



Apollinaris

"THE QUEEN OF TABLE WATERS"

Supplied Under Royal Warrant of Appointment to

HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE V.

Charlotte Corday



One hundred twenty years ago to-day Charlotte Corday, a French martyr to the cause of freedom, was guillotined in a painful and abrupt manner by the entire police force of Paris, which at that time was a corrupt and unfeeling body of men.

She was the daughter of aristocratic parents, who kept a hired girl the year around and had her untimely death caused the late T. Carlyle to exude several yards of blunt blank verse.

At the time of which we write the French revolution was revolting at the rate of about 450 executions a day. It was a dreadful time. People were liable to have their heads removed with the utmost thoroughness at any hour of the day or night, and nobody was happy except the undertakers who stood in with the administration.

After seeing several of her relatives and friends bite the dust with a look of pained reluctance, Charlotte determined to strike one blow for freedom and then cash in.

The leading guillotine artist of the period was a human iceberg named Marat, who had the soul of a patriot and six different kinds of gout. Every morning before attacking the gout with a hot sitz bath, Marat would feed a relay of his personal friends to the guillotine, after which he would go to church and pray for his bleeding country. Charlotte concluded that it would be a pious act to relieve Marat of his breath and the gout at one and the same time, so going to a hardware store she bought a large, unsused butcher knife and called at Marat's home.

Charlotte found Marat with both feet in a wash tub, trying to think of somebody who ought to be guillotined. She was a clever woman, and after taking him off his guard by chatting about the merits of a non-alcoholic cure for the gout she plunged the butcher knife into his cardiac mechanism with considerable vehemence. Marat made a few brief remarks of no particular

Poor Fishing at Ladrador.

The Reid Mtd. Co. received two messages yesterday from the s.s. Invermore. They were sent on Tuesday and Wednesday by Capt. Kean, and is as follows:

"Invermore arrived at Indian Hr. 2 p.m. (Tuesday). Light north and northeast winds; very foggy; coast clear; no ice. Just a sign of fish from Battle Harbor to here; expect to reach Hopedale at noon to-morrow."

"Invermore arrived at Hopedale at 3.30 p.m. to-day (Wednesday). Left again at 4.15 p.m. Light southeast wind, thick fog. No ice nor fish on coast from Battle Harbor to here. Very few schooners have reached north of Hopedale."

McMurdo's Store News.

THURSDAY, July 17, 1913. Preston's Foot Powder is a boon in hot weather. It soothes and eases hot, tired, red, or blistered feet. A little shaken into the socks in the morning, a little dusted on the feet at night, will make all the difference between discomfort and ease. Helps you in work and in sport; saves body and nerves. Price 25 cents a tin.

Excelsis is a fine shaving stick. Superfatted soaps such as Excelsis are more softening than ordinary soap, give a blander lather, and enable shaving to be cleaner and with less than the usual time and trouble. Ask for "Excelsis" next time. At both our stores. Price 35 cents a stick.

Wedding Bells.

A very pretty wedding took place at Topsail, on July 13th, when Mr. Elmus Way led to the altar Miss Phoebe Duckworth Street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Nares, and the bride was attended by Mr. Alex Henpebury. After the wedding a reception was held at Mrs. Jeans after which the happy couple left for their future home on Pleasant Street.

New Bungalow FOR BOWRING PARK.

Tenders for the building of the proposed bungalow for Bowring Park are being advertised for. The bungalow will be built on the latest lines and will contain a large dining room, kitchen, and a bathroom. It will also be fitted with lavatory, toilet, and wash room, etc., besides there will be rooms for the keeper. It is said that meals will be served at the bungalow after the Swiss style. The building will not be opened for business this year.

ASK ANY WOMAN WHO IS A JUDGE

of good tea and she will tell you that our reputation for the finest tea at reasonable prices is not excelled by anyone in the city, and if you want to see now true it is buy a small quantity of "HOMESTEAD" TEA at 40c. lb.

- For 5 lb. parcels 10 per cent. discount allowed.
- New Valencia Onions, 10-lb. for 25 cents.
- Ex S. S. Stephano: New Cabbage. Fresh Tomatoes.
- Freshly Made Canadian Butter.
- Bananas.
- New York Potatoes.
- Valencia Oranges.
- Sherbet, 20c. lb.
- Lemon Crystals, 45c. lb.
- Rose's Lime Juice and L. J. Cordial.
- Montserrat Limetta, etc., etc

C. P. Eagan,
Duckworth St. and Queen's Road.

The Sydney Steel Works.

Editor Evening Telegram:
Dear Sir,—It may be of some interest to many of your readers to hear a little about the Sydney, particularly as a very large number of Newfoundlanders make up the working class in those parts. It is generally recognized that the large plant of the "Dominion Iron and Steel Co." has made Sydney what it is, for when we consider that its monthly pay roll exceeds some three hundred and fifty thousand dollars, a slight idea of the beneficency of such a concern in a city, will be suggested to us.

