

WEATHER FORECAST.

TORONTO, Noon.—Fair and cold to-day. Tuesday.—N. E. gales with snow. WEDNESDAY.—B. & T. gales with snow. THOMPSON, Noon.—Bar. 29.92; ther. 27.

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jan.4.21

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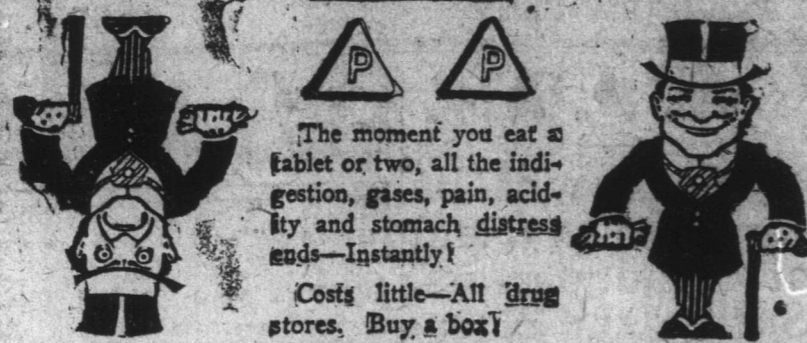
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CHAPTER XXXV. TAKING WINGS.

Notwithstanding Kitty's protest, it is more than a cold in her head that has been the matter, and several days during the past week Mary had been tempted to brave the numerous and awful threats which her willful mistress had held over her, and send for old Doctor Greene. As a matter of fact, Kitty has been sailing dangerously near fever, and only her constitution, tough and strong as a cable, has kept her off the breakers of a serious illness.

During this week Kitty has been entirely in Mary's hands, and the affection which the simple girl always bore her lovable young mistress has deepened and grown into an attachment that Kitty is fully conscious of and feebly amused by.

After going about on tiptoe for some time, Mary looks over the foot of the bed, and seeing her pretty head has dropped on the pillow, jumps to the conclusion that its owner has fallen asleep, and seating herself by the dressing table takes out some work, but her delusion is dispelled with a suddenness that causes the needle to run into her finger and her work to drop on her lap.

"Mary," comes from the bed, apparently from under the clothes, "did you ever run away from home?"

"Law, Miss Kitty!" is the startled response. "Me run away from home! No, that I never did!"

"I'm sorry for that," says Kitty, with a sigh. "You might have been able to tell me the best way to do it."

"Law, miss! Whatever put such a thought into your head? Why should I run away from home? I was too happy."

"Yes," says Kitty musingly, "I remember seeing you when I went to engage you; your father was in his shirt sleeves, smoking a pipe, which I think he swallowed when I came into the room—for it disappeared, I remember, in a supernatural manner; and your mother dusted a chair that shone like ice for me to sit on; and—yes, I suppose you were happy—there was a little girl sitting on your father's knee—"

"My sister Polly, miss," says the delighted Mary; "father always have one of us on his knee."

And she laughs as she bites her cotton.

Kitty's face flushes, and she turns neatly on her arm.

"Your father was fond of you, Mary?"

"Yes, miss, he was always fond of all of us, especially us girls."

"Strange man," mutters Kitty, with bitter irony. "A touch of insanity, I expect!"

"What did you say, miss?"

"Nothing. And so you never ran away from home, and you don't know how it's done? Well, the thing will, at least, have the charm of novelty. Mary, you and I will run away to-morrow morning!"

CHAPTER XXXVI. A SUDDEN RESOLUTION.

MARY holds her breath for a moment, as a sudden dread of delirium crosses her nurse's mind; then she laughs.

"You are always fond of making fun of me, Miss Kitty. I don't mind, though sometimes I'm afraid you think I'm very stupid, for I don't always know whether you are serious or not."

"I was never more serious than I am now, Mary," is the response. "You have just one clear evening in which

to say good-bye to Tom—or is it Edward?—that is, if you wish to retain the delightful and joyous task of combing my hair and fidgeting my life out by drafts and rumors of drafts. Do not let me persuade you to leave the gay and jovial life you lead under this cheerful roof—do not let me tear you away from the society of Tom—or Edward. You shall be free to go or stay—"

Mary throws down her work and goes hurriedly to the bed, with the intention of ascertaining by an inspection of the speaker's face whether her young mistress is serious, or mildly enjoying the pastime of teasing her faithful domestic, a sport which Kitty not seldom indulges in.

Something in her face, so pale, so much at variance with the half-sarcastic tone, sends Mary's blood galloping and then leaves her pale and frightened, but calm.

"What do you mean, miss?" she says, in a low voice.

"What I say," says Kitty, and she looks up with that steady look in her eyes which Mary knows so well. "I am going away to-morrow morning."

"Oh, miss! to leave the Lawn?"

"I don't love it well enough to take it with me, even if I could," says Kitty, trying hard to maintain her cold tone of cynicism; but the quiver of the lip shows how much the endeavor costs her.

"Miss Kitty—I think you're having fun with me. I don't believe you're serious!"

"Why not?" says Kitty, with a hard smile; "because I am so cheerful? If I let down my hair, and cried and threw my arms about as the ladies do in the novels—you wouldn't doubt me for a moment, then, eh, Mary? Why shouldn't I be cheerful? I am going to leave the Lawn, where I am—not happy—and I am going where I shall be happy."

Mary, pale and anxious, looks down with a puzzled sigh.

"You used to be happy, Miss Kitty, singing about the place all day, and with the dogs and the horses! Oh, Miss Kitty, this do trouble me!"

"Because it is new to you; suppose it has troubled me, and I have got over it, and grown merry?"

Very merry her face looks.

Mary looks at the beautiful face, so set and steadfast, so immovable, in silence for a moment, then she asks a very natural question:

"Where—where are we going, Miss Kitty?"

"We?" echoes Kitty, with a faint, hard smile of triumph. "You will not leave me then, Mary?"

The girl sinks down on her knees beside the bed, and takes the white hand that is plucking the counterpane, and draws it to her with a gentle, impetuous gesture, full of devotion and entreaty.

"Miss, you know I shan't leave you! You know I couldn't let you go alone! Oh, dear Miss Kitty, must we go? Have you quite—quite made up your mind? Must we go? I know something has happened, I know you're not happy; haven't I sat beside you these last nights, and held your hand while you've been asleep, and haven't I heard you talking and crying out in your dreams; I know you haven't been happy; but—must we go?" she breaks off, for Kitty has roused herself on her elbow, and is looking, not at her, but miles beyond, with a restless, speculating gaze in her eyes—eyes that are bright with the unnatural brightness, with the brilliance of a hunted animal's.

"Yes—yes," she says, clenching her hand; "I cannot stay here, Mary; not a day longer. I could not, even if he had not asked me—"

"He?" breathes Mary anxiously.

"This place is stifling me, I cannot bear it! I know that if I stay I shall go mad!"

She springs up as she speaks and stands upright, raising her hands to her head with a quick, passionate gesture. Then she sinks onto the bed, and placing her hand—it is hot, as Mary can feel through her dress—on the girl's shoulder, looks her full in the face.

"Mary," she says, "don't ask me more questions than you can help. You and I leave this place to-morrow; it is very simple," absently, "very easy; there is no post-chaise and pair! You and I—separately—have to cross the meadow, by the bridge, at half-past ten. That is all."

Mary's face looks as if she thought it was a pretty considerable "all," too; but she does not offer any objection for a moment. Then she whispers:

"But the clothes, miss!"

"A small bag—no more; you must pack it to-night—I will help you. Yes, yes, I must do something; I cannot sit still. You see—with a queer smile—"I am so anxious to be off."

"And the—the gentleman" murmurs Mary, blushing.

"Who told you there was any gentleman?" says Kitty sharply, and with a sudden wince, but she smiles a moment after. "He will see to everything; we must trust everything to him."

Mary looks down in anxious thought for a moment.

"And—did his lordship say—"

Kitty starts, and a vivid crimson stains her face and neck. Then she turns pale and laughs a harsh, hard laugh.

"No more questions, Mary," she says. "Run down now and say good-bye to Tom or Edward—no, not good-bye, or they would know you were going; but go down and leave me. Let me see your face," and she turns the startled girl to the light.

"Murder, arson, burglary, are written on that face! You goose, take that down into the kitchen and the rest of the flock will be running round you and force the secret out of you in five minutes. There," pushing her with gentle force, "go and bathe your eyes first, and smile, and then go down."

But Mary is on her mettle, and gets rid of the scared expression without the aid of water.

"I'm all right, miss," she says, with a long breath. "You can trust me, Miss Kitty," and, pressing her lips tightly, she leaves the room.

Then Kitty falls to walking to and fro like a young tigress waiting to be fed, and then she stops and throws up her head with a smile, and to murmur bitterly:

"His lordship!—his lordship!"

CHAPTER XXXVII. A DUMB REPROACH.

IF a feat of pedestrianism could have solved Kitty's troubles, her sorrows and perplexities would have been overcome and slain that night, for she must have walked many weary miles in her little stocking feet.

Mary, the faithful, came up and knocked for admittance, but got no answer, waited at the door, listening with anxious ears to the pat, pat of the shoeless feet of her beloved mistress, and then went, troubled, away, for she knew that to expect to get in when Kitty meant to keep her out of the room was utterly futile.

So Kitty walked her weary pilgrimage until quite worn out, then, pale

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and haggard, she sank, dressed as she was, upon the bed, and fell, by the force of sheer exhaustion, into that deep, almost painful sleep which rewards the foolish individual who is unwise enough to exhaust the mental and physical faculties at the one and the same time.

There was no moon, a small night lamp threw a faint light about the room, and across the bed, and the pale face of the girl as she lay there.

It was a very lovely face for all its pallor, lovelier, perhaps, than it had been when Kitty had stood upon the edge of the trough and earned the odious name of tomboy; for her heartache had given her that last touch which the sweet picture wanted; the great artist Experience—or was his name Sorrow?—had added the magic touch and given her that spirituelle look which reveals the fact that the woman one looks on has more than skin-deep beauty—a loveliness of soul.

As the lamp shone on her she looked a prize lovely enough to have tempted Paris in the matter of the touch; lovelier still when, moved by who knows what dream, the clear pallor of her face was slowly changed to a soft, sweet blush, the lips unbenumbed and curved into a lovely smile, then pouted with a kiss, and her arms slowly extended as if to embrace or be embraced. It was only a dream, but a dream so vivid that it changed her whole face, and when, as she fancied—it must have been the fancy of a dream—she heard her name called in a hushed yet clear, lingering whisper, she awoke suddenly with a half sob of joy and welcome.

But as she woke up the stillness of the room, the silence unbroken, save by the ticking of the clock, struck the sweet fancy from her heart and made her shiver. She walked to the window and threw the blind aside, and shrank back timorously at the darkness before dawn.

"What was it?" she panted; "what did I hear? I've been dreaming! Oh, my God! I thought he had come back, and it was only a dream!" and she covered her face with her hands.

But it came out of them quickly with a passionate energy.

"What am I speaking of! He come back! He is with his bride elect—dear, lovely, accomplished Ethel! He will not come back until he can bring her on his arm, and then he will find that I have not waited for him! No!" and with a passionate gesture she sank on her knees in front of the wardrobe and commenced to turn over her dresses—there were not many!—with the impatient, restless desire to be doing something, to be on the move, to act down thought.

Mary had placed the dressing bag on a chair ready for packing, and Kitty, making a hasty and supremely reckless selection, threw a small heap of things to go into that bag which certainly would not contain one half of them.

