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Another Exciting Tale of The Sea—U. S. Gov't. "Regrets" Shawnee Incident

Two Schooners Of Bonavista Fleet Still Missing

Thrilling Rescue Of Crew Of The "Jennie Blackwood" Told On Arrival Of Rescue Ship In Nfld.—Two Lifeboats Smashed In Heavy Seas.

(Canadian Press)
ST. JOHN'S Nfld., Dec. 13.—Rescue of the crew of the schooner, the Jennie Blackwood, was about to founder, Captain Edgar Rogers and his crew of nine arrived here today aboard the Furness liner Nova Scotia, which took the men aboard at midnight last night, the only time a rescue would have been possible, owing to a lull in continuous storms that have raged since the schooner, in company with

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ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

**Will be unloading a carload of stove coal today at Albany. Frank McKay. 530

**Come to the Christmas Concert in Pownall Hall, Monday, December 23rd. 486-12-13-21.

**Loading poultry, geese, ducks, and turkeys, at Millview, Dec. 16 and 17th. Mr. Nash Grader, (Sgd.) Millview Livestock Shipping Club. 449-12-11-51

**Come to the Parlor Social at Harry Weeks', Elliotts, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 18th. If stormy Thursday. 521-12-14-17

**Dr. Cliff, D. D.—Start now home prevention cure. Now at Purdy Station, Westchester Co., N. Y., U. S. A.

**The Long River Xmas Concert will be held in the Hall on Friday, December 20th. Admission 25 cents. 502-12-14-11.

**Come to the School Concert and Christmas Tree in Stanley Bridge Hall, Thursday evening, December 19th. Admission 25 cents. 508-12-14-21.

**Will the lady who borrowed for her boy the Gordon Tartan kilt suit from Mrs. Burnett, kindly return same as it is required at an early date. 12-13-14.

**Come to the Concert and Christmas Tree in Graham's Road Hall, Wednesday, December 18th. If no fine, first fine night following. 505-12-14-16-18.

**All loyal members of Lyon Orange Lodge, Uig, are requested to attend a meeting of Lodge on Monday night, December 16th to elect officers and prepare for the annual goose supper. Signed, Recording Secretary. 429-12-11-wedat.

**The Stanley Bridge Rink opens Saturday night, December 14th. Skating nights, Wednesday and Saturday. 517-12-14-11.

**Egg Circle Members—Bring your Chickens, Fowl, etc., to H. L. Machon's Murray Harbor Tuesday morning, December seventeenth, Murray River Temperance Hall, afternoon. Your Association buying. 491-12-13-31.

**Prof. Oscar M. Emanuel, Boston, Mass., will open a violin studio at 107 Queen Street, next door to Canadian National Express, on or about December 19th. 492-12-13-31.

U. S. GOV'T. SENDS NOTE OF APOLOGY

Expressed Regrets For The Firing By Coastguard Patrol On Canadian Vessel Shawnee.

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The United States Government in a note to Canada has expressed its "regrets" for the firing by a Coastguard patrol boat on the Canadian vessel Shawnee, September 11, off New York Harbour. The communication to the Ottawa Government was handed to Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian Minister to Washington, and was in reply to a request by the Canadians for information concerning the incident. The apology of the United States contains the admission that the firing upon the Canadian vessel had been "without legal authority."

In reviewing the facts of the incident, stated in the United States note to have come from appropriate authorities and understood to be based on the coastguards report of the firing, the communication charged that the Shawnee was a vessel engaged in smuggling liquor and built especially to violate United States laws. The Coastguard boat came up on the Shawnee some 15 miles off the nearest land in the vicinity of New York Harbour and after the Canadian vessel is alleged to have ignored signals by horns, lights and blank shells, the patrol boat fired five shells into the ship.

Ten Million In Gold To London

(Canadian Press)
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—The National City Bank has arranged to send \$10,000,000 in gold to London on the liner Berengaria, sailing tonight, it was learned today. This is in addition to the \$11,000,000 which the Irving Trust Company is sending on the Bremen tomorrow night. As reported yesterday the National City shipment is understood to include the \$7,800,000 consignment rumored yesterday, so that the total so far negotiated on the present movement is believed to be \$21,000,000.

(Special to the Guardian)
SAULT STE MARIE Ont., Dec. 13.—A survey of weather conditions here today shows that it has snowed in the Sault for the past twenty-three days, with the forecasts indicating additional snow tomorrow.

**Don't miss "The District School" in Long Creek Hall, Wednesday, December 18th. Sale of fancy work and candy. Admission 25c and 15c. 503-12-14-11.

**Come to the Annual Baptist Bazaar and Chicken Supper in Tryon Hall, Tuesday, December 17th from 5 to 9 o'clock. Supper 40 and 25 cents. 506-12-14-21.

**Annual Meeting of Kingston Telephone Co., Ltd., will be held in the Kingston Hall, Saturday, December 21st at 7:30 p. m. 498-12-14-11.

