

Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Fresh easterly wind; barometer, 29.48; temperature 45; sea smooth.

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Tomorrow's Tides

High	9:06 a.m.	18.6 ft.
	22:06 p.m.	15.6 ft.
Low	2:20 a.m.	9.6 ft.
	15:50 p.m.	7.9 ft.

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FRANCO-BRITISH PLAN IS SHELVED

Premier Baldwin, Speaking In House of Commons, Takes Blame For Big International Debacle

HELD BY TYPHOON

Philippine Clipper Unable To Leave Manila Yesterday—To Meet China Clipper In Mid-Pacific

MANILA, Dec. 19:—The Pan American flying boat Philippine Clipper, which was to have hopped off from here yesterday on her return flight to the United States deferred its departure owing to a typhoon. Capt. Hilton announced departure would be made today if weather was more favorable.

The Philippine Clipper will, according to schedule, meet in mid-Pacific her sister ship, China Clipper, which is to leave Alameda on Friday on a regularly scheduled mail-carrying flight to the Orient.

HER DEATH IS RIDDLE

Authorities Not Satisfied in Regard To All Circumstances of Thelma Todd's Tragic Passing

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19:—An autopsy revealed no trace of alcoholism in connection with the mysterious death of Thelma Todd, screen actress, whose body was found in her automobile on Monday. Although it had been said that she had a weak heart, she is not believed to have died of heart failure. That suffocation by carbon monoxide poisoning was the direct cause of accidental death was the verdict of a coroner's jury yesterday but how the actress came to have blood on her face and a loosened tooth has not yet been explained to the satisfaction of the authorities. The jury recommended a further thorough examination into all circumstances of the case.

Although it was believed that she had died early Sunday morning, possibly about 4 a.m., a friend has testified to having heard Miss Todd's voice on the telephone at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Carmen Jewell, estranged wife of Roland West, Miss Todd's manager, states positively that she saw Miss Todd driving in her car on Hollywood Boulevard Sunday afternoon with a "handsome young man."

Four hundred guests who attended a gay party in the Trocadero Cafe Saturday night at which Miss Todd was present will be grilled with a view to obtaining all information possible with respect to the actress' movements immediately prior to her death. Roland West was closely questioned yesterday in regard to his intimate personal relations with the dead actress. He had lived in Miss Todd's house, he said, and slept there the night she was supposed to have died.

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, Dec. 19: (CP)—Wheat was quoted at 87½¢ on the local exchange yesterday.

Xmas Donations

Donations to the Salvation Army Christmas Cheer Fund to date are: Previously acknowledged \$110.25 Gilbert Campbell 5.00

SUCH A POSITION WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE AGAIN, HE DECLARES — MUCH HARM DONE WHICH TIME MAY RECTIFY — SIR SAMUEL HOARE EARNS OVATION WITH HIS EXPLANATION.

GENEVA, Dec. 19: (CP)—The council of the League of Nations formally shelved the Franco-British plan for peace at a meeting late today.

LONDON, Dec. 19: (CP)—Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin admitted today that he had made an error in accepting the now lifeless Franco-British plan for ending the Italo-Ethiopian war and promised the House of Commons that "such a position shall not be possible again." He said he felt himself chiefly responsible and admitted that much harm had been done.

which it would take time to rectify. Premier Baldwin's version of the peace plan debacle was that the government had lost contact in Paris with Sir Samuel Hoare, Foreign Secretary, who resigned last night in face of loud public protests against the project he had engineered with Premier Pierre Laval of France.

Mr. Baldwin went on to say that the peace plan was "absolutely and completely dead" and the British government would make no attempt to resurrect it.

Hoare Given Ovation
Sir Samuel Hoare, speaking before Premier Baldwin, said Italy would consider an oil embargo as a military sanction and act of war. He did not entirely approve of the peace plan himself but it had seemed the best aid to Franco-British relations. In any case, Great Britain had not advocated the plan through fear of Italy. "We had no fear as a nation," declared Sir Samuel, "of any Italian threat. If the Italians attacked us, we would retaliate and, judging from past history, we should have retaliated with success."

"The situation has become more acute," said Sir Samuel. "We alone have taken military precautions. There is a fleet in the Mediterranean. There are British reinforcements in Egypt, Malta and Aden. No ship, no machine or no man has been moved by any other member state."

The former Foreign Secretary said that it had been in an atmosphere of a threat of war that discussions took place.

At the conclusion of his address, Sir Samuel was greeted with thunderous applause in contrast to the silence in which he had begun speaking.

In the meantime, a furious debate on foreign policy was in progress in the House of Lords.

Bombshell From Herriot

PARIS, Dec. 19: (CP)—Premier Pierre Laval, in explanation of the much assailed Laval-Hoare peace plan, said yesterday that his government's joint efforts with Great Britain were inspired by encouragements previously given at Geneva.

Another bombshell was thrown into the entangled political situation last night with the announcement that former Premier Edouard Herriot, a minister without portfolio in the Laval cabinet, had resigned as leader of the French Radical Socialist party. This may again threaten the overthrow of the Laval government which, in recent crises, had been given the support of the group led by Herriot.

Resignation Accepted
LONDON, Dec. 19: (CP)—Soon Continued on Page 2

Takes Blame



Premier Stanley Baldwin

California Boy, Shot by Mother, Rallies Slightly

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 19:—Jesse L. Livermore Jr., shot recently by his mother, Mrs. Dorothea Livermore, during a drinking bout, was reported last night to be slightly rallied after having been under an oxygen tent in hospital for the past few days, following an operation for the removal of bullets.

Re-Arranging Of Relief Loans

No More Grants to be Made By Ottawa to Provinces For Cities

OTTAWA, Dec. 19: (CP)—Pending re-arrangement of provincial relief grants, which will be increased as a result of the Dominion-provincial conference, no more loans will be made to the provinces on behalf of the cities, it is announced.

DRUG ADULTERATION

CALCUTTA, Dec. 19: (CP)—D. J. Horn, president of the Rotary Club, at a recent meeting declared it was time something definite was done to eradicate the growing menace of adulteration of drugs in India.

CONFERENCE PLEASES PATTULLO

PREMIER ON CONFERENCE

Pattullo Declares Ottawa Meeting Accomplished All That He Expected Of It

Public Works

To Be Given Consideration—British Columbia Program Not Dead—Aid Given

VANCOUVER, Dec. 19: (CP)—Premier T. D. Pattullo, returning yesterday from Ottawa, said the Dominion - provincial conference accomplished all he had "expected it to accomplish" and British Columbia's program had not been dealt a death blow as stated in some reports. "There is absolutely no truth in those reports," the Premier said. "At the closing primary session, held in camera, several provincial premiers earnestly urged that public works on a large scale should be given consideration. The unemployment council to deal with the whole problem of unemployment will, as a result, have as one of its primary functions the co-ordination of all public works undertakings."

