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### DEVINE'S Great Mid Winter Sale.

All other sales now being conducted in this city pale into insignificance when compared to this Great Annual event. Why? You will ask.

(1)—Because we have been a whole year preparing for it, (2)—Because through a plan of systematic purchasing from time to time during 1910 we have succeeded in accumulating the greatest feast of bargains that ever entered the Narrows. On TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, we will offer the following lines: Be with the crowd and see your dollar swelling in value.

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25 Ladies Furs, first price \$1.00, now.....40c  
175 Ladies Tweed Top Skirts, first price \$2.00, now.....\$1.30  
3 Only Ladies Colored Costumes, first price \$3.00 ea., now \$2.50  
4908 Yards White Sheeting, special.....7 cts. per yard  
973 Yards White Lawn, 45 inches wide, at.....10 cts. per yard  
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12 Only Babies Robes, first price \$1.70, now.....70c each  
57 Hearth Rugs, first price \$1.00, now.....50c each. See these  
15 Chemise, first price \$1.00, now.....50c  
147 Pairs Knickers, White Lawn and Flannelette, 85c. value.....35c  
923 Yards Chiffon, assorted shades, first price 25c. to 40c. yard, now all one price.....10c. all round  
1700 Yards Dress Gimp, first price 10, 15, 20, 30 and 40 cts. a yard, now.....5c. all round  
346 Lbs. Tweed, large pieces, now 65c. per lb. First price \$1.00  
20 Dozen Hat Wings, Tips, Aigrets, etc., first price 50c. and \$1.00 each; now all one price.....10c. each  
257 Ladies Straw and Felt Hats, at.....3c. each  
605 Hat and Belt Buckles, worth 35 and 40c., now.....5 and 10c. each  
7 Only pairs Kleiner's Dress Shields, first price 60c., now 30c

#### FOR THE MEN

417 pairs Special Heavy Home made Sox, first price 40c, now 20c pair  
95 pairs Tweed Pants, first price \$1.50, now.....\$1.00 pr  
79 pairs Tweed Pants, first price \$3.50, now.....\$2.50 pr  
15 Overcoats, worth \$9.00 each, now.....\$6.00  
157 pairs Men's Box Calf Boots, \$3.00, now.....\$2.50  
Fleece Lined Underwear.....45c garment

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## Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - - Proprietor  
W. F. LLOYD, - - - Editor.

Wednesday, Feb. 15, 1911.

### The Government's Fishery Agreement.

In another column of this paper will be found a synopsis of Sir Robert Bond's scathing criticism, in the House of Assembly yesterday, of the Agreement entered into by the Premier, Sir Edward Morris, with two fish merchants of Portland, Maine, and which has been brought down to the House for ratification. The Government organ, the Evening Chronicle, is our authority for saying that Sir Edward arranged this Agreement. As Sir Robert Bond said, and abundantly demonstrated, the agreement is a very remarkable one, and it is difficult to believe that an intelligent body of men will approve and ratify it. The Agreement destroys the effect of the Bait Act and annuls in a large degree the Hague Award. It creates practically a monopoly in the company of the herring fishery, bait traffic, fish canning business, and cold storage for the next fifteen years by subvention and remission of duties. It grants a subsidy of one and a half per cent. annually, makes the Colony liable to an unlimited amount for any loss the company may sustain, and guarantees five per cent. on capital invested in the cold storage plant. It gives the American company enormous advantages over every man connected with fish industries in this country. It is time for the public to awaken out of their sleep of indifference and look to the conduct of public affairs.

### St. Andrew's Concert.

The following programme was rendered at the concert held in the Presbyterian Hall last night under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild: Piano solo, Miss Tait; vocal solo, Miss Gibb; violin solo, Mrs. A. Hall; vocal solo, Mr. Foster; recitation, Miss Ayre; vocal solo, Miss Strang. The guessing competition that followed was won by Miss Blair. The money contest afforded much amusement. Miss E. Templeton was the winner. Another concert will be given in March.

### Feldians Win.

The Feldians beat St. Bon's by a score of 8 to 1 at the inter-collegiate match yesterday. Four goals were scored by them in the first half. Winter sending in 3 and Jerrett 1, while the one goal of the St. Bon's team was got by Knight. In the second half Knight was wounded over the eye and had to leave the ice. The Feldians dropped Rendell to make the sides equal. Towards the close of the full time Martin got two goals and Winter and Shaw one each, making a total of 8 for the Feldians.

