

Finest American Granulated Sugar, 4c. per lb.

THERE IS NO PARTICULAR SENSATIONALISM

about our tea sales, but the quality is there, and observing buyers usually come back for more.

There is absolutely nothing that you can have on your table that will afford as much comfort and satisfaction as a cup of STAR TEA. A trial will convince you.

40c. lb.

C. P. EAGAN,

Duckworth St. and Queen's Road.

SCOTCH OATMEAL.

The food value of oatmeal is well understood by the average Newfoundland.

OUR MIDLOTHIAN CUT is of the very finest quality and flavour. Our stock is new and freshly ground.

BAKEAPPLES, 1 lb. cans, 18c.

LOCAL RABBIT, 1 lb. cans.

FRESH RABBITS.

SMOKED SALMON.

FRESH SMOKED KIPPERS

P. E. I. TURNIPS, by the barrel.

Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram. LONDON, March 9. The European outlook is again taking a gloomy tint. The expected announcement of demobilization by Russia and Austria has not appeared, and nobody knows how the relations of these two countries actually stand.

Special to Evening Telegram. LONDON, March 9. The Balkan Allies, led by Bulgaria, seem to be stiffening their demands on Turkey. It is even rumored that they may be taking steps which will make mediation by the Powers impossible. Meanwhile all reports from Constantinople show the situation there to be very precarious. There is an imminent likelihood of revolution or civil war.

LONDON, March 9. The Vienna correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says that optimism in official circles in the Austrian capital and at St. Petersburg continues; he adds, however, that it is no longer as fresh or as vigorous as it was a short time ago, and is founded on hope rather than on knowledge, or it may be attributed to the force of habit. He continues: "Jarring notes in the European concert, which hitherto have been so subdued, are now growing louder. A number of symptoms constitute unmistakable evidence that Europe is relaxing into chaos."

WATERVILLE, Maine.

Notre Dame Roman Catholic Church completed a year ago, has been practically destroyed by fire, which is supposed to have caught around the Altar. The loss, \$50,000, is partly covered by insurance.

HUNTINGTON, P.Q.

Henry McConnerville, aged 85, and three children, aged 9, 10 and 12, were burned to death in a fire which consumed his dwelling house.

MONTREAL, March 9.

Leon Ferrier and his wife Virginia, were asphyxiated last night at their residence. They recently arrived from France, and were married before sailing for Canada.

The Quandary.

Unless you have talked with the actors behind the scenes, you never can thoroughly know both sides of the footlights. And in the same way when you go into your stores to buy, unless you understand both sides of the counter, you cannot know the meaning of all these sales.

To-day nearly every store is in the same quandary as the man who had his choice of two ways of being hanged.

Most stores are through with their winter sales and yet they are not entirely through with their winter merchandise. If they put the rest of this winter merchandise away for another year they tie up their capital, they lose the interest on that much money, and they lose the opportunity of using that money for the purchase of new goods. If they sell the rest of their winter merchandise now they must do it at a tremendous sacrifice.

Most stores have found by bitter experience that it is better to take almost any losses on the tag ends of their season's stock than to try to carry over those tag ends to another year.

That is why if you are a shrewd buyer of merchandise and a close watcher of the advertising you will get bargains so remarkable that you will wonder how any store can make such prices and live.

The answer is that they have already taken their profits out of these goods and long experience has taught them the wisdom of taking real losses on the rest.

On the other hand all of the new spring lines are pushing their way to the front. The new silks and dress goods, new embroideries and laces, new spring suits and dresses and lighter coats are filling the racks, piling up on the counters and crowding out into the aisles.

These two have extra low prices put upon them, because it is the beginning of a new season, because Easter is coming early this year, and every inducement must be made to start you with your buying right away.

So you see if ever there was an opportunity for you to get the best of values, both in the old merchandise and in the new, that time is now.

When you understand the reason behind these many advertised events, the advertising must undoubtedly take a new interest in your eyes. Turn to it now and see how many remarkable opportunities it contains.

