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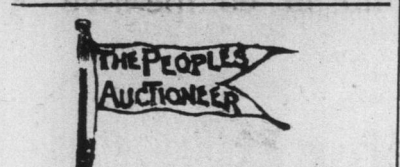
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NUMBER 279.

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THE PEOPLE'S AUCTIONEER.
At the Western Store of
Messrs. Alan Goodridge and Sons,
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2 pieces Norwegian Manila rope, weight 255 lbs.; 1 do. about 165 lbs., 1 do. 355 lbs.; 1 coil 5 1/2" coil, weight 277 lbs.; 1 lot Manila yarn, 1 coil Norwegian Manila line, 909 lbs.; 1 do, 363 lbs.; 1 do, 217 lbs.; 1 do, 219 lbs.; 1 do, 761 lbs.; 1 do, 951 lbs.; 1 do, 1155 lbs.; 1 do, 1135 lbs.; and 1 do, 215 lbs.; 3 coils wire rope, 2 bags boiler rivets and 2 four-fold iron blocks, 2 counter scales, 1 platform scales, with guard to weigh one ton, made by Day & Millward, Birmingham; 1 do to weigh 1200 lbs., 1 piece leather belting, 6" x 27 ft. long; 72 pieces iron piping, 1 large pile driver, hammer and winch; 3 jackcrews, 9 pieces boiler plate, 1/4", 1162 lbs.; 2 rolls sheet lead, 1073 lbs.; 3 duplex feed pumps, made by A. C. Mumford, Colchester; 1 2" water pump, 382 empty sacks, 1 suit sails for 70 ton vessel, 4 mainsails, 4 foresails, 1 jumbo, 3 jibs and 1 bonnet, 1 ship's wheel for 200 ton vessel, 7 ship's augers, 2 large bung borers, 2 stools, 22 1/2 lbs. coopers' rivets, 2 yards wire gauge and sundries. List may be seen at the office of

P. C. O'DRISCOLL,
Auctioneer.
dec1,41

NOTICE.



THE STEAMER
Prospero
will leave the wharf of
Bowring Bros., Ltd.,
on
WEDNESDAY, Dec. 5th,
at 10 a.m.

calling at the following places:
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Freight received until 6 p.m. Tuesday.
For freight or passage apply to the Coastal Office of

Bowring Bros., Ltd.
Telephone 306.

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50 sax Black Oats.
Timothy Hay—bundles.
20 boxes Can. Cheese—twins.

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TENDERS FOR OATS!

Tenders will be received up to Monday, December 10th, at 4 p.m., for the supply of 4250 bushels Black, White or Mixed Oats (duty free). Delivery in one lot. Date of delivery to be stated in the Tender.
Applicants are requested to mark across the envelope the words "Tender for Oats". The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
By order,
J. L. SLATTERY,
Secretary-Treas.
dec4,21

Parcels for Nfld. Forces Overseas.



(1) Parcels must not exceed 11 lbs. in weight.
(2) Parcels addressed to members of the Newfoundland Forces Overseas should bear the name and address of a second addressee to whom the parcels may be delivered or forwarded if it should prove impossible to deliver the first. The original address should be written on the FRONT of the parcel where the postage stamps and Customs declaration are affixed, and the second or alternative address should be written on the BACK of the parcel.
(3) If a second address is not furnished at the time of posting, and delivery cannot be effected, the contents of the parcel, unless of exceptional value or of a personal nature, will be turned over to the Military Authorities for distribution.
(4) Parcels containing articles of a personal nature or of special value will be returned, if a request for their return in case of non-delivery is made by the sender, such request to be written on the cover of the parcel at the time of posting.
(5) This plan is being adopted at the suggestion of the British Post Office, which states that the present procedure of holding undeliverable parcels at the Dead Letter Office until instructions are received as to their disposal is resulting in the waste of a large quantity of perishable foodstuffs, which form the contents of 90 per cent. of parcels addressed to soldiers.

J. R. BENNETT,
Minister of Militia.
nov26,141

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Nat Gould's Famous Sporting Novels.

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When you want the best novels always send to Garland's. If by mail, add 2c. each for postage. Outport Customers please remit sums under \$1.00 in stamps. Never enclose coin.

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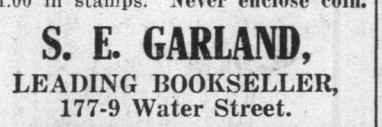
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TO BUY
Empty 5 Gallon
Kerosene Oil Cans.

The Standard Mfg. Co., Ltd.,
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SONS OF ENGLAND.
Members of Lodge Dudley, No. 227, of the Sons of England Benefit Society, are requested to take notice that the dates of meetings for the month of December are as follows:
Red Rose—Tuesday, Dec. 11th and 18th.
White Rose—Tuesday, Dec. 4th.
At the meeting of Dec. 11th the officers for the ensuing year will be elected.
By order,
C. W. UDLE,
Secretary.
dec4,11

For Sale!



Sealed Tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon, December 26th, 1917, for the following Auxiliary Schooners:—

"A. H. Whitman"—Built Mahone, 1916. . . . 94 Tons Reg.
"Helen M. Coolen"—Built Mahone, 1915. . . 94 Tons Reg.
"Dorothy G. Snow"—Built Shelburne, 1911 98 Tons Reg.
"Albert J. Lutz"—Built Shelburne, 1908 95 Tons Reg.
"Pinta"—Built Essex, Mass., 1893. . . . 99 Tons Reg.
The above are fitted with twin screw 30 H.P. C. O. Semi-Disel Fairbanks-Morse engines, except "Pinta", which has twin screw gasoline engines.
Vessels now at Halifax, where can be inspected.
Tenders will be considered for vessels with or without engines.
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Agent, Halifax, N.S.
nov30,181

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Now Landing ex Schr. W. N. Reinhardt,
a choice cargo
North Sydney Screened Old Mine
Coal, \$14.00
Ton, Sent Home.
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FERNS,
CUT FLOWERS.
Wreaths, Crosses, Floral Decorations at shortest notice.
Outport orders given best attention.
Terms: STRICTLY CASH.
Phone 247.
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Waterford Bridge Road.
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NOTICE!

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Having sold out my interest in the business at Brigus and removed to the City, I am now open to act as your St. John's Agent. Goods bought at the lowest rate, and everything you have to sell sold at the highest price obtainable. My long experience in the general business of the country is now at your disposal.
Correspondence solicited.
Office: No. 280 Duckworth Street.
nov17,31,th,ts

TENDERS!

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the undersigned until 15th December, 1917, for LUMBER requirements to be delivered during 1918, for the following:—
180 M. BOARDS & SCANTLING.
43,000 PIECES SLEEPERS.
For particulars apply to
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or
W. B. FRASER,
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Men's and Boys' Clothing and Ladies' Costumes. Also Tables, Chairs, Bedsteads, Mattresses, and all kinds of Furniture and everything in the second-hand line. Boots and Stoves a specialty. Highest Prices paid, cash down. MRS. SMITH, 135 New Gower Street.
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ELLIS—Information wanted

of Rachel Ellis, widow of Henry, born St. John's. Mother's maiden name Aylesbury. Address NELSON H. TUNNICLIFFE, Atty. 25 Liberty St., New York City.
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FOR SALE—House, No. 50

Monroe Street; apply to GEO. W. B. AYRE, Renouf Bldg.
nov30,61

FOR SALE—One New

House on Hamilton Street, near "The Maples"; seven rooms, bathroom and pantry; large basement; modern improvements; easy terms; apply A. FAULKNER, 108 Barter's Hill West.
dec3,61

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TO LET—Rooms for light

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WANTED TO PURCHASE

— Cheap, a Second-hand Rocking Horse in good condition. Write BOX 867.
dec4,31

LOST—Rejection Badge No.

54. Finder will be rewarded on returning same to this office.
dec4,11

LOST—Nov. 30th, a Purse

containing a Sum of Money and a Gentleman's Gold Signet Ring, initials E. L. B. Finder please return to this office for reward.
dec4,31

PICKED UP—This morning,

in the West End, a Sum of Money. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses; apply at this office.
dec4,31

FOUND—Red Bull, with

white head and white under belly. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses. WILLIAM MULLALLY, Northern Bay, Conception Bay.
dec4,11

Help Wanted!

WANTED—Immediately,
a General Servant; washing out; references required; apply to MRS. CALDWELL, 183 LeMarchant Road.
dec4,21

WANTED—Immediately,
a General Servant; apply to MRS. FITZGERALD, 51 Cochran Street.
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WANTED—A General Servant; must have reference; apply to MRS. RENOUF, 65 Military Road.
dec4,17

WANTED—A Good General Servant, where another is kept; must understand plain cooking; apply at 52 Circular Road.
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WANTED—A Housemaid, who can give good reference; apply to MRS. KNOWLING, "Thornlea", Riverhead.
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WANTED—Immediately, several first-class Men. NEWFOUNDLAND SHELL COMPANY, LTD., Water St. West.
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WANTED—Immediately, by two ladies, one or two Furnished Rooms, with or without board; apply promptly to E. B. W., West End Post Office, City.
dec4,21

WANTED—About 30 Boys and Girls to sell Patriotic Verses; apply to J. R. MERCHANT, Room 22, Renouf Bldg.
dec13,61

WANTED—A General Servant; apply to MRS. S. BUTLER, Casey's Cottage, Casey St.
dec3,21

WANTED—A Good General Servant; apply to MRS. C. CROSS, Masonic Terrace, off Gower Street.
dec3,31

WANTED—A Good General Servant; references required; apply to MRS. E. CLEARY, "The Inverness", 13 New Gower St.
dec3,21

WANTED—A Competent Girl for general housework; apply at 280 Duckworth St.
dec3,31

BOY WANTED—Wanted a Boy; fair education; mechanically inclined; apply to this office.
dec3,17

WANTED—A Man or a Lad from 16 to 20 for Mail Orders and Shipping; liberal wages to a competent person; apply to GARLAND'S Bookstore, Wholesale Dept.
dec4,17

WANTED—A General Servant; apply to MRS. J. GUNN, Bon Accord, Cross Roads.
nov27,17

WANTED—Two Good Overall Makers; apply at once Nfld. CLOTHING CO. LTD.
nov27,17

WANTED—A General Servant, with references; good wages; washing out; also a Nursemaid. MRS. C. J. CAHILL, 54 Monkstown Road.
nov26,17



The Sound of Wedding Bells

Won After Great Perseverance!

