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The well known Silver Doctor, Dusty Miller, Terra Nova, Butchers, etc., from 10c up.

FISHING BASKETS, STRAPS and LANDING NETS.



Welcome to Pastors.

The Epworth League of Gower St. Church met last night and extended a cordial welcome to their new Superintendent, Rev. Dr. Cowperthwaite, and his assistant, Rev. Mr. Westlake. Mr. John Leamon presided and Mr. W. H. Peters delivered the address of welcome, after which a hymn and prayer by Mr. Dawe. Dr. Cowperthwaite replied in touching terms which endeared him more than ever to his people. Rev. Mr. Westlake also delivered a short address and made a very favorable impression. A very successful programme followed, including a solo by Miss Christian, a recitation by Miss Curtis, a song by Rev. W. H. Norman, and a piano solo by Miss Tait. Addresses were also delivered by Rev. J. Thackeray and Rev. W. J. Hutchison. Refreshments were then served and a social half hour spent, after which the presentation to Rev. Mr. Dunn and his wife took place.

The Fiona Sails.

The cruiser Fiona with His Excellency the Governor, Lady Williams and party on board, left here last night for the northern coast and Labrador. His Excellency will to-day lay the foundation stone of a new C. E. schoolhouse in Trinity. The Fiona leaves there this evening and all the principal harbors and settlements on the northern coast will be visited. His Excellency and party will also call at Blanc Sablon in the Straits of Belle Isle, and at Dr. Greenfell's stations and hospitals at St. Anthony and Battle Harbor. His Excellency will return about the middle of August.

The Fogota Sails.

The s.s. Fogota makes her first trip to the northward at 4 p.m. to-day. She takes considerable cargo and her passengers will be Mr. and Mrs. W. Irving, J. Marshall, R. Maher, P. Holmwood, J. C. Crosbie. These passengers go to different ports: Mr. and Mrs. T. Walsh, Masters Walsh (2), Miss Lane, Rev. N. Facey, Miss Roper, Mrs. Parsons and several steerage.

Will Open King's Eyes.

Gifts Maharajah is Taking to England are of Much Splendor.

The gifts which the Gakwar of Baroda is taking to England for King George are of such splendor and value that even the King-Emperor will be inclined to open his eyes, says M. A. P.

The Maharajah can well afford to be liberal, for he is one of the world's wealthiest men. No man alive is the possessor of so many rare and costly jewels as this Indian Croesus. He is the owner of the most famous diamond necklace in existence, composed of two hundred brilliant of marvelous purity and worth well over £2,000,000.

Another of his wonderful treasures is a carpet, four yards square, composed of ropes of rubies, diamonds, and pearls woven into a pattern of dazzling beauty. The gems in this carpet are valued at £800,000, and it is the product of three years' work of skilled artists and jewel-setters. He is also the owner of the only set of artillery made of gold and silver. Four cannons, which defend his palace, are made two of solid gold and two of solid silver, save for the inner barrel of steel.

CHINA CUPS and Saucers, Plates, Dishes, etc., Glass Preserve Dishes, Tumblers, Wine Glasses, Decanters, Vases, etc. We are always fully stocked with the above lines. At LARACY'S, 345 and 347 Water Street, opposite Post Office, may 14, 11.

Craft Capsized.

Last evening Mr. H. W. LeMessurier, Assistant Collector, had the following wire from Lawn: "Schr. Ellen, from St. John's, just arrived. Reports Thos. Hodder, of Mortier Bay, during Friday night's thunder storm, had his sloop capsized off Lawn Point. Her crew of two men were landed at Chambers' Cove. Boarded this schooner at 10 a.m. yesterday. Left this morning to try and locate sloop in dory. Reported 15 qtls. fish on board."

Highlanders Gone.

The Nfld. Highlanders in the s.s. Mary arrived at Heart's Content last evening O.K. after a pleasant run. They visited the cable buildings and were shown through by the officials. To-morrow they will march to Carbonear and thence to Harbor Grace, where the week end will be spent. They will visit Bay Roberts before returning and give a concert there.

Here and There.

FIVE PRISONERS.—The police jailed five prisoners last evening and night. These were ordinary drunks.

THE MAYOR GONE.—Mayor Ellis left this morning to visit his granite quarry at Petites. He will return next Monday.

ALWAYS LIKE THIS.—The lost dog advertised by Mr. J. Holden was restored to him yesterday. The finder had read the ad in our paper.

