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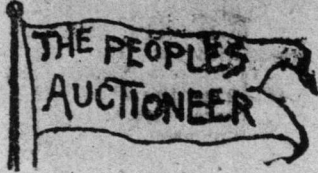
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 St. John's, commencing on Monday,
 the 22nd inst., at from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.,
 and each day thereafter (Sundays ex-
 cepted) at the hours aforesaid until
 the 10th day of February next, to ex-
 amine and revise the returns of the
 persons appointed to take the Census
 for the District of St. John's—Bell
 Island excluded.

Dated at St. John's this 10th, day of
 January 1912.
 A. W. KNIGHT,
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 wed 10, sat 13, mon 15, sat 20.

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 The Grand Magazine
 The Magazine
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 Metropolitan Magazine
 Everybody's Magazine
 American Magazine
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 Scribner's Magazine
 Cosmopolitan Magazine
 The Red Book Magazine

NEW BOOKS

The Following of the Star, by Mrs.
 Barcia
 Under Western Eyes, Joseph Conrad;
 The Queen's Fillet, Rev. P. A. Sheehan;
 A Giver in Secret, Thos. Cobb;
 Flemington, Violet Jacob;
 Adrian Savage, Lucas Malet;
 The Prodigal Judge, Vaughan Kester
 Other Sheep, Harold Begbie;
 The Case of Richard Maguell, Mrs.
 Humphrey Ward;
 In a Cottage Hospital, Geo. Trevelyan;
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 heart beats rapidly on the slightest exertion. I feel just as tired
 when rising in the morning as when retiring to bed. My sleep
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A MYSTERIOUS QUEST.

CHAPTER XXVI.

THE QUEST.

(continued)

"True," assented the detective; "there is no telling from what quarter the blow may come."

"Then," declared Mr. Degraw, with firmness, "we must detect the danger by a decisive act."

"That is so," quoth the detective. "You naturally wish me to accompany you back to New York."

"I do not see that I have the right to prevent you from taking it. But it seems to me you might wait."

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my generosity. Mr. Gryce. I will wait this one night, because it is impossible to do otherwise; and if no attempt is made upon her life, I may consent to delay till I have shown my papers to the superintendent of police; but if, on the contrary, we find in the morning that any attempt has been made upon Miss Rogers' life during the night, and that her position is really as critical as we have reason to fear, then no power on earth shall restrain me from putting an end to her danger, by making her the indomitable owner of Mr. Delaney's millions!"

"You are a noble-hearted man!" was the artist's enthusiastic comment. "You command my highest respect. I am not in a position to say more; I wish I were; and I wish—this he added, as he noted a certain haggard and unnatural look in the other's countenance—that I better understood your position, and what this woman, whom I love, really owes to you."

They were standing apart, Mr. Gryce having withdrawn toward the door. Mr. Degraw therefore spoke frankly:

"Have I not made myself clear?" "Yes and no. I understand that Miss Rogers lies to receive that for which she must be ever grateful to you, but I am not yet certain whether her obligations will include a personal devotion which will rob me of my happiness."

Mr. Degraw's eye which had held the other's enchanted, fell with vague trouble.

"That question," said he, "can be better answered to-morrow. If you will honor me by being present at the interview which I have requested of Miss Rogers, you will then have the opportunity to learn what is at present as much of an uncertainty to me as it can be to you."

"But—" "I mean it, Degraw; I want your presence there, and was about to ask it. The hour set is eleven; join me here, and we will go up to the house together."

The artist, assured of his rival's earnestness, again shook his hand and prepared to leave. He had his own intentions with regard to the opportunity to carry them out. Mr. Degraw likewise evidently had his and for the detective, he no doubt was not without his plans also; for, when he saw that this interview which I have just described was at an end, he stepped forward with the remark:

"It is late, but I must hunt up Byrd. I am anxious to know whether or not he has collared his man."

"And I," said the artist, "am going to rouse up Miss Aspinwall, and ask her to take Miss Rogers into her room to-night."

"And I," added his nameake, "am going to pace her grounds like a police-sergeant, happy if I can be of any use in preserving the safety of one who, without any direct fault of my own, has been put in peril through my efforts in her behalf."

