

WESTERN GUARDIAN

—THE BORDEN HOTEL at Borden, has been taken over by Mrs. P. S. Howatt of Cape Traverse. The name has been changed to Land-down and is now reopened to the travelling public. 11053-12-21-11.

—MR. ROSEBOURNE will continue to buy silver fox pelts at A. E. MacLean's office, Summerside, for a few more days. He has received further large orders and will pay Montreal fur auction prices until his orders are filled. See him at once and get spot cash. 11035-12-19-31.

—CONGRATULATIONS are being extended to Charles Cahill, well known hockey player, and Mrs. Cahill of Summerside on the birth of an infant daughter in the Prince County Hospital on Thursday, Dec. 17th.—S.

—SENT UP TO SUPREME COURT—Samuel Cannon, jr., and Melvin Winchester, who were arrested on a charge of a theft of money from Davis Baker on Nov. 20 and whose case has occupied the attention of the Summerside Police Court for some days were sent up to the Supreme Court by Acting Magistrate D. O. Stewart, on Saturday morning. They were allowed bail. At the same Court two drunks were fined \$3 and \$15 respectively.

—HOME FOR CHRISTMAS—The college students from Prince of Wales College, Dalhousie, Mount Allison and many other places of learning arrived by the evening train of Friday to spend the Christmas vacation at their homes in Summerside and other points west. Many of them will enjoy their vacation all the more as they have the satisfaction of knowing that they have passed high up in the list of the Christmas exams.—S.

—INTERESTING LANTERN LECTURE—Rev. C. J. St. Clair Jeans gave an interesting lantern lecture on France in the Presbyterian Hall on Friday evening. The views shown were beautiful reproductions of some of the French cathedrals and noted places in Paris. The wonderful Cathedral of St. Louis at Rheims was pictured showing the magnificent rose window and the altar and coronation seat of the French kings for over six centuries. Another picture of the cathedral under reconstruction since the war was most interesting. Rural scenes and industrial Paris depicted the French people as a hard working thrifty nation. Some of the gay boulevards of Paris and its show places made an interesting contrast. At intervals during the evening some musical numbers were given by the Misses Wryatts, Miss Helen Peters, Miss Muriel Lee, Mrs. Jack MacLeod, Messrs Lowell Hancock, William Forbes and Earle Schurman.—S.

PERSONALS

—Miss Annie Callaghan is visiting in Kinkora the guest of her sister Mrs. Frank Sullivan.

—Miss Myrtle Noonan of Bedeque has returned home from Kinkora after spending the past week end the guest of Mrs. Frank Sullivan.

—Mrs. Alex MacDonald of O'Leary has entered the Prince County Hospital for treatment.—S.

—Miss Norma MacQuarrie who is attending St. Bernard's College, Antigonish, is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. MacQuarrie of the Queen Hotel, Summerside. She was accompanied by Miss Summer's of Newfoundland, a fellow student.—S.

Montreal Fur Auction Sales

(Canadian Press) MONTREAL, Que., Dec. 19.—Total sales for the four days' auction of 17,500 silver fox pelts which took place at the Canadian Fur Auction Sales Company Limited, amounted to \$410,000, it was announced last night. Eighty per cent. of the collection, the largest of its kind ever assembled under one roof for a special sale in the Dominion, was sold. The average price for the entire lot was \$29.11, or an average decline of 21 1/2 per cent. compared with prices at last January's sale. The next lot of silver foxes is scheduled for sale on January 4.

EYESIGHT EXAMINATION Fitting and Supplying Glasses, etc. H. J. MABON OPTOMETRIST Montague P. E. L. Office Connected With Drugstore

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..*SAVE YOUR COIN by buying your toys and Christmas goods at: Carruthers Drug Store, Montague. 11016-12-19-21-23-31

..*ALL CHRISTMAS and New Year's the Montague Post Office will be closed to the public all day. N. Cumming, P. M. 11044-12-21-21.

..*TOYS, TOYS, Santa Claus is making his headquarters at: Carruthers Drug Store, Montague. 11016-12-19-21-23-31

..*DON'T MISS seeing Toyland while in Montague, wonderful display. Carruthers Drug Store Co. Ltd 11016-12-19-21-23-31

..*BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFTS at Mabon's Drug Store and vote for your favorite girl on the big "Doll Contest." 10960-12-17-61.

..*CHRISTMAS CARDS, Stationery, Parker and Waterman Pen Sets, Cigars and Tobaccos, Ivory Goods, Toilet Sets, Cameras, Moirs Chocolates, Perfume, Pipes, Cigarettes and almost every thing in the gift line at Mabon's Drug Store. 10960-12-17-61.

Vote Of Confidence For M. Laval

PARIS, Dec. 19.—(A.P.)—Premier Pierre Laval won a vote of confidence from the Chamber of Deputies last night after his government had been defeated on a technical detail in connection with France's policy toward the unemployed.

A Socialist motion which would have increased aid to the jobless was made a question of confidence by the Premier, and the Chamber upheld him 316 to 257.

