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**HIGHFIELD SERVICES.**—Services at Highfield Presbyterian church, Sunday the 9th at 1 p.m. instead of the usual hour.

**ODD FELLOWS AT HOME.**—Wildley Lodge entertained their members last night at a bean supper. The members were presented with a musical program and a brief outline of Odd Fellowship by several past grands. There was a large number present and an enjoyable evening was spent.

**LAID TO REST.**—The funeral of the late Arthur Duffy was held Thursday morning from his parents' residence, Prince Street to St. Dunstan's Cathedral, where a Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Maurice McDonald. The scholars of Queen Square School preceded the hearse and the little class mates of the deceased attended as mourners. The little white casket was borne to and from the hearse by Masters Joe Trainor, Alfred McEachern, Clifford McGuigan, Gerald McGuigan, Maurice Reardon and Melvin Duffy. Service at the grave was conducted by Rev. Jas. Rooney.

**CAMPAIGN HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL SO FAR.**—The success of the Prince Edward Island Hospital campaign throughout Charlottetown has already exceeded expectations, although all the returns are not yet in. At last night's supper for the campaign workers in Zion Church social hall there was a very enthusiastic meeting and the total returns to date were announced at \$45,489.50, a gain of \$4,487 over the previous evening's report. This is practically all from Charlottetown, as the country districts will not be heard from until the first of next week. There is every expectation that the people of the country will realize their obligations to the Hospital and will respond generously. If this is the case the success of the campaign is assured.

**DARING ROBBERY.**—A daring robbery was perpetrated between 8.15 p. m. and 8.45 p. m. Thursday night when the insurance office of G. J. McCormac & Company, Ltd., Kent Street, was entered by means of a back window which was forced open and a cash box in the office, containing about \$70.00 and a number of receipts and other papers, stolen. Miss McCormac, who was working in the office between 8 and 9 o'clock, had gone to the Post Office for the mail and it was during her short absence that the robbery took place. On returning she continued her work until about 10 o'clock, when, while putting away the books in the safe, she discovered that the cash box was missing. The police authorities were notified immediately and a search this morning resulted in the discovery of the cash box in a field near the Oil Tanks. The box had been smashed open and the money taken. Most of the receipts and papers were left in the box, the remainder being scattered around the field. As it is possible that someone noticed the thieves going in the direction of the Oil Tanks carrying the box, information of this kind if given to the Police might greatly assist them, as they already have some information leading to the discovery of the culprits.

**Ex-Crown Prince Retains Ambition**

ERLIN, Dec. 7.—Since the crown prince arrived at Oslo, certain facts have leaked out that make him appear anything but the harmless victim of British stances, as those who are responsible for his return from exile would have him appear. From a man who says a great deal of the crown prince during his return trip that lasted fully four days, your correspondent hears the crown prince met many well known officers of high rank at various points, with whom he discussed the political situation in a manner that left no doubt he was highly interested. Indeed, he said on one occasion that nobody could expect him to sit still and look on while Germany was going to pieces.

Once when the green police were discussed with their discipline. He was told that 80 per cent of this green police were loyal republicans, whereupon he remarked: "Twenty thousand men of the kind I would see should be sufficient to wipe the whole machinery of this republic off the map of Germany."

"Just my luck," said the prisoner, as he threw the magazine across his cell in disgust.

"Nothing but continued stories, and my execution's fixed for next Friday."

"Dog heeler—What breed do you like best lady?"

"Father, were you ever felled as a boy?"

"Of course I was, Dick."

"Then what's the use of trying on me?"



**Commence Xmas Shopping Today**

**YOU REMEMBER LAST CHRISTMAS.**—You remember the rush, and push, and hurry and crowding as well as the worry of the last minute shopping. You remember you promised yourself "when next Christmas comes, I'll have my shopping done the first week." Well, this is "NEXT CHRISTMAS" and the first week's gone. Shop today!

