

TORONTO, Noon.—Strong S. W. winds, mild, with some local snow or sleet. Friday, strong winds or gales and still unsettled.

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CHAPTER XIII. The Talkative Barmaid.

"It is strange," said the Italian, his dark eyes fixed on the ground very thoughtfully. "I think I will go and speak with my countryman. What say you, la mia figlia? Is he amiable, polite, a bon camarade?"

"I should say not," said the barmaid. "From all I have heard, I should think he was a regular crusty old fellow. But why don't you go and see for yourself? He'd be glad to see a countryman, if he is an Italian."

"I weel," said the Italian. "I wish you good-day, senora. The spot is charming, your beer is superb, and yourself—Ah, me! And I once refused to believe there were angels on the earth!"

With these last words, he stepped through the doorway, and looking cautiously around him, walked slowly up to the house the girl had pointed out to him.

While he was lounging softly past, meditating upon the mode in which he should effect an entry, the door opened, and a servant ran across the street to a chandler's shop, leaving the door ajar.

With a mental blessing on the propitious fates, Spazzola, with the speed and noiselessness of a snake, darted into the passage, and, listening for one moment at the foot of the stairs, walked up.

At the second flight a door opened, and a woman looked out, but Spazzola's face looked so calm and his step was so staid and unfurried that the woman's suspicions, if she had any, were allayed, and, muttering, "going up to the top, I suppose," withdrew her hand and slammed the door.

As he neared the top landing, the Italian's footsteps became almost noiseless, and, bending forward, he stole up the stairs like a cat, his hand instinctively grasping the handle of the stiletto beneath his cloak.

does fly by day. I am curious. It is a mere plaything, this lock. Poh! We will for amusement—mark me, only amusement—take one peep at the owl's nest."

With a smile that lit up his face like a flash of sunlight, and showed his glittering teeth, he took from his pocket a small steel instrument, inserted it in the keyhole, turned it with a peculiar twist of the hand, and opened the door.

An exclamation of astonishment burst from his lips as the interior of the room met his view. Beside the plain table and chair, piece of square carpet and poverty-stricken aspect, the room, though utterly devoid of anything approaching comfort in the way of furniture, was filled in one corner with an easel, upon which shone the commencement of what promised to be a superb study of an old country house.

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At the farther end of the room stood Sir Fielding, Mrs. Gregson and Mr. Gregson, chatting affably and examining a splendid specimen of amber rose.

Chudleigh, surrounded by an affectionately respectful group of his adoring tenants, was admiring a fine specimen of an English Juvenal as the ladies approached him, and looked up with a start and a pleased smile as he recognized the stately figure of Carlotta.

"What did you mean, Chud, by ordering us here an hour too soon?" said Lady Mildred, smiling right and left at the reverential group which made way for her.

Chudleigh flushed slightly, and stooped to pick up a flower tablet. "I thought you would like to look over the flowers quietly—that is, before the doors were open," and he stole a glance at the grand face of Carlotta.

But she was looking at a camelia, and did not appear to have heard either the question or the answer. "Oh, was that it?" said Lady Mildred. "Of course. How stupid of me. We might have guessed the reason, my dear," turning to Carlotta.

"Never mind, Chudleigh; you shall take us all through now," and she placed her exquisitely gloved hand upon his arm. "I think," she said, "I see Sir Fielding and your mamma, my dears. I'll go and speak to them. Don't trouble to come, Chud; I can make my way. See to the girls, and her ladyship, with a pleasant smile, made her way to the group at the end of the room, where she could be heard talking, with rapid good-nature, delighting the Gregsons by her amiability and pleasing Sir Fielding, for he was then left to walk out into the open air, away from the crowd and the show.

"Who told you that you were an hour too soon, Miss Lawley?" said Chudleigh, having by some means or other—probably not unaided by Maud—managed to separate Carlotta from the throng and inveigle her, under the pretense of inspecting a fine tulip, into an almost deserted corner.

"Maud, I think," said Carlotta, lifting her eyes to his, but dropping them beneath his gaze, which would be admiring, try hard though he did to make their expression simply respectfully calm. "No, not Maud. One of the Misses Gregson. It was a mistaken kindness."

"How gracious of you to say so," he said, quickly. She raised her brows. "We should have had more time and room in which to see the flowers."

The Retreat From Antwerp.

By Mr. Crochet of the Royal Marine Band, at the Botwood Hall, Last Night. The R. N. Reserve is the Eye of the Navy.

There was a large gathering of Botwood Club members and their friends at Botwood Hall last night to hear an address on "The Retreat from Antwerp," by Mr. Crochet of H.M.S. Briton, but formerly of the Royal Marine Brigade, which division played an important part in the early days of the war.

The lecturer was introduced by Mr. N. Andrews, Vice-President of the Club, who extended a hearty welcome to all Mr. Crochet on stepping to the platform was greeted with hearty cheering, and the audience sang "Rule Britannia" and "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." In a very descriptive, interesting and impressive manner the veteran marine brought his hearers from the shores of Old England to the blood-stained battle fields of Belgium. On August 27th, 1914, the Royal Marine Brigade, attached to the 28th Division, landed at Dunkirk, France, and shortly after joined the regular army at Ostend.

From there they were moved further inland, took part in several more engagements and arrived at Dunkirk on Sept. 11th. The full strength of the Division was 8,000 of all ranks. They discarded their regular service uniforms of blue for khaki, were re-equipped and on the night of Sept. 30th in charge of Divisional Commander Sampson they again moved out from Dunkirk, and after covering many miles in cattle trucks, disembarked at a small town several miles from Antwerp. It was there they learned that 500 British soldiers were cut off from the regular army and were also told that any attempt to rescue the Frenchmen would be nothing short of madness.

Nevertheless, Commander Sampson brought up eight armoured cars fitted with machine guns, and equipped with the night vision apparatus through the main street of the village swept the Germans down in hundreds, turned around and dashed back again with but three casualties. Two killed and one wounded. A feat performed stands out to-day as one of the great wonders of the war. On Sept. 11th, the night of October 4th, the R. M. Brigade went into the trenches at a point nine and a half miles from Antwerp and relieved a regiment of brave Belgians, who were tired, worn and weary after a whole month of continuous fighting and suffering in defending their homes. No man can be braver than a Belgian soldier, who knows not what fear is.

About 70 of his company were drafted off to defend a position on the main street of a village where the Germans were shelling from the tops of houses down the street. The little band was set to defend a position on the main street of a village where the Germans were shelling from the tops of houses down the street. The little band was set to defend a position on the main street of a village where the Germans were shelling from the tops of houses down the street.

"All this must have given you a great deal of trouble," said Carlotta, as they walked on. "Not much," said Chudleigh. "It was quickly arranged, and Maud has been a valuable help. I would not mind undergoing twice the trouble to give these simple souls one-quarter the pleasure they are evidently taking in the affair."

Carlotta glanced at him—he was looking another way—with a sudden light in her eyes, that made them look more beautiful because more tender and eloquent, but she said, coldly enough: "They look pleased, so you have your reward. That is a fine specimen. Who exhibits it?"

"The old, bedridden woman at the end of the church lane. She has tended it like a baby—it is a baby to her, I expect. Lady Mildred would do wise to give her a prize. I have put her name on the list."

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Private Barron.

Private Peter Barron, a prisoner of "Ours" in Germany has sent a post card to Mr. W. H. Herder, thanking him for the parcel containing socks and tobacco, sent by the latter and received on December 24th. Pte. Barron says he is being treated well, but would be glad to get home again. He concludes by giving his best regards to Mr. Herder and brothers.

Obituary.

MRS. CATHERINE MOREY. There passed peacefully away at the General Hospital, on Tuesday morning, fortified with the rites of Holy Church a kind and gentle soul in the person of Miss Catherine Morey. The deceased lady was well and favourably known in St. John's, but particularly so in St. John's East, having for many years filled the position of teacher in the R. C. Schools of Pouch Cove and Outer Cove and having endeared herself to all in both these settlements by her kindness and fondness of heart and the many other qualifications she possessed. Some 5 years ago, after a service of nearly 20 years in the cause of education, she retired on a well merited pension, and took up residence in the city, but spending each summer in the old homestead at Torbay. Some few days ago she was stricken with an illness which resulted in lockjaw and was removed to hospital but in spite of all attention of doctors and nurses she passed quietly away Tuesday morning. Her remains, enclosed in a beautiful casket, were brought to Torbay Tuesday night. Left to mourn are two sisters and two brothers, a nephew and niece to whom the Telegram offers deep sympathy. The funeral took place at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon and interment was at the new R. C. Cemetery.

DE. E. STAFFORD & SON, Theatre Hill, St. John's, Nfld. Open every night till 9.30.

The Khaki Guild.

The Treasurer of the Ladies' Khaki Guild Fund for Disabled Sailors and Soldiers desires to acknowledge the following donations: Mrs. W. B. Fraser, bridge drive additional \$ 3.00 Proceeds of Biscuits at Prince's Rink, donated by Mr. P. C. O'Driscoll 35.15 Proceeds of picnic fancy work by Mrs. W. F. Butler 10.00 Proceeds of Afternoon Tea (Tea and Toast) by Mrs. W. J. Morris 20.00 St. Bartholomew's Lodge, No. 50, S. U. P., of Hr. Breton 50.00 Proceeds of church-work by Mrs. Frank Steer 32.10

Here and There.

SMELT SHIPMENT.—A big shipment of smelts left the West Coast last week for Canadian markets.

CITY FATHERS MEET.—A considerable amount of business will occupy the attention of the Municipal Board to-night.

PERSONAL.—Mr. C. H. Miller, of the U. S. Pictures and Portrait Co. will leave by Sunday's express on a business trip to Canada and the United States.

CARD TOURNEY.—Twenty players took part in the card tournament held by the British Society last night. The three prizes competed for were won by Messrs. O'Grady, Butt and Sheehan.

QUICK MAIDEN TRIP.—Congratulations are being extended to Capt. Leo Condy who has just finished his maiden voyage in Job's schooner, covering the distance from St. John's to Barbados and back to island and return in two months.

M. C. L.—The subject for debate to-night is: Resolved, That the Nationalization of all Public Utilities would promote public welfare. Leaders—Mr. Geo. Grimes and Mr. J. S. Currie. The Jubilee celebration will also be discussed and a full attendance is requested.—Feb. 8.

