

The Black Box.

music and drama were well presented on the programme shown at the British Theatre last night. The dramatic film entitled "The Scenic Dream" was a most magnificent production. The fourth episode of the "Black Box" serial was the most thrilling of the whole. The hidden hands claim attention and the escape from pursuers is most spectacular. Only one of the many thrilling scenes depicted in this chapter of the serial. The Lass O' Killarney is one of those bright Scotch songs, both amusing and dramatic. Timmons sang "A Dream" and "Home Over the Sea" and was applauded. The musical interpretation of Prof. McCarthy's interpretation of the film coupled with the effects and traps by Mr. ... is alone worth the admission. The programme will be repeated when all who would enjoy a pleasant entertainment should attend.

Train Notes.

Kyle's express is due at 2.30 tomorrow.
 Monday's No. 1 arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.40 a.m. to-day.
 Yesterday's outward express left St. John's at 8.40 this morning. The local train arrived at 12.30 p.m. bringing a few second class passengers.
 Southern Shore train reached St. John's at 11.35. J. Chisholm, Mr. and B. J. Ross came along by it.

Here and There.

THE FROST.—Councillor Mullaly's letter from friends in Nebraska, Monday last, saying that the frost was very severe, and on the 26th of the month it was 28 below zero.
WORK AT BELL ISLAND.—The S. S. Co. at Bell Island have 1200 men employed just now. The N. S. S. Co. are working full time and employing a large staff of men.

Can't be content with 'JUST BRED FISH,' because we want in your homes the PARLOR KIND you prefer, and guarantee it to give you every satisfaction. J. J. WHELAN.

THE WHITE FLAG.—Dr. Reschell, the Superintendent of the Tuberculosis Public Service, in consulting a paper on Tuberculosis, it grew to an unexpected length. He has published it in pamphlet form. We thank him for a copy of it. Reschell will be pleased to send to any one interested free of charge.

WITH THE VOLUNTEERS.—Rehearsing has been unusually slack. Those under drill at the Barracks are progressing in drill and practice. At the Barracks, South Side, was engaged in by the various squads yesterday. The preparations for non-com. strips will be held next week and those intending to seek promotion are training.

COUNT.—The recount was completed at 10 o'clock. Bay St. Lawrence District is still being counted. 190 votes more remain to be counted. At 1 p.m. the count stood for Prohibition and 46 against. The spoiled ballots, which called for discussion, were finally thrown out. Two of these were marked 'yes' and the third had three crosses placed on it.

RETLAW.—The S.S. Retlaw got away for New York last night at 8 p.m. repairs having been effected. It was a remarkable coincidence that Capt. Hickey, after an absence of six years, should have come at the very moment when his mother, Mrs. E. C. Hickey, of Trinity, was critically ill. Happily she now resumes his voyage with the cheering message that she is getting better every day.

MAN INJURED.—A resident of White Bay named James Kavanagh met with a severe accident there yesterday afternoon. He was hauling a slide of wood to his home when the slide turned over, throwing it over his head across the man's legs. Some of the residents picked Kavanagh up and found that he had received some injuries about the body, though not of a serious nature, so necessitate the services of a doctor.

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DIED.

This morning, January 27th, after a short illness, Richard Volney, aged 60, leaving a wife, 6 sons and 10 daughters (4 of the sons fighting in the Newfoundland Regiment); funeral all Sunday, at 2.30 p.m., from his residence, 1 Hagerly's Street. Friends and relatives please attend without further notice. R. I. P.

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 200 dozen all White Turkish Towels made of high grade Cotton; fringed ends, large sizes. Sale Price, each ... 10c

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 Fine Cotton Voiles and Marquisettes by the pound. Extra special values; assorted lengths. Per lb. ... 68c. pr lb

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 Lace trimmed front and sleeves, with and without collars.
 Reg. 65c. each. Sale Price ... 52c.
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 Reg. 90c. each. Sale Price ... 72c.
 Reg. 1.25 each. Sale Price ... \$1.00
 Reg. 1.50 each. Sale Price ... \$1.45
 Reg. 2.50 each. Sale Price ... \$2.05
 Reg. 3.75 each. Sale Price ... \$3.15
 Reg. 4.25 each. Sale Price ... \$3.59
- CAMBRIC CAMISOLES.**
 Lace and Ribbon trimmed.
 Reg. 50c. each. Sale Price ... 40c.
 Reg. 65c. each. Sale Price ... 52c.
 Reg. 85c. each. Sale Price ... 70c.
 Reg. 1.00 each. Sale Price ... 80c.
 Reg. 1.20 each. Sale Price ... 96c.
 Reg. 1.30 each. Sale Price ... \$1.04
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 Reg. 1.50 each. Sale Price ... \$1.20
- CAMBRIC CHEMISES**
 Reg. 70c. ea. Sale Price ... 56c.
 Reg. 95c. ea. Sale Price ... 76c.
 Reg. 1.00 ea. Sale Price ... 80c.
 Reg. 1.25 ea. Sale Price ... \$1.00
 Reg. 1.30 ea. Sale Price ... \$1.04
 Reg. 1.50 ea. Sale Price ... \$1.20
- KNICKERS. WHITE FLETTE**
 Swiss Embroidery and Lace trimmed.
 Reg. 45c. pr. Sale Price ... 38c.
 Reg. \$1.00 pr. Sale Price ... 80c.
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 Big savings in Corsets of all kinds are made possible by this Great January Sale. There is no figure which cannot be fitted from our stock. The new 1916 models have just arrived and are subject to these Sale Prices.

