

Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifles with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cleanses the System, gives healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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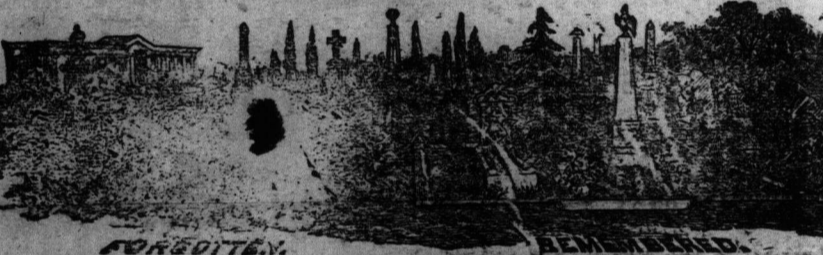
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When you lay Amatite on the roof you're through with it. You don't have to paint it every year to keep it from leaking. It has a real mineral surface which does not need painting. Most of the old-fashioned, 'smooth surfaced' or Rubber Roofing, which requires painting, costs more than Amatite and you have all the extra cost of paint. It looks *any* now to give your roof an occasional coating in the future. But do you realize that in 1913 you must paint it, and in 1915 you must paint it, and in 1917 you must paint it, and in 1919—that far-away year—you must still be painting that confounded old Rubber Roof. Why, a new Amatite Roof will cost less than the paint alone. Send us for free samples and booklet explaining all about it. Ask your dealer for Amatite Roofing.

Colin Campbell, Agent.

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Letters from Governor and Premier

The following letters were received some time ago by Mr. John Butler, of Shearwater, conveying to him words of sympathy on the death of his son, David Butler, a Naval Reservist, who died at Portsmouth, England:

From Governor Davidson.
Government House,
St. John's, Nfld.,
9 January, 1915.

My dear Mr. Butler,—I have just learnt, with the deepest regret, that your son David has passed away in hospital at Portsmouth. I am so sorry for all of you at home, but I am also proud that as brave Newfoundlanders should have laid down his life for his King and Country.

I hope and pray that we may, leave very few on active service. But the affliction, which the outrageous attempt to enslave us has brought upon you is shared by all of us who have lost and are losing our people in the sacred cause of our liberty. Yours sincerely,

W. E. DAVIDSON.
Mr. John Butler,
Shearwater,
Bay Roberts.

From Premier Morris.
Prime Minister's Office,
St. John's, Newfoundland,
9 January, 1915.

Dear Sir,—I have read in the papers of the death of your son in the hospital at Portsmouth, and I hasten to tender you my sincere sympathy, both to yourself and your wife and family.

Whilst nothing that I can say can in any way assuage the grief for such a loss, yet you must be consoled by the reflection and knowledge that he has died in the defence of his country. Trusting that you may be strengthened by your great sorrow. Believe me, yours faithfully,

R. P. MORRIS.
Mr. John Butler,
Shearwater.

Special Offer

To business men and others. Why not have your name and address printed on your envelopes? During February we will give you 500 your name and address printed on them for \$1.50. Order now. Guardian Office, Bay Roberts.

Song of the Volunteers

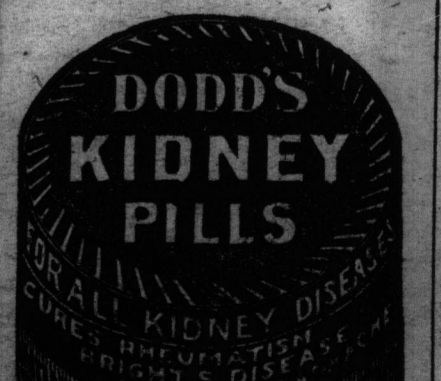
2nd Newfoundland Contingent.

Composed by James Murphy.
Air: "I'm a man you don't meet every day."

