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Choice Family Mess Pork,  
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Also,  
CUT FLOWERS—at all times.  
Orders taken now for Easter.  
Wreaths and Crosses a specialty.

Inspection invited.  
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mar7,3fp **A. WILSON, Sec.**

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Second Annual Winter Sports

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March 18th, at 8 p.m.  
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Table listing unclaimed letters by recipient name and address, organized in columns under various letters of the alphabet (A through Z).

SEAMEN'S LIST.

Table listing seamen by name, ship name, and agent, organized in columns under various letters of the alphabet (A through Z).

MARTIN HARDWARE COMPANY.



Text describing the quality and variety of tools offered by Martin Hardware Company, including Stanley's adjustable planes and various hand tools.

THE LONDON DIRECTORY

Text describing the London Directory, its usefulness for traders and manufacturers, and its availability in Newfoundland.

Which Was The Heir?

CHAPTER XII. (Continued.) EVERY good, sir, I will send the carriage for you—at what hour, sir? said Yates.

He was received, by an old servant in a butler's rusty suit, a servant whose appearance matched that of the house in which he served, and who had little of the dignity and state of Yates, the episcopal Yates.

He led the way into a room off the hall, a small room in a state of disorder and litter, which was characteristic of the owner. To Sidney's unaccustomed eyes the place looked more like an armoury than a sitting-room, for the walls were crowded with weapons of all sorts; rifles, pistols, revolvers, and guns, ancient and modern, from the antique match-lock to the latest breech-loader.

Children's Colds Must be Cured

There will then be less weak lungs and consumption in later life. Did you ever think of it in this way? It is the neglected cough and cold that leads to the dreadful lung diseases sooner or later.

WHOOPIING COUGH

is not a trifling disease. With the cough spasms, straining of the chest and stomach, there is always a loss of strength and flesh that ordinary food cannot restore. Scott's Emulsion heals the inflamed bronchial tubes, relieves the cough and nourishes the child.

Sir Edward nodded 'comprehendingly. 'I see. Oh, well you'll soon get into it. You'll find it compulsory down here: nothing else to do, and you must let me put you up to some wrinkles. Another nip? No? We'll go into the drawing-room then. There's the dinner-bell. Come on!

But he had no eyes for the apartment: every sense in his body was smitten acutely by the gracious figure of Eva Rashleigh, who came forward to greet him. It was the first time in his life he had been in the same room with a lady in evening-dress, and it seemed to him that his knees trembled visibly, and he knew that his face was going from pale to red.



Abbey's Effer-Salt. It's a simple matter of Stomach and Liver. Take it. SOLD EVERYWHERE.

Another Case in which Dr. Hamilton's Pills Saved a Life that Physicians Despaired of. What a pitiful sight it is to see a handsome, able man being gradually robbed of good looks, health and ability to work.

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To Suffer from Headache Makes Life Miserable

It takes a person that has had a headache to describe the suffering which it entails. The majority of cases are caused by constipation and dyspepsia. The dull throbbing, the intense pain, sometimes in one part, sometimes in another, and then over the whole head, varying in its severity by the cause which brings it on, purely indicates that there is something the matter with the stomach and bowels.

What a loaf of bread over 3,500 years old? Nonsense! Well, my friend, there is no nonsense about it. You can see several of them in the Royal National Museum, at Naples, burned black like carbon, or charcoal. They were found in the ruins of Pompeii, a city that was buried by an eruption of hot, fiery ashes from Mount Vesuvius in the year 79.

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AT  
The Lipton Agency This Week!

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LIPTON'S CHOCOLATE POWDER, in 1/2-lb. packets, at 7c. and 10c. each, and also in 10c. tins.

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LIPTON'S CONFECTIONERY has a name above every other make, and the price is very low. Then our Confectionery is always fresh, we have shipments every fortnight.

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## The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON



How strong and well you look, someone said to me a day or two ago. It has been a tonic to me ever since.

I once heard of a man who was told by so many people that he looked very ill, that he finally was convinced that he must be ill, took to his bed and died.

I am not sufficiently a new thought-let to entirely credit that, but I do believe in the power of suggestion enough to think that it helps to be told you look well and does harm to be assured that you have the general appearance of having one foot in the grave.

People so seldom tell you how well you look. If you have been up late or overdoing or anything like that there is always someone to say, "What have you been doing to yourself?" or "You look terribly," or "You'd look better out or you'll be sick," but how seldom anyone says "How well you look."

Why not be original and reverse the process?

Why not say nothing at all on the subject of looks unless you can say something pleasant, but when you can say something pleasant, but when you can say something pleasant, never miss the chance.

Try it sometime.

Salute someone as I was saluted—"How strong and well you look."

You know it can't do any harm and you don't know how much good it may do.

Well, I shouldn't think the L's could afford a telephone. They live very simply and they dress almost shabbily. I should think Mrs. L. would rather have an occasional new suit than a telephone.

Hasn't that remark a familiar ring? I don't mean in substance but in spirit.

If you live with, or are an average woman, I'll wager it has.

For rare indeed is the woman who doesn't occasionally find it incumbent upon her to criticise the way her neighbour spends her money.

And isn't it absurd?

If your neighbour, provided she pays her debts and does her duty towards her less fortunate fellow beings, chooses to spend her spare money for a yellow carpet bag or two or three tons of pickles, what is that to you?

And what right have you to say she is extravagant?

The only extravagance is in not getting as much pleasure or utility out of any sum of money as you could have by spending it at some other place or in some other way.

And how on earth are you to judge of what is pleasure or utility to your neighbour?

When I visited Vassar college not long ago I was deeply impressed by one thing and that was the custom of having the regular Sunday night Chapel preceded by an hour of twilight music.

The huge Chapel is left entirely in darkness. The girls drift quietly in from time to time. The latter service is compulsory, while this is not and yet practically all the girls attend it.

The music is always of the best, of course—produced by a skillful organist or a beautiful singer—and out of the twilight it comes with a doubled beauty.

"I like the silent Church before the service begins better than any preaching," Emerson said once.

I am sure he would have liked Vassar's Chapel in the music filled twilight even better than the silent Church.

I cannot imagine any more peace-bestowing service than this twilight music hour. I think it would appeal to many who do not enjoy formal services and I think every Church in the land would do well to adopt it.

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Ruth Cameron

## HOUSEHOLD NOTES.

If you desire to serve a baked fish whole, and have it stand upright on the platter, put a carrot inside the fish before cooking, and it will remain in position.

New shoes should be allowed to stand overnight in a pan in which just enough olive oil to cover the soles has been poured. They will last much longer and will never squeak.

When making lemonade one of the lemons may be peeled and run through a meat chopper with a small piece of the peel. This will give the lemonade a delightfully piquant flavor.

When next cooking hominy, stir in a well-beaten egg just before serving. It will give the cereal a delicate yellow tinge, and the change in flavor will prove pleasing.

In making a shoe bag or laundry bag that is to hang flat against the door, use brass rings instead of loops for slipping over the nails. They will not pull out as the loops may.

A tasty salad made of cold boiled oyster plant, cut in pieces, pieces of cold boiled beets and sprays of cauliflower, dressed with oil and vinegar or with mayonnaise.

Embroidered table linens should never be folded when put away, but rolled in a long roll with tissue paper rolled up with it. This will save a great amount of pressing.

To take axle grease out of goods,

rub the spot with lard. Rub the goods in the hand as if washing. Let stay in three hours, and then wash out in cold water, using plenty of soap.

For toast to be served with poached eggs, cut out the centre of slices of bread with a round biscuit cutter; toast these rounds either in the oven or over the coals before buttering them.

It is an excellent plan to cut the stems of flowers with a sharp knife rather than scissors. Scissors compress the stems and close the tiny pores to the life-giving water.

Keep a bottle of coal oil on the shelf in the bath room, and make it a rule that each member of the family, when the bath is finished, shall wipe out the tub with an oiled rag.

When preparing fish for broiling, split it open down the back. After washing and drying on a cloth, rub the fish well with oil and flour. This prevents it slipping from the broiler.

Clear soup should be strained without forcing through a folded towel, laid on a cullender; otherwise particles of the egg used in clearing will be forced through and spoil the soup.

