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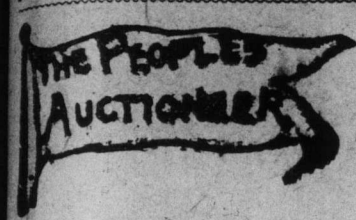
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NUMBER 56.

Auction Sales!



WEATHER FORECAST.
TORONTO, Midnight.—Wind light variable, gradually increasing in force with some snow at night.
QUEBEC, Noon.—Bar. 29.30; clear 20.

AUCTION.
 For the benefit of whom it may concern, at the Store of Messrs. Callahan, Glass & Co. Duckworth Street, on Thursday next, the 9th inst., at 11 o'clock,

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P. C. O'DRISCOLL, Notary Public.

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P. C. O'DRISCOLL, Auctioneer.

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A. WILSON, Secretary & Registrar.
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TENNIS CLUB!

The Annual Meeting of the Newfoundland Lawn Tennis Club will be held at my office, Bank of Montreal Building, second floor, on Thursday, March 9th, at 4.30 p.m.
 It is hoped that as many members as possible, including lady members, will endeavour to attend.
B. DUNFIELD, Hon. Sec.-Treasurer.
 mar6,31

NOTICE!

In the matter of the Insolvent Estate of **Allan Fritchett of Middle Brook, N.B.**

All persons claiming to be creditors of or who have any claim upon the above-mentioned Insolvent Estate are required to furnish particulars of their claims in writing, duly attested, to Simon Butler, of St. John's, Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court of Newfoundland, Trustee of said Insolvent Estate, at the Court House in St. John's, or to the undersigned Solicitor for said Trustee on or before the first day of April next, after which date the said Trustee will proceed to distribute the said estate having regard only to claims of which he shall then have had notice.

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CHAPTER XXXIX.
He had seen her but once when he was under the spell of her sweetness, and after he had seen her a number of times he was as ready to die under her feet as under Sir Lionel's, and words could express no more for his devotion.

So it was a right, royal welcome that was given to them when they went down. And Lady Dareligh smiled in the sad way that was hers now, and pointed out to Lionel that any one who could go about among her inferiors with such a dignity and grace could not be much in need of instruction.

And so it was afterward when the great county folk began to call upon her, and to give dinners and lawn parties and balls in her honor. She was as free and devoid of any hint of gauche as any lady reared in the very midst of such scenes.

Carrie was astonished at first at the quiet way in which Phyllis adapted herself to her new life, but presently she said to Lionel:

"I ought not to be surprised. It has always been just that way. Even Flora, who was the quietest woman I ever saw, would yield to little Phyllis. I warrant if you could drop her into the very center of Africa you would find her having them all—I mean the natives—at her beck and call. She's a wonderful Phyllis."

"So she is, Carrie; but it seems to me you are doing very well yourself."

"Oh, yes. I'm getting along. I just sit in that magnificent chair Phyllis had made for me, and watch her, and I never find anybody who wouldn't rather watch her than talk to me. It is very easy."

Lionel laughed, as it was easy to do, at the droll way Carrie told things; but he knew the little creature had never been so happy in her life before. She did not object to the gay parties that came to the castle, and occasionally she would favor some one of the neighboring houses with her presence; but her greatest pleasure was in going among the villagers and doing "good work" among them.

Phyllis had set apart a pair of ponies for her driving, and it seemed as if they knew who held the reins when she took hold, for with all their life and spirits they would never give her the least trouble, but would prance gayly but gently through all the lanes and by-ways as it suited her to go.

Lionel told Phyllis that Carrie was just the right mixture to suit the country folk, for they were always best satisfied with what they could not quite comprehend, and certainly none of them were quick enough to

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follow the flashes of her wit, though she never went anywhere that folks did not warm up at once into better humor and be smiling before she had said ten words.

As for the little children—they worshipped Miss Carrie. Nobody ever seemed to get so near to them as she did, and her champions among the bigger boys were as numerous as the boys themselves. A happy, happy life she led, and there was no one but was the happier for knowing it.

Lionel and Phyllis did not wait long before they were married. Lady Dareligh was the first to urge them to it.

"If Flora could make her wishes known she would say not to wait," she said to Phyllis.

The wedding was a quiet one, but the villagers were not to be cheated of their fun, nor was Carrie disposed to see them cheated. She supplied the funds, and the consequence was such a time as there had never been on a similar occasion in Basingwell. And it was a theme for talk until the day when young Lord Lionel was married.

For it came to that one day, but there was a good half-dozen left in the circle when young Lord Lionel went away with his bride. There were Flora, and Carrie, and another Phyllis, with four boys, of whom Lord Lionel was the oldest.

THE END.

'Margaret,' The GIRL ARTIST, OR, The Countess of Ferrers Court.

With a smile the young man seemed to think that it was time to end the little drama, and planting his left foot firmly forward, he delivered one blow straight from the shoulder.

It fell upon the bulley's forehead with a fearful crash, and the same instant, as it seemed, he staggered and fell full length to the ground. A murmur of consternation and admiration—for the blow had really been a skillful one—arose from the group of onlookers, and they crowded round the prostrate man.

"Dang me if I don't think he's killed 'im!" exclaimed the ostler, lifting Jem Pyke's head on his knees.

"What do you say?" said the young fellow, and pushing them aside, he bent down and examined his late foe. "No, he's not dead. See, he's coming to already. Get some water, some of you—better still, some brandy. That's it. There you are!" he added, cheerfully, as Pyke opened his eyes and struggled to his feet. "How are you? You ought to have countered that last one of mine, don't you know? You don't box badly, a little wild, perhaps, but then you were wild, weren't you? and that's always a mistake. Well, one of us was bound to win, and there's no harm done, though you've got a bump or two, and—putting his hand to his own face—"my figure-head isn't improved. There," and under the pretense of shaking the man's hand, he slipped half a sovereign into the wry palm. "Get yourself a drink—and good-morning," and with a laugh and a nod he was striding across the road, when, see-

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ing the pump at the head of the horse trough, he called a boy to work the handle, and with his pocket-handkerchief washed his face and head, coming out of the impromptu bath with his shert chestnut hair all shining like a Greek god's.

Then he strolled across the road, and—for the first time became aware that the young girl from the station had been a spectator of the scene.

He pulled up short within a few paces of her, and the two stood and looked at each other. She had the dog in her arms, and on her face and in her eyes was an expression which baffles his powers of description. It was not fright or disgust, nor admiration, nor scorn, but a little of each skillfully and most perplexedly mingled. Women hate fighting, when it is inconveniently near to them; on the other hand they love courage, because they have so little of it themselves, and they adore a man who will stand up in defense of one of themselves or a dumb animal.

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"Mrs. Hale? Yes, miss; she is up at the house," said the woman. "You are Miss Margaret, I expect?"
"Yes," said the girl; "my name is Margaret. I am Mrs. Hale's granddaughter."

"She has been expecting you, miss. Keep along the avenue and you'll come to the small gates and see the Court. There are sure to be some of the servants about, and they'll tell you whereabouts Mrs. Hale's rooms are."

The great gate swung heavily back, and Margaret passed through. The avenue wound in and about for nearly half a mile, and she was thinking that she should never get to the end of it; when at a sudden turn a sight broke upon her which caused her to stop with astonishment.

As if it had sprung from the ground, raised by a magician's wand, rose Leyton Court. You can buy any number of photographs of it, and are no doubt quite familiar with its long stretching pile of red bricks and white facings; but Margaret had seen neither the place nor any views of it, and the vision of grandeur and beauty took her breath away.