**Some Ideal Christmas Gifts for Ladies**

- Striped Silk Scarves, 4.50.
- Plain Silk Knitted Scarves, all colors \$3 & 3.75.
- Narrow plain Knitted Scarves in mauve, white and gray, \$1.75.
- Pure Thread Silk Scarves, white only 6.50 & 7.25
- Hand Bags of Suede in the latest shapes with fancy fixings, \$7.25.
- Fancy Combs, set with colored stones, \$1.10, 1.60 to 3.25.
- Novelty Bracelets 20 cents to \$1.00.
- Dainty Lingerie Clasps, 50c and 60c.
- Handkerchief Straps, 30c to \$3.25.
- Dainty Silkwear for Xmas Gifts
- Silk Camisoles at \$1, 1.75, 2.25 to 3.25.
- Silk Bloomers in pink, white and mauve at 3.00 to 4.25.
- Satinette Bloomers in all colors per pair \$2.50.
- Pongee Gowns \$5.95.
- Pongee Princess Slips \$4.25.
- Silk Princess Slips \$5.75.
- Lovely crepe Pyjamas in pink and yellow, per pair, \$3.25.
- Rubberized Novelties for Christmas
- Rubberized Chintz Aprons, 85c and 90c.
- Rubberized Nursery Rhyme Aprons for children, 45c.
- SOAP BUBBLE COMBINATION SET consisting of soap, pipe, and rubberized apron, each, 75c.
- Bib and Tray Sets in rubberized material, 60c.
- Stuffed Oilcloth Dolls, each, 90c.
- Blankets Make Lovely Christmas Gifts
- Kenwood Blankets of all pure wool in plain and checked colors, each \$10.00.
- Dainty Boudoir Caps in all shades, 90c, \$1.35, \$1.60 and 2.75.
- New style Vanity Cases, in blue, red and fawn, \$2.00 and 2.50.
- Fancy Garters in all colors, \$1.00 and 1.25.
- Ladies' Umbrellas 1.75, 2.25, 4.50, 5.25 to 10.50.
- Children's Umbrellas at \$1.00 and 1.25.
- Ladies' Gloves, 65c, \$1.00, 2.50, 3.00 to 5.00.
- Evening Fans in a lovely assortment of shades \$4.75 and \$6.00.
- Fancy colored Handkerchiefs at 25c, 35c & 50c.
- Fancy boxed Handkerchiefs in white and colors, per box, 20c, 75c, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00.
- Xmas Ideas in Ready-to-Wear
- White hand made Blouses each \$3.25 and 4.75.
- Crepe de Chine Blouses, each \$6.95 to 12.00.
- Tricolette Blouses in colors, 2.75 and 4.50.
- Alltime crepe Blouses in colors, 6.95.
- Silk Underskirts in a lovely range of colors, 5.95
- Cardigan Sweaters in a large range of colors, \$4.50, 4.75 and 5.25.
- Ladies' Sweaters ranging from \$3.25 to 8.75.
- Children's Pullover Sweaters, \$1.50.
- Lovely Silk Kimonos at 10.00 to 13.50.
- Velvet Kimonos in six lovely colors at \$9.75.
- Crepe Kimonos from 3.00 to 5.50.
- Fur Coats at \$69, \$98, \$135, \$150, \$195, \$225, up to \$450.
- Small Fur Coats in Squirrel, Mink, Fitch, Hudson, Seal at \$9, \$12, \$16, \$18, \$22 to \$36
- Large Neck Pieces, \$12 to \$75.
- All wool Blankets at \$7.75, \$8.25, \$10 and 11.50 per pair.

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**To Check Criminals by European Methods**

(United Press)  
 WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—International adoption of the "know book" as a means of checking criminals, eliminating much government red tape and keeping tabs generally on all members of the community, is advocated, according to private advices received here, by two Norwegian scientists, Dr. J. A. Mjoen and J. Bo. The "know book" is a suggested pocket pamphlet to be made out for every child and to be kept through his life as a permanent record of his doings. It would contain his fingerprints, photograph, passport, physician's certificate of health, and certificate of his military and civilian record.

**EARNINGS OF CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS**

In the statement of operating results for the month of October, 1923 issued today by the Canadian National Railways, another substantial increase in the net earnings of the System is shown. Gross earnings have increased \$1,07,886 or 5.8% as compared with October, 1922. After deducting operating expenses which amounted to \$21,228,525 a net operating revenue is shown for the month, amounting to \$5,163,470 as compared with net operating re-

	1923	1922	Increase	%
Gross	\$26,391,995	24,984,309	1,407,686	5.6
Operating Expenses	21,228,525	21,688,616	d. 460,091	d. 2.1
Net	5,163,470	3,295,693	1,867,777	56.7
Ten Months				
Gross	\$207,950,236	189,366,655	18,583,571	9.8
Operating Expenses	195,928,941	185,543,648	10,385,293	5.6
Net	12,021,295	3,823,007	8,198,278	214.4

venue of \$3,295,693 for the corresponding month of 1922. The net for October, 1923, shows a gain of \$3,317,500 over the preceding month of September, 1923 and is 56.7% in excess of the net shown for the month of October and for the ten months compare as follows: \$12,021,295 as compared with a net of \$3,823,007 for the first ten months for October, 1922.

