BRUCE'S

Summer Flowering Bulbs

GLADIOLUS

Bruce's Choice Mixed. A good mixture. 10 for 50c., 25 for 90c., 100 for \$3.00, postpaid. Bruce's Superb Mixed. A grand mixture of all sorts. 10 for 80c., 25 for \$1.80, 100 for \$6.50, postpaid. Separate Colors. Whites, Yellows, Finks, Scarlets. 10 for 75c., 25 for \$1.80, 100 for \$5.50, postpaid.

Named Varieties. Bach separate and distinct. 12 for \$1.12, postpaid.

Named, Show, Decorative, Cactus, Collarette, and Single Varieties. 30c. each, \$2.70 dozen, postpaid.
Mixed Varieties, 30c. each, \$2.00 dozen, postpaid. Also Callas and other Lilies, Tuberoses, etc. FREE Our 112-page Catalogue of Seeds, Plants Bulbs, Garden Implements and Poultry Supplies. Send a card for it to-day.

JOHN A. BRUCE & CO., LIMITED

FROM MY SCRAP-BOOK.

BY THE CUB-EDITOR.

NO CUB-EDITORIAL.

We greatly regret our inability to present our usual weekly cub-Editorial in this isue of the Scrap-Book. The thousands of earnest readers of our column will no doubt be terribly disappointed over this, but we cannot the king, the beggar, are the same: help it. Duty must be performed, Dust formed us all. Each breathes disappointed over this, but we cannot and until we have concluded our task of setting the Versailles muddle and the Irish question we fear that we will not be able to give any more C.E.'s. three urgently worded cables have ed 127 columns, 60 feet in length, reached us from Lloyd George, Woodrow Wilson and Foch. Upon our return we will perhaps give an illuminold world .- C.-E.

are the consequences of war.

Socrates, the wisest of the ancients, wrote nothing. He said it all.

Every ship is a romantic object save the one we sail in.

much more than we do.

CABBY'S SENTIMENTS?

An intoxicant man hailed a cab. After he had climbed in, the cabby leaned over and asked: "What street thunder is perpetually heard. do you want?"

"What streets have you?" he inquir-

"Lots of 'em," smiled the cabby,

arm grandly. After they had been driving for several hours the man in the cab ordered a stop. "How much do I owe you?"

"Seven dollars and fifty cents." "Well, you better drive back ill you get to thirty-fi' shents, 'cause thasall I got."

banquets of human flesh.

excited it is of metallic brilliance.

"BOBS" SCHOOL DAYS.

When the late Lord Roberts was per: at Eton life there was very much harder than it is at present. Fags character, sir." bring coals in their gowns from a trial, as you seem so anxious to our friend's back. Windsor; and frequently the new boy come."

'Just as I thought," said the doc. church on "The Call to Go Forward."

The Call to Go Forward."

The Call to Go Forward."

The Children are reminded that there will be an announcement concerning with salve a serious murmur in the will be an announcement concerning. their seniors; and it was no common as to what he wanted, replied:

the room in this painful fashion.

Ninety-nine per cent. law means one per cent. justice.

EQUALITY OF MAN. Consider, man; weigh well thy frame

It took 200 years to build the Tem ple of Diana at Ephesus. It was 425 Even as we write this short apology, feet long and 225 broad, and contain-

Then sinks into his native clay.

which supported the roof.

In a course of experiments, conducted by Ross in the South Polar ating account of our sojourn in the Seas it was found that a sounding- perhaps we had better tell the actual lead lowered to the depth of 600 feet, Anarchy and confusion; poverty not be handled. This was probably and distress; desolation and ruin, owing to a submarine volcano or hot

HE WAS CURIOUS.

Caller: "I noticed your advertisement in the paper this morning for smiled wistfully at us with one of night's Bible study will be, a man to retail imported canaries." Proprietor of bird shop: "Yes; have pressions on his face. The term "et cetera" is very often you had any experience in that line?" used to have it thought that we know Caller: "Oh, no; I merely felt curious stand out here." to know how the canaries lost their

In one of the bays of Lake Huron

THUNDER BAY.