CHAPTER XXXVI.

There is wild excitement not only in Armfield, but for miles around. And, after all, it is a simple occasion enough. A few gentlemen have arranged to run a steeple-chase, simply for the love of sport, and their own and their friends' amusement; but such little matters cannot be done in the dark, and great as has been the care to avoid all fuss and publicity, the news of the intended meeting has reached town weeks before.

Paragraphs have appeared in the society papers, setting forth the names of some of the horses and their riders, and there has actually appeared in the sporting papers a list of the betting.

So it comes to pass that, in addition to the few friends who have been invited by the owners of the horses, a few thousands of the neighboring townsfolk put in an appearance, coming up in every description of vehicle, and gayly dressed as for one of the great public races.

The railway company have found it necessary to put on specially advertised trains, and early on the morning a few more thousands of sporting and racing men, and "book-makers," men who make their living by betting, come from the little railway station and wind their way to the course—where, pinned in a space specially set aside for them, they shout and bawl to their heart's content.

That Sir Archibald Hope's horse, the Cricket, is the favorite there can be no doubt, and it is known that very large sums have been laid upon it; but there is a tolerably fair contingent of the crowd which thinks well of one Sultan, Sir Hugh Falconer's horse, which is to be ridden by Lord Hartfield. The other horses are scarcely considered, and the choice seems to rest between these two.

Eleven o'clock is the time fixed for the start, but long before that hour the crowd has collected, and is awaiting more or less patiently, making anything but a bad picture in the autumn sunlight which pours genially down upon the scene.

At about a quarter to eleven the

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What's more, you save about \$2 by it. Easily made and costs little.

You'll never really know what a fine cough syrup you can make until you prepare this famous home-made remedy. You not only save \$2 as compared with the ready-made kind, but you will also have a more effective and dependable remedy in every way. It overcomes the usual coughs, throat and chest colds in 24 hours—relieves even whooping cough quickly.

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"gentry" begin to put in an appearance, coming up in all sorts of vehicles, from the high dog-cart with its red wheels and spruce tiger, to the heavy barouche, with its spanking, sleek-skinned pair; there are even one or two drags in evidence, and the crowd amuses itself by recognizing, and occasionally cheering, the occupants.

Of course all the county families are represented, from the grave lord of many acres to the radical M.P. and his wife.

Almost as fine as Goodwood, the stand—which is too small to be called "grand"—looks, with the beautiful toilets which the ladies have donned for the occasion; and Armfield generally begins to hold up its head and look proud.

"Not bad for a small place like ours," says the M.P., standing up and focusing the scene through his field-glass.

"Quite a brilliant gathering! There's Lord Hartfield just come up," he adds, as a neat dog-cart and a beautiful pair of grays driven tandem, comes up.

"Looks as fresh as paint and as cool as a cucumber," is the general comment as the languid Hartfield gets leisurely down and strolls off to the saddling tent, with his eyeglass in his eye and his hands thrust in the pockets of his long light overcoat, and followed by the curious and approving glances of the crowd on the stand.

Meanwhile where is Archie, for whose appearance the gathering is waiting impatiently?

Nine o'clock has been fixed for breakfast by Lady Brookley, and she and the earl are, for a wonder, punctual to the minute.

There is a look of excitement on the old lady's face, for all her pretended indifference to the coming event. And as for the earl, he can scarcely stand still; he is dressed in his usual semi-nautical jacket, but he has tied a bit of blue-and-white ribbon in his button-hole, and would, if Lady Brookley did not set her face against it sternly, have worn a blue-and-white ribbon round his hat.

"Come, come!" he exclaims, as the clock strikes nine. "Where are the young people? We shall be late, you know. The boy ought to make a good breakfast. Always feed your men well before you take them into action! And where's Dulcie?"

"Here I am," says Dulcie, entering at the moment, and at sight of her a cry of surprise and delight rises from the old couple's lips, for she is dressed not only to perfection, but in Archie's colors. She wears a blue-and-white dress, there are blue-and-white in her bonnet, and her gloves are the blue shade which forms his colors.

"Well," she says, standing before them with a little blush and rather downcast. "Shall I do?"

"Do, my dear!" roars the old man; "you look beautiful, Dulcie. By Jupiter, there won't be a lass in the cruise that will be within sail of you. And the boy's colors! He'll jump for joy when he comes down. Turn round and let me look at you."

And she turns a pivot, with her hands folded demurely.

"My lady," chuckles the old man, "somebody will run away with her; they'll snatch her away from the boy, see if they don't. By Jupiter! if I were younger and hadn't a wife of my own, I'd have a fling with her myself."

"There, do sit down, you two," says her ladyship, smiling, "and get some breakfast."

"Where is Archie?" asks Dulcie, quietly.

"Not down yet, unless he has gone to the stables," says her ladyship.

Hadn't—hadn't we better send up and see?" says Dulcie. "He was very tired last night."

But she stops suddenly, for she hears his well-known steps on the stairs. But this morning it sounds very slow and heavy, and there is none of the humming or whistling which generally announces his approach.

(To be Continued.)

When making yeast rolls add one cup cornmeal to the sponge with the shortening, then finish with white flour.

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PROLOGUE.

OVER THE BAR.

"Bravo, he's a brave youngster!" muttered one of the others approvingly.

"What happened then?" asked Wynter, grimly.

"Griley carried me into the house, and uncle—" Again he paused; then Wynter, with a quick movement, ripped the jacket and shirt off the child's shoulders. It told its own story; over the thin body great scarlet weals were fast becoming black and contused. With a cry of horror, the men jumped to their feet, while one of the women drew the thin little figure into her arms with unpeppable tenderness.

Wynter turned to the others. "Look at that, boys! That's your fine gentleman's work—a gentleman that sits on the bench to judge us poor players as vagabonds."

As he spoke, there was heard the sound of a horse's hoofs, and, at an imperious gesture from Wynter, the woman who held the child in her arms disappeared quickly and quietly into one of the tents.

She had scarcely gone, and the men had scarcely had time to assume an air of indifference, when a horseman rode up. He was of middle age, thin and big-boned of figure, with a stern, repellent face. In the hard curve of the mouth and the steel-gray eyes, arched with heavy, forbidding eyebrows, was set the seal of greed, envy, and cruelty, and his whole appearance indicated a narrow mind and a grasping, unscrupulous nature.

He looked down now with insolent contempt on the mis-shapen figure of Wynter.

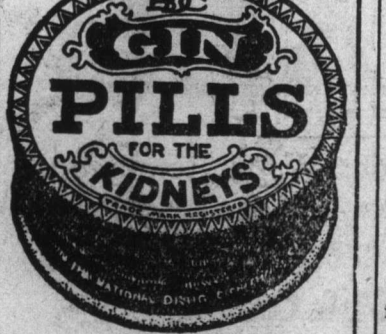
"I've lost my nephew, Ernest Verner, a young child," he said, harshly. "Have you rascals seen him?"

Wynter looked at him steadily.

"No," he replied, with calm deliberation.

With an oath, Mr. Verner spurred his horse forward, and a less active man than Wynter would have been trodden under the animal's hoofs; as it was, the child, who had been watching and listening in a very agony of fright, lest Wynter should give him up to his persecutor, betrayed his presence by a cry of distress.

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may, Mr. Verner, with a shout of triumph, set his horse straight at the tent whence had come the cry.

"Stand aside!" he cried harshly. "He is here. I heard him."

He raised his whip, as if to lash the crowd of men around him from his path, but Wynter was too quick for him. Catching up a flaming torch, he leaped in front of the tent and struck the horse full between the eyes. The poor animal, half blinded by the smoke and trembling with fear, swerved aside and was held by the willing hands of two of the men.

Mr. Verner's face crimsoned with anger, and oath after oath rolled from his lips.

"You ruffian!" he cried; "the brat's there, and I'll have him! Do you dare to try and keep him from his lawful guardian? You shall go to prison for this, you—you rogues and vagabonds!"

He tried again to spur his horse onward, but found it impossible to do so, for Wynter waved the torch again before the eyes of the frightened animal, saying:

"You talk of prison—you, who flogged a child like that. Come an inch farther and I'll flog you myself, mis-shapen and deformed as I am. I'll do worse, for, as I'm alive, make one effort to regain that child, and I'll hale you before the justices myself and show them how you are trying to murder the child that stands between you and his inheritance! I know you, John Verner, though you have forgotten me. It was you who, years ago, made me what I am. Have you forgotten John Wynter?"

Mr. Verner started.

"No, I can see you haven't. Well, mark my words—I've not done with you yet, and Providence has shown me a way to revenge my wrongs. You shall never harm the child again, or see him till he is old enough to claim his inheritance. Now go, or, as there is a Heaven above, I and my friends here will tear you to pieces." He swung around on the listening crowd, and, waving his torch, cried, "Boys! The man who strikes a child isn't fit to live—let him die!"

The men took their cue from him as if the whole scene had been from a play; with a hoarse shout, they raised their staves on high and rushed forward. White, and quaking in every limb, John Verner freed his horse and tore away at a fierce gallop as if for very life.

Late that night, beneath the silver moon, the little camp was broken up silently and swiftly—no longer would it be safe to try their fortunes in Wrenstead; they must get on to the next town.