Rice should be thoroughly washed before cooking, as this cereal nowadays is often coated with a preparation to improve its appearance. It will cook better if it is soaked for 30 minutes.

## Two Trains Swept Off Track by Avalanche.

### Cars With Seventy Sleeping Passengers Were Hurlled to the Bottom of the Canyon, Three Hundred Feet Below -- 23 Known Dead and 25 Missing.

Everett, Wn., March 2.—As further details of the disaster that overwhelmed two Great Northern passenger trains when an avalanche swept the trains and a portion of the town of Wellington at the west part of the Cascade tunnel down the mountain side are received, the horror grows. Twenty-three lives are known to have been lost when the mass of snow, loose stones and uprooted trees hurled the cars containing seventy sleeping persons over the narrow ledge of the high line down to the bottom of the canyon, 200 feet below, and when the last reports were received, twenty-five more were missing. A score more or less seriously injured.

Trainmaster Blackburn, Everett; A. E. Longjoy, secretary to Supt. O'Neill; Louis Walker, Everett, cook on Supt. O'Neill's car, were killed. Seriously injured: J. D. Kurde, fireman. The two trains that were carried by the great wave of ice and snow were the west bound Spokane Limited, and the west bound Trans-continental Fast Mail. The latter carried no passengers. Most of the dead and injured are believed to have been passengers on the Spokane Express, forty of whom were on the train at the time of the disaster. Besides these, thirty workmen who had been engaged in

the battle against the drifts that had been holding the two ill-fated trains imprisoned in the mountains since February 24 were sleeping in the day coaches. The avalanche rolled down the mountain at 4.20 a. m.

The two trains with their locomotives, four powerful electric motors, the depot and the water tank, were swept off the ledge and deposited in a twisted mass of wreckage at the foot of the mountain. The noise from the slide, which was a mile long, could be heard through the valley, and Superintendent O'Neill, who was directing the work of the night shift, marshalled his men and hurried to the rescue.

The first news of the disaster was brought by John Wentzell, of Washington. He staggered into Skyholm, 18 miles from Wellington, yesterday. "All wiped out" he cried, "nothing but smooth snow where the track stood and the trains were dumped into the canyon." He was so exhausted from his long flight against the snow that it was several hours before he could give a coherent story.

Owing to the previous slides, which have blocked the road and swept away portions of the track, the rescue trains can get no further than Scenic, whence the rescuers have to make their way on foot over the snow.

## Big Fish Merger Planned in N.S.

Montreal, Feb. 21.—Following close upon the announcement that a number of the large Nova Scotia firms handling dried fish had decided to form a merger, the announcement is now made that the fish companies will be taken over by a Montreal syndicate headed by the National Securities Company, of Montreal. It is planned to take over the Whitman

interests who are the biggest fish dealers in the Province of Nova Scotia and who own the largest cold storage warehouse in Canada, at Canso, and to buy out the fresh fish business of the Atlantic Fish Co.

Options have been obtained on the two companies and also on a number of small companies in Yarmouth and elsewhere.

One Million. At the office of the National Securities Company in the Board of Trade this morning it was said that the au-

thorized capital of the new company would be one million dollars, and it would aim to make the fresh fish business of Nova Scotia of national importance. The Bank of Montreal, which controls the Atlantic Fish Co. is said to be behind the scheme.

The financial organization of the merger is being looked after by the National Securities Company and Mr. A. H. Brittain, the representative of the Atlantic Fish Company, in Montreal, is attending to the business end of the scheme, having been the original promoter. The result of the formation of the new company will be the doing away with a lot of the fluctuations in the price of fish. It will also do away with price cutting among the firms at present controlling the business and it is said it will also result in moderate prices being paid at all seasons. The organization is as yet in its early stages, but has gone far enough to make it certain that the plan will be carried through. "We have on the Atlantic Coast the greatest fisheries of the world, if properly explored. What the fish business there requires is capital and organization," commented Mr. A. H. Brittain, confirming the reported merger of the fish companies.

### Large Company.

He said a large company was being formed to operate the fresh and smoked fish business along the Atlantic coast. This company would mean the merging of about four of the present companies.

"The proposed company should be a great benefit to the fishermen of the coast, as their supplies of fish will be paid for in cash, giving them money to live upon."

"With a well organized company and lots of capital to operate with, will enable the fresh fish from the Atlantic coast to be delivered to the consuming public in Canada at lower prices. Extensive improvements are to be made with ample cold storage facilities to enable the fishermen to secure bait at points on the coast; the Dominion government has been endeavoring to foster this business and the proposed company will be of great assistance in the matter."

The new company will not be a trust, as there will be plenty of active competition.

Tobacco and snuff yield far more Customs' revenue than any other substance paying duty on entrance to this country, and sugar comes next.

## A Single Cup Correctly Brewed

Prove the merit and satisfaction there is in Postum. But it is often only half brewed and the result is often unjust condemnation.

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Was not satisfactory, the fault was in the brewing—it must be boiled until it is dark and rich—don't attempt to make it as you would make coffee, but remember—

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"For years I could not breakfast without my cup of coffee.

"During this time I was troubled with palpitation of the heart, with smothering and nervous spells. The doctor told me to quit coffee, but I did not.

"Finally, one time, while visiting, I was given Postum for breakfast. I can't say I enjoyed it at first—they only guessed how to make it. But when we followed the directions on the package, we all agreed that 'Postum was fine.'

"Then I began to enjoy my meals. Could take plenty of substantial food besides the Postum and felt good afterwards. My headaches were gone, and gradually I forgot I ever had heart trouble.

"I have told persons we used Postum at our house and they remarked they did not know how we could 'use the stuff.' They did not get at its goodness because it was not made right.

"A lady tried to give Postum to a lot of hired men but they would not take it. I tasted it as she made it and didn't wonder—it didn't taste like ours. Asked about it, she said she never had paid much attention to directions on the package.

"The next time I saw her she had learned how to make Postum right and said the men folks asked for the second cup. Follow directions and you'll have good Postum." Have it right!

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## Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - Proprietor  
W. F. LLOYD, - - Editor.

Wednesday, March 8, 1910.

### In the Assembly.

The Minister of Customs tabled a statement showing trade relations between Newfoundland and British West Indies.

The petitions were from Mosquito, asking for a covered railway station; from Spencer's Cove for a road; from Port aux Basques for a reduction of post tax; from Avondale and Bonaville about roads.

The House went into Committee on Ways and Means, and the Minister of Finance and Customs delivered the Budget Speech. He expects a surplus of \$250,000 on a revenue of \$3,500,000.

According to the report of the Daily News the tariff changes are:—

1. A drawback on sugar equal to the duty paid thereon, when used in the manufacture of preserves and confections for export.
2. Galvanized block straps, bottom cushions for sheaves for blocks, and galvanized sheaves for blocks, when imported by blockmakers, to go on the free list.
3. Brin for bags, etc., in any manufacture, to be admitted on the same terms as for bread, rope and nails.
4. Boats or launches, propelled by electricity or other mechanical power, will be charged 25 per cent.
5. Canvas of 6 oz. cotton duck and upwards, used extensively by fishermen, 5 per cent. Under 6 oz., 35 per cent.
6. Duty to be charged 40 per cent. on confectionery in fancy packages, including value of said packages, and 7. Duty on dory lumber, which was \$1.00 per 1,000 ft., to include planed as well as unplanned.
8. Comptoners and adding machines, 25 per cent.
9. Surgical and dental instruments, etc., 25 per cent.
10. Pressed nails, pressed spikes, galvanized nails and spikes, 3/4 of a cent a pound instead of 1 cent as at present.
11. New machinery for pulp companies, which cannot be locally manufactured, to be free; thus placing all concerns on the same basis as the Harmsworth Company.
12. Machinery for the original installation of saw mills, free, subject to approval of Governor in Council.
13. All artificial substitutes for human organs free.
14. Casings and copings and lockings for timber of dories free.
15. Soling paper free.
16. Cartons and wrappers for local manufacturers' goods free.
17. Material for wireless telegraph aboard ships free.
18. Importation of second hand clothing for sale is prohibited.
19. Purchases in other lands of personal effects by travellers to be limited to \$50.00 for free entry.
20. Drawback of one-third of duty paid upon oil used in local manufacture of oil clothes.
21. Duty on wheels to be 25 per cent. instead of one dollar and twenty per cent.
22. Excise duty on cigars, locally manufactured, of 50 cents a pound.

