

WEATHER FORECAST.

TORONTO, Midnight—Fresh light winds with local snow or rain, but not much change in temperature. ROYER & THOMPSON, Noon.—Bar. 30.21; ther. 39.

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ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1919.

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At the Store of
J. R. Knight,
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FRIDAY, 7th instant,
at 11 o'clock.

- 1 SAFE with Key.
- 1 LONG DESK.
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- 2 CASH BOXES.
- 1 BRASS INK STAND.
- 1 PAPER RACK.
- 1 WATER POT and BRUSH.
- 1 FAIRBANKS SCALE.
- 1 OIL ROD.
- 1 SHOVEL.
- 1 COOPERS' ADZE.
- 1 HAMMER.
- 1 WATER BUCKET.
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Heirs Wanted!

The children or other descendants of JOHN COX WELLMAN, born in the County of Dorset, England, in the year 1822, and who married E. Groves, are requested to communicate with Mr. Vivian J. Bailhache, Solicitor, 14 Hill Street, Jersey, Channel Islands, when they will hear of something to their advantage. mar4,31

NOTICE.

Mails by the S. S. "Graciana" close at noon Thursday, March 6th. Should the time be extended the public will be notified.

J. ALEX. ROBINSON,
Postmaster General.
mar4,31

It's Our Pleasure to announce the arrival of large shipment of the famous

WOODBURY'S FACIAL SOAP.

This Soap has quickly become the popular soap for facial use, because it may be used by women with the tenderest of skins without fear.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

Commencing this week, a four months' intensive course in Short-hand and Typewriting, by the latest all-finger touch method, will be given in the city during the afternoons from 3.30 to 4.30 daily, and evenings 7.30 to 9.30 Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Special teacher, Miss B. G. Freeman, graduate of the Rose L. Frits Expert School of Touch Typewriting and Secretarial Training. The complete course given in four months. Worth \$50.00 and costing only \$10.00. A splendid opportunity. Apply in time this week. P. G. BUTLER (of N. Y. Univ. B.C.S.), Principal, Springdale St. Commercial School, Office entrance cor. Gilbert and Springdale Streets. mar5,31p

TENDERS WANTED.

Tenders will be received at the Quartermaster's Office, Empire Barracks, on or before the 12th inst., for the purchase of fifty-one pieces of Khaki Flannel, containing 3,681 3/4 yards, samples of which may be had from the undersigned.

J. G. BEMISTER,
Captain & Quartermaster.
mar5,71

NOTICE

The regular quarterly meeting of the St. John's Journeymen's Coopers' Union will be held at the British Hall on Thursday evening, (Thursday) evening, All members are especially requested to attend this meeting as business of importance is to be transacted. Chair will be taken at 8.15 sharp. By order, M. PRIM, Sec'y. mar5,11

ERNEST A. PAYN,
Secretary.

NOTICE.

A meeting will be held in the Board of Trade Rooms on Thursday, the 6th of March, at 4 p.m., when Mr. D. James Davies will read a paper. Subject: "A Preliminary Scientific Research in Fish Life." All interested in the fisheries are cordially invited.

ERNEST A. PAYN,
Secretary.

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FOR SALE—House, corner Springdale and John Streets; apply GEO. W. B. AYRE, Solicitor, Renouf Building. jan15,tf

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FOR SALE—Two Freehold Building Lots on the Southside Road, east of Browning's Bridge, one having a frontage on road of forty feet and the other having a frontage on the road of twenty feet. For particulars apply to SQUIRES & WINTER, Bank of Nova Scotia Building, St. John's. mar4,31

FOR SALE—A House on New Gower Street; also Houses and Land on Barter's Hill and Cuddihy St.; apply to GEO. W. B. AYRE, Solicitor, Renouf Bldg. dec13,tf

BLUE PUTTEE HALL—(Cor. Gower St. and King's Road.) (May be hired for small dances or meetings. Rates: Evenings \$12.50 up. Afternoons \$7.50. Apply NFDL ENTERTAINMENT CO., LTD., King's Road. jan2,137

WANTED—In Central locality Board and Lodging by young man; private family preferred. Apply J. I. this office. mar4,31

WANTED TO BUY—One Gen'l Bicycle; must be in fairly good running order; not particular if motor cycle or ordinary coaster; apply, stating price and particulars, to "PURCHASER", P. O. Box 321, St. John's. mar1,31,s,m,w

WANTED—To Rent or Buy a House containing 7 or 8 Rooms, having all modern conveniences; centrally located. Apply to E. B. ERSHLER, 10 Barnes' Road. feb21,261

LOST—On Monday night, between G. M. Barr's residence and General Hospital, by way of Circular Road, King's Bridge and Forest Roads, a Patch Fox Fur. Finder will be rewarded on returning same to Hospital Residence. mar5,21

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A Housemaid; apply to MRS. J. A. CLIFT, 100 Military Road. mar4,31

WANTED—A General Servant; apply to MISS COWAN, 37 Queen's Road, between the hours of 7.30 and 9.30 p.m. mar4,31

WANTED—A Housemaid; apply THE COCHRANE HOTEL. mar4,tf

WANTED—At Once, a General Girl; apply to MRS. LEVITZ, 108 Gower Street. mar4,31

WANTED—A Farmer to take charge of Rostellan Farm; apply to WM. CAMPBELL, Butcher. mar5,tf

WANTED—A Pianist, to work afternoon and night; apply by letter, stating experience and salary required, to P. O. BOX 251, City. mar5,tf

WANTED—General Servant, with some knowledge of cooking; another girl kept; references required; apply to MRS. CONROY, Allandale Road. mar5,tf

WANTED—An Apprentice for Tailoring Business (no parcels). Apply ROYAL STORES, LTD. (Customs Tailoring Dept.). mar4,31

WANTED—A Smart Girl; apply WOOD'S East End Candy Store, Duckworth Street. mar4,tf

WANTED—A Girl in a small family; apply No. 8 CHAPEL STREET. mar4,31

WANTED—A General Servant; apply at 84 Circular Road. mar4,tf

WANTED—A Boy for Office Work; apply in own handwriting, "B. Co.", this office. mar4,31

WANTED—A Girl who understands plain cooking; good wages; references required; apply MRS. W. J. HERDER, 40 Rennie's Mill Road. feb27,tf

WANTED—A Good General Servant who can do plain cooking; apply between the hours of 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. to 29 Barnes' Road. mar3,31

