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little we need say here. We must con-gratulate the Government on the clev-**Evening Telegram** manner in which they copied the W. J. HERDER, --- Proprietor M. J. HERDER, --- Proprietor TUESDAY, August 21st, 1917. ULIC Courses M. Lice and M. Lice and

National Govern-

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Govern-in National Disgrace? the reduction of our Upper House to a mere debating club. It tends to dimin-ish legislation in the country, and it needs only a survey of recent legisla-tion here to convince anyone that the less of it we have the better off we shall be. Those who take a deeper in-terest in the matter, the Council or terest on the matter, the Council or

Assaulted

The farce is nearly end-ed. But for the strutting tary of State to have the impudent en-enter who insist on a structure tractor and annulled. As for actors, who insist on a actment vetoed and annulled. As for last spouting to the gallery, the curtain would the purpose of making their own views already be rung down and the tired of legislation of no importance or cf-

audience be allowed out for a breath of clean air. We need not dwell on the last scenes, laughable as they are: must be their lot if they had not emof indulgence. The sputterings in at least, no contempt is too strong.

of indulgence. The sputterings in at least, no contempt is too stong. the original views of finance and law, the fastidious relevancy which dwelt upon every point but the one at is-sue; in the Council the solema array of Government voters, reinforced by the illustrious four, assembled for the final assault upon trenches

trenches the final assault upon ty, the triumph of it all, the waving of the wooden sword—what a spect-acle it is! Well might a foreign prot-

acle it is! Well might a foreign cynic speak of our Government as the trappings of an elephant on the back of a rat. But he did not know AND HIS UNIFORM INSULTED.

what a clever rat it could be, what amusing antics it could perform, to A seaman named McManus, a figure well known in police circles for fightwhat impressive proportions it could swell up with self-importance, like ing, was before court to-day for the frog in the fable. Let us hope it rowdyism and for assaulting and dedoes not share the frog's fate. As stroying the uniform of a U. S. Navy the Premier thundered out in the man The evidence of the prosecuman. The evidence of the prosecupopular forum, we could almost fantion was to the effect that McManus the world listening. Westminster molested the navy man, a splendid shrinks into self-effacing insignifi-cance beside the Colonial Building. type of physique, on Friday last, so-Even Germany may yet hear of it and Potsdam shiver with apprehension of the effect upon the enlightened peo-the work of the struck him. The

by McManus, who struck him. The

This last from a Government which "dirty dozen," and lay in ambush for took three years to provide them with the navy man, whom they set upon a pensions, which refuses to support them now, which allows many of them, returning injured, to leave the country in search of employment, in pieces, after which he was kicked which fills the positions they should about in the mud on New Gower occupy with party heelens, which a few days ago refused to remit the du-ty on a couple of automobiles imported for their benefit, adding to the his ship. The defendant and his witrefusal a gratuitous insult to the nesses, all sailors, testified that they gentleman who offered them. The were on board their schooner at the greater part of the empty rhetoric we need not notice. We do notice, time the rough-handling was done. we need not notice. We do notice, however, that the Premier stated the The American had civilians as witof that on profits. A deliberate un-fruth. The Council made no such proposal. Even in that respect the "refutation" of that idea by the Prehowever, that the Premier stated the Council proposed a tax on fish in lieu of that on profits. A deliberate un-truth. The Council made no such Ludge Morris who presided held that. Even in that respect the of that idea by the Pre- according to the evidence, an alibi branch of the big plant, thus acquirmier, that the tax would be paid by the fishermen, is, needless to say, found in no text book. The real ob-the cross-examination of witnesses by the cross-examination of witnesses by jection to such a tax, much more con-clusive than this imaginary one, will the Supt. of Police some climaxes, in-

WEATHER REPORT. - The wcather across country is calm and dull; temperature 60 to 64 above. Stafford's Liniment cures

Here and There.

Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains.

BANKER HOME. - The banking schr. Arjenia reached St. Jacques yesterday for the Grand Banks, hailing for 600 quintals of codfish.

ming mail and freight left Port aux Basques this morning.

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antern slides will be shown illustrating this most interesting subject. The exhibit will be open to-morrow Wednesday, at the usual hours.

