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ANNOUNCEMENT.

A. McNAMARA, Jeweller, 211

desires to say to his numerous customers and the public generally that on SATURDAY, April 3rd, he will move into the building heretofore occupied by Miss Muir as a millinery store. The new home of the McNamara business is only five doors west of the old stand (in the same block), and having had the interior thoroughly renovated and elaborately fitted, it will be most up-to-date in every particular. As usual the same high-class stock with the "something different" tinge that has won distinction in the past will be carried in the new quarters.

With a first-class Optical Department and an expert in charge, the testing of eyes and adjustment of glasses will be a specialty.

A. McNAMARA

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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - Proprietor
W. F. LLOYD, - - - - Editor

THURSDAY, April 1, 1915.

The Royal Commission and Local Mining.

The Commissioners report that though much is surmised, little is known of the mineral resources of Newfoundland. Making a passing reference to the memorandum furnished them by Mr. J. P. Howley, Director of the Geological Survey, and the older copper and pyrites mining, the Commissioners dwell mainly on the striking development of iron mining at Bell Island during the last decade. They call special attention to the deposits of hematite ore there. "Our countries in other Dominions have revealed nothing at all comparable to these deposits in extent, except perhaps those at Iron Knob and Iron Monarch, South Australia. Any estimates as to their probable amount must necessarily partake largely of hypothesis, as the workings are mainly under the sea, but we may mention that Mr. Howley has estimated the probable quantity of ore in the whole area at over 200,000,000 tons. Up to the end of 1912, 12,000,000 tons of ore had actually been extracted."

Analysis shows that the ore has a metallic content of over 50 per cent but the percentage of phosphorus is too high to make it suitable for treatment by the acid process of steel-making. A considerable portion of the ore has gone to foreign countries which devote themselves mainly to the production of basic steel. The Commissioners consider the hematite ore deposits at Bell Island of immense potential importance to the Iron and Steel industries of the United Kingdom and Canada. They say: "The continued and rapid depletion of the non-phosphoric ores hitherto found in various parts of the world will, however, necessarily induce an increased production of basic steel in Great Britain, and we consider the existence of such enormous deposits of iron ore in so accessible a position in a British Colony to be of immense potential importance to the iron and steel industries of the Mother Country as well as those of Canada."

McMurdo's Store News.

THURSDAY, April 1st, 1915.
Now is the time to choose your Easter Gifts in the way of Chocolates and here is the place to choose them. Our lot of Willard's (The Forkdip variety) is pretty complete and includes a really fine assortment, at popular prices. Your friend will be delighted with them, if they are Willard's. Price 45c. to \$1.50 a box. Lately arrived Pinex. Price 50c. a bottle; Magrine's English Cure for Catarrh, etc. Price 50c. Sutton's Seeds now open and on sale. Catalogues ready in a day or two.

The Best Potatoes!

We have received an excellent quality of **Table Potatoes,** Sound, dry and well flavoured.

A particular customer of ours—a veteran potato eater—says: "These are the best imported potatoes I've ever eaten."

In sacks and half sacks—going quick.

EDWIN MURRAY.

LATEST From the Front.

11.15 A.M.

PUBLIC OPINION INCENSED.
NORWICH, To-day.
Public opinion here is so strongly incensed over the attitude of some labor leaders on the war, that the Independent Labor Party was unable to secure a suitable hall for a conference which has been arranged for Monday and Tuesday.

CAPTURED SUPPLY STEAMER.
BUENOS AYRES, To-day.
The British cruiser Bristol has captured and taken to Falkland Islands the Norwegian steamer Bengor from Baltimore for Buenos Ayres. It is charged that the Bengor has violated neutrality by carrying coal and provisions destined for the German cruiser Kron Prinz Wilhelm.

A RIGHT ROYAL SPIRIT.
LONDON, To-day.

King George has added his plea to that of the shipowners, and in some cases that of the laborites themselves, that vigorous measures be adopted to cope with the question of drunkenness which it is urged is having the effect of delaying delivery of munitions of war. The King has volunteered if it is considered advisable, personally to give up the use of all alcoholic liquors and to issue an order against their use in the Royal Households. Such notification has been sent to the Chancellor of the Exchequer by the King's Private Secretary.

French Colonel Gets Long Term AND DEGRADATION.

