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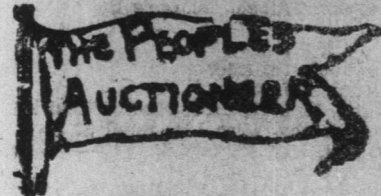
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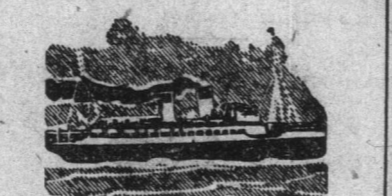
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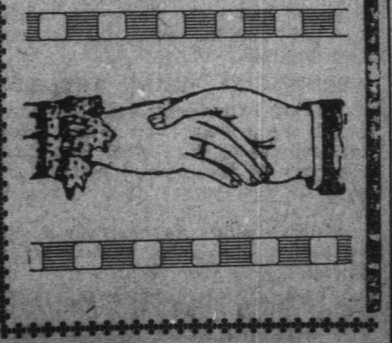
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Cyril's Bride.

CHAPTER XXXVIII.

"Miss Norah wouldn't think so," he retorted. "My dear boy, don't repine. We must all bear our lot cheerfully, whatever it may be. I sympathize with you deeply, deeply; it must be so trying to be an earl with ever so many thousands a year; but you must bear your heavy trouble like a man, you know. And here's the hansom at last."

Cyril hurried to the door as if he were going to catch a train and hadn't a minute to lose; then he stopped short and thrust his hand into the breast pocket of his beautifully-fitting frock coat.

"What's the matter? Palpitation of the heart?" demanded Jack.

"No," said Cyril, gravely pulling out a long blue envelope. "I was wondering whether I had forgotten this," and he tapped it significantly.

"Oh, that's all right. What you'll forget will be the ring—"

"No, I shan't," retorted Cyril, and he took it out gingerly from his waistcoat pocket. "Come along, come along!"

"Certainly, but allow me to lock the door. Are you afraid the church will run away, or that Miss Norah may change her mind?"

The church was still standing in its secluded corner, and Norah had not changed her mind, for after Cyril had been pacing up and down the small vestry for ten minutes, while Jack had been chatting with the clergyman—a young curate, who really did seem to enjoy the fun of this strange marriage—Lord and Lady Ferndale arrived with the bride. Cyril—and perhaps Jack, too—thought she had never looked more lovely than she did in her simple dress of quiet gray, her glorious eyes downcast, her lips just parted by the quick breaths of mingled joy and shyness.

For herself she still felt as if she were moving in some strange, delicious dream, and it was with a start she heard the young curate murmur softly, "Are we ready?"

Then Cyril and Jack walked up to the altar, and Lord Ferndale drew her arm within his and followed.

There were no other witnesses than these dear and tried friends, excepting the inevitable pew-opener. Norah felt as if the throbbing of her heart could be heard all over the little church.

In his soft, suave voice the curate

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performed the ceremony; she felt Cyril's dear hand clasp hers as he slipped the "plain ring of gold" upon her finger, then, leaning upon his arm, they led the way back to the vestry.

"My wife!" she heard Cyril murmur in her ear, and as she raised her eyes to his shyly, he bent his head to kiss her. But Lord Ferndale put a hand upon his arm quickly.

"Excuse me," he said, "but I think you are trespassing upon my privilege!" and Norah, blushing and smiling, presented her cheek to him.

"That's my reward for giving her away," said Lord Ferndale, kissing her hand also. "God bless you, my dear, and make you, and the man you have chosen as happy as we all wish you!"

While this pretty little ceremony had been enacting, the curate had been getting out of his surplice and filling in the certificate.

"I have dispensed with my clerk's services this morning," he said, making a great fuss with the blotting paper. "Now—er—Mr. Burne, will you sign, please?"

Cyril wrote his name.

"Wilfrid Avon Cyril, Earl of Arrowdale," and the curate covered it quickly with the blotting paper as he turned to Norah.

"Here, if you please, my lady," he said, then stammered and turned red. But Norah did not notice his confusion, or, if she had done so, would have attributed it to his having addressed her by the title she had borne, and, bending down, wrote her own name.

The curate folded the certificate two or three times.

"Will you—er—" he said, addressing Norah, but looking at Cyril. "Give it to me," he said, quietly, but with downcast eyes. "I have some papers of importance here; I'll put it with them. It will be sure not to be lost then," and he took the envelope from his pocket, inclosed the certificate, and fastened the envelope securely.

As he did so he drew a breath of relief, and glanced at Jack, who smiled significantly and softly clapped his hands.

Then they went back to the carriage, and were rattled off to Grosvenor Square, where what Lady Ferndale called "an apology" for a wedding breakfast awaited them.

It was certainly not a large party, but what they lacked in numbers they made up in happiness.

The newly-married pair were naturally too intent upon each other to need much merriment, but, though they did not need it, Jack had got a fair supply on hand, and for the first time in his life forgot to be cynical, and was content to be genial and amusing, and, as Lord Ferndale remarked afterward, displayed such a vast talent for entertaining that he might have made a fortune on the stage, if he had not been in a fair way to make it as a poet.

Indeed, the breakfast could not have been a greater success if there had been half a hundred guests, with the usual complement of bridesmaids and the stock speeches.

The health of the bride and bridegroom was given by Lord Ferndale, and, though he did not make a speech, the way in which he spoke Norah's name and looked at her was worth, as Jack declared, "a dozen set orations," and Cyril's "Thank you, sir; thank you, dear Lady Ferndale, and you, Jack!" spoken with a suspicious moisture in his joy-lit eyes, was pronounced by the same critic just a perfect bit of elocution.

All through the meal Lord Ferndale had kept watch and guard over his tongue, and it was not until Cyril had glanced at his watch and said that time was getting short that he said with a mischievous twinkle in his eye:

"I suppose you won't take a very long holiday, Mr. Burne? You'll be wanting to get back to work, eh?"

And Cyril had, with a marked increase of color, murmured something inaudible, and hurried Norah out of the room. She and Lady Ferndale disappeared together for half an hour, and then they came down, Norah attired in the travelling dress and a set of sables which Lady Ferndale had produced at the last moment. Both women were rather red about the eyes, and Norah clung to her friend until the last moment, when Cyril, standing beside the cab door, held Jack's and Lord Ferndale's hands, and whispered:

"Remember! The Court, Thursday week."

Then Norah tore herself away, Cyril put her gently and tenderly into the cab, and Jack and Lord Ferndale having flung a handful of rice over their nice clothes, they drove off, Norah leaning forward and waving her hand until the cab turned the corner and carried them out of sight.

"Well," said Lord Ferndale, with a smile and a sigh. "There goes the prettiest and sweetest girl in Christendom!"

"And the best and warmest-hearted man!" responded Jack, wistfully.

"God bless them both!" said Lady Ferndale, with a sob, and she ran in and up to her own room where she might enjoy the "good cry" she had fully deserved.

The two men went to the smoking room, and mixed themselves a soft and brandy, and talked over the strange history of the young couple and the surprise which awaited one of them; but presently Jack grew very silent and thoughtful, and Lord Ferndale, noticing it, said:

"A penny for your thoughts, Wesley."

"No," she said, softly; "I was very happy there sometimes, and I—well, I grew to love the grand old place, and will you mind my saying that I shall feel rather sorry when I think to-morrow will be the last time I may ever see it again?"

Cyril was silent for a moment. "Perhaps it won't be," he said, guardedly. "The new earl may—well, may be friendly, and invite us now and again—especially as you have surrendered all that money so readily."

Norah laughed gently.

"I don't know that it would be wise to be too intimate with earls and countesses—always excepting the dear Ferndales! Don't they say that professional people should keep to their own class? Perhaps if you knew too many 'awfuls,' as Jack calls them, you would grow lazy and discontented. You see how prudent I am becoming," and she laughed. "Cyril!"

"When are we going to begin housekeeping, dear?" she asked, nestling closer to him, and looking up in his face with a delicious gravity in her eyes. "I can't tell you how anxious I am to begin the part of the economical wife and housekeeper. I think I shall take lessons in cookery—would you mind?—and I mean to watch every penny. Shall we be—don't laugh, sir!—shall we be very poor? Mind, I don't care if we shall be—"

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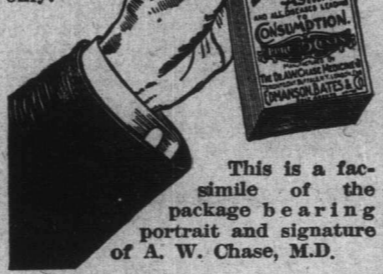
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cheeks, and the light of happiness in her eyes as she leaned upon her husband's arm.

