#### **Business-like Sitting** of House of Assembly

The House of Assembly opened "on criticism was at a premium.

questing the replacement of the public Russian army." wharf at Flatrock and for a tramway also Mr. Currie asked for telegraph has been on an eighteen-mile front, is my has completely ceased. communication at Lord's Cove, Burin, altogether on a 200-mile front. For of Lieut.-Col. Otway, S.A., asking for in pounding the Germans with artilporating the Salvation Army, provid- it may be suspected, is to force the ing their property.

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ported the prayer of the petition and purpose is to change the state of in relation thereto and it was referred enabled to pile up heavy masses tak- in July." The whole chain of events to a Select Committee consisting of en from the Russian front to stop the the Prime Minister the Leader of the advance of the British and the Ital-Opposition, Mr. Hickman, Mr. Piccott ians. In other words, within three and Mr. Devereaux.

on the new Municipal Bill was pre- tion, Russia has come again to the sented by the Prime Minister, who rescue of her allies in the west. The gave notice that he would at the next thing would be incredible if it had Municipal Affairs in St. John's.

the Importation, Manufacture and Sale months. of Intoxicating Liquors was introduced by the Prime Minister and read and some idea of its gigantic size, can

a first time. up under the following heads:-

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Administration of Justice	19,201.58
Legislation	13,758.54
Public Charities	67,033.00
Light Houses	35,970.00
Agriculture and Mines	1,500.00
Marine and Fisheries	67,320.13
Public Works	13,051.25
Post Office	10,000.00
Customs	45,000.00
General Contingencies	45,000.00
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The Bills respecting Retiring Allows The Congress considers that it is Act to authorize the raising of a sum of money by Loan for Naval and Military purposes went through Committee; also the Bill relating to Naval and

For Roads and Bridges .... 50,000.00

up earlier in the session, were again which has been shed. deferred.

The House went into Commitee on a Bill, introduced by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, giving certain concessions to the Public Service Electrie Co., Ltd., of Conception Bay, in the way of water power and allowing them to bring their plant and material for original construction into the Colony free of duty. The Bill virtually passed, excepting that the introducer is to give more details as to the water

The much-postponed Budget was left standing over until the Coalition atmosphere is cleared beyond all

The House adjourned at 5 p.m. to meet again this afternoon.

#### Made Off With the Change.

A country woman who came to town this morning with eggs, butter, cream and other farm produce to sell, was not satisfied with about five hundred per cent profit on her sales, but made off with a ten dollar note that was handed her by a boarding-house mistress in the West End, who purchased \$2.50 worth of goods. The cute woman from the country, not having sufficient change, volunteered to run around the corner and get it. When she had been gone for upwards of half an hour, the customer sent out a domestic to hurry along the change, but to her great surprise found the country woman had disappeared. The victim started out to inform the police when she ran across the country woman coming out of a grocery store, and there and then made her hand over the change. After giving the thief a lesson on the eight commandment she allowed her to go.

### **Household Notes.**

Very good cottage cheese can be made from buttermilk. Treat as when using sour milk.

Lettuce or water cresses both make good salads, combined with tomatoes and cucumbers.

#### What Was Done In Russia.

A Washington despatch says that time" yesterday afternoon. Business "three weeks ago" Minister Kerensky and the battle front, I can affirm that was not "as usual," however, but on informed this Government that "a what hitherto was regarded as the the contrary there was a striking hum big Russian offensive would take dying agony of our army was nothing of go-a-headedness about it while place in the early part of July," (it else than the laborious travail of the Mr. Hickman presented a petition sing says that the initial success infrom Daniel's Harbor, asking for a dicates that Kerensky has "succeed- the old discipline, the power of the new road there, as did Mr. Higgins, re- ed in his big task of reorganising the Russian Army is increasing daily,

"Big" is the word; for the Russian Whether the objective of the infantry The Leader of the Opposition sup- attack is Lemberg or not, its main The Report of the Select Committee seemingly paralyzed by the revolu-A Bill respecting the Prohibition of a large scale had been expected for

