

## New Goods! New Goods!

A festival of **Dainty, Up-To-Date** and **Fashionable Novelties** are now ready for inspection. Every line is marked much below regular selling prices, which is bound to result in a **Speedy Clearance.**

**Ladies' Job Collars!**  
About 100 dozen of this line.  
Prices:  
**15c. to 40c.**

**Ladies' Job Belts!**  
150 dozen of this useful article.  
All one price:  
**25c. each.**

A splendid assortment of **American Dress Fabrics**, consisting of the LATEST productions, viz.: Lucille, Batiste, Passiac, Silk Stripe Voile, F'cy Mongoles, Shadow Plaids, Aberfoyle, Tissue, Nouveaute, Sterling Dress Gingham. Prices:  
**12c. to 50c. per yard.**

**Ladies' HAND BAGS!**  
A splendid variety to select from.  
**30c. to \$1.80 ea.**

**Misses' Col'd Gingham Dresses.**  
A very attractive lot, at  
**\$1.80 each.**

A LIMITED LOT OF **Ladies' White Muslin EMBROIDERED DRESSES.**  
Prices: **\$3.20 to \$9.50** each.  
A FEW SPECIAL **Ladies' Muslin Dresses--"Jobs."**  
Clearing at **\$5.00**; reg. price, **\$8.00** each.

AN ASSORTED LOT OF **Men's Yachting Shirts, 50c. to \$1.00 ea.**  
**Curtain Ends! Curtain Ends!**  
Our usual Spring offering. Price: **30c.**  
Each worth **50c.**

# MARSHALL BROS.

**The Police Court.**  
One drunk was released and another was released on paying cash hire.  
**Magistrate's Court.**  
The case of the Municipal Council vs. the promoters of the hockey matches against the Windsor team, claiming Municipal tax, which was adjudged on Friday last, came up for hearing to-day. F. J. Morris, K.C., called Mr. McKay and examined him. Mr. Higgins cross-examined for the defence and then addressed the court for the defence. Mr. Morris replied. Judgment was not delivered, the court taking time to consider. The case was heard by Judge Knight.  
Mrs. E. P. Gough, and Miss Gough of Carbonear arrived by to-day's train on a visit to friends here.

**The Ladies of St. John's May Now Grow Beautiful Hair.**  
McMurdo & Co. backed up by the manufacturers of SALVIA, the Great Hair Grower, guarantees it to grow hair.  
SALVIA destroys Dandruff in ten days.  
The roots of the hair are so nourished and fed that a new crop of hair springs up, to the amazement and delight of the user. The hair is made soft and fluffy. Like all American preparations SALVIA is daintily perfumed. It is hard to find an actress who does not use SALVIA continually. A large bottle for 50c.  
The special train from Bay of St. John's to Port aux Basques was 4 miles from the latter place this morning.

**Here and There.**  
Beird's schr. Gaspé, Capt. Enoch, left Bahia for Barbadoes to-day and will load molasses for this port.  
**SEALERS GO HOME.**—The crews of the Bonaventure and Bellaventure belonging to Conception Bay, go home by special train this evening.  
**MEN FROSTBITTEN.**—The crew of the Bonaventure tell of a rough spring at the icefields. The frost was intense and several members had their ears and face frostbitten.  
**FOR THE LUNATIC.**—Mrs. Cleary of Carbonear, arrived here by yesterday's train accompanied by her son, for the Lunatic Asylum. The woman was very violent and had to be watched carefully.

