

"Peace, Peace, Peace"

The so-called Central Powers are, in fact, but a single Power. Serbia are on the incoming express:is at its mercy should its hand be but for a moment freed: Bulgaria consented to its will! Roumania is overrun by the Turkish armies, which the Germans trained into serving Ger many, and the guns of the German warships lying in the harbor at Constatesmen every day that they have and Eric Cooper. no choice but to take their orders from Berlin, From Hamburg to the Persian Gulf, the net is spread. Is it not easy to understand the eagerness for peace which has been manipeace, peace," has been the talk o her Foreign Office for a year or more not peace upon her own initiative, but upon the initiative of the nations over which she now deems herself to hold the advantage. A little of the talk has been public, but most of it has been private, through all sorts of channels. It has come to me in all sorts of guises, but never with the any little difficulties with it, bring terms disclosed which the German Government would be willing to ac

cept.—President Wilson. FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT .-Pte. Geo. Butler, of Grand Falls, who was wounded in the drive of July 1st, and again on Oct. 12th, will arrive in the city by to-day's express for medical treatment, as his wounds are again troubling him. His brother, Charles, who was also wounded, has recently been discharged from hospital and is shortly to leave for

Express Passengers.

M. A. and Mrs. McNeil, T. Penny Mrs. Geo. Penny, Miss E. Penny, T. Clavette, H. V. Luby, Mrs. S Tomkins, Geo. Penny, Geo. Boutilier, Dr. Davis, Jas. Butt, S. S. Witmore, T. tilier, W. J. Doherty, Mrs. F. Rendell, stantinople remind the Turkish A. Rendell, A. Hicks, Mrs. E. M. Bolt,

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From Cape Race.

CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind W. N. W., light, weather clear, nothing sighted bound in. Bar. 29. 30; ther. 64.

Saucer-shaped buttons with small knob centers are favorites.

Encourage the Settler.

Dear Sir,-I saw by statistics in the Evening Star of the 13th inst. that, ccording to figures issued at Immi-15,445 immigrants had been brought into Canada, including settlers and done. farm-labourers, bringing with them Laviscount, A. K. Lumsden, A. Bou- \$2,344,489 (two million three hundred and forty-four thousand four hundred and eighty-nine dolars) in cash during the first four months of this year. For the same period 2,126 (two thousand one hundred and twenty-six) omestead entries have been made by mmigrants. Why don't our Govern-READY TO WORK NIGHT OR DAY. ment invite our American and Can-Gas is your ever ready helper right adian cousins to settle on our West ery, no delays in getting it. One gets acres of the most fertile land, in the so used to it that one is apt to for- Codrov Valley, on the banks of the get how helpful it is. Take a little Humber, at St. George's, Stephenville trouble. Study its uses: get to under- and Grand Lake, where the land is stand how to obtain every particle of most fertile and where fruit grows in abundance and the climate genera

> and inviting? Thanking you for space, I remain, Yours respectfully, GEORGE KEOUGH, O.S. St. John's, Sept. 22nd, 1917.

Pte. Fitzgerald.

Private A. W. Fitzgerald, son Magistrate H. F. Fitzgerald, Grand Falls, is returning home with the next draft of soldiers and should arrive here within a few days. Pte. Fitzgerald left here in June, 1915. He spent a short time in Egypt, took part advance and was severely wounded in the October drive.

Aged Miner Injured

AT BELL ISLAND.

A miner named Penney, of Salmon Cove. C.B., met with a serious accident at Bell Island, on Thursday afternoon while working in one of the slopes. Penney, with a number of lump of ore fell from overhead and badly crushed one of his legs. He was picked up in an unconscious condition by his fellow-workmen who imediately got in touch with the Company's doctor, who had the sufferer emoved to the hospital. Doctors Lynch and Giovannetti examined the man's injuries and were obliged to amputate the limb. The patient, who s 60 years of age, is doing as well as can be expected. When he regains sufficient strength to stand the journey to St. John's he will be brought over to the General Hospital.

Here and There.

DR. SMITH (Dentist) resumes practice Wednesday, September 19th.—sep18,6i

SCHOOLS RE-OPEN. The majority of the city schools will re-open, after the summer holidays, on Monday and the summer holidays, on Monday and Tuesday next.

Just Arrived - Nyal's Face Cream at Stafford's Drug Stores. Duckworth St. and Theatre Hill.

C. L. B. DANCE .- In aid of the Brigade funds, a dance is now being arranged to be held shortly. The band s rehearsing new music for the event.

SALVED FROM S. S. KRISTI-ANIAFJORD. Men's Undershirts, value \$1.10

for 39c., while they last. THE WEST END BAZAAR, 51 water St. West.