Seen the big ship sails far across the blue sea,
Oh! some hundreds of miles we must go,
From the land of our birth, are we lessener? not we!
For the stout hearts that must fight the foe,
But our thoughts just the same linger with our own life
And we pray that some day we'll return
Oh, till then may kind Heaven on Newfoundland smile
While our hearts with a love for her burn.

CHORUS.

Sing volunteers for the land of your birth
Let your voices the welkin make ring,
Terra Nova is proud of her sons and their worth
For to fight for their Country and King.
Farewell, oh farewell, to the friends
While down o'er their cheeks steals a tear;
We bid them for us not to sigh nor to grieve
But we ask them to be of good cheer.
Let them pray for the sons of the Isle
Their adieu, Our hearts beat with them in true love
And if we don't meet them again on the shore,
May we greet them in Heaven above.

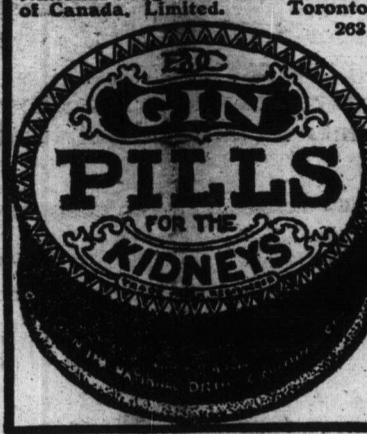


PERHAPS IT'S THE KIDNEYS

that are making you feel so badly. If so, you can easily tell. If your head feels dull and aching—if your back hurts nearly all the time—if your appetite is poor and your tongue is coated—if the urine burns, is highly colored and offensive in odor—if you notice a brick dust deposit on urines in the urine after standing over night—then you certainly have something the matter with your kidneys. Get

GIN PILLS

For the KIDNEYS
"For a long time, I had been suffering from the kidneys and I tried in my back and limbs. I have tried several remedies without success. After using GIN PILLS I feel much better of my pains and now I am perfectly cured, and this is due to GIN PILLS."
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Amateur Billiards

The final round of the Amateur Championship (2,000 up) began at Orme's Saloon, London, recently. A. W. Good meeting G. Heginbottom. Good played well at the first session, and led at the interval by 500 to 356. Breaks: Good, 99 (all off red), 58, and 44; Heginbottom, 56, 41 and 54. Closing scores.—Good, 1,006; Heginbottom 912.

There was some remarkable play in the tournament match between Reese and Gray, the former winning by 4,000 to 3,718, after leading at the interval by 2,897 to 2,724. Breaks.—Reese, 222, 129, 119, and 116 (unfinished); Gray, 222, 119, and 116 (unfinished).

"Grabbin' 'o' Distances"

Booth Lowry, southern lecturer, tells the following story from his personal observation:

"A very solemn colored minister was on the witness stand in a case dealing with an altercation and shooting fray between two citizens of the town. 'Did you see this trouble?' inquired the judge, sternly. 'Yessah, judge. I was dar when de tragedy commos.' 'Will you tell the court just what happened?' 'Well, judge, yo' honah, I can't jes' 'sactly say what all happens. Yo' see, I was only dar when the tragedy commos. When I sees dat dese two gemmans 'sin' pleased wif one nuther, I begins a-banishin' away. En when I sees dey drawin' dey pistols, I starts advancin' backwards. En when day sho:ts, I jumps evah de nearest fence and commos a-grabbin' 'o' distances!"

Protection By Trawlers

The nickname of 'Mosquito Fleet,' applied to the navy's torpedo flotilla, should properly be given to the steam fishing trawlers, of which the Government is gathering together a swarm for the threefold purpose of mine sweeping; protecting battleships from submarines and operating in the shallows of the Belgium coast against the Germans. Over 500 of these boats were requisitioned the past week and thousands are already out. They are found so useful that the Government evidently thinks it cannot have too many.

