

WEEK-END NOTES.

CHAPTER XXIV.
(C. MORRIS.)

SOME LONG PASSAGES.

Amongst the missing ships there have been a few cases in which the hope has been realized, and port has been made after tedious and dangerous voyages. Our own local ship does not engage in what may be termed very long voyages, as to distance; but some of them have exceeded their time by many days and months. Our shipping which trades with Brazil ports, usually covers the distance in thirty and forty days; and those which cross to Oporto, the near by Mediterranean market, make very good passages, and seldom longer than twenty-five days. But there have been a few ships which have met delay, which were buffeted on the ocean for thirty and ninety days, and a hundred and as high as one hundred and thirty days. Some fifty two years ago the brigantine Gertrude, of the firm of J. & W. Stewart, made a very long homeward passage, and was given up as lost. The ship left the other side of the Cape in November, and for the period of one hundred and twenty days was unreported and unaccounted for. It was not until a year and a half later that it was abandoned, and that it was given up for lost. But one day after the sealers had gone, there was a signal from the Cape, and the water-front excitement ran high, as the average person thought it might possibly be a sealer, but on the vessel being changed, it was found that she was Stewart's house flag. This aroused intense excitement, and it was wondered could it be the Gertrude, as there was no vessel due just at Stewart's firm. The day was a day of ice at the time, but the har- was frozen over, and tugs were ice-

the crew, and of the seaworthiness of the ship, because it was only that the ships were substantially built, and well equipped, that they survived the buffeting of such severe Atlantic voyages. Those voyages were truly long, but they had an ending, and when the anchor was cast, there went up a sigh of relief, that the last storm had been weathered, that the last watch had been called, and the calm waters of the harbors entered. The dangers of colonization were indeed many, and the weariness of those long voyages was of itself enough to dampen the ardor of the warmest enthusiast; but faith in the future, and hopes in the country, seemed to soothe all these obstacles. And so with the men who manned our sailing ships; they were brave, fearless and hardy; and it was by their endurance and seamanship that the trade of Newfoundland was established. They paid the price: we reap the benefit.

McMurdo's Store News.

OUR SPECIAL WEEK-END OFFERS.

We are again offering this week-end, Friday and Saturday only, some more useful and popular articles of which the following are a few:

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With a cake of Cream of Lilies Soap . . . 50c.
Nylotis Face Powder . . . 25c.
With Pot of Nylotis Face Cream . . . 50c.
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With tin of Nylotis Talcum . . . 60c.
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T. McMurdo & Co., Ltd. 1923.

The Most Popular Man on the Screen.

RUDOLPH VALENTINO AT THE NICKEL MONDAY.

Admirers of Rudolph Valentino, the famous impersonator of "The Sheik," will be glad to know that they will be able to see him at his best in his latest production, "The Conquering Power," a Rex Ingram picture at the Nickel on Monday. The result of the Rex Ingram method of producing a film story is to give life on the screen to the men and women conceived in the brain of an author. The characters in Balzac's "Eugene Grandet," which forms the base of "The Conquering Power," live and move through the picture with the "convincing reality of life itself—an achievement that is always aimed at, and often missed, in screen drama. Another mark of merit is the direct and dramatic way the story is told. The local color is never absent, but it never has the scene to itself. The dramatic action is unbroken; the human interest always holds the centre of the stage.

Among the most famous of the French novelist's tales, "Eugene Grandet" is a powerful and absorbing "slice of life." Students of Balzac will welcome the modern theme of this story in its screen version. Allice Terry is an ideal Eugene in appearance, and acts with corresponding truth and understanding. Rudolph Valentino plays Chas. Grandet and is eminently fitted to the role. "The Conquering Power" is a distinct triumph for the screen by reason of the fine intellectual quality of the story and its production, and it's high entertainment value.

Note of Thanks.

The Baby Week committee wish to thank all those mentioned below who helped to make the Week a success. The Executive Committee of the Star of the Sea Hall, Doctors Carmell, Cowperthwaite, Fallon, James, Knight, MacPherson, Murphy, O'Reilly, Scully, Tait, Arch Tait, Templeman, Wilson; Messrs. Ayre & Sons, Ltd., McCoughlin, Messrs. W. J. Clouston, Ltd., Mr. A. K. Lumsden, Mr. Harold MacPherson, Messrs. T. McMurdo & Co., Mr. J. O'Driscoll, Messrs. Parker & Moore.

Thanks are also due to the ladies who so kindly contributed towards the mothers' tea, and to the many voluntary helpers for their very efficient work. The Committee appreciates the courtesy shown by the local press in printing articles.

Acknowledgment.

