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NOTICE.
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An Emergency Meeting of Avalon Lodge No. 776 E.C. will be held on Wednesday evening, April 30th, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of conferring F.C. Degree.
By order W.M.
A. G. WILLIAMS, Secretary.
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Bonnie Baby Competition.
Score Sheets may now be obtained from the following:
EAST END—Mrs. Frank Bradshaw, Military Road.
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TRUCKMEN'S UNION.
There will be a Meeting of the Truckmen's Protective Union on Thursday night, at 8.30 o'clock, in the L.S.P.U. Hall. All members are urgently requested to attend.
By order
P. MURPHY, Secretary.
apr29,31

Newfoundland St. Andrew's Society.
GRAND DANCE, GRENFELL HALL, THURSDAY, MAY 8th.
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P.S.—The Novelty Dance, advertised for May 6th, has been postponed and the above substituted.
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ASSOCIATION.
There will be a Meeting of the above Association in their Club Rooms, Harvey Road, on Thursday, May 1st, at 8 p.m.
S. GARDINER, Secretary.
Saints Football Notice.
The postponed meeting of the St. Andrew's Football Team will be held in the Society Club Rooms, Water St., Thursday, May 1st. All members of last year's team and supporters are requested to attend. New members welcome. Business: Election of Officers, etc.
H. P. BUTT, Sec.-Treas.
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REMOVAL NOTICE, EAST END POST OFFICE.
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M. E. HAWCO, Minister of Posts & Telegraphs, April 30th, 1924. apr30,11

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The Countess of Landon.

CHAPTER XXIV.

Madge stopped and looked over the railing, and a girlish desire to show Irene that she, Madge, could do at least one thing well took possession of her.

"It is very pretty," she said, with a mischievous affection of timidity. "Do you think it would let us come near it?"

"Oh, yes! I should think so," said Irene. "John would not buy it unless it were quiet."

"Let us see," said Madge; and she opened the gate and went into the paddock.

"Take care, dear," said Irene, as Madge slowly approached the horse.

"I will be very careful," said Madge, smiling to herself.

The colt held its head up and looked at her with its pretty, gentle eyes, its ears pointed toward her curiously, and moved a little uneasily. But Madge got up to it, and speaking to it in a low, soft voice, managed to get hold of its forelock.

"Take care—oh, take care, Madge!" called out Irene; and she entered the paddock.

"Don't come any nearer," said Madge. "See, there, dear; on that rail there's a bridle and a cloth. Will you give me the bridle?"

"Madge!" exclaimed Irene.

Madge looked at her with a mischievous gleam in her dark eyes.

"There is no danger," she said. "I want to see if you think Royce really could manage to teach me."

Irene brought the bridle, and, with a gypsy's patience and tact, Madge got it on the colt. The next instant she was on its back.

"The cloth, the cloth—quick!" she cried, but softly.

Scarcely knowing what she was doing, Irene ran and brought the light-blue overcoat which one of the men had left beside the bridle. Madge took it from her, whipped it, yet gently, round her waist, and, in this impromptu habit, looked down upon the startled Irene like the statue of a young Amazon.

"Then, with a nod and a "Good-bye," she let the colt go.

She trotted him, cantered him, walked him, almost racing pace round the paddock, bringing him to a stand-still in an instant within a yard of the still amazed Irene.

"Oh, Madge! what a trick to play me!" she said, her lovely face turned up to her smiling reproach. "Why, you ride like—anything!" she concluded, woman-like, missing her simile.

Madge looked down at her with a half-sad, half-smile.

"There is nothing wonderful in that, Irene," she said. "You forget that I am—a gypsy, and that all gypsies are used to horses. I think I must have learned to ride bare-back before I could even walk. Ever since I can remember I have played among the horses, like a young colt myself. One thing a gypsy can do, if it is the only thing—he can ride."

"Are you sure you are quite safe?" asked Irene.

"As safe as if I were on the ground."

"Then—then gallop round once more, dear, for it was delicious. I thought I could ride—a little. Royce always said—"

Madge let the colt go and he tore round the paddock. The exercise had brought the color into her tinted ivory cheek; her eyes were sparkling as she pulled the colt up; then suddenly the color died away and her eyes became fixed with dismay and distress on something behind Irene.

Irene turned. The countess was standing in the garden looking on. To say that her haughty face indicated disgust is to describe its expression far too mildly. She stood with contempt—an icy-cold contempt—and scorn on every feature.

Madge paled, and, still keeping the colt round her waist, slipped to the ground.

Irene took the cloth from her, whispering:

"Do not mind, dear. It was my fault—it was all my fault. Besides, after all, why should you be ashamed? Why, Madge?" for Madge heaved a deep sigh.

"I ought not to have done it," she said in a low voice. "It was a mad trick. It was like—a like a common gypsy; and that was what she was saying to herself, I could see it in her face, her eyes."

Irene felt distressed, but tried to comfort her.

"I saw nothing wrong in it, dear Madge, and I will show you!" and she Royce would not have; and it is he you have to think of."

"Ah, yes! it is he!" said Madge. "Irene, you would not have done it."

"Because I couldn't," she said, with simple candor. "If I could I would; I will now. Catch the colt for me, Madge, and I will show you!" and she stopped resolutely.

Madge shook her head.

"No use, dear," she said, meekly. "It is just the difference between us. You would do it to screen me, and I did it because—I liked it. And I meant to try so hard to be like you!" She sighed, and turned her head away. A groom came up.

"The carriage is ready, miss," he said.

Irene caught her hand.

"Let us make haste," she said. "We will both go in together and share the scolding." Then she flushed. "Oh, I forgot! I was thinking that you were a girl like myself, and not Mrs. Landon. Madge, do you know what I should do if I had been caught as you were? though, mind, I say there was nothing in it."

Madge shook her head.

"What?"

"Brazen it out!" whispered Irene in her ear. "Like this—see!"

She drew herself up until her slender form was upright as an arrow, and with a defiant look in her lovely face, walked forward haughtily.

Madge looked at her with a sad smile.

"Ah, yes!" she said. "I would have done it—a week ago; before—before I came to Monk Towers."

It was a significant speech.

Madge found an exquisite little equipage awaiting them—a pair of perfectly matched white ponies and a tiny phaeton, with the smallest groom in the stable. Irene dismissed him, however.

"If we can't manage these two white mice it is a pity," she said. "Now, where shall we go? Let us see. We will go into London, and home across the common. We shall be home nicely to lunch."

Madge was very quiet for a mile or two, thinking of the late contratemps; but presently the pace of the two white mice bowled along, the fresh air, and Irene's efforts, dispelled her sadness, and by the time they had reached the town her face had cleared.

Wherever they went, she noticed that they were received with a respect so profound as to almost amount to awe. Women along the road-side dropped a courtesy, and men touched and pulled off their hats.

At a row of cottages on the outskirts of the town Irene pulled up, and the children came running out to her, hobbling and touching their foreheads, but smiling eagerly at every word she said to them. She asked after the cottages by their names, gave some of them an order on the local grocer or butcher for tea or meat, and told one or two to send up to the Towers for port wine.

"This will be your work, you know, dear," she said. "I shall abdicate now."

"No, no!" said Madge. "They would not care for a new sovereign. Besides, why should you? They love you, all of them. I can see it in their faces and hear it in their voices. Does the countess visit them and treat them like this?"

"N-o," replied Irene, hesitating. "You see, it is not exactly in her way. They—well, they are rather afraid of her. It is madame's manner, but she is kind at heart. She is very nice to one poor woman—a pensioner of hers—for instance."

Nothing more was said on this point, and they proceeded to the town. Here the respect was demonstrated still more plainly. The shop-people hurried out of their shops and stood bareheaded and received Irene's small orders with reverential bows. Many glances were directed toward Madge, and Irene, happening to mention her name once, the shopman bowed twice to Madge as to divinity.

"They treat us as if we were queens, and of different flesh and blood," she said, absently.

Irene laughed.

"Madame would say, if she heard you: 'So, we are! But that's nonsense, of course. But you see, Madge, Monk Towers is the biggest place here, and nearly all the town belongs to Seymour.'"

"Nearly all the town!" repeated Madge, open-eyed.

Irene laughed again, and pointed with her whip.

(To be continued.)

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Red leather and braid is used in trimming a coat of navy charmen with a turn-over collar of white fur.

The new umbrella resembles a Japanese parasol, having as many as sixteen ribs to give it the flat effect.

The gayly colored printed silk handkerchief is a smart accessory to both the tailored and sports costume.

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Plan to Leap Ocean With Thought Waves

Trans-Atlantic Teletyping Successful

Cambridge, March 28.—Express in thought communication between telephatic waves are under way learned to-day from a member of Harvard faculty, "Thought Waves" received here from New York City. Cambridge is soon to be announced.

Dr. Gardner Murphy, a fellow in psychology and Dr. Helson, an assistant in the psychology department, are in the psychology department, are the psychology programme was the psychology department and yet undertaken in mental health.

A little onion juice and seasons a cheese custard

Labour Considers Empire's Interests Would Not be Served by Tariff System

Boundary Commission to Deal with Ulster-Free State Dispute—3rd Reading of Church Union Bill Passed by N. S. Assembly—Marx Declares Germany do Her Utmost to Restore Order.

REFERENCE PROPOSALS TURNED DOWN.

LONDON, April 29. Mr. Snowden, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in introducing the Budget to the House today, announced that the Labour Government "is unable to endorse the late Government's Preference Proposals." The Chancellor stated that "we on this side of the House never believed that the interest of the empire would be served, in the long run, by a system of tariffs." Mr. Snowden added,

however, that the late Government's pledges to submit the preference proposals to the Commons would be fulfilled to the fullest possible extent. The Chancellor in opening his speech stated that a surplus of over forty-eight million pounds had been realized on last year's accounts, the surplus had gone to the reduction of debts. Over half the surplus was due to reduced expenditures. The total deadweight of the debt on March 31st was nearly eight billion pounds. About ninety million less than the previous

year. The floating debt was reduced thirty-five and a half million pounds to seven hundred seventy-four and a half million. The Chancellor recommended that the McKenna duties be abolished.

WILL APPOINT BOUNDARY COMMISSION.

LONDON, April 29. J. H. Thomas, Colonial Secretary, announced in the Commons today that as no settlement by agreement was possible, the boundary between Northern Ireland and the South, must be determined in accordance with article twelve of the Anglo-Irish treaty, which calls for a Boundary Commission.

A MARX DECLARATION.

COLOGNE, April 29. Chancellor Marx delivered a speech here, reiterating the statement made in his campaign address at Dusseldorf on Sunday. While Germany would do her utmost to restore economic and financial order, he declared, at the same time with all emphasis at his command she would claim fulfillment of the preliminary conditions formulated by the Dawes committee, especially the prompt return of those expelled from the occupied territories and the release of prisoners.

CHURCH UNION BILL PASSES THIRD READING.

HALIFAX, April 29. After eight successive motions to send it back to the committee for consideration of amendments had been voted down, the Church Union Bill passed its third reading in the Nova Scotia Legislature this afternoon, without division and without amendment.

FOOLISH GAME HAS FATAL ENDING.

