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CHAPTER XXIII.  
THE ONLY WAY.

"What a strange coincidence," he said, unsuspectingly. "He must be well paid, Clifford. I don't wonder at him not finding them before; it is the most out-of-the-way place—awfully pretty, but quite out of the world; and yet so near London! To think that I have been sitting idly, waiting all this time, and he so near to me! Yes, I have found her! and, Clifford—you must let me mauder and rhapsodize a little!—she is more beautiful than ever! Paler and thinner—my poor darling—but beautiful as ever! There! I can't bear to think of it. Got a cigar?" and he arose and began to pace the room.

Clifford Revel gave him the cigar-box.

"And you discovered why she ran away?" he asked.

"Yes, my father—Clifford, when I think of the misery he has caused us both, my heart hardens against him. Since the world began there never was a man so cold, so heartless—he it was who had caused her to fly from me. You know—or, rather, you don't know—the influence he would exert over a simple, innocent nature like hers. He took advantage of her very love for me, and used it to effect his purpose. Would you believe it that he convinced her that by her marriage with me she would ruin me? He talked to her all the worldly rubbish about difference of station and unequal marriages, and convinced her that I should get tired of her and desert her. Great Heaven! when I think of the cold-blooded selfishness and worldliness which enwraps this fiend of ours, I am inclined to renounce it and become a nobody. Clifford, I wish to Heaven you were the next marquis, and I were in your place. How happy I should be!"

Clifford Revel smiled sarcastically. "Would you? Well, if it could be managed, I should not mind being my Lord Fane for the present and the Marquis of Farintosh for the future; but I am afraid it can not be. And Miss Lela—you parted friends?"

"Ah, yes!" said Lord Edgar, with a sigh of relief and happiness. "Thank Heaven! nothing can come between us for the future. Poor girl! she fought hard for the right, as she thought it, and for a time I thought I should have to leave her, but love won the day."

"And her grandfather?"

"I did not see him—she was afraid for me to do so. There had been a scene between him and the marquis. Of course, my father insulted him, he who is as true a gentleman as my lord himself."

"And now?" asked Clifford Revel, putting one foot on a chair and bending forward, his hawk-like eyes on Lord Edgar's face. "What now? What do you mean to do?"

"Lord Edgar looked rather troubled. "I am going down to-morrow; she would not let me stay at the inn to-night, and I shall meet her where I saw her this evening. That is enough for the present. In a little while I shall see the professor and get his consent to our marriage."

Clifford Revel's face paled, and his lips closed tightly; the Farintosh coronet, which he had sworn to place on Edith's brow, seemed to be fading from his grasp.

"Yes, I see! Well, I congratulate you, my dear fellow!" and he held out his hand. "I congratulate you with all my heart. She must be a charming young lady to have made such an impression on you! You have proved your constancy most emphatically. Perhaps I can be of some service to you; you haven't got over all your difficulties even yet, you know; there is still Mr. Temple to win over, and your father—"

"Don't speak of him to-night, Clifford," broke in Lord Edgar, with a flush, and a flash of his eyes; "I can't bear to think of him. He has been merciless and cruel."

"And he can be!" said Clifford Revel. "He will stop your allowance, my dear fellow, the day he hears of your marriage with his librarian's granddaughter."

"All right!" said Lord Edgar. "Our work shall start in the world on our own account. Good heavens, that wouldn't deter me! If I am Lord Fane and the heir to Farintosh, I suppose I am a man also! I'm pretty strong, and can earn my living—if not here, in the colonies!" In his impetuous, impulsive way, he started up and stretched out his strong arms and laughed aloud. "Why, I should be happier with thirty shillings a week and Lela to share them with, than all Farintosh without her! Ah, Clifford, you haven't seen her!"

Clifford Revel stared at him thoughtfully. "I hope to have that pleasure soon. Well, I don't want to be inhospitable; but, with all your excitement, you look tired. You have had a long ride, my dear fellow; better go home and go to bed and dream happy dreams."

Lord Edgar laughed softly and his face flushed. "Yes; the first for many a night! Clifford, I have lain awake, imagining all sorts of horrible things that might possibly have happened to her. Great heavens, what a week it has been! But it is all over now! Good-night! Come around to me in the morning if

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anything in the shape of an idea strikes you. As for me, I can not think or scheme; I'm a receptacle for happiness to-night, and that's all. Good-night!"

"Good-night!" said Clifford Revel, wringing his hand, and smiling into his face. "I rejoice in your joy, my dear Edgar! You shall tell me all the particulars in the morning. Good-night!"

Lord Edgar went clattering down the stairs and Clifford Revel closed the door and stood with folded arms looking into space.

Before him he saw all his hopes crushed and dispersed like autumn leaves before a gale. He saw Edgar married and with a child—still one more between him and the coronet, between him and Edith Drayton. He could, so he thought, have endured to relinquish all hope of becoming the Marquis of Farintosh, but to lose her! His face paled and his eyes glittered. Lord Edgar would marry this girl—there was no doubt of that—and he, Clifford Revel, would be doomed to lead the old, hateful life, hopeless and dreary. He would lose Edith Drayton—lose her upon whom the intense passion of his nature was fixed. The thought maddened him. He stood with pale face and bent brows, his active brain striving for some loophole of escape—some scheme which should ward off this blow at all his hopes.

With Lord Edgar alone, he could calculate upon some chance of winning the double prize—the coronet and Edith—a hundred things might happen to Edgar; a fall from his horse, a storm at sea while he was yachting, a tumble on the Alps; the chances were all in his, Clifford Revel's, favor while Lord Edgar remained unmarried. But married, with a child or children!

He uttered an oath and put his hand to his brow; it was wet with cold sweat.

What should he do? Suddenly, as he stood there alone in his room at midnight, alone in the silence, an idea flashed upon his mind that made him start and shudder and look around him.

It was an idea worthy of a fiend in its subtle cunning and cold-blooded, merciless cruelty—an idea worthy of the brain which gave it birth, but from which even he shrank for a moment. For a moment—the next he smiled, reached for the brandy decanter, and filled himself a wine-glassful and drank it.

Then he sat down, and leaning his handsome head on his hand, gave himself up to intense thought.

At last he rose and stretched out his white hands as if to relieve the intense mental strain.

"I'll do it!" he muttered. "I'll do it! This marriage must be prevented. It is the only way. Yes, it must be done. But the man—who can I get to help me? Who could I trust?"

He walked up and down softly, his white hands knitted closely behind his back.

An hour passed, but he could not find a satisfactory answer to his question, and at last he sighed and looked at the watch.

"There's time yet," he mused. "I shall find some one."

As he spoke, he took up his dress-coat and overcoat, which he had flung on a chair when he came in, and me-

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chanically put his hand in the pockets of both coats to take out any letters or papers there might be, for it was a rule of his to leave no papers, however unimportant, for servants to peruse.

He drew out one or two letters and threw them on his desk, to be destroyed or locked up, and was throwing the overcoat down again, when a small piece of paper fluttered to the floor. He picked it up and glanced at it carelessly, when a gleam of light shot into his eyes, and his hand closed over the paper as if he feared some one might be looking over his shoulder.

"The man!" he muttered, triumphantly—"the very man I want!" It was the piece of paper upon which the man who had stopped him near the Albany, the man named Nagle, had written his name and address.

CHAPTER XXIV.  
THE SELFISH PASSION.

AFTER all, love is a selfish passion! Will it be believed that all that night, that happy night—for it is scarcely necessary to say that Lord Edgar did not sleep—he never gave a thought to Edith Drayton, to the beautiful creature who had been so sympathetic a friend during his week of misery? It is the way of the world, the way of the best and the worst, the greatest and least of us! Given an absorbing passion, and everybody else is forgotten save the divine object! He never gave a thought to Edith, to her who had sacrificed so many hours for him; who had neglected and offended so many of her circle of admirers for his sake; who had sympathized with and endeavored to console him; and it was not until he was slashing through a hearty breakfast that he remembered her.

To his credit be it spoken that his conscience smote him. "I must tell her!" he murmured. "What selfish creatures men are! My mind is so full of my darling that there seems no room for a thought of any one else! But I must go and tell Miss Drayton. She will be pleased, I know! She is a true friend. How glad she will be to renew her friendship with Lela; it will be a pleasant sight to see them together; their beauty will serve as a foil to each other. Yes, I must go around to Elton Square."

But, even as he made the resolution, he was reluctant to spare the time, and calculated how long it would take him, and what train to Sunbury he could catch.

His man Lovel knew that his master had heard some good news, for once again Lord Edgar sung aloud the first verse of poor Whyte Melville's song.

"The Clipper that Stands in the Stall at the Top," a favorite song of his, which he was wont to sing every morning after his bath; once again he did something more in the way of breakfast than break two pieces of dry toast and stare moodily at the ham and eggs. In a word, Lord Edgar was happy again, and, like most men of his nature, he showed it at once; so plainly, indeed, that Lovel promptly asked for a holiday, and got it.

"And here's a raffle to spend," said Lord Edgar, tossing him a five-pound note. In this delightful mood, he set out for Elton Square.

It was early to make a morning call, but they had made him welcome at such out-of-the-way hours that he did not think of that, and felt quite disappointed when the servant said that Miss Drayton was not at home.

"Do you mean that she is out, or that she can not see any one?" he asked.

"She is out, my lord, out riding," said the man. "Will your lordship come in and wait?" he ventured to add, knowing well the footing which Lord Edgar had made for himself in the house.

But Lord Edgar decided that he would walk to the Ride and meet her. Waiting, anyway, and for any one, would simply be intolerable this morning.

(To be Continued.)

**THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE.**

It would be impossible to give the exact number of words in the English language. Words are constantly being coined and foreign words are being added to the language. A recent edition of a leading dictionary gives between 400,000 and 500,000 words. Many of them are derivatives, as run, run, running, ran, runner, etc.

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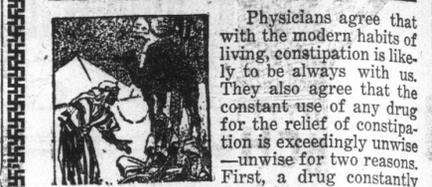
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### MAY NOT RETURN.

VERSAILLES, May 18. It is quite possible that Count Von Brockdorff Rantzau, head of the German peace delegation, who left here last night, will not return to conduct further negotiations at Versailles, according to reports received here to-day from there. The views of the chief of the German delegation and those representatives sent from Berlin to consult with him differed so strongly as to the future conduct of the negotiations, according to the reports, that Count Von Brockdorff Rantzau requested that they be replaced at Versailles.

### GREEKS AND TURKS FIGHT.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 17. In the fighting which took place after the landing of Greek troops at Smyrna, Thursday, 300 Turks and 100 Greeks were killed. The fighting took place for the most part in the Turkish area, where the Greeks were met by heavy rifle fire.

### ITALIAN CONTROVERSY ENDED.

PARIS, May 17. Italy has relinquished her claims to Dodocanez Island off the Asia Minor Coast, in favor of Greece. This ends one of the most acute controversies of the peace conference.

### NOT SETTLED YET.

PARIS, May 17. Conferences during the past two days on the Italian issue have not succeeded in reaching an accord, as was expected. The Italians made a number of concessions, including recognition of Fiume as a free city, and

the giving up of considerable portions of Istria, including the important quick silver districts. The Italians, however, are unwilling to yield Seara or Senlco on the Dalmatian coast. The Jugo Slavs are not disposed to accept the Italian concessions as sufficient, and there are prospects of further extended period of negotiations.