### Damages Cost \$200.

The fire which occurred at Mr. T. Godden's residence, yesterday afternoon, caused damage to the house and furniture to the extent of \$200. The fire ate its way up between the plastering from the basement to the dining and drawing rooms and parlor, and the furniture was damaged by smoke and water. Had the outbreak occurred late at night when the family slumbered it might have been attended with fatal results.

### Squandered the Money.

Yesterday a poor woman who has a heavy family, and whose husband recently went to sea, sent her son, 11 years old, with his father's allowance note to get a quarter ton of coal which was badly needed at home. The lad did so, but returning later said he had lost the money which he had received after paying for the fuel. This amounted to over \$10. Later it was discovered that the boy had lied, and that he had not lost the money but had spent it foolishly in cab driving, buying candy, etc. It is believed that the lad still retains some of the cash, and the police will try to get it from him. His mother has a heavy family and needed the money badly for household expenses.

### Wanderers May Come.

The gentlemen who are trying to get a Provincial team of hockeyists to come here and play St. John's have been unable to induce the Crescents to come along, and they will not be on the Florida as expected. An effort will now be made to get the Halifax Wanderers here, and should they come a series of interesting hockey matches will result.

### Coastal Boats.

REID NFED. CO.  
The S. S. Ethie left Baine Harbor at 12.55 p.m. yesterday going West.  
The S. S. Glencoe left Fortune at 3.55 p.m. yesterday and is due at Placentia this morning.

The S. S. Home is still aground at Rushoon. It is believed that the cold weather is delaying the work of pumping her out.

The Bruce is still jammed 2½ miles off Low Point.

### Marine Notes.

The S. S. Tobacco sails for Liverpool to-night taking 750 tons cargo and as passengers—Messrs. P. J. Shea, J. D. Matheson and G. W. MacKlin, wife and child.

The S. S. Adventure left Loughsbury at 5 a.m. yesterday with a full cargo of coal, and is due here this evening. The ship will discharge most of it, retaining enough to last her for the seal fishery.

HOCKEY MATCH POSTPONED.—The match between the Feldians and St. Bon's set for to-night has been postponed until to-morrow night.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIS-TEMPER

## Loyal Orange Association.

ROYAL BLACK CHAPTER.

(Daily News Message.)

BOTWOOD, Feb. 14.

The annual session of the Grand Black Chapter of the L. O. A. closed after a very successful session at noon today. Delegates were present from Garrison on the West Coast, to Lush's Right on the East. The officers for 1911 are as follows:—J. V. Penney, St. John's, Grand Master; R. A. Russell, Bay Roberts, Deputy Grand Master; C. G. Rendell, Heart's Content, Associate Deputy; Rev. R. P. Ward, Old Perican, Chaplain; Staff-Captain W. H. Cave, S.A., St. John's, Deputy Chaplain; Jordan, Milroy, Western Bay, Registrar; R. A. Squires, St. John's, Deputy Registrar; W. Ash, St. John's, Treasurer; J. C. Puddister, St. John's, Deputy Treasurer; J. Thomas, Albert French, Censors; E. Day, T. F. Butt, Lecturers; J. Snow, A. Parsons, Standard Bearers; J. Badoock, Overton Woolfrey, Pursuivants; R. J. Ivany, T. Gooss, J. Parsons, W. T. Penney, G. Langmead, G. T. Phillips, A. J. Harvey, Committee.

The Grand Lodge L. O. A. opens on to-morrow, Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m. The officers will be in on the Anglo-Newfoundland Co.'s train in the morning. An interesting session is anticipated.

### "An Achievement."

The s.s. Bruce is within three miles of Low Point. The wind is blowing a gale on the land the past three or four days and the ice is packed tight in on the Sydney shore, some of it over 10 feet thick. Capt. Barbour and three of his crew left the Bruce yesterday and walked ashore. The Daily News says of the incident this morning:—

"The achievement of Capt. Barbour and his men is only another instance of what the sealer can do, who feels as much at home on the ice as he does on the land."

