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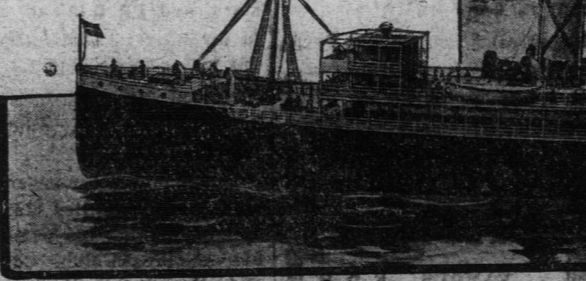
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"I think it quite natural you should want to go," was his quiet answer. "Oh, do you?" she cried, eagerly: "then you don't blame me, Tom?" "No, I don't blame you, dear," Kelpie's eyes brimmed quite over this time, and, as she looked up in the young assistant's face, two great crystal tears trickled down her cheeks.

The poor fellow would have given twenty years of his life for the privilege of kissing them away, but he stood like a stone wall.

"I'm so glad you don't blame me, Tom," Kelpie went on, quite unconscious of her tears. "I feel easier since I know that, and now, Tom, I want to ask you something. I'm going. I shall never rest satisfied if I don't; but, Tom, if I get there and want to come back, and Mrs. van Cortlandt tries to prevent me, if I don't want to be her daughter, but to come back to daddy, and I send you word, Tom, will you come and bring me home?"

His gray eyes flashed as he answered: "Yes, Kelpie, I'll come and bring you home."

"You promise, Tom?"

"Yes, Kelpie, I promise on my honor."

"Oh, Tom, how good you are! You have taken such a load off my mind. Why, I feel quite contented now, and you must do all you can to comfort poor daddy. Tom, promise me that, too."

"Who will comfort me, when you are gone?" was on Tom's lips, but like the hero he was, he forbore to utter the words, and merely answered quietly:

"Yes, Kelpie, I promise to do all I can."

"You dear, good, kind, obliging fellow, you have made me quite happy!" she cried, her face radiant. "I don't see what in the world I should do without you, Tom."

"Oh, you ragamuffin," she broke off suddenly, catching hold of his tattered sleeve, "so we're to go down the secret ladder and find that belt at last. I shall be delighted, but I must run away and make a ragwoman of myself first. This is one of my prettiest gowns I have on."

"I say, Tom," she added, with a gay little laugh, "what do you say to a dance before I don my ragged attire, our last dance, perhaps, for many a long day?"

She slipped her hand within his arm as she spoke, and went tripping forward, but he put her from him almost angrily.

"No, I can't dance. Don't try me too far, Kelpie," he said, as he strode away.

"I wonder what made Tom so cross all in a moment?" Kelpie wondered, as she exchanged her pretty gown

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But she was agreeably surprised, Tom joined her at the door of the little storage room, with a smiling face, every trace of his late ill humor, if ill humor it was, quite gone.

"Well, Miss Ragwoman, here you are," he said pleasantly, "so I suppose the next thing is to unlock the door and prepare ourselves for—we'll, it is difficult to say what."

"For finding that mysterious belt," said Kelpie promptly. "At any rate, that's what I'm prepared for, and I give you timely warning not to go nosing about on your own hook, Tom Holland, for, if you dare to get your hands on the prize before I do, I shall proceed at once to pitch you down the secret stairs."

"You couldn't have the heart to do anything so dreadful," began Tom, as he opened the door. Then he stopped short, glanced about him, and exclaimed:

"Good gracious alive!"

"Why, what's the matter?" said Kelpie.

"Matter enough," replied Tom, "the secret ladder is gone!"

Kelpie stared in amazement.

There was the iron hook in the left-hand corner; there were the stout iron rings from which the iron ladder had been suspended, but the ladder itself had vanished!

CHAPTER XVI.

"It won't do, I tell you. Kelpie's nothing more than a child, and I'm not going to pack her off on a journey like that all by herself. You'll have to go with her, Janet, so there's no use in making any more to-do about it. If Mrs. van Cortlandt don't like our coming, she can lump it, that's all."

"I don't see why you can't go with her yourself, sir," said the old Scotch nurse bluntly.

"Well, I can. Who's here to look after the light, now that Tulliver's gone? I can't leave the whole business on Tom Holland's shoulders. Besides, you can do better than a rough old fellow like me. Come now, Janet, don't be stubborn. You won't like to see the little woman going off all by herself, I'm sure."

"I don't like to see her going off at all, sir, for that matter," answered Janet, with tears trickling down her cheeks.

"It doesn't hurt you one bit more to see her go than it does me, but we can't help ourselves," said the old man brokenly. "She's going, and it's only natural she should want to go. And I don't like to stand between her and her good fortune."

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"Oh, don't worry on our account," he said cheerfully. "We shall get along famously, I assure you. At all events, we shan't starve, if I'm to carry the keys."

"Oh, I had quite forgotten about the keys," said Kelpie, taking a jingling bunch from her pocket, "though to tell the truth, I seldom use them. There's not much use in locking up things, though the boys do steal the preserves and pickles once in a while. Tulliver used to make away with a jar every now and then. I caught him in the act once."

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"That settles the matter as far as I am concerned," said Janet, when she had heard the message. "but I'll go as far as Shoal City with my little barn, anyhow."

Kelpie was in a flutter of excitement the last night she spent in the old tower. She could not keep still for a moment, but flitted about, busy in making up first one thing and then another, her cheeks flushed and her eyes bright.

"I'm afraid you'll tire yourself out, little woman," said the old keeper, watching her with sad, fond eyes. "Why don't you sit down and rest a bit?"

"I can't. I've got so many things to do, you see, daddy; I want to put everything in apple pie order for you and Tom before I go. I've tidied up your rooms and arranged all your papers, and now I'm going to put the cupboard in shape."

"You'll have to be housekeeper when I'm gone, Tom, and I'll make it as easy for you as I can. You'll find the jars all labeled, and a little book filled with suggestions as to what you shall have for your meals; but I'm afraid you'll get things dreadfully mixed up."

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cap'n and I went down yesterday and made a thorough search."

"What did you find, Tom?"

"Not a thing, only the ladder had been taken away."

"Have you any idea who took it away, Tom?"

"I suppose Tulliver must have done it."

"That's what I think, and one of these nights he'll come up and murder you and daddy in your sleep."

"You forget that the cap'n and I never sleep at the same time, Kelpie," laughed the assistant.

"But he might kill one of you and then overpower the other."

"That's not very likely. Besides, the door of the storage room is generally kept locked."

"It would be easy enough to unlock it from the inside, Tom," and Kelpie moved nearer to the young man's side and laid a trembling hand on his shoulder. "Tulliver's a bad man. He threw you over into the sea once."

"I know it, Kelpie."

"He'd do the same thing again, or something worse, if he got a chance. Oh, Tom, I shall be dreadfully uneasy about you. I've half a mind to give up going away, after all, and stay here and take care of you and daddy."

Kelpie's voice trembled, and, though he did not raise his eyes, Tom knew that tears were trickling down her cheeks. The impulse to take her in his arms and tell her how fondly he loved her and entreat her not to leave him was so strong that the poor fellow quite lost his breath for a moment.

If he had yielded to his great, masterful passion, the girl might have been won then and there, and all the peril and pain of the future spared to her; but a sudden thought of the locked door and the white bird's neck on the night of the storm flashed like lightning across Tom's mind. He looked up and saw the slender chain around the girl's white throat and was silent.

"If I ask you to do something, will you consent, Tom?" Kelpie went on, her soft little hand still resting on his shoulder.

"Why, certainly, I will, Kelpie," he replied, controlling his voice by a desperate effort. "Have I ever refused to do anything you asked me?"

"Never, Tom. You've been good to me always. But listen: I want you to put a bolt on the door of the storage room to prevent its being opened from within. Will you, Tom?"

"Yes, Kelpie."

"But when will you do it, Tom?"

"Oh, before long."

Kelpie shook her head.

"That won't do, Tom. I want you to put it on now. I've got a strong iron bolt and a box of tools out here on deck. Come along, please."

She slid down from her perch on the desk and slipped her hand within his arm as he arose to his feet.

"Come along," she said. "I want to see you do it with my own eyes, and then I shall know it's done; and, Tom, I want you to make me a solemn promise to come here every night at eight o'clock sharp—and see for yourself that the door of the storage room is bolted. You'll promise me, won't you, Tom?"

"Oh, yes, to be sure I will."

"Very well," she went on, a little tremor in her voice and a sudden mist softening her uplifted eyes. "I'll make you a promise in return. No matter where I am, or what I am doing, when the clock strikes eight I'll go to the window and look at the stars, and I'll think of you, and say, in my heart: 'God bless you, dear old Tom.' That will be almost as if we stood face to face and shook hands with each other, won't it, Tom?"

Tom could not answer. A great, wild, mad hope filled his heart for the instant, making his pulses bound and his very breath stop. Could it be possible that Kelpie cared for him, after all, he wondered, looking down at her fair, uplifted face.

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Dawo, Frank G., Beaumont St.
Davis, Ernest, care Gen'l Delivery
Dwyer, Michael, Nagle's Hill
Doran, Piemont, George's St.
Mickinle, John, Water St.
Down, Mrs. Richard

E
Evans, Miss Agnes, card, Long's Hill
Elliott, W. H., late St. George's
Emily, Miss M.
Freeman, Miss Violet
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H
Harris, Miss Elsie, Queen's Road
Hollett, John, late North Hr.
Harvey, W. T.
Halfyard, Miss Lena, King's B. Rd.
Harden, Miss Beatrice, 22— St.
Halley John, Water St.
Hill, Miss M. C., Victoria St.
Hickey, Mrs. Ellen, King's Road
Hookey, Chas. T., Cuddilly St.
Hookey, Master Hubert, Gower St.
Hurley, Miss A.
Hunt, Edmund, Gower St.
Hurtin, Mrs. Arthur, Barnes' Rd.
Hurder, John, Water St.
Hann, Miss Rose, Military Road

I
Irving, Violet, retd.

J
Joy, John L., Pleasant St.

K
Kavanagh, Chas., care Reid Co'y
Kelly, John F., Bond St.
Kirby, Mrs. Ellen
Kilcup, D., West End P. Office
King, John

L
Layman, Miss Bride, Military Rd.
Layne, Catherine, Mrs.
Lewis, W. J., Pennywell Rd.
Lockyer, Miss Sarah Ann
Loren, Miss Alice, Bazaar's Square

M
Marshall, H. G.
Martin, A. A.
Martin, Mrs. Thos.
Maud, Miss A., Mand. Flavin's St.
Mallard, Mrs. Patrick
Major, Mrs. Brookmill Road
Mandevilla, Mrs. Ellie
Rennie's Mill Road
Miller, Miss Jennie, Morgan St.
Mickinle, John, Water St.
Moore, John
Morzan, Miss Ethel, New Gower St.
Mugford, J., late Birkenhead
Murphy, H. T., Water St.
Mercer, J., care Stafford's

N
Nelson, J. S.
Norman, Miss Minnie
Noworthy, W., Cabot St.
Noworthy, Miss S., slip, Dicks' Sq.
Noworthy, Miss Minnie, Water St.
Noworthy, Miss Carrie
Livingstone Street
Norman, Miss Minnie, Water St.

O
Oakley, Wm., LeMarchant Rd.
Oakley, James
O'Neil, P. J.
O'Connor, J.

P
Parrell, Wm., Mt. Scio
Parsons, Mrs. Wm., Coronation St.
Phillips, Miss Sophie, Water St.
Piercey, A.
Pitcher, C., Lime St.
Powell, Mrs. John, Flower Hill (97)
Pollett, Miss L., Theatre Hill
Power, Miss Nellie, Long's Hill
Purchase, Miss Maggie, Monkstown Road

R
Raines, Master J., Care Gen'l P. Office
Rendell, Thomas, Flower Hill
Reid, Miss Mary E.,
Rowe, Wm., Gill St.
Robinson, Lieut. F., Good St.
Roberts, Miss Lizzie
Russell, Mrs., care Mrs. Bearnas
Randell, Mrs. James, Prescott St.

S
Saunders, Wm., George's St.
St. Croix, Mrs. Margaret, late Grand Falls
Sparkes, E. C., St. John's West
Smith, Mr., Bank
Strong, Mrs. Cerial
Stickland, Nurse, Water St.

T
Taylor, Miss Stella
Taylor, Mrs. Wm., Gower St.
Thorne, Miss Elsie, Lime St.
Tucker, Robert, Signal Hill Road
Tulk, Mrs. A. T., Pilot's Hill
Tobin, Miss Bride, Gower St.

