

Despite the fact, we hunt our El
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Great Pageant For Opening Of The New Forum

Lieut-Governor Dalton An Mayor Prowse Formally De- clare Rink Open. Gyro Club Sponsors Novel Entertainment

A gorgeous riot of colour, rhythmic
movements on a cold, glassy surface
of the blare of band music, drama act-
ing in pantomime, which permitted of
the use of unique and varicoloured
costumes by the members of a huge
cast, featured the first ice pageant
held in this Province on the occa-
sion of the opening of the new Forum
last evening. Eleven complete
numbers composed the programme,
each of a varied character combin-
ing the serious and the fantastic, the
historic and the novel.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS ETC.

Club loading hogs, sheep and
lambs at Murray River, December
16th. 9794-12-10-21.

Baraz in French River Hall
Thursday, December 12th. If not fine
Friday. 9790-11.

Unloading car of Springhill
Coal at Milton, December 10th. S. C.
1700-9.

Unloading car of Springhill Coal
at Winsloe, December 9th and 10th.
Roland Boston. 9789-12-9-21.

Belfast club loading hogs, sheep
and lambs at Fodhia Station Thurs-
day, December 16th. 9791-12-10-21.

Regular meeting Ladies' Aid of
P. E. I. Hospital, St. Paul's Parish
Hall, this afternoon at 3:30 sharp.
9776-11.

Come to the Winsloe North
School Concert in Winsloe Hall, Hunter
River, Friday night, December 12th.
In aid of the Rink. 9807-12-10-31.

Ham, tongue, salads, cake, pine-
apple cream at Zion Church tea from
7 to seven p. m. Thursday, Decem-
ber 11th. 9798-12-9-31.

Come to the Bean Supper and
dance in the Masonic Hall, Hunter
River, Friday night, December 12th.
In aid of the Rink. 9807-12-10-31.

Notice, Stanley Bridge Thurs-
day, See "Beauty Shoppers," a riot
of comedy, dance following. Last
show this season. 9802-12-10

Christmas Concert in North
Wiltshire Monday, December 22nd.
If not fine, first fine night follow-
ing. 9798-12-10-22-21.

Hear Chief, Deyokah, in Odd.
Fellows Hall, Montague. You will be
sorry if you miss this famous basso
and entertainer. 9796-12-10-21.

Come to the Mt. Mellick School
Concert in Fownall Hall, Friday,
December 18th. If not fine, Satur-
day evening. 9885-12-5-10-21.

Alexandra Christmas Concert
will be held in School Thursday,
December 18th, at 8 p. m. Admission
10 and 15 cents. If stormy following
evening. 9793-12-10-11.

Come to the South Winsloe
Christmas concert in Winsloe Hall,
December 18th at 7:45 p. m. Ad-
mission 25c. Children free.
9737-12-6-31-eod

Mt. Albion Xmas Entertainment
in Institute Hall, Monday, December
22nd. If stormy, it will be held on
Wednesday, December 24th.
9885-12-5-10-21.

Dr. Cliff, Purdy Station, West-
chester Co., N. Y., U. S. A. Phone
870. Chronic maladies prevented
and cured at home, where they or-
iginate. 7489-10-10-3mos

AUSTRALIAN BUTTER SITUATION

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 9.—Assurance
has been given Hon. H. H. Stevens,
Minister of Trade and Commerce,
that Australia will not authorize any
further shipments of butter to Can-
ada pending the conference with
Hon. Parker Moloney here next week.
The following statement was issued
today from Mr. Stevens' office.
"The Minister of Trade and Com-
merce is in receipt of a cablegram
from Melbourne from F. M. Forde,
acting Minister of Markets for Aus-
tralia Station stating that no fur-
ther shipments of butter will be au-
thorized pending conclusion of con-
ference with Hon. Parker Moloney,
Australian Minister of Markets next
week."

From this it will be seen that the
Australian Government is cooperat-
ing with the Canadian Government in
this matter, and it is hoped that at
the conclusion of the conference
with Mr. Moloney, a satisfactory ad-
justment of the whole question will
have been achieved.

MELBOURNE, Australia, Dec. 9.—
The Federal stabilization committee
today reduced the bounty on Aus-
tralian butter for export to three
pence and a half penny per pound
effective on Dec. 31 next. In effect,
this means an increase of five cents
a pound for the butter necessary be-
fore it can be laid down in Canada.
Reports of fears in Canada that
Australian butter would flood the
Dominion market at 24 cents a pound
have been discounted here, but the
action of the board today is a con-
crete step in favor of the Canadian
producer.

