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Smallwood Building, Duckworth Street.**Fogo Mail Service.****Notice to Shippers!**The S. S. SUSU will sail for usual ports
of call on Thursday morning, 23rd inst., at
10 o'clock sharp.

Freight now being received.

Crosbie & Co., Agents.**The Tragedy of Ireland.**Ireland is a running wound. We are
whirled round the vicious circle of
murders and reprisals. For the sake of
our national repute, for the sake of
humanity, this cannot continue. The
people of Great Britain cannot for a
moment accept the situation that the
Government forces are to be free to
take the law into their hands, and
shoot and burn indiscriminately as a
reply to outrages committed by the
other side. This is not government, it
is barbarism.Let the offenders be brought to justice,
and let the Government offer to
Ireland a scheme of Home Rule on the
lines laid down by Earl Grey. Place
upon the Irish people the responsibility
of managing their own affairs, with
certain safeguards for this country, and
let political parties cease to make
capital out of Ireland. If this is done
—and it can be done—moderate persons
will no longer be at the mercy of
extremists on either side, and Ireland
will cease to be a reproach to us in the
eyes of the world. The overwhelming
majority of the people in this country
desire to see peace established in Ireland.
Are we to assume that the men
in power are so bankrupt in ideas and
ideals as to be unable to respond to
this heartfelt demand?—Liverpool
Weekly Post.**How "Mark" Paid.**Mark Twain, at a dinner, related
some reminiscences of his early days
of journalism in New York City. "We
paid for outside contributions," he
said, "but not always in cash. As a
rule, our letters of acceptance would
run like this: 'Dear Mr. Jones,—We
send you per bearer one pound of
bacon for your fine poem on the county
fair. Please receipt for same.' 'Dear
Colonel Crabble,—For your valued article
on "The Country's Needs," we
beg to send you herewith two gallons
of corn whiskey. It is the same brand
you have been using ever since the
war. Kindly acknowledge receipt.'
'Dear Tomlin,—We enclose a corset
in payment for your fashion article.'
'Dear Senator,—Understanding that
you are about to enter the State campaign,
we send you a shotgun and nine
rounds of ammunition for your admirable
article on the political situation.'"**Why He Was There.**A capital story in connection with
the Territorial encampment at Hulton
last summer is going the rounds. It is
customary when the officer of the day
passes along the lines for the sentry
to call the guard outside to salute.
An officer was taking an official
round the camp when he came up to
the guard sentry, who contented himself
with saluting. The officer stood
aghast at such indifference. Finally letting
loose his pent-up anger, he exclaimed:"Don't you know your duty, sir?
Why don't you call out the guard?"
"Well, sir," replied the sentry, "you
see, I'm a prisoner, and as the members
of the guard wanted to have a
game of cards they asked me if I
would do sentry for them for an hour
or two."**A La Mode.**Shopper: "I want to get a fashion-
able skirt."
Saleslady: "Yes, Madam. Will you
have it too tight or too short?"—Life
(New York).Mrs. Stackpool O'Dell warns girls
against marrying a man whose head
is flat at the back. The best course is
to get one with a round head; after
marriage it can be flattened to taste.
—Punch.How cheering it is to see a 24 pair
of boots marked down from £10 to
£8 10s.—Buffalo News.Prices seem to be falling, but not
fast enough to sustain any serious
business.—Dayton Journal.It would be difficult to convince
Lloyd George that good luck goes with
the shamrock.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.Buy your Felt Footwear at
Smallwood's, and save 25 p.c.—
dec13,14**Sschr. "Dorothy Melita"****GOVT. CHARTER EXPIRES.**It is not likely that the Govern-
ment auxiliary coaster Dorothy Melita,
which is now discharging a coal
cargo at Moray & Co.'s, will do any
more freighting to Grand Bank for
the Government after this trip, as her
charter expires at the end of the
month. The Dorothy Melita has been
on Coastal Service to Grand Bank and
vicinity during the summer and she
also made several trips to Sydney
for material for Marine works at
Grand Bank. She is owned by Pat-
ten & Forsy.Folding Xmas Cards in all the
latest designs, including Greeting
from Nfld., from 5 to 50c., at
GARLAND'S.—dec4,7,9,14,16,21,23**Carpentier Will Meet
Frank Moran in
20 Round Bout.**London.—Carpentier and Frank
Moran, who finished Joe Beckett in
two rounds, have practically been
signed for a 20-round bout here in
February.Moore Meets Gould.
Toronto.—Paul Moore, the con-
queror of Jimmy Wilde, and probably
the foremost U.S. bantamweight, has
accepted terms to box ten rounds
with Benny Gould at the Army and
Navy show which will be held at the
Armories on Boxing Day night, De-
cember 27. Moore, who is a stickler
on the weight question, has stipulated
that the local boy must make 113
pounds at 3 o'clock in the afternoon
or forfeit \$250. Frank Carroll, who is
handling Gould, predicts that he will
have no difficulty in making the
weight, and he is so confident on that
score that he has agreed to allow him
to step on the scales in public at least
five days before the time of the bout,
so that there will be no chance of de-
ception. Moore, under the articles, is
required to be on the ground four days
prior to the show, which will be of the
all-star variety.**Shave With
Cuticura Soap
The New Way
Without Mug****From Cape Race.**Special to Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, Dec. 21.
Wind W., strong; weather fine; the
dredge Priestman passed in yesterday
afternoon and a three masted schooner
was sighted about 7 miles S.E. at 11.30
bound in. Bar. 29.35; Ther. 22.10 p.c. off Ladies' and Gentlemen's,
Misses' and Children's
Long Rubbers and Gaiters at
Smallwood's.—dec13,14**Want Carpentier
to Meet Moran.**New York.—Georges Carpentier,
European heavyweight champion, who
is matched to box Dempsey some time
next year, doesn't appear so formidable
now, in view of Frank Moran's
knockout of "Joe" Beckett, the Eng-
lish title holder.Carpentier didn't look like a suit-
able antagonist for Dempsey until
he put Beckett to sleep in less than
one round a year ago this month.
The Frenchman then was hailed on
both sides of the Atlantic as a phenom-
enal pugilist, on the strength of
which he obtained a match with
the world's champion. But when
Moran, recognized as a second rater,
though "game," dropped Beckett for
the count in the second round recent-
ly Carpentier's ability became dis-
credited in the opinion of boxing ex-
perts. Boxing fans hope that Car-
pentier will face Moran in the ring
before he meets Dempsey.Put a piece of "Wallace" Table
Ware down on your Xmas list. This
is one of the gifts that cannot fail
to give lasting pleasure. "Wallace"
Ware is sold by DULEY'S exclusive-
ly.—dec20,21**"REG'LAR FELLERS"****JUST RECEIVED!**

