty footwear—including those made of crocodile, lizard, alligator, shark, and sea-leopard—she must now add a pair made of ostrich skin. This is a new departure, and shoes composed of it look smart and promise to wear well. It is brown, and the holes out of which feathers have been plucked show a deeper tone and make an effective decoration. A west end shoemaker, who has introduced these shoes, is also making models in walrus skin, and is experimenting with the skin of the rayfish, which he thinks will be very successful for footwear. New versions of the court shoe are said to be the successors to the popular strap shoe.

Allocates Land

MOSCOW, Dec. 16.—The Soviet Government has allocated 400,000 acres of land in the Volga and Northern Caucasian regions for settlement by Russians returning from Canada and the United States. The returning colonists will be encouraged to establish agricultural stations and develop the soil generally. "NATION-WIDE FAME"—There is scarcely a corner of this great Dominion where the merits of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil have not been tried and proved. It is one of the world's most efficient remedies for sore throat, lame back and many other ailments arising from inflammation. Rubbed on the skin its healing power is readily absorbed, and it can also be taken internally.

Human Blood Price Cut to \$25 a Pint

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 16.—Human blood is not worth more than \$25 a pint, the Ohio Industrial Commission ruled last week, in cutting down the price of Thomas Shown, an attendant at Charity Hospital who gave a pint of blood to a patient.

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