WANTED—Immediately, Assistant Stenographer and Typist; apply by letter c/o F., this office. mar3,tf

WANTED—A Smart Girl; apply GODDEN'S Candy Store. mar3,tf

WANTED—A Girl to do office work; must understand typewriting; apply to GEO. G. R. PARSONS, Garage, King's Road. mar1,tf

WANTED—A General Servant; one with a knowledge of plain cooking, where another girl is kept; apply MISS STICK, 5 Devon Row. feb27,tf

WANTED—Boys, with or without experience, for different departments; apply to CARROLL'S Carriage Factory. feb25,tf

WANTED—For Grand Falls, 2 Experienced Grocers (outport men preferred); apply by letter, stating experience. THE ROYAL STORES, LTD. feb4,31

WANTED—2 Vest Makers; apply to M. CHAPLIN, Water Street. feb10,tf

Pants and Vest Makers Wanted—Highest wages given. JOHN MAUNDER. jan14,tf

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

Barons' Profits.

Demands German Mercantile Marine.

PROFITS.

LONDON, March 4. The day before the British Admiralty reported that the profits of the owners of the coal tonnage up to September 1918, equal to £239,000,000, equal to the value of which at the time was 238, 10d. This was an average profit of 10 per cent for the same period in 1913, on an output of 100,000,000 tons equal to 15 per cent of which at the time was 15d.

THE BIG GAME.

BERLIN, March 3. The Spartans leaders demand the establishment of a tribunal to try the Kaiser, Admiral Tirpitz, and the revolution, Chancellor Scheidegger, Noske, the Minister of War, and the immediate conclusion of the armistice negotiations with Russia and the establishment of a republic. A strike in the coal mines is expected to be of a catastrophic nature and will be inimical to the peace and the recovery of Germany.

THE OFFENSIVE.

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PERSHING EXPLAINS.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 4. A cablegram from General Pershing, made public today at the War Dept., charges that the campaign of criticism against the handling of the Brest camp at Brest, France, grew out of trial by court martial of Major Alfred W. Birdsall, formerly of the New York Evening Telegram. The message said that the violent newspaper attacks on Brest camp began about the time Major Birdsall returned to the United States after having been reprimanded, reduced in grade, and fined for striking an enlisted man. It added that Major Birdsall threatened before he left that he would get some one at Brest.

BERLINERS MUST FOOT IT.

BERLIN, Mar. 4. The transportation facilities of Greater Berlin came to a standstill shortly at eight o'clock to-night when the surface cars and subway and elevated trains ceased operation. Passengers in automobiles and cars were not more fortunate than the travellers on the railways, because crowds in all the principal streets held up conveyances and forced the occupants to get out and walk.

REPUBLICAN FILIBUSTERS.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 4. With but a few hours of the final session of the sixty-fifth congress remaining, Republicans in the Senate this morning were continuing a general filibuster which had lasted throughout the long night sitting. The general deficiency by including \$750,000,000 for the administration resolving fund was the measure against which the Minority Filibuster was aimed, but Republican leaders said it would be passed finally as their purpose simply was to prevent action on other legislation. Senators Sherman of Illinois and LaFollette of Wisconsin spoke for several hours; the former beginning at one o'clock after Republican leader Lodge had presented and failed to secure action on a resolution which he said was supported by thirty-seven members of the new Senate, opposing acceptance of the constitution of the League of Nations as now framed.

BOLSHEVIKST COMMANDER TO BE TRIED.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 4. It was learned to-day through diplomatic channels that General Krylenko, former Commander in chief of the Bolshevik military forces, had been arrested at Bostoff in the Ukraine and is set for trial on charge of treason.

MARCHING ON MUNICH.

PARIS, Mar. 4. Bavarian troops opposed to the Radical Government in Munich are marching on that city, according to a despatch from Zurich to the Petit Parisien. This announcement was made at the headquarters of the soldiers' and workmen's congress in Munich.

THE BUENOS AIRES STRIKE.

BUENOS AIRES, Mar. 4. Resolutions were adopted by the Maritime Federation to-day informing the Government that if the harbor strike is not settled by March 5th, the Federation will no longer consider its members influenced by the pending negotiations and will permit freedom of action by them. The strike has been in progress for two months and has virtually paralyzed activities in the port of Buenos Aires.

GETTING CANADIANS HOME.

OTTAWA, Mar. 4. A total of 30,333 Canadian soldiers and dependents sailed from England for Canada during the month of February, according to figures issued through the Military Department. The grand total of soldiers and dependents sailing from England up to the end of February is 76,799.

DAYLIGHT MEASURE REMAINS.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 4. Failure of Congress, before final adjournment to-day to take any action on pending bills, providing for the repeal of the Daylight Saving Act made certain that the nation's clocks would be advanced an hour during the period between the last Sunday in March and the last Sunday in October. Opposition of farming interests to the knowledge that in the cities that it was of no benefit to the people of the rural communities led to the introduction of several bills providing for its repeal, but all of them failed.

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"Soldiers' Monument."

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir:—When the war started and I heard that some of our boys were killed, I then said, we will have to have a "Soldiers' Monument" placed say in Bannerman Park. I am not in favor of the different Churches of our city subscribing for a monument for all the boys of this and the other church. What should be done is, have one public subscription, and let us put up a Soldiers' Monument similar to the one I saw some years ago at Greenwood Cemetery, New York (a photo of which I am sending you, so that you can see what a suitable monument it would be to keep the memory of our noble boys who have paid the "Supreme Sacrifice" in the present war). As our boys went over to England and France they did not go from any particular church, neither did they fight and die for any denomination. Priest and Parson attended our boys, and as one wrote me, "There is one thing I love in this war: there is no religious differences," "we are all as one large family." Therefore I am in favor of one and only one Public Soldiers' Monument, which will have the names of every boy who laid down his life for King and Country placed on it. I trust this will be the opinion of the different churches in this city. As soon as the matter is settled, I am sure we will get our people to subscribe towards this deserving Memorial Monument to our boys. Let the subscription list be opened at once. Yours truly, PUBLIC MONUMENT.

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In honour of Newfoundland issuing a Twenty-Five Cent Coin we have decided to celebrate the occasion by holding a Twenty-Five Cent Sale.

Therefore we would advise that you take advantage of the opportunity by visiting our store during the next week and looking over our varied line of useful articles.

