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Many people will want to send something representative of Newfoundland to friends in England, Scotland, the States, Canada, and other places. As a Christmas gift nothing that you could send would be prized as highly as a copy of this book, telling what Newfoundland's Sons did in the Great War.

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London.—The total compensation  
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Act of Ireland act during the period from  
June 1, 1920 to Sept. 30, 1921, was ap-

proximately £28,000,000. The figures  
were given by Sir Hamar Greenwood,  
Chief Secretary for Ireland, to a ques-  
tioner in the House of Commons.

Real English Stilton Cheese  
at ELLIS—dec3, 17

## Obituary.

PATRICK O'NEILL.  
(H. F. SHORTIS).

With the passing of Mr. Patrick O'Neill on Sunday morning last, not only did his family lose a loving and devoted husband, a kind and gentle father, but the community at large lost a member of the most highly respected citizen, and the Reid Newfoundland Company an old, faithful and trustworthy servant. His death was not unexpected for the fact that his strength was gradually failing was obvious to all who knew him, yet the news carried with it a thrill of grief that extended beyond his native place. His personal demeanor was modest, approachable and kindly—sincerely religious and animated by a spirit of service, as well as taking a keen and cheerful interest in the affairs of our country to the end despite his somewhat lengthy illness. Pat O'Neill was a type of manhood which has helped to make Newfoundland what it is, and whose clean and industrious life will be impressed upon generations to come. He was a genial good companion, a staunch and loyal friend, a sincere and exemplary Catholic, generous to those who asked aid of him, industrious, of unquenchable integrity and in every way a thorough good citizen.

Patrick O'Neill was born in Harbor Grace well over eighty years ago descended from that sturdy and industrious old Kerry stock that did so much towards advancing agriculture in their adopted country. The Kerry people were noted for their longevity, and his mother attained the great age of 106 years. At a very early age Mr. O'Neill prosecuted the seal and Labrador fisheries with that famous old Viking, Capt. Patrick Kelly, in the brigantine Haldee, and for many years with Capt. John Scully in the brigantine Jane. He also made many voyages in our mercantile marine to foreign ports, and was on several trips with that famous Arctic navigator, Capt. Richard Pike, both in the S.S. Retriever, S. S. Proteus and other ships of seal and steam. He was with Capt. Pike in the Proteus in 1875, when that great seal-killer brought in over 41,000 seals, and a good second trip. Although prosecuting the fisheries and sailing on foreign voyages, he combined agriculture with these means of livelihood, and the result can be seen to-day in the extensive farm and beautiful home-stand possessed by his family, and comfortable and picturesque appearance of the scene, in which may be seen the cattle, pigs, poultry and all the utilities which go to make up a truly happy home. At the very commencement of the opening up of the Railway by Messrs. Reid and Middleton, Patrick O'Neill was recommended to the contractors by the late Sir Ambrose Shea as a truly honest, faithful and trustworthy man, to become, what I shall call, a confidential servant. Quickly that keen judge of character, the late Sir Robert Reid recognized that he had found his man in the fisherman—sailor—farmer of the old school. From that day, the beginning of railway operations to Hall's Bay, to the time of his death, Patrick O'Neill was looked upon more as a tried and trusted friend than as a servant, and nothing could exceed the confidence reposed in him and the kindness extended towards him. He was given by Sir Robert Reid and his three sons, as well as by every man in the employ of the Reid Newfoundland Company. Some twelve years ago the faithful old servant wished to return to his native town, and the moment he made his request it was readily granted by the Messrs. Reid; he was transferred to the Railway Station at Harbor Grace and they took the deepest interest in their old friend up to the last. During his long service in the company, he carried many thousands of letters and many hundreds of thousands of dollars, walking from one end of the line to the other at Port aux Basques, with the wages of the army of operatives along the railway; yet never had it been known that one cent was lost, much less a letter. All the Messrs. Reid would say was, "Is it all right, Pat?"—and receiving the reply in the affirmative, that ended the matter. Such was the confidence the Messrs. Reid and their officials placed in the work of good, honest, faithful Patrick O'Neill.

His funeral took place yesterday, and his mortal remains now rest in peace in the family plot in the Roman Catholic Cemetery at Harbor Grace—R.I.P.

## Cheap Steel From India.

BIG PRODUCTION PLANNED.  
London (A.P. Mail)—India will soon be able to produce the cheapest steel in the world, says an announcement by two British firms which have undertaken to organize the "United Steel Corporation of India, Ltd." They propose to establish, as soon as possible, works on a large scale, near deposits of iron, coal and limestone. Iron ore of high quality, fluxes of suitable character, and excellent coking coal occur close together in Bihar and Orissa, the companies state, and the cost of these materials is much lower than has to be paid for them in other steel-producing countries. The plant to be erected in India is designed to produce eventually 500,000 to 700,000 tons of pig iron, with steel works and rolling mills capable of producing 450,000 tons of finished steel a year.

Mrs. Carson Says  
Life Was Simply  
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"That I am a well and happy woman to-day I owe to Tanlac, and there is nothing too good for me to say about this grand medicine. My only regret is that I didn't take it years ago."  
Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

Popular Cakes  
for Christmas.