Far down the line of sight the facade stretched, wing upon wing, all glowing a dusky red veiled by ivy and the Virginia creeper, and sparkling here and there as the sunset rays shone on the diamond-latticed windows. The most intense silence reigned over the whole; not a human being was in sight, and the girl was quite startled when a peacock, which had been strutting across a lawn that looked like velvet, spread its tail and uttered a shrill shriek.

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"I—I don't know," she said.

He came a little nearer, and took the dog from her, noticing that in extending it to him she shrank back, as if his touch would pollute her.
"No, he's all right!" he said, after turning the animal over, and setting

him on his legs. "He ought to have some of his ribs broken, but he hasn't! I'm glad of that, poor little boggart," and for the first time his voice softened.

"The girl looked at him with grave displeasure.
"I'm afraid he is the best Christian of the three," she said, severely.

"By George, I shouldn't wonder!" he muttered, with the ghost of a smile.

She gave him another glance, then, without a word, raised her head loftily and passed on.

He lifted his hat and looked after her, then tugged at his mustache thoughtfully.
"So I'm a savage, am I?" he said. "Well, I expect she's about right! What a beautiful girl! I'm a savage! By George, the old man will say the same if I present myself with this highly-colored physiognomy. I'd better go back to the inn, and turn up later on."

As he stood hesitating, the fly crawled up with the bag; the man had pulled up within view of the fight, and had enjoyed it thoroughly.

"Here, wait! I'll go back with you! I've decided to stay at your place for the night," said the young fellow; and he jumped in.

"Not hurt, I hope, sir?" said the man, as he turned the horse. "It was a right down good fight, sir; it was, indeed."

"Not a bit! There, hurry up that four-legged skeleton of yours! I'm as hungry as a—well, a—savage," he concluded, as if by a happy inspiration, and throwing himself along the cushions, he laughed, but rather uneasily.

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Paris, Feb. 25.—How the woods of Caures, near Verdun, where perhaps the decisive battle of the war is now being waged, became the grave of an entire division of the on-rushing German Army was told today by a wounded French soldier who was one of a train-load that arrived early in the evening.

The German Crown Prince, declared the narrator of a tale as thrilling as any that have been told during the war, narrowly escaped falling into a trap which French engineers had cleverly prepared for him.

"When the first German advance began," declares the soldier, "our commanders realized that an offensive movement of no common force was under way. Our position in the Bois Des Caures was strong, and for a time we held it without difficulty.

"Finally came the order to retire. We had long expected it but we yielded our ground slowly.

"On came the Germans again, climbing in solid formation over banks of their dead. It was the front, the by-ones, they hoped would penetrate our lines, and somewhere at the head, the rumor ran among us, was the Crown Prince himself.

"I think some of us laughed in glee as we backed slowly from the woods. It seemed incredible that the Germans were charging directly into our trap.

"We were clear of the wood at last. In their elation at gaining the position which had cost so dearly, the wires were undetected. The sign was given. A wild storm followed. The air was darkened by the cloud that arose from the wood. In it were mingled the fragments of trees, rocks and human bodies. It was terrible. How many perished I do not know, but we learned later that the Crown Prince had not been among the leaders.

"When the dust settled a few irregular spears marked the spot where stood the woods of Caures, which the Germans swept and lost with their lives as they swept it."

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- The stove; wiping off the grease which has splattered after broiling, on roasting; the oven. Juices have run over from baking pies, puddings or apples.
- Flat irons; all the burnt starch and iron rust may be easily removed with a damp newspaper.
- To save the labor of scrubbing table tops after the preparation of a meal, or after cleaning silver, spread several thicknesses of newspapers over the table.
- Lining the garbage can will keep it fresh without daily cleaning, for the newspaper lining will be thrown out with the rest of the refuse.
- Sleeping porch enthusiasts say that several thicknesses of paper spread between the mattress and the bed pillow will make a bed as warm as toast.

TO REMOVE DANDRUFF. Get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store, pour a little into your hand and rub well into the scalp with the finger tips. By morning most, if not all, of this awful scurf will have disappeared. Two or three applications will destroy every bit of dandruff, stop scalp itching and falling hair.

Unclaimed Balances Held by the Banks.

Senate Discusses Proposal to Turn Them Over to the Patriotic Fund.

Ottawa, Feb. 24.—That unclaimed balances in Canadian banks, amounting to more than \$1,000,000, should be turned over to the Patriotic Fund, was proposed in the Senate today by Senator Choquette. He stated that he had made an examination of the last blue book on unclaimed balances and had found that there was more than \$300,000 which had been deposited and unclaimed for many years, and that there was \$200,000 in cheques and drafts which had never been presented for payment. He had written the Finance Minister, Sir Thomas White, suggesting that sixty days' notice should be given that the Government proposes to confiscate unclaimed balances and give the money to the Patriotic Fund.

The notice would afford those who desired the opportunity of withdrawing the money by then and not claimed for years and on which no interest was being paid.

Hon. Mr. Lougheed thought that, according to the Bank Act, after the lapse of a number of years unclaimed balances were turned over to the Government by the banks. The proposal by Senator Choquette appeared to be the equivalent of confiscation.

Senator Choquette replied that the banks now were confiscating the profits on unclaimed balances; they loaned the money at 6, 7 and 8 per cent. The Finance Minister was paying 4 or 5 per cent. for money he borrowed. He could take the unclaimed balances, and even if he provided 3 per cent. interest for the depositors when they claimed or withdrew it if it would be a profitable piece of financing.

Senator Davis said that the banks did not notify depositors owing unclaimed balances. He had found the names of twenty-five or thirty people in a Government report of unclaimed balances and had notified them himself; the banks had not done so.

Senator Sprague said that when the first report of unclaimed balances was published, several men of his acquaintance found that they actually had unclaimed balances in the very banks they were doing business with daily. They had made the deposit, forgotten about part of it, time had elapsed, the bank had closed the account, and when, after years, they

New York Murder Ring Overlooked.

Fund of \$4,200 Collected to do Barney Baff to Death.

New York, Feb. 14.—A grand jury began today to take evidence concerning the murder of Barney Baff, the poultry dealer, who was killed by a band of gunmen in November 1914 under circumstances which have been likened in some respects to the murder of Herman Rosenthal, for the justification of which Charles Becker was executed. There has been no hint, however, that the police were in any way involved in the Baff case.

It is charged that Baff was slain as the result of rivalry in business, that a fund of \$4,200 was collected from about 200 poultry merchants under the pretense that it was used in a legal fight against Baff and that this fund was used by "murder" steering committees of twelve men to employ agents who in turn employed the gunmen who shot Baff to death.

District Attorney Swann believes he has enough evidence to send to the electric chair four men, in addition to some of the gunmen who actually did the murder.

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COAL AND WOOD.—Some people in Topsail and the adjoining settlements, owing to the high price of coal, have done quite well selling firewood in the city. While it is regrettable that coal is so high the use of wood as fuel will keep money in the country.

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came back to do business with the bank, a fresh account was opened up and nothing said of the unclaimed balances. This showed the disposition of the banks to keep the money, though they very well knew the owners of the unclaimed balances.

Senator Gordon said he knew of one particular case, that of a widow, who had been unaware that her husband had money on deposit in a certain bank. The bank had never notified her, although the money had been deposited in trust for her. Unclaimed balances should be turned over to the Government, and the money should continue to draw interest; the Bank Act should be amended in this way.

Senator Dandurand said he knew of bank directors who had forgotten about accounts they had opened in their own banks. They were surprised to discover them in the Government blue book of unclaimed balances.

Hon. Mr. Lougheed, who had turned up the statute, informed the Senate that section 114 of the Bank Act requires banks to make a statement to the Government for five years, and also to notify the depositor if his address is in the possession of the bank.

A motion for the production of all official correspondence bearing on the subject was adopted.



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Rally of College Men.