Nobility Takes The Air



The photograph here shows Lord and Lady Louis Montbatten, recently at the Hamble aerodrome, Southampton, Eng., just prior to making a flight in a three-engined cabin plane. Lord Montbatten is training for his pilot's license and contemplates acquiring the plane in which he and Lady Montbatten made the flight, piloted by Louis Paget.

More Santa Pals Are Needed that Many Children May Have A Merry Xmas

Up to the present the response to the call for Santa-Pals has been very gratifying; however, this response has by no means equalled the application for Christmas help. Each day sees a large number of names added to both lists, but the chat of the needy children seems to keep persistently ahead. Somewhere there are eager little eyes watching daily in hopes of seeing a name taken off the list. Those eyes may be filled with tears on Christmas morning if YOU do not become a Santa-Pal now. Since the inauguration of the Santa-Pal idea by The Guardian in 1924, hundreds of children, who under ordinary circumstances, would have gone Santaless, have been made happy on Christmas. Last year more than three hundred children were benefited by more than three hundred Santa-Pals. This year the list may be somewhat smaller, owing to the fact that toys, candy and fruit are the only articles for distribution, but the same principle is involved, and it is hoped that Guardian readers will be equal to the occasion. Santa-Pals are requested to send in donations as soon as possible, and not later than December 20. Continued on page 3

Fire At Cardigan Razes Meat Market And Store

A fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the meat market and grocery store of Mr. A. J. Redmond, Cardigan, on Thursday night about 10:30 o'clock. The building was a two-story structure, 40 feet by 28 feet, well finished and contained a small stock, chiefly meat and a few groceries. The whole loss is estimated at about \$2,000, of which only a small part covered by insurance. The fire evidently started in the rear of the warehouse, near the refrigerator, and had gained considerable headway before it was

Member of Rhodes Government Ill

(Canadian Press)
HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 13.—The future of the Government led by Hon. E. N. Rhodes lay in the hand of a surgeon for a brief period tonight, while Dr. A. M. C. D. Morton, mem-

ber for Halifax, was operated on for acute appendicitis. The operation proved entirely satisfactory and it is anticipated Dr. Morton will be restored to health in time to take an active part in the by-election of January 21 to fill the vacancy caused by the tragic death in an automobile accident last summer of Hon. John F. Mahoney, Minister of Natural Resources. The present standing in the house is: Conservatives 22; Liberals 20; vacant 1, total 43.

Fisher Folk In Newfoundland Are Destitute

(Special to the Guardian)
TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 13.—Appalling losses of Newfoundland fisher folk were detailed in a report received yesterday by J. A. McLeod, General Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia from branches of the Bank in the stricken area. Devastation created by the tidal wave that swept Burin Peninsula a few weeks ago has resulted in entire villages being deprived of fishing equipment with which to resume operations in the spring. Practically the whole waterfront of St. Lawrence was swept away including five dwellings, a loss of at least \$150,000. The report declares Rock Harbor, a small fishing settlement was cleaned out of all its floating property; Lords Cove practically wiped out and two thirds of Point Au Gaul has been destroyed. One of the worst features of the disaster is the loss of provisions, coal etc., stored by the fishermen for their winter use. About 90 percent of such supplies were swept to sea.

POLICE CHIEF IS AWARDED THREE MONTHS

For Assault on Mayor, After the Former Had Been Dismissed For Unbecoming Conduct.

(Special to the Guardian)
ORANGEVILLE, Dec. 13.—Former police chief William M. Morgan was led to a cell in Dufferin County jail last night sentenced to three months imprisonment for the assault on Mayor T. S. Hewson on Sept. 10, after the council had dismissed Morgan

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Famous College Is Inundated

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Famous Eton College which has been suffering from floods was in a worse plight than ever today because of a further rise of the Thames, plunging the noted playing fields under four to eight feet of water over which sea gulls circled low in search for morsels. The College grounds were almost surrounded the waters hemming them in on three sides, flooding cellars and putting the heating system out of action. The College authorities decided to close the term on Tuesday instead of Thursday next because of the floods. In the upper reaches of the Thames the flood situation was reported improving.

Porat Suspended

(Canadian Press)
NEW YORK, N. Y., Dec. 13.—The New York State Athletic Commission today suspended indefinitely Otto Von Porat, Norwegian heavyweight from Chicago, for fouling Phil Scott in the feature bout of the Christmas Fund Show here Monday night. The Commission also adopted a new ruling governing the payment of boxers who lose on fouls and notified all metropolitan clubs that for the time being the offending athlete will be paid for only the number of rounds he has worked before the low blow was struck. The amount will be decided by the Commission.

SUDDEN FLOOD OF SELLING CRASHES STOCK

Mild Panic On The New York Stock Exchange Carried Issues To Low Levels.

(Special to the Guardian)
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—A sudden flood of selling, striking with terrific impact in the last hour of trading today, carried scores of issues on the New York Stock Exchange down \$2 to \$22 a share. It was the sharpest reaction since Nov. 13, the low point reached in the October-November panic when 420 issues crashed to new low levels for the year. Today sales were only 4,504,860 shares, but nearly 2,000,000 of these changed hands in the final hour. Wall Street attributed the selling to a combination of unfavorable developments. These included the publication of a statement by Roger Babson, well known economist, that the recent advance in prices which recovered 40 percent of the ground lost in the break was only a rally in the "Major Bear Market" and the resumption of heavy gold exports to Great Britain and the announcement of a sharp increase in the stocks of refined copper.

