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CHAPTER I.

AFTER FORTY YEARS.

Hugh nodded, for no other reply was possible, because he did not want to interrupt the man, in whom he could not help feeling a strange and, as it seemed to him at that moment, an unaccountable interest.

"Yes, the country and I are both changed. I left it, young sir, when it was a miserable, do-nothing sort of a place; I, a penniless—well, plowboy, for I wasn't much better. I came back, forty years after, with twenty thousand pounds in my pocket and as fine an estate as any lord might wish to own, to find it a flourishing, money-getting country."

"Twenty thousand pounds," said Hugh, "and a fine estate are, indeed, a change from—"

"Plowboy," filled in the traveler, as he paused. "You're right; but it's the truth. Who's your greatest farmer about here now?" he added, turning to the smith.

"Squire Darrell, sir, at the Dale yonder; he be the largest farmer."

"How many head of cattle?"

"Nigh upon eight score," replied the smith, with pride. "It be a sought worth the seen' to watch 'em across the read."

The traveler burst into a short laugh.

"Eight score?" he repeated. "And you call that a farm? Why, man, 'twould disgrace one of our out-stations. Eight score! What say you to a thousand head, fifty fold 'o sheep, and a run of two hundred horses?"

The smith stared, then shook his head. He knew his place too well to challenge a customer's statement.

Hugh ceased smacking his leg with his whip, and raising himself to his full height fixed his dark eyes with an almost fierce scrutiny upon the speaker's face.

The sharp little eyes, however, met his unflinchingly, and standing forward, Hugh said:

"May I ask without rudeness, where your farm is situated?"

"You may ask, and I will answer you," replied the other. "My farm lies many thousand miles from here—in Antigua, near the Cape of Good Hope. I hold a cattle-run of twenty miles of pasture without stations; that would swallow up two of our

light, then turned to the smith and said:

"Who's that youngster?"

"That be Master Hugh, Squire Darrell's son," replied the smith. The settler whistled.

"The deuce!" he exclaimed. "He's a splendid young fellow; I don't think I ever saw a better or stronger limbed."

"It ain't like you should," retorted the smith, with a glow of pride. "Master Hugh's the strongest, handsomest gentleman you'd find within the country."

"I dare say, I dare say," returned the settler, thoughtfully. "He's wasted in this hole—wasted, wasted."

"That he be, sir; that he be," said the smith, warmly. "I've said it a score 'o times, and I'm thinking it won't be long, maybe, 'fore Master Hugh will be a-flyin' from the old nest; for the squire is enough to drive a cow skeered."

"What! Rather short, eh?" said the settler, stopping the tune he was whistling and halting in his walk to and fro in front of the forge.

"Short!" echoed the smith, with a grin. "That bein' the word. If you do come across the squire when he be out 'o temper you'll say he be short, indeed."

"Ah! He and Master Hugh don't agree, eh?"

The smith shook his head.

"Lolke cat and dawgs."

The settler thrust his hand in his pockets, with a queer smile, and went on with his tune.

The smith, taking the hint, punched the shoe and led the horse into the road.

"All right now?" asked the traveler.

"Here's half a sovereign for you—never mind the change. Good-night!"

Too astonished to return the salutation, the smith stared after him as he rode off at a sharp trot, and then turned into the smithy again.

Before he had reached the forge, however, the strange customer had returned, and, pulling up his steed at the door, said, with a hearty laugh:

"So the squire and the son don't hit it off very well?"

And before the smith could reply he turned, and rode off once more, this time for good, his sharp laugh ringing out behind him.

CHAPTER II.

AN OUTBURST OF WRATH.

The little good we do in all the years of life will scarce outweigh the follies of an hour.—HARDIS.

The morning after the conversation at the smithy with the Cape settler, Hugh Darrell awoke from a dream of a new and wonderful land—awoke with something like a sigh, for the Dale farm and domain lying beneath his bedroom window looked common-place and poor, and he turned from the thought of the unpleasant tete-a-tete with repugnance.

Was there not a great deal of truth in the stranger's taunt, that existence in such a hole as the Dale—eating, sleeping, and drinking, day after day, night after night—was but living a sluggish sort of life unworthy a man with youth, strength, and vigor in his grasp?

Antigua! The word had a double ring in it that made him enter the breakfast-room with a thoughtful face.

The squire was not down yet, and Hugh seated himself with his face toward the window from which he could see the golden fields and glittering meadows of the Dale stretching miles away.

Presently the squire came in.

He was a short, spare man, with all his irritability and bad temper written on his face, which was puckered and drawn with a perpetual frown of ill-humor.

"Good-morning, sir," said Hugh. The squire nodded and rang the bell.

"Coffee, or tea, sir?" asked Hugh, who always officiated at the breakfast table.

"Tea," said the squire. "I've a headache—always have after that old port, confound it!"

"Why do you drink it?" Hugh almost said, but thought it best to pause.

"Have you been down to the barn yet?" asked the squire.

No," said Hugh. "I am going after breakfast."

"I thought you said you'd go before," said the father, testily.

"So I did, sir," said Hugh; "but I am late and this is William's breakfast hour—it would be no use going when he's away."

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GREENWOOD HAS FULL POWERS.

LONDON, April 23. Sir Hamar Greenwood, speaking at a luncheon here, said that nobody as far as he knew questioned the Prime Minister's wisdom in appointing him to the high and difficult post of Chief Secretary for Ireland. The appointment would be gratifying to the dominions, especially Canada, which had always followed his career with great interest. "My appointment is without qualification, reserve or limitation. I have the fullest powers any Chief Secretary every enjoyed. I have no reason to think there will be any difficulty in having my view adopted by the Cabinet," stated Sir Hamar.

INDEPENDENT ARMENIA.

SAN REMO, April 23. Armenia is to be created an independent State. This decision was reached by the Supreme Council of Allies to-day, because neither the United States nor any other power was willing to accept a mandate over the country.

AMERICANS ASK PROTECTION.

WASHINGTON, April 23. American Government representatives in Mexico have asked for the dispatch of warships to that country to protect citizens and their property. The request came from Mazatlan and Topolobampo on the Pacific Coast and Monterrey on the Gulf Coast.

WARSHIPS SAIL FOR MEXICO.

LOS ANGELES, April 23. The cruiser Salem and a destroyer were ordered by Admiral Rodman, commanding the Pacific fleet to sail

immediately for Mexican waters at the offices of the Mexico California Steamship Co. here. It was stated that word had been received that the ports of Mazatlan and Topolobampo had been closed.

BARTLETT AND AMUNDSEN.

NEW YORK, April 23. Capt. Robert Bartlett, who commanded the Roosevelt on Peary's successful dash to the North Pole, to-day expressed the fear that something serious had "gone wrong with the Polar expedition of Capt. Ronald Amundsen, the discoverer of the South Pole, who has just reached Anadir. "Amundsen either has lost his ship or encountered some other mishap," Capt. Bartlett said, adding that if for nineteen months the Norwegian explorer has been travelling since he left Dixon Island, in the White Sea in September, 1918, he should have reached a point between the North Pole and Cape Chelsukin, on the northeastern Siberian coast, about 700 miles from the Pole.

REFUSAL CONFIRMED.

LONDON, April 23. The London Times to-day confirms Paris reports of yesterday that Premier Lloyd George and Nitti had urged that German representatives be summoned to San Remo for the purpose of revising the Treaty of Versailles, but that the proposal collapsed owing to French and Belgian opposition.

LUMBER VESSEL LOST.

ST. JOHN, N.B., April 23. Word received here is that the three-

masted schooner Samuel Castner, Jr., Capt. Thomas F. Clark, which left St. John last Saturday for New York with 232,604 feet of spruce boards, had struck on Swan's Island, Maine, and is a total loss.

CANADA AND ARMENIA.