The greatest achievement of the conference in the opinion of Premier Pattullo was the acknowledgement of the principle that the British North America Act should be amended, particularly with regard to the financial relationship of the provinces to the Dominion. In view of this acknowledgement, the Premier could see no reason that constitutional amendments could not be undertaken soon and he expected to see something done at the coming session of the House of Commons.

The provinces had taken a strong stand in connection with the necessity for assistance to the municipalities to carry their unemployment relief burden. Mr. Pattullo said. The result was that it was agreed that the federal government would make larger relief appropriations to the provinces which will, in turn, increase their grants to the municipalities.

Late Telegrams

TEN YEARS FOR BARRACK
VANCOUVER, Dec. 19: (CP)—Lou Barrack, convicted by a Supreme Court jury last night on a charge of living in part on the avails of prostitution, was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment by Mr. Justice Denis Murphy.

CALEB MILNE FOUND

DOYLESTON, Penn., Dec. 19: (CP)—Caleb J. Milne Fourth, kidnapped scion of a wealthy textile family, was found dazed and trussed in a roadside ditch, his eyes and lips sealed with tape, last night. No ransom had been paid.

Prohibition Sec'y Passes in South

Rev. William Fortune Of West Vancouver Was Long Prominent In B.C. Dry Organization

WEST VANCOUVER, Dec. 19: (CP)—Rev. William G. S. Fortune, general secretary of the People's Prohibition Association since 1915, is dead here at the age of seventy-eight.

SEAT IN P. E. I. KING AND QUEEN OF ITALY



HON. C. A. DUNNING

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Dec. 19: (CP)—Hon. Charles A. Dunning, minister of finance, has been invited to contest Queen's constituency, Prince Edward Island, for his seat in Parliament. Announcement is made that J. J. Larabee, successful candidate in the recent general election, will resign in favor of Mr. Dunning. As Prince Edward Island is now the only province not represented in the cabinet, Mr. Dunning has accepted the offer. Mr. Larabee receives a position in the Department of Fisheries.

OFFICER IS DEAD

Staff Sergeant R. W. Bowen, Provincial Police, Succumbs At Smithers

Staff Sergeant Richard William Bowen, provincial police, who was recently appointed chief of Prince Rupert district for the provincial police but who was unable to come here to assume his duties owing to illness, died at 6 o'clock last evening at Smithers. He had been chief of the Smithers district for the past year.

Born in Wales in 1882, the late Sergeant Bowen had had a long and varied police career. His first experience in police work was with the Glamorganshire Constabulary but he soon moved to Canada and eventually became chief of the old city police at Fernie, being in charge there during the strike of 1911 after which he resigned to join the provincial force in 1912. He was at first stationed at Keremeos and became a chief constable at Ashcroft, being later stationed at Vernon for a number of years, then at Penticton whence he was transferred to Smithers. A few weeks ago he was promoted to the rank of staff sergeant and transferred to Prince Rupert to succeed Staff Sergeant Alex McNeill as district chief. A couple of years ago he was to have come here to succeed Sergeant W. J. Service as city chief but was unable on account of his health to accept that transfer.

Sergeant Bowen is survived by his widow, a sister of Tom Uphill, M. L. A. for Fernie, and two children—a son, aged 18, and daughter, aged 16. He was a member of the Masonic craft. Details of funeral arrangements have not yet been learned here.

KING AND QUEEN OF ITALY LEAD NATION IN TURNING IN THEIR WEDDING RINGS

Eighty Million Dollars in Gold Thus Given to Country In Its Emergency—Pope Pius Asks For Truce At Christmas

ROME, Dec. 19: (CP)—Queen Helena, invoking God to bring victory to Italy, contributed her own and King Victor Emmanuel's wedding rings yesterday in a great "Faith Day" ceremony in which some eight million other women and two million men in middle and southern Italy began turning in their gold bands to the government.

Rough estimates indicated that married couples would thus give the nation more than eighty million dollars in gold in the national financial emergency.

The Italian government yesterday claimed that its north Ethiopian army had defeated the Ethiopians in a three-day battle along the Takkaze River, killing five hundred warriors.

At Vatican City Pope Pius asked Italy and Ethiopia to declare a Christmas truce and to refrain from hostilities during the Yuletide.

BAR SILVER DOWN AGAIN

Slump Continues on World Market—Attributed to United States-Chinese Deal

LONDON, Dec. 19: (CP)—Bar silver continued its hasty retreat yesterday when London brokers set the price at 23 pence per ounce, a reduction of one and seven-eighths pence, without attracting bids.

Recent change in the United States silver purchasing policy was explained here as a cause of the slump. Reports from well informed sources said that negotiations are under way in Shanghai between American and Chinese representatives for direct sale of Chinese silver stocks in return for American dollars.

New York Price Weak

NEW YORK, Dec. 19: (CP)—Yesterday's price of 55½¢ per ounce for silver was a drop of three cents from the previous day, bringing the price to the lowest level since February 26, 1935, as the world silver markets apparently faced a new crisis. The collapse continued today with another drop of two cents. Fixing of the price followed the placing of the London price at 22 3-16 pence an ounce, off 13-16 pence.

Owing to the chaotic conditions in the white metal markets, London was unable to fix other than a nominal price yesterday and the Bombay market closed for the rest of the week.

The silver market had the tendency of unsettling the stock market with prices off generally. The day's turnover was 1,700,000 shares as compared with 1,390,000 shares the day previous when general advances had been recorded. Closing averages yesterday: industrials, 140.10, off .50; rails, 40 even, off .08; utilities, 28.20, off .09; bonds, 97 94, up .25.

Government Policy

WASHINGTON D.C., Dec. 19: (CP)—Reiterating a previous statement that the Treasury is still buying silver, Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau said today that the government has taken all Mexico's newly mined output during the past year—about 72,000,000 ounces.

WORST WEEK ON ROADS

LONDON, Dec. 19: (CP)—More people were killed on British highways during election week than in any other week this year. The total of 165 was 32 more than the previous week and 25 more than the corresponding period in 1934.

Townsend Plan Candidate Wins

Scored Three to One Victory Over Democratic Opponent In Michigan

DETROIT, Dec. 19:—The first candidate sponsored by the Townsend Plan has been elected to public office in the third district of Michigan in the person of Vernon W. Main who defeated Howard Cavanaugh, a straight Democrat by a vote of three to one. Elderly people turned out in strength to support Main.

