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Spring cleaning means an extra amount of work and worry for the housekeeper. There is so much to be done that it spares no time to look for the materials you may require. We now offer to assist you in this busy time by making some helpful suggestions from our house furnishing department, which is now well stocked with the newest goods. Below are some of the things you will likely need:

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Photo of the S.S. "Glace Bay"

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We are selling these photos as follows:—

Size	6x8	8x10	10x12	12x14	14x17	16x20
Price Unmounted	40c.	50c.	65c.	75c.	\$1.00	\$1.25
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SHOULD BE FENCED.—The Northern Point of Portugal Cove is in a dangerous condition, and should be as it always has been, fenced in. Yesterday, Mr. Fred Hibbs had to leave his horse to keep it from walking over the place, which is only 10 feet from the road and going over a 50 foot cliff. To save men, as well as animals, the Government should have this very dangerous place fenced.

Have you ever seen our line of gem rings such as are used for engagements? If not, it's worth your while; the variety is excellent and the prices most reasonable. R. H. TRAPNELL, may 13, 1913.

Dr. de Van's Female Pills
A reliable French regulator, never fails. These pills are exceedingly powerful in regulating the reproductive portion of the female system. Refuse all cheap imitations. The de Van's are sold at 15¢ a box, or three for \$1.00. Mailed to any address. The Robbitt Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.

COLOGNE, To-day.

That a Serbo-Bulgarian conflict is inevitable should Serbia persist in her demand for a revision of anti-Bellum treaty, existing between those countries, with regard to a division of the spoils of war, and if Serbia does not submit to Russian arbitration the question of the disposal of the districts left open by the same treaty, is the belief expressed in a despatch received by the Cologne Gazette from a Sofia correspondent, who says he reached this conclusion after interviewing Bulgarian Ministers and various party leaders in the Bulgarian capital. Continuing, the correspondent says Bulgaria will not hesitate to conclude an alliance with Austria-Hungary, if such a step is necessary to achieve her end. The Anti-Serbian feeling in Bulgaria is running high and increasing hourly. If war comes it will be most bitter.

LONDON, To-day.
The first arrest under the so-called Cat and Mouse Bill was made when Annie Bell, hunger-striker, was taken into custody at Brighton. She was sentenced in April to three weeks imprisonment for carrying a pistol, but was released on account of ill-health occasioned by abstaining from food.

SHANGHAI, To-day.
Sixty-seven farmers of Shih Chow Ling, Western Hunan, who had resisted the attempts of soldiers to destroy the crops of opium were burned to death yesterday in a building where they were holding a meeting, according to a despatch received here by the North China Daily News. The despatch says soldiers started the fire.

PRESSBURG, Germany, To-day.
The extent of a fire here on Saturday when eight persons were rendered homeless, might have been considerably lessened but for the strict religious observance of orthodox Jews in refusing to perform any labor on the Sabbath. It was only after the Rabbi gave the congregation a dispensation they consented to save women and children. The Ghetto which was the most ancient in Europe, was completely destroyed. While the buildings were burning, people stood by and saw all their possessions swept by flames and refused to render any assistance in extinguishing the flames.

LONDON, To-day.
All the delegates of the Balkan Peace Conference are in London and will be formally welcomed by Sir Edward Grey. The first meeting of conference will probably be on Tuesday. Whether the preliminary peace treaty will be signed this week as was expected is still doubtful. The Greek and Serbian delegates have not received authority to sign the treaty. It is supposed Greece and Serbia are pursuing a policy of delay in order to keep the Bulgarian forces before Constantinople and Bulair, while the territorial disputes with Bulgaria are still unsettled; believed, however, Powers will be able to influence Greece and Serbia to sign.

LONDON, To-day.
The Chronicle says it has reason to believe Greece and Serbia concluded an agreement constituting a common policy with regard to the contested territories in alliance against Bulgaria and the grave danger of another war exists. The Chronicle's statement is not confirmed in other quarters. Despatches from Vienna and Sofia, represent the feeling between Greece, Serbia and Bulgaria as improving.

PANAMA, To-day.
The waters of the Pacific Ocean, were let into the Panama Canal by a giant blast, composed of 32,750 lbs. of dynamite shot, demolishing the locks of South Mira float locks and allowing water to flow into an extensive section of which the excavations have practically been completed. The blast was successful in every way. The vibration was felt in Panama city as though there had been a light earthquake.