Take ½ lb. of butter and ½ lb. of castor sugar, and in a basin beat these ingredients to a nice light cream. Separate the whites from the yolks of four eggs, and drop into the cream one yolk at a time, beating each vigorously into the cream. Then add a teaspoonful of sweet milk. Mix ½ lb. of flour with ½ lb. of ground rice, a teaspoonful of baking powder being also added. Add these dry things in spoonfuls, beating all the time. Beat the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth, and lastly mix them in gently with or without a few drops of either lemon or vanilla flavouring. Put the mixture into a prepared cake tin, and bake for one and a half hours in a moderate oven.

## Fruit Cake.

Into a basin put ½ lb. of margarine, also ½ lb. of butter and 1 lb. of castor sugar, and beat these two with the hand or a wooden spoon until the mixture becomes a nice cream. Beat well half a dozen of eggs, adding to them half a teaspoonful of milk. Mix on a plate ½ lb. of flour, with 1½ teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Add a little of the flour alternately along with some of the egg and milk, and keep on adding these ingredients until they are all used up, beating well all the time. To the mixture add ½ lb. of sultanas, ½ lb. of currants which have been previously washed, dried, and picked, also ½ lb. of glace cherries cut in halves. Put the mixture into a prepared tin, and bake the cake in a moderate oven from two and a half to three hours.

## Scott's Currant Bun.

Put into a basin 1½ breakfast-cups of flour and half teaspoonful of baking powder, and crumble in 2oz. of margarine and 2oz. of dripping. Mix these to a paste with cold water, then knead. Cut a portion of the paste for the top, roll out the remainder thinly, and line a well-greased cake tin with it. Put into a large basin 1 lb. of flour, ½ lb. of sugar, ½ oz. of ground ginger, ½ oz. of cinnamon, and ½ oz. of Jamaica pepper, a teaspoonful of baking soda, a teaspoonful of cream of tartar, and half a teaspoonful of black pepper. Lightly mix together the above ingredients, then add 2 lb. of large blue raisins (stoned), 2 lb. of currants, and 1 lb. of sultanas (washed, dried, and picked). Blanch and shred ½ lb. of almonds and shred ½ lb. of orange peel, mixing these in also. Moisten all the ingredients with a breakfast-cupful of milk, and press the mixture into the lined cake tin, and be sure that the corners are well packed and the top of the cake flat. Brush the edges with water, roll out the piece reserved for the top, and tuck it neatly in at the edges. Prick the top with a fork, brush with egg, and bake in a moderate oven from two and a half to three hours.

## Palm Cake.

Wash, dry, and pick ½ lb. of currants, also ½ lb. of sultanas; shred ½ lb. of mixed candied peel—lemon and orange—and cut up ½ lb. of glace cherries. Beat to a cream ½ lb. of butter with 1 lb. of castor sugar. Beat well eight eggs, adding to them a teaspoonful of milk. Mix 1½ lb. of flour with a pinch of salt, 1½ teaspoonfuls of baking powder, and a teaspoonful of mixed spices, consisting of cinnamon, ground cloves, and nutmeg. To the beaten cream gradually add in small quantities the dry things with the eggs and milk, beating all thoroughly together. Lastly, mix in the prepared fruit, and bake the cake from two

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## Not Common.

A country clergyman was preaching  
on an obscure point of theology, which  
he explained in an original and striking  
manner. He concluded by saying:  
"This is entirely my own view. Com-  
mentators do not agree with me."  
The next day he was informed that  
one of his parishioners wished to see  
him. Going into his study he was greet-  
ed with cordiality by one of his sleep-  
ers, who happened to be a market  
gardener.  
"Morning, sir," beamed the caller.  
"Heard you say yesterday as common  
taters didn't agree w' yer, so I've  
brought a sack of my best. Hope you'll  
get on better with them."

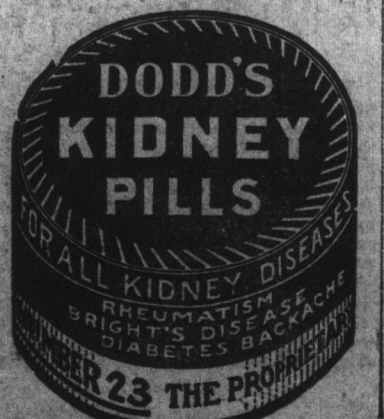
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Thursday.—dec20, 21

## He Got Even.

He was born in the last year of  
the last century, in the last month  
of the year, in the last week of the  
month, on the last day of the week,  
in the last hour of the day, in the last  
minute of the hour, on the last sec-

end of the minute. He was one of a  
twin. The two brothers were so much  
alike that no one could tell them  
apart. One day the school master  
spanked him instead of his brother.  
The teacher didn't know the differ-  
ence, but he did. His brother was  
charged with stealing, but he got ar-  
rested and fined. The policeman  
didn't know the difference, but he  
at last he said in despair, "I got even  
with him. I died last week, and they  
buried my brother."

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