Something of what has been done, be gleaned from this news of Keren-The House then went into Commit-sky's having notified us three weeks after Kerensky started along the tee on Supply and the Finance Minis- ago that a great offensive would be front. As the climax of the whole reter presented the Supplemental Supply undertaken by July. That notifica-Statement and gave an explanation of tion must have come to us some- Kerensky led the attack in person. how the half million dollars was over- where about June 10. Kerensky had drawn on Executive responsibility and just returned from his tour of the ful of all the wonderful stories of this spent during the last Fiscal year, made battle front. It was on May 29, at the beginning of his tour, that his new Civil Government . . . . . \$ 99,316.39 orders restoring discipline—his "iron it, must go on record as one of the hand"-orders-went into effect. Between those dates he had addressed time. The crucial part of it was done thousands of soldiers, awaking an in one week. If the army is saved, enthusiasm without parallel. On the Russia is saved; and the army is not same day that these orders went into effect the Peasants' Congress, representing the class from whom the bulk of the soldiers are drawn, issued a Harden Sees the Allies senting the class from whom the bulk resolution calling on them to cease "fraternization."

General Alexieff resigned as Commander-in-Chief on June 4, and General Brusiloff was appointed to succeed him. On June 8 the Peasants' For Marine Works .... 50,000.00 instance, adopted this resolution, which came to the soldiers with the voice of parental authority:-

ances for certain civil servants and An its duty energetically to defend its country, recoiling before no sacrifices in order to sustain the fighting strength of the army and the patrimony of the Russian people. The Military Pensions received its second | Congress summons the army to submit itself to discipline and defend re-The Resolutions concerning the con- volutionary Russia, of peasants and cossions to the Riverside Woollen Workers. It grants its benediction to human strength.

Wills, Ltd., which excited such a flare this war, and will not forget the blood "The goal of controlled the strength."

Due on Thursday, July 12, '17, from New York: N. Y. CHICKEN. N. Y. CORNED BEEF. FRESH EGGS. CAL. ORANGES. BANANAS. CAL. LEMONS. CHERRIES.
TABLE PLUMS.

GRAPE FRUIT. TOMATOES. CUCUMBERS. NEW CABBAGE. BERMUDA ONIONS.

## **PURITY** BUTTER.

2 lb. prints Fresh stock just in. Butter s cheaper this week.

Selected Eating Potatoes, 15c. gallon.
Strawberry Jam, 1 lb. glass.
Marmalade, 1 lb. glass.
Blueberries, 15c. tin.
Kingan's Bacon, 3 lb. pieces, 45c. Pork & Beans, 3's, 25c. Tomatoes, 3's, 20c. Bird's Ice Cream Powder, 15c.

package. 1 lb. Corn Flour, 25c. pkg. Shredded Wheat Biscuits, 16c. package.

NESTLE'S FOOD, BENGER'S FOOD, ALLENBURY'S FOOD, NEAVE'S FOOD.

Duckworth Street and Rawlins' Cross.

Kerensky immediately ordered that the resolution be read to all ranks of the army and navy; and, returning from his revival trip along the front he said.

After touring the whole of Russia began on July 1); and Secretary Lan- new Russian State. I can affirm that, based as it is on a new and intelligent discipline. I can affirm once for for conveying fish at the same place; offensive, though the infantry fighting all that fraternization with the ene-

The army had a chance to show and from the Prime Minister on behalf 200 miles the Russians are engaged whether these words were justified on June 11. Three pacifist regiments una small amendment in the Act incordery, the immediate purpose of which, der an anarchistic leader refused to obey orders, whereupon their coming them with certain powers regard- Germans to use up their ammunition. rades marched upon them, opened fire, and took them prisoners.

It was at this time that Kerensky informed Washington that the great the Prime Minister introduced a Bill things by which the Germans were Russian offensive would begin "early took only about two weeks. The ground had been prepared for Kerensky by the urgent and incessant laweeks and a half after the army was bors of the Generals, but it was his work which brought about this miracle in so short a time. It is evident that within a few days after Brusiloff took command he must have made sitting move the House into Committee not been done. Despite the German his plans for the offensive and been of the Whole on a Bill relating to announcements that a Russian offen- assured of his ability to carry it out, sive was feared, no offensive on such for he took command on June 4 which was four weeks ago.

