

TO-DAY!

We offer in stock and to arrive:

50 brls. Green Cabbage.
100 brls. New Potatoes.
50 crates Bananas.
40 kegs New Grapes.
10 cases Naples Oranges.
20 cases Calif. Oranges.

SPECIAL:

40 cases Sultana Raisins.
50 cases 1 lb. tins Local Rabbit.
10 cases Fresh Eggs.

PHONE 480.

Soper & Moore.**The Moratorium.****ITS SCOPE AND EFFECT.**

(Liverpool Express, Aug. 8th.)
A considerable interest attaches to the exact effect of the Moratorium. The original Proclamation, together with the amendments recently announced, provides for the postponement of debts for one calendar month after the original agreed date of payment in the following cases:—
All payments payable before the 4th day of September, 1914.

(i) In respect of any Bill of Exchange (being a cheque or bill on demand) which was drawn before the 4th day of August, 1914.

(ii) In respect of any negotiable instrument (not being a bill of exchange) dated before the 4th day of August, 1914.

(iii) In respect of any contracts made before the 4th day of August, 1914.

The following proviso is, however, made:—

If advantage is taken of the Moratorium the debt shall bear interest in respect of the month of grace at the Bank of England rate current on the 7th day of August, 1914 (i.e. at 6 per cent).

The Proclamation does not apply to:—
(1) Any payment in respect of wages or salary.

(2) Any payment in respect of a liability which, when occurred, did not exceed £5 in amount. It should be noticed that hire purchase agreements for goods exceeding £5 in value come under the operation of this clause.

(3) Any payment in respect of rates or taxes.

(4) Any payment in respect of maritime freight. The reason stated by the Chancellor was that it would otherwise be impossible to pay wages.

(5) Any payment in respect of any debt from any person resident outside the British Isles, or from any firm, company, or institution whose principal business is outside the British Isles, not being a debt incurred in the British Isles by a person, firm, company, or institution, having a business establishment or a branch establishment in the British Isles.

(6) Any payment in respect of any dividend or interest payable in respect of stocks, funds, or securities (other than real or heritable securities) in which trustees are, under Section 1 of the Trustee Act, or any other Act for the time being, authorized to invest.

(7) Any liabilities of a bank of issue in respect of banknotes issued by that bank.

(8) Any payment to be made by or on behalf of His Majesty or any Government Department, including the payment of old-age pensions.

(9) Any payment to be made by any person or society in pursuance of the National Insurance Act or any Act amending the same, whether in the nature of contributions or benefit.

(10) Any payment under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, or any Act amending the same.

(11) Any payment in respect of the withdrawal of a deposit by a depositor in a trustee savings bank.

(12) Any payment of interest or the withdrawal of deposits by depositors in trustee savings banks.

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MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DYING

National Fund.

Splendid Response to the Prince's Appeal—Over £250,000 in a Day. (Liverpool Express, Aug. 8, '14.)
The appeal by the Prince of Wales on behalf of a National Relief Fund, has met with an immediate and magnificent response.

Remittances poured in at Buckingham Palace throughout yesterday, and the total subscriptions speedily exceeded a quarter of a million. The first contribution to the fund of which His Royal Highness is Treasurer, was from the Prince's own regiment, the First Life Guards, who sent £18,000. The other chief subscribers included:

The King, £5,000.
The Queen, 1,000 guineas.
Queen Alexandra, £500.
The Prince of Wales, £3,000.
The Princess Royal, £500.
Princess Victoria, £250.
Mr. George Costes, £50,000.
Lord Ashton, £25,000.
Messrs. L. M. Rothschild & Sons, £10,000.
Mr. William Morrison, £10,000.
Sir Ernest Cassel, the Anglo-American Oil Co., Sir Wm. Hartley, Messrs. Lever Bros., Lord Iveagh, Lord Northcliffe and Lord Salisbury, £5,000 each.

