

At Our East End Store,
Duckworth Street,
We are now offering a Job Lot of
Room Papers,
At **8** cts. per piece.
Regular Value **15 to 25** cts.
G. Knowling.
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This Date in History.

MAY 14.
Days Past—133 To Come—231
FIRST DIVISION of Coastal service began—Hawk going West and Tiger North. Before this one vessel did both services, 1872.
"Wisdom is oft times nearer when we stoop than when we soar."
—Wordsworth.

The Science of Servant-Finding is now reduced to the last word in simplicity. Our small Want Ads. act as a "Magnet for Maids."

Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - Proprietor
W. F. LLOYD, - - - - Editor
WEDNESDAY, May 14, 1913.

Notes and Comments.

Morris has added Seven Million Dollars to the Public Debt of Newfoundland, and involved the country in liabilities which will add millions more to that burden under which the people are already struggling.

He has shown himself a financial blunderer of the most exaggerated type and one of the most extravagant and wasteful leaders of a Government with which Newfoundland has ever been unfortunate enough to be afflicted.

Would any reputable financier get off such a jumble of misrepresentations and nonsense as appeared in the official report of his speech at Burin in October of 1911. Read again the words of this blustering politician and ask whether he is fit to run a bullseye shop:

"By a successful loan of four million dollars at three and a half per cent, which I raised last year in London, at 9 1/2, the highest rate ever obtained by the Colony before, we have been able to build all these railway branches (meaning all those contracted for in 1910 and which are not all built yet), and pay the interest on them out of our regular revenue, and after all this we still have a surplus left, which we have given back to the people in the shape of all the public utilities, which I have named."

Could a callow political apprentice make a worse jumble of a financial statement than this? In the first place Sir Edward muddles up the issue price with the price he realized. The loan was issued at 9 1/2 but he only realized about 93, so that in fact the loan was raised at 93. The country got \$93 and will have to pay back \$100. This loss of seven dollars on every hundred of the loan of Four Million Dollars is due to Morris's colossal blunder in undertaking to pay the contractor in gold instead of bonds, as the Whiteway Government did in undertakings of a similar nature. Morris's undertaking to pay the Reid Bond Company in gold instead of bonds will mean by the time these obligations are met, that the Colony will eventually have to pay

Ayre's Candies Factory on Fire

**Cheaper than ever
No Better Impossible**

Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.
LONDON, To-Day.
The police to-day issued a hue and cry for Hugh A. Franklin, nephew of Postmaster General Samuels, who was due to report himself to the prison authorities on May 12, under the terms of his license but he failed to keep his appointment. He was sentenced on March 8th to nine months imprisonment for setting fire to railway carriages, but was released on the plea of ill-health, resulting from a hunger strike. The license given him was afterwards torn to bits at a suffragette meeting, where it was announced Franklin had been forcibly fed fourteen times.

Special to Evening Telegram.
LONDON, To-Day.
In a fight against the Government for a free press, parties after mature consideration decided to adopt a plan which is new in England but has been found effective by German Socialists in combatting stringent press laws. Should the Government prosecute Jas. Ramsay McDonald for printing "The Suffragette," he will be followed by other labor leaders until the Government is forced to capitulate. These two labor members of Parliament announced yesterday their readiness to undertake the responsibility of printing "The Suffragette," contending it is illegal to suppress newspapers in advance and declaring that they were ready to stand by the consequences.

When a Man Gets Looked at!

Do you remember that woman who looked you over casually in the car the other day?
Was it your manly beauty she was admiring, or was she merely pitying your old clothes?

There is one time that a man gets looked at in the most meaningless way in the world. It is a way that makes him pull his old, shapeless winter shoes under the seat and brush his dirt-grimed derby on his sleeve or try to hide the stove-pipe contour of his pants while he reads his paper with a heavy frown.

That time and that look always comes when a man finds himself in the midst of a lot of pretty, well-dressed women, while he is still wearing his shapeless winter clothes and looking as if he had been working in the mines.

A man may be as impervious to women as the great stone face, but when he gets that look, he cringes every time. And when he turns away, he knows that the look he doesn't see, is worse.

There isn't a man alive who hasn't at some time felt uncomfortable because of his clothes.

And it is all so unnecessary. For a man's clothes are about the cheapest expense he has. Even his tobacco usually costs more.

If you don't believe it, turn to the advertising in this paper and see how cheaply you could be well-dressed instead of continuing to go around in that old suit that looks as if you bought it second-hand.

See the prices that are quoted. See the concerns that are quoting them. You know these stores that are advertising. You know them as well as you do your own name. You know the standards they maintain. You know exactly what to expect from each store.

And look at the shoe advertising to, while you are about it. And the hat advertising. And see what is being offered in new spring shirts and ties.