Mr. Kent was gratified that the era of prosperity which had marked the Bond administration was continuing, and congratulated the Ministry on the handsome legacy the present Government had received from the late administration.

The Freeman's Qualification Bill was read a first time.

Some progress was made in Com-

mittee on the Model Farm Bill. A discussion took place between Mr. Clift and the Premier on the abandonment of the policy of the late Government.

The Minister of Justice reported the Election Bill from the Select Committee.

The House adjourned till 3 p.m. to-day.

### THE VALUE OF TURPENTINE.

When all else fails the physician recommends his wealthy patient to take a trip to the turpentine groves as a cure for throat and lung troubles. The turpentine of commerce cannot very well be used but by extracting this ingredient from gums and by adding linseed Dr. Chase succeeded in getting up the most effective treatment for throat and lung troubles that was ever discovered. It is known as Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

### Woman's Suffrage.

"Should women be allowed to vote?" was the subject debated at the C. A. A. rooms last night, Mr. Noe-wood presiding. The speakers on the affirmative side were H. Young, A. Mews and B. Cross, and on the negative side, W. Butt, E. V. Wylie and E. Lindsay. The debate was very interesting and strong and cogent arguments were put forth on each side. The affirmative on the vote being put won with a good majority. The observers who took part in the debate were Hon. H. J. B. Woods, Messrs. Parkins, Soper, Grimes, Bradley and Mews.

### Visits Schools.

Yesterday morning at 11 o'clock His Excellency Sir Ralph Williams accompanied by Miss Dean and Private Secretary Fitzherbert visited St. Patrick's Hall Schools. His Grace Grace Archbishop Howley and Messrs. J. M. Kent, J. L. Slattery, V. P. Burke, W. J. Higgins and W. S. Dunphy, of the Benevolent Irish Society, received the Vice-Royal party. Each class room in these excellent schools was visited by His Excellency and suite and they were most favourably impressed. His Excellency also favourably commented on the excellence of the commercial training given the lads, and was surprised at the intelligence displayed by the lads of the junior classes. The manual training department was also visited and the boys who were at work there gave exhibitions of their handicraft. The 600 boys of the schools assembled in the big billiard room of the hall and were addressed by His Excellency in an earnest and appreciative manner. His Grace also addressed the lads. Some fine choruses were given by the singing class under Prof. Hutton.

### DIPHTHERIA.

Three new cases of diphtheria developed at the Hospital yesterday. There are several deaths from diphtheria also on the west side of Placentia Bay.

### TESTIMONIAL NO. 3785.

No stronger proof of the wonderful merit of Nerviline could be produced than the letter of Miss Lucy Mosher, who for years has been a well-known resident of Windsor, N.S. "I want to add my unqualified testimonial to the efficacy of your wonderful liniment 'Nerviline.' I consider it the best remedy for a cold, sore throat, wheezing tightness in the chest, etc., and can state that for years our home has never been without Nerviline. I had a dreadful attack of cold, that settled on my chest, that fourteen different remedies couldn't break up. I rubbed on Nerviline three times a day, used Nerviline as a gargle, and was completely restored. I have induced dozens of my friends to use Nerviline, and they are all delighted with its wonderful power over pain and sickness.

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## Mr. H. F. Shortis' Lecture Last Night.

There was a very large audience at the T. A. Hall last night to hear the lecture delivered by Mr. H. F. Shortis on "Conception Bay." The gallery and pit were filled as well as the front seats, in fact the crush was so great that many had to stand. Mr. Shortis took his audience right around Conception Bay and gave some interesting extracts from the historical records of Cupids, Brigus, Carbonear and Harby. Mr. Shortis has the great advantage of not being confined to historical records, and drew on a fund of tradition which he seems to have had to himself. Numerous others have heard those incidents and let them in through one ear and out through the other, but Mr. Shortis has kept them on the records of his very retentive memory and now draws from the rich store at will for the information and edification of the present generation. Mr. Shortis has shown by his masterly effort last night that he possesses a greater fund of valuable historical information than any man in the county who has ever lectured in our city hall in modern times. The description of the heroic days of old at his native town, Harbor Grace, and particularly at Carbonear Island, was so vividly raised the lecturer to the highest flight of eloquence. The brave resistance of the three hundred men to the Frenchmen and the successful resistance of the attack was a splendid piece of word painting. The old R. C. Cathedral, a beautiful gem of architecture, destroyed by fire in 1889, enlisted the best description and sympathetic talents of the lecturer. The generosity of the Harbans and others who gave the site of the cathedral was particularly referred to. The description was enhanced by photos showing the interior and exterior of the cathedral. The glory of the old sealing days was descanted upon, and the great families who built up Conception Bay in the olden times were mentioned from Holyrood to Carbonear all in a word of praise. The personal reminiscences introduced by Mr. Shortis, and the unique and wise sayings of the men of these heroic days kept the audience in a pleasant mood. We regret that space will not allow us to do justice to this brilliant and eloquent historical effort.

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## Firemen Meet.

An enthusiastic meeting of the city firemen, about 50 in all, attended a special meeting last night to take into consideration the proposed new treatment to one of their Union men. After some spirited discussion it was decided that if any steamer captain should give to a fireman a beating on the engine room already promised another fireman the Union would take cognizance of their conduct and act accordingly.

## Case of Suicide.

Killed By Falling Over Cliff. A message was received from Bay de Verde last night saying that Edward Kirby, of Blow-Ne-Down Bay, de Verde, had either fallen over or deliberately jumped over the cliff there and was immediately killed. Dr. ceased had been unsound in his mind all the winter and the probabilities are that he suicided. He was in his 50th year. The place where his body was found is over 200 feet from the road along which he walked. Judge Penny of Carbonear will hold an enquiry to-day into the affair.

## The Shaun Rue Caste.

The full caste in the B. I. S. play for St. Patrick's Night are—P. F. Moore, M. J. Donnelly, T. Halley, J. Atkinson, George Trainor, E. Higgins, W. B. Comerford and J. E. Pippy, Miss M. Viguers and Miss K. Kearney. The performance is under the patronage of His Grace the Archbishop. There will be several specialties. No doubt there will be a full house judging from the way the tickets are going.

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## Here and There.

AFTERNOON TEA.—The ladies of Wesley Church will serve tea this afternoon from 4 to 6 p.m. in the basement of the church.

M. C. L. I.—The merits of the Constitution of England and the United States will be debated at the M. C. L. I. Rooms this evening.

LENEX SERMON.—His Grace Archbishop Howley will preach the fifth of his series of Lenten sermons at the R. C. Cathedral to-night.

ORGAN RECITAL.—The last organ recital of the present series will be given by Mr. A. H. Allen in the C. of E. Cathedral on Friday, March 11th at 4 p.m., instead of to-day.

BRUCE PASSENGERS.—The S.S. Bruce arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.30 a.m. to-day bringing in salmon W. Evans, C. B. Brian, H. Miller and E. M. McKay. The express left at 8.15.

LECTURE AT CARBONEAR.—A lecture on "St. Patrick" will be delivered by Rev. F. D. McCarthy, at Carbonear, on the night of the 17th inst. Mr. McCarthy has lately been thoroughly repaired.

OUT OF HOSPITAL.—J. Kant who was injured by a fall on board the S. S. Rosalind five weeks ago, was able to leave the hospital yesterday. His left arm that was badly crushed is now quite healed.

PATIENT FOR HOSPITAL.—A young woman named Pritchard arrived by train from Gambo last evening and is confined to a hospital. As the institution is filled she had to go to a friend's house to await a vacancy.

MERCHANTS PLAY HOCKEY.—A number of prominent business men of the city tried their hands at Hockey in the Prince's Rink yesterday. The team led by Hon. M. G. Winter defeated that captained by Mr. Eric Bowring.