GASOLINE BOAT.—Mr. Penny's new trap boat to be used in the Red Bay fishery is now at Bishop's wharf having a gasoline engine installed.

LEST YOU FORGET.—On Wednesday, August 17th, at St. George's Field, the Nfld. Highlanders will hold their annual Sports. A very interesting programme is being arranged and an enjoyable afternoon is assured all who attend. Be sure and keep the date in mind.

CHURCH ORGAN for sale cheap. A two manual Mason & Hamlin Organ with foot pedal attachment. Is in splendid condition and most suitable for a small church or school. The White Piano and Organ Store, CHESLEY WOODS.—July 8, 11.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT.—Yesterday a West Ender, who often gets pulled in by the police, had to be ejected from a Water Street store. After getting on the sidewalk he attempted to kick in the door of the establishment, but the police quickly rushed him to the station.

LARACY'S have just received direct from the manufacturers per "Dronning Maud," from Antwerp, Tumblers, Glasses, Decanters, Goblets and Fancy Glassware. Selling at our usual low prices at LARACY'S 345 and 347 Water Street, opposite Post Office, may 14, 11.

CLOSETS FOR THE PARK.—The Mayor and Engineer, at the request of the Park Committee, Councilors Mullaly and Myrick, visited Bannerman Park yesterday and made arrangements to have closets erected there. The work will be commenced at once. This will be a great convenience to the public.

HURT HIS LEG.—Shortly before the half time whistle blew in the football match yesterday evening, Mr. Evans of the C.E.I. team gave his ankle a bad twist and had to leave the field. It became swollen and discolored and he suffered much pain. A naval man, who was acting as linesman, took his place.

CODROY BUTTER!

A Pure, Delicious

Well Made Butter,
from Codroy Valley.

25 Tubs Just Received.

C. P. EAGAN, Duckworth St. and Queen's Road.

Our Anglers' Competition.

We offer Three Prizes for the LARGEST TROUT of the following species caught on the Half Holiday, Wednesday, July 20th:

One Prize—For the largest "Local Mud" Trout.

One Prize—For the largest "Rainbow" Trout.

One Prize—For the largest "Brown Trout."

REGULATIONS:—

No. 1—Customers purchasing any portion of Tackle from Our Store from the 16th to the 20th inclusive are eligible to enter this competition.

No. 2—Trout to be sent for inspection any time Thursday, the 21st, up to 2 o'clock p.m., when Competition closes.

Agre & Sons Sporting and Outing Goods Department.

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Boys' & Men's Straw HATS,

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Strong, Comfortable and Stylish.

Special Lines in Men's Negligee Shirts,
Boy's & Men's Tennis & Cricket Shirts,
Gent's Soft Double Collars, The Acme of Comfort.

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Poor Man To Peer.

Very Sudden Successions to Estates and Titles.

The death of little Viscount Chelsea provided one of those strange changes in a man's fortunes that occur very seldom. Lord Chelsea died four days after his uncle—the Hon. Gerald Cadogan—appeared in the Bankruptcy Court. Mr. Cadogan then told the Official Receiver that he had no expectations, as bankruptcy forfeited all interest in his father's estates, so he could make no definite proposals to his creditors. This was on a Monday, but on the following Friday the Hon. Gerald Cadogan found himself Viscount Chelsea, and the heir to an income well over £100,000 a year!

The Duke's Lucky Chance.

Twenty-four hours before he succeeded to the Dukedom of Portland the present holder of the title was a hard up lieutenant in a regiment in India. He had been born a distant relative of the then master of Welbeck, and there were several healthy lives between him and the title. Death, however, removed, in rapid succession, several persons who stood between him and the title, and from a junior officer he rose to an English dukedom and vast wealth. Unusually, a man who becomes a duke holds some other title from his birth; but so remote were the chances of his Grace that he never bore even the prefix of "honourable."

The Duke of Hamilton almost rivals the Duke of Portland, for he was a lieutenant in the Royal Navy, and a distant cousin of the previous holder of the title when death and lack of heirs lifted him at one bound to the highest rank of English nobility. When he was born there seemed no earthly possibility of his ever becoming a duke, and he went into the Navy in order to make a living, and not to kill time.