### STRIKES ON SUEZ CANAL.

SUEZ, May 16. The general strike on the Suez Canal continues, but the service through the waterway has not been interrupted.

### N. C. 4 ARRIVES.

WASHINGTON, May 17. An official despatch to the Navy Department said "N. C. 4 arrived at Horta, Azores, at 12.29." Halifax, May 18. At the time of the arrival of N. C. 4 at the Azores yesterday, N. C. 1 was reported following close behind with N. C. 3 trailing some distance behind. To-day the U.S.S. cruiser Ionia, arriving immediately off the Azores, reports the crew of N. C. 1 safe aboard. Naval officials here are advised as to N. C. three.

### GUARDING THE ROUTE.

WASHINGTON, May 16. Co-incident with the start from Trepassey Bay, Nfld., of the American Navy seaplanes in an effort to make the first trans-Atlantic air passage, the Navy Department made public yesterday an order issued April 15th, which governed the actions of every aircraft and naval vessel connected with the long flight and provided against almost every possible emergency which may have arisen during the aerial voyage. Complete in every detail, the order provided for the stationing and subsequent movements of sixty destroyers, four battleships and a number of auxiliary naval vessels in connection with the flight. In accordance with the provisions of the Department's order, the route of the seaplanes to the Azores was marked by a ribbon of destroyers stationed about fifty miles apart. These vessels were their stations for several days and kept the naval officers at Department and constantly informed as to the meteorological conditions along the course. In addition to the destroyers, four battleships, the Florida, Utah, Texas and Wyoming, were stationed on the outskirts of the course to furnish further meteorological data throughout the flight. All of the intricate details of radio communication between the various units were worked out carefully, as provided in the order. The seaplanes were in constant communication with the naval vessels at all times. Every precaution was taken to safeguard the fliers. In addition to the radio communication, the destroyers along the route were provided with special illuminating torches, star shells and flashes for use at night to mark the course and were in constant readiness to answer S. O. S. calls or other distress signal, should accident befall one of the big planes. The battleship Arkansas, which has been at Plymouth, England, immediately upon receiving word that the flight from Trepassey had started, proceeded to take station between the Azores and Lisbon to report meteorological conditions for the fourth "leg" of the long flight. The planes followed a mercator's course from Mistaken Point on Trepassey Bay, to Corvo Landfall at the Azores, and thence by the shortest route to Heria Ponia, Delgada. There they will refuel and make necessary repairs and start as soon as possible for Lisbon. From there the fliers are ordered to head for Plymouth, the objective point of the long voyage.

### SANK 12 MILES FROM AZORES.

LONDON, May 18. Lloyds reports that the steamer Ionis with the crew of the American seaplane N. C. 1 aboard, arrived at Horta, Sunday, and that the N. C. 1 sank twelve miles off the Island of Flores.

### BRITISH FLEET OFF MEMEL.

LONDON, May 17. A British fleet is anchored outside of Memel, East Prussia, close to the Russian frontier and the British are expected to occupy the place in a few days, according to a Copenhagen despatch quoting Berlin advices.

### A PART OF THE BLUFF.

BERLIN, May 16. The German government has arranged for a plebiscite if the Allies refuse to make concessions in the Peace Treaty.

### THE POPE TO INTERVENE.

ROME, May 18. In response to a petition from the entire German Episcopate begging his good offices, Pope Benedict has taken steps to communicate with the head of one of the most important delegations at the Peace Conference, with a view to getting the conditions modified.

### ALLIES ARE READY.

LONDON, May 16. Speaking at the Primrose League to-day, Lord Curzon said if Germany refused the Peace Terms, "the Allies were not unprepared for every emergency."

### NO MAIL FOR WINNIPEG.

OTTAWA, ONT., May 17. The post office dept. has issued

the following notice: Owing to the sympathetic strike of postal employees with the metal workers in Winnipeg, there is no mail service of any kind in that city, and the public are advised that it is useless to attempt to send anything by mail to Winnipeg until further notice.

### A COMMON ROBBER.

COBLENZ, Thursday, May 15. A former captain in the German army was arrested in Coblenz to-day on the charge of having in his possession property taken from France during the war. The German was turned over to the French military authorities, who propose to try him in a French civil court on a charge of common robbery. It was the first of this character in the area of occupation.

### FOLLOWING FRENCH EXAMPLE.

PARIS, May 17. Italy has requested that the Austrian Peace Treaty provide for return to Rome of many priceless art treasures, taken by Austria as booty in previous wars.

### NOW IN FRANCE.

PARIS, May 17. The delegation representing the Irish Societies in the United States, reached Paris from England yesterday evening. The members of the party made no statement concerning their plans.

### PROTESTANT CLERGYMEN RECEIVED BY POPE.

ROME, May 16. Right Reverends Anderson, of Chicago, Boyd Vincent of Southern Ohio, William Fox of Lac du Wisconsin, prominent figures in the Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States, were received by Pope Benedict to-day. Before seeing the Pope the Americans had a long talk with Cardinal Gasparri, who said: "Rather than a reunion of the Christian Churches, the Holy See aims at a unity of Churches, which in the opinion of Rome can only occur by all returning to the Catholic church."

### Band Concert.

The crowded house which greeted the band of the U.S.S. Chicago on Saturday evening at the Casino Theatre, was greatly delighted with the programme rendered. The band is an excellent one, and the charm of the music was enhanced by the variety of the selections which ranged from Grand Opera to Ragtime. The audience showed its appreciation of the delightful playing by its hearty applause. St. John's is greatly indebted to the band of the Chicago, not only for a splendid entertainment, but for its great kindness in helping out a patriotic fund. Beside the contributions of the band there were three other items on the programme—solos by Mrs. Warren and Miss Mary Ryan, and a recitation by Mr. P. Halley, which were perfectly rendered and most thoroughly enjoyed. The entertainment closed with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" and the National Anthem by Miss Ryan.

### To-Night's Lecture.

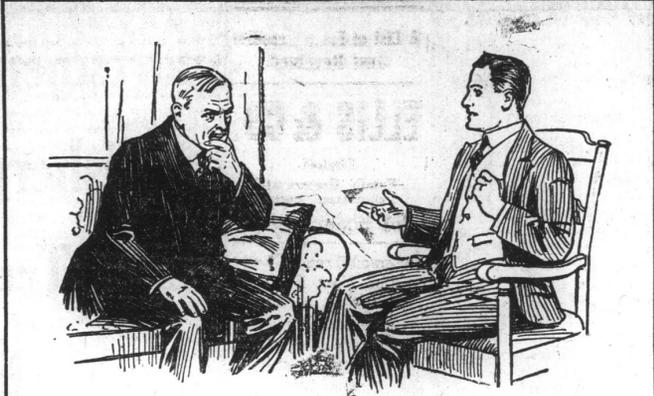
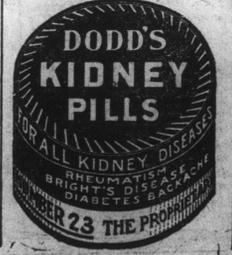
An illustrated lecture will be given to-night in the Methodist College Hall when the beautiful scenery of British Columbia will be shown; much of its valuable timber, mineral and agricultural resources and also, the indefatigable work of the missionaries among the Orientals and Indians, covering hospital and general social endeavour. Tickets are selling fast, and a full house is assured.

### Schooner Sold.

The schr. Protector, owned by Martin Brothers, of Channel, and which recently arrived from the Gulf with a trip of seals, has been sold to Mr. P. J. Shea, who will employ her in the coasting trade. The price paid for the transfer was a good one. Capt. John Gilliam, we understand, with the present crew will navigate the vessel during the season.

### Shipping News.

The Spanish schooner Seville reached port Saturday, and will load codfish for across. The run was a lengthy one owing to adverse weather, and on arrival the vessel was short of food. The S. S. Gracefield has left England for Placentia to load pit props from M. E. Martin. The schr. Roberts Ray has sailed from Lunenburg for Lisieux with a cargo of codfish from S. Harris, Ltd.



## "I Do Not Know Just What Is The Matter But I Seem To Be Losing My Grip"

"WELL, I know. You have been worrying too much until you have got your nervous system all run down."  
"I could not help that. I guess you would worry, too, if you had all the troubles I have had."  
"Perhaps. But I think I have learned a lesson. Worrying does not get you anywhere."  
"Well, what am I to do?"  
"If you will take my advice you will use Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. That is what got my nervous system right when I had that breakdown a couple of years ago, and I have been talking it up ever since."  
"How will it benefit me?"  
"It will restore vigor to your nervous system. The trouble is now that your nerve force is at such a low ebb that your vital organs are slow and weak in action. You do not get the good of the food you eat, and for this reason you have no chance of gaining strength and vitality."

"But how long will I have to take this treatment?"  
"If you could take a rest it would help some, but mark my words you will not be using the Nerve Food more than a week or two before you begin to see the benefits, and then you will not need me to encourage you in its use."  
"I think I will follow your advice, for judging from what you say the Nerve Food is exactly what I need."  
"You will not be sorry, for I have recommended it to scores of men in just such condition as you are to-day, and I know just what it will do."  
"Thank you, old man. I only hope it will give me such energy and vitality as you have."  
"It certainly will if you give it a fair chance."

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## Congoleum Mats.

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### Mostly Libellous.

If a girl uses enough paint, she may be taken for the picture of health. The first thing that a woman buys towards furnishing a house is a looking glass. Castor-oil is becoming scarce. This news will be borne by children with

perfect resignation. It is said that many women drink vinegar for their complexions. These must be the sour-faced women we occasionally see. Perhaps the reason why there are so few women inventors is accounted for by the fact that anything most women wish to do can be done with a hairpin.

The longing look girls put in their eyes when they sing that song, "Home Sweet Home," indicates a longing to get away from home, and shouldn't fool anyone. Marriage would be less of a failure in some cases if the bride's parents could provide her with a servant girl warranted to stay and to cook, instead of a trousseau.



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**When Medals Were Scarce.**

In the early eighties very few officers had medals or decoration, for most of the veterans of the Crimea and Mutiny had died. But the Egyptian campaigns were fruitful in ribbons, and by desire of the then Prince of Wales distinct rules were laid down as to miniature medals. It was laid down that these could be worn at any evening party, and were "regulation" whenever any royal personage was to be present. Before the campaign of 1882 Lord Wolseley and Sir Evelyn Wood were the only two officers who could boast of more than one line of ribbon, a striking contrast to the dazzling rows of to-day.

**Misunderstood.**

He studied the bill of fare in the Paris restaurant which he dropped into on his short leave. He could have studied it all night if he had wanted, and no one would have paid the slightest attention to him. But when he had learned it by heart, he tapped his glass with a knife, and, in

response, a tall, angular waitress of undoubted English descent waddled towards him. Her gait was between that of a crab and an inquisitive goose, and it took her two full minutes before she reached his table. Then she opened her mouth expectantly, and waited for his order.

"Have you frogs' legs?" he asked, sharply. "Eh?" she replied, bending forward doubtfully. "I said," repeated the would-be diner, "have you frogs' legs?" "Dear me, no, sir!" she exclaimed, smiling. "I'm obliged to walk this way on account of rheumatism."

**FIRE ON GEORGE STREET.**—A slight fire was caused yesterday afternoon by some boys dropping matches or cigarette stubs in shavings at the rear of Bowering's carpenter shop on George Street. Fortunately the blaze was discovered and quickly extinguished before much damage was caused.

**Miss Information.**



EVERYTHING IS "UNION" NOW-A-DAYS.

