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### THE THOUGHT

COAL.

The burning question is still hanging over the atmosphere, and (not of coal) are smouldering breasts of the people. And not out a cause. Seldom has business opportunity taken such a chance as "rich quick" at the expense of the for at this time of the year but those who cannot afford to stock of coal in is without a doubt Messrs. Harvey, Stabb & Co., and Morey, for it practically has been down to these firms, waiting for the side their own stocks and without usual notification to the public. They sprang this New Year Gift on the poor. They knew that coal could be imported under a ton of ten or eleven dollars a ton and the Jolly Miller they made their money. They had never attempted any venture before and I don't know whether they dream that they will be called as they were to the meeting last Wednesday to answer searching questions.

The principal Coal Merchants quite outspoken in the matter. He says he is not in the business for philanthropic reasons and it is his duty to supply and demand. He says that he has the courage to stand plain unvarnished truth. And he also says, it is his duty to take advantage in this way and he is only culprit on Water Street. He says that does make his action less morally wrong. Don't you see that such actions are absolutely opposed to the ideals and principles of Christianity? In one way a man who says that business has nothing to do with morals is to be pitied. Some cold-blooded heartless disregard of others' necessity must surely mean a joyless life. But then what a lot of people suffer unnecessarily because of the actions of one or two individuals. It is proper and legitimate that the Government should step in and see that play. Shall a whole community suffer because a few merchants say "No" and you must pay for it? We have wasted three and more precious dollars on Monday morning action. Shall have been taken for nothing. It has been commended and the merchants chanted force, if moral suasion is not served, to sell it at the old price. Then let the Government make the arrangements, if they can do better than the coal dealers, and distribute cargoes to them all. As it is, I think that those who have bought coal in the week should be refunded the amount which they paid over the figure.

The following is an extract from a letter just received: "I know for a fact that this business man never takes a



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### From Styles to Tact.

By RUTH CAMERON.



RUTH CAMERON

There is a young girl who passes my window every morning on her way to work, who always has a delightfully chic appearance. She wears very simple clothes, but they have an air. She would walk down Fifth Avenue and not look dowdy, which to my mind is the supreme test.  
You may be thinking that her clothes, though simple, are probably very expensive. You are wrong. I thought so, too, until I found that she was a stenographer with comparatively little money to spend on herself. I've studied her since then and I've come to the conclusion that it is simply because she has the touch.

"What 'The Touch' is. What do I mean by the touch? Well, for instance, (one can often define a thing better by instances) when other girls were bemoaning the fact that their furs opened in the front and hence looked hopelessly old-fashioned, or even before had sensed that fact, this girl had furnished up her old fur by cutting off the worn edges and twisted it around to open at the proper angle under her left ear.  
Again, her veil is always hung at just the right angle, and I defy anyone to tell anything that gives more style to a costume than a veil draped at the very latest angle.

I Call This An Admirable Quality. We were talking about this girl the other day and I said how much I admired this quality in her. "I don't see anything particularly admirable about picking up the latest

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Ten young men enlisted yesterday, bringing the total number of enrollees up to 2,720. The latest volunteers are:—  
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Jacob Esau, St. John's.  
Ed. Hirst, St. John's.  
Wm. Jas. Healey, St. John's.  
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Wm. Moores, Pouch Cove.  
Jas. Vaters, Pouch Cove.  
Alex. Thistle, Pouch Cove.  
Sam. Sherman, Derby, Eng.  
Jerry Crowe, Torbay.

### SELFISHNESS.



JIM KICKSAW

Jim Kicksaw has a touring car, in which he journeys near and far. There's room for seven in it, the same, and Jim might bring to many a dame who seldom has a chance to ride, pure happiness ten cubits wide. But Jim would rather ride alone, than take some poor old gent or crone. He'd take a bumper or some skate who's made a pile in real estate; he'd load his car with damselfair, and still insist there's room to spare. He'd gladly take a joyous crew, to whom such rides are nothing new. But there are men with spavined limbs, and poor old dames with worn-out gisms; and crippled kids who sit and sigh, and gorgeous cars go whizzing by; and mothers, tired until their hearts jump in yearn for rides in choo-choo carts; and maiden aunts who trade their hair for three long braids of country air. But these will never ride with him; they're poor, and don't appeal to him; the men don't wear their whiskers straight, the women's hats are out of date, the kids have saddy pinafores, from rolling round on unwashed floors. There's nothing in it, any way; you haul the poor for half a day, and all you get for it is thanks; they have no assets in the banks.