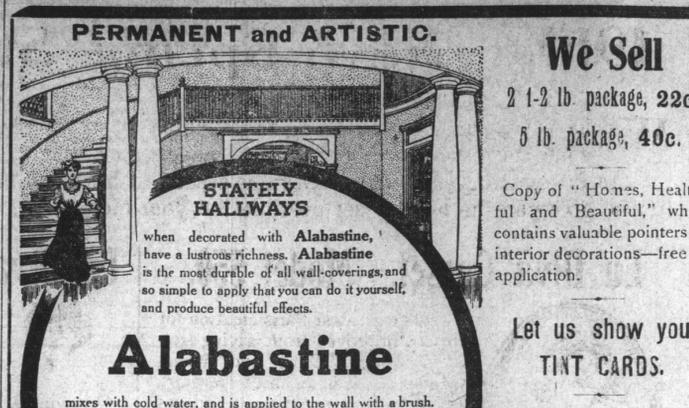
CORNS ARE LIKE KNOTS. Incidentally more painful. Why suffer when you can be cured for 25c. spent on Putnam's Corn Extractor? Fifty years in use and guaranteed to cure.

Tickets are nearly all gone for the M. G. Band Concert this evening, in the Methodist College Hall. The programme besides the Band selections will have several attractive features including violin solo by Miss S. Johnson; a solo by Mrs. G. W. B. Ayre, "Silver King"; and a piano solo by Mr. F. Pittman. The choir of Cochrane Street Church and College boys will assist. Mr. King will sing "The Trumpeter." A musical treat of a high order will be enjoyed by those who attend. The Band will give five choice selections.

REID NFLD. CO. The Bruce arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.30 a.m. to-day. The Argyle left Burin at 6.30 p.m. yesterday for the west.

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## Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.

DUBLIN, March 8.—At a meeting to-night at the Mansion House convened by the Lord Mayor, in support of the Irish party fund subscriptions amounting to more than five thousand pounds were announced. This is the largest amount subscribed at a meeting since Parnell's day. Joseph Devlin, National member of Parliament, Belfast, directed the rumour spread by the O'Brien paper of discussions among the party leaders.

Special to Evening Telegram.

KIEL, Prussia, March 8.—The recently contemplated battleship Posen, one of the four Dreadnoughts about to be added to the German navy, was damaged by fire yesterday, and her first trial trip which had been set for Saturday will be delayed several weeks while repairs are being made. The fire originated among the woodwork stored in the otherwise empty magazine, and burned so fiercely that it heated the steel walls red hot, causing them to bend and permitting the flames to spread to the woodwork of the adjoining compartments. The hold was filled with smoke, making the work of the firemen difficult. The boiler room, the vessel and the engine room were extinguished the fire after three hours hard work. A lamp which had been left in the magazine was responsible for the accident.

Special to Evening Telegram.

SYDNEY, N.S., March 8.—A report emanating from very reliable and trustworthy sources states that the Dominion Coal Company some time ago to commence the work of sinking two slopes on the areas of the Cumberland Railway and Coal Co., and often referred to as the Cowan's and Drummond areas. The Steel people took an option on those properties during their recent lawsuit with the Dominion Coal Company.

Special to Evening Telegram.

STOCKHOLM, March 8.—King Gustave, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, started to fight for the Riviera. He will break the journey, however, staying a week in Scania, and will then go to Järlarp, where the Queen is staying.

Special to Evening Telegram.

THE DIANA and Erik signed crews yesterday and boys who saw this afternoon for Pook's Island whence they will leave for the seal fishery. The Iceland sailed for Greenspond yesterday afternoon. The Bloodhound sailed for the same port.

The Newfoundland leaves for Westville to-day and the Southern Cross, Kite, Viking, Harlaw and Labrador will sail from Channel for the Gulf seal fishery to-morrow.

EMPIRE FESTIVAL.—The General Committee met last night and received reports from its many committees. Everything is going on first rate.

ST. MICHAEL'S.—The quarterly meeting of the Cathedral and St. Michael's Church Sunday school teachers takes place in the Cathedral vestry this evening at 8.30.

STAR OF THE SEA ASSOCIATION LECTURE.—Members of the Star of the Sea Association are requested to meet at the theatre of the Star Hall, on Thursday night, at 8.15 o'clock, when Rev. B. O'Callaghan, Spiritual Director of the Society, will deliver a lecture on Ireland. Lady friends are cordially invited. By order, W.M. P. GRAHAM, Sec. S. S. A.—mar,8,10.

Three men, J. Noseworthy, Ambrose Cowley and James Bragg, complain that while travelling from the city to Pouch Cove in the storm of Wednesday last they called at a certain hostelry on Torbay Road and asked the proprietor to sell them some food they being hungry, but he refused to do so, and they were compelled to travel 8 miles further to their homes before they could get anything to eat. One of them, J. Noseworthy called at our office and made this complaint to-day, and he thinks that he and his friends were very badly treated.

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## Here and There.

THREE ARRESTS.—The police made three arrests for drunkenness last night. They were held at the lock up all night.

C. C. C. SPORTS.—The C. C. C. are now outlining a programme for their annual sports. Some interesting contests are expected.

B. I. S. DEBATE.—The members of the B. I. S. will discuss the Daylight Bill to-night at their rooms. Mr. Mullaly and Mr. Foley are the leaders.

WILL GO IN NEPTUNE.—Mr. Sylvie O'Brien who worked in Kavanagh's Drug Store for several years, has been appointed "doctor" on the S. S. Neptune.

ORGAN RECITAL.—The last organ recital will be given on Friday evening by Mr. Allen, instead of this evening. It will take place in the Cathedral at 4 p.m.

HANDICAP TOURNAMENT.—The handicap billiard tournament will take place at the B. I. S. Hall this afternoon. Eighty-two players are set down to play.

T. A. BILLIARD TOURNAMENT.—There are still four matches to come off in the T. A. billiard tournament for a dinner. The matches will probably take place to-night.

HERRING.—On sale 30 barrels bright, large No. 1 Herring. At LARACY'S, 345 and 347 Water Street, opposite Post Office.—Jan,3,10.

L. A. TOURNEY.—The Labourers Union had a very enjoyable tournament in their rooms last night. Two hundred members took part. The game will be repeated Saturday night.

BILLIARDS.—Two billiard matches in the dinner tournament were held last night at the Star Rooms. Result:—J. Carberry, plain, 200; J. Green, spot, 158; J. Kelly, plain, 200; M. Wadden, spot, 130.

THE KOHLER PIANO and the Tonk Piano celebrated for purity and excellence of tone along with strength of construction.—CHESLEY WOODS, Sole Agent for Nfld. Inspection invited.—Feb,28,10.

MASONS MEET.—The question of the regulations of the Unions was discussed at the quarterly meeting of the Journeymen Masons held last night at the Mechanics Hall. There was a large attendance.

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"More Light," the sages e'er have sung.

More "loving light" sing we,  
More light for Cupid's bow to fling  
His arrows far and free;  
More light to note the flash that fires  
The ardent lover's eye.  
The awkward, honest look that marks  
The artless hearted boy.

More light, that while the vesper  
hymn

Of birds swell on the breeze  
We'll tread the verdant glades, while  
o'er

'Tis arch the whispering trees,  
More light to live the life of love  
While summer days are here,  
And, bet your life, we'll hold our own  
The balance of the year.

Just think of all the hours we'd have  
For strolling in the park;  
Just think of all the country lanes  
We'd ramble ere 'twas dark.  
Just think of silv'ry, singing streams  
A-shimmering in the sun,  
And that, two hours after all  
Our daily toil was done.

Just think of all the courting hours  
A-running now to waste;  
Just think of all the matches that  
Are broke, because of haste  
In irate paters to meet,  
The youth who yet is slow,  
Tho' Time proclaims the midnight  
hour  
And gas bills upward go.

Yes, surely, we'd have lots of time,  
To conquer, if this Bill  
For early rising passed the House,  
And swains were loving still;  
We'll bet our bran new Easter hats  
A score of men in town,  
Confirmed and sturdy bachelors  
Before us would go down.

As Joshua stayed the sun, lang syne,  
That Judah's arms should thrive,  
Give us a chance and we shall win  
If we but start at five;  
Yes, thro' the long-drawn summer  
eve  
The charm of love shall flow,  
And Bach'lordom shall fall as fell  
The walls of Jericho.

To blest and beaming benedicts  
The bachelors shall bloom,—  
O blame us if we fail, for we  
Have marked our destined groom—  
The single man shall cease to be,  
He'll vanish with the year  
That ushers in the Daylight Bill,  
No more to disappear.