OTTAWA, April 23. Reports that Canada has been offered a mandate for Armenia are authoritatively stated here to be without foundation.

THE CAILLAUX CASE.

PARIS, April 23. One feature of the penalty which will be inflicted upon Caillaux, former Premier of France, who yesterday was convicted of "commerce and correspondence with the enemy," will be the loss of his right to vote and eligibility to hold public office. This was decided upon by the Senate sitting as a High Court. When it resumed its sessions behind closed doors at ten-thirty o'clock this morning to discuss the text of the verdict, it was agreed that he should not lose his other civic rights. "They feared to make me the most popular corpse in France," said Mr. Caillaux to Maitre Moutet of his counsel, when the Attorney informed him last night of the verdict of the High Court.

U. S. ADMIRAL SUICIDES.

WASHINGTON, April 23. Rear Admiral Carlo Brittain, Chief of the Staff for Admiral Henry B. Wilson, commander of the Atlantic Fleet,

committed suicide by shooting himself yesterday while on duty with the fleet in Cuban waters. Admiral Wilson, in advising the Navy Department of Admiral Brittain's death, gave no reason for the Admiral's action. The body will be brought to the United States on the hospital ship Solace. Admiral Brittain's home was at Richmond, Kentucky.

APPEAL REJECTED.

NEW YORK, April 23. Railroad managers to-day rejected a direct appeal of strikers in New York District that they be restored to duty with full seniority rights and the strike be settled in the public interest.

VICE SUSPECT ACQUITTED.

NEW YORK, April 23. The jury in the Court of General Sessions, which heard the case of Colonel Augustus Brum Porter, former Third Deputy Police Commissioner, indicted in the New York vice war on a charge of neglect of duty, reported at 12.06 o'clock to-day, that it had been unable to reach a verdict. It was immediately discharged by Justice Malone. The jury was out nearly twenty-one hours. It was reported that the members stood nine to three for acquittal from the taking of the first ballot until they reported to court.

MEAT PACKERS INDICTED.

NEW YORK, April 23. Indictments, charging profiteering in meats, were returned to-day by the Federal Grand Jury in Brooklyn against the Chicago packing houses of Armour and Co., Swift and Co., and Wilson and Co. and their representatives here. Indictments were found on complaints by agents of the Department of Justice who have been investigating alleged profiteering here for several weeks.

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The Story of Bell Island, That
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Conception Bay.

By J. R. SMALLWOOD, Evening Telegram Staff.

PART ONE.
"A little world by itself" was what I mentally characterized Bell Island, when, last week, I landed on it for the first time and spent half a week there for the purpose of gathering material for this article. The very first impression received was the undreamed-of extent of what the people living thereon seem to love to call "The Rock." Having often viewed it from the bottom of Conception Bay, which was some distance away, the island appeared to be no more than a mere rock in the water. Yet it is six miles long, by an average width of two miles, giving a total superficial area of twelve square miles. The shores of the island are for the most part very abrupt, presenting mural cliffs all round, except at two points on the southern side of the island: The Beach and Lance Cove. These cliffs range from a hundred to three hundred feet in height, and the highest elevation of the island, inland, is 495 feet. The contour of the surface is comparatively level, or rolling. On the front, or that side facing the shores of the Bay, is found the aragonite-like portion, which the Bank, or that portion facing roughly out the Bay, is the industrial or mining section. Intervening are marshes and growths of young fir.

There is a small landing wharf on the Beach, facing Portugal Cove, and, back a little, a "slip." The land rises at a grade somewhat approaching that of Springdale Street, and two sets of rails, side by side, have been placed thereon. The passengers from the ferry-boat just step in from the wharf to the bottom of the steep grade and enter the car. This resembles an enclosed railway freight or box car, with a narrow compartment at either end for the ladies. On the ceiling there is a rail running along for the passengers to hold onto while the car is mounting the slip. As it goes up the second car comes down, both meeting about halfway. The fare on the slip is five and ten cents and the novelty of the thing makes it worth the fare. At the top of the grade, back a little, there is a "station," where everybody disembarks, the line extending no further inland. However, you are spared the walk across the island by the presence of a number of carriages which have been waiting there since the ferry put out from Portugal Cove.

The drive from the Front to the Back of the island will prove interesting. The road is covered with cinders, on account of the soft nature of the soil. The cinders, becoming crushed, make good roading. Practically every road on Bell Island is treated in this way.

Almost across the island is the thriving township of Wabana, where are situated the mines and companies' headquarters. Shops, stores, businesses, etc., and a moving picture house, public buildings, etc., are to be found in proximity. The name "Wabana," an Indian word meaning "The place where daylight first appears," was given the location in 1885 by Thomas Cantley, whose name is closely identified with the iron mines of Bell Island.

One of the first things to perplex the visitor is the way, apparently, the two companies are mixed and overlap each other. There are the Dominion Iron and Steel Co. and the Nova Scotia Iron and Steel Co. It is days before you can succeed in knowing the different claims. When you think that you are on the Dominion claim you may really be on the "Scotia." This difficulty does not present itself to the residents of the island, and gradually becomes less and less difficult even to the casual visitor.

Of the geological nature of Bell Island, and the section of Conception Bay in which it is found, I will say but little, first because the reader would not be interested in reading it, and second because I know little about it. Bell Island, with Little Bell Island and Kelly's Island, are the remaining portions above water of a great trough of Cambrian rocks, which extended from shore to shore, filling the area now occupied by the waters of the Bay. Although the mines which are to-day being worked existed there for thousands of years, their presence—or perhaps I should say that their extent—was not particularly known, although Anspach, in his history, published away back in 1819, mentions the fact of "an iron mine occurring at Back Cove, Bell Island." It was known around the Bay, however, that the rocks lying about the surface of Bell Island were extraordinarily heavy, and schooners used to come to it for ballast. Anchors were frequently made by enclosing the heavy "red rock" in frames of young fir trees, such as are often found in various places over the coun-

try to this day. It is said that the discovery of the real extent of the mines is due to the custom of taking rock from there for ballast. A schooner lying at a premises in this port, so the story runs, was having her ballast thrown upon the wharf. An English geologist, who happened to be standing nearby, saw in the ballast an iron ore of excellent quality. Taking some samples with him, he had them assayed in England, when their excellence was ascertained beyond doubt. The Scotia Company was the first to begin work—in 1885. To the original owners of the property the Company paid \$150,000. Four years later the Scotia Company sold out part of their claim to a (then) recently-formed company, the Dominion, for \$1,000,000. Since then both companies have been vigorously prosecuting the work of mining, and in twenty years, between them, they have exported about 18,000,000 tons—of which 12,000,000 of an average of six hundred thousand tons a year—came from the Dominion, and about six millions from the Scotia. For the first five years all mining was surface work, but for the last fifteen years it has been underground work, and seven slopes have been opened. Although such an enormous quantity of ore has been already exported from the island, the vast deposits there have been barely touched, for, as Professor Howley said, the ore bands, both on Bell Island and under water, contain the stupendous total of 2,535,543,860 tons. There is ore enough there to supply mining for generation after generation, "now and forevermore." The iron is red hematite, is of a very excellent quality, almost free from rock and very easily mined. It is claimed to be the best ore bed in North America. The ore is all in one great, wide bed, about ten to twelve feet in thickness, and beginning at about the centre of the island and running out under the water, roughly toward Hr. Grace and Carbonar. The mines, of which the Dominion has six and the Scotia one—one that runs out under the water for three miles—are all on that one wide bed, and lie parallel to each other, running out under the sea. The Dominion mines range from East to West, and the Scotia is situated between them.

As one mine is identical to another, and the system of mining is the same in all of them, I will tell about Slope No. 2, D.I.S. Co., down into which I went on Monday morning, of this week. Mr. J. MacNeil, the Assistant Manager, accompanied me and was kind enough to stay below with me for the whole morning, explaining everything in detail. To him I am indebted for this article, as without his ready information it could not have been attempted.

