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she was anything but mildly stun-

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It's interesting to know when reading the Daily News never left the babies, who kept 

Service of Young Nurse to Baby Quints is Extolled

Yvonne Leroux Goes

Labor and Devotion of Miss Leroux In Critical First Days Recalled

CALLANDER, Ont., Dec. 24: (CP)-For the first time in their lives, the Dionne quintuplets, now two years and seven months old, will be united on Christmas with their three brothers and three sisters all at the same time. Oliva Dionne will occupy the Christmas dinner. Of course, Oliva Dionne jr., being only five months old, will be in his crib. be proved. For Yvonne Leroux did It is believed that, if the governthe quintuplets, made the arrangements to bring the family together all at once for the first

(By Louise de Kiriline)

CALLANDER, Ont., Dec. 23: (CP) -It seems a pity that Yvonne Leoux should go out of the lives of Dionne quintuplets without truly great part she played in making them the wonder children they

Dafoe Nursery by Clare Tremblay, existed. a French-Canadian girl from Windsor, who wil Iteach the quints their ABC's.

children no longer need her care the babies But it seems a little but it should never be forgotten sad that it has been necessary that Yvonne Leroux's untiring la- cacrifice the presence in the sur-

children came when, on the after- to them a very special quality of noon of May 28. 1934, there came a love. call to the Register of Nurses of St. Joseph's Hospital in North Bay.

"Please send a French-speaking urse to a confinement case in

It was a little unusual for nurses For the Eastto be required for private duty outside of the city, but except for this circumstance there was nothing to reveal the singularity of this parti-

Miss Leroux, a young girl with smiling shy eyes and gentle manners and with the black velvet band only just sewn upon the fresh white nursing cap, as yet quite unsoiled in strenuous duty, happened to be the one in line on the register for the next call.

Blissfully oblivious of what was awaiting her, Yvonne Leroux collected the few things she needed in her bag, thermometer, some cottonwool, toothbrush and so on. "I had better take a hot water bottle with me," she added as an afterthought. There will not be very much to work with, I guess, out there in the

I do not know exactly how she felt when at 5 o'clock in the afternoon she found herself gazing down pon a butcher's basket, containng not one ordinary baby but five remature creatures, punier, smaller, more unfinished than she had ever dreamed a living baby could be. Nor do I know if she fully realized then the significance and contingencies of the responsibilion her shoulders. I doubt that which was soon submerged in the exacting and manifold duties of her unique task.

Kept Close to Babies

The first night was not so bad. She was fresh and untired and she had not time to feel sleepy in between feedings and preparing for the next ones with the very limited means that were at her disposal. And miraculously the tiny babies did not die that night. With the weakest of grasps they clung to life, tenaciously, perversely. They lived and breathed if only with but the flutter of shallow breaths.

next day and the next night, and more days and nights Yvonne stuck to her job, quietly, uncomplainingly. Each day she \* Thanking you for your many was more hollow-eyed, more tourtesies and heartily wishdroopingly tired, although she had ing you a Very Merry Christthe district, Miss Clouthier, and

hot water bottle before the others could be found and the incubators Government arrived. She was the one who took the duties when the others left off, never failing, even though she might have had only a few

hours' sleep fully dressed flung This Was Prelude of Proposal To upon the bed pushed into the dark parlor of the disorganized Dionne was never wound, ticking so evenly and faithfully until the very three-day armistice halting China's

mainspring. that any other nurse who hap- Chiang's rescue. head of the table at a family ful as she was in her unprecedented task.

Dr. Allan Roy Dafoe, physician to it. She has the record of her sucthose over--delicate infants durwas the inexperienced but levelheaded judgment which stood between the babies and luring death to carry out the doctor's order throughout the weary nights, to estimate exactly the seriousness of each wave of blueish weakness which time and again menaced the lives of the babies. Without it the doctor's clever guidance She has just been replaced in the would have been as if it never

And now Yvonne Leroux ha been disconnected from the babies It is inevitable perhaps both for It has been decided the Dionne her own sake and for the sake of and her devotion were unde- roundings of the babies of the ably one of the most important only woman who, next to the factors which, outside of Dr. Allan woman who bore them, by indis-Roy Dafoe, kept the babies alive. putable reason of her part in the to for their patronage and wish Her first connection with the saving of their lives, must bear them a Merry Christmas and

### Mail Schedule

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday From the East— Tuesday, Thursday and

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Declare Armistice in Chinese

NANKING, Dec. 24: (CP)-The last energy had gone out of its civil war came yesterday at the nainspring.

urgent request of Madame Chiang

Perhaps it can be said, that Kai-Shek and her brother, Dr. T. Yvonne Leroux did not do any V. Soong, after a reported stratemore than any other nurse would gic victory for Nanking troops of have done. It is quite possible the punitive expedition seeking

pened to be in line for duty on In the presence of Marshal the Register of Nurses in North Chang Hsueh-Liang, the Commun-Bay would have been as success- st rebel leader, Madame Chiang was reported to have interviewed her husband in prison at Sianfu It may be so, but it can never vesterday.

ment will stop its military operacess to back her forever. Hers tions against Sianfu, Chiang's rewere the soft hands which handled lease can be secured and Chang can be induced to leave the couning their first week of life. Hers try for a time. A ransom of \$30,-1 900.000 has been demanded.

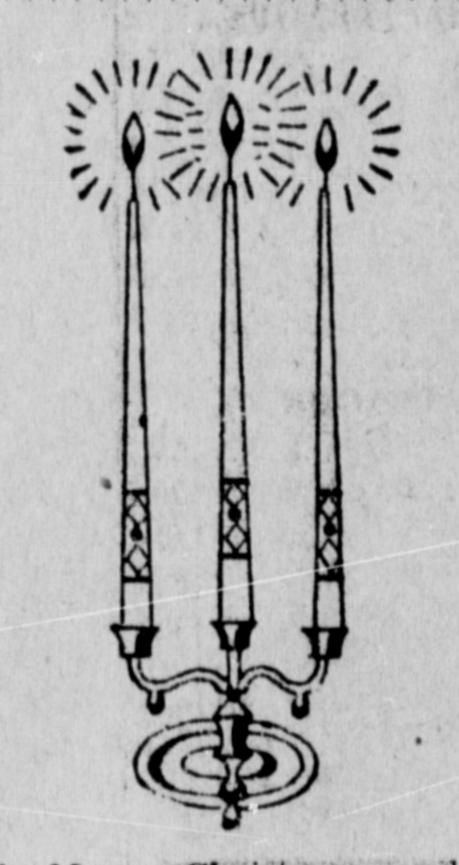
> It was reported at Peiping today that Chiang Kai-Shek had bee leader's injuries were not revealed.

### Today's Weather (Government Telegraphs)

Terrace-Cloudy, calm, 31. Hazelton-Snowing, calm, 27. Smithers-Cloudy, ca'm, mild. Burns Lake-Dull, calm, 15. Stewart-Cloudy, calm, 27. Anyox-Cloudy, calm, 25. Alice Arm-Cloudy, calm. 30. Aiyansh-Cloudy, calm, 25

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