No Sew Mending Tissue—For mending rents without sewing in clothing, carpets, oilcloth, umbrellas, and covers of other articles. Price 10c. pkg. For sale by C. M. HALL, Tailor, 245 Theatre Hill.—Feb 26, w.s.m.

MINDARD'S LINDENT CURE DISTEMPER.

Society Meetings.

B.I.S.
The adjourned annual meeting of the Benevolent Irish Society, took place yesterday. After five applicants were admitted, President Ryan expressed pleasure to see so many ex-pupils of the Christian Brothers join the ranks of the Society.

A despatch was read from the Boston Irish Society, extending an invitation to the President to be present on their anniversary. The Society will appoint a representative to go, and the matter of selection was ordered. The meeting then adjourned.

T.A. & B.

Yesterday's meeting of the T.A. & B. Society, was one of the best on record. Fifteen new members were enrolled. The reports of the Secretary and Treasurer were tabled and met with the approval of the body.

The Savings Bank, in connection with the Society, is becoming very popular with the members and a large number of deposits are made each banking night. The Society's brass band, under the tuition of Mr. Pope, is making wonderful progress and during the coming summer will give band concerts in Bannerman and Victoria Parks.

Mother Shipton's Prophecy

These lines were first published in England in 1485, before the discovery of America, and before any of the discoveries and inventions mentioned therein. All the events predicted have come to pass except that in the last two lines. Carriages without horses shall go. And accidents fill the world with woe. Around the world thoughts shall fly in the twinkling of an eye. Waters shall yet more wonders do. Now strange, yet shall be true. The world upside down shall be. And gold be found at the root of tree. Through hills man shall ride. And no horse nor ass be at his side. Under water man shall walk. Shall ride, shall sleep, shall talk. In the air men shall be seen in white, in black, in green. Iron in the water shall float. As easy as a wooden boat. Gold shall be found mid stone in a land that's now unknown. Fire and water shall wonders do. England shall at last admit a Jew. And the world to an end shall come in eighteen hundred and eighty-one.

You can get everything in the eye-glass line at TRAPNELL'S.—Feb 21

Electric Restorer for Men Phosphonol restores every nerve in the body and vitality. Promotes decay and all general weakness, restores at once. Phosphonol will give you a new man. Price 25c. per box, or ten boxes for \$2.50. Mailed to any address. The "Phosphonol" Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

Note From Miss O'Reilly.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Mr. Editor,—Please give me space for a few words in reply to a correspondent of yours signed "Argentinia," which appeared in a recent issue of your paper. Passing over the writer's reference to the popular owners of the house in which the Telegraph Office is situated as beneath contempt. Ignoring his many other unauthenticated assertions on other matters. Leaving him to the destination of all lovers of decency, because of his Billingsgate utterances of implied insult to one (whom all except a few depraved characters) delight to honour. I brand his assertions regarding myself "that when wanted for transaction of business you must hunt round the town for the operator" as a base fabrication, circulated to maliciously injure me in the public estimation, and hereby challenge this wolf in sheep's clothing to throw off the mask, and for once in a lifetime be a man. Come to the front, cast aside your serpentine proclivities and give simple justice to a wronged and blameless female. Proud in the consciousness of my innocence regarding your false charge against me, secure in the fact of having faithfully and competently performed my duties, I defy you and again ask if all sense of honour and the lessons taught you by good parents have not been wholly eradicated from your composition, do me the simple justice of an opportunity to free myself from your foul aspersions. Come out, then, over your own signature and let a discerning public decide the question at issue. I am but asking fair play; speak out, then, or forever rest in the unenviable position in which you have placed yourself. Hoping you will do me this favour of publishing the foregoing, and with thanks in anticipation.

I am yours faithfully,

BRIDE O'REILLY.

Operator.

Argentina Mar. 7th 1913.

Note From Mr. Davis

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—A letter signed "Argentinia" appeared in the columns of your paper of the 4th inst., which I am accused of writing. Will you please state in your next issue for the benefit of those concerned that I did not write the said letter or have anything whatever to do with it, and oblige

Yours truly,

JAS. J. DAVIS.

Argentina, Mar. 7, 1913.

T. J. EDENS,

American Granulated Sugar, 4c. lb.