With feverish restlessness she turned out one drawer after another, almost forgetting the object of her self-imposed task, feeling only that she must do something or that she should go mad.

Presently her eye was caught by the heap she had piled up beside her, and glancing at the bag she laughed discordantly, and pulling open another drawer, commenced to toss the things in again; but suddenly she stopped short, and her head seemed to swim round.

(To be Continued.)

For midwinter a tomato-jelly salad will bring a satisfying taste. Ox tail can be used for braised ox joints, and it is deliciously savory. Onions, if boiled in pure soft water, are tasteless. Use hard water salted.

Long chewing of food helps the appetite to be satisfied with smaller amounts. Remember that the gas oven bakes just as well when every corner is filled.

Fashion Plates.

A PRETTY DRESS FOR PARTY OR BEST WEAR.



2624—In organdie, net, dotted veils or batiste, this model will be very attractive. It may be trimmed with lace or embroidery edging, or the fringes of bolero and sleeve, and the tucks may be finished with hemstitching. If desired, the bolero may be omitted. Voile, gabardine, gingham, poplin and repp are nice, too, for this design. As illustrated, the neck edge may be high or low, and the sleeves in bishop, bell or puff style.

The Pattern is cut in 4 sizes: A, S, 10 and 12 years. Size 8 requires 1 1/2 yards of 27-inch material for the dress and 3/4 yard for the bolero.

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PUBLIC NOTICE War Losses.

The Minister of Shipping hereby publishes for the information of claimants the following particulars which he has just received, viz:

Instructions as to the filing of Claims by British Subjects in Newfoundland in respect of Property Requisitioned, Sequestered or Destroyed by Enemy Governments.

- 1. A Statutory Declaration verifying the claim must be sent to the Minister of Shipping, St. John's, N. F. The Declaration must be in the form prescribed and made before a Notary Public or Justice of the Peace.
2. If the claimant was born within His Majesty's dominions the Declaration should state the date and place of birth. If the claimant was born outside His Majesty's dominions but derives British nationality from his father or grandfather, the Declaration should state the date and place of birth of such father or grandfather.
3. If the claimant is a naturalized British subject the Declaration should state the date and place of his naturalization and his previous nationality.
4. If the claimant is a company incorporated under the laws of Newfoundland, or of the United Kingdom, or some British Dominion or Colony, the Declaration should state the date of incorporation and jurisdiction of incorporation.
5. If all the persons holding shares or otherwise interested in the Company are aliens, the Declaration should state the fact. If some of the persons holding shares, or otherwise interested in a Company, are aliens, the Declaration should state the nationality of those persons and the nature of their interests in the company.
6. Full particulars of the property in respect whereof the claim is made must be set out in the Declaration or in a schedule attached thereto.
7. The Declaration must state the value of the property and the amount of the claim.
8. Where the value of the property can be proved by documentary evidence, copies of these documents should be attached to the Declaration.
9. Where documentary evidence of the value of the property cannot be adduced, the evidence of the claimant should, so far as it is possible to do so, be corroborated by that of other persons.
10. The Declaration must state the facts with regard to the requisitioning, sequestration, or destruction of the property so far as they are known to the claimant.
11. If the claimant holds any receipts or other documentary evidence of the seizure of his property, copies of such documents should be attached to the Declaration.
12. The Declaration must also state that, at the date when the property was requisitioned, sequestered, or destroyed, the claimant was the absolute owner thereof.
13. If the claimant, or any person on his behalf, has received any payment through insurance or otherwise, in respect of the property, particulars thereof must be set out in the Declaration.
14. If a claim is made in respect of

loss of life, the Declaration should set out:—
(a) the relationship of the claimant to the deceased;
(b) the amount at which the value of the deceased was probated or administration granted;
(c) the amount of life and accident insurance paid on account of the death of the deceased, whether forming part of the estate or not;
(d) the average earnings of the deceased for the last three years, not including any sums derived from investments or receipts of that nature, and
(e) the dependents left by the deceased.

10. The fact that a claim is filed by the Department of the Minister of Shipping does not imply an undertaking on the part of the Newfoundland Government to put forward such claims on the termination of hostilities or any assurance that the claim, if put forward, will be paid.

11. If the claim has been registered with the Foreign Claims Department of the Foreign Office of the United Kingdom, the date of registration and the file number should be stated.

TYPICAL FORM OF DECLARATION. I, do solemnly and sincerely declare that:—

1. I was born on at in the County of of I have never been a member of crew on board the steamship at the time she was attacked and sunk by a submarine.

2. The property specified in the schedule hereto was on board the said ship when she was sunk, and was lost with her.

3. I was the absolute owner of the said property at the time of its loss.

4. The said property was at the time of its loss of the value set out in the schedule hereto, amounting to all I have received nor has any one on my behalf, received any payment through insurance or otherwise in respect thereof. (If such payments have been received, particulars thereof giving the name of the persons or association making the same should be set out.)

And I make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.

Declared at on the day of 1919. Before me,

Schedule: Particulars of Property. Value of Property at the Time of Loss. Total Claims should be lodged at the Ministry of Shipping, or posted not later than 10th January, 1919. Forms can be obtained at this office.

T. A. HALL, Secretary. Ministry of Shipping, Court House Building, St. John's, Nfld., 3rd January, 1919.

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Perhaps to a greater extent than in any other institution the Royal has been developed by the men who are still at the head of its affairs and on this account its progress is always watched with much interest. A complete organization has been worked out in every section of the Dominion and the benefits derived can be seen in the larger business of the Bank is now in a position to handle. Of equal interest, at least to the shareholders, is the fact that with its branch system worked out in every section of the Dominion, the Royal for many years to come must necessarily reflect the growth of the entire country.

Trade in Cuba.

At the same time the Bank has developed a large and profitable connection in Cuba, the British West Indies and Central America. In its foreign operations the Bank has never required to employ Canadian deposits, as the deposits obtained locally have more than sufficed to meet the requirements. The extension of its operations moreover have been of great benefit to Canadian Trade.

Remarkable Growth Reported.

During the past year the Bank has made a gain of over ninety-one million in its assets and these now amount to four hundred and twenty-seven million. Just how rapid has been the expansion can be appreciated when it is recalled that only three years ago, the total assets were still under the two hundred million mark. Right along the policy of keeping in an exceptionally strong position has been maintained and advantage taken of the larger assets and greater earning power to further strengthen the reserves. Following the absorption of the Northern Crown Bank there has been an increase in Capital from \$12,911,700 to \$14,000,000 and at the same time reserves have increased a million, from fourteen to fifteen million.

Strong Position Maintained.

With the very large assets at its disposal the Management has evidently found it possible to give full assistance to the Government at a period when its war requirements were especially large, and, at the same time has met the growing requirements of its commercial business. Of the total assets of \$427,512,982, the amount maintained in liquid assets is \$224,082,088, equal to 52.59 per cent. of the liabilities to the public. Included in

the liquid assets are Current Coin and Dominion Notes of \$42,124,868 as compared with \$34,364,275 a year ago, the percentage of Cash to Liabilities as to the Public being 17.13 per cent. up from 16.38 per cent. In addition the deposits in the Central Gold Reserve has been increased to \$28,000,000, from \$16,000,000. The larger assistance given to Canadian Governments and municipalities is reflected by the Dominion and Provincial Government Securities of a value of \$38,599,976, as compared with \$22,322,197, and Canadian Municipal Securities and British Foreign and Colonial Public Securities of \$29,630,855, up from \$21,586,345. The larger amount of the business of the country being handled is equally marked, total Current Loans now standing at \$483,748,392, as compared with \$156,612,129.

Earnings Help Reserve.

The very much larger amount of business handled has naturally added materially to the earnings, and advantage has been taken of them to further strengthen the general position of the Bank.

The Profit and Loss account is an especially interesting one showing as it does earnings of \$2,809,846, the largest in the history of the Bank and equal to about 10 1/2 per cent. on the combined capital and reserve as compared with \$2,327,989 in the previous year. The earnings added to the amount carried forward from the previous year brought the total amount available for distribution up to \$3,274,110. Out of this amount the dividends paid during the year required \$1,614,202; \$100,000 was transferred to Officers' Pension Fund; \$400,000 was written off Bank premises account; \$133,651 was required to pay the war tax on Bank Note circulation; \$40,000 was contributed to Patriotic Funds; \$50,000 to the Halifax Relief Fund and an amount of \$500,000 was transferred to Reserve Fund. At the end of the previous year the Reserve Fund stood at \$14,000,000 and in addition to the \$500,000 transferred from Profit and Loss, there was an amount of \$500,000 premium on new capital stock issued to Northern Crown shareholders, bringing the total of reserve fund up to \$15,000,000. At the end of the year the total capital stock paid in amounted to \$14,000,000.

Change of Business

On and after the 1st day of January, STAFFORD'S PHARMACY, Duckworth Street, will be closed for all RETAIL BUSINESS, and in future be used as a WHOLESALE MANUFACTURING DEPARTMENT for all kinds of DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, SUNDRIES, etc. All Prescriptions for STAFFORD'S PHARMACY, Duckworth Street, may be repeated if necessary at Theatre Hill. jan2,tf

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Obituary.

MARGARET BRUCE.

Mrs. Margaret Bruce, wife of Daniel Bruce, Jr., died at Long Harbor, Placentia Bay, after a brief illness of pneumonia, on Friday morning, Dec. 27. Mrs. Bruce was a young lady of culture and refinement, and was well known in Catholic and Social circles. Prior to her marriage, she taught school. She was a good educator and employed great tact when imparting knowledge. This great tact was characteristic of her whole career in the schoolroom, where she was conspicuous for her universal attention to each pupil. It was her objective point to study the individual child and to form well its mind and heart. The death of Mrs. Bruce was a shock to all the people of Long Harbor, Placentia Bay. She is mourned by the members of the Altar Society, the League of the Sacred Heart and the united Societies of St. Jerome's Church, Long Harbor, with whom she was identified from the tender years of her girlhood, and over whom she presided with a deep interest and zeal until the hour of her death. When the funeral took place her dear husband and only child lay prostrate with the influenza and were unable to attend the obsequies. It was indeed a sad scene. Solemn High Requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of the soul of Margaret Bruce, in St. Jerome's Church, Long Harbor, on last Monday morning, Dec. 30, at 10 o'clock, by the Rev. Francis Cacciola. The interment took place in St. Jerome's Cemetery, Long Harbor, Eastern Shore Placentia Bay, on Tuesday morning, Dec. 31st, at 11 o'clock. A second High Mass was sung in the same place by special request.—Com. Long Hr., P.B., Jan. 3, 1919.

Evangelistic Campaign Opens.

HUGE CONGREGATION PARTICIPATE IN EVANGELISTS' FIRST SERVICE AT GOWER STREET CHURCH.

Scores of people, were unable to gain admission at Gower Street Church last evening, although every available portion of the auditorium and galleries was occupied. Those who were fortunate enough to be there were well rewarded for their early arrival. The evangelistic party had earned for itself, at Westey Church in the morning, a sympathy second only to that shown last evening, when Evangelist, Victoria Booth-Clibborn Demarest for over fifty minutes held the great congregation breathless while she narrated the old story of "The Leper" as told in St. Mark's Gospel.