"And you don't ask me why I want you to go back to the Court so suddenly, dearest?" Cyril said.

"No," she replied, turning her lovely eyes upon him trustfully. "Why should I? Didn't I promise to obey—and obedience means asking no questions. If you don't wish to tell me why we are going there to-morrow, why—well, don't. I am quite satisfied!"

Cyril—there happened to be no one in sight at the moment—bent down—he hadn't to bend very low—and kissed the soft red lips.

"Norah, I always suspected that I had married an angel, now I know it! Will it be painful to you to go there, dearest?"

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 Byrne, Edward, card, Alexander St.
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 Halward, Miss Sarah, Patrick St.
 Harding, Mrs. C.
 Havelo, Miss B., Duckworth St.
 Hawkins, Wilfred, New Gower St.
 Hennessey, Mrs., care Mr. Power, 32 — St.
 Hickey, Miss Aggie, care Mrs. Morrissey, Patrick St.
 Hopkins, Mrs. Jane, care General Delivery
 Hollahan, Mrs. James, Battery Road
 Hobbs, John, care Mrs. J. J. Boggan St.
 Holmes, Miss A., Hayward Avenue
 Hogan, Thomas, care Reid Co.
 Hussey, Mrs. E.
 Hurley, John J., Water St. West
 Hart, George, Brine St.
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 Johnson, Miss G., Bond St.
 Judge, J., New Gower St.
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 Keating, Miss Maggie A., care Gillis, Patrick St.
 Kennedy, Miss P., Cookstown Road
 Kearney, Martin G.
 King, Joseph
 Kelly, Miss Annie, Livingstone St.
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 Lamb, Miss H., New Gower St.
 Legge, Ellis, Miss Alfrede, Linthorne, Methodist College Home
 Lynch, Mrs. Amelia, William St.
- M**
 Martin, Miss Helen, Carter's Hill
 Martin, Miss L., Long's Hill
 Mason, Mrs. Joseph, Casey St.
 Meagus, Miss Barbara
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 Miller, Miss Leonard, Coronation St.
 Miller, Mrs. Clara, Cochrane St.
 Mills, Miss Lizzie, Henry St.
 Moore, Mr. John, Colonial St.
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 Moore, Edgar
 Meaney, Miss L., care Mrs. Anderson, Circular Rd.
 Murphy, James
 Mullett, Miss B., Henry St.
 Murphy, Joseph, George's St.
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 Newhook, Leander
 Nicholas, John
 Nixon, Mrs. D., card, Mundy Pond Rd.
 Noworthy, Miss Ida, Bond St.
 Nugent, Mrs. Edward P., 34 — St.
- O**
 Osbourne, James, Hamilton Avenue.
 O'Sawyer, Mrs. Frank
- P**
 Pretty, Miss Gemma, Forest Road
 Percy, Albert
 Parsons, Miss Ethel
 Peddie, Miss Alice, care Mrs. Chard, Monroe St.
 Power, Mrs. Peter, George's St.
 Pierce, Mrs., Cochrane St.
 Peddie, Miss Nellie, Water St.
 Penney, Mr. Michael, Hamilton St.
 Payne, Andrew, care Gen'l Delivery
 Penney, Miss Carrie, Long's Hill
- R**
 Reilly, Miss B., card, care Parker & Monroe
 Richardson, care G. P. O.
- S**
 Shaw, Jane, card
 Sainsbury, Paul, late Newtown, B.B.
 Shaw, Miss C., care Mrs. J. J. Boggan St.
 Simmons, K., Pleasant St.
 Scott, Miss Fannie, care Mr. Ryan, LeMerchant Rd.
 Snow, Mrs. Timothy, Duckworth St.
 Shute, Mrs. James, Simms' St.
 Stone, John, South Side
 Spurrell, Herbert, care G. P. O.
 Squires, Miss Sarah, Henry St.
 Spurrell, Miss Blanche, New Gower Street
 Sheppard, John
 Saunders, Miss Maud, Cabot St.
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 Tracey, Robert W., 70 — Street
 Tavernor, Miss M. E., Duckworth St.
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 Warren, Miss Mary, care Post Office
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War News

Messages Received Previous to 9

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Although the formal terms of the new British war loan will not be public till Friday, a national campaign for subscriptions will be launched at a mass meeting in London Guildhall to-morrow. The speaker will be the Hon. Mr. Lloyd George, and the chief speakers. From London, a starting point will be sweeping canvasses, carefully organized, with the aim of getting available pence, shillings and from every nook and corner.

Every important town, with every various degree of population, will be the scene of an elaborate programme, even house to house visits, by persons who will explain in the necessity of this national campaign, the means whereby every citizen will get the largest possible amount of new "victory loan." The war committee, which has been in existence for more than a year, has nine hundred sub-committees, seventeen thousand local associations will be the principal agencies used to explain the appeal in language. Information bureaus will be opened in every community, and every post office will have counters especially devoted to the business of the war loan.

Terms of the "victory loan" have become known in a general way in the financial district, and the thing financially sensation bonds will yield a shade over 4 per cent. or four per cent. free of tax. Payments of subscription will be stretched in easy instalments, a period of several months, and banks have agreed to lend daily par value on the new loan during the period of the war.

The total subscriptions will be the greatest in history, reason for the certainty of a loan total even at moderate interest rate is the of outstanding government paper the right of conversion conversion right will be enjoyed by holders of say £900,000,000 loan, £1,600,000,000 short term. In addition to this, in up of old paper it is hoped of money will be realized to Government well through the

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Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent In One Week's Time In Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home. Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weakness? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says: "After trying it, I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitudes more will be able

to strengthen their eyes so as to spare the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Non-Opto tablets. Drop one Non-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and inflammation will quickly disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time. Note: Another excellent prescription to which the above article was submitted, called "Non-Opto" is a very remarkable remedy. It is composed of natural ingredients and is guaranteed to strengthen the eyesight 50 per cent in one week in many instances. It is a very safe remedy from any good drug store and is one of the very best remedies I find. It should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family.

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a front of 1,000 yards in the bend of the Tigris on the right bank, north-east of Kut-el-Amara. Seven officers and 175 men were captured in the course of the operations. The enemy's trenches at Sannayat were bombarded on the same day, and the lines successfully raided in three places.

RUSSIANS ADVANCE.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 10. The Russians attacking the German lines in the region of Lake Babi, west of Riga, have scored an advance of more than a mile, capturing the position between the Tirul marsh and the River, Aa, the war office announced to-day.

GERMAN RAIDER REPORTED SUNK.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10. Persistent reports that a German raider was met in the Atlantic and sunk by British cruisers yesterday afternoon, were current to-day in well-informed steamship circles. Details are lacking, as is the identity of the vessels engaged, and the location of the encounter.

BRITISH STEAMER TORPEDOED.

LONDON, Jan. 10. The British steamer Andoni has been sunk, Lloyd's Shipping Agency announces to-day. The Andoni was an Elder Line steamer of 3,188 tons gross. Her recent movements have not been reported in marine registers.

THE ALLIES' ANSWER.

LONDON, Jan. 10. The Allies' answer to President Wilson will be handed to Ambassador Sharp at Paris possibly to-day. It will not be made public for several days, an agreement for simultaneous publication in America and Europe having been made. The delay in sending the reply has not been due to any differences between the Entente nations as to general principles to be enunciated in the document. Complete agreement on this general outline has been manifest from the time of the first draft. Its statements concerning the terms of the Entente Powers are more specific than were made in previous communications or official utterances, but they are still general and somewhat guarded in character.

TREPOFF'S RESIGNATION.

LONDON, Jan. 10. The resignation of Premier Treppoff of Russia, after being in office only seven weeks, has aroused the keenest interest in London. No information has been received here regarding the events that led to his retirement. The identity of Prince Goltzine, who has been appointed Premier, is not known definitely, as the Goltzine family is a very numerous one, and there are fully thirty Princes of that name. It is believed here, however, the new Premier is the former Lord Mayor of Moscow of that name, who has taken a leading part in the educational campaign of the Russian League. Some time ago he was elected to the Presidency of the Anglo-Russian League of Friendship. The Prince is the owner of extensive estates, and is known here as a great friend to England.

NATURE OF REPLY UNKNOWN.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10. Official information has reached here that the Entente reply to the

belligerents had been handed to Ambassador Sharp at Paris. No intimation of the nature of the reply had been given. Advice said it would not be made public till President Wilson had received and had an opportunity to decipher it.