By buying here you certainly can make no mistake as we guarantee both quality and value to be up to our usual high standard. Below is a few of the many offerings too numerous to mention:

- Glassware, - 25c each.
- Toasters, - - 25c "
- Large Metal Spoons, 25c "
- Marketing Baskets, 25c "
- Hammers, - - 25c "
- Photo Frames, - 25c "
- Pipes, - - - 25c "
- Chair Seats, - 25c "

Sale starts on SATURDAY, March 1st, and ends SATURDAY, March 8th at 9.30 p.m.

- Tooth Paste, - 25c tube.
- Talcum Powder, 25c tin.
- Cold Cream, - 25c pot.
- Witchazel, - 25c bottle.
- Shaving Soap, - 25c stick.
- Liquid Shampoo, 25c bottle.
- Peroxide, - 25c bottle.
- Toilet Soap, 4 cakes for 25c.

Art Needle Work, Ladies' Hoisery, Children's Hoisery, Ladies' Neckwear, Huck Towels, Child's Flette Petticoats, Child's Corset Bands, Cushion Cases, Boys' Eton Caps, Handkerchiefs, Men's Braces, Men's Neck Ties, Men's Leather Belts.

Templeton's
333 WATER STREET

Veiling, Swiss Embroidery, Cup Towelling, Pillow Loops, Ribbons, Dolls, Guns, Doll's Cots, Games, Rattles, Stationery, Mucilage, Holiday Sets.

Cannot be Enforced.

Henry Watterson in the Louisville Courier Journal: I am being constantly asked how long I think that Prohibition will last? If it be, not accompanied by the stimulation of the drug habit, as in Turkey, where alone among the nations it has made a permanent lodgment, reaction will come that it cannot be enforced. The constitutional inhibition may never be rescinded. But like the 15th amendment in the Southern States, it will become inoperative. "It will be just as easy," says an old Mississippi friend of mine, "to get a drink as to keep a nigger from voting."

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

No, She Didn't Tell.

(From Tit-Bits.)
With a stormy look on his face, the master of the house waylaid the servant in the kitchen.
"Look here," he began angrily, "how dare you tell my wife what time I came home this morning after I told you not to?"
The Irish girl eyed him steadily.
"Shure an' Oi didn't," she replied calmly. "She asked me phwat toime yez came in, and Oi only towd hir that Oi was too busy gettin' the breakfast ready to look at the clock."

"BEST MEDICINE FOR WOMEN"

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Did For Ohio Woman.

Portsmouth, Ohio.—"I suffered from irregularities, pains in my side and was so weak at times I could hardly get around to do my work, and as I had four in my family and three boarders it made it very hard for me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me. I took it and it has restored my health. It is certainly the best medicine for women's ailments I ever saw."—MRS. SARA SHAW, R. No. 1, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Mrs. Shaw proved the merit of this medicine and wrote this letter in order that other suffering women may find relief as she did.
Women who are suffering as she was should not drag along from day to day without giving this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice in regard to such ailments write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its forty years experience is at your service.

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Special Blouse Offer!

All Higher Priced Georgette, Crepe-de-Chine and other Fine Silk Blouses, in Flesh, White and Suit Shades, both Round and V Necks, some with side closing in slip-over effect, some collarless, others with the newest shaped collars, several Embroidered and Beaded.

Now's the Time to Buy Blouses.

The Very Latest and Nattiest Waist-Wear, not in the store over a week.

\$5.50 each.

GET YOUR PICK OF THEM NOW.

NO APPROBATION.

MILLEY'S

When Rain Threatens.

Nearly all animals are reliable weather prophets. Cats are credited with washing right over their ears when rain is approaching. They also become restless and wander aimlessly about the house when a thunderstorm is brewing.
The braying of a donkey is said to be a sign of coming rain. The field-mouse has been noticed carefully to cover up its hole prior to the setting in of cold and snow. Sheep in mountainous districts change their feeding ground to the lee-side of hills before the arrival of gales and rain. When collecting honey, bees are so afraid of bad weather that if a cloud obscures the sun they hurry home. If geese are seen to fly, without any palpable reason, rain is to be expected. If ducks are noticed going out on to the grass-fields in daytime in search of snails, a shower may usually be looked for.
When it is likely to be wet, garden spiders spin only short threads, and when the shrill voices of the peacock is heard a change of weather is probable. If the swallow flies high, it is a sign of fine weather, but when it is near the ground rain is to be expected. Many farmers who have seen rooks settling noisily on trees and flying hither and thither instead of going straight away, say that a wet day is probable. If they are flying

low in the winter, going and returning silently, early and late, before sunrise and after sunset, a sharp frost may be looked for. Fish are extremely sensitive to the weather, as the angler well knows, many species declining to feed when a change is in progress.

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Evening Telegram

W. J. HEPBURN, Proprietor
C. T. JAMES, Editor
WEDNESDAY, March 5, 1919.

Jellicoe's Book.

It will be remembered by our readers that following his retirement from the Admiralty, Sir John Jellicoe, who commanded the Grand Fleet at the Battle of Jutland, which opened on the evening of May 31st, 1916, wrote a book entitled, "The Grand Fleet, 1914-16," in which he dwelt on the dangers to which the British Fleet was exposed when it was short of cruisers and destroyers, and with sea bases defenceless against the attacks of enemy submarines, mines and destroyers, a condition of affairs which was not improved upon until after the naval battle between the British and German fleets of Jutland. Following that engagement it became a moot point as to which fleet was really the victor, as owing to the mistaken reticence of the British naval authorities no real figures were given out until some considerable time afterwards, and the German version had thus been received, if not accepted, by the world at large. Commenting on the cable news of this book, the New York Times editorially expressed its opinions in such a summing up as we think will prove interesting, and it is given in full herewith. The press notices of the book have not been received here, so far, but we are inclined to coincide with the Times, "that a bitter controversy will rage around the publication," and Jellicoe will have to defend his figures as well as his leadership.