Meanwhile, Wynter went to the tent wherein the innocent cause of all the trouble lay sleeping, with the calm trustfulness common to childhood. The man's face darkened as he gazed on the child, and looked back on his own life. Twenty years ago he had been as straight as John Verner himself. He, then a young man, down on his luck, had been engaged by the squire, the present Verner's father, as a kind of companion servant. In this capacity, he had come into contact with both William and John Verner, and had grown to hate the latter for his cruelty and hypocrisy as much as he loved the former for his manliness and good nature. After a prolonged struggle, the ill will between John Verner and his father's servant had culminated in a fight, in which the former, unknown to the squire, had inflicted such injuries on Wynter as to make him almost deformed. From that time onward, he had earned his living in divers ways, and with but one object in view—that of revenging himself on the man who had so injured him. At one time he had had thoughts of stealing Verner's own son, but had recoiled from visiting the sins of the father on the innocent boy. Now it seemed as if Fate had played into his hands, for he knew it would be a far deadlier revenge on John Verner to preserve his brother's child. In this way, Verner would never know when he should be called upon to deliver up his charge, and account for the moneys he had spent.

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Writes From Germany

The following letter was received recently by his sister from Private E. J. Martin, of the Newfoundland Regiment, who is a prisoner of war at Dulmen, Germany:

Dear Sister,—Just a few lines to let you know that I received your letter and was glad to hear from you; I got your photo in it and I was more than glad to see him on the picture, and all the boys say he looks good. I would like very much to get Alice's picture and mother's and Frank's and your's and then I would have something to look at. I had a letter from Jean and I was more than glad to hear from her; it was a sensible letter to: I was very sorry to hear that mother was sick; I knew that father and mother was thinking about me; I hope they are not worrying about me now, and I received a letter from Alice and one from mother. My leg is almost better now and I am able to walk, but it will be a long time before I will get full strength in it. It will be all right when I get home. I was to a play on Wednesday, that was on the 10th October; it was all right; our own boys acted on the stage. I haven't seen Jack Soutres since I have been in Germany, and I didn't know that he was a prisoner until one of the boys told me, but I knew that Jim Earles was, because he was captured with me. There is three of our boys with me, I know one of their names is Martin, he is from Harbor Grace and the other two names are Pilgrim and Roberts. Remember me to Frank and Mary and Alice and the baby Maude. I hope it is a— I must close my short letter. Write soon. From your brother
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and more, people with chest and throat troubles have tried to cure them by pouring down syrups, using lozenges and the like into their stomachs. All a mistake! The Peps way is different. Peps are tablets made up of Pine extracts and medicinal essences, which when put into the mouth turn into healing vapors. These are breathed down direct to the lungs, throat and bronchial tubes—not swallowed down to the stomach, which is not killing. Try a 50c. box of Peps for your cold, your cough, bronchitis or asthma. All druggists and stores or Peps Co., Toronto, will supply

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GERMAN PEACE WOULD MEAN A REIGN OF TERROR.

Replies Made by M. Ribot and Mr. Balfour to Charges Made by Dr. Michaelis Indicate that French and British do not desire to Make any Conquests of Unwilling People in the Great War.

In order to divert the attention of neutral countries from her heavy responsibility in the origin of the present conflict, which has again been confirmed by the disclosures of Deputy Haase, and likewise to conceal the difficulty she experiences in specifying the aims for which she is fighting; but above all to mislead the Russian Government in regard to the real intentions of their Allies, Germany is now seeking to get credence given to the fable of a desire for annexation and conquest on the part of France and England. In response to the untruthful and perfidious assertions that Dr. Michaelis thought fit to make upon this subject (though not in the Reichstag, before authorized representatives of the nation, but in the presence of an aepagous formed of representatives of the press selected for the purpose), it suffices to call attention to the main points in the replies made in the French and British Parliaments respectively by M. Ribot, and A. J. Balfour, Secretary for Foreign Affairs.

M. Ribot, says a French exchange, had merely to confirm the declarations he had made in the Chamber of Deputies on March 21 and May 22, and which "in the name of France, repudiated all policy of conquest, or annexation by force." He moreover rightly recalled the fact that the French Chamber of Deputies had, on June 5, sanctioned this policy by unanimously voting after a secret sitting the following resolution:

"By countering the unanimous protestation made in 1871, before the National Assembly, by the representatives of Alsace-Lorraine wrested from France against her will, the Chamber declares that, as an issue and result of this war, which has been imposed upon Europe by the aggression of Imperial Germany, it will expect, along with the liberation of the invaded territories, the restitution of Alsace-Lorraine to the Mother Country, likewise full reparation for damages incurred. Without any thoughts of or desire for conquest, or for the subjugation of foreign populations, the Chamber will rely upon the efforts of the armies of the republic and of her Allies, after the destruction of Prussian militarism, to obtain lasting assurances of peace, and independence for all nations great and small, guaranteed by an organization already prepared, of the society of nations.

On the other hand, Mr. Balfour speaking in the House of Commons, as clearly defined the reasons for which Great Britain entered into the war and the terms upon which she will consent to make peace. The main points in his speech were as follows:

"Everybody knows we entered into this war in those early days with little in our mind besides the necessity of defending Belgium and the necessity of preventing France being crushed before our eyes. Those were the two motives that brought us into the war and nobody had in mind the smallest thought of those great problems which in the course of the war have opened out upon us. Only this is clear: we did not enter the war with any selfish purpose. Alsace and Lorraine were not taken from France by force, and at no moment since 1871 has the passionate desire of those who were taken from France for re-union diminished. If the result of this war is to be, as I hope it will be, a far more stable map than any congress has yet left it, can anybody doubt that one of the arrangements of territory that must take place is the

restoration to France of that of which France was violently robbed forty years ago.

"The peace we desire is one which shall descend, which will not last merely till people have half forgotten the horrors and exhaustion of this war, but a peace which shall be based, partly, we may trust, upon the growth of international morality, partly, we may hope, on an improvement of international relations, which will make the gratuitous breaking of the world's peace a crime for which the criminal is punished, but also and beyond all that, which shall involve such a rearrangement, such a modification of political forces in Europe that there will not be a balance of power in precisely the old Eighteenth Century sense of the word, but such an arrangement among the communities of Europe as will make it far more difficult for the disturbers of peace to find a soil in which to sow their bitter and fatal seed, and will make that seed itself much less productive of disastrous crops than has been the case in our own lifetime, and again in the lifetime of our grandfathers and great-grandfathers.

"The security of Europe will not be established until Germany is made powerless or is made free. Nothing is clearer to me than that. * * * If this war ends with a German peace, peace will only be a prelude to a European war. If it does not end with a German peace, but with a peace which commends itself to the con-

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science of America and Great Britain and all those of our allies who are fighting, as they are, for their existence, then it will be a peace which may have some probability that it will last not merely beyond the memory of the generation which has waged this horrible war, but until we have reached a stage of international development which will make any recurrence of these horrors unthinkable to our children."

SALE NOT POSTPONED.—When it was learned last night by the Ladies' College Aid Society that 2nd Lieut. Arthur Herder had died of wounds while fighting with "Ours" in France, he being the eldest son of the President, Mrs. W. J. Herder, it was decided to postpone the sale. The decision of the Society was communicated to Mrs. Herder, who particularly requested that the sale be continued, and earnestly desired that her bereavement should not make any change in the arrangements, which had already been completed.

Curlers' Notes.

At last night's meeting of the Curling Association, President Cowan read a communication from His Excellency Sir W. E. Davidson, in which His Excellency sent in his resignation as patron and expressed his appreciation of the many courtesies extended by the club.

Secretary Salter and Messrs. J. Powell and W. Joyce, who have done splendid work for the Association during the past year, were paid a well merited tribute.

The Committee noted with deep regret the loss of Capt. Jas. Ledingham of the 8th Regiment, a former member of the Association who was killed in action in France. His name is being added to the Honor Roll, bringing the total up to thirty-four.

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Here and There.

When you want Mincea Cologns, try ELLIS.

ARRIVES AT DESTINATION.—The schooner Lowell F. Park, Capt. Dawe, after an unusually long voyage from Rencontre, F.B., has reached her destination with a fish cargo.

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KILBRIDE CONCERT.—There will be a concert and social at the school room, Kilbride, this evening, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to the church building fund. An enjoyable time is assured.

XMAS TREE.—The Women's Association will hold their Annual Xmas Tree in the Synod Hall on Tuesday, Dec. 11th. E. VALENTINE, Hon. Sec.—d3,2i

BIG DEMAND ON HOSPITAL.—About eighty patients, mostly from outports, are awaiting admission to the General Hospital, where at present there is not a single unoccupied cot.

Stafford's Prescription "A"—Cure for diseases of the Stomach: Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, Gastritis and Nervous Dyspepsia.—nov6,tf

REQUIEM HIGH MASS.—Requiem High Mass for the repose of the soul of the late Lieut. Frank O'Toole, will be celebrated in the R. C. Cathedral on Wednesday morning, Dec. 5th, at 8.30 o'clock.

Save the Coupons that's all

Imperial Tobacco Co.

IMPOSING CEREMONY.—An impressive scene took place yesterday afternoon when the R. C. volunteers at headquarters marched to the Cathedral and addressed by Rev. Dr. Greene, who gave them a most instructive address, exhorting them to live up to the teaching of their religion and to act as true soldiers. At the close each soldier was presented with a set of prayer beads.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler desire to thank Dr. Keegan, Nurses Doyle, Ellis and others for their efficiency in operating and nursing and kind attention to their son Raymond, during his stay in the General Hospital.—adv.

Make your Xmas Greeting a personal one. Your Photograph will add individuality to your message of thoughtfulness and good-will. J. C. PARSONS, Bank of Montreal Building.—nov17,tf

BUSINESS SLACK.—The business houses of the city were opened for the first time last night to meet the demands of the Christmas trade, but

there was practically nothing doing on account of the prevailing inclement weather. However, trade as far as the outports are concerned is virtually over now and business will be confined to town folk for the next few weeks.

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L' DAD MARTIN—Thought He'd Met a Bear But It Was a Bug! By A. HITT

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AN THAT RASCAL VILLA SAY KID I REMEMBERS AS HOW A FEW YEARS AGO I RASSELED HIM DOWN AT EL PASO— YESSIR I THREW AN HOG-TIED THE KIDGENDER IN 6 SECONDS—

THEN ALONG ABOUT 10 YEARS LATER I WAS A BARBERING DOWN ON THE BORDER AN I REMEMBER AS HOW I GAVE CARRANZA HIS FUST "WHISKER TRIM" I DID.