(From the Amherst Guardian.) The Highland Brigade, by the way, serves to point the splendid manner in which Maritime Province college men have answered their country's call. Dr. Cutten is a college president in civil life. Lieut.-Col. Day is a college professor. Colonel Borden is an honor graduate of the same college of which Lieut.-Col. Day is an alumnus, the University of Mount Allison. Among the officers of the 85th are a number of college men. In the ranks of the 85th are many other collegians. A company of college men is to make up part of the strength of the 219th. In every Maritime Province battalion so far organized there have been dozens, and perhaps scores of college men. Many other collegians have volunteered but have failed to measure up to the physical standards required. So many enlistments from among their students have already taken place and so many others are in prospect that at two, at least, of the colleges in these Provinces the institutional authorities expect that none but women students will be in attendance next year. There is much that is artificial in student life at our colleges in normal times but the enlistment records in the Maritime Provinces in the past eighteen or nineteen months show that college men recognize the realities and accept the demands which those realities make.

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Everyday Etiquette.

"What should one serve at a wedding breakfast and what is the proper time to serve it?" asked the blushing bride-to-be.

"The breakfast is served after the ceremony, in lieu of other refreshments. Have fruit for the first course if it is a buffet breakfast, croquettes or patties, peas, asparagus, sometimes individual omelets with jelly, hot rolls or tiny buttered biscuits, a salad and a frozen dairy, with coffee," advised her older sister.

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The Enemy Surprised.

German Thinking French had Retreated Rushed on Position.

Paris, Feb. 25. (Delayed)—"We were in a front line trench on the slope of Cote du Poivre," said a wounded sapper who has returned to a hospital. "The captain sent me forward to a small shelter in the open, where the electric contact had been placed which led to a mine field. I crawled through a long narrow tunnel without mishap. Through a slit I looked out on the battlefield as through the open in a theatre curtain. I saw the Germans after long waiting march forward in good order. They thought from their observation the bombardment had sufficiently devastated our trenches, but they were unable to see that our men had held firm and were making fresh trenches and using shell craters. The Germans were 200 yards from my post when our rifles and machine guns opened fire. They were taken by surprise and crouched down.

"When the order was passed along their line to advance they began to sing 'The Watch on the Rhine' and dashed forward. My heart beat madly. They were over the mine at last. I touched the button. An infernal fountain seemed to shoot up in smoke. I saw men go up bodily, as if from the crater of a volcano.

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Nipper's Hr.—Strong N. W. winds all night, moderating this morning, bay clear.
Bonaville—Wind N. W. weather fine, very cold and snow falling.
Greenspond—Strong breeze N. N. W. ice moving off.
Cape Bay—Wind N. W. clear, cold. About 4 miles heavy job on south of bay, outside that limit there is a good deal of water to be seen. East of Cape conditions are good for steamers getting north.
Catalina—Wind N. N. W. fine weather, north side of bay clear of ice.
Codroy—Wind N. W., moderate, lots of ice, very little water to be seen.
Flower's Cove—N. W. winds, fair and cold. Straits still full of ice.
From Quebec, March 6th.
Heath Point—Cloudy, N. E. light breeze, close packed fogwhys.
Magdalen Islands—Clear N. W., no water in north side. Pleasant Bay clear of ice.
Cape Bay—Clear, N. W. light packed inshore.
Flat Point—Clear, W. light, open everywhere.
Point Amour—Clear, N. E. heavy close packed distant.

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Evening Telegram
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WEDNESDAY, March 8, 1916.

Comrades Glee Club Make their First Appearance
To Help the Orphans, and Score Big Success.
The concert given at the College Hall last night by the Comrades Glee Club for the benefit of the city orphans, was one of exceptional merit, and those whose good fortune it was to be present enjoyed such a treat of high class music and song as is rarely afforded in this community. It was the initial performance of this talented troupe and it certainly would have done credit to more pretentious songsters. The program comprised: Chorus, "Ye Mariners of England"; Violin Solo, "Ballade Polonaise"; Miss Johnson, Quartet, "Clear Up, O Captain! Messrs. F. Seymour, W. H. Peters, J. A. Young and C. J. Fox; Songs, (a) "Black Roses," (b) "Dumplings of the Roses," (c) "The Soldier's Song," (d) "The Lord is a Man of War," Messrs. F. Ruggles and F. J. King; Chorus, "The Lass that Loves a Sailor," Messrs. J. W. Dewling, H. Taylor, Ruggles and F. Bradshaw; Recitation, "The Uncle," Rev. W. H. Thomas; Quartet, "A Captain's Chorus," Messrs. F. Cornick, R. Bogan, C. Howlett and C. J. Fox; Song, "I Live for You," Mr. Arthur Williams; Chorus, "Rule Britannia," God Save the King. All who took part acquitted themselves creditably and that the different items were well received by the large audience. In fact some of the numbers were encored twice. Special mention is due to Glee Club Comrades for their part songs and choruses were flawlessly rendered. Particularly pleasing were the solos in "The Lass that Loves a Sailor" given by Mr. King and Miss Mare. Mr. F. J. King, the conductor, who was responsible for the small measure of the success, fully carrying out of the programme, is deserving of congratulations. The Glee Club must certainly feel proud of the success that attended their efforts.

A FINE SPIRIT.
Three Trinity Bay Sealers Give Up Their Berths and Enlist
Last week and on Monday a number of colored picture posters, sent to Newfoundland by the Patriotic Committee, were distributed among the sealing steamers and in the offices where sealers sign on for the voyage. Last evening Mr. Daine Griveau informed us that three young men who had obtained berths in the Bloodhound, came to him and told him that after seeing the appeal on the posters they had decided to ask him to take back their tickets as they had determined to enlist.
The names of these three patriotic men are:
Luke Ivaney, 19, Ireland's Eye, T.B.
Frederick Toupe, 19, Ireland's Eye, T.B.
Giles Miller, 20, Ireland's Eye, T.B.
These young men have set a fine example to their fellows and we have no doubt when the voyage is over, other sealers will offer themselves. Wherever the appeal has been driven home in Newfoundland a good response has been made. In St. John's where the appeal is more frequent and continuous than elsewhere, a month ago there was one man in the army or navy in every 35 of the census. In Trinity Bay there was one in 40. In Grand Falls has also responded nobly. In Canada, where recruiting appeals are frequent, some 400 to 700 Newfoundlanders have joined Canadian battalions. The colored posters are being distributed throughout the island and they will prove effective. Special recruiting papers will be distributed widely every week throughout the island. Squads of soldiers will also visit the different outposts and public meetings will also be held. We have confidence that in a short time recruiting, which has been growing quietly since the new recruiting campaign began, will become quite brisk. Some of the members are displaying a keen interest in recruiting in their districts and none more so than Mr. Downey the member for St. George's, the District which comes next to Trinity Bay and which had enlisted up to a month ago one man out of every 68 of the last census.

Special Notice Given About "Nerviline."
The proprietors of Nerviline, a preparation long and favorably known in this Colony, hereby notify the trade that after March 1st they will use a slightly different package than heretofore.
Formerly the Nerviline package was printed in black ink only, but for the future, the carton will be printed in red and black.
This explanation is given in order that no confusion may arise when the new style package is supplied to the consuming public.—mar8,16

Amusements.
AT THE CRESCENT.
The Crescent Picture Palace presents Louise Vale and Jack Drumis in "Man and his Master," This is a great Biograph feature produced in 1915, the story of a labor strike. A beautiful scenic film "Scenes in and Around Santa Fe," "Dreaming and in the Swim" is a film of fun and frolic. A great jungle zoo wild animal picture is "The Journey's End" and "Sophie and the Faker" is a very laughable Gessany comedy. A three reel Russian military feature: "The Confession of Madame Barstov" is coming to the Crescent and will be shown in a few days.

