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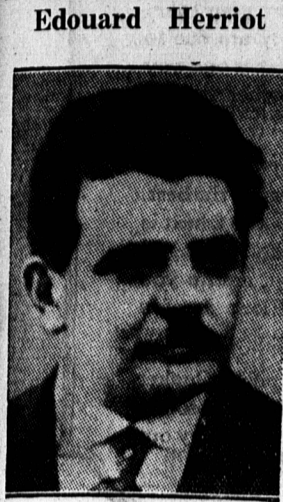
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**Edouard Herriot**  
French radical socialist who may, according to rumor, be asked to form a government as other efforts appear to be useless. He has called the French socialists into important cabinet positions.

**Was Evidently A Bad Bargain**

LONDON, Dec. 10.—Winston Churchill, chancellor of the exchequer, replying to questions in the house of commons yesterday said that if Great Britain's debt to the United States had been funded on the same terms as Italy's, the amount which the British government would pay to the United States government during the present year would be approximately \$11,000,000 instead of \$160,000,000.

**Bicycles Keep Pedestrians On Jump In Copenhagen**

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 10.—In America, one dodges automobiles, but here it is the bicycles. During working hours, the streets are alive with cyclists and in one day as many as 514,826 were counted in various points in the city. The motor cars are increasing in number, the bicycles are increasing at a greater rate.

**Trade Between U. S. And Canada Increases**

The following statement speaks for itself:  
American Consulate, Charlottetown, P. E. I., December 3rd, 1925.  
Exports to the United States as Declared at the American Consulate, Charlottetown, P. E. I., November, 1925.  
Canned lobsters 38,445 lbs., \$16,551.  
Butter 48 lbs. \$19.  
Live foxes 489 ea., \$135,620.  
Fish, salted 500 lbs. \$43.  
Turkeys 914,740 lbs. \$5,022.  
Lamb, live 2,645 ea. \$20,096.  
Beef hides 223 ea., (9,124 lbs.) \$1,086.  
Potatoes (seed) 16,468,763 lbs. \$366,643.  
Potatoes (table stock) 5,503,071 lbs. \$256,465.  
Sheep, live 30 ea. \$90.  
Lumber, rough, 30 m ft., \$902.  
Miscellaneous, \$7.  
Total \$901,849.  
The exports to the United States for the month of November, 1925, show an increase of \$581,926 over the corresponding month of last year and an increase of \$41,735 over November, 1923. This increase is due principally to the exceptionally high price and large shipments of potatoes, although all items of export increased slightly.  
A table giving the exports for October and November for the years 1923, 1924 and 1925 strikingly shows the heavy increase for November, 1925:  
October, 1925 \$132,736; October, 1924 \$83,711; October, 1925, \$352,702.  
November, 1923, \$440,114; November 1924, \$319,923; November, 1925, \$901,849.  
Totals—\$572,840; \$403,634; \$1,164,551.  
**EDWIN N. GUNSAULUS, JR.**

**WANDERING BANDS OF CHILDREN TOUR THROUGH SOUTHERN STATES**

Being Used by Conscienceless Persons to Raise Funds for Own Benefit—Ages of One Group Range From Five to Fifteen Years.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Traveling across the continent wandering bands of children, ranging in ages from 4 to 15 years, have been discovered by agents of the Department of Labor. They are being used by conscienceless persons to raise funds presumably for their benefit.  
National action to protect this new group of "migratory children" is being asked for by Miss Grace Abbott, chief of the Children's Bureau in her annual report made public today.  
This nomadic existence on the part of children has never been duplicated before in history since the time of the children's crusade in the thirteenth century.  
Miss Abbott states that from time to time the Children's Bureau is asked to assist in tracing persons who travel from state to state with bands of children collecting money for their support.  
"One such group," Miss Abbott says, "ranging in age from 4 to 15 years, has been reported within the last two years as having been in Alabama, Kentucky, Mississippi, Ohio, Virginia and West Virginia. Another group which came to the attention of the Bureau last year, started from the state of Washington and the Spring in New Jersey and New York, and when last seen were going to New England. They were received and helped on their way by Mayors, by fraternal organizations and by kindly individuals who have had no means of knowing the care the children were receiving or the effect upon them of this nomadic life."