Paris, March 26th.—Colonel Francois Desclaux, former paymaster in the French army, charged with stealing military stores, was convicted yesterday and sentenced to seven years' solitary confinement and military degradation. His name was ordered removed from the list of the Legion of Honor.

Madame Bechoff, the wife of a German, in whose house the stolen goods were found, also was declared guilty by the court-martial and sentenced to two years' imprisonment. A soldier named Verges, who was accused of aiding in the thefts, was given a one year's sentence. All the other defendants were declared not guilty.

Desclaux, who was formerly chief secretary to Joseph Caillaux when Caillaux was Minister of Finance, was arrested in January, charged with stealing military supplies and sending them to the home of Mme. Bechoff, one of the best known dressmakers in Paris. On account of the conspicuous political connections of Desclaux and the prominence of Mme. Bechoff, the charges created a sensation.

Capt. Sorcho Offers England New Defence.
London, March 25.—The Daily News says: "Battleships are not really necessary for the defense of Great Britain's coasts, according to Capt. Louis Sorcho, an American citizen, who claims he can show us how the Germans may be foiled if they should attempt serious operations against our shores. Sorcho has arrived in London, and is convinced of the value of his idea, and has offered his services to the British Government."

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Great Scotch Artists
A REAL TREAT.
On Easter Monday Jack Rossley, Proprietor of the East and West End Theatres, will open up to the public both his theatres which are a credit to him. The wonderful transformation of the East End Theatre delighted about two thousand persons who attended the lectures and were surprised; the decorations are beautiful and all were charmed with the up-to-date rosewood opera chairs, the first seen here, and imported from Chicago. The beautiful rich green drop curtain was another surprise. It is safe to say that Rossley's East End Theatre is now the finest in the city and best equipped for theatrical purposes, and when the balcony and six private boxes are put in later then it will be more admired than ever.

There It Is.
Our government is assured that the fleet and customs officials and other authorities concerned will be impressed with the duty of "acting with the utmost despatch consistent with the object in view, and of showing in every case such consideration for neutrals as may be compatible with that object, which is, succinctly stated, to establish a blockade to prevent vessels from carrying goods for or coming from Germany." This being a blockade, though of a new kind and applied with special consideration for the rights of neutrals, it is difficult to see what more can be done by our government, except to be watchful and insistent upon a due regard for every just claim. "The blockade is there and we cannot lift it."—New York Journal of Commerce.

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Supreme Court.

The April session of the Supreme Court opened at 11 a.m. to-day. Present the Full Bench.

The Grand Jury are in attendance, and are sworn as follows: Patrick Kavanagh, foreman; Michael Dyer, Boyd Crocker, John F. Clarke, Gilbert Joyce, William Bugden, Stanley Rodger, Albert E. Carter, James Molloy, Frederick C. Grant, George Best, Charles Blackburn, John Sinnott, George Hampton, Patrick Laracy, James Stone, Nicholas Vinicombe, John Mitchell, Joseph Halyard, Wm. P. Shirlall, Mark Chaplin.

The Grand Jury are addressed by His Lordship the Chief Justice, who informs them that there is no business to engage their attention at present. They then adjourn.

The Cabot Steam Whaling Co., Ltd., vs. The Fishermen's Union Trading Co., Ltd.—On motion of J. J. McGrath for Plaintiff, this motion for a day deferred till a later date.

George Taylor vs. William Taylor.—Motion of Kent, K.C., for Plaintiff, and by consent of J. Winter, for Defendant, the hearing of this cause is set down for April 14th.

In re the Companies Act, 1899-1906, and Jackman the Tailor, Ltd., and an application of William Cook et al to extend the time for registering debentures. Kent, K.C., for Petitioner, moves for a day for the hearing of the application. E. Dunfield, for P. C. O'Driscoll, Liquidator, assents to any day in May next. It is ordered that the hearing of the application be set for May 7th.

Thos. J. Freeman vs. the Government of Newfoundland.—The Court is of opinion that the evidence of the Reid Mfd. Co. should be brought in to ascertain whether they have any interest in the property in question. Kent, K.C., undertakes to serve a copy of the petition on the said Company.

The Court adjourns until 11 a.m. on Tuesday next.

\$18.50 Your East-need Suit cost you more. We are offering a splendid Indigo Blue fine Twill Serge Suiting at \$18.50 for two weeks only. Leave your order in time for Easter. SPURRELL BROS., 365 Water Street. mar25,6odf

U. S. Concerned Over Missionaries.

Washington, March 26.—The massacre of foreign missionaries in Northwestern Persia and the desperate plight in which many others, with native Christians, now find themselves is causing the American Government serious concern. Advice received by the State Department from private and official sources emphasize the dangers to which the missionaries, many of them members of the American Presbyterian sect, are exposed.