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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor
H. A. WINTER, B.A., Editor
TUESDAY, Dec. 4th, 1917.

The Cambrai Battle.

The interruption in the cable service is most regrettable. Up to the moment of writing we have had nothing from the "Postal" Telegraph, at a time when events of great importance must be transpiring. The Inter-Allied Conference is sitting in Paris, on Sunday the Germans at Petrograd were supposed to confer for an "armistice" with the Germans at Army headquarters in the east, Congress has assembled again at Washington and critical stages have been reached on several battlefronts. The only news we have comes through Reuter's and tells of fighting of great magnitude in the Cambrai region. It is apparent that the Germans are making a tremendous and desperate effort there to retrieve their losses and that the effort is failing. It provides the best measure of the value of the British gains. The scope of the counter-attack is very large and the attack itself is being pushed with the utmost power. The British want nothing better. If, under sheer weight, the line bends here and there, we read that it is speedily straightened again and we are given eloquent hints of the cost at which the enemy wins his temporary successes. The Germans, drawn from all available sources, are being slaughtered in thousands, and in that way, we cannot too strongly insist, the war is being shortened. When the wires are working again we shall get more definite information, yet we doubt if the names of any

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have just received the following:

- 10 cases Colman's Azure Blue.
- 13 cases Spice.
- 1 case Pure Beeswax
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- 1 cask Browning.
- 2 cases Friar's Balsam.
- 1 case Seidlitz Powders.
- 10 cases Montserrat Lime Juice.
- 4 cases Scrubb's Cloudy Ammonia.
- 50 barrels Pure Soda Crystals.
- 125 bags Table Salt.

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places can convey any news of more real value than this. It may be taken as almost an axiom now that the more the Germans attack on the west front the better it will be for the Allies.

The Great Sacrifice.

On behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Herder we thank the News sincerely for its kind expression of sympathy with them in the loss of their son Arthur, who has just been killed in action. The war, with its community of sacrifice, has knit men more closely together and broken down their conventional barriers; personal references, which before were unwelcome to British reserve, now find a frequent and fitting place in the newspapers. If it has been our reluctant and uncongenial duty to speak now and then of others' duty, to perform a task which no one finds pleasant, we have been glad to embrace the many opportunities that have offered to perform one that is pleasant and to give what praise we can to cases of duty well and bravely done, of duty in many instances far exceeded. The present is an occasion that is personal to this paper. Among the great total of contributions to the cause the records of offering made and sacrifice endured by certain families stand up prominently—families like the Arrys, the Cutlerbrides, the Goodyears, the Vaughans and many others. There is no need to enumerate them all, and they would be the last to desire it, but if it were, one of the first names to spring to every lip would be that of the Herders. They have given all that they had to give; far more has been taken from them than most have had to lose. Their record speaks for itself, but we can add from personal knowledge and experience a tribute to the quality of their patriotism. It is a patriotism that finds expression in deeds, not words; that does not dictate to others their duty but quietly performs its own. It is a patriotism that is not, thank heaven, rare among British men, and for that reason it has the true British ring in it. If it does nothing else, if it proves nothing else, it shows that Nelson's famous signal still flies and is still obeyed. Arthur Herder is but one more of the great number, of each of whom nothing more need be said, because nothing finer can be said, than the simple words, "He did his duty."

SEALETTE—We have just received a new shipment of Sealette, 48 inches wide, \$9.00 and \$12.00 per yard. G. KNOWLING, Limited.—d4, 31, tu, th, f

Loss of the Maple Leaf

CREW ARE AT NEW YORK.

Another Newfoundland merchantman, with a full cargo of dry codfish, is lost, though, fortunately, we are pleased to be able to say that her crew are safe. Messrs. Campbell, McKay & Co. are in receipt of a cablegram stating that their schooner "Maple Leaf" was abandoned in mid-ocean on November 17th, and that the crew were at New York. The "Maple Leaf" left Fishing Ship's Harbor, Labrador, where she loaded fish for Alicante. The cargo was shipped by the Gorton Pew Company. The vessel was one of our staunchest and best known fish carriers and will be a great loss to our local mercantile marine fleet.

Obituary.

MISS DUFFY.

We note with regret the almost sudden demise of Miss Elizabeth Mary Duffy, which sad event occurred at her home on Cooktown Road at an early hour this morning. Only on Saturday last she complained of being unwell, hence her death was altogether unexpected. She was a well-known young lady and her numerous friends will deeply regret her passing. She is survived by a mother, two brothers and two sisters to whom general and sincere sympathy will go out and in which the Telegram joins.

TRAIN MOVEMENTS.—Sunday's outgoing express reached Port aux Basques at 7.10 p.m. yesterday. The incoming mail and freight left Port aux Basques this morning.

Hudson Challenge Not Accepted.

BUICK Therefore Issues Challenge.

Chalmers reservations and quibbles mean no acceptance. They do not accept speed and 'Hill Climbing on high gear' contests.

They demand that drivers be car agents. The HUDSON agent is not a professional driver as the Chalmers is, that is why the Chalmers man demands that agents drive their own cars. This is not sporty. Chalmers can have any driver they wish, we to have the same privilege.

Let the Contest be one of cars, not of drivers.

They know that a race over the course they mention, at 60 to 70 miles an hour, would not be permitted, therefore they are quibbling and bluffing with what they know to be impossible.

Local records can only be made by getting permission to use certain roads, or doing certain hills on 'high' or speed spurts for short distances.

BUICK'S Challenge.

The Hudson and Buick distributor has only recently taken over the HUDSON Agency and has not had an opportunity of knowing the car well enough to drive it in a contest. He is an amateur driver, not having driven a BUICK car more than 500 miles.

However, to demonstrate the endurance of the Buick car, he is willing to enter a contract using a 5 passenger 1916 car, driven two seasons, as no new BUICK is available for racing. The new Buick has a larger engine and is more powerful than the old. However to prove Buick endurance and superiority over the Chalmers and any other car of the same class, he is prepared to test a two year old BUICK against a Chalmers one year old, and hereby challenges to race for speed and 'hill climbing on high' any one year old Chalmers imported previously to June 1st, 1917, for One Hundred Dollars a side, the conditions being that driver be one not having driven over two or three years, and that consent of authorities for long distance be obtained.

If consent for long distance cannot be obtained, there are many tests that can be made locally to decide which car can outclass the other. Contests to be arranged by a committee mutually chosen and not by agents of either of the cars.

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Reuter's Message.

BRITISH LINES HELD FIRM.

LONDON, Yesterday. Telegraphing from British Headquarters in France tonight, Reuter's correspondent says: Activity this morning in the region of La Vacquerie was apparently the signal for the evening artillery to blaze up along the whole front from Gonnectout to Moeuvres. Our guns thundered in reply and the hurricane of fire has now lasted some hours. A new German division brought up to this front from Flanders and also various fresh independent units have been identified. The Germans appear to be making a supreme effort in this region. For miles behind our lines there is one great scene of extraordinary activity. Captured German objective maps show the scheme of the offensive was most ambitious; for example certain German troops had set them as their first day's objective a line which would have carried their left flanks two miles from where our first line rested prior to the great drive of Nov. 19th. The actual gain of these same troops is the slightest. As far as definite news is available we are standing firm at LaVacquerie which may be described as the centre of the German attack and the enemy has no where progressed. Our men are fighting like tigers. They have piled up a regular barrier of field grey corpses. We have recovered still more of the guns temporarily lost during the first onslaught of Friday. During Friday one battery of ten of our machine guns fired seventy thousand rounds at an average range of 1,200 yards with ghastly effect.

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Official News.

Owing to the breakdown of the regular press service from Canada because of a big storm in Nova Scotia the past two days, Major Abraham, General Staff Officer, has kindly furnished us with a copy of last night's official Admiralty Press News, so that the public may be able to learn of the important developments on the various battlefronts since Sunday, and on behalf of ourselves and our readers we thank him very gratefully for his kindness. The messages are as follows:

British Official—Hostile attacks were delivered yesterday evening against our positions in the neighborhood of Moeuvres but were repulsed after sharp fighting. Successful minor encounters during the night in the neighborhood of Bourlon resulted in the capture by London troops of 12 German machine guns and a number of prisoners. Beyond considerable artillery activity on both sides on other parts of the battlefield there is nothing further to report.

East Africa—Telegraphing on Nov. 1st, General Van de Venter reported that reconnaissance had definitely established that German East Africa had been completely cleared of the enemy. Thus the whole of the last of Germany's overseas possessions has passed into our hands and those of our Belgian allies. Only a small German force is now at large and this has taken refuge in the adjoining Portuguese territory; and measures are being taken to deal with them there. The total number of the enemy definitely accounted for as killed or captured during November alone amounts to 1,118 German Europeans and 3,382 native soldiers, exclusive of carriers and followers. In addition the following material was either captured by us or destroyed by the enemy: 210 centimeter naval guns, 110 c. m. field howitzer, 117 millimeter gun, 116 millimeter gun and 137 millimeter gun, about 73 machine guns and several thousand rifles.

French Front—The enemy has resumed the offensive on Cambrai battlefront with great violence and fighting of exceptionally severe nature has taken place to-day. From Gonnelieu to Marcoing the enemy has delivered attacks in great strength and with large forces and has been repulsed with heavy losses. Our positions have been maintained everywhere except at LaVacquerie and east of Marcoing, where our line has been slightly withdrawn. South of Marcoing the enemy broke through at one point but the situation was restored by an immediate counter attack. On the Ypres battlefront local fighting has taken place south of Polygon Wood. As a result of this we have advanced our line slightly and secured prisoners. In minor operations carried out yesterday north of Passchendaele 120 prisoners and a few machine guns were taken by us.