By Cowan

**Chinese Philosophy.**

You can't surprise a Chinaman. An aeroplane was flying over Peking for the first time—it was Major-General Sykes who told me the story—and a proud European pointed it out to a native. "Don't you think it is wonderful?"

"Well," said the Chinaman, calmly, after a passing glance at the machine, "the thing is meant to do that, isn't it?"

**NO EXEMPTION.**

An employee at a city firm was discovered by a friend in his "diggings" looking very rueful indeed.

"I'm in a frightful hole," he said. "I went to see two doctors yesterday, and got a medical certificate from each. One was a certificate of health for a life insurance company, and the other was a certificate of illness to send to the National Service Tribunal."

"I've done that myself," said his friend; "what's the matter?"

"Matter! Why, I mixed the certificates in posting them! The insurance company has my certificate of ill-health, and the Tribunal has my certificate of good health."

**NOT IN A TEMPER FOR PROVERBS.**

The milkman gathered himself up from the ruin of his cart, scraped the whitish-grey mud from his clothing, wiped his whiskers, gave one glance at the runaway horse, surveyed the dirty-white puddles that represented his stock-in-trade, and turned to the crowd.

"All I've got to say," he observed, rolling up his coat-sleeve, and speaking in a business-like way, "is that the first son of a gun that says a word about it being no use crying over spilt milk is going to get his head punched!"

And nobody spoke the dread words.

**OVERDOING IT.**

Mother always kept little Tommy up to the scratch in the matter of grace before meals, and she made no difference when she took him to tea with her one afternoon at a restaurant.

"She said to Tommy, after the waitress had served the tea: 'Now, say grace, please, Tommy.'"

"But, mamma," objected the seventeen-year-old, "we're paying for this, aren't we?"

**NO POSSIBLE MISTAKE.**

"These profiteers," said Representative Esch, of Wisconsin, "accuse themselves with their excuses. They remind me of little Willie."

"Little Willie came home the other day with a nice new golf ball."

"Look at the lost ball I found this afternoon, father," he said.

"Are you sure, my boy," the father asked, "that it was a lost ball?"

"Oh, yes, sir," said little Willie, "I saw the owner and his caddie looking for it."—Los Angeles Times.

**OBEYING ORDERS.**

"James," said a lady to her inexperienced boy in buttons, "when a caller hands in a card at the door, you must be sure to receive it on a silver tray."

"Very good, ma'am," replied James, obediently.

Not long afterwards there was a ring at the bell. The lady summoned James.

"James," she said, "was that a caller?"

"Yes, ma'am."

"And did you present the salver?"

"Yes, ma'am, and he said he was much obliged, and took it away with him."

The "caller," it transpired, was a tramp.

**CURIOUS FREAK OF TIME ON TOMBSTONE.**

Stain Reproduces Image of Hand Grasping a Dagger.

Cardiff, May 11.—In the village churchyard, near Millford Haven, there is the grave of a young army officer (at one time stationed with his regiment at South Hook Fort, Close by) who met death from a wound by a knife while playing a practical joke on a brother officer.

The tombstone, a marble cross, has become slightly discolored. One of the discoloredations has taken the almost perfect representation of a hand grasping a knife or dagger.

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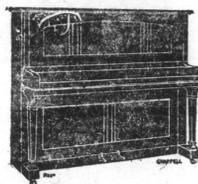
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A case like that, where a child has never had any of the older games, is very unusual, but I do feel that many parents do not realize the vast possibilities of these simple old games, both for employing those idle minutes for which a certain undesirable someone is supposed to have such a greedy eye, and as an educative influence.

No Home Should Be Without It.

The old game of letters or anagrams, as it is sometimes called, which was a favorite in our family with old and young, is perfectly wonderful to teach spelling and enlarge the vocabulary, to say nothing of its effect in stimulating mental activity. And as all the layout needed is simply some cardboard letters which can be bought for a small sum, or manufactured at home, surely no home should be without it.

Besides these games played with special outfits there are many games that do not need any outfit at all, the knowledge of which I should think would be invaluable to parents for such times as rainy days and convalescences. Some good book filled, with such suggestions, is another thing which no home should be without. If you do not happen to know of one I will be glad to tell anyone who sends me a stamped envelope the name of an excellent book which I myself use.

Dampness is always hard on the piano.

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Whoever else may be demobilized quickly, it is unlikely that the many gypsies who are serving in the army will be parted with easily—that is, if commanding officers have any say in the matter.

The genuine Romany is too valued an acquisition to a cavalry regiment, or to any mounted unit like the Army Service Corps or the Royal Horse Artillery, to be parted with lightly.

He knows probably quite as much about the ailments of horses as does the average army "vet," more about the best methods of shoeing the tender footed ones than the farrier-sergeant, and more about breaking in and riding the obstreperous ones than the riding master.—Tit-Bits.

## THE NEXT CRUSADE.



WALT MASON

"We'll swat the vile tobacco next," the virtuous campaigners say; and as I am perplexed concerning what I ought to say, I always wish to boost the right, and make the world a better place; but my old pipe, that's now alight—is it an asset or a disgrace? I quit the pipe some years ago, the pipe I'd smoked for many years; out in the yard I laid it low, I buried it with briny tears. The women folk around the shack rejoiced with great, exceeding mirth, and slapped me roundly on the back, and called me sweetest thing on earth. But in a fortnight they arose and called upon me in my den, and brought me pipes and things like those, and begged that I would smoke again. For abstinance had made me sore and put an edge upon my tongue; and I was won't to snarl and roar where once my buoyant laughter rung. I bulled all my maiden aunts and made my neices weep and plead, the while I skirminched through my pants in search of that vile noxious weed. I ragged the neighbours all the day, and wrangled with the passing cops, and filled, until I hit the hay, the town with my barbaric yaws. Then I went back to nicotine, and nothing in this world could vex; with mind all placid and serene, I was a credit to my sex.

Keep a small piece of camphor in each end of the piano to keep moths away.

## Just Received.

14 Cases WILLIARD'S CONFECTIONERY.  
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## Household Notes.

Pies can be baked in fireless cookers.

Never use a piano which is not in tune.

Fritters can be made from bread crumbs.

Milk and eggs are both muscle builders.

Select planting potatoes with great care.

Omelet may be made with cold asparagus.

A good plan is to mark your window screens.

Parsnips served with white sauce are delicious.

A practical tea-wagon is a great saver of steps.

Always serve small portions to prevent waste.

Never waste lawn clippings—use them for mulch.

When making cornmeal mush, stir all the time.

If pie crust is not flaky the shortening is too soft.

Rhubarb tapoca is excellent served with custard.

A coal fire will revive is a little salt is thrown upon it.



## Just Folks

GOOD NATURED NATURE.

Oh the orchards are in blossom, an' the skies above are blue, An' the petals o' the peonies once more are wet with dew.

The whole world's at its finest, an' I leanin' on the gate, Thinkin' just how glad we should be that the flowers never hate.

The woods don't carry grudges, an' the clover's never mean, The poorest girl's as welcome to their blossoms as a queen, An' the tramp along the highway has green velvet for his couch For the glorious part o' nature is she never has a grouch.

The breakfast o' the tulips must agree with them each day, For they nod a smile o' greeting to the travellers on the way, An' whether days are sunny or the world is dripping wet, I've never seen the violets in a fit o' temper yet.

I'm drinkin' in the beauty, as I'm leavin' on the gate, An' thinkin' what a pity that we mortals learned to hate; For the flowers are always smilin' an' the song birds sweetly call, An' the works o' Mother Nature seem to like us, one an' all.

## WOODS YIELD RUBBER.

Of German plants known to contain rubber, several have attracted attention, says the India Rubber World. Indeed, fully twenty years ago, the idea of growing rubber in Europe was seriously discussed. Several indigenous plants were found which yielded rubber, or a rubberlike gum. The "Sicilian artichoke" is a composite similar to the artichoke in appearance, and yields considerable rubber. It is not found wild in Germany proper, but is cultivated there. May there not be rubber-yielding plants in this country? the bystander is inclined to ask.

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# BRITANNIA RULES THE AIR!

Halifax, N. S., This Morning.--Flash :--"Hawker has been sighted off Ireland."



## Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor  
C. T. JAMES, Editor

MONDAY, May 19, 1919.

### Loose Estimates.

The Minister of Finance informed the House of Assembly, when presenting his budget last week that he did not propose to estimate too closely for the coming fiscal year (ending June 30, 1920) in view of the fact that this country, like the rest of the Empire and in fact the whole world is in a state of transition, following the close of the war and taking up the processes of returning to a peace basis. It will have been thought that mainly because of this condition that the financial estimates, of both Revenue and Expenditure would have been made as closely as possible, instead of being left wide open, as they are. Beyond the reasons given, the Minister did not make any detailed explanation, consequently it can be left to the imagination upon which side of the account the latitude will be allowed. Being in a state of transition in common with the rest of the world, it would have been thought that the problems arising out of reconstruction changes would have been discussed and a closer estimate laid down than was followed. Instead the Minister quite offhandedly announces that he estimates the revenue for the coming fiscal year, 1919-20, to equal that of the current year 1918-19 viz., Eight million, five hundred thousand dollars, with an expenditure of seven and a half million, thus producing an estimated surplus of one million dollars. The revenue estimate is as flattering to the recuperative powers of the dominion, as is the expenditure to the generosity of the Government, who have, through their Finance Minister made the liberal provision of five hundred thousand dollars in excess of the actual

expenditure of the current year to meet, to use his own words, "the inevitable Supplemental Supply." Why inevitable? Why cannot provision be made in the proper way and under the proper heads to cover the expenditure on current account. It is no excuse to put forward that it was always done and therefore becomes part of the unwritten law. Half a million dollars is "generous" supply indeed, and the total sum of seven and a half millions is openhanded. That sum just means that thirty dollars per head of population comes out of the pockets of the taxpayers to pay the expenses of running a Colony, of roughly, a quarter of a million people for one year, and is perhaps as high a rate for cost of Government as is paid anywhere. We have expensive tastes in this dominion.

The Minister of Finance has patently not taken any thought of or made any provision for a trade depression. He glowingly paints the future in bright colors and does not anticipate any change in prices, either of food or fishery products, when it was only a few weeks prior to the presentation of his budget that the catch of seals roughed in by the steamers sold at \$8.00 per quintal, a drop of 50 per cent from last year when the rate was \$12. Does that look like products maintaining their war values?

Again he might have noted that the price of fish had declined considerably, likewise that of fish oils, whereas there is little, if any, decrease in the cost of provisions and other necessities. Last year the quintal of fish had a purchasing power equal to the price of a barrel of flour. If fish this year is but \$8 per quintal, and flour still remains at \$15 with the prices of other necessities in proportion, where does the abundant prosperity come in?

Figuring and thinking in millions which must come mainly from the earnings of the producer, the Minister should take thought of the black side for a little while. It is by forgetting the reverse of the picture that calamities, which could be foreseen and avoided, are not averted, and though at this particular period no person desires to be a prophet of evil, it is as well not to be too sanguine, especially when the times are so critical and unrest so much in evidence abroad. Want of caution is as much to be deplored as excess of it. The Finance Minister has not erred on the former side.

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## Summer Coats

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may17,19,21

## On the Great Adventure.

### Hawker and Grieve Take Flight -- Martinsyde Plane Meets Disaster--Morgan & Raynam Injured.

At the hour of 3.21 yesterday afternoon the Sopwith aeroplane, with Harry G. Hawker as pilot, and Lieutenant Commander MacKenzie Grieve, navigator, flew from Mount Pearl on its long distance single flight air journey from coast to coast in the London Daily Mail Competition Contest, for the winning of which a \$50,000 prize has been offered.