It would be the height of foolishness to go down the mines without first donning suitable clothes, so I rigged myself out in overalls, overall coat, long gum boots and the regular miners' carbide lamp. Below everything is red, and when you touch against anything that portion of you is certain to be colored by the dust of the hematite. A fact which will illustrate this is that the long rubber which I wore, a perfectly new pair, were quite red when I came up out of the mine, and although I was out several times while it was raining heavily, the color did not wash off, becoming, rather, even redder and more brilliant. Everything in connection with the mines is red. The miners' clothing, boots, face and hands, everything are red and practically everything on the Back of the Island is also red. It is the prevailing color.

So, our clothes on, and our carbide lamps lighted, we set out down the mine. Slope No. 2, which we entered, is the property of the D.I.S. Co. It is 5,200-feet long—nearly one mile. That would be as long as about from the Telegram Office up past the Station. A slope, I should explain, is simply a tunnel. It is square, or almost so, being ten feet high—the thickness of the orebed—and eighteen feet wide. This slope, opening into the ground for about four thousand feet back from the water, on the Back, runs out toward Hr. Grace, going under the water, at a grade of 15 degrees or a drop of nine feet in every hundred feet, or a total drop, in the fifty-two hundred feet, of about 350 feet. You do not notice this grade much going down—but coming up—well, it reminded me of walking up Blackhead Road. This slope is perfectly straight. Two sets of rails are laid on the floor of it, and the ore is hauled up to the surface in a train on one track, while the other track is used by empty trains returning for more ore. A train consists of seven open steel cars, each containing 17 tons—or altogether a load of roughly twelve tons. The seven cars are coupled together, and a heavy cable is attached to the one nearest the entrance. The other end of this cable, which is more than a mile long, is coiled around the drum of a great winch on the surface. When the seven cars are to be pulled up, the winch below signals to the winch-man by means of an electric bell. The winch is started and the seven cars, loaded with ore, is hauled rapidly up the slope. In this way an average of eleven hundred cars a day are brought to the surface. The number varies with the force of men working below, of course. However, 1,100 cars a day is a good average. There is a safety device to provide against

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accidents. If, by any chance, the cable should break or something else happen while the seven carfuls of ore are going up the slope, the cars would not dash down the track, in spite of the 15-degree pitch. On the last car there is a heavy bar of iron always dangling behind. The bottom end of it is pointed, and the instant the cars would start backward the bar would stick into the ground (because it reaches down to it) and overturn the cars.

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**The Founder of
German Aggression.**

Helmuth Karl Bernhard von Moltke, who died on April 24, 1891, was one of the three men—the others being Bismarck, the statesman, and Roon, the organizer—to whom the German Empire owed its late predominance. Born in Mecklenburg on October 26, 1800, Moltke acquired in boyhood, during the Napoleonic wars, a lasting hatred of France; but he was far advanced in years before circumstances enabled him to gratify it. At first, indeed, nothing seemed less likely, as he began his career in the Danish army, but seeing small prospect of advancement, he exchanged into the Prussian service in 1822. Thirteen years later he travelled in Asia, and acted temporarily as confidential adviser to the Turkish commander-in-chief; but, with this exception, practically all his active life was spent on the Prussian General Staff. In 1868 the Austro-Prussian war gave him his chance, and the victory of Konig-gratz (Sadpwa) established his fame as a strategist. Then, in 1870, came the French war, and the surrender of Napoleon III. at Sedan, together with the capitulation of Metz, caused him to be hailed as an infallible general. Errors, however, he did commit, but they were lost in the blaze of success; and for nearly half-a-century thereafter the Prussian system was regarded as Europe's model. Nor did any one dare to challenge its pre-eminence for the remainder of Moltke's life, which was given to the work of perfecting the great machine by which European liberties were to be threatened in 1914. The genius that is an infinite capacity for taking pains was Moltke's, but, happily, the weapon proved less formidable in more fumbling hands, and in little more than a quarter of a century after his death his lifework was destroyed and the German Empire shattered.

From All Quarters.

The blanket was first made and used by Thomas Blanket, a poor Flemish merchant, in 1340.

In a ton of water from the Atlantic there are 31lb. of salt as against 187lb. in the same quantity from the Dead Sea.

The largest stage in the world is that of the Grand Opera House in Paris. It is 160ft. wide, nearly 200ft. in depth, and 80ft. high.

The average battleship requires a crew of forty officers and 300 men, whose salaries, together with coal and provisions for one year, cost £2,105,000.

The Jewish population of the world is estimated at 15,490,000. Poland and the Ukraine each have 3,300,000, while there are 3,100,000 in the United States, 900,000 in Russia, and 300,000 in the British Isles.

Among the ancient trade secrets which the world probably never will learn are the Chinese method of making a brilliant vermilion colour and the Turkish method for insulating gold or silver on the hardest steel.

China had women soldiers long before they were known in Russia. During the Teeping rebellion in 1850, women as well as men served in the ranks. In Nanking, in 1853, an army of 500,000 women was recruited. They were commanded by women officers.

The position of Viceroy of India is one of the best-paid offices under the Crown, since the holder of office receives a monthly payment of 20,000 rupees. At the present high price of the Indian rupee this represents a comfortable stipend of over £25,000.

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Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

BUYING CIGARETTES FOR THE MAID.



RUTH CAMERON

A letter friend reminds me that in reckoning up the compensation which domestic helpers get, I have left out some items. She says: "You say that board and room should be added to wages in determining what payment the domestic helper receives. That is quite just, but you have forgotten some other items which, if she should have to pay for them herself, she would find would reduce her spending money somewhat."

Besides Her Wages. "For instance, the use of the telephone. In our home are my maid, my husband and myself. The maid has all use of the telephone and uses it as much as I do and much more than my husband does. The telephone costs me about \$30 a year. Suppose she paid a third, that would be \$10—no much, I know, but I feel pretty sure she would hate to pay it."

"Again she has the use of my sewing machine and of all the reading matter which we take into the house, including two daily papers and several magazines."

"She does her own washing and mending when she does mine, on time which would presumably belong to me. If she were a girl working in a factory or shop, and had to have that washing done out, it would cost her at least \$1.50 a week, for she always has one or two fancy white waists and a white petticoat or some fancy underwear."

Company To Meals. "Every now and then she has company to meals. If she were a factory girl, paying out money from her wages for board, she would have to pay extra for this company, of course. I do not mean to suggest that I begrudge her the right to entertain occasionally, or any of these privileges; but simply to make plain that if you are going to reckon things in cold cash, these are some of the things that should be counted."

"I think my reader friend's analysis is excellent. I want to tell her and

others interested in this problem about one of the claims they have not yet had to face. A newspaper despatch from Italy (I will not vouch for its accuracy, declares that maid servants have held a mass meeting there and have unanimously adopted a resolution to demand a fortnight's vacation with double pay so that they may go to the various watering places, and also an allowance of two cigarettes a day.)

I suppose we should be thankful that we don't have to buy cigarettes!

But Seriously— Seriously, in considering this problem, it is simply one of supply and demand. So long as demand exceeds supply, the people who want help will bid up the compensation by bidding against each other both in wages and privileges. There are just two ways of meeting such a situation. One is to decrease the demand by substituting electrical devices, community cooking, etc., for the domestic helper. The other is to increase the supply by attracting workers from other fields into this work.

How can this be done? The wages are already enormously attractive. Presumably then there are some other objections to the work. We all know what they are—uncertain hours, no chance to live at home, and a lowered social status. If these things can be adjusted, the problem will automatically adjust itself. I wonder if they ever can?