## Latest Sealing News. THE BELL and BON HOME. Second and Third Arrival From the Front—The Worst Reports for Many Years.

After an interval of four days the second arrival from the sealfishery was witnessed yesterday afternoon when the S. S. Bonaventure, Capt. J. Parsons, steamed round the heads. As the ship entered the Narrows hundreds of people thronged the various waterfront premises and nearest viewpoints eager to catch a glimpse of her and hear her report.  
The Bonaventure hails for 5,000 seals, all of which are young harps. She left here March 14th in company with the rest of the steel fleet and taking an inside cut struck the first patch of 100 whitecoats northwest of the Gros Islands the day following. After that the 'Bon' headed to the eastward. The Florizel and Bellaventure which were with her taking a southerly cruise. When about 60 miles to the eastward of Cape Freels a small patch of whitecoats were struck. This was early on the 16th. The crew were quickly on the ice—began the slaughter and 1,200 seals were stowed below. The ship then steamed towards the Funk Islands and remained in that vicinity for several days picking up scattered seals and scoured the ocean but could not succeed in finding the main patch. On March 24th while butting through the floe the Bonaventure lost a blade of her propeller by coming in contact with a 'growler.' The same day the Bellaventure met with a similar mishap, losing two blades, and the 'Bon' had to remain with her the whole spring fearing assistance. On Friday last when about 200 miles to the eastward of St. John's the ship bore up for home. The ice was then loosening and breaking up and the weather, the captain reports, very bad. On Sunday, homeward bound, the ship was delayed by dense fog and on that evening 200 miles off this port the schooner Corona was sighted in a disabled condition and about to be abandoned. The Bonaventure bore down on her in answer to the distress signals of the vessel, took off the crew of six men, and a half hour after the Corona sunk. There is little doubt but that it was fortunate for the Corona's crew the Bonaventure came along else another tale of the sea would have to be told.  
The Bonaventure brought the following reports:—  
Florizel ..... 5,000  
Adventure ..... 18,000  
Beothic ..... 32,000  
Nascope ..... 12,000  
Stephano ..... 10,000  
Ranger ..... 15,000  
Newfoundland ..... 6,000  
Diana ..... 5,000  
Erik ..... 4,000  
Algierne ..... 5,000  
Sagona ..... 1,000  
Eagle ..... 9,000  
Bellaventure ..... 2,000  
**S. S. BELLAVENTURE.**  
The s.s. Bellaventure, Capt. J. Kneel, with only 2,500 seals, entered port at 1 o'clock this morning. Her report is practically the same as the Bonaventure's. After leaving here with the others the Bellaventure got down off the Funks where a few scattered whitecoats were taken. Not striking the main body of whitecoats, the ship steamed over the ocean in every direction to find them, but was unsuccessful. On March 24th, as already reported, the ship had two blades broken off her propeller, and after the accident was able to make but slow progress in water, if any at all in ice. Almost every day the ship picked up from 100 to 400 seals. Saturday, when 275 miles E.S.E. of St. John's, she spoke to the Bonaventure, and next day decided to bear up for home. Capt. Kneel reports terrific weather, all the ice is broken up and the chances for the ships now out of getting more seals are anything but favorable. He also says that this spring was a hard one on propellers owing to the "growlers" or half sunken ice. As already mentioned her report of the other ships is the same as the Bonaventure brought except that she spoke to the Stephano off Baccalleu yesterday and that she then had 15,000 seals.  
**By Wireless.**  
**To Bowring Bros.**  
House Hr., 4:30 p.m.—  
"Seal Viking and another steamer passed south; very likely heard of seals. Southern Cross jammed west. No seals on Island since I telegraphed last. Very poor chances for further catch on Island."  
"CAMILLE DELANEY."  
**From the Seal.**  
To Halifax by wireless last night:—  
"Eight hundred seals on board, taken yesterday; some panned."  
Capt. Farquhar does not give his position, but she being the only two-masted steamer in the Gulf, must be the one reported from Little Harbor.  
**From Postal.**  
The Postal Telegraphs had the following message yesterday afternoon from Little Harbor, St. George's District:—  
"Two-masted steamer, four miles off shore taking young hoods; landmen saw pan 2½ miles off, about 600 pelts on it with flag; men could not read, did not know ship's name; seals plentiful 2½ miles off shore; landmen killing and hauling ashore; expect to meet steamer's men to-day. Will report when they return to Lark Harbor to-night."  
**From Adventure.**  
"Since last message struck patch; Adventure 18,000; men working on ice; cannot give ultimate result; Beothic and Sagona in company; have not heard from Bellaventure or Bonaventure."  
(Sgd.) KEAN."  
**From Stephano.**  
"Monday, 7 p.m.—Stephano working at seals, took a few hundred, weather very bad, in company with Eagle, Florizel, Sagona and Adventure; all working seals."  
(Sgd.) KEAN."  
**Dr. de Van's Female Pills**  
A reliable French regulator; never fails. These pills are exceedingly powerful in regulating the generative portion of the female system. Refuse all cheap imitations. Dr. de Van's are sold at 1/6 a box, or three for 1/2. Mailed to any address. The Scobell Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