There is a Canadian duty of one
cent a pound and the prevailing
Australian price is about 36 cents a
pound, so that it would cost, dis-
counting the bounty of seven cents,
about 30 cents in Canada. Against
this there is a dumping duty of
roughly at the present time, 5 or 6
cents, which Australian exporters be-
lieve can be avoided by shipping on
consignment to be sold on commis-
sion.

The response of Santa-Pals dur-
ing the few days that this year's
campaign has been in progress is ex-
tremely gratifying. On the list are
the names of several new Alas San-
tas who have embarked on the chari-
table project for the first time. It
is hoped that this list will keep pace
with that of the eligible children in
order to avoid the usual last minute
rush.

Certain memories come to the men
and women of Charlottetown as
regularly as the Christmas season
comes around, memories of other
Christmases long ago, sweet mem-
ories of childhood, sad memories per-
haps sometimes, if Santa neglected
to come. Those days are now gone
forever, but there is another gen-
eration now which on Christmas Eve
hangs up the stockings, goes to bed
with hearts beating fast with excite-
ment and anticipation for the won-
ders of the morrow, and at early
dawn on Christmas morning hastens
to discover the result of Santa's visit.
What will be the result of Santa's
visit for many children in Charlot-
tewtown this winter, or will the jolly
old elf be able to visit them all? The
answer rests entirely with Santa-
Pals and potential Santa-Pals. It is
for them to say whether or not a
large number of children in the city
will have a happy Christmas Day
or whether they will shed tears of
disappointment over an empty stock-
ing.

N. H. L. Results
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Toronto, 1; Montreal Canadiens, 2.
Ottawa, 2; New York Rangers, 3.
Montreal Maroons, 1; Boston, 2.
New York Americans, 2; Phila-
delphia, 1.
Chicago, 0; Detroit, 1.

The Weather, etc
13 MORE SHOPPING DAYS

OF TWO EVILS
A SMALL BOY WILL
ALWAYS CHOOSE
THE ONE THAT MAKES
THE MOST NOISE!



TORONTO, Dec. 10.—Strong west
to north west winds, partly cloudy,
cooler at night.
High tide this afternoon at 2.46
and tomorrow morning at 1.43.
Sun rises this morning at 7.30 and
sets this afternoon at 4.15.
Last quarter moon Friday Dec.
12, 3.43 p. m.
Summerside tide eighteen minutes
later than Charlottetown.

Not Disappointed



Be A Santa-Pal. Let There Be No Disappointed Kiddies This Christmas

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**Govt. Purchases
Ten Airplanes**
(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 9.—Officials
of the Department of National De-
fence today confirmed reports from
London that a contract had been
entered into with the DeHavilland
Aircraft Co. for ten "puss-maths,"
delivery to be made at an early date.
Cost of the planes is about \$6,000
each. It is planned to use the new
aircraft for training purposes this
winter at Camp Borden, Ont., where
pilots will be put through a course
in blind flying.

**Preparatory
Disarmament**
(Canadian Press)
GENEVA, Switzerland, Dec. 9.—
The preparatory disarmament com-
mission finished its work tonight and
adjourned sine die leaving as a leg-
acy the outline of a general disarm-
ament treaty, the value of which his-
tory only can assess. This outline,
or draft convention, is to form the
basis for the deliberations of a world
disarmament conference which will
probably be called to meet early in
1932. Before its final adjournment,
the commission took solemn in-
ventory of its extensive labors and ac-
knowledged that their results were
imperfect. The draft convention how-
ever, the majority agreed, while pro-
viding little more than the stabiliza-
tion of present armaments as an im-
mediate prospect, holds great possi-
bilities for reduction if only Gov-
ernments will be of a mind to reduce.
In a series of vaudeville declara-
tions the commission summoned
public opinion to tireless activity in
pushing governments of the world
along the road to disarmament.