Turkish irregulars are reported to be running the entire northwestern part of Persia, murdering all the Christians and massacring off women and children.

Mr. Bryan, Secretary of State, today called the United States Ambassador, Mr. Morgenthau, at Constantinople, to make the most urgent representations to the Ottoman Government, and to demand that full protection be afforded American interests.

The chief centre of the trouble is Urmiyah, where thousands of native Christians have sought refuge in the French and American mission stations, which are the only ones that so far have escaped the vengeance of the mobs.

It is reported that the American missionaries have raised the American flag above their compound and demanded protection from the native officials. All American diplomatic and consular representatives in Turkey, Russia and Persia have been ordered by the State Department to report information reaching them of the situation. Only the most meagre official despatches reach the Department, but Mr. Bryan declared to-day that he had not the slightest doubt that the press dispatches from Russian sources accurately described the situation.

For two months past roaming bands of Kurds and Turkish irregulars have ravaged northern Persia, persecuting the native Christians unopposed by the regular Turkish forces or their officers.

DIED.
This morning, Ralph Watts, infant child of T. J. and Carrie Vavasour, aged 12 months.

At Boston, on the 24th March, there passed peacefully away, Clarence J. A., darling beloved son of Chas. and Nellie Scovier, aged 17 years; funeral on Friday, at 3 p.m., from Mr. Chas. Cook's residence, 249 Hamilton Ave.; friends and acquaintances please accept this, the only, intimation.

At Ferryland, on Saturday, 27th March, after a painful illness, William youngest son of Agnes and the late William Seek, aged 10 years.

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SPRING NEW GOODS!

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MANY EASTER NOVELTIES

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New	HATS.	New
Blouses,	Consisting of trimmed and un-trimmed Hats & Bonnets in	Flowers,
Veilings,	Newest	Ribbons,
Frillings,	Spring	Corsets,
Collars and Cuffs.	Fashions	Camisoles.
	See these newest arrivals.	

Velvets---Lace Flouncings---Overlases---Straw Trimmings.

SILKS.

Our Silk Department has the largest stock in the city of plain and fancy Colored Silks.

CHINA SILK, MARCELINE, JAPAN,

PALETTE, COTELE, GLACE,

MERVE, MOIRE'S, BENGALINE,

DAMAS, PONGEE, SHANTUNG,

CHIFFON, TAFFETA.

DUCHESSES MOUSSELINE in Black,

Ivory, Brown, Navy, Vieux Rose, Sky,

Saxe, Reseda, Prunelle, Helio, Grey,

Nile, Straw.

Dress Fabrics.

We are carrying a splendid stock of Dress Materials in most exclusive materials and colorings as follows:—

POPLINS—CREPONS

NUN'S VEILING—CHECKS

CASHMERES—SERGES

SATIN CLOTH—MELTONS.

BROCHE CREPON in Saxe, Reseda and Grey.

CREPE INDIAN, 40 inches wide, in Black, Cream, Saxe, Navy, Helio.

CREPE DE CHENE in Black, White, Cream, Pink, Vieux Rose, Sky, Navy, Helio.

WOOL CREPE DE CHENE SPECIAL in Brown and Myrtle. Worth 75 cts. to 85 cts. Our Price55 cts.

Central Stores. **GEORGE KNOWLING.** Central Stores.

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Knockabout Hat

FOR LADIES.

Black Silk Poplin Rim, with Fancy Silk Crown.

95c. each.

See Them in Our West Window To-Day.

S. MILLEY.

Earl Roberts Had Large Interests in U. S.

Minneapolis, Minn., March 26.—Thirty per cent. of the personal property of the late Field-Marshal Earl

Roberts was in Minnesota. A copy of the will was filed with the Attorney-General, Lindon A. Smith, to-day, and the State will receive an inheritance tax of \$65,113.

The will shows that Earl Roberts owned 729 shares of Great Northern Railway stock, valued at \$79,796, and

\$49 shares of Great Northern Iron ore stock, appraised at \$25,000.

The total personal property is given at \$375,897. Most of the property the will shows, was derived from the \$100,000 presented to him by Great Britain for his services in the Boer war.

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