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Make your purchases soon as possible as stocks will be low and prices higher.

**Patriotic Football.**

Though the weather looked threatening and there was an occasional shower of rain, the usual gathering of spectators attended last evening's football match between the St. Andrew's and B. I. S. The latter won by three goals to nil. Their opponents did not have a full crew on deck and what they did have comprised two substitutes. There was no scoring at all during the first period, partly due to the high wind that prevailed but mainly attributable to the bad judgment and poor shooting of the players. The game began too late as darkness set in long before it was over. Mr. W. J. Higgins refereed. This evening the C. E. I. and Star will play and the best exhibition for the season is expected. We would suggest that the match begin before 7 o'clock.

**"Blue Bird" Chinaware**

Chinaware plays an important part in every household. To-day, good china is very expensive to purchase owing to high freights and war risk insurance, apart from the increased cost of raw material. Cups and Saucers, Plates, etc., are continually being broken in every home, and they must be replaced—but why buy them? The Imperial Tobacco Co's Premium Store has on display in the Window some very attractive "Blue Bird" China and any quantity from one Cup and Saucer upwards can be obtained free of cost. A few tags or coupons and the chinaware is yours. Drop in the Premium Store when you are down town and let us tell you more about it.

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**Presbyterian Clergy.**

**HERE ON VISIT.**

Rev. Gordon Dickie, Pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, who with the Rev. Thomas Stewart, of Halifax, was visiting the Presbyterian congregation at Grand Falls, returned to the city by last night's express. Tomorrow morning, accompanied by Rev. Dr. Clarke and Rev. Dr. E. B. Dickie, of Halifax, they will drive to Portugal Cove from where they will cross to Bell Island. On Thursday the party will be at Harbour Grace. On Friday a reception will be given the visiting clergymen by the Kirk congregation.

**Hr. Grace Notes.**

A number of car loads of material for the Shipbuilding Co. arrived by train on Saturday and are being conveyed to the Co's premises.

Mr. John Ryan, late mail carrier here, is sinking fast and the end is hourly expected. Mr. Ryan has been suffering for over a year with a sore near the eye said to be cancer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKay arrived from St. John's on Saturday night to spend Sunday with friends here.

Mr. L. Ash, of Carbonear, who had been to the capital on a few days' business trip, was a passenger on Saturday night's train to his home.

Our old friend W. J. James, Esq., was in town yesterday on a brief visit.

Rev. Dr. Dickie occupied the pulpit of St. Andrew's Church at both services yesterday. The congregation was highly pleased with both addresses. At the evening service Miss Thompson sang a very pretty solo, and was accompanied on the organ by Miss M. Pugh. Rev. Dr. Dickie left for St. John's by this morning's train.

Miss Jessie Pike, of St. John's, is on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. L. Ash, of Carbonear. She returns home this afternoon.

Every fine day day out harbor men are bringing in new fish which is being sold at fancy prices.

Miss Fradsham, of Bay Roberts, is in town the guest of Mrs. (Sergt.) A. L. L. L.

Mr. John LeDrew is pushing ahead the work of building his hotel on Water Street, just west of LeMarchant Street. This new, up-to-date hotel will be a convenience to the traveling public, and will fill a long felt want in Harbour Grace. Mr. LeDrew has great faith in Harbour Grace, and we wish him success in his hotel venture.

Hr. Grace, Sept. 3, 1917.

**Fisherman Drowned.**

John Wesley Edwards, a married fisherman of Change Islands, was drowned there on Friday last. His boat was picked up the following day.

**Here and There.**

**Turkeys, Ducks and Chicken at ELLIS'.**

**TAKES BIG FREIGHT.**—An unusually large freight is going to the northward by the S. S. Prospero, which sails to-morrow. Over a hundred passengers are going by her.

**Galvanized and Black Sheet Iron to be had at BOWRING BROS., Ltd., Hardware Dept. may 25, eod, 17.**

**WAS VISITING CANADA.**—Mrs. Arthur Hayward, who for the past five months was visiting relatives at Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and other points in Canada, returned to the city by last night's express.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.**—The Regular Monthly Meeting of Terra Nova Council, No. 1452, Knights of Columbus, will be held on Tuesday evening, September 4th, at 8.30 p.m. C. J. CAHILL, Fin. Sec'y.—sep3, 21

**NEPTUNE'S REPAIRS.**—The S. S. Neptune, which was damaged badly below the water line as a result of contact with heavy ice while on her recent trip in the northern regions, is now undergoing repairs, which are expected to be completed a fortnight hence.

**Stafford's Prescription "A" is the best preparation you can take for Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, Gastritis and Nervous Dyspepsia. Price 25 and 50c. bot. Postage 5 and 10c. extra.**

**BIG POTATO CROP.**—Owing to the phenomenally big crop all over the entire country this year, new potatoes will be sold this fall at the cheapest rate for many years. Yesterday they were in the local market at 10 cents a gallon.

