## Wear.

### Arrivals!

#### Corsets.

We now have the most complete range of Corsets we have had for a long while. This includes shipments of our famous "W.B." and other Corsets from \$1.65 pair; also a range of Misses' and Child's Corsets and Bands.

We have a range of Ladies' Corsets at 75c. pair only, but not in all sizes.

#### Handkerchiefs.

Splendid assort-ment of Ladies' White Embroidered Handkerchiefs at 8c., 17c., 20c., 25c. & upwards.

HANDKERCHIEF in various styles,

## y Blair

Stoves

up to 35 in. long.

ves.

assortment

uckets and edware.

DUSTON.

RTH STREET. P. O. BOX 1243.

ewfoundland

Public ing Telegram Brewers Fear "Pussyfoot."

Dry England Means Less Output--Military Blamed for Dublin Shooting -- English Industrial Situation Satisfactory -- Relief Steamer Unable to Reach Belle Isle--Amritsar Affair Defended.

PARIS, Dec. 29. official yellow book concerning the payment for the new issue. Franco Italian agreements of 1900-1902, by which each country agreed to remain neutral in case of agression by a third party. Publication of the book was agreed to by the Italian Government. Commenting on the document La Liberte says that France and Italy were united by common trials during the war, and by the victory should remain united to face pending international questions.

"Kodak" for that Gift!

There's nothing gives more all-the-

year-round pleasure. The Camera's

just IT when talking Gifts — the

Kodak's just IT when talking Cameras.

We have Gift Cameras of all grades—of one maker—the Eastman Kodak

Co.—All necessities for Camera users

-Only a day or two left before

Christmas-Pay us your visit to-day.

Ooton's, The Kodak Store.

Public Notice!

Government of Newfoundland

5 1-2 Per Cent. Loan.

Applications will be received at the Office of the

for the purchase of Government of Newfoundland

Bonds, amounting to ONE MILLION DOLLARS, bear-

ing Interest at the rate of FIVE AND ONE-HALF

PER CENT. per annum, payable on the first days of

January and July in each year, and Principal repay-

Office of the Minister of Finance and Customs, St.

John's, Newfoundland; at the Bank of Montreal, St.

John's, Montreal and Toronto, and at the Agency of the

ture taxes, including Income Tax, in Newfoundland.

JUST RECEIVED!

Half a Million

Gold Lined,

The Direct Agencies, Ltd.

Wholesale Only.

Double Waterproof,

English Manufacture,

Military and Fowling.

These Bonds will be free from all present and fu-

H. J. BROWNRIGG,

Minister of Finance & Customs.

Such Principal sum and Interest are payable at the

able on the first day of July, 1939.

Bank of Montreal, New York.

**Everything Photographic** 

DISASTER FROM RISING RIVER.

PARIS. Dec. 29. rivers throughout France swollen by continued rain, threaten disaster to many sections, navigation on the Seine is already very difficult and if the inundation continues traffic will be forced to stop.

DOPE MEN ARRAIGNED.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29. Three men, an undertaker, druggist and liquor dealer, faced charges here this morning, in connection with the spreading of wood alcohol as whiskey throughout five states in the last ten days, death and blindness following in its wake. The men are Adolph Panarelli, a Manhattan wine and liquor dealer, John Romanelli a Brooklyn undertaker, and S. K. Salesov. a Brooklyn druggist,

Italy's handling of the Fiume sitation has from the first been a sucession of blunders, says General British rule had ended. Robilant, who was Commander of the Fourth Army during the war, Italian representatives on the Allied Military Commission at Versailles, and member of the Commission which conducted an inquiry into the disorlers at Fiume last July.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY SATISFAC-

LONDON, Dec. 29. ome time ago to the Prince of Wales y former service men out of employnent, Sir Robert Horne, Minister of Labor, has written to the Harbour or unemployment caused by trades able to obtain work does not give ccasion for great anxiety.

AFRAID OF "PUSSY" JOHNSON.

LONDON, Dec. 29. Sir William Barclay Peat, presiding at the annual meeting of ten of the nost prominent brewery concerns nere to-day, expressed anxiety over the presence in England of "Pussy" Johnson, whose prohibition campaign, the speaker believed, constituted a real langer to the brewing industry. Mr. Johnson, the shareholders were told by the chairman, was possessed of onsiderable financial support, but if the brewing interests made it known that the present brew of beer was thoroughly wholesale, there was little doubt that the Johnson campaign would end in failure. All the same, he added, the campaign must be fought to a finish. The chairman expressed his conviction that if the country went dry, the workers would refuse to do

BLAMES THE MILITARY.

DUBLIN, Dec. 29. of Sunday's shooting affray ear the Vice-Regal Lodge in Phoenix Park were given to-day at an inquest ver the body of Lieut. Boast, officer of the Guard, who was killed at the me time that the civilian found in ne Park was shot. Lieut. Boast, officer of the Guard, who met death in unday night's shooting affray near the Vice-Regal Lodge in Phoenix Park was "accidentally killed by a bullet rom his own patrol party," it was nd by the jury in the inquest into Lieutenant's death, held to-day. he verdict of the jury in the case of ence Kennedy, a civilian victim ough Phoenix Park by the military atrol We consider that the military

FRANCE'S NEW LOAN.