OMAHA, April 29. Jabbing at neighborhood girls with a pin-tipped stick cost the life of Robert Effenberger, 14, last night when Alleen Ralph, 13, plunged a hatpin into his chest, puncturing a blood vessel. The lad died in ten minutes. "Every night the boys in the neighborhood have been sticking the girls with pins on sticks," Alleen told the police. "I got a hatpin and told the other girls that if they came near any more, I was going to stick them good." The juvenile authorities are holding the girl.

MAN'S BEST FRIEND.

LAMBERTON, N.Y., April 29. The lives of eight persons were saved by a collie dog, when the farm house of Leslie Morrison burned to the ground early this morning. The dog sacrificed its own life in its efforts. Morrison was awakened by the dog's tugging at the bedclothes to find the house in flames, and with the help of his wife and cousin he carried five small children to safety. The dog was buried in the debris, having crashed through a burning floor.

THE ESTATE DISPUTE OF AMBROSE SMALL SETTLED.

TORONTO, April 29. The long litigation over the will of Ambrose J. Small, the Toronto millionaire theatre magnate, long missing, and now believed dead, has come to an end. Counsel for Mrs. Small, who was making application to the Court here for probate of the 1903 will of the missing man, and the lawyers for the Misses Gert rude and Florence Small, sisters of Mr. Small, and other relatives, who were contesting the will this afternoon effected a settlement by which Mrs. Small agrees to pay \$400,000 into Court. The two sisters, and Madeline Small and Percy Small, half sister and half brother, respectively, will receive an income in equal shares. In the event of any one of the participants dying, the sum of \$100,000, representing the amount from which the income is individually derived will revert to the estate. The settlement made retroactive for two years, and to each of the four, the sum of \$15,000, decided upon as the amount of interest accrued during that period is to be paid immediately.

AIRPLANES COLLIDE, FATALITY RESULTS.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 29. Lieut. E. A. Muck, aviator, stationed at North Island naval station here, was killed today when his plane collided with another in mid-air, damaged one wing and fell 2,500 feet into San Diego Bay. Lieut. O. A. Weller, pilot of the other machine, was uninjured.

SAILOR'S MARVELLOUS EXPERIENCE.

YARMOUTH, April 29. To be thrown by a heavy sea from his dory with a companion, just as he was about to board his schooner, which he was seeking as a haven in a blinding snow storm, later to lose his hold on the log line, by which he and his companion were being pulled back to the schooner, then to sink beneath the surface three times and finally to be raised by being pulled out of the water attached to a gaff, which his captain thrust under the water and caught in the collar of his sweater, was the experience of Benjamin Melanson of the Yarmouth schooner Edie James, which arrived in port last night after a twenty day trip to the Newfoundland Banks.

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Detectives Held Suspects at Bay

REVOLVERS IN HAND PLAIN-CLOTHES-MEN INTERCEPT THREE IN AUTO.

Held at the point of revolvers in the hands of Detective Lebine, and Plain-Clothes-Men Page and Longpre, who intercepted an automobile containing three passengers, at midnight on St. Joseph's boulevard, Henri Cote, 718 Garnier street, Paul Emile Garspey, 272a Delarochette street, and Charles Vallancourt, 779 Garnier street, submitted to arrest. The automobile held extra tires valued at \$300. There was a flash light and several long iron bars. Previous to the arrest there had been reported a burglary at a garage owned by L. Jarry, at 599 Delanandiere street. Several tires piled near the door at the garage decided the detectives to remain within easy distance for a return of the burglars for more loot. When an auto hove in sight the detectives halted it planting themselves in the road with revolvers loaded and levelled at the occupants. This morning the three men appeared before Chief Justice Decarie in the Arraignment Court charged with burglary at the garage and were sent for preliminary enquiry on the 30th with bail refused for the present. Cote was charged with carrying

Father to Slay Negro Who Took His Son's Life

Arizona Warden Permits Aged Parent to act as Executioner—Old Man Sits in Little Cabin Awaiting Day of His Revenge.

Miami, Arizona, April 18. (United Press).—Unless the Supreme Court interposes, W. H. Grosh will spring the trap June 20 that will end the life of William B. Ward, negro slayer of his son, Theodore Wilbur Grosh, a student of the University of Arizona. Warden Sims, of the State prison, has granted the aged man's request that he be permitted to have that bit of revenge. Ward was convicted of stabbing Grosh to death and assaulting his girl companion, Miss Maxine Menolly. Sentenced to hang June 20, after a new trial was denied, the negro has served notice of an appeal. In the meantime "Old Man" Grosh, who has been both father and mother to his six children since the death of his wife, fifteen years ago, sits behind an oil lamp in his little cabin beneath the towering mesa on the outskirts of Miami, his heart filled with bitterness. He even resents the fact that the

School Girl Held as Rum Runner

ARREST OF FIFTEEN-YEAR-OLD MISS SOLYES "LIQUOR LEAK."

KENORA, Ont., April 18.—(Canadian Press).—A demure young school girl, 15 years of age, with a battered telescope bag, furnished the police of Kenora with the solution of a mysterious "liquor leak" between this province and Manitoba. In the bag were four gallons of almost pure alcohol. For some time local police authorities have maintained a close watch on all incoming trains in an effort to locate the traffickers, but until Wednesday their efforts had proved abortive. As the bobbed-hair young miss stepped from the train, one of the waiting police officers heard a faint clink from the bag she was carrying. When approached the girl claimed to be visiting a sick grandmother and tried to evade further interrogation. Not satisfied, the police officer searched the bag where at the bottom reposed the key to the mystery. The girl gave her home as Moisson, Man., and said she had been employed by a Manitoba bootlegging ring which specialized in using young girls as transporters of liquor. She was placed in the custody of the juvenile authorities pending further investigation. Every lover of music should hear Mr. Cameron Geddes sing "Alone in the Desert" to-night at the Majestic.—apr30.11 Little chicks are very apt to drown in their watering trough unless some stones are put in it. They can step on these and climb out if they fall in.

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Table of ship sailings from Montreal, Liverpool, and other ports, listing ship names and dates.

Gasolene!

Advertisement for Gasolene, highlighting high test and low test options in barrels and cases.

H. J. Stabb & Co.



Advertisement for insurance services, mentioning fire and life insurance policies.

THE BEST CROPS.

Advertisement for ammonium sulphate fertilizer, describing its benefits for farm and garden crops.

STATUTORY NOTICE.

Legal notice regarding the estate of William J. Halley of St. John's, including details of a hearing and appointment of an executor.

In the Realms of Sport

Table of inter-club bowling league scores, listing teams like C.L.B., V. Dowden, and H. Marshall with their respective scores.

Text about a bowling game being postponed until next week.

TO-NIGHT'S BOXING PRELIMINARIES.

Details of boxing preliminaries, including matchups like Flyweight-Bishop, James, English, and Lightweight-Hannaford, Phehan, Raines.

News and Gossip of the Pro. Boxers And Wrestlers

News articles about boxing and wrestling, including mentions of Johnnie Dundee and Harry Greb.

Women's Headgear in Court

News article about a woman's headgear being an issue in court proceedings.

The Passing Hour

Short piece titled 'The Passing Hour' mentioning 'English Spoken' and a woman's window.

'The Loves of Pharaoh'

Advertisement for 'The Loves of Pharaoh' at the Majestic Theatre, describing it as a magnificent love drama.

Advertisement for Cameron Geddes, a beautiful girl who was wrecked, performing at the theatre.

Lost Son a Murderer

News article about a man who abandoned his son, who later became a murderer.

Not Purely Local

Short piece titled 'Not Purely Local' mentioning a hearing.

IN A RESTAURANT, TOO!

Short piece titled 'IN A RESTAURANT, TOO!' mentioning a restaurant.

Schr. Humorist Arrives

News article about the arrival of a humorist named Schr.

VESEL WAS BADLY BUFFETED.

News article about a vessel being badly buffeted by weather.

Chocolate Easter EGGS.

Advertisement for chocolate Easter eggs, listing various flavors and brands.

Queen Olives Stuffed and Plain.

Advertisement for Queen Olives, both stuffed and plain.

Prison Reunion After Twenty Five Years-Poignant Ordeal For A Mother.

Long article about a prison reunion after twenty-five years, focusing on a mother's ordeal.

Cables in Gulf Broken by Ice

News article about cables in the Gulf being broken by ice.

Premature Old Age of Women

News article about the premature old age of women.

Portrait of Saint Patrick in Houses of Parliament

News article about a portrait of Saint Patrick in the Houses of Parliament.

Choice Stilton Cheese.

Advertisement for choice Stilton cheese.

English Breakfast Biscuits.

Advertisement for English breakfast biscuits.

British Rusks.

Advertisement for British rusks.

A KEARNEY HAT

Advertisement for Kearney hats, priced at \$3.50, emphasizing quality and service.

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THE LONDON DIRECTORY

Advertisement for The London Directory, listing various services and contact information.

DEALERS SEEKING AGENTS

Advertisement for dealers seeking agents, mentioning various products and services.

THE LONDON DIRECTORY

Advertisement for The London Directory, providing details about the publication.

POUND'S GOLD CREAM

Advertisement for Pound's Gold Cream, describing its benefits for the skin.

'NUGGET' BOOT POLISH

Advertisement for 'Nugget' boot polish, highlighting its effectiveness and ease of use.

Vertical column of various advertisements on the far right edge of the page, including mentions of 'C.M.', 'ALEX', 'MONEY', and 'THE FLOW'.

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Parishioners Hold Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the parishioners of St. Thomas' Church was held in Canon Wood Hall last night. The Rev. J. B. Elliott, president, presided. There was a large gathering of both sexes present. After the opening prayer and the reading of minutes, the Rev. before presenting his report, availed of the opportunity to thank the congregation for the high honor conferred upon him by electing him to be their rector, and asked for the prayers and co-operation of the whole congregation. His report of the spiritual work of the parish had been a very brief one in the parish; he was very pleased and thankful for the large attendances at all the services during Lent, Holy Week, Good Friday and Easter, which gave him encouragement for his work in the future.

The People's Warden, Hon. Robert Watson, presented the Financial Statement of the Parish which was eminently satisfactory, the receipts for the year being sufficient to defray all Church expenses and also to wipe out the debt of about \$1,400 with which the year commenced. To-day there is a small balance in the Bank to the credit of the Church, the receipts for all services amounted to \$26,000, being \$18,400 for parochial purposes and \$7,600 for extra parochial expenditure such as missions and diocesan needs.

The Rector regretfully announced that Sir Marmaduke Winter, who has recently been so greatly bereaved, was unable to accept re-appointment as Rector's Warden, but assured him that he would give him and the parish all his influence and support that was possible. In place of Sir Marmaduke, he was glad to be able to say that the Hon. Tasker Cook had accepted the appointment of Rector's Warden. Hon. R. Watson was again unanimously elected People's Warden.