Curliana.
Secretary Salter received a message from Mr. Proudfoot this morning stating that he had crossed over to the island with two teams of curlers, and would arrive in the city at noon. The visiting teams will play teams from the city this afternoon and night. A hearty welcome will be given the visitors by the Curling Association, and all who are interested in the curling game should take the matches in.

At St. Thomas's.
The following services will be held at St. Thomas's Church to-day:—
Holy Communion at 7.30 a.m.
Intercession Service at 10 a.m.
Morning Prayers and Service at 11 a.m.
Evenson at 3 p.m.

McMurdo's Store News
To preserve the skin of the face and hands from the unpleasant effects, the sprains, chaps and abrasions, caused by the drying and cutting winds of March, Cream of Lilies stands supreme. A little of this invaluable emollient applied at night will keep the skin by morning, heal the abrasions, and leave the face and hands in normal condition. If you have not a pot in the house, get one to-day. Price 25c.
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Personal.
Mr. and Mrs. Colishaw who are now on a trip to Florida, U. S. A. will not return till May 1st.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duder left by last evening's express for Trinity on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Morel.
Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Job went out on last evening's express enroute to Grand Falls, United States.
Mr. Thomas Graham, night watchman at Balne Johnston and Co.'s, has a son and a grandson (father and son) now on active service in France. Both father and son enlisted at the beginning of the war. Mr. Graham's father, Francis Graham, was a member of the 88th Connaught Rangers, an Irish Regiment which fought under Wellington at the Battle of Waterloo.

BARRATRY ENQUIRY.—The preliminary enquiry into the Henry M. Stanley barratry case was continued last night when several other witnesses were examined. It is expected to finish on Thursday.

Our Volunteers.
Yesterday afternoon the volunteers were in training, numbering 150, paraded through the city and their splendid appearance and marching evoked much favourable comment. During the day rifle practice was held at the Southside and Highlanders' Army ranges.

Diana Reported.
Harboured at St. Lawrence.
The sealer "Diana," Capt. Martin, which left here Saturday noon last on route to Channel and was caught out in the storm that raged that night and the following day, put into St. Lawrence after a rough experience, according to messages which arrived in the city. She got away again last night for Channel.

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Try to get all these features on some other make of engine. You will find some of them used as a talking point on other engines, but MIANUS is the only engine that has them all.

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Strike Oil in Australia.
Message Tells of a Big Petroleum Field Found Near Grafton.
New York, Feb. 28.—Discovery of the first gas and petroleum field on the Continent of Australia was announced in a cable message by P. E. Quinn, Trade Commissioner of New South Wales, Australia. The message, which came from E. H. Palmer, Acting Assistant Superintendent of the Immigration and Tourist Bureau, Sydney, contained only the information that the petroleum and gas field had been found near Grafton, on the Clarence River, in the extreme northeastern part of New South Wales.
That the newly found supply is extensive is indicated by the fact that news of the discovery was cable to Niel Nielson, Australian Trade Commissioner in San Francisco, and other Australian representatives who are seeking to bring about closer commercial relations between the United States and the Australian Commonwealth.

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M. Belloc on What the Soldiers Know.
And How it Explains the German Bid for Peace.—The Facts Which Make Them Say "No."
Mr. Hilaire Belloc, in "Land and Water," comments on the new German effort for peace, and explains why it is made just now, and shows that it seeks to achieve by political means what Germany cannot achieve by arms.
Political Effort.
"The enemy, now at the maximum of his actual occupation of territory, at the maximum therefore, of his extension of front, and also at the end (with the exception of his classes '16 and '17) of his reserves of men, is clearly sounding opinion neutral and belligerent for the chance of peace."
"From this moment" onwards that political effort will proceed. The various stages of that effort will follow each other now at short intervals as the strain of the war increases.
"So long as there was no question of either party accepting anything near his opponent's terms, the military problem alone was sufficient for discussion. Henceforward it will not be wholly sufficient, and the increasing effort to conclude the great war upon terms that shall leave Prussia strong, and though only negatively successful, still successful in the eyes of her own subjects and allies, must form as large a part of our apprehension of the war as the movement of troops, the rate of losses or the progress of Russia's re-arming and equipment."
Three Main Points.
"We must keep in mind three main points in the whole of this all-important business:
(1) The effort for Peace is coming from Prussia.
(2) It is coming from Prussia because the Prussian Government knows that it has passed its military maximum, and that in material and numbers the future in general is full of disaster, even the immediate future full of peril.
(3) The terms of peace will be made as favorable as possible for the Allies because Prussia needs only one thing: time to recuperate—that is, to be left intact and strong. Conversely such a peace would be, for the Allies, a defeat—however favorable the terms—so long as Prussia was left intact and strong.
"The indications that the general effort for peace has begun are many."
"It was perfectly clear to anyone who cared to follow the known figures of the enemy's man-power and the known figures of his wastage, that this effort would begin when his efficient reserves were nearing their end, his efficient reserves have now reached their end and the effort has begun."
All That is Left.
"Germany holds (and is already training in part) what remains of her classes '16 and '17."
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What the Soldiers Know.
"Let us examine the basis upon which that effort reposes. We know in the first place that it makes no appeal to military opinion. The soldiers know well enough what the position is."
(1) The enemy is holding fronts of about 1,500 miles.
(2) He cannot continue to hold those fronts much longer, because his efficient man-power in the field is beginning to decline.
(3) He has against him superior man-power potentially. We know this element still in his favor, that the Russian numbers are not yet equipped, armed and munitioned.
Knows He is Beaten.
"Regarded as a purely strategical problem to be worked out on military grounds alone, the enemy is beaten and knows that he is beaten. But there are, unfortunately, other elements."
"There is the establishing of a false judgment upon the war in the mind of civilians and particularly of neutrals, which it is hoped may give into a force too strong for the soldiers."
"There is the hope upon the enemy's side of political changes in his favor, both through the action of armistice row neutral and through divergence in aim between the various Allies."
"Finally, there is the appeal to what is called 'financial exhaustion.'"
"When the enemy says, 'Let us make peace on the basis of a draw' I am in occupation of much invaded territory and I can hold it indefinitely; he is talking nonsense, dangerous nonsense, for in truth he has his hands and his powers at the utmost stretch and knows that his time is short."
"But when he says, 'Make peace because there are armistice, still other factors that may come in against you' he is nearer to talking sense."
PAINTING INTERIOR OF PORTER
—Chief Steward Crossman and assistants are busy restorating and painting the interior of the S. S. Porter. When completed she will look as trim as ever.
MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DYSPEPSIA.

Wa Messages
TELEGRAM TO GOVERNMENT.
LONDON.
Following from the Under Secretary for the Colonies, announced that the War Office announced that Australian troops were being sent to Egypt and Assyria on the statement follows.
BOSS.
THE HUNS PROGRESS.
PARIS.
Further progress has been made in Verdun on the west of the Meuse. The front was pushed forward to-day by the violent bombing pushing along the railway neighborhood of Benevoille.
GERMANS CAPTURED.
PARIS.
The War Office announced that a division of German troops was fighting at Verdun, and the statement printed here that the forces were operating within there.
GERMAN GENERAL KILLED.
LONDON.
Major General von Loebmann, the German representative at Verdun, is reported to have been killed at Verdun, and a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph.
SCHEME FOR LAND SETTLEMENT.
LONDON.
Andrew Bonar Law, Secretary for the Colonies, announced to-day that he was the Premier of Britain's scheme for land settlement in British and Australian for the discharged soldiers and sailors.