BULLDOG TEA,

with the duty off.

33c. lb., 5 lbs. or over, 30c. lb.

T. J. EDENS,

Duckworth Street and Military Road.

NEW WALL PAPERS

FOR **SPRING 1913.**



MAKE THE HOME BEAUTIFUL.

WALL PAPER time has come again. Now in the Spring is the time when the beautiful new creations in WALL PAPERS tempt the home lover to re-decorate the rooms and give the whole house a beauty and freshness that fairly transforms it.

A little money spent in decorating will do more to make a beautiful and artistic home than double the amount spent in anything else.

We invite you to the finest display of NEW WALL PAPERS we have ever shown.

The season has brought out some exquisite productions. Certainly nothing ever shown here before can compare with them for attractiveness of design and skill in coloring.

There are many novelties distinctly different from the goods of previous seasons. There are various beautiful papers especially adapted to the "cut out" work, now so popular.

These WALL PAPERS have been carefully selected for our trade from the choicest productions of the season and we know that no finer goods could be secured anywhere. The prices will be found exceedingly reasonable.

Everything points to a heavy demand this Spring, and we earnestly advise an immediate selection. The New Papers are now ready for inspection. We will gladly show the full range to you.

THE ROYAL STORES, LIMITED.

Special For This Week.

LADIES' MACKINTOSHES, reduced to \$2.00 each.

MISSSES' COATS, assorted colors, offered at Half Price to clear.

LADIES' & MISSSES' FINE BOOTS, just the thing for spring wear. Reg. \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50. Now \$1.20, \$1.45, \$1.50, \$1.95.

BOYS' 2 & 3 PIECE SUITS, Rugby, Norfolk and Sailor, offered at Half Original Price to clear.

LADIES' LACE COLLARS, latest styles. These Collars sold for 35 and 40c. each. You can have your choice now for 10 cents each.

MEN'S RUBBER COLLARS, 2 for 5 cents.

COLORED SATEENS, 32 inches wide, good quality, reduced to 9 cents each. LADIES' FURS offered at Half Price.

C. L. March Co., Ltd

Advertise in "Evening Telegram."

Wreck of The S.S. Labrador.

At midnight Saturday a special train reached the city bringing the crew of the ill-fated sealing steamer Labrador.

HOW SHE WAS LOST.

The Labrador left St. John's at 4.30 p.m. on Saturday, March 1st. She was bound to Channel, from which port she was to clear for the Gulf seal fishery. During Saturday night the steamer was forcing her way through slab ice, with the wind about S. E. The next day the weather was very thick and it began to rain. The same day the captain took his course for Trepassy or get 20 men. Owing to the heavy lee in the harbor the Labrador could not force through it and the men were taken over the ice. The ship then continued on for Channel and the next day a hurricane was encountered. When in the neighbourhood of St. Pierre she sprung a leak; water was gaining access to the stokehold and the pumps were ordered to be kept going. The wind was blowing strong from the N. W. while heavy seas boarded the ship. Capt. Martin turned the ship and put her before the gale. The next morning St. Mary's was sighted. Despite the constant operation of the pumps the steamer could not be kept free. A great quantity of water reached the central fire in the stokehold and extinguished it. The other fire would have been extinguished also and all would have been in a bad plight but for the fireman, who by their heroic efforts in getting coal through the skylights of the engine room kept steam on the ship and no doubt kept all from meeting a watery grave. The engineers and stokers had a hard experience and were 30 hours standing to their waists in water, with only a few biscuits to eat. On Tuesday, March 4th, at 2 p.m., Capt. Martin ran his vessel into St. Mary's Bay and beached her at Branch. The Wreck Commissioner immediately took charge of the ship and made arrangements for the housing of the crew, some of whom lost their belongings. On Friday, at 8 p.m. the men left for Placentia, and reached there at dinner hour on Saturday. The journey was rather trying as the men had to walk pretty well the entire distance. At Placentia the crew joined the train for St. John's. They speak in the highest terms of the treatment accorded them by the people at Branch. Capt. Martin and Donan Field are still standing by the Labrador, which is now submerged as a total wreck.