The election of the Select Vestry resulted as follows:—The Rector and Wardens ex-officio; Hon. Sir M. G. Winter, H. W. LeMessurier, C. M. G. L. Colley, F. M. Stirling, R. B. Wood, A. G. Carnell, W. S. Monroe, C. E. Hunt, G. H. Cook, R. G. MacDonald, R. Dowden, J. C. Oke.
Reports were received from representatives of the following organizations:—Womens' Association, W.H.M.S.; Brotherhood of St. Andrew; St. Margaret's Guild; Girls' Bible Class; Dunfield Club; Sunday Schools; Band of Hope; Cartwright Mission Circle; Protestant Industrial Society and Cemetery Committee. Messrs. F. C. Berteau and W. S. Monroe were re-appointed auditors; and Messrs. J. C. Oke, E. S. Pinsent, E. Lawrence, F. Bursell, and R. Dowden, were re-elected on Cemetery Committee. Messrs. A. H. Cook and F. Bursell as Parish representatives to the Protestant Industrial Society. Votes of thanks were passed to all who helped in the work of the Parish in any way during the past year. The pronouncing of the Benediction by the Rector brought a very pleasant and successful meeting to a close.

Here and There.

THE TRAINS.—The incoming express left Bishop's Falls at 9 a.m. Yesterday's west bound express left Benton at 8 a.m. The weather is fine and clear all along the line of railway to-day.

Dr. T. P. Smith, Dentist, wishes to inform the public that he is still at the old stand, 256 Water Street, where he has been practicing his profession for the past twenty one years.—apr20,4500

STAR BILLIARD DINNER.—The Star of the Sea Billiard dinner will be held in the Club Rooms at 8 o'clock at 8.30. "Spot" side lost out by thirty-three points and are responsible for to-night's spread. A special programme of songs and speeches has been prepared and an enjoyable evening is bound to follow.

The Next War

Boston Globe: (H. Grindell-Matthews, an Englishman, has successfully demonstrated an electric ray which will explode ammunition and stall gasoline motors at a great distance.) In "the next war," which the military gentlemen keep talking about there will be no non-combatants—not one. It will be recalled that a good many elderly, and frequently adipose, gentlemen were in the habit of mourning their inability to go to the front. The next time they will have their wish. They will be right at the front. For everything will be front. There will be no rear. And everybody will be combatants. It will be as important to wipe out civilian populations as fighting men—and as easy. Thus it is seen how our era of scientific invention as applied to war constitutes an unmitigated blessing to humanity and furthers the cause of human equality. There is no equality as an electron can at long distance by a light-ray. Blessed are the peacemakers. Award to Mr. H. Grindell-Matthews the Nobel peace prize. He has earned it.

Stock Market News

NEW YORK, April 30.

TO-DAY'S OPENING

Beth Steel	48
Marine Pfd.	34
Punta Sugar	56 1/4
Standard	20 1/2
Studebaker	82 1/2
Union Pacific	125 1/2
U. S. Steel	38 1/2
Pan. American	46
Sub. Boat	8 1/2

MONTREAL OPENING

Abitibi	54 1/2
Brazilian	50 1/2
Can. Cement	8 1/2
Can. Steamships Pfd.	49 1/2
B. E. S. com.	3
Laurentide Power	85 1/2
Montreal Power	15 1/2
Ottawa Power	84
Shawinigan	126
Can. Steel	72
Spanish River com.	96 1/2
Spanish River Pfd.	107

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GENERAL MOTORS REGULAR DIVIDENDS

First Quarter Net at Annual Rate of \$3.40 a Share on Common.
(Boston News Bureau, April 23.)
N. Y.—General Motors declared regular quarterly dividends 20 cents on common; \$1.50 each on preferred and 6% debenture and \$1.75 on 7% debenture. Common dividend is payable June 12 to stock of record May 19, other dividends Aug. 1, to stock of record July 7.

Pres. Sloan announced final figures for first quarter will not be available until later in week, but preliminary figures indicate net earnings available for dividends after depreciation

"This having been accomplished, the plants of the corporation are now being operated at a rate equal to slightly over 80 per cent. of sales for the first quarter. It will be noted that this policy of running plants at peak during winter and spring enabled the corporation to supply its dealers and distributors with sufficient cars to meet spring requirements and to slack off its operations during the summer months to that point necessary to cover lessened demand for automobiles during that season of year."
W. S. Knudsen, general manager of Chevrolet, was elected a vice-president of General Motors.

"Mayo-Keno Bulletin" Japan and Singapore

ADALADE CHRONICLE: Regarded as it should have been as one of the naval precautions necessitated by the defence of the great carrying trade which has its focus in the southern portion of the Malay Peninsula, the construction of a naval base at Singapore could have excited no distrust in Japan. And we can well believe that the adoption by the last Parliament of a vote for the construction of the dock would have provoked no attention whatever in that country were there not writers outside to defend (or oppose) it on the assumption that its necessity was to be found in the inevitability of a war with the Island Empire. Japan was not criticized when she fortified the Benin Islands, nor has anyone thought of taking exception to the strategic efforts which she has for some time been making to render that island impregnable. And so no one has disputed the right of Japan to be mistress in her own house, a similar right must be ceded to other Powers to administer their possessions as they please. Consequently, in the fortification of Singapore there could be no possible ground for anything deplorable in Japanese feeling.

Boy's Heart on the Wrong Side

A medical officer of the Merthyr Education Committee in the course of examining a number of children recently found an interesting discovery. The heart of Willie Jones, a boy of 13 years, was located in the right breast. This was confirmed later by X-ray examination.
With the exception of an attack of pneumonia at the age of seven the boy's health has been consistently good and his general condition is certified as perfectly sound.
He is one of seven children and lives with his parents at Troedyrhiw.

Graduates of the Greatest School

The mere lack of a University or public school education has nothing to do with a man's patriotism or common sense. Education is a bigger thing than either Eton or Harrow, Oxford or Cambridge, and its most essential part of character-building it may have been quite well acquired by the boy who went to work in mine or factory before he reached his "teens." Men who have been through this hard school are not usually of the type who go around waving a red flag and wading through imaginary floods of gore. It is a matter for admiration, as well as for confidence in our race, that so many of the Labor Party leaders, who to long years of hard manual toil then added the still harder task of self-education, have come through it all with so little bitterness of heart but with a strong determination that their sons and grandsons will have smaller handicaps. The people of Britain recognize this, and not least of all those to whom circumstances have hitherto delegated the business of politics and administration.—Buluwayo Chronicle.

King's Stand on the Great Seal

Ever since the Conquest, the Great Seal has shown the reigning monarch mounted on a charger, but the King has created a precedent by signing on the seal as an admiral standing on the deck of a battleship.
The almost unknown fact was one of many described by the Rev. J. Harvey Bloom in a paper on the Society of the Great Seal, read to the Society of Genealogists in London.
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SODAS—Pound15c.
PILOTS—Pound15c.
LUNCH—Pound18c.
CANADIAN SAUSAGES—lb.30c.
BOLOGNA—Pound22c.
PURE LARD—Pound23c.
GREEN PEAS—Large, lb.10c.
RICE—Whole, lb.10c.
CRANBERRIES—Gallon70c.
ROYAL ICING SUGAR—lb.20c.
PURE GOLD ASSORTED JELLIES—Package14c.
CHOW CHOW—Staple Strong, bottle24c.
POTATOES—Gallon13c.
TURNIPS—Pound2 1/2c.
CABBAGE—Pound10c.

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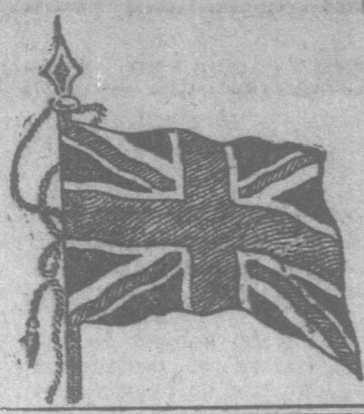
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Our Practical Responsibility

Guarded as the language used by the outside press has been in the comments made on the revelations contained in the Walker Report, no one can fail to understand their gentle suggestions or to realize fully that the general opinion is that our affairs are in a serious condition.

These journals, and particularly the Old Country publications do not as a rule indulge in criticism of matters which are none of their concern, and the fact that they have expressed their opinions of the domestic affairs in this country indicates that they consider the question of more than local importance. Without a doubt they are right to take that view, and if we will give the matter a moment's thought, we must admit that their strictures are not unwarranted nor without justification.

Apart from the fisheries and agriculture, practically all our industries—the Bell Island mines, the pulp and paper operations at Grand Falls, the Humber project, the limestone works at Aquathana, etc., are financed by outside capitalists, and we trust that the success of these enterprises will encourage others to invest their money in our undeveloped natural resources. Constantly it is pointed out that the future prosperity of the country depends upon our ability to induce the capitalist from abroad to harness our water power and to turn to account our mineral wealth. With this object in view, we do not even hesitate—not always wisely, it must be admitted—to offer valuable concessions in return for operations undertaken, but in spite of our liberality and in spite of our latent possibilities, it is useless to blind ourselves to the fact that the essential guarantees required by a prospective customer are political stability and national honesty.

In our individual transactions we prefer to do business with those who we feel can be trusted, and once our confidence is abused by a supplier we promptly transfer our business elsewhere. Honesty is not only the best policy; it is essentially the only policy; and the reputation of a Government which enters into a contract must be absolutely above suspicion. "Honesty," someone remarked recently, "is the best politics," but to what extent is that view held by those in the game?

We cannot delay in the measures taken to effect drastic changes in our political life for another and even more cogent reason. Both in Britain and in America enormous Newfoundland loans have been raised from time to time. For years we have been relying upon this outside help to carry us through our difficulties. What would be the effect upon these markets were we to display an utter indifference to profligacy on the part of our administrators, or to show ourselves incapable of cleaning up the scandals in which the country is involved?

Apart altogether from the moral aspect, let us consider the case from this practical point of view, and give it the same

earnest attention as we devote to our business and to our affairs in everyday life. The situation is critical and we cannot afford to default. By dint of sacrifice, hard work, and persistence our forefathers gained for us the privilege of home rule. Is it suggested that this generation is so weak-kneed that outside administrators must be called in to set our house in order? Have we already reached our second childhood? Is the oldest colony to be held up to ridicule because we do not trouble to bestir ourselves, or because schemers obstruct our path? Whatever else we have been robbed of, surely we still retain our pride, and our manhood!

Older Than We Thought

Yesterday we were in error—on the right side fortunately—in stating that The Telegram made its first appearance on April 29th, 1879. The early volumes belonging to this office were destroyed in the '92 fire, and in the only record of the event in our possession a typographical error gave the date which we quoted. Thanks to Miss Morris, the Government Librarian, we are able to rectify the mistake as she has in her possession the first volume of the paper, which shows that the first issue appeared on Thursday, April 3rd, 1879.

We wish to thank our contemporary, the Evening Advocate, for the congratulations extended to the Telegram on the occasion of its birthday.

Magistrate's Court.

Two ordinary drunks were allowed to go upon payment of cash hire. A motorist for driving a car without first having obtained a license, was ordered to pay costs. Hon. W. H. Cave, Minister Finance and Customs vs. George Bragg. This is a case in which the defendant is charged with leaving the port of St. John's in charge of the steamer Senef without having obtained a Customs clearance. A second charge is also laid against the captain at the instance of Mr. H. W. LeMessurier, Assistant Collector, for deporting in steamer Senef a number of passengers without having had the ship properly surveyed. Both cases were postponed until Tuesday next.