All three went down-stairs. At the front door they stopped. A man was just entering, in whom the artist and the detective recognized Mr. Byrd.

"Well?" asked Mr. Gryce, pausing before his colleague.

"Ah! you here?" was the quick reply. "That is good, but—the young detective's words came slowly; evidently he was greatly astonished at seeing the two Mr. Degraws in such amiable conjunction with his superior. 'I have not the best of news to give you.'"

"Why?" "What?" exclaimed they one and all. "Has the man escaped?"

Dumbfounded at this further evidence of their mutual understanding, he looked from one to the other and answered, vehemently:

"Yes. How did you know about it? He is gone, and I cannot tell whither."

Mr. Gryce at once turned toward the two gentlemen.

"Then it indeed behooves us to be on the alert. If he had gone, it is in her direction; and if he means mischief, he will attempt that mischief to-night." And, beckoning to Byrd, he led the way into the street followed by his now thoroughly alarmed companions.

CHAPTER XXVII.

SECRET PROTECTORS.

The detectives and the Degraws, on leaving the quarters of the Cleveland gentleman, turned immediately in the direction of Miss Aspinwall's house. As they hurried along, Byrd managed to ask his superior if Mr. Degraw was innocent of the machinations of his valet, and being assured that he was, the young detective showed a more candid front and a greater willingness to speak.

His story was simple and straightforward. For days he had perceived, without betraying it, that this valet, as he called himself, was a doubtful character. Through there was every reason, as all must acknowledge, for a police officer from New York to believe a person by the name of Hamilton Degraw to be at the bottom of any harm which might menace Miss Rogers he was now assured, by all he saw, that the man to be the most feared at this time was the valet and not the master, that he set himself the task of following the former on all his peregrinations; and as the valet's conduct grew hourly more suspicious, had even dropped his usual precautions and openly kept the fellow in sight. The consequence was that, on this very evening, he had been so fortunate as to come upon him in Mr. Degraw's studio, just as he was pouring something into that gentleman's liquor. Convinced that this something was poison, he bounded upon him and tried to seize him, but the fellow was slippery as an eel and swift as a deer, and was out of his hands and even out of the window before he could recover his own equilibrium.

Satisfied that an attempt had been made upon Mr. Degraw's life, Mr. Byrd had not dared to leave the room till he had emptied the decanter of its dangerous contents. But in doing this he lost a moment of valuable time; for when he was ready to recommence the chase, he found the man had got sufficient start of him to make it difficult for him to do more than keep him in sight. But this he could do, and did, though the fellow led him a pretty chase, through the woods and brambles that encumbered the hill.

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But the fellow failed in both attempts, and was just on the verge of yielding himself up, when a happy thought appeared to strike him, for he slipped like lightning into a street so full of shadows and so complicated by secret passages and by-ways that pursuit became impossible and the chase terminated without the man being caught.

"That is, for the present," exclaimed the detective, as he made this unwilling confession. "He cannot get away from town, for I have warned the station-master against him, and he cannot long remain concealed in a place so small as this. To-morrow, then, we shall have him, only he may do some mischief, in the meantime, for his temper is ripe for mischief, and revenge is always easy."

