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WANTED—AT FALCONWOOD Hospital an experienced woman for housekeeper. Apply to Supt., P. O. Box, 350, city, 694-12-24-381

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Wanted

NETS FOR SALE—SMELT GILL nets and bag nets ready to use.—James England, Travellers Rest, 169-12-23-M41

FOR SALE—GOOD SILVER FOX dog. Reason for selling, mate escaped. Apply Alfred Webster, Midgell, 578-12-23-M21

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Wanted

WANTED—A GAS FISHING Schooner or Boat 20 to 35 tons to be not over 6 feet. Drart and low price for cash. Address: Jos. A. Rich Co., Fish Pier, Boston, Mass. 509-12-20-M61

WANTED—NATIONAL REGISTERED male Fox pups. Dark silver, well tipped. State price. H. Guardian, 573-12-23-M21

SMELTS, EELS, AND RABBITS, wanted by James England, Travellers Rest, 566-12-23-M81

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WANTED—A PRINCIPAL FOR Darnley School, No. 101 Supplement \$78.00 for balance of year. D. E. Mahar, Secy, 530-12-20-M11

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FROM ST. JOHN, N. B. TO LIVERPOOL.

Dec. 26 Marloch
 Jan. 2, Feb. 13 Montclair
 Jan. 9, Feb. 6 Montclair
 Jan. 16 Minnedosa
 Jan. 23, Feb. 20 Montrose
 Jan. 30, Feb. 27 Montcalm

TO GLASGOW

Feb. 7 Marloch
 TO CHERBOURG—SOUTHAMP. TON—ANTWERP

Dec. 27, Jan. 31 Marburn

CRUISES FOR 1925

ROUND THE WORLD
 Empress of France... Jan. 14
 TO THE MEDITERRANEAN
 Empress of Scotland... Feb. 9
 TO THE WEST INDIES
 Montroyal... Jan. 20, Feb. 21
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Central Guardian

SHOP from Holman's Catalog.

ED'S TAXI—Day and night at Davies Hotel, Phone 209-J. 605-12-24-31

CHRISTMAS MARKET—There was a very large inside attendance at the Market yesterday, many fowl, ducks and geese being placed for sale, though only two turkeys were offered. The prices will be found in another column.

PRESENTS CIGARS—Yesterday Mr. H. C. Brown, on behalf of the Management of the Hotel Victoria presented the Post Office employees with a fine box of cigars as a slight token of its appreciation of the many courtesies and splendid and efficient services of the local Postal Department. The Post Office Staff wish to thank Mr. Brown and to express its appreciation of this generous and thoughtful gift.

PERSONALS

Mr. R.A. Pendleton and Mr. P.W. Turner leave this morning for a week's visit to St. John.

More Children Were Made Happy

The Zion Church, C. G. I. T. held a pleasant and most enjoyable party and Christmas Tree in the Social Room of the Church yesterday afternoon from 4 to 6. They had as their guests about 35 children and a number of mothers of the younger ones. The children were for the most part those for whom the usual Christmas preparation is not made at the homes and the young ladies made it their business and pleasure to see to it that no one would be forgotten by Santa Claus. Neo-Bess to say the little folk enjoyed themselves and tackled the treats, including sandwiches, apples, candy and cake with no apparent anticipation of dyspepsia. In addition to the cash the little ones and the mothers present were presented with useful gifts in wearing apparel and toys. A short programme was given consisting of story-telling, singing and games. The little ones thoroughly enjoyed the whole function and went away fully convinced that Santa Claus had visited the city.

BIRTHS

JAY—At Mt. Stewart, Nov. 19, 1924 to Mr. and Mrs. William Jay, a daughter. Congratulations.

McRAE—At Tea Hill, Nov. 21, 1924 to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McRae, a daughter.

FORD—At Milton, Nov. 25, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Ford, a daughter. Congratulations.

WONNACOTT—At 48 Upper Prince Street, Monday, Dec. 22nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wonnacott, a son.

MacKAY—At Prince Edward Island Hospital, Dec. 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. John MacKay, Springfield, a son.

DEATHS

WEBSTER—At the Prince County Hospital, Dec. 23rd, Frank Webster, of Newboro, aged 42 years. Funeral notice later.

KNIGHT—At Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 14th, suddenly of pneumonia, Wallace L. Knight, son of the late Joseph Knight of Charlottetown.

SHAW—At Brackley Point, on Dec. 22nd, 1924, Mary L., beloved wife of Everett Shaw, aged 29 years. Funeral on Wednesday, Dec. 24th, from her late residence, service starting at 2:30 p.m. Interment Covehead Cemetery.

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Car Owners!

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Here Are Some Prices

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Ch'Town Garage Battery and Car Repair Dept.

IT PAYS TO EXCHANGE

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market at the prices now prevailing had under the conditions imposed by their government.