Cathedral Parish Meeting

The annual Easter meeting of the parishioners of the Church of England Cathedral, will be held this evening at 8.30 in the Synod Building. In addition to the routine business many matters of importance to the Parish will be discussed, and it is hoped that all who can will make an earnest effort to be present.

Body of Mail Courier Found in Waterlogged Boat

A message received yesterday afternoon by the Minister of Posts and Telegraphs, from Mr. Kenneth Manuel, Loon Bay, records the finding of a water logged boat, containing the body of Patrick Clair, mail courier, between Loon Bay and Boyd's Cove. The message reads as follows:—

"Found body of Patrick Clair of Boyd's Cove, one of the mail couriers between Boyd's Cove and here in water-logged boat in drift ice, about two miles from here, but no sign of other courier, Horatio Wells, or any mail. Nothing left in boat only body of Clair. Having men go in search of Horatio Wells and mail as soon as we get body of Clair to land. Would like any instructions from you."

Preliminary Hearing Postponed Until Tuesday

The preliminary hearing into the charge of larceny preferred against Mr. J. T. Meany, late Acting Liquor Controller, began in the Magistrate's Court at 10.30 a.m. before Judge Morris. Present were Mr. L. E. Emerson, Crown prosecutor, Mr. E. Watson, one member of the Auditing Staff, the Government Bond Storekeeper, and Mr. W. B. Howley. Mr. Meany, owing to the unavoidable absence of his counsel, asked that the proceedings be adjourned. The motion was granted and the hearing will be resumed on Tuesday next.

Instructions for Taking List of Voters

A Proclamation was issued in yesterday's Royal Gazette directing that a Voters' List should be taken and revised in the manner provided under the 1919 Election Act, and in accordance with the rules and regulations made thereunder. It is understood that instructions have been sent by telegraph to the various officials concerned to proceed forthwith in the matter.

Mail Courier Clair's Body Recovered

NO SIGN MISSING COMPANION. A further message in reference to the loss of the mail couriers at Loon Bay, was received by Mr. Hawco this morning, stating that the body of the late mail courier, Clair, was landed at Loon Bay yesterday evening. A search party, which was immediately instituted after the alarm was raised made a diligent search for the mail courier named Wells, but saw no sign. The search was resumed this morning. It is understood that the mail supposed to have been lost was the incoming mail from Fogo District.

Personal.

Mr. A. Wareham, a prominent business man of Harbor Buffett, is in town on his usual Spring's business trip. He is accompanied by Mrs. Wareham, and both are guests at the White House. The many friends of Mr. W. A. B. Slater, Military Road, will be delighted to learn that he had a very successful operation performed at the Hospital on Tuesday last, and is now on the high road to a rapid recovery. Mr. Harold C. Hayward who was on a business trip North arrived in the city by train this morning.

PEPYS BEHIND THE SCENES.

April 29th.—By despatches out of England, a report of certain comment which the Glasgow Herald news sheet makes of the Walker Report, very scathing, and likens the morality of Newfoundland politicians to an American state in the lawless days of the past. And is, indeed, a bad thing for this country that our affairs should be discussed in this manner. Little news of politics to-day, and seems as if the public waits for newer developments, which are long in coming. At the office, the foan pingling. I find it is my wife, she in a great state, and is because her pipes are leaking, so tells me to fetch a plumber immediately. But Lord, how difficult it is to get one, and I in fear and trembling that the house will be afloat. Anon, coming home, greatly troubled in my mind, I learn how someone did turn on the tap of the radiator, and there is no leak at all. Going abroad at night, I meet with Povey who has strange news for me, that Mr. Monroe leaves the Higgins-Warren party, and the cause of it, he says, that Sir W. Coaker will have too many of his men in the field, altho he himself retires. He talks also of a new party with a new leader, but knows not his name, nor what manner of man he be. So home, and to bed, puzzling my mind all the time of this new leader, who he may be, and what, and also, whether there be truth in this tale of Povey's. But, indeed, little surprises me these days, when every hour is filled with something new.

Relieving Destitution

The work of visiting the families in the city, reported under the recent registration scheme, as in destitute circumstances, is now practically completed. It is about 400 homes have been visited. About 25 per cent of those reporting themselves in need have been found to be in a position to provide for themselves, and accordingly no relief was given. Some cases of absolute fraud were discovered and it is not unlikely that the guilty parties will be brought to book. On the other hand there are many cases of absolute want. Homes have been visited where there was neither fire nor food, and some distressing cases of mothers having nothing for the little ones to eat are recorded. On the whole it has been found that most families have some slight income either from a daughter working or an occasional job by the father and that with some slight assistance such as is now being distributed they can tide themselves along for a few weeks.

Government Boats

Argyle left Petite Pointe 2.35 p.m. yesterday, outward. Glencoe leaving Argente this afternoon. Kris left Port aux Basques 10.10 p.m. yesterday. Prospero leaving St. John's 2 p.m. to-morrow.

Labour Budget Non Sectional and is Heartily Endorsed

Corner Brook a Port of Call for Canadian Merchant Marine—French Airman's Record—Jamaica Legislators Resent Governor's Action.

A BUDGET WHICH APPEALS TO ALL.

LONDON, April 29. The first budget prepared by the Government of Great Britain by a Socialist, was presented in the House of Commons this afternoon by Philip Snowden, Chancellor of the Exchequer. There was very little obvious Socialism in it, if any. Indeed the Liberals hailed it as "a free trade budget."

JAPAN AND JUGO SLAVIA APPROVE.

Replies to the Jugo Slavia and Japanese Governments to Reparations Commission communication of April 17th, regarding the Experts' report, have been received, and were made public last evening. Japan states she is prepared to adopt the conclusions in their entirety. The Jugo Slavia Government expresses approval of the plans and its willingness to collaborate with other Allied Governments in the measures necessary to facilitate the putting of the final decision of the Reparation Commission into operation.

NEWSPAPERS AGREEABLY SURPRISED BY THE BUDGET.

This morning the London newspapers of all shades of political opinion generally concede that the Budget, introduced in the House of Commons yesterday by Chancellor of the Exchequer, Philip Snowden, is very clever, and which, on the whole, is bound to be distinctly popular throughout the country. The Conservatives do not conceal surprise at the Chancellor's moderation. They have feared increases in death duties and the super tax and their relief that neither was altered is accompanied by satisfaction at the abolition of the Corporation Profits Tax, but they regard these favors as intended for propaganda purposes to disarm suspicions of the Socialist party of the Community. The Times carried the following criticism: "The chief fault with the Budget from a purely financial viewpoint, is its excessive optimism. It was upon the assumption that his estimate of £23,100,100 pounds revenue is correct that it made an exceptionally liberal reduction in certain kinds of taxation, but should the estimate be unrealized, it is hard to see how he can avoid a raid upon the Sinking Fund."

ORDER RESTORED IN HONDURAS.

NEW YORK, April 30. The capture of Tegucigalpa, capital of Honduras by revolutionary forces has ended the revolution and order now prevails throughout the country, according to a cablegram received today at the Honduran Consulate, here from Fausto Davila, the provisional President of Honduras.

MARTIAL LAW IN ROMANIA.

BUCHAREST, April 30. Martial law was declared by the Roumanian government during the recent anti-Jewish outbreaks will be continued until the new university term begins in August. The ministry of the interior decided today. This action the government feels to be necessary for the prevention of any further anti-semitic orders on the part of Roumanian students. Cities under martial law include Bucharest, Jassy and Cernowitz.

Published by Authority.

His Excellency the Governor-in-Council has been pleased to appoint Drs. C. Howlett, W. T. Reay, W. Roberts, and J. J. Murphy to be members of "The Dental Board of Newfoundland," under the provisions of Chapter 42, Consolidated Statutes, Third Series, in place of Dr. A. B. Lehr, deceased; Dr. T. E. Bullard, left the country; Dr. W. T. Scully, deceased; and Dr. J. G. Duncan, left the country; Mr. Herbert Mitchell (Benoit's Cove, Bay of Islands), to be a Surveyor of Lumber; Mr. Alexander Dalton (White Rock), to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Random North, in place of Mr. Louis Dalton, resigned; Messrs. Dorman Blandford (Herring Neck) and Caleb Tizzard (Salt Pans), to be members of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Herring Neck, in place of Messrs. Dorman Fudge and Alexander Sansome, left the District. Dept. of the Colonial Secretary, April 29th, 1924.

Taking a Hike

The man Warren who strayed away last week from the Poor Asylum and was located later near Chamberlains, disappeared again yesterday. The police have been apprised that the man was seen early this morning proceeding west, on foot, through Kelligrews instructions have been issued to apprehend him and he will be brought back this evening.

SEALING NEWS

A message was received from the Viking last night, stating that at 7 o'clock the total on board for the day was 800 bedlamers and old harps. The ice is still in bad condition but the captain hopes for better luck later. Up to 1 p.m. to-day the Terra Nova had landed 12,000 seals, the average weight of which was 4 1/2 lbs. The ship should finish early to-morrow. The crew of the Stella Maria boarded the train for their homes at Argente at 6 o'clock this morning. It is not known whether the ship will come on to St. John's or not.

East End Post Office Removing

The East End Post Office is being transferred to-day to the Stone Building, formerly occupied by the Militia Department. Although work of fitting up the new office is not yet completed, the old office on Duckworth Street, which has been occupied for the past quarter of a century had to be vacated today. The public however, will be put to little or no inconvenience as practically only the finishing remains to be completed. The office, admirably located, is well lighted and spacious. The walls are paneled with hard pine and wall board, and a splendid maple floor has been laid. Practically four hundred boxes have been installed and others will be added within a short time. The workmanship reflects credit on Messrs. Thomas Bros. contractor and his staff of assistants.

McMurdo's Store News.

OUR PRESCRIPTION DEPT. Our Dispensing Department is fitted up to give you the best services in prescription work. Our Drugs and Chemicals are as pure as can be had, as we buy only from first class houses. Only qualified Druggists dispense and strict adherence to the Doctor's orders is our motto. We have telephone connection with this department and our messengers are at your services. Give us a trial our prices are reasonable and we guarantee prompt service.

Scamps at Large

Sunday night last three ladies proceeding along Allandale Road were accosted and insulted by a scamp wearing riding breeches and evidently disguised. On the evening previous a young girl had a somewhat similar experience and was badly scared. She reported the matter to the police and a man answering the description was placed under arrest. When placed for identification with a number of other men the girl pointed the man out as the guilty party but on further investigation by the police an alibi which he set up was proven correct.

Shipping.

S.S. Silvia is due at daylight to-morrow from Halifax. The ship has about two-thirds general cargo. S.S. Daghigh arrived at Bell Island yesterday and sails to-day for Emden, Germany, with a cargo of 11,000 tons iron ore.

From Cape Race

Special to Evening Telegram. WIND NORTH, LIGHT, weather fine. Several schooners are in sight, all bound inward. A large number of whales were seen off here. Bar. 29.02; Ther. 48.

FREIGHT FOR WEST COAST.—Considerable freight is being handled at the Government Dock premises today for shipment along the S.W. Coast. The Prospero is expected to sail about 5 p.m. to-morrow.