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Table listing unclaimed letters with columns for names, addresses, and dates. Includes entries for Adams, Miss Hilda; Andrews, Charles; Aitken, Wm.; Abbott, Miss Olive; Baird, Samuel; Braddle, John; Barnes, Michael; Boone, Michael; Bowen, Mr.; Brophy, Mrs.; Brown, Elijah; Brown, Eli; Boone, Miss Emma; Burke, Miss Maud; Bursell, Miss Bertha; Butt, Miss Julia; Butler, Thos. J.; Buchanan, Ralph; Bulger, Robert; Burns, Joe; Butler, J.; Clarke, Miss Ella; Caldwell, W. T.; Clarke, Miss Jessie; Clarke, Robert; Clarke, John; Chapman, Colin; Clarke, Miss S.; Corish, Mrs. James; Corish, Mrs. James; Coady, Miss May A.; Collins, Miss B. M.; Cleary, Miss Bride; Dawe, Mrs. Thomas; Day, Miss D.; Davis, Mrs. John; Doherty, Mrs. John; Dwyer, Mrs. J.; Dyke, Miss Sophie; Dyke, Garfield; Dwyer, Sarah; Delaney, Miss L.; Diamond, Mrs. Wm.; Dickson, T. W.; Down, Ernest; Dooley, Miss Josephine; Drover, James; Donovan, Herbert; Duffell, Mrs. Thos.; Dullanty, Mrs. Thos.; Duchine, Mrs. Louis; Edgecombe, Arthur; Edmley, R. S.; Edwards, P. J.; Elliott, Miss Bertha; Ellis, Mrs. South Side Rd.; Escott, James; Fearn, Uria; Fagen, Miss Mary; Fleming, Miss; Flemming, Miss; Feiltham, Dorcas; Fitzgerald, Thomas; Fitzgerald, Thomas; Ford, Mrs. Albert; Bell, James; Fowler, Mrs. Bridget; Fowler, Mrs. James; Foley, Michael; Fraser, Alex.; Gardner, Louis; Garrett, Henry; Garland, Mrs. John T.; Gardner, Const.; Garland, Jos.; Greeley, Wm.; Gibbons, Miss Gertrude; Godfrey, George; Gordon, J. W.; Griffin, Miss Katie; Griffin, Mrs. Chaplin; Gillingham, Jessie; Greening, Miss G.; Geese, Miss E. R.; Hanlin, Mrs. J. S.; Hanlen, Mrs.; Haggood, Wm.; Harsant, L.; Hancock, Miss Annie; Harvey, Wm.; Heales, Mrs. Jas.; Healy, J. S.; Heller, Joe; Helmen, John; Hitchens, M. H.; Hickman, Miss Annie; Hodson, Mrs. M. M.; Hodge, Bert; Jodson, A.; Jobkirk, J. C.; Jodson, Amelia A.; Jolley, Alfred; Hoskins, Sarah; Hutchings, Mrs. Mary; Hunt, G. M.; Hurley, Joe; Hines, Jas.; Hunt, G. M.; Jaynes, Miss Nellie; Jermian, Miss L. V.; Jones, Gordon; Jacobs, Miss A.; Jancion, Miss D. J.; Kelly, James; Kehoe, Fannie; Kennedy, Miss Beatrice; Kearley, Winnie; Kennedy, John; Kent, Miss Bella; Kennel, Miss Lillian M.; Keefe, Martin; Kennedy, Beatrice; Kavanagh, Miss Maggie; Kelly, John; Lees, Wm.; LeDrew, Miss Annie; Lynch, John; Ellis, Mrs. South Side Rd.; Hanamer, Levi; Fitzgerald, Denis; Fitzgerald, Frank; Gibbons, Thos.; Butler, Samuel; Sarty, Ermon; Wiseman, Edgar; Martin, D.; Churchhill, Capt. James; May, James; Bennett, Walter; Sheppard, Walter; Sheppard, D.; Batstone, Corbett; Fannie W. Freeman; Jones, James; Moors, C.; Weathers, Nicholas; Gerhardt, Capt. Eber; Priddle, Joseph; Apgood, George; Hanamer, Levi; Fitzgerald, Denis; Fitzgerald, Frank; Gibbons, Thos.; Butler, Samuel; Sarty, Ermon; Wiseman, Edgar; Martin, D.; Churchhill, Capt. James; May, James; Bennett, Walter; Braddon, Capt. R.; Evans, Henry; Brown, Capt. Ephant; Parsons, Wesley; Petite, Capt. Henry; Savory, Wm.; Gardner, Alex.; Hobbs, Capt. R. J.; Purchase, Thos.; Braddon, Capt. R.; Evans, Henry; Brown, Capt. Ephant; Parsons, Wesley; Petite, Capt. Henry; Savory, Wm.; Gardner, Alex.; Hobbs, Capt. R. J.; Purchase, Thos.; Rennie, Mrs. C. M.; Read, Miss Grace; Richardson, Miss Elsie; Rice, Nellie; Ring, James; Reid, Julia; Richards, Isaac; Rose, Herbert; Rose, Tippet; Robinson, Wm.; Rogers, Francis; Roberts, L.; Rose, John; Russell, Mrs.; Runney, Harry; Sparks, Mrs. S.; Spinks, Mrs.; Spinks, J.; Sparrow, Miss Johanna; Sheppard, Nathaniel; Smith, T. D.; Simmonds, E.; Scott, Miss Anna; Scott, Fred; Scott, A.; Sober, Miss Alice; Stowe, John; Summers, Wm.; Sullivan, Mrs. John; Taylor, Guy; Terry, Michael; Thieleman, P.; Thistle, Edward; Thistle, Ambrose; Thomas, Miss Mgt.; Tuck, Beatie; Tucker, Miss Katie; Turner, Miss S.; Tulk, Mrs. N.; Vincent, Mrs. George; Vincent, Miss Jane; Verge, Charles C.; Walsh, Lawrence; Walsh, George; Whip, Mrs. Wm.; Way, Heskiah; Waddleton, Wm.; Wall, Miss Mary J.; West, Joseph; Weston, Miss L.; Wells, Mrs. Samuel; Weir, James; Webber, A.; Wright, Wm.; Whitten, Chas.; Whites, Stephen; Windsor, Wm.; Willis, Wm.; Williams, Charles; Willer, George; Young, G. W.; Yetman, Dorcas;

