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Photo Frames, Hand Mirrors, Hair Brushes,

Vases, Scent Bottles, Serviette Rings, Manicure Sets, Cigarette Cases, Match Boxes.

Brass & Copperware

Brass and Copper Kettles,

Copper and Brass Jardiniers, Vienna Coffee Machines.

CUTLERY

Sets of Table Cutlery, Carvers, Pocket Knives, Scissors.

G. Knowling.

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Island Home Lodge.

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir.—On Thursday, the 7th inst., Island Home L. O. A. No. 39, held its annual election of officers which resulted as follows:— W.M.—Bro. Stephen Johnson—elected. D.M.—Bro. Wm. Driscoll—elected. Chaplain—Bro. G. Johnson—elected. Rec. Sec.—Bro. K. Morris—elected. Fin. Sec.—Bro. Ismael Cooper—elected. Treasurer—Bro. F. Lewis—re-elected. 1st Lect.—Bro. G. Fagner—elected. 2nd Lect.—Bro. Herbert Bursey—elected. D. of C.—Bro. Stephen Garland—elected. Inside Tyler—Bro. E. W. Reid—elected. Outside Tyler—Bro. Jno. G. Snelgrove—elected. Senior Committeeman—Bro. Joshua Wheeler—elected. NEMO. Lower Island Cove, Dec. 8th, 1911.

The Gift That Pleases.

There is no gift more acceptable at Xmas than a photograph. We cannot suggest a more delightful present than a portrait by S. H. PARSONS & SONS. A good portrait is a possession of great charm—a human document—always interesting—always welcome. We have revolutionized our photographic methods and all photographs taken up to the 15th of the month will be delivered before Xmas. Studio: Corner Water and Prescott Streets. dec.2,1w.

S.A. Xmas Dinner.

Staff-Captain Cave acknowledges with thanks the following subscriptions sent to Provincial Headquarters for the Xmas dinner for the poor:— Sir Ralph Williams, \$10. Bowring Bros., \$10. Hon. R. Watson, \$10. Royal Stores, Ltd., \$5. Hon. M. P. Cashin, \$5. C. A. C. Bruce, \$5. Inspector General Sullivan, \$3. C. W., \$2. Hayward & Co., \$2. Dr. A. B. Lehr, \$2. William Frew, \$2. Hon. J. D. Ryan, \$2. Friend, \$2. Geo. W. B. Ayre, \$1. N. A. O., \$1. Mrs. McCoubrey, 50 cts. T. McNamara, box of currants, William Campbell, beef.

Only One "BROMO QUININE," that is **Laxative Bromo Quinine** Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

E. W. Lyon on box, 25c

Cape Report.

SPECIAL TO EVENING TELEGRAM. CAPE RACE, To-Day. Wind west, light, with dense fog. The schr. Brown passed in at 4 p.m. yesterday; nothing in sight to-day. Bar. 29.69; ther. 36.

Last year, one week before Xmas, 250 bottles of Ess. of Ginger Wine were sold at Stafford's Drug Store, for only 10 cents a bottle.—dec6,1f

TWO ARRESTED.—The police arrested two men for drunkenness last night. They were held at the lock-up all night.

MOONEY'S BISCUITS.—A choice assortment containing varieties to satisfy every taste and suit every occasion.—

Small Cracknels, Arrowroot, Thin Wine, Tea Biscuits, Thin Marie, Sweet Wine, Coconut Fingers, Social Tea, etc.

Lunham's IRISH BACON, IRISH HAMS.

Fresh Herring. Frozen Herring.

Fresh Halifax SAUSAGES, Fancy Canadian CHEESE, Pure Canadian BUTTER, 1-lb. blocks.

Ex Florizel Dec. 6th. Corn Meal, Corn, Cattle Feed, Bran, Cotton Seed Meal. Ex Rosalind, 200 bags Black OATS, 150 bags White OATS.

C. P. EAGAN, Duckworth St. & Queen's Rd.

A Man Killed.

Mr. Hutchings, Deputy Minister of Justice, received the following message from Mr. Wm. Bradley, J. P. Lewisporte, this morning:—"Thomas Waelan, of Port Blainford, was killed last night by falling into the hold of S. S. Giesek; am preparing body for transmission by rail to his home." He leaves a wife and two children.

Why Not Go?

The Cake and Pudding Sale which the Ladies of St. Andrew's Church are giving, on to-morrow afternoon and night, in the Presbyterian Hall, is sure to be of interest to everybody. After the sale a grand concert will be given, commencing at 8 p.m. This part of the programme is being looked after by Miss Jean Stang which is a guarantee of its excellence. But this is not all. At 9.30 a Partridge Supper will bring to a close a very pleasant evening for you if you have been fortunate enough to be present.