**Search For New Writers For Movies Proves Hard Task**

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—The potential scenario writer should first sell his story for publication, conclude scenario editors of eight leading motion picture companies. A story published in book form or in a magazine, has an advantage over the original script, in their opinion. To the author, it means added revenue and a wider distribution. To the producer, it means more public interest, with a resultant box office drawing power and protection from plagiarism suits.  
The Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, in assembling the editorial viewpoints of 100,000 persons, annually are submitting manuscripts, only three or four ever reach the silver sheet. As a result, the producers are compelled to depend principally upon highly trained writers, the novel, the stage play and the magazine.  
Scenario editors are constantly seeking new writing talent. In showing the need of original matter, one editor called attention to the producing program of 600 features a year by the companies.  
"From what sources can we draw this material?" he asked. "If we get into good ones from the plays produced each year it is a big advantage. The same is true of the books published. Of short stories, if there are fifty good ones, it is a high average. That makes seventy pieces of spoken and written literature which could be converted into equally high grade special motion pictures for the year calling for 600 features, the remainder are taken from built-up mediocre material and perhaps the insurance of some re-makes and the original story."  
Screen writing is as difficult as stage writing, the editors agreed, and it requires hard, untiring effort for success.

**American Venice Will Give Up Its Canals For Streets**

VENICE, Cal., Dec. 10.—The network of canals, which give this beach resort its name twenty years ago, is to be sacrificed to the demands of progress.  
City trustees have ordered the waterways filled and transformed into streets because of the increasing need, since the development of the automobile, for more parking space, and owing to the gradual movement of Venice's business section over the district traversed by the canals.  
The city was founded two decades ago by the late Abbot Kinney who hoped to make it the "Venice of America" and accordingly laid it out with canals, resembling those of its Italian prototype.  
Connecting with the Pacific Ocean at Playa del Rey, the canals wind for three miles through the residential district under causeways fashioned after those of Venice, between palm-bordered banks into a large lagoon east of the "trolleyway," a series of electric railroad tracks that mark the boundary of the present business section.  
In 1905, the Venice amusement zone centered about this body of water, but in ensuing years it gradually moved toward the beach to cluster on and about piers that jut several hundred feet seaward.  
Since their inception the canals have been used exclusively for pleasure boating with moonlight voyaging over the placid waters.  
A miniature railroad which at one time surrounded the canals and afforded a survey of their beauty at night was constructed simultaneously with the waterways, but was removed last year as another impediment to progress.  
The new streets will connect with several boulevards leading to Los Angeles, which recently annexed this city.

**Utah Pine Nuts To Re-Forest Persian Fields**

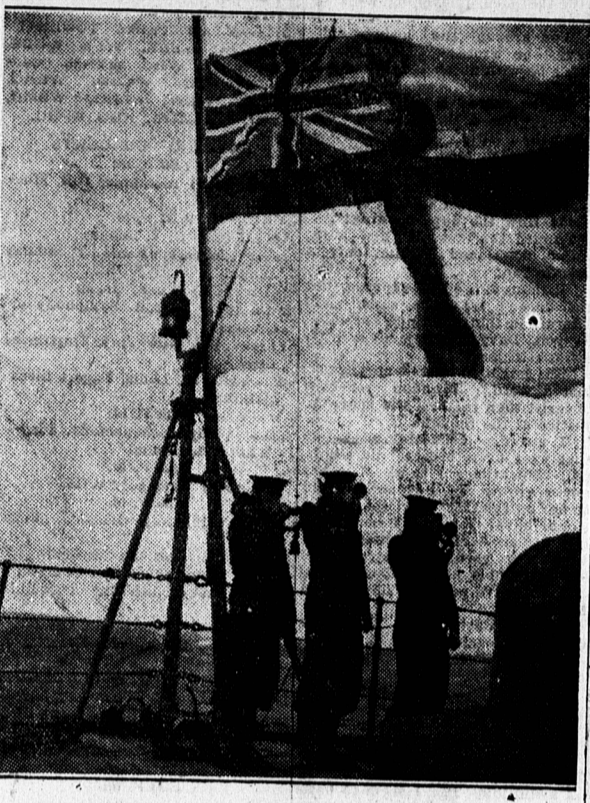
OGDEN, Utah, Dec. 10.—Twenty five cents worth of pine nuts purchased three years ago from a local fruit store are helping re-forest Persia.  
Three years ago H. Eben, at Tabriz, wrote F. S. Baker, of the forest service headquarters, asking for tree seeds. He was experimenting to find a species adapted for Persia.  
Baker had no seed at hand, but he went to a neighboring fruit store and bought twenty-five cents' worth of pine nuts, sent them to Ribben and forgot the matter.  
Recently, he received another letter from Ribben reporting that the seed had thrived and asking more of the same variety.  
Mr. Baker has invested another twenty-five cents and the fruit store product is on its way to Fabriz.

