

# LITTLE RIVER, CODROY!

A New Set of 5 x 7 Photos showing many parts of the River, each print sells for 25 cts.  
THE LOG CABIN, Spruce Brook.

THE HOLLOWAY STUDIO, LIMITED, 'Corner Bates' Hill and Henry Street, St. John's, Newfoundland.

'Phone 768.

410th Day of the War

## Latest From the Front.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

OFFICIAL.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

The Governor, Newfoundland:

The Russian Government report that the enemy has reached the left bank of Wilna, northeast of Vilna.

The direction of the Russian attack is falling back. In Galicia the enemy is counter-attacking at various points. The Russians have captured 1,100 prisoners and eight machine guns.

Nothing special from the Italian front.

CHURCHILL AT ENFIELD.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

The first speech made public by a member of the cabinet since publication of the rumors of differences of opinion in the cabinet over the question of conscription, and reports that members, favoring conscription, would resign unless compulsory service was introduced within a week, was delivered by Churchill at Enfield this afternoon. It is not easy at this moment, he said, for a public man to open his mouth on any topic, for there are so many people who seem to have less to do than they ought to, who are engaged trying to make difficulties, even more than already existed; seeking to make artificial difficulties in regard to matters of great consequence, which should be approached in a spirit of impartiality and good will. Churchill added that during the past four or five months the Allies had not done as well as they might have hoped; there had been events which, while not disastrous, were disappointments. In France and Flanders a series of resolute and costly attacks had been made on the German lines. Although ground was gained, the lines of the Germans had not been pierced. In the Balkans, he said, the Allies had gained invaluable ground, which led them toward a decisive conclusion, but they had not gained the advantage points which they aimed at. Then had come the retreat of the Russians. While the Russians were re-arming and recovering strength, a new burden had fallen on Britain. The situation was a very serious one, but the Allies had it in their power to carry the war to a successful conclusion. They could do it, the Chancellor said, if they utilized the whole strength of the national capacity. After all, he continued, the Allies did not seek the struggle. If they did their duty they would have done all they could. If at the end, the speaker concluded, the liberties of Britain and Europe are still intact and inviolate those who afterwards looked back on this unhappy but not inglorious generation, would be able to say we did not fail under the test, and have preserved the liberties of the world.

WOMEN'S WORTH APPRECIATED.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

Women engaged in the manufacture of war munitions will be paid the

same rates as men on piece work. Arrangements are under way for the establishment of day rates for women on the basis of equal pay for equal work. This announcement was made in a letter from David Lloyd George, Minister of Munitions, and read at the National Conference of Trade Unions, concerning munitions. It is regarded as a victory for the former militant suffragists, who recently have conducted an agitation calling upon the Government to pay women the same rates as men for the same work.

ST. PIERRE BULLETIN.

PARIS, via St. Pierre (Midnight).

In Belgium, Neuport sector, a heavy artillery duel is to our advantage. In Neuville, Rocourt and Arras district are spirited duels of artillery, and sharp cannonading along the Marne to the Marne; also, north of the Chalons Camp, a mutual bombardment with all calibers of guns, also a struggle at St. Hubert's. At La Prete wood, activity of German mine throwers provoked a fierce bombardment from our trench cannon and field artillery. In Lorraine, on the Seille and the Loure, our batteries destroyed German trench works. The Minister of War has handed in a bill calling under the colors the class of 1917 for October or November at the latest, and keeping the class of 1918 at the disposal of the War Office until the end of hostilities.

GERMANS PREPARING.

BASEL, Sept. 17.

The Nachrichten says that some time ago the German authorities warned the farmers across the frontier to get their fruit in at once. This has been done, and now German soldiers are digging trenches outside Basel. Across the Alsatian border at Veldkirch and Ottenhof in Alsace, other German forces are constructing trenches. Between Lure and Liesdorf they are making excavations suitable for artillery positions.

SEVERE ARTILLERY ENGAGEMENTS.

PARIS, Sept. 17.

The report of the progress of hostilities given out this afternoon dwells upon the continuance of severe artillery engagements, particularly in the vicinity of the Souchez and Arras fronts.

TURKISH MUNITIONS SUNK.

SEBASTOPOL, Sept. 17.

An official announcement made here today is that Russian torpedo boats sunk, near Sinope, a seaport of Asia Minor, an entire fleet of Turkish sailing vessels laden with munitions of war. The crews of these vessels were taken prisoners.

VILNA HANGS IN THE BALANCE.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

A Reuter despatch from Petrograd says: The fate of Vilna hangs in the balance. Latest letters received from there state that cannonading is heard without interruption day or night. Bomb dropping from aeroplanes are constant visitors. Three of them have been brought down recently. The evacuation of government institutions has been completed. Factories are being removed and thousands of workmen already have left.