It is seldom that four brothers succeed one another in peerage. But this is what has happened in the case of the Marquise of Sligo. The heir to

the title now is Lord Altamont, who was born in 1856, the son of the fourth son of the then Lord Sligo. He was thus fifth in succession to the title; but his father's elder brothers were all young men, and the odds against his ever succeeding were enormous. He was plain Mr. Browne until 1903; but in that year his father succeeded, and he became, by courtesy, Earl of Altamont at the age of forty-seven. Fate ordained that each of the other brothers should hold the title for a short time and die without sons, and so the fourth brother succeeded at the age of seventy-two.

Lords Who Have Labored.

So much has been written of the romantic lives of the Earl of Seafeld and Lord Egmont that he must be tired of hearing about their exploits in search of a livelihood before fortune changed, and they became members of the House of Lords. Lord Seafeld tried all sorts of things—farmer, sailor, ranchman, almost every occupation open to human beings; while Lord Egmont was not less enterprising. He was, amongst other things, a caretaker and a fireman. Both men are instances where fortune has changed with dramatic

suddenness, and lifted them out of poverty and obscurity into comfort and the peerage.

Mr. Roosevelt is such a prominent individual now that it will be surprising to most persons to learn that had not President McKinley been assassinated, Theodore Roosevelt would never have become the world-famous personality that he is. Those who understand American politics will tell you that when they wish to shelve a man in the United States they make him Vice-President, and this is what they did with Roosevelt when William McKinley was elected President for the second time. The unwritten law is that no Vice-President ever becomes President; the written law, that should the chief die in office his subordinate succeeds him, and is President for the rest of the unexpired term. An assassin murdered McKinley, and Roosevelt became President.

BICYCLES

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April 8, 11.

Tobacco Fortunes.

In recent years the public has gained some idea of the immense fortunes made by the best-known tobacco manufacturers, but the will of Sir Edward Wills, just proved, with its total of over £2,500,000, stands an easy first, with the exception of that of his brother, the late Sir Frederick Wills, who left nearly £3,000,000. Mr. G. Hatfield, of Tad-dy's, died worth over £1,300,000; Mr. John Hignett left nearly half a million sterling, and Mr. George Cope made a quarter of a million out of tobacco.

C. C. C. BAND TOUR.—The C. C. C. band left by yesterday morning's train on their annual tour in the outports. They will be away two weeks and will visit Kelligrews, Bell Island, Brigus, Harbor Grace, Placentia and St. Pierre.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES
GARGET IN COWS.

Accession Envoys.

Missions of Lord Roberts and Lord Rosebery.

We understand that five Special Missions will leave England about the middle of this month in order to announce to the Courts of Europe and Asia the accession of King George. The Special Envoys include:

The Earl of Rosebery to the Emperor Francis Joseph in Vienna.

Earl Roberts to the Courts of Germany, Russia, and the Balkan Kingdoms.

The Earl of Granard, Master of the Horse, to the Scandinavian Courts, and to Spain and Portugal.

The Marquis of Northampton to other European Courts.

Each Mission will include distinguished representatives of the Navy and the Army, and will be the bearer of an autograph letter from King George to the Sovereign of the State to which it is accredited. Valuable presents will be taken by the Missions as offerings to eminent personages at the Courts.

As the Special Envoys are accredited to the persons of the Sovereigns no Missions are sent to Republics, such as France and the United States. — Daily Mail.

PRINTERS' MEETING.—The St. John's printers will hold their monthly meeting at the British Hall this evening.

Discouraged Aviator

Becomes Morose, Goes Out in a Skiff and Commits Suicide.

Marblehead, Mass., July 12.—Science of aviation may be said to have claimed its 13th victim in the suicide here to-day of Lieut. Alexander L. Pfitzner, a native of Budapest, Hungary, a former officer in the Hungarian Artillery, and a member of an old and aristocratic family of that country. Pfitzner met with a number of mishaps recently in attempting to fly the Burgess-Curtiss aeroplanes at Plum Island, near Newburyport, and each time became more and more discouraged and morose. His high-strung temperament was apparently unable to stand the discouragements, and early to-day he went out from Marblehead in a skiff, and, it is believed, committed suicide by drowning. The skiff was found floating late in the day, containing the man's coat and hat and an automatic revolver. The barrel of the revolver was somewhat clouded as if it had been fired. He was 35 years old, and graduated from the University of Charlottesville and the University of Budapest, taking engineering courses, after which he served in the Artillery.

League Football (Brigade Division), St. George's Field, 7 o'clock, this evening. C. L. B. vs. C. C. C. Admission, Adults, 5c.; Children, 2c.; Grand Stand, 5c. extra.