Then let us, rising with the sun,  
Go cheerily to store,  
To office, wharf or counting-house,  
That we may have the more  
Of God's blest sunshine on our heads  
And happily, in our hearts,  
That sweetness, born of light and love  
Which sunshine pure imparts.

P.S. We would request, most honored  
sirs,  
Your chivalrous attention  
To this our prayer; another  
thing  
We're forced just here to  
mention:—

We most indignantly resent  
Your scoffing our ambition  
To shine as legal lights, but sirs,  
We'll have full recognition,  
When brains are trumps.

## Twelve-Year-Old Girl Rescues

Father and Sister While Flames Were Burning Her Hair.

New York, March 4.—While gas, paints and oils were exploding in her burning home on the ground floor of an east side tenement to-day, Fannie Goldman, twelve years old, groped her way through the flames and heroically rescued her father, who had fallen senseless in a blazing room, and her two year old sister. Firemen said it was as heroic work as they had ever seen.

A gas stove set fire to a curtain and the flames quickly reached a store-room of paints and oils. Goldman ran towards a rear bedroom to save the two year old daughter and a four year old son, when he was knocked unconscious by an explosion. Fannie rushed in from a front room, and while the flames were burning her hair from her head, she dragged her father out of the burning building, and, running back, she again darted through the blaze and rescued her little sister. She fell unconscious and on fire as she reached the street. Her mother then dashed into the burning place, passed through the flames, and when she came out carrying her son her clothing was on fire. The father, mother and three children were badly burned.

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# Unconscious Neglect of Others!

## One of the Mistakes Into Which Most of Us Fall

BY I. C. MORRIS.

An even balance is desirable in the relations of domestic life, and the comforts of all the household should receive due consideration. The parents owe duties to the children, as well the children to the parents, and husband owes duties to the wife as well the wife to the husband, and one should not overlook nor neglect the other. But it sometimes happens that one does neglect the other, and it happens in a manner that may not be perceptible, and that is far from being intentional whatever.

It is very easy for a young married man to fall into this mistake, and to become so taken up with recreation and sports, and other such things, as to be unconsciously neglecting the partner of his life. He may not intend to do this, but all the same he does it. The conditions of life are such, especially in the city, as tends to this, and unless one is careful it is an easy matter to become so absorbed in one's self, that unconsciously the interests of the other are forgotten. Not intentionally we again say, but as a result of thoughtlessness and the hurried manner in which we carry out the programme of life.

The average man is away from home all day providing for the wants of his family; while he is thus engaged the wife or mother is equally busy at home. Her duties are manifold and her cares none too light at times. The home circle, while not so wide as that of the regular calls of life, affords to the true woman a world of opportunity in which she can exercise herself in all good work. The home is the corner stone of the State; and the best guardian that the home has, is the gentle mother, or the tender wife, and confiding children. With these in view it is not easy for men to go far astray. But it is in the multiplicity of the home duties and family worries that the wife or mother is apt to be neglected, and her share of the recreation forgotten. It comes about that she ceases to look for her share of what is within her reach, and what is her equal right. At home all day herself she expects that her husband will keep her company at least two or three evenings of the week, but he does

not, and the reason of this is that he has so many clubs, and meetings, to attend, that he has to hurry off to them immediately he has finished his evening meal. And then there are so many games in addition to the clubs, that even should a spare evening offer, it cannot be devoted to the fire-side, or to those who sit by it. As an illustration of this the following little dialogue may be cited without offence to anybody.

"Hello, Charlie! Where now in such a hurry?"

"Why, going to the football match of course."

"Oh, I see, and that is where all those people are going."

"Yes, all going to see the match."

"But have you had your tea; we are only going to ours now?"

"Yes, of course I had my tea. Do you think I would be foolish enough to go and see a football match without my tea?"

"Well, no, I don't think you would. But how did you manage to get home from your work and partake of your tea, and dress yourself, and be here at the head of Lime Street so soon. It is not much more than half-past six, or a quarter to seven yet?"

"Oh, it is no trouble to do that if you try."

"Well, where did you work today?"

"Down at Sir Robert Thorburn's."

"Did you knock off before six?"

"No. We made full time, but we were clear of the vessel by a few minutes past six, and we walked home quickly."

"You live near Patrick Street, don't you?"

"Yes. Quite near there. It did not take us long to get home you know."

"I see not. I suppose you happened to strike a street car just in good time, and that enabled you to be so far until midnight."

"No. We walked all the distance."

"Well, then, it must have been fully a quarter past six when you got home."

"About that."

"You didn't stay long. Why you had scarcely time to see your wife or to have a chat with her."

"Oh, no. That never came into my

mind. I just took my tea in a hurry and got ready and came right off again."

At that rate then you couldn't have been more than twenty or twenty-five minutes in the house altogether."

"That's all."

"But why didn't you bring your wife with you. She would certainly enjoy the match; and I am sure that you would also enjoy it much better if she were with you?"

"Bring my wife! Why that never entered my mind at all."

"You were in such a hurry, and you were so keen on seeing the match, that you completely overlooked her, and now she is at home by herself, and you off here after being away all day. I know it is not neglect, but it looks very much like it. When you were single you couldn't keep away from her, and you took her with you, but now that you happen to be a few years married, you have fallen into an opposite groove."

"Oh, but its different now. You see we are married."

"But it should not be so very different. This is a lovely evening, and she is just as capable of accompanying you to the game now, as she was then, especially as you have not any children."

"Well, now, to tell the truth I never thought of asking her to come. I was so full of the game, and was in such a hurry to get there in time to see the whole of it, that I tore away off, and if I am not quick now I will be late for this evening's match."

"Well, I am sorry for having delayed you, but I think at the rate you do things you will be over to the field in time to see the game started."

With this we parted, and at the rate we resumed our journey the match would be half over by the time we reached home, but we were alright as we could see the game from our back window, as of course 'twould never do to miss the game. But we do not claim to be one whit better than Charlie. He hid himself off to see the match, which would be over at eight o'clock; but we had a special meeting which would delay us until mid-night."

# Early Settlement in St. John's, N.F.L.D.

Paper Read Before the Newfoundland Historical Society by W. G. Gosling, Esq.

By settlement I do not mean the occupancy of St. John's as a fishing station, but as a permanent habitation for people all the year round. It is my belief, founded upon the recorded visits to St. John's of Rut, Jacques Cartier, Roberval, Parkhurst and Sir Humphrey Gilbert, that St. John's was the most frequented of all the harbors of Newfoundland, from the day of its discovery throughout the sixteenth century. But I do not believe that any people took up their permanent abode in this harbor until about the year 1622.

I also believe that there were no European settlers in any part of Newfoundland prior to the settlement of John Guy at Cuper's Cove in 1610. The reasons for my belief are documentary, and can all be verified. I take it that the statements of eye-witnesses are the best of evidence, and are of more value than any amount of theory. While I shall produce ample documentary evidence for my belief, I wish to state that nowhere have I seen any documentary contemporary statements to prove that St. John's, or any part of Newfoundland, was inhabited by Europeans prior to 1610. So far as I am aware, nothing has been cited by the supporters of this theory, except Sabine's "History of American Fisheries," which was by no means contemporary, but was published in 1853. The statement quoted is as follows: "Some forty or fifty houses for the accommodation of fishermen were built at Newfoundland as early as 1522." No authority is quoted and no reason given; as evidence, it is of no more value than, for instance, would be my unsupported statement to the contrary. But let us assume that it is worthy of examination. First: it may mean, simply, that fishermen had built huts for their accommodation during the summer season, which, of course, was done at a very early period; but there is nothing in the statement to indicate that fishermen were living in them all the year round. Second: every statement about the New World at that date has been most carefully searched out by men who have devoted years to that branch of study, and as far as I am aware, nowhere can be found any support for Sabine's statement. Harrisse, in "Découverte de Terre Neuve," has gathered together everything relating to Newfoundland at that period; but I cannot find in it anything regarding this matter. I feel sure that, if there had been any such information, he would have produced it. Third: a statement such as Sabine's should mean that some voyager in 1522 had written a letter, or published a book, giving the information. But there is no voyager known, nor any letter extant, nor any book published, of that date. English literature is extraordinarily bare of any references to the New World at this period. The first publication giving any detailed information was Eden's translations of Sebastian Munster, in 1553, and of Peter Martyr, in 1555. Fourth: in 1522, Newfoundland, New Land, Terra Nova, or the like, was the generic name for all the seaboard—Labrador, Newfoundland, Nova Scotia, etc., down to Florida. Then our Newfoundland was not known to be an island, and was generally not distinguished from the rest of the continent. The specific name generally given to it was either Bacalaos or Corterialis. If, therefore, the statement could be found, it would simply mean that somewhere on the American seaboard forty houses had been built.

