

Pictorial Paper Patterns,
FOR OCTOBER, ON SALE.
A SPECIALTY.—The Silux Glass Coffee and Tea Filter. A free trial if desired.
CHARLES HUTTON,
Fancy Goods Department.

TO-DAY'S Messages.
OFFICIAL.

September 15th, 1916.
To Governor, St. John's:
Early this week the French made brilliant advance between Comblès and Peronne taking over 2,000 prisoners. Last night we took a thousand yards of enemy trenches south-east of Thiéval. This morning we attacked on a six mile front from Bouleaux Wood on the Albert-Bapaume Road, advancing two to three thousand yards at various places. Fighting has resulted in the capture of nearly all the high ground between Comblès and the Pozieres-Bapaume Road, most of Bouleaux Wood, Fiers High Wood, Martinpuich and Courclette. The enemy fought stubbornly. Over 2,500 prisoners were taken, including sixty-five officers and six battalion commanders. The air force co-operated very effectively. Thirteen German aeroplanes were destroyed and one kite balloon. The Italians resumed the offensive on the Carso, storming trenches at East Vallone and taking over 2,000 prisoners. The Serbians defeated the Bulgars at Lake Ostrovo capturing 25 guns. **BONAR LAW.**

SEA FIGHT IN BALTIC.
LONDON, To-day.
A Morning Post despatch from Stockholm says: A sea fight has taken place between Russian and German forces in the Gulf of Bothnia near the Aland Islands. On account of the darkness and fog it was impossible to see the fighting clearly but salvos of heavy guns were heard and detailed reports are expected.

JUTLAND HONORS CONFERRED.
LONDON, To-day.
Honors awarded as a result of the Jutland battle are enumerated by the Official Gazette of yesterday as follows: Admiral Sir John Jellicoe, Order of Merit; Vice-Admiral Sir David Beatty, Knight of the Grand Cross of Bath; Rear-Admiral Sir F. C. D. Sturdee, Companion of St. Michael and St. George. The boy John Travers, of Cornwall, who remained at his post during the action, although mortally wounded, was awarded the Victoria Cross. Sub-Lieut. Prince Albert, R.N., has been recommended for commendation for service.

PROGRESS AT COMBLÉS.
PARIS, To-day.
The French have reached positions in the Somme battle which encourage the hope that the tactical struggles of two years can develop into strategic work in the future. The battering that has crumbled the German trenches may give way to operations on a wider scale. Still pressing forward north of the Somme, the French threaten the towns of Comblès and Bancourt. Already they have cut their way through the outer defenses of these strongholds. By capturing Priez farm yesterday they encircled Comblès completely, except for the two roads leading to the northeast. The British advance to-day won control of these. Foch's troops pushed forward to-day to the outskirts of Bancourt on the Bapaume-Peronne Road. The Germans in an effort to save the rest of the highway delivered a heavy counter attack from Clerly, but this was hurled back with heavy loss to the Teutons.

GERMANS DESPOILING BELGIUM.
HAVRE, To-day.
The Belgian Minister of Finance has issued the following notes: According to news from authorized sources the German authorities of occupation are pursuing against the Belgian policy of spoliation even greater than that already denounced by the Belgian Minister of Finance, after the first reports in the Dutch press.

GREAT SERBIAN VICTORY.
SALONIKA, To-day.
The Bulgarians are falling back in disorder toward Monastir, pursued by the victorious Serbians, according to an official statement published at the Serbian headquarters. The text of the statement follows: After two days' artillery preparation and occupation of the enemy's advanced posts, our troops carried out decisive attacks in the principal Bulgarian positions in the direction of Florina, which were crowned with complete success. The Bulgarian position at Malkanizha and Malazetka are now in our hands and General Boyadjeff's army is retiring in disorder toward Monastir pursued by our victorious troops. We made a large number of prisoners and captured 39 guns, including several of heavy calibre, a great quantity of munitions, 50 limbers and a quantity of rifles. Several of the captured guns are now turned against the Bulgarians whose losses are enormous. The field of battle is strewn with enemy corpses and prisoners state that one Bulgarian regiment lost 1,500 men as a result of our bombardment. Our troops have already descended into the plain of Florina.