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 - Men's Fleece-lined Underwear, good, heavy garments, regular 50c. Sale price **43c.**
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The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON



The author-man was reading aloud to us the other night.

"There's an awfully clever parody on the 23rd Psalm somewhere in this magazine, that I want you people to hear," he said, as he consulted the table of contents.

"Excuse me," said the man-who-thinks, with a vigorous accent on the second word. "Anything but a parody for me, please. But don't let me keep the rest of the family from hearing it if they like. I'll take a stroll out in the kitchen for a glass of water."

"Now what is the matter with you," queried the author-man. "Isn't this a new wrinkle?"

"No, it is not," said the man-who-thinks. "I've had too many beautiful things spoiled by parodies already, and I made up my mind some time ago that I'd never listen to another if I could help it."

"Can you ditto the author-man's experience?"

"I certainly can, and I should think most people could.

A clever parody is a mighty clever piece of work. Unfortunately, its very cleverness is apt to make it forgettable. If we could read, laugh, and not forget, that would be all right, but how often can we do that? We hear the parody once or twice, and from then on we can never hear the real thing without having its beauty or its sacredness stained or entirely obliterated, by the quick flashing recollection of the clever but silly imitation.

Several beautiful hymns have been spoiled for me in this way. To my dying day, I don't believe I shall be able to hear the splendid strains of the Lohengrin wedding march without singing over in my mind. "Here comes the bride, etc." For the sake of those fortunate enough to have missed that example of literary vandalism, I forbear to go on with the quotation.

Perhaps you are saying that I lack a sense of humor to take the matter so seriously. I wonder if I do. Really I don't think so. I can see the fun in a parody as well as anyone, and laugh at it as heartily, but it seems to me the price is too high. There are so many things just as funny that don't have any string tied to them. Why not laugh at these and not take away the beauty and solemnity of something worth while, for the sake of a little momentary amusement.

Who will join the man-who-thinks and me in our resolution not to read, or listen to any more parodies on beautiful or sacred things?

Ruth Cameron

A Clean Man

Outside cleanliness is less than half the battle. A man may scrub himself a dozen times a day, and still be unclean. Good health means cleanliness not only outside, but inside. It means a clean stomach, clean bowels, clean blood, a clean liver, and clean, healthy tissues. The man who is clean in this way will look it and act it. He will work with energy and think clean, clear, healthy thoughts.

He will never be troubled with liver, lung, stomach or blood disorders. Dyspepsia and indigestion originate in unclean stomachs. Blood diseases are found where there is unclean blood. Consumption and bronchitis mean unclean lungs.

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prevents these diseases. It makes a man's insides clean and healthy. It cleans the digestive organs, makes pure, clean blood, and cleans healthy flesh.

