

# Let the basement help you with Christmas Shopping

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| Girls Bloomer Sets<br>Sizes 8 - 16 years<br>Price -----                                   | 79c  | Ladies Silk and Wool<br>Hose.<br>Price, pr. ---   | 29c  |
| Girls Silk Nightgowns.<br>Fancy trimmed. Sizes<br>8 - 16 years.<br>Price -----            | 79c  | Ladies Cashmere Hose in<br>all the latest<br>shades. Price, pr.                         | 39c  |
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| Eru Lace Runners<br>Price, each -----   | 50c  | Linen Bridge Sets<br>Price -----  | 89c  |
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**NEW GUINEA PROSPERS**

CANERRA, Australia—Revenue from the mandated territory of New Guinea was \$1,600,000 in 1936, government officials announced. Gold mining, higher copra prices and increased customs collections were responsible for the new record.

**MINING IMPROVES**

SYDNEY, N. S. W.—Coal output in New South Wales has doubled since 1932. Coal shipped for bank-

Banks	Open	Close
Bk of Can	58	58
Bk of Com	170	170
Bk of Mont	214	214
Bk of Nova Scotia	312	312
Royal Bank	199	199

ers or as cargo shows 30 per cent improvement. Pig-iron production for the first seven months of 1936 was 140 percent higher than in the same period of 1935, and output of steel ingots was doubled.

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- CANDY** Hard Mixed 2 lbs. ----- **25c**
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**PORK HOCKS** lb. ----- **8c**
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## Zealand Tries Minimum Wage Maximum Week

WELLINGTON, New Zealand, Dec. 10—New Zealand has bid for prosperity with a plan for maximum hours, minimum wages, compulsory collective bargaining and rigid conditions of labor.

Such social reform measures here are not new; the first step along that line was taken more than 44 years ago with an investigation into sweat-shop conditions.

The capstone of the work was considered by many to be the recent decision of the New Zealand arbitration court establishing minimum wages of £3 16s (£19) for men and £1 16s (£9) for women for a 40-hour week.

The first Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act was passed in 1, 1895, and the present law of the same name was enacted in 1925 with the wage provision set by the arbitration court under an amendment passed June 8, 1936.

In fixing the wage the court was empowered by law to take under consideration "the general economic and financial conditions then affecting trade and industry in New Zealand, the cost of living and any fluctuations in the cost of living."

It was added: "The basic of wages for adult male workers fixed under the authority of this section shall be such as to raise as would, in the opinion of the court, be sufficient to enable a man to maintain a wife and three children in a fair and reasonable standard of comfort."

Other sections of the law provide for unionization of workers, in some cases compulsory unionization, and sets up a system for the arbitration of industrial disputes.

In reducing hours to 40 a week the court was asked to increase hourly or piece-work wages so the total weekly pay envelope of the employee would be just as large as under the longer work week. An attempt was made to limit, so far as possible, work on Saturdays.

In the long and bitter debate over the bill, one member of parliament in defending higher wages declared: "As the volume of production increases so must the spending power of the people to purchase and consume goods." One member asked: "Must the people of New Zealand go hungry for no other reason than that there is too much for them to eat?"

Manufacturers contended higher wages and shorter hours would increase production costs so much that prices would be forced up, thereby lowering the purchasing power of the workers' wages.

Members of parliament from farming communities pleaded that farmers could not meet the additional costs. Said a member: "The farming community can pass more of these costs on in spite of what has been said to the contrary over and over again in this House. We know that world party fixes our prices absolutely. Let prices rise in this country about that parity and the market is glutted with primary produce withheld from export and awaiting sale."

But the law was passed, and both those who were for and against it sat back and awaited the economic result of their planning.

## Meet Me At Holman's



Bring Mother and Dad along too! Old Santa loves to chat with everybody. I'm in my toyland at Holman's on the following days —

**SUMMERSIDE**  
Tuesdays — Thursdays — Saturdays  
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Wednesdays — Fridays  
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# HOLMAN'S

## Ever-Modern Shakespeare

(Christian Science Monitor)

Had William Shakespeare been a keen and obedient student of William Shakespeare it probably would never have happened. However, he was not, and it did.

Mr. Shakespeare (actor) was recently fined for exceeding the speed limit at a spot within a few hundred yards of the site of the ancient Bankside theatre where Shakespeare (author) used to have his plays performed. How often must the air of the parts have resounded with the prophetically warning words written by the earlier William: "O most wicked speed, To post with such dexterity."

This incident reminds us that among the most interesting aspects of Shakespeare is the ability of his work to reveal ever-fresh applications to changing conditions not foreseen by lesser men. This test Shakespeare passes with triumph. The myteries of the modern internal combustion engine did not baffle him: "Whence is that knocking?" he pertinently inquired in "Ma-beth." But, of course, when he asked, writing of Windsor, England, "which of you know Ford of this town?" he was a whole continent out.