W
Walsh, Martin, Long Pond Road
Walsh, Thomas, Long Pond Road
Walsh, Miss Annie, Lower St.
Ward, Mrs. Thos., Signal Hill
Walsh, Mrs. Richard, George's St.
Warner, A. E., Hamilton Street
Walsh, Robert, Mount Scio
Wiseman, Miss Sarah, George's St.
Winter, H. O., care G.P.O.
Whiteford, Miss Mary, Military Road
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Killed. German losses are estimated at 19,700. Of this number, 1,700 are prisoners.

GERMAN WAR COUNCIL.

LONDON, March 18. The Evening News prints a despatch from Copenhagen to the effect that Emperor William and General Von Falkenhayne, Chief of the German General Staff, arrived to-day at the German army headquarters, near Lille. Their visit, the News states, is for the purpose of participating in a council of war. The despatch adds that Emperor William and General Falkenhayne already have held conferences with Frederick William, the German Crown Prince and Rupprecht, Crown Prince of Bavaria. The Kings of Saxony and Wurttemberg are on their way to join the council of war.

PRZEMYSL FORTS FALLING.

LONDON, March 18. Press reports from Petrograd say that the outer forts at Przemyśl have fallen before the Russian attack. The Russians are again fighting upon German soil. A despatch from Warsaw states that the German forces defending Lauenburg, in East Prussia, have been beaten back by the Russians, after a fierce attack, the Muscovite troops advancing into Prussia.

TURKISH OUTRAGES.

LONDON, March 18. The Foreign Office was advised to-day that Turkish soldiers recently ran wild in Urniah district of north-western Persia, and killed several hundred civilians. The Turks are said to have burned several villages after looting them.

ROMANIA STOPS CONTRABAND.

PARIS, March 18. A message to a Balkan agency from Bucharest, says that the Roumanian Government has seized a large quantity of shells in transit from Germany for Turkey. The contents of the cases containing these shells, are said to have been disguised by false marks.

GERMANS USE NEUTRAL FLAG.

LONDON, March 18. Advice received by the Foreign Office to-day states that a neutral flag has been flown by a German vessel. The German steamer Amrie Eliz (?) it is said, recently entered a Norwegian port flying the Norwegian flag.

U.S. AMBASSADOR LEAVES CONSTANTINOPLE.

AMSTERDAM, March 18. According to the Berlin Times Zeil-

\$300 for Charity

Realized by Ice Sports. The Committee who managed the Charity Ice Sports held recently at the Prince of Wales Rink, met last night at the C. C. C. Band Rooms to finalize business financially in connection therewith. Mr. Mark Chaplin occupied the chair and Secretary Tobin informed the meeting that the net proceeds of the concert was \$300. This amount will be divided equally between the St. Vincent de Paul and Dorcas Societies and Salvation Army, each getting \$100. Before the meeting adjourned votes of thanks were tendered Messrs. F. W. Ayre, F. Martin, T. J. Duley and P. Johnson for prizes donated; to Capt. Bulley (C. C. C.), the promoter of the movement) the C. C. C. Band; the Rink management and to the press.

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Khaki is Best Fighting Color.

How should a soldier be clad? asks the London Standard. The answer obvious. He should be warm in the winter and cool in the summer. But this is only a corner of the question. Warm and cold clothing, can be arranged quite easily. The discussion at the present moment is what his color should be. Of course, there is a very exquisite science of color, and it would be easy to design a perfectly invisible set of clothing for any man who wants to stand still in one place.

In one corner of the Natural History Museum at South Kensington two birds are on show. One is visible, and the other is either missed altogether by the human eye or else it looks like a ghost. Both are models of doves, and the invisible or semi-visible ghost is just as solid as the other one. Its invisible coat has been given by painting darker greys on its back and all the upper edges of its head and wings. In fact, on all parts that would ordinarily catch the sunlight the body the staining grows lighter, until, just opposite the ground shadow, it is pure white.

If only our soldiers could be clothed in some gradation of colors that would make them as invisible as the ghostly pigeon it would be very useful indeed. It might be done. Possibly every man that marched through London in khaki-like by grad. ing the tints of his equipment. He might be colored like a rabbit, white beneath and darker up his legs, deep brown at the top of his shoulders and all over his hat. Unfortunately a soldier sometimes lies down, and so the gradations of his color become absurd.

Our English soldier in khaki is the most invisible of all the soldiers in the world. We have had our lessons in the snow-clad mountain passes of North Western India and in the deserts of Southern Egypt. We have sent our men under fierce sunlight across the veldt of South Africa, and drilled them in winter fogs over the black lands of Aldershot. Out of a million such experiments has come the sure conviction that khaki is the most invisible of all colors.—Ed.



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Hr. Grace Notes.

Master Max Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Taylor, of the Southside, underwent an operation at his home yesterday, and had his tonsils removed. Drs. Cron and Stentford performed the operation which was pleasant to say was successful, and the patient is doing well.

It was our privilege, yesterday to have a chat with an old lady who is nearing her 96th year—Mrs. Mary Simmons, mother of Mrs. Arch. Noseworthy, of the Southside. The old lady was very interested in chatting of old times and could refer to scenes in the early life with as much ease as one 40 years younger. She has been an invalid for four years, but her daughter's great care and attention makes the evening of the old lady's life very happy.

A sad occurrence took place at Riverhead yesterday morning, when Miss Effie Hickey while mentally afflicted, took her own life by hanging herself in the stable. A sister called to see her and a sick brother, and as the deceased was nowhere to be found in the house she went out in the barn looking for her, and was horrified to find the lifeless body suspended from a beam. The shock was a terrible one to the woman as it was to all the residents. The family have the deepest sympathy of everybody.

One of the best meetings of the Loyal Orange Association of Harbor Grace for many years, was held in their lodge room on Monday night, 15th inst. Past Grand Master Morison, Grand Deputy, Master Penney and Bro. T. F. Butt being present. The Worthy Master, Bro. John Butt, called the lodge to order at 8 o'clock. The meeting opened with prayer and the singing of the National Anthem. The W.M., in a few well chosen words, introduced the Grand Lodge Officers, and asked Past Master Morison if he would take the chair and preside over the meeting. On taking the chair P.G.M. Morison expressed great pleasure at being present, and very clearly stated the object of the meeting. He then called on Bro. Penney to address the meeting, and the latter gave a very able and interesting address on the Association and its principles. Bro. T. F. Butt then gave an able and interesting address lasting over an hour, on the causes which led to the great European War. The other speakers were Bro. Wm. Butt, Bro. Edward Parsons, and Bro. Grouchy, the last named of Potch Cove. Patriotic songs were sung between the addresses by Bros. Leonard Sheppard, Robert Morison, and Past Master John Davis, music being supplied by Bro. Wm. Butt. P.G.M. Morison then very clearly explained the principles of the Orange Association and the good-work that has been done throughout the country since its organization. It was then proposed by P.M. Sheppard and seconded by D.M. Rogers, and unanimously carried, that a hearty vote of thanks be extended to the Grand Lodge officers and other brethren for their visit to Harbor Grace and for the very able and instructive addresses delivered. Also that a hearty invitation be extended to P.G.M. Morison and the other Grand Lodge officers for another good rousing Orange meeting at a future date. P.G.M. Morison replied, and said he would make arrangements with some of the Grand Lodge officers to hold another meeting here in the month of November when the brethren would have returned from their different vocations. The Orangemen of Hr. Grace greatly appreciate P.M. Morison, who for forty years has worked so faithfully for the benefit of the Order, and has raised the standard of Orangeism in Newfoundland to what it now is an institution of over 16,000 members in good standing, and they sincerely hope that he may be spared for many years with good health to continue his noble work.

Army Presentations.

The Volunteers of No. 7 Platoon made the gift of a gold watch to Mr. J. J. O'Grady, their commander, yesterday afternoon. The presentation was made by Corp. C. G. News in a neat speech. The recipient made a suitable reply.

At an impromptu banquet held last night by the National Club one of its members, Private G. Scoville, late of Job Bros. office, was presented with a gentleman's dressing case.

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MAKING UP.

There are ways and ways of deceiving the public, but skill must be exercised when one tries to fool other folks about one's complexion, rosy lips, or perfectly arched brows. I do not disapprove of a discreet touch of colour being added to the two pale cheeks or the colorless lips, but it must be done with discretion.

A good light should be placed overhead or at the side of the dressing table, for only in this way is it possible to observe closely the effect of one's powder and rouge. Again powders and rouges do not always blend harmoniously.

Some women have a natural colour at night, others are pale, and here judicious use of the rabbit's foot will do no harm. Shade according to contour of the face and touch the ears lightly when they are very pale. The lips also come in for their attention, just the merest touch is sufficient.

Wherever rouge is applied, it is far better to apply too little than too much, for flagrant artifice disgusts many men and it advertises a woman's vanity to an extreme. Rouge is applied before powdering the skin, for this tends to blend it to a more natural tint.

Every woman must determine the kind of her powder, one for the flesh and another oftentimes for the face. Sometimes the skin on the face has a rosier hue than on the chest and arms and vice versa.

Lamb's wool pads are preferred for

Rod and Gun.

"Injun Bones and Huskies" by J. R. Fraser in March-Rod and Gun is no lap-dog story but an account of a desperate encounter which two adventurers in the far north had with a band of ferocious huskies from which they narrowly escaped with their lives. "That Cub of Patrick's" is a somewhat amusing tale—though Pat himself found the experience very provoking—of a captured bear cub that proved one too much for his captor. "A Visit to the Nakimu Caves of Glacier Park, B.C." "Windobin's Cabin." "The Passing of the Buffalo" and other stories and articles, along with the regular departments, go to make up a fine March number. This sportsman's publication is issued at Woodstock, Ont., by W. J. Taylor, Limited.

PORTIA JAMMED.—Last evening Messrs. Bowring Bros. had word that their coastal steamer Portia was jammed about one and a half miles S. W. of Bay Bulls Head south.

WAS A VOLUNTEER.—Volunteer Merrell, who is a corporal with the Second Contingent, leaving here shortly, was one of the crew of H. M. S. Charybdis on this coast in 1900.

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Latest Sealing News.

At 8 o'clock last evening Job Bros. received the following message from the Nascope:—
"Beothic alongside; other steel steamers two miles west; wind E. S. E., and blowing strong; Neptune off Cape Bonavista. Adventure's propeller damaged."
At the same hour Bowring Bros. received the following from Capt. W. Bartlett, of the Viking:—
"Blowing a gale from the N. E., making slow progress."
The following messages came to Bowring Bros. Ltd., last night:

- FROM S.S. FLORIEL.**
Via Foggo.
"Only change from yesterday steamed two miles westward; Ventures alongside; Nascope and Beothic two miles eastward; all jammed."
A. KEAN.
- FROM S.S. VIKING.**
Via Cape Ray.
"Twenty miles west Byron Island; now bound west, in heavy sheet ice, making slow progress."
W. BARTLETT, Jr.
- FROM S.S. TERRA NOVA.**
Via Cape Ray.
"Blowing a gale from N.E., snowing at intervals; jammed 20 miles south Magdalen's."
W. BARTLETT, sr.
- FROM S.S. EAGLE.**
Via Foggo.
"Funks N.N.E. 20 miles; jammed."
E. BISHOP.

This morning Messrs. Job Bros. received the following message from the S. S. Nascope:—

"Just got clear, midnight, made good progress; making fair progress now; wind east by south, rainstorm. Our position now as follows: 10 miles N. N. E. Foggo, passing struck small patch of hobs. The following ships are in sight: Beothic only, others probably not far behind. Just saw few old harps in water; all well."
(Sgd.) R. B. JOB.

To Marine and Fisheries Department front:—

LaSce—Strong east wind with heavy rain and fog, ice coming in on the land; a few old seals got at the Cape yesterday, couldn't reach the helping ice owing to slob.
Change Islands—Strong east wind, heavy rain, about two miles water along shore; few old harps killed yesterday.
Seal Cove—Weather stormy, bay still jammed with ice; no seals.
Nipper's Harbor—Strong E. N. E. wind, raining; bay blocked with ice.
Last night a wireless was received from Capt. Jacob Kean intimating that the Adventure was in company with the other steel ships.
Messrs. Harvey & Co. have wired to Capt. Cross of the Bellaventure and Capt. Bartlett of the Bonaventure asking for news.

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THE STEPHANO.—The work of handling the Stephano's freight will finish about 6 o'clock this evening. The ship will haul down to A. J. Harvey & Co.'s pier to-night, and sails to-morrow morning for Halifax taking in saloon these passengers: Mrs. (Dr.) Shankel, Capt. James Durrien, Miss Fox, Mrs. R. G. Rendell and nurse, R. G. Rendell, Miss Sinnott, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Winter and child, Hon. R. Watson and A. Sheard, and 23 second class.