Previously the deputies had voted 292 to 281 to give the Socialist measure priority over a government request for an expression from the Chamber that the Cabinet was wholly able to deal with the unemployment situation.

In the debate on the question of confidence, M. Laval said he always had been a friend of the working man. The government was doing everything possible to relieve the situation, he told the deputies, but could not increase appropriations without imperiling the balancing of the budget.

Other government spokesmen pointed out that the unemployed allowance had been increased from 72 cents to \$1.04 a day.

The Premier warned against indiscriminate doles.

Windsor Theatre Is Destroyed

(Canadian Press) WINDSOR, N. S., Dec. 19.—At 2.30 this morning the Windsor Fire Department had under control flames that destroyed the Imperial Theatre and threatened several buildings in the business section of the town. The theatre was owned by J. H. Bustin.

Heavy Loss From Gas Explosion

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 19.—Explosion of an acetylene tank in the Farmers' Rapids Plant of the Gatineau Power Company late yesterday injured nine men and caused damage of \$15,000 to plant equipment. The men are suffering from severe burns and shock, but all are expected to recover. The explosion is believed to have been due to insufficient air pressure in the tank, allowing the flame to back down and ignite the gas. The tank first burst into flames and while the workmen were engaged in putting out the fire, the gas exploded. The blast blew out more than 200 windows in the plant and shook buildings for some distance around.

Uses Own Pistol To Shoot Police

WICKFORD, R.I., Dec. 19.—State Trooper Arthur L. Staples, 24, of East Providence, was shot through the head with his own pistol and left dead in some bushes off the Tower Hill here last night. A car stolen in Pawtucket earlier in the night was found abandoned near the scene. Staples apparently had been knocked from his motorcycle, carried into the bushes and then killed with his own pistol.

Executives Decision Is Unpopular

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 19.—Donald R. Richberg, General Counsel of twenty-one of the leading Labor brotherhoods, said last night that the agreement reached by railroad executives in New York in regard to cutting wages was "a move of very bad judgment" and would "prove very embarrassing to the brotherhoods' efforts to reach an amicable settlement."

British Millers Reject Quota

(Canadian Press Cable) LONDON, Dec. 19.—The Daily Herald today said a vigorous fight was underway between the British millers and Sir John Gilmour, Minister of Agriculture, over the proposed wheat quota and that the millers have refused to be associated with the scheme.

The Herald says the millers have put forward a scheme of their own, claiming to have the support of the farmers, and urging that millers should be registered and that every sack of flour milled in Great Britain should be subject to a levy. From the proceeds of the levy they suggest the British farmer should be subsidized on the wheat crop to the extent of the difference between the world price and the price guaranteed him.

Culbertsons In The Lead

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Ely Culbertson and his new partner, Theodore A. Lightner, gained 2,950 points on Sidney S. Lenz and Oswald Jacoby in the ninth session in the big 150-rubber contract match ending early today.

Culbertson's team will enter Christmas week 7,915 points in the lead, a greater advantage than Lenz and Jacoby ever had. Culbertson teaming with Mrs. Culbertson or Lightner, has won 34 rubbers of the series to 29 for Lenz and Jacoby. In the ninth session the Culbertson side took six of the nine rubbers.

Pola Negri Is Recovering

(Canadian Press) SANTA MONICA, Cal., Dec. 19.—Pola Negri, noted motion picture actress, has responded to treatment, following an operation Wednesday to remove an intestinal obstruction, but her fever continues, her physicians said tonight.

"Miss Negri has responded to treatment," a bulletin by Dr. Leo J. Madsen said. Her temperature was given as 100 degrees, compared with 102 reached last night.

The actress' physicians said they expected the crisis in her condition tomorrow and were considering the advisability of a second blood transfusion.

Others See Canada As Most Favored Of All Nations

(Canadian Press) TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 19.—With a stirring message of confidence in the future of Canada, coupled with a plea for united effort, Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett addressed the Commercial Travellers' Association here tonight. "Governments cannot do everything," the Prime Minister declared. "But in the ultimate analysis the spirit of the people will determine the future of this country. Governments can tax you and you can pay the taxes grudgingly or otherwise, but you must look beyond that. Remember our traditions, who we are and what we are and the part we play internationally and within the British Empire. Have we not every reason and encouragement resolutely to face problems and do what is necessary toward their solution."

The Prime Minister declared that during his trip to England there had been many expressions of admiration for the courage and achievement of the people of this Dominion; and he had found that other countries felt that Canada was the most favored nation in the world. "Let us at least be as proud of our country as people outside are of it."

He then went on to say the country had its problems and was paying out millions of dollars monthly in connection with pensions, railway and debts. But in England people were paying increasing taxes and doing so gladly, as their bit for England. People with great riches in England were being taxed considerably.