Women to Serve State, is Idea.

One Year of Charity Work Would Offset Men's Military Service. Paris, France, Dec. 1.—The idea of Mme. Hiltker Schmidt, a Swiss physician, that all women should be required by law to devote one year of service to the state in some public charity, as men give military service, is discussed with interest by many French people. The press dislikes the compulsory phase, but the suggestion is made that women desiring government positions should be requested first to volunteer for one year's charitable service. Hitherto maternity has always been urged as an offset to military service, but the number of childless women is growing continually, and so Europe's conviction that all citizens owe a certain period of their lives to the state actually may culminate in such charitable services are now advocated. There would be many fields from which to choose. There is assistance to be given the aged, children, the sick, the infirm, the deformed and the indigent, and there is work to be done in maternity hospitals, in social settlements and in maternity hospitals, in social settlements and in numerous other so-called organizations. "The work is indeed favourable for general volunteer service everywhere in aid of movements to alleviate the ill of humanity—service in which women are eminently fitted to act." Advocates of the idea believe that many women who had planned business careers would relinquish them to remain in charitable work.

By the Prospero yesterday Const. S. White brought along a man named Sheppard, of Cattina, for the Penitentiary to serve a term of thirty days for using threatening language to a resident of the place.

Electric Restorer for Men Phosphonol restores every nerve in the body to its proper tension; restores strength and vitality. Preserves the heart and all internal organs. Phosphonol will relieve aches and pains. Price \$2 a box, or two for \$3.50. Mailed to any address. The Seaboard Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

A QUICK DESPATCH.—The Solway was given a quick discharge yesterday, the twenty cars of freight on board being discharged in less than 2 hours. She sailed at 1 a.m. to-day to bring another cargo from Sydney.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c. dec5,1u,1f

McMurdo's Store News.

TUESDAY, Dec. 12, 1911. Among the new ideas this year, we have secured Roger & Gallet's Violette de Parme in handsome individual boxes. This method of putting it up makes this exquisite perfume more than ever suitable for presents; and Milette de Parme is likely to be in considerable demand this Christmas. Price \$1.25 a box.

If you have not yet bought your essences and spices for the Christmas Pudding, you should ask your grocer for the Acme Brand of these indispensable ingredients. If you use these you will be sure to have a delicious pudding.

Ask your Druggist for **SERRAVALLO'S TONIC** (Bark and Iron Wine). Cures: ANAEMIA, CHLOROSIS, DEBILITY, Delightful Taste.

LAI TO REST.—The funeral of the late Nicholas Wadden took place yesterday afternoon and was largely attended. Rev. Fr. O'Callaghan recited the Requiem prayers at the Cathedral. Interment was at Belvedere.

THE PATIENT BRAIN

A tireless worker so long as supplied with rich, red blood. The brain is one of the most patient and industrious organs of the body. It can be induced, by good treatment, to perform prodigies of work. But it is sensitive and will not brook abuse. It responds to the lash at first, but if the lash is laid on too hard it breaks. Nervous trouble is generally brain trouble, and no suffering is to be compared to mental suffering, with the accompanying dread, suspicion and melancholy. One-fifth of the blood in the human body is consumed by the brain, so make the blood rich and red by using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and you will overcome diseases of the nerves. Headaches will disappear. Irritability will go, digestion will improve, and weakness and despondency will give place to new hope and courage, new vigor and energy.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food will enable you to avoid such extreme nervous trouble as prostration and paralysis. 50 cents a box, 6 boxes for \$2.50; at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

Wonderful Ship Will be the Gigantic.

London, November 25.—Remarkable details are now shown of the 1,000-ft. liner, the Gigantic, which the White Star Line has commissioned Harland & Wolff to build at Belfast. The beam will measure between 111 and 112 feet, the displacement will be 70,000 tons, and the gross tonnage over 50,000.

The levels will be a dozen or thirteen, with the highest over 75 feet above the water line. The passenger accommodation will be increased in the first class from 800 to 1,000 or more, and the total passengers that can be carried will number over 4,000.

The Gigantic will not be an ocean greyhound, but a seven-day boat. She will have both reciprocating and turbine engines. The cost is to be close on £2,000,000. She will have a cricket field, a tennis court, golf links and reception and ballrooms, and restaurant and verandah cafes, which will be placed forward instead of aft.

There will also be a plunge and all kinds of baths and a gymnasium. There will be a most elaborate scheme of decoration.