# ROYAL Baking Powder

**ABSOLUTELY PURE**

Makes delicious home-baked foods of maximum quality at minimum cost. Makes home baking a pleasure

The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

No Alum—No Lime Phosphates

### Death of a Newfoundlander.

Some 25 years ago a number of young men, mostly coopers, after working for some time in Montreal went out to Omaha, and when he there 18 or 20 years ago Councillor Mullaly who returned from another visit to the western city, Saturday, found all alive and well. When Mr. Mullaly went there this time he found that all those men had died in the interval. They mostly were natives of St. John's, one amongst them was Mr. Henry Buckley, an old-time resident of Bannerman Street, and a brother of Mr. James Buckley, cooper. He died about 2 years ago, and his brother here was not aware of the fact until Mr. Mullaly's return. The news of his brother's death greatly affected Jim, and many other old-time coopers were sorry to learn of Harry's death.

### The Reason Why

The Daily News informs the public this morning that it is not Mr. James Murphy of the Board of Works office who is "compiling extracts from the Fishermen's Advocate" for the News. The information is hardly necessary—not for such as Mr. Murphy is a soft job of this kind. The compiler is one of the "educated" friends of Sir Edward Morris who alone of the elect are entitled to such soft snags. No doubt a comfortable salary attaches to this arduous duty for some lazy rascal and another means is found of flitting away the taxpayers money. Men like Murphy rowed the long boat for the Picnic Party when the "educated" friends of Sir Edward who are entitled to the soft jobs were under cover. The voters, however, will soon make their pronouncement on this kind of subsidized expenditure. It will not be a favourable one either for the Tory Government.

### McMurdo's Store News.

TUESDAY, April 2, 1912.  
Many people suffer during the Spring with what are commonly known as "liverish," due to the amount of effete matters in the blood which have accumulated during the winter. Well, Gault's Digestive Syrup is not only a first-class liver starter, but an unequalled stomach medicine and appetite creator. If your stomach, liver, or bowels need correction, you ought to procure a bottle. A few doses will convince you of its value—because you will begin to feel better. Price 50c.—a bottle.  
"Cantharidine Hair Tonic" is well established as a preparation which will accomplish something, which will stimulate the growth of the hair and put the scalp in good condition. In this it is greatly helped by McMurdo's Shampoo Powders. Price 25c. a bottle; large bottles, 50c.; Shampoo Powders, 5c. each.

### Cooking With Gas.

The old-fashioned coal-fired cooking range is rapidly approaching the museum stage—its place being taken of course by the Gas Cooker. It is scarcely necessary to say anything about Gas-Cookers, as they are so well-known millions of them being in use the Wide World over. The best, and the most economical method of cooking is a phrase which possesses a double significance. In addition to being interest to everybody personally, it concerns them from a business point of view. The Gas Cooker places at the disposal of the housewife, professional cook, or bachelor, the best and most economical means of cooking. Grilling, boiling, roasting, baking, and all other cooking operations may be performed with a Gas Cooker. The heat is perfectly under control and may be regulated to any desired temperature to suit requirements. Gas Cookers are especially adapted to the latest innovation of "Paper-Bag" cooking, and give the best results.—mar23.25.30.ap1

### Birthday Party.

Last evening the officers and teachers of George St. Sunday School held a very pleasant reunion at the home of Mr. Ernest White, the Secretary of the School, in honor of his birthday. Although taken by surprise a very cordial welcome was extended and everyone felt very much at home. Games and singing was a part of the programme and Mrs. Cocheran and Mr. W. Piggott delighted the company with their solos. Before dispersing refreshments were served after which Mrs. J. W. Bartlett, wife of the popular pastor of George Street Church, in very choice language spoke of Mr. White's work in connection with the school and hoped he would fill the office of Secretary for many years to come. She wished him many returns of the day and on behalf of the school presented him with a beautiful clock. Mr. White was very much touched at this appreciation of his services and thanked all present for their good wishes. Miss Ella Pike and Mr. Harry Wyatt also made very pleasing speeches which added greatly to the enjoyment. The success of the evening was due in a great measure to Mr. Wyatt, the Treasurer of the School, who is recognized not only as a faithful officer, but also as a very jovial friend. All present hoped it would not be very long before another such gathering would take place.

