### **Opening Announcement!**

## Western Drug Co.,

(FRANK SCOTT, Manager)

### 26 Water Street, West

(Next door to Royal Bank of Canada) is now open with a full line of Drugs, Chemicals, Toilet Articles and everything that is usually found in a first class Drug Store.

### Winter Draws On!

New shipment

# Stanfield Underwear

### Men and Boys. GET YOUR'S NOW.

In our opening advertisement for "Stanfield's Underwear" this season we advised our patrons to buy early as we were afraid we might be unable to make deliveries later. We have been awaiting this shipment some time. Stanfield's advise they still have seven to eight hundred orders unfilled, and cannot guarantee immediate deliveries for any new orders at the moment.

### Prices Are Low Now-HENCE THE RUSH.

You can see the biggest assortment of Stanfield's Underwear at this store to be seen in St. John's.

shrivel and dry before birds are cook-ed with jam, rolled up like a jelly-and sprinkled with powdered For a formal dinner, serve bread

#### Dust-Heap Discovery.

Until recently the dust discharged from blast factories was looked upon LOCAL VESSELS CHEAPEST IN as useless refuse, and was discarded

The Export of Fish.

that work, and the Prime Minister

With that request the Prime Minister

complied, and made the announce-

ment in his budget speech. But im-

mediately the exporters met, and a

ing all foreign steamers on a par

with our local tonnage and foreign

ailing vessels ten cents over. I

ments that were used against our lo-

cal tonnage. Notably it was said our

vessels were too large. One of our

representatives said in the House we wanted vessels that could carry from

twenty-five hundred to three thousand

quintals, and to show how inconsist ent that argument was, never in the

history of this country has our fish

been shipped in such large quantities

as it was this year; not only have

steamers been taking from twenty to thirty thousand quintals at a time,

but ten of our large sailing vessels on

the Labrador have sailed with an

average of fifty-nine hundred each. Another and very forcible argument

that was used was that the foreign

steamers would take it across for less

reight and less insurance. And a

ew days ago an ex-soldier and char-

erer of foreign steamers said that on

that account they could pay a larger

sum to the fishermen, who caught the

fish. Let us consider these last

words for a few minutes and see if

they are borne out by facts. Yester-

day I was told on good authority that

across the last month had gone over

on consignment, carried across by

foreigners, put in the cold storage of

foreigners, and now the price of Lab-

rador has dropped to thirty shillings

year under the fish regulations, ship-

essels, and the demurrage would

ome back to be spent in the coun-

try. But this year it is in the hands

f the owners of the cold storage

lants, and the longer it stays there

he less it will be worth to the ex-

porter. Therefore, to my mind, it can

asily be seen that what has been

saved on the cheap rate of freight and

nsurance will be lost on cold stor

I said in one of my letters that I

hoped an abler pen than mine would

take up this matter. At last the hour

as come, and the man to champion

he cause of local industry has ap-

peared in the person of Mr. P E. Out-

rbridge. In commenting on our local

Canadian Banks built here, Mr. Out-

rbridge says if they and similar out-

ide corporations established in St.

ohn's are not prepared to employ

Newfoundlanders as a small part o

eciprocity, tax them ten per cent

of the bill of every foreign tradesman

contractor they import. Again he

says as soon as times improve a lit-

tle, there will be further buildings ing on by outside firms established

kind, tax them to the hilt for every

Newfoundland labor of every

ractor, builder, carpente

e says, I am strong for the

is of thousands of dollars

on. But let us hope that we sha

we made this year.

Taxation and the obtain-

nal Revenue by taxing

very large portion of the fish sent

would also point out some of the argu-

solution was passed asking for the epeal of the twenty cents and put-

exporting of our fish by local tonnage,

and employing our own people for was asked to tax all exporters who would engage foreign bottoms twenty cents per qtl. over local vessels.