PREPARING PLANS FOR IMMUNIZATION

Red Cross To Begin Anti-diphtheria Work in January.

Plans to immunize the school children of the city against diphtheria immediately after Christmas are being made by the Red Cross Society Miss Mona Wilson, Secretary, told the Guardian yesterday. "At a meeting Thursday night," Miss Wilson said, "The Charlottetown physicians unanimously endorsed the

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Returned Men Get Cheques

(Special to the Guardian)
TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 12.—Thirty three branches of the Canadian Legion which go to form the Toronto and district command were sent cheques last night for nearly \$20 each this being their end of the share in the profits from the series of carnivals run during the year in different parts of the city. "This money is earmarked for relief," Captain C. Nash told the Star. "There has never been a year since the war when it was more welcome. The Legion's share was \$7,756 and we paid out \$1,343 to veterans from Christie Street Hospital in wages for looking after the various concession booths. Each branch got an equal share of \$194."

(Special to the Guardian)
PARIS, Dec. 13.—Walter E. Edge of New Jersey who arrived in Paris today to take up his duties as United States Ambassador to France was accorded an enthusiastic reception by the French and the American colony.

Narrow Escape



George Dickenson, Hamilton, Ont., man, who narrowly escaped death when shoved off a 100-foot precipice in Mountain Park, by an armed thug, after being robbed.

LETTER CARRIER GETS 3 YEARS

(Special to the Guardian)
TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 13.—Judge Denton in Sessions Court today sentenced Samuel E. Horne, 41, Fernman Ave., to three years in the penitentiary for stealing a letter containing \$4 and a number of stamps. Horne was a letter carrier with 23 years service in the Postal Department.

WHEAT CROP

(Special to the Guardian)
WINNIPEG, Dec. 13.—The Northwest Grain Dealers Association this afternoon released a final estimate for the 1929 crop of 271,556,000 bushels of wheat. Its estimate issued in October was 256,000,000. It further estimates that 24,501,000 bushels remain in farmer's hands for delivery.

Flat Denial

(Canadian Press)
QUEBEC, Que., Dec. 13.—Flat denial was given today by Premier Taschereau of a despatch in a Toronto paper asserting that the members of the Canadian Newspaper Institute had abandoned the policy of demanding sixty dollars per ton for newsprint from Canadian mills and that the price for 1930 would be last year's figures of \$55.30.

PRINCE EDWARD OPENS SHORTLY FOR TALKIES

New Equipment And Interior Decorations Bring The Theatre Up To Date In Every Respect.

When the doors of the Prince Edward Theatre open next Thursday with the newly installed equipment for the talking pictures and with the interior completely refurbished and decorated, Charlottetown picture fans will indeed be agreeably surprised. The decorative scheme in grey and brown is pleasing and restful to the

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GIVES REASONS WHY LIBERALS WERE DEFEATED

Saskatchewan's Prem. Attributes Downfall To Bad Roads, Sectarian Schools, etc.—Demands That Natural Resources Be Given Back to Province.

(Special to the Guardian)
TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 13.—Saskatchewan's demands that she be given back natural resources alienated by the Dominion Government, have just been made at Ottawa by Hon. J. T. M. Anderson, Premier of Saskatchewan, who arrived in Toronto last night. He is accompanied by Hon. J. R. Bryant, Minister of Public Works and Telephones and by Hon. Major M. A. MacPherson, Attorney General

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FIRST WOMAN SENATOR MAY BE FROM ONT.

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—The Ottawa Evening Citizen in its columns today carries the following: "According to gossip which prevails here in high circles, the first woman Senator will come from Ontario. It will not be surprising if Agnes MacPhail, M. P. is given the refusal of it, but in all likelihood if this course is followed it will be a refusal. Miss MacPhail has never displayed any abiding affection for the Upper House. Her references to it have always been critical. Nor it is likely she would relinquish the role of feminine reformer of the Second Chamber."

The Weather, Etc

9 MORE SHOPPING DAYS



South east winds, rain, changing to sleet.
Toronto, cloudy 32-36
Montreal, cloudy 2-7
Quebec, cloudy 4-7
Charlottetown, cloudy 25-1
Halifax, fog 20-8
St. John, cloudy 18-6
Boston, cloudy 26-24
New York, rain 32-32
High tide this morning at 9:09 and tonight at 8:36.
Sun rises this morning at 7:35 and sets this afternoon at 4:15.
Full moon Monday, Dec. 16, 7:14 a. m.
Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

McLURE and MacKINNON, Representing Hudson's Bay Company, London, England, Will be at the Queen Hotel Sample Rooms Summerside, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, December 16th 17th and 18th. and Will Purchase Silver Foxes and all Other Furs Paying HIGHEST MARKET PRICES For Same