**Ancient Adobe House Back In Favor**

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 10.—The humble sun-dried brick is coming back into popular favor in southern California as a material for the building of ranch houses, small homes and even pretentious dwellings.  
"Adobe" was used by Franciscan fathers in the building of their missions, and later many homes and commercial structures were erected with these rudely made bricks.  
As the years wore on, however, adobe became primarily the stuff of which ruins were likely to be made. The sight-seeing tourist learned to look for the adobe mission and the adobe house as relics of a romantic past. He scarcely expected to see modern homes built of that material.  
"Missions style" homes, churches and business blocks long have been popular in southern California, but ordinarily these have been built of brick or frame with a coating of stucco.  
Lately, however, the old custom of using one's cellar excavation as a source of sun-dried bricks for walls has been revived, and everywhere in southern California modern small homes and ranch houses are being built of adobe. In Los Angeles, a number of exclusive residences, whose owners could well afford the most expensive of materials, have been fashioned of the humble but historic adobe.  
To remove white spots from varnished furniture, hold a hot store lid or plate over them until they disappear.

**Engineer And Fireman Killed**

ELKTON, Mr., Dec. 10.—The engineer and fireman of local number 49, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, were instantly killed when the boiler of their locomotive exploded just as the train passed Childs' station, 4 miles north of here. The dead are: Engineer R. J. Ryan, 65, of Wilmington, Del., and Fireman A. W. Churchman, 23, of Havre de Grace, Md. Ten passengers bound from Philadelphia to Maryland towns received only a bad shaking up.



An incident in the memorial service on H.M.S. Maidstone, the 69 men of the submarine M1, which sank recently.

**Three C.N.R. Freight Trains In Crash Near Montreal**

MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—Three Canadian National Railway freight trains crashed into each other just west of the Outreau Station near Montreal, early this morning and the passenger trains from Toronto to Montreal were delayed nine hours.  
Two employees suffered slight bruises.  
The wreck occurred through the derelict of the engine of a west-bound train. While it was stopped a second train crashed into the first train and some of the wreckage protruded over the east-bound track. Before it could be cleared or necessary signals made to stop a freight train eastbound crashed into the wreckage.

**Germans Applaud Sir A. Chamberlain**

BERLIN, Dec. 10.—The action of Sir Austen Chamberlain, the British Foreign Secretary, in branding as false the wartime story of a German "corpse factory" is characterized by the German press as a credible and statesmanlike act.  
The Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung says, "He has done western civilization a great service by refuting at least one of the slanders against the Germans, because a civilization which leaves war lies unchallenged in an atmosphere of hatred and does not produce courage in its leaders to refute them, is doomed."  
The Taegische Rundschau, Foreign Minister Stresemann's paper says: "We applaud Chamberlain particularly because he is helping the spirit of Locarno to victory over the spirit of enmity which conceived the corpse factory lie."  
The paper hopes that Sir Austen's statement is only the beginning of the refutation of other stories and charges against Germany.

**Beauty Of Castel Nuovo To Be Revealed To Tourists**

NAPLES, Dec. 10.—After thirty years of intermittent efforts on the part of the successive mayors of Naples, supported by prominent art lovers, it has been decided to raze the cluster of unsightly buildings which so long has marred the superb beauty of the famous stronghold known as the Castel Nuovo.  
The Castel Nuovo was built in 1278-83 by Charles I. of Anjou from a design supposedly supplied by Pierre d'Angicourt, and was enlarged successively by Alphonso I in 1442, by Don Pedro de Toledo in 1544 and by Charles III in 1735. The kings of the houses of Anjou and Aragon and the Spanish viceroys one after another used it as a dwelling.  
Besides its outward architectural beauty the castle contains a famous loffy Gothic armory.

**Gold-Filled Elephant Tusk Is Found In Mining Claims**

SEATTLE, Dec. 10.—An authentic fossil tusk of the woolly elephant of the glacial or post-glacial period, with gold fillings like a modern tooth, has been presented to the museum of the University of Washington by Edward Squires, who discovered it on a mining claim on Dominion Creek, forty miles from Dawson, Yukon Territory.  
The tusk is ten feet long and weighs 250 pounds. The theory of Nathan Kresge, museum caretaker and former Alaskan, is that the relic was there when tons of soot that gold nuggets were forced into the cracks of the tusk giving effect of modern gold tooth fillings.  
The practical use of this discovery remains to be determined. Dr. Miller predicts that many garages and service stations will take advantage.

**Prefers Prospecting To Mining Gold**

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Mining is just hard work, but prospecting is great sport.  
"Maybe I'll sell out my interests so I can go out in the hills and try to find something else," he added.  
Grady and his partner, Hugh Ford, worked the claim for 50 days last summer and took out \$30 per shovel daily. Grady came to Seattle en route to Eastern Canada to visit his mother. He had about \$10,000 in gold nuggets.