Quadruplets In Northern Texas

Newspapermen Are Endeavoring To Check up on Veracity Of Report

FORT WORTH, Dec. 19:—Quadruplets, two girls and two boys, are reported to have been born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Commons in Northern Texas and newspapermen have been endeavoring to verify the report. The babies each weigh from 5 to 5½ pounds and are said to be in excellent health. There are nine other children in the family.

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WHAT WOULD THEY DO WITH IT?

At the naval conference in London this week the chief of the Japanese delegation said he was unable to understand why United States wanted a big navy and a United States representative wondered what Japan intended to do with an increased navy.

What are navies for anyway? Some people think they are just kept up to provide entertainment spectacles for the populace and dancing partners for the girls. Evidently there must be something more than this about the service.

HOARE IS THE GOAT

Sir Samuel Hoare, British Foreign Secretary, who only a few weeks ago was somewhat of a national hero in Great Britain, is now made the goat for the administration. The treaty which he worked out in conjunction with Premier Laval of France is not acceptable to the belligerents or to the people of Great Britain or to the other nations. British Labor is strongly against it and nobody seems to like it. While, doubtless, the British government was a party to the treaty, it has thrown it over since it has found it so unpopular. Time will show whether Sir Samuel was right or wrong.

THE MAD SCRAMBLE

For the next few days there will be the inevitable mad scramble for Christmas presents at the city stores. Everybody will be shopping and the scramble will become more accentuated every day with the grand climax on Tuesday. For weeks we have been suggesting to people that they should start early and shop at a time when they could make their decisions without joining a crowd and having to take almost anything that offered. A few did this but the mass of the people still have to do their Christmas shopping. We again suggest that it be not left until Monday or Tuesday.

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Royal Couple on Honeymoon



The recent Woodland Pytchley hunt, at Dingley, England, took the appearance of a special event for the benefit of a pair of famous honeymooners, the recently married Duke and Duchess of Gloucester. The Duke rode to hounds in the hunt, and is shown here, mounted, with his bride standing beside him.

XMAS TREE OF EAGLES

Highly Enjoyable Entertainment
Held Last Night For Old And Young

Last evening the Eagles' Hall was the scene of gaiety and joyful festivity when the big and little Eagles gathered to welcome Santa Claus on his annual visit to Prince Rupert. Featuring the program were the radio calls from Santa Claus through the courtesy of the local short wave station.

The following program was rendered:

"G Canada."
Welcoming remarks, President Peter Gamula.

Sword dance, Miss Jean Ayres.
Piano solo, Miss Bonnie Perkins.
Song, Miss Lois Judge.

Tap dance, Miss Doris Hodgkinson.
Piano solo, Miss Venetia Feero.
Song, Roi Judge.

Dance, "Highland Fling," Miss Flora Leslie.

Song, Miss Elsie Bagshaw.
Arrival of Santa Claus.

Mrs. J. S. Blaeck was accompanied for the tap dancing and singing and Sam Leslie played the bagpipes for the Highland Fling and Sword Dance.

After the program presents were distributed by Santa Claus and then all sat down to a very sumptuous repast provided for the occasion. Another feature was the drawing of the tickets for the annual Christmas Tree drawing, the lucky winners being:

First prize, \$25, J. Krikevsky, No. 626.

Second prize, \$15, Jackie Macey, No. 6.

Third prize, \$10, Oscar McIver, No. 196.

The winning tickets were drawn by Misses Beth Astoria and May Hemmons.

Committees in charge were: Program, R. McKay, F. Hunter, A. Astoria and W. Gardner.

Refreshments, F. Ellison, W. Hutson, P. Komanek, Lee Dell, J. J. Willington, P. Smith, H. Smith, C. Marr, S. Ayres, E. Kane.

Tickets, J. Brown, Dido Stinech, W. Rothwell, F. Hemmons.

Pete Gamula was general convener.

SIXTEEN-OUNCE BABY
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Franco-British Plan is Shelved

(Continued from page one)

after the announcement yesterday that Sir Samuel Hoare had resigned as British Foreign Secretary, announcement was made that the resignation had been accepted.

Announcement of Sir Samuel's resignation came after an emergency session of the cabinet which he did not attend. A terse announcement after the meeting said: "We regret to announce the resignation through ill health of

Sir Samuel Hoare as Foreign Secretary." No intimation was given as to whom would be his successor although Sir John Simon and Capt. Anthony Eden are mentioned.

The general expectation now is that the British government will return to its old stand of solidarity behind League sanctions. The adoption of the much-discussed oil embargo will probably be the next major step.

Abandon Peace Plan

GENEVA, Dec. 19: — Premier Pierre Laval of France and Capt. Anthony Eden of Great Britain agreed here yesterday that the Laval-Hoare peace plan would be abandoned in the event of the

Information On Car Manufacture Costs is Offered

OTTAWA, Dec. 19: (CP)—Manufacturing costs of the Ford Motor Co. of Canada will be revealed in confidence to counsel for the provincial governments. W. R. Campbell, president, told the tariff board yesterday.

the Ligue falling to support it or Italy or Ethiopia refusing to accept it.



CANADIANS AND THEIR INDUSTRIES—AND THEIR BANK
DAIRYING

HENRY: "Angus, do you ever think of the time we started this dairy business?"

ANGUS: "You bet I do, Henry. It all started with me driving that milk route at \$20 a month and board. I worked early and hard for what I got, but the turn came when the boss was willing to sell out. The Bank of Montreal knew I was thrifty from the way my savings account had grown steadily. They helped a lot by lending me some money—on good security, of course; it gave me a good start. I still worked mighty hard, but the profits made me forget I was so tired. We have a nice balance at the Bank now."