I am convinced, however, that the statement in Sabine is simply a misprint, and that for 1522 we should read 1622, when it would be critically correct. Having disposed of the only authority, if it can be called such, so far quoted for the early settlement of Newfoundland, I will proceed to give my reasons for a contrary belief.

To deal with those of a negative nature: The voyagers to Newfoundland who have left records of their visits are Rut, in 1527; Cartier, in 1534, 1536 and 1542; Roberval, in 1542; Parkhurst, 1578; and Gilbert, 1583. Neither of these says one word about any European inhabitants. A circumstance so full of novelty to the English and French nations would have been heralded abroad, had it been possible to do so. The earlier voyagers were, however, satisfied to record the result of their explorations, and the later ones to give reasons why colonization was possible and should be attempted.

The argument has been advanced that, because Cartier visited so many harbors which bore the names they still hold, they must have been peopled by Europeans. But when it is reflected that he visited Chateau and Blanc Sablon, as well as St. John's and Catalina, and no one contends that they were inhabited in 1534, the argument is seen to be valueless. It is only necessary to add, by way of refutation, that Cape Race has appeared on maps steadily since 1503, and probably was not inhabited until a lighthouse was built there, and that Cape Chidley was named by Davis in 1584, and is not yet settled. Newfoundland and Labrador were yearly visited by numbers of French, English and Portuguese fishermen from a very early time, and many harbors were known by name, but none were inhabited by Europeans.

Hakluyt, "of the travelling mind and pen," eagerly supported Sir Humphrey Gilbert in his endeavors to interest England in colonization. He wrote to Anthony Parkhurst, and made inquiries about Newfoundland with a view to its settlement, as will be seen from Parkhurst's reply commending him for the interest shown. Parkhurst wrote a lengthy reply, and, declaring that it had been his custom to search the harbors, creeks and havens, proceeded to describe the country in glowing terms. He told of the acknowledged supremacy of the English fishermen—of the fertility of the soil, and of the wealth of fish, flesh and fowl. He recommended that Chateau and Belle Isle, of all places, should be occupied by the English; "we will then be lords of the whole fishing in small time," he says. He reported finding copper and iron in St. John's, and "in ye island of iron"; doubtless, Bell Island. He enumerated the foreign fishing vessels in Newfoundland waters, but not one word does he tell us of any people living in the country. Gladly would he have encouraged Hakluyt with the news had he been able to do so.

These authorities are negative. They do not directly state that Newfoundland was not inhabited by Europeans; but, on the other hand, they do not state that it was, which we can be sure they would have done had it been the case. As a matter of fact, Rut does say that "there were no inhabitants and no people in these parts," but, as he appears to be speaking of the northernmost part of the island, it is not of much value as evidence.

I now come to direct statements to the contrary. Sir Humphrey Gilbert's most comprehensive patent was circumscribed only in one way: He was authorized to take and occupy any country "not actually possessed by any Christian power or people." He took possession of Newfoundland, in the harbor of St. John's, without anyone to say him nay, and proceeded to give grants of the foreshore to the English merchants fishing there. Haies, the historian of his voyage, describes the entertainments they received from all the masters of the vessels assembled in the harbor, and declared that "it seemed more acceptable and of greater contentation by how much the same was unexpected in that desolate corner of the world, where at other times of the year wild beasts and birds have only the fruition of all those countries, which now seemed a place very populous and much frequented."

We have here a direct statement that St. John's was only occupied during the fishing season. Strangely enough, the latter part of the sentence has been taken to prove that St. John's was inhabited—that the wild beasts and birds were the only occupants during the winter season is left out.

Haies, in several pages of argument, declares his reasons for believing that Newfoundland was fit for habitation. He compares the climate to that of Russia, where people could live comfortably, and mentions the experience of fishermen arriving late upon the coast—even in November and December—to the effect that it was no colder then than England.

If there had been any European inhabitants all the year round, the mere statement of the fact would have proved his case up to the hilt. But, instead, he continues to state that the country was uninhabited. The fact that the merchants invited Sir Humphrey to visit their "garden" has been urged as an argument indicating settlers; but the context quite disproves it—for when they arrived there, "nothing appeared more than Nature itself without art, who confusedly brought forth roses abundantly, wild but odoriferous, and to sense very comfortable." Who does not know at this day Nature's gardens in the neighbourhood of St. John's?

Further on Haies says: "The grasse and herbe doth fat sheepe in very short space, proved by English merchants who have carried sheep there for fresh victual, and had them raised exceeding fat in less than three weeks." Peason, which our countrymen have sown in the time of May, have come up fair and been gathered in the beginning of August, of which our General had a present, acceptable for the rareness, being the first fruit coming up by art and industry in that desolate and inhabited country." Again he says: "We could not observe the hundredth part of the creatures in those uninhabited lands." He upbraids those who prefer "very miserably to live and die within this realm of England, pestered with inhabitants, than to adventure as becometh men to obtain an habitation in those remote lands."

Haies does not refer in the remotest degree to houses or stores. Two days after Sir Humphrey arrived he had his tent set up on shore, in which he probably slept during his stay in the harbor. This would have been unnecessary had there been any houses fit for his occupancy. The weekly Admirals' feasts were, of course, held on board their ships. The learned Parminius also wrote to his late "bed-fellow at Oxford," Richard Hakluyt, as follows: "The manner of the country and the people remain now to be spoken of. But what shall I say, my good Hakluyt, when I see nothing but a very wilderness?"

Haies did his best to urge forward the planting of colonies, to which his late General, Sir Humphrey Gilbert, had devoted his life. Christopher Carlisle, Sir George Peckham and Hakluyt wrote long discourses urging the planting of colonies, and also produced evidence to the effect that Newfoundland was most suitable for the purpose. But the one irrefutable argument, that Newfoundland was already settled, is not so much as hinted at. As a matter of fact, at that time it was against the law for people to leave England and settle in foreign countries without special permission. After Gilbert's voyage and the defeat of the Armada, English fishermen went to Newfoundland in ever-increasing numbers, but not one statement is to be found of anyone settling there until 1610.

In 1609 John Guy and others presented a petition asking for permission to settle in a small part of Newfoundland not inhabited by any Christian person. It was referred to the Masters of Trinity House for their comments, and was duly approved. Consequently, in 1610 the charter was granted. It recites carefully the condition of things in Newfoundland. For fifty years and upwards English and European fishermen had frequented the coasts; and therefore it was stipulated that they should not be interfered with. But "the countries adjoining said coasts remain so desolate of inhabitants that scarce one advoing person hath in many years been seen in the most parts thereof, and well knowing that the same is very commodious to us and our dominions, and that by the law of nature and nations, we may possess ourselves and make grant thereof without doing wrong to any Power or State, considering they cannot justly pretend any sovereignty or right thereto, in respect the same is not possessed or inhabited by any Christian or any other whomsoever."

This careful statement of the circumstances under which Guy obtained his grant cannot be set aside.

Guy was instructed by his Associates to make choice of a place for settlement; but, they said, "The Bay of Conception we prefer before other places for the first attempt." Consequently, he directed himself to that bay, and chose Cuper's Cove for the first settlement. Guy, in his letter from Cuper's Cove, May 16th, 1611, makes boast of being the first to disprove, by his own expression, "the doubt that hath been made of the extremity of the winter season in these parts of Newfoundland, so that not only men inhabit here safely without any need of stoves, but navigation may be made to and from England to these parts at any time of the year." The fear of the winter, of the savages, and of the wild beasts, were all dispelled by his experience, so that "Many of our masters and seafaring men seeing our safety, and hearing what a mild winter we had . . . do begin to be in love with the country and to talk of coming to take land here to inhabit, falling in the reckoning as well of the commodities that they may make of bank fishing, as by the husbandry of the land, besides the ordinary fishing."