2.00 P. M.
THE KAISER JUBILANT.
BERLIN, To-day.
The Teutonic Allies in Dobruja have gained a decisive victory over the Russian and Roumanian forces, says a telegram from Emperor William to the Empress. The telegram was forwarded yesterday and as official given out, reads: "Field Marshal Von Mackensen just informs me that Bulgarian, Turkish and German troops in Dobruja have gained a decisive victory over the Russo-Roumanian forces."
CONSTANTINE TRIES TO FORM CABINET.
ATHENS, To-day.
King Constantine this afternoon called Nicholas Callaghyveropoulos, a lawyer and President of the Board of Directors of the Ionian Bank, to Tatoi to discuss the possibility of forming a Cabinet. Callaghyveropoulos is a well known supporter of the Entente cause.
GERMAN ATTACKS FAIL.
PARIS, To-day.
German counter attacks were made on the French lines both north and south of the Somme last night but were unsuccessful, the War Office an-

"Dogs Head" Brand, "Bass Ale" and "Guinness's" Stout, QUARTS.
As we have a large stock of QUARTS to dispose of during the remaining 3 months we will accept a reduced price to clear.
J. C. BAIRD,
Water Street.

U. S. Cruisers May Make 38 Knots
Washington, Sept. 4.—The navy's new battle cruisers, four of which are to be laid down next year, will look like a blast furnace gone to sea. Each will be equipped with six or more smoke stacks, according to plans now being completed by the navy department.
Some American cruisers carry four stacks and some of European construction will have five, but with the exception of a few small destroyers, no vessels in operation have six.
The battle cruisers will be electric driven and oil burning. The builders will be required to produce vessels which will give off no smoke when it is desired to conceal their movements, but they will also be equipped to pour out heavy banks of black smoke as a screen to conceal the operation of vessels behind them.
To make the 35 knot speed required it has been necessary to provide the ships with between 180,000 and 200,000 horsepower, generated by steam turbines which in turn drive the electric generators.
Navy experts are confident they will make 36 knots with full equipment aboard, and stripped will run 33 knots, or more than 42 land miles an hour.
European navies try out their swift boats for speed without armament and with only a small portion of their fuel cargo aboard. American navy craft, however, must make the required speed with full fighting equipment and at least two-thirds fuel capacity.

Reaches Ramea From Cadiz.
Special Evening Telegram.
RAMEA, via Burgeo, To-day.
The schr. Edith Cavell arrived at Ramea from Cadiz, salt laden. Round trip to Oporto and Cadiz 53 days.
JOHN PENNY & SONS.
Stafford's Liniment cures Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains. For sale everywhere.—July 22, 16

SCHRAFFT'S CHOCOLATES.
BOSTON'S Old RELIABLE FAVORITE.
A Distinct Class
Everybody Wants
SCHRAFFT'S!
Ghesley Woods,
Sole Mfd. Distributor,
282 Duckworth St.

J. J. St. John.
Before Flour goes higher put in your stock.
1500 barrels on hand and to arrive, of best brands.
Pork, Beef, Jowls.
Spare Ribs at \$19.00 brl, or 10 lbs. for \$1.00.
Molasses—1st runnings.
Tea, Sugar, Kero Oil.
Oats, Bran & Cattle Feeds.
Our ECLIPSE TEA is the best in Newfoundland at 45c. lb.
J. J. St. John,
Duckworth St. and LeMarchant Road.

Fountain and Stylographic Pens!
We have a large stock of both. The Fountain Pens priced from 25c. to \$6.00, and the Stylos from 55c. to \$1.75 each.
The "Beaver" Fountain Pen, 25c, 35c, and 70c, each.
The "Camel" Fountain Pen, with Gold Pen, \$1.75.
The "Falcon" Fountain Pen, 45c.
The "B. & H." Self-Filling Fountain, fitted with Gold Pen. Prices \$1.75 and \$2.50.
The "Tremont" Fountain Pen, a pen of superior writing qualities, fitted with 14k. Gold Pen. Price \$5.00.
The "Globe," a self-filler, built to last a lifetime, \$4.50 each; gold band, \$6.50.
STYLO PENS.
The "British Bulldog," 55c.
The "Scotch Collie," a mottled vulcanite, 75c.
The "St. Bernard," large ink holding capacity, 95c.
GARRETT BYRNE,
Bookseller & Stationer.