It was not motoring only, however, that Shakespeare foresaw. Did he not anticipate the crockery-breaking comedian of pantomime when, in "Anthony and Cleopatra" he exclaimed: "Realms and islands were As plates dropped from his pocket, And is there not a faithful picture of one temporarily unemployed standing heftily in front of a cinema, in the words, 'In equal scale weighing delight and dole'?"

## These the first caught becomes Mother Hen and the second Daddy Bunting.

The "chickens" are then gathered together once more and the march begins again.

## TAKE 4 OUR CHRISTMAS LEMON RACE

Another good game while the chairs are being used is the Lemon Race. After placing the chairs in a circle, sides should be picked, one side occupying half the circle of chairs and the other side the other half. Now the kiddies must hold on to the edges of their chairs and stretch their legs out in front of them, toes touching. The use of hands in this game is "strictly prohibited."

Two good-sized lemons are brought in and placed between the toes of the "Captains" who sit at the beginning of each half-circle. The lemons must be passed from one pair of toes to the next without the feet touching the ground, and if dropped must be quickly picked up by an M.C. and placed once more between the first pair of toes, the side that drops the lemon starting all over again. I may mention that fresh starts are frequent, but they only make for hilarity. The winning side is, of course, the one that succeeds in passing the lemon completely around the half-circle.

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| Old Sydney Screened             | --- 9.00    |
| Inverness Screened              | --- 8.75    |
| Albion Nut, Stove, Lump         | --- 8.50    |
| Springhill Screened             | --- 8.00    |
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## Text Received Of Instrument Of Abdication

His Honour Lieut.-Gov. DeBlols yesterday received the following message from Ottawa:

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 10, 1936.

Col. the Hon. G. D. DeBlols, Lieutenant Governor of Prince Edward Island, Charlottetown.

His Excellency the Governor General has received the text of an instrument of abdication executed this day by His Majesty King Edward VIII.

It is in following terms, "I Edward eighth of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the seas, King, Emperor of India do hereby declare my irrevocable determination to renounce the throne for myself and for my descendants and my desire that effect should be given to this instrument of abdication immediately in token whereof I have heretofore set my hand this tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and thirty six in the presence of the witnesses whose signatures are subscribed, signed Edward R. I.

My execution of this instrument has been witnessed by my three brothers, their Royal Highnesses the Duke of York, Duke of Gloucester, and the Duke of Kent, signed in the presence of Albert Henry George.

(Signed) Fernand Rinfret, Secretary of State.

## News Briefs From P.W.C.

By CHARLES E. MACARTHUR

The last Sunday evening's song service was held Dec. 6th in Zion Presbyterian Church at the hour of 8:30. The speaker for the evening was Mr. Denton, Minister of the Baptist Church.

The students of this institution are very pleased to see the Principal, Dr. S. N. Robertson, M. A., L. D., around as well as ever. Dr. Robertson had a bad cold for a couple of days but he is well again.

The Christmas holidays commence Dec. 18th and will continue until January 5th.

Congratulations are extended to the staff of the College Times. This magazine is far superior to other years. It contains poems, articles, letters, corridor gossip, bits of humor and many other interesting things.

The students of this college wish to thank those who patronized them by inserting ads in the College Times. If it were not for them this magazine would not be printed.

Mr. Irlam, physical training instructor at P. W. C., has discontinued P. T. until after the examinations.

The athletic committee are trying hard to revive the old college skates that were so active a few years ago.

## Shining Star Christmas Concert

The Shining Star Mission Band of St. James Church gave a delightful Christmas concert in the Sunday School last evening with a good attendance of parents and friends. The chairman, Mr. R. R. Hurst, ably presided and thanked all those who helped in the success of the concert, particularly mentioning the leader Mrs. N. D. MacLean and her immediate helpers and also Miss Hornby and Miss B. Huestis for their presence and help. Mrs. K. M. Martin presided at the piano and the little ones in their own inimitable manner sang, played and recited individually and in unison in a manner reflecting much credit on their teachers. Miss Marie Davis' dances in costume and Miss Beryl McDonald's violin solo were so insistently applauded that encores were given but owing to the lengthy program other encores were politely responded to by graceful bows. Rev. Dr. Legate congratulated the young performers on the fine work they were accomplishing and encouraged the children and their leaders to still further efforts. "Toothsome candy was sold and the evening closed with God Save the King.

Following is the program:  
Reading, "Welcome", Margaret MacKenzie.  
Chorus: "Christmas Carol", Band.  
Piano Solo: Elaine Porter.  
Vocal Solo: "Don't you Tell", Janet Scott.  
Reading: "Christmas Song", Edith MacKay.  
Vocal Duet: Eleanor and Elaine Bourke.  
Piano Solo: Elizabeth Martin.

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"THROUGHOUT the season pelts will be received for the Prince Edward Island Fur Pool Limited by R. W. Stewart, Clark Brothers Store, Montague and J. A. Webster, 156 Richmond St., Charlottetown. L-600.

## ALAS, THE POOR GREEK

CAPE TOWN—Panaziotis Vafidis, 72, a Greek who lived here in present penury for 34 years, died leaving \$300,000 made in tearooms and stocks, to two nieces in Greece.

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—By George McManus

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