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### Rescue Ship Arrives in Port.

Anchor Liner Tuscania, With Passengers and Crew of Abandoned Steamer Athinal, Docks at New York—Fought Fire at Sea.

New York, Sept. 21.—The Anchor Line steamer Tuscania arrived in port to-night with 339 passengers and 70 of the crew of the Greek steamer Athinal, which was abandoned at sea late Sunday afternoon, after she had been afire for thirty-six hours. Every soul on board the burning vessel was rescued. The steamer Roumanian Prince is due here to-morrow with 56 of the crew and five passengers, rescued at the same time.

The officers of the Athinal said to-night that they did not know what caused the fire. It was discovered at eight o'clock Saturday morning, which was her third day out from New York on the Athinal's voyage to Piraeus, Greece. It appeared to have broken out simultaneously in four different parts of No. 2 hold, which was largely filled with cotton bales, printing paper and other inflammable merchandise.

Although there was much excitement among the passengers when the seriousness of the fire was learned, the officers succeeded in allaying their fears, and until were safely aboard the Tuscania before dark the next day, the passengers behaved coolly, with a few exceptions in the staterage. There were 32 Americans aboard among them several bound as missionaries to Turkey, and they united in drawing up a memorial praising the conduct of Captain McLean of the Tuscania and his crew for the "coolness with which they dealt with a very dangerous task."

The crew of the Athinal, assisted by a number of passengers, fought the fires all day Saturday with apparent success, and at dusk they thought they had it under control. The flames broke out again, however, during the night with increased fierceness and at 9 a.m. Sunday the captain decided to send out "S. O. S." calls, to which the Tuscania, Latouraine and Roumanian Prince responded. The Tuscania, proceeding at full speed, arrived at noon, and sent a crew aboard with chemical fire extinguishers and smoke helmets, with which the Athinal was not provided. First Officer McNeill, of the Tuscania, and some of his men went down into the hold and reported that the fire could not be controlled. However, Captain Boziazios kept up the fight for the rest of the afternoon before deciding to abandon the ship. The wireless then brought eight lifeboats from the Tuscania and with a few of the Athinal's boats the passengers were transferred without accident, the weather being mild and the sea calm.

A work apron of green silk is a welcome gift to any woman who does much crocheting or fine work.

### Bicyclist Under Sentence as Spy.

GENEVA, Switzerland, September 18, via Paris.—The professional bicyclist, Doerflinger, a resident of Basel, has been condemned to death as a spy by a German court martial. The Swiss Government has intervened in his behalf with a request for clemency.

An account of Doerflinger's experiences is given by the Journal de Geneve. It appears that after the war broke out he travelled in Alsace and Baden as a representative of a business house. He received an anonymous letter asking him to meet a stranger at Montreaux, Switzerland. It is said this man engaged him to supply military information. Through his acquaintances with a German, now an aviator, who had conducted a factory at Freiburg at which military aeroplanes were manufactured, Doerflinger was able to take a trip in a warplane. All he learned he is alleged to have communicated to a foreign agent, being heavily paid for the information he gave.

C. A. Doerflinger, the bicyclist, is widely known in America as a professional rider. Several years ago he took part in one of the six days races in Madison Square Garden.

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### ST. JOHN'S GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

### No Time for Politics.

London Daily Telegraph:—We cannot rebuild our political system in the hurricane that is now raging. We have got rid of Party for the time, and we have a National Government, formed from the three great parties in the State, and containing the men whom the nation is best content to trust. We have eliminated practically all the defects of our party system. We have got the best man in the Empire as Secretary of State for War. The Cabinet may be somewhat unwieldy in point of size, but there are inner as well as outer circles even in Cabinets, and it is in the inner circles that the decisive steps are taken. We repeat that we are quite prepared to accept any conclusions reached by the leading statesmen of the Cabinet, and we regret exceedingly that attempts should be made to force their hands.

Baked beans with a suggestion of Chili sauce on them make a delicious filling for brown bread sandwiches.