Having been introduced by Rev. Dr. Curtis, President of Conference, Evangelist Demarest immediately gripped the audience as she told the beautiful story of Christ's healing of the Leper. By means of personal knowledge and touching narratives the Evangelist led her audience through the awful disease of leprosy, which (1) had a very small beginning, (2) was extremely contagious, and (3) was incurable to all human science. We have no disease so virulent here today, but we have its close alliance, in the form of Sin, which possesses all these characteristics of Leprosy. But just as Jesus Christ touched the leper, vile though was his trouble, and healed him, so will He touch those guilty of sin and cleanse them. Mrs. Demarest is a beautiful speaker, fluent, attractive, forceful and manifestly sincere, and is sure of very large audiences and good results during her stay in this city. The musical portion of the service was under the control of Mr. Agnew Demarest, who in his first solo, piano and organ work, added much to the service. Spurred on by the successes of yesterday, the Evangelists will continue their services every evening during the week, the subject to-night being "The Secret of Power." Services which will be held at Gower Street Church, will open at 8 o'clock, and we would advise all to come early.—"C."

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For a limited time only, commencing on January 2nd, we are offering a 20 per cent. reduction on our entire stock of Ladies' Winter Coats, Tailored Suits, One-Piece Dresses and Blouses, as follows:—

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in the case of a claimant who is a passenger or officer or crew on board the steamship at the time she was attacked and a submarine.

the property specified in the hereto was on board the steamship when she was sunk, and the claimant was the absolute owner of the property at the time of its loss.

the said property was at the time of its loss, and the schedule hereto, amounting to the sum of \$100,000. I have not, on my behalf, received any money through insurance or in respect thereof. (If such has been received, please state the name of the insurance company or association making the payment, and the amount paid.)

make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.

day of January, 1919.

Schedule of Property. Property at the time of Loss.

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T. A. HALL, Secretary.

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Influenza Epidemic.

The following has been issued by the Public Health Department:— It is unfortunately true that the city is threatened with another epidemic of influenza, and we would appeal to every true citizen of St. John's to do his and her utmost to prevent its spread. One thing is clearly and undeniably established—that IT IS A COMMUNICABLE DISEASE AND IS SPREAD BY CONTACT. The first and most essential thing, therefore, is to avoid overcrowding. With this end in view, the proprietors of the moving picture theatres have been interviewed, and have agreed to have only one performance each night. They are also paying especial attention to the ventilation of the buildings. We would also desire to give timely notice to those who may be planning entertainments, and large social gatherings, that, at any time, all such gatherings may be closed down completely.

The disease is now noticeable and while strict quarantine is inapplicable, persons from infected houses will be asked to absent themselves from any but outdoor occupations, or such occupations as the Health Department consider to be safe.

The second acknowledged point regarding the epidemic is that FREE VENTILATION IS ONE OF THE BEST SAFEGUARDS, and that fresh air and sunlight quickly dissipates all infection. Fresh air is free to all.

As regards hospital accommodation, the Fever Hospital will be used exclusively for influenza, as soon as the few remaining cases of diphtheria can be moved. This will entail some hardships, perhaps, upon any who are unfortunate enough to contract diphtheria, but the latter disease can be more readily quarantined and, in the meantime, is not so urgent as a big epidemic of influenza.

Personal.

Mr. W. White, of the Nfld. Clothing Co., who was ill for the past few days, is able to get out again.

Mr. Paul Maddox, of Bay Bulls, who has been under treatment in Hospital for some time left for home today.

Mr. Peter Mansfield who has been suffering from Spanish Influenza is now improving.

Mr. T. A. Macnab, of T. A. Macnab and Co., who has been ill, will be able to get around in a few days.

Rev. Mr. Cock at St. Andrew's.

The services at St. Andrew's Church yesterday, were of a very interesting and impressive nature. In the morning "The League of Worshipping Children" attended the service in a body, when the distribution of prizes for attendance during the year were made. The Rev. D. S. Cock, returned missionary from India, gave a short address on "The Children of the East," in which he spoke of the handicaps which Eastern children have to fight against to get along in life. In the afternoon Mr. Cock spoke to the Bible Classes of the Sunday School on the remarkable way in which prophecy has been fulfilled in the military undertakings in connection with the war. Railways have been built through the desert, and many lands hitherto unknown have been opened up to the light of a new day. Last evening Mr. Cock spoke to a large congregation on the opportunity of the East. He spoke of the large numbers of people in India who are under the rule of independent chiefs. Many abuses exist in connection with their government and one of the chief objects of the missionary is to remedy these abuses through the gradual introduction of British justice.

On Wednesday evening of this week Mr. Cock will give an illustrated lecture on Indian Life, when it is hoped that a good number of the congregation and their friends will again have the opportunity of hearing him.

Quite Probable.

The rumor which has recently gained currency that the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company, Grand Falls, was about to take over the Reid Newfoundland Company's Railway and other interests in this country, probably refers to the future absorption of the A. E. Reed Newfoundland Co. Ltd., Bishop's Falls, by the A. N. D., negotiations for the transfer having been, it is said, proceeding for some time.

Shipping News.

The Socony, Capt. Vardy, has arrived at New York after a run of six days from this port.

The schr. Gigantic arrived in port yesterday afternoon after a trip of 37 days from Oporto.

Schr. Admiral Drake, Capt. Benson, arrived in port yesterday after 27 days from Cadiz.

"Flu" Increase.

Seven cases of influenza were reported in the city on Saturday, three cases being reported from one house on Alexander street; one case reported from Pennywell Road; two cases from Wills' Range, and one case from Military Road. Two patients were removed to Hospital. The others are being treated at home.

From the foregoing it would seem that the influenza epidemic is by no means clear of us yet.

Nfld. Curlers Win.

The following message from Hon. W. J. Higgins has been received by Secretary Salter, of the St. John's Curling Association:— "Montreal—Nfld. curlers in Montreal send New Year Greetings to members of Association. On Saturday last Newfoundland team consisting of H. D. Reid (skip), R. G. Reid (third), W. J. Higgins (second), and Jack Forbes (lead), played representative team of three skips and third stone of Thistle Curling Club, with granites. Newfoundland won twelve to eight. To-day the return match was played with iron, same teams, and the 'caplin fishers' again won, six to three."

Society Meets.

The regular monthly meeting of the Juvenile T. A. and E. Society was held yesterday when twenty persons were admitted to membership. Messrs. Ellis, Murphy, Power and O'Brien were present and distributed the prizes to the boys who brought in the most candidates during 1918. The speakers spoke words of congratulation and sympathy and encouragement for greater efforts in the future. The speakers were given a vote of thanks by Mr. T. Dunne, Chairman of Guardians, for their attendance, and told the boys they would have a special treat soon and a picnic during the summer of 1919 if possible.

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

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Removed.—Mr. A. H. Prowse, shipbroker, has removed his office to Room 5, Gear Building.

INFLUENZA AT BAY ROBERTS.—Entire families are down with Spanish influenza at Bay Roberts, states a message received by the Health Department.

New Schooner Arrived

The schr. Bella Scott, recently built for the A.N.D. Co., was towed into port yesterday evening by the tug Ingham from Botwood. The new vessel is about 500 tons and has her engines installed and needs but the addition of topmasts to be ready for sea. She brought up a quantity of pulp and paper and will take a similar cargo across. Capt. Hartery goes in command.

Here and There.

LUMBERMEN SCARCE.—The lumber companies are still short of men, but with the Christmas season past, it is presumed that help will be forthcoming in sufficient quantities to meet the demands.

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MONDAY, January 6th, 1919.

Food Conditions.

The impression has prevailed, in many quarters that with the ending of the war there would be an almost simultaneous return to the conditions existing previous to August 1914. Especially so was the idea that prices and supplies of food stuffs would quickly readjust themselves to the changed conditions, and a reduction in the former and an increase in the latter would have been speedily brought about. That this is not, nor cannot be the case for some considerable time yet is evident from the reports of the various Food Control Administrations in Great Britain, Canada and the United States. With the cessation of hostilities, following the conclusion of the armistices with Bulgaria, Turkey, Austria and Germany, there was immediately created a demand for food products by the peoples of these countries, which had to be met. They were no longer enemies in the belligerent sense, and consequently food supplies, which were not allowed them in war times, were obliged to be drawn upon for their sustenance, by the Allies. The main sources of these supplies are the wheat producing dominions of the British Empire and the United States. Thus in addition to feeding the armies which had necessarily to remain in the field until the final conclusion of peace, there was imposed upon the countries named above the extra burden of maintaining the nations of those who had hitherto been enemies. The result of this obligation, made so by the associated governments, means that there will still be a necessity for Food Control.

It was somewhat peculiar, though thoroughly characteristic of the German method of doing things, that those in authority in that country impudently and deliberately kept back from their people the terms of the armistice dealing with the intention of the Allies to see that a sufficient supply of food was to be guaranteed the Central Powers. The dishonesty of this is apparent. It was perhaps with the object and purpose of creating anarchy, or for some deeper reason, for who can comprehend the real mind of the unspeakable Hun. However be that as it may, the Allies, could not from humane motives, let the German peoples starve. Hence the greater drain on the available stocks of food stuffs, in the Allied countries, and one of the reasons why we may not expect any abnormal relaxation in control regulations for some time to come.

The Canada Food Board in its December bulletin has the following leader, which is well worth the perusal of everybody. It explains the situation clearly and succinctly, and we will do well to familiarise ourselves with the situation as it is.

MORE TO BE FED THAN EVER. "Is food control required now that peace is assured?" Food control for the next year may

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have just received the following which they offer for sale at their East, West and Central Stores.

- 8 cases SCOTT'S EMULSION
1 case HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.
1 case BEECHAM'S PILLS.
3 cases CHASE'S NERVE FOOD.
4 cases WATER GLASS.
1 case KEATING'S INSECT POWDER.
1 case CAMPHORATED OIL
1 case EUCALYPTUS COLOGNE for Goids, &c.
1 case GENUINE CAMPHOR
10 cases ELECTRIC OIL.
25 sacks CHOICE P.E.I. CARROTS, 10 lbs. for 35c.
20 cases FRESH EGGS, at 75c. dozen.
150 sacks CHOICE P. E. I. POTATOES.
100 kegs BREAD SODA.
Prices Right.

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become a more complex puzzle than during the past twelve months. The number of people who, having shared in Canada's war, have a just claim to Canada's food, has been added to enormously. The European issue has been somewhat clouded by the will of the German Foreign Secretary, Herr Solt. He made the astounding demand that the Allies should immediately feed the Germans to prevent the spread of Bolshevism. He pictured that evil—a 'German-made Frankenstein'—as some sort of a peril to the conquering Allies. It was poor and paltry camouflage, or very abject fright. That, however need not obscure the case.

Solt's audacity has prevented many good Canadians seeing the other facts in a clear light. Our first and dearest concern must be for the 75,000,000 people of Europe, Serbians, Rumanians, Greeks, Czechs and Jugos-Slavs, with the odds and ends of those new, crude republics fringing the western border of what was a better ally as a coherent empire of the 'Czar of all the Russias.' These are all not merely friendly, but were one time or another, until starvation knocked their organization to pieces, active allies of our own and fought as much in Canada's cause as Canadian soldiers are now fighting some of their perverted brethren in Russia. In addition, there are 40,000,000 people in neutral states who are, through no fault of their own, on short rations.

