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We have a complete stock of WIRE NETTING, Barbed and Plain Wire, also Staples. These goods are from the best manufacturers and are well finished and rust-proof.

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# WHITE LAWN BLOUSES For Ladies.

Dainty Designs, Low Neck Effect,  
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Price **70<sup>c</sup>** each.

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## SPRINGTIME!



Corsets.

**A. & S. RODGER**

Spring brings its calls and demands on all of us, and this week we are catering to the many wants of "Woman" with a

Special Sale of  
**CORSETS!**

The prices  
40c., 45c., 50c., 65c.,  
75c., \$1.00, \$1.30, \$1.50,  
\$1.60, \$2.00  
per pair.

Are real money-saving offers.

### Captains Death Not Due to Negligence.

Stipendiary Fielding, of Halifax, has filed the report of his inquiry into the death of Capt. Joseph Hatherly of the s.s. Mongolian at the dry dock on March 17th. The evidence taken showed that the ship was in the dry dock repairing, and a plumber repairing lead pipe on board had, with the assistance of a couple of the crew, with a view to returning some hose to the shore, curled it up in the hold and attached it to a fall to be hoisted to the deck. The deceased and Mr. Turnbull (connected with the Halifax Graving Dock Co., Ltd.) were walking together in the hold a little way from under the fall. As the load went up something caught the "fore and after" of the hatch and raised it out of its sockets. It fell about 23 feet and struck Captain Hatherly, who died from the blow within half an hour. When the load started, warning was given, and also when it struck the "fore and after" and the Stipendiary Magistrate could not upon the evidence given find that there was any blame attributable to any person.

### Drowning Fatality at Fogo.

Deputy Minister of Customs, Le-Messurier, received the following message to-day from the Sub-Collector at Fogo:

"While crossing harbor last night, Edward Hodge, Miss Hopkins and Miss Oake went through ice; Miss Oake got out; Hodge and Miss Hopkins were drowned; Hodge's body found last night; no trace yet of Miss Hopkins' body."

### TOLLING ON.

We are evermore forgetting that our stay on earth is brief, and we waste the time in fretting, hunting for all kinds of grief, making moon about the weather, magnifying every ill, as we toil along together to the boneyard on the hill. All our little griefs and worries will forsake us in a day; every jerk affliction hurries, anxious to be on his way, but we lasso it and tether every trouble we can nail, as we toil along together to the boneyard in the vale. Life should be a cheerful ramble, but we make it one of woes, and we howl about the bramble till we overlook the rose. We ignore the scented heather, looking for the thistle clump, as we toil along together to the boneyard by the dump. There's so much to make us joyous, there's so much that's good and bright! There's so little to annoy us, if our hearts were only right! Why bawl forth, from lungs of leather, protests fierce, when all is well, as we toil along together to the boneyard in the dell?



WALTON MASON

### Here and There.

Try "Cooking Nutter," it makes cooking easy.—f25, eod, tf

ARRESTED FOR LARCENY.—Last night the police arrested a young woman on a charge of larceny.

"ABCOT" will remove stains from all fabrics.—f17, tu, th, s, f

COVERED BY INSURANCE.—It is said that Maleem Noah, whose store was on fire Saturday night, carried \$4,000 on his stock.

MOBILIZED!—50,000 bottles of Stafford's Liniment for killing Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES.—On Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of this week, evangelistic services are being held in George St. Church.

Stafford's Phoratox Cough and Cold Cure is sold everywhere for all kinds of Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and various Lung Troubles.—apr5, tf

"OURS" IN THE WEST END.  
Crowded to the doors last night, the one verdict for pictures and singers—delightful. See our brave soldiers on the screen at Rossley's, marching to the Neptune and sailing out to the Dominion, a marvelous film; see yourselves, see your friends; Ballard Brown and Miss Modge Locke, in a great sketch, the finest artists that have ever been seen here. Don't forget the great competition on Friday night, three big prizes. All over 14 may compete; sing, dance, recite, tell stories, juggle, be a ventriloquist. The audience decides the winners. On Saturday three prizes for the children. Bring out the talent of St. John's; give in your names at Rossley's.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURE FOR BURNS, ETC.

### Man Injured in Dynamite Explosion.

There arrived by last night's train from Mr. Buffett, P.E., a man belonging to that place by the name of Tulk, who was the victim of a serious accident recently. He was handling a dynamite cap which somehow exploded and blew the four fingers of the left hand and badly shattered the rest of the hand. The wounded member was temporarily bound up and Tulk was taken to Placentia for medical treatment after which he was ordered to hospital for treatment where he was taken immediately on arrival of last night's train.

