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Cable News.

LONDON, Jan. 18.
For many years no suit aroused such widespread interest in the British Isles as the proceedings opened Saturday at Bow St. Police Court, against eight officers and non-commissioned officers of the British Army, and eight civilians, who are charged with wholesale corruption in a bribery in connection with supplies to the British Army canteens. Thirteen officers, for some cause or other had not answered their summonses, while one civilian was absent on account of illness. The six officers and two non-commissioned officers involved are all connected with the Quartermaster's Department. All have risen from the ranks. The civilians are employees of Lipton, Ltd. They include John Lipton, managing director of the company; James Craig, general manager of the military department company and former president of managers at military headquarters in London, Aldershot and Salisbury. The corruption has been going on for ten years.

TOKIO, Jan. 18.
The indications are that the loss of life on the island of Sakura, which was devastated by the eruption of the volcano Sakura Jima, may be larger than had been supposed. A report received here to-day from an official of the Interior Department, who was sent to Kagoshima and its vicinity to investigate, states 9,000 of Sakura's estimated population of 19,000 had been accounted for up to the evening of the 16th. Other figures are expected to be found in other directions, but the loss of life is evidently be extremely heavy.

HALIFAX, Jan. 18.
A wireless to-night from the Royal Mail Steam Packet Co's liner "Chigley," from Halifax for West Indies, reports having taken off Capt. Johnes and crew of the waterlogged Nova Scotia schooner "Ladysmith." The schooner registered 674 tons, and was bound for New York, lumber laden.

LONDON, Jan. 18.
Baron Strathcona and Mount Royal, High Commissioner of Canada, is seriously ill, suffering from prostration following a sharp attack of malaria. He is 94 years old, and his condition gives rise to considerable anxiety. At 8 p.m. Sunday, he was still alive.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.
Premier Whitney's condition remains unchanged.

LONDON, Jan. 18.
The coronation of Emperor Yoshihito has been fixed for Nov. 1st.

Lilies.

The highest voice ever heard on this earth said withal, "Consider the lilies of the field: they toil not, neither do they spin; yet Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these." A glance that, into the deep of Beauty. "The lilies of the field"—dressed rather than earthly princes, springing there in the humble furrow-field; beautiful eye looking out on you, from the great inner Sea of Beauty! How could the rude earth make these, their essence, rugged as she looks and is, were not inwardly Beauty?—truly.

The Christian At the Casino This Evening

At the Casino to-night, the W. S. Harkins Players will commence their farewell week, and a strong repertoire has been reserved for this week as will be seen by the "ad" in this issue. To-night's play will be "The Christian"—dramatized by him from his famous novel of the same name. The Christian has been one of the greatest plays ever written. It was played for five years in the States by Miss Viola Allen, and it had a tremendous success in England, and in practically every Christian country. The scenes are laid in Wales and London. The story is a very strong one dramatically and those who have read the book, or admire a strong dramatic story well acted should not miss to-night's performance. The ladies of St. John's will be pleased to know that Miss Van Duser and Miss Blasdale will wear some very charming costumes. In order to secure The Christian, Manager Harkins had to accede to the very heavy royalty demanded by the owners of the play, and desiring to secure the best in plays he secured the sole rights for the territory. A large advance sale indicates a crowded house to-night. To-morrow by request, Alias Jimmy Valentine will be the bill. Those who want to see this great crook play should remember this is their last chance. To-morrow's performance will be under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Governor and Mrs. Davidson.

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Hockey Notes.

The Victorias held their annual meeting on Saturday night at the Board of Trade Rooms, and elected officers as follows:
Captain—C. R. Ford.
Vice-Captain—J. C. Parsons.
Delegate—S. Long.
The opening game of the League Championship series takes place at the Prince's Rink on Wednesday night, the contesting teams being the Crescents and Victorias.

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Current Events Club.

ELECT OFFICERS.
The Current Events Club held their annual meeting on Saturday afternoon last, a large number being present. The following officers were elected for the coming year:—
President—Lady Horwood.
1st Vice-President—Mrs. K. R. Prowse.
2nd Vice-President—Mrs. J. Brownling.
Secretary—Mrs. W. G. Gosling.
Asst. Secretary—Mrs. A. Macpherson.
Treasurer—Miss Keeney.

Man Fell Into Hold of Steamer.