Difficulties of transportation have not ended. Troops must soon be sent back to their homes from Mesopotamia to Bombay, from Egypt and the Balkans back to Australia and Singapore, from East Africa back to Capetown, from Italy back to New Zealand, from Palestine back to Wales and Scotland, from France back to Canada and the United States, not to speak of the cross-channel return of the 4,000,000 British troops when they have finished their new 'Watch on the Rhine.' Shipping for food must continue short. Nothing has been said here for the 120,000,000 civilians on limited rations, British, French and Italian; their case remains as urgent as ever. The only factor which has changed is the elimination of the submarine. The re-establishment of peace-time conditions for all these millions will mean the continuation of all our food-saving programmes on this side of the Atlantic. More mouths have to be fed. The feeding may not be primarily of the fighting men, but of the civilian peoples who have shared, to an incomparably greater extent than the civil populations in Canada and the United States, the strain and the vile work which war entailed.

Epiphany.

To-day, Jan. 6th, is the festival of the Epiphany, or the manifestation of Christ to the Gentiles, represented by the Magi or wise men. In very early times the whole twelve days' festival, which began with the day of the Nativity, was called the Epiphany; but in course of time the name was limited to the last day of the twelve. In the Eastern Church the event selected for special commemoration on the last day was the Baptism of our Lord, on the occasion of His manifestation to John the Baptist, and to Him him to the world as the promised Messiah, and by the voice from Heaven (Matt. III. 17). In the Western Church the manifestation of the infant Saviour to the Magi as to the first-fruits of the ancient world was selected as the special subject of the commemoration; and the days were celebrated with many festal observances and curious customs.

Royal Bank of Canada.

To-day we publish the annual statement of the Royal Bank of Canada; also a report-review of the work of that institution, during the past annual period, both of which we recommend to the perusal of our readers.

Repatriates.

The Minister of Militia has received word from the Record Office, London, that the following have embarked from Liverpool, January 3rd, per s.s. Scotian to St. John, New Brunswick: Sgt. 538 Hutchings, Cpl. 215 Thistle, Cpl. 2029 Moss, 747 Coombs, 2371 Davey; also Capt. Burke, mate Doody, seaman Fenney, schr. Jean; Capt. Gun, seaman Schr. Duchess of Cornwall; Capt. Pfander, schr. Dictator; Capt. Keane, seaman Dalton, Stagg, King, Chipman, schr. Paragon; Capt. Webber, mate Martin, seaman Martin, Davis, schr. Mildred; Capt. Hollett, mate Moulton, seaman Moulton, Eastman, Hollett, Brushett, schr. Nita M. Conrad.

C.M.B.C.

The regular meeting of the Class was held yesterday afternoon in the Synod Building, and was largely attended. Rev. J. Brinton gave the address, taking as his subject, 'Christ, the Light of the World.' The annual meeting of the Class will be held next Sunday, all members being requested to attend. A series of lectures will be given during the winter months on the history and development of the Church of England. These, which will be illustrated by slides, will be given Monday evenings. The first lecture will be delivered this evening, when the subject is to be, 'The Early Christianity of Britain,' and the chair is to be taken by the Bishop.

From Cape Race.

CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind North East, fresh, weather dull; the tern schr. Admiral Drake and another tern schr. passed in yesterday, and an unknown tern schr. passed west at 8 a.m. to-day. Bar, 30.16; ther., 26.

The Welcome to Haig, Roosevelt Dead.

(From the Montreal Gazette.)

The welcome of London to Field Marshal Haig, and to Generals Plumer, Rawlinson, Birdwood, Byng and Horns, who held high commands under him during the Belgian and French campaigns, was of a character to show that the nation appreciates at its value the work the army did between August, 1914, and the signing of the armistices in November, 1918. Many volumes will be written on the events of the long war, and many degrees of praise and censure will be passed on those who had care of the army's interest. One thing stands out clear now, as it will in the future. The courage of officers and men never failed. There were times when their stood between the Germans and their goal little more than a single line of British troops. There were no reserves. When, after the Somme battle of the past spring, the men were told that they were fighting with their backs to the wall, and they knew there was no wall on which they could fall back, the moral test was one of the most severe to which an army could be put. The result was greater than could have been expected. The men of the new army were true successors to that devoted force which, without being defeated, was all but destroyed in the fighting of 1914 between Mons and Paris. Generals, officers and men were alike true to the trust put in them. Then, when the turn of the Allies came, and the enemy was forced to retreat, upon General Haig fell the duty of directing the operations where the enemy was most strong, and where his resistance was most determined. The weekly losses rose to figures that represented the strength of an army corps. They were continued week after week. The fighting front was kept hot for the hardest service. The enemy was forced back day by day. He was given no chance to recover from one blow before another was delivered. Only a skilled soldier with capable aids to assist him and an army fit for the hardest duty, could have made such a record. The end was the victory for which half a million British soldiers gave their lives. In acclaiming Field Marshal Haig the people of London expressed their appreciation, too, of all his men, better than whom there are none. He was worthy of it all. His name ranks with the greatest of those who in the past made the British army respected throughout the world.

HALIFAX, Jan. 6. (Flash). Theodore Roosevelt dead.

DEATH CAUSED BY RHEUMATISM.

NEWS OF THE DEATH OF FORMER PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT was received here by Miss Josephine Striker, the Colonel's Secretary, in a telephone message from Mrs. Roosevelt. Miss Striker said that the Colonel had suffered an attack of inflammatory rheumatism on New Year's Day, and had since been more or less confined to his room. The attack of rheumatism settled mainly in Colonel Roosevelt's right hand, and Mrs. Roosevelt sent at once a doctor and a nurse in the village of Oyster Bay. His condition did not at first seem to be alarming, as far as is known, and the cure for the disease is believed not to have come until last night. It is understood that only Mrs. Roosevelt and the nurse were with him at the time of his death. The other members of the family are in other parts of the country or abroad. A telephone message received later this morning from Oyster Bay said that Colonel Roosevelt had died at four o'clock this morning. (Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, late Associate Editor of the New York Outlook, was born at New York, 27th October, 1858, making him 61 years old. He was educated at Harvard, was a member of the New York Legislature from 1882 to 84, was leader of the House in 1884; President, New York Police Board; later was Asst. Secy. of Navy; organized U. S. Cavalry Volunteers (Roosevelt's Rough Riders) and was Governor of New York State from 1898 to 1900; Vice-President of America in 1901, and President from 1901 to 1908. He has published many books, was a big game hunter of repute, and was much interested in zoology, especially mammalogy, and field natural history generally. In politics he was a Progressive and for long was an enthusiastic win-the-war American. He has had dealings with many great celebrities, being a personal friend of Kaiser Wilhelm II., of Germany.)

Interesting Photos.

A number of fine large photographs in Hon. John Anderson's window are attracting a lot of attention and many people stop to admire them. These consist of the various leaders of the Army and Navy, Pte. Ricketts, V.C., Archbishop Roche, and others. It would be a good idea were Mr. Anderson to exhibit a full window of his interesting collection, and this courtesy on his part would be well appreciated by everyone.

Lion Disaster.

To-day is the 37th anniversary of the death of the Lion, commanded by Capt. Powlow of Trinity, left this port with a full cargo of freight and several passengers, bound for London, on a moonlight night and all expected to hear of her early arrival at Trinity; her destination—but as time elapsed and no word from her, uneasiness and anxiety was not appeased until the body of Mrs. Cross, one of the passengers was picked up. There were a few more indications of the loss of the Lion, discovered at all knew that the Lion had met her fate. Many were the theories put forward at the time and the one that held most weight was that the ship blew up, but as no definite knowledge could be secured, her loss always remained one of the innumerable mysteries of the sea. Many can recall now the harassing anxiety of these January days and of the pall of gloom which it cast over Trinity, the chief settlement affected by the Lion tragedy.

Obituary.

HENRY T. BOWRING. The sad news was received by cable from Liverpool, England, last evening, of the passing of Mr. Henry T. Bowring, late of the firm of Bowring Bros., Ltd., and nephew of Sir Edgar B. Bowring, at present Newfoundland's High Commissioner in London. The late Mr. Henry Bowring came here in the summer of the fire, and stayed but a few years. He married Miss Smith, daughter of the late Mr. Fred. Smith, and sister of Mrs. Arthur Monroe. Since leaving St. John's, he has been connected with the Liverpool branch of the firm.

Here and There.

TEACHER VERY ILL.—Mr. George Hudson, master at the Methodist College, is very ill. So we learned this morning.

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

EXPRESS PASSENGERS.—The following express passengers left for the incoming express: H. L. McKay, D. R. Roberts, W. J. Rennie, W. J. Thomas, A. J. and Mrs. Brasill, G. Morcroft, F. Fomer, W. Munn, T. R. Smith, J. B. Patten.

When you want Sausages, why get ELLIS'; they're the best.

OPORTO PRICES.—A message to the Marine Department on Saturday from the Consul at Oporto, gave the fish prices as follows: Large 32 to 36 shillings per qt.; Small, 32 to 32 shillings with consumption extra dull.

When you want Roast Beef, Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roast Pork, try ELLIS'.

ANNUAL MEETING.—The Board of Trade will hold its annual meeting on January 23rd. The following members are nominated for '1919: President, Jas. J. McKay; 2nd Vice-President, H. E. Cowan; Councillors, Hon. John Harvey, Hon. A. E. Hickman, F. W. Hayward, F. W. Bradshaw.

TOTAL DEAD, 1,635.—A compilation of the deaths caused by the Halifax explosion on December 6th, 1917, has just been issued and shows that in all 1,635 were killed outright and died as a result of injuries, received at that time.

"Turn Over a New Leaf." Open a New Account for 1919. Can We Not Help You? WE HAVE LEDGERS—Single and Double. JOURNALS—Demi and F. C. Folio. DAY BOOKS, CASH BOOKS. ORDER and LETTER BOOKS. LETTER FILES, BLOTTING PAPER, ETC., ETC. OUR INKS are from the best manufacturers and are of the highest standard. AYRE & SONS, Limited BOOK and STATIONERY DEPT.

Here and There. Here and There. Shipping News.

CLEAN DOCKET.—No cases were heard in court this morning.

Capt. K. Keegan, M.C., will Lecture on War Experiences in St. Joseph's Hall, Hoytestown, Tuesday night, Jan. 7th, at 8 o'clock.—jan6,11

BOWRING'S BOATS.—The Prospero left Westport at 3.30 p.m. Saturday, going north. The Portia left St. Joseph's last midnight, going west. The Viking is at North Sydney.

LOST.—This afternoon, between H. J. Stabb & Co. and Court House, two Five Dollar Notes, Founders will be rewarded on returning same to JOHN HOWARD (Carmen), care H. J. Stabb & Co. jan6,11

Mrs. H. J. Norberg, nee Edgecombe, will be at Home to friends Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday of this week at her residence, 49 Quidi Vidi Road.—11

GRAND DANCE, C.C.C. Boat Club, January 6th, C. C. Hall. Music by Battalion Band. Tickets—Doubles \$1.50, Gent's \$1.20, Ladies', 60c. (including supper). Dancing begins at 9 o'clock.—jan2,4,6

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets). It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. W. GROVE'S signature on each box 30c.—m.t.

Spend a dollar or two on your suit or overcoat and have it look like new for the holiday season by sending it to SPUR-RELL'S, 365 Water St. Phone 574.—dec21, eod,tf

"IN RAINBOW LAND."—This opera is to be the attraction to-night, Twelfth Night. The Sisters of the Convent have decided upon this repitition, the Convent children having been so well received on their first presentation.