Reids' Boats.
The Argie arrived at Placentia at 6 p.m. yesterday.
The Clyde left Botwood at 5.45 p.m. yesterday, outward.
The Dundee left King's Cove at 5.10 p.m. yesterday, outward.
The Eblie left Foxe's Choice at 4.50 p.m. yesterday, going north.
The Glencoe left St. Jacques at 7 p.m. yesterday, going west.
The Home left Fortune Harbor at 2.50 p.m. yesterday, outward.
The Kyle left Port aux Basques at 4.15 a.m. to-day.
The Melgale reached Port aux Basques at 9 a.m. to-day.
The Neptune left Harbor Grace at 11.45 a.m. yesterday.
The Wren left Trinity at 3.55 p.m. yesterday, outward.

Here and There.
THE SUSU.—The s.s. Susu left Gander Bay at 6 a.m. to-day, coming south.
You need WATERED FISH at least twice a week. GET THE BEST at WHELAN'S.—sep16, 11

Household Notes.
A teaspoonful of mustard rubbed into the hands after preparing onions or fish will destroy the odor completely.
The chrysanthemum plants that were planted this spring should be pinched back so that they will be more bushy.
When filling apple pies, cut the pieces irregularly and the pieces will not back. This allows thorough cooking instantly.
After exposure to poison ivy the effects can be warded off by thoroughly washing with soap and water, using a hard brush. After this wash with alcohol.
DIED.
Last evening, at 6 o'clock, Edith Cavell, darling child of Wm. and Jennie Attkin, aged 4 months.

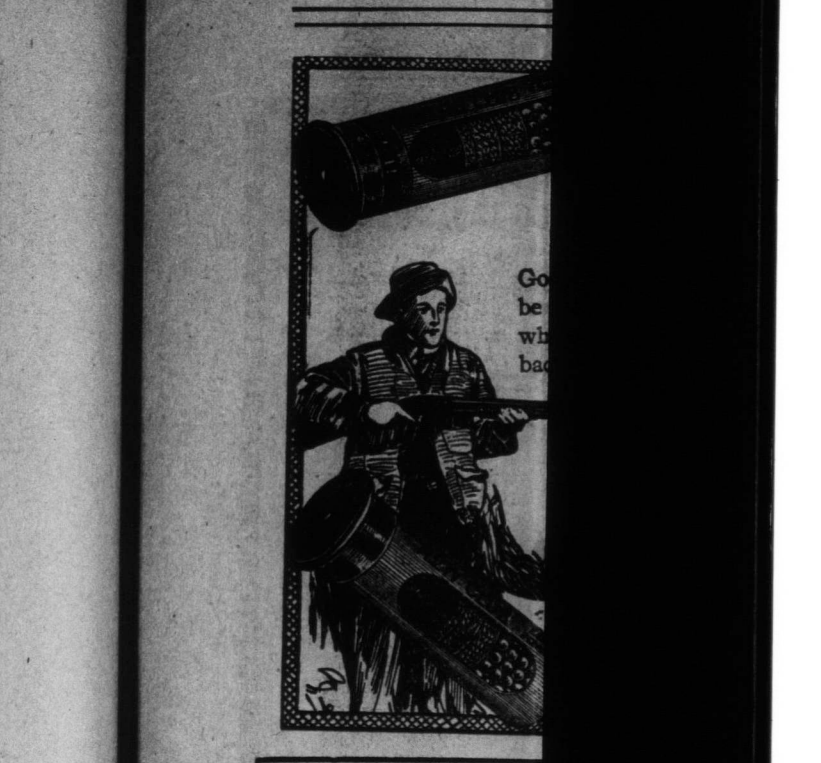
DUNLOP TRACTION TREAD
The traction engine was made to grip. So was Dunlop Traction Tread. Nothing has yet taken the place of the traction engine for long, continuous service. We don't think any other tire will ever take the place of Dunlop Traction Tread for the same function.
In a certain sense, Dunlop Traction Tread is larger than Canada. "Traction" fame is limitless. Near imitations are to be found in many countries. Men have written from various portions of the world seeking the agency.
"Traction" holds the Canadian transcontinental tire record; has never failed as a skid-resister; made it possible for punctures to be a forgotten evil; drove out the dust nuisance; made automobiles by women more general; gave men all over the country a new idea of mileage.
In short, Dunlop Traction Tread has popularized motoring; and, for the first time in the history of the motor car, has made Safety a certainty.
Dunlop Tire & Rubber Goods Co., Limited
30% More Tire Life 50% Less Road Friction
H. V. CHESMAN, 178 Water Street, Telephone 495.