Is death more cruel from a private dagger Than in the field, from murdering about it.

swords of thousands? "Gimme 'em all," he said, waving his Or does the number slain make Slaughter glorious! -Cibber.

> Motto of the circus manager: Give every man a show."

Truth is mighty-mighty inconvenient to the horse trader.

The Duke of Cornwall and York pos- sters new claws, and lizards new friend was no whit abashed. Peeling Mr. W. H. Peters will preside, and the speakers will be Mr. Arthur Mews, C. Starfish can grow new arms, lobses a curious relic, brought back by tails. A new lizard will not indeed off a two-dollar bill, he slammed it M. G., and Rev. Dr. Saint. A cordial him from Fiji when he was a middy, spring from a new tail, or a new on the desk and named the particular welcome to all. This is a fork which had been used by lobster from a discarded claw, but a brand he preferred. the old cannibals in some of their new starfish will grow from a detach-

In Siam there are small fresh-water STOLE THE RECOMMENDATION? boy, without even looking at the iters will receive a very cordial welfish so pugnacious that when two of A Captain who was engaging his money, "and unbutton your shirt." them are placed near each other they crew rejected an Irishman who apat once begin to fight. When the fish plied, because he had no testimonals but the doctor's manner impressed is quiet its colcurs are dull, but when to produce; but the disappointed man, him. So he bared his manly bosom, evening, at 6.30, a special sermon will standing aside, and observing that while the old chap dug out of a be given by the rastor on behalf of the Women's Missionary Society. The the next man was taken on without drawer an arrangement of rubber any question, remarked to the ship- tubes, two of which he stuck in his and a collection will be taken in the

Full Nett Weight of incomparable Quality and Value in every packet

"Delicious in the Cup"

WHOLESALE AGENTS ST. JOHN'S

is gone off with one of your buckets."

Men cannot be made good and genand reason.—Robert Blatchford.

when?—Historicus.

our histories and encyclopaedias 8 p.m. until our eyes ache, and have condiscovered this country. One gentleman thought it was a man named St. Mary the Virgin (Southside)—Columbia or Columbus or something Holy Communion, 8; Matins, 11; Holy

of the date. An old book in his posession stated that it was sometime about 34 B.C. We would not vouch for the last statement, as our informant was not quite certain whether it was 34 or 44 B.C. An old gentleman, who claims to be 113 years old, told us that his great-great-grandfather was once heard to remark that he had sometime before heard a rumor that a former great aunt of his den, B.A. had stated in a letter that an old friend of the family had seen in an settlers of Newfoundland that Tim Shaney had, some years before been known to hint that Newfoundland Question of Conscience." Seat hold-

Oh, Doctor! Doctor!

disagreeable surprises in store for 3 o'clock. Strangers welcome at all you. It occasionally happens-but experience of a chap we know, as he was so hot when raised that it could himself related it to us on a streetcar not long ago. We were standing on the end of the car when he got on. He clambered slowly and painfully aboard, and then stood cilng- 8 o'clock; Sunday at 11, 3 and ing to the rail for a moment while Monday night's service is for these ing to the rail for a moment while the car started. He saw us and Holy Ghost. Subject of Wednesday

"Come inside," he said.

him as a vigorous, ruddy chap with a invitation is extended to the men of healthy interest in high-balls and the city. cabarets and of all the more genial aspects of life. We asked him what aspects of life. We asked him what a.m., Men's Class meetings in rooms 1 and 4; Young Women's Class meet-"flu?" We hadn't heard anything ing. As to-morrow

for a quart of Scotch."

given him this doctor's name, it seems, Mr. Harry Courtenay. At the morn and when he went there he found a ing service at 11 Rev. Dr. Saint will solemn old boy with long whiskers preach. In the evening at 6.30 a Platsolemn old boy with long whiskers form Meeting will be held at which and the air of a deacon. But our Mr. W. H. Peters will preside, and the

Scotch," he stated.

