

Christmas Music Arranged For Churches In St. John

Tomorrow will be observed as Christmas Sunday in the churches of the city, and following their usual custom they have prepared special programmes of music appropriate to the occasion.

Following are some of the programmes prepared: TRINITY CHURCH Christmas Eve Organ Prelude—Pastoral, Zipoli. Professional—Angels From The Realm of Glory, Gounod.

Of the Father's Love By Others—Twelfth Century. Across the Snow—J. C. Bridge. The First Nowell—Sandy's Christmas Carols.

Christmas Day Organ Prelude—Pastoral Symphony, Handel. Professional—O Come All Ye Faithful.

MAIN STREET BAPTIST CHURCH 11 A. M. Organ Prelude—The Shepherds in the Field, Malling. Anthem—Shout the Glad Tidings.

ST. JOHN (STONE) CHURCH 11 A. M. Hymn—Hark the Glad Sound. Venite—Chant. Benedicite—Best in C.

CENTENARY METHODIST CHURCH 11 a.m. Carol—Good Christian Men, Rejoice, Caddyn.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH 11 a.m. Anthem—Nazareth, Gounod. Carols—The Angels and the Shepherds.

Organ Prelude—Offertory on Christmas Carols, Gulimant. Anthem—Break Forth Into Joy, Simper.

May He Visit Every N. B. Home Is Wish of The Daily Journal



IRELAND SOON TO HONOR NAME OF THE GREEN ISLAND

(Continued from page 1) Irist Lord Chancellor. That was the first memory that flashed through my brain. The next was of a dreary December night just one year ago, when on one side of the cabinet table in 10 Downing street sat four representatives of Great Britain, and on the other five Irish leaders.

How strangely little thirty arduous years have changed his personal appearance—Lord Birkenhead who in 1893 was carving for himself a brilliant career as a student at Oxford and as a debater in the Union; Mr. Winston Churchill who was then a cadet at Sandhurst, whilst his father was engaged in the last great parliamentary struggle of his dazzling but ill-fated career; Sir Gordon Hewart, now Lord Hewart, a man who has risen on the pinions of a powerful intelligence to the height of Lord Justice of England.

After weeks of close investigation the climax of the decision had been reached. Britain had gone to the limit of concession. No British statesman could have faced any assembly of his countrymen had he appended his signature to a convention that placed Ireland outside that fraternity of free nations, known as the British Empire, to free her from that bond of union which is represented by a common fealty to the Sovereign.

By his side sat a handsome young Irishman. No one could mistake his nationality. He was Irish through and through, in every respect a contrast to his tacit neighbor, Viscount, buoyant, highly strung, gay, impulsive, but passing readily from gaiety to grimness and back to gaiety, full of fascination and charm—but also of dangerous fire. That was Michael Collins, one of the most courageous leaders ever produced by the

Obituary

The Late Mrs. M. J. Stephens.

Mrs. Mary J. Stephens, widow of Stephen A. Stephens, who died suddenly on Thursday evening at her residence, 34 St. John street, West, was seventy-one years of age and is survived by three sons, six daughters, eighty grandchildren, fifty great grandchildren, two brothers and three sisters.

er, promising a reply by nine o'clock. Nine passed but the Irish leaders did not return. Ten. Eleven and they were not yet back. We had doubts as to whether we should see them again. Then came a message from the secretary of the Irish delegation that they were on their way to Downing Street. When they marched in it was clear from their faces that they had come to a great decision after a prolonged struggle.

De Valera's Emissary He was clearly Mr. de Valera's emissary and faithfully did he fulfill the trust reposed in him by that visionary. Every draft that emanated from his pen—and all the first drafts were written by him—challenged every fundamental position to which the British delegates were irrevocably committed. He was one of those men who by temperament are incapable of compromise. Brave and resolute he undoubtedly was but unhappily for himself he was also rigid and fanatical.

When we walked out of the room where we had sat for hours together, worn with tense and anxious labor, but all happy that our great task of reconciliation had been achieved, we met Mr. Erskine Childers outside, sulen with disappointment and compressed wrath at what he conceived to be the surrender of the principles he had fought for. I never saw him after that morning.