DIED. This morning, at her residence, "The Oaks," Margaret Dwyer, aged 80 years; funeral on Saturday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, Carpastan Road.

On the 7th inst. after an lingering illness, Michael Scanlon, aged 75 years, leaving two sisters to mourn their sad loss; funeral on Friday, at 2.30 p.m., from his sister's residence, No. 6 Burke's Square; friends and acquaintances will please accept this, the only intimation. Halfpenny papers please copy.

Killed in the train accident, on Monday, Thomas Stapleton, mason, aged 74 years, leaving a son, brother and nephew in St. John's, a son and daughter in Sydney, N.S., and three daughters in Montreal; funeral on Friday, at 2.30 p.m., from his nephew's residence, 29 Alexander Street. At General Hospital, Feb. 6th, a well known and highly esteemed resident of Torbay, in the person of Miss Katherine Morey. Deceased lady taught school for many years. She was a zealous church-worker and friend to all in need. Two sisters, two brothers, and nephews and nieces whom are Mr. Bernard Burns and Miss Agatha Burns of this city mourn their loss.

Mrs. A. L. L. writes: "Dr. Chase's Nerve Food has restored my nervous system and given me new health."

Veterans on Incoming Express.

The Kyle reached Port aux Basques at 11.30 p.m. yesterday with the following first-class passengers: W. Sinnott, J. T. Jones, Capt. W. Street, Capt. W. H. Hallett, Mrs. L. B. Hallett and son, Mrs. E. M. LeMessurier, W. A. Bishop, A. Cohen, W. Milley, Mrs. M. Sullivan, James Power, Mrs. A. Power, W. D. Morton, Sergt. Major H. Peckham, L.-Corp. R. McKay, Privates R. Warr, J. Oliver, W. Murphy, H. Hicks, J. Hennebury, R. Francis, J. Parsons, H. Murphy, W. Brown, H. Sexton, A. Brown, J. Good, W. Rose, J. Quinn, J. Hickey. The express is not due until 11 a.m. to-morrow.



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From Up Among the Yukon Snows.

COMES ADVICE TO SUFFERERS TO USE DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. Glacier Creek Lady Says They Have Been Her Stand-by for Sixteen Years and She Has Never Known Them to Fail. Glacier Creek, via Dawson, Yukon, Can., Feb. 7th. (Special.)—North of fifty-three where doctors are long distances apart and those remedies that are a very present help in time of need are the reliance of the settlers, Dodd's Kidney Pills have established an enviable reputation. Hear what Mrs. A. A. Armstrong, a well-known resident of this place, has to say of them: "Dodd's Kidney Pills have been my stand-by for sixteen years." Mrs. Armstrong states, "Both myself and my family have the greatest faith in their medicinal qualities. When any of my friends complain of even a headache I treat them with Dodd's Kidney Pills and they never fail to do good."

"It always gives me pleasure to say a good word for Dodd's Kidney Pills." Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all kidney ills from backache to rheumatism, Bright's disease and heart disease. These troubles come from sick kidneys. That's why Dodd's Kidney Pills cure them.

Schooner Sunk in Collision.

SOME OF CREW DROWNED. A recent issue of the London Daily Mail says:— "A Norwegian steamer has landed two sailors, named Samuels and Johansson, from the schooner William Lloyd Morris, of Port Madoc, which foundered after a collision with a steamer on Wednesday night, January 17. Captain Hughes, his nineteen-year-old son, and two Welsh sailors were drowned. Samuels saved himself by climbing over the steamer's bow, and Johansson was rescued after being in the water twenty minutes." The William Lloyd Morris was well known in St. John's as a fish carrier.

Dresses and coats will be embroidered more than ever in the spring.

Best Nerve Specialist in England Was Consulted.

But Nervous System Failed to Respond to Treatment Prescribed. Nervous disorders frequently result from injury to the nerves in accidents or because of the shock to the system. The writer of this letter was injured in a mix-up with some coils, remained unconscious for three weeks, and in spite of continued treatment in hospital could not obtain restoration of the internal nerves which control the action of the digestive and other vital organs. He travelled to Europe and consulted England's greatest nerve specialist. Relief was only temporary, in spite of many treatments used. His letter gives the facts briefly and tells how he was finally cured by using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. Can you imagine any more severe test of this great nerve restorative? Mr. Henry F. Venn, Cefu Ranch, Nakwak, B.C. writes: "Dr. Chase's Nerve Food has restored my nervous system and given me new health."

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MINARD'S LINTMENT CURES DISMEMBER.

Advertisement for Babbitt's Soap Powder, featuring a product image and text: 'Babbitt's 1776 SOAP POWDER. Cleanser.'

War News Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M. GRANDECOURT CAPTURED. LONDON, Feb. 7.—As a result of our continuous pressure on both banks of the Amstel, the enemy has been forced to evacuate the village of Grande-cour, which is now entirely in our hands. The British official issued an evening, together with the day's work adjoining it. We secured prisoners. During the operation the last few days the enemy had heavy losses in the neighborhood of the hostile raid attempted during the night in the neighborhood of the court, broke down under our fire. Early last night we entered the town's lines southwest of Land, killed a number of Germans who strayed several dugouts. We took a few prisoners. The British advance on the court and Miramont, two fortified working Bapaume from the was being successfully progressing in past few days. The capture of the account village which the British says is now entirely in our possession is regarded as of of erable importance. British troops now seriously threaten the German position at LeTransloy.

Here and There. SMELT SHIPMENT.—A big shipment of smelts left the West Coast last week for Canadian markets. CITY FATHERS MEET.—A considerable amount of business will occupy the attention of the Municipal Board to-night. PERSONAL.—Mr. C. H. Miller, of the U. S. Pictures and Portrait Co. will leave by Sunday's express on a business trip to Canada and the United States. CARD TOURNEY.—Twenty players took part in the card tournament held by the British Society last night. The three prizes competed for were won by Messrs. O'Grady, Butt and Sheehan. QUICK MAIDEN TRIP.—Congratulations are being extended to Capt. Leo Condy who has just finished his maiden voyage in Job's schooner, covering the distance from St. John's to Barbados and back to island and return in two months. M. C. L.—The subject for debate to-night is: Resolved, That the Nationalization of all Public Utilities would promote public welfare. Leaders—Mr. Geo. Grimes and Mr. J. S. Currie. The Jubilee celebration will also be discussed and a full attendance is requested.—Feb. 8. DIED. This morning, at her residence, "The Oaks," Margaret Dwyer, aged 80 years; funeral on Saturday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, Carpastan Road. On the 7th inst. after an lingering illness, Michael Scanlon, aged 75 years, leaving two sisters to mourn their sad loss; funeral on Friday, at 2.30 p.m., from his sister's residence, No. 6 Burke's Square; friends and acquaintances will please accept this, the only intimation. Halfpenny papers please copy. Killed in the train accident, on Monday, Thomas Stapleton, mason, aged 74 years, leaving a son, brother and nephew in St. John's, a son and daughter in Sydney, N.S., and three daughters in Montreal; funeral on Friday, at 2.30 p.m., from his nephew's residence, 29 Alexander Street. At General Hospital, Feb. 6th, a well known and highly esteemed resident of Torbay, in the person of Miss Katherine Morey. Deceased lady taught school for many years. She was a zealous church-worker and friend to all in need. Two sisters, two brothers, and nephews and nieces whom are Mr. Bernard Burns and Miss Agatha Burns of this city mourn their loss.

"Give Me As Sleep O'Night" advertisement featuring a product image and text: 'One of the most modern recipes for night-sleep is the coffee (and tea) at A better recipe all times is total a For a cheering beverage, use'

Advertisement for Dodd's Kidney Pills, featuring a product image and text: 'DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. CURE ALL KIDNEY DISEASES. BRILLIANT CURE FOR GRAVEL, RHEUMATISM, BRIGHT'S DISEASE, DIABETES, BACKACHE, NEURALGIA, AND ALL THE URINARY AFFECTIONS. THE PROPER PREPARATION. PREPARED BY DR. J. C. DODD, 23 THE PROPER PREPARATION.'

ON
ning Express.

bed Port aux Basques
esterday with the fol-
passengers: W. Sin-
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llet, Mrs. L. B. Hal-
rs. E. M. LeMessurier,
A. Cohen, W. Milley,
i, James Power, Mrs.
Morton, Sergt. Major
Corp. R. McKay, Pri-
J. Oliver, W. Murphy,
ennebury, R. Francis,
Murphy, W. Brown, H.
wn, J. Good, W. Rose,
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11 a.m. to-morrow.



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people are suffering
and Colds at the present
may be as careful as you
to avoid catching this
ugh and Cold but you'll
matter what you do—so
while Stafford's Phora-
and Cold Cure is obtain-
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preparation is manu-
factured by
STAFFORD & SON,
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Khaki Guild.

urer of the Ladies' Khaki
for Disabled Sailors and
sires to acknowledge the
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Fraser, bridge drive
... \$ 3.00
Sale of Steers and
Biscuits at Prince's
... 35.15
W. F. Butler ... 10.00
Afternoon Tea (Tea
by Mrs. W. J.)
... 20.00
Brew's Lodge, No. 50,
of Hr. Breton ... 50.00
A Bridge Drive by
... 32.10

re and There.

SHIPMENT.—A big ship-
ment left the West Coast
for Canadian markets.

ATHEES MEET.—A com-
munity of business will
be held at the Municipal
Hall.

AL.—Mr. C. H. Miller, of
Picture and Portrait Co.,
by Sunday's express on a
trip to Canada and the Uni-
ted States.

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in the card tournament held
by the Fish Society last night. The
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MAIDEN TRIP.—Congratu-
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intimation. Halifax papers
please copy.

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in Montreal; funeral on
at 3.30 p.m., from his nephew's
29 Alexander Street,
General Hospital, Feb. 6th, a
son and highly esteemed resi-
dent in the person of Miss
Morey. Deceased lady
school for many years. She
was a devoted church-worker and
all in need. Two sisters,
Mrs. M. J. Dwyer and
Mrs. Bernard Burns and
Mrs. M. J. Dwyer of this city mourn
her loss.

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PREMIUM DEPARTMENT.
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War News.

Messages Received
Previous to 9 A.M.

GRANDCOURT CAPTURED.