DIED.

Passed peacefully away, at 8 o'clock this morning, after a short illness, Solomon Martin, aged 76 years, leaving a wife, 1 daughter, 2 sons, 2 sisters, 1 brother, 14 grandchildren and a host of friends to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on Friday at 2.30 p.m. from his late residence, 20 Duggan Street.

IN LOVING MEMORY of Ronald Chesley Martin, died April 30th, 1922. Great judge to thee our prayers we pour. In deep abasement bending; O, shield us through that last dread hour. Thy wondrous love extending. May we in this our trial day. With faithful hearts thy will obey. And thus prepare to meet thee. —Inserted by his Wife and Children

IN LOVING MEMORY of my dear husband, John Boone, who died April 30th, 1923. I miss thee from thy home dear, I miss thee from thy place. A shadow o'er my life is cast. I miss thy smiling face. I miss thy kind and helping hand. Thy fond and tender care. My home is dark without thee. I miss thee everywhere. Gone beyond this vale of sorrow. Gone to that bright world so fair; Gone from all earthly sorrow. The husband that I loved so dear. —Inserted by his Wife.

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Personal W. R. Cheshire, wife, and daughter left Barbados yesterday by S. S. Ingham for London direct. Capt. Wm. Winsor of Westleyville is a guest at the Brownsdale Hotel.

Edgeworth Tobacco has many rivals, but nothing surpasses its satisfaction. Are YOU enjoying it? Make your next purchase Edgeworth. Sold everywhere. apr30.eod.6f

MECHANICS ACCEPT OFFER.—An amicable settlement has been arrived at between the mechanics employed at the Machine Shops and the Management of the Government Railway in connection with an increase in wages. The men agreed to accept an increase of 3% per cent.

VEST POCKET KODAKS FOR \$8.50 This little Kodak can be carried in your pocket like a watch, and comes always ready for action. Get yours to-day. Price \$8.50 at TOOTON'S, THE KODAK STORE Water St. Phone 111

C. L. B. Cadets



It is wonderful how business keeps going. All the veterans answered the call last night and some hundred and fifty were undergoing the usual military drill. The Lt.-Col. Commandant has been pleased to grant a 2nd Lieutenant's Commission to Mr. Eric McKeown, St. John's, Barrister and Solicitor. The officers were pleased to see him visit the Mess last night and everybody gave him a hearty welcome. Mr. Terrett is an old cadet, having been a Serjt. of the company and for a period was commanding O.C. of the 2nd Battalion. The Brigade were also pleased to have a visit from Mr. Thomas Hayward last evening at Headquarters. Mr. Hayward is a very energetic old C.L.B. friend. Lieut. A. Perlin was again on duty and his recent leave. We are sorry his recent officer is on the casualty list this week. Capt. P. B. Reynolds being indisposed. Our Company is being inspected by Mr. S. Strickland, Rector of St. Mary's, is confined to his bed for a week's absolute rest and in order to recuperate, when we all hope to hear that he will be able to resume light duty. Mr. Mary's has been a growing party for the past few years and no doubt the assistant clergyman will soon be asked to keep up with the increasing number of parishioners there.

The Old Comrades under President Crane are busy. Their billiard tournament is nearly finished, only one game more to be played. President John wants these players to play this week as the next election will be the "Halg Regatta" in July. The Boat Club has organized a new race boat from Messrs. Lawrence Bros., and the famous skipper, Bob Sexton, will build it in the order of the Boat Club Committee. Suggestions for a grand name for the christening ceremony of the boat are in order. On to-morrow the Old Comrades have a special session at eight sharp for business, at which they will discuss the organization of their football team for the season. The President wants all the Comrades on duty last Sunday to come along up to the Club Rooms to "take a hand" in helping to arrange for the regatta and the foot- ball.

General Cove Company telephones their quarters by long distance and a supply of new kit for their gear. This is a good sign! We are getting Lieut. Sheppard to march a goodly sized Company to Topsail Bay this year.

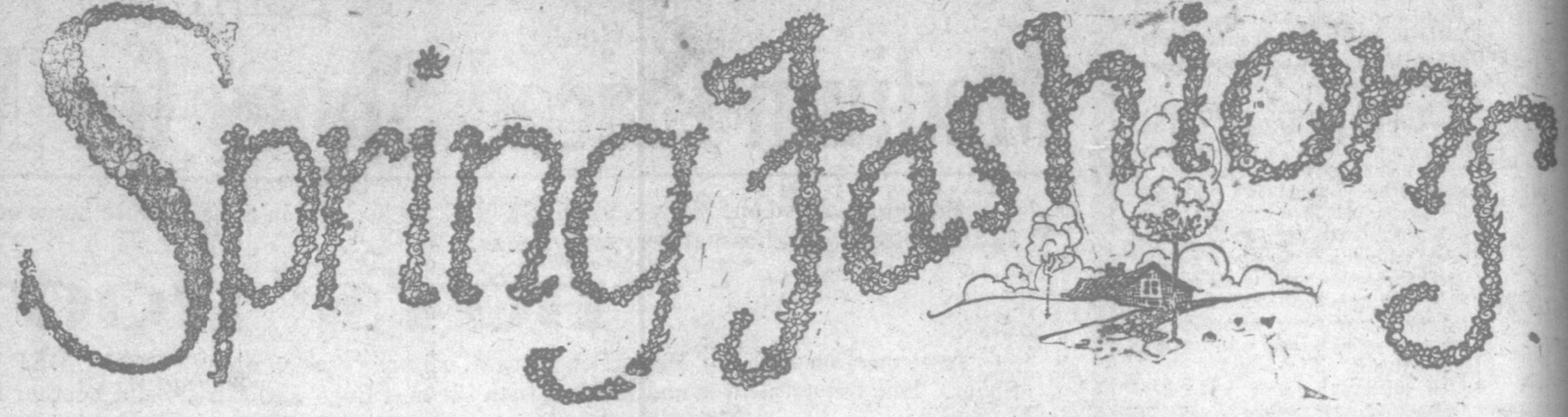
John Slick, Adjutant, on Tuesday night next will be examining the boys for the Outerbridge Shield competition. Appearance, equipment and discipline on parade will count for much in this examination. All boys had better use lots of boot and shoe polish with oceans of water and a word to the wise is sufficient. Captain Slick's "Eagle Eye" will take you all in at one glance, so be careful!

The Girl Guides of Spencer College have been given an open invitation to march with the C.L.B. at all the Church services. The next night Church parade takes place on 18th at St. Thomas's Church.

The C.L.B. Athletic Association hold their annual indoor sports on May 12th. Great preparations are being made for this energetic department of Brigade work and their show promises "to be better than the best." Carry on lads, carry on!

GEORGE KING,
April 30, 1924.

A Gigantic Price Reduction Sale of Women's Wearing Apparel Showing the Newest



IS NOW PROCEEDING AT THE ROYAL STORES

For two weeks only we offer our entire stock of Women's Dresses, Costumes and Coats at substantial reductions.

These goods are absolutely new and comprise this season's newest styles. It has often been remarked that "a bargain in time is doubly a bargain," well, everything offered during this sale is doubly a bargain because it is offered at the opportune moment.

It always pays to buy at The Royal Stores, our prices are always the lowest—quality considered—and with the great reductions made during this special sale, you are offered incomparable values for every dollar expended at this store.



Beautiful Dresses for all Occasions

The models included in this assortment are something more than the whim of fashion, in that they rise high above the usual type of dresses imported to this country. The styles are too varied for description, they must be seen to be appreciated. For the next two weeks our entire stock will be offered at very substantial reductions. This is your opportunity to secure above the ordinary dresses at below the ordinary prices.

Colored Crepe de Chene Dresses.

- 2 only Fawn and Brown \$10.00
- 1 only Saxe \$12.25 ea. for \$12.25
- 3 only Saxe, Fawn and Brown \$13.20
- 1 only Peacock \$15.00 ea. for \$15.00
- 3 only Navy, Grey and Brown \$18.00 ea. for \$18.00
- 1 only Putty \$18.50 ea. for \$18.50
- 1 only Elephant and Grey \$19.50 ea. for \$19.50
- 1 only Fawn \$19.80 ea. for \$19.80
- 1 only Grey \$24.00 ea. for \$24.00
- 1 only Navy \$26.50 ea. for \$26.50
- 1 only Fawn \$28.00 ea. for \$28.00
- 1 only Navy \$28.75 ea. for \$28.75
- 1 only Biscuit \$29.75 ea. for \$29.75
- 2 only Taupe and Grey \$30.50 ea. for \$30.50
- 2 only Taupe and Saxe \$31.50 ea. for \$31.50
- 1 only Tan \$31.80 ea. for \$31.80
- 1 only Tan \$33.50 ea. for \$33.50
- 1 only Tan \$35.00 ea. for \$35.00
- 1 only Grey \$35.25 ea. for \$35.25
- 2 only Mole and Grey \$40.75 ea. for \$40.75
- 3 only Grey, Flame and Mole \$45.00 ea. for \$45.00
- 1 only Navy \$45.50 ea. for \$45.50
- 1 only Nigger \$47.50 ea. for \$47.50
- 1 only Grey \$49.50 ea. for \$49.50
- 1 only Nut Brown \$52.50 ea. for \$52.50

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- 1 only Saxe \$ 5.25 ea. for \$ 4.25
- 1 only Nigger \$ 6.75 ea. for \$ 5.75
- 3 only Grey, Fawn and Brown \$ 8.10
- 1 only Elephant \$11.75 ea. for \$10.00
- 2 only Saxe and Nile \$12.25 ea. for \$10.40
- 1 only Grey \$12.50 ea. for \$11.00
- 1 only Nigger \$14.50 ea. for \$12.25
- 1 only Nigger \$16.50 ea. for \$14.00
- 1 only Almond \$17.00 ea. for \$14.50
- 3 only Grey and Taupe \$18.00 ea. for \$15.50
- 1 only Brown \$19.50 ea. for \$16.00
- 1 only Nut Brown \$20.00 ea. for \$17.00
- 1 only Tan \$21.00 ea. for \$17.50
- 1 only Grey \$23.00 ea. for \$19.50
- 2 only Tan and Nigger \$23.25 ea. for \$19.75
- 3 only Saxe, Grey and Elephant \$26.00 ea. for \$22.10
- 2 only Brown, Grey and Fawn \$27.50 ea. for \$25.40
- 2 only Fawn and Navy \$27.50 ea. for \$25.40
- 3 only Navy, Fawn and Henna \$29.25 ea. for \$26.50
- 1 only Navy \$29.00 ea. for \$26.50
- 1 only Navy \$31.50 ea. for \$28.75
- 1 only Saxe \$32.50 ea. for \$29.75
- 1 only Nigger \$33.25 ea. for \$29.25
- 1 only Fawn \$35.50 ea. for \$30.40
- 2 only Almond and Nigger \$37.00 ea. for \$32.50
- 2 only Grey and Dress \$37.00 ea. for \$31.45
- 1 only Fawn \$37.50 ea. for \$31.00
- 1 only Nigger \$42.75 ea. for \$36.50
- 3 only Grey, Nigger and Navy \$44.50 ea. for \$37.50
- 1 only Fawn \$45.50 ea. for \$38.50
- 1 only Brown \$51.50 ea. for \$45.00

Taffeta Silk Dresses.