It restores tone to the nervous system, and cures nervous exhaustion and prostration. It contains no alcohol or habit-forming drugs. Constipation is the most unclean uncleanliness. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure it. Easy, never gripe. Easy to take so candy.

Household Notes.

When enamel becomes discolored, scour it with a damp flannel dipped in garden mold, then rinse it in plenty of water. In this way the cleaning is effected without causing scratches or other damage.

Never darn knitted underwear with wool. It will shrink and make a hole larger than the original one. Use instead loosely twisted knitting silk. Darn very loosely, and when washed the new texture will be almost the same as the knitted goods themselves.

White stains made on a mahogany table by hot dishes may be removed by rubbing in oil and afterward pouring wine on the spot and rubbing dry with a soft cloth.

Mahogany and other hard woods can be kept in good condition by wiping off with a chamois skin wrung from cold water and immediately polishing with a dry piece of chamois.

Never use sandpaper on a porcelain-lined tub or washstand. There is no surer way to ruin the enamel. What's the use of soap? It means only extra oil, and there is always the coal oil rag, which is better.

Handsome china ramekins should not be used as baking dishes, but reserved for creamed entrees. To put in the oven have a set of the most attractive individual earthenware dishes you can find. Many of these now come with silver cases for table use.

To mend china, put the pieces together carefully, tie firmly and boil in sweet milk for half an hour. Chipped in this way will last for years.

In making boiled icing the secret of success lies in taking off exactly at the right moment. A better test than spinning a heavy thread is to drop some of the syrup into cold water and when it adheres to bottom of glass when pulled up it must be taken off at once.

When crocheting, if you are both ered by the spool of thread falling from your lap to the floor have a small pocket pinned to your apron with an eyelet hole for the thread to run through to keep the spool in place. It may be removed from the apron when not in use, and saves much time and annoyance.

How provoking, it is when one wishes to make sandwiches to find the butter too hard to spread, when one must soften only a little at a time or else have much of it too soft. Try this way: Take a bowl and dip in hot water or put it in the oven so that it may get thoroughly heated, then turn it over the butter. In a few minutes you will find the butter is soft throughout, and the sandwiches are then easily buttered.

To clean wings and quills put in a box with cornmeal and shake them gently. Brush off the meal with a soft brush.

When packing a pasteboard box in a trunk for a journey, sew the hat to the bottom of the box. No amount of jolting of the trunk can then crush or injure the hat or trimmings, as it will remain firmly in place. This is an especially good plan where the trimming consists of expensive plumes or tips.

HEALTH RESTORED TO THIS FAMILY

Wife's experience with Dr. Chase's Nerve Food led to husband's cure.

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Not Likely.

Mrs. Morton (angrily): "Tommy Horton, what made you hit my little Johnny?"

Tommy Horton: He struck me with a brick."

Mrs. Morton (more angrily): "Well, never let me hear of your hitting him again. If he hits you, you come and tell me."

Tommy Horton (sneeringly): "Yes, and what would you do?"

Mrs. Morton: "Why, I'd whip him."

Tommy Horton (in disgust): "What! He hits me with a brick, and you have the fun of lloking him for it? Not much!"

Hr. Grace Notes.

Miss Florence Dwyer, after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Constable and Mrs. Dwyer, left by train on Monday afternoon to resume her studies at Bishop Spencer College, St. John's.

Yesterday's storm was the most severe felt here for a number of years. Some people say that it is 17 years ago since we had anything like it. At that time snow was piled up on the north side of Water Street so high that people could not see out of their upstairs windows.

Trees, houses, fences, etc., were so prettily decorated with the snow drifts that photographers were tempted to saily forth on Sunday last and get some snap shots. These will make excellent postcards to send to absent friends, particularly to any that are living in warmer climates.

The old schooner Delta sank at her anchors in the harbour this morning. It was seen yesterday that she was fast filling up, and men were employed on board, and the hrush of water was so great that she filled and sank.

Miss Polly Kelly, who has been seriously ill at Cochrane Hotel for the past two months or so is fast improving, and her friends will be pleased to know she will soon be about again fully recovered. She wishes to express her thanks to Dr. Parsons, whose skill and attention assisted her recovery, and also to the kind friends at Cochrane House for their untiring care.