### St. Mary's Parish Hold Meeting.

A large gathering attended last night's annual meeting of St. Mary's Parishioners. Parochial organizations are in a progressive state as reported by the Rector, and 61 parishioners altogether are with the Nfld. Regiment or Royal Naval Reserve. The names of Levi Jerrett and Harold Stanley are on the roll of honor list and they will be ever cherished by their fellow parishioners. The Rector also reported that with the sanction of the Bishop, Rev. H. L. Pike had accepted the curacy of St. Mary's and will take up his duties on May 1st. The finances of the Church are in a healthy state, as shown by the statement presented by the People's Warden. The officers appointed for the ensuing year are:

Rector's Warden—Mr. L. G. Chafe.  
People's Warden—Mr. W. J. Pike.  
Select Vestry—G. W. Ellis, Capt. E. Dawe, Thos. Cornick, Albert Whitten, G. B. Whitten, Capt. G. Herald, A. Samond, Stephen Bradbury, George Gardner; Honorary members—Jas. Worrall and Wm. Churchill.  
Finance Committee—J. L. Noonan, F. H. Axford, L. Bartlett, J. W. Chafe, Ed. Ellis, W. C. Chafe, Edgar Dawe, John R. Harvey, Robert Pike, E. G. Cousens, F. Bursell, A. Melvin, E. A. Crowther, S. Bursell.  
Cemetery Committee—Wm. Cook, F. Bursell, J. Oakley, John R. Harvey, Capt. Herald.  
Industrial Committee—T. Bursell, Capt. Dawe, G. B. Whitten.  
Lay Delegates to Diocesan Synod—James Worrall and Wm. Churchill.  
Supps. of Sunday Schools—E. Churchill and Edgar Dawe.  
Organist—G. B. Lloyd.  
Sexton—Geo. Reid.  
Sidesmen—Rowland Williams, W. C. Chafe, Edgar Dawe, F. H. Ellis, Harry S. Ford, R. Pike.  
Auditors—G. B. Lloyd, Arthur Ebsary.

After the customary votes of thanks was passed, the meeting was brought to a close with the Doxology.

Buy GOODS manufactured in NEW-FOUNDLAND & keep the Fathers at work

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### Big Attraction at the Nickel.

The attendance at the Nickel Theatre yesterday was very large, as all were anxious to see the new pictures. The ladies were largely in evidence, the great attraction being "Our Mutual Girl Series." These pictures were seen for the first time and delighted all. This is a feature which should draw every young lady to the Nickel. It is impossible to describe the goodness and all should see for themselves. "The Fatal Wedding" is also a beautiful film. To-day the whole programme will be repeated and we advise all our readers not to miss it.

### Snap Shots.

J. C. PARSONS wishes to inform his friends and the public generally that he has taken over Parsons' Art Store, with the intention of going into the Photo Supply and Post Card business. In connection with Photo Supplies he is prepared to give his patrons the benefit of seventeen years practical experience in Photography, and consequently will keep nothing in stock, but what he can recommend, and has practical experience in the use of such. Having on hand a large and varied stock of supplies both for amateur and professional photographers, he is now in a position to cater to the general photographing trade. Customers buying cameras, etc., can rest assured they will know how to use them before leaving the store. He also wishes to draw attention to his line of Real Photo Post Cards, which will include everything of interest in Newfoundland; also Newfoundland Views mounted and unmounted.

By strict attention he will endeavor to keep up the name Parsons' Art Store has got, viz., What happens today we have tomorrow. Having every facility for the taking and finishing quickly on Post Cards of local happenings, he respectfully solicits a share of the public patronage.

There seems to be no limit to the fondness for pink corsets. The fit of the new waists will depend largely on the boning.

Printed chiffon lines the dressy little coats worn with silk dresses.

MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES NEURALGIA.

## BIG SALE OF Fire Goods

Zinc Wash Boards, 30c. Now . . . . .18c.  
Crumb Brush and Trays, 40c. to \$1.00. Now 20 to 50c.  
Flour Sieves . . . . .8c. each  
Brass Cuspidors . . . . .30c. pair  
R. S. Polish, 1 1/2 oz. . . . .10c. doz.  
Brass Druggett Pins, 2 doz. for . . . . .5c.  
Brass Curtain Pins . . . . .2c. doz.  
Can Openers . . . . .3 and 6c. each  
Brass Extension Rods . . . . .12c. each  
Egg Beaters . . . . .4c. each  
3 Arm Towel Racks . . . . .5c. each  
Egg Whips . . . . .3c. each  
Flesh Forks . . . . .7 and 10c. each  
Sheet Iron Bake Pans . . . . .25c. to 50c. pair  
Chamois Skins, 25c. to \$1.00. Now . . . . .15 to 70c.

A big stock of Lime and Kalsomine Brushes.

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THE STORE THAT PLEASES.

### J. J. St. John.

Our TEAS have nearly doubled their sales the past few months. We are not surprised as we are selling at old prices, notwithstanding three advances the past few months. Our ECLIPSE and TIP-TOP are our two leaders, 40c. and 55c. lb. We find buyers for these from Petty Harbor to Bauline and from Freshwater to Signal Hill.

PURE IRISH BUTTER is another leader; in fact we can't keep enough stocked, as ours is the only real Irish in the market. Price now 45c. per lb.

BEANS, 5c. lb. PEARL BARLEY, 7c. lb.  
Make your purchases from us, get your free Coupons and see how pleased you will be at Xmas.

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DUCKWORTH ST. & LEMARCHANT ROAD.

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