LONDON, Feb. 7.
As a result of our continuous pres-
sure on both banks of the Ancre River,
the enemy has been forced to
evacuate the village of Grandcourt,
which is now entirely in our hands,
says the British official. Landed this
evening, together with the defensive
work adjoining it. We secured a few
prisoners. During the operations of
the last few days the enemy suffered
heavy losses in the neighborhood. A
hostile raid attempted during the
night in the neighborhood of Guedecourt,
broke down under our barrage.
Early last night we entered the en-
emy's lines southwest of LaBassee,
killed a number of Germans and de-
stroyed several dugouts. We also
took a few prisoners.

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says is now entirely in British
possession is regarded as of consid-
erable importance. British troops
now seriously threaten the strong
German position at LeTransloy.

KNEW IT WAS COMING.

LONDON, Feb. 7.
"We are not alarmed at the spher-
ical submarine war. We knew it
was coming and prepared for it. Time
will tell how our confidence is just-
ified." This statement was made to
the Associated Press to-night at the

Admiralty, and it was added, "It must
be remembered that our submarine
may cruise for whole days without
getting a victim. For instance, on one
day since Feb. 1st, torpedoes were
fired on sight at seven of our mer-
chantmen without hitting one. We
have taken measures which we have
every reason to believe will frustrate
the U-boat warfare. Of course it is
obvious we cannot reveal them. Daily
reports showing decrease in sinkings
will be the best evidence of our suc-
cess."

OPENING OF PARLIAMENT.

LONDON, Feb. 7.
The opening of Parliament, always
picturesque, was shorn of much of
its color and pomp. The peers wore
none of the customary robes and re-
galia. The King was clad in khaki
uniform and all the lords and mem-
bers of the House of Commons who
are entitled to wear either khaki or
navy blue followed the example of
the King. The Imperial escort consisted
of officers of Overseas Contingent
forces. The Royal Gallery in the House
of Lords was set apart for wounded
soldiers for the first time in the history
of Parliament. The importance
of the foreign press was recognized
by the allotment of seats in the press
gallery to correspondents from Allied
countries. The weather was clear
and crisp and as the Royal procession
passed from Buckingham Palace to
the House of Parliament dense crowds
lined the streets.

HOPES FOR SUCCESS.

LONDON, Feb. 7.
Secoeding the address in reply to
the speech from the throne, to-day,
Admiral Sir Hedworth Meux, Union-
ist, said, "We have every reason to
hope that the same success which at-
tended the destruction of Zeppelins
is in a fair way of being realized in
countering the submarine trouble."
In his address, ex-Premier Asquith
described Germany's new naval pol-
icy as one of undisguised savagery.
He said it was not worth while dis-
cussing the motives which actuated
the German Government; the novel
feature of it was that it was a direct
and defiant challenge to the con-

science and interests of the entire
neutral world. This declaration of
war on neutrality, continued Asquith,
is a challenge which has been taken
up with dignity and without delay by
the greatest of the neutral States. It
is not for us to forecast the bearing
of this memorable event upon the fu-
ture of the war; still less is it fitting
for us to tender advice or suggestions
to a government which is well able
to take care of itself. We shall hail
with acclamation and with a strain
of family pride the stern and resolute
determination of the other great En-
glish-speaking power to frustrate the
enormity of those who have abun-
dantly earned for themselves the title
of enemies of the human race.

MINISTER OF LABOR UNBURDENED HIMSELF.

LONDON, Feb. 7.
Addressing a meeting in London
to-night, John Hodge, Minister of La-
bor, said he thought he was giving
away no secret in saying that at the
recent Conference between the repre-
sentatives of the Entente Allies, the
determination was arrived at to ter-
minate the war by the end of the
summer.

SPAIN REPLIES TO HUN NOTE.

MADRID, Feb. 7.
The Spanish Government's reply to
Germany's submarine war note is
a firm, dignified protest against it.
It declares Germany's decision to
close completely certain sea routes
as outside the legal principles of in-
ternational life. It adds that if Ger-
many hopes to have Spain's help
to avoid more loss of life, it must be
understood that Spain, while ready at
the proper time, to lend initiative in
support of the establishment of peace,
cannot accept the legality of excep-
tional methods of war.

TORPEDOED WITHOUT WARNING.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.
Consul Frost, of Queenstown, cabled
the State Department to-night that
the British liner California was tor-
pedoed without warning off the Irish
coast. One American, known to have
been on board, is saved. Some of the
passengers and crew are still miss-
ing, including two women and sev-
eral children. The captain of the ship

The "Columbia Electric."

Grafonola is the latest masterpiece
of this world-famed firm. After ex-
haustive experiments and tests they
have perfected and placed before the
music loving public a Grafonola gov-
erned by a beautifully balanced elec-
tric Motor, which entirely eliminates
the winding crank.

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extreme accuracy and precision, it
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of 110 to 220 or even higher voltage,
and may be attached to any socket.
Ask to see the "Columbia Electric"
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Graphophone Dept.

is quoted as saying the submarine
did not hail or give any warning be-
fore firing two torpedoes to a dis-
tance of 300 yards, and sending the
California down.

RELIEVED OF COMMAND.

ROME, Feb. 7.
The Duke of Abruzzi has requested
to be relieved of the command of the
Italian fleet. He will be replaced by
Vice-Admiral Paolo Thaon Di Revel,
who will also assume the duty of Chief
of the General Staff of the Navy.

CANADIAN PARLIAMENT ADJOURNS.

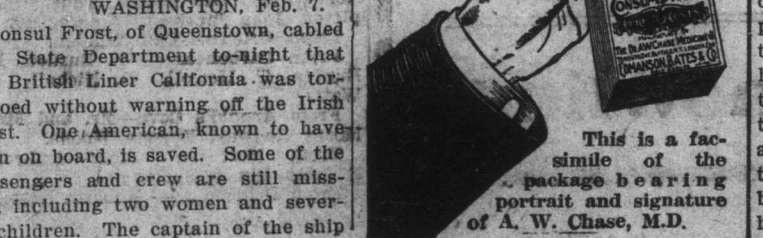
OTTAWA, Feb. 7.
The House of Commons adjourned
to-day till April, to allow Premier
Borden and colleagues to attend the
Imperial Conference in London.

INTERMENT OF ROMANIAN.

PARIS, Feb. 7.
The Roumanian Minister for For-
eign Affairs telegraphed to-day to the
Roumanian Legation in Paris that
Germany had begun to transport for
internment in Germany of all Rou-
manian males from 16 to 67 years of
age.

Flattering to the Original

But Imitations Only Disappoint
There are many imitations of this
great treatment for coughs, colds,
group, bronchitis and
whooping cough.
They usually
have some sale
on the merits of
the original, but
it should be
remembered
that they
are like it
in name
only.



This is a fac-
simile of the
package bearing
portrait and signature
of A. W. Chase, M.D.

STEADY STREAM OF REPORTS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.
The steady stream of reports tell-
ing of the destruction of merchant
ships by German submarines, was
brought to a climax to-night by a
cablegram to the State Department
from Consul Frost at Queenstown,
announcing that the British liner
California had been torpedoed with-
out warning, and that an American
citizen was among the survivors.
Whether this will prove to be theoret-
ical to drive the States into war, no
one would attempt to say to-night.
President Wilson, who must make
the decision, had retired when the
news came. Officials did not wake
him. The President undoubtedly will
wait for complete reports of the dis-
aster before determining whether the
time has come for him to go to Con-
gress for authority to "use any means
that may be necessary for the protec-
tion of our seamen and our people,"
with the California as the immediate
issue.

NO CHANCE TO STARVE ENGLAND.

LONDON, Feb. 7.
The flat declaration that Germany
has no chance whatever to starve out
England by her submarine warfare,
was made in the House of Commons
this afternoon by the Chancellor of
the Exchequer, Donnan Law.

THE CALIFORNIA.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.
The British passenger liner Cali-
fornia, one of the crack ships of the
Anchor Line fleet, has been sunk off
the coast of Ireland, with probable
loss of life. Messages to the State
Department at Washington and offi-
cials of the line at New York to-day
told of the catastrophe, but did not
say whether she was torpedoed or
struck a mine. The liner carried 21
passengers and a crew of 184, none
of whom so far as known were Amer-
icans. Advice to the local offices
said there were 160 survivors; those
to the State Department from Consul
Frost, at Queenstown, that one life
was lost, and that there were 200 hos-
pital cases. The California, when
she left here Jan. 29th, with a stern
gun, carried a large cargo, including,
it was stated, supplies. The vessel
was due in Glasgow to-day or to-
morrow. Officials of the line said
they did not believe there were any
Americans among the crew or passen-
gers; all were British or Canadian
subjects. The British shipping com-
missioner here said only a few mem-
bers of the crew were shipped at this
port, none of them being Americans.
The rest of the crew was taken on at
Glasgow. Built at Glasgow in 1907,
the California registered 8,652 tons
gross; she was 370 feet in length.

WILSON CRITICIZED.

BERLIN, Feb. 7.
The afternoon papers devote col-
umns to the news from America.
Editorially the papers lay particular
stress on Wilson's move to induce
Switzerland and other neutrals to
follow his lead. Comments are tem-
perate in general, although Wilson per-
sonally is more sharply attacked than
before and his peace efforts are ridi-
culed as utterly inconsistent with
what is termed his attempts to ter-
minate more trouble in Europe. By a
curious coincidence almost every pa-
per takes the occasion to "reiterate
the allegation that Wilson's every act
has been induced by his insistence
that Americans shall be allowed to
travel unendangered on Entente ships
and several papers repeatedly refer
to this as the chief cause of the trou-
ble between the two countries, and
here and there an almost plaintive

note makes its appearance, as editors
ask why President Wilson could not
accept the German offer to allow one
American ship weekly to go to Eng-
land. The papers are frankly en-
thusiastic over the prospect that
Switzerland and other neutrals will
not fall in line behind Wilson, and it
is pointed out that the difference be-
tween the position of America and
that of Europe and neutrals makes it
improbable that Wilson will have any
success in securing followers.

HUN FACTORY BLOWN UP.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 7.
According to Les Nouvelles, of
Maastricht, Holland, a dynamite fac-
tory at Schlebusch near Cologne was
blown up Jan. 17, causing the death
of 200 persons, mostly women.

DANISH GOVERNMENTS DECISION.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 7.
It is stated in reliable quarters that
the Danish Government has decided
that it cannot follow the example of
the United States in breaking relations
with Germany.