**LUNENBURGER HERE.**—The schr. Elsie Porter, of Lunenburg, came in from sea yesterday for supplies and reports fish plentiful on the Grand Banks. The Elsie has two thousand qts. "stowed down" and hopes to get another five hundred by "finish up" time.

**IT HAS MANY DELICIOUS USES.** Use Cleveland's Cocoa instead of Chocolate. Below is a recipe for Mocha Frosting:

1-3 Cup Butter.  
1 1/2 Cups Icing Sugar.  
1 Tablespoon Cleveland's Cocoa.  
1 Tablespoon Cold Coffee (left over).

Cream butter, add sugar, gradually continuing the beating, then add Cocoa and cold coffee until of right consistency to spread, or force through a pastry bag and tube.

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**MIRARD'S LINIMENT CURES GARDEN COWS.**

**Note of Thanks.**

The Committee of the Jensen Red Cross Fund wishes to thank Mrs. C. McKay Harvey, promoter of the "Sunshine Entertainment" in aid of the Jensen Camp, with Mrs. W. Rennie and Mrs. Colville for the sum of \$1,170.96 net proceeds of the entertainment. They also wish to thank Mr. H. D. Reid for so beautifully illuminating the grounds; Mr. Llewellyn Jones and Mr. Reg. Harvey for their joint management; Mr. Bulley and the C. C. Band, with Mrs. W. Rennie, Mrs. Logan, Mrs. E. Rennie, Mrs. F. Ayre, Mrs. G. M. Barr, Mrs. Howley, Mrs. W. Munn, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. J. S. Munn, Mrs. Willator, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Ayre, Mrs. Harold Harey, and the Misses Dorothy Johnson, Mary McKay, Rennie, Miss Bromner and Miss Carter; Mr. Geo. M. Barr, and Mr. Angus Reid and the editors of the different newspapers for their kind help in making the entertainment well known. Mrs. C. McKay Harvey also wishes to thank all who sent donations and helped to make the entertainment a success. The gross proceeds of the entertainment were \$1,220.96 including the following cheques: A Friend, \$20; Mrs. P. Knowling, \$10; A Friend, \$5; Mrs. M. G. Winter, \$25; Mr. John Fenelon, \$5; Mr. Cooper, \$5; Sir Edgar Bowring, \$20; Mr. J. S. Munn, \$10; Mr. F. W. Wood, \$10; Mrs. G. Knowling, \$5.

**NEW LOCAL VESSELS.**—Several vessels built in Nova Scotia were launched there recently. They are the new purchases of local concerns and will be used as fish carriers. Two of them are due to arrive here within the next few days.

**DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS**

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**Thoughts Upon the Times.**

(By PATRIOT.)

The subject matter of Mr. Strong's letter in the Trade Review on Saturday may be considered by some as far-fetched and visionary, but when compared with projects of the kind on the Continent of America, it is really within the bounds of possibility. I believe it was that great French orator and statesman Mirabeau, who called the world impossible that "blockhead word." We are inclined to place too much reliance on our fisheries and too little upon our agricultural possibilities. The Newfoundland, who has travelled in the States and Canada, is often struck with the thinly scattered population in Newfoundland. Here and there the people are scattered about in the small harbors and coves, or on promontories or barren rocks nearest the fishing grounds. The cultivation of the soil seems to have been very remote from the minds of our ancestors. Nevertheless we have a country great with agricultural possibilities. Instead of having only a population of a quarter of a million people, scattered about on the coast line, we should have at least ten millions.

There is room for a million people at least on that magnificent tract of country between Mortier Bay and Garnish. It has in Marystown one of the finest harbors in the world. This harbor is as large as that of New York and is practically open the whole year round. The soil too is magnificent and capable of growing large crops of wheat, oats and barley. There are several fine groves of witch-hazel and birch in this neighborhood, the timber so much desired just now for shipbuilding purposes. It is here also that the enterprising farmer, Mr. Frank Simms, has his farm.

These thoughts lead one to ask what steps, if any, the Government is taking to encourage emigrants to our shores after the war is over. The Canadian Government and the great Railway Companies of Canada (the C.P.R. and G.T.R.) have planned progressive policies to encourage emigration to the North West, and already the number of enquiries concerning land exceed all previous records. After the war is over and the dove of peace once more settles upon Europe, there will be millions anxious to escape from her blood-soaked soil where they have lost all that they possessed. They will make good law-abiding citizens. Why should we not expect some of them to make their homes among us? Simply because our country and its resources are unknown to them. Writing from Dundee, Scotland, one of "Ours" now in training there, writes home to his parents as follows: "The people around here have very queer ideas about Newfoundland. One old gentleman the other day asked us what Regiment we belonged to, and when we told him he asked if all the people in Newfoundland were as white as we were."