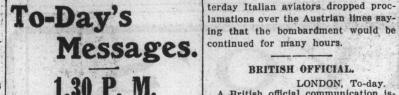
Paints, Stains, Oil, Varnishes. Floor Polish, Wax, Mops, Paint Brushes, etc., to be had at BOW-RING BROS., Ltd., Hardware

**RECOVERED FROM ILLNESS.**-Private John Brophy, writing from Barry to his mother, says that he There was much oratory in the latter retaliated in fine shape and diphtheria but is now recovered. He house yesterday. It consisted of the manly style. The one blow he gave is looking forward to joining the Re-

> CHAMPIONSHIP BASE-BALL.—To-night, at 6.45, Red Lions vs. B. I. S. Admission 5 cents.—1i

NESS .- Mr. L. G. Frew, son of Mr.

Cure for all kinds of Coughs.



A British official communication is-sued this evening, follows: The encmy this morning endeavored to launch another counter attack against our

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new positions north of Epehy. His troops were observed as they were moving into position to assault and Figure dispersed by our artillery be- Re Meuse enemy defences on a front of fore the attack developed. Patrol eneighteen kilometers and to a depth counters, in which we made some progress, took place throughout the

Fishing Rods, Trout Lines, Baskets, Wading Stockings, Fly and Bait Hooks, to be had at ware Dept.—may25,eod,tf two summits, Lemort Homme, Cer-beaux Wood and Cumieres. On the

TRAIN MOVEMENTS. - Sunday's idge Camp, Campleuville, Hill 344, ed unsuccessfully to hinder the work outgoing express arrived at Port aux Basques at 9.30 p.m. yesterday. The Louvement On the right our troops of our bombing, photographic and Our Louvemont. On the right our troops bombing operations were continued. have advanced considerably in the An enemy train was wrecked and Bois des Fessee and Bois de Haumer, much damage was caused to hostile

In order to accommodate par- The number of unwounded prisoners airdromes, dumps and stations. The Ro ents who may not be able to at-tend during the day time, The Child Welfare Exhibit at the Child Welfare Exhibit at the tacks in Avocourt Wood, and against In the air fighting two German a:r-Grenfell Hall will be open this Le Mort Homme and Hill 344, but our planes were downed; four others were evening from 8 to 9.30 p.m. W. fire everywhere broke down their efdriven down out of control and one th other was shot down inside our lines. forts and inflicted heavy losses. Our

THE CHILD WELFARE EXHIBIT. aviators took a brilliant part in the Floating Bomb-Laden Net to Foil

> Drifting, explosive snare nets, streatched across the entrances to the Ha North Sea or forming protected lanes other enemy machines were brought

across the Atlantic, have been proposed as a means of defeating the German submarines, says the Sep- cu tember Popular Mechanics in an il- pla lustrated article. This comprehen-

Submarines.

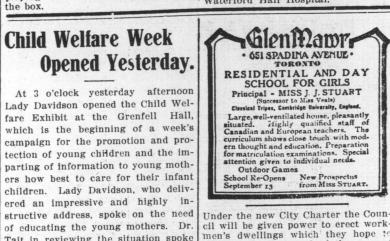
sociated Press .- British tanks scored sive scheme has been worked out in considerable detail and calls for careanother triumph in the capture of imful consideration because all of the was in hospital for eight weeks with diphtheria but is now recovered. He morning in the neighbourhood of would be made can be had at once from start to finish, and the infantry from start to finish, and the infantry in this case played the part of super-tached which would explode on being numeraries in support of the leading struck by a submarine. These bombs Lady Davidson opened the Child Wel-actors, while large numbers of the would be similar to hand grenades fare Exhibit at the Grenfell Hall, but more powerful. The nets would hang to a depth of about 200 feet, or campaign for the promotion and proenemy troops added a final melodramatic touch by surrendering abjectly, below the depth to which a submarine or fleeing in terror as the heavy hero- can go. Oil barrels would serve as tection of young children and the imbuoys. It is apparent that it would parting of information to young mothes lumbered onto the stage and reachbe a sorry day for the U-boat that ed for their shooting irons as recordtried to cut its way through one of

TO LEARN THE PAPER BUSI. ed in the official communication. The these nets with any of the cutting de-British captured the German defence vices which the Germans are report-William Frew, dry goods merchant, along a mile front to a depth of five ed to have devised and placed on the structive address, spoke on the need exterior of their submarines. hundred yards. Among the strong-

Captain and Crew Presented With \$2,500 for their Deed.