- Four only, in Nigger Brown \$10.25 ea. for \$ 8.75
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Bones of Ancient Britons Dug Up

Skeletons of 174 men, women and children who lived in Warwickshire some 1,600 years ago, have been discovered at Biddford, near Stratford-on-Avon.

In addition, the ashes of 40 persons who had been cremated were also dug up. The ashes were in earthenware urns of beautiful design.

All the skeletons were found buried at full length, with their feet pointing to the north or northeast.

"The skeletons of the men were lying surrounded by their spears," said F. C. Wellstood, F.S.A., the archaeologist who has taken charge of the excavations. "The women wore 'brins' with head necklaces round their necks, and food pots by their heads, as usual. Both women and men were of a tall, strong, and evidently handsome race.

"In spite of their healthy muscular appearance it is evident," added Mr. Wellstood, "that these Anglo-Saxons suffered severely from rheumatoid arthritis. There is also evidence that they were a squatting race, used to crouching round their fires."

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Chaplin's Picture Blazes New Trail

Predictions are being made that the screening of Charles Chaplin's own story in "A Woman of Paris," starring Edna Purviance, will stand forth in motion picture history as an epochal event that will exert a strong influence on the present day photodrama.

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Dealing with lives and types that he knows, Chaplin brings to the screen his first contribution to the serious drama a story as old as that of Adam and Eve yet presented with such convincing understanding and treatment that it will be a revelation in the art of photo dramas. "A Woman of Paris" will be presented at the Star Theatre to-day, the first Charles Chaplin production to be released through United Artists corporation, the combined organization of the foremost stars and producers of the motion picture industry, Mary Pickford, Charles Chaplin, Douglas Fairbanks and D. W. Griffith.

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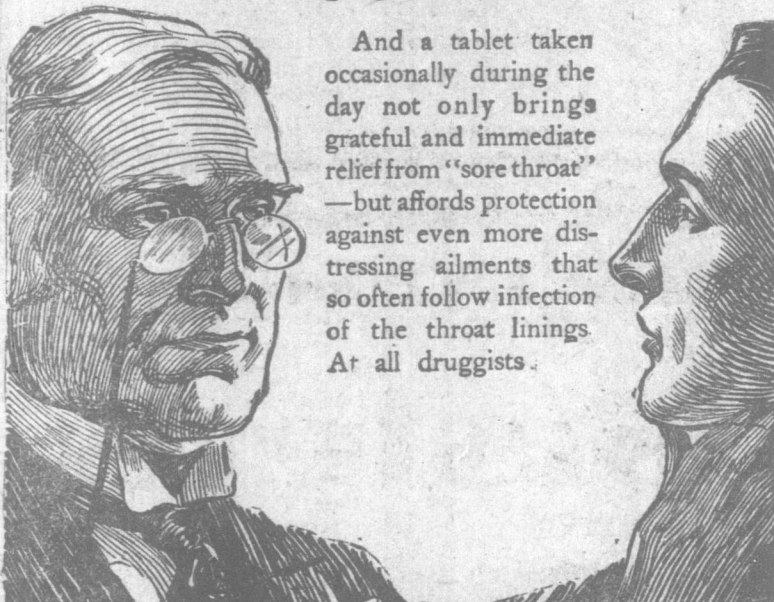
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Chinatown Gives Hero's Funeral

TO YOUTH SLAIN FIGHTING ROBBERS—POLICE CAR LEADS CORTEGE OF YI YUNG BUN, COLUMBIA COLLEGE STUDENT.

(New York World, March 28.)
Yi Yung Bun died the death of a hero, and Chinatown yesterday gave him a hero's funeral.

Early Saturday morning he grappled with five hold-up men who tried to rob the Oriental Restaurant, Nos. 4-6 Pell Street, where he was a waiter. One of the men shot him through the heart, but \$200 in the cash drawer was saved and a policeman captured two of the fleeing robbers.

Wherefore it happened yesterday a Sergeant and two policemen from the Oak Street Station had their hands full with the crowd that gathered in front of James Naughton's Son's funeral parlor, No. 33 Mott Street, for a last look at Yi Yung Bun. A city truck, collecting carbage from a flashy restaurant where tourists sip tea and boast they have done Chinatown, barred the narrow street for a time, but was hurried on its way with Celestial impatience.

An automobile hearse, polished in dazzling splendor, waited to take Yi to the vault in Evergreen's Cemetery, where he will rest in awhile before starting on the last long journey to the tombs of his fathers in Hong Kong. The youth of twenty-seven, who carried a tray at night and attended Columbia University by day, was the son of a Chinese of wealth and social position.

A half-dozen limousines lined either curb to carry the mourners to the grave. Placards in Chinese on their windows designated the place they should take in the procession and the names of their occupants. Inside, a steady stream of mourners filed by a glass top oak coffin in a room nearly filled with wreaths of roses, ferns, palms and carnations. The yellow faces of the mourners were yellow masks nearly as impenetrable as that of the silent Yi Yung Bun, but their lips moved and their heads were bare as they shuffled past on noiseless feet.

One of the wreaths had as its centre a clock face with hands pointing to a quarter of two, the hour Yi died. Another surrounded an enlarged picture of Yi, and when the funeral procession started this was carried by two of his friends directly behind the hearse.

A single seat police car led the cortege as guard of honor. Behind it came a ten-piece brass band, altogether American, composed of the Oriental Restaurant Orchestra. Three pallbearers walked on either side of the hearse and half a hundred mourners, all men, followed in double file and with bared heads.

Yi Pae Sun and Yi Hong Bell, uncles of the slain youth, headed this group. Now and then they wiped their eyes with handkerchiefs, but their countenances were inscrutable and impassive.

Slowly to the strains of "Lead Kindly Light," the procession filed down Mott Street toward the Bowery. A gang of laborers patching the asphalt, straightened and bared heads as the cortege passed. Under the rumbling gloom of the elevated, through a maze of trucks and wagons the line moved forward to Bayard Street.

Thence the way led through Mott to Pell, over the Bowery again to Doyers, through its crooks and turns to Pell, thence again to Mott for a final pause while the sad and the merely curious took a parting survey of the spectacle ere the mourners entered their limousines and were whisked away over the Manhattan Bridge to the cemetery.

Casino for Dublin?

HOTEL WITH "SPORTING FACILITIES."

Will Dublin have a casino on the Continental model at its doors? The proposal has frequently been made since the Treaty was signed, and it is now disclosed that at one time the proposition was being seriously discussed by a syndicate that was prepared to finance it to the extent of a million. The principal members, it is stated, entered into negotiations with Sir Stanley Cochran to purchase his beautiful house and the estate at Woodbrook, near

Bray, with the idea of establishing a first-class hotel with "sporting facilities," which were to include the provision of roulette, baccarat, chemin de fer, and trete et quartet tables. It was explained that the hotel would exist primarily for the benefit of Irishmen, large farmers and others who would remain in the country instead of proceeding to foreign resorts; but it would, in addition, attract large numbers of English people, particularly business men, who would come over to Dublin for the week-end at the tables. In return for a concession of a monopoly for 21

years, the promoters offered the Government 25 per cent. of the profits on the undertaking, to include all taxation. The matter, it is stated, was put before President Cosgrave, and he is reported to have considered the matter favourably, but subsequent

interviews with the Archbishop of Dublin showed the matter would be opposed by the Church, and the matter was allowed to drop. There is no doubt, however, that further plans for such an undertaking are again on foot in other quarters. There is no confirmation of the report that a well-known Kingstown Hotel has been acquired for the purpose of being converted into a casino.—News of the World.

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is not in human nature—certainly not in Anglo-Saxon human nature—that it should be otherwise. So sense are the two journeys regarded as a race or a contest, that the direction of the expedition, the navigator and organizer of the British Expedition, Squadron Leader A. Stuart MacLaren, the pilot, Flying Officer W. N. Penderleith, and their engineer and mechanic, Sergt. R. Andrews. The idea of their flight round the world is not, as might be hastily supposed, an afterthought due to the news of the start of the American venture. It has been long and carefully planned. For more than two years Squadron Leader MacLaren has been turning it over in his mind, and leave to go on half-pay for the duration of the flight was granted him by the Air Ministry as early as last spring. Since then numerous supply bases have been established in different parts of the world, and with the co-operation of three great British Companies all necessary preparations, including the building of three special engines for the aeroplane, have been completed. The aircraft itself is amphibian—a flying-boat with a removable land undercarriage. In using a machine of this type, so as to be able to rely largely on water landings, Squadron Leader MacLaren is striking out a new line for long-distance air journeys.

Five Flight Sections
"The first of the five sections of the flight, by Rome, Cairo, and Bagdad to Karachi, he was himself the first to fly six years ago; the remaining four end respectively at Tokyo (the most probable meeting-place of the British and American expeditions), Vancouver, Ottawa, and England, the most difficult being the stretch of 5,600 miles from Tokyo, by the Kurile and the Aleutian Islands to Alaska (during which Lieutenant-Colonel L. E. Broome will be carried as a passenger and guide), and the most dangerous perhaps, the final jump across the Atlantic. The most southerly and northerly points touched at will be Bangkok, fifteen degrees north of the Equator, and Cordova, in Alaska; the trans-Atlantic and concluding section of the flight from St. John's, Nfld., is expected to be by way of the Azores, Lisbon, Bordeaux, and Paris.

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Napier engines, is credited with a speed of eighty-five miles an hour, and has a radius of action of about one thousand miles.
"In the persons of Squadron Leader A. Stuart MacLaren, the leader of the expedition, who is acting as navigator and organizer, his pilot, Flying Officer W. N. Penderleith, and the mechanic, Flight Sergeant R. Andrews, England and Scotland are both represented in this bold adventure. If the challenge which is being offered to the untamed forces of Nature in both hemispheres is unsuccessful—and there is no reason to anticipate failure—it will not be for lack of foresight, for stocks of petrol, provided by the Asiatic Petroleum Company, have been distributed at every place of call and all other arrangements have been made which human ingenuity can suggest."

The Three Men

"The chief interest in this country," says the Times, "will necessarily be centred on the journey to be undertaken by the navigator and organizer of the British Expedition, Squadron Leader A. Stuart MacLaren, the pilot, Flying Officer W. N. Penderleith, and their engineer and mechanic, Sergt. R. Andrews. The idea of their flight round the world is not, as might be hastily supposed, an afterthought due to the news of the start of the American venture. It has been long and carefully planned. For more than two years Squadron Leader MacLaren has been turning it over in his mind, and leave to go on half-pay for the duration of the flight was granted him by the Air Ministry as early as last spring. Since then numerous supply bases have been established in different parts of the world, and with the co-operation of three great British Companies all necessary preparations, including the building of three special engines for the aeroplane, have been completed. The aircraft itself is amphibian—a flying-boat with a removable land undercarriage. In using a machine of this type, so as to be able to rely largely on water landings, Squadron Leader MacLaren is striking out a new line for long-distance air journeys.

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By EDGAR A GUEST

THE BIG MEN.