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CLIMATE.
I travel east, I travel west, to find the smoothest climate; and when at last I've found the best, no doubt I'll detestfully rhyme it. I travel north, I travel south, and find the folks complaining; for here there is a beastly drouth, and there it's always raining. I sit me down beside the sea to write some soulful stanzas, and fogs come up and smother me, and make me yearn for Kansas. Up on the mountain's brow I sit, and view the valleys under, and then the storm fiend throws a fit, with hail and sleet and thunder. I traverse lands across the foam, from Cork to the Nyanzas; and all things say, "You're far from home," and make me sick for Kansas. And Kansas climate is the worst that e'er the Lord invented, with cold and heat and winds accursed—but there I'm most contented. For there my friends are drilling round, the slowest and the quickest; and where my dearest friends are found, the climate is the slickest. I travel up and travel down, to find an earthly heaven, and always sigh for my old town, dimensions, five by seven.

Just Folks by Kasar A. Guest
THROUGH YOUR WINDOW.
If you stand before a mirror, yourself is all you see, But looking through a window there are sky and living things, There are sunshine and the roses and the splendor of each tree, And happy men and women and the mocking bird that sings.
There is life strewn all about you, in the humblest plant and vine, There's a touch of glorious beauty if you'll only turn your eyes. Oh, the whole world lies before you to its far horizon line, With life's struggle ever moving, filled with interest and surprise.
If you stand before a mirror, you will only see your face, But get you to a window and you'll see your neighbors pass, You will look on living creatures, each one happy in his place, And catch a broader vision than is prisoned in your glass.
Oh, your mirror makes you selfish, but your window sets you free, It shows you greater marvels than your hands shall ever do, It tells you that you're living here in glorious company And lets you catch a vision of the God who fashioned you.

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In a series of tests of aluminium cooking utensils to see how various foods affect them, Professor John Glaister, of Glasgow University, has found that the only substances which attack an aluminium surface are oranges, lemons, brussels sprouts and tomatoes. But even in these cases the quantity of aluminium dissolved was so slight that it could have no effect whatever on either the wholesomeness or the flavour of the food.
Aluminium is not affected by air at any temperature, and it does not blacken as silver does. Another of its advantages lies in the ease with which it can be cleaned.
Dishes made of aluminium are the most economical, because the metal is so thin that it heats up very quickly. When gas cookers are used this means a considerable saving, as less heat is lost in warming up the material of the vessel. This is particularly true in the case of boiling water.
A sober hat of black flauits a flaming cockade at the front of it. Both the flaring and the perfectly straight tailfeurs are smart.
A novel mummy cloth is most appropriately used for Egyptian gowns. Overblouses in very brilliant colors are worn with pleated silk skirts. Embroidery in metal thread and metal laces are used on tulle foundations.
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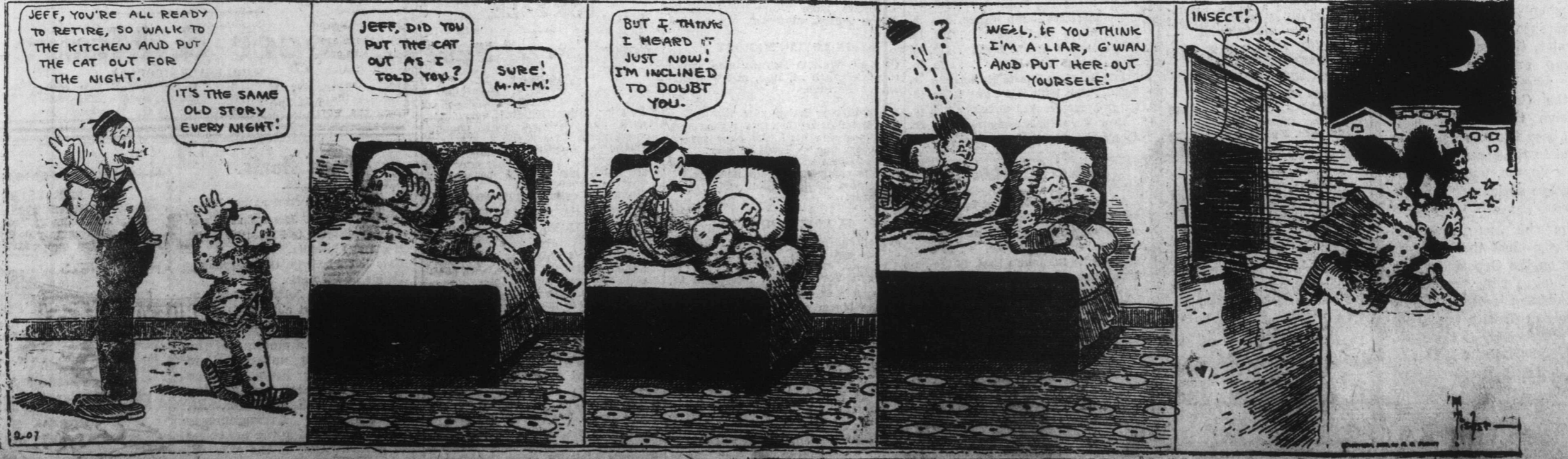
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BUTT AND JEFF— IT HAD BEEN THE SAME STORY EVERY NIGHT, BUT THE WORM TURNED. By Bud Fisher.



In Our Greatest Need!

To be Companion of the Order of St. Michael and St. George—Lieut.-Col. Cluny Macpherson. (This Honour was awarded in 1918 in respect of War Service performed when Colonel Macpherson was attached to the R.A.M.C. under the War Office. His suggestion of a Gas Helmet was described by the War Office as a great assistance to the troops during a critical period.)

There've been some titles pelted round
That hit like shells at random,
And made us sometimes to suspect
Some imp had had a hand in;
But one we heard of yestere'en
Was given to a person
Who won his war-time honour clean,
That's Cluny, "Doc" Macpherson,
Now K.B.E.

When o'er the field of battle swept
The stench of poison gases,
The Hunnish breath of deadly Hate—
That hellish hate surpasses;
Then rose, yes, from amongst "Our Own!"
Our peerless Newfoundlanders,
A brave and gallant gentleman
Who on the fields of Flanders
The Death breath stayed.

He didn't come on charger white,
All banners, neighs and prances,
Like to the famed young ladies' knight
We read of in romances;
"With light of morning on his brow
And other costly trappings";
But just a man in khaki clad
Who understood what happens
When boys are gassed.

He went to work forthwith and made
A mask, no, 'twas no beauty;
But wondrous was the part it played
Where men were called to duty.
'Twas proved in many a deadly trench—
In many a bloody hollow—
How well it could repel the stench
And aid our troops to follow
The blighter foe.

So here's a wish sincere, that you
Be spared long years to wear it,
And those that to your life are dear
May they be near to share it.
And last, when for the country's good
Men truly strive to serve it,
Should honors crown their deeds, I hope
That they as well deserve it
As you, this day.

St. John's, April, 1920.

—D.C.

The Latest Catchword.

"Good-bye for the present," said my lady friend, gathering up her vanity bag and half a dozen chateleine trifts off the luncheon table. "I'll see you later at The Royal Stores."

I was taking the day off and it was the third time I had heard the same remark that morning. First at the Post Office, then later at the Club—where I went to change a couple of books—and then again at the Restaurant, where I had casually met the lady with whom I lunched.

My curiosity was aroused. What was it that was attracting everyone to St. John's Big Store, I wondered. Of course I realised that The Royal Stores was the most popular meeting place in the city; set as it was on Water Street and within reach of everywhere. But I also realised that there must be something more than mere convenience of location to attract fair femininity there. I determined to go and see what it was for myself.