Free After Long Spell in Jail

Kirgton, Feb. 4.—After serving sixteen years on a life term, Joe Solomon, about forty-two years of age, sentenced at Winnipeg for the killing of his wife, walked out of the big gate of the Portsmouth Penitentiary on Thursday morning a free man. Solomon is in very poor health, suffering from an incurable disease, and it is due to his illness and the pressure brought to bear in his case through his sister, who lives at Winnipeg, that he was able to gain his liberty.

At the Railway Station

Soloman noticed an automobile, and said that this was the first one he had ever seen and asked how they were made and operated.

Blank Check for Army Purposes

London, Feb. 9.—For the first time in two hundred years Britain to-day invited the House of Commons to give it a blank check for army purposes. This virtually is the effect of a new precedent set up by the introduction of army estimates without details and without aggregates of expenditures and when Parliament has voted the nominal sum of 1,000 millions sterling under each of 15 groups of expenditures it will have voted supplies without limit for an army of 3 million men to be accounted for when the war is over.

Half a Million Prisoners

Petrograd, Feb. 8.—More than a half million German and Austrian prisoners are now in the hands of the Russians, according to a statement issued by headquarters, which contradicts the recent German statements as to their losses. The statement declares that the Russians now hold 1,476 German officers and 173,824 men prisoners, and 3,621 Austrian officers and 410,257 men. It is stated that more than 50,000 Austrians have been captured in the fighting last week.

All women have been commanded to leave Constantinople, and the authorities are seizing all supplies of clothing and bread. The recent bombardment by the French and British fleets at the mouth of the Dardanelles smashed the four chief forts guarding the entrance to the channel.

A panic reigns in the Turkish cities. The members of the Cabinet have transferred their headquarters to Asia Minor.

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Australia 10,000 Men

Melbourne, Australia, Feb. 5.—A further expeditionary force of 10,000 men has been offered by Australia, and accepted by the British Government. This is in addition to reinforcements of 4,000 men monthly.

British Casualties

London, February 8.—Premier Asquith, speaking in the House of Commons to-day, said that the British casualties in all ranks in the western arena of the war, from the beginning of hostilities to February 4, amounted to approximately 104,000 men. This included killed, wounded and missing.

THE CHARM OF MOTHERHOOD

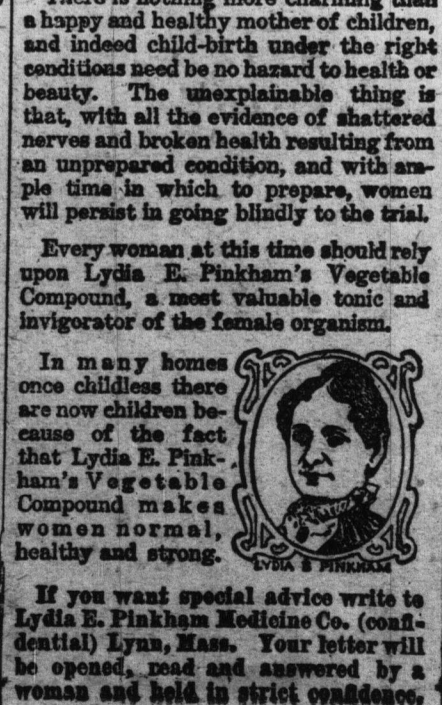
Enhanced By Perfect Physical Health.
The experience of Motherhood is a trying one to most women and marks distinctly an epoch in their lives. Not one woman in a hundred is prepared or understands how to properly care for herself. Of course nearly every woman nowadays has medical treatment at such times, but many approach the experience with an organism unfitted for the trial of strength, and when it is over her system has received a shock from which it is hard to recover. Following right upon this comes the nervous strain of caring for the child, and a distinct change in the mother results.

There is nothing more charming than a happy and healthy mother of children, and indeed child-birth under the right conditions need be no hazard to health or beauty. The unexplainable thing is that, with all the evidence of shattered nerves and broken health resulting from an unprepared condition, and with ample time in which to prepare, women will persist in going blindly to the trial.

Every woman at this time should rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism.

In many homes once childless there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



Proclamation

By His Excellency Sir WALTER EDWARD DAVIDSON, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Newfoundland and its Dependencies.