SLIGHT FOREST FIRE.—A forest fire raged near Salmonier a few days ago, but beyond the destruction of a quantity of timber, no damage was SLIGHT FOREST FIRE.-A forest gration Hall, Winnipeg, a total of ago, but beyond the destruction of a

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POULTRY EXHIBITION. - It is said the Poultry Association will hold its annual exhibition this Fall at the Arcade Rink instead of at the Prin-

CLEANLINESS and SANITA-TION is the first consideration. Try ELLIS' SAUSAGES, they have made a name already.

BAIT SCARCE. - Many boats were on the local fishing grounds this morning. Owing to the scarcity of squid bait very poor catches of cod were secured by fishermen.

SALVAGE SHIRTS. Value \$1.10 for 39c. THE WEST END BAZAAR, sep19,4i 51 Water St. West.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS. ports, but there have been comparain and survived the memorable July tively few deaths owing mainly to the efforts of the Health Authorities.

> Nyal's Assorted Talcums arived to-day for Stafford's Drug Stores, Duckworth Street and Theatre Hill.—sep7,tf

BIG CARRIER. -Bowring's new hooner Bianca has a large carrying apacity, equal to that of some of our sealing steamers. She is now loadng fish and will take about eight housand drums.

It is cheaper to purchase where everything is CLEAN and SANITARY. Try ELLIS' MINCED COLLOPS.

TYPHOID AT UPPER ISLAND COVE.—Dr. Brehm has received word f an outbreak of typhoid fever at Upper Island Cove. Several persons re down with the malady and steps have been taken to prevent a spread

SLIGHTLY WET MEN'S UN-DERSHIRTS. Value \$1.10 for 39c. THE WEST END BAZAAR. 51 Water St. West.

PARTRIDGE SCARCE. - Sportsesorts report partridge scarce. several good bags were rought in last night by parties who were shooting over the local grounds In every section of the country the s an abundance of rabbits,

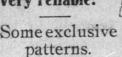
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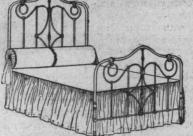
Bedsteads, Springs, Mattresses

We have just received a large shipm ent of Bedsteads ranging in price from \$5.50 to \$20.00. Extra good value, being bought before the recent rise in price. We are selling at our usually low prices. We have also the Combination Lath and Spring Bed, the only thing of its kind on the market. Get our prices before buy-



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one of our holiday rambles is season we happened to drop ong at an old-time homestead in one the many hamlets which dot the board of Avalon: and while there learned a pathetic story which devotion and constancy would do edit to the memory of the immor zed Evangeline herself. The homestead in question is one of

few now left of that quaint style architecture which cur forers brought with them from Old Country two centuries To look at it without, to have seen it within, was to be ansported to the days of Baltimore

to the times of Guy. Within its nelter had been born the family of he young Irish couple who in their tive county of Cork had plighted eir troth and then left to seek their rtune in the New World; and who made it a choice to come out to wfoundland as the most likely place find it. Evidently they did not find ny very great material wealth, but hey no doubt found that which wealth annot purchase and which money nnot control, they found the pricess treasure of mutual love, and exised the higher gift of simple faith. his they transmitted to their childn, and in turn it has come down to ne present generation, who, though or in this world's goods, are rich in e faith of their fathers. Of the last neration only one son was left to rpetuate the family name. This son as of stalwart physique, and, like his eighbours, he gained his living from ne sea. At summer time he fished om the harbour, and nightly returnà to the quiet of his little one-storied ottage and to the embrace of his litle flock. At winter time he usually ook a foreign voyage and thereby dded to the comforts of his home. And o it went on, until some two years go, when the voyage which proved e last one was taken.

which our hero sailed became long verdue, and when patience became exhausted the inevitable had to be accepted and the mother and her six little children had to realize the stern act that never again would their read-winner provide for them, nor yould his footsteps be heard as of ore upon the garden walk. The ship ad gone down and six homes had en plunged in sorrow, but the last give up hope was the heroine of shom we write. She knew that at best she was "hoping against hope," and that never again would the familiar voice of her husband greet faint expectation that there might be ome hope of his return. With this faint longing the lonely mother and the wondering children kept their spirits up, and for the long period of six months they put a light in the vindow of the little cottage, saying o themselves that "if father comes to-night he will see the light and he will know that we have expected

And so it was that night after night, and week after week, and month after onth, the humble wife trimmed her little lamp and set it in the window eacon of hope to greet his approach. But the absent one came not, no amiliar footstep . was heard, no hand raised the latch—there was no reurn. The sea had gained its prey and the last inheritor of the old-time



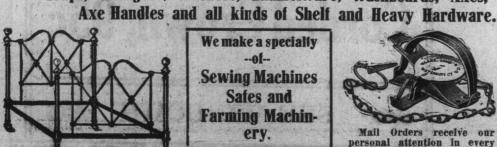
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