| Name | Age |
|---------------|-----|
| 1. Wellington | 8 |
| 2. Esther | 10 |
| 3. Philip | 6 |
| 4. Tildie | 4 |
| 5. Ruby | 5 |
| 6. Jean | 12 |
| 7. Alma | 8 |
| 8. Willie | 10 |
| 9. LeRoy | 12 |
| 10. Ernest | 2 |
| 11. Hilda | 2 |
| 12. Fred | 12 |
| 13. Lawrence | 4 |
| 14. Archie | 9 |
| 15. Stanley | 7 |
| 16. Earle | 7 |
| 17. Edna | 6 |
| 18. Norman | 6 |
| 19. Hazel | 2 |
| 20. Gladys | 3 |
| 21. Mathew | 9 |
| 22. Annabelle | 7 |
| 24. Billie | 5 |
| 26. Adeline | 9 |

Confident Of Forming Cabinet

(Special to The Guardian)
PARIS, Dec. 9.—Senator Pierre
Laval informed President Gaston
Doumergue today that his efforts to
form a cabinet were progressing.
Laval said he would continue his
negotiations and hoped to reach a
definite decision this evening. "Un-
der no circumstances will I form a
Cabinet without Tardieu," Laval
said. Laval appeared confident of
success after first conferences with
political leaders. He said that Tar-
dieu promised his heartiest collab-
oration and that the continuance of
Aristide Briand as Foreign Minister
was assured.
The Centrist and Right Groups
were sympathetic, Laval said.

Last Minute News Flashes

U. S. COTTON CROP
WASHINGTON, D. C., DEC. 9.—
THIS YEAR'S COTTON CROP
was estimated today by the De-
partment of Agriculture at 14-
243,000 bales of 500 pounds gross
weight. Based upon Dec. 1 con-
ditions last month, 14,438,000
bales were estimated. Production
last year was 14,828,000
bales.

HAIL CAROL
BUCHAREST, ROUMANIA,
DEC. 9.—KING CAROL TODAY
asked Parliament to reduce the
Government appropriation for
 upkeep of the Royal Family by
22 per cent. Parliament greeted
the request with cries of hail
Carol.

MARINER INSURANCE
OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 9.—THE
HOUSE OF COMMONS will be
asked at its next session to de-
clare in favor of providing Gov-
ernment insurance for each mar-
iner in Canadian boats during
the storm season from Nov. 1 to
the close of navigation.

PENSION AMENDMENT
OTTAWA, DEC. 9.—AMEND-
MENTS TO pensions regulations
so as to provide immediate treat-
ment for hospitalization for ur-
gent cases applying for the same,
until such time as their applica-
tions are definitely disposed, will
be sought at the coming session
of Parliament.

SHORE PROTECTION
TORONTO, ONT., DEC. 9.—
SATISFACTORY SHORE
protection for the eastern beaches is
now assured and the city will
not have to pay one cent to the
cost of the work. This was the
message Mayor Wemp and Board
of Control members brought
back from Ottawa today.

MANY DROWNED
BELGRADE, Jugo Slavia, Dec.
9.—Many persons were thrown
into the water as the steamer
Topola listed sharply at its dock
at Souchak today and authori-
ties feared a heavy loss of life
by drowning.

Derailment, No
One Injured
(Canadian Press)
NORTH SYDNEY, N. S. Dec. 9.—
Traffic over the Sydney-Halifax
main line was held up tonight at
Beaver Cove, near here by the derail-
ment this afternoon of eleven freight
cars and engine, the cars turning
over and the locomotive doing a
nose-dive into the embankment. No
one was injured. About thirty sec-
tions of rail were torn up by the run-

Glace Bay Will Hold Plebiscite

(Canadian Press)
GLACE BAY, N. S., Dec. 9.—A peti-
tion requesting the holding of a
plebiscite on the question of opening
Government beer parlors in Glace
Bay will be filed with the town
clerk tomorrow. More than 1,000
names have been signed to the peti-
tion, which it is presumed will lead
to the first plebiscite on the ques-
tion to be held in Nova Scotia.
Under the provisions of the Nova
Scotia Liquor Act beer parlors may
be established in towns where two
thirds of the voters favor such es-
tablishment at a plebiscite.

No Railway War In Sight

(Canadian Press)
MONTREAL, Dec. 9.—There is no
railway war in sight. Hon. Dr. R. J.
Manion, Minister of Railways and
Canals, said tonight in replying to a
prominent journal, which sometime
ago foreshadowed a railway war in
Canada. He said, I think it is un-
necessarily alarmed for I have as-
sociations with Mr. Beatty and Sir
Henry Thornton and I assure
you there is no railway war in
sight.

