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MIDNIGHT SHOWING FRIDAY

AT 11:30 P.M. PRINCE EDWARD



THE EASTERN GUARDIAN

AGENTS:-MONTAGUE: Harold F. Landry, Mrs. Byron Stewart, Mrs. Bruce MacPhee, Miss Joyce Wigginton, Pius McKinnon. AGENT GEORGETOWN: Waldon Lavers.

The Guardian may be bought at the following places in Montague: Blue Dome Restaurant, and Guardian Office; in Georgetown: The Post Office; in Souris: The Snack Bar and H. Richards & Son.

*KING'S MILL, Montague, will not be buying lumber till further notice. Everett King.

*CHRISTMAS dance, Beaver Hall, Montague, December 23rd. Don Messer's Orchestra.

*CHRISTMAS MESSAGE-Don't miss hearing the Cockshutt Male Choir singing Christmas carols. Hear also a Christmas message from C. Gordon Cockshutt over C.F.C.Y. Saturday, December 20th at 7:45 p.m.

*NURSERY CLUB MEETS - The members of the Nursery Club of the King's County Hospital were entertained at the home of Mrs. H. M. Smith on Monday evening, when they held their annual Christmas party and exchange of gifts. There were eleven members present. An enjoyable program of games and contests was provided by the entertainment committee. Mrs. H. M. Smith, Miss Florrie Beaton, and Mrs. A. E. Sullivan. After the gifts were opened and admired, a delightful lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. J. M. Clair and Mrs. H. T. Jamieson. The next meeting of the club will be held in January when Mrs. J. R. McCrea will be the hostess.

Royal Bank of Canada Profits Up

MONTREAL, Dec. 17 (CP)-The Royal Bank of Canada today reported net profit of \$7,129,085 for the fiscal year ended Nov. 29, compared with \$6,306,115 the preceding year. Profits amounted to \$2.04 a share against \$1.80 last year. Total assets increased by more than \$175,000,000 to \$2,691,456,874, compared with \$2,515,645,209 in 1951. The total assets for the year included \$234,087,803 cash assets and \$1,710,921,629 liquid assets. New high figures for Canadian banking were reached with deposits amounting to \$2,527,510,437 and loans to \$982,177,916. Last year's totals were \$2,350,314,348 and \$848,020,828, respectively.

*AT DUNN'S, Gaspereaux, Christmas Sale, 20% off all rubber footwear.

*ANNUAL CANADIAN LEGION meeting at the Legion Home, Montague at 8 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 18.

*FOR WRITING COMFORT-Sheafer's new schnorkel pen \$17.50. Others from \$1.95. V. R. Pepler, The Jeweller, Montague.

*SHOCK PROOF - Ladies' watches \$29.75. Two models, 21 jewels and 17 jewels. Incabloc gold filled cases. Guaranteed. Credit terms arranged. Store open evenings. Boehners Jewellers, Montague, phone 70.

Destroyer Nootka

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Jobs of Nootka. Sea action had been increasing off Korea and in his opinion would continue to increase if the UN held to its policy of defending the islands.

On three occasions Nootka took armed prisoners but none of her own crew members suffered injuries. But Cmdr. Steele recalled that almost the entire boat crew of the United States destroyer Murelet was killed when the apparently surrendering crew of a North Korean sampan suddenly tossed hand grenades from their upstretched arms.

Most Exciting Action

Most exciting engagement Cmdr. Steele talked about occurred at Chongjin when Nootka was covering the United States destroyer John Thomason.

Both destroyers were caught close to shore and subjected to heavy enemy fire but escaped damage in a hasty retreat.

"They always say the American destroyers are fastest but we disproved that that day," said Cmdr. Steele.

Another time Nootka fired six rounds at an enemy gun in a cave-and four of the shells entered the cave.

"All we saw after that was black smoke," said CRO Stanley King of Dartmouth, N. S., gunnery instructor.

King said his gunners now were among the best in the navy although they had practically no training when they went to Korea. He recruited new men from among

Fine Self-Service Grocery Store Opens in Montague

"During the past week the business firm of Hilchey and VanDerstine, furniture dealers, has opened the first self service grocery department in Montague. In keeping with the modern trend of customers doing their own shopping, Hilchey and VanDerstine have installed two large full display units which grocers of every line are easily available to the customer. One unit extends along the wall, the other in the centre of the store. Carrying baskets are conveniently placed at the entrance, and after choosing one's groceries, the customer brings his purchases to the counter where they are packaged.

Hilchey and VanDerstine have also installed a large prepared meats dispensing unit where such meats are clearly displayed for the customer. The whole space is located in a bright atmosphere, which will serve as an attraction to customers who desire to avail themselves of self service.

The firm is also a dealer in the finest furniture for the home and office. They also carry stoves and washers, and a full line of paints and finish products. Cabinet making is a specialty in which the training and experience of many years goes to give satisfying service.