CUTTING OUT HUN LABOR.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.
Fifteen Germans employed in the
Foreign Department of the Guaranty
Trust Company, one of the largest
banking organizations in the country,
have been given indefinite leave of
absence with pay, it was announced
to-day, pending the outcome of a
break between the United States and
Germany. An officer of the Co. ex-
plained that this action was taken
for reasons of neutrality, and that no
reflection of character was meant.
(Continued on 8th Page.)

T. J. Edens

MOST TEAS
selling at 45c. pound now and
the same teas that you bought
at 30c. lb. about two years ago.
BULLDOG TEA
was never sold for less than
40c. lb. therefore at 45c. lb. it
is an Extra Special Value, and
when you purchase 5 lbs. at 40c.
lb. you are getting it as cheap
as ever it was.

100 lbs. WAGNER APPLES.
50 lbs. No. 1 BALDWIN.
50 lbs. No. 1 BEN DAVIS.

Beechnut Bacon by Side.
Beechnut Bacon in Glass.
Quaker Oats—large and small
packages.
Quaker Puffed Rice.
Quaker Corn Meal.

Ambrose James' No. 1 Salmon.
Red Cross Brand No. 1 Salmon.
Maple Syrup, pure; btls.
Corn Syrup, tins.
Lyle's Golden Syrup, tins.

Sifted Peas in bottles.
Preserved Strawberries in btls.
Preserved Raspberries in btls.
Extra Small Beets in btls.

WE EXPECT 100 PAIRS
Fresh Rabbits
BY RAIL TO-DAY.

T. J. EDENS.

Duckworth Street and
Military Road.

"Give Me Men
As Sleep
O' Nights"
—Julius Caesar.
One of the most admirable of
modern recipes for good, healthy
night-sleep is the abstaining from
coffee (and tea) at the evening meal.
A better recipe, for health and comfort at
all times is total abstinence.
For a cheering, healthful, non-disturbing, delicious
beverage, use
POSTUM
"There's a Reason"

TO-DAY'S Messages.

10.30 A.M.

TWO MORE GONE.

LONDON, To-Day. The sinking of the Italian steamer Ferruccio, 2192 tons gross, is also announced by Lloyds. The sinking of the British steamer Port Adelaide was reported by Lloyd's Agency on Tuesday, when it was announced that 96 passengers and crew had been picked up at sea. The Port Adelaide was 5181 tons gross and built in 1911. She was owned by the Commonwealth and Dominion Line.

HELL'S INSTRUMENTS.

LONDON, To-Day. The British steamers St. Ninian and Corsican Prince were sunk to-day, says the Central News. Survivors were landed; 17 men are reported missing. The Central News also says it has learned that the Belgian relief ships Lars Kruse, sunk near the Belgian coast on Monday, was torpedoed.

SPAIN'S REPLY.

MADRID, To-Day. Spain's answer to the German note regarding the sub. war was given to the German Ambassador yesterday. The note will be made public as soon as the Central Powers have knowledge of its contents.

BRITISH ADVANCE PROGRESSING.

LONDON (British Official), To-Day. The British advance on Grandcourt and Miramont, two fortresses covering Bapaume from the west, has been successfully progressing for the past few days. The capture of Grandcourt village, which the British official says is now entirely in British possession, is regarded as of considerable importance. British troops now seriously threaten the strong German position of Le Transloy.

AMERICA IMPRESSED BY GERMAN SUCCESSES SO FAR.

WASHINGTON, To-Day. Officials were deeply impressed by the complete thoroughness of the German undersea campaign and its promise on the figures of the last two days of carrying out Germany's threat to isolate England completely. Lloyd's reports received here show a total of 55,000 tons for two days, or destruction at the rate of 550,000 tons a month. German naval experts have said it would be necessary to cut off 1,900,000 tons a month completely to isolate England. If the present rate of 550,000 tons destroyed is maintained, it is suggested the balance will be more than made up by the enormous amount of neutral shipping held in port by the various neutral Governments and private shippers. Hereafter the Government will seek to keep secret the fact of the departure of vessels for the war zone in order not to invite unnecessary risks. The Treasury Department has previously issued strict instructions against the publication of manifests; every effort will be made from now on to allow as little information as possible to find its way to German sub. commanders.

BONAR LAW ON AMERICA AND TONNAGE.

LONDON, To-Day. Andrew Bonar Law, addressing the Commons, expressed satisfaction with what he called as the perfect manner in which former Premier Asquith voiced the feeling of the country on the role of neutrals in the face of the submarine menace. Noting that more and more merchant shipping was coming under the direct requisition of the Government, that the Shipping Controller was putting down a large number of new ships, Bonar Law said this did not minimize the danger, but that some of the best brains of the country at large and among naval men were concentrated on the problem. Altogether, he decided, he was not without hope that whatever ravages of the submarines might be, something might be done to replace lost tonnage by new ships. Bonar Law did not wish to say anything about the action taken by the Government of the Great Republic, except to point out that President Wilson had shown throughout, indeed to an extent which had led some people to criticize him, that he desired to preserve neutrality. "He has shown," continued the Chancellor, "that he desires peace. I won't say peace on any terms, but only terms which the Allies can be induced to accept. The fact that the States Government has broken with Germany is in itself the best testimony to the justice of our cause and to the illegality of the methods whereby our enemies are trying to secure victory.

Turkeys, Geese and Chicken at ELLIS.

Mother-Made, Quick-Acting Cough Syrup

Should be Kept Handy in Every Home—Easily Prepared and Costs Little.

Mother, you'll never know what you are missing until you make up this inexpensive, quick-acting cough syrup and try it. Children love its pleasant taste and nothing else will loosen a cough or chest cold and heal the inflamed or swollen throat membranes with such ease and promptness. It's equally as good for grown-ups as for children.

This splendid cough syrup is made by pouring 2½ ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth) into a 16-oz. bottle and filling the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. This gives you 16 ounces—a family supply—of much better cough remedy than you could buy ready-made for \$2.50—a clear saving of 82¢.

The moment it touches the inflamed, cold-congested membranes that line the throat and air passages, the healing begins, the phlegm loosens, soreness leaves, cough spasms lessen and soon disappear altogether, thus ending a cough quicker than you ever thought possible. Hoarseness, an ordinary cough or coughes are conquered by it in 24 hours or less. Excellent for bronchitis, whooping cough, spasmodic croup, louching asthma or winter coughs.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, combined with quinine and is famous the world over for its quick healing effect on the membranes.

Beware of substitutes. Ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with directions and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Toronto, Ont.

11.00 A.M.

CREWE SCORES GERMAN BARBARITY.

LONDON, To-Day. In the Lords the Marquis of Crewe reviewing the situation such as Andrew Bonar Law had done in the Commons, said that Germany had thrown aside the mask of humanity by her last utterance, and had promised warfare of unequalled savagery, which was staggering, not in the sense its authors hoped, but those who contemplated Germany's moral position the speaker said, knew no parallel in modern history for Germany's act. Even Napoleon and Frederick II, he said, unscrupulous as they were, have shrunk from such threat. The action of the United States Government in the face of Germany's menace, he added, would be founded on a high moral basis. He hoped, however, that nobody would suppose that the action of America would make it less incumbent upon the Allies to do their utmost possible to win the war.

WAR INSURANCE GREATLY INCREASED.

WASHINGTON, To-Day. Increases ranging from 125 per cent to nine hundred per cent, for war risk insurance were issued by the Federal War Risk Insurance Bureau, it was announced to-day by Secretary McAdoo. They are effective from all American ports to all destinations from an American port to the West Coast of Britain. In one case from ½ of one per cent, to two per cent, is announced; to London from ¾ per cent, to one to two per cent. Other increases to the coast of Britain are from ¾ of one per cent to two per cent; to various ports in France from ½ to one per cent, and ¾ of one per cent, according to location; to two per cent, flat; and to western Italy from ¾ of one per cent to two per cent.

TAKE SHIP'S OFFICERS PRISONERS.

LONDON, To-Day. The crew of the British steamer Palm Leaf assert that the vessel was torpedoed by a German submarine. The Capt. and Chief Engineer were made prisoners by the Germans, who left the other members of the ship's company to the open boats.

MONTEVIDEO CONSIDERING.

MONTEVIDEO, Paraguay, To-Day. The President of the Republic will preside a Cabinet Council to be held to-morrow to consider the question of Germany's submarine campaign.

INTERNED GERMAN SHIPS REND-ERED USELESS.

BOSTON, To-Day. Evidence that most, if not all, the vessels of refuge of the German fleet at this port have been rendered useless by damage to engines, cylinder heads and valves is understood to have been found. Indications that the harm was done in December were uncovered. The vessels generally could not be made ready for service in less than six months, and in some cases nine months would be necessary.

U. S. A. PREPARING FOR WAR.

WASHINGTON, To-Day. The breach between the United States and Germany is growing wider hourly, and the hope that hostilities can be averted has been almost swept away. Germany's submarine campaign of ruthlessness is developing

with a fury which many officials here believe soon must confirm the worst fears that had been held for it, and produce the overt act which President Wilson has said would be signal for war. The President himself, holding from the first the hope that after all the Germans' threat of submarine warfare on the seas would be tempered in execution, awoke to-day to find that the continuous onslaught of submarine attacks had reached a climax in the destruction without warning of a big trans-Atlantic British liner. Consul Frost's report that the Anchor Line steamer California had been sunk in violation of international law was not received at the capital last night until the President had retired, and it was the first thing to come to his attention to-day. Until all the facts are established beyond question that the California case presents an issue demanding action. In his address to Congress on Saturday, the President said he would come again before that body to ask authority to take further steps "if American and American lives should in fact be sacrificed." It was pointed out that so far as is known no American ships have been sunk without warning since Germany announced her new campaign. Every effort was made to-day to clear up the details of the liner's destruction, while preparations went steadily forward in every branch of the Government to make the country ready for whatever the decision may be.

2.00 P.M.

BOLIVIA WITH U. S.

LONDON, To-Day. The Bolivian Minister of Foreign Affairs, says a despatch to-day, has announced that Bolivia has decided completely to support the action of the United States in the crisis with Germany.

AMERICANS BEFORE GERMANS.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., To-Day. Pledges of loyalty to the United States in the event of war with Germany were made early to-day by the German-American National Alliance, with a reputed membership of three millions, at a meeting of delegates from twenty-eight states.

PATROL SKIRMISHES.

PARIS, To-Day. A German patrol was captured last night by the French near Bonzee in the Verdun sector, to-day official communication says. Patrol encounters occurred during the night on other parts of the front.