BALEFOR AND THE Admiralty.
LONDON.
Mr. Balfour, First Lord of the Admiralty, stated in the Commons to-day that he was in the House that never before in the history had there been naval construction as large as at some of the former land settlements in British and Australia for the discharged soldiers and sailors.
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War News.

Messages Received Since Last Issue.

TELEGRAM TO GOVERNOR.
LONDON, March 7. Following from the Parliamentary Under Secretary for the Colonies: Large consignments of woolen comforts furnished by the Women's Patriotic Association were despatched to Egypt and Ayr on March 3. Full statement follows.

BONAR LAW.
THE HUNS PROGRESSING.
Further progress has been made by the Germans in Verdun region on the west of the Meuse. The announcement was made here semi-officially today that they had succeeded by means of violent bombardment, in pushing along the railroad in the neighborhood of Bennville.

GERMANS CAPTURE HILL 265.
PARIS, March 7. The War Office announces today that a division of German troops advancing to attack, has captured Hill No. 265.

AUSTRALIAN BRIGADE AT VERDUN.
LONDON, March 7. A despatch from Melbourne, published here today stating that the Minister of Defence Pearce had announced that Australian seige brigade fighting at Verdun, is the first statement printed here that British forces were operating with the French there.

GERMAN GENERAL REPORTED KILLED.
LONDON, March 7. Major General von Lotterer, commander of the German seige brigade at Verdun, is reported killed in action, says a despatch from Amsterdam to the Exchange Telegraph Co.

SCHEME FOR LAND SETTLEMENT.
LONDON, March 7. Andrew Bonar Law, Secretary for the Colonies, announced in the Commons today that he was approaching the Premiers of Britain's self-governing Dominions with a view to arriving at some comprehensive scheme of land settlement in Britain, Canada and Australia for the benefit of discharged soldiers and sailors.

RESOLUTION TABLED.
WASHINGTON, March 7. The House of Representatives, by a vote of 276 to 142, tabled the McLemore resolution, warning Americans off armed merchant ships of Europeanelligence.

WILSON AND HOUSE.
WASHINGTON, March 7. President Wilson is deliberating with Colonel House regarding official opinion abroad as to Germany's submarine warfare and Britain's blockade of Germany. Col. House had planned to return to New York from his present trip to Berlin, but he has decided to remain over until tomorrow. Appendices to the last German note, containing instructions from the British Admiralty to captains of merchant ships, governing their attitude toward submarines, were not laid before the Cabinet because their translation into English had not been completed.

HEAVY FIGHTING.
PARIS, March 7. The German infantry attacks have been greatly increased northwest of Verdun. Between Bethancourt and the Meuse the Germans made a gain in that important sector, getting a foothold in Corbeaux wood, which lies southwest of Cote de Loie. The official statement issued by the War Office to-night makes this admission, but declares that all other attacks in that neighborhood were repulsed. The text of the statement reads: In Argonne region, at Avocourt, our special guns shelled a German aeroplane, which fell within our lines. The two aviators, who were wounded, were made prisoners. West of the Meuse their bombardment with big shells continued with great intensity in the course of the day, and the enemy multiplied his infantry actions between Bethancourt and the Meuse. These attacks were repulsed, except in the sector of Bols des Corbeaux, where the enemy was able to gain a foothold. East of the Meuse, following a violent artillery action in the region of Bols d'Hardaumont, the Germans succeeded in capturing a redoubt, from which they were immediately ejected by our counter-attack. In Woivreux the enemy occupied the village of Fresnes, after an engagement which cost him serious loss.

SEIZE GERMAN VESSELS.
LIBSON, March 7. Four German steamers, which had taken refuge in the port of Loureco Marquese, Portugal, East Africa, have been seized and the Portuguese flag hoisted on them. The crews of the vessels have been interned.

10.00 A.M.
ENEMY'S UNSUCCESSFUL BOMBING.
LONDON, To-Day. Yesterday was quiet, except in the neighborhood of Holzozollern redoubt, where the enemy made three unsuccessful bombing attacks the night before, says the Imperial War Committee issued last night. This morning he exploded a mine in the same place. We command the crater. There have been much activity with trench mortar, grenades and artillery fire between the Holzozollern redoubt and Loos.

MINSTER MEETS ACCIDENT.
LONDON, To-Day. Earl Curzon of Kedleston, Lord Privy Seal, is confined in his residence suffering from a fractured left elbow as a result of an accident.

TROUBLE BETWEEN GREEKS AND BULGARIANS.
ATHENS, To-Day. Further friction has occurred between the Greek and Bulgarian soldiers along the frontier. The Greek army inadvertently crossed the border and was made prisoner by the Bulgarians. The demand that he be returned to Greece was refused. The Greek troops were sent today to the district of Drama, 30 miles northeast of Salonica.

PEACE OVERTURES.
LONDON, To-Day. Ruter's Copenhagen correspondent sends the following despatch. The Politiken from Stockholm says it is stated in Swedish political circles that the Swedish Government and those who were best advised Admiral Sir Hedworth Meux, who was elected to the vacancy caused by the death of Lord Charles Balfour, had received a message already at an early stage in the war had his offer rejected, add the despatch, declined to join the movement unless requested by the belligerents.

COLONEL CHURCHILL MAKES A STRONG APPEAL FROM RECALLED OF LORD FISHER TO THE ADMIRALTY.
LONDON, To-Day. Dealing with the relative values of heavier and lighter air machines, Balfour said it was extremely desirable from a naval point of view to have lighter but air machines to supplement the efforts of the fleet in scouting. The greatest difficulty has been, he was speaking not of Zeppelins but of non-rigid airships, to obtain suitable accommodations. With regard to shipbuilding, he said that the Navy had been contracted to construct many during the last 19 months. The real limit imposed on us was by labor difficulties in draughting, building, ships, dreadnought cruisers, light cruisers, destroyers, submarines and patrol boats. There has been a great augmentation which has not suited us any check. The same held good, the First Lord declared with respect to guns, stores and munitions. In summing up the conclusions drawn from his remarks, Balfour provoked laughter by saying there was a kind of Teutonic steamer which he would not get within a thousand miles of and that he desired to show nothing in the nature of over confidence. The First Lord said he had seen statements that Berlin was befogged on the occasion of the return of the German raider Moewe. This was a disguised steamer which had succeeded in sinking a number of merchantmen, eluding British patrols and getting back to Germany by way of the north of Ireland. Doubtless the captain and officers of the Moewe displayed seamanlike qualities, Balfour continued, but he thought the British ought to draw the conclusion that if the enemy's capital was befogged for such a feat, his standard of achievement was not a high one. Balfour said in his opinion there was not the slightest justification for certain pessimism which had reached him from various quarters. He acknowledged that most ambitious provisions would not preclude accident or disaster and granted British naval obligations to Britain's Allies had tended to increase the anxiety as to the efficiency of the fleet. The world, he added had recognized that the British fleet no longer was merely for the protection of Britain's own shores and commerce but that upon the basis of the British fleet, the entire alliance depended. "I fall to

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The Governor at Grand Falls.

Special to Evening Telegram. GRAND FALLS, To-Day. The Governor and Lady Davidson arrived here from Badger at seven last evening and are staying at the Falls House. We have 114 names so far for the second regiment and 3 left last night. Come outdoors, wake up or you want in for company. Turkey is standing on one leg and the Germans are near done at Verdun, and Kaiser Bill is gone home to Berlin to cut a wisdom tooth.

understand, said the First Lord in conclusion, how anybody who was confident in August, September and October, 1914, could be anxious in 1916.

Whiston Spencer Churchill, former First Lord of Admiralty, began his speech with the remark: I am sorry I must strike a jarring note, he said, not of reproach and censure or panic but warning, when our Lord of the Admiralty will be manoeuvred in the presence of the enemy with utmost professional skill. We must not believe German will be content to allow the fleet to lie impotent and derided in the Kiel Canal. We must assume something hourly happens in connection with the British Fleet vital to our safety.