A Shipment of

**Silvermoom
Self Feeder Hall Stoves**

ALL SIZES.

Which we are selling at COST to clear.
Best Christmas Gift for the home.**JOHN CLOUSTON**

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TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.**NICE XMAS GIFT.**TORONTO, Dec. 21.
Chief Constable Fortune and
"three fingered" Richardson of
Oregon City, will receive a Christmas
gift of fifteen thousand dollars to be
divided between them fifty-fifty, the
gift being the reward offered by the
estate of Ambrose J. Small, wealthy
theatrical owner of Toronto, who has
been missing since December, 1919,
and for the arrest of Small's former
Private Secretary, John Doughty,
who left Toronto the month follow-
ing Small's disappearance. Doughty
is now waiting trial on a charge of
conspiring to kidnap Small and the
theft of one hundred thousand dol-
lars in victory bonds.**A HARMLESS VISITOR.**BALTIMORE, Dec. 21.
A Canadian, believed to be demented,
was caught in the act of ransacking
that portion of Cardinal Gibbons' home,
designated for the sexton, here last
night. Several hundred police sur-
rounded the Cathedral, fearing that
an organized effort was being made to
loot that structure of some priceless
interior drapings. The man gave his
name as George O'Hara of St. Cecile,
Canada, and admitted in a rambling
fashion that his purpose was to inter-
view the Cardinal.**NOT THERE.**SOUTHAMPTON, Dec. 21.
A thorough search was made of the
steamer Aquitania, which arrived
here this morning, but no evidence
was found to lend color to recent
rumors that Eamonn De Valera,
"President of the Irish Republic," was
aboard the liner.**TURNED IT DOWN.**OTTAWA, Dec. 21.
The railway board, in a judgment
handed down this morning, declined
to suspend increased railway rates,
which became effective on September
twelfth. The request for suspension
came from the Manitoba Government.The Fat, hot spark from Re-
liable Batteries puts additional
power into every charge of gas.
dec21,22,23,Jan28,29,31,feb28,m1**JOYFUL EATING**When your food is digested with-
out the stomach trouble of over-acidity,
pleasant to take—relief prompt and
definite.**KI-MOIDS**are wonderful in their help to the
stomach troubled with over-acidity.
Pleasant to take—relief prompt and
definite.
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MAKERS OF SCOTT'S EMULSION**Shipping Notes.**S.S. Rosalind sails for Halifax on
Thursday.
Schr. Ainslie sailed this morning
with a cargo of fish from A. H. Mur-
ray & Co. for across.
Schr. Gilbert B. Walters sailed this
morning for Kingston, Jamaica,
with a cargo of fish from Baine
Johnston & Co.
Schr. Vivian Ruth, 3 days from
Sydney, coal laden, and bound to
Bay Roberts, put into port this morn-
ing.
Schr. General Gault, 1 1/2 days from
Burlin, in ballast, arrived in port to-
day.**ECZEMA**You are not
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you use Dr.
Chase's Oint-
ment. It relieves at once and gradu-
ally heals the skin. Sample box Dr.
Chase's Ointment free if you mention this
paper and send to: stamp for postage. See us
at all dealers or to Edmundson, Baker & Co.,
Limited, Toronto.**Personal.**Hon. W. F. Coaker Minister of Marine
and Fisheries, who went to Port
Union at the end of last week has not
returned to town and may stay at
headquarters for Xmas.**Here and There.**CALENDAR.—We thank the Brit-
ish Store for their 1921 calendar.Pocket and Office Diaries for
1921 at GARLAND'S.
dec4,7,9,14,16,21,23Evangeline High Cut Boots,
all styles and colours, 25 p.c. off
at Smallwood's.—dec13,14Try our Special Cambridge
Sausages. Made fresh daily at
ELLIS'.—nov10,14GRAMAPHONES, \$5.75,
\$9.25, to \$22.00 each at KNOW-
LING'S.—dec21,23,24TEDDY BEARS, 25 inches
long—\$2.50 each at KNOW-
LING'S.—dec21,23,24Fancy Calendars for 1921,
from 10c. to \$1.00, at GAR-
LAND'S.—dec4,7,9,14,16,21,23Lovely Boxed Xmas Cards at
20, 30, 40, 50, 60c. up to \$1.25, at
GARLAND'S.—dec4,7,9,14,16,21,23RUBBER BALLS, Gray and
Colored—8c., 10c., 14c., to \$1.10
each at KNOWLING'S.
dec21,23,24A dainty Silver Photo Case is just
the thing for a Gift to a young lady.
DULEY'S are showing an excellent
assortment which they would be glad