ENEMY ATTACKS FRUSTRATED.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 10. The repulse of repeated Teutonic attacks against the Russian lines along the Moldavian frontier, notably in the Kaino River region, is announced in to-day's war office report as follows: On the Rumanian front repeated enemy attacks against one of the heights north of the village of Stonki were frustrated by our fire and counter-attacks. During Monday evening and Tuesday morning the enemy delivered eight attacks on one of the heights north of Kaino River; all were repulsed.

CROWN COUNCIL HASTILY SUMMONED.

PARIS, Jan. 10. A despatch to the Havas Agency from Athens says: The Crown Council has been hastily summoned. The Cabinet also is in session. It is declared a conciliatory tendency is prevailing and that a reply will be made to the Entente ultimatum in due time.

LANDED AT BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 10. The captain and six men composing the crew of the British schr. Ewart Harris landed, here to-day from the British steamer Kelvin Brae which took the men off their vessel about seven hundred miles east of Newfoundland on New Year's Day. The Ewart Harris was abandoned rudely and leaking badly. She was bound from Cadiz to St. John's with a cargo of salt.

ITALIAN DESTROYER SUNK.

BERLIN, Jan. 10. An Italian submarine destroyer was recently sunk off the Island of Corfu, according to a semi-official announcement by the Overseas News Agency to-day. The members of the Army Staff were on board the vessel, the statement adds, and seven naval officers and 333 army officers were killed.

BUFFALO BILL DEAD.

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 10. Colonel Wm. F. Coakly (Buffalo Bill), famous scout, died here to-day.

LEYLAND LINE STEAMER SUNK.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 10. The Leyland Line steamer Alexandrian has been torpedoed and sunk, presumably near the English coast, according to a telegram received by the Line's local officials to-day. The Alexandrian sailed from New Orleans on Dec. 21st for Liverpool, and carried about 7,000 bales of cotton and in addition miscellaneous cargo.

PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10. Guarding against depredations by the mysterious German raider supposed to be hovering somewhere around the windward passages in the West Indies, the British Colonial authorities have ordered the extinction by lighthouses and of navigation lights in Carlisle Bay, Needham's Point, South Point, Barbados, Castries, St. Lucia, St. George, Granada, Jamaica Harbor, Nassau, Guadeloupe, St. John's, Antigua. The British Legation at Panama in announcing this action also warns vessels not to enter Carlisle Bay at night.

CHINA AND RUSSIA.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10. Information received here to-day indicates an increasingly serious situation between China and Russia over the recent report of the killing of from 200 to 300 Chinese in the interior of the Province of Sin Kiang or Turkestan. The negotiations, over the demand persisted in by China on Russia which includes indemnity for bereaved families, proper apologies and guarantees for the future, are still going on with no settlement in sight. The rioters were Cossacks who annually go south into Sin Kiang during the fall and return under escort of Chinese troops as soon as the harvest is completed.

BRITISH OFFICIAL.

LONDON, Jan. 10. An official from British headquarters in France reads: The past 24 hours have been marked by a series of well executed enterprises, which on various portions of our line were highly successful. In a minor operation carried out last night east of Beaumont Hamel we seized and consolidated a section of the enemy trench and took as prisoners 3 officers and 140 men.

STEAMERS SUNK.

LONDON, Jan. 10. Announcement is made by Lloyd's that the British steamer Bayneak



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This great little pick-me-up is full of vigour and vim for the jaded soldier. Quenches thirst, allays fatigue, gives new life to enervated spirits.

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3,286 tons gross, has been sunk, and that the British steamer Lynfield is reported sunk. The Lynfield registered 3,923 tons.

SWEDEN'S LOSSES IN SHIPPING.

LONDON, Jan. 10. An exchange Telegraph despatch from Copenhagen says that Sweden lost 132 ships, aggregating 13,000 tons, last year, of which 100 were torpedoed with the loss of 27 lives. This report comes from Stockholm, and that during the same period Sweden built 81 ships, aggregating 47,000 tons.

THE 'ALEXANDRIAN'.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 10. The Alexandrian was 4,467 gross tons and carried a crew of forty-five. A message received here reported all the crew saved.

FODDER AND CEREALS.

LONDON, Jan. 10. Fodder and cereals are to be grown in Richmond and Bath Parks as the first step in the new food campaign. London Parks are Royal property, and steps have been taken to get the sanction of King George.

RESULTS UNCERTAIN.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10. The battle in northwest Russia in the region of Riga, apparently is growing in intensity, but owing to divergent reports by Berlin and Petrograd, the results thus far attained are problematical. Berlin asserts that southwest of Riga all attacks by the Russians have been without success. Petrograd reports that near Lake Babi the Russians captured German positions between the Tirul marsh and River Aa, and advanced the line about one and one-third miles southward. The Germans in the region of Kaluzau delivered a counter attack on the Russians who had occupied a position east of the village, but it was put down by the Russians. There has also been severe fighting near the mouth of the Himnik, Sereth River. Both Berlin and Petrograd claim ad-

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IN AID OF THE SICK AND WOUNDED AND OF OUR SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AT THE FRONT.

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Seaman Has Led Severed.

North Sydney, Jan. 5. — Shortly after ten o'clock this morning, while the Reid liner Sagona was docking, two men belonging to the steamer were injured, one very seriously. It is understood that the chief officer and one of the seamen came in contact with a wire spring, or line running out. The chief officer had his leg badly bruised, but the seaman, George Piercey, a native of Brigus, Nfld., was caught by the spring, which by its action removed his right leg like a knife, completely severing it. Dr. M. T. McLean was immediately summoned and had the young man removed to the hospital, where his condition is reported as very serious. The captain of the Sagona says that the mate had a miraculous escape.—Sydney Record, Jan. 6th.

Another Merchantman Gone.

As mentioned in a despatch yesterday from Baltimore another Newfoundland fish carrier, the Edward Harris, has been lost, though, fortunately, her crew of seven are safe. When the vessel was abandoned the crew were taken off by the British steamer Kelvinbrae, which was bound to Baltimore from Glasgow. The Edward Harris was formerly the Lillian, owned by Messrs. S. Harris, Ltd., of Grand Bank. At the time of her fate she was thirty days out from Cadiz to Marystown, having a cargo of salt for the Marystown Trading Co.

Week of Prayer.

Thursday, 11, St. Andrew's—Rev. Dr. Bond, The Home and the School. Friday, 12, Wesley—Rev. N. M. Guy, Nations and their Rulers. Cochrane Street—Rev. Dr. Fenwick, Nations and their Rulers.

Recruiting Brisk.

The present is the most successful month for recruiting in the Regiment for a considerable while back. This is the result of the campaign now being conducted in the outposts. Since the ushering in of the New Year up to yesterday seventy young men had enlisted.

Be Cured To-Day of Backache.

Your persistent back-ache can have but one cause—Diseased Kidneys—and they must be strengthened before the back-ache can be cured. Your best remedy, and the quickest to act is Dr. Hamilton's Pills; they cure kidney back-ache in a hurry. Simply wonderful in its action this grand old medicine works for liver, kidney and stomach disorders has no equal. Dr. Hamilton's Pills will surely cure your back weariness, they will bring you appetite, color, strength and good spirits. Being purely vegetable they are mild, not drastic. Get a 25c. bottle of Dr. Hamilton's Pills to-day.

Household Notes.

A meal hurriedly prepared is of small value. Save work by keeping things in order as you go. Ashes should always be sifted to save the cinders. For a 10 o'clock lunch take nuts, raisins and milk. Potatoes for baking should always be well scrubbed. Mock cherry pie can be made with cranberries and raisins. Always save the bits of soap, they can be used in the shaker. If meat is overcooked it is waste and nourishment is lacking. Add a little sweet milk to the water for watering house plants.

Dudley Lodge, S. O. E. Installation.

On Tuesday night D. D. S. P. Bro. Thompson presided at his first official function when the installation of the officers of Lodge Dudley, No. 227, S. O. E. B. S. took place. He was assisted by P. D. D., Bro. S. G. Collier and P. P., Bro. J. McCoubrey, and the following officers were installed:— W. P. P.—Bro. W. P. Butler. President—Bro. W. T. Quick. Vice-Pres.—Bro. A. E. Crowther. Chaplain—Bro. J. Hemmans. Secretary—Bro. C. W. Odle. Fin. Sec.—Bro. W. Clarke. Treasurer—Bro. G. P. Hutchings. Guides—Bros. R. Pike, C. Puddister, J. Bishop, R. Ivany, E. Arnett and W. Escott. I. G.—Bro. M. Spurrell. O. G.—Bro. W. Thistle. The reports for the past year were of a most satisfactory character. The Financial Secretary's report showed that a balance of \$11,000 stood to the credit of the local fund. Since the outbreak of the war the Society here and in Canada has paid \$24,000 to the relatives of its members who have made the Supreme Sacrifice. A most pleasing feature of the evening was the congratulations extended to Bro. C. W. Odle, who was installed for the 19th term as Secretary. The District Deputy Supreme President made the pleasing announcement that it was more than likely that the Supreme President, Bro. D. J. Proctor, of Toronto, will pay an official visit to this city.