Mr. Lloyd dwelt on the advantages derived from Unionism and advantages that might be expected to be derived back to the Admiralty, and declared that they should not forget that their strongest weapon is in the franchise and they should not hesitate to use it to enlist the number of men asked for. Mr. Coaker's remarks were punctuated by hearty applause, as he declared that the appeal was not made in vain when he closed his speech.

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GREAT FIRE AT NIAGARA.
NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y., To-Day. Fire following several explosions late to-night practically destroyed the plant of the Niagara Electric Chemical Company, causing the death of one workman and the injury of several others. The property loss is estimated at \$200,000.

Train Notes.
Yesterday evening's express reached Gander at 7.30 a. to-day. The incoming express is due to arrive at 2 p. m. to-day. The train from Carbonara will arrive at 12.30 p. m. to-day. The Trepassay train reached town at 11.30 this a. m.

SANDS OF TIME A GREAT PICTURE.
The mid-week programme at the Nickel Theatre has been arranged to suit all tastes, and there will no doubt be very large attendances. The Nickel is always the popular resort and now that the profits are to be devoted to the two recognized charitable institutions of the city, everyone will be anxious to see the pictures, as they will also be assisting the poor. To-day's programme will appeal to all. The New Exploits of Elaine will be continued. There is a grand three-part social drama, entitled the "Sands of Time." This story has a great moral. "The Reception" is an attractive drama by the American play. The comedy is a Keystone, "Mabel Lost and Won," which is very funny. Friday, the "Fruit of Pily," eleventh episode of the "Vito" plays.

Patriotic Fund Carnival at Parade Rink, Thursday night, March 9th. Maskers and General Admission 20 cents. General Skating from 9 to 10.30. Music by Terra Nova Band.—mar-7, 81

Sealers' Meeting.

Last night a large body of sealers met in the C.C.C. Hall and listened to speeches delivered by Mr. W. J. Coaker and Mr. W. F. Lloyd. On the platform were Mr. Halford, member for Pogo, and Mr. Burgess, member for Trinity Bay. Mr. Coaker spoke for nearly an hour. He told the sealers that they might congratulate themselves on the fact that they had secured nothing worth while during the past 13 months from the effects of the war. Prices of their products had ruled high in the markets and provisions, under the circumstances of the war, had been fairly moderate. We warned them that they would have to face a critical year and that they would feel the effects of the war on the supply of their products. He gave them some ideas as to the demand of fish and the prices as which would probably prevail. Prospects for oil were distinctly good and prices would be high. This would have a material advantage on the price they could ask for seal oil at the end of the voyage. The prospects for seal oil were also exceedingly good. He dwelt also on the tonnage difficulty which is facing the country and his probable efforts in raising the price of salt, flour and other necessities they would have to face, and they must be prepared to make the sacrifices for the war. It then made a very strong appeal to them to answer the call of their King and to fight for their flag. But for Newfoundland should have very little difficulty in raising the extra 2,000 men called for. The response in the Home Land had been excellent and as great as was possible, and it was now the duty of the colonies to do their share. In Newfoundland the situation had to be faced to enlist the number of men asked for. Mr. Coaker's remarks were punctuated by hearty applause, as he declared that the appeal was not made in vain when he closed his speech.

The Volunteer.
(Fit-Bits, London).
Not only because it is the work of Lieut. Herbert Agulih, the Premier's second son, but because of its literary excellence and power, the little volume of verses, The Volunteer and Other Poems, published by Sidgwick Jackson, Ltd., has attracted widespread attention. With the permission of the publishers, we are able to quote these stirring verses:

"Here lies a clerk who half his life had spent Telling at ledgers in a city grey. Thinking that so his days would drift away With no lance broken in life's tournament: Yet ever 'twixt the books and his bright eyes Stood the gleaming eagles of the legion's camp. And horsemen, charging under phalanx, Went thundering past beneath the oriflame."

"And now those waiting dreams are satisfied: From twilight into spacious dawn he goes. His lance is broken; but he lies content With his high hour, in which he lived and died. And falling thus he wants no recompense, Who found his battle in the last resort Nor needs he any hearse to bear him to the station to her late residence, 65 Bannerman Street, whence the funeral will take place at 2.30 Thursday afternoon. Friends please attend without further notice.—R.I.P."

Loco's Shell Output.
American Company Exceeding Now 10,000.
New York, Feb. 28.—It is understood that American Locomotive is running over its guaranteed delivery of 10,000 shells per day. Until as late as the middle of January the company was somewhat behind in its orders. This was due to the inability of the Nathan Manufacturing Company, in which American Locomotive has a 40 per cent interest, to get out its fuses on time. As late as the third week of November, American Locomotive was getting but 2,000 daily from the Nathan Company.

Schooners Lost.
CREW HAVE NARROW ESCAPE.
Mr. H. W. LeMessurier, Deputy Minister of Customs, received the following message from Rose Blanche this morning:
"ROSE BLANCHE, To-Day. The schr. 'Alma Harris,' belonging to Grand Bank, was sunk on fishing grounds this morning eight minutes after collision with schr. 'Stanley and Frank.' The crew of 21 men had a narrow escape; loco's 'everything' \$10 and 200 gals. of oil on board. The 'Stanley and Frank' was towed into port by another schooner and is much damaged." (Sgd.) R. FURNFAX."

Reids' Boats.
The Meigs is due to arrive at Placentia at 12.30 a. m. to-day. The Argyle left St. Kyran's at 9 p. m. yesterday, coming east. The Kyle will leave Louisbourg at noon to-day. The Petrel with the Sagona in tow passed Cape Race at 7 a. m. to-day.

Cape Report.
Special to Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, To-Day. Calm and fog, with a heavy drizzle, the s.s. Louisburg passed yesterday evening; the s.s. Petrel and s.s. Sagona in at 7 a. m. to-day. Bar, 29.35; Ther, 32.

Fads and Fashions.
Good embroidery is more and more used for decorating underwear. The prevailing tendency in hats is toward higher crowns and narrower brims. The new umbrella skirts seem to be a development of the earlier winged variety. A novel spring sports hat is made of satin and stretched to resemble quilting. Raincoats are absolutely plain unless their belts can be reckoned an ornament. Apparently the effect of width at or below the hips will be a feature of all the new gowns.

Gifts of a Leap-Year Bride.
Claiming the presents which Hopkintonville business men offered to the first bride who popped the question during leap year, Miss Sallie Eldora Brown, a pretty Crofton girl, appeared at the office of Circuit Court Harris, accompanied by James Herbert Tweedell, a young North Christian farmer. Both made affidavit to the effect that St. Valentine's eve and the proposed matrimony had been accepted. A free license was given them, and they were married without charge by County Judge Walter Knight at the entrance of Richard Lavell's sales stable. In the background was a fine mule presented to the couple by Mr. Lavell. Among the other gifts were \$300 worth of premium tickets, a wedding ring, a cake, a shower bouquet, most groceries, a dress, a rocking chair, two settings of eggs, a life-size photograph, 1000 pounds of ice, a box of cigars, a wedding supper, a year's subscription to the New Era, twelve bottles of a proprietary medicine, and a tombstone.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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THERAPION NO. 20. FOR ALL KINDS OF PELLAGRA.

New Arrivals of American Goods.

This week we are offering many attractive lines recently purchased by our Buyer in the American Markets. Daily advances in the Foreign Markets on all classes of Dry Goods will make corresponding advances here later on inevitable. We have been fortunate in securing many desirable lines, and the early caller will get the full benefit of our lucky purchasing. We enumerate a few only of the offerings now at your disposal.