The disclosures of Admiral Jellicoe's book, "The Grand Fleet, 1914-16," explain why Jutland was not a decisive British victory, and the wonder is that if the Grand Fleet was inferior in destroyers, in range-finding appliances, in arm-piercing projectiles, in direct-firing gear for secondary batteries, and in searchlights, as Admiral Jellicoe declares, the Germans were worsted and ran for their base in rout. He seems to make out a good case for his decision not to fight a night battle with the retiring High Seas Fleet, because he must be staking his professional reputation upon the accuracy of his statements. But Pollen and other critics of the Admiral's tactics will still contend that he should have done more fighting before darkness fell and that his attack was not sufficiently aggressive. Pollen has always insisted that the British fleet was torpedo shy at Jutland, and Admiral Jellicoe admits it.

"A comparison of several of the capital ships of the two fleets shows that the German constructors had put more faith in torpedo tubes. But it is a surprising revelation that the British were weaker in destroyers. A British estimate on the eve of hostilities gave the German Navy 152 destroyers and the British 238. Jane's annual, which showed a marked British superiority in destroyers, must have misled his countrymen. If the British had had a great many more of this indispensable type of warship the Grand Fleet would not have put to sea with less than half of the German strength, which is indicated by Admiral Jellicoe's statement that the High Seas (German) Fleet possessed eighty-eight destroyers and the Grand Fleet only forty-two. Did the British have scores of obsolete destroyers not fit for battle and the Germans twice as many 'up-to-date' destroyers? Could that have been the Admiral's meaning? If so, it is singular that in the Jutland fight the destroyer losses were: British seven, Germans six. There should have been a greater disparity against the British, apparently. On the eve of war the Germans were supposed to be at a hopeless disadvantage in dreadnoughts, but Admiral Jellicoe presents a catalogue of misfortunes to the British fleet to prove that its superiority on Oct. 27, 1914, was only on paper:

"The Ajax had developed condenser defects. The Iron Duke had similar troubles. The Orion had to be sent to Greenock for examination of her turbine supports, which appeared to be defective. The Conqueror was at Devonport refitting, and the New Zealand was in dock at Cromarty. The Erin and Agincourt, having been newly commissioned, could not yet be regarded as efficient, so that the dreadnought fleet, consisted only of seventeen effective battleships and five battle cruisers. The German

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ENQUIRY CONTINUED.—The enquiry into the Mt. Moriah railway accident will be continued before Judge Morris on Friday.
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Addressed by White to

DEAR BROTHER:—
The approach of another Season is a call to both people to prepare themselves a way for its observance as them to garner the rich which by God's mercy that time may produce. Now that has come thoughtful men at that it has brought with it opportunities, and greater and corporate responsibilities cannot all be met and dealt quietly in a moment. They be considered in their true perspective this holds good as regards the tasks awaiting us in this. Hence if in my first Lenten many important questions hour find no place, the reason I would focus your attention the one or two questions we appear to me to demand consideration. If other less weighty moment are it is because no other opportunity dealing with them is afforded cause they have a necessary button to make towards the the Diocese as a whole.

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Being Sorry.—
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LENTEN LETTER.

Addressed by His Lordship Bishop White to the Clergy of the Diocese.

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"lamentably small. A special opportunity is presented this Lent to Church people to manifest their appreciation of all that Queen's has done and is doing for them and for 'the Kingdom of Heaven's sake.'"

The income of the College is quite insufficient to meet ordinary expenses even in normal times; and now the difficulty of carrying on is increased by the high cost of living, as well as by the necessity of effecting extensive repairs to the property. I trust the response may be general and generous.

3.—Before the close of the Synod last July I was asked to appoint several Committees whose duty it should be to deal during the biennial period with matters entrusted to them. These have now been appointed. One of them—the Diocesan Board of Missions—appears to me to be of outstanding importance and I anticipate as a consequence of the appointment of this Board a new era of Diocesan missionary endeavour. But if any thing worth while is to be accomplished the wholehearted co-operation of Deaneries, parishes, and missions will be necessary. Great ventures of faith sometimes call for drastic changes of methods which have to be deprecated, or change being made for the sake of change I believe that we can be too conservative in maintaining old established methods. It is well that the old order change and give place to new, at any rate in regard to our missionary efforts.

4.—My plans for the visitation of parts of the Diocese during the summer and fall of last year could not be wholly carried out. Parishes and Missions which I had hoped to visit in October and November were affected by the epidemic of Influenza which prevailed throughout many parts of the Diocese, and a visitation in them was not possible. As a consequence, Random, Smith's Sound, part of the Parish of Trinity, Trinity East, Champneys, Catalina, Bonavista and Brooklyn expect me in the spring.

Should any of the parishes or missions in the Deanery of Conception Bay be prepared to present Candidates for Confirmation before the end of Lent they are requested to notify the Rural Dean—Rev. E. C. Clench—as soon as possible.

I purpose making a visitation of the South Coast during July and August, commencing at Port aux Basques. Should time and circumstances permit the Coast Mission, North of Bonne Bay, and the Flower's Cove Mission will also be included. The lack of travelling facilities will, I trust, be taken into consideration by the clergy and people concerned.

5.—Such Regulations as were from time to time issued by the late Bishop for the guidance of the Clergy shall be held to be still in force unless otherwise ordered.

6.—The Deaneries of Trinity Bay North and Trinity Bay South have again been combined with the Rev. Canon Smart as Rural Dean.

The Mission of Bay-de-Verde has been added to the Deanery of Conception Bay of which the Rev. E. C. Clench is now Rural Dean.

The Deaneries of Notre Dame Bay North and Notre Dame Bay South have also been reconstituted to form one Deanery as formerly. A Rural Dean will shortly be appointed.

Commending you and your flocks to the guidance and blessing of the Lord.

I remain,
Your friend and Bishop
WILLIAM NEWFOUNDLAND.

S. S. Appenine.

Yesterday the captain and third officer of the Appenine walked ashore on the ice at Witless Bay, and in response to messages sent, a train left last evening taking Mr. T. Kennedy, of the Furness Withy office; Messrs. Tobin and Abbott, of H. M. Customs; Sergt. Savage and Const. Lee; Mailman Taylor and Mr. J. Brown.

Dangerous Roads.

The residents of Killybeg and of Waterford Bridge Road, are complaining of these roads. The drivers of vehicles especially run great danger in travelling these highways, as gulches caused by snow and ice are the predominant features. A marked contrast is presented by a road which has been levelled and put in first class condition, for the time of year. The residents in question, desire their sections to be similarly well treated, so that people may traverse the same with the minimum amount of personal risk.

Weather and Ice Conditions.

Cape Ballard.—Ice three miles off. Fog.—Strong southerly wind, fine; ice packed.

