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#### EVENING TELEGRAM. THE

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Wind northerly, not much ice; seals

PONY, SLEIGH AND HARNESS .-

For sale a pony, a single sleigh and

Street, next door to Parker & Mon-

DURANGO ARRIVED .- Word was

received to-day that the S. S. Durango

arrived at Halifax at 3 o'clock yester

day afternoon, the passage from here

occupying three days. The ship met

terrific weather and being in ballast

Ask your Druggist for

SERRAVALLO'S TONIC

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Cures:
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was knocked about badly.

And I have signed, Sworn and acknowledged before me, at St. John's, this 25th day of March, A.D., 1912.

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A. W. KNIGHT,

Justice of the Peace for the Colony of Newfoundland.

### A Sad Case.

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Saturday at 11 a.m. an aged woman died after an illness of some duration. spring going over you. You will feel Since then the corpse has been laying so well and so strong and in such in the little kitchen of the domicile offined and quite near a stove in which, of course, the fire was daily kept. Mrs. Emberly had not the was utily spirits. Your appetite will improve where with all to bury her friend, and and you will be able to eat your food only to-day has anything been done in the way of arranging for interment. The people about are poor and could of get a coffin, while the old woman system will be stimulated and invigwith whom Mrs. Brophy lived could orated, and the improvement will not not get about to attend to the matter. Somebody should have interested themselves in this case. To leave the house from Saturday until to-day drugs known to medical science as ernment which boasts of big surplus wrung from the blood of the people are too apathetic to devote a sum sufthat the indgnation of the whole pec

### Received Burns.

Mr. Edgar Morris, cook of the S. S. Bruce, on her last voyage met with a painful mishap. When the ship struck the ice a vessel filled with scalding grease was upset and the contents went over his hands and arms burn- sure he wears our improved eyeglassing him severely. He had to stay es. R. H. TRAPNELL, Eyesight Speashore this trip and is being attended | cialist .- mar20,tf by Dr. Paterson.

### Bruce at Louisburg.

The Reid Nfld. Coy. had a message at 1 p.m. saying that the Bruce had arrived at Louisburg at 11.15 a.m. today. She leaves again to-morrow harness. A bargain if applied for at morning. The ship, evidentally, had a once to E. D. SPURRELL, 365 Water hard jam of ice to contend with and could not get to Sydney.

### farmers Association:

The farmers of Kelligrews recently med up an Association of which Mr. R. Hibbs is President. They intend importing their own stock and feeds, etc., and will conduct their business on an up-to-date scale.

Don't expect to find all the advantages of our improved eyeglass in any other eyeglasses. Patents protect us. R. H. TRAPNELL, Eyesight Special-

### McMurdo's Store News. Injured on TUESDAY, Mar. 26, 1912.

If you take a bottle of our Quinine and Iron Tonic, you will not feel the Two men while working Saturday slope of the L Steel Company, at Bell Island, narrowly escaped being killed. They lost control of the car in which they were good form that March winds will not chill nor April showers damp your going into a slope and were thrown off with great violence. One man was badly bruised about the body and the

### Train Notes.

be factitious, but real, because the One of the trucks of a box car coming off the track near Woodford's Station delayed the local train last night Tonic in question is a good honest medicine, containing two of the best and it did not arrive here until this morning at 1.55. tonics, and no alcohol. Price 40 cts. A train with passengers from Mil-

ertown Junction is due at midnight The rotary is at the Quarry to-day In doubt as to which dentifrice to but it is too stormy to work use? Then get the best-Sanident. A The train clearing the Bonavista single tube will demonstrate its Branch left Catalina this morning and qualities and show its superiority to it is likely will have the road cleared

### Coastal Boats.

REID NFLD. CO. The Argyle arrived at Sound Isld.

o-day and is detained there owing to The Ethie left Belleoram at 9.15

### Here and There.

The Stella Maris arrived at Greenspond at 9,20 a.m. to-day and left at

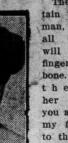
BURIN FLEET COMING .- A fleet of Burin vessels will arrive here next week to take on board supplies for the coming fishery. They are able to come here thus early owing to the fact that the coast is clear of ice.