The Women's C. L. B. Memorial Association will resume their weekly Sewing Classes in Canon Wood Hall on Wednesday, Jan. 8th, at 7.30 p.m. Will all interested kindly reserve that date? ELSIE G. EDWARDS, Secretary.—jan6,21

ST. JOHN'S CHORAL SOCIETY.—Rehearsals of Mozart's Twelfth Mass, etc., will recommence to-night in the Presbyterian Hall at 8 o'clock. All city singers will be welcome.—11

BORN.—Yesterday, January 5th, a son to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Pike, 35 Alexander St.—11

DIED.—Of pneumonia, at his residence, 9 Croxleth Road, Liverpool, Henry A. Bowring, son of the late John Bowring of Liverpool, England, aged 64.

This morning, after a long illness, John Atkins, aged 73 years, leaving three daughters and two sons to mourn their sad loss; funeral on Wednesday at 2.30 p.m. from his son-in-law's residence, Irish Cole, No. 7 Dunlop Street.—R.I.P. New York papers please copy.

At 7.45 p.m. on Sunday, January 5th, after a short illness, Captain Thomas Bowring, of Stromness, Orkney, Scotland, leaving a wife and two sons to mourn their sad loss; funeral on Tuesday, January 7th at 2.30 p.m. from his late residence, 135 Gower Street, Strand and acquaintances please accept this the only, intimation. (No flowers).

THIS IS THE HOOK TO CATCH 'EM.

Fishermen, you see by the reports from Norway how they catch such enormous quantities of fish. Well, O. Mustad's Key Brand Hook is used exclusively in that country. See that you get the Key Brand. \$1.75, eod,tf

Stationery Knowling's Department. OFFICE SUPPLIES. We beg to announce to our many customers that we have a good line of Office Supplies on hand. For Quality and Prices see us and be convinced. LEDGERS—Special line of 200 pages, 85c., 95c. and \$1.20. each. LEDGERS—Ruling, No. 3, 6, 7, Single and Double Ruling, \$2.00 each to \$4.40 each. JOURNALS—Special line, 200 pages, 85c., \$1.10, \$1.20 each; also \$1.60 up to \$5.00 each. DAY BOOKS—\$1.00, \$1.20, \$1.40 up to \$5.00 each. CASH BOOKS—Canvas finish, 95c. each; Morocco finish, 95c., \$1.10, \$1.20 each. ACCOUNT BOOKS—15c., 18c., 30c., 32c., 38c. and 60c. ea. LONG ORDER BOOKS—30c., 35c., 42c., 45c., 50c., 60c. up to \$1.40 each. RECORDS or Minute Books—Special value, 85c., 95c., \$1.10, \$1.40, \$3.15 each. LONG & SHORT ACCOUNT FORMS—30c. up to 45c. ea. PLEASE SUPPLY FORMS—30c. and 35c. each. LETTER BOOKS—\$3.30 ea. CASH RECEIPT FORMS—Assorted prices. INK ERASERS & RUBBER ERASERS. STENOGRAPHER'S PAD HOLDERS—Just the thing to hold the pad. See them. INVOICE CABINET and HOLDERS, with and without Index, 40c. up to \$1.70 each. SHANNON FILES, with and without perforator, \$1.10 and \$1.40 each, with perforator. APRON FILES—45c. and 60c. each. ENVELOPES—\$2.00 per thousand up to \$2.80 per thousand. OFFICIAL ENVELOPES, all sizes, \$3.90, \$4.60, \$5.00, \$5.70 per thousand. PATENT PENCIL SHARPENERS—\$1.60 and \$2.10 each. Account Paper, Foolscap Paper, Blotting Paper, Lawyers' Seals, Office Pins, Sealing Wax, Sponge Bowls, Dictionaries, Memo. Books, Carbon Paper, Typewriting Ribbon, Black and Coloured Lead Pencils, Fountain Pens, Mucilage, Fountain Pen Ink, Bottles of Ink, small and large, in Red and Black; Ink Well and Stands, Pen Holders, Paper Fasteners, Index Books, Coin Envelopes, etc., etc. SCHOOL SUPPLIES G. Knowling, Ltd. EAST, WEST & CENTRAL STORES. Store Opens 8.30 a.m.

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OPENING OF PEACE CONFERENCE DEMANDED.

LONDON. The past week has witnessed strong and general demand for the prompt meeting of the conference and prompt action on the tide of chaos which is the result of the German advance on Bolshevism by way of the Baltic. There is a conviction that if anarchy seizes Europe the decisions of the conference in drawing boundaries and levying indemnities can be only through military control. The chief desire of all people is to have the peace established as quickly as possible. Labor elements in particular are in favor of a large army for the policing of frontiers with the possibility of drawn into conflicts with the Bolshevists.

POLES RETURN.

NEW YORK. The French line steamer which sailed to-day, carried off Poles numbering 1,550 recruited in America for the army.

THE CONFERENCE PROCEEDS.

PARIS. The Peace Conference, according to the Petit Parisien, will proceed as follows: First, a conference of great Powers; second, a conference of Belgium and Serbia; third, a survey of the situation; third, admission of other allies for conferences.

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TAMS. Here's a line of Tams sure to please. These are with elastic, so as to fit to the head. In two tones: viz: Black and Red, Blue, Green, Black and Fawn, Black and Pink. Regular price, each \$1.00. Sale Price, each 75c.

WOMEN'S HOUSE DRESS. Just a few dozen of this clear before the end of the year. Made of Gingham Striped Cotton in sizes 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20. Regular price, each \$1.00. Sale Price, each 75c.

LADIES' VESTS. Women's pure white vest of medium weight, neck and long sleeves. Regular price, each 75c. Sale Price, each 50c.

LADIES' KNIT COVERS. A special value at 60c. each. Stich, medium weight, pure white; high neck, sleeves. Regular sizes. Sale Price, each 75c. Sale Price, each 50c.

WOMEN'S HOSE. A line of Hosiery that would like to clear before taking. These are of a black color and are free from the inside. Regular price, pair 45c. Sale Price, pair 35c.

WOMEN'S HEAVY FLEECED HOSE. Also a better line of Fleece of an extra heavy quality. These are full length, ribbed garter top and shaped. Reg. price 75c. per pair. Sale Price, per pair 50c.

Store Opens 8.30 a.m.

British Press Unanimous In Demand for Peace Conference to Open.

Soldiers Make Trouble at Folkestone and Dover---Japan Backing Out From Siberia.

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LONDON, Jan. 5. The past week has witnessed a strong and general demand from the most influential British newspapers regardless of political affiliation, for the prompt meeting of the peace conference and prompt action to stem the tide of chaos which is threatening Germany because of the introduction of Bolshevism by way of the border states. There is a dawning recognition that if anarchy seizes Central Europe the decisions of the Peace Conference in drawing boundaries and settling indemnities can be enforced only through military control by the Allies. The chief desire of the British people is to have the army demobilized as quickly as possible. The labor elements in particular oppose the retention of a large conscripted army for the policing of foreign territories with the possibility of being drawn into conflicts with their people.

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THE CONFERENCE PROGRAMME.

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problems interesting them; fourth, presentation of conditions successively to Germany, Bulgaria, Turkey, German Austria and Hungary, and signing the peace preliminaries; fifth, a general conference concerning the question of a League of Nations, freedom of the seas, limitation of armaments and related topics.

JAPAN WITHDRAWS TROOPS.

LONDON, Jan. 4. The announcement that 24,000 Japanese troops will be withdrawn from Siberia, is reported in a Tokio despatch to the Express, quoting an official statement issued by the Japanese War Office, which intimates that Japan intends to maintain henceforth only the smallest possible forces in Siberia. "Public opinion here," draws the despatch, "deplores the withdrawal. Allied observers, Americans as well as British, speak bitterly of intervention as being relatively a failure owing to disunity among the Allies and their mutual jealousies."

A NEW KINGDOM.

PARIS, Jan. 5. A new government has been formed at Belgrade by representatives of all the Jug-Slavs, Serbia, Montenegro, Bosnia, Herzegovina, Dalmatia, Croatia and Slovenia. The Entente Powers and neutral governments, according to the Journal Des Debats, have been informed that the kingdom of Serbia is now the United Serbian-Croatian-Slovene kingdom.

A SERIOUS OUTBREAK.

LONDON, Jan. 5. It is revealed for the first time in a long explanation issued by the War Office to-day, that trouble similar to

that with the troops at Folkestone, occurred at Dover but on a smaller scale, and it is stated that as the men were acting under a genuine misunderstanding no disciplinary measures will be adopted. A large staff of officials has gone to Folkestone and Dover to investigate individual cases of discontent and to demobilize men who are entitled to their discharge from the army. The War Office admits that the affair seemed at first likely to lead to serious consequences, but says that it is now in the course of satisfactory arrangement.

GERMAN SUB LOSSERS HEAVY.

LONDON, Jan. 4. The Allies destroyed or captured 202 German submarines during the war. In addition to these fourteen German submarines were destroyed by the Germans themselves—ten in the Adriatic and four off Flanders—seven others were interned in neutral countries. The surrender of the German submarines is not yet complete. The number already brought into British ports is 123. There are at least 55 to be surrendered. The Germans are still busily engaged in building submarines. The Allies are making no objection to this, for all the boats will be at the disposal of the Allies when completed. German surface warships actually brought into British ports were less by one battleship than stipulated in the armistice terms. The reason for this is that neither the Saxon nor the Mackensen has been completed by the German yards. The German battleship Baden is to be handed over instead. She will leave German waters for Scapa Flow within a week.

COUNT VON HERTLING DEAD.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 5. Count Von Hertling, the former German Imperial Chancellor, died Saturday at Ruhpolding, Bavaria. He had been ill for six days.

RELIEF FOR FAMINE SUFFERERS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4. Congress was asked by President Wilson to-day in a message transmitted through the State Department, to appropriate \$100,000,000 for the relief of famine sufferers in Europe. It is understood that the money is wanted chiefly to send food into sections of Western Russia, Poland and Austria-Hungary.

PRESENTATION TO WILSON.

ROME, Jan. 4. Pope Benedict to-day presented to President Wilson a handsome mosaic representing Guido Reni's famous picture of St. Peter. The mosaic was made in the Vatican grounds by the ancient mosaic factory of the Vatican

and is a yard square. The mosaic has been valued at \$40,000. Cardinal Gasparri, the Papal Secretary of State, presented President Wilson with two copies of the modification of the Canon Law copy is bound in white leather and contains an autographed dedication to Wilson. The other is in red leather and bears the following autograph: "Homage to Princeton University from Pietro, Cardinal Gasparri, Vatican, Rome." President Wilson thanked the Pope and Cardinal Gasparri heartily for their gifts.

WHY GERMANY ASKED FOR ARMISTICE.

PARIS, Jan. 4. Germany hurried to request the armistice when she saw that a new Allied offensive was about to be launched on the Lorraine front on Nov. 12, by 600,000 men under command of General De Castelnau, says the Excelsior. American and French troops, it says, were concentrated on the front between Briey and Chateau Saeniens. They were supported by 3,000 guns of all calibres and had 300 tanks available on a front of about forty five miles. Duke Albrecht, of Wurttemberg, the German commander on this front, had available only 25 divisions of infantry of fighting quality. These divisions contained approximately 150,000 men. He had only one thousand guns. This Allied attack, the Excelsior continues, would have carried the war into annexed Lorraine and into Rhenish Prussia, threatening to cut off the German army in Belgium and in the Ardennes from its bases. The German general headquarters realizing that the divisions on other sectors were exhausted, and that its forces were demoralized and worn out, averted a catastrophe by pleading for an armistice.

EX-KAISER WORRYING.