ASSASSINS FOILED.

LONDON, To-Day. The Amsterdam Handesblate to-day announced that a powerful bomb loaded with nails and broken glass exploded on the steps of the Stock Exchange there at 1 o'clock last night. No damage was done and no casualties reported.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK.

QUEENSTOWN, To-Day. The British steamer has been sunk by a submarine and the crew landed. She was last reported at Norfolk, where she sailed on January 19th for Liverpool.

GERMAN INSOLENCE.

LONDON, To-Day. The German Government will require guarantees that Count von Bernstorff, former German Ambassador at Washington, and the men on German ships in American ports will be permitted to leave the United States before allowing Ambassador Gerard and other Americans in Germany to depart from that country, according to the Copenhagen Politiken, quoted in a despatch from that city.

1 WITNESS OF THEIR DEVILTRY.

LONDON, To-Day. The chief engineer, the sole survivor of the Belgian relief steamer Lars Kruse, has arrived at Copenhagen, according to a despatch from that city. The despatch says that the engineer confirmed the report that the steamer was sunk without warning and that all his comrades perished.

HELLISH WORK.

LONDON, To-Day. Survivors of the British steamer Eavestone are quoted as saying that they were only two ship's lengths away from the submarine when the latter shelled the boat. They assert that there was no justification for the firing as everybody had left the ship.

THE LIMIT.

LONDON, To-Day. This information, the Politiken says, is contained in a telegram sent by Ambassador Gerard to the American Legation at Copenhagen: All Americans in Germany, including those captured by the German raider in the South Atlantic and taken to Germany on the Yarrowdale, are said to have been delayed as hostages. A despatch from Copenhagen gives the same report regarding the detention of Americans in Germany and adds that Ambassador Gerard is not permitted to send telegrams in code.

FISH AND BREWIS GREATLY APPRECIATED.

A letter just received from one of "Ours" at the front will dispel any doubts that may be entertained of the success of the Fish and Brewis effort. The writer stated that he had already had two feasts, and had so enjoyed the treat from home that he could not trust himself to keep within the bounds of moderation. Evidently the fears that means would not be found to cook the dish properly were without cause.

PROHIBITION LAW.—To-night at Cannon Wood Hall there will be a public meeting for men only at which will be discussed certain important aspects of Prohibition, viz., Benefits now accruing from Prohibition; some reasons for the support of the Prohibition Law; The moral aspects of the case; machinery necessary for the operation and enforcement of the Law. Speakers, Revs. Dr. Curtis and Dr. Jones; Messrs. H. Cowan, A. Soper and L. Morris. A cordial invitation to all men.

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| Gloves | Floor Canvas | Overcoats |
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Here and There.

MAKING QUICK TRIP.—The s.s. Portia left Belloram this morning, coming east.

Over 30,000 bottles of Stafford's Liniment sold last year.

WILL GET IMPERIAL COMMISSION.—Mr. Thos. Ashbourne, who has been studying at Toronto University, will sit for his degree this spring and will then go overseas to get a commission in the British Army.

Cochrane St. Choir will meet in the Church to-night at 8 o'clock for practice.—Feb 8, 11

TO MEET RETURNED SOLDIERS.—By the express due to-morrow morning nineteen soldiers of the Newfoundland Regiment will reach the city, and will be welcomed on arrival by the Hon. J. R. Bennett, representing the Prime Minister.

The Argyle left Placentia at 9.30 a.m. yesterday on the Merasheen route. The Glencoe arrived at Port aux Basques at 5 p.m. yesterday. The Kyle reached Port aux Basques at 12.15 p.m. to-day. The Sagona reached Port aux Basques this morning.

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ON-COM'S DANCE.—The sioned officers of the C. L. r annual dance at the all last night. Over one ple attended, including es of the other brigades. music was rendered by the d and a pleasant time was an early hour this morn- ceeds are in aid of the and.

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Tinned SALMON
We offer a small lot of No. 1 Tinned Salmon, 1917 pack. As Tinned Salmon is very scarce, it will pay shopkeepers to buy now.
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By RUTH CAMERON.



RUTH CAMERON

If you want to find out whether some member of your acquaintance is a lady in the best sense of the word go shopping with her. Observe how she treats the clerks who wait on her. I had a great surprise once upon a time. I met a casual acquaintance from our town and at her request did a few errands with her while waiting for our train.

She is a woman who is delightful to meet, she has excellent taste in her home and her clothes, and charming manners. In fact she has all the appearance of being a lady. But she isn't one. And this is how I know. She lost all her charm the minute she spoke to the clerks. Her usually pleasant manner became cold and sharply impersonal.

She interrupted a Busy Clerk. Again, she frequently broke in on a conversation between a clerk and a customer.

Only once did she say, "Thank you" after a clerk had served her, though several spent some time in the process.

You, reader friends, who try to be decent to clerks sometimes get out of patience when they seem disobligeing and irritable. But is it any wonder that their patience wears out when one thinks how often they have to deal with women of the class I described, women who think they demonstrate their superiority by being discourteous to those who serve?

Perhaps you think there are not many such women.

An Almost Inconceivable Incident. I am afraid there are,—and worse. Let me tell you a little incident which a clerk related to me. A question about her being tired came up. "I try to sit down," she said, "but some of the customers can't bear to see us sitting down."

I said I could hardly believe that. Her eyes blazed. "A woman and her daughter were in the other day," she said, "and I was sitting down for a minute. The woman picked me out from the rest and bore down on me. It made her so mad to see me sitting down. 'Busy?' she said. Of course I sprang up and asked if there were anything I could show her."

She Couldn't Bear to See The Clerk Sitting Down.

"Yes, she said, 'we want to look at suits and we want to try them on.' 'Oh, mother' said her daughter, 'we don't want to try them on to-day.' 'Yes we do,' she said, 'she needs the exercise.'"

Think of it. Doesn't it make your blood boil? Then try not to blame the next clerk whose temper seems frayed. Remember she may have just had to deal with a woman like that.

Corns Applied in 5 Seconds

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Putnam's soothes away that drawing pain, eases instantly, makes the feet feel good at once. Get a 25c. bottle of "Putnam's" to-day.

70-NIGHTS CARNIVAL.—Several adopts with the blades have entered in the ladies' race, which will be held during the Carnival at the Prince's Rink to-night.

New sports suits have coats no longer than to the fingertips.

For Luncheon or the Evening Meal

there is nothing so appetizing, so restful, so altogether satisfying, as a cup of pure palatable tea.

Then, too, a cup at night induces sweet sleep and promise of a clear head in the morning.

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Ex s.s. Florizel, Jan. 27, '17: Moir's Sultana, Citron and Plain Cake.

Moir's Cream Chocolate Cake, 5c.

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Moir's Scotch Mints, 5c.

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50 cases SEADOG MATCHES. 25 cases FRESH EGGS.

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- 25 sacks Green Peas.

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More Parcels Astray.

Dear Sir,—I would like to call the attention of those whom it may concern to the fact that some of the out-port volunteers now in France do not receive their parcels.

Now, sir, it's not mere idle talk that I am talking; it's a fact, as I have a nephew to the front and I have sent him parcels and he never received them. The first parcel was sent him the 23rd September, 1916, and he had not received it when his last letter was sent, written Jan. 10th. I also sent him something for Christmas. It was sent from St. John's by Mr. Outerbridge. He did not get it; who is to blame? It seems that the St. John's boys get their parcels. Now I want to send him mitts and socks and how am I going to send them to him? If I send them he won't get them, like the rest of his parcels. What is the reason? Would someone please give me some information as to who is to blame?

Yours truly, ONE INTERESTED, Northern Bay.

MUCH OF A MUCHNESS.

That gallant old warrior, General Sir O'Moore Creagh, V.C., who has done more than any other one man to encourage the V.I.C. movement, tells a good story of a recruit, a young clerk, who joined his corps, and was entirely ignorant of drill and weapons.

He walked to the rifle-rack, and one after the other tried every one, tapping the end on the floor as if they were cricket bats, and swinging and balancing them as if they were unfamiliar billiard-cues.

"Well," he said at last, "there's nothing to choose between them. They all seem about the same weight."

Have your Suit or Overcoat Cleaned or Pressed for New Year. Phone or send to SPURRELL, 365 Water Street. Telephone 574.—dec28, eod, f

Hr. Grace Notes.

The news of the terrible railway accident was received here with deep regret. A gloom was thus cast over the whole town.

Miss Elsie Badcock and Miss Craze, of St. John's, passed through St. John's on Saturday and spent Sunday with friends at Carboneau returning to the city by yesterday evening's train.

The concert given by the pupils of Victoria Street School on Thursday last was a great success. It will be repeated to-night for the benefit of the W. P. A.

Mrs. Smith, wife of Contractor W. Smith, arrived from St. John's on Saturday afternoon and will remain here a few months, while Mr. Smith is erecting the house for Mr. R. I. Mann. Mr. James Reid, of South Dildo, spent a few days in town, and expects to return home to-morrow.

Mr. James Walsh, of Riverhead, left this morning for Montreal, having thoroughly enjoyed his stay of some three weeks in his old home. Miss Ethel Sheppard also left for Montreal by the same train.

The S. S. Euphrates arrived from Bell Island yesterday to take the sch. Coronation down the Bay. The latter vessel is bound "across" with a fish cargo.

CORRESPONDENT. Hr. Grace, Feb. 6th, 1917.

THE MODERN JAIL.

We've made our jail so snug and warm, impervious to cold and storm, that Richard Roe is glad to dwell all winter in his cozy cell. We've cleaned the walls and scrubbed the floors, and white-washed ceilings, bars and doors, till sanitation cranks declare there are no harmful microbes there.

The jail's inspected now and then by uplifted dames and faddish men, who analyze the forks and spoons and push their noses in the prunes. The parsons there distribute tracts, and scientists take useful facts; we all take books and magazines, and floral wreaths and kindred greens, and try to make the village jug more cheerful still, and still more snug. And from the window Richard Roe looks out upon the drifting snow, and sees the poor unlucky jays, who have not drawn their sixty days, by weary efforts strive to earn some grub to eat, some coal to burn. "How foolish are the sons of toil, who sweat to make the kettle boil, since luxury like this they'd know, if they were vags," sighs Richard Roe.

NIGHT SCHOOL.—The winter night school classes, under the direction of Rev. Dr. Greene, will open to-night in the T. A. Armory. A large staff of teachers will be present and it is hoped that the less fortunate boys and men will take advantage of this opportunity to educate themselves.