The net earnings for the Canadian National Railways for the first ten months of 1923 amount to months of last year.

of his doings. It would contain his fingerprints, photograph, passport, physician's certificate of health, and certificate of his military and civilian record. Not only would this booklet aid police in apprehending culprits, but other far reaching advantages are claimed from it. It would prove useful in census taking, at hospital, in the treatment of the unemployed, as a means of identification at banks, customs houses, foreign ports, military camps, etc. Besides, the system would educate the people in the higher conception of obligation to the community and to a feeling of social solidarity, it is declared. The system is said to be endorsed by Norwegian and German

police and government officials. It will be presented to the forthcoming international conference at Rome on immigration and emigration called for next summer by Premier Mussolini.

**DISCOVERY OF COAL FIELD DUE TO LIGHTNING FLASH**

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 6.—A flash of lightning, well over a hundred years ago, caused the discovery of coal in the Mississippi valley, according to the written word of Father Louis Hennepin, whose records are on file on the shelves of the local historical society. The monks of La Trappe, located in Madison county in 1807 and Father Louis was their historian. That year they found themselves short of fuel, his narrative shows. Their blacksmiths complained of the lack. On being informed that the earth, near the foot of a tree which had been struck by lightning, was afire, the monks went to the spot. Digging a little below the surface they discovered a vein of coal, the first in the northwest territory.

**VIENNA THIEVERY EXAGGERATED**

VIENNA, Dec. 6.—Thievery in Vienna was not as prevalent during the first five months of this year as was made to appear in a story sent out from this city last August in which erroneous figures, inadvertently used, created a wrong impression. It was then related that property of various kinds worth some 750 millions of paper crowns had been stolen during this period of time, and that very few jewels were on display in the shop windows, the custom being regarded as unsafe. As a matter of fact, careful police records show less than nine millions of losses, instead of 750 millions, and that these on the last

streets of Vienna today carry a display of jewels and fine dresses equal to the Rue de la Paix in Paris.

**RICH HINDU GIVES FRANCE WORLD'S LARGEST TELESCOPE**

GENEVA, Dec. 6.—What will be largest observatory in the world, with a telescope more powerful than that at Mount Wilson or Greenwich, is to be built on Mount Saleve, located on French territory a few miles from Geneva. The observatory will be the gift of France to the Hindu millionaire, engineer and scientist, Assan Dinn, and his wife, who was Miss Mary Wallace-Shillito, of Cincinnati. The building, instruments and installation will cost \$6,000,000. The telescope lens will have a diameter of 105 inches, or 5 inches greater than the Mount Wilson instrument.

**JUGOSLAVIA TO MAKE DEMANDS ON ROMANIA, SAYS NEWSPAPER**

BUCHAREST, Dec. 6.—A lively sensation has been created in the Roumanian capital by the publication in Belgrade Tribune of an article outlining new territorial demands to be made on Roumania. The Tribune, which is regarded as the personal organ of Premier Pashitch, points out that the war efforts of Yugoslavia have been inadequately rewarded in the distribution of territory as between Yugoslavia and Roumania. It is pointed out in the article that Roumania must cede to Yugoslavia additional territory down to the Tchernia River. Governmental circles here view this declaration with undisguised uneasiness.

**SOCIALISTS MAKE GAINS IN AUSTRIAN ELECTIONS**

VIENNA, Dec. 7.—The Socialists made a decided gain in the recent election of members to the National Assembly. They lost but one seat, while the Conservative parties lost seventeen. This assembly has 18 fewer members than the last one. It is held in some quarters that the Socialists' success was largely due to organization; they got out their vote, while the Conservatives did not. The result is a keen disappointment to the Social government. The chancellor's success in winning the League of Nations' loan, which virtually saved the country from disruption and possible partition; the general revival of business; and the betterment of conditions in all classes, had been thought to insure a decided conservative majority. As it is the government is no more powerful than it was, and must face the same old conditions unless the Socialists change their minds and consent to a coalition.

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