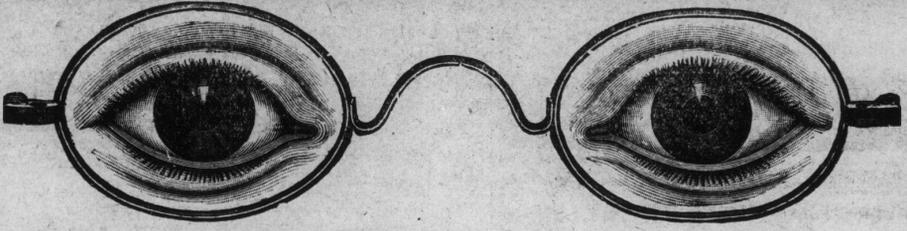
On Saturday afternoon, a laborer named Dunphy, who was engaged discharging coal from the s.s. Florizel, at Morey's premises, had a narrow escape from being killed. He was engaged on a gangway emptying tubs of coal as they came from the hold. Suddenly he fell through the open hatchway into the hold where he lay unconscious. He was picked up and raised to the deck by fellow workmen after being attended by a physician. Dunphy was taken to the General Hospital in the ambulance. Though no bones were broken he was badly shaken up internally and will not be able to resume work for several weeks.

New Houses Being Built.

A local syndicate, known as an Investment Company, who are keen admirers of civic improvement, are contemplating the erection of a number of houses in the city. At present there are five new dwellings being constructed to their order on Fleming Street. They will be fine wooden structures, fitted with all conveniences and will do much to adorn the section in which they are being built. Messrs. Lilly Bros. are the contractors which is sufficient assurance that the buildings will be substantial and well finished. The houses will be ready for occupancy early in the spring and it is the intention of the owners to rent them on moderate terms. The local company, we learn, also purposes the erection of a suite of houses on Circular Road next summer and several others in another part of the town later on. We congratulate the local capitalists on their enterprise.

Boy Drowned.

On Saturday evening, Deputy Minister of Justice Hutchings, received a message from Ferryland, to the effect that a boy named Robert Power, aged ten, son of Joseph Power, of Caplin Bay, had been drowned. The victim had been missing for a few hours and a search party found his body in the water.
KITE CHARTERED.—The sealing steamer Kite, we hear, has been taken over from the owners, Messrs. Bowring Bros., Ltd., by Mr. Job Roberts, tea agent, who is acting for a company and will send the vessel to the icefields this spring on the front of the island.



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The Grenfell Association of Newfoundland.

The incorporation of this charitable Association having been completed the formal first general meeting of those who signed the Memorandum and Articles of Association was held at Government House by permission of His Excellency the Governor, last Saturday at 3 o'clock, the following being present:—Mr. Charles P. Ayre, Hon. John Harvey, Mr. R. F. Horwood, Hon. W. C. Job, Dr. Cluny Macpherson, Mr. H. W. LeMessurier, Mr. I. C. Morris, Hon. R. Watson, Hon. M. G. Winter, Mr. Brian E. S. Dunfield acted as Secretary of the meeting. Messages of regret of inability to be present were received from the Right Hon. Sir E. P. Morris, P. C., and Hon. George M. Johnson, Judge of the Supreme Court. Hon. W. C. Job was voted to the chair to open the meeting. His Excellency the Governor was immediately elected an Honorary Member with all powers, and was appointed a Director and President of the Association, and was asked to take the chair. The remaining eight directors required were balloted for and the following were elected:—Mr. Charles P. Ayre, Mr. W. G. Gosling, Hon. John Harvey, Hon. W. C. Job, Dr. Cluny Macpherson, Right Hon. Sir Edward P. Morris, P. C., Hon. Robert Watson, Hon. M. G. Winter. The meeting then elected by ballot the Hon. W. C. Job and Hon. Robert Watson to act as Directors to represent the Association on the Council of the International Grenfell Association which will control and administer the affairs of the Mission. It was further resolved that the registered office of the Association be at the King George the Fifth Seaman's Institute. The formal business having been dealt with the Mission Hospital returns and statistics for the past year, which we insert, were laid on the table. The remarkable volume of medical and surgical care and relief given during the period under review impressed the meeting. The question of Newfoundland's financial contribution towards the cost of the work came under consideration, and it was resolved to leave the matter in the hands of the Board of Directors just appointed. A vote of Hon. Secretary After a vote of thanks to His Excellency for presiding, the meeting closed.
Immediately following, a meeting of the Board of Directors was held, and His Excellency was appointed Chairman, Hon. W. C. Job, the Vice-Chairman, and Hon. Robert Watson, the Hon. Secretary. All those wishing to become members of the Association are cordially invited to communicate with the Hon. Secretary.

H. N. Society.

The members of the Holy Name Society attended Holy Communion in a body at the Cathedral and St. Patrick's yesterday. There was Benediction at St. Patrick's in the afternoon, and Fr. Pippy preached an appropriate and instructive sermon to the large number who attended. The total membership of the H. N. Society is now over fifteen hundred.
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