### Stole Money and Watch

A few days ago at Carbonear, a young girl who was in the service of Mr. Murphy, of that place, left him and took a ticket for St. John's where her friends reside. After she had left the house the man found that the sum of \$10 had been stolen from him, and the case was reported to the police, the outcome being that the girl was arrested at the railway station. She admitted then taking the \$10 and also said she had stolen a gold watch owned by Mrs. Murphy and some other property which she found in her master's household. She was tried at Harbor Grace before Magistrate Penney, and sentenced to 6 weeks imprisonment.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Some time ago I had a bad attack of Quinsy which laid me up for two weeks and cost a lot of money.

Finding the lump again forming in my throat, I bathed freely with MINARD'S LINIMENT, and saturating a cloth with the liniment left it on all night.

Next morning the swelling was gone and I attributed the warding off of an attack of Quinsy to the free use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

G. F. WORDEN.  
St. John.

Having been requested by a number of people to start a Physical Culture Class for boys from 7 to 14 years of age, I have decided to do so. Lessons, including Wrestling, Physical Culture, Swedish Exercises, etc. Class will be held on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, beginning 21st, from 4 to 6 p.m. For terms apply to Young Olson, c/o Hawthorne Cottage, Carter's Hill.—Feb. 13.

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St. John's, Newfoundland.

## Course Dinner Served for 5cts.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The high cost of living in Washington for a time will have an interesting basis for comparison and contrast. The gospel mission began to-day to serve meals on a one-cent bill of fare. The menu embraces bread, coffee, meat, beans, soup, pie, vegetables and fruits. Every article is offered at the uniform price of one cent. A Washington lady with ample means has made a gift to the mission with which excellent kitchen facilities, steam tables and a neat, clean dining room have been fitted up and a sinking fund provided to give the enterprise a trial.

### Here and There.

Over one hundred and twenty bottles of Stafford's Liniment was sold this week at only 14 cts. per bottle.—Feb. 4, 11.

WEATHER UP COUNTRY.—Along the line to-day the wind is N. W., strong and fine; temperature 2 to 10 above.

Stafford's Liniment, for all kinds of aches and pains. Can be used both externally and internally. Only 14cts. per bottle.—Feb. 4, 11.

GOING CHIEF ENGINEER.—Mr. E. Scaplin, Manager of the Squid Preserving Co., will go in the Gulf this spring as chief engineer of the S. S. Harlaw.

COLDS CAUSE HEADACHE.—LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine, the world wide Cold and Grip remedy removes cause. Call for full name. Look for signature E. W. GROVE, 2c.

CARPENTERS' MEETING.—The carpenters and joiners held their quarterly meeting in the British Hall last night. There was a large attendance. The questions discussed occupied the time up to 11 o'clock.

McKinley Music. Just received 500 copies McKinley Music, also new catalogues for 1911. CHESLEY WOODS, Sole Agent for Newfoundland.—Feb. 12, 11.

S. U. F. SOIRE.—The annual soiree of the S. U. F. will be held in the British Hall, on Wednesday, February 22nd, and not the 17th as previously stated.

Electric Restorer for Men Phosphonol restores every nerve in the body to its proper tensing restorer of strength and vitality. Promotes decay and all sexual weakness averted at once. Phosphonol will make you a new man. Price \$24 box, 50c. per bottle to any address. The Seabell Drug Co., 200 Catharine St., N. Y.

LADY TO REST.—The funeral of the late Mrs. William Barrigan took place last evening and was largely attended. Dr. Green read the prayers at the Cathedral. Interment was at Beldyde.

One "Little Beauty" Organ, slightly used, in splendid order, for sale cheap. See our window. CHESLEY WOODS.—Feb. 13, 11.

THE ALMERIANA LEAVES.—The S. S. Almeriana which was prevented by ice from leaving here for Halifax yesterday, sailed at 10 a.m. to-day. The N. W. wind prevailing having canted the ice off shore.

BRUCE STILL JAMMED.—The s.s. Bruce is still held in the grip of the ice about two miles to the E.S.E. of Low Point, near Sydney. The ice is packed in tight on the coast there and no hopes are entertained of getting clear till a change of wind from the west occurs.

ANNOUNCEMENT.—Having been appointed Sole Agents for the leading American and Canadian Music publishers, we are now prepared to give the public all the very latest instrumental and song hits of the season at Cut Rate Prices. Lists on application. Outport orders promptly attended to. All Music featured at the Nickel. JAS. M. RYAN, Agents Bureau, 227 Theatre Hill, St. John's, Box 372.—Feb. 7, 1911.