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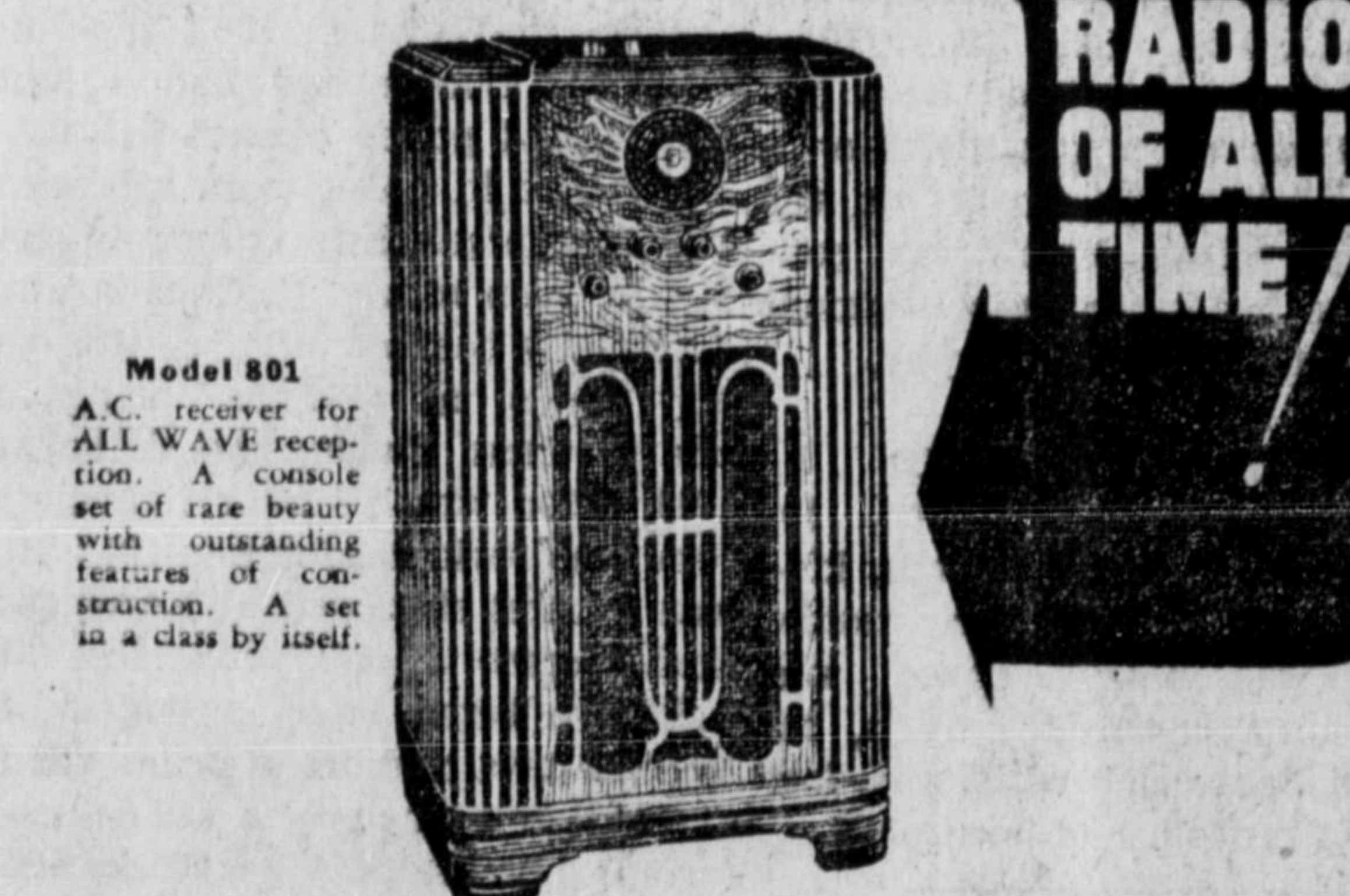
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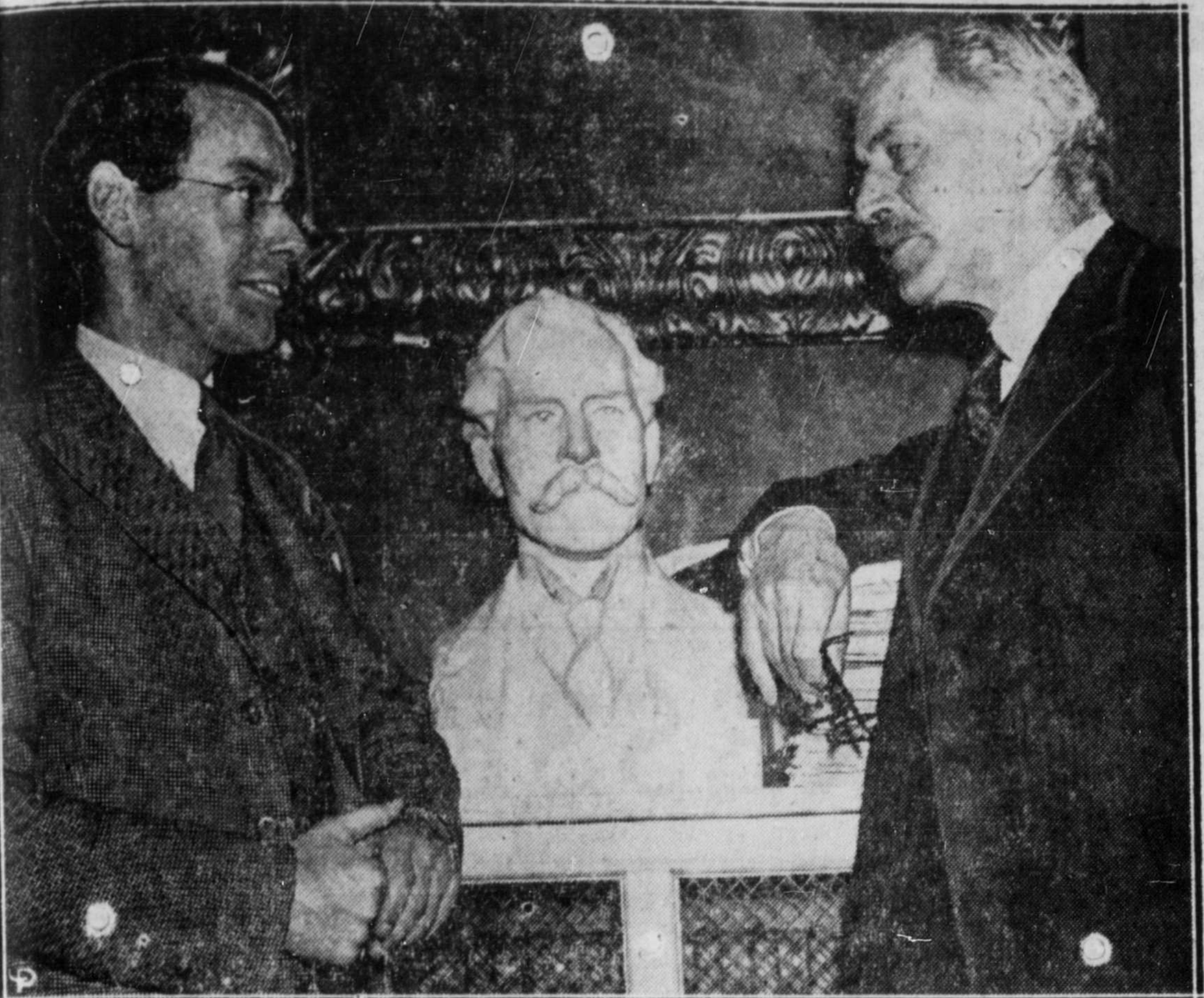
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The MacDonalds, Father and Son, Talk Over Defeat



Ramsay MacDonald, former British Labor premier, and his son, Malcolm, both of whom were defeated for office in the recent British elections that saw the Conservative party of Stanley Baldwin swept into power, are here shown talking things over at their home in Hampstead, following news of their defeat. Young MacDonald has been named as Britain's new dominions secretary, while the elder MacDonald has been named Lord President of the Council. Seats will be found for both.

