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SOME SAINT JOHN STATISTICS.

Those who go about denouncing government liquor stores at every opportunity will find it difficult to explain away the fact that arrests for drunkenness in Saint John during 1928 were fewer by forty-two than the year 1927. The total number, according to the official returns of the police court, was 554 in 1928 against 596 during 1927. The system of government control was inaugurated in Saint John in September, 1927, and has now been effective for sixteen months. In 1925 under prohibition Saint John had 644 arrests for drunkenness, and for 1926 the number was given at 556. In 1927, during eight months of which the city was under prohibition and four months under government control, the number of arrests increased to 596, which was fifty-two less than in 1925 and forty more than in 1926. Now we have the figures for 1928, the first full year of government control, and we find the number of arrests for drunkenness was the lowest in four years and fewer by ninety than in 1925. Perhaps it might be well to point out that in government stores liquor can only be purchased in the day time and on week days, while under prohibition it was available day or night and on Sundays as well as week days. Under prohibition private individuals gathered in the profits from the sale of liquor; today it goes into the exchequer of the province.

IMPORTANCE OF FREEDOM.

Fortunately the human being, of whatever race, just naturally loves freedom. He not only craves a chance to express himself but if he is normal and decent he believes that all people who are not criminals or insane should have a chance to express themselves—should have a chance at freedom. In Italy the dictator Mussolini does not believe in freedom. He does not believe in freedom of expression or freedom of the press. An interesting result is apparent. Newspapers, forced to submit to government censorship, have lost circulation. That is a sign that people are still normal and healthy. They will read newspapers that enjoy the freedom of the press. They are less interested when they discover there is no longer any independence.

His Worship Mayor Clark and five aldermanic candidates were yesterday returned by acclamation thus completing the City Council for the year 1929. Three new aldermen were chosen yesterday, but only one, Mr. C. L. Dougherty in Wellington Ward is new to civic politics. Ald-elect David McCaughey on a former occasion sat for Carleton Ward and Ald-elect F. H. Richards, returned for St. Anne's Ward, previously served a term at the board. On the whole the council seems to be a fairly representative one and will no doubt give the city good service.

While on the subject of health one is reminded of the old quotation from Fielding that "a good countenance is a letter of recommendation." A good countenance is much dependent on health. All night hours, five hours of sleep, dissipation, make a bad countenance. And in this world of competition the young man of bad color and droopy manners can not expect to go far.

The "radio," observes an enthusiast on the Florida Times-Union, "is the modern magic carpet that floats in their air transporting people to all parts of the globe, in the wink of an eye." There's a chap who has a set de luxe. No wonder he's enthusiastic.

One of the maddest chaps in Pittsburgh recently was a veteran property man, who after years of occa-

sional kidding of apprentice hands, spent a half day recently going around to various kinds of stores trying to fill an order for "four pizzicatoes."

A Connecticut man is being sued for \$2500 damages to a driver because a cow which its owner was leading at night had no tail light. It seems about time to install some sort of illuminating system in New England cattle.

Imagine the indignation of that Washington man when, after operating on him, the surgeon handed him the thirteen razor blades he had swallowed. After all the trouble he had taken to get rid of them!

What is this "happy medium" we hear mentioned so frequently? We don't believe there is any such thing. Every medium we ever saw was as solemn as an owl.

Archaeologists in Sweden have found skulls that are said to be 20,000 years old. Do they indicate, we wonder, whether squareheadedness goes back that far?

Middle age is that period of a man's life when he is too old to inspire a tender sentiment and still too young to be considered entirely harmless.

Rogers Hornsby has captured the National League batting record for the seventh time. This ought to justify switching Hornsby around again.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

Who cares what is happening on Mars? Home news is more interesting.

Argus had one hundred eyes but people of today sees more with two.

It is possible to find Mussolini in a group picture without the assistance of an arrow.

It's summer where Commander Byrd and his crew are and nobody has frozen to death yet.

We honestly believe many of the young women furtively pull the skirt up just a little when posing for a picture.

Though a man doesn't like to take orders he will go in the direction the detour sign directs, but not whiting growling a bit about it.

Our notion of a person afflicted with misdirected resourcefulness is a restaurant cook who makes vegetable soup of carrots exclusively.

LATE CLIFFORD S. CREED.

Funeral of the Late official Took Place at 2.30 O'clock Today—Largely Attended—Rev. Dr. Warren Officiated.

