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(Special to The Guardian)

NEVILLE, Dec. 26.—M. Henderson is the new British Minister Plenipotentiary to Egypt. He was formerly Charge d'Affairs at the Embassy in Turkey and is an authority upon eastern problems.

INDIGNATION

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has been restored. The long brewing war came to a crisis Tuesday when twelve Bailiffs moved in and evicted five families. Home guards were hurried to the vicinity to assist the police.

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CAVENISH SERVICES—There will be service in the Presbyterian Church, Sunday, Dec. 28th, at Stanley at 11 a.m. and at North Rustico at 3 p.m. Please note change in hour of afternoon service.

NEW LONDON.—The annual Thankoffering meeting of the New London Auxiliary of the Women's Missionary Society, postponed from last month will be held in the New London Church, Sunday evening, Dec. 28th, at 7 o'clock.

CORNWALL CIRCUIT.—Service in Cornwall circuit for Sunday, Dec. 28th, as follows: North Wiltshire, 11 a.m. Kingston 3 p.m. Cornwall 7 p.m. There will be service at Hampshire Saturday evening, Dec. 27 at 7.30 p.m.

CHRISTMAS SERVICE.—At St. Paul's Church tomorrow, at 2.30 p.m. the Sunday School will participate in a Childrens Service, featured with the singing of carols by the boys of the choir, and a special Christmas Message. On Tuesday night the Sunday School are having their Christmas treat and concert in the Parish Hall. The concert starts at 7.30 p.m. and Santa is booked to arrive during the evening. All interested in these events are cordially invited to attend.

PERSONALS

Mr. Wm. Gillis, Bonshaw, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Mr. Gordon McLean, Cornwall, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Mr. Alfonso Bryenton Royalty, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. G. F. Younker, Clyde River, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Fidelle Pineau, Cymbria, was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Ex-Premier J. H. Bell has taken up his residence in the city for the winter. He is registered at the Russell Hotel.

Mr. Leigh Ferguson, Mt. Herbert, was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Miss Thelma Jenkins, City, leaves this morning to enter the Training School for Nurses in the New England Baptist Hospital, Roxbury, Mass.

The Misses Bagwell of Auckland, N.Z., who have been visiting in the United States for the past month, have returned to Charlottetown, and are the guests of Miss Williams, 229 Sydney St.

Mr. Louis L. Mullen, New York, arrived in the city Tuesday night to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mullen.

BIRTHS

MacKAY—At DeSable P. E. Island on December 25th, Miss Janie MacKay, aged 70. Funeral Saturday 27th at one p.m.

BEARSTO—At the Prince County Hospital, December 25th, after some months illness, Miss Martha Bearst, Funeral, Sunday to the People's Cemetery.

MacKAY—At DeSable, P. E. Island on Dec. 25th, 1924, Miss Janie MacKay, aged 70. Funeral Saturday, 27th at one p.m.

FORD—In East Boston, Dec. 21, William F. beloved son of the late William and Mary E. Ford (nee Moran). Funeral was held from the residence of his brother, Daniel L. Ford, 9 Wardsworth St., Wednesday, Dec. 24.

CRASWELL—At his residence, 30 Hillsboro St. Dec. 26th, 1924, Walter Craswell in his 46th year. Funeral from his late residence 30 Hillsboro St., tomorrow (Sunday) Dec. 28th, 1924, services starting at 3 p.m. Interment People's Cemetery.

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Miscellaneous

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Christmas Day In Charlottetown

St. Vincent's Orphanage was visited on Christmas day by the League of the Cross Band and Rev. J. C. McMillan, Chancellor and Mr. F. J. Casey, Grand Knight of the Knights of Columbus. The latter on behalf of the Society presented a substantial sum of money to the Superiress.

At the Free Dispensary the hearts of hundreds of children were gladdened by the mammoth Christmas Tree laden with toys. The little girls especially went in raptures over the assortment of lovely dolls which were proudly carried away.

About forty sailors assembled at the Navy League Building on Christmas morning and had a most enjoyable time after a short musical programme was carried out. Every sailor was presented with a Christmas Bag being a gift from the Ontario Division of the Navy League of Canada.

Among those who helped to entertain the Sailors was Walter MacKay, Robert Hyndman, Petty Officer Hearn and little Miss Constance Hyndman.

Some of the Sailors also took part in the entertainment and the songs of Rosso Donovan and John McInnis were greatly enjoyed and heartily applauded.

A vote of thanks was extended to the Navy League for their kind remembrance on Christmas Day by Mr. Frank Hobbs.

It was announced by Mr. David Bethune on behalf of the Navy League that it is the intention to have an old time Sailors' Dance during the winter.

The entertainment closed with God Save the King.

The children of the Prince Edward Island Protestant Orphanage were made happy on Christmas morning when Santa Claus, accompanied by twenty Knights Templar, members of Prince Edward Preceptory, made his annual visit to the Orphanage. The reception hall had been previously decorated by the Matron, Miss Roberta Nicholson and her associates, and the huge Christmas tree only required the placing of the presents by the Templars to make the scene one of joy and gladness.