After having waited a considerable time, and one which must have greatly depressed the intrepid aviators, five weeks having elapsed since the final preparations were made, the weather and other omens at length pointed to fair, and with light hearts, and optimistic anticipations, the daring fliers started on the great adventure. There was no flourish of trumpets made and no demonstrations of a popular send off, as the first intimation of the flight by the public was the drone of the motor as the plane flew over the city on its way to sea.

The sound was the signal for the appearance of thousands of people in the streets all now bent on making Pleasantville their objective in hope of witnessing the start of Raynam and Morgan. Hawker kept his machine going at full speed, and passing over Pleasantville, topped the White Hills and quickly disappeared over the sea, to the Eastward. The dropping of the landing wheels, as previously announced in the Telegram, was made when the machine cleared the land beyond Sugar Loaf and immediately the plane was seen to shot forward at an accelerated rate of speed, due to the release of this considerable underweight. The Sopwith is driven by 375 h.p. engines and has a speed of something over 100 miles per hour. If all goes well, the landing will be made at Brooklands, and it is expected the trip will be accomplished in about 20 hours. The aviators' food on the way across will consist of sandwiches, tinned meats, and hot coffee, carried in thermos receptacles. In the event of the machine falling into the sea it will float for awhile, and Atlantic shipping has been asked to keep a look out. The fairing of the fuselage behind the pilot's seat consists of a boat fastened to the fuselage, and can be quickly released. It can seat two, and is fitted with paddles and contains rations. Mr. Hawker and Lieut. Commander Grieve wear life-saving suits, so that they can float a considerable time if thrown into the water. These suits are very warm, and their other clothing is specially devised and electrically heated, so that they have little to fear from cold. At the time of flying the meteorological reports gave Hawker and Grieve favourable weather for about 1,000 miles, then ticklish and then not dangerous. Easterly winds were forecast for the first 500 or 200 miles, then westerly, and the latest reports up to midnight were that the conditions were becoming more favourable. A rumour was circulated last night that the Sopwith had been reported 450 miles off by an Allan liner, but this was not credited by Capt. Fean, who had charge here of all details in connection with the flight. With favorable conditions and no accidents overtakes either man or machine the journey should now have been safely accomplished, and the city is most anxiously awaiting the word that success has been achieved. That it may be soon announced is the fervent prayer of all.

The Lakeside yesterday afternoon to witness the start of the Martinsyde machine Raymor, and looks of consternation and regret were visible on all faces. Everything was in readiness for the flight, and the plane, with her engines humming grandly and musically was set for the take-off. At about 4.20 the stand-clear signal was made, and amid a hurricane of cheers the bird rapidly skimmed the ground for a distance of some two hundred yards, and all were expecting the rise, when suddenly the machine bounced into the air and almost instantaneously nose-dived to the ground and struck with a crash of splitting wood and rending metal, turning partly over. A great fear came upon the multitude, who knew instinctively that something had gone wrong, and a rush was made to the damaged plane, sadly expecting that the worst had happened, and that Raynam and Morgan were seriously injured, if not killed. A feeling of relief was manifest when it was discovered that both were not hurt to any great extent, and beyond a few bruises and cuts and the severe shaking up were quite O.K.

The damage done the machine is irreparable and unfortunately puts it out of business. The force of the impact smashed the tractor to pieces, battered in the nose, broke open the petrol tank, tore the lower wing, damaged the landing carriage and shifted the shock absorbers. It is obvious that the accident was due to the uneven nature of the ground, a hummock from which the plane bounced, and the Raymor fliers have not given dip being taken so quickly that the lifting controls could not be brought into play. The speed at the time was about 45 miles per hour, consequently the shock of striking must have been exceedingly great, and the wonder is that the crew escaped so well. The Raymor fliers were keenly disappointed over the disaster, and the greatest sympathy is expressed on all sides because of the untoward and unfortunate happening. Expressions of condolence and regret were heard yesterday as the spectators slowly departed from the scene of the second air disaster of the week.

The hard luck at the moment when every omen was favorable, is especially galling, and to be baulked at the instant of probable success more than hurts, particularly when a rival has gotten full away. However its all in the game, and though precluded from making their present attempt, the Martinsyde fliers have not given up all hope of being in the field at a later date, when we trust that the goddess of fortune will smile upon them more benignly.

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Boiled Ham (finest quality) . . . 75c. lb.  
Corned Beef . . . 53c. lb.  
And new Fancy Molasses, \$1.10 gallon.

They have also received a shipment of Huntley & Palmer's Biscuits, direct from the factory, which they are retailing at lowest prices.

## G. Knowling, Ltd.

may19,22

### Congratulations.

The latest information by cable is contained in the bulletin, which we publish across the top of this page, that Hawker's aeroplane has been sighted off the Irish Coast, proof positive that this pioneer "courier of the air" has made the Atlantic flight successfully, and demonstrated the possibility of covering the long distance without stop or stay. To Pilot Hawker and Navigator Grieve we offer our heartiest congratulations. They have shown that Englishmen can do and dare and the success of their unprecedented voyage is all the more striking when it is considered that no ocean precautions were taken and no elaborate preparations made by fleets of patrol ships in order to ensure their safety in the event of having to descend. The conquest of the air is another proof of English ability and superiority above the earth, and Britannia will now be enabled to place wings on her trident showing that in the air as on the sea, she reigns supreme.

### Shipping Notes.

S. S. Adolph arrived in port yesterday from New York with general cargo.  
The Nora B. arrived here on Saturday evening from Herring Neck to go on dock. She brought a cargo of seals consigned to Job Bros. and Co.  
The schr. Skylark is loading general cargo for Salvage, Bonavista Bay, at Bowring's wharf.  
The schr. Annie C. Hall is loading general cargo for Musgrave Harbor at Ayre and Sons wharf.  
The schr. Pauline is taking a cargo of salt at Bowring's wharf for Moreton's Harbor.  
The schr. Mary Cashin is loading general cargo at Bowring's premises for Conception Harbor.  
The S. S. Seal has finished discharging her cargo of coal and left again on Saturday evening for North Sydney to load coal for here.  
The schr. Fog Free Zone is loading general cargo at A. H. Murray's wharf for Manuel, de Exploits.  
The schr. Excelsa is loading codfish from A. Goodridge and Sons for Brazil.

### Personal Mention.

Major Morgan had a very bad night but is better this afternoon. His left eye is badly cut also left cheek. His left shoulder is slightly dislocated and he has many minor injuries. At present he is unable to see owing to the eye cuts. Dr. Burden is in attendance.  
Mr. R. Smallwood, Staff-Correspondent and city reporter of the Telegram arrived from H. R. Grace today. He had been at Harbor Grace for this voyage.  
Rev. S. H. Soper has reached Toronto on his way from China, returning to St. John's.

### Here and There.

When you want Sausages, why—get ELLIS'; they're the best.  
AT THE POLICE COURT—A laborer for being drunk was released. A girl for being drunk and disorderly was sent down for thirty days.  
The Motor Bus will run from the Cross Roads to Bowring Park this evening commencing at 7 o'clock.—may19,21

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT.—Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Chafe, of Petty Harbor, announce the marriage of their daughter Flora, to Mr. Harry Pack, of Bay Bulls, June the 4th.

MOZART'S TWELFTH MASS.—The St. John's Choral Society is holding a musicale at the Methodist College tomorrow evening, when some of the city's best talents will perform.

BE SURE AND KEEP WEDNESDAY NIGHT, MAY 21st, open for the SCOUT CONCERT which will be held in LECTURE ROOM OF COCHRANE ST. CHURCH at 8 p.m. ICE CREAM AND CANDY FOR SALE. ADMISSION 25c. ENTRANCE FROM BARNERMAN ST. may19,21

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### AT REST.

Frank, only son of Wm. C. and Annie Major, aged 29 years. Funeral Tuesday afternoon at 2.30, from 123 Quidi Vidi Road.  
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Yesterdays east bound express left Alexander Bay at 9 a.m.

C. L. B. RE-UNION.—A big union of the C.L.B. ex-members will be called shortly, and a meeting of the Old Comrades will be held at the Armoury at 3.30 to-night to arrange for the affair.  
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## The TRANS- Fly O

Special to Evening Telegram.  
H. R. GRACE, To-day.  
Directly, and without display or ostentation, preparations for the Trans-Atlantic flight by the Handley-Page biplane have been going on in H. R. Grace for the last week or so and to-day things are in a fair way toward completion.  
The time was when Mr. Grace was even more important than St. John's, and with the successful accomplishment of the "big adventure" by the machine now being assembled here, H. R. Grace should regain some, if not all of its lost importance. The citizens of our second town are jubilant over the prospect, and the men connected with the proposed flight, together with the machine itself, are already held in high esteem and every possible thing is being done to assist them.  
For a month, before the capable direction of Lieut. Robin Reid and Mr. P. O'Driscoll, local Transatlantic flight organizing managers for the Handley-Page firm, a large staff of men was engaged in preparing the field from which the start will be made. After searching around H. R. Grace and vicinity, L. Reid and Mr. O'Driscoll made a choice of the spot from which the flight will be made as the most suitable for the purpose. This ground, which runs parallel with the railway line and Water Street, which, in turn runs parallel with the harbor, extends from one side of the station 900 yards, ending at Bear's Cove. It was not originally one big field, but rather a series of small gardens and farms, with rock pile fences separating them. There were three houses and one building that had to be removed. Trees, some of them pretty big, grew along the selected ground, and in all they had a hard job to get it cleared. Some hundreds of tons of rocks and stones had to be collected and carted away. The Old Barracks in which soldiers were quartered as late as 85 years ago, was completely demolished, while the three houses were simply shifted holus bolus to sites out of the way of the machine. Some of those houses were old and had been in the family possession for long periods. Consequently it was like tearing up the roots of old days and old associations. Despite this, however, their owners were willing to have them removed for the sake of the giant aeroplane that was to re-establish, probably the town's former prestige. When everything had been cleared and removed, a heavy roller, drawn by three horses and weighted with some hundreds of extra pounds of iron bars, was gotten into action and speedily rolled the hummocks and even eliminated the hollows. Thus, after just a month's work, a splendid aerodrome of nine hundred yards' length and two hundred width, with hardly an elevation, was made ready. The general public is permitted to enter this field, and may stand nearby the machine and witness its assembling, many taking advantage of an opportunity that many in Great Britain, the home, almost, of aircraft, would envy. Mr. Walter Pritchard, representing Gaumont Co., moving picture producer, is on hand, cinematographing the phases in assembling the machine. His firm holds the sole cinematograph and still picture rights, and Mr. Pritchard will be in the biplane when she makes her test flight, to take moving pictures of the country below.  
The Handley-Page aeroplans, it will be remembered, arrived in St. John's by the S. Dixie, on Saturday afternoon. The fuselage, wings, motors, propellers and other big parts, were contained in six huge, wooden, open-bound cases, while there were no less than 105 smaller boxes and packages connected with the ship. Several of the bigger cases are small houses to themselves, containing doors and windows. They are now grouped on the field in the form of a square, the

## G. Knowling

We have just opened another Women's and Misses' Dainty Milliner

These should have arrived but have now only come to hand

## G. Knowling

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# Fire Claims Two Victims.