I went down with the intention of just strolling through the store, seeing what was to be seen and spending an idle quarter of an hour, at the most, to satisfy my curiosity. But the visit proved so interesting that instead of spending a quarter of an hour I stayed the entire afternoon, for the Royal Stores presents an Eldorado to the shopping public; it combines all the best points of a shop and a store in one. Here you can see the widest choice of wearing apparel—for both sexes—to be seen in St. John's. In every department you find the pick of the Season's Styles shown so that customers can see them with the maximum of satisfaction and the minimum of trouble. Here you can compare styles from England, United States, Canada and France, and take in at a glance the fine points that prove so alluring in each.

You can stroll through each department at your ease without being crushed, you can walk everywhere, see all the new goods and get acquainted with the New Styles in half the time it takes to read about them. You meet all your friends and acquaintances under ideal conditions. Small wonder that "Meet me at The Royal Stores" has become a popular catchword with the buying public of this city.—GLEANER.

Here and There.

White Cheese Cloth, 36 ins. wide, only 12c. yard at W. FREW'S, Water St.—apr24,31,eed

The only fault about Brick's Tasteless, it makes you eat, and food is very high at present. apr14,tf

We learn that Detective Whelan has resigned from the force and is leaving at the end of the month for his home town, Placentia.

During Dr. Howlett's absence his practice will be continued by Dr. Davies of Pictou, N.S. apr24,31

SOLD OUT BUSINESS.—Mr. W. McKay Chambers, merchant of Hr. Buffett, Placentia Bay, has sold out his business and will in future live in St. John's.

Wool Nap Blankets, extra large and superior quality, only \$7.80 pair. W. FREW, Water Street.—apr24,31,eed

WEATHER AND ICE CONDITIONS.—Wesleyville: Wind east, strong breeze; ice coming in. Greenspond: Wind S.E., strong breeze; ice running in bay.

Now showing new stock of Boys' Jerseys in assorted sizes and colors. Price \$2.50 up, at W. FREW'S, Water Street. apr24,31,eed

FISH EXPORTERS MEET.—A meeting of the Fish Exporters, to consider a bill in connection with their business was held in the Board of Trade rooms this forenoon.

A Grand Dance will be held at St. Andrew's Club Rooms, Smallwood Building, Duckworth St., on Wednesday, 28th April, at 8 o'clock. Ladies', 50c.; Gent's, 75c.—apr22,31,th,s,m

"AT HOME."—Mrs. Joseph P. O'Driscoll will be "At Home" to her friends at the residence of her parents, Circular Road, on Monday and Tuesday of next week.—apr24,11

SPRING OPENING

Men's Footwear!

We are making a Specialty of Men's High Grade Boots and Shoes. To-day is our Opening, and we shall take the greatest pleasure in showing the season's Choicest Shoes to all callers.

We were fortunate in securing a quantity of these High Grade Gentlemen's Boots and Shoes at a price lower than could be quoted to-day.

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To-day's Messages.

A SPECIAL GRANT.

TORONTO, April 23. The Colleges Special Fund of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars, which it is confidently expected will be provided by the Methodist National Campaign, has been altered by resolution of the Board of Education of the Methodist Church. It includes Mount Allison University, Sackville, eighty thousand and the Methodist College, St. John's, Nfld., fifteen thousand.

GERMAN BLUSTER.

BERLIN, April 24. (By the Associated Press.)—Dr. Karl Helfferich, former Vice Chancellor, during a speech at Hanover on Thursday, aroused his hearers to enthusiasm when he attacked the Government's Foreign policy. Amid applause he declared the Government ought to have retaliated for the French occupation of Frankfurt by breaking off diplomatic relations with France and stopping delivery of materials called for by the Peace Treaty. At the conclusion of Dr. Helfferich's remarks, the gathering, which numbered five thousand persons, sang "Deutschland-Uber-All."

NITTI'S DECLARATION.

SAN REMO, April 23. "You will have war in Asia Minor, and Italy will not send a single soldier nor pay a single lire," said Signor Nitti, Italian Premier, in an interview to-day, following a critical analysis by him of the Turkish peace treaty. "You have taken from the Turks their sacred city of Adrianople," said Signor Nitti, "and you have placed their capital city under ter-

rain control. You have taken from them every port and the larger part of their territory, and five Turkish delegates, whom you will select, will sign the treaty which has not the sanction of the Turkish people or of the Turkish parliament."

Baseballers

Getting Ready.

C.E.L. Making Application for Entrance to League.

The 8th annual meeting of The St. John's Amateur Baseball League will be held in the Board of Trade Rooms on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, at which last year's business will be finalised and the election of officers and officials will be held.

The H. A. Allen Championship Cup won by the Red Lions will be presented to them, as well as the H. D. Reid Mt. Cashel Cup to the Clubs who are now the outright owners of this magnificent trophy.

This year promises to be the most successful in the annals of the League as new and experienced material for all the clubs is available. Additional interest is manifested by the fact that the Church of England Athletic Association has made application for entrance, which will mean a 5 club league. The "Institute" boys have been noted for their good sportsmanship in all branches of our local athletics, and will have the hearty support of the fans when they appear on the diamond.

We also understand that at the request of the youngsters the matter of the formation of a Junior League will be discussed.

All players and enthusiasts are cordially invited to be present at the meeting. The club delegates and executive will meet at 7.30 to prepare their reports.

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Shipping Notes.

The Rosalind arrived at Halifax at 6 o'clock after a run of 39 hours from this port.

S.S. Sabie I. sails this evening on her regular service.

S.S. Edmund Donald leaves Halifax to-night for here.

Campbell McKay's vessel Agnes P. Duff, Capt. J. Whelan, arrived in port yesterday afternoon in ballast, 42 days from Macao.

S.S. Cabotta, which left here Thursday morning for Heart's Content, arrived there last evening.

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Talks by Tiberius.

THE PROHIBITION ACT — DOES IT PROHIBIT?

It seems to me that the question of Prohibition has come to stay. It is probably one of the most debated and debatable of questions and ever calls for calm, sober judgment, and treatment. The fanatic on any subject is liable to do more harm than good. On the whole, people are not fanatics. There may have been instances on record in History where people, en masse, have been carried away by some fanatical conception. The Children's Crusade for the reclamation of the Holy Land from the Unspeakable Turk may be cited as an example.

Yet, notwithstanding the exception, the average intellect and enthusiasm may be said to be bounded by sanity and safety. The Prohibition fanatics, have not, very much, helped the cause. I shall endeavour to deal with the subject now—calmly, impartially and in view of every possible position which may be taken up by anyone.

The question is: Does the "Prohibition Act," prohibit?

THE PROHIBITION ACT—ITSELF.

In spite of anything that might be said to the contrary, it must be admitted that the Act, as a piece of legal literature, is not perfect. Let it be now well understood that I am dealing with the Newfoundland Prohibition Act. The first thing I say in relation to it is: it is not perfect as a piece of legal literature. An eminent lawyer has repeatedly said so in

court. The fact that it is so easily and successfully evaded is another proof. Everybody now knows that essences and dopes can be imported without any danger of criminal proceedings, and men and women can get drunk as often as they like, and if they do not commit a breach of the peace, their drunkenness is not punishable by law, providing that they can prove their inebriation to be caused by some essence. The records of the St. John's Central Count (which is presided over by Judge Morris), dating since the famous Soper case, will afford ample proof also of this. The doctors also have found a loop-hole in the Act, and though on paper, they seem to be bound and limited by regulations and laws, yet we all know that it is through the doctors that most of the liquor is gotten which fact, is largely responsible for the drunks referred to. A constable will hesitate to prosecute a case of drunkenness unless he is pretty sure of a conviction. In one session recently twelve cases of drunkenness were before Judge Morris, but all the charges were dismissed. What encouragement have the police to do their duty. None. Simply because the wording of the Act is faulty, so it is said.

NO PERFECT LEGISLATIVE ACTS.

But are not all Acts and Laws literally imperfect? Was there ever a Government which framed any bill legally and literally perfect? No. Was there ever a lawyer that could interpret any law in perfect sympathy with all the fellows in his profession?