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- LADIES' FELT HATS, assorted colours. Reg. Price 1.40. Now 50c.
- BLACK SATEEN BLOUSES. Reg. Price \$1.25. Now 50c.
- CHILDREN'S WHITE FLANNELETTE NIGHTDRESSES. Regular Price \$1.00. Now 50c.
- 1-PIECE GREY COSTUME CLOTH, double with. Regular Price 75c. yard. Now 50c.
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The Flavour



A Book on Newfoundland

BY A NEWFOUNDLANDER.

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A Free Prescription You Can't Fill and Use at Home. Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain? Do you know that according to Dr. Leavitt you can get your eyesight back? Many who are suffering say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of Dr. Leavitt's free prescription. One man after trying it: "I was almost blind, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seemed to be all right. I was able to read and my eyes now direct them in all time and multitudes more with ease."

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foundlanders—and especially to those Newfoundlanders who have fought to save Europe—Rise now, young men, by your energy, intelligence and sobriety; by your unity and peaceful agitation and save our native homes from those perverted political influences that would eventually destroy your hard-won liberties as Newfoundlanders. You require more statesmanship and less politics. As you read this volume you will see the need of technical education. You will see a brave, hardy, intelligent race inhabiting an island rich in resources—but kept back from legitimate development mostly by the indifference of its own people. This book is a call to higher patriotism; it is a call to competition with your fellow Britons in other parts of the Empire. Now is the day for Newfoundland to decide whether it will remain forever a mere fishing station or whether it will by the development of all its resources become the "Star Dominion" of the Western World—"The brightest gem in Britain's imperial diadem." As the patriotic Archbishop Howley once wrote, "Shall Newfoundland forever lie a burr upon the western sky; unknown, unpeopled and forgot?" The volume here referred to is a partial answer to that question. "The Last Sentinel of Castle Hill" says in effect that Newfoundlanders will make their country a land of promise for themselves and their descendants. But let Newfoundlanders read the opinion of the London Times and other journals concerning the "Last Sentinel."

REV. DR. O'REILLY'S NEW BOOK.

London Times Makes Flattering Comment on the Work of St. John Priest—A Cheering, Enthusiastic and Instructive Book.

Reviewing "The Last Sentinel of Castle Hill," a story of Newfoundland

by the Rev. John A. O'Reilly, D.D., D. Ph., of St. John, the London Times of Nov. 23 says:

"This is called a Newfoundland story but one may say without a hint of depreciation that there is more Newfoundland than story about it. There is indeed a manly young hero whose fortunes knit the chapters together and a heroine who makes him a worthy bride; but Dr. O'Reilly is really the cleric who introduces us to the scenes and many-sided busy life of the island as it existed in the middle of the nineteenth century.

"He gives us seal-hunting, smuggling, and the sea life of the banks; politics and Government House; boat racing; the American war; and above all the Roman Catholic religious life of the colony, and the temperance movement (with some of the addresses of Father Lambert, a prominent figure in the scene).

"Chapter Fifty; the dominion of Newfoundland, abandons the narrative and takes us on a tour all around the island, describing physical features, the fortunes of Government House and later developments, particularly the town of Grand Falls and its great pulp factories whence come the materials for paper which is supplied to this journal; while a final chapter gives a startling view of the future of the dominion.

(St. John Globe.)

"The Last Sentinel of Castle Hill." A Story of Newfoundland. Rev. J. A. O'Reilly, Ph. D., D.D. Elliott Stock, London; 6s.

Residents of St. John will recognize in the name of the gifted author of this book the chaplain of the Mater Misericordiae Home, a gentleman who has done much literary work of merit and who is very popular as a lecturer. "The Last Sentinel of Castle Hill" is a story, but the writer has woven into it a great deal of history concerning Newfoundland, the events of fifty or sixty years ago; political incidents, religious affairs, social conditions, journalism at St. John's, and kindred topics. Many chapters are of exceptional interest, such as Life and Death on the Banks, On to the Icefields, Fish Flake Politics and others, the great fire in St. John's, A St. Patrick's Day Celebration. There is reference of course to the treaty shore question which so disturbed Newfoundland for years. Liquor smuggling was an irritating question of the day, and there is a very vigorous denunciation of the practice from the altar by Father Lambert. Many other matters of moment are dealt with especially in regard to the Catholic faith and the Irish race, as well as old times admirably narrated. But besides the historical value of the book and the interest aroused by the vivid description of events, The Last Sentinel of Castle Hill is attractive as a story, and the trial of Len Bennett, near the close, is quite exciting. Dr. O'Reilly is to be congratulated on his success.

It may be mentioned that this book has been very well received in England. The Globe recently contained a complimentary review from The London Times. The Athenaeum points out that many persons "will be interested by the description of an overseas dominion of which the majority of Englishmen possess but little knowledge." The Churchman declares it is vividly written, with a wealth of incident, illustrating life in Newfoundland as it is to-day. It commends "the volume most warmly," and says "it is thoroughly interesting throughout."

Canadians, and especially the people of the Maritime Provinces, will glean from this volume much information of interest and importance. The Sentinel of Castle Hill is dedicated to the soldiers of the Newfoundland brigade, "to the men of Newfoundland who, in conjunction with the brave soldiers of England, Ireland and Scotland, and with our gallant allies, are proving their heroic mettle in the bloodstained trenches of battle-stormed Europe; to these Newfoundlanders and to all such Newfoundlanders as uphold the honor of their native country, whether on sea or land, in peace or war."

(The Athenaeum, Nov. 1916.)

O'Reilly, (John A.) "The Last Sentinel of Castle Hill, a Newfoundland story, Elliott Stock, 1916. 7½ in. 328 pp. 6s.

This tale of Newfoundland as it was about sixty years ago is dedicated to the soldiers of the Newfoundland regiment now fighting in Europe. Interwoven with the story is much information relating to the island and its population; and many will be interested by the description of an overseas dominion, of which the majority of Englishmen possess but little knowledge.

(The Churchman, Dec. 1916.)

The splendid response of the overseas Dominions to the call of the Mo-

1st Nfld. REGIMENT. Casualty List.

Received February 7th, 1916.

2248—Private Andrew Tobin, Great St. Lawrence. Died at 2nd London Casualty Station, France, Jan. 31, bronchitis.

2561—Private Augustus Tom, King's Point, N. D. B. Died of wounds: gunshot wound buttock, 2nd London Casualty Clearing Station, France, Feb. 1.

1884—Private Andrew N. Goobie, 1 Brabli's Square. At 12th General Hospital, Rouen, Jan. 31, gunshot wounds head and side, severe.

2399—Private Isaac S. Dyko, St. John's. Admitted Wandsworth, pyrexia.

2320—Sergt. Alan R. Clouston, 95 Forest Road. Seriously ill. Not yet diagnosed, 12th General Hospital, Rouen, Feb. 5th.

2385—Private Philip R. Grandy, Grand Bank. Condition unchanged, January 31. (Previously reported dangerously ill, Jan. 28, gunshot wound lungs.)

Received February 8. The Following Admitted to Wandsworth: (Previously Reported.)

2035—Private Rupert Green, Burgeo. Gunshot wound in back, severe, Rouen, Jan. 28. Wounded.

1884—Private Andrew N. Goobie, 1 Brabli's Square. Gunshot wounds head and side, severe, Rouen, Jan. 31. Wounded.

2189—Sergt. James E. Moore, Grand Falls. Dangerously wounded, gunshot wound in shoulder, Jan. 29. Slightly improved.

2571—Private Alphonso Stares, Brooklyn, B.B. Dangerously ill, appendicitis, Casualty Clearing Station, Jan. 31. Condition unchanged, Feb. 3rd.

(Not Previously Reported.)

1603—Private Augustus Tulk, 130 Pleasant Street. Wounded.

1473—Private Richard H. White, St. George's, Pyrexia.

2927—Private Edward P. Hiscock, Flat Islands, B.B. Inflammation of larynx.

2588—Private James Strickland, Botwood. Hernia.

2855—Private Herbert E. Badcock, 358 South Side. Enteritis.

2270—L.-Corp. William F. Arns, 7 Signal Hill Road. Bronchitis.

2566—L.-Corp. Reuben Madore, Stephenville Crossing. Dangerously ill, pneumonia. Casualty Clearing Station, Feb. 5.

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His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Ronald K. Kennedy, Esq., (Superintendent of R. C. Education in the Diocese of Harbour Grace), to be a member of the Council of High Education, in place of Dr. Thos. Hanrahan, deceased; W. J. Higgins, Esq., M.H.A., to be a member of the Roman Catholic Board of Education for the District of St. John's; Mr. Frank Hoff (Gander Bay), to be a Surveyor of Lumber. Department of the Colonial Secretary, Feb. 6, 1917.

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Six Hundred AMERICAN BLOUSES, sizes 34 to 50 bust, White and Colored Muslin, Middys, Voile & Silk, only 90c. to \$3.40 each.

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War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A. M.

(Continued from 3rd page.)

KILLED IN COLLISION.
 NEW YORK, Feb. 7. Robert Barber, of the Barber Steamship Co., was killed last night in a collision between his auto and another machine on the Riverside Drive.

WOMEN BARRED.
 NEW YORK, Feb. 7. The Associated Press this afternoon carries the following: Although there has been no cancellation of the sailings of British or Allied ships from American ports, it is learned here today that the British Consulate is refusing to issue passports for women and children on ships destined to pass through the war zone. No formal notice has been issued, but applications for women and children are being refused.

GERARD DETAINED.
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. Reports that German authorities have decided to hold Ambassador Gerard in Berlin until assured of good treatment of Count Von Bernstorff by the Washington Government, threw a new element into the German-American situation today; officials were hopeful, however, that Great Britain's promise of safe conduct of the German Ambassador and his party for the sea trip home will speedily remove any possible intention of detaining American representatives. Confirmation of the reported detention was sought at the State Department today. The Government is still waiting for some act of Germany which might make relations suddenly more serious, but it was stated last night after the cabinet meeting that nothing had occurred to change the attitude. The next step of the United States, if one should be necessary will be taken without address and communication to Germany, it was declared authoritatively. Congress and all executive departments of the government were progressing today in their preparations for any eventuality. It is this activity which has surprised the hostile diplomats and caused them today to emphasize their hope that the United States will not actually go to war. They fear a declaration of war would harm the Entente cause by stopping the export of munitions. The State Department today hoped to receive early replies from some of the neutrals to President Wilson's proposal that they join the United States in severing relations with Germany, but it was indicated that no such word had been received so far. A break with Austria seemed to depend mainly on the reply of Ambassador Denfeld at Vienna to the State Department's inquiry concerning the details of the Austrian submarine note which officials now admit has been received. In the Senate a resolution approving the break with Germany was to be called up today; its adoption appeared certain but not without debate. Secretary of the Navy, Daniels today urged immediate congressional action looking to the establishment of a government monopoly of all radio plants. The naval bill with its \$18,000,000, additions made by the House yesterday was still before that body today, and the debate on the army bill is likely to start late this week following the passage of the naval measure.