## Chinese Laundry Proprietor and Wife Roasted Alive.

Kong Wah, a Chinese, and his wife, formerly a Miss Volser, of this city, were burned to death last night in a fire which started in the kitchen of the laundry run by the former on New Gower Street. The fire was discovered by Mr. W. Trelligan who resides next door and who sent in the alarm. The fire brigades were soon on the scene, but the fire which broke out at 10.30 quickly spread and before it was extinguished the building had been practically wiped out. Another Chinese who worked in the laundry managed to escape by jumping from a window, but the proprietor and his wife were burned to death in their bed on the second story. It was thought at first that their child had also been burned, but enquiry elicited the information that it was at the residence of a Mrs. King, Duckworth Street. The bodies of the two victims were recovered from the ruins and removed to Undertaker Martin's Mortuary Rooms, from which the funeral will likely take place. It is not known just how the blaze originated. The houses on either side of the laundry were considerably damaged by the fire. Thousands of people congregated at the scene and the streets leading to New Gower were black with people, who were greatly alarmed lest the blaze spread, but fortunately a light breeze only was blowing and the fire fighters were able to cope with the flames which at times shot high into the heavens, accompanied with showers of sparks and dense clouds of smoke and steam. When it became known that some of the occupants of the house had perished, a feeling of awe and sympathy pervaded the vast concourse and a deep silence fell upon the multitude. The all out signal was made at 11.30.

# Missionary Anniversary.

## Cochrane St. Church.

Newfoundland Methodism has set itself the task of raising thirty thousand dollars this year for Missions, and Cochrane Street Church proposes to raise one tenth of it. That is a great and generous proposal for a church that last year advanced its giving by ten per cent, for it means an addition of another twenty five per cent this year. But Cochrane Street Church is used to large efforts. Yesterday was a great day in the goal set, in the congregation that gathered, in the addresses given and in the enthusiasm evoked. The nephew of Thomas Crosbie, one of the most apostolic of Canada's missionary pioneers, the Rev. W. H. Barraclough is to the manner born as a missionary advocate, and his own and successful ministry enables him to speak with an experience and emphasis that enhance the compelling power of his intense enthusiasm. In the Yukon, in British Columbia, in his native Ontario, and of late years in leading churches of New Brunswick, his ministry has taken a wide range. He served his apprenticeship as a missionary to the Indians of the Pacific Coast; he spent three years in Dawson in the day of the rough "prospectors" and the terrible "trails" of the early gold-fever in the Klondike; he served churches in the lovely valleys that slope to the sunset where the rushing Fraser broadens towards the Gulf of Georgia, he came back to the placid shores of Huron, and now in the Central Church of Moncton, following a pastorate in the famed old Centenary Church of St. John, he is exercising a ministry as full of work for objects that are simply parochial, as it is charged with interests and influences that are continental and even cosmopolitan. Mr. Barraclough's morning subject showed the breadth of his thought and the sameness of his patriotism. Applying Isaiah 60.2, "And the Gentiles shall come to thy light and kings to the brightness of thy rising" to the history and development of the British Empire, he rapidly and eloquently revealed the great incidents which from the beginning had settled the principles of democracy and

## At St. Mary's Church.

The subject of the sermon preached by the Rev. A. B. S. Stirling last night in St. Mary's Church was: "Religion and Humanity." The preacher pointed out that these two virtues were absolutely inseparable, and that it was impossible to be true Christians unless we manifested these two essentials. He said that religion was something more than merely a creed or doctrine, it was to love Christ and to love those whom He died to save. Quite a large congregation were present, and both service and sermon were greatly enjoyed.

## Missionary Services.

Cochrane Street Methodist Centennial Church Missionary Committee and its Pastor are to be congratulated on their push and perseverance in bringing to a very successful issue the Missionary Anniversary Services held in the Church yesterday. The Rev. W. H. Barraclough, B.A., of Moncton, who was invited to place the great question of Missionary endeavor before the members of the congregation, was at his best, and the sermon at the morning service, on the British Empire—The Light Bearer of the Nations, the text being taken from Isaiah, 60th chap. 3rd verse. As the Rev. gentleman outlined the pioneer work of Missions, and the spirit which always characterized the British people in championing the cause of the war, the free conscience, the free press, which all helped Christianity and the growth of Christian Missions. The story of the work of the early Missionaries, as outlined by the preacher, was really thrilling and inspiring.

A very large gathering attended the Anniversary service in the evening. The Rev. Dr. Bond conducted the opening exercises, after which he introduced the Chairman, the Hon. R. K. Bishop, who congratulated the Cochrane Street congregation on its interest and zeal for Missions and other church work. The first speaker was Mrs. Piment, who having lately returned as a Missionary from Japan, spoke of Women's Work in Tokio, as it came under her own supervision, and she related in a pleasing manner her visits to the homes of the people, explaining the customs which created quite an interest.

The Rev. W. H. Barraclough, B.A., delivered an inspiring address on "The Oriental in America—A Peril or an Opportunity." The Rev. gentleman is a forceful speaker, and as he spoke of the work amongst the Orientals, was listened to with riveted attention, and it is hoped his address removes from those who doubt that after all there is a grand opportunity for work and workers for spreading the gospel in the mission fields and amongst those who come to our own territory from those far off lands. The choir rendered valuable service in the singing of the anthems, the congregation also joining heartily in the singing of the hymns. It is expected the offering will reach the amount aimed at, viz. three thousand dollars. The pulpit was neatly decorated with flowers and choice ferns. The service was brought to a close by the singing of a well known hymn and the pronouncement of the Benediction by Rev. W. T. D. Dunn.

## Personal Mention.

Ex-Private J. Boggan, of "Ours," leaves on Wednesday for Montreal where he will take a course as an optician.

Mr. Louis Sheeves, of Channel, is in town on business. Mr. Sheeves manufactures large quantities of refined cod liver oil, and his present visit is connected with the sale of his spring outfit.

Mr. J. Gladney, of the Constabulary Department, who had his arm injured a few days ago, while cranking up a motor, will not be able to resume duty for a few weeks, though his injuries are not so severe as at first feared.

Miss M. Batson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Atson, B. of English Harbor, Trinity Bay, now of Montreal General Hospital staff, has been on a three weeks' visit to her friend, Miss Ruth Riddle, of Arundel, Quebec. Miss Batson expresses herself as charmed with the mountain scenery and beautiful air of Arundel.

Mr. W. W. Gosse who for some years has been attached to the Marconi Company is now in the city making arrangements for the fishery. Mrs. E. Milley and daughter, Mrs. J. Parsons, left by Sunday's express for Boston, on a visit to her sons who have lately returned from the front; also to see her sister and daughter and many friends who reside there.

## NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS!

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## The Week's Calendar.

- MAY (5th month) 31 Days.
- 20.—MONDAY. St. Dunstan. German seaplanes raided Kentish Coast, 1916. Last air raid on London, 1918.
- 21.—TUESDAY. Christopher Columbus, discoverer of America, died 1506.
- 22.—WEDNESDAY. Manchester ship canal opened, 1894.
- 23.—THURSDAY. Victor Hugo, French novelist, died 1885. Censor threatens Telegram, 1918. Moon in last quarter 4 p.m. (Greenwich).
- 24.—FRIDAY. Battle of Ramilles, 1706. Italy declared war on Austria, 1915.
- 25.—SATURDAY. Empire Day. Queen Victoria born 1819.
- 26.—SUNDAY. Rogation Sunday. Military Service Act, United Kingdom, 1916. Prospero commenced northern service, 1918.

## The Home of the "Grand Fleet."

During the four and a half years of the Great War, everyone was wondering where the Grand Fleet was kept in its headquarters, as it kept continual watch for the approach of the German Navy. To-night, at the Synod Hall, the Rev. N. G. Vivian will describe the home of the Grand Fleet, illustrating the same with lantern slides. Mr. Vivian left here some three years ago, and, on offering his services to the Admiralty, was commissioned to one of His Majesty's ships in the North Sea, where for the first sixteen months he was continually scouring the ocean in search of enemy shipping. During the latter stages of the struggle, considerable time was spent in port, and Mr. Vivian had an opportunity of seeing first hand something of the home of the Fleet that has stood between us and our foes. As this is the first opportunity the city has had of hearing of the Grand Fleet from one who was so long a time with it, we have no doubt that the lecturer will have a crowded audience.

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THOSE ANGELIC BULGARIANS. No doubt Bulgarian propagandists will tell us that the American Red Cross is entirely mistaken in its reports of the miseries inflicted on a hundred thousand Greeks by the Bulgarians. We have heard for so long that all reports representing the Bulgarians as anything but a blood race whose life is one long struggle for existence, and maliciously that it seems rather surprising that disinterested evidence as to Bulgarian atrocities keeps pouring in from the New York Times.

## Dames of Honor.

This was founded on the 19th of May 1804, by Napoleon, and at least seven women were decorated by him, including Anne Bisset, a Sister of Mercy, who was thus honoured for devotion to the sick and wounded sailors in the Napoleonic campaigns. The other women decorated were vivandieres of the wars; three of them actually listed, and fought gallantly. Not many women were decorated between 1810 and 1852; indeed, of those thus honoured before 1870 few records exist, as the Palace of the Legion d'Honneur was burned down during the Commune and all the records were destroyed. After re-establishment of order, considerable difficulty was encountered in compiling the names, so that in the list the names of those decorated before 1852 do not appear. Although an "admitted principle" that the Cross, when bestowed on women, could be for works of charity and goodness—a principle which seems to have been fairly adhered to in the earlier years, with the great exception of Rosa Bonheur—in later years the scope has been greatly extended, and besides good works and patriotic deeds, we find in the list, beside three poets, an actress, a painter, a scientist, thus distinguished include Mrs. Dodu, a postmistress at Livorno during the Franco-Prussian war, who, instead of transmitting a message, destroyed it. For this she was condemned to be shot by the Germans, but on the arrival of Prince Frederick Charles, she was not only released, but the Prince complimented her on her courage. The German princes of the present day are not in a different mould. Others included include Madame de Rostk, an Austrian lady, who, during the China war of 1900, helped in the defence of the French Legation and was badly wounded; Sœur Candide, who founded homes for consumptive children; Madame Carlier, who during the massacre of the Armenians in 1897, protected many of the refugees in the French Consulate at Sivas, and who, with revolver in hand, helped her

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**Dames of Honor.**

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husband in the defence. Others who have gained the coveted cross include Madame Marie Laurent, the actress; Madame Dieulafoy, an explorer and discoverer of Persian antiquities; Mlle. Houissant, as directress of a technical school; Mlle. Saffroy, Inspector of Primary Education; Madame Massieu, who undertook journeys to Java, the Caucasus, Tibet, Cambodia, Siam, the Gobi Desert, and Siberia, visiting places where no white woman had been previously. Another recipient was Miss Edith Williams, for services as Professor of English at the State Normal College, near Paris; and last, but not least, come the names of Madame Sarah Bernhardt, and Madame Paquin, head of the famous dressmaking firm. This brief list serves to show that the French woman has little to complain of as regards public recognition of her services.

**The French Character.**

The Clarity of their Minds Astonished the World.