Again I say; no. A lawyer is paid to interpret the Statutes of his country in the best interests of his client and he usually earns what he gets. The law against murder is not literally perfect, and yet not one in these days and parts kills another without criminal proceedings, and executions, if guilty. The Prohibition Act is not literally perfect, yet it is violated, and that without punishment to the one who violates it. The literary phase has nothing to do with the carrying out of the Act evidently. If a man commits murder the public demand life for life, and the Act which says "thou shalt not kill" is respected and carried out. If a man imports liquors containing over 2 per cent. alcohol he violates the Prohibition Act, I take that to include essences and dopes as well as the generally recognized spirituous liquors, i.e., any liquors containing over 2 per cent. alcohol. If the public demanded the punishment of the importer, he would be punished. The public, however defend the importer. Church meetings are held in which the importer is held up to be an exemplary citizen. Result: The Prohibition Act does not prohibit.

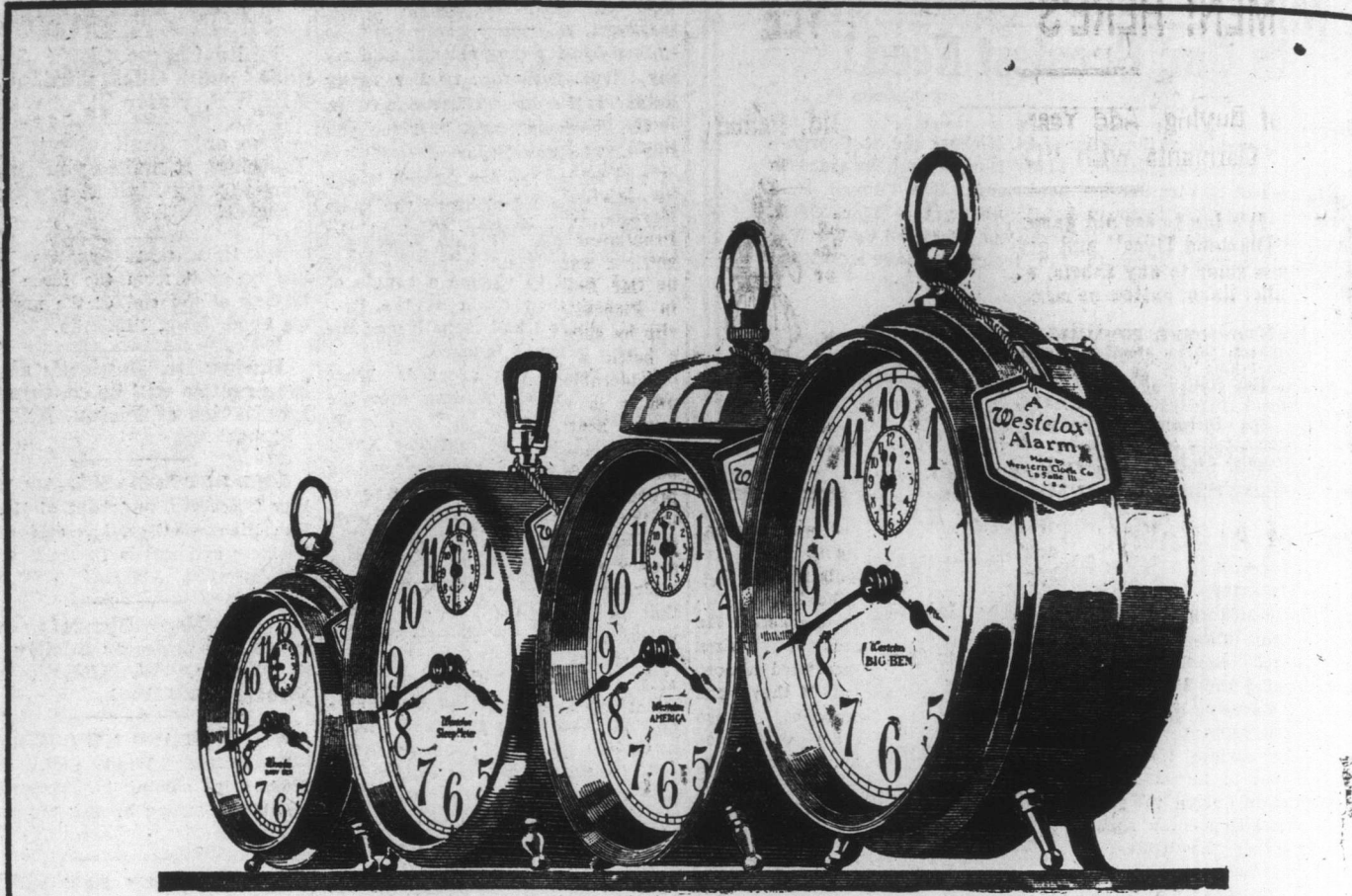
THE ACT OF THE GOVERNMENT.

If it is a crime to violate the Prohibition Act in spirit, the official Government through the Department of the Controller, is a criminal of the worst type. There are only two reasons for there being a Controlling Department at all and those are given in the Act. Anything beyond that is illegal:—To supply druggists with sufficient spirits with which to meet the demands of the prescriptions from the Medical men. The medical men in turn are again controlled with regard to quantities of liquor which they may prescribe. The second reason is to supply priests with wine for "Sacramental Purposes." Now both these reasons are valid and good, let it be granted so at any rate. But any one can give a fair guess as to how much alcoholic liquors this country can need, honestly, in medicinal quantities. It is also an easy guess as to how much the clergy honestly need for Sacramental Purposes. Add these together, plus any extra quantity for engineering purposes, subtract the total from the amount imported by the Controller's Department, and you get the quantity of booze which is imported, and which is distributed, in violation of the Prohibition Act, by the official Government. What is more, you will get a surprise as to the quantity which is thus illegally imported by the Government. I shall not say anything at present about how a city editor fills out his Doctor's Book of Prescriptions for Booze, or how the First Minister of the Crown, has, on occasions, entertained his friends in private and in public, on the result of "scripts," which he himself has made out. It would be highly disgusting and entertaining to see some of the scripts which the Controller has filled within the past three years. The present Controller is too kind hearted to refuse to fill out a script, even when it is illegally made out. What a dear kind man he is, to be sure! Still,—still,—the Prohibition Act does not prohibit; because the official Government violates it. What can be the expectation. The Prohibition Act is not acted.

THE ACT AND THE PROHIBITIONIST.

When the last count came in from St. Barbe District, which showed that at least 40 per cent. of the voters of the country desired Prohibition, a great cry went up to High Heaven. Drunkards thanked God that the doors of open temptation to drink were closed. Mothers and fathers rejoiced together that at last their sons and daughters could walk Water Street and Duckworth Street or any other Street and not be tempted by the open saloon. Wives who who had suffered with their children on account of drunken husbands, empty purses, insufficient food and clothing, were made happy with the thought that at last Newfoundland was dry. Their outlook on life was made very much brighter. Business men and employers of labour, quite probably and properly looked forward to less trouble on account of men losing time and strength and efficiency by frequenting the "bar." A wonderful organization had sprung up and every member of it was enthusiastic about the thing. A great wave of moral intensity swept everything before it. Congratulations are due to the Central Prohibition Committee. To all the committees and to all the noble men and women who helped to make the fight a splendid victory.

BUT ALAS AND ALAS. The hour of triumph is often the weakest hour of the victor. The victory won, the enthusiasm dies; the Central Committee disbanded; the Temperance forces cease to be. The end is attained. The law is on the Statute Book. Peer and the others go fishing, and the rest go cutting wood, and the Prohibition sentiment suffers its first shock. There is no one to see that the "Act" is carried out, no one to keep the fires burning. Down goes the Temperance stocks. And what is worse, among the persons prosecuted by a faithful and courageous Superintendent of Police for violations of the Prohibition Act, are those who figured most prominently in the Prohibition Campaign. Then the Prohibition Act does not prohibit. Don't blame



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the Act, blame the actors. The Act may be as right as right, but unless its chief exponents support it by obeying its provisions, of what service is it?