LOOKING FOR PROPERTY .- It is eported that the Bank of Nova Scotia and the Bank of Commerce people are and the Bank of Commerce proper are intended if possible to secure the Col-lins' block for banking premises. Several of those who occupied the place hold leasehold interests in it and these will be bought out.

APPOINTED TO H. M. C.—We understand that Capt. John Snow, late of the barqt. Devonia, has been appointed to a position in H. M. Customs. Capt. Snow has been many years plowing Snow has been many years plowing the ocean and is the senior amongst those commanding our mercantile marine. It is men of this stamp who are entitled to such positions, not heelers and ne'er-do-wells who have nothing but gall and pull to recommend them.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

## The Evening Chit-Chat



her so well, call it." you ask? Ah no. to the contrary Because they are

mind, frightened to death of her piti-

A friend of mine was about to open her home for a week-end house party. The day before the guests were to arrive, she and her maid spent a least eight solid hours scrubbing and polishing and generally putting in order what seemed to me in the first place, a thoroughly well-scrubbed and polished and orderly home.

"Why am I so absurdly particular about half a dozen old friends. It's for one of them. Do you know Mrs. could see a grain of dust behind a nicture in an unlighted room at midthere's a worn place in one of my day. chairs or carpets, or a single finger mark anywhere on the paint-and that white paint clean—that woman will know it and talk about it for months. She can tell at a glance just what every article in the house cost from the napkins to the piano. If a

it in a minute and can hardly keep powdered chalk. Let stand an hour, man, for whom her eyes off of it, I once wore a then wash off. Sometimes one apher sisters waist to her house that was too big in plication suffices; but if not, repeat will work their the collar and I could see that she fingers to t h e ached to speak about it. Just wait until she comes, and you'll see why from lifting when you open the door they love I'm so 'absurdly particular' as you nail down two brass-headed tacks

five minutes of our acquaintance, dur- ers and slip them over the heads of ing which Mrs. M.'s roving eye took me in from head to foot, set down my rug in place. style of hair-dressing as antiquated, oving eye, in awe of her critical gown, decided that the collar was real Irish, sighted a little wrinkle in the yoke, and made me uncomfortably understood.

> I think we all know one or more women of this type. We have all worked ourselves weary before openng our homes to them. A visit from such a one is not a visit. It is a tour of inspection.

And, yet, after all, who shall say out that we need them. Mrs. M.'s cur of inspection are sometimes unpleasant, but they are apt to be M.? Well, if you did you'd under- healthful. My friend says that in anstand. My dear, I believe that woman I ticipation of Mrs. M.'s visit, she cleared out a closet which had been needing attention for at least two years. night. If a single picture in the And for my part I had that wrinkle house isn't hung exactly straight, if in my yoke attended to the very next

Although we may not love the critics who lash us towards perfection you know how hard it is to keep all let us still give them "honor due." But I certainly wouldn't want to be one of them. Would you?

### Strong Healthy Women

If a woman is strong and healthy in a womanly way, motherhood means to her but little suffering. The trouble lies in the fact that the many women suffer from weakness and disease of the distinctly feminine organism and are unfitted for motherhood. This can be remedied.

### Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription

Cures the weaknesses and disorders of women. It acts directly on the delicate and important organs concerned in motherhood, making them healthy, strong, vigorous, virile and elastic.

"Favorite Prescription" banishes the indispositions of the period of expectancy and makes baby's advent easy and almost painless. It quickens and vitalizes the feminine organs, and insures a healthy and robust baby. Thousands of women have testified to its marvelous merits.

It Makes Weak Women Strong. It Makes Sick Women Well.

Honest druggists do not offer substitutes, and urge them upon you as "just as good." Accept no secret nostrum in place of this non-secret remedy. It contains not a drop of alcohol and not a grain of habit-forming or injurious drugs. Is a pure glyceric extract of healing, native American roots.