### Until the Thing is Ended.

Rev. Campbell Morgan thus states what he thinks should be the temper in which Peace is to be considered. "The Christian temper is that of a fulness of love of God for humanity, involving hatred of all that insults God by injuring His humanity.  
"The Christian temper must stand firm and true in national thinking and national life, insisting upon it that no terms can be made with any nation, or any system of government, that is guilty of any sin such as that of Armenia. I declare to you in the midst of this city that I cannot conceive that the Christian Church can ever give its consent to any Government to consider any terms of peace with the German Emperor.  
"It seems to me that this nation at least will have to say we cannot discuss terms of peace with the present constitution of an empire that has violated every sanction of humanity and trodden under foot all things bright and beautiful. That to me is the Christian temper, born of a passionate love for humanity.  
"It is the vision and power of God's love for humanity, for humanity is such that we must hate with His hatred, not the individuals, but the conceptions and philosophies, and if Governments abandon themselves to these conceptions and philosophies, and identify themselves with these things, then we must be in conflict with them also until the thing is ended in the name of Truth, Right and an Infinite Compassion."

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### The Call That Cannot be Answered.

"The statistics supplied recently by the German General Staff show that the German wastage has actually been maintained at a higher rate than the French anticipated when they published their first estimate of numbers in January, last," says Col. F. N. Maude, C.B., in the Star.  
"Then they calculated that by the current month, unless the Germans modified their tactics, the whole 4,500,000 valid lighters available to reinforce the first line of about 4,000,000 men would be exhausted, and after that date the numbers at the front would begin to fall. Further useful reinforcements simply did not exist in the country."  
"But the average rate on which the French had calculated was materially increased. The result is that the whole of the 4,500,000 is practically exhausted, and nothing remains in the country to make good the daily losses but the more or less 'medically unfit' and the classes of Landstrum over 45 years of age (which have been depleted by the volunteers they furnished at the outbreak of the war) and the contingents of 1917-18, which also have suffered from the same cause of depletion."

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### Sunday Services

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

**Cathedral of St. John the Baptist.**—Sunday—Holy Communion at 8 a.m.; also on the first Sunday of the month at 7 and 12.15. Other services at 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Thursdays—Holy Communion, 7.15 a.m. Other Days—Matins 8 a.m.; Evensong 5.30 p.m. Fridays—7.30, with sermon. Public Catechising—Every Sunday in the month at 3.30 p.m.  
**St. Michael's Mission Church, Casey Street.**—Holy Communion at 8 and 11 on the 3rd Sunday of the month, and 8 on other Sundays. Other services, 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.  
**Sunday Schools—Cathedral, at 2.45 p.m. Mission Church at 2.45 p.m.**  
**Cathedral Men's Bible Class, in the Synod Building every Sunday at 3 p.m. All men invited to attend.**  
**PARISH OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN, ST. JOHN'S WEST.**  
**Hours of Service in the Parish Church.**—Sunday—Holy Communion every Sunday at 8 a.m.; also, on the first and third Sundays in each month at noon. Wednesdays—Holy Communion and Intercessions on behalf of the War, at 10.30 a.m. Fridays—Evensong & Intercessions on behalf of the War at 7.30 p.m. Holy Baptism—Every Sunday at 8.30 p.m. Public Catechising—The third Sunday in each month at 3 p.m. Churching of Women—Before any Service.  
**Sunday School—At 2.30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.**  
**Young Women's Bible Class—Every Sunday at 2.45 p.m. in the Parish Room.**  
**BROOKFIELD SCHOOL CHAPEL.**—Sunday School—Every Sunday at 4 p.m.

### Amusements.

CHAPLIN COMEDY IS VERY FUNNY.

Excellent, was the general pronouncement of the large audiences at the Nickel Theatre yesterday afternoon and last evening. The pictures were all particularly good. "The Esterbrook Case," a Broadway all-star feature film is one of the best ever given. The story is an interesting one which calls for able acting. The Vitagraph artists gave an extremely good presentation. The Chaplin Comedy was a very funny one and kept the audiences in roars of laughter. This evening the whole programme will be repeated. Hundreds of citizens like to attend the Nickel on Saturday evenings as the theatre is a popular resort. Monday the serial beautiful: "The Goddess" will be continued. This is the most charming serial ever photographed.