**CLAIMS GALLIUM RECORDS HEAT TWICE AS INTENSE AS MERCURY**

U. S. Inventor Produces New Type of Thermometer, Which, He Says, Registers 1,800 Degrees of Heat in the Open Air.

SCHENECTADY, Dec. 10.—Development of a new type of thermometer capable of recording 1,800 degrees of heat in the open air, a heat twice as intense as can be measured by mercury, was announced tonight by Dr. E. R. Berry, of the Thomson Research Laboratory of the General Electric Company.  
The announcement was made by Dr. Berry in acknowledging the accolade of the Society of Chemical Industry in conferring on him the Grasselli Medal for outstanding chemical achievement of the year.  
The new thermometer is made of clear fused quartz, which can now be produced under Dr. Berry's methods on a commercial scale, and uses gallium, a rare metal never before utilized for this purpose.

**Laboratory Is Planned For Gye And Barnard**

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Medical Research Council attaches such value to the investigations of Drs. W. E. Gye and J. E. Barnard into inoculation with cancer germs for a cure of the disease that it is having a new laboratory built for their special use in Middlesex.  
It is asserted that Dr. Gye and Mr. Barnard are continuing with success the recent discoveries and details of the investigations and study of Mr. Barnard's methods, which led to the finding of the ultra microscopic organism of cancer by means of invisible rays, are soon to be published.  
The Daily Mail says that several laboratory workers under Dr. Gye and Mr. Barnard have undergone inoculations with live cancer germs separated from their chemical agents. The newspaper adds that the results of these inoculations have been so successful that in no case has cancer developed, notwithstanding the fact that subsequent inoculation was made in several cases with the cancer germ plus its chemical agent. Mr. Barnard told the Daily Mail that the recent work was promising but that it would be premature to assert that a successful method of immunizing humans to cancer had been evolved.

**Two Were Killed In Watertown, Mass., Dye House**

WATERTOWN, Mass., Dec. 10.—Two persons were killed and a third was seriously injured when a centrifugal color dyer burst in flow apart and struck the victims.  
Barson Stephenson of Watertown, 70 years of age, father of Harry Stephenson, owner of the dye house and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Anna Stephenson of Belmont, were killed. Mrs. Stephenson's husband, Hajije, received a broken leg, and cuts and bruises which may result in his death.

**New Process May Result In Use Of Old Oil**

AUBURN, Dec. 10.—Demonstrations here indicate that old crank case oil of automobiles which has been regarded fit for nothing may be reclaimed and used again.  
Dr. C. D. Miller, who is engaged in research work in the department of agricultural engineering of the Agricultural College of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, has succeeded in working out a method for reclaiming or laundering old oil at a cost estimated by him at less than five cents a gallon.  
In studying the problem, Dr. Miller found that oil does not "wear out" by use in a crankcase, and neither does it change its composition. Some losses occur mechanically and by oxidation, but the oil itself remains substantially the same as it was before used. It is rendered unfit for service by contamination with other substances, such as carbon and other solids, and certain constituents of gasoline.  
The removal of these substances is all that is required for its successful reclamation. This can be done by pouring the oil into a tank, adding a washing powder, blowing steam through it for about three hours allowing it to settle and then drawing off the oil from the top, leaving the foreign substance, both solid and liquid, in the bottom.  
When treated this way the steam is partly condensed, dissolving the washing powder, which has the property of loading down the carbon and other solid particles in the oil with a film of the solution, causing them to coagulate somewhat as casein coagulates in milk when it curdles. This causes the solid particles to settle to the bottom of the container, forming a layer of sludge or muck between the oil and the solution. The uncondensed portion of the steam carries the gasoline away with it as vapor.  
On the efficiency of this method Dr. Miller says that four quarts of oil as it is drawn ordinarily from a crankcase should return three quarts of oil as good as new.  
While the practical use of this discovery remains to be determined, Dr. Miller predicts that many garages and service stations will take advantage.

**Defeated Progressive Will Prosecute**

EDMONTON, Dec. 10.—That a prosecution is pending against certain parties, as yet unnamed, in connection with irregularities alleged to have been committed during the taking of the vote in certain polls in the federal riding of Athabasca during the recent federal election, is the statement made today by R. D. Tighe, counsel for D. E. Keilner, Progressive candidate, who lost to Hon. G. W. Cross by 1,300 votes according to the official return. An application made yesterday before Mr. Justice Walsh for an order to Chief Electoral Officer O. M. Biggar K. C., of Ottawa, that certain documents in reference to the Athabasca election be released, was granted.