Further proof is hardly needed. If there had been any permanent inhabitants at St. John's, or anywhere else, the masters of vessels would not have needed Guy's experience to encourage them to settle. It may be argued that this was a mere boast on Guy's part, but the result proves the contrary—for whereas, prior to Guy no settlers are reported, within a few years after his venture many settlements are begun.

Guy soon had quite a little colony about him. He was careful to keep a journal of the wind and weather during the winter months, in order that there should be no question about his experience. On March 27, 1613, was born a lusty boy at Cuper's Cove, who was, no doubt, the old man pointed out to Abbé Boudoin in 1696. He had cattle, pigs, goats and fowls. Gardens were planted immediately, and were most successful. Mason tells us, 1618, that they laded carts with caplin, undoubtedly for manure, thus setting an example for Newfoundlanders ever since. In 1612 Guy went all round the north shore of Conception Bay into Trinity Bay, which he circumnavigated. His journal of the voyage has been published; but it will be noticed that either he suppresses the fact of there being other settlers in those parts, or they must have decamped and joined the Bethuets when they saw him coming.

Mason adds his quota of proof that Newfoundland was habitable, and writes to contradict those people who had maligned the country.

In addition to the evidence of Guy's Patent and his own statements, we have the whole force of Whitbourne's laboured argument urging the colonization of Newfoundland, and the direct statements of

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St. John's Girl Strangely Missing After Reaching Boston.

Bride Biggs, 22, with yellow hair and blue eyes, left St. John's, N. F., on the 16th day of January to come to Boston.

She arrived at the North station in Boston at 9.30 on the evening of Jan. 20, and since then she has disappeared from the ken of all her relatives and friends.

Friends Are Aroused. Her friends in Boston are up in arms. Is the case of Bride Biggs, they ask, going to parallel the case of Miss Londregan of St. Mary's N.F., who was never seen again by any of her friends after she had descended from the train in the station in Boston? Or the case of Captain Brophy's sister, another Newfoundland girl, who disappeared from everyone's sight as soon as she had stepped from the train in Boston?

Bride Biggs lived in that part of St. Mary's, N.F., known as River Head. Her cousin, Marie Yetman, came to Boston five years ago found the city to her liking. Since she had kept in constant communication with Peide, it was not long before Bride, too, was seized with the desire to leave Newfoundland for the richer metropolis to the south.

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She communicated her desires to Miss Yetman, at 26 Hillside avenue, Everett, and since Miss Biggs was in need of money Miss Yetman agreed to send her the money necessary to pay for a ticket from St. Mary's to Boston.

Bride Biggs accepted this offer gladly, and after a few weeks of indecision settled upon Jan. 16 as the day upon which she would start for Boston.

Left With Stranger.

Miss Yetman was in constant communication with her up to the day she left. "Do not," wrote Miss Yetman to Miss Biggs, "talk with anyone on the train. Remember what happened to Miss Londregan and Captain Brophy's sister and be careful. If by any mistake I am not at the train to meet you, do not leave the station with a stranger."

"But," said Miss Yetman to a Post reporter yesterday afternoon, "she did leave the station with a stranger. She got in at 9.30 on the evening of Jan. 20, because she was on that train. But I was not able to meet her. I expected, of course, that she would get a policeman, or someone she could trust, to take her to my home, because she knew just where I lived. Letters had passed between us about once a week."

"But no word came from her that night or the next night or the next. Then I began to be worried. I at once telegraphed to St. Mary's, asking them whether she had come as she expected to. The answer came back directly that she had and asked if I had not seen her. Then, of course, I knew that there was something wrong. But what was there to do? No one had any kind of word from her at all."

Letter From Cambridge.

"Then, a few days ago, I got a letter from my sister, Mrs. John Maher, of St. Mary's. In this she said that she had just had a letter from Bride Biggs. Bride's letter, said my sister, was only a two-line note, saying

that on the train she had met a woman who had promised to get her work. It didn't say anything about the work, or where she was or how she felt. The letter was undated and had no address on it. It was post-marked Cambridge, Mass.

"Now, it is not at all like Bride to write a letter like that, nor is it natural for her to write to my sister instead of me."

"My own opinion, as well as that of all the other Newfoundland girls in Boston, is that she met a woman on the train who said that she would take her to my house, and that she took her to a house of her own and locked her up."

"I have just been to the police, but they say they can do nothing unless they have a perfect description of her, and of the clothes she was wearing when she arrived. I have sent back to St. Mary's for photographs and description."

"Bride was about five feet seven or eight inches tall. Her hands and feet were large. Her hair was light yellow; her eyes were blue, and her cheeks always had a good color."

"I know that girls are often taken to places in Boston and kept there against their wills. There was one Newfoundland girl, not so many years ago, who came down here to Boston after her brother had sent for her. But she disappeared from sight and was not heard from for two years. At the end of that time she was discovered here in a house, where she had been kept all that time without being allowed to see or write to anyone. And even then it was her brother who found her." Boston Post, 22nd Feb., 1910.

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Sir Wm. Vaughan and Sir Wm. Alexander, that Guy was the first Christian to settle in Newfoundland.

Whitbourne has no doubt about Newfoundland being a lawful possession of Great Britain. "The English are reputed the first discoverers of this country, and a subject of this State, one Sir Humphrey Gilbert, hath long since taken possession thereof, to the use of your Majesty's royal Crown; and that possession hath been continued by several Patents and Commissions: so that of right, I do conceive, it appertaineth to your Majesty, although it be not yet peopled with your Majesty's subjects, notwithstanding the said Patents." Whitbourne meant generally inhabited, for later on he mentions both Guy's and Vaughan's settlements. In fact, he was in charge of the latter himself in 1618.

The early part of his book is taken up by a glowing description of Newfoundland and its fitness for habitation. But the consideration which moved him principally was that the fishing operations of the English would be very greatly benefited if they left winter crews in the Island. He explained how it was the practice for the British fishers to get their vessels ready in December, January and February, and to start across the ocean at that inclement season, in order that they might secure the favorite fishing posts, and be able to prepare them for their fishing operations. "Then, when they arrive there, such stages and houses that the first arrivals into an Harbor find standing (wherein men set divers necessities, and also salt their fish) some men have used to pull down or taken their pleasures of them; by which unfit disorders of some first arrivals there yearly, those which arrive after are sometimes 20 days and more to provide boards and timber to fit their boats for fishing; and other necessary rooms to salt and dry their fish on; whereby much time is lost." Whitbourne's remedy for these abuses was that each ship should leave behind for the winter season one fifth of its crew, who should "build strong houses and fit necessary rooms for all purposes," especially to protect the fish, which had often remained for three months uncovered in the heat and rain. These winter crews would build and repair their boats, staves and fish-flakes, so that there would be no necessity for vessels to be endangered by setting out in the most inclement season of the year, and everything would be ready to begin fishing as soon as they arrived. If this plan is pursued, it "will soon raise many people to be settled there in every Harbour where our Nation useth to fish, and in other Harbours there also in little time." He was persuaded that the fishermen who adhered to their old custom "will soon grow weary, when they shall see the great commodity and benefit that other men will gain by settling of people there."

He then proceeds to enumerate the harbors which could be advantageously occupied by these winter crews, and mentions, first, Trinity and Trepassy, for special reasons which he sets forth. Continuing, he says: "If after all this I should be demanded by those which know not the country what other places in the land are also fit to be peopled at first . . . there are many others excellent good Harbours, where our Nation useth to fish, lying between them both, which are very good for ships to moor fast at anchor, and easily to be defended from enemies, that shall at any attempt to molest such as shall plant in them; and better for fishing than either of the foresaid two Harbours are, of which I will particularly express some of their names. First, the Harbour of St. John's, Forlatu, Formosa, Agalot, Harbour de Grace, Renouze, and divers others." The above is quoted from his "Discourse on Newfoundland," which, I gather from internal evidence, was written in 1619. The second part of his book, "A Loving Invitation," was written in 1622.