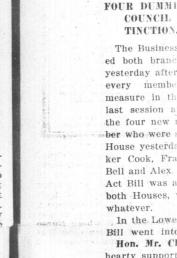
merchantman has sunk a submarine, but, because of the fate of Capt. Chas. Fryatt, of the British steamer Brusanks than to the infantry in the past

Our Baseball Column.	
PLAGIARISED AND OTHERWISE.	
HAMPIONSHIP GAME TO-NIGHT.   Here's how they will line up in the g Baseball game at St. George's eld to-night:   ed Lions: BLS.   Pitcher Pitcher   owans Catcher   iltz Brazie   iltz Brazie   power Brazie   owwer Brazie   ower Brazie   ooney Brien   aick Williams   ss. Williams   ullings Ss.   ullings C. Grace   cf. P. Grace   if. Ranning   PLAYERS' ATTENTION.   Players will please be notified that   e game to-night starts at quarter   seven sharp. Umpire in Chief   nesman has found this necessary   ving to the shortness of the even-   gs now. OFFICIALS.   The two official umpires will be on eck to-night Fred V. will look   en over. Messrs. Outerbridge and   atnett will score.   YOU SAID IT, BO!   Hiltz has a record of more conse-   tive no-hit games than any other   ayer. But the Lions lose out by	make it cough up a hit. It is easier to bat a no-hit game than it is to pitch one. Some ballplayers are about as



of educating the young mothers. Dr. Tait in reviewing the situation spoke from practical experience and showed year. The milk supply should be dealt Sinks Sub. that the high rate of infantile mor-tality could be attributed to the lack He urged all young mothers to pay that the high rate of infantile mora visit to Grenfell Hall where Nurse Hudson will give all information th of knowledge.

At 8.30 o'clock last night a public may be sought regarding the care ad meeting was held in the Methodist attention to be given infants. Dr. Fraser spoke of the value rf London, Aug. 9.-Another unarmed College Hall, His Excellency the Govmaternity homes where, he said, de were a number of city clergymen of tors would be given an opportunty



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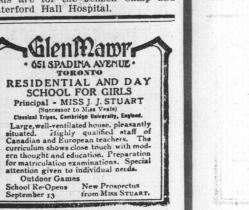
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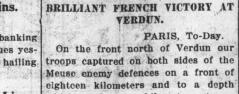
nce at the end of the present

At the Grenfell Hall this evening low range against the enemy concentrations and contributing to the repulse of counter attacks. Our pilots brought down eleven German airplanes on the battle front, while two

down by our special guns. A DAY FOR THE TANKS.

Dept.—may25,eod,tf BRITISH FRONT IN FRANCE AND BELGIUM, Aug. 20th, by the As-

Stafford's Phoratone Cough over the top." The British Artillery rendering no less chivalry to the



be found in any of them: it is simply theresting to the large audience in that the cost of the fish to the for- court, were worked up when such eigner would be increased and his questions and answers as these were consumption naturally diminished by heard: "How many times have you an amount in proportion to the tax, to the consequent loss of this coun- been in jail?" "What odds is it to 25c. Postage 5c. extra. try. But we have ceased to expect you?" "How long is it since you

The Star vs. City.

any member of Government to were released from the Penitentiary? know anything about economic mat-"Mind your own business."

McManus was also charged with It is a pity the debate, if anything e-sided can be so called, assaulting another American seaman. was not held in a court of law. If it This case was postponed.

had been, these florid orators would have been kept sharp1- to the point. There is only one to consider in the whole matter of the Profits Tax and the dispute between the two Houses.

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The objecting Councillors asked that FOOTBALL MATCH.

FOOTBALL MATCH. FOOTBALL MATCH. FOOTBALL MATCH. recedent to say on this point? Sir on Thursday next:-W. Woodley precedent to say on this point? Sir Edward Morris says, "It (a similar Act) had been the law of Canada (with slight variation) for nearly three years." We are glad his con-

science conceded the little parenthe- and R. Dowden, forwards. sis: it is the "slight variation" that the Councillors asked, and nothing T. M. McNeil will act as Linesman more. The English Act provides for for the City.