JOB LACE CURTAINS

107 pairs, priced from 40c. to \$1.00 per pair, worth double. The 40c. line have slight defects.

TABLE OIL BAIZES

Another clearing lot, all in serviceable ends, priced at 42c. per yard. If purchased and sold in a regular way they would be marked 70c.

Marshall Bros

Huck Towelling Ends, Hemmed.

A very, very cheap lot, which we offer at 40c. per lb.

Pound Turk'h Towels

Another lot of these to hand which we price at 55c. lb.

Bed Quilts

Priced at 60c. per lb. Any future lots, we are advised, will be much higher.

Fancy Gingham

A limited quantity which we price at Sc. per yard. Well worth 10c. per yard.

Scrims

Will be popular again this season for window decoration. Now while our assortment is complete is a good time to supply your needs.

American Waists

Very smart and stylish are these New Waists. Altogether, they are about the best looking lot of Waists we have shown in a long time.

Corset Covers

A clearing lot of 15 dozen, priced from 45c. to 60c. each. All worth a great deal more money.

Fancy Muslins

We have some very smart lines here, all moderately priced.

Shedding Things.

By RUTH CAMERON.

How She Keeps Her Possessions Down.



“Wouldn't you and I shed things? That's the way to live, to shed things.”

“I try to send something out of the house every week,” a woman said to me the other day. She had just given away to a circulating library for shut-ins a half-dozen novels with which her friends had provided her on the occasion of a trip abroad.

“Why should I keep them?” she says. “They are pleasant to read, but they are not books for reference or reading. And as to the feelings of those who gave them to me, I know they would be glad to know that they had enjoyed them myself. I have passed them on to others who will also enjoy them.”

To Be Taken Out Only For The Semi-Annual Cleaning.

That is eminently sensible, isn't it? And yet, how many of us from conventional inertia would have put away the books and left them indefinitely to clutter our shelves and be taken out and dusted at house-cleaning time.

How most of us do permit our lives to get cluttered up with the paraphernalia of living!

We really need, even for civilized living, so few things, and we have so many. The clutter that surrounds us is much as the average person has—perhaps one piece of beautiful bric-a-brac per room, the books we want for reference or rereading—that's about all we need. If we could only keep our possessions down to that, how much simpler life would be!

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FRESH CODFISH.
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LABRADOR SALT HERRING.
FISH SOLIDS.
KIPPERED HERRING.
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DUCKWORTH STREET & QUEEN'S ROAD.

Our Northern Sealing Fleet.

Excepting the Florizel Sailing To-Day

The wooden sealing steamers, which will prosecute the seal fishery on the northern front finished signing their crews yesterday evening and have got all supplies on board ready to start the voyage. They are the Neptune, Captain George Barbour; Samuel Blandford, Capt. William Winsor; Erik, Capt. N. Kean; Bloodhound, Capt. George Whiteley; Eagle, Capt. Ed. Bishop and Terra Nova, Capt. S. R. Winsor. These six ships are sailing from here to-day for West March, little in quest of the white coats. Each ship will return with a full load of seals which will be every body's wish.

The Florizel, the only steel ship going out, will remain behind till Monday next, March 12th, when she will sail from St. John's for the ice-fields.

Plenty Bait.

But Drift Ice Hampers Fishery.

From parties who reached the city from that section yesterday we are informed that codfish is found to be very plentiful on the Western Banks lately, that the weather conditions have become more civil and that trawlers made good hauls almost daily last week. The prevalence of heavy drift ice is reported to be interrupting operations in one particular section of the grounds. A fortunate circumstance, however, is the fact that the old familiar cry of “want of bait” is now unheard of as there is an abundant supply of fresh frozen herring. Halibut is reported scarce, though fancy prices are being paid for these fish, owing to keen competition among the buyers on the coast.

Here and There.

WILL GO ON DOCK.—The S. S. Portia is all ready to go dock as soon as the Fogua and Cogan are released.

Nursery Medicines.—Perry Davis Painkiller is needed in every nursery to apply for cramps and colic, and for sore throats, bruises, etc. 25c. and 50c. bottles.

DOCTORS FOR SEAL FISHERY.—A number of doctors, from abroad, for the northern sealers are now on the incoming steamer.

Masonic Club Annual Meeting and Sale of Papers 8 p.m. Wednesday, 8th March, 1916. S. A. CHURCHILL, Hon. Secretary.

BUILDING NEW SCHOONER.—Capt. J. Winsor, Westville is building a new schooner for the fishery. A quantity of building material is being shipped by the S. S. Eagle.

PIANOS AND ORGANS.—The famous Kohler and Tonk Pianos. The Needham, Godrich and Mason & Hamilton Organs. CHESLEY WOODS, 283 Duckworth Street.—aug-7

ON YESTERDAY'S EXPRESS.—Among the passengers on yesterday evening's express were Messrs. J. J. Mulhally, for Nebraska, Omaha, and Mr. E. M. Jackson, for New-York.

Stafford's Prescription “A” cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Gastritis and Nervous Dyspepsia. Price 25 and 50c. bottle. Postage 5 & 10c. extra.—jan5,16

FISHING PROSPECTS AT PETTY HARBOR.—Fishing prospects are flourishing at Petty Harbour. Many people are waiting arrival of the gasoline engines ordered, and are busy in the meantime halting lake-stuff.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

Dogs--French Poodle.

By GEORGE FITCH.

Author of “A Good Old Siwash.”

The French Poodle is a Parisian frivolity, which is imported in great numbers along with French actresses, hats, counts, and other trifles to add to the gaiety of this nation. He is a medium-sized, unmanly black dog with a handsome Persian lamb coat, a bulging forehead, a slender nose, and a sharp, falciform tail. Man generally improves on nature by clipping off most of the poodle's hair, leaving him with a muffer around his throat, a Belasco mop over his foot and tail.

The poodle is a cocky dog and is a nuisance only to his owner, as his value does not permit his being allowed to chase automobiles, street cars and innocent bystanders, or to steal newspapers from the neighbors' porches. He is very congenial company for society folk, but owing to his repulsive and hysterical nature is not a friend of boys. Two boys with only the rudest appliances can reduce a French poodle to a state of complete hysteria in less than five minutes.



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Nature has not done so much for the poodle as man has. Man has dressed and educated him to a remarkable degree. The educated poodle is several steps above the French dancing master in accomplishments. He can not only waltz and do fancy dances on his hind legs, but on his fore legs as well. He can count up to ten, can tell the letters of the alphabet with the aid of a few judicious kicks, can walk the tight-rope, ride a bicycle, turn back somnambulists, play simple musical instruments and sing more sweetly than most song and dance artists. He has in fact a natural gift for the stage, and is so fortunate that he is viewed by mere men with frantic eye. He pays no dues to the union, neither borrows nor lends money, and can bite the legs of the stage manager with impunity. Moreover, when he puts on a new act, he is unable to rise early in the morning and read the facetious comments of a scornful critic upon it.

When adopted into rich families, the French poodle becomes very aristocratic, eating only the choicest food and developing almost human intelligence and crankiness.

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The proprietor of one of the best known multiple shopping systems is credited with saying, “Give me any old shop, in any old street, and I'll guarantee to make it in twelve months the most widely known and best frequented shop in the district.” He was asked to explain. Holding up three fingers he said, “I believe in the triad of LIGHT, WARMTH, COMFORT. I should dazzle the moths until the candle drew them, I should bring them into a warm, comfortable shop, filled with a soft, pleasing radiance, and the rest is—well, mere child's play.”