What a Gas Range Means for You, Mrs. Housekeeper.

The gas range is a muscle saver and a step saver. Think of the many tons of coal you used in that coal range, and how you have had to handle it all twice; first, carrying it up out of the cellar; then, from the kitchen to the ash barrel. No more soot to wipe away; no more ashes to cart away; no more wood to fetch; no more coal dust; no more smoke and no more reason why the kitchen cannot be kept as clean and as orderly as the parlor. The gas range means just this. Saves 50 Per Cent. of Kitchen Cares. Half of the labor in the house is caused by dust from the coal range. Every time it smokes, no matter how good the draught may be, clouds of ashes rise and settle on the furniture. It Eliminates Hard Work. Use a gas range and you will live better, you will play better, and you will work better because the use of the gas range eliminates the drudgery of carrying coal, ashes and the chopping of kindling, as well as the drudgery of cleaning up a lot of dirt, and, best of all, for the cook it makes it unnecessary for her to stand over a hot stove from two to three hours a day. PHONE THE GAS CO.

Citizens' Committee, Attention!

The Citizens' Committee will meet in the Board of Trade Rooms, at 8 o'clock sharp to-night, when business of the greatest importance in relation to the New Municipal Bill will come up for discussion. The deputation to the Select Committee of the Legislature will make their report and it is vitally necessary that every committeeman be present.

Large advertisement for 'British Colonel' tobacco, featuring the text: 'British Colonel The "Utmost" In Plug Smoking Imperial Tobacco Co. Newfoundland, Ltd.'

Advertisement for roofings: 'ROOFINGS! All Kinds Carried in Stock. CERTAIN-TEED ROOFING Is Guaranteed 15 Years. Our Prices are the Lowest in the Country. GEO. M. BARR.'

Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor
H. A. WINTER, B.A., Editor
THURSDAY, Jan. 11th, 1917.

The Military Outlook

The present is a season of prophesying, and prophecies are abundant on every hand. Few of them, however much they may prove to be justified in the event, have the authority that entitles them to a hearing, but there are some that carry much weight.

He dismisses the West front, to begin with, and no one will quarrel with him there. The initiative in France will be entirely with the Allies, and if it is not used to such good purpose as to paralyze Germany's initiative anywhere else, we have not read the situation aright.

This policy of anticipating the worst that the enemy can do is a wise one, but it always admits of a reply. The Central Powers, by reason of the very position which gives them this designation, will always possess, even to the end, some power of striking in a direction chosen by themselves.

It may be that the Times is already answered by Russia herself. We do not yet know the extent of her new offensive in the farthest north region, at Riga, nor yet its purpose—whether it aims at breaking the German front or simply at distracting the Germans from their Roumanian campaign.

There is, however, another prophecy made by this expert which we can accept unreservedly. He anticipates a last tremendous effort by the German navy, possibly the Austrian also, to break the blockade that is starving their countries to death.

The Argyle left Larn at 1.55 p.m. yesterday, inward. The Home left Tilt Cove at 1 p.m. yesterday. The Kyle left Port aux Basques at 1.10 a.m. to-day.

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The Blackball is a not a nice thing to play with, as a rule, but it is a great humbler of human pride. Many a man with an enlarged ego has paid \$15 for the first degree, only to be stopped at the threshold by some business associate who knows that he is carrying too much air. Some people are not discouraged by the Blackball, but allow their names to bob up on rainy nights or when some hard-nosed brother is laid up with the quinsy. One of the most touching examples of persistency is that of the man who finally breaks into a lodge after being blackballed every third Tuesday for a year, which teaches us not to be discouraged in well doing.

In Milady's Boudoir.



WHAT DEEP BREATHING DOES.

Deep breathing is not the panacea it was supposed to be a decade ago when physical culture was a new thought and was, I believe, responsible for a decided change in woman's clothing. With the old-styled corset which came up to the chest, compressing the lungs, and the tight fitting boned bodice natural, automatic breathing for women was an impossibility. To-day from the waist up a woman is practically as free in regard to breathing as if she wore no clothing at all. With no restrictions about the lungs or diaphragm breathing becomes automatic; we breathe as deeply and as often as we need to provide the blood with the necessary oxygen and get rid of the waste gases.

As a physical exercise deep breathing is of value, and as a means of waist reduction and chest expansion to be warmly recommended. Exercising the trunk and lower respiratory muscles consumes excess fat and will make the waist line lower and smaller.

Deep breathing exercises also act as a quick stimulant, overcoming fatigue, drowsiness or a chill. By driving the blood for a moment out of the lungs into the capillaries it quickens circulation. It is also a wonderful steadiener to the nerves, partly by equalizing the circulation and largely by changing the direction of the mind.

Deep breathing also increases the oxygenation of the blood, ridding the body of the poisonous carbonic acid. Like any exercise of the body muscles it improves the circulation and aids digestion and elimination.

The best results are obtained however, by practising on arising before an open window and with no restricting clothes at all.

Everyday Etiquette.

"When acknowledging a wedding gift, is it necessary for the bride and groom to both sign the note?" asks Dick.

"The person who received the gift should write the note of thanks, the is, the one whom the giver is a friend of, should sign the note," answered his sister.

A skirt of satin and a bodice of Georgette crepe richly embroidered will make an afternoon frock of real distinction.

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Someone told me of an interesting experiment the other day. It was talking about the extraordinarily large wages demanded and received,—by girls who do housework. One woman told of a friend who pays eight dollars for a maid for herself and husband. They have a small new house and they are away from meals about a quarter of the time. Another told me of a family of two where the maid received six dollars a week though the family were away months at a time. The washing was put out and the woman even offered to have the cleaning done.

Twenty-One Dollars a Week For Housework. I myself told of hearing a woman of an intelligence office informed that the only accommodator (outstanding name) she could get, charged three dollars a day.

When one realizes that no vocational training is required and that the wages are not affected by the high cost of living, since living is included, one gets an idea of how much these wages mean.

And yet girls prefer to go into shops and factories and telephone exchanges where they sometimes get barely a living wage! Why is it?

"There's a Reason."

No one can surely know, but the experiment of which I started to tell you is an index finger pointing to one reason.

"I know a woman who pays," began the one who chronicled the experiment. "We all listened with bated

breath expecting to hear some new shocker such as ten or twelve, "four dollars a week," she finished.

"Well, listen to the rest," she said. "This woman advertised in the paper for a maid to work eight hours a day, no washing, for four dollars a week and she got thirty applicants."

How They Got Along With Eight Hours.

"But how did she arrange about the eight hours?" "The girl comes at seven, and gets breakfast. She does the work of the house and gets the dinner which they have at noon. She clears it away and prepares something in the line of a salad for supper. At three o'clock she goes. The family put the supper on the table themselves, clear it away and put the dishes to soak. She is supposed to work steadily during her eight hours just as a girl in an office or factory, and like that girl, when she is through she is through. Her time is her own."

The comments were interesting. "Four dollars a week!" murmured one woman avidly.

"You'd never have her there evenings," said another.

"Girls are certainly getting more independent every year, said the Author's wife.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Holland wish to thank His Excellency the Governor and Lady Davidson, Rt. Hon. Sir E. P. Morris, Hon. J. R. Bennett, Rev. T. Nangle, France; Privates Art Thomas, Gordon Mullings and Jack Olliphant, Ayr, Scotland; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bastow, Dr. V. P. Burke, Mrs. Mullings, for notes and expressions of sympathy; also many other friends who in any way sympathized with us on the loss of our dear son, Michael John, who was killed in France, July 1st, 1916.—adv't.

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- 400 bags Potatoes.

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Interesting Tourney.

Enthusiasm and excitement vied with each other at the card tournament held at the Nfld. British Society's Club Rooms last night. Seventy men participated and out of a total of 31 games played, Messrs. Snow, Colbert and Piercey secured 21 games each. In the play-off that followed, the latter two mentioned maintained the pastboards best and won out. These two gentlemen were presented with a tin ham each and Mr. Snow an expression of sympathy together with many manifestations of hard luck from his friends. Never mind, Allan, try again, better luck next time.