The reconstruction of the fighting force had been hoped for in months; it has been done in a month; the success of it was assured within ten days cord comes the amazing report that The story is among the most wonderwonderful war; and what Kerensky has done, in the time in which he did most amazing historic feats of all only saved but striking .- N. Y. Times.

## Resolutely United.

Peace Only If Germany Yields to Democracy.

London, July 2 .- A dispatch to the Congress, undoubtedly at Kerensky's Chronicle from Amsterdam says that in the latest number of Die Zukunft Maximilian Harden expresses himself in an extremely pessimistic tone with regard to the general situation, especially concerning Russia. He writes:

"Only a miracle can bestow an eary peace upon us. Either our enemies must be smashed up or Germany's aspirations must find unity with those of a majority of the world. Only the second miracle can be accomplished by

"The goal of our enemies is denocracy and independence for every race ripe for freedom, a real and not sham reduction of armaments, and a court of justice before which all who are suspected of being responsible in greater or less degree for the outbreak of war must present themselves. They aim at a condition which will give weapons to right against the arrogance of force, a state of affairs which will threaten with peril any enterprise of attack, and which will remove from one mortal man the decision whether peace shall prevail or war shall come, and deprive him of the power to impose that decision on the people. They aim at preserving the prerogatives of all countries as jealously as socialism already recognized by the State, protects the prerogatives of individuals.

"If Germany sees blazing over that goal the great celestial sign of the times, then peace is reachable to-morrow. Over all other questions agreement will be achieved easily, but if that condition of things for which millions of people sigh, appears to her to be ignominious, then she must fight on until one group conquers and the other falls in exhaustion. The people alone can be responsible for what is to come, but the spirit of states manship, before their make choice must light the path for them.

### **Poor Man Loses** Young Horse.

A few days ago a horse took fright at the Trepassey train while passing near Bay Bulls, and dashing along the road at high speed broke loose from its owner and collided with a fence, and striking its head against a post, dropped dead. The animal was only three years old and is a great loss to ts owner, he being an afflicted poor fisherman. The matter has been reported to the Reid-Nfld. Co. who no doubt will deal justly with the poor sherman.

Buy a bottle of Stafford's Phoratone Cough Cure for 25c. and receive a numbered ticket. truly sympathize with foreigners; an ocean lies between them and our See advertisement.—may1,tf

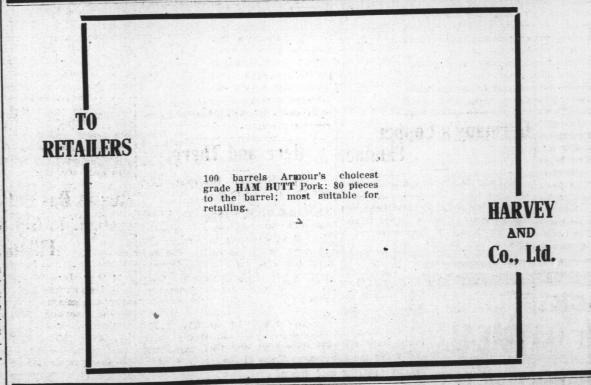
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## Remnant Sale

has been a revelation to the economical buyers. The surprising values offered elicited the praise of the most skeptical. Every article advertised is just as represented. Many broken and odd lots have been put forward to-day to be sacrificed. It is not often that you have an opportunity like this, so come as early as you can. You can't afford to miss this great bargain feast.







#### THE SOLDIERS.



It's sad to se they love and war's beacons burn; and poig-Glen Mawr nantly it pains the

heart to feel, while watching them depart, that they may not return. We calmly WALT MASON read of others' sons who went to face the Prussian guns in yonder endess fray; we gave the tribute of a sigh to Englishmen who went to diebut they were far away. We cannot

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doors; the story of their sorrows haps to come back to our door al seems like some vague horror seen in stricken, maimed and seared. It racks dreams, when wintry tempest roars. away, with noble pride, so young, so the young men go, Now we behold our own depart; brave, so strong; we see them march away from all through mists of tears we see them in fine array, and then kneel down start, the laddies we have reared, perknow, to where haps to see our home no more, per-

In case of burns, apply powdered charcoal, it soothes the pain and heals

Apples and dates are delicious used for filling.