Tilt Cove.—Moderate, westerly, fine; water making in bay.

Britain's Biggest Gun.

"Big Bertha," the monster gun with which the Germans shelled Paris from a distance of thirty to thirty-five miles, was easily surpassed by the "Woolwich Infant," the latest production of our armament factories. Firing a shell weighing a ton and a half and 18 inches in diameter, this latest wonder of the British artillery on proper mountings, can fire a shell a distance of 40 miles.

World's Famous Jewels.

Although the blue and white diamonds weighing 388 1/2 carats, recently discovered in the Jagersfontein mine, is an extraordinary jewel, it has broken no records. The present discovery, in fact, is small in comparison with famous gems such as the Cullinan, Koh-i-noon, Excelsior, and Regent.

More, however, depends for value on colour than on size; and the latest stone, being described as of soft blue and white, is likely to rank high as a valuable find.

As an instance may be mentioned the Porter-Rhodes gem, found in 1880 which was valued at £200,000, though it weighed only 150 carats—less than half the weight of this.

The weights of some famous diamonds are here given for comparison: Cullinan, 3,022 carats; Excelsior, 969 carats; Koh-i-noon, 800 carats; Dutoitspan, 442 1/2 carats; Regent, 410 carats.

The Cullinan diamond was cut in two—one weighing 517 1/2 carats and the other 300 carats—the gems being presented to the King, and are now among the Crown Jewels.

Health and Finger Nails.

A French physician, Dr. R. Sabouraud, of Paris, has made the study of finger nails his life-work. Among other things he has discovered that by means of your nails you can tell not only whether you are in poor health, but whether you are going to be ill.

Many people have noticed white markings on their finger nails, but few realize that they are danger signals. According to Dr. Sabouraud, they signify either nervousness, skin trouble, or the early stage of tuberculosis. They are often to be seen on the hands of people suffering from gonorrhoea.

Marbled nails are more frequent in women than in men but with the latter they have more significance. They are not a grave symptom, for you will often find them on persons in good health. But they indicate a probability of some trouble or other developing in the course of time.

In short, concludes Dr. Sabouraud, the existence of marbled nails is a danger signal, not only demonstrating in the apparently healthy a latent weakness, but also in conditions of poor health, an augury that serious results may ensue.

Obituary.

MARIANNA BEHAN.
Mrs. Marianna Behan, daughter of the late Joseph and Ellen English, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Kuns, 195 Buelldig avenue. She was born in St. John's, Newfoundland, and had been a resident of Brooklyn for forty-eight years. In addition to her daughter, she survived by a grandson, Raymond Goetz. She was a member of the Third Order of St. Francis and St. Malachy's Church.

LETTER FOUND AND POSTED.
A letter, addressed to Mrs. George Grandy, Bay d'Argent, was picked up on Gower St. yesterday and posted.

Voting Powers at the Conference.

The business arrangements of the Peace Conference appear to have been drafted in a more reasonable manner than the communique which made them public. After a preliminary misunderstanding it has been decided that each of the Great Powers will be represented by five delegates; Brazil, Belgium and Serbia (the new Southern Slav State has not yet been recognized officially by the Great Powers) will have three; Canada, Australia, South Africa, and India, as well as the minor Allies, two each; New Zealand and the remaining Associated countries, including Montenegro, one apiece. Each Power will vote as a single unit; and thus, in general assembly, the British delegation, speaking for the Empire as a whole, will possess the same voting power as Portugal or Panama. This obvious anomaly will be overcome by the provision that the Conference in its entirety shall only meet (after the inaugural gatherings) at the end of the session, to record its formal adhesion to the terms of the settlement. The bulk of the questions will be decided by the Great Powers, in consultation with the minor States immediately concerned. No other plan would be workable, for it would be intolerable that China, Liberia, and the Central and South American States, should be able to outvote the Five Powers on points affecting the future of Europe. The separate representation of the Dominions and India is an eminently satisfactory measure, and marks an important stage in the development of the British Empire. Protracted discussion arose over the representation of Russia, and it transpired that Mr. Lloyd George was prepared to admit, on terms, to the Conference a representative of the Bolshevist Government. The proposal—which, no doubt, was less crude in its original context than it sounds by itself—was as vigorously challenged by the bulk of British opinion as it was by the French Government. In the end a compromise was effected. The Conference, after defining its attitude towards Russia, invited every organized group, contending for political authority or military control, to send representatives to the Prince's Islands, in the Sea of Marmora, to confer with representatives of the Associated Powers, with a view to bringing about some understanding and agreement by which the Russian problem could be solved. The only condition imposed was that there should be a trace of arms amongst the parties invited, and that all aggressive military action must cease. Thus Russia will be unable to allege that her views were not placed before the Conference, and the French will not be obliged to offer hospitality to representatives of the Red Terror associated with the names of Lenin and Trotsky.—United Empire for February.

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Mysterious Newspapers.

The mystery surrounding the Belgian newspaper "La Libre Belgique," which circulated freely during the German occupation of Belgium, despite the enemy's ceaseless efforts to discover the printing plant, has now been cleared up.

It was published by the brothers Jourdain, the former editors of a journal called "Le Patriote." They were pro-German before the war, but struck with remorse when the German invasion revealed their mistaken judgment, they founded "La Libre Belgique." To add to the tragic story they both died a few days before the armistice.

Many men and women were shot or imprisoned for helping to produce the paper and for refusing to disclose the secret when arrested.

Corrupt German soldiers were also bribed, particularly two orderlies of successive German Governors, von Bissing and von Falkenhausen. This explains why the Hun tyrants several times found a copy of the mysterious paper on the breakfast table when it contained some particularly violent indictment against their rule.

His Only Black Suit.

He was not a good card-player, and it was only on pressure being brought to bear that he took a "hand." But that was no reason why his partner should be so disagreeable whenever he made mistakes.

After a particularly glaring error his partner turned upon the novice in real anger.

"Why didn't you follow my lead?" he asked.

"I allowed anybody's lead, sir," exclaimed the novice, hotly, "it certainly wouldn't be yours."

His partner snorted and subsided. But in the next "hand" he threw down his cards in desperation.

"Look here," he cried. "Didn't you see me call for a spade or club? Have you no black suit?"

"Yes, I have," retorted the novice with warmth; "but I'm keeping it for your funeral."