### Amusements.

#### NAOMI CHILDERS IN "ROSELYN" AT NICKEL.

The Nickel Theatre has another great treat in store for patrons to-day and to-morrow, and consequently the audiences promise to be large so patrons should go early. The beautiful story of "Roselyn" will be told, and that brilliant actress Naomi Childers will appear in the leading character. Naomi Childers is one of the best known actresses of the day. In "Roselyn" she excels herself. "The Red Blood of Courage" is an exciting two-reel play remarkable for thrilling incidents. "Our Mutual Girl" will be continued, and Margaret has an exciting experience. "Giddy, Gay and Ticklish" is one of the funniest Keystone comedies ever shown at the Nickel. The Harmony Days, Messrs. Huskins and Cairns, will be heard in new songs and there will be most attractive music. All lovers of the music should attend and enjoy it. "Roselyn" in itself is an attraction which all should see.

#### BRITISH THEATRE.

It can be truthfully said that no performer ever had a more enthusiastic "send off" from this Island than the one given to Madame Olive Timmons on Saturday night at the above Theatre. The management had kindly given the popular lady a farewell concert and she was most ably and kindly assisted by the well known local favorites Mr. S. W. Conrick, Miss Mary Ryan and Mr. Charles Hutton who acquitted themselves admirably. Madame Timmons will be succeeded to-day by Donora Sabatano, a lady with a rich mezzo-soprano voice and who comes here most highly recommended by the leading Chatavura circuit managers in America. This new film service which has been secured and which was introduced to the public on Friday last has taken the town by storm as the three-part photo-play "The Nobleman's Triumph" has been declared by thoroughly competent judges to be the best picture as yet to have been shown here. To-day an entirely new programme will be submitted wherein the great old English Society drama of the 17th century will be portrayed when the patrons will have opportunities of seeing two of the most-talked-of and versatile performers on the English-speaking stage, Mr. Seymour Hicks and his talented wife, Miss Ellaline Terriss. This beautiful play is too well known to require recapitulation, all that remains to be said being that it will prove itself to be one of the most popular, correctly staged and played society dramas ever seen in Newfoundland.

#### "REGANS DAUGHTER" AT THE CRESCENT.

The Crescent Picture Palace shows to-day a great Vitagraph feature in two reels entitled: "Regans Daughter." This is a thrilling detective drama acted and staged in the Vitagraph masterly way. "His Unwitting Conquest" is a comedy drama produced by the Vitagraph Company. "The Deacon's Son" is a fine melodrama being the story of a young man who took the wrong road. "The Fable Proving That Spongers are Found in Drug Stores" is a classy comedy written by George Ade, America's foremost humorist. A good musical programme has been arranged for the evening by the Vitagraph Company.

#### AT ROSSLEY'S EAST END THEATRE.

The chance of a life time is offered to the people of St. John's in the presentation of that great emotional drama "Camille" and figuring the most wonderful actress the world has ever seen. Not only her own compatriots adore and reverence this gifted lady but the whole civilized world has been captivated by her magnificent talents. It will be a subject of regret to all who fail to avail themselves of the privilege offered at Rossley's East End Theatre this week. In addition to this film and others of great attraction there will be another complete change in the amusement programme, Ian MacKenzie, the great Scottish baritone, in Scotch and Irish songs, as well as Miss Rex-Geurin, the gifted and popular soprano, and Mr. William Wallace, the wonderful violinist. Look out for the competition on Friday evening next.

### Here and There.

**TAILORS' "AT HOME."**—Tuesday night, New C. C. Hall. Double tickets, \$1.20; single gent's, 80c.; single lady's, 50c. Dancing 8.30. Tea 11.30. T. A. Full Brass Band.—sep25,2i

**REV. F. SMART AT ST. THOMAS'S.**—The Rev. Frank Smart, Rector of Heart's Content, preached a very forceful and touching sermon at St. Thomas's Church last evening, from the text: "He that is not with Me is against Me, and he that gathereth not with Me scattereth." A large congregation was present.

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**FROM LABRADOR.**—Six schrs. returned to Trinity from the Labrador on Saturday last, reporting the following catches: Linnus P., 200 qts.; Dulcie Belle, 400; J. E. Greening, 200; Annie B. Pratt, 100; Severn, 400 and Reunion, 60. The Carrie Evelyn and Flora arrived at Heart's Content with 300 and 250 qts. respectively, and the following have reached Little Bay Islands from the French Shore and Labrador: Rowena Ross, 150 qts.; Cordelia J., 370; Julia F., 50; Bonnie, 80 and Lady Parsons, 500.