SCENE OF FAIRYLAND

Operetta And Carol Singing Features Delightful Christmas Entertainment At Booth Memorial School

Pretty stage settings in keeping with the Yuletide season, delightfully dainty dances and tuneful choruses featured the operetta "The Fairy Shoemaker" which was presented before a large and appreciative audience of parents and friends last night as the feature of the annual Christmas entertainment of the pupils of Booth Memorial School. Numerous and spontaneous were the favorable comments that were to be heard in regard to the charming presentation which reflected credit not only upon the children but upon the painstaking and patient preparation that must have been entailed for the members of the teaching staff. The entertainment had already been staged on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons for the benefit of the pupils of the school, last night's audience being confined to adults.

The picturesque stage with its sylvan setting, the fairies in their fragile garb, the smock-wearing shepherds, the elf-like cobbler and chorus in artistically chosen dances notable for their grace, finish and gay abandon, were carried out with fine precision and with evident pleasure by the children. Added to that there was delightful singing, choral and individual, well spoken dialogue and good acting, all of which contributed to make the evening one of outstanding accomplishment.

At the conclusion of the operetta, the school choir, conducted by J. S. Wilson, rendered a series of carols that were very much appreciated by the audience. Their good tone, clear singing and natural interpretation were very noticeable. The descant numbers were rather ambitious and well done too.

The carols were: "The First Nowell," "Sleep Holy Babe," "Good King Wenceslas," "Shepherds Shake Off Your Drowsy Sleep," "Golden Slumbers" and "Deck The Hall With Boughs Of Holly."

Miss Mercer welcomed the parents and friends and spoke appreciatively of the assistance of the parents. The value of the training the pupils gained by taking part in such a program was of real worth.

Those Taking Part
Miss Elsie Johansen read the story of the operetta before the curtain went up. Miss Engina Christensen and Miss Margaret McMeek-in played violin and piano duets very enjoyably. Bob McLean and Dave Geary were in charge of the curtain. Helen Docdor and Margaret Smith were soloists in the carols. The operetta cast was as follows:
The Shoemaker, Vernon Ciccone. Chief shepherd, Hans Peterson. The pedlar, Betty Wilkinson

Epidemic Of Meningitis

With Eleven Already Dead, Schools And Theatres in Oklahoma Have Been Closed

OKLAHOMA, Dec. 19.—Schools and moving picture theatres have been closed owing to an epidemic of spinal meningitis which is believed to have had its origin in a C. C. C. camp. Three more deaths have brought the mortality list up to a total of eleven.

Fairies—Joyce Kellback, Elsie Giske, Jean Squires and Joan Forrest.

Leading shepherds—Bessie Chandler, Sheila Blackstock, Laura Larsen, Eileen Hemmons. Ella Krause and Nancy Bremner presided at the door.

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2 tins		per bundle	
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INSURANCE OF HEALTH

Dr. Allen Peebles Presents His Report to Dr. Weir at Victoria

Details Withheld

Legislation is Wanted But Exact Nature Subject of Difference

VICTORIA, Dec. 19.—Recommendations on which a new and modified scheme of health insurance for British Columbia will be drafted have been formally presented to Hon. G. M. Weir, Provincial Secretary, by Dr. Allen Peebles, chairman of the special hearings committee which conducted a province-wide inquiry last summer.

While the details of the report were not made public, it was stated the committee had reached the conclusion that British Columbia wants health insurance at an early date, but the plan for discussion tabled at the last session of the legislature is too comprehensive and too costly in its full outline at the present time.

The suggestions for revising the scheme were made to conform with this point of view.

The recommendations are based upon submissions from 139 organizations and individuals who appeared before the committee and its representatives at eighteen hearings.

The opinions of doctors, nurses, hospital directors, teachers, retail merchants, manufacturers, druggists, fraternal orders, organized labor, boards of trade and municipal groups, political organizations and a wide range of individual thought are given.

An analysis of these accompanying the report shows that, with few exceptions, those appearing before the committee favored the principle of health insurance.

By actual count, 111 briefs went on record outright as favoring the principle, four were directly op-

posed, one was against a compulsory system and one other opposed it on religious grounds.

The early introduction of legislation by the province was favored by the great majority and particularly by those representing labor, women's groups and social welfare bodies.

On the other hand, delay to await study or possible legislation by the Dominion government was advocated by thirteen briefs, including that of the College of Physicians and Surgeons. Ten other briefs, including those of the Vancouver Board of Trade and the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, claimed that the present time was inopportune for legislation on health insurance because business has not sufficiently recovered from the depression.

Class Of Persons
The point arousing most interest dealt with the class of persons that should come under the scheme. Among the specific submissions the most frequent single one was that either all employees, or every person within the province, should be included, rather than limiting the plan to those earning \$200 per month and less. On this point the doctors' committee, in their presentation to the hearings committee, was very much opposed to the majority view, for they argued strongly for limitation of the plan to those earning less than \$125 per month.

Although the doctors' committee was among the most severe critics of the draft bill, and although they opposed early action to put health insurance into effect, three briefs from lay organizations charged that the plan was designed to

benefit the organized medical profession greatly.

Another much-stressed argument, taken fully into account by the committee, was that the cost in the original draft scheme would involve too heavy a financial burden, both on employees and on industry.

Twenty-seven argued that the proposed maximum contributions from salaries of three percent by employees and two percent by employers, as suggested in the draft, were too great.

The question of whether cash benefits should be paid aroused much interest, it was indicated. A dozen or so submissions went into detail on this matter and the majority were opposed to it at the present time.

Concern was also manifested in the composition of the commission to administer the scheme. Both employers and employees are insisting on representation and ten groups urged that at least one woman be included.

ARCHBISHOP SPEAKS OUT

LONDON, Eng. Dec. 19. (CP)—Preaching in St. Paul's Cathedral, Most Rev. William Temple, Archbishop of York, said the assault on religious faith in Russia was less perilous than the Caesar worship of Germany and Italy.