ROMANIA'S ACTIVITIES DOUBTFUL.

BUCHAREST, Sept. 17.

The Allies know that in no case may they count on Bulgaria's help on the Gallipoli Peninsula, says the semi-official independence Roumanian in a article dealing with the Turkish-Bulgarian agreement. They have lost that part of their diplomatic con-

test in the Balkans. It remains to be seen how the other part will come out. King Ferdinand will leave tomorrow for a week's vacation on the Danube. This fact completely disposes of reports concerning the activities of Roumanian troops on the frontier, which in reality are nothing more than the annual manoeuvres.

SPY EXECUTED.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

It is officially announced that a spy, name not given, was executed here today after trial.

A Repentant Look.

A young man was sitting in a barber's shop looking at a magazine when an old farmer, with little knowledge or appreciation of literary people, stepped up behind his chair and looked over his shoulder.

"Who's them?" he inquired, pointing to a group of portraits.

"Well-known authors and playwrights," was the reply.

"Humph!" ejaculated the farmer, contemptuously. "Jist writin' fellows, eh?" Then he caught sight of an author with a long, solemn face, and his eyes sparkled. "That's the one I like," he said with decision, putting his finger on the writer's mournful countenance.

"Oh, yes; nearly everyone likes him," agreed the young man. "His humorous writings are—"

"Don't know nothin' 'bout his writin', but I like his face."

"Why so?"

"'Cause he's the only feller that looks like he was sorry for what he had done."

PIANOS AND ORGANS.—The famous Kohler and Tonk Pianos, The Needham, Godrich and Mason & Hamlin Organs, CHESLEY WOODS, 282 Duckworth Street.—aug.7.11

Sunday Services

Cathedral of St. John the Baptist.—

Sunday—Holy Communion at 8 a.m.; also on the first Sunday of the month at 7 and 12.15. Other services at 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Thursdays—Holy Communion, 7.15 a.m. Other Days—Matins 8 a.m.; Evensong 5.30 p.m. Fridays—7.30, with sermon.

Public Catechizing—Every Sunday in the month at 3.30 p.m.

St. Michael's Mission Church, Casey Street.—Holy Communion at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. on the 1st Sunday of the month, and 8 on other Sundays. Other services, 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.

Sunday Schools.—Cathedral at 2.45 p.m. Mission Church at 2.45 p.m.

Cathedral Men's Bible Class, in the Synod Building every Sunday at 2 p.m. All men invited to attend.

PARISH OF ST. MARK THE VIRGIN, ST. JOHN'S WEST.

Hours of Service in the Parish Church

Sundays—Holy Communion every Sunday at 8 a.m.; also, on the first and third Sundays in each month at noon.

Weekdays—Holy Communion and Intercessions on behalf of the War, at 10.30 a.m.

Fridays—Evensong and Intercessions on behalf of the War at 7.30 p.m.

Holy Baptism—Every Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

Public Catechizing—The third Sunday in each month at 3 p.m.

Churching of Women—Before any Service.

Sunday School—At 2.30 p.m., in the Parish Hall.

Young Women's Bible Class—Every Sunday at 2.45 p.m., in the Parish Room.

BROOKFIELD SCHOOL CHAPEL, Evensong—Every Sunday at 3 p.m.

Sunday School—Every Sunday at 4 p.m.

ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH, THE GOULDS.

Evensong—Every Sunday at 3 p.m.

ASYLUM FOR THE POOR.

Holy Communion—The first Sunday in each month at 9 a.m.

Matins—Every Sunday at 9 a.m.

St. Thomas's—Holy Communion on the third Sunday in each month, at noon; every other Sunday at 8 a.m.

Morning Prayer at 11 a.m. Evening services at 3.45 and 6.30 p.m. Daily—Morning Prayer at 8 a.m.; every Friday evening, at 7.30, prayer and sermon. Holy Baptism every Sunday at 3.45 p.m. Public catechizing third Sunday in each month at 3.30 p.m.

At 11 a.m. to-morrow, Rev. W. E. R. Cracknell, 6.30 p.m. The Rector. Subject: "A Message for the Troubled Mind."

Christ Church (Quid Vidi).—Holy Communion second Sunday, alternate months at 8 a.m. Evening prayer third Sunday in each month, at 7 p.m.; other Sundays at 2.30 p.m.

Sunday Schools.—At Christ Church, Quid Vidi, at 2.30 p.m.; at Virginia School Chapel, 2.30 p.m.

Virginia School Chapel.—Evening prayer every Sunday at 3.30 p.m. Public Catechizing third Sunday in each month.

Gower St.—11, Rev. N. M. Guy; 6.30, Rev. D. B. Hemmison.