Our friend was inclined to laugh, ears. Then he clapped the business interests of the society. All are wel-"You engaged that man without a end of it just over our friend's heart, come. and the lugubrious intensity with had to fetch water to their masters "True," said the captain, "but he's which he listened and grunted soon from the pump in Weston's Yard, and a Scotsman. However, I'll give you had cold chills running up and down make an attempt to attend the morn-

able ill-treatment. Just before Lord during a storm, the Scottish sailor, mitral valve. You must be very the Young Worshippers' League. Roberts went to the college a boy carrying a pail of water along the careful not to indulge in any suddon large attendance is expected at the was nearly killed through being toss- deck, was washed overboard; where- exertion. Never run upstairs or evening service when the Rev. D. B. was nearly killed through being toss- deck, was washed overboard; whereed in a blanket; small boys were upon the Irishman knocked at the after a car or I won't answer for the tion of Conscience." It is a vital subsometimes used as living footballs by captain's cabin-door and, questioned consequences. I'll give you an order ject, full of interest. It will be illusfor a bottle of brandy. You are to trated by vivid stories from literature thing, it is said, for a boy to be drag- "I just came to tell you, sir, that take a teaspoonful in milk at your and life, and those who come may exthing, it is said, for a boy to be drag- "I just came to tell you, sir, that take a teaspoonful in milk at your pect some plain speaking. The hymns ged out of bed suddenly by a cord the man you took without a character meals and before going to bed. But, will be such as all can join in. We remember, no exertion! Thank you, give you a hearty welcome. will be just two dollars."

We were impressed ourself, but we

tried to cheer him up. "Can't you see it?" we said. "The old joker was just indulging in a bit Come." All are welcome. of camouflage. He was throwing a good bluff in case there should be any question about the prescription."

A couple of hours later he is up at the office. "It's all right," he roared in the S. A. Citadel, Adelaide Street.- 7 a

up?" we asked.

"Beat him up nothing!" he roared. I'm going to get another prescription. And it will be Scotch this time."

Sunday Services.

tle by means of violence and wrong.
The real tamers and purifiers of 8.00 and 11; other Sundays, 8.00; human hearts are love and charity Matins (except 1st Sunday), 11; and reason—Robert Blatchford. Children's Service, 3.30; Evensons, ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Who discovered Newfoundland, and who discovered Newfoundiand, and then?—Historicus.

We have examined and perused (Vestry); C.M.B.C. (Synod Building.)

St. Thomas's.—Holy Communion, sulted with many of the most prominent men of the day. The result has been a complete failure. Nobody 2.45; Dunfield Boys' Bible Class, 2.45; with whom we have come in contact Girls' Bible Class, 2.45; Women's seems to know with certainty who Bible Class, 3; Evensong and Sermon, 6.30; Preacher, Rev. A. Clayton.

like that. However, he was uncertain Baptism, 3.30; Evensong, 6.30.

St. Michael's—Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins and Litany, 11; Evensong, 6.30. Gower St.-11, Rev. Dr. Saint; 6.30, Platform Missionary Meeting.

George St.—11 and 6.30, Rev. D. B.

Cochrane St.-11 and 6.30, Rev. Dr. Wesley-11 and 6.30, Rev. W. B. Bug-

Queen's Rd. Congregational Church Divine worship in the morning a ancient document which purported to 11; subject for sermon, "Go Forward." have been written by one of the old Children's address on "Thumbs Up." was discovered in 1842 or thereabouts. ers are requested to endeavour to be There is an air of uncertainty about in their seats by 6.25 p.m.

this information, however, and we St. Andrew's Presbyterian Churchwould not give it as absolute fact. Rev. Gordon Dickie, M.A., Minister. Anything else you would like to be Sunday services at 11 and 6.30. The nformed on we would be glad to ob- Minister will pleach at both services. In the morning the subject will be "Reckoning with Sinners," and in the evening, "Father and Son Partner-ship." Mrs. F. J. King will sing "Crossing the Bar" at the evening service, and there will be a male (Continued from 9th Page.)