The Cowan Mission Association begs to acknowledge with grateful thanks the handsome donation of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) from Mrs. J. S. Pitts, for the Old Ladies' Home.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind west, fresh, weather fine. The steamer Alphonse passed E. at 11 a.m. —Bar. 29.76; Ther. 64.

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Beaumont Hamel Collection Fund.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—I beg to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of a cheque for \$245.13.8 from Mrs. MacKeen, Honorary Treasurer of the Beaumont Hamel Collection Committee, and also the amount already placed to my credit in London. This sum will be spent in conjunction with the amount contributed by the Government for the laying out of the Newfoundland Memorial Park at Beaumont Hamel, during the current year.

I also take this opportunity of thanking those kind ladies who formed the Committee, for the trouble and labour they spent in making the collection, and I am sure in doing so I am expressing the sentiments of not only those who are deeply interested in Beaumont Hamel, but of all Newfoundlanders and I assure them and all who contributed to the Fund that the money will be well spent, and when I have finished, those sacred acres will be a credit to Newfoundland, and a worthy monument to the memory of the gallant men who fell there.

Yours sincerely,
T. NANGLE, C.F.

St. John's.

June 15th, 1923.

Dear Col. Nangle,—

Enclosed you will find a draft on London in your favour for \$245.13.8 being the balance of the Beaumont Hamel Battlefield Fund account in the St. John's Branch of the Bank of Montreal, viz \$1164.19 at the rate of 47.3%.

This together with the amount placed to your credit in London, makes a total of \$1768.44, which the Beaumont Hamel Committee has handed to you for the purpose of laying out the Beaumont Hamel Park where rest the remains of our dear boys. The Committee would suggest that this transfer of funds be published in the press for the benefit of subscribers and those interested in the Fund and its results.

Yours sincerely,
MARY MacKeen,
Treasurer.

Mt. Carmel Cemetery.

ANNUAL MEETING OF COMMITTEE

The Mount Carmel Cemetery Committee met last night when the executive committee as follows were re-elected: M. F. Caul, Chairman; John Dalton, Treasurer; P. Grace, Secretary. The report of the committee showed that good use had been made of last year's funds. This beautiful and well cared resting place of the dead is now entirely free from all encumbrance and debts thanks to the sympathetic and practical interest of those of our citizens whose loved ones are interred there. This being so, the Committee feels confident that they will again as in the past, have the hearty co-operation of the public in the proposed extension of the concrete retaining wall along the roadside which borders what is known as the new ground and other improvements—particulars of which will be announced later—which will call for a big outlay. The Cemetery is now receiving its annual clean-up under the direction of the sexton, Mr. John Warren, preparatory to the annual Mass which will be celebrated as usual on the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Through the energy and devotion of Rev. Padre Nangle, the Naval and Military plot overlooking the Lakeview has been completed, and with its handsome concrete border and grassy slope forms a

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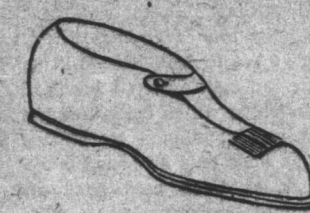
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Brown Calf Brogue Oxford.

Rubber heel, wing Tip. Perforated, \$4.00

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June 16, 1923.

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June 16, 1923, St. John's.

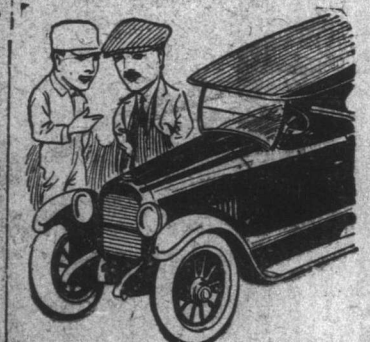
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We wish to announce to our many Shareholders and the general public, that we are offering to the market a limited amount of Shares in the above-named Company.

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All the legal requirements of the Company since its formation have been carried out, and the following contracts entered into:

- Contract dated the 28th day of July, 1915, between Thomas J. Freeman, of St. John's, the owner, of the property and the Company for the sale of the property for shares in the Company.
- Contract dated the 1st day of August, 1915, between the said Thomas J. Freeman and the Company for the transfer by the said Thomas J. Freeman to the first purchasers of Stock of 75,000 shares.
- Contract dated the 31st day of March, 1923, between the said St. George's Coal Fields, Ltd., and L. V. Tolman, of Los Angeles and Boston, for the sale of the property.

As this may be our last appeal and your last opportunity to participate in what promises to be Newfoundland's most important MINING VENTURE, we would ask you to let us have your application as early as possible.

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The St. George's Coal Fields

Limited,

Per THOMAS J. FREEMAN, Managing Director.
246 Water Street St. John's, Newfoundland.
June 15, 1923.