**MIRARD'S LINIMENT CURES GAIT IN COWS.**

### Life Drill on a Transport.

How Tommy Prepares to Meet Peril on The Sea.

Life drill is one of the most important things the Tommy on a transport has to learn. At any moment the ship might be attacked by hostile craft from air or sea, or fire might break out. In order to be ready for any such event the soldiers are constantly put through rehearsals of their life drill. Suddenly the bugler sounds an alarm. Every man rushes on deck to a place, which has been previously pointed out to him, to await orders. With lightning-like rapidity life-belts are hauled up from below, and served out. By the time the Colonel comes round to inspect the life-belt parade, everybody on the ship, with the exception of the invalids, is expected to be attired in a cork jacket. Even the patients in the sick bay display the belts though they do not put them on. Before going to their allotted boats the men fall in as though on parade. An escort takes charge of the regimental Colours. The pioneers go to the magazine to remove the powder if necessary. Water-tight doors and scuttles are shut. At each boat two armed sentries are mounted to prevent undue haste or panic. The strictest discipline is maintained. Indeed, until the "Dismiss" sounds, perfect silence has to be observed.

### Our Navy and the Submarines.

The Nation (London):—The Navy has not astonished its organizers; it has merely revealed the resource and adaptability they knew it to possess. The devices used against the submarines are of its devising; they have been wonderfully clever, varied and successful, almost completely so against the smaller boats. They can not, of course, be mentioned; but their effect has been to make the daring captains and crews of the submarines more afraid of our Navy and what it can do than the Navy of the submarines. When the war began there was one chief foe of these vessels. Now there are many, as dark and elusive as they. A great secret sea-war has been carried on, much to our advantage.

### OLIVES.

By GEORGE FITCH.

Author of "At Good Old Slivash." The olive is a fruit with the manners of a pickle. It belongs to one of the oldest families and was mentioned in literature two thousand years before the alligator pear was invented. The olive grows on a dusty colored tree and prefers countries which are dryer than Kansas after a local option election. It has two specialties—producing pickers and oil. When the olive is eaten in its green state it acts upon the human frame like an unripe persimmon and ties the face of the eater into an exceedingly hard knot. Eating a fresh young olive newly plucked from the tree is more unpleasant than eating a few fresh words addressed to the boss in a moment of anger. When the olive is plucked at the proper time and squeezed in a sort of prehistoric cider mill it produces olive oil. This is very nutritious and fattening. Most of the characters mentioned in the Bible had olive oil for a steady diet. There are many tribes to-day in old and dusty portions of the earth which would dry up and blow away if they were not moistened regularly with olive oil. The olive tree originally grew only around the Mediterranean Sea, but like every other good thing has emigrated to America and can now be found in vast numbers in California. It is not a large tree, rarely attaining a height over twenty-five feet. However, it consumes several hundred years in getting its growth. Nothing is more permanent in the fruit line than an olive orchard. The armies of the B. C.'s wiped out the population of a country without any hesitation, but were careful not to destroy the olive orchards. However in the present state of international law it would be a very reckless orchard which did not move out at the approach of a modern army. When the olive is not ground into oil it is pickled and eaten whole. Shiploads of olives are eaten in this country each year, but very few people who eat an olive for the first time forget their manners in grabbing for a second helping. Learning to like an olive is as much of a task as learning to appreciate impressionist art. Many a young man has sat at a fine party, slipping olives into his pocket and eagerly shouting for more, because his early education was neglected.

**STEADILY IMPROVING.**—The many friends of Capt. Baxter Barry, of Glovertown, B.F., who has been in hospital for some time past undergoing treatment for compound fracture of the leg, will be glad to hear that he is steadily improving, and that he will likely be able to leave the institution a few weeks hence.

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namely, 48,583, and Truro came second with 12,000.

Owing to the increase in the number of wounded, the Committee of the National Egg Collection require a supply of 750,000 eggs a week. Those wishing to aid the movement are invited to communicate with the depots in the large towns, or with the central office at 154, Fleet-street, E. C.

### Cape Report

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind south, gale, raining. The steamers Borderdale passed east yesterday, the schr. Grace Darling and another unknown were anchored yesterday in Cape Cove left during the night, a Donaldson liner passed west at 9 a.m. Bar. 28.80; ther. 52.

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