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Plain and Striped Costume Cloths ..... 25c., 35c  
100 Pairs Cotton Blankets (Large Size) ..... \$1.10 pair  
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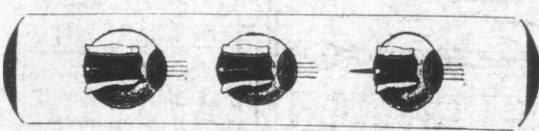
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To revive root vegetables that have withered, slice off the end of each and lay in cold water. In a few hours they will be as hardy and healthy as ever.

A tasty salad is made of chopped celery, seasoned with chopped mint and mayonnaise. Put between slices of bread, it makes a dainty supper sandwich.

Always lower the temperature of the oven somewhat 15 or 20 minutes after a roast has been placed in it. This will insure that the juices will be retained.

Water may be added to the beaten white or beaten whole egg used for dipping croquettes. The proportion is a tablespoonful for the white and twice as much for the whole egg.

## Took Fourteen Spoons from Stomach.

Removed by operation and patient is well again.

Vienna, Feb. 4.—A surgical operation by which 2½ pounds of metal were taken from the patient, was performed here at the Franz Joseph Hospital by Professor Lohmann on a man, of 40, named Tacha. He had been confined in a public lunatic asylum, where, about three months ago, he secretly abstracted about fourteen iron spoons and swallowed them. This strange nourishment first caused him no annoyance. The spoons were missed, but nobody suspected their whereabouts. Although Tacha had sound lungs, he began spitting blood, and was cross-questioned, until at last he confessed that he had swallowed the iron spoons. He was taken to hospital and an application of the Roentgen rays soon showed the truth of his assertion. An operation was unavoidable, and the three surgeons who carried it through were completely successful. A small opening was made in the stomach, where the intestine was laid bare for the purpose, and one by one the large spoons were extracted. They weighed altogether 2½ pounds. The patient's condition is satisfactory, and he will soon be able to be discharged from the hospital.

A dry shampoo of cornmeal is very cleansing if properly done. The meal should not be allowed to get too close to the scalp, and should be brushed out with a gentle, lifting stroke.

Brown bread, cut into thin slices and spread with strawberry jam or peach marmalade, and covered with a layer of cream cheese, makes novel and delicious luncheon sandwiches.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

## Harbo

### Richard of De Super

"There's only one way of prizes," Jinson said, when I asked the forthcoming Duhall. "You must train properly. You'd like me to get you in, Harbottle, say the way we'll simply sweep the boat you have to do is to put your my hands."

I was not averse to this, hands are not beautiful, but washed they are no worse than people's. And I do hanker a few of these silver cups and Now, last season, I very nearly rid off a set of salt spoons, an earthquake, or some of it had wiped out the six men in race, I should have romped easy winner. So I said straight away.

"First thing, then," said "we must get all that fat off our case. You're nothing but a big mass of flesh!" But I said that.

This struck me as being a exaggerated, seeing that I turned at eight stone, and east a like a bean stick. But I said trainer knows. At any rate, put me on toast and water, and told Miriam to clear a board ready for the prize.

Training in water though was in this respect Jinson is a thing in diabolical severity. He was round the next day and had me out of bed and bath with the maximum of joy. While I was rubbing my form he made himself a hot coffee and two rounds of toast.

"Daren't touch this stuff," old man!" he said. But I got a cup of warm water to get off for that five mile walk.

I raised a feeble query whether it was proper training out on an empty stomach. I wasn't going on my stomach, my feet, and it was his training. Most other trainers, fools.

He only wished he was going the glory and prizes that was to my share.

At that moment I wished myself. Glory is all very well at six o'clock in the morning, but buttered toast for preference. We did a bit of dumb-bell when we got back. That is, I did it while Jinson sat in the chair and smoked my cigars.

The great thing in training, get rid of all superfluous flesh. Looked like doing this easily. The main trick or secret of your breakfast is one thing, if you aren't going to take any sue in any great hurry, that before he had finished he had me in the pink of condition, muscles like whiplash, and opinion was, that had he had he'd have me in the pink of condition, and the head was too. But I bore up. Doubtless the ter of all the prizes in sport, would win me back to my future.

After a hearty breakfast, enough for a child of ten, I went stairs, intending to take a swim, dream of gargantuan proportions, he had me out of it. The bit of rowing to be done in. Nothing like rowing for tone.

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