Mixed metaphors, perhaps, but expressive. Now we can more than imagine the kind of shop this well-known individual would open, for we pass it in almost every town—always a landmark to the street. No one fails to notice it. There is an indefinable air of welcome and invitation as one stands for a moment on the pathway and lets one's gaze travel inside it. The subdued, restful lighting effect that so charms because of its very unobtrusiveness, the absence of dark corners, the intangible feeling that if one would step inside one would be sure of experiencing a delicious sense of warmth and comfort and cheerfulness—all these are part of its appeal. Truly a shop with an individuality.

We cordially invite all progressive business men to visit our showroom and see our latest Lighting and Heating Appliances, by the adoption of which the ideal outline in the above extract from a London paper may be easily secured. Our new RADIO X-Lamp and GASTHEM Radiators fill all light and heat requirements.

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Effect of Nerviline on Chronic Cases Is Almost Magical.

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Lots of testimony to prove Nerviline's certainty to cure.

Bachelor Romances

Recalling the Love Affairs of Some Famous Men.

Probably no man of fame has paid a bachelor grave without one or more narrow escapes from Cupid's darts, however indifferently he may have professed to regard love.

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And Buckle might have been remembered, had he thought wedded possible on a pastry £3,000 a year.

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The following letter is from Mr. E. G. Sauter, Port of Spain, Trinidad: "Last year I was severely troubled with rheumatism. I had it in my arms, shoulders and knees. The pain was at times excruciating, and I laid me up so that I couldn't work. I went to Smith Brothers' Drug Store and was advised by the manager to use 'Nerviline.' That was excellent advice. I used Nerviline as directed and was cured, completely cured of every trace of my old enemy."

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HOME LESSONS.

The home, who has so copiously enriched our literature of late, has done further good service, by the republication of the article from the "Teachers' Journal, on Home Lessons;" and as the question is so worthy one, it may not be amiss to further discuss it.

We must all admit that in their place, Home Lessons are necessary, and that to a certain degree, they should be practised, and that for children of mature age, they are all right. It is not to the mere fact of home lessons in themselves, that objection is raised, but it is to the number of lessons which have to be done, and also the tender age at which these lessons begin.

To give a child under twelve years of age, home lessons, is a mistake, and a grave mistake, and one that should be remedied, either by the Government, or else by the Council of Higher Education. The tax upon the young mind, which home lessons imply, is too great, and is contrary to the laws and dictates of Nature. Neither mentally nor physically, is a child under twelve years of age, capable of enduring the strain which home lessons incur, and the practice is telling upon the physique of the children.

It cannot be denied that physically, we are deteriorating, and it is only natural to ask what is the cause. There are of course, different causes, but amongst them must be rated the effect of undue study upon the rising generation, many of whom, have to do under very difficult conditions, which tend to make the task harder.

Treating the question as it applies to the home generally, we should consider that the average child studied in a room, none too well ventilated, and before a glaring kerosene lamp, and amidst the over-heated atmosphere of a cooking stove.

Under these conditions, the scholar racks his little brain, for an hour or more. The child of course, does not know the difference; it only knows that the lessons must be done. The result is in some cases accomplished; education is acquired, a certificate or diploma procured; but in many instances, before the student can reach the diploma, a pair of glasses have to be adjusted. There are too many young people in Newfoundland, wearing glasses, and the defect is largely attributable to the undue studies and midnight readings, which we have imposed upon the rising generation.

This should not be. The human body, with all its faculties and senses, is God's great masterpiece of work; and we but deface its beauty, and mar its grandeur, and cripple its perfection, by causing our children, at the tender age of ten or twelve years, to pour over books and read, when they should be at play, or asleep.

We wonder at the massacres of old, but we are slow to see that we are inflicting a great wrong upon the children entrusted to our care. Such extreme study may be necessary to meet the standard of modern civilization, but there are conditions under which it is quite possible to pay even too big a price for civilization and education. We seem to be in the same place in these matters, as some allow themselves to get, for gain. They evidently think that gain is all, and that the higher ideals of life are only secondary, and thus they lose the greater in the realization of the lesser; and so it is with home lessons and the children, "we seem to think the lessons greater than the children; but this is what we mean by the mistake; and at the risk of the child's health, and its proper mental development, we pile upon it a task far beyond its capacity.

I have visited and addressed more schools in our country than any other person, with the exception of our school inspectors, and while many of the buildings are up to date and sanitary, it must be admitted that some of them are not so well adapted to the purpose.

Considering then that the children attend school about nine months in the year, and that they do so five days a week, and five hours a day, of two sessions, it seems only fair to consider that scholars under twelve years of age, should be exempt from the strain of home lessons.

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In Harbor Grace, by the Patriotic Firm of McRae Bros. Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir—This is indeed the time of patriotism, and any person who is not patriotic or who is not forever talking patriotism, is—well, scarcely considered a British subject. All this is very good and commendable in every way, but there are a few thoughts that I would like to give your readers with your permission.

As is generally known, we have had a great shortage of coal this winter, or rather we would have had, but for the firm of McRae Bros. our coal dealers, who by great thoughtfulness and judicious management secured and distributed sufficient coal to tide people along; this firm is still keeping up stocks, the latest arrivals are from Bell Island, and they are dealing this out to people who are in need of it, at the most reasonable rate.

Now, Mr. Editor, this brings me to the direct subject of my letter, Patriotism. The McRae Bros., to my mind, are the most patriotic young men in this town, or in fact in this island. When coal was scarce, and they were fortunate or foresighted enough to have secured a few loads, they could easily have followed in the line of some dealers in St. John's and other places, and put a couple of dollars extra upon that indispensable article. They would readily sell their stock, as people would be forced to buy. Had they done so, and given the Newfoundland Regiment an Aeroplane, or a couple of machine guns, with the money secured on extra charges for coal, their names would be handed down to future generations for their patriotism, and we of this time would say, "hats off to such ones," yes, and bonnets, too, for that matter, for I do love to see people patriotic, and giving to that cause to the full extent of their means.

No, the firm of McRae Bros. did not seize this opportunity to make a "pile"; they kept the coal within reach of all, selling at a very small margin over cost and charges. They did not give one aeroplane, but they gave an aeroplane to every family, gave an aeroplane to every family, extra charged for coal, and what would have happened had the McRae's put a couple of dollars extra on coal, and given one aeroplane instead of hundreds.

But, Mr. Editor, I bet my shawl and bonnet, too, that the stars in their crowns by and will shine more brightly than if they had extorted on coal and given aeroplanes or machine guns with the money wrung from the poor suffering people of this town and vicinity.

And again, we have had patriotic teas, concerts, soup socials, etc., that have been well patronized, which could not have been, had the McRae's charged high prices for coal and given a big donation to the patriotic fund, in that way.

But what of a few dollars, when these young men know they have done their best for their fellow citizens. They are fully appreciated for their goodness, and will be rewarded by being the future coal dealers of this town.

Kindness is natural to these young men. The old saying "what comes by nat'ry, costs no money," is quite true in their case, and I think it only fair that these few lines of appreciation should be written, for all will admit they are truly patriotic. I could give you many instances of their kindness and goodness, gathered from different sources, but the above will suffice to show they are worthy of the esteem in which they are held. The left hand of a McRae or a Higgins, know

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The Chief Justice said all the evidence tended to show that the reason for the crime was that Coderre was short of money, and had to pay Ozanna or get rid of him. This was in answer to Mr. Foote's contention that the prisoner was so ill-balanced as not to be aware of the nature of his act. The entire ground of appeal was the prisoner's alleged mental instability.



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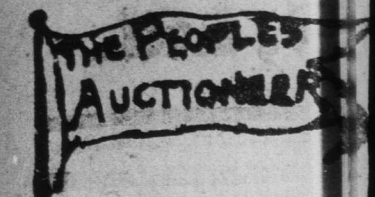
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