

Supreme Court. Present: The Full Bench.

of the strongest resist-A land case which came up before ance the Germans can oppose the the Supreme Court on circuit at Hr. British make progress. The fighting Grace but was not disposed of, was is now all along the so-called switch tried before the full bench this mornline, running north and south from ing. The plaintiff was Patrick Dug-Drocourt to Queant, hastily thrown gan and the defendant James Hutchout by Hindenburg as a barrier be- ings. Messrs. L. E. Emerson and C. fore Douai. The battle has raged up E. Hunt for plaintiff; Mr. J. A. W. W. and down this line for more than a McNeily for defendant. The plaintiff month, the Germans betraying by claims the right of ownership of certheir prodigal use of troops and re- tain land on the Shearstown Road serves the importance they attach to near Bay Roberts which is in the holding it. Nevertheless, despite in- possession of the defendant. Mr. disputably greater losses than ours, Hearn, land surveyor at Brigus, who they are not holding it. The British surveyed, the land in 1892, was sworn have finally surrounded and taken an dexamined by Mr. McNeily. The Roeux, a village north of Monchy and Court adjourned for recess at 1 p.m.

like. it the scene of the fiercest and till 3 o'clock. most sanguinary encounters. North the British have loosened both ends Newfoundland at Fresnoy, and south, at Bullecourt, of the line and it may collapse at any **Troops Won Fame** time and open the way to Douai. But there is need to consult the

The battle of the Scarpe

continues with unabated

violence, and in the face

map. A more eloquent and faithful tale is told in the list of captures es-Islanders Too Much for Germans, timated for a bare month's fighting. Says Observers at Front. Germany cannot long be bled at the

London, April 20 .- Newfoundland's rate of 50,000 prisoners and nearly 500 heavy guns a month. Our own soldiers get high praise for their losses, we are told, are about half in share in the battle of Arras in the description sent by British correproportion of those on the Somme. while the killed and wounded among spondents at the front.

the Germans must be a very high "In company with certain English portion of the whole in fighting of troops," writes one correspondent, of this class Menthol and Ecualyptus this description. With Petain now in they had pushed recently to the far- is one of the most useful and efficacontrol of the French armies and al- thest point of our advance, in the cious. A box of these lozenges is a so, to some extent, of the British, we most difficult section of the battle handy thing to have near one. Price may look for even slower progress, area, when they were met by a coun- 20c. a box. Those w

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confinement to the work-room does and the unfortunate deceased in these not militate against their health, as cases were fatally afflicted when the the place is well ventilated and airy magistrate committed them. Pretty all the time In relation to the Jury's observa- genarians. Three of them who were

ions about the juvenile prisoners, I pensioned at seventy, or there about, Superntendent. need hardly say that my views are are to-day approaching their eightientirely in accord with theirs. In all eth landmark and still look hale and my reports I have strongly emphasiz- hearty; and one of the present ward-Dear Sir,-In your issue of yesterday, I notice, you publish some ex- ed the urgent necessity of a separate tracts from the Grand Jury's Present- institution for youthful criminals. As for the past thirty-one years, has ment, in which reference is made to long ago as in 1911 I reported as folreports of "laxity of supervision and lows: "Although it is true that but few

Editor, I am trespassing on yo "juvenile offenders have been com- valuable space, for the use of which "mitted during the past year, yet the I-an old member of the craft-me "number is large enough to make it sincerely thank you. "desirable that some other place than

then, let me say that the charge of "the Penitentiary should be provided laxity" is not only ignored by the ,"for the punishment and possible re-"formation of mere lads whose offen-Penitentiary, May 15th, 1917. hat it is positively denied by their "ces are mainly confined to window entry in the "Visitors' Book," which "breaking and petty larcenies. Con-

finement in a common jail familiar-April 25th, 1917. izes them with the associations and "The Grand Jury visited the Peni-"surroundings of criminal life. Con- California Blood Oranges, Moir's sequently they become less and less tentiary to-day and went through the various Departments, which show-"susceptible to moral and religious Moir's Chocolates, by the pound ed cleanliness and order throughout,

MacNamara, A. Soper, R. S. Brem- | year or two, and more especially ner served from 12 to 3 p.m.

ner, E. Bishop, J. C. Ryan, D. M. since the Prohibition Act came into Open at night till arrival of

Hogan, W. H. Jessop, W. D. Gra- operation, be singled out for criticism trains for convenience of the

ham. W. O. Carnell, P. F. Col- and misrepresentation. The late travelling public. Special rates

So much, then, for the charge of everything else fails, write about the Breakfast served at the shortest

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laxity.". And, with your permission, weather," Some of my "good

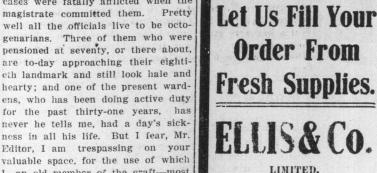
Mr. Editor, I should like, just here, to friends" seem inclined to change the

thank these nineteen gentlemen for phrase and say, "When you are hard

their vindication of the official staff up for something sensational, concoct

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"influences and finally drift down to and in fancy boxes; Moir's Nut "their destination among the habitual Milk Bars, Caramels, Kisses and "thieves and vagrants of the com- Cream Cakes. Also a good sup-"munity." ply of Temperance Drinks. It is somewhat suggestive that the At our Hotel and Restaurant ters, J. Rossiter, T. J. Edens, F. Penitentiary should, within the past --Breakfast served at 8.30, Din-