Popular Young Lady Leaving.

Miss Belle Barry who was the guest at a party given in her honour by a number of friends at the residence of Mr. M. Darcy, New Gower Street, last Monday night. On behalf of these present Mr. J. C. Pippy presented Miss Barry with a handsome travelling case. She leaves shortly for Montreal where she will be married to Mr. Reg. Hallett, formerly of the National Stores, this city, but now of the R. A. M. C. The numerous friends of the prospective bride and groom will wish them future happiness.

Here and There.

Turkeys, Ducks, Geese and Chicken at ELLIS'.

MORE DIPHTHERIA. — Another new case of diphtheria was reported from Rocky Lane yesterday evening. The sufferer was removed to hospital.

Stafford's Drug Store (Theatre Hill) is open every night till 9.30.—jan2,t

CITY FATHERS MEET.—The weekly meeting of the City Fathers will be held to-night when the estimates for this year will be submitted and other matters of importance will be discussed.

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BELVEDERE ORPHANAGE ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS. — Addition—"Five Little Friends," a box of biscuit; Mr. P. J. Shea, tub of butter; Mrs. L. Flynn, M. A. Shea, W. J. Hickey, Fruit and candy.

NEW STOCK.—We have just received a large shipment of Giant Junior Safety Razors. Price 50 cents with 7 blades. CHESLEY WOODS, 282 Duckworth St.—jan3,t

THE SUSA CONCLUDES SEASON'S WORK.—The S. S. Susa, Capt. Roberts, has finished the Fogo mail service for this season, having made 35 round trips. As a whole the season has been a very successful one, thousands of tons of freight and hundreds of passengers have been delivered to and from St. John's and the various outports along the Fogo route.

QUICK AND EASY. — The Giant Junior Safety Razor, 225,000 sold to the soldiers on the Western front; 50c with 7 blades; extra blades, 40 cents per dozen, or 3 for 10 cents. CHESLEY WOODS, 282 Duckworth St., head McBride's Hill. Sole Distributor. Wholesale only. For sale at advertised stores.—oct5,t

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AT THE CRESCENT.

The usual high class mid-week programme is presented at the Crescent Picture Palace to-day. The great Esau'sy stars—Edward Arnold, Ann Kirk and H. J. Thompson feature in "A Traitor to Art," a splendid three reel feature. Marguerite Courtot features in "The Secret Message," an episode of the "Ventures of Marguerite," and a very funny country comedy: "The Curfew at Simpington Centre," produced by the Vitagraph Company. Professor McCarthy playing a programme of the newest and best music. Take in this show to-day.

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Admiral Beatty.

Vice-Admiral Sir David Beatty, K.C.B., M.V.O., D.S.O., the new Commander-in-Chief of Great Britain's Grand Fleet has had a strikingly distinguished career, and he is the youngest man in the naval history of the Empire to hold such a high command. He has played a most important part in the naval campaign of the present war, and by so doing has justified the expectations of all who have followed his service career. From the moment he entered the Navy 32 years ago, David Beatty has steadily "made good." He has achieved a truly remarkable record in a service where competition is strong, and promotion goes as nearly to real merit as possible in any public service in the world.

The son of Captain D. L. Beatty, of Borodale, in County Wexford, Ireland, he was born on Jan. 17, 1871. He entered the Navy as a cadet in 1884, was promoted to sub-lieutenant in 1890, and to lieutenant in 1892.

Achieved Success Early.

It was during the Nile Expedition to the Soudan in 1896 that Lieutenant Beatty won his first laurels. He was employed under the late Lord (then Sir Herbert) Kitchener in getting the gunboats over the cataraacts, and performed this arduous task with complete success. When, during the bombardment by the gunboats of the Derwish stronghold at Hafir, Commander Colville was wounded, Lieutenant Beatty took over the command of the flotilla, and fought his little ships with great gallantry and skill. For this service Lieutenant Beatty was mentioned in despatches, and awarded the D. S. O. He was again mentioned in his work with the gunboats on the Nile during the 1898 operations in the Soudan, including the battles of Athara and Khartoum, and at the close of the campaign he was promoted to commander, and awarded the 4th class of the Medjidie.

In 1900 he was commander of the Barfeur, when the Boxer troubles broke out in China. On June 18 an engagement took place at Tientsin, in which a British naval company, under his command, did good service. On the following day 200 British seamen and Marines were led by him in an attempt to capture two Chinese guns, and it was only after he had been twice wounded, and his small force had sustained several casualties, that he withdrew, the heavy firing making further progress impos-

sible. For this conspicuous gallantry he was specially promoted to captain (in November, 1900), at the early age of twenty-nine.

Rapid Rise in Service.

This made him the youngest captain in the Royal Navy. The promotion took him over the heads of 200 officers, and it is significant to note that he had similarly passed 395 officers on the Lieutenants' list when he was advanced to commander. In 1904 Captain Beatty commanded the Diana in the Mediterranean, afterwards transferring to the Suffolk on the same station. Two years later he was appointed Naval Adviser to the Army Council, and in 1908 became an Aide-de-Camp to King Edward VII. He had been made an M.V.O. in 1905. On Jan. 1, 1910, he was specially promoted to Rear-Admiral.

At the King's Coronation in June, 1911, he received the C.B. From January, 1912, to February, 1913, he acted as Naval Secretary to the First Lord of the Admiralty. In July, 1912, he temporarily left his post to take command of the Sixth Cruiser Squadron, with his flag in the ill-fated Aboukir. On March, 1, 1913, he was appointed to command the First Cruiser Squadron. He was given the acting rank of Vice-Admiral on Aug. 3, 1914. The honor of Knighthood came to him in the same year.

At the battle of Heligoland Fight on Aug. 28, 1914, Vice-Admiral Beatty scored the first trick against the enemy by sweeping down with his mighty battle-cruisers and annihilating the Germans at the critical phase of the engagement. He brought up the First Battle Cruiser Squadron in the nick of time to drive off the German armoured cruisers and complete the discomfiture of the Mainz, Koin and Ariadne, which were finally sent to the bottom by the guns of his ships.

Admiral Beatty's next victory was won on the morning of January 24, 1915, when a German squadron, attempting to make a raid on the English Coast, was met off the Dogger Bank and decisively defeated. The German battle-cruiser Blucher was sent to the bottom and two other enemy battle-cruisers were seriously damaged. In this splendid running fight, Admiral Beatty's flagship, the Lion, was badly damaged, and when the battle was at its height he transferred his flag, first to a destroyer, and subsequently to the Princess Royal.

Battle of Jutland.

Admiral Beatty took a most prominent part in the great naval engagement in the North Sea, known as the

Battle of Jutland, on May 31st, 1916, where the Germans were again decisively defeated. In that great sea fight the British fleet put a minimum of 21 enemy units out of action, including six capital ships, while the British losses were fourteen units in all.

"The Battle-Cruiser Fleet, gallantly led by Vice-Admiral Sir David Beatty, K.C.B., M.V.O., D.S.O., and admirably supported by the ships of the 5th Battle Squadron, under Rear-Admiral Hugh Evan-Thomas, M.V.O., fought an action under, at times, disadvantageous conditions, especially in regard to light, in a manner that was in keeping with the best traditions of the service," wrote Sir John Jellicoe, in his official report to the Admiralty. "Sir David Beatty," the report elsewhere said, "again showed his fine qualities of gallant leadership, firm determination and correct strategic insight."

Followed Nelson's Rule.

Sir David Beatty first met the German battle-cruisers steaming northward; his was the superior force, and the enemy turned and fled, with Beatty in pursuit. When the enemy's battle fleet came in sight Admiral Beatty, although outnumbered, followed Nelson's rule to attack "the enemy in sight." He courageously stuck to the foe, and kept up an unequal battle against disadvantages of mist and light, which made the enemy ships from time to time invisible until the British Battle Fleet arrived under Sir John Jellicoe, when, but for the mist and approach of night, which covered their flight, they would have been annihilated.

Idol of His Men.

One great secret of Sir David Beatty's success in every command he has held is his wonderful courage and dash. He is the idol of his men, who literally worship him. A correspondent reports that not long ago he was talking with a stoker of the flagship Lion, who waxed enthusiastic over "our Admiral," and swore that every man on board would die for him at the word.

This admirable picture has been painted of Sir David by one who knows him well:

"The extraordinarily forceful and clear-cut features, the compact, will-knit frame, the quick, almost bird-like movements, and yet with it all the curious effect of a restrained, contained, and most ponderable energy produce an effect at once distinguished and formidable. In general society he never talks shop or about himself, but chatters the ordinary tune of our trivial world. If the gods give him a chance before his command is up and he has had time to shake up his terrible leash of battle-cruisers, he will fight until either he or his enemy is finished."