George St.—11, Rev. H. Boyle; 6.30, Rev. N. M. Guy.

Cochrane St.—11, Rev. D. B. Hemmison; 6.30, Rev. C. A. Whitmarsh.

Wesley—11, Rev. C. A. Whitmarsh; 6.30, Rev. H. Boyle.

Congregational—11 and 6.30, Rev. W. H. Thomas.

Presbyterian—11 and 6.30, Rev. J. S. Sutherland.

## THE NICKEL! Always Good--Recognized the Best.

Arthur Huskins and DeWitt Cairns,

THE HARMONY BOYS, IN TWO NEW NOVELTY NUMBERS.

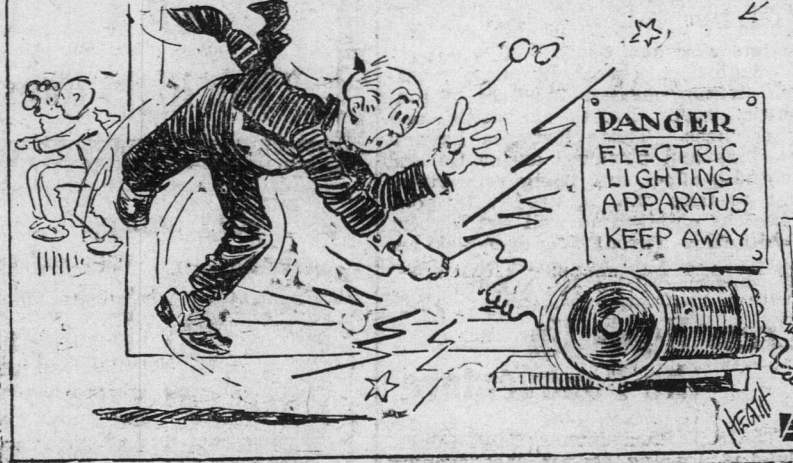
The Thanhousser Company Present "THE FINAL JUDGMENT."

"THE DEATH TRAIN"—A thrilling episode of the Hazards of Helen. "ETHEL'S NEW DRESS"—A comedy-drama with Fay Tincher. "A COLOURED GIRL'S LOVE"—A dandy Keystone. SEND THE CHILDREN TO THE BIG BUMPER MATINEE SATURDAY—A FEAST OF PICTURES. FOR A REAL LIVE UP-TO-THE-MINUTE SHOW—THE NICKEL—EVERY TIME.

YES MRS. VAN LODD THAT RECEPTION YOU GAVE INTERESTED ME GREATLY—BUT I MUST SAY I FOUND MYSELF AWFULLY SHOCKED BY ONE OF THE THINGS I SAW THERE!



BUT THIS IS HOW HE DID IT



## Fisherman Dropped Dead

When Swordfish Pierced His Dory.

Louisburg, Sept. 13.—The schooner Stranger, of Boston, arrived yesterday from the fishing grounds with the Stars and Stripes flying at half mast for the death of Albert Murphy, one of her crew, who died at sea.

The schooner was engaged on a swordfish fishing trip, and was fishing about fifteen miles off this port on Saturday afternoon, when the deceased went into a dory to haul a fish which had been harpooned. While running down to pick up another fish the deceased was heard to call, and they discovered he was not in the dory. They immediately ran alongside and launched another dory and hauled the man on board, but he showed no signs of life, although they worked on him for over an hour giving first aid treatment. The dory was later picked up, and it was found that the bottom of the boat had been pierced by the swordfish.

The captain states that they were three or four hundred yards from the man when they heard him call, and that he could not have been over five minutes in the water, as they were sailing fast and the sea was very calm at the time. An inquest was held yesterday, and a verdict of heart failure or shock, rendered. The man belonged to Roxbury, Mass., and will likely be buried here, on the arrival of his wife.

Dogs of War.

The following information has been taken from an article appearing in the Bulletin of the Saint Hubert Club de France, and written by Dr. Humbert, a member of the club, now in charge of the hospital at Bussang:

Ever since the Germans attached a team of dogs to each Jager (rifle) battalion, the employment of dogs in the German army has steadily increased, thanks to the close co-operation of the military authorities with practical dog men. Foremost in this respect is the Verin fur Deutsche

Schafherd (German Sheepdog Club), founded in 1889, and now having more than 4,000 members. This society, whose studbooks contain up to now about 45,000 entries, also keeps a special register "in view of mobilization." While already in the studbooks the entry of each dog is accompanied by an abbreviated indication whether the sheepdog in question has been trained for police duty, ambulance work, patrol work, or domestic duties, this special war register gives a more detailed information on the same points.