DIES FROM CAT SCRATCH

BLACKBURN, Eng., Dec. 19. (CP)—Kathleen Shorrock, aged one year and 11 months, died as a result of being scratched on her arm by a cat. The scratch was not regarded as serious at the time.

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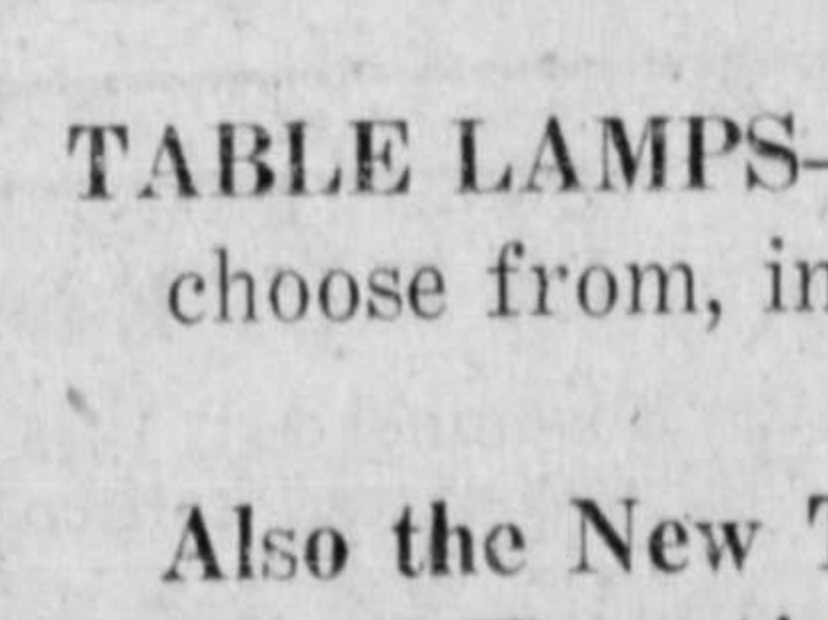
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Jack Johns left last night by train for a brief business trip to Usk.

Charles Graham, inspector of mines, left on last night's train for a trip to Smithers on official duties.

George Frizzell and Tom Caroff were winners of turkeys in the drawing at the Capitol Theatre last night.

Margaret's Holiday Sale. Big reduction on all dresses, sport, afternoon, evening, good until December 31. (295)

William Vance, who has been identified with the C. P. R. general agent's office here, sailed on the Prince George yesterday for Premier, having accepted a position there.

R. G. Emmerson, chief operator of Digby Island wireless station, who has been spending several weeks on the Queen Charlotte Islands, returned to the city on the Prince John last night.

Charles F. P. Faulkner, assistant district engineer for the federal department of public works with headquarters in New Westminster, came north from Vancouver via Queen Charlotte Islands on the Prince John, arriving here this morning. He has been making the trip on official business and will visit other northern points.

Provincial Constable and Mrs. Harold Staines of Massett arrived in the city on the Prince John this morning from the Islands, bringing in a Massett native woman, Gerie Brown, who is alleged to have slashed her throat with a razor blade after having been committed to trial on a charge of theft. The woman is a patient in the hospital now.

Announcements

Canadian Legion, B. E. S. L., Christmas Tree, Dec. 21.

Sons of Norway Xmas Tree, Moose Hall, December 26.

Hogmanay Dance, Oddfellows' Hall.

Elks' New Year's Eve Novelty Dance.

Nordkapp Xmas Tree, January 3

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Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Anderson will sail tomorrow afternoon on the Cardena for a trip to Vancouver.

Rev. J. D. Addison of Metlakatla will sail tomorrow afternoon on the Cardena for Vancouver. He does not expect to return north.

Miss Lang of King Edward High School teaching staff sails tomorrow afternoon on the Cardena for her home in Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season.

Joseph Wickett of the Canadian National Railways city ticket office sails tonight on the Prince George for Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season at his home.

Mrs. G. E. Gulick and son and daughter will sail tonight on the Prince George for Vancouver to join Mr. Gulick who has been transferred there in the service of the Swift-Canadian Co.

Miss Irene Mitchell arrived in the city on the Prince John this morning from her school teaching duties at Massett to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John R. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Chaston who have been visiting in the city for the past week as the guests of Mrs. Chaston's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Kennedy will sail this afternoon by the Princess Norah on their return to Vancouver.

F. C. Freeman, engineer at the Port Simpson General Hospital, will sail on the Prince George tonight for Vancouver to attend the funeral of his father, the late Rev. B. C. Freeman, pioneer missionary of the north coast, whose death occurred Wednesday at Quathlaski Cove, Vancouver Island. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Freeman and family. They arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Port Simpson.

Timely Recipes

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Prunes have risen from the old boarding house stand-by to an exalted position in the food world. They have great dietary virtues—mineral salts, bulk and supplement the vitamins. Now, even the prune-seed kernel is used and it adds a new and unusual flavor to a popular prune pudding.

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WHIFFLETS

From the Waterfront

C. N. R. steamer Prince John, Capt. Neil McLean, arrived in port at 3 o'clock this morning from Vancouver via the Queen Charlotte Islands and will be here until 6 o'clock tomorrow night when she will sail on her return south over the same route.

George Frizzell left at 1:30 this afternoon with the Laura F II for Port Essington and is due to arrive there at 4:15 p.m.

The halibut boat Johanna is in today with a catch of 10,000 pounds. She is holding over until tomorrow for sale.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA In Probate In the Matter of the Administration of the Estate of James G. Patsica, Deceased. TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor Judge Fisher, Local Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, made the 6th day of December 1935, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of James G. Patsica, Deceased. All persons having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to furnish same properly verified to me on or before the 15th day of January 1936; otherwise disposition of the said Estate will be made without regard thereto. All parties indebted to the said Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith. DATED this 9th day of December 1935. NORMAN A. WATT, Official Administrator, Prince Rupert, B.C.