This is true throughout our days, whichever way you figure: Little men have little ways, Bigger men have bigger.

Narrow minds run narrow lanes, Hedged in by small opinions, But the men of greater brains Dwell in wide dominions.

Little men boast little feats, But the bigger brother Knows the bitters and the sweets Follow one another.

Little men at little woes Whine and whimper loudly, Bigger men bear bigger blows Patiently and proudly.

Little men will pass you by Selfishly and blindly, But once catch a big man's eye And he'll treat you kindly.

Hermit Farmer Found Killed by his Horse

Syracuse, April 12.—Giles Goodell, seventy-eight, hermit farmer of Lakewood, on Onondaga Lake, is dead as the result of being beaten under the hoofs of a horse. His body was found last night beside the wreckage of a stone-boat, the horse, which had been attached to it, running wildly about the farm.

NOT SURPRISING.

The bore was relating his experiences in the clubroom. "There I stood, gentleman," the long-winded narrator was saying, after droning on for an hour regarding his trip to Switzerland—"there I stood, with the abyss yawning in front of me." "Excuse me," interjected one of the unfortunate men who had been obliged to listen to the story, "but was that abyss yawning before you got there?"

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PENALTY FOR HOLD-UP OF MOLSONS BANK BRANCH.

Twenty-five years in the penitentiary and twenty lashes with the cat of nine tails was the sentence imposed by Judge Monet in the Court of Sessions to-day when Raoul Beauchamp, found guilty of holding-up up with arms and with two other men, the staff of the Molsons Bank branch at Cote des Neiges on February 14 last, and stealing from them the sum of \$1,740.

Domenico Policeno, who was also charged with the same crime, was given the benefit of the doubt and acquitted.

In pronouncing sentence upon Beauchamp, Judge Monet said: "It is my duty, Beauchamp, to inflict on you a terrible penalty, but I wonder if it is equal to your crime. You are a dangerous hand, and were I to let you off on a shorter sentence, I am of opinion that you would be here again, this time for murder. My duty compels me to put you away from the rest of the world for a long time; you are not fit to live among good people. I also inflict on you the lash. It is repugnant to me to do so, but here again, by your dastardly deed, you compel me to act against my natural feelings.

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this city for months has to be checked and the duty of the judiciary towards those who are convicted of crimes with violence is simple: Use the greatest rigor with the culprit.

"As for you Policeno, although I feel morally convinced you had something to do with this crime, I cannot ignore the proof of alibi made on your behalf. I will give you the benefit of the doubt. You are young, you may reflect on what is taking place to-day.

"I deem it my duty, however, to state here, that I cannot but find very strange the behaviour of Edgar Raymond, one of the bank's clerks, who failed to identify the accused, al-

though he saw them twice; when one of them came in first and bought stamps, shortly to be followed by the gang who robbed the bank.

Bank Salaries.
Mr. Letourneau, the cashier, identified Beauchamp positively. Young Raymond stated he never saw them until confronted with the accused at police headquarters. It is strange, and the fact that Raymond's card was found upon Beauchamp's person when he was arrested in Temiskaming by Detective Nassa, puzzles me. But is it any wonder that a young bank teller, handling thousands and thousands of dollars every day, is

tempted to steal when it is found that young Raymond, who had been paying teller at the Cote des Neiges bank for three years, was only getting a yearly salary of \$850, out of which he was bound to make good any error he made?

"I leave all this to the consideration of bank directors."—Montreal Daily Star, April 15.

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Total First Three Arrivals	69,513	25.00
Total First Four Arrivals	78,982	25.00
Total First Five Arrivals	90,887	25.00
Difference between 1st & 2nd arrival	4,519	25.00
Difference between 2nd & 3rd arrival	10,271	25.00
Difference between 3rd & 4th arrival	8,361	25.00
Difference between 4th & 5th arrival	2,436	25.00
Total Job's firm	40,006	25.00

A few more tickets still on hand which may be had at the following places: P. O'Mara's Drug Store, Water Street West; A. S. Wadden's Store, Water St.; J. J. Kieley's Drug Store, Water Street East; A. V. Duffy's Grocery Store, New Gower Street; or from the Steward, Columbus Hall. Buy early as the demand for the tickets in the Blue envelope is very great, and secure one or more of the above prizes.

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Last Chance to See 'The Westbound Limited'

GREAT RAILROAD THRILLER CONCLUDES AT NICKEL TO-NIGHT.

Many of the so-called screen thrillers contain only an element of thrills and a very thin plot—something about it that you forget as soon as you leave the theatre—but "The Westbound Limited," now running at the Nickel, is so far different that it grips your attention from the very start, and there is a story that you can carry away with you. There are many big moments in "The Westbound Limited," to describe them in detail would only spoil the interest of the story for those who have waited to see the film to-day. You're sure to like it first because of its heart appeal and then you will admire the wonderful acting on the part of Ralph Lewis, one of the screen's greatest character actors. Lewis is seen as Engineer of the Westbound Limited. Another feature of to-night's show you will like is the exceptionally good vocal programme by Archie Harrod's Jubilee Concert Party. Last night all were well pleased anyway, judging from the hearty applause, they appeared to be more than pleased. During his engagement Archie Harrod intends giving patrons of his renditions which he made popular on gramophone records and which made him popular with the great American Chataqua when on tour last summer. To appear with a chataqua means that a performer must be distinctively different from the ordinary entertainer, therefore this accounts for the clean performance given by these gifted Colored entertainers.

The Frankenstein of Fascism

In the interior of Italy Fascism crystallizes more and more into a caste-tyranny. The Fascist caste, to which admittance is possible only on conditions, maintains a private army at the State's expense to ensure its hegemony over the mass of citizens. Who can believe that such a system, if it lasts very much longer, will not provoke angry rebellions of ever more determined character? In its foreign policy Fascism stands, as Signor Salandra puts it, "for the exaltation of the Fatherland above everything—above freedom itself, if need be." In other words, it stands for just what the Allies condemn in Germany—for the unreasoning worship of a geographical entity, enthroned on high above all human values. Neither within nor without can Fascism in its present form hold any good promise for Italy's future.—Manchester Guardian.

Dwyer Sisters Delight Large Audience

WILL OFFER SCOTCH PROGRAMME AT CRESCENT TO-MORROW.

The Dwyer sisters seem to go better and better at each performance, and last night all were delighted with the wonderful exhibition of toe dancing, whilst the acrobatic finale fairly held the audience spellbound. Their novel numbers also were well received. To-night is the last chance to see this big programme as there will be a complete change to-morrow, which will consist of Scotch songs and dances; this, we believe, will go even better than any of the previous bills. Next week they will present something entirely different from anything yet given. Watch for more definite particulars in this paper. If you haven't seen the big film "Back to Yellow Jacket," to-night is your last opportunity to do so. It's a picture that has everything. "Back to Yellow Jacket," stands as a sterling example of all that a production should be. Not only will the picture please you during every moment of its running time, but it will, as it has been said, give you something to think about—something to take away from the theatre with you, and thereby add to your enjoyment.

Old Men Made Young

BY GLAND TREATMENT SHOWN AT SORBONNE.

Prof. Voronoff Displays Movies to Work to Scientists.

Motion pictures of three patients, one English and two French, made young by the methods of Prof. Voronoff, were displayed at the Sorbonne to-day, and explained by the famous surgeon to a distinguished audience of scientists. The films showed every stage of the method of grafting glands upon animals and humans.

Prof. Voronoff showed pictures of several rams whose age ordinarily is limited to fourteen years. These animals were twenty-one years old, and appeared healthy after their operation.

The films showing the human patients showed three vigorous men of forty, after the transplantations, whereas each was actually over seventy.

MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR CORNS.

SIDE TALKS.

By Ruth Cameron.

NOT OLD FOGIES AFTER ALL.



We were talking the other day about the things we have learned by woeful experience. "I wish," said one woman of the group, "that my father were living to-day so that I could tell him that I've lived to learn that he was right. Right in the warnings he used to try to give me about life and its problems; right in his advice as to the easiest way to meet them. But I was so arrogant. I was so sure that father was just a man getting into his dotage, a man with whom life had dealt a bit unfairly and robbed of that uncomely promising fearlessness which was my name for the bungling, headlong way that I had of dealing with the situations which confronted my youth. I never would listen to him, but if I had I would have saved myself a lot of heartaches."

"Maybe You'll Find Out." And as she talked there came to me vividly, from out of the past, my own father's half heeded warnings to my youthful impetuosity. "I could save you so many bruises, so many hurts, if you would only be content to profit by my experience, but I know that

you must just find out things for yourself and sometime maybe you'll find out that father wasn't such an old fog after all." Of course I protested that I wasn't thinking anything of the sort but in my secret heart I was sure that I would never meet the difficulties that he had known because I knew so much better how to deal with them!

In a recent novel, two characters meet after many years. "You are not so hard as you used to be, Mary," says one. You have changed. You are kinder and more tolerant. You would never believe me or listen to me in the old days or to do now." "Life has taught me," said Mary. "I had to learn that way."

If We Could Only Accept Age's Gift. Most of us have to learn that way. We go on generation after generation making the same mistakes and learning life's lessons by the same bitter experiences. Says Susan Brz: "The thing that stands chiefly in the way of world's progress is the fact that we have each got to find out things for ourselves."

If age needs a balm for the slights imposed by intolerant youth, let it be found in this—that the years will bring useful wisdom, and whether or not we be there to hear it, the day will come when chastened youth will say, "Mother and father knew after all."

Three Elections Coming

If the speech delivered Tuesday at the banquet of the Republican and Social Democrat Party by Premier Poincare raises any misgivings in the minds of the nationals of Britain and France who have been comforted by the recent return to a greater friendliness in Allied relations, their fears will be dispelled by the simple expedient of projecting their minds to a red letter for France in next month's calendar.

On May 11 next a general election will be held in France, and with feeling divided on the great issue which will dominate this appeal it is only natural for those who would carry favor with the electorate to make statements which are not intended to be interpreted too literally. It is universally recognized that it takes more than a pinch of salt to savor election speeches and that promises made in the heat of a campaign even by the most well-meaning are not always implemented with fulfillment.

There is certainly nothing in the French Premier's speech to upset the generally favorable view of the French attitude which has been reflected in the comment on the Dawes report in the Paris press. But he treads on dangerous ground when he declares that there can be no question of French withdrawal from the Ruhr before "that part which is due to us is paid, nor can there be any question of loosening our hold without first serving the means to re-establish it in case of need with certainty and rapidity."

Premier MacDonald in the House Tuesday night was equally emphatic regarding acceptance. Moreover, the prospect of an early general election in England is not without its influence on the views of the British Prime Minister. It would be a large plum in the hat of MacDonald if he could go to the country with negotiations for the settlement of the vexed Reparations problem well under way. "The difference of viewpoint between the two Allied premiers seems to lie in the fact that whereas France persists in regarding the Ruhr occupation as a sanction taken because of Germany's default, Britain argues that the Dawes plan must be accepted in its entirety or rejected and that since it constitutes a new start for Germany the slate must be wiped clean and no sanctions and penalties cannot there-fore be defended. Moreover the British Dawes report supports the acceptance of Premier Poincare's statement that his avowed object of sending French

troops into the Ruhr was to protect the Allied technical missions involves the corollary of withdrawal of these missions under the new regime.