If the duty on wheat is doubled in Japan, as was proposed a month or so ago, local exporters are of the opinion that this order would go into effect in November, leaving the importer no time in which to cover himself. There are no stocks of grain in Japan.

Grain dealers here declare that the Japanese market will be forced to buy more in the near future, and last year the consumers of Japan learned the expanding values of Canadian grain, with their result that they prefer to buy Canadian hard wheat to the softer grades of the United States.

One Japanese business man here stated that his countrypeople found that it paid to buy Canadian wheat as it was hard and dry, with more to a given space in a ship, also in weight, than the softer grain that carries moisture and proves expensive shipping without the same expanding values as the Canadian wheat when it arrives at its destination.

Japanese grain prices have been very low recently, but their replacement values exceed the present stock operations by large figures. Another feature bothering exporters is the continual dropping of the yen.

THE MARKETS

(Canadian Press)

MONTREAL, Dec. 23.—The export trade in Canadian grain here continues dull and exporters generally do not look for any marked improvement until after the turn of the year. The demand for cash in the domestic market was also very limited and prices for oats were unchanged, Ontario No. 2, white being quoted at 64 cents, No. 3 grade at 62 cents, and No. 4 grade at 60 cents per bushel; export prices for spring wheat grades flour were advanced 10 cts. per barrel. The condition of the market for winter wheat flour was unchanged. The demand for all lines of millfeed continues good for both local and country account and the undertone was firm. The feature of the market for rolled oats was the advance of 10 cents per bag, announced owing to the strength in raw material. There was no change in the condition of the egg situation, prices for all grades being firmly maintained. The volume of business in butter was very small although the tendency was unchanged. The tone of the cheese market was firm with little business passing, crop beans were quoted at \$2.70 to \$2.80 per bushel.

OTTAWA, Dec. 23.—There is practically no new developments in the egg situation, Ontario country shippers are paying extras 55, firsts 44, seconds 32, and have made sales extras 62, firsts 50, seconds 38 fob. Toronto market (Hiram) jobbing specials 72 to 73, extras 68 to 70, firsts 44 to 45, seconds 35 to 39. Montreal firm, unchanged. Winnipeg market firm, jobbing extras 70, firsts 65, seconds 42. Saskatchewan retailing storage extras 55 to 60, firsts 50 to 55, seconds 40 to 50. Alberta market reports storage stocks low; Calgary jobbing firsts \$13.50 per case, pullet extras from British Columbia \$16.50 per case. Vancouver market steady, jobbing extras 59 to 58, firsts 55 to 56, seconds 47 to 50. St. John, N. B., storage firsts are jobbing 58 to 60, P. E. I. fresh extras 74. Charlottetown, P. E. I. receipts very small market firm retailing extras 60, firsts 47, seconds 37.

Delighted With South Africa Trip

OTTAWA, Dec. 23.—Back last night from their trip to South Africa, Sir George and Lady Foster expressed themselves as delighted with their many and varied experiences. They have covered over 30,000 miles within the last five months, including 8,500 miles by train in South Africa and 3,000 by automobile.

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Unseen amid the mortal throng. Along life's wayside scarcely seeming. To catch its light amid the teeming Multitudes. A varied host, From Tyre's isles and Sidon's coast, From Mesopotamia's steep incline To the Holy land of Palestine, The Shepherds on the hills afar Alone beheld the Guiding Star, Its light into their souls did shine, They read God's purpose in the sign, And counted nought too dear to bring, To worship Him who was born King, Above the heavenly body shone And led those earnest seekers on, 'Till met the inward light in them, And brought them safe to Bethlehem.

They knew that Christ was coming long Those hills and valleys heard their song, While Herod's throne and judgment hall, Were shrouded in an inky pal, O may that light that guided them, To the Holy Child in Bethlehem, And brought them home another way, Fill all our hearts with joy today.

Light Sought In England On Ways Of Trade Unions

(Associated Press)

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Allegations that trade unions act as combines, and that the good workman is handicapped by restrictions, were made by Sir R. Burton Chadwick, parliamentary secretary to the Board of Trade, in a recent address. After emphasizing that he was speaking entirely on his own responsibility and not in any way representing the views of the government, he said:

"I feel that the time has come when we must know more about the whole administration of our trade unions. We must know why it is that a good workman, if he chooses, cannot work as hard as he likes, produce as much as he can, thereby earning for himself a higher wage, and by his greater output cheapen the cost of the articles he is producing and so enable the trader to complete in the world's markets."

"We must know what share of responsibility lies with the administration of this huge combine of labor when, in the first six months of this year, we lose 7,500,000 days in strikes."

"We must know whether it is in the interest of the community that trade unionism has become a great political organization, and whether it is for their good that members are compelled to contribute to the political funds, whether they agree or not with the political doctrine of their union."

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