PARADED AT ST. BRIDE'S.—At St. Bride's the members of the Holy Name Society, paraded on St. Patrick's Day. Upwards of 500 people from several Placentia Bay points, paraded through the village. Rev. Fr. O'Callaghan was also in the tumbrel, carrying the statue of Ireland's patron Saint.

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Fresh Turkeys.
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10 cases NECCO One Cent Candles.

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Lima Beans, 10c. lb.
Icing Sugar, 10c. lb.

Fresh Country Eggs, 25c. doz.
500 lbs. Fresh Halibut.

T. J. Edens

Our Volunteers.

Twenty-nine volunteers enlisted with the Second Contingent yesterday, making a total of 1,397 enrolled to date. The names of those who enlisted yesterday are:—

Ern H. Thomas, St. John's.
Wm. Callahan, St. John's.
Jas. J. McGrath, St. John's.
Robt. Jas. Learning, St. John's.
Chas. Kavanagh, St. John's.
Pierre Coxworthy, St. John's.
Harold E. Rendell, St. John's.
Matthew T. Abbott, St. John's.
Matthew Hearn, St. John's.
Alan Geo. Steele, Northern Bay, C. B.

Jos. Lundy, Little River.
Chas. Curnew, Petrie's Crossing, Bay of Islands.
Jas. Brown, Curling, Bay of Islands.

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Geo. Harris, Humbermouth.
Fred Guy, Humbermouth.
Rd. Redmond, Avondale.
David Brown, Tilton.

Robt. Chipman, Spaniard's Bay.
Ambrose Stride, Bridgeport, N.D.B.
Edgar Morris, Morison's, N.D.B.
Fred Stronede, Alexander Bay, B.B.

Arch Bursay, Clarendville.
Fred Piercey, Clarendville.
Wilson Wiseman, Clarendville.
Jos. Seward, Clarendville.
Paul Lilly, Exploits, N. D. B.

Gerald Freeman, Exploits Harbor, N. D. B.
Austin Benoit, St. George's.
Ml. Coady, Harbor Grace.

There are now about 420 men under drill daily and No. 12 platoon is now being formed.

Economy

GAS COKE yields 44 per cent of radiant heat, whereas coal gives only 19 per cent under the same conditions.

GAS COKE is clean to handle.
GAS COKE is smokeless.
GAS COKE gives a clear red glow.
GAS COKE lasts longer than coal.
Light the fire with paper and sticks and a little coal. When once burning make it up with Coke, the cheapest solid fuel.

For a limited time only, the St. John's Gas Light Company will deliver in any part of the town at \$6.50 per ton, or \$3.25 per half ton.

ON THE BRIDGE.

I stood on the bridge at midnight and looked at the "sizzling town," where the pleasure seeking people were holding the sidewalks down. The moon rose over the city and shone on the dames and gents, but the glare of the lights electric made it look like twenty cents. The windows of homes were darkened, for no one was staying there; the children, as well as grownups, were all in the Great White Glare. Deserted were all the freeways, abandoned the old time game; alas, that the old home circle is naught but an empty name. The father is out chug-chugging, the mother is at her club, the kids see the moving pictures, and go to hotels for grub. How often, oh, how often, in the days that seemed good to me, have I looked at the children playing at home, where they ought to be! How often, oh, how often, in those days of the proper stamp, have I gazed on the parents reading at home, by the evening lamp! But the world has gone to thunder, forgotten that elder day; and I took up the bridge and broke it, and threw all the chunks away.

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Farmers!

Book your orders NOW for Potato Manure and Potato Phosphate (for potatoes), Bone Fertilizer, Animal Fertilizer and Dissolved Bone (for all root crops), Ground Bone, Nitrate of Soda (for hay).

The time is getting short when you will require the above.
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Making Long Passage.

Quite a number of foreign fish carriers are making long passages and have been on this coast for several weeks past. Three of them, the Nellie Louise, Dunure and Dorothy Baird are reported to have harboured at North Harbor, Placentia and Burin, respectively, and are awaiting the ice embargo to lift before they can venture to St. John's.

FRASER ENGINES.

Buy Our Fraser Engines. We are here to look after you, and give you service.
Fraser run on Kerosene and use much less oil than other makes.
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Friday and Saturday Bargains.

At the ROYAL STORES.

Besides the Great Clearance Sale oibute its share to the selling treats on every department in the Store will contrf Gent's Furnishings now in full swing, FRIDAY and SATURDAY.

Look this list over and you will acknowledge that we offer a

Rare Treat of Bargains.

Fancy Linens

We have a good many pieces of Fancy Linen slightly soiled through being used for window displays. The assortment consists of Cushion Covers, Tea and Tray Cloths, D'Orsies, Pillow Cases, &c., all hand embroidered and lace trimmed. To make room for fresh goods these will be
CLEARED OUT AT ALL COSTS.

NEW SPRING FOOTWEAR

At Bargain Prices.



LADIES' DONGOLA BLUCHER BOOTS.

Over 70 pairs offered in this lot, good Black Dongola Kid, patent tips and Cuban heels; sizes from 3 to 7. Reg. \$2.15 pair. **Friday & Saturday 1.95**

MISSIE'S DONGOLA KID BOOTS.

Buttoned and lace styles, patent tips, stout soles; sizes from 11 to 2. Values from \$1.65 to \$2.00. **Friday and Saturday 1.60**

Goods You Need Now.

Household Furnishing Specials

WHITE SUMMIT QUILTS.

Full bed size, one of our best values; hemmed ends. Reg. \$1.25 each. **Friday and Saturday 1.05**

ART MUSLINS.

These dainty patterns will make charming yet inexpensive Curtains. They come in assorted colors, Cream grounds; about 36 inches wide. Reg. 12c. yard. **Friday and Saturday 10c**

ART SATENS.

Here is a good and timely offer. Nothing like this for furniture covering. Beautiful range of colors and designs; 27 ins. wide. Reg. \$2.5c. yard. **Friday and Saturday 22c**

PILLOW SHAMS.

Fine White Cotton Pillow Shams, frilled and embroidered; size 19 x 30; extra special values. Regular 60c. each. **Friday & Saturday 50c**

HORROCKSES SHIRTING.

White Cotton Shirting, 36 inches wide; extra soft finish; entirely free from dressing. Reg. 16c. yd. **Friday & Saturday 14c**

LINOLEUM MATS.

6 doz. only splendid little Mats in assorted patterns and colors; size 18 x 35. Reg. 38c. each. **Friday & Saturday 34c**

DOOR MATS.

Real Axminster Door Mats in a great variety of designs; size 11 x 29; wool fringed ends. Regular 45c. each. **Friday and Saturday 39c**

Smallwares

AND EVERYDAY NEEDS AT SMALL PRICES.

TOY IRONS—Nickel plated hooded "Dover" Iron color. Reg. 12c. each for... **10c**

INDIA TAPES—In bundles, assorted widths; 12 in a bundle. Reg. 12c. each for... **10c**

HAIR PINS—Double Japanned, smooth points; 100 in a box; medium size. Special. 2 boxes for... **6c**

WRITING PADS—The Royal Charter Pads Letter, size 100 sheets in each; ruled. Reg. 20c. ea. for... **16c**

ENVELOPES—Crystal Burnished, oblong shaped. Special 2 pkts. for... **8c**

MENDING WOOL—On cards, in Black, Heathers, Tans, Greys, Shetlands and Naturals. Special, 3 cards for... **4c**

PHOTO FRAMES—A nice selection of fancy designs in Wood and Imitation Leather. Reg. 15c. each for... **12c**

TOILET SOAP—"The Lullaby" brand, in assorted perfumes; 2 large cakes for... **9c**

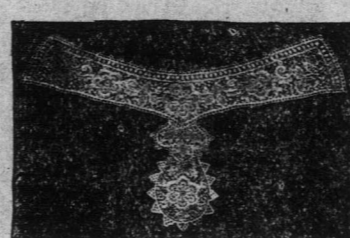
BLACK COMBS—Neat, well finished Shell Combs in good designs. Reg. 10c. each for... **7c**

Values in Gloves

LADIES' FRENCH KID GLOVES. A good assortment of high grade Kid Gloves, colors of Grey, Tan and Black; 2 dome fasteners, all sizes; well shaped. Reg. 90c. pair. **Friday and Saturday 75c**

LADIES' SUEDE FINISHED GLOVES. Newly arrived, 8 doz. only good Cashmere Gloves, finest Suede finish; shades of Grey, Natural Chamol, Navy, Beaver and Black; sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Reg. 50c. pair. **Friday and Saturday 42c**

NEW NECKWEAR FOR SPRING



LACE COLLARS:

A big collection of new Lace Collars, Swiss Embroidered Collar and Cuff Sets have arrived; all new styles. Reg. 50c. ea. **Friday & Saturday 43c**

SILK TIES AND BOWS.

A dainty lot of Neckwear Notions in Colored Silk, also a few in Brussels Net and Tulle. Reg. 20c. ea. **Friday & Saturday 16c**

35c. RIBBON VALUES FOR 16c.

Silk Taffeta Ribbon, 6 inches wide, in plain colors, including Prune, Moss, Hello, Ruby, V. Rose and many other shades; rich lustrous finish. 35c. values. **Friday and Saturday 16c**

FANCY FRILLINGS.

New patterns in dainty Sleeve and Neck Frillings; materials, Net, Lace and Tulle; colors of Cream, Black and White; a good variety of designs. Reg. 20c. yard. **Friday & Saturday 16c**

LADIES CORSETS.

4 different styles, medium and very low busts, 4 and 6 garters, embroidered and lace trimmed tops, draw strings; sizes 22 to 26. Reg. \$1.45 pair. **Friday and Saturday 1.28**

INFANTS' SLIP-THROUGH BANDS.

Strongly made of White French Coutil. Reg. 35c. each. **Friday and Saturday 30c**

CHILDREN'S COTTON DRESSES.

A very great assortment of Children's Cotton Dresses selling at Clearance Prices. Plain and Striped Gingham in Blues, Greys, &c., in a variety of serviceable styles; to fit children of 6 to 14 years. Reg. 85c. each. **Friday and Saturday 70c**

LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS.

Irish Linn Handkerchiefs in various styles, plain, embroidered, hemstitched and lace trimmed. Reg. 20c. each. **Friday and Saturday 15c**

WHITE LAWN BLOUSES

Dainty White Lawn Blouses in various pretty styles, Swiss embroidered fronts, high and low necks, Dutch, round and other collars; all sizes. 75c. values. **Friday and Saturday 60c**

Hardware Bargains

Adjusted Dust Pans. Reg. 27c. each for... **24c**

Dust Brushes, Reg. 50c. each for... **45c**

Nail Clippers, Reg. 25c. pair for... **22c**

Bottle Brushes, Reg. 30c. each for... **27c**

Dale's Dublin, Reg. 7c. tin for... **6c**

Knife Powder, Reg. 15c. box for... **12c**

Wringers, wood frame Reg. \$2.70 each for... **2.51**

Sad Irons, Dover hooded. Reg. \$1.40 set for... **1.23**

Scissors, 7 in. blades. Reg. 25c. pair for... **21c**

Alarm Timepieces, Reg. 90c. each for... **80c**

Folding Coat Hangers, Reg. 12c. each for... **10c**

Folding Skirt or Trousers Hangers, Reg. 10c. each for... **9c**

Enamel Mixing Pans, heavy, Reg. 70c. ea. for... **64c**

Enamel Kettles, 1 quart. Reg. 40c. each for... **35c**

Enamel Pails and Covers, Reg. \$1.25 each for... **1.09**

Enamel Buckets, Reg. 70c. each for... **63c**

Paint Brushes, 3 inch. Reg. 30c. each for... **26c**

Razor Straps, Reg. 40c. each for... **34c**

THE GREAT CLEARANCE SALE OF Men's Furnishings

Still Continues.



Following the splendid offerings of the past few weeks, we offer equally as good for this Friday and Saturday. Wonderful savings can be effected here on all kinds of Wearing Apparel for Men and Boys. If you have not, so far, taken advantage of this Sale, we urge you to come here this week end. It will pay you well.

MEN'S SHIRTS.

A tremendous assortment of Men's Tunic Shirts, soft tunic fronts, in assorted sizes; Coat and other styles. 75c. values. Selling for... **50c.**
90c. values. Selling for... **65c.**
\$1.50 values. Selling for... **\$1.10**

MEN'S SUITS.

A wonderful stock of Men's Suits are here for your choosing. An extensive variety of patterns and materials; all sizes are represented. \$10.00 Suits. Selling for... **\$6.50**
\$15.00 Suits. Selling for... **\$10.00**
\$20.00 Suits. Selling for... **\$13.00**
\$25.00 Suits. Selling for... **\$20.00**

BOYS' SUITS.