End of Season Sale
As we have determined to clear out all Summer Goods, we have gone into the matter of price-cutting regardless of cost; in some cases we will cut the prices right in two, others even more, as the following list will show:
MEN'S SUN-HATS. Regular price 25c. Now 10c.
CHILDREN'S TRIMMED HATS. Regular price 50c. Now 25c.
CHILDREN'S WHITE LAWN & EMBROIDERED BONNETS. Regular price 45c. Now 25c.
CHILDREN'S WHITE, PALE BLUE and PINK RIBBON TRIMMING BONNETS. Reg. price 25c. Now 15c.
CHILDREN'S GREY LINEN SUNBONNETS. Regular price 25c. Now 15c.
CHILDREN'S PINAFORES, Lace & Emb. Trim'g. Reg. 50c. Now 25c.
BOYS' ROMPERS. Regular 85c. Now 59c.
LADIES' OVERALLS. Regular 75c. Now 59c.
MISSSES' STRIPED COTTON BLOUSES. Values up to 55c. Now 25c.
LADIES' WHITE MUSLIN BLOUSES, low neck. Reg. 95c. Now 55c.
LADIES' STRIPED MUSLIN BLOUSES, low neck. Reg. 85c. Now 55c.
An Assortment of LADIES' & MISSSES' NECKWEAR. Values up to 45c. Now 15c.
A Lot of MISSSES' GINGHAM DRESSES. Values up to \$1.25. Now 49c.
MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS. Values up to \$1.55. Now 59c.
MEN'S STRING TIES, big assortment. Values up to 20c. ea. Now 10c.
Lots of FANCY STATIONERY. Regular 20c. Now 14c.
Special Lot of LADIES' TWO-PIECE DRESSES Greatly Reduced.
Many other things too numerous to mention.
Don't fail to see our 5, 10, 15, 20, 25c. Tables. They contain some wonderful values.
THE C. L. MARCH CO., Limited,
Cor. Water and Springdale Streets.

Prospero Back From the North.
The s.s. Prospero, Capt. A. Kean, arrived back from northern ports at 4 o'clock yesterday evening, having been as far as Battle Hr. The round trip was made in excellent time, considering that very stormy weather was experienced on Tuesday and Wednesday last. Fog was also prevalent during the trip. The ship brought a full freight and the following saloon passengers: Messrs. Davis, Cotton, Handford, LeMee, Duggan, Barlow, Wellman, Brett, Osmond, Earle, Parsons, Diamond, Erikson, Hiscock, Somerton, Nelson, Cartwright, O'Neil, Bates, Harris, Drs. Stevens, Curtis, Carrick; Masters Torraville, Fowlow; Mesdames Handford, LeMee, Howell, Roberts, Humphries, Waterman, Randall, Smith, Hiscock; Misses Crocker, Ayre, Mursell, Brooks, Howell, Mills, Hackett, Garland, Shea, Bartlett, Penny (2), Winsor, Taylor, Penny, Hiscock, House, Green (2), and 55 steerage. Parties who came by the ship bring poor reports of the codfishery north. The good sport for hand-liners which followed immediately after the trap voyage has fallen off. However,