Italian Official—Along the whole front fighting yesterday was very limited. Large enemy forces were reported in movement on the lines of communication on Asiago Plateau and between Brenta and Piave Rivers but they kept out of range of our batteries. Intense and prolonged artillery action took place at Pasubio in Melet region and on the slopes of Mount Grappa Massif. Effective concentration of fire was carried out by us against the enemy troops in Nas Valley and on the slopes of Mount Pertica. Enemy patrols with machine guns were put to flight at Mount Tondarecar and in Monfenera region. In the plain of Piave, we captured some enemy boats near Asgare. On the coastal region frequent artillery fire and intense patrol activity occurred.

Press Extract—A Reuter telegram from Cairo, received to-day, states that the total number of prisoners taken by General Allenby since the commencement of his offensive up to Nov. 30, is 10,000, of whom 470 are officers.

In a speech at Essen Admiral Von Tirpitz, endorsing the well known annexation programme, said, the fact existed that England up to the present date had gained more than she had lost.

H.R.H. Prince Albert has had a better night. His temperature is lower and his cough has improved.

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The season is here, we have the goods and are now showing a large selection of

Boys' Overcoats, Reefers,

in good warm materials such as Nap, Tweed, Blanket Cloth, etc., but all stylish, well made garments; but when these are sold

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Prices Range from \$18.00 to \$36.00.

This line of Coats is particularly inviting, and besides these there are

NEW ARRIVALS IN Children's & Infants' COATS that are extraordinary.

A magnificent array in which every prudent mother should interest herself without delay. With Christmas only a few weeks off this showing should prove of more than ordinary interest. In fact it has never been our pleasure to offer such a splendid collection.

These are practically all marked at a Much-Below-the-Regular-Price, owing to their late arrival.

CHILDREN'S RED PLUSH COATS	\$3.50
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INFANTS' CREAM WALKING COATS	\$2.20, \$2.50 & \$2.75
INFANTS' CREAM BEAR COATS	\$5.50
CHILDREN'S CORDED VELVET COATS	\$4.75
BOYS' BLUE NAP COATS, to fit 2 to 6 years, with brass buttons and belted back	\$2.00, \$4.25 & \$6.50
MISSES' BLANKET CLOTH and HEAVY SERGE COATS — In Red, Green, Grey, Brown, Navy and Mixed Colors, with large collar and belted backs; to fit from 4 to 18 years.	Prices range from \$9.50 to \$12.00.

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Army's Gun Doctors.

The guns we are using in France last much longer than we have a right to expect, and pieces whose normal life might be calculated at 6,000 or 7,000 rounds fire 13,000 or 14,000 without loss of accuracy.

Besides the guns themselves, however, enormous credit is due to our gunners, as well as to the character of the ammunition and to the people who make it at home. By no means the least important factor is the work of what are known as the mobile ordnance workshops, being hospitals for sick guns, which, like dressing stations for human casualties, are ever pushing up behind our lines.

The establishment and the machinery for handling and repairing big guns are unavoidably cumbersome, with the great cranes, dynamos, lathes, planers, and other heavy machine tools which are needed, but one of these shops reaches up into new waste country where the whole area of the shop has to be paved or floored before a lorry or a gun can be moved in it. A shop building must be erected and plant installed, and the whole life of a little industrial community started. Yet two days after arrival the thing will be all running and at work curing guns.

Once worn out, of course, no gun can be doctored, but innumerable minor casualties, whether to carriage or mechanism, can be repaired on the spot, and at a minimum loss of time guns are back at their good work again.

"A direct hit from an enemy shell on the barrel of the gun," says a writer, who has been permitted to visit one of these shops, "does not much matter to the gun, though it probably will wreck the carriage, and I saw one such monster which had been hit fairly on the barrel, which was dented and scarred, but still perfectly sound. The carriage, however, was not of much use, except as old metal.

"Close by was a worn-out gun whose carriage was sound, so an exchange was just being effected, and on the good carriage the old battered veteran is by now, I expect, on its way to the scene of its job again."

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To Willie Slack.

(The chap who would see a man die for him and his without raising a hand to help).

Johnny Smith has gone to fight the Kaiser,
Jimmy Brown dropped all to face the foe,
Tommy Jones said darn it all, I don't stay behind
Although his ma said, "Thomas, you shan't go!"
Some boys got overhauled by Doctor Burden
And to their sorrow had to stay behind;
Weak hearts, bad teeth, short weights and flat feet,
I'm sorry, sez the Doc, but you're declined.
One thing that they didn't have was cold feet,
And where their hearts were, well, it wasn't liver,
They may have been declined and it hurt their peace of mind,
But they'd face any dashed old Hun without a quiver.
Yet there are boys in Newfoundland to-day, lad,
If they saw a Hun why they'd be running back,
Not for them to take a gun and go face the dirty Hun,
So each of these is now called WILLIE SLACK.
Oh, they call 'em Willie after Bill the Kaiser,
And Slack because their duty they forego,
And every little Willie is a friend to thrice cursed Billy,
And to their own brave comrades they're a foe.
Some of 'em, p'raps, are Momma's Tootsy-wootsy,
And mamma's Boys can't go to France and fight
But other mother's boys who are proper mother's joys,
Freely go, and WILLIE SLACK they call a kite.
Willie's sisters are protected by these others,
Willie's mother is safeguarded by them, too,
But suppose nobody went, said I'll wait until I'm sent,
Where would Willie and his folk be, I ask you?
Why our country would be over-run by Germans
And our women folk and his would be their spoil,
And our churches they would use, not as churches but as mews
For the sacred things their Kultur calls to sell.
Then WILLIE SLACK would be a GERMAN SOLDIER
And to Africa or Greenland he might go.
And on his blooming back have a blooming Kultur pack,
No more of joys of peace would Willie know.
Now WILLIAM SLACK has surely had too much rope,
'Tis time at William that we had a crack,
For our very best have gone and their loss all of us mourn,
But we wouldn't mourn so much a WILLIAM SLACK.
And if Willie left his mamma for a short time,
And got amongst some decent boys we know,
Who fight for Newfoundland and for our Empire grand
His name of Slack he sure might then have to drop,
But Willie will not go until he's made to.
And Compulsory Service makes him go to the line,
Then the men who didn't shirk and now do the double work
Could say, "Aha! a spell we'll get the line!"
Now Voluntary Service all know 's no good
And all of you our Regiment must back,
And to you who are real men I will ask it once again:
Get busy, help "compulse" each WILLIE SLACK.
And do not let us wait until 'tis too late,
As different Slacks may scheme to have you do
Should our Regiment be withdrawn, we should be the Empire's scorn,
Now the honour of the Country rests with you.
"THE SENTINEL."

Fish Export.

The fish exports for the month of November from Newfoundland are as follows:—

From Outports—To Oporto, 50,530 qtls. dry fish; Gibraltar, 24,891; Halifax, 2,801; total, 78,222 qtls. To United States, 9,735 qtls. pickled fish.

From St. John's—To Brazil, 23,302 qtls. dry fish; Europe, 69,098; United Kingdom, 21,511; West Indies, 12,907½; United States, 11,039½; France 1,350; total, 139,208 qtls. of dry fish.

Also—1,321¼ tons cod oil, 8¼ tons cod liver oil gross; 37,316 gals. cod liver oil, 233 gals. seal oil, 520 gals. stearine, 1,200 gals. dog fish oil, 3,730 whale oil, 1,280 gals. seal stearine, 29,777 gals. cod liver oil stearine, 412 bris. salmon, 7,538 bris. herring, 520 bris. trout, 1,585 bris. turbot, 187 bris. cod roes, ¼ brl. wolf fish, 3 tierces trout, 559 tierces salmon; 2 cases sal. mon, 1,302 cases lobster, 22,200 lbs. boneless codfish, 500 lbs. gray fish, 17-713 seal skins, 800 qtls. pickled fish.

Comparative Statement of Fish Exports.

1917—Dry fish, 217,480 quintals; pickled fish, 10,535 quintals.
1916—Dry fish, 258,321 qtls.; pickled fish, 22,975 qtls.
Decrease—Dry fish, 40,891; pickled fish, 12,440.

As a token of Remembrance a Portrait of the giver is long cherished and thought more of than the usual ordinary gift. J. C. PARSONS, Bank of Montreal Building.—nov17, ff

MILARD'S LINIMENT CURES GAITER IN COWS.

New Blouses.

A Magnificent range of Crepe-de-Chenes, Georgette Crepes, Duchesse Satin, Etc.

We are showing in our Blouse Department a magnificent assemblage of New Silk Blouses. The collection shows a distinctive beauty and originality that will not fail to delight the most discriminating taste. The general comment made by people who have seen them is that the display eclipses any showing ever made by this department. In the great variety of colors and styles, purchasers will find every advantage for satisfactory selection.

Prices range from \$3.75 to \$16.50 ea.

Styles both Simple and Elaborate.

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New Millinery.


We have just opened a splendid stock of Winter Millinery, showing the very latest models. Scores of new shapes are here—close fitting Turbans, stunning Tricorns, smart side flares, medium and large sailors with straight or roll brim, and a variety of useful shapes for matrons as well as for younger women and misses. Nor are these Hats expensive, in fact with a little care in selection you can get a most becoming Hat at a very moderate figure.

For example we offer:

BLACK SEMI-TRIMMED HATS, in Silks and all Silk Velvets. Up-to-the-minute shapes, typically smart and becoming, from	GENUINE VELOUR FELT HATS, in all the new costume colors. We are particularly proud of this lot. It is by far the most beautiful selection this season. Values from \$5.50 to \$7.00 each.	MISSES' VELOUR AND PLAIN FELT HATS, trimmed and untrimmed. From \$1.25 to \$2.50
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TEETH TOILET.

In the majority of cases the teeth are sufficiently far apart for small particles of food to lodge between them. If these particles are not promptly removed, the heat and moisture of the mouth, acting upon them, promote their decomposition and set up an acid fermentation that causes the decay of the enamel and, finally, of the teeth themselves.

When the teeth are decayed this danger is even greater and the result is offensive gases, fever of the breath, poisons of the blood and grave injury to the digestive and nervous system. When possible, dental floss should be used after each meal. The wooden toothpick is undesirable as tiny splinters are often left in the gum.