THE "ACT" AND THE PEOPLE.

Everybody knows that the Prohibition Act is on the Statute Book. Everybody does not know about the anti-sweeps law, and the anti-cigarette—to taverns—law, but such a great furore has attended all the successful campaigns in behalf of Temperance that all must have known about them, and certainly all knew of the Prohibition Act. Law-abiding and law-loving citizens will respect a law of the land, especially if it has been brought about by the expressed will of the people. Yet one cannot but be impressed with the fact that the very people who have made demands for a Prohibitory law, have made, and

do make themselves very busy, searching for ways and means by which to avoid the provisions of the very act which they were so eager for but three years ago. I met a man a few days ago who was more than sober; his breath smelled of Vanilla and some other stuff. He was arguing for the abolition of the Prohibition Act and contending that it had failed owing, to what he called, "Prohibition Hypocrites." He was too much of a fool to see that the Prohibition Act was failing because he and others would not let it succeed. They so love the "Distilled Damnation" that even their ordinary and usual respect for law, failed them in connection with this one law. Do not blame the Act my friend, blame the actors. The law is good and the Prohibition Act would prohibit if the people would not violate it.

Admitted the law is not literally perfect; our answer is, no law is, even that which is best observed. Admitted the Prohibition Act does not prohibit. There are two good reasons why, viz:—

(a) The Prohibitionists have gone out of business for the most part. Only an occasional voice is heard on the desert air.

(b) The people are not law abiding. Let the Prohibitionists get busy with their organizations and their enthusiasms; and let the people love the law and obey it, and the Prohibition Act will prohibit, and ought to do.

The Copenhagen police convey any person found intoxicated in the street to his home in a cab, the fare being charged to the establishment where the liquor was served.

'Three Acres and a Cow.' Will He Become Champion?

The name of that veteran politician, Mr. Jesse Collings, who recently celebrated his 89th birthday, will, of course, always be associated with the cry "Three acres and a cow," which arose through his agitation in Parliament for better benefits for agricultural labourers.

He has always had their welfare at heart, for his grandfather worked as a labourer at 8s. a week, while his mother, as a girl, earned 6d. a day on a farm and ultimately became the mother of eleven children.

The phrase, by the way, has led to many amusing incidents. Mr. Collings was discussing in Parliament a housing scheme for the East End of London, and was arguing that each building should be composed of three rooms when Dr. Tanner evoked a roar of laughter by inquiring:—
"And where would you put the cow?"

The most remarkable fact about Tom Newman, who at twenty-five promises to win the billiards championship, is that he is practically self-taught.

"As a boy," he told me, "I had the run of a billiard room in my father's hostelry. I suppose I must have had some natural aptitude, for at eleven I was making breaks of over 100; at thirteen breaks of 200; and then beat all my records in one match by making 610."

Top-of-the-table play is Newman's strong point, and in this connection he told me this story. "I was playing a match in Edinburgh, and was in great form at the top of the table as I left the saloon I overheard a spectator say to another, 'Say, Jack, the reason we can't play billiards is that we play at the wrong end of the table.'"

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St. George's Grateful

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Editor Evening Telegram
Dear Sir,—The people of St. George's have been deeply touched by the graceful tribute paid to our beloved dead Bishop by your townsman Charles E. Hunt, Esq., published in the Easter Emerald, and entitled, "Easter at St. George's."

It is surprising how good writers, particularly the poets, pick out the essentials.

Mark how unerringly Mr. Hunt has selected the essentials. This is the fourth verse of the beautiful little poem; and perhaps the Telegram may be able to gratify its hosts of readers by publishing the beautiful poem in full:—

"The poor, the sick, the aged,
The oppressed
Ever had found in him a loyal friend,
Eager to aid and succor the distressed,
Unselfish to the end."

Yours truly,
A. J. O'REILLY.

St. George's, April 1920.
[The poem referred to, will be found elsewhere in to-day's issue.—Ed.]

Amateurs at Hr. Main.

The Harbor Main Amateur Theatrical Troupe will stage in the Academy Hall at Harbor Main on the 25th inst., at 8 p.m., the four act Irish play, entitled "Innisfall." The cast has been carefully selected, and the ability of the local troupe is so well known that there is little question but that the affair will be a success. The Misses Parsley, Joy and Kennedy, and Messrs. John M. Woodford, Chas. Furey, Richard Fewer, Jas. Lawson, P. D. Woodford and Jas. Furey are taking the different parts, and a splendid rendition is promised. Songs and recitations will be interspersed throughout the programme, to which Mr. J. Woodford from Hr. Main and Capt. Leo Murphy from St. John's will contribute.

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Personal.

Mr. Ralph Burnham who had been in hospital undergoing treatment for injuries to his knee, received while overseas with Ours has been released from the institution.

Lieut. W. M. Dooley, who is at present managing editor of the Morning Sun of Yuma, Arizona, made a trip along the Mexican border recently in an aeroplane, accompanied by Col. Mayo of the United States army. During the war, Mr. Dooley was a paymaster in the quartermaster corps and was stationed at Charleston, South Carolina.

Terrible Weeping Eczema

For the year 1909, I suffered with weeping eczema on my hands which caused me very much pain and worry for I could not use my hands for but very few things. I tried many remedies but they all failed to give me any relief and I was obliged to give up my work and came south at the same time continuing to use any preparation recommended to me, but my hands continued to get worse until I was told to try D.D.D. Prescription, also soap, which I at once did on the first two or three applications gave me the greatest relief and when I had used but half a dollar bottle my hands were healed. I am indeed very thankful for your splendid prescription and may its fame spread world wide, is the wish of,
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Obituary.

MONSIEUR GEORGES LEFEVRE.
Monsieur Georges LeFevre died suddenly at his home, St. Pierre, Miquelon, on Wednesday evening. Deceased, a prominent business man of that place, was a brother of Madame Edouard Bidel, of this city, and was well known to the shipping trade of this country as the senior member of the LeFevre Freres Hardware Stores. His wife (nee Mile. Marie Sohier), three sons, Georges, Francois, Jean, a brother, M. Joseph LeFevre; and a sister, Madame Edouard Bidel, are left to mourn. For eight years the late M. LeFevre was Superintendent of the St. Pierre Volunteer Fire Department. In appreciation of his services in the connection he was awarded a special gold medal by the French Government. He was accorded a state funeral to-day in recognition of his public service as a Councillor. To the sorrowing relatives the Telegram extends sympathy.

AT THE BALSAM.—The following are guests at Balsam Place:—Dr. George Baggs, Millertown; F. O. Pike, Carbonar; Chas. Snelgrove, Catalina; Thos. LeFevre, Burin; W. H. Greenland, Cokey's Point; Dr. and Mrs. Davies and child, Salt Springs.

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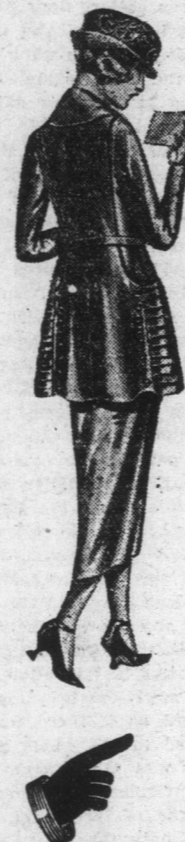
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ANNUAL FESTIVAL.

The annual Festival of the G.F.S. was held on Thursday, April 22nd. There was a celebration of the Holy Communion in the Cathedral at 7 a.m. when His Lordship the Bishop gave a very helpful address. In the evening a social gathering was held in the Synod Hall, at which we were very pleased to welcome Miss Haslam, the W.P.A. social service worker, who spoke a few words, enlisting the interest and sympathy of the Society in her work.