Germany, too, has made certain reservations in her acceptance of the report, but the Germans also have a general election to be held one week before the French balloting and the result of the polling will have just as momentous an effect upon the destinies of the Reich and French suffrages, Stresemann, who, although he has stepped down to the post of Foreign Minister, is still seemingly the brains of the present Administration in Berlin, would be playing into the hands of the Monarchists and enemies of the Republic if he accepted the report with open arms and without a single reservation.—Montreal Star.

THE WRONG JOB.



WALT MASON.

I watched the blither mechanic who toiled around my bus; he showed no signs of panic. He made no grievous fuss. He whistled "Annie Rooney" while musing in the grease, a task that drives me looney, and undermines my peace. Long since I used to tinker, at season, with my boat; it made my temper plinker, and always got my goat; I labored with a hammer and wrenches round and flat, and the 'd yell and hammer and dance upon my hat. I dished up language hectic until I fell a prey to seizures apoplectic that took my breath away. But wisdom comes with watching the years go by in books; no longer am I botching my mind when it balks; my peace of mind I cherish far more than precious stones; before I'd see it perish I'd dig up fifteen bones. And so when my old Lizzie declines to up and go, no more do I get busy with hammer, wrench or crow; I summon the mechanic, and say to him, "Gee whiz, my van is also-rantie—see what the trouble is." And so I am not wearing my temper to a shred; I miss a lot of swearing, in paths of peace I tread. Far better pay the plumber to fix your eight-day clock than toll around all summer and sweat-and-cuss and knock. I call up Jinks the Joiner to mend my doors and sills; I send for Copps the coiner, when needing dollar bills. I send for Simms the sawyer, when sawing should prevail, I send for Loots the lawyer to keep me out of jail.

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Household Notes.

A patty case filled with a little creamed fish or meat makes a delightful entree.
Stewed apricots, sponge cake and whipped cream make an excellent charlotte russe.
A great many men prefer macaroni served with a meat rather than a tomato sauce.
Cottage cheese, chopped celery and olive, and paprika make a good sandwich filling.
New shoes will be more comfortable if you sprinkle them on the inside with talcum.
Boil onions, then place in a casserole with white sauce, and buttered crumbs, and bake.
If a loaf of bread is rubbed with butter while it is still warm, the crust will be very tender.
Serve peas in cups made from small white turnips, and garnish each with a strip of pimento.
Serve orange or pineapple ice in orange-shell baskets, and decorate with maraschino cherries.
Add a few drops of bluing to the soapy water in which glass is washed. This will make it sparkle.
Try putting jellied bouillon through the potato ricer. It is very attractive served this way.
The food will brown nicely and yet no grease will spatter if your frying pan has a perforated cover.
While cornmeal mush is hot, add to it a can of shredded sardines. Cool, slice, fry, and serve with catsup.
Do not chill a meringue when it is taken from the oven. It will become watery.
Sliced boiled Italian combine with canned corn and serve with dressing, on a bed of lettuce.
If you do not wish to dust when you sweep, dip part of the carpet sweeper's roller.
Brotted mackerel should be served on a folded paper with sliced hard-boiled eggs.
If the chocolate pudding is an egg beater white in a double boiler.
MINARD'S LINIMENT NEURALGIA.

Political Situation in France

April 25.—(Can. Press)—The term of the present Chamber of Deputies being up this morning Poincaré has decided to call the country on May 11. He has not been without success because most of the members of the life of the Parliament until the spring of 1918, when the issues centered around the foreign policy of France. As a result the election had almost the same

policy—that of making Germany pay for the cost of the war. In other words each group had nominally some distinction but in reality no difference. The group, Republican Democratic Entente, the party of Poincaré had more than twice the number of followers of any other group such as the Republican Democratic Left, led by Mandel and Tardieu or the Radical and Radical Socialist group headed by Herriot. The patriotism of the moment, however, welded all groups pretty much into one party and whatever there was any danger of a group breaking away all that was necessary was for the Premier to reiterate the above policy and the group was in line again. If the Premier did not reiterate that pol-

ity to the satisfaction of the Chamber or seemingly was being drawn away from it, then another was chosen. And when all is said and done that is why Poincaré succeeded himself. The dominant foreign policy which has served both as a "point d'appui" and an election cry, during the past four years is now giving away to other issues and the groups are disintegrating from what other countries would understand as a national coalition. They are asserting their independence and dragging out the benefits which they held prior to 1914. In fact each group is jockeying for position. In outlining the new situation it is well to remember that Paris is not



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France and that urban France is not rural France. The town population of the country is about 19 millions but the rural inhabitants number over 21 millions with all the strength which implies in an agricultural nation.

The problems of exchange, the occupation of the Ruhr and reparations do not reach the rural districts in the same way as they do the towns, and as do an increase in taxes and a higher cost of living. Accordingly those are the two great issues which will have more influence on the rural voter than any of the others as to whether he will support the present government or not. It must be mentioned in passing that direct taxation has never been well received in France. The average citizen does not worry so much about what he pays provided that the incidence falls on such commodities as matches and tobacco, or even on rental value which does not indicate the income of the tax payers. The deputies seeking re-election have however just passed a law which increases taxation twenty per cent. When it is remembered that the same gentlemen have been assuring the rural voters during the past four years that the Germans would be paying it now, it will require some explaining, entirely aside from the merits of the impost, to square themselves with their constituents.

Of course the high cost of living has not affected the country as much as the town. The French farmer produces almost everything he has to eat. But manufactured products have increased in price and he finds that what he himself received for his own produce has not augmented in the same ratio. Indeed it has recently taken a decided fall. Rumor on the other hand has it that the city manufacturer has sold his goods abroad leaving his balance there to accumulate minus, of course, what he has had to pay for more raw material. Some of the newspapers have retorted that the farmer has done the same when he has sold his produce abroad and that is why food products have up to now increased in price. In any case the country holds that the manufacturer has not been paying the taxes he ought to have paid and the fact remains that the rural districts are confronted with a 20 per cent. addition to their contributions.

Exchange, the Occupation of the Ruhr, and Reparations however, are five issues in the French cities. Generally speaking the French manufacturer is not concerned so much over a reasonable fall in the franc as the French shopkeeper. The latter finds it increasingly more difficult to do business with the exchange down one day and up another. In regard to the Occupation of the Ruhr, there is now more willingness on the part of everyone to discuss the merits of it than before, although every Frenchman still holds to the Reparation policy. It is felt though that the last can best be solved by experts instead of politicians, and to that extent some progress has been made. The Dawes report commands at least respect.

This attitude of sweet reasonableness it must be admitted does not favor Premier Poincaré and his party so much as would appear at first sight. He has maintained himself in power largely through the rigidity of his foreign policy. Now that some of the urban communities are beginning to have doubts about the practical results of the occupation there is a weakening in the belief of the Premier. There is less desire to invest in him the power of making law by decree, or as it is known in the British Isles, by order-in-council. France in fact has passed through that stage in which a Mussolini was a possibility and only an extraordinary fall in the franc could bring it back again. It is this point of view which the Radicals and Radical Socialists under Herriot and Briand have capitalized and which they hope will induce the electorate to place Poincaré and his party in a minority in the coming election.

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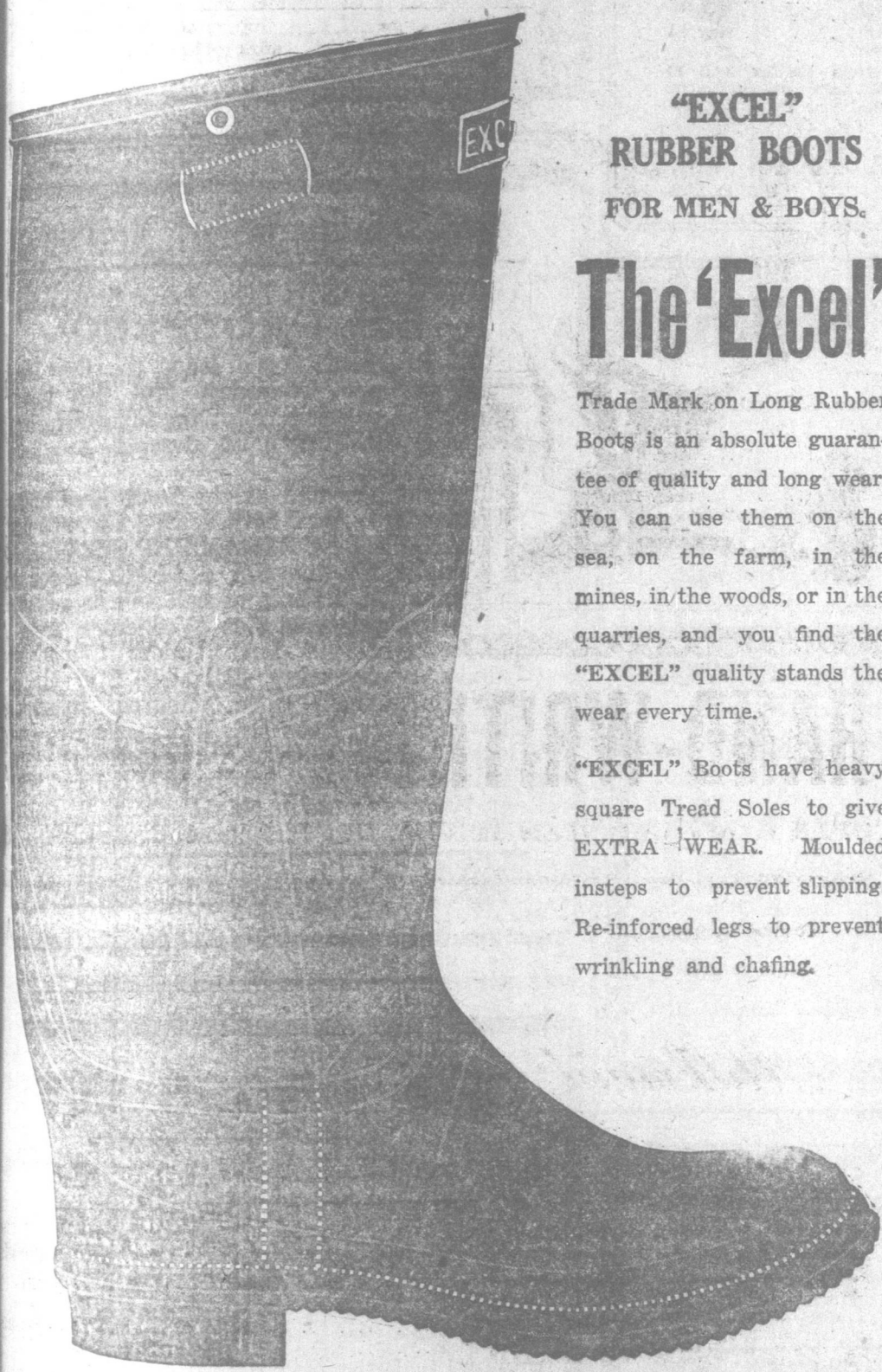
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