Now and then there are even more day School and Bible Class meet at

> Adventist. -Subject: "Preparation gelist D. J. C. Barrett.

New Gower St.)-Service every night those perhaps-this-is-the-last-time ex- Signs of the Soon Coming of the

C.M.B.C.—The address to the Cathedral Men's Bible Class at 3 p.m., on We took his arm to help him in; and Sunday will be given by Mr. A. B. really he did look sick. He was pale Morine. Those who avail themselves really he did look sick. He was pare of the opportunity of attending this and trembled, and our heart was filled gathering are assured of an interest-with sympathy, for we remembered ing and instructive address. A hearty

GOWER ST .- Sunday services, 9.45 Sunday, all the services will be o "I didn't know I was sick myself," that nature. At the open session of the Sunday School at 2.30 p.m., the speakers will be Rev. D. B. Ashford, couple of days ago for a prescription of the Congregational Church, and Rev. Dr. Saint, of Heart's Content This sounded interesting, so we ex-President of the Newfoundland Conference. The soloists at this asked all about it. Someone had meeting will be Miss Flora Curtis and

GEORGE ST. - The Adult Bible "I don't want any of that cooking Class will be in session to-morrow "Take off your coat," said the old very interesting lesson. All members

> GEORGE STREET. - On Sunday be given by the Pastor on behalf of choir will render appropriate music

CONGREGATIONAL. - The Minister specially desires his people to ing service. He has a message to the

ASSOCIATED BIBLE STUDENTS. meet in Chapter Room, Victoria Hall, p.m. International Sunday School esson; 8, discourse, "Thy Kingdom

METHODIST COLLEGE HALL. -"Oh, I don't know about that," said gelistic service will be held in the Methodist College Hall. This service will be conducted under the direction out. I'm on my way now to be examined by the best heart-specialist in town."

of the Demarest Evangelistic Campaign Committee; it is open to all. Victory Song Books and Sankey Books will be used. Collection to decalled fay expenses.

'phone. "Says I have a heart like a buffalo. I'm going up to see that sactimonious old fakir again."

"What are you going to do, beat him."

"What are you going to do, beat him."

"Salvation Meeting. Services 3 p.m. and 7 p.m., will be conducted by Mrs. Lieut-Colonel Adby. All are invited

DIPHTEHERIA. - Two cases of diphtheria were reported yesterday,

MAJESTIC PRESENTATION.

Friday and Saturday.

Featuring IRENE DAVIS.

This is a clever picture of English and American character and scenery, with a speed that makes the picture all the more likeable. The scene is switched from the American backwoods to English country life, and from that back again. The acting in this picture is good in every sense of the word—and the play can best be summed in the words, "Acting, not action."

THE USUAL COMEDY.

MATINEE EVERY AFTERNOON. Adults, 10 cts. - - - Children, 5 cts.

Colin Campbell, Ltd. OFFERS---

Beans and Split Peas, Granulated Sugar, Canned Fruits, Cattle Feed, Toilet Soap, Wall Paper.

Phone No. 434. Our Prices Are Very Low.

YOU DO KNOW-!

That in Newfoundland Wherever the Name

TRASK

is spoken that it is immediately connected with Engines or Machinery.

We believe that for anything in the following lines of Machinery and Supplies we can quote the lowest and supply the quickest. Try us once.

We can supply any piece of Machinery you may require.

HEADING MACHINES STAVE MACHINES **PLANERS** BAND SAWS MANDRELS **PULLEYS** SHAFTING HOSE **PUMPS ELECTRIC LIGHT'G PLANTS**

OIL ENGINES

RUBBER BELTING HANGERS SAW MILL CARRIAGES SAWS SHINGLE MACHINES HOISTS HEAVING OUTFITS IN FACT ANY PIECE OF MA-CHINERY OR SUPPLIES USED IN CONNECTION WITH ENGINES OR SAW

MILL MACHINERY.