A short programme was much enjoyed, Mrs. Colville, the Misses Mary and Joan Rendell, and Miss Marguerite Mitchell giving a very clever and amusing sketch, Mrs. A. Winter and Miss J. Dunfield delightful songs, 3 of the G.F.S. candidates: Stella Hemmons, Bessie Williams and Gladys Parsons danced and sang very nicely. The programme being finished, the Bishop distributed the prizes to the following members:

- Scripture—Viola Coaker.
- Writing—Phoebe Porter, Carrie Powell, Ethel Saunders, Isabel Saunders, Selina Bartlett, Lizzie Andrews, Gertrude Cardwell, Mary Skinner, Annie Martin, Alice Lundrigan.
- Shorthand—Mary Frost, Elsie Duffett, Chalfield Leonard.
- Work for sale—Maud Roberts, Minnie Winsor, Belle Gosse, Julia Lamb, Effie May.
- Darning—Olive Bird, Mollie Moss, Emma Butler, Edith Kelloway.
- Attendance—Viola Coaker, Gertrude Cardwell, Selina Bartlett, Effie May, Olive Bird.

Longest in one situation—Elsie Stone, Ethel White.
Bonus on Savings—Emma Butler, Ethel White.

The prizes were given by Mrs. White, Lady Horwood, Lady Bowring, Mrs. Bolt, Mrs. Brehm, Miss Branscombe, Mrs. Clift, Mrs. F. Carter, Mrs. H. D. Carter, Mrs. Tasker Cook, Miss S. Carter, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. William C. Job, Mrs. A. O. Hayward Mrs. F. W. Hayward, Mrs. P. H. Knowling, Mrs. Outerbridge, Mrs. H. Rendell, Mrs. Gordon Winter.

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I have the honor to be,
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Private Secretary.
Sir M. P. Cashin, K.B.E.,
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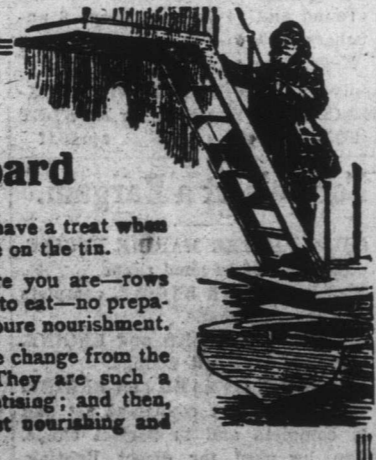
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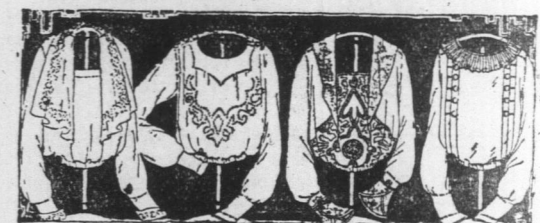


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At the City Hall.

The regular weekly meeting of the Municipal Council was held on Thursday evening, at eight o'clock. The Mayor presided and all the Councillors were present.

After the preliminary business of the meeting was concluded, the following matters received attention.

A special appraisal of new houses was ordered to be gone on with. Decided to advertise that four houses are still available on Quidi Vidi Road, nearly ready for occupation, for approximately \$2,000.00.

The Secretary was authorized to see the Manager of the Savings Bank regarding the proposed increase of interest on a small loan, made at that Bank, some years ago.

The Secretary of the Public Works Dept. requested permission to have a light placed in front of the Post Office Building, on Water Street. The matter was referred to the City Engineer, to give the proper location. City Engineer was also authorized to report on the application for a light in front of Wesley Church.

J. C. Wheeler offered \$500.00 down, and \$250.00 yearly for one of the houses on Quidi Vidi Road. This is to be figured up.

A lengthy communication was received from the Gas Co., showing the amount of money they had paid as a coal Tax, and dividends they had paid for a certain number of years, the expenditure on Capital Account from the year 1910-1919 and further expenditure is necessary. They also dealt with the manner in which the streets were opened for repairs to gas mains. The Council will take the whole matter into consideration, with the possibility of effecting a compromise.

J. M. Tobin, Sec. of the Hockey League, wrote that the hockey matches were not subjected to a Tax, as no profit was derived from them.

W. A. B. Slater wrote as to water main in front of his house, and asked attention to same. Inspector Rooney is to be instructed to attend to this, as well as to seeing that lavatories are installed in certain houses on Water Street South.

L. M. Trask, 140 Water Street, applied for a permit to install an electric motor. Matter stood over. Decided, on the application of A. E. Carter, to have some work done to the piling which supports the road near Sim's property, King's Bridge.

The following permits were ordered to be granted M. E. Martin, to erect a fence on Freshwater Road; Baird & Co., to erect a garage on Monkstown Road; A. G. Barnes to build addition for S. G. Collier, Hamilton Street; S. M. Hall, to extend kitchen, Bates' Hill.

The following plans were approved—House for Mrs. Smith, New Gower Street; Archibald Hicks, house Prince of Wales Street, provided water and sewerage are installed; house W. T. Penney, Merrymeeting Road; Fred. Emerson, septic tank for his house "Quinnipiac."

An application was read from Jas. Ellis, respecting a porch, etc., South Side. Matter to be looked up.

Ordered that a full report be made as to the application of R. S. Pierrey, for a house on Steven Street. Title deeds and block plan to be secured from M. A. Shea, for a proposed house on Water Street. The plan of B. Bowering, for building for the Gospel Mission on New Gower Street, was held over. Decided to refer it to the Inspector of Police, as Council do not care to take responsibility of permitting a structure in such a congested locality without the consent of the Head of the Fire Department.

In the case of Norman Pelley, Macklin Place, the City Engineer has to furnish further information. In the case of A. W. O'Reilly, who wants to build on his ground, the plan of rearage of said ground is to be submitted by the City Engineer, at the next meeting. Engineer is also to examine and report on conditions Sudbury Street. Decided to put light opposite Pool House gate, and alter bracket on Water Street light. Engineer also to look into the application of Mr. Pierce Pelley, respecting the drain near Macklin Place.

The Solicitor reported that attention would be given to the claims against Kenneth Prowse, and Messrs. Slater and Byrne. The matter of fines in the Magistrate's Court that should come to the Council, will be looked up.

On the report of the City Engineer as to the decking of the Long Bridge, the Government are to be written as to their intentions respecting this Bridge.

Decided to go on with work of reclaiming the 6" pipes in Harvey Road, and substituting therefor a 12" main. The Lighting Inspector reported on the number of electric lights out for the week. The Plumbing Inspector reported having found the hose over the side of the "Rosslind" with the water flowing into the Harbor.

A discussion ensued over a dumping truck and another motor sprinker. Decided to secure both.

After the passing of Pay rolls, etc., the meeting adjourned at 11 p.m.

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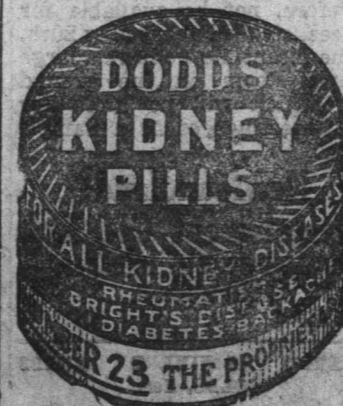
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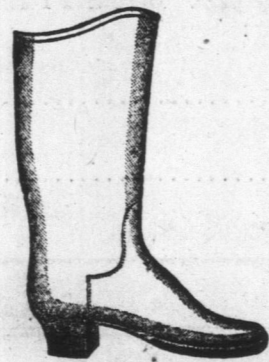
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