A Religious Man.

Admiral Beatty is of an intensely religious nature, and he carries his religion with him into his daily life. A short time ago he publicly declared that Great Britain would not achieve final and complete victory in this war until the British people turned to God and as a people consecrated themselves to a new life. His words created a great sensation, and inaugurated the present revival movement in the British Isles.

Admiral Beatty is as popular socially as he is in the service, and his marriage with a daughter of the late Marshal Field, of Chicago, has made it possible for him (in time of peace) to exercise a generous hospitality, both in Scotland and in the hunting shires. Since the war began, Lady Beatty has been actively interested in organizing British working girls for home defence. Admiral and Lady Beatty have two sons. — Montreal Daily Star.

Too Good for Him.

Where shall we banish the Kaiser to after the war? Surely St. Helena is far and away too pleasant a spot for the All-Highest and his family to live. Besides, does the chief baby-killer deserve so spacious a home of exile. Why not send him to the Island of Jethou, which is hardly big enough for army manoeuvres, and where a close watch can be kept over him?

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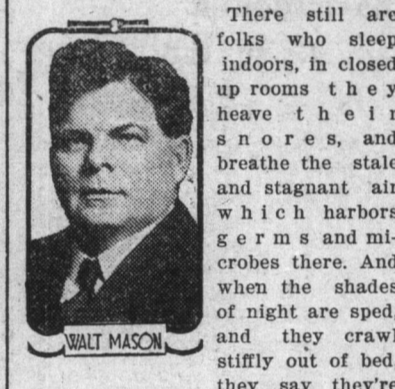
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CARTER—HERDER.

At 11 a.m. this morning the marriage of Miss Marion (Mollie) Rendell Carter and Mr. Herbert Augustus Herder, son of Mr. W. J. Herder, proprietor of the Telegram, was quietly celebrated at St. Thomas's Church. There were no guests present except immediate relatives. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. E. Moulton, pastor of St. Thomas's. The bride wore a plum-colored dress of taffeta and was given away by her father, Mr. J. C. Carter, of H. M. Cusack & Co. Mr. W. H. Herder acted as best man to his brother. After the usual party enjoyed breakfast at the bride's home, and Mr. and Mrs. Herder left by this morning's train for St. John's, where the honeymoon will be spent. The popularity of the young couple was evidenced in the large number of valuable presents received from friends. The Telegram wishes them every happiness and prosperity in the future.

JOB—SCHIFF.

Yesterday afternoon Miss Nellie Job, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Job, formerly of this city, was married to Mr. Charles Burch Schiff, of Birmingham, England. The ceremony took place at the Church of the Incarnation, Garden City, Long Island, New York. The bride who was charmingly costumed, was attended by her sister, Miss Gladys Job, and Miss Amy Bowring, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bowring, of New York. Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Job, of this city. At conclusion of the ceremony a reception was held at the Garden City Hotel. They received many valuable and useful gifts from friends in England, America and Newfoundland. Mr. and Mrs. Schiff will reside in England in the future. The Telegram joins the congratulations extended.

The Select Committee.

Commences Work On New Municipal Bill.

At 5 p.m. yesterday the Select Committee appointed by the Legislature to deal with the new Municipal Bill in the House of Assembly, Messrs. G. Gosling, F. Bradshaw and C. Ayre, of the old Civic Commission and Messrs. W. A. O'D. Kelly, Vice-Chairman and W. Smith, Secretary of the Citizens' Committee, were present and at the request of the Select Committee submitted their views on important matters relative to the new Municipal Bill. A number of sections were gone through, after which the meeting adjourned till 7.30 p.m. Saturday.

Another Milder.

Makes Sacrifice.

The death occurred recently of Mr. P. Meany, formerly an official in the P. and O. Line. A few months ago his ship, which was engaged in naval patrol service met with disaster and he was seriously injured. He never recovered. He lived in St. John's for several years at Liverpool where his widow survives him. Deceased was a son of the late Edward and Mary Meany, of Avondale, and brother of Mr. John T. Meany, of the National Postal Telegraphs. This is another of the gallant Newfoundlanders who have sealed their devotion to the Empire.

The sponge is a great germ collector and should be scalded often.

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Notes From Placentia.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—Mr. Palfrey is doing good work in the construction of the 200-ton vessel for the firm of G. C. Fearn & Son. The timbers are nearly all in place now and looks fine. Evidently this will be a splendid well built vessel when finished. Several men are engaged in the work and consequently there are some dollars in circulation. We wish Mr. Fearn and his indefatigable agent success in their undertaking.

An item in the Daily News of Dec. 26th states that the Minister of Justice had given a bonus to the members of the police force, and that the amount given varied according to grade and length of service. Well done, Minister of Justice, these men are the guardians of the peace and should be given salaries sufficient to keep the wolf from the door, and also to induce them to remain in the force. I trust (as happens sometimes) that there will not be any discrimination as between the force in town and the men stationed in out-har-bors.

Note.—Since writing the above I have been informed that the bonus is strictly confined to the force in St. John's and does not extend to the men in the out-har-bors. Of course if the Municipal Council pays this amount we can have nothing to say, but if it comes out of the general revenue of the colony then we say it is not a square deal for the people of the out-har-bors are paying their proportionate share of the taxes, and the policemen stationed amongst them are doing their duty faithfully, consequently there should be no discrimination; all should be treated alike.

Yours truly,
JUSTICE.
Placentia, Jan. 8, 1917.

Another Show at Rossley's.

There will be a complete change at Rossley's British Theatre to-day. Everything new, songs, dances, sketches, jokes, costumes, movie pictures and electrical effects; a clean, clever, refined, high class show for ladies, gentlemen and children. On Saturday the Pansy League will hold one of the biggest entertainments ever held. The Rossleys will prepare a monster programme up-to-date. There will be several other attractions besides. An educational parrot who is a member of the League will on that day give her services free. Her specialty is singing a French patriotic song; she's a wonder. Then Pansy herself and her three latest babies will also appear on the stage and go through their various acts. There will be candy on sale, and look at the object, to help the fatherless and motherless children in the orphanage.

Local Shipbuilding.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—In your issue of Saturday the 6th inst., Mr. I. C. Morris in his "Week-End Notes," re local shipbuilding and ship builders, mentions the Newhook of Trinity.

I remember that master-builder, the late Charles Newhook, very well, also the two last vessels that he built. One of these, the "Lizzie," was used as a coaster for 22 years, without having any repairs effected. She was built of seasoned birch and juniper, and that accounts for her long service without the necessity of any heavy expenses to her owners in the shape of repair bills.

And here it occurs to me that if we are to encourage local ship-building, we will have to take measures to preserve our juniper trees from destruction, as juniper is the next best wood to oak for ship-building purposes, so I am told.

Mr. Newhook built ships at Prince Edwards Island, as well as at Stades, Brookings and Stoneman's docks at Trinity. I have in my possession the model of the brig "Catherine" which ship was built at Stoneman's dock between the years 1840 and 1850. I understand she was the largest vessel built in Newfoundland, being over 200 tons.

The veteran Capt. Frank Ash, of Trinity, informed me on seeing the model, that his first foreign voyage was made in her. His father was her commander on foreign voyages, and the late Capt. James Christian was most successful in her as a sealing master.

If any person interested in ship-building desires to see the model of one of our local "wooden walls" of 70 years ago, I will be very happy to accommodate him at the address given below.

Thanking you in anticipation for publishing the above,
I am, yours, etc.,
W. J. BUDGEN,
108 Queen's Road,
Jan. 9th, 1917.

M. C. L. I.—The subject for debate this evening will be, Resolved: "That the Advancement of Civil Liberty is More Indebted to Intellectual Culture Than Force of Arms." Leaders, Messrs. S. F. Whiteway and S. Woods, Jan. 11.

Here and There.

BAYONET PRACTICE.—The volunteers are now training hard at bayonet practice.

MILD DAY.—This is said to be the mildest and warmest day for mid-winter for very many years.

BOWRING'S SHIPS.—The Prospero left Catalina this morning, due tonight. The Portia left Hr. Breton this morning, and is due here on Saturday.

ST. THOMAS'S BIBLE CLASS.—Rev. C. E. Moulton and Mr. W. H. Jones will conduct the meeting of the St. Thomas's Men's Bible Class at a weekly meeting in Canon Wood Hall tonight. A hearty welcome is extended to all who wish to attend.