Suits to fit boys of all ages at wonderful price reductions; in all styles that are popular. No one with boys to clothe should miss this opportunity. \$2.10 Suits. Selling for... **\$1.60**
\$2.40 Suits. Selling for... **\$1.85**
\$3.50 Suits. Selling for... **\$2.50**
\$4.00 Suits. Selling for... **\$3.00**
\$4.50 Suits. Selling for... **\$3.50**
\$5.00 Suits. Selling for... **\$3.50**
\$7.70 Suits. Selling for... **\$5.50**
\$12.85 Suits. Selling for... **\$8.00**

MEN'S EXTRA PANTS.

In Serge, Tweeds, &c., all sizes. Prices 80c, \$1.00, \$1.30 up to \$5.00 pair.

BOYS' EXTRA PANTS.

A big stock in all sizes and materials. Prices 30c, 40c, 50c. up to \$1.50 pair.

MEN'S COLLARS.

Talk about "big values," we secured a big stock of White Linen Collars at Jackman's. These include the popular "Arrow" Collars in all sizes; double and single styles. On sale Friday & Saturday, 20c. values for... **15c**

MEN'S HATS.

JACKMAN'S ENTIRE STOCK OF HATS. No man need worry about his Spring Hat while these Felt Hats are selling so cheap. The latest in style, they were bought expressly for the Spring trade.

HARD FELT HATS.

\$2.00 values for... **\$1.50**
\$2.50 values for... **\$1.75**
\$3.00 values for... **\$2.00**

SOFT FELT HATS.

In assorted colors. \$3.00 values for... **\$2.00**

DRESS GOODS.

20 pieces Gabardine Serges, suitable for Spring Costumes, in all the newest shades; 50 inch wide. Reg. \$1.50 yard. **Friday & Saturday 1.35**

The Royal Stores Ltd.

Good Groceries

Pork and Beans, in 3 lb. tins. Reg. 15c. ea. for... **12c**

Sliced Peaches, in 3 lb. tins. Reg. 25c. ea. for... **20c**

Kola Tonic Wine, Reg. 80c. bottle for... **80c**

White's Mixed Pickles, Reg. 22c. bottle for... **20c**

Fruit Syrups, large bottles. Reg. 22c. for... **20c**

Choice Beans, Reg. 6c. lb. for... **5c**

Coleman's Baking Powder, in 1 lb. tins. Reg. 30c. each for... **24c**

Tomato Catsup, Reg. 15c. tin for... **15c**

CRANBERRIES, Special, per call... **30c**

Crockery

Hot Water Kettles, Litho and Gilt. Reg. 85c. each for... **77c**

Teapots, 1ga. size; modelled. Reg. 30c. ea. for... **26c**

Stone China Bowls, willow pattern. Reg. 11c. each for... **9c**

China Table Sets, 5 pieces: Butter and Sugar Dishes, Teapot, Bowl and Jug. Reg. \$1.10 set for... **1.00**

Cups and Saucers, Litho and Gilt; asstd. patterns. Reg. 14c. each for... **11c**

Glass Preserve Sets, plain, 7 pieces. Regular 35c. set for... **30c**

Royal Doulton Teapots, willow pattern. Reg. 75c. ea. for... **68c**

Shaded Cheese Dishes, Reg. 25c. each for... **22c**

White Stone Plates, plain, 5 inches. Special, 2 for... **6c**

Tea Cups and Saucers, White and Gold; stippled. Reg. 20c. for... **17c**

MEN'S BRACES.

Good Strong Braces, rustless metal, good rubber; guarantee with each pair. Reg. 50c. pair. **Friday & Saturday 32c**

THE NEW FORTS.

The Paris correspondent of the Army and Navy Journal writes:

The ease with which the Germans successfully captured Liege, Namur, Antwerp and the camp retranches of Maubeyge, Lille, Laon-La Fere and Rheims, all very strong positions on paper, has proved rather damaging to the prestige of permanent fortifications. Yet there is no cause for a wholesale condemnation of forts when circumstances are carefully examined. Both Belgian and French fortresses were sadly out of date in armament as well as in defensive organization, and were crushed at long range by an artillery of superior calibre (380, 305 and 420 millimeters), to which they could make no effective reply.

But, of course, reliable information as to the value of fortifications can only be derived from a study of the way modern fortresses have stood the test of war. Now the camp retranches of Verdun, Toul, Epinal and Belfort are the only ones that deserve to all to be called modern, having been the object of ceaseless improvements in recent years, though at the beginning of the war they were not quite up to date in armament, not having received the long-range naval guns that now arm them. And it is a fact that they have up to the present defied the whole might of heavy German guns and the repeated and well-aid attacks of the masses of German infantry, especially Verdun, which is yet partly encircled, though at very long distance, over 20,000 yards. These camp retranches which have been wonderfully improved both in armament and in defensive qualities since the war, have got rid of their civilian population and are defended by armies animated with the spirit of offensive. They have fulfilled the role expected of them and must be considered as inexpugnable, even should the fortune of war cause them to be blockaded.

So fortifications have come to stay, though it is agreed that the present war will lead to a series of modifications in design and armament. The small fort of circular shape, with its batteries, powder magazines and garrison quarters crowded over a limited area—a true "hid a bombes," said Gen. Langlois—may be considered a thing of the past. The large French fort of the future will aim at being superior to all comers for range, and it ought to be when it is considered that its armament can be transported and fitted at leisure in time of peace. Its long guns of naval type of extreme calibre and range will command, with the help of aeroplanes, a radius of some 18,000-20,000 yards round. They will be placed under impervious armor and be made proof against any aerial projectiles. An elaborate system of trenches for infantry at long distance from the central position, safe garrison shelters dispersed over a vast area, together with quick means of transportation for small artillery, are also to be adopted. But superiority for range over field armies must remain the first desideratum in all pieces-fortes worth that name.

Says He Will Not Intern His Ship.

Newport News, Va., March 11. — Commander Thierishens, of the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich, agreed late to-day to deliver in writing to the American Government, through the Collector of the port here, his explanation and reasons for slipping in the South Atlantic Ocean, the American sailing ship William P. Frye. The crew of the American ship Frye was landed in the afternoon, and arrangements were made for taking off later to-night the crews of British, French and Russian ships sunk in the South Sea. The Eitel Friedrich herself steamed into the Newport News shipbuilding yard and went into dry dock, where experts began an examination of her condition.

Commander Thierishens assured officials here that it was his intention not to intern his ship.

EVERYDAY ETIQUETTE

"Should I wear a full dress suit in an afternoon wedding which is held at the bride's home?" asked George.
"No! You should wear a cutaway frock coat; white, pearl, gray silk or linen waistcoat or one to match coat, gray trousers or those to match the coat; white linen and a pearl or light-colored Ascot or four-in-hand tie," directed his father.

Stafford's Prescription "A" cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Gastritis, Catarrh of the Stomach and Nervous Dyspepsia. Price 25 and 50c. Postage, 5 and 10c. extra—febl.17

WINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

White Curtain Nets!

Regular Price... 10c. yd.
March Price... 9c. yd.
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Regular Price... 16c. yd.
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Regular Price... 18c. yd.
March Price... 15c. yd.
Regular Price... 20c. yd.
March Price... 16c. yd.

MARSHALL'S March Offerings Housefurnishing Sale!

Window Blinds! 50 doz. Spring Blinds, Cream & Green. Plain, 3 ft. by 6 ft. Reg. Price 30c. March Price 27c. Plain with Fringed Ends. Regular Price 35c. March Price, 30c. Lace and Insertion Ends. Regular Price 45c. March Price, 40c.	Window Poles! 200 sets in Oak and Mahogany. Regular Price... 35c. per set March Price... 30c. per set Extension Rods! March Prices, 7c., 9c., 12c.	Lace Curtains! WHITE LACE CURTAINS. Reg. Price, 90c. March Price.. 70c. Reg. Price, \$1.10. March Price.. 80c. Reg. Price, \$1.50. March Price.. \$1.20 Reg. Price, \$1.80. March Price.. \$1.40
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Job Lot of Curtain Ends and Single Curtains—Job Prices!

Scrim! 10 pieces White Scrim, with nice dainty colored borders. Reg. Price, 20c. March Price... 17c. Reg. Price, 25c. March Price... 20c.	Floor Canvas! in all widths. Special 2 yards wide, 47c. per yard.	White Twill Sheeting! Reg. Price, 40c. March Price. 30c. yd. Reg. Price, 50c. March Price. 40c. yd. Reg. Price, 60c. March Price. 50c. yd.
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Above Prices
Strictly Cash.

Marshall Bros

Special Job White Lace Curtains!

3 yards long.
Regular Price,
\$1.20 per pair.
MARCH PRICE,

90c.

per pair

Parties and Parties.



RUTH CAMERON

"We're going to have a party for father's birthday to-night," a little friend announced to me the other day.
Her mother laughed. "The party consists chiefly of a birthday cake," she explained depreciatingly.
"But it's a party just the same," insisted the youngster anxiously, "isn't it, Aunt Ruth?"
"I'm sure it is if you feel that way," I assented.

And later when I passed the house and saw the light shining out of the living room windows and the little youngster in her betsy gown with her nose pressed against the window watching for father, and two more youngsters dancing excitedly about behind her, I felt quite sure there was going to be just the nicest kind of a party, even if its only material manifestation was a birthday cake.

What is a Party, Anyway?
After all, what's a party but a festive state of mind?
You can't have a really successful party without that, and you can have a happy party with that and little else.

Once on a time there were two young people who were marooned on that most desolate of desert islands, a city where they knew absolutely no one.
Now these two young people were sociable folks; they came from a small town where they knew everyone and everyone knew them, and where jolly neighbourhood parties were the order of the week.
At first they tried to forget their

loneliness in work, but they soon found that you can't work all the time and work well.

A Party Where all the Guests Were Well Acquainted.

Finally they had a bright idea and this is what they did. Since there was no one to invite them to a party they decided to give a party themselves every Saturday night (the time when you've tried all the week to be good and feel special need of payment in the shape of some festivity).
Whom did they invite? The only people they knew—themselves. The wife put the house in company order, planned an especially nice dinner and dressed the table with her best linen and china. If they were flush her husband brought her home two roses or pink or daffodils for the one flower vase, and perhaps a box of candy. Then they both dressed up in their very best, turned on all the lights in the house and dined in state. After dinner they danced with each other, played cards or perhaps made candy or had an open fire and just talked.

Many Grand Gatherings Are Less Happy.

Ah, my friend, there are many grand parties with thronging guests and costly banquets and lavish decorations which are far more pitiful in their lack of real good cheer.
I think we'd all be happier if we had more of the former kind of parties and fewer of the latter. Of course, I don't mean such a circumscribed one as this of necessity was, but just simple jolly little gatherings in which the festive spirit and not the costly food or the lavish entertainment is the backbone of the party.

Ruth Cameron

New Vegetables, etc.

Ex S. S. STEPHANO.

Without Question "Homestead"

is the best tea on the market at the price. If you will try a small quantity, we will leave the rest to your own good judgment.

"Homestead" TEA, 50c. lb.
For 5 lb. parcels 10 per cent. discount.

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DUCKWORTH STREET & QUEEN'S ROAD.

- New Florida Cabbage—crates.
- Canadian Cabbage in bris.
- Yellow Onions—sacks.
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- Valencia Oranges, 15 and 30c. doz.
- California Navel Oranges, 100 bris. Ben Davis Apples, Nos. 1 and 2.
- Smoked Fillets of Cod.
- Kipperd Herring.
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Butter!

All we ask is a trial order for our Canadian Butter; we are satisfied that we will get your repeat orders.

- 5 boxes 2 lb. Slabs.
- 10 tubs, 19-20 lbs. each. Also
- 10 28-lb. boxes Australian Butter.
- 2 boxes 1 lb. Bricks Irish Butter.

Just to hand this week:
Oranges.
95 cases Sound Fruit.

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Copper.

By GEORGE FITCH,
Author of "At Good Old Slawsh."

Copper is one of the most talented and exclusive of metals. Man could get along very comfortably without gold, especially since the cashiers' checks, have been invented, but if there was no copper on earth, he would have to retire with great haste from the present and get along without electricity and many other modern improvements.

Copper is a strawberry blonde metal which is distinguished by its softness malleability and ductility. It can be beaten into great thinness with a hammer, bent into as many positions as a successful politician, and drawn out into wire with great ease. It can also be combined with zinc to make brass, and can be gathered up by an electric current and deposited on other metals. It is cold and haughty in the presence of oxygen and does not elope with it in water and form rust, as steel does.

For all these talents, copper is greatly beloved and was used by man with much success before he discovered how to handle iron. Copper is most useful because of its influence over electricity. Electricity is as hard to control as a South Carolina governor, but a copper wire can lead ten thousand volts of home-made lightning wherever it pleases. Because of this fact, we have trolleys, automobiles, aeroplanes, telephones, telegrams at 2 a.m., and many other indispensable conveniences.