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 Regular \$2.75 pair. Sale Price ... \$2.45
 Regular \$3.75 pair. Sale Price ... \$3.58
 Regular \$4.00 pair. Sale Price ... \$3.55
 Regular \$4.50 pair. Sale Price ... \$3.95
 Regular \$5.00 pair. Sale Price ... \$4.35
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- INFANTS' FLETTE SLEEPING SUITS.**
 Reg. 75c. each. Sale Price ... 65c.
- INFANTS' DAY GOWNS.**
 Reg. 40c. ea. Sale Price ... 34c.
 Reg. 75c. ea. Sale Price ... 63c.
 Reg. \$1.45 ea. Sale Price ... \$1.20
- INFANTS' ROBES.**
 Cream Flette, well made.
 Reg. 85c. ea. Sale Price ... 72c.
 Reg. \$1.35 ea. Sale Price ... \$1.53
 Reg. \$2.50 ea. Sale Price ... \$2.05
 Reg. \$3.25 ea. Sale Price ... \$2.69
- INFANTS' RUBEN SHIRTS.**
 Reg. 85c. ea. Sale Price ... 72c.
 Reg. \$1.0 ea. Sale Price ... 85c.
- INFANTS' SHORT SLIPS.**
 Reg. 35c. each. Sale Price ... 29c.
 Reg. 50c. each. Sale Price ... 40c.
- INFANTS' LONG SLIPS.**
 White Lawn.
 Reg. 40c. each. Sale Price ... 34c.
 Reg. 60c. each. Sale Price ... 48c.
 Reg. 90c. each. Sale Price ... 72c.

Bargains in Towels.

- WHITE TURKISH TOWELS.**
 Fringed.
 Reg. 65c. each. Sale Price ... 7c.
 Reg. 13c. each. Sale Price ... 11c.
 Reg. 17c. each. Sale Price ... 14c.
 Hemstitched.
 Reg. 50c. each. Sale Price ... 44c.
 Reg. 85c. each. Sale Price ... 75c.
- WHITE LINEN TOWELS.**
 Reg. 20c. each. Sale Price ... 17c.
 Reg. 55c. each. Sale Price ... 48c.
- GLASS TOWELS.**
 Reg. 12c. each. Sale Price ... 10c.
 Reg. 17c. each. Sale Price ... 14c.
- DAMASKED LINEN TOWELS.**
 Red and Blue Colored Borders, Fringed Ends.
 Reg. 25c. each. Sale Price ... 21c.

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 10 doz. serviceable well made Blouses; many styles and assorted sizes. Reg. price 75c. and 80c. each. White Sale Price ... 39c

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Slightly soiled, in White and Colored; a big variety of patterns and designs. Reg. 50c., 55c., 60c. and 65c. each. White Sale Price ... 29c

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 In White Muslin and Lace.
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 Reg. 40c. each. Sale Price ... 34c.
 Reg. 45c. each. Sale Price ... 38c.
 Reg. 55c. each. Sale Price ... 47c.
 Reg. 75c. each. Sale Price ... 65c.
 Reg. 85c. each. Sale Price ... 69c.
- LACE & MUSLIN COLLARS.**
 In a variety of pretty styles, Peter Pan, Dutch &c.
 Reg. 25c. each. Sale Price ... 20c.
 Reg. 30c. each. Sale Price ... 25c.
 Reg. 35c. each. Sale Price ... 29c.
 Reg. 40c. each. Sale Price ... 34c.