Of this plant I will speak first. It is truly a wonderful concern. It engages in employment about eight thousand men, not including some hundreds of office and official help. The estimated value of the works is fabulous, perhaps deep into the millions. For certain I know, that one building, (all iron), cost in the vicinity of two million dollars. The company has its own railway, with conductors, brakemen, etc., its own electric system, and in its central telephone office it gives employment to some dozen girls alone. There are some sixty or more locomotives in this great yard, hundreds of switches and the track estimate covers some twenty miles. Five blast furnaces are going night and day, including Sunday, and the turn out of iron ranges from eleven hundred to twelve hundred tons per day. The iron product for June of this year, was 33,136 tons. It would indeed be a treat and a surprise to some (why not all) of your readers could they watch the progress of machinery, and the operation of these terrific furnaces. The ore goes in, in its raw state just as it has been taken from Bell Island and comes out in the course of some six or seven hours finished into railway rails, wire both coarse and fine, nails—from the eight-inch spike to the inch and a half fine cut nail, and pig iron of various sizes. Then there are the steel products, steel rails of all descriptions, tools and bands, screws and bolts.

It is most wonderful to see the iron ore melted down into liquid fire, and to watch the progress of this burning fluid from the time it leaves the blast furnaces till it is made into "goods" for shipment all over the world.

One must see all this, to appreciate and understand, a description of it would really convey nothing beyond the surmise of bewilderment and wonder.

The system of office work here, is the very latest in America. Rapid and short methods in the keeping of accounts, reports, etc., and from the very nature of the work, are invariably the better. Perhaps the majority of the workers in the Steel Co., are Newfoundlanders. They are in all branches and departments, many of them occupy positions of trust such as managers, foremen and superintendents. Several are in the offices of the company, whilst still more are attached to the direct mechanical work here.

But I am taking up too much space I fear; and must call a halt. I will again write you, Mr. Editor, and hope you will give the space in your good paper, as you have always done.

Yours very truly,
P. J. KINSELLA.
Sydney, C.B., July 6, 1913.

Baseball.

Yesterday's baseball match between the Red Lions and B. I. S. resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 19 to 7. The players were:

Red Lions.	B. I. S.
Duff	Batteries
Morris	Ruddy
Anderson	Doyle
Ross	1st Base
Morris	2nd Base
Ross	Campbell
Curran	Shortstop
Anderson	3rd Base
Ross	Power
Angel	Left Field
James	Right Field
James	Centre Field
Jenkins	Batteries
Vincent	McManus and Dench
Empires	McManus and Dench
Score	Outerbridge

The Regatta.

Many crews practiced on the Lake yesterday afternoon and night. Tomorrow, Logy Bay and Outer Cove will be represented in the Fishermen's Race. The latter will row the Shamrock.

Much interest is being taken in the Brigade Race; the three crews are hard in training.

Four crews of Juveniles are practicing. A team from Logy Bay will row the Shananditti, after being thirteen years out of use, was launched yesterday afternoon. The C. C. C. are practicing in her.

Whaler Cabot Arrives.

Reports for Small Cateh.

The whaler Cabot, Capt. Bull, arrived in port yesterday afternoon from Balena, having finished her work at that place for the season. The Cabot was not as successful as in former years and has only seven whales to her credit. Capt. Bull reports that he never saw the fish as scarce before whilst continuous but weather made operations tedious and difficult. After remaining a few days the Cabot will proceed to Snook's Arm to finish up the voyage. That far the Cabot has only one-fourth of the number of fish she had this time last year.

ARRIVED FROM CADIZ.—The schr. Spinaway reached Harbour Buffett yesterday from Cadiz with a cargo of salt, word to this effect having been received by the Deputy Minister of Customs.

Now on View

New Wicker Chairs!

Great Variety. New Shapes. Some Upholstered.

Folding Canvas Chairs and Stools, etc.



The HAT of The SEASON!

A neat natty Soft Felt Hat, in the most popular shades of Green, Worth, Two Dollars and Fifty Cents. Selling this week at the Tempting Price of

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each

Sizes 6 3-4 to 7 1-4.
A Great Chance MEN.

A. & S. RODGER

500 Dress Robes at 1-3 off Regular Prices.

Owing to the recent unfavorable weather we are disposing of our entire stock of Summer Dress Robes at a GENUINE REDUCTION OF 1-3 OFF THE REGULAR PRICE of every garment.

This large stock includes Linens, Embroideries, Serges, Foulards and Silks, all of the latest cut and style and in all the usual stock sizes.

The Linens are in many dainty shades, piped with self or contrasting colors and trimmed with buttons. The Embroidered robes are a charming selection, they are beautifully modelled, the designs are exclusive, trimmed with exquisite insertion and lace, tucks, etc.

The Serges are modish and well-tailored, equally suited for town or country cool-weather wear. The Foulards and Silks, in stripes and other designs, are really lovely. Some have the new long shoulder effect and slightly raised waist-line, others have a mere suggestion of striking color, just enough to add distinction to the gowns; and all are this season's models.

Every woman is interested in a real bargain and these dainty gowns with their

1-3-off-regular-price reductions

are one of the greatest genuine bargains ever offered in St. John's. Come and see them at the

U. S. Picture & Portrait Company.



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