WILL NOT BE GIVEN CONVOY.
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. The American liner St. Louis will not be given a convoy if she decides to sail for England through the German submarine zone, it was announced at the State Department today. The Government is setting on the policy that Americans have an inalienable right to traverse the high seas, that the German submarine blockade is entirely illegal, and that any sinking of American ships in contravention of the law would immediately lead to hostilities.

CEASE BOOKING PASSENGERS.
 NEW YORK, Feb. 7. The International Mercantile Marine to-day sent out instructions to its agents throughout the country requesting them to cease booking passengers on the American Line steamers. The announcement of this decision came soon after publication of the statement from the Senate Department that no convoy would be provided for American ships bound through the German war zone.

WILSON'S ACTION APPROVED.
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. President Wilson's severance of diplomatic relations with Germany was approved today by the House of Representatives. The vote was 373 to 58. The House also passed a resolution authorizing the President to suspend the export of munitions to Germany.

was formally approved to-day by the Senate. Senator Stone brought in the resolution to put that body on record in endorsement of the President's action. Two Democratic Senators, Vardaman, of Mississippi, and Kirby, of Arkansas, announced at the outset that they would not vote for the endorsement as did one Republican, Works, of California. Other Senators who objected to the President's action, announced they would vote for the endorsement for the sake of national unity. All, however, pledged their support if the country went to war. Senator Lodge, probably the President's most frequent and bitter critic in international affairs, pledged his whole support to the President's action unreservedly, and called on his colleagues to follow him.

GERMAN SUBJECTS WILL NOT SAIL.
 NEW YORK, Feb. 7. A move to prevent the sailing of subjects of Germany, Austria and Turkey as members of the crews of American ships, was taken here today. Coastwise and other lines asked the States' Shipping Commissioner to instruct deputies at docks to avoid signing on natives of those countries. The Standard Oil Co. insisted that Germans on the tanker Princeton, formerly a German ship, be taken off.

REPLY FROM BRAZIL.
 RIO JANEIRO, Feb. 7. The Brazilian reply to the German declaration of unrestricted warfare has been despatched to the Brazilian Minister at Berlin. According to authoritative information the Brazilian note protests against the violation of International Law involved in the submarine blockade and points out that such blockade could, if effective, close the entire high seas, a situation which could not be permitted. The note protests by anticipation against any hostile act from which Brazilian merchant ships should suffer by virtue of the blockade and holds Germany responsible for such act.

THE DEUTSCHLAND.
 AMSTERDAM, Feb. 7. The Weser Zeitung of Bremen says that the merchant submarine Deutschland has not started on her third voyage to America, and remains in a German port.

SUNK WITHOUT WARNING.
 LONDON, Feb. 7. An official statement issued today by the British Government concerning the sinking by a German submarine of the British passenger liner Port Adelaide, says:—The British steamer Port Adelaide, carrying passengers from London to Australia, was torpedoed, without warning, on Saturday by a German submarine. The passengers were rescued by the Dutch steamer Samarinda and landed at Vigo. The master, however, was taken prisoner aboard the submarine. Germany's withdrawal from her

pledge to the States not to sink passenger ships without due warning, has thus been emphasized.

WILL HAVE NO EFFECT.
 AMSTERDAM, Feb. 7. Count Von Reventlow, commenting on reports that the United States had seized the German vessels in American ports, declared that such steps would have no effect on the submarine war which can only be influenced by the question of military usefulness. The writer adds that such a seizure of German vessels would be a hostile act without any legal justification and that further information is wanted.

WASTE OF ENERGY.
 STOCKHOLM, Feb. 7. Swedish and other-Scandinavian nations have decided to unite in joint protest to Germany, over the latter's submarine blockade.

AFRAID OF MAILED FIST.
 STOCKHOLM, Feb. 7. Sweden will not accept President Wilson's invitation to sever diplomatic relations with Germany. The Swedish Government will protest against the newly inaugurated German naval policy.

ONLY ONE SURVIVOR.
 LONDON, Feb. 7. Walter Hines Page, the American Ambassador, has been notified that the sole survivor of the Belgian relief ship Lutz Kruse, sunk by a torpedo or mine near the Belgian coast Monday, has landed in France. Page telegraphed the report to Ambassador Sharpe at Paris, with a request that

he get in touch with the survivor and forward a full account of the sinking of the relief vessel to the State Department at Washington. The Central News says it is learned the Lutz Kruse was torpedoed.

CUBA PROTESTS.
 HAVANA, Feb. 7. Germany's note regarding submarine warfare was received here this morning. President Menocal conferred at the Palace with the Committee on foreign relations. At 4:30 p.m. the Government forwarded a reply to Germany protesting against the policy of unrestricted submarine warfare.

GREECE EMBARRASSED.
 LONDON, Feb. 7. A despatch to Reuter's Telegraph

Co. from Athens, says the American communication to Greece requesting a definition of her attitude on the submarine blockade, has somewhat embarrassed the Greek Government, which is sounding other neutrals before replying. The correspondent at Athens undoubtedly refers to the suggestion of President Wilson that all neutrals follow the step of the United States in severing relations with Germany.

WHAT WAS IT A SUBMARINE.
 BOSTON, Feb. 7. The sighting of a strange vessel resembling a submarine was reported to-night to Captain Rush, commanding officer of the Boston navy yard, by Capt. Ross, master of a harbour tug. Capt. Ross said he saw the stranger four miles off Marble Head this morning. She was heading from sea at a speed which was estimated at from fifteen to eighteen knots, but soon after being sighted steered to the south, toward Cape Cod. Capt. Ross expressed the belief that it was a submarine. He is familiar with American undersea boats, he said, but was certain the craft he sighted was not one of the American type. The stranger flew no flag.

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

The gas range is a muscle saver and a step saver. Think of the many tons of coal you used in that coal range, and how you have had to handle it all twice; first, carrying it up out of the cellar; then, from the kitchen to the ash barrel. No more soot to wipe away; no more ashes to cart away; no more wood to fetch; no more coal dust; no more smoke and no more reason why the kitchen cannot be kept as clean and as orderly as the parlor. The gas range means just this: Saves 50 Per Cent. of Kitchen Cares.

Half of the labor in the house is caused by dust from the coal range. Every time it smokes, no matter how good the draught may be, clouds of ashes rise and settle on the furniture.

Use a gas range and you will live better, you will play better, and you will work better because the use of the gas range eliminates the drudgery of carrying coal, ashes and the chopping of kindling, as well as the drudgery of cleaning up a lot of dirt, and, best of all, for the cook it makes it unnecessary for her to stand over a hot stove from two to three hours a day.

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Ready in a moment
 A cup of hot OXO every day is as good as a doctor.

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YOU SAY YOU EARN BUT 225 A DAY—YOU HAVE A WIFE AND SIX KIDS—AND YOU MEAN TO TELL ME YOU CLOTH, FEED, PAY RENT, AND GET BY, ON YOUR LITTLE TWO BUCKIES, AND TWO BILLS?

NOW LISTEN TO REASON PAW—AT 234 A DAY YOU MAKE 50 PER CENT MORE IN A YEAR—TOTALS \$702 50—A 104 THE GOVT. STATISTICS SHOWED THAT IT TOOK THE AVERAGE INDUSTRIAL FAMILY 600 A YEAR TO LIVE—

FOODSTUFFS HAVE WENT UP 30 PER CENT—THAT MEANS THOU—AT THE PRESENT MOMENT \$300 A YEAR TO LIVE—TELL ME HOW DO YOU DO IT?

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Ladies' high-cut Storm Ruber in a dependable sizes from 3 to 7, ahead for these. Low price interest on Friday, Saturday and Monday, per pair.

Little Boys All Wool Suits

Suit-fitting, all wool outfits, mitts to match, belted coat, large over collar, ankle length, nicer for present cut o' doors; made in Rose, Maroon, mixed Red; these value for \$3.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday, 3.25

More Ladies' Wool

INFANTS' BONNETS

Quite an assortment of pretty and effective for the little ones; in Cream Elder and Gray Velvet; other colors and colored trimmings of ribbons, etc. Rose, Maroon, day, Saty and Blue.

LADIES' UNDERSKIRTS

Underskirts in a variety of styles; edge of Sky and White; Showroom as usual. Reg. 50c. Friday, Saturday and Monday.

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NIGHTS IN NAVEY

A lot of the most generously priced Flannels, pocket, best quality, our regular \$1.00 day, Saturday and Monday.

MEN'S CHAMONIS

Another of our Chamonis, no fastenings, off, regular \$1.00, Fri., Sat. and Monday.

MEN'S KNITTED

Long Scarf, in Navy, 100% fringed ends, \$1.00 Friday, Saturday and Monday.

LINEN CUFFS

Just a few of our corner cut sizes, English Linen, \$1.00 Fri., Sat. and Monday.

NEGLIGEE SWEATERS

All sizes, in Navy, with lustrous stripes for every season; striped pattern, \$1.00 Fri., Sat. and Monday.

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Ladies' high-cut Storm Rubbers in a dependable make; sizes from 3 to 7, along season ahead for these. Does not a low price interest you. Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday, per pair... **50c**

MEN'S HEAVY STORM RUBBERS.
Men's rubbers in Storm cut, a rubber for an entire season, double soles and heels of good wearing Congo rubber; sizes 6 to 10. Reg. \$1.80. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **\$1.69**



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Keen buying on our part, buying in quantity and paying cash on the nail, this mighty combination has placed us "Top-notchers for Value."

