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FORGET ALL WORRIES

Tomorrow is Christmas Day and a general holiday and most people, including the staff of the Daily News, are taking Thursday as well. During that time may we suggest that all forget their worries, if they have any, and give themselves up wholly to the enjoyment of a real holiday. It is particularly a children's day and as such most people will devote their energies to making the day a happy one for the young folks. In doing that they get their greatest enjoyment.

WARMING UP

The United States election campaign is warming up. Although the election does not take place until next November the newspapers are carrying a great deal of election news and the big quadrennial contest is having a strong influence on the attitude of the government to public questions, both home and foreign. The business of the country is badly interfered with and the sane judgment of the country is warped.

NEW ERA OF PROGRESS

Mayor McGeer of Vancouver is so pleased with the Ottawa conference that he sees in it the beginning of a new era of progress in Canadian affairs. Particularly pleased is he with the lifting of the burden of unemployment relief which has had to be borne by the cities. We hope it will mean an era of progress in all lines of endeavor.

SIR ANTHONY EDEN'S APPOINTMENT

The appointment of Sir Anthony Eden as Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs in the British Government in succession to Sir Samuel Hoare is an important move and one that will be highly commended throughout the British Empire except in places dominated by Italian sympathizers. Sir Anthony is a firm believer in the League of Nations and its power. He sees that, if the League fails in this particular case, it may as well go out of business. If the League is able to prevent the absorption of Abyssinia by Italy it will so strengthen the League that it is likely to become an everlasting power for peace in future.

To all our friends on Land and Sea and in Light Houses — we extend the Season's Greetings.

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HAS GOOD MAJORITY

But Baldwin Still Has Lead In Parliament

Labor Gained

Government 432, Opposition 182, Final British Totals

LONDON, Dec. 24: (CP)—Final detailed Canadian Press standing of parties in the new British House of Commons shows the Government has a majority of 250, excluding the vacancy caused by the death of A. Noel Skelton since his election as a Conservative in Scottish Combined Universities.

The Government total is 432 and that of the Opposition 182. In the Government ranks are 386 Conservatives, 34 Liberal-Nationals and eight National-Labor members. In addition, there are three elected as Nationalists and one Independent. The Nationalists are Arthur Hopkinson, in Lancashire Mossley; Hon. Ivor Guest, in Brecon and Radnor and Sir E. Graham-Little in London University. The Independent is A. P. Herbert, in Oxford University.

Labor led the Opposition with 153 members elected. There are 16 Liberals and four Independent (Lloyd George) Liberals. Four members of the Independent Labor Party were elected and one Communist. Two National Abstentionists elected in Northern Ireland will not take their seats. Two Independents in the Opposition classification are Rt. Hon. J. Wedgwood, who received an acclamation in Newcastle-under-Lyme and formerly ran as a Labor candidate for Labor, and Miss Eleanor Rathbone, in English Combined Universities. If Mr. Wedgwood were classed under his former party affiliation, the total "regular" Labor vote would be 154.

Mr. Herbert, who ran as an Inpependent, "took the government whip" along with R. H. Bernays re-elected Liberal-Nationalist in Bristol North. By so doing they are placed on the whip's list for circulars or other information, indicating they will take voting and speaking orders from the government whip.

The present standing:

Government (432):

		G.	L.
Conservative	153	6	85
Lib. National	34	2	10
Nat. Labor	8	0	7
National	3	1	0
Independent	1	1	0
Opposition (182):			
Labor	153	100	0
Liberal	16	3	13
Ind.-Liberal	4	0	0
I. L. P.	4	1	0
Independent	2	0	0
Nat. Absten.	2	0	0
Communist	1	1	0
Vacant	1		
Total	615		

Gains and Losses

Following is the detailed list of gains and losses by parties in the Nov. 14 British general election:

Government gains or changes (10).

Conservative from Liberal, 4.

Conservative from Liberal-National, 2.

Liberal-National from Conservative, 2.

National from Conservative, 1.

Independent from Conservative, 1.

Opposition gains (105).

Labor from Conservative, 76.
Labor from Liberal, 9.
Labor from Liberal-National, 8.
Labor from National-Labor, 7.
Liberal from Conservative, 3
Independent Labor Party from Conservative, 1.
Communist from Conservative, 1

Silver Price Is Still on Skids

Lowest Mark in Fourteen Months Recorded at New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 24: (CP)—The price of foreign silver, fixed at 50¾c yesterday, a decline of one cent from last Friday, was the lowest since October 8, 1934. London established the price of 21 5-16 pence, a decline of 7-16 pence from Friday.

Today the price of imported silver for commercial use fell back further to 49¾c, the lowest since September 17, 1934. In London it was 7-16 pence lower at 20⅞ pence.

TODAY'S STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver

B. C. Nickel, .18½.
Big Missouri, .63.
Bralorne, 5.30.
B. R. Cons., .03¼.
B. R. X. Gold, .07½.
Cariboo Quartz, 1.10.
Dentonia, .28.
Georgia River, .01¼.
Golconda, .10.
Indian, .01½.
Minto, .08¼.
Meridian, .08¾.
Morning Star, .03¼.
National Silver, .02½.
Noble Five, .03¾.
Pend Oreille, .96.
Porter Idaho, .04.
Premier, 1.78.
Reeves McDonald, .07.
Reno, .95.
Salmon Gold, .08.
Taylor Bridge, .13.
Wayside, .16.
Whitewater, .05½.
Waverly Tangier, .00½.
United Empire, .00½.
Glacier Creek, .00½.
Grange, .01½.

Toronto

Central Patricia, 2.65.
Chibougamau, .21.
Lee Gold, .02¾.
Granada, .18.
Inter. Nickel, 44.25.
Macassa, 3.31.
Noranda, 44.25.
Sherritt Gordon, 1.07.
Siscoe, 2.65.
Ventures, 1.64.
Lake Maron, .02½.
Teck Hughes, 5.00.
Sudbury Basin, 3.05.
Smelter Gold, .04½.
Can. Malartic, 1.18.
Little Long Lac, 6.55.
Stadacona, .02½.
Pickle Crow, 3.85.
McKengie Red Lake, 1.30.
God's Lake, 1.18.
Sturgeon River, .57.
Red Lake Gold Shore, .47.
San Antonio, 3.00.
Perron, 1.13.

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Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays ... 6 p.m.
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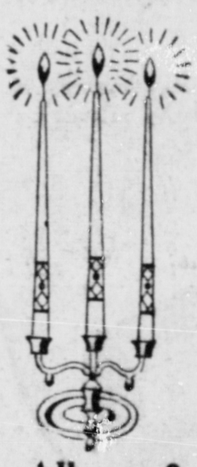
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