#### Jess Willard

Is Now in Wealthy Citizens' Class.

New York, July 5 .- Jess Willard, ne time cowpuncher according to radition and present world's champin and circus owner, may also be illed now as Willard the capitalist. At least Jess has climbed into the circle of plutocrats, if the statement of Com Jones, late pugilistic chaperone the Pottawatomie mastodon, is to e accepted. Of course severance of onnections with Willard and conemplated legal action for financial

However, Tom blew into Chicago, nd in passing the time of day deposed as follows: "Willard is worth beween \$500,000 and \$600,000 to-day. Of that amount about \$425,000 is stored away in cold cash on deposit in Chicago banks. One bank on the oop carries \$90,000 in Willard's name nd aonther has \$60,000. There is still a third neighborhood bank near where Jess lives that carries a healthy check account. All of this as been salted away since Jess slapped the pugilistic crown from the bony dome of Jack Johnson down in Havana on April 5, 1915.

"Things have been breaking pretty soft for Willard since he won the rown. When he took an inventory after the Havana battle his financial sheet showed a deficit of \$10,175. But pickings were very fat and juicy with the circus. Some weeks Willard's percentage ran as high as \$8,-000. Sums slightly below that were ordinary. And always the amount totalled up handsomely. In addition to the actual money which Willard has on deposit, he owns a farm of 3,000 acres, another of 600 in Michigan, four bungalows in Los Angeles and nis home in Rogers Park, Chicago." If Jones's statements are true Willard has gathered in an average of better than \$5,000 a week since winning the title.

### **British Navy Convinced**

The Submarine Warfare Has Failed. London, July 5 .- Von Hindenburg's coasting pronouncement has been read with considerable interest in Admiralty circles. The general view is that it was issued chiefly with a view to bolstering up German sentiment. The phrase, "if we hold our ground until the submarine war has done its work," has a pleasant sound to the British naval ear, for the navy is now firmly convinced that the submarine war has failed, and that the anti-submarine measures are constantly growing in effectiveness.

A staff correspondent of the Associated Press was privileged to spendtwo days last week in observing the anti-U-boat campaign at close quarters at a big naval base on the southeast coast. There was plenty of evidence from such a vantage point of the effectiveness of the Admiralty work in nearby waters, as well as of the tremendous effort which is being put forth.

The navy still maintains secrecy regarding the submarines sunk, but the pursuit has become so lively that a U-boat shows its periscope in-Channel waters only with the greatest risk. It is impossible to keep entirely secret such incidents as that of an oil-driven destroyer which a few days ago swept into port with a portion of a rammed submarine hanging triumphantly from her prow.

Airplane and dirigible patrols in the Channel are proving highly effective and a U-boat which is once sighted by a dirigible has small chance of getting away. In waters further afield one of the best evidences of the success of the Atlantic patrol was the safe arrival of the American transports at a French port.

#### Puttering at War.

Chicago Tribune: There is a new way to beat Germany now-by not going on pleasure trips! In an alleged interview, Food Controller Hoover is made to say that all unnecessary travel must cease. It wastes money. It bothers the railroads. Stay home, scrimp, impoverish hotelkeepers, boycott the railroads, and thereby boost prosperity. At the same time you will relieve pressure upon railroads overburdened transporting troops not yet drafted and war material not yet ordered. The agitation against pleasure the soul to see them stride away, trips is a fair sample of the way we putter at war, doing infinitesimal things without number-or gassing about doing them-while big things go somewhere and pray that war may undone. We need men—not sometime cease ere long. It breaks the heart to next year, but speedily. We need see them go; but better far to face the munitions. We need ships. We are foe and for their country fall, then to not getting them. Instead, we are pursue a peaceful trade, and by base getting a policy of backing and filling, strategem evade that country's urgent delay everywhere.

FIRE PROTECTOR. - As a safechicken smothered in fresh mushthe clothing factory and departmental stores of the Royal Stores, Ltd.

For every 25c. purchase made at Stafford's Drug Store you recooked together—the stoned dates be- ceive a numbered ticket. So advertisement.—may1,tf