If the world knew that our climate and soil were equal to that of the North West of Canada, and that the riches of our fisheries surpass in wonder the tales of the Arabian Nights, we would also have people enquiring about land with a view of permanently settling here.

What we require is a Government whose leaders are statesmen, men who can rise above the petty parish politics about which we hear so much, men who are broad-minded enough to grapple with the great Imperial questions confronting them. No era in our history ever offered greater opportunities for producing great men than the present. England has her Lloyd George, Russia her Kerensky, France her Joffre, Canada her Borden. Whom have we?

**T. J. EDENS.**

PLUMS, PEARS, APPLES, GREEN TOMATOES, this week. Orders being booked now.

From New York this week:  
N. Y. CHICKEN.  
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10 bunches BANANAS.  
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**No. 1 APPLES.**

100 hrs. VICTOR FLOUR.  
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Pork & Beans, No. 3, tin... 25c.  
Tomatoes, No. 3, tin... 20c.  
Lunch Tongue, 1 lb. tin... 45c.  
Karo Corn Syrup, 2 lb. tin... 20c.  
Golden Wax Beans, No. 2, tin... 16c.  
Green Beans, No. 2, tin... 16c.  
Selected Family Beef... 20c. lb.  
Asparagus, 1 lb. tin, 15 oz. net... 25c.  
Pineapple Cubes, 1 1/2 lb. tins... 18c.

**T. J. EDENS.**  
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**Bargains THIS WEEK in Summer Goods.**

**All Must Go to Make Room for Fall Goods to Arrive.**

- Ladies' White Jersey Ribbed Vests, lace trimmed. Reg. 20c. Now 10c.
- Children's Vests. Reg. 10c. Now 5c.
- Ladies' White Lawn Tea Aprons. Reg. 30c. Now 15c.
- 8 only Ladies' Blouses. Reg. 85c. Now 35c.
- Ladies' White Linen Skirts. Reg. 95c. Now 65c.
- Ladies' White Embroidered Dresses. Reg. \$8.50. Now \$5.50
- Ladies' Fancy Muslin Dresses. Reg. \$3.00. Now \$1.95
- Ladies' Striped Silk Muslin Dresses. Reg. \$1.75. Now 98c.
- 3 only Ladies' White Lawn Blouses. Reg. \$1.25. Now 90c.
- 2 only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Reg. \$2.25. Now \$1.50
- Men's Negligee Shirts, short sleeves. Reg. \$1.25. Now 98c.
- Men's Large Straw Hats. Reg. 25c. Now 10c.
- Infants' White Embroidery Bonnets. Reg. 50c. Now 25c.
- Boys' Rompers. Reg. 75c. Now 55c.

The above Goods is Displayed on Tables for your inspection.

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Corner Water and Springdale Streets.

**Infantile Paralysis at Bonavista.**

Dr. Brehm has been apprised by Magistrate Roper that there is an outbreak of infantile paralysis there and that there are two patients down with the disease. It has also been learned that the death occurred in the northern settlement recently supposed to be from this same malady, although the victim had not been attended by a doctor and the exact cause of death cannot be determined now. A strong effort is being made to stamp out the disease at Bonavista. This time last year infantile paralysis was causing much concern at Grand Falls.

**Stafford's Liniment cures Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains.** aug16, 17

**Steam Roller in Dangerous position.**

What might have been the biggest smash-up for many years, with the possible loss of one or more lives, was narrowly averted shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon when one of the big city steam rollers skidded on Duckworth Street, and dashed into the iron railing that surmounts the retaining wall on McBride's Hill. At the time of the accident the driver was steering the lumbering piece of machinery eastward, levelling off the street in front of the T. A. Hall, and while running close to the drain in front which skidded and turned sharply to the right and in an instant crashed into the iron railing. Had the box at the rear of the roller not caught in the cobble stone drain, thus preventing the hind wheels from work-

ing, the big machine would have toppled over the retaining wall, a distance of twenty feet with the probable death of the driver and several pedestrians who were passing at that time. The machine, however, was not damaged and a gang of men under engineer Doherty had it back on the street after a few hours of hard work. Councilors Mullaly, Tait and Secretary John L. Slatery visited the scene as did also a large number of citizens.

**ALLEGED MOTOR LAW VIOLATIONS.**—At the latter part of this week several alleged breaches of the motor car regulations will be heard in the Magistrate's Court.

**Stafford's Phorotone Cough Cure for all kinds of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and various Lung Trouble. Price 25c. Postage 5c. extra.**

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