LAND ACT Notice of Intention to apply to Lease Land In PRINCE RUPERT Land Recording District of Range 5 Coast, and situated about 1-2 mile south of the W. A. Brown Homestead Lease on Sklaki Bay, Stephens Island. Take notice that William Anthony Brown of Sklaki Bay, Stephens Isl. occupation Fisherman and Trapper intends to apply for a lease of the following described foreshore lands: Commencing at a post planted on a small island within an inlet of Sklaki Bay, about 20 Feet west of my boathouse, which is located approximately 3-4 miles south of the W. A. Brown Homestead Lease thence West 1,200 Feet; thence North 900 Feet; thence East 1,800 Feet; thence South 900 Feet; thence West 600 Feet to point of commencement and containing Thirty acres, more or less. WILLIAM ANTHONY BROWN Dated November 4th, 1935

CERTIFICATES OF IMPROVEMENTS SILVER KING No. 1; SILVER KING No. 2; SILVER KING No. 3; SILVER KING No. 4; SILVER KING No. 5; SILVER KING No. 6; SILVER KING No. 7; SILVER KING No. 8; BLUEBIRD No. 1 & BLUEBIRD No. 2 MINERAL CLAIMS, Situate in the Atlin Mining Division of Cassiar District. Where located: - Whitewater Creek, Tulequah River. TAKE NOTICE that D. C. Sharpstone, acting as agent for Raymond L. Walker, Free Miner's Certificate No. 64891-D; Daniel H. Moller, Free Miner's Certificate No. 64877-D; Harry C. Bracken, Free Miner's Certificate No. 64876-D; Arthur Hedman, Free Miner's Certificate No. 64890-D; Alaska Pinesau Gold Mining Corporation, Free Miner's Certificate No. 86026-D; Walter Barron, Free Miner's Certificate No. 64888-D; D. J. MacDougall, Free Miner's Certificate No. 64889-D, intends sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificates of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above claims. And further take notice that action, under section 85 of the Mineral Act, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificates of Improvements. Dated this first day of December, 1935.

'SPORT'

SEA HAWKS BEAT BUCKS

Frank Foyston Wins His First Victory, Only One Goal Being Required SEATTLE, Dec. 19: (CP)—Seattle Sea Hawks, playing their first game under the new management of Frank Foyston, who has succeeded Art Gagne, scored a close one goal victory over the Portland Buckaroos last night to move into fourth place in the Northwestern Hockey League standing ahead of Edmonton Eskimos who were idle. It was the first defeat of the season for Bobby Rowe's Buckaroos. At Calgary, the Vancouver Lions and Calgary played a four-all overtime draw. The league standing to date: W. D. L. F. A. P. Vancouver 8 3 2 50 29 19 Portland 6 3 1 26 17 15 Calgary 5 3 7 40 48 13 Seattle 4 0 7 19 30 8 Edmonton 2 3 8 24 35 7

Hockey Standings

Table with columns for National League American Section and International Section, listing teams like Detroit, Chicago, Rangers, Boston, Toronto, etc.

Australia Wins Over Africa In Opening Cricket

DURBAN, Dec. 19: (CP)—Australia defeated South Africa by nine wickets yesterday in the first cricket test match of the present tour.

SPORT CHAT

Hockey, Canada's outstanding contribution to the sports realm of the British Empire, has extended its ever-widening sphere to the Mother Country and the enthusiasm with which the winter game has been received stands out as the highlight of sport in Great Britain's Silver Jubilee year of 1935. Fostered for years by a handful of Canadians at Oxford and Cambridge Universities and bolstered more recently by tours of Dominion teams, amateur hockey emerged this fall as a mammoth attraction, taking its place with soccer, rugby and cricket and attesting still further to the sporting proclivities of the British people.

Stadium after stadium has been erected as sports promoters seek to satisfy the demand for "the fastest game in the world." England in the autumn saw a veritable invasion by ambitious Canadian amateurs and now matches in London are a magnet for huge crowds. Outside the capital the ice game is highly popular in Manchester, Liverpool, Birmingham, Brighton and several other cities.

Two leagues are operated—the National and English Leagues—while an international flavor is injected by frequent tussles with French clubs. In addition to players, England has lured several notable Canadian hockey coaches, among them Percy Nicklin, former mentor of Moncton Hawks and "Babe" Donnelly of Sault Ste. Marie.

The governing body of the sport is the British Amateur Hockey Association and it is finding it an easy matter to attract young Englishmen. One of the regulations requires that each league club must carry six English-born players.

LADIES' BOWLING LEAGUE

Table for Ladies' Bowling League showing names like Annette's, P. R. Grads, Doodads, etc. and their scores.

FISH PAINT ON CHURCH

Canned Variety Runs Out So Homemade Color Used—125th Anniversary Celebrated

SAMBRO, N.S., Dec. 19: (CP)—A fishermen's church for generations, St. James United Church has the nautical touch down to walls painted with cod liver oil as it celebrates its 125th anniversary in this community of fisher-folk.

Founded in 1810, it has served first the Methodists and then in the United Church of Canada. Preachers and congregations have come and gone, but the tiny church has stood. Though the going was sometimes hard in that century and a quarter, it struck no serious snag until last year. Then, with the church half covered, the paint gave out. There was no money, and it looked as though the building was to remain mottled until funds were raised.

But the fishermen were not stumped. Someone found some red ochre. Others turned over cod liver oil they were saving for market. Mixed, the two were just the thing. And the painting went on.

Now, the church spire points into the sky from Graveyard Point proudly as ever beacon for the fishermen as they come in from the Atlantic. Inside, Rev. F. W. Mitchison, student minister from Flat Islands, Nfld., conducts services and supervises the night school classes that are held twice a week.

Grateful for the lessons, the fishermen are getting up a new scheme to free the church of financial worries when painting time rolls around again. They plan to donate one of their lobster pots' piece to the church, and to give it all revenue from that pot.

United Farmers Of Alberta Questioned

Locals Are Being Asked Whether They Desire to Stay Actively In Politics

EDMONTON, Dec. 19:—Locals of the United Farmers of Alberta are being questioned as to whether the organization, which was in control of the provincial government prior to the election last fall and which had the majority of federal members in Alberta prior to October 14, shall stay in politics. A convention will be held shortly in the Masonic Temple.

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Advertisement for Arrow Gifts for Christmas, featuring an illustration of a man in a suit and a woman in a dress, with text: 'He'll like ARROW GIFTS for Christmas!'

Advertisement for Lambie & Stone, featuring an illustration of a sailing ship and text: 'FREE! FREE! FREE! Just arrived 200 copies of our famous Sailing Ship. Given away free to adults only. LAMBIE & STONE STYLE - QUALITY - SERVICE'

Steamship Sailings table with columns for destination, date, and time. Includes entries for Vancouver, Prince George, and various islands.

Advertisement for Canadian Pacific, featuring text: 'CANADIAN PACIFIC To Vancouver via Ocean Falls and way ports... WINTER ROUND TRIP FARE TO VANCOUVER \$32.00'

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"TILLIE THE TOILER" They Start at Scratch -By Westover

Comic strip panel 12-14 showing Tillie and Mac talking. Dialogue includes: 'WELL, BUBBLES, I GUESS YOU'VE GOT A CLEAR FIELD WITH MR. VALENTINE, JR. NOW' and 'ER - MY BOSS TOOK THAT JOB AWAY FROM ME, TOO'

Comic strip panel 12-16 showing Tillie and Mac in a car. Dialogue includes: 'TILLIE, DO YOU REMEMBER THAT NIGHT WE WERE COMIN' HOME LATE FROM A DANCE AND WE RAN OUTA GAS ON A DESERTED COUNTRY ROAD?' and 'IT'S GONNA HAPPEN ALL OVER AGAIN, ANY MINUTE!'