It is very evident from the foregoing that when Whitbourne wrote, the harbors he mentions were not settled, although that at Harbour Grace must have been begun in that same season. He urges intending settlers not to be afraid of the winters. "Furthermore, they may also be more fully satisfied of the cold of that country by a Gentleman, one Master John Guy, late Mayor of the City of Bristol, that lived there two years together, and divers others of sort and quality, many years so pleasantly and healthful with their wives and families as if they had lived in England."

The whole burden of Whitbourne's song is the advantage of winter crews and the fitness of the country as a habitation for English people. I have dealt with the subject of winter crews somewhat at length, because it has been argued that such had been the practice a generation or more before Guy and Whitbourne. For the statement I have not seen advanced one scrap of contemporary evidence, and it may be asked, if winter crews had been a common custom, why did Whitbourne in 1620 make the proposal as a new thing and urge it with so much insistence? The mere statement that such had been already the custom would have stultified his whole book, which King James directed should be distributed throughout England.

Sir Wm. Vaughan's fantastic book, "The Golden Fleece," published in 1626, removes any possible doubt about the matter. He says, "John Guy, Alderman of Bristol, who was the first Christian that planted or wintered in that Island, establishing an English Colony at Cupert's Cove within the Bay of Conception"; and in another place, "Mr. Guy had oftentimes been personally in our land and wintered there twice, being

the first Christian which made it apparent to the world that it was habitable and commodious for the use of mankind."

Really, this whole thesis might have begun and ended with these statements of Vaughan. Eccentric, as he undoubtedly was, his evidence cannot be impeached on this matter. His interest in colonization was hardly second to that of Whitbourne's, and his book was written to the same purpose. He had sent out a company of Welshmen to settle in Trepassy, and had spent some time in the Colony. He undoubtedly was conversant with the facts, and records them in unmistakable language.

We now come to Sir Wm. Alexander, as to whose *bona fides* there can be no question. He had obtained a grant from the Crown of Nova Scotia, and from the London and Bristol Co. of all that part of southern Newfoundland lying westward of Placentia to Cape Ray, which tract of land he called upon his map "Alexandria." He also wrote "An Encouragement to Colonies," published in 1624, in which he gives a short history of the colonization of Newfoundland. He says: "The first houses for a habitation were built in Cupid's Cove, within the Bay of Conception, where people did well for sundry years together, and some well satified both for pleasure and profit are dwelling there still. . . . There is another plantation begun at Harbour & Grace, within the same Bay, by the City of Bristol called "Bristol's Hope." . . . Within these three years Master Secretary Calvert hath planted a company at Ferryland. . . . Last year I hear that my Lord Falkland, now Lord Deputy of Ireland, hath sent a company to inhabit at Renewes, a place lying south of Ferryland." This last colony was led by Sir Francis Tanfield, as related by Vaughan in both his "Newlanders' Crew" and "Golden Fleece." Sir Wm. Alexander's evidence is as definite as Vaughan's to the effect that Cupid's was absolutely the first settlement in Newfoundland. But Sir Wm. Alexander also gives us the first record of any persons spending the winter in St. John's. The ship, with colonists, which he sent in 1622 to plant in Nova Scotia, only succeeded in getting as far as St. Pierre, and was beaten back to Newfoundland. "And as they passed the Bay of Placentia, neglecting the occasion to plant themselves in some part of my bounds there, as they might have done, they went into St. John's Harbor, where they concluded to stay that winter, and sent the ship home for a new supply of such things as were needful." Alexander immediately fitted out the ship again, and despatched her from London at the end of March, 1623, "but having no good winds at all, they arrived not at St. John's Harbour till the 5th of June. At their coming they found the Company not fit for a plantation, which had first by an unexpected cause (?) been divided into two during the winter, and in May, some doubting of a supply, had engaged themselves to serve fishermen, by which means they gained their maintenance, and some meane beside, so that they could hardly be gathered together again, and their Minister and Smith (both for Spiritual and Temporal respects, the two most necessary members) were both dead, so that seeing no hope to plant themselves in any good fashion that year, ten of the principal persons concluded to go along with the ship to New Scotland to discover the country." On the 17th July they arrived back in St. John's, "and from thence sailed along to the Bay of Conception, where they left the ship, and dispatched themselves home in several ships that belonged to the West part of England." I presume that some of Alexander's colonists remained on, and thus founded the city of St. John's. In any case, as already stated, the above is the first record of any people spending the winter there.

The only other reference to the matter that I have found is in a letter dated Nov. 2, 1627, from one William Payne to Lady Conway. The précis in the Calendar of State Papers is as follows: "Wishes that Lord Conway, or some of his, would come in for a proportion of the lot at St. John's, Newfoundland; well known to be the chief and prime lot in the whole country. Great hopes of good commodities from thence; some houses having been already built there, it will require no great charge to follow."

This points unmistakably to the recent building of a few houses. The reference to the "lot at St. John's" is interesting. Judge Prowse pointed out that it was apparently not included in the grants or transfers made by the London & Bristol Co. to Vaughan, and from Vaughan to Lord Baltimore. Evidently there is more to be found about these transactions.

The Charter of the London & Bristol Co. is peculiar. They are first given all that part and a portion of Newfoundland bounded on the north by the parallel of latitude passing through Cape Bonavista, and on the west by the parallel of longitude passing through Cape St. Mary's. They are then given the whole country and islands commonly called Newfoundland, lying between 46 degs. and 52 degs. north latitude. The latter grant was evidently considered valid, for Sir Wm. Alexander obtained from them his lot of "Alexandria."

The London & Bristol Co. were bound by their charter not to interfere with the fishermen, either British or foreign, who had been in the habit of frequenting the harbors of Newfoundland in the summer season, and, as I stated at the beginning of this paper, St. John's was always an important centre, and John Guy and his company found it impossible to disturb the rights of its summer visitors. Also, it is barely possible that some of the English merchants, who had received grants of the foreshore from Sir Humphrey Gilbert, had maintained their rights by occupation every fishing season, which would certainly have precluded any interference from the London & Bristol Co.

Another authority who may be quoted is Richard Eburne, whose "Plaine Pathway to Plantations," published in 1624, was written to encourage the colonization of Newfoundland. He also speaks of the country being uninhabited, save for the settlements which had recently been made, which he enumerates. He, however, does not speak of his own knowledge, but quotes largely from Whitbourne.

To sum up: If Newfoundland were settled in Gilbert's time, what object could Haies, Peckham, Carlisle, Hakluyt, Guy, Mason, Whitbourne, Vaughan and Eburne have had in urging its colonization, and being at so much pains to prove that it was a place capable of habitation?

If the practice of leaving winter crews were a common one, what need for Whitbourne to recommend it so strongly in 1620?

Haies speaks of a boat obtained in St. John's which had been built in the country, but it does not follow that it was built during the winter. In fact, we learn from the instructions given to Guy what the practice was: "Every ship that resorteth thither to fishing bringeth with them sawyers to make or mend their fishing boats, which may well be supplied by you with pine boards, whereof you shall have plenty when the saw is set up." If winter crews were left in Newfoundland every winter for this work, what need for the fishing vessels to bring out men for the work every spring?

But, as I have already stated, no further evidence is required than the express statements of Guy, Vaughan and Alexander to prove that no Europeans had attempted to settle in Newfoundland before the adventurous John Guy planted himself at Cuper's Cove just three hundred years ago.

It seems to me a pity to lessen the achievement of John Guy. In my opinion, it was a great and memorable deed to have founded the oldest British Colonial settlement, now within the Empire, and my object in bringing forward these arguments at this time is to establish him in what I believe to be his rightful niche in our temple of fame.

In conclusion, I wish to express my indebtedness to Judge Prowse's "History" in the preparation of this paper. We may not always agree with the Judge in his deductions, but it is to his work that we have to turn for the data upon which our theories are based, and to him, therefore, such merit as there may be in them is primarily due.

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3. That Australasian experience convinces this House that to adopt woman suffrage is simply to apply to the political sphere that principle of government that secures the best results in the domestic sphere—the mutual co-operation of men and women for the individual and general welfare.

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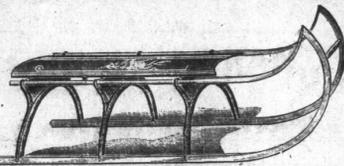
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