About 4,000 dogs are said to be on the register, which is carefully kept up to date. Side by side with the German Sheepdog Club exists the German Club for Ambulance Dogs, specializing, as its name indicates, in the breeding and training of dogs suitable for retrieving wounded soldiers. The dogs kept by members of the two societies form the reserve of the canine units of the German army, and their owners were warned shortly before the mobilization to hold them in readiness for requisition by the army.

While the Jager battalions specialize in the employment of dogs for patrol and sentry duty, they are employed by other regiments as well, up to ten dogs being attached to each battalion.

The ambulance detachments, which form part of each German regiment, have generally four ambulance dogs that are taken out at the same time as the stretcher-bearers go out. The breeds chiefly employed are the so-called German sheepdog—they actually come from Alsace and Switzerland—the Doberman Pinscher, the Alsatian terrier, and more rarely the Rottweiler, a kind of cattle dog, and the boxer, which latter has a long strain of bulldog in him.

You can obtain a good, pure complexion by the use of NYAL'S Face Cream. Sold at STAFFORD'S.—sep.2.11

ECCLIASTICAL STUDENTS.—By the S. S. Tobacco yesterday Messrs. Augustus Neary and Reginald Organ left en route to Ireland. They will enter All Hallows College to study for the priesthood.

## The British Theatre

2.30—EVERY DAY—7.30.

5 Entertainingly Entertaining Photo-Plays, including the Beautiful Drama,

In 2 Tides—"BENEATH THE SEA"—In 2 Tides

The Cultured-Cultured

Madame Olive Timmons

will sing at 3.30, 8.30 and 10:

"FLORIAN'S SONG" and "I DREAMT THAT I DWELT."

Patrons Kindly Take Notice!—That in future all children under 14 years of age will NOT BE ADMITTED to the evening performances unless accompanied by their parents or a guardian.

5c. The Crescent Picture Palace. 5c.

"The Trappers Revenge."

A Lubin feature in 2 reels, with John Ince and Edgar Jones.

"THE WOES OF A WAITRESS"—A Vitaphone drama, featuring Maurice Costello and Naomi Childers.

"CHIEFLY CONCERNING MALES"—An instance where the unmailed letters bring about the unexpected and joyous consequences, featuring Bobby Connolly, the clever boy actor.

"IN THE BOARDING HOUSE" and "HIS NIGHT OUT" are two laughable comedies.

HARVEY COLLINS, Irish Tenor, singing Classy Songs & Ballads.

GOOD MUSIC—A WELL VENTILATED AND COMFORTABLE THEATRE.

The Usual Extra Pictures at the Big Saturday Matinee. Send the Children.

Rossley's East End Theatre!

St. John's Leading Vaudeville, Dramatic & Picture Theatre.

Complete Change of Programme.

Ian MacKenzie,

The Great Scottish Baritone.

RIX GUERIN—Popular Soprano Vocalist. WM. WALLACE—The Phenomenal Boy Violinist.

ARRIVAL OF NEW FILMS SENT DIRECT FROM NEW YORK BY MR. ROSSLEY.

Beautiful Travelogue—"THE RELICS OF ANCIENT ROME."

Big Comedy Feature—"BILLY'S ALARM CLOCK."

AND OTHER SPLENDID FEATURES.

NOTE—NO ADVANCE IN PRICES.

Special Matinee To-Day at 2.30. Extra Special Pictures for the Children.

Halt!

Give the Countersign.

Cash's Tobacco Store

There is not the least doubt about the quality of our Tobaccos, Cigars and Cigarettes. We beg to draw special attention to the following brands:—

TOBACCO. CIGARS. CIGARETTES.

John Cotton's Mixture. Romeo & Juliette. Pall Mall.

Hymn's Mixture. Governor. Melechnino.

Cash's Mixture. Conchas. London Life.

V. C. Mixture. Boek. Garrick.

Our Pipes and Smokers' Requisites are imported from the leading manufacturers and are of the very best quality.

JAS. P. CASH, Tobacconist,

WATER STREET.

## Real Good is the verdict passed on Kismet Blended.

If you have not already tried a box of Kismet BLENDED Cigarettes you have no idea how delightful a cigarette really can be.

Every user up to the present time has pronounced KISMET BLENDED REAL GOOD. Unlike the ordinary TURKISH cigarette they are not too strong. They do not bite the tongue or parch the throat. To the constant smoker they have a pleasing taste.

KISMET BLENDED CIGARETTES are packed ten in a box, including a valuable lace insert. Every woman will be charmed to receive a quantity of those inserts. Each box also contains a circular showing the different patterns obtainable and also many of the articles that can be made up from same.

Ask your dealer for KISMET BLENDED the next time—the box with the valuable lace insert enclosed.

15 cents a Box.

Imperial Tobacco Co.  
(Newfoundland) Ltd.

# RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"