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## NOTICE!

The Adjourned Annual Meeting of the Newfoundland Bible Society will be held in the Methodist College Hall on Sunday evening, 26th inst., at 8.15 o'clock.

His Excellency the Governor will preside and Revs. E. C. Earp and C. H. Johnson will be the speakers. Special music will be in charge of F. J. King, Esq.

The Auxiliary is assessed \$1500.00 and the collections are short \$300.00 of the required sum. The Committee earnestly appeal for a liberal contribution at Sunday's meeting.

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## TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

### LONDON PRESS HORRIFIED.

LONDON, March 25. London morning newspapers comment at length on the Irish situation, especially expressing their horror of savage murders in Belfast yesterday of five members of the family of Owen MacMahon. They term this tragedy the worst massacre in Ireland since Dublin gunmen slaughtered fourteen British officers there in November, 1920. The last reports from Belfast say the crime has profoundly shocked the conscience of every decent element in the city, and it is feared more murders will occur as a reprisal. Meanwhile nothing has been learned to identify the murderers. The Daily Sketch attributes to General Sir Nevill Macready, Military Commander in Ireland, the opinion that the Ulster Government "appear absolutely incompetent to exercise adequate control." On the other hand frontier outrages are attributed to members of the Irish Republican Army, together with Eamon DeValera's speeches which are cited as accounting in some measure for the inflamed feelings of the least controllable class in Belfast. The Times says "the civilized world recalls in horror before a lengthening tale of barbarous outrages, which have disgraced both North and South for the past three years."

### TURKS INDIFFERENT.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 25. The proposal for a Greek-Turk Armistice was received here with general indifference.

### GREEKS DELIGHTED.

ATHENS, March 25. The Greek press is taking kindly to the idea of an Armistice in Asia Minor, and general relief is felt at the prospect of peace.

### S. D. L. DISBANDED.

ST. JOHN, March 25. The St. John branch of the Self-Determination for Ireland League of Canada and Newfoundland has disbanded it being declared that the objects of the organization have been attained, and the right of the people of Ireland to determine for themselves their own form of government having been established, there is nothing further for the League to do.

### GOING TO LONDON.

LONDON, March 25. The Colonial Office has received notification from Arthur Griffith, President of Dail, and Eamon J. Duggan, Minister of Home Affairs, that they would arrive in London on Monday, in compliance of a request by the British Government for a conference on the Irish situation.

**St. John's competitors will please note that all loaves intended for entry in the "Windsor Patent" Bread Competition must be at Harvey & Co.'s Office by noon Wednesday.**  
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### Prince's Rink.

The ice at the Prince's Rink is not, as stated through a misunderstanding in this morning's News, in a very bad condition. There is still from five to six inches good solid ice on the rink though, owing to soft weather, it is covered with water at present. One night's frost would dry up the ice and put it in very good condition, and as the "Toronto man" predicts it colder for to-night it is hoped to have a sufficiently good sheet to run off the big game between St. Bon's and Felidians on Monday night. The League met yesterday and decided that whatever the ice conditions this game would be played by next Wednesday night at the latest. As soon as the St. Bon's-Felidian game is played, for the balance of the week the rink will be kept open principally for the benefit of mercantile and club teams who may wish to play matches. Mercantile and club games will be booked at any hour during the day or evening for the balance of the week—first come first served. Unless another cold snap should come the rink will close for the season next Saturday night. Patrons who have skates at the rink are requested to take delivery of them by the end of next week as the rink management will not be responsible for skates, clothing, etc., left in lockers or elsewhere at the rink after the first of April.

A beautiful and choice selection of general merchandise will be offered at SHEA'S Monday night.—mar25,21

### Sea Scouts Lose Quarters

To our brothers in the 1st Nfd. Sea Scouts we offer our sincerest sympathy in the fact that they have had to evacuate their comfortable quarters on board H.M.S. Briton, but as their Lordships the Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland (to give them their full title) have decided to sell "Briton" the Sea Scouts had to go. They have, however, been fortunate enough to find Club Rooms ashore. Their greatest loss will be their "sea dad," Commander F. M. Kerr, R.N., who goes by the "Digby" to his home—"Fleur de Lis."

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Get the "Fleur-de-lis" to-day.  
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### The Power Behind.

The High Commissioner for Australia, Sir Joseph Cook, tells a good story of the young man from "down under" who came to London on a visit.

His host, a relative by marriage, went in "strong" for the new movement in art, and took him to an exhibition of futurist paintings.

The "Cornstalker" remained quiet during the tour of the galleries.

"Well," said the relative at last, "you don't seem to be particularly interested in the pictures. What do you think of them?"

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