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The Last Straw.

"Yes," said the man from New York, who stood on the deck of a Cunard leaving Liverpool, "England is the most awful corner for tips I ever struck. I've been rooked at every turn for the last month, but," he added, savagely, "the last try-on was a bit more than I could stand."

"What was that?" inquired the man to whom the remark was addressed.

"Well," said the tourist, "I had tipped every man from the captain of the House of Lords down to the man that gummed the wrong labels on my luggage, and I went into the waiting-room on the landing-stage to wash my hands of everything English and what do you think stared me in the face when I was finished but 'Please Tip the Bastin.' I'm hanged if I did!"

PERSONAL.—Mr. A. J. Harvey, of Botwood, arrived in town by last night's train and is staying at the Osborne House.

The Latest "Howlers."

Recent school examination papers have added much to the gaiety of nations. Here are a few "howlers" which have been collected:—

The Menal Straits are crossed by a tubercular bridge.

The Armada was met by the English in the Channel, and by the time they got to the Straits of Dover it was nearly demobilized.

The masculine of heroine is kipper. Simon de Montfort formed what was known as the Mad Parliament—it was something the same as it is at the present day.

FORCED TO PUT BACK.

Word was received here yesterday that the schr. "Scottin Belle" after being 20 days out from Gibraltar to this port, had put back again, with her rudder head gone, and canvas blown away. She will undergo repairs at Gibraltar.

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A Chat That Wrote Itself Differently.

By RUTH CAMERON.

A retired school teacher told me this little tale. "I once had a pupil in my school who said she couldn't learn French because she didn't like it. And I said to her, 'You put it in the wrong way. You don't like it because you won't learn it.' That impressed her so much that she really put her mind on it. She took honors in French in college and the last time I met her she was teaching French."

Thought It A Good Text At First.

The moral of that tale is, of course, perfectly obvious. And when I first heard it I meant to make it a text for a chat on overcoming dislikes by force of mind and will. And then, when I got down to write the chat, it decided to write itself differently. I am not sure that we do not place too much stress on this idea of overcoming obstacles just for the sake of coming. It may be very fine to intelligently remove an obstacle that lies in your road but isn't it more sensible to go around it if that is possible and save your energy for some obstacle that you can't go around? (There are enough of these, goodness knows.)

Is Pleasure In One's Work A Fatal Defect?

I never had any sympathy with the idea of making all college students learn Latin whether they have a taste for it or not, just because Latin is good training for the mind. Isn't chemistry or biology or mathematics just as good training for the mind? And if the pupils happens to enjoy what he gets out of the training, as that is the training itself, is that a fatal defect? The fact that the girl ultimately did succeed in mastering French may have meant that in her case the dislike was a mere whim (which does not, of course, prove that all dislikes are whims). On the other hand, it may have proved that she had a good mind and a strong will which would have brought her even more success in some study which she did like.

But Perhaps You Can.

There is an old saying, "If you can't have what you like then learn to like what you have." And that is

very good advice if you are sure the "can't" is immutable. But the same will power that might be used to constrain you to contentedness might also be used to help you mold circumstances more nearly to your heart's desire. We are not all made alike. Each one has energies which can reach their fullest fruition in certain lines, a talent for happiness which can best be developed under certain conditions. Why not turn the energy into those lines, why not surround the talent with those conditions when it is possible and right to do so? If half your energy is used up in overcoming the obstacle of dislike, you will surely never get so far as if all of it could be used for accomplishment.

Milady's Boudoir.

THE HABIT OF SWINGING THE ARMS.

If you will observe the number of women who swing their arms as they walk along the avenues, you will give the topic more thought in the future I am sure.

There should be a slight movement to the arms if you have nothing to carry in them, so as to give a sort of rhythm to the figure as you walk. But this little backward and forward movement should never develop into a swing.

If you find difficulty in overcoming the "swing" cultivate the habit for a brief while, at least, of carrying arms in both hands, when the arms are burdened even lightly there is very little tendency to movement. Your handbag held in one hand and possibly a book held in the other will act as weights and you will soon lose the desire to swing the arms back and forth.

Another serious defect in connection with the arms is that of pointing the elbows out instead of in. To be graceful the elbows must go held close to the body, although in the act they must not be stiffened. At first the position will be more or less difficult, but in time it will become easy and natural.

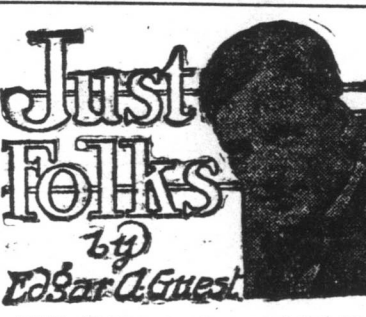
The rolls of fat under the arms are apt to cause the holding out of the arms, but a firm massage daily and a pressing of the arms against the sides will overcome the difficulty, aiding greatly in removing the superfluous flesh from this part of the body.

A simple cutting out of bread and potatoes, indeed will reduce the flesh on all parts of the body in most instances.

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THE WASH ROOM TRAGEDY.

They found him in the wash room of the Pullman sleeping car. Some thought that he had fallen and been staggered by the jar. Some fancied he had fainted, and some guessed he'd had a stroke. But the wise ones only chuckled when at last the victim spoke: "I was shaving; I was shaving! Oh I can't remember more. I was shaving, busy shaving, when I seemed to hit the floor."

On the leather cushions near him stood his open travelling case. And his personal possessions occupied each bit of space. From the hooks his clothing dangled—he'd monopolized them all!

There were shaving soap and powder and some stuff we couldn't call—Quite enough to stock a drug store, on the wash stand strewn about, which is why the wise ones chuckled when they found him fainted out.

No one seems to know the story, no one seems to care to tell. We found him cold and silent in the wash room where he fell. There are some who think he fainted, some who think he had a stroke. But the wise ones sit and chuckle. And they treat it as a joke. For they know that someone landed, with a wallop swift and straight, On the hog within the washroom, who too oft had tempted fate.

Victoria Crosses are made from gun melted obtained by melting down historic guns. For many years after the Order was established by Queen Victoria in 1854 the bronze cannon captured at Sebastopol were used for the purpose, but the supply has now been exhausted. In this war some 550 crosses have been awarded.

Items of Interest.

Eggs are said to be six cents a dozen in China, but practical experience over here has shown that China eggs do not hatch very well.

