

**Huck Towelling  
Ends, Hemmed.**

A very, very cheap lot, which we offer at  
40c. per lb.

**Pound Turk'h Towels**

Another lot of these to hand which we price at  
55c. lb.

**Bed Quilts**

Priced at 60c. per lb.  
Any future lots, we are advised, will be much higher.

**Fancy Gingham**

A limited quantity which we price at 8c. per yard. Well worth 10c. per yard.

# New Arrivals of American Goods.

This week we are offering many attractive lines recently purchased by our Buyer in the American Markets. Daily advances in the Foreign Markets on all classes of Dry Goods will make corresponding advances here later on inevitable. We have been fortunate in securing many desirable lines, and the early caller will get the full benefit of our lucky purchasing. We enumerate a few only of the offerings now at your disposal.

## JOB LACE CURTAINS

107 pairs, priced from 40c. to \$1.00 per pair, worth double. The 40c. line have slight defects.

## TABLE OIL BAIZES

Another clearing lot, all in serviceable ends, priced at 42c. per yard. If purchased and sold in a regular way they would be marked 70c.

# Marshall Bros

**Scrims**

Will be popular again this season for window decoration. Now while our assortment is complete is a good time to supply your needs.

**American Waists**

Very smart and stylish are these New Waists. Altogether, they are about the best looking lot of Waists we have shown in a long time.

**Corset Covers**

A clearing lot of 15 dozen, priced from 45c. to 60c. each.  
All worth a great deal more money.

**Fancy Muslins**

We have some very smart lines here, all moderately priced.

## TWO SISTERS!

By RUTH CAMERON.



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We were talking the other day about two sisters, who, though they had the same amount of education and equal opportunities, have made very different uses of them. One has developed into an unusually sweet girl. She has excellent manners, she speaks well, she is interested in the worth-while things of the day. With very little to work with she has created a pleasant home, restful and full of evidences of good taste. On a small income she dresses stylishly and with refinement. She married into a family who thought themselves rather above her but who have learned to admire and respect her.

In short, she has bought golden opinions from all sorts of men, and, unlike the wife for whom that phrase was coined, she will probably continue to deserve them.

She is standing still.

The other sister has not developed with the years. Though she married better, from a financial point of view, and had much more to work with, her home is not half so attractive as her sister's. She, herself, is over-dressed, she is common in her manner and undisciplined in her speech.

"What's the matter with Gertrude?" asked the woman who was telling me about the two girls, and who has known them from childhood.

She never distrusted herself.

"Just one thing," she answered. "She hasn't a particle of self-distrust and never did have. She was satisfied with herself as a girl, and she is now as satisfied as ever."

She is, now and always will be, and consequently she hasn't improved and never will. Rosa was different, she was less certain of herself. She was sensitive to the differences between herself and the girls who had had more advantages. If any one snubbed Rosa, she tried to find out what the matter with her was, and she found out and corrected it. To-day she is more truly a lady than most of the girls who used to think themselves above her. If people snubbed Gertrude, she simply decided they were snobs and disliked them. She never thought of distrusting herself.

I wonder if there is any bigger obstacle to progress than this lack of self-distrust?

Can You Grow Inside An Armour?

Self-complacency is an armour in which you shut yourself safely away from snubs and wounds to your vanity. But—well, there isn't much room to grow inside an armour, is there?

"Be sure you are right and then go ahead" is a splendid motto. "Be sure you are right and then stand still" is a dangerous one.

We all need self-respect, but what is self-respect worth unless you deserve it? There is such a thing as too much self-analysis, too much self-distrust. Likewise there is such a thing as too much salt in our food, but remember, it is impossible to live without some pinch of salt.

## Young Man!

What about that Blue Serge Suit you are going to get? Why not get it now; or order it and have it ready when you want it? We have one of the finest stocks of Indigo Blue Serge, and sure to please you in style and workmanship. Our popular prices are \$25 to \$28. SPURRIER HOS., 365 Water Street. "Tailors for young men and men who want to stay young." feb25, eod, tf

## We Talk Mostly About Our Brands of TEAS

because we know for a surety just how pure and good they are.