AMERONGEN, Holland, Jan. 1. Even the wonderful spring-like weather of the new year did not bring the former German Emperor outside of Amerongen Castle, although his condition is improving daily. Depression induced by the gradual realization of the full extent of his downfall according to recent reports from Germany, is said to have accentuated his feelings. Lack of open air exercise and continual brooding have had such telling effect on Heri Hohenzollern's appearance that he scarcely is recognizable to those who saw him when first he came to Amerongen. His wife who is with him almost constantly, displays much more buoyant spirits and makes every effort to cheer him. There is no sign of the immediate removal of the former emperor, although many reports are current to that effect.

NOTHING TO DO.

LONDON, Jan. 4. The Chief Censor's Department of the Admiralty will be closed after tonight. This announcement is made by the Admiralty.

INDEPENDENTS GETTING OUT.

BERLIN, Jan. 5. Independent Socialist members of the Prussian cabinet have decided to resign, it has been learned. Among them will be Adolf Hoffman, whose course toward churches and schools has resulted in bitter opposition even from some of his colleagues.

AFTER HOFFMAN.

PARIS, Jan. 5. Sixty thousand Catholics and Protestants of Berlin, at a mass meeting on Thursday, marched in procession to the Ministry of Public Worship where there was a demonstration against Adolf Hoffman, who holds that portfolio, say advices from the German capital. Dr. Karl Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg, the Radical leaders, were also targets for the crowd's anger. As the throng marched along the streets it sang, "Deutschland Uber Alles." After reaching the building, entry was gained and a large number of people searched for Hoffman, but he was not found. The crowd then dispersed.

RIGA IN BOLSHEVİK HANDS.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 4. Riga is in the hands of the Lithuanian Soviet troops, according to a wireless despatch from the Russian Bolsheviki headquarters. Fighting has been raging in the streets of Riga, according to the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin, which says the German theatre has been set on fire. The German steamer Lucie Woermann is reported to have left Riga yesterday with six hundred fugitives on board.

Appreciated.

The following cable from St. Pierre, signed "Club Commercial" was received by the Telegram, Saturday evening. The article referred to in the message, appeared under the caption "Annexation of St. Pierre" and was signed, "A Hater of German and Kindred Kultur." "Article published in your paper December 18th, greatly appreciated. It is just, true and expresses the sentiment of all here." Essence of Ginger Wine can be obtained at Stafford's Drug Stores for 25c. bottle. Postage 5c. extra.—no252.

The Royal Bank of Canada

GENERAL STATEMENT

30th NOVEMBER, 1918

LIABILITIES	
TO THE PUBLIC:	
Deposits not bearing interest	\$135,243,278.73
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date of statement	197,248,439.20
Notes of the Bank in Circulation	\$322,891,717.92
Balance due to Dominion Government	39,380,975.74
Balance due to other Banks in Canada	26,794.90
Balance due to Banks and Banking Correspondents in the United Kingdom and foreign countries	6,068,926.22
Bills Payable	6,085,721.12
Acceptances under Letters of Credit	218,063.43
	19,162,639.56
	\$387,547,102.77
TO THE SHAREHOLDERS:	
Capital Stock Paid in	14,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	15,000,000.00
Balance of Profits carried forward	835,787.19
	15,835,787.19
Dividend No. 125 (at 12 per cent. per annum), payable December 2nd, 1918	420,000.00
Dividends Unclaimed	10,122.95
	430,122.95
	\$427,512,982.91

ASSETS	
Current Cash	\$17,488,314.07
Dominion Notes	24,626,344.75
	\$42,114,658.82
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserves	28,000,000.00
Notes of other Banks	10,878,020.86
Cheques on other Banks	20,634,899.30
Balance due by other Banks in Canada	6,043.39
Balance due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	10,391,516.44
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities, not exceeding market value	36,599,976.27
Canadian Municipal Securities and British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian, not exceeding market value	20,620,865.90
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, not exceeding market value	15,084,414.64
Call Loans in Canada, on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	10,067,481.94
Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days) Loans elsewhere than in Canada	24,374,191.40
	\$224,982,088.47
Other Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less rebate of interest)	\$119,184,715.26
Other Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (less rebate of interest)	64,176,163.85
Overdue Debts (estimated loss provided for)	388,513.29
	183,748,892.40
Real Estate other than Bank Premises	1,171,151.59
Bank Premises, at not more than cost, less amounts written off	6,492,011.85
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit, as per contract with the Minister for the purposes of the Circulation Fund	10,162,623.56
Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days) Loans elsewhere than in Canada	742,818.75
Other Assets not included in the foregoing	219,510.19
	\$427,512,982.91

H. S. HOLT, President. EDSON L. PEASE, Managing Director. C. E. NEILL, General Manager.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

We report to the Shareholders of The Royal Bank of Canada: That in our opinion the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Bank. That we have checked the cash and verified the securities of the Bank at the Chief Office at 30th November, 1918, as well as at another time, as required by Section 56 of the Bank Act, and that we found the entries in the books in regard thereto. We also during the year checked the cash and verified the securities at the principal branches. That the above Balance Sheet has been compared by us with the books at the Chief Office and with the certified returns from the Branches, and in our opinion is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Bank's affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the books of the Bank. That we have obtained all the information and explanations required by us.

JAMES MARWICK, C.A., S. RODGER MITCHELL, C.A., of Marwick, Mitchell, Peat and Co. J. W. ROSS, C.A., of P. S. ROSS & Sons, Auditors.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 30th November, 1917	\$64,264.53
Profits of the year, after deducting charges of management and all other expenses, accrued interest on deposits, full provision for all bad and doubtful debts and rebate of interest on unmatured bills	2,809,846.24
	\$ 3,374,110.77

APPROPRIATED AS FOLLOWS:	
Dividends Nos. 122, 123, 124 and 125, at 12 per cent. per annum	\$1,614,702.00
Transferred to Officers' Pension Fund	100,000.00
Written off Bank Premises Account	400,000.00
War Tax on Bank Notes Circulation	133,851.58
Contribution to Patriotic Funds	40,000.00
Contribution to Halifax Relief Fund	50,000.00
Transferred to Reserve Fund	500,000.00
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	535,787.19
	\$ 3,374,110.77

RESERVE FUND

Balance at Credit 30th November, 1917	\$14,000,000.00
Premium on New Capital Stock issued to Northern Crown Bank Shareholders	500,000.00
Transferred from Profit and Loss Account	500,000.00
Balance at Credit 30th November, 1918	\$15,000,000.00

H. S. HOLT, President. EDSON L. PEASE, Managing Director. C. E. NEILL, General Manager.

Montreal, 18th December, 1918.

Market Notes.

Codfish.—Several cargoes, amounting to some 18,000 quintals, including 5,074 quintals of salt bulk, were shipped from St. John's and Catalina last week, the latter quantity going to France. A dullness has pervaded the local market, exporters seemingly having plenty of stocks for the present. Labrador Soft Cure is nominally \$12 and Shore cured hard \$18. The Italian difficulty appears to be easing and as a consequence a fresh impetus will likely be given the market. Oporto at present is the danger point, a congestion being feared, with an overstocked market and other cargoes arriving. The approach of Lent will, however, bring an increased demand, and sales are likely to move more rapidly. These conditions apply to Spanish ports as well. Cod Oil.—This commodity has not

shown any marked demand, and prices have dropped from \$240 to \$220 per ton, with some buyers standing easy on \$200. The best price for Redwine was \$240 per gallon, and no keen desire shown to purchase at this figure. Herring.—This fishery has now practically closed at all centres though the catch totals are not yet available. High prices will have more than overcome any shortage in quantities, and altogether the season has not been unprofitable. Provisions.—Prices of Standard brands have not changed. There is a growing antagonism to the use of substitutes with the present grade, which is already blended down to the last ounce. A relaxation of regulations may be expected in that line shortly as negotiations have been successful in disposing of some 50,000 barrels of coarse grains ordered prior to November 11th, this quantity the ef-

forts of our High Commissioner in London, Sir E. R. Bowring, having been diverted to Europe. We need not expect any all white flour for a long period yet, there being so many million people in Europe, in addition to our soldiers in the field to be fed from the Canadian and United States output. Pork and Beef prices have not changed since last writing. A big European demand continues and will maintain, and the Allies have pledged themselves to victual the famine stricken countries of that continent, not preferentially, of course, but sufficiently. Sugar prices are the same as last week. The Control Board will exercise authority over importations & great deal of attention is being given caused by the abnormal imports of sugar, which dealers and have been very low on their side. Some do not want brown, and the coarsest quality, and we can't blame them.

Pre-Inventory Sale

AN UNDERPRICED EVENT OF TIMELY INTEREST AND IMPORTANCE DURING STOCK-TAKING.

Because of various conditions arising and the prospect of new conditions in the near future, this pre-inventory sale will be of more than usual importance. We must, of necessity, so adjust our stock as to conform with the new price conditions and the new market conditions, and for that reason many extraordinary values are being offered to reduce stocks down to the very lowest ebb, so that we may be prepared for any new change that may take place and be better able to serve you with spring stock.

MAIL ORDERS PERSONALLY ATTENDED TO.

- TANS.** Here's a line of Tans that are sure to please. These are fitted with elastic, so as to fit close to the head. In two nice effects. Black and Red, Black and Green, Black and Fawn, and Black and Pink. Regular \$1.50 each. Sale Price, **\$1.35** each.
- WOMEN'S HOUSE DRESSES.** Just a few dozen of these to clear before the end of the year. Made of Gingham and Striped Cotton in sizes 36 to 44. Regular price, each, \$1.75. Sale Price, each, **\$1.69**.
- LADIES' VESTS.** Women's pure White Underwear of medium weight, in high neck and long sleeves. Regular price 75c. Sale Price, each, **69c**.
- LADIES' KNIT CORSET COVERS.** A special value at 69c. Fine stitch, medium weight, fleeced, pure white, high neck, long sleeves. Regular price, only Reg. price 75c. each. Sale Price, each, **69c**.
- WOMEN'S HOSE.** A line of Hosiery that we would like to clear before stock-taking. These are of a good black color and are fleeced on the inside. Regular price, per pair, 45c. Sale Price, per pair, **43c**.
- WOMEN'S HEAVY FLEECED HOSE.** Also a better line of Fleeced Hosiery of an extra heavy quality. These are full length Hosiery with ribbed garter top and well shaped. Reg. price 75c. pair. Sale Price, per pair, **69c**.
- FLANNELETTE UNDERSHIRTS.** Women's Striped and White Flannelette Undershirts for present wear. We advise you to see this line as they are certainly cheap. Sale Price, each, **\$1.68**.
- CHILD'S WOOL CAPS.** A special lot of Child's Wool Caps in colors Red and Navy. We have these on our bargain table and hope to clear the line next week. Regular price 45c. Sale Price, each, **39c**.
- WOMEN'S GLOVES.** Just a few dozen of Women's Black Ringwood Gloves. These are wrist fitting, comfortable, and are worth fully 20 per cent. more than the regular price. Regular price 65c. pair. Sale Price, per pair, **58c**.
- CHILD'S GREY GLOVES.** Here's a chance for you to get Gloves for the children for knock-about wear; sizes 7 to 12; knitted of plain grey wool. Regular prices up to 55c. pair. Sale Price, per pair, **49c**.
- COATING.** Two pieces of Coating that we have marked down in order to clear. One is of a Fawn color and the other is a pretty Red check; both are 54 inches wide. Prices, per yard, **\$4.00 and \$4.40**.
- WHITE TURKISH TOWELS.** The balance of a job purchase. They are of excellent quality, large size, down left. Sale Price, each **45c** and well finished. Only a few.
- CURTAIN NET.** A few more pieces left to clear before stock-taking; extra strong lace of good pattern, wide width; cream color only. Reg. 45c. yard. Sale Price, per yard, **38c**.
- BOYS' COAT SWEATERS.** Here is something for the boy who wants warmth during the winter. They fit snugly, with a turnover collar; color Navy Blue; sizes 38 to 34. Regular price \$1.80 ea. Sale Price, each, **\$1.59**.
- BOYS' WINTER CAPS.** We have about 4 dozen of these which we intend to clear this week. Made of Tweed with quartered crowns and fitted with fur ear bands to turn up on the inside. Regular price 85c. each. Sale Price, each, **85c**.
- MEN'S UNDERWEAR.** In shirts and pajamas, sizes 38 to 42. These are a heavy weight knit underwear that will stand lots of hard wear. We would like for you to see this lot. Reg. price \$2.00 per garment. Sale Price, per garment, **\$1.89**.
- HATS.** Big Reduction on Hats. Wishing to clear our winter Millinery, we make a reduction of 20 per cent.
- COATS.** On our entire stock of Ladies' and Children's Winter Coats we make a reduction of 30 per cent.