When the teeth are of irregular formation it often happens that the brush does not reach all of the surfaces. In that event they should have treatment once or twice a week with a soft orange wood stick which, dipped in tooth powder, is used as a cleaner and polisher. This not only keeps the teeth from becoming yellow but discourages the growth and development of bacteria and prevents the catarrhal irritation that sometimes sets up about the margin of the gums which leads, in time, to their recession and exposure of the teeth where they are not protected by enamel.

In addition to this treatment the mouth should be rinsed every night with some mild antiseptic solution. Tincture of orris, rose water and alcohol in equal parts, flavored with a drop of bitter almond, makes a very agreeable mouth wash.

It is not unusual to see a dress with the skirt, draped over one hip only.

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Imperial Red Cross.

OUR DAY APPEAL. Amount acknowledged \$30,588.70. Collection at St. Mary's Ch., Herring Neck, per John W. Holwell 20.90

Subscriptions from New Perlican and Turk's Cove. Willis Pittman \$2.00, Geo. A. Pittman 2.00, James White 2.00, John Bemister 2.00, Luke Pittman 2.00, John White 1.50, Frances Bemister 1.50, Walter Martin 1.20, Mrs. Wm. Bemister 1.00, Mrs. L. Pittman 1.00, Jacob Pincinet 1.00, James Martin 1.00, Lilwellyn Martin 1.00, Edwin C. Parrott 1.00, Joshua Penney 1.00, Stephen White 1.00, William Burrage 1.00, Isaac J. Burrage 1.00, Amounts under \$1.00 38.80, Turk's Cove (Sums under 50c. 2.50) \$64.50

NEW COATINGS—We have just received a few pieces of new mixtures in Coatings for Men's, Women's and Children's Winter Coats. G. KNOWLING, Limited.—dec4,3i,tu,th,f

Russia's Position.

A treaty of peace between the German Government and the Bolsheviks who are temporary tenants of some of the Government buildings in Petrograd, a treaty professing to take Russia out of the war, would have about as much value to Germany as King Constantine's agreement to enter the war against the Allies with all the military power of Greece would have had on the eve of his dethronement and forced departure from Athens.



2ND LIEUTENANT ARTHUR J. HERDER. Died of Wounds, December 1st.

The casualty list received last night contained the sad intelligence that 2nd Lieut. Arthur J. Herder had given his life in the great cause. He was the eldest son of Mr. W. J. Herder, Proprietor of The Evening Telegram, and is the second of his sons to be killed in action with the Newfoundland Regiment; his brother Hubert fell on July 1st, 1916. The blow is not only felt by his bereaved family, on whom the sorrows of the war have fallen thus heavily, but by the city, where the gallant soldier was well known, and by a host of friends in other parts of the world.

Reid's Boats.

The Argyle left Lamaline at 9 p.m. yesterday. The Clyde left Lewisporte at 3.30 p.m. yesterday. The Dundee left Port Blandford at 5.30 a.m. to-day.

TEN TO ONE.

That is the percentage of Buddy Boots worn on Water Street yesterday as against any other one brand. Buddy Boots are having a marvelous sale. QUALITY is the motto.

Police Court.

(Before Judge Morris). A young man, who made his third trip to the Police Station for the season and on each occasion with enough Florida Water on board to stock an ordinary size barber shop for a week, was fined \$1 in addition to paying for his conveyance.

McMurdo's Store News.

TUESDAY, Dec. 4th, 1917. We have just replenished our stock of Hot Water Bottles, Fountain Springs and Combinations, and are now able to give purchasers a fairly large choice. Look over our rubber goods of this kind, and see if you need anything.

Here and There.

When you want something in a hurry for tea, go to ELLIS'—Head Cheese, Ox Tongue, Boiled Ham, Cooker Corned Beef, Bologna Sausage.

WEATHER REPORT—The weather across country is light S.W. wind and dull, temperature 17 to 31 above.

When you want Steaks, Chops, Cutlets, try ELLIS'.

SHANTUNG SILK—We have just received a new shipment of Shantung Silk in Naturals and Colors. G. KNOWLING, Limited.—dec4,3i,tu,th,f

NOTE OF THANKS.—The young ladies of the Wanderers Sewing Class wish to thank all the kind friends who sent donations towards their pantry sale, the U. S. Picture & Portrait Co. for the use of tables, and all those who helped to make the sale a grand success.—adv.11.

Turkey, etc., etc., will be served from 6 to 8 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday at the L. C. A. S. Sale in the Methodist College Hall, and every effort will be made to accommodate business men. Price of tea, \$1.00; Children, 20c.—dec4,2i

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Personal.

Mrs. R. D. Fullerton and child left by to-day's express en route for Montreal. Mrs. (Dr.) Chamberlain of Grand Falls, who was on a short visit to the city, returned home by to-day's express.

T. J. EDENS.

Due from New York, Dec. 7th, '17: N. Y. CHICKEN. N. Y. CORNED BEEF. BANANAS. CALIF. GRAPES. ALMERIA GRAPES. CALIF. ORANGES. TANGERINES. GRAPE FRUIT. PEARS. TABLE APPLES—Boxes. CAULIFLOWERS. CELERY. OYSTERS. FINNAN HADDIES. 50 bags YELLOW ONIONS.

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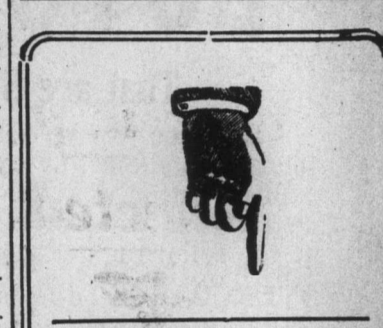
T. J. EDENS.

On December 2nd, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morris, Colonial Street.

This morning, Elizabeth Mary, beloved daughter of Annie and the late Patrick Duffy, funeral on Thursday next, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, 29 Cooktown Road.—R. I. P.

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Hr. Grace Notes.

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shepard in the death of their only daughter which took place yesterday.

Yesterday was Rally Day at the Presbyterian Sunday School. The service took place in the Kirk at 11 a.m. The programme consisted of Rally Song by the School, recitation by Miss Muriel Munn; a pretty story on Missions by Miss M. Butt, Principal of the Day School; recitation, Jack Key, recitation, Miss Stacie Parsons; chorus by the School and a short address by the Pastor, Rev. F. S. Coffin. The services were heartily enjoyed and a substantial collection realized for the mission cause.

At night a Thanksgiving Service was held in the Kirk, which was conducted by Rev. F. S. Coffin. The collection on the occasion far exceeded the expectations of the congregation.

The funeral of the late Eldred Bradbury took place on Saturday evening and was largely attended, the young fellow being oblique and popular with all his acquaintances.

Mr. M. Higgins, of South Side, arrived last week from Montreal where he had been employed during the past summer.

Mr. John Keefe and crew arrived from Labrador by the S. S. Diana. Mr. Keefe's schooner, Margaret E., was lost while coming out of Corbett's Harbor, on Oct. 14th, the crew losing everything, so quickly did the vessel fill with water and break up after striking the shoals as she mistimed going out the Tickle. Mr. Keefe's mother was on board and much difficulty was experienced in rescuing her. The loss is a serious one to Mr. Keefe and to each one of his crew and freighters.

CORRESPONDENT. Hr. Grace, Dec. 3, 1917.

Lemons Whiten and Beautify the Skin! Make Cheap Lotion

The Juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quart pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, smoothen and beautifier.

From Cape Race. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind N. light, weather dull, preceded by fog and rain; nothing sighted. Bar. 28.70; ther. 40.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DYSPEPSIA.

Stars Predict Fall of the Kaiser.

Ellicottville, N.Y., Nov. 24.—In seven months from now Kaiser Bill will step down and out, with him will go twelve wifful men high in the German empire to-day and the war will be a thing of the past.

This in brief is the prophecy of Arthur Logan, a farmer-astronomer and all-around genius who lives north-east of this village near the village of Bird. Logan has been prophesying for many years and he has quite a number of followers in and near this village. It is claimed that he predicted the Italian disaster long before it happened.

Here and There.

LABORERS MAKE BIG WAGES.—Longshoremen are making big wages this fall. For several weeks past some laborers have averaged over \$30 per week. During the present week there is plenty of work to be had along the waterfront, shipping discharging big cargoes being responsible for the unusual activity.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES CABBAGE IN COWS.

Stars Predict Fall of the Kaiser.

"In the last seven nights," he says, "I have watched the sky and I have seen 13 stars fall earthward. These 13 stars are the military men of Germany. Each night represents a month of time. One by one the stars of Germany will fall. The first will be the premier, and then the military idols. The last will be the bright star in the east, which represents the Kaiser himself."

BROWING SHIPS.

The Portia left Marystown this morning, going west. The Prospero sails for north to-morrow.

A delightful Table Drink

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"There's a Reason"

LABORERS MAKE BIG WAGES.

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Here and There.

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From Cape Race.

CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind N. light, weather dull, preceded by fog and rain; nothing sighted. Bar. 28.70; ther. 40.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DYSPEPSIA.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES CABBAGE IN COWS.

Advertisement for Instant Postum featuring a woman's face and a can of Postum. Text: 'A delightful Table Drink that outranks all other beverages in the approval of those who value health! INSTANT POSTUM "There's a Reason"'

Vertical advertisement on the left edge of the page, partially cut off, mentioning 'RAM' and 'ES.' with small illustrations of a woman and a rabbit.

For Sale!



A Cat in a Nice Bag
Is what many people say to you when they tell you of the cheapness of their merchandise without making any reference to the style and quality.