Our absolute guarantee of purity and quality is behind every pound of Homestead Tea we sell.

"There's a smile in every cup of Homestead."

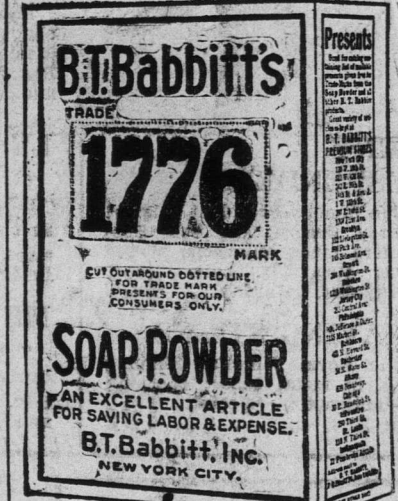
# C. P. EAGAN,

DUCKWORTH STREET & QUEEN'S ROAD.

## FISH

For Ash Wednesday

FRESH HERRING.  
FRESH CODFISH.  
FRESH MACKEREL.  
LABRADOR SALT HERRING.  
FISH SOUNDS.  
KIPPERED HERRING.  
DIGBY HERRING.  
P. E. L. CLAMS, . . . 15c. can  
POTTED FISH, viz:—  
Shrimp, Anchovy, Sardine,  
Lobster, etc., glass and tin.  
FRESH HERRINGS in  
Anchovy Sauce, . . . 20c. can  
Shrimp Sauce, . . . 20c. can  
KIPPERED HERRINGS, 50c. can



B. T. Babbitt's Soap Powder, 100 pks.  
B. T. Babbitt's Naphtha Soap, 100 bars to case.  
Kirkman's Borax Soap, 100 bars to case.  
Kirkman's White Floating Soap, 100 bars to case.  
Kirkman's Sealing Powder, 50 tins to case.  
Kirkman's Soap Powder, 50 pks. to case.

Above lines in stock at lowest wholesale prices to retailers.

**SOPER & MOORE.**

## Ice, Sealing and Weather Report.

Seal Cove—Wind N., weather fine and cold, bay still full of ice, no seals seen.

Tilt Cove—Wind N. W., moderate, bay well clear.

Nipper's Harbor — Moderate all night, bay covered over with ice slob; few bedlamer seals seen.

Twillingate—Wind N., fresh; clear, fine and cold, bay filling in with ice slob, many seals reported yesterday.

Change Islands—Light N. W., fair, ice on land.

Fogo—Wind W. N. W., very moderate, m. fine, ice off still.

Bonaville—Very light N. wind, fine, clear, ice packed on south of bay, little water to be seen outside about 7 miles from shore.

Catalina—Light N. wind, fine weather, no ice on north side of bay.

Flower's Cove—Moderate winds fair and much warmer, lots of ice.

Heath Point—Clear north, light, close packed everywhere.

Magdalen Islands — Clear N. W., close packed ice inshore.

Money Point and Scatteries—Clear N. W., heavy close packed inshore.

Flat Point—Clear W., light open ice distant.

Point Amour—Clear, calm, heavy close packed distant.

Two days from Quebec.

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## Sable I. Arrives.

The S. S. Sable I reached port yesterday afternoon from Louisbourg. She brought a quantity coal and oil to A. Harvey & Co. The ship is now getting supplies aboard for the sealing voyage. She sails to-morrow again for a northern port where she will sign the majority of her crew. She will take a small complement of sealers from St. John's who are now signing articles. The Sable I prosecutes on the northern front in charge of Capt. Jacob Keen.