At Falconwood Infirmary the annual Christmas Tree was held and greatly appreciated by the inmates. Contributions of candy and gifts were sent by the Catholic Women's League and the Zion Church Young People's Christian Endeavor Society, as well as the Women's Institutes of Central and Lower Bedouque.

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YOUNG-ADAMS

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a successful villain, while Miss Ann McNeill as Lady Anstruthers, Alfred Stretton as the District Attorney and Ed. H. Stauffer as Inspector Harris acquitted themselves most creditably. Miss Edna Dreifuss, Fred Durant, and Howard Durant in minor roles did their share in contributing to the general success of the play.

Last night's presentation was St. Elmo, from the book of the same name by Augusta Evans Wilson, and with which this versatile company again took their audience by storm. Miss Adams as leading lady and Mr. Young in the title role sustained the heaviest parts in a way to satisfy the most exacting critic; Miss Margaret Young as a charming scheming adventuress, both played difficult parts with telling effect.

Edgar Harris Jason again played a dual role of villain in a satisfying manner. Fred Durant as the irresponsible Van Jiggins, an eccentric inventor, kept the house continually laughing. Edward H. Stauffer in the role of a clergyman, Harry W. Young as his scapegrace son and Alfred Stretton as a physician of doubtful principles were all quite at home in their respective roles and each did his or her part in making the play the success it was.

The Young-Adams Company are touring the Durant dancing team. Mr. Stretton in recitative parts and Miss McNeill in songs and dances. Every act was of high order and received warm applause and a hearty encore. Mr. Durant's

G. W. V. A. New Year's Eve DANCE

P. W. C. HALL in aid of Veterans Relief Fund Casino Orchestra Novelty Dances Tickets at Door Gentlemen \$1.25 Ladies 75c Dancing 9 p.m. Sharp

violin solos and the work of the orchestra also elicited enthusiastic applause.

This afternoon St. Elmo will be repeated as a matinee with the orphanage children present as the guests of the Company. Tonight the bill will be the comedy, "Mary's Ankles."

THE MARKETS

(Canadian Press) OTTAWA, Dec. 26.—The egg market remains firm and unchanged. One car fresh extras and fairs rolled from Vancouver tomorrow, at extras 57, firsts 52, f. o. b. The storage egg situation remains steady, but the demand is not so good which is usually the case at this season, when the requirements for the holiday have been pretty well satisfied. Toronto unchanged retailing specials 80 to 85, extras 75 to 78, firsts 50, seconds, 43. Montreal egg market firm unchanged. Winnipeg market firm retailing extras 85 to 100, firsts 3 to 90, seconds, 50 to 55. Saskatchewan egg market unchanged, poultry receipts lighter, live chickens 9 to 14, fowl 5 to 10, cocks 3 to 5, ducks 5, geese 5, turkeys 9 to 13. Vancouver local fresh laid steady paying country points extras 54 firsts 52, Alberta market is firm. Calgary reports no fresh eggs arriving, storage stocks low, jobbing extras \$18.00 per case firsts \$16.50 per case seconds \$12.00 per case. St. John, N. B. market firm retailing extras 80, firsts 65 to 70.

Montreal, Dec. 26.—Owing to it being a holiday in England today there was no change in the condition of the export trade in grain here. Business for Canadian western oats were advanced 1 cent per bushel. Other grades were also 1 cent higher. No. 2 white selling at 65 cents, No. 3 grades at 63 cents and No. 4 grade at 60 cents per bushel, ex-store. The local flour market for spring wheat grades of flour displayed further strength, and millers announced another rise of 40 cents per barrel on all grades. Business was very quiet. There was no change in prices for winter wheat flour but prospects are that an advance will be announced in the near future. Prices for all grades of millfeed were advanced \$1.44 per ton. The market for rolled oats was strong and higher prices are reported soon.

The volume of business in eggs was not large, but prices were well maintained. There was no change in the butter market, prices being steady and business of the holiday character. The trade in cheese was very dull. Crop beans were quoted at \$2.70 and \$2.80 per bushel.

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avenues of escape for the Hill-charges that were hers. A woman from Fort Worth, formerly Juanette Clemmons, of the Babby's Switch district, her three-year-old daughter, Mary, and Vesta Jackson, complete the list of the identified dead early to-night.

Twenty-eight others are listed as dead or missing and efforts are going forward to determine whether any are among the injured who were taken after the fire to farm houses throughout the countryside.

Santa Just Finished.

Death entered the Christmas celebration suddenly cutting off at its height the programme rendered by the children of the neighborhood. The last little girl had spoken her "pleas" and a jolly Santa in red suit and fur had distributed to each chubby pair of eager hands a little sack of candy while parents and friends who packed the small one-room structure to capacity, looked on.