PARIS, Dec. 29. Louis Klotz, Minister of Finance, day the Loan Bill providing fo

FRANCO ITALIAN AGREEMENT. Like previous war issues, the new bonds will be exempt from taxation The Foreign Office has published an Other war bonds will be accepted in

> OXFORD, Eng., Dec. 29. Sir William Osler, the noted physician who has been ill for several

> > TER.

BRITAIN'S FIRST LADY

LONDON, Dec. 29. Mrs. Gwynephs Margory Thomson will be the first woman barrister in the United Kingdom, her application for admission as a student for the Bar having been accepted by the Benchers of Lincolns Inn to-day. The decision of the Benchers was reached following the giving of Royal Assent last week to the bill which removed sex disqualifications.

LONDON, Dec. 29. The latest newspapers received from India contain details of the investigation of the massacre of natives at Amritsar, India, last April, and the testimony given before the William Beynon, District Commander, testifying at Lahore in November strongly upheld the introduction of martial law. He defended the action of General Dyer, commanding the troops in India at Gallian-Walabach and Amritsar. He said mobile colums had been sent out to impress the natives and make it clear that it was intended to keep order and to cour teract false reports spread about that

PROHIBITION DEFEATED IN NEV

VANCOUVER, Dec. 29 A cable to the Vancouver World from Sydney, N S. W., saying the latest New Zealand licensing poll figures wipe out the prohibition lead give continuance a majority of 1.327 Nearly 20,000 "absent" votes were counted.

Stopped by a huge barrier of ice fields, iceberge and haze, Capt. John Master of Portsmouth to the effect Hearn, of the Canadian Government that the trade and industry of the steamer Montcalm telegraphed from country are satisfactory. Sir Robert North Sydney yesterday that it was says that when allowances are made impossible to reach the marconec disputes, the number of persons un- The Minister of Marine has instructed the Montcalm to bunker at top speed at North Sydney and make another effort to reach Belle Isle.

HALIFAX, Dec. 29. The Dutch steamer Anton Van Driel struck the eastern head of St. Shott's crew launched some boats, but all were lost. Two bodies were recovered Four or five men are still

T. J. EDENS.

GOOD THINGS FOR XMAS. Assorted Cordials and Syrups. Cherry Brandy. Creme-de-Menthe London Sherry. Port Wine. Ginger Brandy. Raisin Wine. Assorted Syrups.

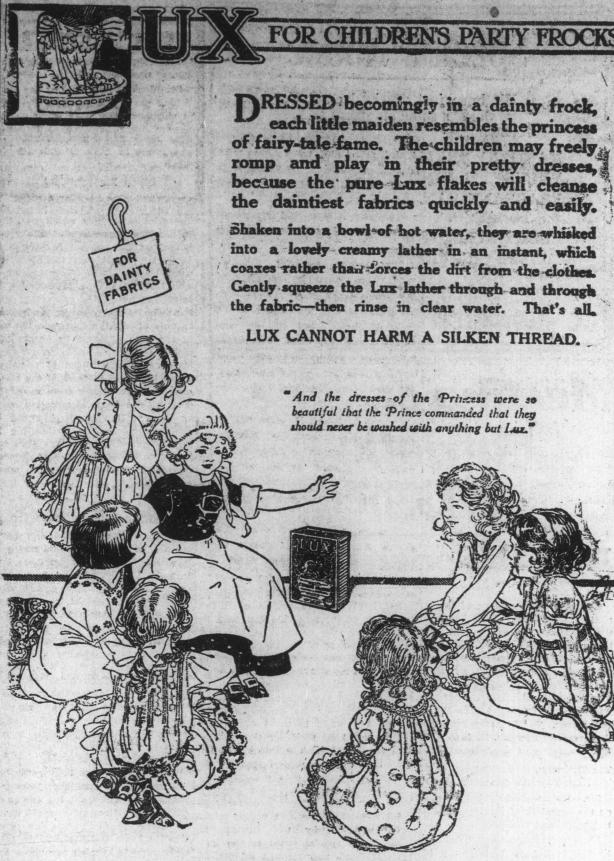
Plum Pudding, in tins. Red Currant Jelly.

Nuts, whole and shelled.
Mixed Candy, 20 oz. bottles.
Knox's Gelatine.
Wesson's Oll for cooking.
Broad Figs, Dates.

MOIR'S CHOCOLATES and CAKES 1/2 lb., 1 lb., 2 lb. and 5 lb. Bxs. Banapas. Cat Oranges and Lemons. Grape Frait.

(O'Kanagan Valley.)
100 Boxes. Good all the way through. Green Cabbage—Local.
Butter—Selected—2 lb. Prints.
Eggs—Selected—20 Cases.
(By Sable I. to-day.)

White, Pink and Chocolate. Mas Crackers and Stockings.
Straw and Raspberry Jan.
New—1 lb. Glass.
30 Bris. Cranberries.



Packets (two sizes) may be obtained everywhere.

LEVER SOTHES LIMITED, PORT SUNLIGHT, ENGEAND

We were fortunate in securing delivery on an old contract for

# Boys' Fleece - Lined Underwear

and to-day we can offer you the very best values in the city in

Sizes 24, 26, 28,

Sizes 30, 32, 34,

## PANTS or VESTS

As we do not want to carry these over after stock-taking we make these two Special Prices to move them.