## SETTLING UP.

If every man would pay his bills, just when those bills are due, we'd sidestep many grievances. The merchant carries on his books about a million debts, and some of them are crooks, and some misfortune's pets. Some hope to play the honest game when they have got the tin, and it may be they'll do that same, soon as their ships come in. But some ships travel mighty slow, of winds and waves the sport; some hit the reef of Norman's Woe, and never come to port. The merchants have to charge us more for everything they sell, to cover the defaulter's score, and hence H. C. of L. Wiene'er you buy a pound of pills, or quart of pumpkin seed, you're paying something on the bills of those who are behind. If you, who read these simple runes, would pay your bills on time, you'd help to cut the price of prunes, and make your life sublime.

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## Governor Gives Patriotic Address at Grand Falls.

Special to Evening Telegram.  
GRAND FALLS, To-day.  
We were given a splendid address by the Governor last night, in the Town Hall. The hall was packed and crowds could not get admission. On the platform with him was Lady Davidson, Miss Davidson, Magistrate Fitzgerald, Mr. N. Pike and Mr. Josiah Goodyear. The last named has given five out of his six sons to the Empire to-day. The Governor and his party are visiting the mills and schools and are leaving by to-night's express for home. At ten yesterday morning Lady Davidson and Miss Davidson met the W.P.A. members and Lady Davidson gave them an excellent address. We have still ten more men to go out in a few days (tides and others enlisting).

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## SLATTERY'S Wholesale Dry Goods House

Being in close touch with the American Markets, can quote the finest wholesale prices on all classes of POUND REMNANTS and REGULAR PIECE GOODS, FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR, MATS, RUGS and CARPETS, etc.

Before placing this season's order, we would appreciate an opportunity to quote our prices.

SOLE AGENT for the Leader Overall Co. (Local manufacture).

Slattery Building, Duckworth and George's Streets,  
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

P. O. Box 236. Phone 522.

## LIGHT, HEAT, COMFORT!

The proprietor of one of the best known multiple shopping systems is credited with saying, "Give me any old shop, in any old street, and I'll guarantee to make it in twelve months the most widely known and best frequented shop in the district." He was asked to explain. Holding up three fingers he said, "I believe in the trinity of LIGHT, WARMTH, COMFORT. I should dazzle the moths until the candle drew them, I should bring them into a warm, comfortable shop, filled with a soft, pleasing radiance, and the rest is—well, mere child's play."

Mixed metaphors, perhaps, but expressive. Now we can more than imagine the kind of shop this well-known individual would open, for we pass it in almost every town—always a landmark to the street. No one fails to notice it. There is an indefinable air of welcome and invitation as one stands for a moment on the pathway and lets one's gaze travel inside it. The subdued, restful lighting effect, that so charms because of its very unobtrusiveness, the absence of dark corners, the intangible feeling that if one would step inside one would be sure of experiencing a delicious sense of warmth and comfort and cheerfulness—all these are part of its appeal. Truly a shop with an individuality.

We cordially invite all progressive business men to visit our showroom and see our latest Lighting and Heating Appliances, by the adoption of which the ideal outline in the above extract from a London paper may be easily secured. Our new RADIO X. Lamp and GASTHEAM Radiators fill all light and heat requirements.

**ST. JOHN'S GAS LIGHT COMPANY.**

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## 5c. The Crescent Picture Palace. 5c.

Presents Jack Drummer and Louise Vale in  
"MAN AND HIS MASTER,"  
The story of a labor strike, produced in 2 reels by the Biograph Company.

"DREAMY DUD IN THE SWIM"—A film of cartoon laughs.

"SCENES IN AND AROUND SANTE FE"—A beautiful scenic picture.

"THE JOURNEY'S END"—A jungle Zoo wild animal drama.

"SOPHIE AND THE FAIR"—An Essanay comedy.

GOOD MUSIC AND EFFECTS—A COMFORTABLE AND WELL VENTILATED THEATRE.

Coming—THE CONFESSION OF MADAME BARASTOFF—A Russian military feature.