Ladies' Overalls & Aprons

- WHITE MUSLIN APRONS.**
 With and without bodies, Swiss Embroidered.
 Reg. 25c. each. Sale Price ... 20c.
 Reg. 30c. each. Sale Price ... 25c.
 Reg. 35c. each. Sale Price ... 29c.
 Reg. 50c. each. Sale Price ... 40c.
 Reg. 65c. each. Sale Price ... 52c.
 Reg. 75c. each. Sale Price ... 63c.
 Reg. \$1.10 each. Sale Price ... 93c.
 Reg. \$1.25 each. Sale Price ... \$1.05
 Reg. \$1.50 each. Sale Price ... \$1.25
 White Linen, large bibs and pockets.
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 Reg. 30c. each. Sale Price ... 20c.
 Reg. 50c. each. Sale Price ... 40c.
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 Reg. 75c. each. Sale Price ... 63c.
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 Lace trimmed, very neat.
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 Reg. 75c. each. Sale Price ... 63c.
 Reg. 90c. each. Sale Price ... 72c.
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 Reg. \$1.10 each. Sale Price ... 93c.
 Reg. \$1.25 each. Sale Price ... \$1.05
 Reg. \$1.50 each. Sale Price ... \$1.25

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- WHITE LINEN SHIRTS.**
 Hand and soft fronts, single and double cuffs; in a full range of sizes.
 Reg. \$1.00 each. Sale Price ... 90c.
 Reg. \$1.25 each. Sale Price ... \$1.14
 Reg. \$1.50 each. Sale Price ... \$1.35
 Reg. \$1.85 each. Sale Price ... \$1.69
 Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price ... \$1.80
 Reg. \$2.25 each. Sale Price ... \$1.95
- BOYS' WHITE TUNIC SHIRTS.**
 Reg. 65c. each. Sale Price ... 57c.
 Reg. 75c. each. Sale Price ... 65c.
- BOYS' WHITE SAILOR SUITS.**
 Reg. \$1.20 each. Sale Price ... \$1.09
 Reg. \$1.30 each. Sale Price ... \$1.18
 Reg. \$1.50 each. Sale Price ... \$1.35
- BOYS' WHITE BLOUSES.**
 Russian and Sailor styles.
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 Reg. 65c. each. Sale Price ... 57c.
 Reg. 75c. each. Sale Price ... 65c.
 Reg. 85c. each. Sale Price ... 75c.
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 Reg. 55c. each. Sale Price ... 47c.
 Reg. 70c. each. Sale Price ... 60c.
 Reg. 80c. each. Sale Price ... 70c.

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- In conjunction with the White Sale we offer a splendid lot of Bargains in odd lines of goods that have been marked for speedy clearance. Note the values offered here. To enumerate all the bargains would take more space than we can command.
- 35c. Silver Faced Bar Pins selling for 20c**
 Beautiful Silver Bar Pins, with pearls and Colored Stones inset; assorted.
- 2.80 Velvet Pile Rugs selling for 2.45**
 Size 28 x 56, beautiful floral patterns in assorted rich colorings.
- 70c. Door Mats selling for 58c**
 Size 12 x 29, some with fringed edges, others plain hemmed.
- 3.00 Ladies' Boots and Shoes for 1.45**
 Odd and discontinued lines in Black and Tan Leathers of all kinds. Styles and sizes are varied.
- 1.50 Misses' Shoes Selling for 90c**
 Black and Tan Oxfords, Strap and Button Shoes; sizes from 11 to 2.
- 1.50 Child's Shoes Selling for 85c**
 Various styles and makes. We don't guarantee to have all sizes, but they range from 6 to 10.
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 Assorted colors and widths. Pretty Braids for dress trimming; about 60 yards in all.
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- 30c. Shell Barrettes Selling for 10c**
 Light and dark colored Hair Barrettes in a variety of pretty styles.

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Blankets are Cheapest now at this Store

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 Full size Cotton Blankets in Grey, with colored border.
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 Reg. 80c. pr. Sale Price ... 72c.
 Reg. \$1.15 pr. Sale Price ... \$1.05
- WOOL BLANKETS.**
 50x70. Reg. \$3.50 pr. S. P. ... \$3.15
 50x70. Reg. \$4.00 pr. S. P. ... \$3.55
 54x70. Reg. \$4.50 pr. S. P. ... \$3.95
 54x70. Reg. \$5.00 pr. S. P. ... \$4.30
 60x78. Reg. \$5.50 pr. S. P. ... \$4.75
 66x84. Reg. \$6.20 pr. S. P. ... \$5.52
 70x88. Reg. \$7.00 pr. S. P. ... \$6.30
 66x84. Reg. \$9.25 pr. S. P. ... \$8.27
 66x84. Reg. 10.75 pr. S. P. ... \$9.68

Handkerchiefs---Cheap.

- Lace trimmed, Embroidered and Hemstitched, in White Lawn, Linen, Cambric and Cotton.
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 Reg. 6c. each. Sale Price ... 5c.
 Reg. 11c. each. Sale Price ... 9c.
 Reg. 12c. each. Sale Price ... 10c.
 Reg. 15c. each. Sale Price ... 12c.
- Reg. 18c. each. Sale Price ... 15c.
 Reg. 20c. each. Sale Price ... 16c.
 Reg. 25c. each. Sale Price ... 20c.
 Reg. 30c. each. Sale Price ... 25c.
 Reg. 35c. each. Sale Price ... 29c.