The funeral of the late Clifford S. Creed, well known man who passed away on Sunday afternoon at his home in Charlotte street, took place this afternoon from the late home and was very largely attended, many old friends and schoolmates being among those at the last service for the deceased. Service was held at the home at 2.30 o'clock and was conducted by Rev. Dr. Warren. A representation from the Knights of Pythias, of which organization the deceased was a prominent member was present at the service. The pall bearers were: His Worship Mayor Clark, R. D. Hanson, F. B. Smith, R. B. Wallace, Warren Maxwell, Ernest Beatty. The chief mourners were the following: Frank Creed, Herbert Rawley, William Cavanaugh, Charles Weddall, S. D. Simmons, W. S. Murray, Judge Limerick, Harold Logan, William Vradenburg, Chipman Smith, H. E. Harrison, Harold Porter, F. B. Edgecombe, Frank Van Wart, Charles Scott, William McLellan, George Burden, Fred Ryan, and R. N. McCunn. A male quartette from the Brunswick Street Baptist church sang several favorite hymns of the deceased. Following the service, which was an impressive one, interment was made at the Rural cemetery.

GOOD RADIO PROGRAM TO BE ON THE AIR

The following are the best features in Wednesday's radio program:

Palmolive Hour—WEAF network.
Chicago Civic Opera—Mozart's "Le Nozze di Figaro"—WJZ network.
Kolster Hour—WOR network.
Alfredo Oswald—Brazilian pianist—WBAL, Baltimore.

Following are some of the programs for Wednesday evening in Eastern Standard time:—

WOR, NEWARK
6.00—Dinner music; Solos.
7.30—Rutgers University Hour.
8.00—A Musical Episode.
8.30—The Merry-makers.
9.00—N-R Hour; Palina Smoker.
10.00—Kolster Hour.
10.30—Night Club Romances.
11.00—Dance music; Organ.

WEAF, NEW YORK
6.00—Waldorf dinner music.
6.30—Fox Fur Trappers.
7.00—Synagogue services.
7.30—La Touraine Tableaux.
8.00—Home Companion Hour.
9.00—Upana Troubadours.
9.30—Palmolive Hour.
10.30—Dance music.

WJZ, NEW YORK
6.00—Park Central Orchestra.
7.00—Jeddo Highlanders.
7.30—Talk; F. W. Wile.
8.00—Home Companion Hour.
8.30—Sylviana Foresters.
9.00—Smith Brothers.
9.30—"Aunt Jemima".
10.00—Chicago Civic Opera.
11.00—Slumber music.

WGY, SCHENECTADY
6.00—Reports; Dinner music.
7.00—Mr. and Mrs. Skit.
7.30—Programs from WEAF.
8.00—General Electric Hour.
9.00—Programs from WEAF.

The best features for Tuesday night are:

Eveready Hour—WEAF Network.
Hank Simmons' Showboat—WABC Network.

"Voice of Columbia"—Special program opening new, enlarged network. (WABC-Columbia network.)

Barbizon Recital—Beatrice Harrison, cellist; William Clark, tenor. (WOR).

Station programs for Tuesday include the following:

WPG, ATLANTIC CITY.
8.00—Orchestra; Soloists.
9.00—Chalfonte-Hadden Trio.
10.00—Bridge game; Musical Maids.
11.00—News; Dance music.

WEEI, BOSTON.
6.00—Big Brother Club; News.
7.30—Sketch; Pilgrims.
8.30—Eveready Hour.
10.30—News; Dance music.

WEAF, NEW YORK.
6.00—Waldorf Orchestra.
7.00—Voters' Service.
7.30—Soconyland Sketches.
8.00—The Mediterraneans.
8.30—Prophylactic Hour.
9.00—Eveready Hour.
10.00—Cluquot Club Eskimos.
10.30—Los Sevillanos.

11.00—Ben Bernie's Orchestra.
WJZ, NEW YORK.
6.00—Dinner music.
7.00—Song duo; Memory's Garden.
8.00—Stromberg-Carlson Sextet.
8.30—Michelin Hour.
9.00—Three-in-One Theatre.
9.30—Dutch Masters Minstrels.
10.00—Sixteen Singers.
10.30—Freshman Orchestralians.
11.00—Slumber music.

WABC, NEW YORK.
6.00—Dinner programs.
9.00—Hank Simmons' Show Boat.
10.00—"Voice of Columbia."
12.00—Lombardo's Royal Canada.
KDKA, PITTSBURGH.
6.00—Reports; Concert.
7.15—Sacred Song Concert.
8.00—Programs from WJZ.
10.00—Happiness program.
10.30—Freshman Orchestralians.

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