A London paper says: "Those who come into close contact with President Wilson were struck by the marked resemblance between him and Mr. Joseph Chamberlain—the same compact figure; the same rather frigid manner enlivened by an occasional smile; the same shaped forehead; the same clear-cut ideas and modes of speech; the same sense of humour, and the same underlying sentiment."

At New Haven, Conn., because he enclosed a \$10 bill in a note to Judge Webb asking for a light sentence and another chance to make good, Moses Kemp, charged with stealing \$22 and a gold watch from John W. Price, was again arrested and, in addition to receiving a severe reprimand for attempted bribery, was sentenced to not less than one year and not more than two years in State Prison.

The discovery by the Steffansson expedition party of the great herring fisheries in the Far Northern waters of Canada, is announced in a statement issued through the Dominion Naval Department. The statement asserts that abundance of herring has been found along the Arctic Coast of Canada, East and West of the mouth of the MacKenzie River, and that this will have an important bearing on Canadian northwest fisheries. If the difficulties in transportation can be overcome, the herring fisheries discovered may develop rapidly.

At Fort Worth, Texas, the Merriam Baptist Church of Ranger, which already has acquired an income of \$200,000 a year, has refused one million dollars for the right to develop the church. The graveyard now is surrounded by oil wells, and numerous companies have made the congregation, which has only twenty-nine members, fabulous offers for the burying ground. The congregation has voted that none of its members shall profit personally by its good fortune, but the entire income shall be devoted to the glory of God. One hundred thousand dollars already has been distributed among Baptist institutions in that State.

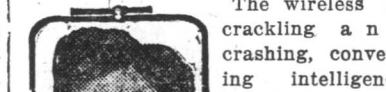
Nfld. Scotch Cured Herring.

In circumstances that are as unusual as they are depressing, Newfoundland Scotch cured herring has been imported into New York this year by merchants who have felt themselves obliged to handle it, in some cases, against their better judgment. The result has been that the market dull and featureless as it has been has not responded to the offerings with anything like its former anxiety. Thus, supplies received here during the past month or two have gone largely into warehouse, and sales have been on a hand-to-mouth basis since the first stocks became available. The inactivity of the market at this season, when it is usually buoyant, is quite unexplainable. The same populations which have consumed large quantities of Scotch cured Newfoundland herring in the past are still in existence (with a small percentage of the male in the service of the nation) but the consumption of herring appears to have fallen off. At least the consumption of herring is not as great as it was in former years—before the war. It

is possible that the higher prices have restricted the sale of Scotch cured herring somewhat, but it is noted that other fishstuffs widely used as food, i. e., smoker sturgeon and salmon, are higher in price and are still in demand. The quality of the herring undoubtedly has been a serious drawback, for on New York's East Side, herring is sold from the barrel and the purchaser invariably makes a careful selection from the barrel in which the fish is displayed. The Jewish trade required a fancy herring; it will buy no other. The variable quality of Newfoundland Scotch herring this year in particular has naturally restricted its sale among those past over scrutinizing buyers, for where one barrel would be good, others would be made up of a mixture of good and poor fish. It may be said that this trade has not taken any particular interest in Newfoundland Scotch cured herring this season, as the movement of the goods received within the past few weeks indicated. Importers have sold relatively few barrels to jobbers, who in turn sell to retailers. The limited buying of both of these factors in the distribution of herring is directly traceable to the consumer, who, certainly has failed to recognize any special or desirable features of the Newfoundland Scotch cured herring of the fall pack now available. That prices have declined cannot be denied. Those who were holding at various quotations up to \$30 per barrel are now apparently willing to sell at from \$25 to \$28 per barrel. Supplies that appeared to be of excellent quality in Newfoundland have been found to be inferior or only passable when they reach this market. The suggestion of a standard pack and rigid inspection, in the opinion of factors in this trade is the only remedy for such a condition as exists to-day.—N. Y. Fishing Gazette, Feb. 22.

BILL'S WHISKERS.

The wireless is crackling a n d crashing, conveying intelligence weird; from Holland the news comes a-flashing, that Wilhelm is raising a beard. He's sitting in sackcloth a n d ashes, f r o m royal magnificence hurled, and finds that his w e l l known mustache won't hide all his face from the world. No wonder he wants to conceal it, to hide it away in the brush, where no one can see it or feel it, or greet it with groaning or gush. His face has grown tired of men's chiding, with sadness it's seamed and it's seared; he's anxious to keep it in hiding, and so he is raising a beard. The winds through his whiskers are blowing, and eadly they chant in his ears; his galways like milkweeds are growing, he waters them well with his tears. He knows that his face is an error, a thing that is hated and feared; the children regard it with terror, and so he is growing a beard. His face is a painful reminder of U-boats, to murderests steered; to cover it up would be kinder, and so he is growing a beard. His face is considered immoral, wherever that mug has appeared; though whiskers be brinded or sorrel, he's wise in thus growing a beard. So hide in your whiskers, ex-Kaiser, let barbers be fouted and jeered; for one like yourself it were wiser to crouch at the back of a beard.



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THE SALVATION ARMY, like the Knights of Columbus and the Y. M. C. A., has been devoting most of its social service energies during the last four years to war work. In that splendid kinship of effort on behalf of the soldiers and their dependents it has engaged in friendly and humanitarian rivalry with the other two great outstanding organizations.

And now that the war is over, the Salvation Army is taking up with renewed vim its great mission of bringing aid and comfort to all who are in need, of securing the suffering, of making the path of life smoother for the masses and of helping along towards the great ideal of a reconstructed world in which the good things of life shall be brought within reach of the great majority of the people, instead of being virtually a monopoly of a privileged few.

In Eastern Canada this energetic and popular organization is just now conducting a whirlwind campaign for one million dollars.

Toronto city has already raised over a quarter of a million dollars. The city of Montreal has made a promising start at the task of raising a like amount. Halifax is hustling towards its objective of over one hundred thousand dollars.

These great funds are to be expended on hostels and on other institutions designed to benefit the common people. There is to be nothing of denominationalism about the application of the money to public needs. Provincial governments and municipal authorities are showing their approval of the work of the Salvation Army, their faith in the ability and disinterestedness and broad-mindedness of the organization and their approval of its work and record by voting large appropriations of money to aid in the achievement of its plans.