The Knights of Columbus held an "At Home" at the Academy Hall last night, and a most enjoyable time was spent despite the wild storm raging outside.

The roads are now impassable for traffic; and people who are short of coal are wondering whose duty it is to shovel the roads. Indeed we know of one person who has not a bit of coal, and cannot get any home through the snow, although living near Water Street. The favourite firing used by this individual is North Sydney coal, but we are inclined to think he would be satisfied with Walsh coal just now.

Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.

LONDON, Jan. 11.

Lord McDonnell, Under Secretary for Ireland, and who is likely to become a member of the Government before long, made an important statement on finances under Home Rule to-day. His statement is of unusual interest, because of McDonnell being in close touch with the Government, and it is fairly safe to say he has been consulted with regard to the forthcoming Home Rule Bill. McDonnell says: "Fiscal autonomy for Ireland can only be supported if it can be shown unquestionably that it involves neither danger nor risk to Britain. For my own sake," he continues, "I cannot conceive how we can have fiscal autonomy in Ireland without serious danger to Great Britain."

The police are ever on the alert to compel property owners and property holders to clear the sidewalks clear. But the fire-breaks and lanes are left unshoveled. This is a great inconvenience to the public, and a great risk to old people especially falling and breaking their limbs. Surely some person should be vested with authority to have this very necessary work done. The reply to a query yesterday was: "It is rather early in the season to begin snow-shovelling." So it is, and it is rather unusual to have such a lot of snow so early in the season.

CORRESPONDENT.

Harbor Grace, Jan. 10, 1912.

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Los Angeles, Jan. 1.—Olaf A. Teitwood, secretary-treasurer of the State Building Trades Council; J. E. Munsey, leader of the Salt Lake Union of Structural Iron Workers, and Anton Johannsen, organizer of the State Building Trades Council, were indicted by the Federal grand jury in connection with the alleged nationwide dynamiting conspiracy. Their arrest followed.

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Clearing the Sidewalks.

The City Council will issue "summons" against people on Water Street who have so far failed to clear the snow from the sidewalk opposite their doors. Mr. J. J. Norris, the Inspector, has been around town the past two days taking the names of all who have neglected to clear away the snow. Those who did clear the snow off the sidewalk and piled it upon the street will also be ordered to remove the snow to the coves.

Not the Guy Monument

The erection destroyed in the storm of Friday last, at Cupids, was not the original monument contributed to by the people of Britol and Newfoundland, but that erected by the Newfoundlanders of Toronto. The Bristol monument is unharmed but the other is utterly demolished with the big flag-staff which surmounted it.

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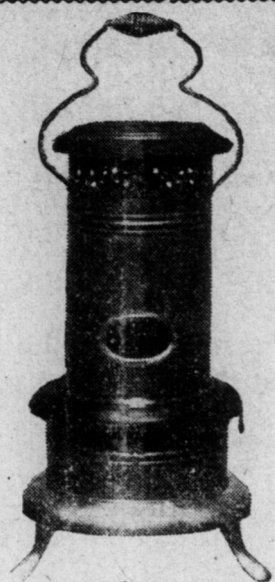
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Evening Telegram

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FRIDAY, January 12, 1912.

Fire Fighting.

We are glad to learn that investigations will be held both by the City Council and Inspector General Sullivan. A searching enquiry will be made by the latter into the trouble that occurred about the fire engines, and the City Council will inquire into the causes of the lack of sufficient water supply to fight the Bears fire yesterday. We shall await the investigations with interest, and the public will expect that a remedy will be found outside of any attempt to compel all householders to shut off their taps during severe cold and wintry blasts. Householders cannot afford to keep their taps turned off. It would mean that the majority of houses would have their water supply stopped by frost during a good part of the winter. A remedy will have to be found by providing sufficient pressure to fight fire, after allowing for the running of water in houses in which there are neither radiators nor hard coal stoves and in which the open fires and cooking stoves are out during the night.

Diphtheria at Cat Harbor.