RE-OPENED BUSINESS.—Mr. M. Nosworthy, who has been Instructor with the Newfoundland Regiment, has re-opened his repair shop at 147 Gowen St. We understand Mr. Nosworthy intends operating on a larger scale than ever.

If the dinner planned seems uninteresting, make a dainty dessert.

Brilliant Evidence

By Four-Year-Old Boy.

The brightest and cleverest witness for his age in the history of our local courts was produced this morning in the Magistrate's Court when Thomas O'Connell, the four-year-old son of Mr. J. F. Lynch, gave testimony. Mr. Lynch for having in his possession a vicious dog, which the complainant claimed bit his boy some time ago, and generally speaking his children were afraid to venture out of doors, so much were they in dread of the animal. The defendant said his dog was being frequently tormented. Both parties are next door neighbors on Cochrane St. The boy, who was bitten, was escorted to the witness box, and though not sworn owing to his tender years, surprised those in the court room by his statement and intelligent answers to the various questions put to him by Mr. Hutchings, K.C., who presided, and the Counsel for the defendant. When the tot had finished Mr. Hutchings congratulated him on his exceptionally brilliant and thoughtful evidence, which he remarked would shame many sworn witnesses. At the conclusion Mr. Hutchings found that the dog was a dangerous one, but as the complainant did not want to press for its destruction, knowing that it was prized very much by the defendant, it was ordered that the dog be muzzled or other arrangements made whereby it would not be any further menace to the Lynch children.

Investigation as to Wall Street

AND THE WILSON MESSAGE.
Washington, Dec. 23.—Administration men said to-day Mr. Lansing will welcome the investigation by which Rep. Wood proposed to ascertain whether any high Government officials or their relatives profited by the Wall Street upset attendant upon Mr. Lansing's two interpretative statements Thursday and the Wilson peace note.

It was stated that exceptional care will be taken hereafter to guard against possible leaks of advance information from Washington that might tend to cause price fluctuations.

Government men indicated they were admittedly concerned over the apparent fact that a tip as to the peace note on Wednesday reached the Street ahead of publication. The information that the note had gone was given in the strictest confidence to newspaper men on Wednesday morning. Shortly afterwards, the news, in more or less definite form was in Wall Street.

Because of this the Government is anxious to weed out any newspaper men or anyone posing as newspaper men, who may have been serving as "tipsters" for the Street.

Not Enough Caution Observed.
It also realizes that the utmost caution was not taken in making the confidential announcement.

Four men not in the newspaper business were in Mr. Lansing's conference room when he pledged the reporters to secrecy and gave them the information.

The whole note proposition was more or less an open secret. The peace note went through several hands in the State Department before being put on the cables, on Monday night and Tuesday morning. It was then sent to the public printer.

When confidential information concerning it was given to the newspaper men, there was no attempt to lock the doors of the big reception room, and there was no bar against visitors.

The Lansing "verge of war" statement next day was elicited by newspaper men's questioning, though whether it had been planned in advance is not known.

Sir Wilfred Laurier.
Westminster Gazette: Five and seventy years have passed since Sir Wilfred Laurier, ex-Premier of Canada, was born. He is French by birth and by creed, but he has been one of the staunchest upholders of British Imperial interests, though he has not curbed his affection for the land of his ancestors. Lord Durham used to describe French-Canada as "an old and stationary society in a new and progressive world" and Dickens thought it was a bit of sluggish medievalism in a continent of wild modernity. Sir Wilfred Laurier has reconciled the old with the new—while retaining his admiration for both. A few years ago this descendant of the founders of New France set out from Quebec; visited London, whence Wolfe had set out to defeat Montcalm; passed on to old France, and proclaimed himself a steadfast upholder of British rule. These are things which the Germans can not understand.

Discard all old fruit jar rubbers. They are apt to spoil the fruit if used a second time.

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Appeal to Reason

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"There's a Reason"

Americans Serving in Canadian Army Ashamed of Note.
(Special Star Cable from our own Correspondent.)
The Montreal Star Office, 20 Cockspur Street, London, Dec. 23.—There are hundreds of Canadian officers on Christmas leave from the front. Of these I have been able to speak to nine who have come from the United States and have sworn allegiance to civilization. In every case the United States as a country is not blamed for the inopportune note, but personal abuse of President Wilson, whether by Democrat or Republican, has been paramount.
One American officer in a Winnipeg battalion, who has fought from the time when the first Canadians landed in France, sums up the opinion expressed by all.
"Wilson should have written, and perhaps did, write that beautiful English when the Huns were making their devastating progress through Belgium. As a peace note it is distinctly delayed and I would gamble that ninety per cent of my friends, and they are from the middle Western States, are ashamed of it."
Generally, Americans who have fought gallantly with us ask: "If this is what the President can write, what is to become of Anglo-Saxon influence in America? It is a question of whether we take on military kultur or remain with the restraining influence which we inherited from our Anglo-Saxon ancestors of the Georges' time or of the Pilgrim Fathers."
One captain who has been recommended for the D.S.O., and who comes from Boston, says: "Personally, I'll give up my leave in order to go back and kill a few more Huns."
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"Boulevard" Blouse Checks.

5 pieces of these excellent washing materials in a between weight; make up nicely for Blouses or Children's Dresses; 27 inches wide; assorted checks on dark grounds. Reg. 20c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **17c.**

FRIDAY, SATURDAY MONDAY

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Ladies Wool and Cashmere High-Grade Hose.

All our better grades of Hosiery will be found in this grand assortment; Hosiery a pleasure to handle, fast black, plain and assorted ribs and an excellent lot of All Wool Hose; assorted sizes. Regular up to 90c. per pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **79c.**



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A brand new shipment of these, improved shape, perfect fitting and convenient height; shades of Blue and Cream; all sizes. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday **2 for 27c.**



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An interesting Sale of **CORDED SILKS.**

Truly, excellent Silks of high degree in light shades; very suitable for Dress Trimmings, Coat Collar and fancy work; such shades as Pink, Hello, Sky, Malze, and White, etc. Regular values to \$1.20 per yard. Friday, Saturday & Monday **79c.**

Ladies Mufflers.

Fine Silk Knitted Mufflers, with silk fringed edge, trimmed with pearl buttons; plain shades of Navy, Sage, Reseda, Grey, Black and Shot effects. Reg. 70c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **39c.**

Dressing Jackets.

Tidy looking Dressing Jackets, in heavy flannel, cord trimmed, without collar, shades of Pink, Sky, Grey and Cream. Regular \$1.80. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$1.39.**

Back Combs.

30c. VALUES FOR 10c. Not old stock, but just a regular jumble of makes; plain amber and shell and many others with brilliant settings. These we intend clearing out regardless of cost. Values to 30c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **10c.**

Under Skirts.

Made of good wearing flannel, in Cream, Pink and Striped, finished with wide double button hole edge and shaped band at waist. Regular \$1.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday **87c.**

Directoire Knickers.

Ladies' Pleeced Directoire Knickers, in shades of Sage, Grey, Ecu and Cream; band at waist and knee. Just the weight you need. Reg. 70c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **59c.**

Wool Overalls.

Surprising value, white wool overalls ankle length draw string at waist, ever so warm for the little one in sleigh or for walking children. Reg. 30c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **23c.**

FEATHER MOUNTS--Job Line.

A genuine show of high grade Feather Mounts in all the newest shades. Values to \$1.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday, each **55c.**

Infants Vests.

50c Values for 34c. These are an extra fine lot; some in all wool, others silk and wool, knit buttoned in front; others in the "Reuben" waist with double front, silk crocheted edge at neck and front; to fit from 2 to 4 years. Values to 70c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **34c.**

Silk Poplin Blouses

Some very stylish makes in Black and Coloured, your choice of high or low neck styles, long sleeves, tucked front, button trimmed, also a few Roman Stripe Blouses with military Collar and gilt button trimmings unusually pretty and becoming styles much underpriced for this week's sale. Reg. \$2.40. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.78.**

WARM FOOTWEAR for Outdoor and Indoor Wear.-- Note Values!

Men's "Romeo" Slippers.

Your choice of Black or Tan in a good wearing house or office Slipper; leather sole and heel; half sizes. Reg. \$1.90. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.70.**

Ladies Gaiters.

11 Button Gaiter with warm black fleece lining, shapely and a pleasure to walk in; all sizes from 3 to 8. Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.80.**

Men's Buckle Gaiters.

High cut, mid weight Gaiters, with 2 buckles and patent strap fastening. Good value at \$2.60 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$2.40.**

Men's Storm Rubbers.