Copper is also exceedingly useful in the modern brand of war. It is almost impossible to kill a man in an up-to-date and scientific manner without using copper. All modern cartridges have copper in them, and the nation which goes to war without a good stock of this metal is worse off than it would be without a board of strategy.

This is one reason why the United States may get mixed up in the present war. This country produces ten

times as much copper as any other nation. The whole world only produces about 850,000 tons a year, and the United States contributes 500,000 tons of that. Germany produces no copper, which is why Great Britain looks upon our shipping with cold suspicion, and is forever detaining a ship-load of wheat or cotton in order to look down the smokestacks for contraband copper.

If the United States were to sit tightly upon its copper, it could cause either the trolley cars or the armies of the world to cease operating. Outside of Michigan and Montana, there isn't enough copper to supply both.



YOUR BOYS AND GIRLS

Most children have the bad habit of throwing down anywhere their gloves, which are seldom to be found together when again wanted. Rubber shoes are kicked off hurriedly and left wherever they happen to fall.
Gloves are hard to take care of for which reason the children have some excuse for carelessness. One way to aid them to form a good habit is to fasten small brass riggs to the gloves; these will not show when the gloves are being worn and may easily be put over a small hook, if the latter is placed in a convenient place.
As for the rubber shoes, spring clothes pins will hold them together. But, what is necessary and seldom at hand when putting on rubber shoes is a shoe horn. By the use of it a difficult task may easily be accomplished and the mother's temper and fingers saved.



THERE is no more reason for serving poor coffee than for making omelets of stale eggs.
Simply use reasonable care in making, and start with



SEAL BRAND COFFEE
MINARD'S ENMENT RELIEVES NEURALGIA

Fear Possible "Dash."

Guard Set Over Harbors to Prevent German Vessels Going Out to Violate Neutrality.

Washington, March 12.—As a result of the Cabinet meeting to-day, at which the importance of the preservation of neutrality was one of the chief topics for discussion, extraordinary measures were decided on to reduce to a minimum a possible breach of the neutrality laws.

The Administration will undertake a more careful patrolling of the waters at the entrance to harbors where vessels of belligerent nations are tied up. The cruiser Brooklyn was ordered into Boston Harbor and other vessels have been ordered to New York and other Atlantic ports for the same general purpose.

Navy officials deny they have any specific information of the purpose of German vessels to rush to sea, but, nevertheless, the Administration has determined to neglect no precaution at this critical time.

There are 11 members of the "neutrality squad" on duty at Boston. Whether additional vessels will be sent to Boston had not been determined to-night. There are few available coast guard cutters, but probably one could be spared for Boston if deemed necessary.

"What Are You Doing for that Eczema?"

"Nothing; I've about given up trying to cure it."
"That is not wise. Do as I did and you will probably be cured in a short time. I used Zylex and Zylex Soap with it and my Eczema began to improve at once. A couple of boxes cured me. You can get Zylex at your druggist's."
Zylex, 50c. a box; Zylex Soap, 25c. a cake.
Zylex, London.
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Germans Laying Mines

Placing Them Near the Danish Coast.

Copenhagen, March 12.—Messages from seaports say that German mine layers have been actively engaged in laying mines near the Danish coast. It is not reported, however, that the coastal rights of Denmark have been violated.

The Politiken says that the export of German goods via neutral states is now at a complete standstill. Scandinavian shipowners will not take the risk of their vessels being stopped by British and French warships. The Tractate United Shipping Company has forbidden its captains to sail without guarantees that their cargoes are not from Germany.

A sensation has been caused in Norwegian shipping circles by the accusation of a Socialist newspaper, the Nord, against a prominent shipowner to the effect that he was sending copper to Germany in one of his ships, which had left Christiania. So angered was the shipowner that he immediately recalled the vessel by wireless. On its return he had the ship thoroughly searched by Norwegian state detectives, who found an innocent cargo. A libel action is to be the sequel.

Ungar's Service to Housekeepers.

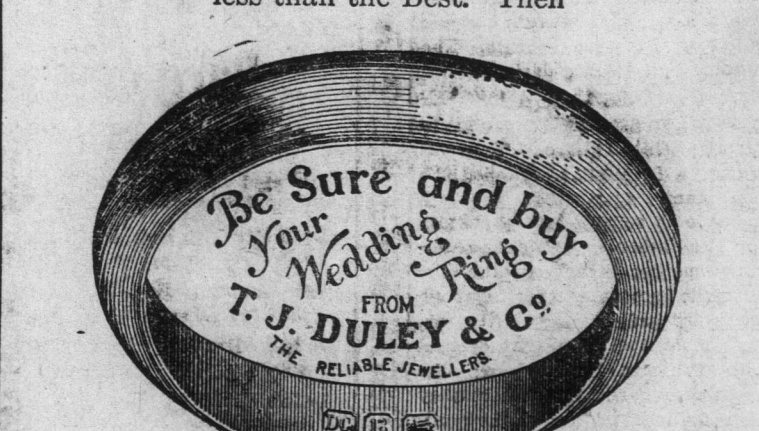
Particularly in the Spring do housekeepers find our services indispensable. Curtains, Draperies and Hangings of Satin, Damask, Velour, Chenille and Tapestry can be beautifully dyed or cleaned, as also the little knick-knacks used in dressing a room, such as Mantel and Bureau Scarfs, Lamp Shades, Centre Pieces, Couch and Table Covers. Carpets and Squares can be successfully cleaned or dyed.

UNGAR'S LAUNDRY & DYE WORKS, Halifax.

Messrs. NICHOLLE, CHAFE & INKPEN, Agents for St. John's.
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Certainly the Bride is worthy of nothing less than the Best. Then



Every Ring perfect in workmanship and design; 18k Rings from \$6.00 up. May we send you a Ring Size Card?

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On the spot and to arrive,
500 barrels!
American Granulated SUGAR.
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85 Water St.

This Date in His

MARCH 19,
New Moon—15
Days Past—77 To
St. Joseph's D
DAVID LIVINGSTONE
Celebrated missionary to
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BISHOP KEN died 171
He was one of the seven
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STATUE OF DEAD
Hogan, placed under A
Cathedral, 1855.
WM. THOMAS presen
Assembly to legalize ma
formed by dissenting
(Nfld.), 1833.
Let all thy converse be
Thy conscience as the no

THE GENTLE RE

When war broke out with
thought as I'd enlar.
"Old Uncle Joe can do my
I won't be miss.
Now I'm the softest-heart
want to make that of
And I speak no ill of Ka
I wish I had him here
I got inside a khaki suit
dier lad was I.
I'd live a peaceful kind
wouldn't hurt a fly.
But now my gun and cas
to me are fond and d
And I speak no ill of Ka
I wish I had him here
I wish I had him here
They shipped me off to
though I'd never left
That blooming ship went
and everything went
I shut my eyes and softly
feeling mortal quest
"Oh, I speak no ill of
but I wish I had him
They sent me to the trea
lot of things I've seen
I've had a bit of fightin
done my fighting clea
To do my duty civil like I
severe.
And I speak no ill of Ka
I wish I had him here.
To love our fellow men,
what we all must do,
Their's good in every on
in the Germans too.
But the Huns that met
they won't let us
And I speak no ill of Ka
I wish I had him here.

What's Indiges Who Cares? I

"Pape's Diapepsin" makes
Gassy Stomachs surely
In five minutes.

Time it! In five minutes
each distress will go. No
heartburn, sourness or b
gas, acid, or eructations
of food, no dizziness, bloa
breath or headache.
Pape's Diapepsin is bloc
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It is the surest, quickest
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Millions of men and wom
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Funeral of Capt. C

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the heads of the firm of
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long and faithful servant, th
of Bowring Bros. were close
the funeral.

This Date in History.

MARCH 19.
New Moon—19h.
Days Past—77 To Come—287

St. Joseph's Day.
DAVID LIVINGSTONE, born 1813, celebrated missionary to Africa, undertaking three long journeys, opening up vast tracts to missionary enterprise.
BISHOP KEN died 1711, aged 74. He was one of the seven bishops sent to the tower by James II. for declining to read the "Declaration of Independence." He is remembered in these days mostly by some beautiful hymns that he wrote.
STATUE OF DEAD CHRIST by Hogan, placed under Altar, R. C. Cathedral, 1855.
WM. THOMAS presented Bill to Assembly to legalize marriages performed by dissenting clergymen (Nfld.), 1832.
Let all thy converse be sincere,
Thy conscience as the noon-day clear.—Ken.

THE GENTLE RECRUIT.
When war broke out with Germany I thought as I'd enlist.
"Old Uncle Joe can do my job," thinks I, "I won't be missed."
Now I'm the softest-hearted chap, I want to make that clear,
And I speak no ill of Kaiser Bill, but I wish I had him here.
I got inside a khaki suit and a soldier lad was I.
I'd live a peaceful kind of life and I wouldn't hurt a fly.
But now my gun and cartridge clips to me are fond and dear,
And I speak no ill of Kaiser Bill, but I wish I had him here.
They shipped me off to Flanders though I'd never left dry ground,
That blooming ship went up and down and everything went round.
I shut my eyes and softly said, though feeling mortal queer—
"Oh, I speak no ill of Kaiser Bill, but I wish I had him here."
They sent me to the trenches, and a lot of things I've seen,
I've had a bit of fighting, and I've done my fighting clean,
To do my duty civil like I always persevere,
And I speak no ill of Kaiser Bill, but I wish I had him here.
To love our fellow men, my lads, is what we all must do,
There's good in every one of us, and in the Germans too.
But the Hun that met my bayonet, they won't drink no more beer,
And I speak no ill of Kaiser Bill, but I wish I had him here.
—Jessie Pope.

What's Indigestion? Who Cares? Listen!

"Pape's Diapepsin" makes Sick, Sour, Gassy Stomachs surely feel fine in five minutes.

Time it! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most certain indigestion remedy in the whole world, and besides it is harmless.

Millions of men and women now eat their favorite foods without fear—they know Pape's Diapepsin will save them from any stomach misery.

Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it; enjoy it, without dread of rebellion in the stomach.

Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. Should one of the family eat something which don't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomachic derangement at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.

Funeral of Capt. Clarke

All that was mortal of the late Captain Joseph Clarke was laid to rest yesterday afternoon at the C. of E. Cemetery, the Rev. Canon Bolt officiating. The remains, which were enclosed in a handsome casket, profusely covered with floral tributes, including an anchor the gift of the Red Cross Agents at New York, were removed from the Masonic Temple at 2.30 p.m. The funeral was attended by a large concourse of people. In front of the hearse walked the Masonic brethren, six sailors from the Stephano, the deceased captain's ship, acting as pall bearers on either side of the hearse. Immediately following the hearse were relatives of the deceased, then came in turn Captains Smith and Martin, of the Stephano and Florizel, respectively, other officers of the Stephano came next, then the heads of the firm of Bowring Bros., Ltd., with their employees, followed by a large number of citizens generally. As a tribute of respect to the deceased captain who was a long and faithful servant, the stores of Bowring Bros. were closed during the funeral.

Why Your Home Needs Zam-Buk.

Hardly a day goes by but what some member of your family sustains some slight injury. You may think the injury too trivial for attention, but remember whenever the skin is broken there is danger of blood poison!

Zam-Buk, the great herbal healer, does away with all risk. A stronger antiseptic than carbolic, yet causing no pain when applied, no germs can live where Zam-Buk is used. More than this, Zam-Buk quickly relieves the pain of sores and wounds, and the rich herbal essences it contains stimulate the tissues that new healthy skin is formed and the wound or sore healed in a short time. This is why your home needs Zam-Buk.

It only takes a moment to apply Zam-Buk, and think of the hours, and perhaps years, of suffering it may save! Get the habit—tell your children where the box is, they'll do the rest; because Zam-Buk stops the pain.

Zam-Buk is unlike ordinary ointments in that it is purely herbal. It does not contain harsh minerals, poisonous coloring matter, or coarse animal fats. Zam-Buk is Healing, Soothing, and Antiseptic—a cure for cuts, burns, bruises, piles, eczema, ulcers, pimples, cold sores, and all skin diseases and injuries. Refuse substitutes—see name "Zam-Buk" on box when buying. 50c. box, all drug stores and stores, or postpaid from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto.

Free Trial Box will be sent on receipt of this article, name of paper, and 1c. stamp.

Address all applications for samples and retail orders to T. McMURDO & CO., St. John's, Nfld.

Soldiers and Sailors Entertained

A large number of soldiers and Naval Reservists of H. M. S. Calypso were entertained at the Seamen's Institute last night. Mr. J. A. Clift, K. C., presided and patriotic addresses were given by His Excellency the Governor and the Premier, Sir E. P. Morris.