Lord Rothmers, £2,500.
The "Daily Mirror," £2,500.
Messrs. Ogilvy, Gillanders and Co., Harrods Stores, Ltd., and Mr. H. Selfridge, 1,000 guineas each.

The Duke of Sutherland, Lord Armitstead, Lord Dartmouth, Lord Lansdowne, Earl Listowel, Lord Mount-Stephen, the Fishmongers' Co., Lord Ridley, Lord Revelstoke, Lord Zetland, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Baron de Forest, Sir Robert Jardine, Sir Alfred Mond (first subscription), Messrs. Geo. Newnes, Ltd., "The News of the World," Mr. Alfred Brassey, Mr. Frank Bibby, Mr. Charles Morley, Mr. Oswald Stoll, Mr. Edward Wormald, Messrs. Cook, Son, and Co., Messrs. Oppenheim and Co., the Bank of Ireland, Mr. H. Appender, Lord Rosebery, Mr. H. G. Vanderbilt, the Earl of Plymouth, Miss Stancombe Wills, Sir Robert Finlay, Messrs. Joseph Lyons and Co., Ltd., and the Duke of Norfolk gave £1,000 each.

The Bishop of London, Lord Burnham and Lord Linlithgow were among the subscribers of £500.

The leaders of the Free Churches, the Roman Catholic Church, the Salvation Army, and other religious bodies are recommending church collections on behalf of the fund on Sunday, the 16th inst.

"The Lie."**A Two Reel Drama at the Crescent.**

An all feature programme is shown at the Crescent Picture Palace to-day as the holiday bill that counts. "The Lie," a gold seal two reel drama featuring M. J. MacQuarrie who stars as Auld McGregor, and Pauline Bush who impersonates the character of McGregor's daughter. It is a splendid story of American life and undoubtedly the best gold seal subject seen here.

"The Lightning Bolt" is also an ideal illustration in which the noted players, Wallace Reid and Dorothy Davenport are in the leading roles.

"The Trials of Alexander" is a true comedy, a laughable sketch produced by the celebrated artist H. Mayer.

The principal treat of the program is the song by Miss Alice Clark who will be heard in the attractive ballad: "If This Rose Could Tell all it Knows." This is the big list of attractions that was promised to the Crescent patrons and it is in every respect an all feature show that will provide a good hour's enjoyment. See "The Lie" for an interesting story.

On Friday and Saturday "The Lep-er's Coat."

McMurdo's Store News.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 19, '14.

Acme Corn Silk has done great work in even the most obstinate cases of corns, relieving the pain and in many cases extracting the corn entirely with one application. The simplicity of its use, the tolerably uniform results from its employment all tend to make it one of the most useful of corn remedies. Price 10c. a pkg.

Sulpho-Naphthol, one of the latest comers into the field of disinfectants, is one of the most potent as a purifier, deodorant and antiseptic. Sulpho-Naphthol has a great value in the United States, where its value is well recognized. Price 15, 35 and 70c. a bottle.

Here and There.

If you wish to see Newfoundland Souvenirs in great variety at low prices go to **TRAPNELL'S**—223.1

Owing to conditions caused by the European war, and the general depression in trade, the proposed circus which was to be held here in October next will likely be called off. Mr. H. Meyerhoff is now touring the Canadian cities with his attractions and will perform at the County Fair at Sydney during next month, after which the company will likely be temporarily disbanded.

War News.**KING'S MESSAGE TO TROOPS.**

Special to Evening Telegram.

LONDON, Aug. 18.

A stirring message from King George to the Expeditionary Force, was read out to each regiment as it left its port of departure, under sealed orders, as follows: "You are leaving home to fight for the safety and honor of my Empire. Belgium, whose country we are pledged to defend, has been attacked, and France is about to be invaded by the same powerful foe. I have implicit confidence in you, my soldiers. Duty is your watchword, and I know your duty will be nobly done. I shall follow your every movement with deepest interest, and shall mark with eager satisfaction your daily progress. Indeed, your welfare will never be absent from my thoughts. I pray God to bless and guard you, and to bring you back victorious."

ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME GIVEN TO GENERAL FRENCH IN PARIS.

PARIS, Aug. 18.

Feld Marshal, Sir John French, arrived at Paris shortly after midnight on Saturday, to convey salutations of the British nation to France. The Commander-in-Chief of the British Expeditionary Army, was welcomed by distinguished officers of the French General Staff, the British Ambassador and a number of French Cabinet Ministers. As General French dressed in his khaki uniform stepped from the train, a roar of cheering for England and France rose from the great crowd of people who sang the National Anthems of the two countries. General French drove to the British Embassy and his motor car all the way through the streets was the centre of a human whirlpool. Even the police were excited and wholly unable to restrain the populace which surged around the car shouting, clamorously "Hurrah for French! Hurrah for England! Hurrah for France!" Women held their children above the crowd to see the famous English General, whose motor car was soon filled with small flags and cockades. After sleeping at the Embassy, French paid a visit to the Palace Elisee, where he had a conference with President Poincare.

GERMANS ADMIT DEFEAT.

BERLIN, via Copenhagen and London, Aug. 18.

The Wolff Bureau, a semi-official German news agency, yesterday gave out the following account of the battle of Mulhausen: "One and a half French army corps entered Upper Alsace, while our troops were still concentrating. Nevertheless we attacked the enemy, who was thrown back towards Belfort, but whose march afterwards continued. A small section of artillery from Strassburg was defeated, and two batteries, which had been rendered useless, were taken by the enemy who then marched toward Schermek, eight miles from Saales, Alsace. An investigation is being held to learn if any treachery exists among the local population."

UNITED STATES**ABSOLUTELY NEUTRAL.**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.

Secretary of State Bryan refused to-day to discuss the Japanese ultimatum with Hamel Haumhausen, the German attache. Later it was stated the Secretary said he wished to remain absolutely neutral in the whole affair. The United States has received no representations from the Kaiser's Government so far as Haumhausen could say.

KITCHENER'S GOOD ADVICE.

LONDON, Aug. 18.

Every man of the British Expeditionary force which has landed in France carries in his knapsack a little pamphlet, signed by Earl Kitchener, containing two hundred words of soldierly advice. The Field Marshal tells them to fear God and Honor the King and their Country, to remember that they will be fighting on the soil of a friendly nation, to abstain from liquor and looting, and to be courteous to women and no more than courteous.

RESERVISTS HURRYING HOME.

MONTREAL, Aug. 18.

Eight hundred French reservists will sail from Montreal to-morrow morning. Many of the men lived in Canada, others came from the United States and Mexico.

LONDON, Aug. 18.

The British Expeditionary force landed on the shores of France without a single casualty. The reception of the British soldiers everywhere in France was enthusiastic.

PASSING THROUGH THE CANAL.

COLON, Aug. 18.

The first warship to pass through the Panama Canal was the Peruvian destroyer Teniente Rodriguez, which

made the trip this morning, when the steamer Admiral Dewey also went through.

AMERICAN WOMEN'S WAR FUND.

LONDON, Aug. 18.

At the first meeting of the American Women's War Relief Society, held to-day, \$80,000 was subscribed. Subscriptions ranged from \$25,000 to a few shillings.

CANADIAN PARLIAMENT IN SESSION.

OTTAWA, Aug. 18.