High cut Storm Rubbers in a highly dependable make; one of our best sellers; sizes 6 to 10, including half sizes. Special Friday, Saturday & Monday **97c.**

Ladies' Spats

Another lot of these just to hand, 8 Button length, fast black cloth, perfect shape. Reg. 80c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **72c.**

Ladies' Juliet Slippers.

Warm Juliets for wearing about the house, and the ideal thing for wearing in gaiters; they come in fine Donola Kid, all leather sole and low heel; sizes 5 to 8. Reg. \$1.80. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$1.60.**

Crib Blankets.

100 pairs of Fleeced Cotton Blankets for infants' cots; White with Pink or Pale Blue striped borders, stitched edge. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday, each **24c.**



A "Clean-Up" Sale of Boys' Pants.

Assorted makes in Navy Serge, Tweeds and Corduroys, lined throughout; sizes to fit boys from 2 to 7 years. Some of these as high as \$1.25 pair. Friday, Saturday & Monday **92c.**

BOYS' COAT SWEATERS.

For the bigger boys, a very desirable line of Knitted Sweater Coats, buttoned front, V shaped neck; shades of Navy, Green and Cardinal. Regular \$1.70. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.48.**



If you can't call, write us.

Items Well Worth Reading--Some Values

GRECIAN QUILTS.

A clearing line of these in all White, Pink, Blue or Yellow, full size, being 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 yards, plain edge and unusually pretty designs, high grade satin-like finish; about 18 altogether. Reg. up to \$3.75. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$3.25.**

WHITE FLANNELLETTES

10 pieces of pure White English Flannellette 31 inches wide; this is a beauty for general wear, very closely woven and nice finished top. Reg. 20c. value. Friday, Saturday and Monday **17c.**

SAXONY FLANNEL.

All wool fine Saxony Flannels, light Cream shade. Old value here. Just a piece or two to hand. Reg. 65c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **57c.**

"LONDON SMOKES"

Per Yard, 13c. A case lot of these in Grey and Blue Grey, that nice mottled effect; they come in long remnant form; will cut any required length, equal to any you have yet bought for 16c. per yard. Reg. to 50c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday, Special **13c.**

BOYS' FUR-BACK MITTS.

With warm lining, hard wearing leather palms, just what they need when out sliding or knockabout wear. Reg. to 50c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **39c.**

MEN'S SWEATERS.

A line of all White Wool Sweaters, some with roll collar, others low cut collar; a most desirable sweater for hockey players. Reg. \$1.40. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$1.15.**

COTTON TWEED PANTS.

Roomy sizes in stout Cotton Tweed Pants for the workman, Mottled Grey and striped patterns, every pair well made, well cut and well finished. Reg. \$1.50 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.39.**

WHITE MUSLIN CURTAINS.

30 pairs of these, in soft White Muslin with lace edging at side and foot and mock hemstitched border, nice for Bedroom, Bungalow or any place where a light Drape is required; see these they're value for \$1.40 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.15.**

COTTON DELAINES.

Some very pretty Paisley patterns and others in fancy stripes, 30 inches wide; this class of goods promises to be higher coming in; stock up now. To-day's regular price is cut for this Special Sale. Reg. 25c. per yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday **22c.**

ART SATTEENS.

A few pieces of pretty Art Sateens, 29 inches wide, mostly small patterns; these are to-day's 25c. regulars. Friday, Saturday and Monday **21c.**

BOLSTER CASES.

Just located a bundle of good serviceable wearing Bolster Cases, about 3 dozen in the lot; size 19 x 61. Reg. 50c. value. Friday, Saturday and Monday **42c.**

BATH MATS.

A need in every Bath room; they're made of stout Terry Cloth, bound ends, fancy coloured border and lettered centre. Reg. 35c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **29c.**

BOYS' JERSEYS.

Sizes to fit from 3 to 9 years, in shades of Navy, Sage, Brown and Cardinal; the kind of Jerseys that give the best of wear. Reg. up to \$1.40. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.18.**

FACE CLOTHS.

Of fine White Terry Cloth, bound edge; get one for each member of the family. Reg. 5c. Friday, Saturday & Monday **3 for 10c.**

Toilet Soap

CUT PRICES on TOILET SOAPS.

Meadow Sweet, 6 cakes for **22c.** Armour Monster, 2 cakes for **10c.** Goodwins, 2 cakes for **10c.** Pears' Unscented **13c.** Cake.

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Armour's Pure Palm, Bro. Windsor, Corylopsis, Elderflower, Turkish Bath, 13c. cake for **10c.**

Armour's Large Ball **10c.** Taylor's Infants' Delight Cake **9c.** Broadway Bath Soap with Rubber **10c.** White Glycerine, 3 cakes in box **17c.** Face Cloth **10c.** Royal Violin Cream, 3 cakes **10c.** Castille, Larke Cake, 2 for **10c.** Eucalyptic Herb, per cake **10c.** Castille, with Turkish Wash **10c.** Colgate's Silver Soap **10c.** Cloth **10c.**

Wash Gingham

Some of the best Ginghams we have in the house come under the cut price this week. MacNeal Gingham for instance: where will you find such a satisfying material? Fast colours, washes perfectly, wears like iron and looks well; a nice range of stripe effects, Black and White, Green and White, Grey and White, and others in fine checks. Values to 22c. per yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday **18c.**

Say Central Powers Face Starvation

AND MUST GIVE UP BEFORE NEXT FALL.

London, Jan. 3.—The Morning Post publishes the following, dated Dec. 28, from its Budapest correspondent: "Taking for granted that the peace offer of the Central Powers and the efforts of neutrals will fall to bring about a speedy end of the war, the question arises how long the Central Empires will be able to hold out. Setting aside military considerations, and basing one's theory purely on economic grounds, it is evident we are within measurable distance of the limit of endurance of their much-suffering peoples.

"It is plainly apparent to any one who has made a study of the economic conditions in Germany and in the dual monarchy that the peace offer made in the middle of December was chiefly prompted by the knowledge that relief must come within six months from the present time at the outside if internal troubles of the most serious character are to be avoided. In Austria-Hungary the available stocks of food will not even last for six months. "But supposing, by imposing severe privations on the people, the authorities should succeed in quieting them until the end of June, how is the population—increased, it must be borne in mind, by some 26,000,000 in the occupied regions—to be fed during the months of July and August? For by that time, according to statisticians, not a grain of wheat or maize will be left. Even if the spoils in Roumania should afford some relief, which is a most questionable supposition, there will thus be two months to be bridged over before the earliest crops can be harvested, and in that period starvation on a scale hitherto unknown in the world, save perhaps in India, will present itself.

"When it comes to that, of course, peace will have to be made on any terms. The feeding of the army is the main concern of the Central Empires, not that of the population, as may be imagined, yet even this cannot be managed for more than another six months, even allowing for the fact that the Austro-Hungarian forces behind the front are on half rations and that very soon, in all probability, the men on the western front will fare no better. The fact is, the time has come when the question of feeding even the army gives rise to the gravest apprehension. Although the peasantry and land owners have been stripped of everything in the way of cereals, the army has not enough food to carry it through the winter. Local authorities in different districts have petitioned the Government to supply food for distribution among the poor, but the Government can do nothing, for the military authorities are supreme.

"Even if a peace conference were called together to-morrow peace would probably still be some months off, and it is not at all probable that the blockade would be raised in the meantime, that is to say, while negotiations were in progress.

"Under these circumstances, the Central Powers have but a very limited time in which to bring about an understanding as regards the conference itself. The people are already desperate, and the troops may become desperate, too, as soon as they experience on their own persons the horrors of the present food shortage.

Your Boys and Girls.

Baby's woolen garments, washed by the following method, will retain the softness of the new article. Luke-warm soapy water should be used. Squeeze them, but never rub them or rub soap on them. Rinse in lukewarm soapy water and be sure that a good pure soap is used.

The shirts, bands and stockings should be dried on stretchers which come for this purpose. They are inexpensive and keep the articles in shape. It is better to dry them in the sun. The flannel skirt, too, should be washed in like manner.

Household Notes.

Fresh air and plenty of rest and water will go a great ways toward curing a cold.

A little cold boiled potato added to the filling for fowl will prevent it from being too dry.

Discarded rubber garments may be cut up into mittens to be used when blackening the stove, etc.

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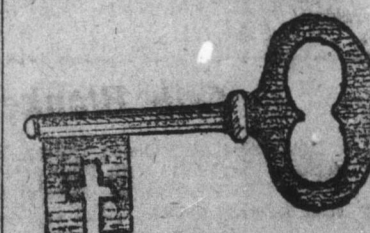
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