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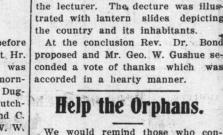
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We would remind those who con emplate attending the concert to h given by the Comrades' Glee Club i the Methodist College Hall to-morrow night that they will enjoy something worth while from a vocal standpoint and to those who propose to absent themselves we feel safe in saying that

of the savages were fully explained b

they will miss a treat. Proof that the performance will be an excellent one is the fact that the city's best talent will assist in the programme, which alone ought to be ample assurance of more serious abuses in the Penitena large audience; but in addition it tiary here." Touching these charges, may be added that the proceeds will be I think it is due to myself, and the devoted towards the city's orphanages official staff of the prison to make



TUESDAY, May 15, 1917.

In this kind of weather, when colds are so prevalent and so easy to acquire, a good antiseptic lozenge i

almost a necessity. Among pastilles

Handel's 'Messiah.

Chorus Practices in the Synd

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in Vimy Ridge and in regard to this laudable purpose some reply or explanation. First, further comment is unnecessary. centlemen of the Grand Inquest, but

his theory of warfare accounts ter attack from three columns of the territory nothing worth and men enemy in overwhelming force. Some othy Hayseed should order their stock from us; we import only the everything. He will use his terrible few were apparently cut off, but the strictly prime-the highest grade. artillery, not to win ground, but to main body fell back, holding the Ger-Also in stock Clover, Alfalfa, and kill Germans, and Verdun made him man masses at arms' length. Reach-Rape Seeds. an unequalled expert in the art. ing a trench in advance of our main There is apparent quiet from the position the enemy, checked by our

French below Laon, which bodes ill fire, dropped into and occupied it. for the enemy. Another blow is Then came the Newfoundlanders' opabout due and may be looked for this portunity, and the next half hour saw week. A considerable offensive ap- such a slaughetr of Germans as has pears to be under way in Macedonia only been witnessed perhaps once or and some progress has been made twice in this battle. It is believed north of Monastir. This theatre re- that no enemy went back, but in the mains a mystery and little reliable trench and on the ground over which can be learned of it. Evidently the they had come were 1,200 to 1,500 Allies consider themselves strong dead.

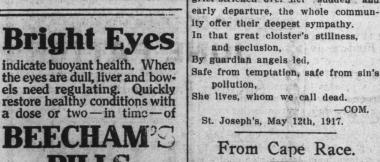
enough to attack, though it is not like-"Since last July the Newfoundlandly that they have been reinforced dur- ers have had harder fighting in proing the winter by many more than portion to their size than any other Venizelos' troops. Serbia, Greece unit of the British armies, and it is and Roumania may soon all become doubtful if any troops of similar the stage of stirring events; matters strength inflicted such heavy losses have changed complexion since the on the enemy .- New York Sun.

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pitiful drama of last autumn. The Allies may include among their objects in this offensive the drawing off of the enemy garrison in Rouma-

nia, encouraging the Russians to at-At St. Joseph's, Salmonier, on Suntack with them. Certain it is that day, 6th inst., the grim reaper visited Russia is the greatest danger for the the home of Cassimir and Deila Slanpresent. Every day confirms the be- ey, and robbed from its circle their lief that she will not be able to lend darling child Clara. She was a bright any effective help for a long time to and lively child of five years. Only come. Ivan wants to be his own mas- a few days before her death, she frolter, having got rid of his old ones, icked and played in the May sunand not to fight, and certainly no shine, full of gladness and vigor. fighting is being done. Mush, in Ar- Alas! this little spring flower was menia, was recently evacuated, fated not to bloom long, for she was though its advanced position might suddenly stricken with meningitis, be a sufficient explanation, and now and though she received all the care we hear general tidings of further reand attention that the doctor and lovverses at the hands of the Turks. It ing friends could give, after a few is a reflection of popular knowledge days of quiet suffering, this gentle of conditions in Russia when the ab- child was folded to rest in that Home surd rumour needs to be refuted pubof Love beyond the skies. To her, licly that Japan is to apply pressure fond parents and relatives who are at Britain's urging, and General grief-stricken over her sudden and



In that great cloister's stillness, and seclusion. By guardian angels led. Safe from temptation, safe from sin' She lives, whom we call dead. -COM,

St. Joseph's, May 12th, 1917. From Cape Race. CAPE RACE, To-day.

Wind E.N. E., fresh breeze, foggy. Bar. 28.75; ther. 45.



thus unjustly and maliciously brought can always get a discharged convict, against them. Thursday next With respect to the matter of "cor- | furnish the "ground-work;" the "emrespondence between a male and fe- bellishing" can be easily done by any male prisoner," I wish to state that I one with a vivid imagination. as follows have carefully inquired into the affair Ladies only at 8 o'clock. Gentlemen only ... at 9 o'clock.