CHRISTMAS--AND MEN! Gifts from "The MEN'S STORE" always get a great reception



SWEATERS Men's Sweaters, coat style with shawl collars, fancy colors Each \$3.50 Men's Jumbo Knit Sweaters, Club colors. Price, each \$5.00 Men's Jumbo Knit Sweaters. Plain shades. Navy, Black, Fawn, Red or White Price, each \$5.00 Men's Pull Over style sweaters, fine silk and wool materials, price \$3.00 Men's Golf Sets, Jersey and Hose to match. Fancy and Plain shades \$4. to \$10. Price, per set

UNDERWEAR Men's Underwear, all wool combinations. Turnbulls, Ceetea, quality \$3. and \$4. Prices per suit Men's Combinations, other grades. Prices \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25 and up Young Men's Underwear, the popular Shirts and Shorts, in Silk and fancy materials. Per Suit \$1.20 to \$1.85

HATS

Men's Borsalino Hats, New shades and shapes, \$7.50 and \$8.00 prices Men's Biltmore Hats, shades, Browns, Fawns and Light shades. Price, each \$5.00

GIFTS VALUED at \$1.00 or more BOXED FREE!

MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS Men's Handkerchiefs, all pure Linen, Irish Hand work, Shire Hemstitch. Initialed. Price 50c each \$2.75 for box half doz Men's finest quality All Linen Handkerchiefs from Belfast, Ireland, 75c each \$4.00 for 1/2 doz Men's All Linen Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched 50c each, \$2.75 for one half doz All Linen Handkerchiefs 35c each \$1.90, 1/2 doz. All Linen Handkerchiefs for Men 25c each \$1.35 for 1/2 doz Men's Fancy Bordered Silk Handkerchiefs, 19c each Men's colored border Lawn and Silkline Handkerchiefs 20c and 25c each

How about BAGGAGE? Trunks Bags Suit Cases

GIVE HIM SHIRTS Men's Collar attached Broadcloth Shirts, colors Plain White, Cream or Blue and other plain shades. Boxed for \$2.50 each. Men's Plain Broadcloth Shirts, colors White, Cream or Blue with separate collar to match. Boxed for \$2.25 each Men's Fancy Shirts in nice stripes and patterns \$1.75, \$2.00, \$3.00 each, boxed Men's better quality Shirts. Tricoline and Luvisca materials. White, Cream, Blue shades boxed for \$4.00 each.

HOW ABOUT MUFLERS? Men's Mufflers, Rayon and Repp materials, Silk Stripes and Checks Reef-er style \$1.00 each Other Handsome Silk Squares at \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75 to \$4.00 each. You Can't go Wrong on TIES Men's Fancy Ties, a great array of pretty patterns priced from 25c each to \$2.25

FIVE GOOD GIFTS Men's Christmas sets, including Braces, Garters, Armbands, etc from \$1.00 up \$1.00 per Men's Belts all leather straps, colors plain Black, Grey or Tan, also fancy grains. Price with Initialed Buckle \$2. Men's English Boxcloth Spats, Fawns and light Grey shades \$2.25 pair Men's English material Snapeasy Spats \$3.00 pair Men's Fancy Socks. All Wool, Silk and Wool and Rayon and Wool. Prices 50c, 75c and \$1.00 per pair.

SILK DRESSING GOWNS \$7.50 to \$13.50

The Store of a Thousand Gifts Moore & McLeod Limited Queen Street Charlottetown.

BATHROBES For BOYS \$2.00 to \$3.50

ably. In this country, as in other countries, the government could not do anything. said to be the petrified bodies of a king and his courtiers. Legend has it that the king, being desirous of conquering England had set out with his army to do so, and was nearing the top of the hill when he was met by an old witch, who told him that he had almost achieved success, and that if he could but see Long Compton before him in the valley below he would certainly become King of England. On hearing this the king sprang forward to get his view of Long Compton, but owing to treachery on the part of some of his men, his view was obscured, whereupon the witch cast a spell upon them. Speaking in rhyme, she croaked: As Long Compton you can't see, King of England you shan't be. Rise up stick, and stand still stone. For King of England you shall be none, You and your men hoar stone shall be And I myself an elder tree. The king immediately began to stiffen, and in a very short time he had turned to stone. His treacherous knights who were the cause of their own undoing, besides that of their ruler, did not escape, though their position indicates their attempt to do so, for they stand several hundred yards distance from the king stone. There are five of them in stone. There are five of them said to be those that led the conspiracy, and they are known to this day as the "Whispering Knights." There are also a number of smaller stones forming a circle which represent the unfaithful soldiers of their ruler, did not escape, though some elder trees which are descendants of the wicked witch to do so, for they stand several hundred yards distance from the king stone. There are five of them in stone. There are five of them said to be those that led the conspiracy, and they are known to this day as the "Whispering Knights." There are also a number of smaller stones forming a circle which represent the unfaithful soldiers of their ruler, did not escape, though some elder trees which are descendants of the wicked witch to do so, for they stand several hundred yards distance from the king stone. There are five of them in stone. There are five of them said to be those that led the conspiracy, and they are known to this day as the "Whispering Knights." There are also a number of smaller stones forming a circle which represent the unfaithful soldiers of their ruler, did not escape, though some elder trees which are descendants of the wicked witch to do so, for they stand several hundred yards distance from the king stone.

BRINGING UP FATHER



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