An enjoyable programme under the direction of Messrs. Hutton and Bradshaw was carried out, the following ladies and gentlemen contributing items:—Misses Job, Doyle, and Johnson; Messrs. T. H. O'Neil, Hutton, Bulley, Cameron and the string band of H. M. S. Calypso. A special feature of the programme was an exhibition of club swinging by Mr. Snell, of the Calypso.

Before their departure the soldiers and sailors will be presented with pipes and tobacco.

STILL STORMING THE NARROWS.

London, March 12.—The British fleet operating at Smyrna is said to consist of three battleships and four cruisers. A Tenedos despatch states that two powerful French warships have also joined the British vessels.

Two of the Smyrna forts were badly damaged by a recent bombardment from the guns of the British cruiser Sapphire, under command of Capt. Somerville, but to reach the main forts it was found necessary to use the heavy guns of the battleships.

In the meantime the operations of the Allies' fleet in the Dardanelles are continuing. Latest reports state that Fort Chanak Kaleh has been badly damaged by the warships' fire. This fort is one of the strongest guarding the Narrows, into which the French and British warships have thus far been unable to penetrate. One of the magazines in the fortress was blown up by a shell on Wednesday afternoon.

Tenedos advices confirm reports that the fire of the Turkish forts is growing weaker. This is attributed by officials of the British Admiralty to the fact that the Ottoman garrison lack ammunition, and that what they have is of an inferior quality.

SLIGHT FIRE.—At 6.15 p.m. yesterday an alarm of fire summoned the Central and Western Companies to the residence of Mr. F. Alderdice, at the head of Pleasant Street where a slight chimney fire was in progress. The blaze was promptly extinguished before any damage was done.

La Grippe and Colds

The La Grippe and Colds, Anti-kamnia (A-K) Tablets are unexcelled, as they stop the pain, soothe the nerves, and bring the rest so greatly needed by nature to restore the system to health. Physicians have used these tablets for over twenty years, in the treatment of colds, fevers and influenza, and have found no other remedy more useful in these conditions. Anti-kamnia Tablets are so inexpensive, so pleasant to take, so satisfactory in their results, and so useful in all conditions where there is pain, that A-K Tablets should always be kept in the house for the time of need. Many of our ablest physicians obtain perfect results in grippe and colds by cleansing the system with Epsom salts or "Actoids", a very good cathartic, putting the patient on a liquid diet, and administering one A-K tablet every two or three hours. This treatment will usually break up the worst case in a day or two, while in milder cases, ease and comfort follow almost immediately. These tablets are also unexcelled for Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Pains, The Pains of Women, Indigestion, and Insomnia. All druggists have them.

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MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES BURNS, Etc.

Reserve Force Meeting.

A meeting of the Reserve Force Committee was held at the Board of Trade rooms yesterday afternoon, those present being Sir Joseph Outerbridge, who presided, J. A. Clift, K. C., F. J. Morris, K. C., Lt.-Col. Fendell, C. L. B., Lt.-Col. Conroy, C. C. C., Capt. McKay, Highlanders, Hon. M. P. Cashin, Capt. Outerbridge, J. W. N. Johnson, Capt. Rennie, Musketry Committee and Dr. V. P. Burke, Secretary.

Matters in connection with the transportation of the Second Contingent were discussed, and reports from the different sub-committees were read and adopted, after which the meeting adjourned.

Star Lecture.

Despite the inclement weather of last night, a goodly number assembled in the Star Club Rooms to hear Mr. M. A. Devine lecture on "The Back Bay Bugle." Introduced by Mr. J. J. Lacey, the lecturer proceeded to read and comment upon certain clippings from a mythical outpost newspaper, and for over an hour regaled the audience in the droll, amusing manner limited to Mr. Devine. The notes were supposedly culled from the local happenings and were such as might appear in any out of town newspaper. At the close a vote of thanks moved by Mr. Jas. J. Galway and seconded by Mr. J. J. Murphy, Jr., was tendered the lecturer, after which the chairman announced that the last of the course of lectures would be delivered next Thursday evening by Mr. H. F. Shortis.

An extra lecture will, however, be given in the Theatre flat by Rev. Fr. Cox, and in a few days full particulars of same will appear in our advertising columns.

Farewell Post Cards.

Of N.F.L.D. Second Contingent, including Section Groups, Farewell Dance, Boys Leaving on Neptune, On Board s.s. Dominion, and other interesting pictures, only Five Cents each at PARSONS' ART STORE. feb8,tt

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NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.
His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment: Frederick William Burden, Esq., M.D., to be a Lieutenant in the First Newfoundland Regiment and an Assistant Medical Officer.

His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. W. H. Baggis (Point Leamington) to be a Subveyor of Lumber; Mr. Fred. Hoskins, to be a member of the Church of England Board of Education for the District of Pool's Island, in the place of Mr. Joseph Kneec, retired.

Department of the Colonial Secretary, March 16th, 1915.

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The time is getting short when you will require the above.

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Information Wanted.

A young man named Purley Douglas Bailey, of Syracuse, New York, is missing from his home since March 8th and his whereabouts are now being sought. Our police have been asked to investigate regarding him. Bailey is 5 feet 6 inches in height, ruddy complexion, brown hair and brilliant brown eyes. He is thought to be suffering from aphasia.

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Cape Report

Special to Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind W. S. W. light, weather dull. Ice blocked on land but only about three miles wide, here water can be seen east and west outside; no vessels in sight. Bar. 28.88, ther. 36.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DANDRUFF.

M.C.L.I. Debate.

The subject for last evening's debate was: "Do the figures of the 1911 Census made a redistribution of seats imperative before next General Election?" The speakers for the affirmative were Mr. S. Woods, Mr. W. Clarke and Mr. H. Smith and the negative speakers were Mr. Wm. Soper and Mr. Geo. Peters.

The chief arguments put forward by the affirmative were that an equal representation would mean one member for each 7,000 of the population; therefore St. John's East should have 4 men. Harbor Grace which has only half St. John's East population has now the same number of members, viz., 3. Harbour Grace should have 2. Ferryland which has only 5,788 population has two members; one member should be taken and given to St. George's which has nearly the population of Harbor Grace and now only one member. St. Barbe's has a large population and long coast line, should have two members. Labrador with a population of 4,000 should have one member. It was also contended that the best plan would be one man districts so that each man would be responsible for his own district.

The negative reviewed the history of Responsible Government and argued that the people were satisfied with the present distribution of seats, that to make any change before next election would mean strife, etc., and that nothing should be done at least until after the war. That all Governments would readjust seats in their own favor. That Canada passed a redistribution bill to come into effect after the next election that prevented the present Government from obtaining any advantage. On the vote being taken the affirmative won by a large majority. Next week the Institute will decide the question of the annual dinner. The debate will be: "Should the Municipal Commission, in their report, recommend a full charter of Incorporation for this City?"

GERMANS SPRAY BURNING OIL ON FRENCH ADVANCED LINES.

Paris, March 4.—The effect of the burning oil and chemical sprayed by the Germans upon the French advanced trenches in the woods of Melancourt, which was mentioned in a recent official communication Feb. 27, is described in La Liberte by a nurse at the front. Incidentally it has been learned that this new instrument of warfare, which is a German invention, was patented in France.

The nurse was at a railway station when the soldier victims arrived. Their faces were badly burned, their limbs blistered and their uniforms charred. A soldier, who acted as spokesman, told the nurse of their experience. He said that at nightfall, after a relatively calm day, the Germans began to attack with flaming liquid. Incredulous at first, the French soon discovered that this liquid was being directed against them from several jets.

"Special appliances were used in some instances and at times an apparatus resembling a fire engine. Incendiary grenades were also hurled by the Germans. The trenches were soon in flames.

"None of us could escape this torment of fire," said the soldier. "Our clothes flowed with holl, and some of us became living torches. Surrounded by flames we had to retire, but not until our comrades of the second line were ready to resist the attack of the enemy which began six minutes later.

"A bayonet attack by the French was carried out with veritable fury, so great was their desire for revenge."

At the end of the combat the Germans had lost 150 killed and sixty taken prisoners.

"OURS" IN THE WEST END.

On Monday there will be some very interesting pictures shown at Rossley's West End Theatre. By the kind permission of Ayre & Sons, those beautiful views always so popular, are now more interesting than ever, as we know our soldier boys are stationed there. Rossley's East End Theatre after making St. Patrick's Day to record one, is closed down to complete the alterations, which are very extensive and beautiful. Every one was delighted with what was done. The tip top chairs, the first of their kind in St. John's, came in for lots of praise. The alteration to the front of the stage with its rich green curtain and white and gold arch, the ceiling and walls; in fact a complete transformation all over.

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Chicken, Turkey, Beef, Sausages, Oysters.	Grape Fruit, Cal. Oranges, Table Apples, Lemons, Bananas.	Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Cabbage, Celery, Lettuce.
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NOTICE WINDOW.

S. MILLEY.

J. J. ST. JOHN.

January month the general topic was the War, next to it was the handsome pieces of Silver got free at St. John's Grocery Store for Coupons.

We are doing the same this 1915 and are finding all our former customers buying more freely than ever, and are making new customers every day. And why not?—when we are giving to every customer 10c on the dollar spent on groceries. And again, we use our best energies to please our patrons. In fact ours is the store of satisfaction. Every 10c. spent you get one cent; every dollar spent you get ten.

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Worth \$1.10. Now 99c.
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Worth 65c. Now 59c.
- WOMEN'S PLAIN I. R. SHOES—
Worth 55c. Now 49c.
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Worth 80c. Now 69c.
- MISSSES STORM I. R. SHOES, sizes 11½
to 2; all sizes 50c.
- CHILDREN'S STORM I. R. SHOES, sizes
6 to 10; all sizes 47c.
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to 3 65c.
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5 75c.

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Pictorial Review—No other Pattern equal to them.
Outports please remember—Cash must accompany order. Pattern 17 cts. Spring Fashion Book, 27 cts., with free pattern your choice.

CHARLES HUTTON, Sole Agent.

Job Printing Executed.

Only Two Ships Hit by Germans in Fights.

British Admiral's Report on North Sea and Falkland Islands Battles.

London, March 6.—A long despatch from Admiral Beatty, who commanded in the North Sea fight, and one from Admiral Sturdee, who led the British squadron at Falkland Islands, published by the Admiralty to-day, add nothing to the cardinal points of earlier accounts.

Admiral Beatty, however, settles conclusively the question of damage done to the British fleet by stating that the Lion and the Tiger were the only ships hit and that they were only slightly injured. He says the British battle cruisers made 285 knots, which in the case of the New Zealand and the Inflexible was greatly above the normal.

Admiral Beatty, also states that the German destroyers which were numerous, emitted vast columns of smoke trying to hide the German cruisers, and that the subsequent attack of these craft on the Lion and the Tiger was repelled by gunfire. German submarines were sighted near the Tiger, but it is not stated that they did anything.

Admiral Sturdee quotes survivors of the German cruiser Guebenau as saying that 600 of the crew had been killed or wounded by the time the ammunition was expended. Probably 200 of the survivors were un wounded. Many of them died, owing to the shock of the cold water into which they were plunged and many were drowned, although the British made every effort to save them.

The cruiser Scharnhorst was apparently a veritable furnace before she went down. Admirable Sturdee mentions a column of smoke and steam that arose from her, and says that whenever a shot made a hole in the vessel's side, the dull, red glow of flames was visible. He attributes the escape of the Dresden to her superior speed and the reduction in visibility owing to the overcast sky.

Mother! the Child Is Costive, Billious.

Don't Hesitate! A laxative is necessary if tongue is coated, breath bad or stomach sour.

No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given. If your little one is out-of-sorts, half-sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative" because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grownups printed on each bottle. Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs;" then see hat it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

NEW TROOPS NERVOUS.

London, March 7.—The Daily Mail's correspondent at Petrograd telegraphs:

"Now that we have seen the effect of including freshly trained troops in the German armies we can anticipate with confidence the speedier end of the war than at one time seemed possible.

"The defeat of an army of 70,000 at Przasnyaz was due to the skill of the Russian commanders and the bravery and steadiness of their men, but what turned the reverse of the Germans into a rout was clearly the admixture of the best of the Prussian troops with untrained recruits, raised since the war began.

"The wounded who arrived here in large numbers say the behavior of the enemy in many parts of the field betrayed quite a new spirit of nervousness and a lack of confidence in themselves and their leaders. The German troops had been placed in a disadvantageous situation by inexperienced officers and it seems that even the old non-commissioned officers were unable, in a number of instances, to do anything with the new soldiers.

