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The old year with its joys and its sorrows, its crushed hopes and disappointments will pass into history at midnight tonight. At that hour church bells in every Christian land, at the conclusion of impressive watch night services will ring out the old and ring in new. This has been the custom for centuries past and will continue to be the customs for centuries to come.

The elements of destruction have been busy during the year now drawing to a close. There have been earthquakes and tidal waves causing enormous sacrifice of human lives and destruction of property. There have been fires and floods which have scattered death and destruction in their pathway; old mortality has exacted a heavy toll, and many people have been called upon to mourn the loss of loved ones, but the world continues to move on in the same old way.

Fortunately our own country has been free from disasters such as have visited the neighboring republic and other lands, and for this we should be exceedingly thankful. There is also cause for gratification in the fact that our beloved country is recovering from the depression which was a natural aftermath of the great war and there is every reason to believe in the eve of the greatest period of progress and development it has ever known. The harvest during the year just ended, in both east and west was abundant; the fisheries have yielded well, good prices have been obtained for the product of the farm and the sea and the people have taken on a spirit of hopefulness and optimism which seems to have ample justification.

The report of the Duncan Royal Commission, recommending increased subsidies for the three Maritime provinces, a substantial reduction in freight rates and the nationalization of the great ocean ports of Saint John and Halifax, has had a cheering effect on the people of Eastern Canada, who earnestly hope that the Commission's recommendations will be implemented by legislation during the present session of Parliament.

So far as New Brunswick is concerned the outstanding event was the beginning in August last of construction work in a scheme of development of Grand Falls, the greatest potential water power in Eastern Canada. The work is being carried out by the Saint John Power Company, a subsidiary of the International Paper Company of New York, a concern which possesses enormous millions of property and has made a great success of water power developments and the manufacture of paper from wood pulp in both Canada and the United States. The harnessing of Grand Falls will be speedily followed by the erection and equipment of at least two modern paper mills, which will manufacture a natural product and furnish steady employment for thousands of men. There are other indications that this good old province is on the eve of a great forward stride, and it is up to the people to bury their political and other differences, quit crouching and cooperate enthusiastically with the public men and public bodies who are working faithfully and diligently in a self sacrificing spirit with the object of giving New Brunswick a larger place on the map.

When the boy is small he prefers heavy playthings, such as, iron castings, old tires and alley junk. It is only when he matures that he develops a taste for key-winding toys.

We learn that a dog belonging to a Navy flyer has just completed 50,000 miles of air travel, but are not informed whether he is an alfredale.

Now and then circumstances make one wonder whether those presumed to be innocent until proved guilty ought to include the jury.

Cotton stockings are better for the feet than silk, says a chiropodist. So silk stockings are better for the chiropodist than cotton.

His Lordship Bishop Richardson and Dr. W. C. Kierstead were the principal speakers at the commercial men's banquet last evening and they made a splendid team. Their speeches were eloquent, witty and very much to the point.

If he thinks "there ought to be law" and has the patience to investigate, he will probably find there is.

However, almost any modern novel could be compressed into 800 words by a judicious sprinkling of asterisks.

Moderns know a little about more things, but they seem to know fewer things well.

Friendship is sweet and beautiful except in the role of security for a loan.

With a couple of raccoon coats, almost any type of car can be made a chummy roadster.

Instead of drawing pictures while waiting at the telephone this week, why not practice writing "1927"?

And lots of people think they forgive, whereas they merely have a bad memory.

Alas, when kids are raised to take things easy, too often they are other people's things.

Thank Heaven! When traveling is done in the air, the billboards will be on the roofs.

"Capital" is the sum of money, in excess of your pile, possessed by the other fellow.

Come to think of it, not very many of the photos show Mr. Mussolini in the act of taking a hearty yawn.

Aviation should appeal to young men ambitious to rise in the world.

There's just as much art in being a guest as in being a host.

If it's just a case of nerves, a little applesauce will keep the doctor away.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

Common sense is the only sure preventive of swelled head.

There are too many capital I's and not enough capital U's.

Mrs. Mussolini is rarely if ever heard of. She must not be very active in club work.

Perhaps, after all, the most disagreeable and irritating itch is the itch of impatience.

A London woman bought a book for 50 cents and sold it for \$10,000. The year's best seller.

If radio is in its infancy now we hope it never grows up to become a champion hogcaller.

People say "wait a minute" because it would seem like an imposition to ask anybody to wait sixty seconds.

If it were intended there should be an absolutely indispensable man nature would have provided a way for him to go on living forever.

"The old-fashioned girl who used to fear somebody might see her ankles," remarked the Man on the Car, "now has a daughter who tries unsuccessfully to pull her skirt down over her knees."

On Christmas one begins to contemplate New Year's. And on New Year's one begins to look ahead to taxpaying time. This is a pessimistic thought, thrown in to maintain a mental balance.

OLD RECORDS OF THE WEST.

Ottawa, Dec. 29—Canada has been granted access by the Government of Northern Ireland to a journal of old Hudson's Bay Company records respecting early pioneer days in Western Canada. The records which have been in the possession of the Government of Northern Ireland will be published shortly by the Canadian Government in book form.

DIED

HARRIS—Funeral of the late Mrs. Abigail Harris from home of her daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Rideout, Barker's Point, Saturday afternoon. Service by Rev. N. P. Fairweather at one o'clock. Interment at New Maryland.

PROMOTION OF SUPER-NORMAL IS ADVOCATED

(Continued From Page Eight.) concerning the advance made in musical instruction and advised supplemental work in musical instruction in the lower grades. At the present time teaching of music is optional.

Institutes Lose Time. Discussion on the question of Teachers' Institutes meeting in the autumn previous or about Thanksgiving Day took place. With some dissent the opinion was expressed that the loss of time caused by them was too great.

Physical Training. In the matter of Physical Training in the schools instructions were issued to the Inspectors to see that the regulations were carried out. There are indications that in many schools teachers are not carrying out the regulations. Similar feeling exists in regard to the flying of school flags and their salutation. Instructions were given in regard to that matter also.

Arbor Day Criticized. The expression of opinion in regard to Arbor Day was that the observation was not fulfilling its intention. The general report was that little of value was done beyond the cleaning up of school buildings and premises. The usual trouble was that the proper varieties of trees for planting were not supplied. There were also reports, however, of many finely laid out and maintained school grounds in the Province.

Ungraded Country Schools. In regard to grades and standards of courses of instruction reports indicated that regulations in regard to ungraded courses in country schools were being disregarded. The Department insists that teachers conduct ungraded courses in schools of this type.

PERSONAL MENTION

D. W. Downey of Bathurst is a guest at the Windsor.

T. W. Hawkins of Minto is registered at the Windsor.

D. H. Carleton of Sussex, N. B., is a guest at the Windsor.

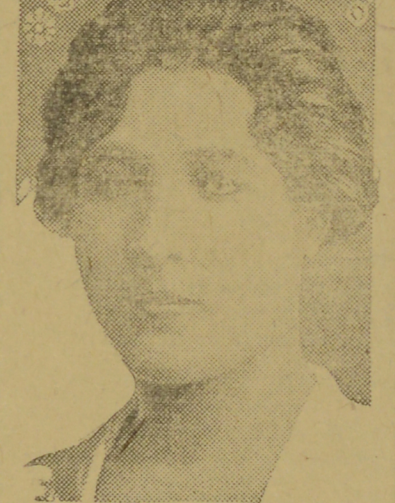
Mrs. R. D. W. Hubbard of Burton is a guest at the Windsor.

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