It is a commonplace to say that this war has revolutionized all our notions of the French people. Most of us had thought them frivolous, light-minded, unstable. Under the supreme test of war we found them precisely the reverse. The tactics of Joffre and Foch, in contrast to those of the German General Staff, threw an illumination on the French character. Lucidity, a just appreciation of a complicated situation, characterized the French strategy. Throughout the war the French had a more nearly accurate view of what they could do and what their opponents could do than the Germans had. The Germans rushed for Paris, then for the Channel ports, then for Verdun, finally again for Paris. Each time they tried too much. Each time the French threw them back, and on two occasions, at the beginning and end of the war, waiting for the right moment with supreme self-control, turned the repulse into disaster. Mrs. Edith Wharton discusses French characteristics in the Cosmo-

politian. She finds in the nation as a whole the same temper which we have spoken of as revealed in the war. The Frenchman prefers to face all the facts of life in the open. Eccentricities do not appeal to him. He sets up standards and conforms to them. If the French Academy makes its decision in matters literary, he accepts it. He has a just appreciation of scientific and cultural leadership. Mrs. Wharton remarks that the same audience that goes to the movie in Paris will stand in line to get tickets for a classic play. Philip G. Hamerton has made a somewhat similar observation. The French peasant, he insists, is more alert, more intelligent than the man of similar station in England. The nation has an instinct for taste, for culture, for social intercourse. Matthew Arnold has contracted it with other nations, remarking that the English-speaking people are rather absorbed in conduct, the German in things of the intelligence (a generation later he would have said in world conquest of trade) and the Italians in the beautiful.

The clarity of the French mind is famous. Indeed, it has proved troublesome to the French nation, for it has led to a disregard of the anchorage of habit which other peoples have found so useful. The French Revolution attempted to root out all illogical habits, and reduce everything, including God, to the decimal system. Such a process is rather severe on the dissenters. The general French standard of judgment, which has little tolerance for curious medical cuts and other departures from normal, is attributable by W. C. Brownell—whose book, "French Traits," is probably the keenest piece of national criticism extant—to a thorough-going respect for public opinion. When the signers of the Declaration of Independence set forth "a decent respect for the opinions of mankind" as a prompt article in their solemn declaration, the planet Venus was then a brilliant object in the early night sky, and on 5th January, 1918, it reached an epoch of maximum brilliance as an evening star, an event which occurs at successive intervals of about five hundred and eighty-four days. At such times Venus shines with a lustre so surpassing that it has often been spoken of by imaginative beholders as a return of the "Star of Bethlehem." As an evening star the planet is always to be seen in the Western heavens, and it is obvious that the "Star of the East," though viewed in the East (territorial locality) by the wise Men, must have been shining in the Western sky, since their journey was towards the West. The 5th January is the eve of (or day preceding) the Church festival on which commemorated the Epiphany of Our Saviour and His Adoration by the Magi. If we suppose the 6th January to be indeed the correct anniversary of the day upon which "star-led chiefs" did "Assyrian odors bring," there appears the interesting fact that soon after the "little town of Bethlehem" was restored for the first time for centuries to Christian rule, the brightest and most beautiful of planets—Star of Bethlehem or not—shone down upon the city with its maximum brilliance on the night corresponding to that of the conclusion of the journey of the Magi to the shrine at Bethlehem. Surely a felicitous coincidence! In September 1913 a comet was discovered in Aquarius, and this, according to tradition, foreboded misfortune to kings under Aquarius, and this, according to astrologers to be the falling sign of Russia and Prussia. It must be granted that this tradition also has been abundantly justified by the event. These facts are almost as striking as the coincidence which marked the return of Halley's Comet in 1910. Halley's is the most famous of all comets. Its visits to our neighborhood occur only at intervals of seventy-six years. Yet on that occasion its nearest approach to the earth (one day out of seventy-six years) occurred on the very day of the late King Edward's funeral. Little wonder that some of his South African native subjects believed the huge and imposing ethereal visitant to be a chariot sent to bear the monarch's soul to celestial regions.

he was speaking the natural sentiment of a Frenchman. Carlyle somewhere tells of the Scottish Covenanters appealing to what shall he say? And the Frenchman interrupts with "To posterity." In other words, the Frenchman cannot think of any better appeal than to the future enlightened judgment of mankind. That standard is not the Anglo-Saxon standard. But it has its advantages. Certainly the events of the war have shown that a nation with a passion for common sense has a wonderful endowment with which to meet the stresses of life.

**Overheard.**

She—It was offered them for a hospital—just a great, big empty house, absolutely no conveniences. He—Well? She—We got the Gas Company men to work at once. Had gas radiators fixed in the corridors, incandescent gas everywhere, gas fires in the ward rooms, gas water heaters for bathrooms, and all in a few days. We did work, I can tell you. He—Reg'lar old gas works I call it. She—A lot you know about it; why, you couldn't have done it with anything else in the time, and it saves our work to next to nothing. No coals to carry, no grates to clean, plenty of hot water all the time. He—What did the Colonel say? She—He said it was "top hole", offered us staff appointments so's we could teach "his young blighters" how to hustle.

**Events of the War Foretold by Stars.**

Heavenly Phenomena Marked All Stages of the World Struggle.

It is not to be seriously suggested that coming events on this earth are foreshadowed by the stars, but it is a fact that before and during the course of the war the heavens yielded many signs. If coincidences they were, there is no denying that they were interesting coincidences; and a most fascinating article is woven around them by John J. Ross in Chambers's Journal. He tells of nearly a dozen remarkable astrological and astronomical facts all readily applicable to the progress of the war—signs which preceded the start of the war and marked practically every important climax thereafter. His references to two of the most important are appended:

Shortly after the capture of the Holy Places a celestial occurrence of pleasing appropriateness took place. The planet Venus was then a brilliant object in the early night sky, and on 5th January, 1918, it reached an epoch of maximum brilliance as an evening star, an event which occurs at successive intervals of about five hundred and eighty-four days. At such times Venus shines with a lustre so surpassing that it has often been spoken of by imaginative beholders as a return of the "Star of Bethlehem." As an evening star the planet is always to be seen in the Western heavens, and it is obvious that the "Star of the East," though viewed in the East (territorial locality) by the wise Men, must have been shining in the Western sky, since their journey was towards the West. The 5th January is the eve of (or day preceding) the Church festival on which commemorated the Epiphany of Our Saviour and His Adoration by the Magi. If we suppose the 6th January to be indeed the correct anniversary of the day upon which "star-led chiefs" did "Assyrian odors bring," there appears the interesting fact that soon after the "little town of Bethlehem" was restored for the first time for centuries to Christian rule, the brightest and most beautiful of planets—Star of Bethlehem or not—shone down upon the city with its maximum brilliance on the night corresponding to that of the conclusion of the journey of the Magi to the shrine at Bethlehem. Surely a felicitous coincidence! In September 1913 a comet was discovered in Aquarius, and this, according to tradition, foreboded misfortune to kings under Aquarius, and this, according to astrologers to be the falling sign of Russia and Prussia. It must be granted that this tradition also has been abundantly justified by the event. These facts are almost as striking as the coincidence which marked the return of Halley's Comet in 1910. Halley's is the most famous of all comets. Its visits to our neighborhood occur only at intervals of seventy-six years. Yet on that occasion its nearest approach to the earth (one day out of seventy-six years) occurred on the very day of the late King Edward's funeral. Little wonder that some of his South African native subjects believed the huge and imposing ethereal visitant to be a chariot sent to bear the monarch's soul to celestial regions.

**SOUND SLEEP!**

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garians as anything but a blame  
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ing the ground, and some of the play-  
ers are very skillful at the game.  
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a candle is because their eyes can  
bear only a very small amount of  
light. When, therefore, they come  
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pital elicits the information that his  
injuries so far as can be ascertained  
at present are not serious, although  
the lad is painfully bruised. It is re-  
ported that a relative who was nearby  
when the accident happened thought  
direct methods of reprisal more ap-  
propriate to the occasion than in-  
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## Claimed by Belgium.

Malmédy Is Wanted for Sentimental Reasons.

In patching together the picture puzzle of European nations to fit racial and historical units the Peace Conference Commission on Belgian Claims is reported to have concurred in Belgium's demand for Malmédy. Malmédy forms one of those alien racial clusters that seem to cling like barnacles to many a European boundary line.

In the case of Malmédy and the region about that town a group of Walloons was left in Rhenish Prussia when the historic Benedictine Abbey of Stavelot-Malmédy was cut in two in 1815. Malmédy fell to Prussia while six miles to the west, across the Belgian border, is Stavelot.

The latter town was the seat of the abbot, which was independent until the Lunéville peace of 1801. The abbot fell to France until its partition, 14 years later. The abbot was founded in the seventh century, and later its abbots ranked as princes. They ruled many small villages along the Ambleve, on which Stavelot is situated, and along the Warche, which flows through Malmédy.

Charles Martel, grandfather of Charlemagne, who ruled the Franks while he let their kings reign on, won a decisive victory over Neustria at Stavelot, just 12,000 years ago.

Malmédy lies in a pretty valley of the afore-mentioned river, 20 miles south of Aix-la-Chapelle. The town had less than 5,000 population before the war. Dyeing, papermaking and tanning were its industries.

The term Walloon is used to designate those Belgians who speak either French or a French dialect. The Walloons of Belgium desire Malmédy's restoration for lingual as well as for sentimental reasons. In Liege and Namur a movement for the revival of Walloon as a literary language—for it had been so used until about the fifteenth century—was well under way when the war began. In the midst of German-speaking neighbors Malmédy and its environs preserved the old Walloon dialect, whereas among many Belgian Walloons it has been supplanted by pure French.

## Hereditary Trouble.

(Saturday Night.)

Edward Farrar, editor of the "Mail," afterwards editor of the "Globe," and during his active service the premier journalist of Canada, spent his old age in retirement at Ottawa. "Ned," as he was affectionately known to his intimates, was a heavy smoker, and has seen no reason to believe that it is injuring his health. Mrs. Farrar, who was of a different opinion, asked the family doctor to suggest that her husband cut down his cigars to three a day. She told the doctor to approach the subject delicately.

"Do you find smoking a strain on the heart, Mr. Farrar?" inquired the medical man.

"Not that I can notice," replied the great editor, biting the end of another Perfecto.

"How about the longevity of your ancestors?" continued the medical man.

"Well," said Mr. Farrar, with a twinkle in his eye, "most of my ancestors came from the south of France, and to tell you the truth, doctor, their longevity depended on the leniency of the court."

## New Use for "Unwritten Law."

(From the Memphis Commercial Appeal.)

The unwritten law has come to strange uses. Once it was invoked when a man killed another because his home was violated, or because he was slandering to a point where, if he did not resent, he could not hold up his head in a community. The unwritten law has always been invoked to acquit. Now we are to try the Kaiser according to the unwritten law. There is no precedent, but the Kaiser will be tried and convicted under the unwritten law, and then, under the same unwritten law, he will probably be pardoned or sent away to an island or confined within certain limits. The trial will serve one purpose. It will create a precedent, and all lawyers, national and international, must have precedents. The Kaiser will be convicted under an ex post facto law, but so long as the sentence will not be carried out he will not be deprived of any natural right he has. The next time some war lord starts out to whip the rest of the world he will give pause because he knows that if he falls he will be tried, convicted and hanged. The Crown Prince and future would-be world conquerors will then all be on notice.

## LANGUAGES AT CONFERENCE.

French has the preference at the Peace Conference, but each delegate is free to speak in his own language. There are expert interpreters who quickly turn the other languages into French, or translate anything for the benefit of delegates who do not understand.

C. OF E. ORPHANAGE GARDEN PARTY.—Active preparations are now being made for the Church of England Orphanage Garden Party, and a meeting of the Men's committee will be held at the C. L. B. Armory at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening.

## Who Made the Bombs?

(Washington Post.)

The suggestion has been made that the bombs found in the mails and received by a few of those to whom they were addressed bear evidence of being of German origin, possibly imported from that country. It is stated that anarchists in this country could not obtain the fulminate of mercury used in their manufacture. The bombs are strikingly similar to German marine mines that were laid along the American coast during the war.