to show you.—dec20,21**Here and There.**The Gift for Health from the
East, "LES FRUITS." ELLIS'S.
dec9,14Stafford's Ess. Ginger Wine
only 20c. bottle. Postage 10c.
extra.—dec10,14Unfailing in its results. A Pure,
Wholesome and Delicious Lax-
ative, "LES FRUITS."—dec9,14Men's \$13.50 Boots in Black
and Tan Leathers, for \$10.00, at
Smallwood's.—dec13,14Dissolve 1 1/2 lbs. sugar in 3
quarts of water and add con-
tents of one bottle Stafford's
Ess. Ginger Wine.—dec10,14NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs.
Michael Mahon, of Portugal Cove
Road, wishes to thank the Doctors
and Matron of the Fever Hospital;
also Nurses Snodgrass, Corbett,
Hampton and McGrath for their
medical attendance and kindness to
their little daughter Hilda, while at
that institution.—adv.**Gulf Stream in Disgrace**The Gulf Stream may be responsi-
ble for the past unhappy summer pro-
gramme, so grumblers have a definite
peg on which to hang their grievances.
The famous "hot-water bottle," as
it has been called, is ill-treating or
neglecting our island. Usually, the
stream flows eastwards from the
Gulf of Mexico across the Atlantic;
but for its presence our land might
be subject to the climatic conditions
of Labrador. The temperature of the
stream is sometimes as high as 100
degrees above zero, and a sailor's tale
is current to the effect that one can
boil eggs in its liquid depths!Is the Gulf Stream changing its
course? Scientists do not affirm this,
but suggest instead that the long
and early spring experienced in the
Northern Hemisphere was responsi-
ble for an excessive melting of the
Arctic icefields, and a consequent in-
crease in volume of the cold Labra-
dor current, which meets the GulfStream at one point in its career
thus causing local dislocations, and
by possible obstructions in the way
of floating icebergs, etc.At one time the American Govern-
ment had a project for diverting the
course of the Gulf Stream, by means
of a enormous jetty, two hundred
miles long, across the Newfoundland
shoals, but, happily, this suggestion
never materialized, and Britain need
not yet think constantly in terms of
furs.**The Unpardonable Sin**(From the Philadelphia Public
Ledger.)The "unpardonable sin" for either
organized labor or entrenched capital
at this crisis would be to create the
impression that their policies would
depress production. The American
people want service and goods—bet-
ter, swifter, cheaper service and bet-
ter, more plentiful and hence cheaper
goods. Any man or set of men, be
they capitalists, managers, workers or
labor leaders, who deliberately get in
the way of this urgent popular de-
mand had far better put themselves
in the path of the heaviest "flier" of
the Pennsylvania Railroad. Every
strike in the future will be compelled
to have an all-wool, puncture-proof
and quickly convincing reason for its
existence. The same is true of an un-
just "lockout." A few more irrespon-
sible and deeply exasperating "out-
law strikes," and the American public
will be ready for almost any sort of
drastic legislation to put them down
and punish the men who provoke
them. A "sympathetic" strike will al-
so find it exceedingly difficult to win
the essential sympathy of the public.
They stop production or prevent ser-
vice—that will be sufficient condem-
nation unless they possess an appeal
to the public sense of justice which
is overwhelming.**Household Notes.**A small bristle brush is a great
aid in cleaning elery or removing grit
and dirt from root vegetables.A firm piece of beef suet on a fork
or a piece of bacon rind is excellent
for greasing a griddle.Cold tongue run through the chop-
per and mixed with chopped celery
makes delicious sandwiches.For the sake of variety, flavor your
hard sauce with grated lemon peel,
nutmeg and cloves, next time.A. Otis Chamberlain, of Cambridge,
claims he is America's oldest bicycle
rider. He has just resigned as a letter
carrier, after surviving 54 years and
three months. He has driven a
bicycle 102,000 miles in 20 years. He
is a veteran of the Civil War and is
his 78th year. He was born in Lynn,
Mass., but has lived in Cambridge
since his second year.

By GENE BYRNES

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