Advertise in the "Telegram."

## TO-DAY'S Messages.

10.30 A.M.

## BALFOUR TURNS THE TABLE ON CHURCHILL

LONDON To-day.  
When Balfour said guns for monitors had been designed for capital ships, Sir Arthur Balfour, Liberal, interjected, "The Monitor guns came from America." "There was more than one lot of guns," retorted Balfour. Continuing the First Lord said the Monitors had proved of the greatest value, but that all the monitors in the world would add little strength to the Grand Fleet, they could not work with the Grand Fleet and were not intended to work with it. He did not assert that it was wrong to build these vessels, which had done very good service in the Dardanelles, and on the coast of Belgium, might do good service again, but it was not right that those who had deliberately and perhaps rightly weakened the Grand Fleet to create those monitors should turn around and say you are neglecting the Grand Fleet.

## RUSSIAN PROGRESS AGAINST TURKS.

PETROGRAD, To-day.  
On the Caucasian front and in the coastal district our troops continue to press the Turks closely. We captured the town of Riza on the seventh. On the Persian front we occupied the town of Sennah, fifty versts northward of Kermanshah.

## BRITISH OFFICIAL.

LONDON, To-day.  
A British official on the campaign in the West last night reads as follows: Last night the enemy sprang a mine near Ypres-Comines Railroad, doing no damage. Our artillery bombarded the vicinity yesterday. By exploding a small mine westward of Laventie we interrupted the enemy's mining. Near Grenay there has been fighting with trench mortars, during which we did considerable damage to the enemy's defences. The enemy shelled positions and craters east of Vermelles. Elsewhere nothing occurred.

## SPIES AND AMERICAN PASSPORTS

LONDON, To-day.  
The stringent regulations put into effect by the American Government to prevent the issue of fraudulent passports has been so effective, that the use of American passports by spies in England has practically ceased. At the present moment not a single person is held in England for espionage, who possesses an American passport. Not only has it become extremely difficult for an American with legitimate business to secure a passport, but such a close track is kept on those already issued that spies are unlikely to take the risk of attempting to enter England with forged American passports.

## TURKISH COAST DEFENCES CRUMBLING-UP.

PETROGRAD, To-day.  
The activity of Russian torpedo boats in the Black Sea, against the towns, east of Trebizond, is continuing with success. According to recent despatches from Sebastopol, the Turkish coast defences are crumbling up before the intensity of Russian bombardment. There is apparently a growing disposition on the part of the Turks along the Anatolian shore to

## T. J. Edens

By s.s. Prospero to-day:  
1000 lbs. FRESH HALIBUT.  
100 doz. FRESH SMELTS.  
FINNAN HADDIES.  
KIPPERED HERRING.  
No. 1 SALT HERRING.

## Keeping Prices Down!

20 cases  
CAL. NAVEL ORANGES,  
35c. doz.  
RICE (cleaned), Rangoon, 60c. doz.  
ROLLED OATS, 4c. lb.  
OATMEAL, Can., 4c. lb.  
TABLE JELLIES, pint, 6c.; 60c. doz.  
LIBBY'S CONDENSED MILK,  
12c. tin.  
WHOLE WHEAT BISCUITS,  
16c. pkgs.  
PINEAPPLE CHUNKS, 11lb., 13c.  
CHESTNUTS, 12c. lb.  
PINEAPPLE, 2 1/2 lb. tins, sliced,  
18c.  
PEACHES, 2 1/2 lb. tins, best, 25c.

JAMS—  
Tumblers—Rasp. & Straw,  
\$1.00 doz.; 15c. each.  
Tumblers—Astd., \$1.40 doz.;  
18c. each.  
Tumblers—Marmalade, \$1.20  
doz.; 11c. each.  
1 lb. pots Rasp. & Straw, \$2.20  
doz.; 20c. each.

RABBITS  
are cheaper this week.

# T. J. EDENS.

Duckworth St. and Military Rd.