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af." 1919. the highest. ited. ing News. e Bellevue is leading H. Murray & Co.'s for McGlashan is leading for the West Indies. Great Lake has entered for Oporto. ch, after a run of 33 days, after, arrived with a cargo consigned to the Gorton. HR RETURNING.—It is Dr. Brehm, late Medical of this city, is returning once more the same his absence from here, has spent most of his work. BORN. January 5th, a son to Mr. W. Pike, 35 Alexander St. DIED. onia, at his residence, 9 ad, Liverpool, Henry A. n of the late John Bowring, England, aged 54. ning, after a long illness, aged 79 years, leaving ters and two sons to mourn; funeral on Wednesday at 2.30 p.m. from his late 138 Gower Street; friends nances please accept this timation. (No flowers).

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What Shall We Spend For?

By RUTH CAMERON.



RUTH CAMERON

"Did you ever have a talk about what sort of things you believed in spending money for?"

I put that question, not long ago, to a young engaged couple, and they indicated by their manner that they thought it a most immaterial subject.

They have the same tastes in art, a similar sense of humor, a mutual fondness for golf, and of course the supreme sine qua non,—an overwhelming love for each other.

What more should they want? Surely, they need not agree about anything so base and earthly as the usages of money.

Which is, I suppose, just what ninety-nine couples out of one hundred would say.

One of the Greatest Matrimonial Pitfalls.

And yet if it were possible to know the proportion of matrimonial unhappiness caused by conflicts of opinion on what is best worthwhile to spend the family income for, I am sure we should be astonished at the size of it.

For instance, one party thinks that the most important thing is to set a good table. The other thinks that the table should be scrimped in order to have plenty of money with which to dress properly. Before marriage there is no reason for these opinions to conflict. But how long does it take after marriage for them to come out of their hiding places? Only so long as it takes the bills to begin to come in.

Are Photographs at Thirty Dollars a Dozen Necessary?

Take a specific example: I know of a certain man who has worked very hard all his life for his money. He married a woman who came from a family where money flowed more easily. She regards certain things as necessities that he catalogues as luxuries. For instance, the first baby must have his picture taken by a photographer who charges thirty dollars a dozen, and all the relatives must have a print. The result is that when the bill comes she thinks best to hide it.

Then I know a man who thinks his

wife is extravagant to take so many magazines. Yet he will go out and blow the subscription price of four good magazines on a single elaborate dinner. His wife thinks that is a terrible extravagance.

But the Husband Doesn't Earn It All.

Of course some would answer that the money is earned by the husband and he should decide how it should be spent.

But in the average American family, where the wife in addition to bearing children performs the functions of washerwoman, cook, general housework girl, seamstress and nursery maid, there is no doubt that the wife earns her share of the money. If any man doubts it, let him find out what hired workers get for the above duties.

Hence, is it not important that the two shall be more or less in agreement as to what money is for?

We think of money as a base, material thing. That is foolish. Money is nothing in itself, but, as a symbol, as a medium through which you exchange your labor for what you want out of life, it is everything.

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Flu Kills Cats.

Animals are Subject to the Epidemic. Influenza attacks animals as well as man. In the year 1889 there was a severe outbreak of what veterinary surgeons call "pink eye" among horses all through the West of England. The disease spread as far north as Glasgow.

A horse would be quite well one day, but the next its eyelids were swollen, its legs stiff, while it could eat nothing, and its temperature was up to 104 degrees. About five per cent. died.

A well-known doctor writing at the time to a medical paper pointing out the connection between "pink eye" and influenza, and predicting an epidemic of human flu, a prophecy which was fulfilled to the letter.

In the following year, 1890, lambs in Kent began to suffer from influenza. On one farm near Canterbury not one out of five hundred escaped, and at first more than twenty died. Skilled treatment saved most of the rest.

As soon as the lambs recovered, every horse upon this farm was seized with influenza, and after that the farmer, his wife, his son and his servants all caught the infection, and were laid up with bad attacks of flu.

As every racehorse owner knows, once flu gets into a stable, it generally goes right through.

Cats are very subject to influenza. In a case reported from Croyston a cat caught the disease from its owner who was laid up. The cat always slept on the end of the bed. He got flu on the 7th of January, and the cat developed it on the 16th.

Dogs sometimes contract flu, but more rarely than cats. Birds, however, can get it. In the great epidemic of 1881, it is on record that many birds died, while the rest absolutely deserted those parts of the country where the disease was at its worst.



WALT MASON

Let's forget the busted kings, for a while; more uplifting, helpful things are in style; let us paint up our abodes, let us boost for better roads, so the mules may haul their loads with a smile. We have talked so long of scraps, and of gore, that let it now be understood we intend to cut some wood, so our credit may be good at the store. Let the kaiser sit and mope, in distress; let the kronprinz hand out dope to the press; I've abandoned words for deeds; I'll supply our daily needs, buy my wife a string of beads and a dress. Let our gifted statesmen frame terms of peace; doubtless they can play the game, slick as grease; it is ours to put up ice, it is ours to earn the price, so the children may have rice and roast grease. To the tale of war so long we gave tongue, that the old time chestnut song should be rung; now the war is done and past, and the guns have ceased to blast, let us hustle till the last dog is hung. Let us scrub, on bended knees, all the floors; let us paint the apple trees, out of doors; let us mend that broken walk, fix the clothesline, wind the clock—we can find an endless stock of such chores.

Milady's Boudoir

YOUR NECK.

There is nothing about a woman that tells her age as much as her neck, and when it is beautiful it is one of her most seductive charms. Why is it that so many women who take the greatest care of their complexions and their appearance generally will not look below the chin for faults?

If your neck is scrawny, cocoa butter is efficacious in filling out the hollows of the neck. Rub all the skin food off with a clean cloth when you have finished massaging and apply a little pure powder to keep from soiling the neckbands of your clothes. In drying and rubbing your neck, rub from the top downward.

If your neck is brown or discolored there are a number of things you may use to bleach it. But there is nothing better than lemon juice and water. One woman I know who has a lovely neck always keeps a half lemon on her washstand. Just before she dries her neck every day she merely rubs a little lemon juice on it.

Tight collars are responsible for many unsightly necks. When you consider how close the connection is between the brain and the rest of the body it surely does not seem a wise policy to place any restrictions about the neck which might interfere with the circulation of the blood of the brain, or check the breathing. It is so delightful to feel that the neck is free and to feel the fresh air upon it.

Embroideries should always be ironed on the wrong side.

If possible, never cook potatoes by boiling, but by steaming.

Almost any left-over vegetable can be used for cream soup.

Almond fondant is an interesting basis for almond-topped candies.

A little fresh meat with the bones improves the flavor of soup.

Instead of plain cornmeal mush, have cornmeal-and-oatmeal mush.

With broiled steak, Bearnaise Sauce is a delicious accompaniment.

The best way not to waste money is to pay cash for every purchase.

Ghosts Out of a Job.

Is the Potsdam White Lady in Holland?

There is one point about this wholesale abdication of crowned heads, which seems to have escaped popular notice. What is going to become of their attendant ghosts?

There is no self-respecting Royal family on the continent which has or had not its ghosts or ghost. The question is, do these apparitions go away with their families, or do they stay on as care-takers of the royal palace?

The White Lady of Potsdam, for instance, the apparition who appears to foretell death or disaster to the Hohenzollerns. There is quite good testimony to the fact that she appeared before the death of the present Kaiser's father, and rumor has it that William himself saw her on that fatal day in July, 1914, when he declared war on France.

This White Lady carries a bunch of keys at her side, and is supposed to be the ghost of Bertha von Rosenberg, who came to a violent end in the sixteenth century.

"I wait for judgment," she said, on one of the only two occasions on which she has been known to speak, and now indeed she has got it.

The Russian Court was haunted by many a ghost, of which the most famous is the wrath of the great Empress Catherine herself. The story is that this wrath began its haunting before the death of Catherine.

The Austrian Royal ghost is a Green Lady. If she has had to appear before every tragedy in the Austrian family during the past half century, she must have been sadly overworked.

The last actual record of her having been seen was after the death of the unfortunate Prince Rudolf, who committed suicide in company with the Baroness Marie Yseba.

Spanish Flu

Claims Many Victims in Canada and should be guarded against.

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Foundlanders' Triumphal March Towards Germany.

Murphy, the "Eye Witness," describes Some Impressions.

B. E. F. France, Dec. 12th, 1918.

Passing scenes of indescribable gloom and jubilation, the First Division of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment has been with the first of the British Troops to enter German territory. I joined the unit last month, preliminary steps in the journey to the Rhine had been taken. The fighting Division to which we were attached marched to a new camp, resting at night and advancing on the following morning. Everywhere troops were moving. Artillery, Transport and Machine Gun Companies, divisional bands, playing and our own drum and corps, under Corp. Cornick, were stirring calls as we swung into towns and villages. The British forces had not set foot on German soil since 1914.

Every house, every building, boasted a flag, but there were Union Jacks, Stars and Stripes, and the flags of all nations. The gates and fences were ablaze with colour; triumphal arches were erected at intervals, banners of welcome crossed the street and at each lamp post a flag was hung in effigy. At most of the larger towns a local band played at our heads, and all the while from the streets cheering and singing; some wept, little children ran into the ranks, shook your hands and disappeared into the surging crowd; women threw you flowers, and tossed their hats in the air, and every side were scenes of wild enthusiasm and thanksgiving.

The Claw of the Beast.
The civilians were most hospitable. Days of fighting for billets, stables seem to have passed. The family wanted to "mother" four of our boys; fires were burnt and tea steaming; it was a real contrast to the 1916-1917 campaign, draughty billets and by barns and lucky to get them. We heard many stories of the suffering and indignities to which the people were subjected while under German regime. We actually saw

two of the girls whose hands were mutilated by the beasts, others who had been openly maltreated; rooms battered and broken by German officers because they were refused billets; memorial cards of civilians shot by the invaders; school furniture that had been chopped and used as firewood, and many, many illustrations of barbarity and "kultur."

Released Prisoners.