### His Three Nephews Drowned

When the Bonaventure reached port yesterday a member of the crew named John Snelgrove was informed by a friend from the city of the death of his three nephews, who lost their lives by drowning at Lower Island Cove. Mr. Snelgrove fainted with shock and had to be brought to his bunk and has not been able to get out since.

### Why Not be Well and Strong

When weak and run down DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD will help you back to health.  
This letter tells of two women who have proven this.  
Mrs. D. Stott, Cobourg, Ont., writes: "After recovering from typhoid fever I was left in a very low state of health. I was weak, nervous and not fit to do any work. A friend of mine, Mrs. G. M. Brown, had used DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD and told me that it benefited her wonderfully. I took courage and began the use of the medicine. After taking the first box I began to feel an improvement in health and now after using four boxes I am completely cured. I now feel like myself once more and believe that I can attribute the cure to Dr. Chase's Nerve Food."  
Life is too short to spend weeks or months dragging out a miserable existence of weakness and suffering. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food cures by forming new rich blood and building up the system. You can depend on it to benefit you. 50 cents a box, 6 for \$2.50, at all dealers or Edman's, Batace & Co., Toronto.

## P. F. COLLINS

WILL START THE

# FIRE SALE

—ON—

## Wednesday, 2.30 p.m.

Particulars in Wednesday's Papers.

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**FRESH HAL**  
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## C. P. EAGAN

## HAPPY

By WALT

The baseball season soon will open and 'gropin' will be our own once more; the good old game will soothe each of us. When we assemble on the bleachers, creatures who fuss in politics; forget schemes and plots that they've disclosed. The grand old game must be suspended and while it's off the map, we'll get the air with language gusty, and starlings gain our attention, pipe dream are in a trance, we think to better some politician to pump and circumlocution when once we hear the umpire then grief and worry are forgotten, and care must jump its job. It's best share with patriotic creatures a big win to win a pennant that to elect a brave new tenant for Washington's White House.

## Highest F

Epps's Cocoa is a treat to the worker, a boon to

In strength, delicacy and economy in use, it

# EPPS'

Children thrive

## Stories Win Wives!

Literary Men Who Have Found Their Mates by Their Books.  
A few days since at a dinner given by the Authors' Club in London, the editor of The Cornhill told how a story, which appeared in the magazine was instrumental in bringing about a marriage.  
The story in question, the work of a contributor from whom more than one tale had been previously accepted, not being up to the required standard, was returned by the editor to its author, from whom soon afterwards came a letter wherein the writer stated that he and his fiancée, having quarrelled were not on speaking terms—a state of affairs which he had trusted to put right by the publication of the rejected story, which contained matter 'the perusal of which would, he was sure, have softened the

## ONE SINGLE PILL GAVE GREAT RELIEF

### FOUR BOXES CURED HIM

PLASSVILLE, Ont.  
"I suffered from Kidney trouble for several years, and tried numerous remedies and doctors' prescriptions without permanent relief, my case being chronic. After seeing about Gin Pills, and as it is a well known fact that Juniper without alcohol is excellent for the kidneys, I decided to try Gin Pills. One single pill gave me great relief. I have now taken almost four boxes of Gin Pills and find myself completely cured. No more bad humors, increase in weight—clear eyes—fresh color—more strength and vigor. This is what Gin Pills have done for me!"  
H. POWIS HERBERT.  
Gin Pills will do the same for you—Kidneys or Bladder—or if you suffer with Pain in the Back or Rheumatism. Try them before you buy them. Write National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, Dept. N Toronto for free sample. Then get the regular size boxes at your dealer's—50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50.