Here and There.

Obtain a bottle of Stafford's Ess. of Ginger Wine for Xmas, at only 10 cts. a bottle.—dec.6,1f

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.—A man from Botwood arrived by train last night to go to the Hospital. He has a serious internal disease and was taken to the Hospital by Mr. E. White-way.

Dr. de Van's Female Pills A reliable French regulator of the female system. These pills are exceedingly powerful in regulating the generative portion of the female system. Relieve all cheap imitations. Dr. de Van's are sold at 25c a box, or three for \$1.00. Mailed to any address. The Seaboard Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

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HOME FROM SYDNEY.—A large number of Newfoundlanders working at Sydney all the summer and fall returned by the S. S. Invermore last trip to spend Christmas holidays with friends.

The Kohler and Tonk Planos are celebrated for their pure tone and lasting qualities. Selected by us as specially adapted for our humid climate—very little tuning required. CHESLEY WOODS, Sole Nfld. Agent. nov25,1f

"Amid this mighty fuss just let me mention, the Rights of Woman merit some attention," and at the present moment we are devoting all our energies by trying to please them with the most genuine values in every line of dry goods to be had at RODGER'S Sale.—dec12,1f

The Ladies of St. Andrew's Church will hold their annual Cake and Pudding Sale, in the Presbyterian Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 13th, at 3 o'clock; grand concert at 8 p.m., and partridge supper at 9.30 p.m. Admission, 10 cents.—dec11,2f

UNDERWENT OPERATION.—Mr. Angus Crane, of Joh Bros. & Co.'s employ, underwent a dangerous operation in the General Hospital yesterday, an abscess was removed from the appendix. Though very weak he is doing well and his complete recovery is looked for in time.

STOP—READ THIS!—And don't wait till Christmas week to order your Overcoat. We have a nice selection of Tweed and Melton Overcoats which we make up in the very latest style from \$15 to \$24. Have a look at them, then you will order. SPURRELL BROS. 365 Water Street, next door to Parker & Monroe's West End Store. Phone 574. dec7.eod

ANOTHER GOOD CATCH.—Mr. A. Z. Martin and two other hands with him went out on the fishing grounds yesterday in their motor boat and made another good catch of fish. They secured two quintals of cod of very large size. One of the first was a large fellow which weighed nearly 50 lbs. Mr. Martin says that cod are as plentiful as at any time during the summer on the grounds about two miles off the shore.

Downstairs.

Upstairs.

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Seasonable.

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Choice, Useful, Numerous. Must be seen to realize the Wonderful Assortment and Value.

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Last Week of the BIG SALE!

A Record in Bargain Giving. Sweeping Clear Out of Odds and Ends. YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY.

Marvelous values were given away last week, but for the next few days customers will be astonished at the astounding cheapness of the clearance lines.

There will be a special rush for the bargains in Striped and Plain Flannelettes. Unheard of reductions on Twill Sheetting, Blouse Stuffs, Flannels and Shirt Stuffs. See the extraordinary offers in Dress Goods. You will be delightfully astonished.

Every article in the Gents' Furnishing Department going at genuine money saving prices.

REMEMBER: This Great Clearance Sale lasts just a few short days longer.

DON'T MISS THE CHANCE OF A LIFETIME.

A. & S. RODGER.

MARINE NOTES.

The S. S. Furnero left Bell Island Saturday for Philadelphia, laden with 6,450 tons of ore by the N. S. S. Co.

The S. S. Blackheath left Bell Island yesterday with 7,550 tons of ore for the N. S. S. Co. and proceeded to Philadelphia.

The Almeriana is due here to-day from Liverpool having left there Saturday week.

The Lake Simcoe sailed to-day for Brazil fish laden by Baine Johnstone & Coy.

The Rosalind sailed at 12.30 p.m. to-day for Sydney and Charlottetown and will return with a full cargo of produce.

The Stephano leaves New York on Friday next for this port via Halifax.

The Florizel leaves New York on the 23rd inst., for this port and Halifax.

The Prospero sails north at 10 a.m. Thursday taking a full freight.

The Portia left Grand Band at 7.45 p.m. yesterday.

Chicken!

Choice Corn-Fed CHICKEN. KILLED TO ORDER.

A. R. MARTIN, care of A. H. MARTIN, AGENT, Cavendish Square, Phone 608.

Police Court News.

To-day a drunk was discharged, and another, who has appeared before, \$2 or 7 days.