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eads as follows:

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T. H. O'Neill, Foreman; Arthur Pe-

lins, M. Searle, R. J. Byrne.

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the prison kitchen to assist the cook. be likely to receive there? If so, I For the out-of-door man Rod and Gun magazine, published by W. J. Taylor, Woodstock, Ont., for May has air than he could possibly get in the themselves a lot of unnecessary wormuch that is of interest to offer. Industrial Department or anywhere ry. The place is not what their fore else; and being, apparently, well be- bodings lead them to believe. Bonnycastle Dale, the Canadian naturalist, gives the result of a midnight haved, he was allowed greater privil-

study of the wild duck in the leading eges than he deserved. The result was that he managed, article "The Terror that Passeth by unobserved, to correspond for some and neat, as Grand Juries from time Night," A Holiday in the Rockies is

the story of a fishing trip and outing time, without detection, with one of to time amply testify; the beds are the female prisoners, the paper used comfortable, the clothing clean and the name of Charles Mifflin appeared. in the vicinity of Waterton Lakes. being stolen from my office when she otherwise suitable, the sewerage all It should have read Chesley Mifflin. Alberta. Some Canadian Vacation Camps, gives an idea of some Northern Ontario camps where young lads the only time, to my knowledge, any quantity to satisfy the greatest gourcan get more for their money than in such attempt has succeeded during mand in the community. Then, again

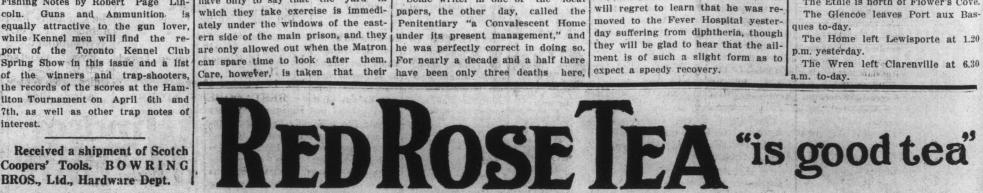
any other way, enjoying many unique experiences at a moderate expense tendency of the institution. However, Fishing experiences of an Old Counhave taken such precautions as will, never suffer from epidemic disease. try Angler tells of fishing in the feel certain, render a repetition of In fact, it seems to be immune from wonderful Georgian Bay region. I the offence absolutely impossible. There are other stories of equal inter-As regards the suggestion of "more heir" in other more highly privileged est and a treasure trove for the fish-

freedom for the female inmates," I institutions. erman in this month's instalment of have only to say that the yard in Fishing Notes by Robert Page Lincoln. Guns and Ammunition is which they take exercise is immediequally attractive to the gun lover.

of the winners and trap-shooters, the records of the scores at the Hamilton Tournament on April 6th and 7th, as well as other trap notes of

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all "the ills to which human flesh is

Some writer in one of the local

erecting the tower of the new St. Joseph's Church is now well under way. But, seriously speaking. Why, and find that it was unconsciously ask, are certain individuals so ex-REMOVED TO HOSPITAL. -- Durpermitted, so to speak, more through tremely anxious about the Penitaning yesterday more than a half dozen sympathy for the latter than any tiary? Do they-in anticipation of patients were removed to the General want of habitual vigilance on the part being sent to that institution to atone i Hospital for their political sins of omission

Horace Greeley used to say: "When to weekly boarders. Wedding

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had a long term before him, and, as and commission-feel troubled in ad-OPORTO MARKET-Stocks (Nfld.) he was not very strong, I put him in vance about the treatment they would past week, 9,635; previous week, 13, 453. Consumption, past week, 6.016 Here he had more freedom and fresh can assure them they are giving previous week, 3,642. DINNER POSTPONED.-The B. 1

, billiard dinner set down for to norrow night has been postponed or On the contrary, it is a first-rate account of the sad news in connection institution of the kind. The corriwith our Regiment. dors and cells are always kept clean

went up there in the morning with that could be desired, and the food of 'The young soldier is a son of Conthe Matron to clean it up. This is excellent quality and sufficient in stable Mifflin, of Spaniard's Bay. **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** the fourteen years of my Superin- it has yet another very important The Regular Monthly Meeting of Terra Nova Council, No. 1452 advantage, and it is this-the inmates The Argyle reached Placentia yeswill be held this Tuesday at 8.30

CORRECTION .- In the list of Miss-

ing, published on Saturday, 12th inst.

erday o'clock. C. J. CAHILL, Fin. The Clyde left Lewisporte at 6.50 Sec'y.-may15,1i p.m. yesterday.

The Dundee was not reported since PRIEST HAS DIPHTHERIA. eaving Wesleyville on Sunday. The many friends of Rev. Dr. Carten The Ethie is north of Flower's Cove. The Glencoe leaves Port aux Basies to-day. The Home left Lewisporte at 1.20

p.m. yesterday.

The Wren left Clarenville at 6.30 a.m. to-day.