Worn By Anxiety Arthur Griffith died worn out by anxiety and toil in the cause which he had done so much to carry to the summit of victory. Erskine Childers was shot down for rebellion against the British Empire, and his countrymen would be ever grateful to him not only for the courage which won such an offer, but for the wisdom which accepted it.

Basilica Fire May Be Criminal One

(Continued from page 1.) system of inspection of risks is under consideration. Many old churches possess heating systems that date back decades, while their lighting equipment is that installed soon after commercialization of electric energy began. More rigid inspection, it is held, will not only reduce fire losses, but will preserve for future generations historic structures that cannot be replaced.

Losses Are Heavy. Montreal, Dec. 22.—Roman Catholic churches, in the province of Quebec have suffered fire losses in the last year conservatively estimated at \$2,375,000. Roman Catholic institutions other than churches have been damaged to

Five Charged In Winnipeg Murder

Winnipeg, Dec. 22.—Four persons, three men and a woman, will be arraigned before St. Hugh Macdonald in the police court tomorrow on a charge of aiding and abetting John Stanton, an ex-convict of many aliases for whom an arrest warrant has been issued, on the charge of murdering John Peary, aged 75, last Monday night or early Tuesday morning.

Pope Pius Completes Encyclical Letter Rome, Dec. 22.—Pope Pius tonight completed the encyclical containing the programme of his pontificate and the document will be made public tomorrow. It contains more than a thousand words. Monsignor Aurelio Galli, secretary of briefs to the pope, has completed the Latin text. The document is awaited with great expectation, Vatican circles pronouncing it one of the most important in the history of the church.

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THE SALVATION ARMY IS READY

Although Pots Not So Productive, the Good Work Goes on.

Major Burrows, district officer commanding the Salvation Army in this city, informs the Journal, that a short article on the last page on Wednesday morning was effective in that it brought a large increase to the pots on Thursday. Friday brought still more funds but the giving is still below that of former years.

Steamship Rescues St. John's Castaways

New York, Dec. 22.—Nearly 1,000 miles off the Atlantic coast, the freighter Menominee, plowing its way through heavy seas toward New York found a life boat containing six men half dead from fatigue and lack of food, according to a wireless message received today from the Menominee. The members of the crew of the fishing schooner Gordon Rudge, of St. John's, Nfld., abandoned the ship after a long and bitter struggle on the return trip from Torreviga, Spain, with a cargo of salt fish. The Menominee is due to arrive here Tuesday.

FIRE AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Dec. 22.—A fire which originated in the Elmwood Fertilizer plant of the Swift Canadian Company here today caused damage estimated at \$38,000. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

Advertisement for King of Cigarettes. Includes an image of a man in a suit holding a cigarette and the word 'DEX' in large letters. 'King of Cigarettes. DEX. Distinguished for their supreme quality and delicacy of flavour. 10 for 15¢, 25 for 35¢. IMPERIAL TOBACCO COMPANY OF CANADA, LIMITED.

Advertisement for Welsh Stovoids. Includes the text: 'WELSH STOVOIDS. December 21st, 1922. Messrs. R. P. & W. F. Starr, Ltd. Snythe Street, City. Gentlemen:—Some days ago I ordered a sample lot of your Welsh Anthracite Stovoids which I tested out during the recent cold weather with the result that without hesitation I am pleased to advise you that it is the BEST heating fuel I have ever used. Besides giving more heat than American Anthracite coal, it has many other good features viz., Ignites quickly to a beautiful glow which it retains longer than any coal I have ever used, burns to a small quantity of fine ash, leaving no clinkers, stones or shale on furnace grates, there is also no slack or dust which means that every pound is heating fuel. I am so pleased with your "Stovoids" that I will ask you to send me ten tons more as soon as possible. As I always appreciate receiving any good reports regarding my own line I feel that it is only fair that I should give you this information unsolicited. Yours very truly, FROM A LARGE CONSUMER. Our customer does not wish his name published but the original letter is open to inspection at our Office. We have a limited quantity of this coal which we are selling at \$16.00 per ton. R. P. & W. F. STARR, LIMITED