Before the war we relied upon persons abroad, who made potash and

#### Fashion Plates.



sign. It is cut in 3 Sizes: 16, 18 and per quintal. A month ago Labrador, 20 years. An 18 year size will rewas sold for four-fifty; now it can be quire 4% yards of 34 inch material. bought for four dollars. But that is The width of the skirt at the lower not the worst feature. Every day edge is 2 yards.

that fish remains in cold storage the Duvetyn, satin, taffeta, linen, voile, state is worse than the first. Last tive for this model. The skirt is joined to an underbody. The sleeve may be finished in wrist or elbow length. A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 15



s cut in 4 Sizes: Small, 34-36: Medium, 38-40; Large, 42-44; Extra Large, 46-48 inches bust measure. A Medium size will require 3 yards of 36 inch material.

Silk, crepe, lawn, batiste, dimity

are suitable for its development.

### Ku-Klux-Klan

Secrets of the

Ku-Klux-Klan! The words caus

robes and hoods of the most mysterious, most powerful, and most dreaded secret society in the world-the Ku-Klux-Klan.

#### A Beautiful "Queen.

Elizabeth Tyler is a married wo who has just come to the fore as the most mysterious and awe-inspiring figure in the sinister secret society which is now known as the "invi-Empire" of America.

Small and dainty, with a wealth o fair hair, keen blue eyes, and attractive features, Mrs. Tyler seems essentially feminine, and the first question one asks is: "Does this kindlyfaced woman really direct the hangings, shootings, and kidnappings which have been alleged against the whiterobed members of this mysterious Or-

Whatever the answer to that question, she made, a few days ago, a significant utterance: "I am the Ku-Klux-

Who is Elizabeth Tyler? Until comparatively recently she was unknown and lived in a small town in a quiet. unostentatious way. But for her meeting with Colonel Simmons, the Imperial Wizard of the dreaded Klan, she might have remained in obscurity. Instead, she it is who now moulds the fate of thousands of people and holds sway over more than half a million loyal followers.

150,000 women and girls have recently been enrolled under the banner of the Ku-Klux-Klan, and that it is now the most powerful secret society in the world.

Mrs. Tyler decided to include women and girls in the Klan for a number of reasons, the chief being that she believed feminine support would help considerably in enrolling more men in the ranks.

The Ku-Klux-Klan was started by a men against the blacks. It grew in size amazingly, and suddenly its activities ceased, and for years it lay

dormant. Then, in 1915, Colonel William Joseph Simmons took up the reins of dictatorship and set about bringing the

Klan to life again. Its objects were as before—the preservation of white domination—and success came quickly.

Fired with zeal, men flocked to its standard, pledging themselves to obey the commands of the Imperial Wizard, and to maintain the strictest secrecy Failure to comply was, punishable with dishonour, disgrace, and death. The Klan had now gained a firm hold throughout America. Nearly half a million men had taken the oath of allegiance. Then another phase of activity was entered upon. Abductions. secret trials, tarrings, featherings, and other outrages became more frequent. Upon the scene there now appeard new invisible force—a dominating personality whose vigour put fresh life and energy into the society. This

What is the secret of Mrs. Tyler's power? No one knows. Until a few weeks ago even her identity was unknown. Did she, it is asked, have some nfluence over Simmons, the Imperial Wizard—some hold which forced him to yield to her every whim and wish?

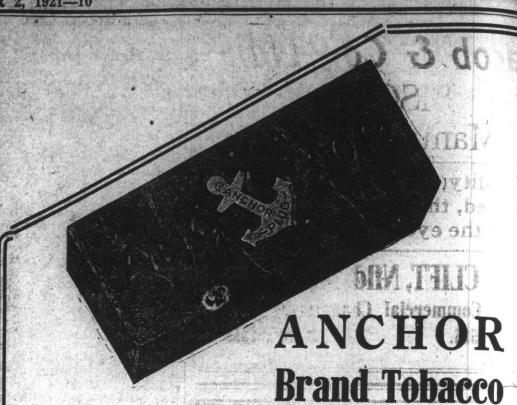
was Mrs. Tyler, the new "power

The Klan Denounced. At any rate, whatever prompted this beautiful ruler of the world's most dreaded secret society in her pursuit of power, she has very quickly becomtrings behind the scenes while the Im-

Her first big step was the enrolling of women and girls. In turn these girls were used as canvassers, and so the society grew, and is still growing.

#### Endorsed.

"I want this cheque cashed, please.
My husband sent it me; he is away on business," said the fair young wife at the bank counter. "Quite so, madam," replied the cashier, "but you



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