And the Salvation Army proposes to help the citizens of St. John's solve one of their biggest problems. It proposes to help St. John's secure a maternity Home, even as it is conferring the same privilege on the city of Halifax.

The Salvation Army asks every citizen, whatever his standing, his creed or his means, to give this project his practical support so that this institution may be erected and equipped. The estimated cost of such a Maternity Home is set at fifty thousand dollars. And a considerable portion of this amount will be applied to the amplification of that splendid rescue work in this city that has now outgrown the limitations of the present institution maintained for this purpose.

That is the citizens' part of the project. On this side, the Salvation Army guarantees that, once the proposed Maternity Home is erected, the institution will be properly and continuously maintained, whether its upkeep is provided in whole or in part by this city or this country; the Salvation Army is also prepared to place the governance of this institution under an advisory board to be representative of all religious denominations and of the city and the general government. For the Maternity Home will not be denominational in name, in administrative conduct or in its aims, objects or methods.

The Salvation Army has had many years of experience, successful experience, in this branch of social service, which is conducted entirely distinct from its religious activities. It has great Maternity Homes in Canada, in the United States and in the Old Country. The organization specializes in this work and offers its splendid services to the city of St. John's. The whole world endorses these activities of the Salvation Army. Testimonies in favor of its methods and of its abilities come from great men of all denominations, of all classes and of all nationalities. Tomorrow we shall publish a glowing endorsement of Salvation Army maternity work, made by virtually every registered practitioner in St. John's. Our own local doctors urge upon our citizens the great advisability of embracing the opportunity the Salvation Army places within our reach. They urge the need of a Maternity Home and they plead for support of the Salvation Army project designed to meet that need at once.

The citizens of St. John's will be false to their own interests if they let such an opportunity slip. The citizens of St. John's will set back the progress of their own city if they do not give this project their enthusiastic and practical support. They cannot, they will not refuse the helping hand extended to them by an organization of wide experience, farlung activities, proven benefit and endorsed ability such as is the Salvation Army.

Presently it will be shown how every citizen can help along this splendid and necessary work. First, though, it will be shown that the need exists and that the Salvation Army makes just the right proposition for meeting that need. Our own professional leaders admit the necessity and endorse this means of coping with it. Just watch for proof of this.

And when the subscription lists are opened it is anticipated that our citizens will maintain their record for liberality. They must, in all fairness to themselves. The motto of this campaign must be

"LEND A HAND"---Give Even More Than You Can Spare!



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I now relate happened in the that we occupy. I can offer explanation, scientific or purely naive.

Two months ago our black Persian cat developed a peculiar habit. She refused to bring up one of her kittens and attacked a grey one, the only one of that colour in the house. When the next litter of kittens arrived she promptly killed them. From a domesticated creature she changed into a snarl-mouthed fiend. We decided with reference that the cat should be destroyed, and she was mercifully despatched by a veterinary surgeon and interred.

A few weeks afterwards a young man and his wife came as visitors to our house. They were given the room in which my wife and I sleep. It is a room that not the most agile of cats can enter with both windows and the door shut. Our friends kept the door closed during the night.

The morning our visitor, Mrs. H., a my wife where the cat was. "I have no cat," was the answer. "Very remarkable," said Mrs. H. "I had a cat a month or so ago." "But we had to destroy it," she said, "but we had to destroy it, killing her kittens and going to the grave with her." "What was she like—a black one?" "She was a black Persian." "She was the most extraordinary!" exclaimed our guest. "Extraordinary!" echoed her

husband. "Make one feel creepy." "What is the mystery?" we inquired of our visibly astonished friends.

"Well," said Mrs. M., "in the middle of the night I woke up suddenly and saw a big black cat with yellow eyes, sitting on my chest. I am not fond of cats, but I did not push it away. There it sat looking at me with its big, yellow eyes. Then, presently, the cat slowly stretched out a paw and gently patted my cheek. I took no notice of this. The next thing the cat did was to touch my lips softly with its paw. Again I gave the cat no encouragement, and presently it sprang off my chest on to the floor. Then I went to sleep again, and when I woke up I told my husband that a friendly cat had visited us in the night and had stroked my face with its paw. How it got into the room was a mystery to us. There was just enough light for me to see the cat plainly."

I must explain that Mrs. H. is a normal, healthy person, in full possession of her visual faculty, not of a superstitious nature, and not accustomed to see spectres. The cat of her apparition conducted herself exactly in the same manner as our dead Persian.

Almost every morning, in the small hours, the cat on returning from nocturnal hunting, came to greet my wife. It used to spring upon the bed, stalk on to my wife's chest, and sit and watch her face for a few minutes. If her mistress did not extend a hand to stroke her the cat would endeavor to attract her attention by softly patting her cheek. Always expecting some sign of welcome, the cat would try to make my wife speak to her by a gentle touch on the lips. This was before she reverted to her ancestral

ferocity and developed murderous inclinations.

Usually, after this early morning salutation between the mistress and her pet, which I have frequently witnessed the cat would either curl round and go to sleep at the foot of the bed or make another expedition in quest of birds at dawn.

Mrs. H. asserts that she was not dreaming. She was awakened fully by the cat jumping on to her. She did not know that we had kept a cat. When the cat appeared to her, she surmised that it was our cat, and that it was accustomed to come into the bedroom.

Our visitor records this apparition as a fact. She affirms that everything occurred exactly as she told us. Can anyone suggest a rational explanation?

I know that it is easy enough to dismiss the testimony of Mrs. H. as a dream or a delusion. But admitting this possibility, why was the cat—"ghost" a black Persian, and why did it act precisely in the same manner as our dead cat was wont to do? I am awaiting the next nightly visitation of our sable friend.—Walter M. Galliehan, in London Daily Mail.

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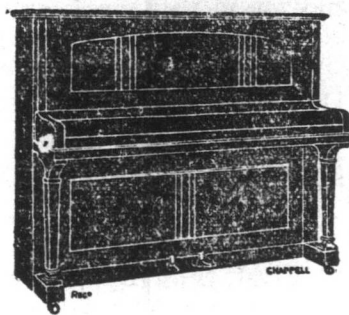
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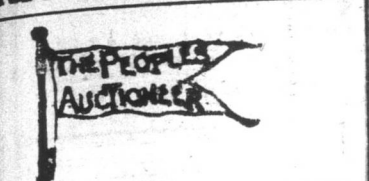
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