Won Victories In Reichstag

(Canadian Press)
BERLIN, Dec. 9.—Chancellor Bru-
ening won two important victories in
the Reichstag today, shutting off de-
bate on difficult international ques-
tions and silencing threats against
Foreign Minister Julius Curtius.
The Ministry now looks safe until
after Christmas at least. By a rising
vote the Reichstag approved Bruen-
ings appeals and agreed that the na-
tion's best interests would not be
served by discussing the Polish situ-
ation, the Versailles Treaty, the
Young Plan or other questions run-
ning through the minds of some of
the Reichstag.

Disagree On Grain Decision

(Canadian Press)
WINNIPEG, Man., Dec. 9.—Grain
authorities, members of Agrarian
associations and representatives of
trade differed tonight on the decision
of the Canadian Co-operative Wheat
Producers, Ltd., and the central
Selling Agency for the Western
Wheat Producers to withdraw from the
direct export field. Some hailed
the change in policy announced here
by John E. McFarland, recently ap-
pointed General manager of the
central Selling Agency, as the most
far-reaching and important change
since the establishment of the co-op-
erative, and believed it would bring
immediate aid in marketing Cana-
da's surplus crops. Others opposed
it, particularly leaders of the farm-
ers Assn. in Sask. who declared it
a blow to the principles of co-opera-
tive marketing.

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HIS HONOR IS WELCOMED TO HIS HOME TOWN

Lieut-Governor Dal- ton Formally Wel- comed to Tignish by Large Gathering of Citizens.

A formal welcome of great warmth
was extended to His Honour, Lieut-
enant Governor Dalton on the occa-
sion of his return to his home town,
Tignish on Sunday evening last.
Many speeches expressing felicita-
tions to His Honour on his recent ap-
pointment and making laudatory re-
ference to the assistance rendered the
cause of education in the Province,
were delivered.
Mr. Justin P. McCarthy presided
at the function. Two floral tributes
were presented to His Honour, and
two addresses were delivered, one in
French, read by Mr. J. G. Arsenault,
the other in English read by Mr. J.
Albert Brennan. His Honour re-
plied with much feeling and expressed
his gratification on the greeting ex-
tended by his fellow townsmen and
friends.
Congratulatory speeches were made
by Rev. Dr. G. J. McLellan, Rev. Fr.
Walsh, of Palmer Road, Mr. J. P.
Callaghan, St. Louis, Mr. John A.
Hackett, Dr. J. J. Johnston, Mr.
James Rayner and others.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME

Following is the address read by
Mr. J. Albert Brennan:
To the Honorable Sir Charles Dalton,
Lieutenant Governor of Prince Ed-
ward Island.
Your old home town has greeted
you on many occasions, as, at well-
defined intervals, you returned to
your native health bearing new and
well deserved honors and adding fur-
ther distinction not only to your
own name, but to the place of your
birth as well.

This evening, however, we merge
all those former greetings into one
grand and all-embracing welcome to
the first citizen of the land, and
whilst we tender to you our sincere
congratulations upon your elevation
to the eminent position you now oc-
cupy, we, at the same time, beg to
assure you of our feelings of deep
and justifiable pride in your ac-
complishments, and the signal dis-
tinction conferred upon this com-
munity as a consequence. It is un-
necessary to dwell further upon this
theme as we know that fulsome
praise nor hackneyed platitudes do
not appeal to true humility and that
the true Christian spirit which has
dominated your life finds a more re-
sponsive chord in a word of simple
greeting or the hearty hand clasp of
a friend than in reams of written
adulation.

It will please you best to simply
say that we rejoice from the depth
of our hearts in this final recogni-
tion—tardy enough though it may be—
of your distinguished service to
God and country and that we have
the fullest confidence that you will
discharge the duties incident to
your exalted position in a manner
worthy of its noblest traditions.
Signed on behalf of the citizens
of Tignish and vicinity.

off, which is believed to have been
caused by a loose rail. A shunter was
sent out to bring in passengers from
the Halifax Express, including Sir
Richard Squires, Premier of New-
foundland and Lady Squires on their
way home from the Imperial Confer-
ence. The steamer Kyle was held at
this port to await the party before
sailing for Fort-au-Basques.
A foreign visitor remarks on the
large number of statues in London.
They are not all statues. Some are
patient husbands parked outside
stores while their wives are shop-
ping.

McLure And MacKinnon's Office Will Be Closed on Thurs. Dec. 11 for the
Purpose Of Packing Fur Purchases. Will Resume Buying Friday Dec. 12th.