It is not at all unlikely that either the bombs or the material for making them came from Germany. It is by no means improbable that this diabolical plot was of German inspiration. It is quite in keeping with the German method of propaganda, which was so strikingly in evidence here before the United States entered the war. Nor is it inconceivable that the present German government should be willing to see the United States thrown into turmoil through a series of crimes, employing for this purpose, by devious ways, such willing tools as the anarchistic radical organizations that have gained a foothold in America.

Yet it is not necessary to seek a German origin for the crime. The Industrial Workers of the World have preached violence. Unattached individual radicals have urged terrorism. The bomb has been openly proclaimed as the proper weapon of the proletariat. Whether the materials for making the bombs could be obtained in this country or not, the fact remains that they were at least mailed here and that somebody in this country prepared the list of intended victims and managed the programme of distribution.

An officer of the newly formed labor party of Chicago has declared that the discovery of the bombs was "a dastardly plot to discredit the labor and radical movement, a plant by the hirelings of Wall Street." That has a familiar sound. It is an old cry. It may fool a few misguided followers, but it will not impress the public. It is so utterly absurd that it reacts upon those who utter it.

## Drowned in Treacle.

Floods are reported all over the country, and many extraordinary experiences are being related by persons seriously inconvenienced by these overflows. But strange as many of them are, none could parallel what has now come to be known as "the great treacle flood."

This occurred in New Orleans a few years ago. By some mischance a number of huge treacle tanks suddenly burst their contents, and the treacle flooded all over the low-lying portions of the city. The substance, by its sticky nature, resembled an octopus in its grip, and those who were caught in it shared a horrible fate of drowning.

A few years ago a similar catastrophe happened in London. A flood of beer broke loose from a brewery, and 9,000 gallons rushed in a cataract down the streets, overtaking and drowning many people.

In Pennsylvania, U. S. A., they have a day known as "black day." It is the anniversary of the great oil flood in that town. The disaster occurred in the year 1892, and when the tanks burst there were terrible scenes in the streets. Many parts of the city were seriously damaged and between three and four hundred people were drowned in the oil.

## Wills on Wallpaper.

Appropos the recent case of a will being written on a piece of wallpaper, it may be noted that, so long as the proper formalities required by the law are complied with, it is immaterial what the will is written on.

Taking advantage of this fact, one eccentric testator elected to write his on a door, and the executors had no choice but to have the door unscrewed from its hinges and carried into court to be proved. "Mary, all that is mine is thine," was scribbled on a torn luggage label and held to be valid as a will, while a wealthy American grocer wrote his bequests of thousands of dollars on a piece of brown wrapping paper.

Another eccentric testator wrote his will on the lid of a collar-box, inside which he placed his cash and securities.

## Aftermath of the War.

The dodging of loose mines left floating in the sea after the war must continue for some years to be a recognized incident of ocean travel. The ocean was sown thick with these agents of destruction while the war was on, and by no means all have ever been accounted for. Such things remain actively dangerous for a long time even after submergence in the sea, and while the chances are heavily against a vessel's hitting one in the vast expanse of water traversed between the continents, the remote danger is there and some such thing might happen.—Lowell Court-Citizen.

The inhabitants of Mesopotamia are not Arabs, but descendants of the old Babylonians and Assyrians. Before they were conquered by the Arabs the natives of the Tigris and Euphrates valleys spoke Syriac, a dialect of the Assyrian language.

## The Bonfire Chain.

Some time ago The Morning Chronicle, in calling attention to the proposal, originating in London, for an Empire chain of bonfires, to celebrate the signing of the Peace Treaty, suggested that Nova Scotia should take part in this unique and impressive demonstration. We mentioned certain points on which bonfires might be lighted, and we are glad to know that our suggestion is meeting with a favorable reception. Arrangements have already been made for bonfires at Blomidon, on the "Look-Off," on the Big Gore Hill, in East Hants County, on the "Ridge" back of Wolfville, and on the face of the North Mountain to the westward. Present indications are that the Annapolis Valley will make a brilliant display to signalize the historic occasion of the conclusion of peace.

We hope that similar arrangements will be made along the South Shore, in Eastern Nova Scotia, in Cape Breton, and in every section of the Province. As we pointed out already, this may be done through local initiative, with regard always to the protection and safety of adjoining forest land. We suggested that the Forest Rangers should be consulted, and we hope that their active co-operation will be enlisted.

The suggestion has been made that it might be more convenient to defer the lighting of bonfires until the night following the day on which peace is signed. That will depend largely upon the hour when the final act is completed at Versailles, of which due notice will be given. In the meantime we would strongly urge the local authorities in every district where there is an outstanding hill or mountain, to make their preparations so that on the night of this glorious day in our history the glad news may be flashed from hill to hill like the beacon signals of old.

Newfoundland, we may add, has taken up the suggestion, and we have no doubt that the Ancient Colony will join Nova Scotia in a spectacular display, worthy of the great event.—Morning Chronicle.

## Why Women Fear Mice.

"No house without a mouse," says the old proverb. No woman has to do not worry, is a modernized version.

Why should a woman of modern womanhood be timid of the tiny brown nibbler who scuttles to his hole at the least alarm?

Expert opinion says it is due to hereditary fears. It is contended that woman's fear of mice arises from their being classed as vermin. The fact that rats carry disease and plague is not disputed. Mice may not be so dangerous. Their bites and scratches are trifling. But they carry disease and dirt, and a baby sleeping in a cradle, for instance, may suffer in consequence. Mothers have for ages been affected by this dread, and it seeking to protect their offspring from contact with mice have unconsciously, we are told, bred that feeling of nervousness which has provided the comic artist with his periodical picture.

## Her Hard Choice.

(Edinburgh Scotsman.)

Mr. Plowden, the well known London magistrate, now retired from the bench, has a great repertoire of good stories. His favorite one relates to a case in which he appeared as counsel. In the course of this case he had to cross-examine the wife of a notorious burglar. "You are the wife of this man?" he asked.

"I am," she replied.

"You knew he was a burglar when you married him?" he proceeded.

"I did," she admitted.

"How could you possibly marry such a man?" Mr. Plowden demanded.

"Well, it was like this," the witness explained confidentially: "I was getting old and two chaps wanted to marry me. It wasn't easy to choose between 'em, but in the end I married Bill there. The other chap was a lawyer, same as you, sir!"

## Wants Different Styles.

The Consul General of Japan at Honolulu has forbidden his countrymen to wear kimono on the street. He explains his order as being part of a campaign he is waging to induce his people to adopt European styles.

## Which Is Which?

(From the Toronto Star.)  
A contemporary refers to the left bank of the Rhine as the east bank. This is natural in a new country, where we think of explorers and settlers going up a river. In Europe, however, you are supposed to be going down the river, and the left bank of the Rhine is the west.

## MESOPOTAMIA.

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## An Acceptable Document.

(From the New York Herald.)  
Whatever difference of opinion there may be concerning the practicability of a League of Nations, there can be none over the inspiration of the terms upon which Germany is permitted to have peace. These are dictated by Retributive Justice. There should be no misunderstanding of this fact; certainly there can be none in the part of the fugitive Kaiser in exile or of his once valiant war lords, now indulging in crinidation and recrimination among themselves, or of officials of the old regime, or of the camouflaged new regime, or of the masses of the German people. They, one and all, now understand that the peace they are to have—the only peace they can have—is one of acknowledged and accepted defeat. To Americans it is a peculiarly happy coincidence that the terms of this peace should have been formally presented to the emissaries of the German Government and the German people on Lusitania Day. No other document of history has had the wide reading that will be given to this treaty of peace. The statement of its main provisions and summarization of its other contents, printed to-day, will be eagerly devoured in every corner of the world to which a written language reaches, and no person whose sympathies were not with Germany in the great conflict will see justice in the demands to which the German people must accede. Certainly the American people will approve those terms, as they will the spirit of the treaty as a whole. The peace it provides in respect to Germany is a "victor's peace" principally in the sense that the treaty seals a victory for right and justice.

## The Signing.

(From the New York Tribune.)  
Will the Germans sign? They will. They will grumble; they will whine; they will fill the air with mangled gutturals; they will invoke the names of the Fourteen Points and call on Thor and all the deities of Valhalla to shake their spears. But they will sign. Manoeuvring for delay will occur. It is necessary for the Ebert government, none too stable to appear highly indignant. The delegates will sign and they will sob; they will bewail the sad fate of poor innocent Germans, surrounded by ravenous wolves; there will be an ecstasy of self-pity. But they will sign. They will sign largely because of Papa Foch. There's a man whose glance is not liked. Germany had a taste of him not only at the Marne, but in the wood of Compiègne, when the armistice was prepared. It is realized that he is not an easy man to argue with. He is fond of such words as "unconditional surrender," and it feared he is capable of again giving the order "Forward!" They will sign. There is talk of trade isolation if signatures are withheld. The threatened boycotts do not alarm. What gives concern is Foch.

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**An Acceptable  
Document.**

(From the New York Herald.)  
Whatever difference of opinion  
there may be concerning the practi-  
cability of a League of Nations, there  
can be none over the inspiration of  
the terms upon which Germany is  
permitted to have peace. These are  
dictated by Retributive Justice. There  
should be no misunderstanding of  
this fact: certainly there can be none  
on the part of the fugitive Kaiser in  
his exile or of his once valiant war  
lords, now indulging in criminal  
recrimination among themselves,  
or of officials of the old regime, or of  
the camouflaged new regime, or of  
the masses of the German people.  
They, one and all, now understand  
that the peace they are to have—the  
only peace they can have—is one of  
acknowledged and accepted defeat. To  
Americans it is a peculiarly happy  
circumstance that the terms of this  
peace should have been formally pre-  
sented to the emissaries of the Ger-  
man Government and the German  
people on Lusitania Day. No other  
document of history has had the wide  
reading that will be given to this  
treaty of peace. The statement of its  
main provisions and summarization  
of its other contents, printed to-day,  
will be eagerly devoured in every cor-  
ner of the world to which a written  
language reaches; and no person  
whose sympathies were not with Ger-  
many in the great conflict but will  
see justice in the demands to which  
the German people must accede. Cer-  
tainly the American people will ap-  
prove those terms, as they will the  
spirit of the treaty as a whole. The  
peace it provides in respect to Ger-  
many is a "victor's peace" principal-  
ly in the sense that the treaty seals  
a victory for right and justice.

**The Signing.**

(From the New York Tribune.)  
Will the Germans sign? They will.  
They will scumble; they will whine;  
they will fill the air with mangled  
surreals; they will invoke the names  
of the Fourteen Points and call on  
Thor and all the denizens of Valhalla  
to shake their spears. But they will  
sign. Manoeuvring for delay will  
recur. It is necessary for the Ebert  
government, none too stable, to ap-  
pear highly indignant. The delegates  
will sigh and they will sob; they will  
bemoan the sad fate of poor innocent  
Germans, surrounded by ravenous  
wolves; there will be an ecstasy of  
self-pity. But they will sign. They  
will sign largely because of Papa  
Foch. There is a man whose glance is  
not liked. Germany had a taste of  
him not only at the Marne, but in the  
wood of Compiègne, when the armis-  
tice was prepared. It is realized that  
he is not an easy man to argue with.  
He is fond of such words as "uncondi-  
tional surrender," and it feared he is  
capable of again giving the order  
"Forward!" They will sign. There is  
talk of trade isolation if signatures  
are withheld. But threatened boy-  
cotts do not alarm. What gives con-  
cern is Foch.

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**Preacher's Pay.**

(Winnipeg Tribune.)