A man, a resident of St. Mary's Bay, was before the Central District Court on a charge of deserting the fishery service of a planter there and entering that of another during the past summer. Plt. claimed for the supplies issued to deft. and also damages for desertion. The evidence of quite a number of witnesses was taken and the matter occupied the attention of Judge Knight all the forenoon. Mr. Frank Summers appeared for pltf., and Mr. Wood for deft.

Mate Hipditch, of the schr. Pandora which was entered and robbed, Sunday morning, says that Saturday afternoon a man was seen by him on the South Co. wharf who seemed to act in a very suspicious manner. Hipditch particularly noted his appearance and can describe his dress, etc.

Money for War Chest

Special to Evening Telegram. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—The revolutionary Government of Kwang Tung Province sent a telegram to-day to the Chinese Six Companies here stating that he intended to take command of one army division about to proceed against Peking. The reason of the message, he said, was to notify the six companies to send their contributions to the Two million dollar loan they have undertaken at Canton. The first instalment of \$25,000 was sent to Canton from here on Saturday.

The Recalled Cruisers

Special to Evening Telegram. PORTSMOUTH, Dec. 11.—The German cruiser Berlin, which appeared at Agadir, Morocco, led the talk of war between Britain and Germany, to-day sought the hospital of this port, short of coal. She proceeds home to-morrow having been recalled from Agadir together with the gunboat Eber, in consequence of the settlement of the Moroccan question by the recent signature of an agreement between France and Germany.

Hr. Grace Notes

Mr. Joseph Barrett, at one-time member of the police force, but who has been working at Montreal for number of years, returned by Saturday night's train on a visit to friends.

The S. S. Adventure arrived this a.m. with a cargo of coal to R. Rutledge & Co., Messrs. R. D. McRae Sons have two schooner loads being now, so we have a fairly good supply.

Mr. Ernest Walsh, of this town formerly of the Bank of Nova Scotia and Miss Stella Spence, daughter of Mr. Kenneth Spence, formerly a conductor on the local train, were married at Montreal at 7 o'clock this morning and left by the 8 a.m. train for Boston on the honeymoon trip. We wish these two young Harb. Graduates very much happiness.

The water is again in full flow at the tank near Noad Street. The residents say the item in the Telegram had the desired effect.

Mr. Robert Payne returned from Montreal via Halifax on Thursday night. While at Halifax he visited his brother Henry, who with his family has resided there for a number of years.

W. H. and Mrs. Thompson are congratulated on the success of their son, Master Ian M., who is attending school at Scotland. Our young friend is leading his class in marks averaging 83 out of a possible 100. All his friends will be pleased to hear this and to wish him further success.

CORRESPONDENT. Harbor Grace, Dec. 11th, 1911.

I was cured of terrible lumbago by MINARD'S LINIMENT. DEV. WM. BROWN.

I was cured of a bad case of earache by MINARD'S LINIMENT. MRS. S. KAULBAK.

I was cured of sensitive lungs by MINARD'S LINIMENT. MRS. S. MASTERS.

For the Invalid.

Taploca Jelly.—Wash the taploca and soak it for two hours in cold water, in which simmer it with a slice of lemon until thoroughly dissolved, then sweeten to taste. Milk may be added.

Arrowroot.—If the best arrowroot it is very nourishing. Mix a dessert spoonful of arrowroot with a pint of cold milk, then have ready a pint of boiling milk and pour it over; keep stirring it the whole time, then sweeten to taste.

Taploca Drink.—Choose the largest and best taploca. Wash it, then put it to soak for five or six hours, then simmer it in the same until it becomes quite clear, then flavor with lemon juice and sugar. A little of the peel may be boiled in the taploca.

Maccaroons.—Blanche and beat flour in a mortar one pound of sweet almonds, and a little rose water to keep them from oiling. Beat the whites of seven eggs to a snow-like froth, mix all together well, drop them upon wafer paper, dust a little sugar over each, and put them into a moderate oven. Keep in the boxes.

Broiled Oysters in Shells.—Well wash the oysters in their shells without opening them; set them upon a hot stove, and as soon as the shells open pop in a lump of butter well spiced. Serve at once upon the shell with cavendish and lemon juice.

Unequaled Showing

American Samples,

Representing the Very Latest Styles.

Ladies' Collars, Ladies' Blouses, Ladies' Belts, Ladies' Sailor Collars, Ladies' Jabots, Ladies' Hand Bags, Also, Hair Brushes and Children's Flannelette Underclothing.

The above Samples are a Clearance of American and Canadian Factories and will be marked 40 pr. ct. less than the usual price.

SALE STARTS AT 9:30 WEDNESDAY MORNING.

P. F. COLLINS, 340, 342, 344 WATER STREET.