Little Boys' All Wool Suits.
Suaug-fitting 4 piece all wool outfits, cap mitts to match suit, belted coat, large turn over collar, and pants ankle length; nothing nicer for present wear out of doors; shades of V-Rose, Marone and mixed Red; these are value for \$3.50 to-day. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **3.25**

Boys' Wool Sweaters.
The stoutest and best wearing Sweaters we have yet shown; unshrinkable quality, in shades of Navy, Grey, Cardinal and Heathers, large and small sizes; very suitable for the school boys; snug-fitting collar. Reg. \$1.10. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **89c.**

"Swiss" Silks.
10 pieces of these in plain shades, suitable silks for making up blouses, special occasion dresses and children's pretty dresses; a range of shades including Nile, Canary, Cardinal, Helio, Amethyst, Grey, Dove, Blk. and White. Reg. \$1.49. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **30c.**

Ladies' Gloves.
Kid Gloves from the world's best makers, in shades of Grey, Tan, and Black, dome or buttoned fasteners; selected kid, finely stitched, representing our \$1.50 values. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **\$1.49**

Wool Gloves.
A brand new lot just to hand. Ringwood make, the popular glove to-day, comes at a within reach price; Brown, Navy, Grey and Black. Reg. 60c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **42c**

"Palmer" Cloth for Blouses.
The perfect washing Cloth, all cream ground with nice striped patterns and 2 pieces in figured; this material is 32 inches wide, wears splendidly and looks well made up. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday... **23c.**

Men's Scotch Lamb's Wool Underwear.
Excellent wearing Underwear in Shetland shades, full sizes and guaranteed unshrinkable; this has a nice finish and very suitable for those requiring a garment that is not too heavy or cumbersome. The warmth, the fit and wear will be found in this line. Reg. \$2.60 per garment. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **2.39**

A Boot Special That Should Interest You.
60 pairs of Ladies' Laced and Buttoned Boots in fine Dongola Kid. Boots you would pay \$3.50 for any day; style, shape and fit in every pair; merely a clearing line of assorted makes, featured at a price that will clear the lot quickly. Values to \$3.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **\$3.10**

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CHILDREN'S SLUMBER SUITS.
Well made Sleeping Suits, perfectly shaped garments; to fit from 2 to 6 years; made of Striped Flannel, with or without feet; better than a nightdress and more comfortable for the wearer. Reg. 35c. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **29c**

CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR.
Just that particular weight in fine Jersey knit for present wear; well fleeced garments; Vests with high neck, and long garment. Friday, Sat. & Monday... **24c**

Ladies' Fleece Hose, 23c.
Satisfying value in plain black Jersey Hosiery, with fleeced lining; these come in full sizes; makes a very snug over-stocking, closely woven. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday, pair... **23c.**

Boys' and Girls' Hosiery.
Quite an assortment in Wool and Cashmere makes, stout rib finish, fast black; reputable hose that will give satisfactory wear for boys or girls. Smaller sizes... **29c**
Large sizes... **39c**

Brilliant Silk Taffeta RIBBONS.
Ribbons of high degree, 4 inches wide. Needed shades for most every purpose; range includes Sky, Royal, Navy, Pink, Green, Brown, Cardinal and Cream, etc. Ribbons that sell regularly for 30c. yard, underpriced Friday, Saturday and Monday... **16c.**



Truly, Excellent Values await Skirt Purchasers here FRIDAY, SAT. & MONDAY.

We have a pleasing selection of fashionably cut Costume Skirts in Tweeds and Cloths, the latter in Navy and Black. The Tweeds show pretty mixtures, good wide Skirts, button trimming, etc.; complete size range. Look these over in the Showroom. Exceptional values through the lot. Values to \$3.30. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **\$2.59**

Another Sample Line of LADIES' CORSETS.
Superior quality, many different styles to select from, made from the best quality Cotton, beautifully boned throughout. Slight, medium and stout figures can find something particularly suited to their requirements. Values here to \$2.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **\$1.50**

INFANTS' BONNETS.
Quite an assortment of pretty and effective styles for the little ones; they come in Cream Elder and Corduroy Velvets; others in Bear and colored cord Velvets, trimmings of ribbon and cord etc. Reg. 45c. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **32c**

LADIES' UNDERSKIRTS.
Underskirts in a nice Jersey make, with fancy crocheted edge of Sky and Pink, an assortment of sizes in Grey and White. See these in Showroom as soon as possible. Reg. 80c. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **69c**

BACK COMBS.
Something you need every day, and an extra one or two comes in mighty handy at times. This lot shows plain, fancy and others with brilliant settings; others with that heavy rolled edge. Reg. to 30c. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **19c**

CHILDREN'S SAILOR COLLARS.
Dainty silk embroidered Sailor Collars for the children, hemstitched frill; styles suitable for boys or girls; just what is needed perhaps to tone up that particular dress or suit. Reg. 60c. Clearing Friday, Saturday and Monday... **34c**

LADIES' NIGHTGOWNS.
High or low neck style in good quality cream flannel, with or without collar as desired, finished with embroidered button hole edge; generous sizes; a night dress that any lady would appreciate. Reg. \$1.70. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **\$1.52**

BLACK APRONS.
Business Aprons in good Black Satene, each with two large pockets; these are made full and as good as you may wish to wear. Reg. 68c. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **68c**

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NIGHTSHIRTS.
A lot of Men's Nightshirts, generously cut sizes in striped Flannel, collar and pocket; best English make. Our regular \$1.30 line. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **\$1.65**

MEN'S CHAMOIS GLOVES.
Another lot of those washable Chamis Gloves for Men, plain wrist, no fastening, easy to slip on and pull off again. Reg. 60c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **49c**

MEN'S KNITTED MUFFLERS.
Long Scarf shape, all wool Mufflers in Navy, Brown, and mixed shades, fringed ends; the vogue. Regular 45c. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **39c**

LINEN CUFFS.
Just a few dozen pairs in the square corner cut, sizes 10 1/2 and 11, best English Linen. Reg. 40c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **35c**

NEGLIGEE SHIRTS.
All sizes in true fitting, American Negligee Shirts, soft bosom style, with laundered cuffs; shirts suitable for every season; a swell line of striped patterns. Reg. \$1.10. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **98c**

KHAKI HANDKERCHIEFS.
A full size Gents' Handkerchief with wide hemstitched border and fancy centre; a nice soft finish; something the "Boys" would appreciate. Reg. 25c. each. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **19c**

POLICE BRACE.
For those needing an extra strong brace these are certainly "it," wide elastic web and all leather fastenings; they come at an easy price. Special, Fri. Sat. and Mon... **24c**

MEN'S TOP SHIRTS.
A 3 dozen lot in Cream Flannel, Collar and pocket, full sizes; clearing these now at a special cut price; serviceable wearing shirts for later on wear. Reg. \$1.10. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **92c**

MEN'S COAT SWEATERS.
This is a very fine line in sober grey shade, V neck; a nice make for anyone requiring something quiet in shade and comfortable about the body; full sizes. Reg. \$1.80. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **\$1.55**

MORE COAT SWEATERS.
Navy, Grey and Marone, assorted makes of collar; these are an extra fine make, suitable for indoor or outdoor wear. Regular \$3.30. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **\$2.98**

Smallwares.

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BOOT POLISH—Superior quality, large tin... **10c**

SOAP PASTE—Magic hand cleaner; the ideal for mechanics, etc. Reg. 12c. Friday, Saturday and Monday... **12c**

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BATH SOAP—Large cake, with rubber hand sponge... **19c**

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Felldians Compelled to Accept Defeat From Victorians.
The Victorians got a decision over the Felldians last evening by six goals to four. It was one of the rare instances in which the best team lost, as the supporters of either side and enthusiasts generally must admit that the Felldians played superior hockey, their forward line giving the best exhibition of stick handling and fast play witnessed in the rink this winter. What accounted for their defeat was the fact that their goal-keeper was brand new at the game.

Mr. Charles Parsons acted as referee and Messrs. C. Ellis and McKenna, timekeepers. The players were:—

Victorians:	Felldians:
Hunt goal	Paterson
Ford point	Wilson
Knigh cover	Bennett
Brien rover	Jerrett
Reid centre	White
Conliss right	Bugden
Power left	Ewing

SUMMARY OF GOALS.

White (Felldians)	21 mins.
Jerrett (Felldians)	23 mins.
Bennett (Felldians)	28 mins.
Reid (Victorians)	29 mins.
Power (Victorians)	33 mins.
Ewing (Felldians)	47 mins.
Power (Victorians)	49 mins.
Power (Victorians)	51 mins.
Power (Victorians)	51 mins. 14 secs.
Knigh (Victorians)	55 mins.

THE GAME.
Play opened with a hard rush by both sides. The splendid combination of the Felldians soon showed its effectiveness and Hunt was seen to be the busiest person in the rink in endeavouring to prevent his opponents from scoring. Jerrett made a brilliant run and, when about to make good, was tripped deliberately by Brien, who was penalized for the offence for 3 minutes. This tended to spur the Felldians to greater effort and they completely outplayed the Vics, but the net results were not forthcoming owing to erratic shooting. However, a heavy attack on the Victorians' lines proved successful this time and the goal judge hoisted the flag in honour of the college lads, denoting No. 1 goal, in the getting of which White had distinguished himself. The Felldians resumed their vigorous rushes and secured two more goals through Jerrett and Bennett. The Victorians, who appeared to be beaten to a standstill, began to show signs of recovery and just before the first period closed Reid availed of a chance and landed the first goal for the Vics. At the beginning of the second period the Felldians showed up to better advantage, but had shooting combined with the splendid defence of Hunt kept their score stationary. At long range Power shot and scored for the Vics. Ewing then gave a clever display of individual work and notched up the 4th goal for his team. Power made three runs on the left wing and was successful each time in beating Paterson. Before the close Knigh netted the final goal for the evening.

NOTES.
It was the fastest game for the season. Ewing, a schoolboy, is some player. His pal White, though very young, did marvelously. Jerrett was, as usual, excellent. For the Vics, Power won the match. He was ably assisted by Hunt, who stopped more than 50 shots. Ford and Brien were effective.

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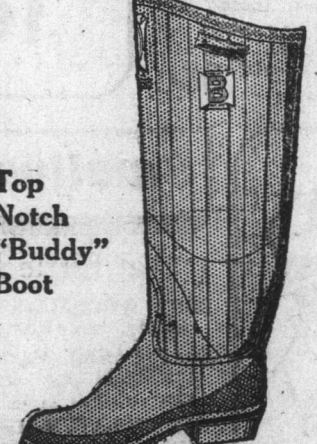
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