Wash Those Pimples Off!
Pimples and ugly face blotches are often cured in a single night with the newly famous remedy for Eczema, D. D. D. Prescription. It is a mild, antiseptic wash that drives out impurities and then soothes and heals the ailing skin.
For Eczema, Bad Leg, Barber's Itch, Acne, Salt Rheum, Ulcers or Ringworm, D. D. D. is a proved and reliable remedy. The very first drops of the wonderful prescription take away the awful burning itch and give you instant relief.
Stop that itch now. Get a bottle of D. D. D. Prescription to-day.
Sold Everywhere.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS.—The Daughters of Empire beg to tender their sincere thanks to Colonel Rendell and members of the C. L. B. Band for providing music to the Commanding Officer of H. M. S. Briton for landing flags, to the Petty Officers and men for their valuable services, to those who so kindly lent and exhibited War Trophies, to the papers for "write ups," to the gentlemen who met the cost of advertising to the papers and street railway for large reductions in the price of advertising, to the Reid Mfd. Co. for facilitating the conveyance of passengers, to the very many firms and persons who gave free contributions and large reductions in the prices of goods supplied and to all the friends who so kindly helped with their services and donations to make the Silverton Gargen Party such a marked success. As a result of the Garden Party, after paying all expenses, the handsome sum of \$1,015 will be handed to Lady Davidson to augment her fund for providing hospitalty for our Newfoundland soldiers at the Victoria League Hostels in London and Edinburgh.
PATIENTS FOR HOSPITAL.—By the Prospero there arrived from the northward yesterday two patients for the General Hospital.



THE THOUGHT
LUXURY AND NECESSITY
A line of type, evidently from one of my articles I presented a point I made from being as forcibly I desired. What I wanted attention to was the fact of Council is spending many dollars on making a tar in one of the least populated of the City whilst we have necessities staring us in the face is an astounding and disgraceful that of the 9000 houses in the third, or 2000 houses, are sewerage connection. And these houses are right in the the City, and in good localities as bad. I do not intend to do conditions under which such live and all they have to put the fact is a disgraceful one rendered more disgraceful by heeded attention it receives wholesale enthusiasm in which ment drains are put in where only rainwater soils the and in making tarvia sidewalk road on Duckworth Street, road is a luxury; water and a necessity. I know \$10,000 lately been borrowed to install age, but that will at the most solve the problem for 150. There will be 1850 houses still

HOPE.
The City woke to the week last Monday to find that not had a quiet Sunday or an unful one. A little boy killed, injured, a street car accident a row escapes from death, a man home to find his wife dead, a to the Lunatic Asylum, and in losses bridges gone and washed away. Each one has row and his worry, but after worry can equal the wild grief mother who saw her child before her eyes, and the dead remembrance of the man who un- did it? What trifling disapp can approach the speechless of that man who came home the wife he had left only a few health and happiness no able to greet him? And yet full of disappointments, or to those few who are mated and become quick and a minute. And maybe we know what sorrow is,—or rather sorrow can be. A preacher lady gave his consoling thought God would not be consistent own nature if He did not solution of all sorrow and the ling-up of life's inequalities, we should never have been social characteristics we possess the ideals we dream, if we were somehow, somewhere, to realize I believe he is perfectly right, it is that Hope is become only ally and without it the would be gloomy indeed, if the no Hope, what comfort would

Torture Of Sci "Nerviline"
Stops the Pain Quick—Act Magle—Is Harmless and Pleas
Sciatica is the most severe pain can suffer. The great sciatic de- placed, and you can only by a pain remedy, as powerful and powerful as NERVILINE.
The glory of NERVILINE is strength—in its marvelous penetrating deeply. In severe sciatica and neuralgia, NERVILINE demonstrates its superiority over every other remedy.
Extraordinary pains, such as neuralgia or sciatica, can be overcome by a remedy as extraordinary as NERVILINE. In many lands it has been found to be the best for 111111