We also have a number of Re-Manufactured Engines. Let us know what Horse Power you want. We will mail you a list, also prices.

Merchants, give us your ORDERS for SUPPLIES for Spring. We will give you fair prices and good SERVICE.

WM. H. TRASK,

No. 140 WATER STREET.

ST. JOHN'S, NFLD.

Advertise in the "Evening Telegram."

I. W. A. and Housing Problem.

night's meeting of the N.I.W.A. very enthusiastic and many ers urged the need of the soluof the Housing problem. Hon. J. son was introduced by Presi-T. M. White. Mr. Anderson stathat the matter of raising \$200,000 tal was comparatively easy if coion was aimed at. The comfor the building of the houses plated, is known as the Do-Co-Operative Building Assoon Ltd. and will have a capital of 10,000 shares at \$100 each and shares at \$200 each. The obof the company is to, build 600 as quickly as possible for the king men of this city. The style ouse, best favored, is one containcombination kitchen and dininga sitting room, three bedrooms a bath room. The houses will be in terraces of five, and naturally be well ventilated, well sewered, The rental on the houses will be he rate of 6 a.c. of the cost, and per month rental is expected to the maximum (that will cover a which cost \$1,500 or \$1,600. tenants for the houses shall be ballot, but no man can become a nt unless first a shareholder. (The nount need for these houses has already stated in these pages.) ice it to say that the speaker reted what he has hitherto said on subject, pledging his assistance the solution was arrived at. ng his address he said that alwharfage and carriage had been nteed free, and the seventy olders already enrolled was a

omen of success. n. M. P. Gibbs was the next ker, and he asserted that intemince was largely due to unclean He declared that if democv is to live then it must have to we the people, and no improvecan come until the slums are shed and decent houses furnished every working man.

he next speaker, President James Grath, of the L.S.P.U. drove home he minds of all present the urgenimmediately tackling the housproblem. He portrayed some of conditions of the city, and pleaded early bettering of the same, saythe remedy lay with the working themselves.

r. McCarter, the architect, pledghis support to help in any way for betterment of the masses. r. John Diamond, who is here a brief visit from Canada, by rest, spoke, dwelling on some of pleasant towns in Canada, and rting that he was glad to see the est awakening in the people of John's. He impressed the audiby saying that the opportunity now present and that it behoved

disgraceful aspects of our city in housing respect. lessrs. F. Goff, G. Tucker, J .Ca-A. E. Earle, Foley, W. Smith, rrils and T. Noel also spoke, but are unable to give a fraction of at they said. In conclusion no man become a landlord under this any or raise the rent at his own ing but a tenant may buy his own

to seize it, and to do away with

e following resolution proposed . A. O'D. Kelly, and seconded by . Bennett, was carried unani-

reas, it is recognized that is an insufficiency of houses to the requirements of our people; Whereas, we also realize that certain sections the housing condiare a menace to the health and of the citizens, and a disgrace the city:

and Whereas, the greatest number red to suffer inconveniences forcupon them by such conditions are the working class, of which we are

Whereas, the Governments of nd, America and Canada are dy interesting themselves in a on of a similar problem in the est of their working people;

it Therefore Resolved, that this ag express its approval of and its whole-hearted endorsation to great housing scheme of the Doon Co-Operative Building Asso-

nd be it Further Resolved, that we ler it the duty of the Governand City Council to materially Co-Operative Building Association ir aims to better the housing conof the working people of this

ote of thanks to Messrs. Anderbbs, McGrath. McCarter, the ect, and Diamond was proposed Shipman, seconded by Mr. , warmly accorded and tenderthe Chairman, to whom a vote iks was also passed on motion n. John Anderson.

ooner Loses Seaman.

& Sons received a message ening stating that their schr. Theriault had arrived at Barin a battered condition. Seaady of this city was reported ing been lost. It is more than onths since this vessel left for the other side, whence she for Barbados.