### GO TO THE CRESCENT PICTURE PALACE.

Go to the Crescent Picture Palace to-day and have a good laugh. Lloyd V. Hamilton, the funniest man in the movies and Bud Duncan appear in "Lotta Coins Ghost," the funniest play you've seen in a long while. Tom Mix, the favorite cowboy actor, features in "The Conversion of Smiling Tom," a fine western drama. A fine detective drama is "The Tattooed Hand," an episode of the girl detective series the Crescent has been running for some time. "The Face at the Curtain" is a society drama presenting G. M. Anderson.

### BRITISH THEATRE.

The programme presented at the British last night was full of interest and drew very fair audiences. "Consistently good" is the aim of this house, and they are succeeding in attracting a clientele who appreciate their work. All pictures are chosen with an eye to the uplifting and amusement of patrons. The singing and playing of Madame Timmons and Prof. P. J. McCarthy are easily the outstanding feature of any entertainment of the kind, and to music lovers must prove a very strong attraction. At the matinee to-day there will be shown The Black Box for the benefit of the children. There will be a continuous show to-day for their benefit. Quite a few reels in addition to the above will be put on, something that will give them lots of fun. Send the children and make a big bumper matinee this afternoon.

### NEW PANTOMIME—JACK AND JILL—ON MONDAY.

Those patrons who delighted in Beauty and The Beast will be more than pleased with the great new pantomime on Monday, "Jack and Jill" for its most sparkling fun. Miss Madge Locke has drilled the girls in several new dances that are real eye openers. Miss Locke is a most expert lady dancer besides being a high class vocalist. Mr. Ballard Brown in several very fine songs. The whole show right through is full of dances, a regular dancing revue. The Terra Nova Girl, The Sunshine Girls and the Baby Pink and Blue Girls all in sparkling new costumes, songs and dances. The Roseleys, our old favorites, are still on deck.

### Bonds Expire.

The bonds for the five men who are charged with conspiracy and attempted to defraud respecting the loss of the schooner Henry M. Stanley, on the Labrador coast in September, will expire on Monday next, January 10th when the final preliminary hearing of the case will take place.

The regular meeting of the St. John's Mechanics' Society will be held on Monday evening next at 8 o'clock. By order JAS. A. LEAHEY, Sec.—Jan 8, 11

### Heroic Death of Pte. John Fitzgerald.

CHAPLIN COMEDY IS VERY FUNNY.

An officer of the Newfoundland Regiment writing to a friend in the city says that "if ever a man won the V. C. it was John Fitzgerald." Speaking of his heroic death which occurred in Gallipoli on December 1st, the officer says: "Private McLeod had been wounded in the leg and the call came for stretcher bearers. Fitzgerald ran forward and while assisting the wounded soldier he was shot in the leg. Though wounded himself he cheerfully said to McLeod: 'Mac, old boy, they've got me, but I hope they will give me time to fix you up before they finish me.' Just as he had finished dressing the wounds, he received four shots in the body and was killed instantly." The officer concludes by saying that he has no doubt that if Fitzgerald had got back to the trenches, he would have been recommended for a Victoria Cross.

### If All Played Out, Try This Prescription.

When that overpowering weariness and a never-rested feeling comes over you, it shows some serious disorder is undermining your health. The cure is simple. Build up the system and nourish the body back to health by pure wholesome food.

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### C. M. B. C.

The meeting of the Class will be held to-morrow afternoon in the Synod Building at the usual hour. As it is the annual meeting and the annual meeting will take place. The reports of the past year will be presented and those in charge of the various departments will refer to the extensive work that is being done by the Class. Then will follow the election of officers for the ensuing year. As it is the annual meeting and the most important of the series, no doubt every member of the class will be present to share in the deliberations for its continued welfare and increased usefulness.

### ESSENCE OF GINGER WINE.

Having had considerable correspondence with parties in the Old Country, I have at last succeeded in obtaining the genuine and original recipe for the "Essence" of Ginger Wine, which I now offer at cents per bottle. This recipe has been safely guarded for a great many years. It was originally prepared by an old Squire in Lancashire, A.D. 1776. It is made from the purest ingredients, and is strictly non-alcoholic. It makes an ideal Christmas drink for the young and the old. The contents of one fifteen-cent bottle, mixed with three quarts of hot water, in which there has been previously dissolved one and a quarter pounds of sugar, makes the Ginger Wine ready for use. I have much pleasure in introducing this old (but still new) preparation.

### Broke His Wrist.

Mr. Andrew K. Lumsden, buyer for Messrs. Jas. Baird, Ltd., met with a painful accident yesterday. While passing along Cochrane Street he slipped on the icy surface and fell, breaking his wrist. He had to be assisted to his home nearby and attended by a doctor. About a year ago Mr. Lumsden broke the same member.