The City players will wear white this allowance of interest on capital; the French Act provides for it; the shirts as their distinguishing colour. The game will start at 7 p.m. Italian Act provides for it; the Ameri-can Act provides for it; the Canadian

Our Buckboards will run to Act provides for it: the Newfoundand Act does NOT provide for it. Bowring Park to-morrow after-Further, it was deliberately taken out of the Newfoundland Act, for a delib- noon from Cross Roads, commencing at 2 o'clock. C. LESerate purpose. We leave our readers to decide, on the ground of precedent, on which side justice lies. The Coun-

cil asked for a provision com COUNTRY DANCE TO-NIGHT. every one of these foreign Acts. It was the only single question in dis- Quite a number of people from the what do city will attend the dance at the Kil-But then, after all, they know of finance in England and bride Club Room to-night in aid of ing effects, and it is economical in night the air was full of German and America and these other little coun-tries comparable to the sagacity of our own expert financiers? As for the Parliament Bill, there is is assured.



Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and various Lung Trouble. Price into the German lines then dropped LIEUT. J. MCGRATH SEVERELY

late of the Nfid. Regiment and now of shrouded this battlefield and "Cock- of the Dublin Fusiliers, has been se- pit of Europe." Behind them came in- for their deed. verely wounded in action. We un- fantry ready for the cleaning up of the derstand that he went into the front remaining enemy after the tanks had We wish the finished their hunt but there was line only recently. young officer a speedy recovery from little for infantry to do except assemhis wounds.

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## McMurdo's Store News

TUESDAY, Aug. 21, 1917.

where there is liver trouble or con- dled back home. They suffered no stipation. Gault's Digestive Syrup is damage and the casualties for the opdigestive facient for almost all eration totalled fifteen. This has been kinds of food, and can be relied upon the most striking incident of the latas a laxative without any ill after est fighting along this front. There

From Cape Race. CAPE RACE, To-day.

Wind South, fresh, weather clear everal schooners in sight fishing; nothing passed in this a.m. Bar. 29.60; ther. 68.

**Reid's Boats.** 

The Argyle left Placentia at 7 p.m. vesterday on the western route. The Clyde left Moreton's Harbor at 1.10 p.m. yesterday. at 12.20 p.m. yesterday. The Home left Fortune Marbor at 0.20 p.m. yesterday. The Wren left Britannia Cove at 11; through to Trieste. A colossal num-.m. yesterday.

by the Germans for attempting to ram submarine, the names of the capa barrage ahead of the iron monitors which started forward looking for all the world like dragons which had rollgents cannot be published. WOUNDED.—We regret to state that Hon. P. T. McGrath has received news

MARRIED. On August 18th, at her father's residence, by Rev. Thomas, Daisy N., daughter of Edward and the late ble and care for the prisoners as the

Elizabeth Ann Skinner, to Geo. Ralph tanks progressed. There was hard fighting at several positions, such as Dwyer. the redoubts mentioned, but it was

always brief. The tanks wheeled in-DIED. to position, turned a heavy fire on the Passed peacefully away on the 19th ortifications and the Germans were inst., at 22 South Side, Edith Cavell, darling child of Maud and Andrew His Grace the Archbishop expressing ither killed or surrendered. The German casualties were heavy. Great Snow, aged 10 months.

numbers of Germans were seen fleeing This morning, after a long and painterror stricken as the tanks appeared ful illness, Margaret Jane, aged 53 would be the means of awakening inin the distance and a considerable years, beloved wife of James Learning, terest in this vitally important ques leaving a husband, four sisters, three tion of public health. The Mayor number threw down their arms and brothers, one daughter, six sons (two with the 1st Nfid. Regiment) and a Gault's Digestive Syrup has cured surrendered without offering any reany an obstinate case of indigestion, sistance. The tanks cleared the and it is specially valuable in cases whole territory desired and then trunlarge circle of friends to mourn their graceful and a slur on our good name sad loss; funeral takes place on It is remarkable that when the child Thursday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late not commence to fall off till about residence, 22 Gill Place, Pilot's Hill; three months of age. In view of the friends will please accept this, the wonderful decrease in human life, reonly, intimation.

effects, as it tends not merely to re- have been intense artillery bombard-At 4 o'clock on the 20th inst., Elsie May, eldest daughter of T. J. and Carrie Vavasour, after a tedious ill-ed that 369 houses unfit for habitalieve but to cure constipation. Small ments and the air service on both doses produce the best and most last- sides have been unusually active. Last ness; funeral on Wednesday, at 2,30 British planes which bombed their. p.m., from her late residence, 37 Plyway into each others territory amidst mouth Road.

pictuseesque but awesome flashes: There passed away peacefully at the from breaking shrapnel and long General Hospital, yesterday morning, white rays from searchlights. French | Winnie MacDonald, of Salmonier, be loved wife of James Grace, aged 40 engineers have encountered consideryears; she leaves to mourn a husband. able difficulty amid the marshes into 1 child, 5 sisters and two brothers which the French have advanced on (one serving in the Nfld. Regiment) and a large number of friends. Halitheir left, but the work is proceeding with marvellous rapidity. fax and Boston papers please copy .-

R. I. P.

Applicants must

ITALIANS MAKING TREMENDOUS EFFORT.