Not one, of several denominations,  
are agitating over this continent for  
better pay for the average preacher. A  
valued contributor vouches for the fact  
that the average salary for preachers  
in twelve leading denominations is  
less than a thousand a year.  
The average preacher is married.  
Most of them are raising children,  
feeding them, clothing them, buying  
medicine for them and sending them  
to school. The average preacher works  
seven days a week. He must wear  
good clothes; his wife must dress well,  
and his children cannot appear in  
tattered and torn rags.  
His congregation insists that the  
preacher and his family must not dis-  
play any sign of poverty, and the  
preacher must wear a smile—always.  
His must have a cheery word for every  
man, woman and child he meets. He  
must not complain.  
Once in a while a preacher quits the  
pulpit and takes another job—one  
which will leave something in his pay  
envelope after taking out the tolls of  
butcher, candlestick maker and the  
baker. Then his congregation speaks  
of "his fall from grace."

A preacher ought to preach. What  
right has he to stew and fret about  
shoes for his children, food for his  
table and the declining years of his  
life?

And above all, a preacher should  
never mention his pay envelope, for  
congregation has arrived at the con-  
clusion that their pastor will reap his  
reward in the hereafter, than which  
no human being could desire a greater  
reward.

So the congregation distributes  
haloes, pascetti paradisi, and reserves  
seats in heaven for the pastor. Having  
been thus generous in the matter of  
spiritual rewards, the members of the  
average congregation hand over about  
two or three cents a day which totals  
the munificent sum of less than \$3  
every twenty-four hours for the  
preacher.

You know, the average congregation  
imagines its pastor never would get  
to heaven unless it permitted him to  
preach to it each Sunday. That's the  
impression the preacher must receive  
every time he gets his lean pay en-  
velope.

So he goes on preaching and praying  
for his employers, and for everybody  
else under the sun. There are times, of  
course, when a preacher sets to pray  
for himself and preach to himself.  
Usually, though, the average preacher  
has his hands full preaching and pray-  
ing for his congregation.

When he's not preaching and praying  
he is visiting the sick and helpless, the  
aged and the backslider. Aside from  
these duties he has nothing else be-  
yond attending to the socials; the half  
dozen or so church societies; the boys  
and money for a new church; collect-  
ing for home and foreign missions;  
burying us and marrying us, baptizing  
us and converting us. Once in a  
while the average \$3 or less con-  
gregation will permit its pastor to take  
exercise mowing the church lawn or  
sweeping snow off the sidewalk.

Truly is the "laborer worthy of his  
hire." The only trouble is the matter  
of the preacher's hire is that his con-  
gregation expects the Lord to pay  
about 80 per cent. of the hire.  
It is better to increase the content of  
the preacher's pay envelope than to  
contribute for homes for aged pastors, and  
it is more pleasing to preachers to get  
regular sized pay envelopes while they  
live than bronze tablets after they're  
dead.

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**Sea Power in the War.**

Some extreme Mahanites continue  
to say that Allied sea power won the  
war. This distorts the true, per-  
spective. It is nearer the facts to  
say that the sea power made it pos-  
sible for the Allies to win the war on  
land. Admiral Simms put it that way  
on Saturday, when he told the Eng-  
lish-Speaking Union that "the founda-  
tion stone on which the success of the  
war was built was the British  
Grand Fleet."

Admiral Simms remarked that had  
an earthquake engulfed the British  
fleet in the North Sea, so that the  
German High Sea fleet could have  
ventured forth, nothing could have  
stayed the hand of the Germans. That  
is beyond dispute. But if the British  
fleet had been engulfed before Aug-  
ust, 1914, Germany would have been  
the master of Europe immediately.  
One of the biggest handicaps to the  
German conquest of Europe was En-  
tente sea-power. The Germans went  
to war with the hope of destroying it.

This they were never able to do.  
Looking at the facts fairly, it is  
easier to prove that sea power lost  
the war for Germany than that it won  
the war for the Allies. Without send-  
ing a battleship or a submarine be-  
yond her coastline waters, Germany  
conquered Russia, Rumania, Serbia  
and Belgium, and almost overwhelm-  
ed Italy. She had only to fight  
France and Great Britain to a draw  
on the West front in order to consoli-  
date the Middle European and Asian  
Empire which she had set up. But  
a persistent misuse of the U-boat  
forced the United States to join her  
enemies. And the United States  
furnished the strategic reserve which  
enabled Foch to carry through his  
victory offensive.

Entente sea power made possible  
the transportation of the American  
reinforcements to Europe. Yet, Lu-  
dendorff and Von Tirpitz themselves  
summoned that reinforcement.

Before the United States went in  
Entente sea power had imposed a  
blockade on Germany. But the  
blockade didn't starve Germany out.  
The Entente navies had not been able  
to force the Dardanelles and link up  
the Eastern and Western fronts,  
which alone could save Russia. So  
the war was left to be decided on  
land. It would have been decided on  
land if America had not come in. It  
was decided on land after America  
came in. Foch's victories forced Lu-  
dendorff to quit. The Allied opera-  
tions at sea were indecisive. The  
German High Sea and submarine fleet  
surrendered only because the armies  
in France had been driven into a cor-  
ner and were ready to capitulate.

Sea power helped to win the war.  
But land power was the ultimate de-  
termining factor.—New York Tribune.

**Press Briefs.**

**THE LIMIT.**—O Canada! Doukhobors  
consent to sell land to the Cana-  
dian government which they obtained  
from a former government free, gratis,  
for nothing.—Frederick Gleason.

**A HARD BLOW.**—Recently we re-  
ceived a pamphlet from Montreal; it  
was addressed thus: "The Star, Tor-  
onto, Ontario, U.S.A." Can it be pos-  
sible that in Montreal they don't even  
know where Toronto is? This is a  
hard blow for us.—Toronto Star.

**SHOULD BE DEPORTED.**—Nearly  
all the murders committed in this  
country are the work of foreigners.  
It was an Austrian who was respon-  
sible in the Windsor Hotel, Montreal,  
on Wednesday. Stricter immigration  
laws are needed to keep out such de-  
generates.—Kingston Whig.

**VIA THE W. P. B.**—The opposition  
in Ottawa has come upon a real scan-  
dal in the discovery that the waste-  
paper basket of one of the cabinet  
ministers cost \$32, and what is even  
more serious, there is a strong sus-  
picion that that gaudy receptacle was  
the end of the journey for many of  
the communications of many western peo-  
ple.—Calgary Albertan.

**C. C. C.**

The C. C. C. Boat Club met yester-  
day morning, when several applicants  
were admitted to membership. It was  
decided to hold two dances next  
month—on June 9th and 10th—in the  
C. C. C. Hall, and all the proceeds go  
towards expenses in connection with  
the Regatta, we predict the usual  
large attendance.

"C" Co., under Capt. J. M. Greene,  
paraded to Divine Service at Bell Is-  
land yesterday, and were favoured  
with splendid weather. The Company  
is preparing for its annual inspection,  
which takes place at the Island on  
Sunday next.

The Cadet athletes were in session  
yesterday after Last Mass, and at an  
enthusiastic meeting made final ar-  
rangements for participation in foot-  
ball and other sports this year.

Brigade supporters are looking for-  
ward to the C. C. C. church parade,  
the first for 1919, which will probably  
be held on Sunday week. Arrange-  
ments are being made for the turnout,  
which will comprise nearly 400 lads.

**C. E. I. Athletic  
Association.**

The above Association met on Sat-  
urday night for the purpose of elect-  
ing officers for 1919. The election re-  
sulted as follows: President, Mr. T.  
Hallett; Vice-Pres., Mr. Jos. J. Lonn;  
Secy., Mr. B. B. Harris; Treas., Mr.  
J. M. Farndale; Football Captain, Mr.  
Eric Jerrett; Football Vice-Capt., Mr.  
W. M. Churchill; League Delegate,  
Mr. C. E. Hunt. It is understood they  
will put a strong aggregation in the  
field, the majority of whom will be  
returned veterans. Their supporters  
are confident they will again lift the  
silverware this season. They will  
start practicing at an early date.

**Already Big  
Demand for Seats**

For Big Prize Fight.  
Toledo, Ohio, May 13.—Reserva-  
tions for seats for the proposed  
heavyweight title fight between Jess  
Willard and Jack Dempsey here on  
the afternoon of July 4th, have ag-  
gregated \$75,000, according to A. Q.  
Thatcher, match maker for the Toledo  
Boxing Commission, who is assist-  
ing Tex Rickard, the promoter, in ar-  
ranging for the battle.

Rickard arrived here to-day and  
announced that prices for the bout  
would range as follows: \$10, \$15, \$25,  
\$30, \$40, \$50 and \$60, with 2,500 on  
sale at the highest named figure.

Rickard estimated from the de-  
mand for reservations that there  
would be 47,500 others ranging down  
to \$10, which will be 250 feet from  
the ring.

The Toledo Athletic Club, the com-  
mission's official headquarters, has  
been turned over to Rickard and his  
assistants as headquarters for news-  
papermen.

Bids were submitted to-day for  
nearly two million feet of lumber for  
the building of the arena. All mat-  
erial will be purchased in Toledo,  
Rickard said.

Battling Nelson, former lightweight  
champion, wired Rickard to-day offer-  
ing his services as referee for the  
contest. The telegram said "Open for  
position as referee of Willard-Demp-  
sey bout. Price optional. Would do  
it for you for nothing. Put it up to  
Willard and Dempsey."

Rickard has not yet replied to the  
message.

**Flying the Atlantic.**

The Aero Club of America, which  
would like nothing better than to see  
America aviators first across the At-  
lantic—how the Eagle would flap his  
wings and scream!—showed a com-  
mendable spirit yesterday when it  
telegraphed "bon voyage, best wishes,  
and confidence in the success of your  
flight" to the Englishman and Aus-  
tralian who were jockeying with mu-  
tual good-will for a start at St.  
John's. "Please convey America's  
greetings to Europe," was a happy  
after-thought in the Aero Club's mes-  
sage. No matter who is the pioneer  
from this side—he will go down in  
history with the laurel wreath, an im-  
mortal—America will be able to claim  
the credit of making aviation practi-  
cable and can appropriately hail  
Europe in a note of triumph.

Considering that west (in Summer  
southwest) winds prevail on the At-  
lantic, the chances are heavily against  
a flier from Europe making the first  
flight across. There would be a cer-  
tain fitness of things in emulating  
Columbus and discovering America  
from an airship flying from Europe.  
Generous acclaim would greet Cap-  
tani if he were the first European to  
make the Atlantic passage in one of  
his big machines. But the race is to  
the ready in this case, and while the  
Italian meditated on the project and  
actually designed a plane for it, he  
has been backward in his prepara-  
tions. While Americans would be  
"delighted" to see one or more of  
their countrymen fly eastward to the  
European Continent in a seaplane,  
they are prepared to cheer Rayham  
or Hawker, or both of them, lustily if  
their adventure is covered with suc-  
cess. After all, aeronautics is a good  
deal of an international sport.—N. Y.  
Times.

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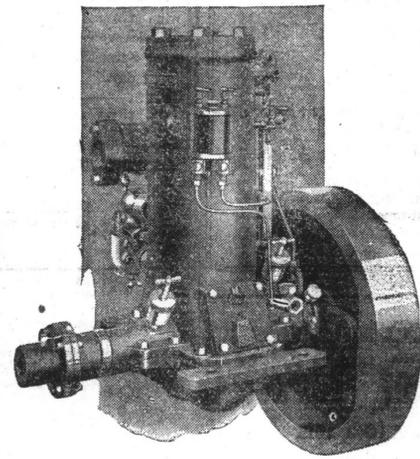
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