"All Russian troops who came in have the general feeling that the task of beating the Germans have become very much easier and they have no doubt that when the time comes the allied forces in the west will discover the same thing."

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURE FOR COLDS, ETC.

Destructive Fire at Norris' Arm.

At an early hour this morning, fire broke out in the railway station at Norris' Arm, and in less than an hour the whole building, together with its contents, was raised to the ground. The station agent, Mr. Piercy, was alone in the building at the time. He was resting on a couch in the dining room which adjoins the ticket office, and shortly after midnight heard the sound of crackling wood, and before he had sufficient time to investigate the whole building burst into flames. Fanned by a strong S.E. wind the dry woodwork of the interior was quickly consumed and in less than an hour nothing was left of that beautiful station save a heap of ashes. None of the furniture, nor even the personal effects of the agent was saved. The station at Norris' Arm was one of the finest on the railway line, and was specially designed for hotel accommodation.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.
Have used MINARD'S LINIMENT for Croup; found nothing equal to it; sure cure.
CHAS. E. SHARP.
Hawshaw, N.B., Set., 1st, 1905.

No News of Durango.

Capt. Chambers, of the Furness Liner Durango, has made many long and eventful voyages in his time, and his present trip is no exception. The Durango is now eight days out from Halifax to this port, being detained by the ice-blockade. On her two previous trips from Liverpool to St. John's and from here to Halifax, the ship was several days overdue. She is not reported to have put in anywhere nor was she sighted by the ice-breaker Stephano that came here Wednesday from the Canadian port.

Reids Boats.

The Bruce, Glenoe and Home are still at Trepassey.
The Ethie arrived at Placentia at 7.30 a.m. to-day, and sails on the Red Island route this afternoon.
The Kyle is due at Port aux Basques.
The Meigs left St. Lawrence at noon to-day, coming east.
The Sagona reached Louisburg at 7 a.m. to-day.

Here and There.

LOCAL ARRIVES.—The local from Carbonear via Broad Cove, arrived in the city at 12.40 p.m. to-day.

Buy your **FERRO** Engine from A. H. Murray, his prices are lowest and he has the best kerosene models. Also all engine parts.—mar4,5,ed

CIVIC COMMISSION.—The regular weekly meeting of the Civic Commission will take place at 8 o'clock this evening.

PORTIA CLEAR.—The Portia got clear of the ice last night and put into Witless Bay. She left again this morning on her way west.

TALKING MACHINES.—We offer balance of present samples at cost and charge; only a few left. **CHESELEY WOODS, 140 Water St.—mar11**

The old fashion is revived of the white petticoat frill peeping out just beneath the hem of some of the new full skirts.

"DOUBLE EAGLE" Lubricating Oil for Automobiles or Motor-Boats, pays best in the end. Use it and save half your troubles. A. H. MURRAY, St. John's.—mar4,5,ed

MORE DIPHTHERIA.—Diphtheria is on the increase at Petty Harbour and two new cases were reported there yesterday.

Stafford's Liniment, "made in Newfoundland" is a cure for Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all aches and pains. Sold everywhere.—feb11,tf

OPORTO MARKET.—Market is dull in consequence of exchanges. The above message was received this morning by the Fisheries Department.

House-cleaning season is near. See our Hardware Window for Vacuum Cleaners, Hand Power and Electric. ROYAL STORES, Ltd.—mar15,5i

ONE YEAR TO-DAY.—The Royal Bank of Canada, West End Branch, began business March 19th, 1914, and during the year has made great progress under the able management of Mr. Alex Marshall.



Our "World of White" Sale Commences TUESDAY, March 16th.

- SPECIAL OFFERINGS IN—
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| Wash Goods | Embroideries | Handkerchiefs |
| Dress Goods | Underskirts | Towels |
| Lingerie | Princess Petticoats | Face Cloths |
| Shirt Waists | Corsets | Sheets |
| Silk Waists | Knit Vests | Pillow Slips |
| Wash Dresses | Child's Bonnets | Sheeting |
| Child's Dresses | Sleeping Suits | Table Damask, etc. |

No Sale Goods on approval. Mail Orders carefully looked after.



Grey Riverside Yarn for Soldiers Socks

The Yarn that was so hard to get.

Shade No. 13.

We are now in a position to Supply any quantity of this popular Yarn.

Price per Slip 15c | Price per Head \$1.15

The Royal Stores, Ltd.

St. John's Meat Co., Water St. East, 'Phone 800

Just arrived, splendid shipment of Choice BEEF and FRESH MUTTON. Come in and see the quality; values unsurpassed in the trade.

- FRESH COUNTRY FED PORK. Choice quality. Prices right.
- FINEST BEEF, PORK, CAMBRIDGE SAUSAGES, 18c., 20c., 22c. per lb.
- BOLOGNA 20c. BLACK PUDDINGS 10c.
- WHITE PUDDINGS 12c. POTTED HEAD 10c.

Branches: Water Street East, Water Street West, Military Road.
'Phone 800a 'Phone 98

Household Notes

Soot from a stove or chimney where wood is burned, if put into a pithcan and boiling water poured over it, makes a healthy drink for house and garden plants.

To make cheese balls, mix cream cheese with sufficient cream to form balls. Season with salt and paprika. Roll each in chopped nut meats. English walnuts preferred.

When a child won't take cod liver oil, put the oil in a cup with a little cold milk; the child can then be coaxed to take it quite easily for it can be swallowed without being tasted at all.

Batter left over from hot cakes can be disposed of in two ways—it may go into the making of gingerbread or you can stir it into the mush when it is boiling.

A good point in sweeping (for people who do not possess a vacuum cleaner) is to keep the windows closed till the sweeping is done. Then open them for about ten minutes.

When a child won't take cod liver oil, put the oil in a cup with a little cold milk; the child can then be coaxed to take it quite easily for it can be swallowed without being tasted at all.

All the boxes on the top of the pantry shelf should have labels on the end telling the contents of the

This saves a great deal of time when you are hunting articles.

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"M"
FOR KITCHEN
OR WASHING
12 Yards
Suitable for housework
for so many purposes, \$8.
Kindly remember the length
4 pieces in the one roll.
enough to last for years;
roll. Friday, Saturday and

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REMNANTS OF
AMERICAN PILLOWS
A good time to pick up
extra Pillow Cases or Bolster
convenient, the material is
widths up to 44 inches; special
Friday, Saturday and

RAINCOATS

THE "LIGHTWEIGHT"
ENGLISH OIL COATS
For the city man this is
and serviceable Coat; no
carry; leather bound; no
collar; buttons and buttons
infused. Sizes from 34
42 inch chest. Reg. \$6.
Friday, Saturday & Monday

BOYS' OVERALLS

To fit from 3 to 14 years
or Brown Denim, made
father's, with bib pockets
Only 4 dozen pairs for
All sizes. Friday, Saturday
and Monday

LINO

To sizes in these, from
27 x 36; plain shades of
plain striped border, very
Reg. 70c. Friday, Saturday

Hearth Rugs.

22 only of these, size 2
x 50 inches, plain ends.
nice Rug for bedroom use
pretty color blendings. Friday,
Saturday & Monday.
\$1.27.

Doc

Size 12 x 20, pure Cotton
Mat for the hall. Reg. 50c.

SHOES

Ladies' Sateen
Underskirts, 85c.

Made to fit and of
good quality. Sateen,
Black, Cerise, Pink,
Purple, Tan, Navy,
Cream, etc., finished
narrow pleated. Reg.
\$1.00. Friday,
Saturday and Monday

Sleeping Suits for Children, 35c.

A special lot of
and Blue striped Fl
ette, finished with
covers the entire
right up to the neck
shaped. Reg. 40c.
day, Saturday &
Monday

Children's Underwear, Job Line, 26c. per garment

A new line of
Underwear to fit
to 16 years; high
singlets and long
pants to match. \$1
per garment. Friday,
Saturday & Monday

Cotton Blankets

60 pairs of American
Blankets, size 53 x 70,
with Pink or Pale Blue
a nice weight Blanket for
ent wear. Special Friday,
Sat. & Monday, pair

"Meritas,"

FOR KITCHEN TABLE CLOTHS
OR WALL COVERING.
12 Yard Roll for \$1.09.

Suitable for housekeepers, as this ideal covering can be used for so many purposes, Spigars, Table Cloths, Wall Coverings, etc. Kindly remember the lengths are not continuous. You may find 3 or 4 pieces in the one roll. The offer is here; avail of it. You can get enough to last for years; assorted patterns in each 12 yard roll. Friday, Saturday and Monday 1.09

IT PAYS TO PAY CASH

FRIDAY, SATURDAY & MONDAY'S

NEW ARRIVALS!

"Woolnap" BLANKETS.

A new arrival of the popular "Woolnap" Blankets. They surpass anything in their line; always retain their softness; Pink or Pale Blue striped border; lustre binding; size 64 x 76. Reg. \$2.50 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday.

\$2.37.



BLANKETS

Generous Budget of Bargains from the People's Store

REMNANTS OF AMERICAN PILLOW COTTON.

A good time to pick up the makings of a few extra Pillow Cases or Bolsters. The lengths are convenient, the material is excellent, soft finish, widths up to 44 inches; plain and circular. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday, per yard

16c

You will find a noticeable increase in the purchasing power of your Dollar if you attend our week-end Sales. Persistent readers of our advertisements have often remarked this very self-same thing and it costs you nothing but the adaptability. TRY IT! 'T WILL PAY YOU.

MEN'S WORKING SHIRTS.

These come in nice dark striped patterns, fine Tweed make; shades of Striped Brown, Green, Blue and Grey, fitted with collar, strongly made; roomy sizes, suitable for all Spring wear; assorted sizes. Friday, Saturday and Monday

94c

RAINCOATS for SPRING SHOWERS

THE "LIGHTWEIGHT" ENGLISH OIL COAT.

For the city man this is a sensible and serviceable Coat; no weight to carry; leather bound; velvet lined collar; buttons and button holes reinforced. Sizes from 34 inch up to 42 inch chest. Reg. \$6.50. Friday, Saturday & Monday \$6.50

A PERFECT COAT.

Our "T. G." Raglan for Men.

In the popular fawn shade, snug fitting neck, plaid lined, storm cuff, sloping shoulder; in fact one of the fashionable coats on the street today. Made in England. Our regular price \$12.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . \$11.00

BOYS' OVERALLS.

To fit from 3 to 14 years, in Navy or Brown Denim, made exactly like father's, with bib pockets and straps. Only 4 dozen pairs for this offer. All sizes. Friday, Saturday and Monday 29c

BOYS' KHAKI PANTS, 22c

You will be looking for these later on. Why not buy a pair or two in advance for summer wear. We have them to fit boys from 3 to 8 years. Open Knee Style. Special Friday, Saturday & Monday 22c

LINOLEUM MATS.

To sizes in these, finished with round corners, 24 x 36 and 27 x 36; plain shades of Navy, Terra Cotta and Green, with plain striped border, very neat; others in fancy in similar shades. Reg. 70c. Friday, Saturday and Monday

62c

Hearth Rugs.

22 only of these, size 27 x 50 inches, plain ends. A nice Rug for bedroom use, pretty color blendings. Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$1.27.



Hearth Rugs.

Extra size, heavy weight, 2 qualities, plain or fringe ends, the longer Rug measuring 20 x 66; rather pretty floral patterns. Reg. up to \$3.50. Friday, Saturday & Monday \$3.15.

Door Mats.

Size 12 x 20, pure Cocoonat centre, with wool edge; a fine Mat for the hall. Reg. 90c. Friday, Saturday and Monday

75c

The "Moody" Shirtwaist and Skirt Supporter.

The old reliable, easy to attach; simply place the Belt on the Shirtwaist with the middle inside hooks pointing downwards and fasten buckle at left side. After adjusting Shirtwaist, place the skirt band over the Belt, lifting it up at back to fasten, which then catches on the six hooks and holds the skirt firmly in place. To get best results, the Belt must be worn at waist line. The heaviest skirt can be worn without destroying either waists or skirt. The present price is shamefully cheap. Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday, complete 10c

Ladies' White Kid Gloves.

These are a new lot nice fine White Kid. 2 dome fasteners, black stitched backs; sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday 54c

Enamelware Specials.

Saucepans (to hold 4 quarts) 15c.
Saucepans (to hold 5 quarts) 19c.
Saucepans (to hold 8 quarts), with cover 29c.
Water Jugs (to hold 6 pints) 25c.
Stew Pans, 2 for 25c.
Funnels 15c.
Milk Pans 15c.
Boats' Kettles (to hold 4 quarts) 25c.
Cullenders 15c.

BOYS' SHIRTS.

A new arrival in all-over Negligee Shirts for boys. Sizes from 12 to 14 1/2; a rather pretty selection of stripes; laundered cuffs and soft bosoms; Coat style. Reg. 70c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 63c

BOYS' CELLULOID COLLARS.