**POSITIONS OPEN** for a Smart Boy for Cash Desk, and an-other Smart Boy to learn the Dry LONDON, To-Day. A despatch to the Exchange Tele-Goods Business. have good education. HENRY BLAIR. graph Company from Copenhagen aug21,eod,tf says that, according to reports receiv-

The Dundee not reported since leav- ed from Austria, the battle now rag-DRESSMAKING in all the ng Port Blandford yesterday morning. ing on the Isonzo front of the Austrolatest styles. Ladies' Full Gored Cos-tumes and Dresses from \$1.00; Ladies' The Ethie is north of Flowers Cove. Italian theatre is characterized as the The Glencoe left Port aux Basques most violent ever fought. Those ad-Wrappers from 50c.; Children's Cosvices add that it is believed by the tumes. Dresses and Coats from 25c. Austrians and Germans that the Ital-ians are making an attempt to break sewing from 10c.; Boys' and Girls Coats from 50c, MRS. O'BRIEN, 16

Cabot St. jly29.s.tf ber of new guns have been brought The Thetis arrived at Turnavick into the fight, for which the Italians GINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GAR have been preparing for weeks. Yes-GET IN COWS.

poured a preliminary stream of shells sels, who was executed in July, 1916, of ladies interested in the movement, for infants Miss Hudson gave a brief revew members of both branches of the

of the work carried on by visting Legislature and the City Councillors. nurses with success in the slum; of tain and crew of the steamer and His Excellency expressed his deep in-The nurses because of particulars concerning their achieve- terest in the welfare of the children New York. and thought that too much attention their training achieve better results The captain and crew of the vessel, was paid to the departing period of than anyone else, but the main objet however, have been presented with \$2,500 by Sir Wm. J. Tatem, chairman somewhat neglected. Our duty is to cure. She is very hopeful of god the Tatem Steam Navigation Co., rear the next generation to a higher results and hoped all steps possible towards the instruction of mothes plane than ourselves, to educate our

would be taken. young women as mothers and to guard Rev. Canon White thought that them and their offspring. He believed that maternity and nursing homes many difficulties in the way, praticularly indifference and ignorance, on should be established where a young the part of mothers would be overmother could be instructed as to the come by proper education. He deeply proper care of her children, The conregretted the abnormally high death ditions under which the larger portion

of our industrial classes were compelled to live were disgraceful. In The Premier spoke on improving sanitary and everyday conditions of the event of the establishing of such living and stated that many deaths E. Ora home he thought the C. phanage could be converted into most are blamed on the Almighty that the Board of Health should be respon suitable establishment. sible for. He then moved a vote of thanks to His Excellency the Gover-Mayor Gosling read a letter from nor and Lady Davidson, which was seconded by Mr. A. McDougall and regret at his inability to attend and also his complete sympathy with the

carried by acclamation movement. He hoped the meeting The Child Welfare Exhibit will be open every day at the Grenfell Hall from 10 o'clock to noon and from 3 to 6 p.m. daily.

"ZIP"-the new drink-advertised elsewhere in this issue, may be obtained from P. E **OUTERBRIDGE**, Sole Agent for Nfld., Commercial Chambers. Telephone 60. Delivery in about sulting from the war, this is the protwo weeks.-au11,15,18,22,25,29

per time for us to become active in preserving our infant life. ORDINATION SERVICE. At the R. C. Cathedral on Friday next, 24th inst., at 8.30 a.m. Rev. R. A. St. tion were occupied by poor people in John will be ordained to the this city, and 2,000 without sanitary appliances. Many of our people live hood by His Grace Most Rev. Dr mainly in cellar tenements, away Roche. Rey. Mr. St. John is a gradufrom fresh air and sunshine, where ate of St. Augustine's Seminary, Torbabies cannot be expected to thrive. onto.

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