Loss of the Proteus.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—Just a word or two with reference to an article by my friend, Mr. H. F. Shortis, in your esteemed journal of the 8th inst. I am well aware of the very high regard held by Mr. Shortis for the late Capt. Richard Pike, and feel sure he would be the last person to make a statement which in any way reflected on Capt. Pike as a master mariner. Allow me just to say that the late W. H. Norman was never captain of the s.s. Proteus; in fact I do not think that Mr. Norman was ever captain of a steamer going north. At the time the s.s. Proteus was lost, Captain Richard Pike was master and Mr. W. H. Norman chief mate, with an American Army officer by the name of Garlington in charge of the expedition. When the s.s. Proteus arrived near to her destination, Captain Pike, observing a strong current running, therefore pressing the ice on the land, thought it advisable to wait until morning and anchored his ship. As soon as the ship was anchored, Garlington went on shore. To his inexperienced eye, being an army officer, he thought the ship could and should proceed, and at once. He hastily returned to the shore and told Capt. Pike, giving orders to get underway. Capt. Pike explained the force of the currents and their action on the moving ice, and how dangerous it would be to proceed just then, stating it would be better to wait until morning, and in any case until the current had ceased running on the land. Capt. Pike remonstrated, but it was of no use. "You are not doing your duty to the American Government," I command you to leave, and at once." The ship immediately left. Result, in a very few hours the s.s. Proteus was at the bottom, all the crew on the ice and a most successful expedition ruined. The next year, if I mistake not, Mr. Norman was chief mate of the s.s. Bear. The barque Rothesay incident reminds me of a story told, by an old hand on a yarn, at "Dead Island," Labrador, about a large rock he saw floating.

N. P.

Man Drowned.

The Customs Department had a message saying that John Kendall, aged 27, of Round Harbor, was drowned on Saturday by a skiff upsetting; the body has not been discovered. Kendall was a single man.

If You Were Sick.

You say things aren't going your way.
You grumble and worry and whine;
Just look at the sunshine to-day!
Say, isn't this spring weather fine?
You wait that your going is tough,
And at eight disappointments you kick,
You think you have troubles enough,
But suppose you were sick?

You let your chin sink on your breast
Because a few plans have gone wrong;
You lost were you hoped for the best,
You call the day's dreary and long,
Some money has slipped from your grip,
So you growl like the very old Nick,
And a downward curl hangs on your lip,
But suppose you were sick?

You say you are burdened by debt,
And you haven't a son to your name
But sons are the things you can get
If only you'll show that you're game!
Your troubles you sadly rehearse,
And give up to care every trick;
You vow that things couldn't be worse,
But suppose you were sick?

Not T. N. M.

Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir,—It has reached my ears that there is a faint suspicion, among musical and dramatic circles, that I am the writer of a letter signed T.N.M., appearing in your paper last week, criticising the entertainment held recently in the Methodist College Hall.

I wish to state that the idea is absurd and is wholly without foundation. I did not write the letter—in fact I have never seen the said letter and know nothing whatever about it. I regretted at the time and now regret it still more, that I was unable to attend the concert. Most of the performers are personally known to me, and being aware of their ability, in musical and dramatic lines, the mere fact of their presence on the stage that night signifies to me that the concert must have been a delightful treat.

How such an idea originated passes my understanding, except may be in the fact that I am so keenly interested in amateur theatricals; and I would like to state here that my enthusiasm for theatricals would never carry me to such a pitch as to be of such a critical mind as I am suspected of being. I dearly love to see amateur theatricals—whether they take the form of music or drama—praised skilfully, and always endeavor to do my share of praising and never condemning.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for space and hoping my name is no longer connected with T.N.M.

Sincerely yours,
A STANLEY HARVEY.
St. John's, May 18th, 1913.

Ships of Concrete.

A 500-ton concrete scow was recently launched at Baltimore, Maryland. It is 110 feet long, 28 feet wide and has a depth of 10 feet 6 inches. Others, built before this one, have shown a large saving in repairs over wooden craft. It is claimed by the builders that concrete vessels will ultimately create a revolution in ship construction. The Italians have already made use of concrete vessels and have found them practicable. It is stated. Indeed they seem to be of exceptionally stout build, for one of them, rammed by a small war cruiser, showed no other injury but a crack, which it was quite possible to repair successfully. This accidental test gave the constructor much satisfaction.

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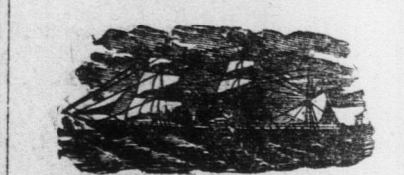
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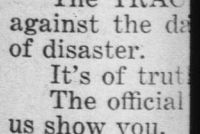
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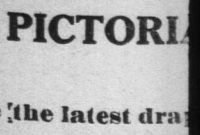
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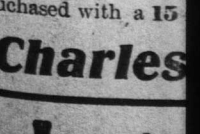
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