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TOLD ABOUT MATANUSKA

Salvation Army Commandant In-
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Club Luncheon

Speaking before the Prince Rupert Gyro Club at luncheon yesterday, Adjutant Eva Laycock, local commandant of the Salvation Army, expressed the opinion that the chief obstacle to the success of the United States government's colonization project in the Matanuska Valley of Alaska was the scourge of mosquitoes with which the area is visited each summer. There were means of eradicating mosquitoes, however, as had been proven elsewhere in the past, and, doubtless, some way of ridding Matanuska of the pest would be found. This done, the Army officer saw no reason why the Matanuska should not be developed into a flourishing and happy agricultural community. Adjutant Laycock, who visited the valley during the past summer, found the people there comfortable, happy and most hopeful as to the future outlook. They were being given a good start on fertile land where the production possibilities were favorable, the long days of the summer compensating in large measure for the shortness of the season. The whole territory of Alaska offered a ready market for all they might produce.

Adjutant Laycock gave the Gyros an interesting description of conditions as she found them in the Matanuska. The people there, she said, were not "pioneering" as the most of people pictured "pioneering." They had fine, comfortable homes with all modern conveniences and the central community of Palmer was well-equipped and up-to-date. The settler had been placed on forty-acre tracts on which they had to pay nothing for five years and were amply provided for by the government in getting established. Much more favorable was their lot than it had been in the drought-ridden areas of the Middle West whence most of them had come. True there had been some discontented and disgruntled families but these had been given the opportunity to return home. For those who remained, which were in the large majority, Adjutant Laycock predicted ultimate success.

The speaker also gave other impressions of a ten thousand mile trip she had made through the Yukon and Central Alaska and passed around some interesting photographs. The luncheon was presided over by Past President William Cruickshank in the absence of President S. J. Jabour. There was a good attendance of members and Norman McLean of Vancouver was a guest as well as Adjutant Laycock who was accompanied by her assistant, Lieut. Hilda Bridge.

Twenty-Five Years Ago

December 19, 1910

Two meetings were held in connection with the local option plebiscite campaign. Scott Act campaigners met in the Empress Theatre where Mr. Blakemore of Vancouver was the principal speaker with W. Benson in the chair and Dr. A. A. McIntyre and D. W. Morrissey also speaking. In the McIntyre Hall, the temperance people heard Rev. F. W. Kerr, W. J. Ferris of Vancouver, W. E. McLean, W. R. Morrissey and Rev. W. H. McLeod.

Tenders for grading and plank-ing Ninth Avenue were opened by the city council. Bidders were Sam Anderson, J. G. Viereck, Denton & Williams, P. McCloskie, L. A. Doyle & Co., M. R. McLeod, W. T. Mase, L. E. Distler, J. V. Jack, E. C. La-Trace and John Darling.

D'Arcy Tate arrived on the Prince George this morning to confer with the city council on the question of assessment of railway property.

Hotel Arrivals

Central

S. Douglas, J. M. Fraser, J. A. Bradford and H. A. Pardon, C.N.R.; Miss M. Tateyama, Sunnyside; Jannery; N. Carlson and H. Andersen, city.

Knox

C. Blair, Winnipeg; J. M. Fraser, N.R.

Prince Rupert

and Mrs. F. C. Freeman, Port Simpson; Mrs. Fred Nash, Terrace; Mrs. C. W. Swanson, Utedale; A. Robertson, Massett; Mrs. G. H. Jolliffe, Queen Charlotte City; Charles F. R. Faulkner, New Westminster.

Royal

F. E. Kitson, Sandspit; A. Rogers and A. Oigny, city; William Matthews, Massett; M. Espeland, New Westminster.

Today's Weather

Terrace—Cloudy, east wind, 38.
Hazelton—Cloudy, calm, 30.
Smithers—Cloudy, calm, frosty.
Burns Lake—Bright, calm, 20.
Stewart—Raining, calm, 33.
Anxox—Raining, calm, 33.

PRIZE KNITTER AT 90

RUSK, Texas, Dec. 19: (CP)—At 90 Mrs. D. E. Roten knit the dress which won first place in the 1935 Cherokee County Fair here. Junior competitors found her crocheted bedspreads and butterfly quilt also successful entries.

WAR AND FASHIONS

Ethiopian And Italian Influence
Seen In 1936 Styles

LONDON, Dec. 19: (CP)—A review of the couture showings indicate fashions for 1936 are taking on a topical note, "Italian versus Ethiopian."

The Italian influence is inspired by Florentine paintings of the 15th century and by the Exhibition of Italian Renaissance paintings in Paris.

What is termed the Ethiopian influence, is indicated by clothes quasi-military in type much braided and befringed, reminiscent of the more picturesque Ethiopian uniforms. This, however, is mixed with an oriental, or rather "near-east" influence that crops up in many models.

Period clothes from Renaissance paintings cannot be merely copied for the active modern woman who has to go places. The new influences appear in subtle changes of line and cut, in Renaissance colorings, the use of trimmings and braidings, and in gilt and bejewelled belts and accessories.

The more formal frocks take on the chaste, flowing lines of 15th century Italy, whereas day clothes mimic glamorous military effects. For afternoons or quiet evening wear there are Franciscan monk robes with monastic rope girdles. Sweaters and knitted garments are influenced both by Italian and Ethiopian sources. Delustered synthetic silk is used for hand and machine knitting.

Sports ensembles sometimes have three-quarter to five-eighth length coats hanging from the shoulders on loose lines with side fulness. Some coats and suits are quite military looking, some cloaks have

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(At 8:20 Once Only)

ecclesiastic hoods, and some dresses and coats are made entirely of the pleated material. Sleeves are significant with the fulness at the top, and are either gathered into the wrist or left loose—the "best" new sleeve, knee length. Shoulders are wide, often padded. Waists are in the natural position or a shade higher. Fancy gadgets are modelled belts, silver and gold coin trimmings, leather belts worked with corsets, cocks, padlocks and keys, gold intaglio belts in Italian designs, and turreted and heraldic belts with brackets to match.

KENYA'S NEW BUDGET
NAIROBI, Kenya Colony, Dec. 19: (CP)—The Kenya budget for 1936 shows an estimated surplus of \$48,500. There will be reductions in railway rates for export produce totalling \$750,000.

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