Hilchey and VanDerstine, although having opened only several years ago, has won the support and business of a large customer trade, and with the foresight which has been shown on the opening of the first self service grocery department, it may be adjudged that their service to the public will always be the major consideration.

cooks, writers and other trades to supplement his gunnery mates. In another episode Nootka worked several hours in rain and darkness under the nose of enemy guns to salvage a grounded Korean frigate. Diver AB Harry Thompson of Toronto later patched the frigate's holes and she was taken safely to port.

RUSY ROAD BUILDERS

KARACHI, Pakistan - (CP) - Considerable progress has been made on the scheme for construction or improvement of 6,300 miles of highway in East Pakistan. Foundations have been finished for about 1,000 miles and more than 312 new bridges and culverts have been built.

Christmas Train Schedules Announced

MONTON, N. B. Dec. 16 To take care of the Christmas and New Year's holiday travel special train services have been arranged by the Canadian National Railway, extra trains being run in some cases and departure times changed in others according to an announcement from regional headquarters of the railway here.

Between Montreal and Halifax the Maritime Express will be operated on Sunday December 21 through to Halifax leaving Halifax at 3:10 on Sunday and Montreal at 11:30 a. m. Saturday running through to Halifax; ordinarily the Maritime Express is not operated on Sundays to Halifax and immediate points in the maritimes.

Serving Prince Edward Island will be a special train to be operated for the Christmas and New Year's holiday travel from Monton through to Charlottetown leaving Monton at 5:55 p. m. on Tuesday, December 23 Wednesday December 24 Tuesday December 30 and Wednesday December 31 arriving Charlottetown at 11:59 p. m. Connection for Summerside will be by train leaving Emerald Junction at 10:55 p. m. arriving Summerside 11:45 p. m. Between Summerside and Borden train leaving Summerside at 2:45 p. m. for Emerald Junction and Borden will be held until 3:00 p. m. on December 19, 20, 22, 23 and 24.

Train leaving Summerside for Tignish at 12:01 p. m. will be held until 4:30 p. m. December 19, 22 and 24 arriving Tignish 10:00 p. m. In addition a special train will leave Summerside for Tignish at 4:30 p. m. December 20 and 23 and returning a special train will leave Tignish on the same dates at 8:30 p. m. arriving Summerside 11:30 p. m.

Train leaving Charlottetown for Souris at 2:30 p. m. will be held until 4:30 p. m. December 19, 20, 22, 23 and 24. Train leaving Souris at 6:45 p. m. for Elmira will be held until 8:00 p. m. on December 19 and 22. Train leaving Souris at 5:45 p. m. for Elmira will be held until 7:00 p. m. on December 23.

Train leaving Mount Stewart Junction at 4:00 p. m. for Georgetown will be held until 5:30 p. m. on December 19, 22 and 24. Train leaving Mount Stewart Junction at 3:45 p. m. for Georgetown will be held until 5:15 p. m. on December 20 and 23. Train leaving to take care of the holiday travel to Newfoundland, there will be an

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Guard against chapping roughness and flaky dryness. Smooth on before going out in cold weather. Buy yours today and save half on every bottle!

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augmented steamer service from North Sydney to Port Aux Basques and additional train runs from Port Aux Basques to St. John's connecting with these sailings. The extra sailings will be from North Sydney on Monday December 15, Wednesday December 17, Friday December 19, Saturday December 20, and Monday December 22. Extra train service from St. John's with boat connections at Port Aux Basques for the mainland also has been scheduled.

POPULAR SPORT

Value of ice skates manufactured in Canada in 1950 totalled \$1,277,000.

REGINA - (CP) - Drastic changes have been made in muskrat trapping regulations to facilitate harvest of thousands of dollars worth of muskrat pelts. Unless surplus muskrats are trapped by Dec. 31 it is estimated trappers and farmers will lose large sums of potential income.

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HAK-KAFF! MY WORD, LEANDER! THESE ARTICLES SEEM TO BE A BIT ON THE EXPENSIVE SIDE! WHEN I WAS A TADPOLE YOUR AGE, I WAS IMMENSELY TICKLED TO GET A CAP WITH EARLAPS AND A BRIGHT-COLORED LOLLIPOP!

HE HAS A LONG LIST OF HIS OWN, LEANDER =

SPECIAL OPENING SALE

SALE STARTS DEC. 16th, ENDS DEC. 20th

SUGAR, white or yellow, 10 lbs.	98c	Glenview TOMATOES	23c
SUGAR, white or yellow, 5 lbs.	49c	Newport FLUFFS	35c
ICING SUGAR, lb.	12c	MATCHES, reg. 10c-3 for	27c
ORANGES, 2 doz.	41c	Robin Hood OATS, 5 lbs.	43c
C. & S. COFFEE, fine grind, 1/2 lb.	55c	Woodbury's SOAP, 4 for	31c
Bright's Pitted CHERRIES	19c	Legion PEAS	19c
Heinz TOMATO JUICE	17c	ONIONS, 2 lbs.	9c
Barbour's Peanut BUTTER, reg. 34c.	27c	BACON, sliced, lb.	43c
Campbell's Tomato KETCHUP	27c	Corned SHOULDER RIBS, lb.	10c
QUAKER OATS, Chinaware	55c	ALL SOAP POWDERS	38c

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