On our march to one of the towns near Engis on the Meuse we met a number of prisoners taken by the Germans in the War. When the armistice was signed these soldiers were released and told to find their own way back to England. They were not supplied with food or transport; merely sent adrift at the mercy of the country, some of them were in a pitiable condition, but they were kindly treated by all the inhabitants of the villages through which they passed, so that when we met them they were beginning to pick up. I had a long chat with one of "Ours" Pte. Frank Skeans of George Street. He was captured near me at Monchy-le-Preux, and has had a varied experience since then. He is looking quite fit and well and the happiest member of the party.

Verviers en Fete.

King Carnival ran riot after our entrance into Verviers, a town of 60,000 people, about 20 miles from the German frontier. Our visit synchronized with the visit of Prince Albert; a Regiment of the Belgian Army also returned to the town for the first time since the War; all the bands, fraternal and patriotic societies paraded, and there was a gala demonstration of extraordinary brilliance and national fervour. At this latter function we met Sir E. W. Stevenson and Sir H. Perry Robinson of the London "Times." The last named correspondent wrote the splendid tribute to our Regiment after the Stenbeke engagement. He told me he was compiling some of the Divisions efforts in the War, and he felt convinced that the work of the gallant 29th with whom we fought so well, would stand out conspicuously in the history of the British Army.

Belge et France.

It is truly hard to realize what Belgium had endured unless one has been within the precincts of the towns held by the Boche for a long period—day strolling along the boulevard—I am impressed with the many black

bordered papers, signed by the Mayor displayed in practically every shop window. They told a story—a very sad and trying story—of civilians massed near Cluider and shot down without mercy of Auguste and Mathieu, killed at Fort de Chandon-taine, 13th of August 1914 of other sacrifices; but when the Allied troops entered the towns the parental sorrow was forgotten. Their sons had gone; but long live their Country! The house in which we slept had lost three boys in the early days when the flood of Hun barbarity swept across the frontier; but now the doors were open wide, lights were burning in rooms and hallways and a piano strummed merrily. It was a lesson in real patriotism.

To have been in the recovered streets of Brussels, Liege, Mervin; to have marched along into the conquered territory of Germany; to have witnessed with our own boys the dawn of a day of final—and let us hope everlasting peace has been worth all the personal suffering; all the individual pain.

L. C. MURPHY.

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES

9.00 A. M.

BOMBARDED BOLSHEVICS.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 6. British warships to-day returned to Riga, where the Rival bombarded, successfully, the Bolshevik quarters. Officers estimate that there are 40,000 Bolsheviks in Riga, inhabitants of the city number 200,000. A British warship has arrived in Freeport, on the western side of the outer harbor of Copenhagen, with 392 refugees from Riga. The refugees are of various nationalities, including five Americans, Prince Obolonsky and his family, and other Russian Princes and Princesses are in the party.

GERMAN QUIBBLING.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 6. Count Von Brockdorff Ranzau, the new German Foreign Minister, has issued a statement outlining his policy, but it has not reached Copenhagen. From comment in the Tageblatt of Berlin, it appears he declared that Germany must not yield to every Peace condition her opponents may wish to dictate. The Tageblatt adheres to the Ministers point of view, and says, "No peace must be signed which differs by the breadth

of a hair from the principles of President Wilson's fourteen points, which Germany has accepted and which the Entente willingly or unwillingly has signed."

ZIONISTS IN PARIS.

PARIS, Jan. 6. A Zionist delegation headed by Dr. Wismann, the British leader of the movement, has arrived here to present the plans of the organization relative to Palestine, to the Peace delegates.

FATAL MINE EXPLOSIONS.

METZ, Jan. 4. Seventy persons were killed as a result of an explosion of fire damp in a mine near here on Friday night. Several bodies have thus far been brought to the surface. Five men were killed and 21 entombed by a cave in, in another mine.

WILSON'S ITALIAN TRIP.

ROME, Jan. 5. President Wilson left for Paris, shortly after nine o'clock to-night, with the cheers of the Roman throng, that had gathered to witness his departure, ringing in his ears. His visit to the Italian capital had proved the busiest of his European trip, and it was the most demonstrative.

GORKY JOINS BOLSHEVICS.

ZURICH, Jan. 5. Maxim Gorky, the Russian author and revolutionist, has been elected a member of the Petrograd Soviet, according to Russian advices received here. Despatches in late November, reported that Maxim Gorky, who was at first opposed to the Bolsheviks, had joined them and accepted a position in the Bolshevik Department of Education.

LOOKING AFTER THE HUN.

LONDON, Jan. 5. The Paris newspaper, Echo de Paris, says that a wireless despatch from Nauen, Germany, announced that a committee of three Allied officers has arrived in Berlin from Spa, to superintend the carrying out of the conditions of the armistice, relative to German airships at Friedrichshaven and Interburg. The British and French experts, the newspaper adds, are agreed concerning the compelling of ordinary Zeppelin crews to bring the airships either to England or France. After the aircraft have been examined, and passed upon by competent authorities at special hangars which have been appointed to receive them, the procedure in the turning over of the airships will be the same as that followed in the surrender of German warships and submarines.

SINN FEIN DEMONSTRATIONS.

LONDON, Jan. 5. At seventy meetings, held in Sinn Fein in Ireland, resolutions were passed for the release of Sinn Feiners held in English jails. An organizer of a demonstration at Queenstown was arrested while going to address a crowd, and the populace stoned the police. Gavan Duffy, a prominent Sinn Feiner, speaking at Kingston, said the Sinn Feiners had been assured of outside help, which would surprise the Government and compel England to give way, if the Sinn Feiners were kept in prison.

NOON.

MORE TURKISH ATROCITIES.

LONDON, Jan. 4. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—It is authoritatively announced that the Turkish army, in withdrawing from its territory in the Caucasus region, has continued to commit outrages on the Armenians, in spite of the terms of the armistice. It is reported that individual Turks have acknowledged it to be their intention to deal a final blow to the Armenians, and to consummate the Turkish policy of exterminating this unfortunate race. An eye witness reports having seen Armenians cruelly beaten, and says that at one place he found the bodies of more than sixty women and children, upon the bodies of which tortures had been inflicted. The Turks have endeavored to carry away all available food and clothing and household goods, so that the fate of those who will escape immediate death appears to be certain. Homes are reported to have been destroyed, and inhabitants of many districts have been driven away by the thousands. Grain taken by the Turks was allowed to rot in the rath, and surviving Armenians were prevented from even touching it, under penalty of death, it is said.

GOVERNMENT IMMIGRATION COMMITTEE.

LONDON, Jan. 4. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—In view of the need for creating machinery to enable the Government to

deal effectively with emigration problems, likely to arise during the reconstruction period, the Secretary of State for the Colonies has appointed a Government Immigration Committee, under the Presidency of the Secretary of State, and the Chairmanship of the Under Secretary of State for the Colonies. The committee includes Lord Burnham and Sir Alan Anderson and a representative for women's interests. The new committee will, after January 14th, replace the managing committee of immigration information. Official continuity of the work will be secured by the appointments of the Chairmen of the Immigrants' Information Office, as Vice-Chairman of the new committee, and by Lord Burnham's appointment as a member.

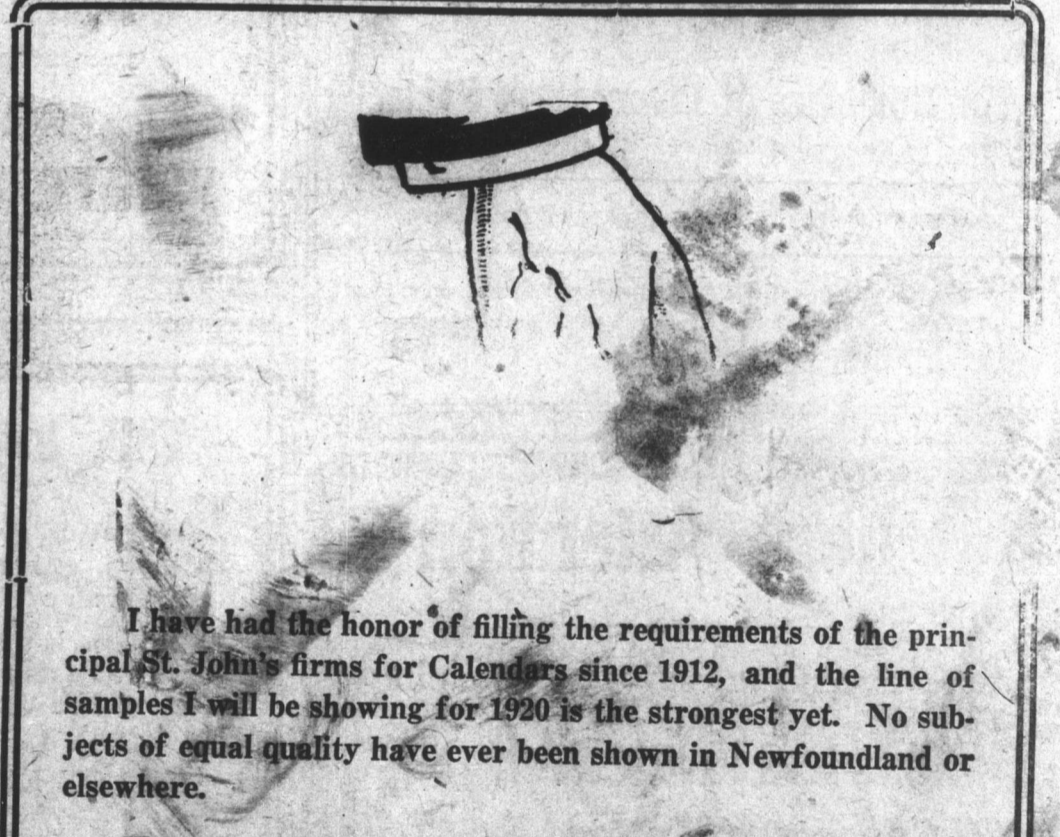
THE WORK OF THE PATROL SERVICE.

LONDON, Jan. 4. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—Following is an extract from a message sent by the Admiralty to the Auxiliary Patrol Service: From the commencement of the war the Auxiliary Patrol Service was charged with the sweeping up of mines, and in this hazardous duty has saved many ships, and earned the gratitude of the navy and the merchant marine. By sweeping up convoys, it has brought safely to port hundreds of ships, whose cargoes were of supreme value and concern to the British Empire and its Allies. When ships were mined, torpedoed or wrecked, auxiliary patrol vessels have been untiring in their efforts to rescue crews, and their seamanship, pluck and determination have resulted in the salvaging of many badly damaged ships. When an enemy submarine was reported, it fell to the auxiliary patrol service to hunt it by every available means, some involving the construction of highly technical apparatus, which the crews learned to handle with the greatest efficiency. Their various work around the world of the United Kingdom, in the North Atlantic, on the African coast, in all parts of the Mediterranean and Egyptian waters, members of the service have shown adaptability and endurance both for hazardous deeds and steady arduous effort. This new navy of small craft, created by the special needs of the war, has proved the vitality of the British instinct for the sea, and has helped to bring the war to a victorious conclusion.

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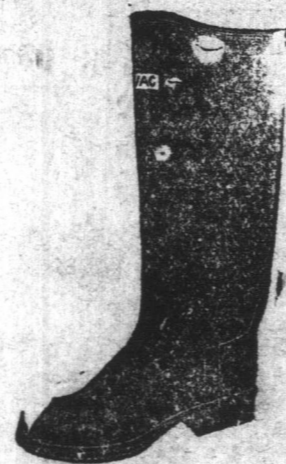
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