## Bell Island. Household Notes. Galain without face.

dese of castor oil or sweet oil, and with a pencil. Put two marks where Keep a small sprinkling can filled marking a dark waist. with water in the coal bin. Wet the

The dampness will make a hotter After using a bottle of glue in to remove rub fresh cork with a little lard and use this instead of the old

into the water with which you water water, then wrung out in warm water your ferns will make them grow very in which a little soap has been dis- When the promised branch line of

rapidly. Use it about once a week. solved, passed through the wringer, One can buy the white embroider- and dried. ed, machine-done jabots, and embroider over them in color, saving the time

is extremely effective. Before putting on a baby's sleeve, stain before the garment is put into give it some article to grasp tightly the water may cause the stain to again. Mr. Fred. Kenney had the secin its hand. This will keep the little | wash out. fingers from spreading out and catch-

a most effective cleaner for white por-

### Sluggish **Liver Action**

Causes indigestion, constipation and billous headache—Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills the cure.

ney-Liver Pills the cure.

"Sluggish liver has been my trouble," writes Mrs. I. P. Smith, Paris, Ont., "and I have been greatly benefitted by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I have taken medicines from several good doctors, but none ever did me the same amount of good as Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I could not keep up and do my work if I did not use these pills when the billous spells come on, and I have recommended them to many."

"Dr. Chase's medicines were about the only kind that came into my father's house 40 or 50 years ago, and they were always satisfactory."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are prompt, definite and direct in their action on the liver, kidneys and bowels, and are therefore the most effective treatment obtainable for billousness, indigestion and constipation. 25 cants a box, 5 for \$1.00, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Ca. Teronte.

celain sinks, lavatories and bathtubs without destroying the smooth sur-

If house plants droop from no ap- around the waist line. Adjust the from Port au Port named Hynes is parent cause, try giving them a good gathers and mark along the string set the pots in pans of warm water. | the gathers begin. Use white chalk in

To make good use of yolks of eggs ccal before putting it into the furnace. when making angel cake or any cake which calls for only the whites of eggs, use the yolks for making a batch of noodles, which, when dried, which the stopper is sticky and hard you can easily keep on hand until

needed. Any material, such as flannel or

If a washable shirtwaist has been worn under a coat with a dark lining | tion and to the new industry that is of stamping and padding. The result and is stained from perspiration, a little coal oil rubbed well into the

ing in the sleeve, as they usually do. | future use, always tie around it a | the snow banks during the late stormy Half a cupful of salt and one pint piece of the material of the garment weather, it must have been still worse sealing fleet this spring and last of turpentine, mixed thoroughly, forms that has just been cut. This will on Port au Port Peninsula and around spring, when they left on the 14th,

> If you want to cut hard butter into squares, and find you cannot do it without crumming, fold a piece of waxed paper in which the butter was wrapped around the blade of the knife. You can then make a perfectly smooth cut.

Before filling new pillow ticks, dip a brush in melted paraffine and apply it to the wrong side of the material; then iron with a warm iron. This will effectively prevent the down from working through and causing the pillow to become flat.

When there is a sudden need of rubber sheeting, and none is at hand, several sheets of newspapers will be found to answer the purpose just as well, and can be burned at once. They can be used under cribpads also.

When planting vines for shade over the kitchen porch next spring, try the common lima bean vine, for this yields bountifully of its fruit, and the foliage is both beautiful and dense. You can also pick the beans easily.

When starting to embroider a fine marquisette blouse, first baste muslin

and work through the two. When finished, cut carefully around on wrong side, and the result will be beautiful work, firm and without a

To take out mildew, moisten the mildewed spot with clear water, then spread over it a thick coating of There is a cer- gown doesn't fit just right she knows castile or other good white soap and

> To keep a rug from slipping or where the corners of the rug fall. I waited and I saw. After the first | Sew little rings on the two rug corn-

> When the porcelain bowl of the reckoned the price per yard of my toilet becomes discolored, dip out the water and pour into the bowl about a couple of hours or more, then flush conscious of every inch of myself, I the bowl, and it will be found that all of the discoloration has disappear

> > The afternoon cup of tea a la Russ gains a delicious flavor when a pure candy lemon drop is used instead of the juice of a lemon and sugar. It is quite convenient, when a lemon is not obtainable, to find a few lemon drops at hand in one's little sugar bowl.

### Dry Goods Dept. SALE!

We have decided to give our Customers the benefit of a

### Great End of Season Sale.

Underwear, Blouses, Collars, Ties, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, etc.

Also, on Bargain Counter, at Big Reductions, Combs, Tapes, Pins, Buttons, Elastics, Belts, Frillings, Mending Wool, etc.

SPECIAL: - Wool Cap season is over. We have 9 doz. only of Splendid Felt Turban Caps, choice of two styles. Value, \$1.20: Sale, 48 cents.