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**Senator L. O. David**



A veteran Canadian statesman who is advocating a compromise to get Canada out of the political deadlock in which she now finds herself and who suggests the resignation of both Premier King and Hon. Arthur Meighen for the present.

**MONTHLY REPORTS Y. M. C. A. FOR NOVEMBER**

Report of the General Secretary To the President and Board of Directors:  
It gives me great pleasure to bring before you my Report for the past month; of necessity I shall only deal briefly with the work of your Association. November was such a busy month that we shall only be able in this Report to give you a summary of the programme carried out.  
The attendance in the Building was very large this month; in fact, we feel it to have been the largest during the last few years, and many new members are being enrolled.  
GENERAL ACTIVITIES:  
With two or three exceptions, our full programme is in operation daily and it may not be amiss to say here that we are carrying almost as heavy a programme as it is possible; yet there are numerous other activities that we would like to have in operation at the present time, namely: Hi-Y Club, Wednesday Evening Bible Study, GYMNASIUM, Public Speaking and Salesmanship; as soon as additional leaders can be secured, these four features should be re-organized.  
GYMNASIUM CLASSES:  
All Classes are now organized and meeting regularly, with a very good attendance, and this year should prove to be a banner one in our history. The Class Work is all being ably looked after by Mr. Walker, and several of his young leaders are giving very efficient service in the various Junior Classes.  
BOWLING  
This popular pastime is running very close with our gymnasium leadership in the physical work. Over two hundred people are bowling in Leagues, etc. each week, and our alleys always present a very busy appearance as they are in full swing every afternoon and evening. League games are running two or three times a week, and the new alleys are in use with members not enrolled in leagues. It was indeed a wise investment in installing our third alley, as already it has half paid for itself. November records show that a new high mark had been set in the number of games rolled, approximately four thousand games being played during the month.  
MEMBERSHIP:  
Our Membership stands at 584, which is a gain of Three members over 1924. Fifteen new members came in during the month, and thirty-five renewals. It is evident that a larger number than ever of our members are now using our Association, and already we are feeling the difference in our general activities.

**STUDENT WORK:**

Saturday night is Students' Night, and from 150 to 200 gather each week for a two-hour period of recreation, under the leadership of the S. C. M. Cabinet and Mr. Walker. These gatherings do much toward creating that high social standard between the boys and girls of the various colleges in the city.  
OLDER BOYS' CONFERENCE  
Two Conferences were held in the interest of Boys' Work during the month, one at Kensington and one at Murray Harbour. Your Secretary was able to attend two of the meetings at Kensington  
VISITORS:  
We were fortunate in having three special visitors during the month: Mr. T. D. Patton, who spoke at our Sunday Service; Mr. John R. Isaac, of India, who spoke at four Y. M. C. A. meetings and at three Church Services. He was indeed the source of wonderful inspiration to us all; he has had nearly twenty-five years Y. M. C. A. service in India, and is a real leader of his people. Mr. Isaac's visit to Charlottetown will long be remembered; the help he gave to our Foreign Work Conference was invaluable and was greatly appreciated.  
Mr. A. M. Gregg, of Saint John, paid us a special visit in the interest of the Boys' Work Conference at Estes Park last June, and in the interest of the Ya Men Movement, at which gathering he was the chief speaker.  
Y. MEN'S CLUB:  
This Organization, which has been doing so much good elsewhere in local Associations, was organized in our Y. M. C. A. November 24th, after having been considered deeply for nearly two years. It is felt that this new service Club, made up of Y. M. C. A. Members, will prove to be of great help to our Association and there is no telling just how far its influence may be felt. Our new Club seek the help and guidance of the Directors  
THANKSGIVING DAY:  
A special programme was on order for this holiday, and a good group of our Juniors enjoyed a day's outing under the leadership of Mr. Walker.  
In the Building, all our features were open wide, and the rooms were packed all day long; special bowling and gym. work was also included in.  
MEETINGS:  
Many meetings were held in our building during the month. Directors 2; Ladies 2; Y's Men 2; P. E. I. Hockey Executive 1; Football 1.  
WEEK OF PRAYER:  
This year, Mr. Isaac's visit came during the Week of Prayer. Foreign Work was combined with it during our special services. Junior, Student and general gatherings were held.  
FINANCES:  
Slowly our finances are getting back to normal, and with the collecting of all the outstanding pledges and making a drive for our overdue memberships, we should be able to break about even this year.  
IN GENERAL  
Our building is now in fine shape; our members are using it more than ever; new friends are being added. It is indeed a wonderful opportunity that lies before us at the opening of Winter; may we all get together and with our combined efforts the work of our Association should reach further than it ever did before.