Now we have between
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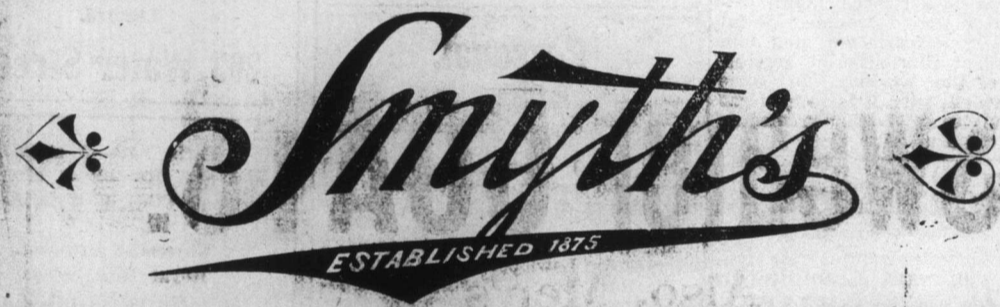
BOYS' OVERCOATS

That are **STYLISH, DURABLE, DISTINCTIVE.**

In other words, our Boys' Overcoats are the very best quality and smartest and most up to the minute styles obtainable. The regular prices of these goods would range from \$7.50 to \$20.00, but owing to the mildness of the weather and the lateness of the season we are offering them at the following reduced prices:

- OVERCOATS—To fit boys from 2½ to 10 years. Reg. \$7.50. Now \$6.00
- To fit boys from 2½ to 17 years. Reg. 10.00. Now 8.00
- To fit boys from 6 to 18 years. Reg. 12.50. Now 10.00
- To fit boys from 8 to 18 years. Reg. 15.00. Now 12.00
- To fit boys from 8 to 16 years. Reg. 20.00. Now 15.00

THIS IS AN EXTRAORDINARY OPPORTUNITY, REACH OUT AND GRASP IT.



We have a large stock of
Seasonable Goods

Marked at Lowest Prices, as the following list will convince you, viz:

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| Ladies' Mackintoshes \$5.00 | Men's Rubbers (Goodyear Brand) \$1.25 |
| Ladies' Winter Coats \$4.50 | Men's Sweater Coats (Navy) . . . \$3.55 |
| Ladies' Felt Hats \$1.10 | Men's Winter Caps \$1.25 |
| Ladies' Cloth Shirts \$2.95 | Men's Fleece Lined Underwear 85c. |
| Ladies' Blouses 35c. | Men's Working Shirts 75c. |
| Ladies' Overall Aprons 65c. | Men's Laundered Shirts 85c. |
| Ladies' Corsets 65c. | Men's Tweed Suits \$7.50 |
| Ladies' Camisoles 30c. | Men's Pants \$2.55 |
| Ladies' Coloured Underskirts. \$1.10 | Men's Overall \$1.25 |
| Ladies' Underwear 65c. | Men's Suspenders 45c. |

Also:

Blankets, \$2.50 pr. Wadded Quilts \$4.95 ea. and White Counterpanes, \$3.50.

Also a lot of White and Cream Curtain SCRIM, selling by the pound.

Also a few MEN'S SUITS, slightly soiled selling at cost.

The C. L. MARCH CO., Ltd.,

Corner Water and Springdale Streets, St. John's.

An Pastor Leaves Pulpit.

The last mail received from Canada we learn that the Rev. Archdeacon Fortin, who has been Rector of Holy Trinity, Winnipeg, preached his sermon on the 25th ult. and

in future will reside at California. The venerable cleric is classed as one of the pioneers of the Great West, whose great influence with the people of all denominations has done much in building up that part of the Empire. Dr. Fortin, who some years ago was medical practitioner at Bell Island, is a son of Archdeacon Fortin. Not a few Newfoundlanders in Western Canada owe their success to the

timely counsel and influence of this great churchman.

Every Saturday evening after 7 o'clock, Choice Ends of Beef, Mutton, Lamb, Pork will be sold at cost. **ELLIS & CO., LTD.**, 203 Water Street.—nov29,tf

Our Volunteers.



The following recruits offered for the Regiment at Headquarters yesterday:

S. H. Spencer, St. John's.
J. Stickland, Newman's Cove, B.B.
G. Chauk, Little Cove, Fogo Dist.
S. Constantine, St. John's.
N. J. Rose, Carmanville, Fogo Dist.
F. Jennings, Carmanville, Fogo Dist.
J. D. Coles, Little Cove, Fogo Dist.
S. F. Walton, Little Cove, Fogo Dist.
R. Turk, Little Cove, Fogo Dist.
K. Chauk, Little Cove, Fogo Dist.
S. W. Moulton, Musgrave Harbour, Fogo District.
L. Cox, Goulds.
S. Parsons, Bay Roberts.
S. H. Rose, Comfort Cove, N.D. Bay.
A. Greenham, Comfort Cove, N.D. Bay.
Albert Garmier, Stephenville Cross-
ing.
E. Barnes, Horwood, N. D. Bay.
J. Peckford, Horwood, N. D. Bay.
A. Snow, Horwood, N. D. Bay.
J. Karragh, Cape George, St. George's.
P. Cormack, Cape George, St. George's.

L. C. A. S. Annual Sale.

At 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the Ladies' College Aid Society will be holding their annual sale. The affair, which is to be held in the Methodist College Hall, will be formally opened by the Hon. J. C. Crosbie. A large supply of useful articles, the kind one would like to have for a Christmas present, will be offered for sale. Teas will be served between 6 and 8 o'clock, and on Thursday the Sale will be continued and will conclude with a concert at night. The object for which the funds are being raised is most deserving and all who can should make an effort to be present and help along the cause.

Schooner Missing.

The schooner, which was seen off Fermeuse a few days ago in a disabled condition, having her foremast gone and helplessly drifting to sea, was unreported up to last night and much anxiety is expressed for the safety of the craft and those on board. Capt. Kean, of the S. S. Portia which left here Sunday, kept a close look out for the schooner but saw no sign of her.

True Patriotism.

Editor Evening Telegram:
Dear Sir,—In passing to my office a few morning's ago my attention was drawn to a hand bill posted in a shop window which on examination I found to read about as follows:
"For Sale—Three carcasses of deer; proceeds for benefit of Red Cross Fund."
(Sgd.) F. W. WILLS."

I could not help pondering over this seemingly little but, in my eyes, exceedingly significant display of true patriotism and deep rooted loyalty to the great cause in which the British Empire is now engaged. Here is an instance of a man who has given his two fine sons to the Regiment, one of them having paid the Supreme Sacrifice, and the other nearly as bad—a prisoner in German hands. The father goes up country deer-hunting and is successful in obtaining the prescribed number allowed by law and forthwith he lays his "savory meat" like a true "Eau" at the shrine of his nation.

Such actions as these are not in evidence in the case of the selfish man who places a commercial value on all his services, neither are they to be found in the inbred cowardice of the slacker who is satisfied to calmly look on while others do the fighting. In doing what he has done Mr. Wills has shown a very commendable spirit and the Red Cross Fund will likely benefit to the extent of fifty or sixty dollars.

Yours truly,
H. F. FITZGERALD,
Grand Falls, Dec. 1st, 1917.

I was cured of terrible lumbago by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

REV. WM. BROWN.

I was cured of a bad case of ear-ache by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

MRS. S. KAULBACK.

I was cured of sensitive lumbago by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

MRS. S. MASTERS.

Note of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Chafe and family desire to express their heartfelt thanks to the numerous friends who by telegram, letter, visit or in any way, sympathized with them in the death of their dear son and brother, William, who was killed in action in France, Nov. 6th, 1917.

L. T. CHAFE, advt.
Harbor Grace.
MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR SALE

Our Dead.

Nothing is our own; we hold our pleasures just a little while ere they are fled; One by one life robs us of our treasures.

Nothing is ours except our dead.

They are ours, and held in faithful keeping;

Safe forever, all they took away.

Crises that can never seize that treasure

Only the dead hearts forsake us

Love, this to death's loyal care has

And no change can rob us of our

So, when fate comes to besiege our

Dim our gold, or make our flowers

Death, the angel, comes in love and

And to save our treasures, claims

—Exchange.

Between friends, the Gift that conveys the most of personal thoughtfulness is your Photograph.

J. C. PARSONS, Bank of Montreal Building.—nov17,tf

Schooners Safe.

A message was received last night in the city by Mr. W. J. Walsh, M.H.A., stating that the two schooners, belonging to Simon Hearn, of Riverhead, St. Mary's, and Parrot, of St. Joseph's had arrived home all right. These two boats left St. John's with supplies about a week ago. They were caught out in the storm of last Friday and Saturday; consequently concern was felt for their safety. Concerning the craft reported off Fermeuse in a crippled state and alluded to in another column, Capt. Joe Kean, of the s.s. Prospero, has wired Minister of Marine Stone to the effect that the supposed missing schooner has turned up at Salmonier. It is now believed that the schooner seen off Fermeuse disabled was Hearn's. She, no doubt, felt the full force of the storm, but survived it, without a "feather out of her."

Girls! Have a Mass of Beautiful Hair, Soft, Glossy, Wavy

A small bottle destroys dandruff and doubles beauty of your hair.

Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few week's use, when you see new hair fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter for a few cents and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.

Most things can be anybody's Gift. Your Portrait is distinctly yours. **J. C. PARSONS, Bank of Montreal Building.—nov17,tf**

An Abundance of Foodstuffs Here.

Notwithstanding the prevailing high prices, we have it from unquestionable authority that there are more foodstuffs of all kinds in St. John's at present than ever before at this particular time. We also learn that between now and the end of the year an unusually large quantity of flour, pork, beef and other necessities of life including coal, will be landed at this port. In view of this overstocking of the market, it will not be unreasonable for people to expect prices not to soar during the winter months, at least.

If you want a stylish, good-looking, well-made, Double-breasted Overcoat, with pleats and belt, call in and see our goods and get our prices. We can give you the best and latest. **SPURRELL the Tailor, 365 Water St.—nov28,eod,tf**

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Saturday Savings At the "Boston" BARGAIN HOUSE

A very comfortable place to buy. Always some very attractive prices.

Overcoat Time is Here

To-morrow, Saturday, we offer a very fine line of Men's and Boys' Overcoats, purchased in the British market previous to the advance. They are made from good heavy material, substantially lined, dark colors and are worth at to-day's prices \$20.00 each. Just twenty left. While they last you can have them at

\$15.00 each; all sizes.

Corsets.