The popular "Eton" style for boys, fitted with brass eyelets for stud; a fine collar for the schoolboys; always clean. Reg. 10c. Friday, Saturday & Monday 3 for 23c

CURTAIN NETS.

5 pieces of pure White Nottingham Lace Curtain Nets; 50 inches wide; new patterns for this season. Reg. per yard 25c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 22c

REMNANTS OF TABLE DAMASK, 29c. Yard

These come in convenient lengths, from 1 1/4 yards up to 2 1/2 yards. A superior grade of pure White Damask. A rare chance to pick up a "table cloth" or two. Pick out your length. Friday, Saturday and Monday, per yard 29c

29c

GRAMOPHONE RECORDS.

Special, 16c. each.

The "Little Wonder" Record is a dandy. Your choice of vocal or instrumental pieces; 9 selections only to pick from. These are going fast; if you have a gramophone in your house, come down and get your share. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday 16c

16c

Set of 9, post-paid, \$1.35.

Kitchen Needs

Large Tin Dippers, with wood handle, 2 for 9c
Large Tin Ladles, 9c with wood handle, 2 for 9c

ENAMEL SKELLETS.

7 quart size 39c
complete with Cover 49c
8 quart size 49c
complete with Cover 59c

FLOUR SIFTERS, 12c.

6 doz. of Patent Flour Sifters, simple to use and handle and fine wire net, strongly made; tin case and Special, Friday, Saturday & Monday 12c

BAKING PANS.

3 Specials for Friday, Saturday and Monday.
Size 8 x 10. Now 8c.
Size 9 x 12. Now 10c.
Size 10 x 14. Now 15c.

COTTON BATTING.

Put up in 1 lb. bundles, pure white, carefully picked, hemstitched for all kinds of filling purposes such as pillows, cushions and quilts, etc. Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday 21c

Tinware Specials

Boats' Kettles 10c. & 15c.
Brush and Comb Cases 10c. & 15c.
Combination Graters 7c.
Sand Pails with Shovels 12c.
Dust Pans 10c. & 15c.
Dust Pans with long Wire Handle 15c.
Patty Pans 15c.
Broilers 7c.
Cake Coolers (wire) 15c.

RUBBERS.

Cut Prices on These.

LADIES' HIGH GRADE RUBBERS.

Special value here. Your choice storm or low cut; sizes from 2 1/2 to 7. Reg. 90c. Friday, Saturday & Monday 69c

MEN'S LOW CUT RUBBERS.

Reliable make, heavy rubber soles. Special Friday, Saturday & Monday 92c

MEN'S STORM RUBBERS.

Fine grade Rubber, our usual 80c. line. Friday, Saturday & Monday 69c

Gents, \$1.12.

A new arrival. They come in strong turned handles; some sweet scented Cherry wood handles; fast Black covering, accommodating spread. Reg. \$1.30. Friday, Saturday and Monday 1.12

Ladies' Umbrellas, 68c.

3 dozen only fast Black covering; a nice assortment of turned handles. Prepare for Spring ahead of time. Reg. 80c. Friday, Saturday & Monday 68c



Bath Towels.

Pure White Turkish Towels, size 24 x 50, finished with hemstitched ends; a good, strong and serviceable family Towel. Reg. 65c. each. Friday, Saturday & Monday 52c

Tin Cullenders, 10 cents.

6 doz. only of 11 inch heavy Tin Cullenders; usual size for family use. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday, each 10c

ASK FOR "KLEANALL" Cleans and Disinfects. The Big 5c. Can.

Cleans everything better than anything, and is the largest tin and best cleanser sold for cleaning and disinfecting quickly and thoroughly and without injury. Try it on your floors, sinks, enamel ware, brass or copper ware, in fact anything you want to clean well. Friday, Saturday and Monday, per tin 5c.

5c.

SHOWROOM Offerings.

Ladies' Sateen Undershirts, 82c.

Made to fit and from good quality Sateen, in Black, Cerise, Pink, Sage, Purple, Tau, Navy and Cream, etc., finished with narrow pleated flounce. Reg. \$1.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday 82c

Sleeping Suits for Children, 34c.

A special lot of Pink and Blue striped Flannel-ette, finished with feet; covers the entire body right up to the neck; well shaped. Reg. 40c. Friday, Saturday & Monday 34c

Children's Underwear, Job Line, 26c. per garment.

A new line of splendid Underwear to fit from 2 to 16 years; high neck singlets and long sleeve-pants to match. Special per garment Friday & Monday 26c

Director Knickers, Reg. \$1.00 for 59c.

In fine Jersey make, medium weight, in shades of Sage, Champagne, Brown, V'Rose, Grey and Cream; snug fitting garments for Spring wear. Reg. \$1.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday 59c

CHILDREN'S KILTIE DRESSES.

A combination of Spring wear in fine Jersey ribbed, fleece lined, snug fitting body, trimmed with white braid and white buttons, and skirt of same material, nicely pleated. This is an ideal combination for present wear; sizes from 18 to 24 inches. Shades of Grey, Sage, Myrtle and Navy. Reg. \$1.50. Fri., Sat. & Mon. 1.39

CHILDREN'S AND MISSES D. & A. CORSETS

The name is a sufficient guarantee that the shape and finish is there; bodies of strong Coutil for hard wear; sizes to fit children from 4 years up to Misses of 17 years. Reg. 75c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 64c

PRETTY EAR RINGS.

A lot of stylish designs in American Ear Rings, including Ivory and Jet, with long drops and patent screw attachment for fastening to ears. Reg. 35c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 28c

Fancy Bows.

Flat Tailored Bows and other styles, with long tie and fringed ends. We have these in all the most popular shades. Reg. 25c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 17c

HAIR SWITCHES.

Not imitation; but made of real Natural Hair, in Blonde, Light, Dark and Mid-Brown, also Black; good long switches, too. Regular 75c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 68c

28c

68c

28c

68c

Cotton Blankets.

60 pairs of American Cotton Blankets, size 52 x 70, finished with Pink or Pale Blue borders; a nice weight Blanket for present wear. Special Friday & Monday 95c

HONEYCOMB QUILTS.

11-4 sizes, heavy honeycomb, with knotted fringe edge. We have about 3 dozen of these, very nice patterns and good weight for present wear. Reg. \$1.50. Friday, Saturday & Monday 1.32



The Prinz Eitel Frederick's List.

SANK THREE BRITISH, THREE FRENCH, ONE RUSSIAN AND ONE AMERICAN SHIP.

Newport News, Va., March 10.—The German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich, after a commerce destroying cruise over the Pacific and Atlantic Oceans which culminated in the sinking of an American sailing ship in the South Atlantic, January 28 last limped into this port to-day, and anchored for supplies and repairs. She brought with her rescued crews and passengers of American, British, French and Russian ships, and lies at anchor to-night, proud of her trophies of war, but in a state of mechanical exhaustion from the strain of a thirty thousand mile voyage.

The cruiser began her scouting for the ships of enemies of the Fatherland at Tsing Tau, last November, under Commander Thierichens who to-day admitted the sinking of eight merchant ships, 3 British, 3 French, one Russian and one American. The sinking of the American ship, the William P. Frye, a sailing vessel bound from Seattle to Queenstown with 5,200 tons of wheat, most concerned American port officials here.

The cruiser has on board more than 500 persons, 423 of the crews and passengers of destroyed vessels, in addition to her own crew of about 200. The French steamer Floride, the largest steamer sunk by the Eitel, carried 86 passengers and a crew of 78.

American Captain Protests. H. H. Kiehne, of Baltimore, master of the American ship, after leaving the Eitel with Customs Collector Hamilton to-day, told a dramatic story of his experience. With him were his wife and two children.

"Despite my protestations that I was the American master of an American ship, the German cruiser Eitel Friedrich sank the William P. Frye, on the morning of January 28, with a charge of dynamite," said Captain Kiehne.

"I was almost becalmed when the German ship appeared about two o'clock in the afternoon of January 27. My ship was barely moving, and I paid no attention to the first order from the German to lay to. However, she bore down on me, and I brought my craft to a standstill. After learning that I carried a cargo of wheat, the German captain told me that it was contraband, and he intended to destroy it. I protested, but no attention was paid to my statements.

"A German officer and a squad of men were sent aboard the bark, and I and my crew were set to work throwing the grain overboard. The German sighted another vessel, also becalmed, and made for her. He returned about ten o'clock at night, having sent the other ship to the bottom, as I afterwards ascertained.

"Evidently the grain was not being thrown overboard fast enough to suit the German skipper, for he sent a half hundred of his men aboard soon afterwards, and the work went on for hours without interruption. However, it was slow at best, and I was informed about two o'clock next morning my ship would be sent to the bottom, which was done in the manner described above.

"It was originally the intention of the German captain to leave enough of the cargo in the hold of the ship for ballast. That part of the grain was to be rendered useless by salt water.

"As soon as I was informed that my ship was to be sent to the bottom, I, my wife and two boys and the crew went on board the German cruiser.

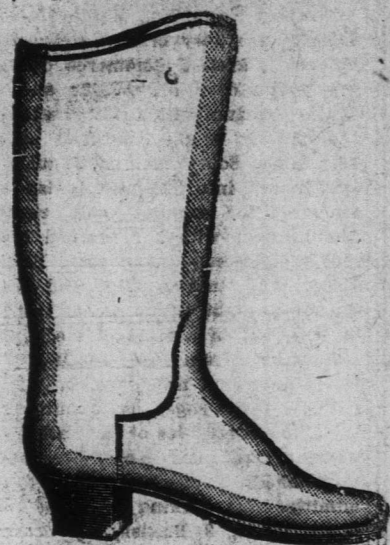
"For two weeks before making this port the German ship molested no ships of any kind, and always avoided them, not wishing to give the English cruisers any wind of her intentions. She proceeded slowly up the coast; all lights that were not being carefully shaded.

"Last night, while nearing the Capes, the wireless apparatus on board the Eitel informed us that there were four English warships in our immediate vicinity, two of which seemed very close. However, we eluded them, and made this port to safety."

How Justify That? (Boston Post.) Dr. Edmund von Mach, one of the most temperate and courteous of the eminent pro-Germans now in this country, attempts to justify the Kaiser's submarine "blockade" of the waters about Great Britain:

"The blockade that Germany is enforcing is only one of self-defence. She believes that the civil population is never at war and that that population should not be deprived of food." We think Dr. von Mach is correct. What, then, can he have to say of the sinking by a German warship of an American vessel laden with wheat for England, and not shown to be destined to any government use? If the civil population of Germany is not at war, that of England is not, either.

Life-Saving Station!



Fishermen! Get Smallwood's Hand-made, Waterproof Tongue Boots, Wellingtons, High and Low 3/4 Boots, and you will have dry, warm feet this summer when fishing. More people die of consumption, chills, etc., brought on by getting their feet wet than by any other disease.

Beware of imitations. See that the name Fred. Smallwood is on the Heel Plate.

Mail Orders filled same day as received.

F. SMALLWOOD,
The Home of Good Shoes.

Grove Hill Bulletin This Week!

TULIPS: Red, White and Yellow.
HYACINTHS: White and Pink.
SHAMROCKS for St. Patrick's Day.
Booking orders for Easter Flowers, Wreaths and Crosses to order as usual.

J. McNEIL,
Waterford Bridge Road.



YOUR POLICY

should be kept up. Don't you often hear of a friend's loss? This should be a warning to you to look after your own.

INSURANCE POLICIES

and not let them run out. If you take out a policy with my companies you know that any loss will be met promptly. Cost is low.

PERCIE JOHNSON,
Insurance Agent.



HAYWARD & CO., Water Street, East

Music for the Multitude!

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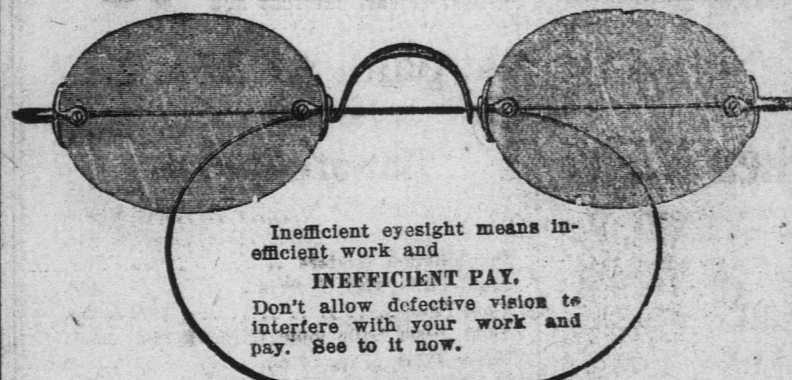
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