A man can't keep on wearing old winter clothes till the middle of May without making somebody ashamed of him—even if he is too callous to become ashamed of himself.

Or perhaps you are waiting to be looked at with that terrible, pitying look.

Better turn to this advertising now and get ready to buy. You may be pressing your luck.

FACIAL PARALYSIS.—Mr. Wm. Sinnott, manager of the Dublin Cove whale factory, arrived here by the express Monday night for medical treatment. Mr. Sinnott suffers from an attack of facial paralysis, but his physician hopes it will soon be perfectly cured.

ASK FOR MINARD'S AND TAKE NO OTHER.
MINARD'S LINIMENT LUMBER-MAN'S FRIEND.

PARKER & MONROE'S NEW SHOE FACTORY PARTLY GUTTED—THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF DAMAGE DONE BY FIRE AND WATER.

About 6.10 p.m. yesterday, the dangling of the fire bells told of the outbreak of a blaze, and a thick pall of smoke in the extreme West End of the city indicated the location of the conflagration which was the big three-storey Boot and Shoe Factory of Messrs. Parker & Monroe, on Alexander Street. One of the first to notice the blaze was Mr. Walter Clouston, who sent in one of the alarms and Mr. Fred Knight, insurance man, who was near, says that the flames burst suddenly through one of the western windows in the middle flat

and shot fully twenty feet in the air. In an incredibly short space of time thousands of people were on the scene viewing the blaze from the ground most near and from the roofs and windows of adjoining houses. Despite the fact that three separate alarms were sent in thus perplexing the fire-fighters the men were on the scene in short order and soon had two powerful streams of water playing on the burning factory from the two fire plugs on Alexander St.

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Boy Run Down.

While returning from the fire in the West End last evening the Central fire horses were followed by a crowd of boys. One of the number was knocked down by a motor cycle which was turning New Gower Street when it struck the lad and threw him into a drain. The victim was cut about the head and otherwise badly shaken up. He was taken to Dr. Pritchard's surgery for treatment and later conveyed home.

Shot the Brute.

The vicious dog which bit several children in the neighbourhood of Garrison Hill and Harvey Road, attacked another child yesterday and severely wounded it. Police Fireman Neary, of the Central Station, went after it with a gun and shot it. The brute had so much vitality that it took four bullets to kill him.

Started Repairs.

To-day the energetic firm of Parker & Monroe started to get their damaged machinery in the factory in order, and the work of repairing the damaged factory began. The fire will not affect their spring trade as they have a large stock of boots and shoes in their Water Street stores.

Spring Requirements!

LAWN MOWERS.
Reliable makes.
Success, 14 in. blade, \$3.50
New Peerless, do do, \$5.50
Laurel, do do \$6.20
Laurel, 16 in. blade . \$6.50

REFRIGERATORS.
(Only the best materials used),
From \$12.75 up.

STEELE BRIGGS
Famous Garden Seeds
grow. We are Sole Agents
for above.

Garden Hose and Fittings,
Wire Window Screens and
Doors,
Garden Rakes, Forks, etc.

Ayre & Sons
LIMITED
HARDWARE DEPARTMENT.

THE LAST DAY

THE CASINO PLAYERS, in
"Borrowing a Wife."
A GREAT COMEDY BILL.

THE NICKEL THEATRE

Recognized Home of Refined Amusement.
MID-WEEK CHANGE. 4 All Feature Reels 4
Miss Gardner, Miss Guerin, Mr. McCarthy in the
latest Musical and Song successes.
Matinees, 5c, Night, 10c. Show runs till 10.30 every night.

For Saturday Night & Monday at COLLINS'

LADIES' BLACK COSTUME RIBBED STOCKINGS.
Woven and Fancy Ribbed; nice fine makes. Prices starting at **18c**

LADIES' BLACK EMBROIDERED CASHMERE STOCKINGS.
Right direct from the makers; sizes SW and W. Prices starting **27c**

CHILDREN'S TAN STOCKINGS.
Three splendid lines, fine ribbed; all sizes, from 00 to 6. Prices starting at **12c**

CHILDREN'S DAINTY DRESSES.

Made from American Serpentine Crepe in colors of Cream, Blue, Pink, etc.; to fit children from 2 to 8 years; \$1.50 value. Price starting at **75c**

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS.

Our handsome Spring Shirts will appeal to the taste of the good dresser. Reg. 70c. value for **52c**

LADIES' SILK PETTICOATS.

In the newest styles; colors Cream, Blue, etc. Regular \$3.50 value for **\$2.88**

P. F. COLLINS, The People's Store

Tintara
(AUSTRALIAN BURGUNDY)
In Bottles and Half Bottles.
Hayward & Co.

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