389 pairs Job Corsets, D. & A., Parisian and other reputable brands; all sizes. Marked away down; slightly soiled. Very interesting prices. Come and save.

Hosiery.

Wool Hosiery for Men and Women. Very difficult to get these now. We have them though, bought two years ago. Good fast blacks, dyed when dye was 45c. up. Get a few pairs while they last.

We stock the famous American

BLUE DENIM

OVERALL, \$1.90 garment.

A very good Blue Overall we offer at \$1.19.

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About the beginning of a year of a child's life you begin feeding them a little is usually added to the diet with advantage.

It should be given in amount and in the form. Scraped beef portions of a rare brot is free from fat, is the a heaping tablespoon first and the amount led.

When the meat is this child should be chew systematically. soup diet may be included and milk drops Milk and meat should eather at the same

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Blankets BIGGEST SELECTION.
LOWEST PRICES.

We are now showing a large selection of Blankets, Bed Spreads, Wadded Quilts, Eider Quilts, Cot Blankets and Cot Quilts, etc. See our Bed Clothing at prices to suit everybody in

WHITE WOOL BLANKETS.

See our Large New Stock.

Prices from

\$4.75 to \$12.50.

Per Pair.

We also have a large stock of Brown, Grey and Khaki Wool Blankets as follows:

Grey Blankets \$1.50 to \$3.50 | Child's Cot Blankets . \$1.75 to \$3.75
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NEW HIGH GRADE QUILTS,

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Curlers' Annual.

Last night the annual meeting of the St. John's Curling Association took place. The President, Mr. H. B. Cowan, occupied the chair and at the outset of the meeting thanked his associates for the courtesy, co-operation and support shown to him during his tenure of office within the past year. Election of officers was held and resulted as follows: President, Joseph Peters; 1st Vice-Pres., F. H. Steer; 2nd Vice-Pres., W. J. Higgins; Secretary-Treas., A. H. Salter; Committee of Management, John S. Munn, Hon. John Harvey, Major Montgomerie, Capt. W. H. Rennie, H. E. Cowan, W. F. Joyce, W. H. Duder. The new President promised to use his best endeavors for a successful year. Many improvements have been made to the Curling Rink since last spring. Lovers of the roarin' game are now anxiously awaiting a visit from Jack Frost.

Ladies' College Aid Society.

The Annual Sale will be opened on Wednesday, Dec. 5th, at 4 o'clock, by HON. J. C. CRASBIE in the Methodist College Hall and will continue Thursday afternoon and evening when a concert will be given commencing at 8.30.

The LADIES' COLLEGE AID SOCIETY, associated with the GIRLS' GUILD will make every effort to please their patrons. Afternoon Teas also High Teas where Turkey will be served each evening from six to eight. Admission: Children, 5 cents; Adults, 10 cents; Children's Teas, 20 cents.

The Ladies' College Aid Society of the Methodist College are quite confident that the friends who have so nobly supported them in the past will this year prove their loyalty to this Educational Institution.

MARGARET H. FENWICK,
Secretary.

St. John's Choral Society.

The ladies and gentlemen who recently produced Mendelssohn's "Elijah" held a meeting last night in the Presbyterian Hall and decided to form themselves into the St. John's Choral Society. Mr. King was appointed conductor and given power to select the accompanist. Mr. E. Jerrett was made Secretary and Mr. J. Hepburn, Treasurer. Messrs. A. G. Gibb, G. Somerville and C. Trappell were appointed a committee. It was decided that the "Elijah" chorus would form the nucleus of the society. Other members would be expected to undergo a slight test. The first meeting will take place on the second Monday in the New Year.

Personal.

Mr. M. D. Dawson, Representative of The Grolier Society of London, Publishers of The Book of Knowledge, has been at Grand Falls for the past few weeks. He is leaving in a few days for St. John's. During his visit he will introduce The Grolier Society's wonderful publication THE BOOK OF HISTORY, a complete history of all nations and all races of the world from the earliest times, with over 8,000 illustrations, 6,700 pages.—dec.31

Wedding at Western Bay.

A very quiet wedding took place at Western Bay, on Dec. 1st, the contracting parties being Mrs. Thomas Dalton and Mr. Myles Loveys. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. George Loveys, the Rev. R. H. Mercer officiating. The bride looked neat in a costume of blue serge with hat to match; she was attended by Mrs. George Loveys; the groom was supported by Mr. Reuben Crowley. After the ceremony the happy couple proceeded to the home of the groom where a light repast was partaken of by the intimate friends of bride and groom. We wish them many years of happiness and bliss.—Com.

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Best for liver and bowels, bad breath, bad colds, sour stomach.

Get a 10-cent box. Sick headache, biliousness, coated tongue, head and nose clogged up with a cold—always trace this to torpid liver; delayed fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach. Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and thus, dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, indigestible food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels. A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet, breath light, complexion rosy and your liver and bowels regular for months.

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Fads and Fashions.

Hats are quite untrimmed, but smarter than ever in line. A novel collar is lined with striking striped silk, the corners of the collar turning back to show the lining.

A broadcloth with hairline stripes is used for separate skirts. There seems to be no doubt about it used for separate skirts. Suede hand bags are just the proper thing for afternoon outings.

Sets of scarf, muff and hat developed in mole fur are very smart. Long-hair animal scarfs are sometimes trimmed with other furs.

The proper silhouette has little variation from shoulder to skirt hem. As winter advances, the turban will be more popular for street wear. Even the smartest dresses are made with combinations of materials.

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Report of Treasurer

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May-O'Linds and Steel Maitlands 200.00
Blind Soldiers' and Sailors' Fund 550.00
Belgian Relief Fund 300.00
Fish and Brewis Fund 50.00
Jensen Camp 597.75
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NOTICE!

In the matter of the Will and Estate of the Honorable James Ryan, late of Bonaville, St. John's, Merchant, deceased.

WHEREAS the above named James Ryan died at St. John's on the 19th day of September, A.D. 1917, with a Will by which he appointed Daniel A. Ryan, John T. McCarthy, Katherine G. Ryan and Hon. James D. Ryan, executors thereof; AND WHEREAS letters of probate to said Will and estate of said deceased have been duly granted out of the Supreme Court of Newfoundland to said executors;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons claiming to be creditors of or to have any claim or demand against said estate of said deceased, requiring them to furnish particulars of such claim, duly attested, to the said executors at Bonaville, Newfoundland, or to the undersigned Solicitors for said executors at the address given hereunder on or before the thirty-first day of December, A.D. 1917; and notice is further given that after said thirty-first day of December, A.D. 1917, the said executors shall proceed to distribute said estate having regard only to such claims of which they shall then have had notice.

St. John's, the 23rd day of October, A.D. 1917.

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— AND —
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 A great substitute for Currants.

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 Who has the largest stock of High-Class Pianos in the trade.

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Welcome and Unwelcome News.
 Without prior notice, Perfection Tire shares have advanced to \$1.50 on December 1st, according to telegraphic news just received. We have wired advising that a lot of our clients have orders pending at \$1.25 and we have a lot of business at \$1.25 accepted since December 1st, and asked them for a time extension of a few days.
 * We may or we may not get it, but until we get an answer we will not accept any further orders at \$1.25 that will bind us to make delivery.
 See this space to-morrow for definite announcement.

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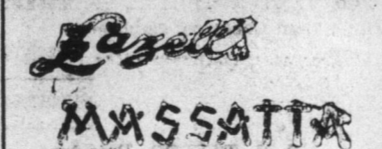
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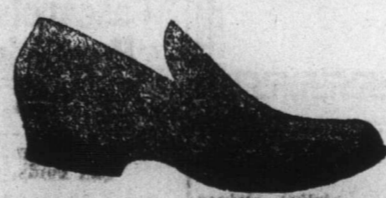
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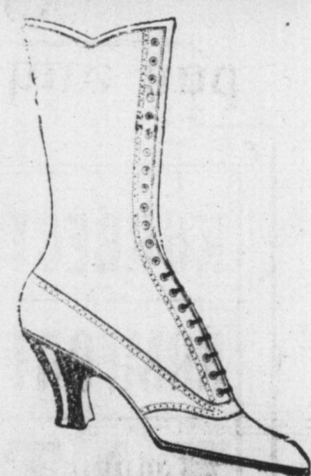
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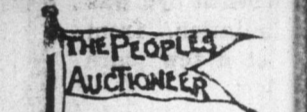
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AUCTION.

At the Western Store of
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 at 10.30 a.m.,

the following articles belonging to
 Rosiru Whaling Co. Ltd. in liqui-
 dation, on instructions of Ernest
 Watson, Liquidator.

2 pieces Norwegian Manilla
 weight 255 lbs.; 1 do. about 100
 1 do. 355 lbs.; 1 coil 5 1/2" coil, we
 277 lbs.; 1 lot Manilla yarn, 1 coil
 wegian Manilla line, 200 lbs.; 2
 263 lbs.; 1 do. 217 lbs.; 1 do. 218
 1 do. 761 lbs.; 1 do. 551 lbs.; 2
 1155 lbs.; 1 do. 1135 lbs. and 1
 115 lbs.; 8 coils wire rope, 2 coils
 boiler rivets and 2 four-fold
 blocks, 2 counter scales, 1 plate
 scales, with guard to weigh on
 made by Day & Millward, Lither-
 ham; 1 do to weigh 1200 lbs., 1
 leather belt, 6" x 27 ft. long,
 pieces iron piping, 1 large pile
 hammer and wrench; 3 jackscrews,
 pieces boiler plate, 1 1/2", 1162 lbs.
 rolls sheet lead, 5075 lbs.; 3
 feed pumps, made by A. C. Mott
 (Colchester); 1 3/4" water pump,
 empty sacks, 1 suit sails for 700
 vessel, 4 mainsails, 4 foresails, 1
 ho, 3 jibs and 1 bonnet; 1 ship's res-
 for 200 ton vessel, 7 ship's auger-
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 4 p.m., for the supply of
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 one lot. Date of delivery to
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 Applicants are requested
 mark across the envelope
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 The Council does not bind
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By order,
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