What will be recalled as the "War Parliament," was opened this afternoon by H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught. The opening ceremony was devoid of all social functions, such as have characterized similar functions in the past, and in their stead was a silent evidence of deep appreciation of the grave issues with which the Parliament of Canada has been called to deal. There was a full attendance of members of both Houses, and the scene in the Senate Chamber was rather unbusiness-like than brilliant. His Royal Highness and a side-decade-camp were attired in service uniforms of khaki instead of the customary scarlet and gold lace, for the first time since Ottawa became the capital. The soldiers taking part in the ceremony paraded in drill uniform. The Duchess of Connaught, Princess Patricia with their ladies-in-waiting, were the only ladies on the floor of the Senate Chamber. Following the informal introduction of the bill respecting administration of oaths of office, by the Prime Minister, the House was placed in possession of the Order-in-Council passed by the Government in connection with war measures up to to-day, and the correspondence which had taken place between the Prime Minister and Hon. Geo. Perley, acting High Commissioner at London. Hon. J. D. Hazen brought down the Order-in-Council dealing with the organization of the Volunteer Naval Reserve in Canada. The motion of Sir Robert Borden opening the debate on the address in reply was fixed for to-morrow.

A Mighty Asset.

"Let it go forth to the ends of the earth that the mother in her hour of stress is cheered and upheld by the loyal devotion of her sons," says the Pall Mall Gazette, referring to the enthusiastic offers of help to the Mother Country from the Dominions. "Amid the heavy preoccupations of the hour, it may seem that the Britons at home have not responded as warmly as they might to the eager offers of sympathy and assistance which have come from the Britons beyond the Seas.

"They have sunk deep into our hearts, nevertheless, and the harvest of the seed so sown will be rich and bounteous.

"No nation of all the young nations is behind the rest; as all party strife has ceased at home, so Government and Opposition in Canada, in Australia, in New Zealand, and in South Africa, speak with one voice. To the last shilling, and to the last drop of their blood, the sons stand beside their mother.

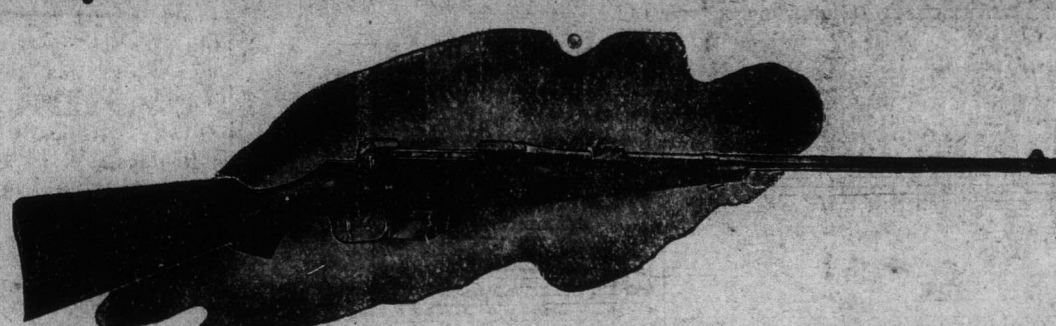
"It is a precious endorsement, in the first place, of the justice of our cause. The Dominions, composed in three instances at any rate, of men of diverse race, remote from the politics and divisions of Europe, fearful as they have always shown themselves of European 'militarism,' will offer their lives only to resist oppression and aggression. Young eyes see clearly. The eyes of the sons see that, in the light before her, Great Britain stands once more for freedom, for justice, and for the right of the weak against the strong. Their rally to the Old Flag proclaims to the world that the British Empire is and means to remain the guarantor of humane civilisation.

"That is the moral effect which the union of the Family will have on Britain and the world. Physically, although the contingents they offer are small in number compared with the mighty hosts now moving on the Continent, the strength which we shall derive from their support will be very great. Sir Edward Grey warned us that we must suffer terribly, whether at war or at peace, from the closing of all Europe to our trade. Yes. But the Empire is at our back, and, while the way of the sea is open—and of that we feel no fear—from it we shall draw an economic strength denied to any other nation.

"We can count on our kith and kin to send us the supplies we require; if need be to take special measures to see that the masses in the Old Country do not want. If their citizen soldiery should meet the warriors of the Continent face to face, we are confident that the men of the prairie, the bush and the wild will show the serried legions, the worth of free men fighting as volunteers in a just cause. But, if that should not come to pass, the moral and economic support we shall draw from the United Empire will prove a mighty asset in our favour."

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