DRY GOODS DEPT.

## Soper & Moore

### Stephenville Crossing.

Miss Butler, our courteous and obliging telegraph operator and postmistress, has left for her home at St. Light, Warmth George's, to visit one of her sisters Put on your waist and tie a string who is dangerously ill. A young girl

> Mr. John McDougall, of the D. I. S. Co. arrived from Sydney by last Friday's express and proceeded to Port of erection there.

There have been large quantities of smelts exported from here this winter for the American markets. These fish were taken in the rivers around Port au Port Bay, frozen, carefully packed white serge, that is likely to shrink in barrels or other suitable packages Putting a small amount of ammonia should be soaked all night in cold and drawn a distance of eighteen miles to connect with the train here. railway is built to Port aux Basques, it will certainly be a matter of great convenience to the people of that sec-

> now starting there. The Census work in this part of the District has had to be done all over tion from here to Port aux Port and he When putting away a pattern for had pretty tough travelling through nor a profitable job even in summer season, what must it be then in midwinter with the thermometer registering several degrees below zero and the reads blocked with snow.



# is the new Sauce imported from England.

gether the most delicious Oriental fruits and spices, with Pure Malt Vinegar by a

The Grocers and Stores over here are already selling H.P.

Buy a bottle to-day !

Special to Evening Telegram

PEKING, March 25. A widespread plot to overthrow the Republic and restore the Emperor to his throne has been discovered. So serious is the situation to-day that President Yuan Shi Kai is afraid to arrest the leaders of the plot for fear that such action may result in further fighting and disorder.

#### Special Evening Telegram.

LONDON, March 25. The general managers of all the British railways met in London today and tabulated the remaining stocks of fuel. The result indicates that if peace is not in sight by the end of the week all passenger trains on every branch line in the Kingdom will be suspended.

#### Special to Evening Telegram.

LONDON, March 25. Professor Jevons estimates that the strike is costing the United Kingdom \$50,000,000, at the lowest computation, every week. As granting the minimum daily rates of \$1.25 for men and 50 cents for boys, working the mines would cost only \$250,000 per year, the Professor argues that it would pay mine owners to concede

Special to Evening Telegram.

WEYMOUTH, March 25. The American cruiser Prairie, lying in Portland Harbour, and shipping a hundred Whitehead torpedoes, is finding it difficult to secure coal for her voyage to America. An unsuccessful attempt was made to-day to purchase

## and Food.

These three words embrace the most urgent necessities of Life, and it is an extraordinary thing that in each case our thoughts turn to Gas; this, after all, is but natural. We want Light. au Port on a visit of inspection of the limestone quarry plant now in course Again, we want Warmth, and the gas fire is at hand to give it in its best form; and, lastly, we must have Food, and here the gas cooker never fails us. All this is absolutely true, as we

have shown over and over again. If, however, any of our customers are in the least doubtful on any of these points, we cordially invite them to consult us. In the meantime, our advice is to get good burners and buy modern gas fires and cookers, and above all, to keep your gas appliances (whether old or new) in good order, for in this is the true secret of effici-

ency and complete satisfaction. ST. JOHN'S GAS LIGHT CO., Board of Trade Building.

### **Leaving Too Late**

The general impression amongst old-time sealers in the city is that the save much time in looking over and the Bay owing to the want of roads sailed too late by four days. They opening patterns when they are again and beaten paths. In its new form, believe that we will have to revert taking the Census is neither a pleasant to the 10th as the sailing day, and assert that by doing so the ships would have more time to hunt up the harps and in getting in their track they can keep them in sight until the 16th, the legal day for killing. By permitting the fleet to sail on the 10th the ships have a good margin of time ahead to seek out the main patch, whereas if they are missed after sailing on the 14th, the season is rapidly advancing and when the patch is not quickly discovered it disconcerts and discourages captains and crews.

ARRESTED A DISORDERLY. Last evening the police were called to a residence on McNeil Stret, where a young man who had been drinking heavily was acting in a disorderly manner. His mother gave him in charge and he was removed to the police station.

The S. S. Rosalind leaves New York to-morrow for Halifax and this port. The S. S. Kura will finish loading coal at Franklin's premises to-day.