Santa reached for one of the few remaining candy sacks. His arm struck a candle on the Christmas tree. The tiny blaze fell from its

Business Locals

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meagre perch and in an instant a ball of cotton on the tree burst into flames. A rush to put out the fire, and the tree fell over scattering blazing twigs. In an instant the room was in a panic.

Many Crushed. Men and women sprang for the single exit at the rear and to the windows, beating out the flames only to find the openings covered by a heavy wire netting. The windows shattered, a brisk wind blew through the roof marring the flames, and the flimsy structure caught like firewood.

Many were crushed in the jam before the door and it is believed that most of those who perished had been injured before the flames found them.

LATER HOBART, Okla., Dec. 26.—All of the twenty-three victims of the fire which destroyed a school house during a Christmas eve entertainment have been identified and people of Lath, Switch settled today set about the sad work of interment. The twenty injured persons all in hospital are considered to have every chance for recovery.

CHRISTMAS CLOSING NORTH TRYON SCHOOL

The semi-annual examination of North Tryon School was held on Friday afternoon, Dec. 26. The school was tastefully decorated with garlands of spruce. About forty visitors were present. The different grades were examined in reading, spelling, writing, C. and B. History, Geography, N. Study, Hygiene and Grammar, by Mrs. Gamble, Mr. Max McVittie and by their teacher, Miss MacVittie, and by their quick and satisfactory answer showed they had been carefully trained during the past term. After the examinations in the various subjects, Mr. James Morrison was elected chairman and an interesting program was carried out, much to the delight of all. As the first chorus was being sung Santa Claus appeared.

The programme was as follows: Chorus—Sleigh Bells of Santa Claus, by the school. A Christmas Wish—Bernice Dixon—Welcome—Major Inman. Recitations—by Arthur Walsh, Myrtle Callbeck, Elmer DeLaney, Helen Lord, Helena DeLaney, Helen LeFurgey, Thomas Dawson, Christmas Drill by 3 girls and 5 boys. Recitation—Dolly's Xmas by Ethel Leard, Recitation—A Lady Santa Claus by

G. W. V. A. DANCE NEW YEAR'S EVE

Francis Cobb, Song—Eulalia MacInnis. Recitation—Greedy Jim by Golding DeLaney. Song—Xmas Stars by the girls. Entertaining the Minister by Sheldon Dixon and Jean Muirhead. Recitation—How I Saw Santa Claus by Sheldon Dixon. Song—Roses Bring Memories by Minerva Gillis and Reta Dawson. Recitation by Hillis Cairns. Recitation by Hazel Cairns. Song—Star of the East by the girls. Song—Greeting, Reta Dawson and Minerva Gillis. A Xmas Wish—Leah Lord. Recitation—Ira Cairns. Recitation—Beatrice Cobb. Song—Just be Merry, by the girls. The teacher played the accompaniment on the mouth organ, (Encored). Selection—Bells of St. Mary—on the mouth organ, by the teacher. Song—Mary Gillis Recitation—Florence Leard. Recitation—Reggie Muirhead. Recitation Eulalia MacInnis. Recitation—Mabel MacInnis. Recitation—We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall, by 47 girls and boys. Closing—Eleanor Thomas.

Mr. Sterling Lord (Santa Claus) was then invited to the front and distributed from his pack, to each pupil, a bag of one made candy.

The visitors were treated to four varieties of home-made candy. This beautiful silk muffer from the pupils also a box of dainty handkerchiefs from the "Leard Kiddies" which goes to show the good will between pupils and teacher. Mr. James Morrison then tendered a vote of thanks to the teacher for her untiring efforts. This was further impressed by the trimming of the school was no little work that the work in the various grades also programme was a credit to the teacher, Mrs. Fred Leard and others tendered a vote of thanks to the teacher for her successful efforts. The teacher in a few chosen words, thanked Mrs. Gamble also her brother and others who in animating a success also a vote of thanks to the children for their beautiful gifts. The afternoon was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

Preparations have now almost been completed for the annual New Year's Eve (Wednesday) dance which will be held in P. W. C. Hall under the auspices of the G. W. V. A. Special attention is being paid to the decoration of the large hall and to the condition of the floor which is one of the best in the city. Some novel lighting effects will be used and there will be something entirely new in novelty dances introduced. There will be hats, caps and horns and all the other accessories required to usher in the New Year in a fitting fashion. The Casino Orchestra is putting on a special and lengthy program which will require that this dance start promptly at 9 o'clock.

The affair which is under the patronage of His Honor Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Heartz will be chaperoned by Mrs. W. S. Stewart, Mrs. P. E. Palmer, Mrs. I. E. Croken, and Mrs. A. B. Cosh. The proceeds will be used for relief work during the winter among needy veterans and their families.

All who attended the Armistice dance had a good time; this will be even better so that a most enjoyable evening is assured. Although no personal invitations have been sent out for this dance everybody is cordially invited to attend. Come along and have a good time on New Year's Eve and help the Veterans in their relief work. Tickets may be procured at the door.

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St. James' Presbyterian Church

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