Whereas it is provided by Chapter 23 of 2 Edward VII., entitled 'An Act to amend the Post Office Act, 1891,' that upon the recommendation of the Board appointed under the provisions of the said Act, the Governor in Council shall, by Proclamation, give notice of any alteration of name, naming or renaming of places within this Colony, provided that Public Notice of such proposed alteration of name naming, or renaming of places shall have been given for three months previous;

And whereas by Public Notice of date the 16th day of June, 1914, certain alterations of name and renaming of places within this Colony, as contained in the said Public Notice of the 16th day of June, 1914, shall come into effect from the date of these Presents, that is to say:—

1. Sibley's Cove, Placentia Bay, to be renamed "Proveton";
2. Chance Harbor, near Moreton's Harbor, Notre Dame Bay, to be renamed "Bridgeport";
3. Chances Harbor, Friday's Bay, Notre Dame Bay, to be re-named "Chanceport";
4. Farmer's Arm, Dildo Run, Notre Dame Bay, to be renamed "Summerford";
5. The Western section of Mortier Bay, extending from West's Point to Glandon, (including Butler's Cove) to be renamed "Creston";
6. Piper's Hole, Placentia Bay, to be renamed "Swift Current".

Given under my Hand and Seal, at the Government House, St. John's, this 22nd day of September, A.D. 1914.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN R. BENNETT,
Colonial Secretary.

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I have now on hand a stock of
Envelopes
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General Post Office

Rates of Commission on Money Orders.
The rates of commission on Money Orders issued by any Money Order Office in Newfoundland to the United States of America, the Dominion of Canada and any part of Newfoundland, are as follows:

For sums not exceeding \$10	5 cts
Over \$10 but not exceeding \$20	10 cts
Over \$20 but not exceeding \$30	15 cts
Over \$30 but not exceeding \$40	20 cts
Over \$40 but not exceeding \$50	25 cts
Over \$50 but not exceeding \$60	30 cts
Over \$60 but not exceeding \$70	35 cts
Over \$70 but not exceeding \$80	40 cts
Over \$80 but not exceeding \$90	45 cts
Over \$90 but not exceeding \$100	50 cts

Maximum amount of a single Order of any of the above amounts and at office in Newfoundland, \$100, but as many may be obtained as the remitter requires.
H. J. B. WOODS,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
St. John's, Nfld., June, 1913.

John Maunder

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Importer of English and Scotch Tweeds
Self Measurement Form sent on Application.
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Dressed Lumber and Palings
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NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPH SERVICE.

POSTAL TELEGRAPH OFFICES are operated throughout the Colony at all the principal places. Messages of ten words, not including address or signature, are forwarded for twenty cents, and two cents for each additional word. A Government cable to Canso, Cape Breton, connects with the Commercial Cable Co.'s system to all parts of the world. There is no more efficient Telegraphic Service in existence.

A ten word message to Canada, exclusive of signature and address, costs from 85 cents to \$1.00.

A ten word message to the United States, exclusive of signature and address, costs from \$1.10 to \$1.20.

To Great Britain, France or Germany—25 cents per word.

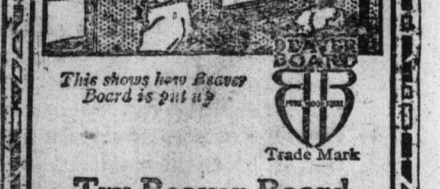
Telegrams are transmitted by means of the Wireless Service during the summer season, and all the year round to Steamers equipped with the wireless apparatus, which are due to pass within the radius of the wireless stations at Cape Race and Cape Ray.

Telegraph messages may be obtained at all Post Offices and from Mail Caches on Trains and Steamers, and if the sender wishes the messages may be left with the P. M. to be forwarded by first mail to the nearest Telegraph Office free of postage.

H. J. B. WOODS,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
St. John's, Nfld., Nov., 1913.

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St. John's