Inspector General Sullivan had a wire yesterday from the officer at Westville stating that a serious outbreak of diphtheria had occurred at Cat Harbor, on the Straight Shore, down near Cape Freels. Several houses are quarantined and two children have already died of the disease. Dr. Smith has gone from Westville to the place and will take all necessary steps to combat the malady.

CURE INDIGESTION.

Go to McMurdo's drug store and get a 25c. box of HILL'S PILLS and see how quick you will get relief. HILL'S PILLS are the greatest Liver and Stomach Pill known. They purify the blood and tone up the entire system. Price 25c. a box. Sold by T. McMurdo & Co.

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combines the rich gluten of Manitoba Spring wheat and the lighter, but equally important, properties of Ontario Fall wheat. The two combined form a perfectly blended flour that makes bread light, white, nutritious and extremely palatable, while pastry made with Beaver Flour has a crisp, flaky texture that brings many a compliment to the cook.

You don't need to be an expert in baking to attain the best results with BEAVER FLOUR.

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R. G. ASH & CO., St. John's, Sole Agents in Newfoundland, will be pleased to quote prices.

Havoc of Storm at St. George's.

Special to Evening Telegram. ST. GEORGE'S, To-day. Great storm on Tuesday night. Many buildings unroofed, three dwellings blown down and barns and stores. The greatest force of storm between 7 and 9 p.m. P. Dennis's cow was killed by the falling of the barn. The schr. Minnie M. Cook broke from her moorings and drifted ashore. The American schooner s.s. C. Wells, partly fish laden for Gorton Pew Co. Gloucester, was driven ashore at Sandy Point.

Big Majority Favors Strike.

Special to Evening Telegram. LONDON, To-day. The voting of the coal miners in all districts throughout the United Kingdom shows an enormous majority in favor of a strike. There is every indication at present that the needful two-thirds majority will be obtained. The previous experience of similar ballots, however, has shown a considerable waning in enthusiasm after the first day's voting. Hence it would be rash to predict that a strike will be voted. Strong influences are being exerted on both sides to avoid a conflict. The ballot is to decide whether notice be given of a national strike on March 1st. The leaders of the Federation oppose the movement.

To-Day's News.

Special to Evening Telegram. LONDON, To-day. King George, before sailing from Bombay yesterday on the homeward trip, sent the following despatch to Prime Minister Asquith: "I am sure you will be glad to know my highest hopes have been realized and the success of our visit exceeded all anticipations."

LONDON, To-day. The prospects of the establishment of a Jewish University at Jerusalem are favourable. A wealthy Indian Jew has bequeathed \$400,000 to found a college in that city.

PARIS, To-day. The river Seine is still rising. Although it is 13 feet below the mark of the great flood of 1910, the situation is considered grave.

LONDON, To-day. Sir Charles Tupper's condition is slightly improved.

NEW YORK, To-day. Seven lives were lost in a fire in a building of Broxside Avenue yesterday.

Here and There.

Now is the time you will require STAFFORD'S LINIMENT in your home.—Jan 2, 12

PICKED UP.—A small crucifix, which is usually appended to prayer beads, picked up on Queen's Road yesterday awaits an owner at this office.

STAFFORD'S LINIMENT will quickly relieve a cold if applied to the chest on warm blankets.—Jan 2, 12

CITY COUNCIL MEETING.—The regular weekly meeting of the City Council takes place this afternoon at 3.30.

ONE POINT COLDER.—According to our Cape Race message, the thermometer there registered 14 above zero. That is one point lower than register in the city, viz.: 15 above.

FIFTEEN ABOVE ZERO.—We are indebted to Mr. Joseph Toper, marine optician, for the daily barometer reading that appears with the Toronto forecast day by day.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.—Oct 20, 12, 12

SALE OF PAPERS.—The annual sale of papers and magazines took place last night at St. Patrick's Hall. Mr. M. K. Greene was the auctioneer. Good prices were realized and bidding on the magazines was quite keen.

THE OPORTO MARKET.—The Marine and Fisheries had the following message to-day, as to the Oporto market: "No change in prices, sufficient stock on hand for about two months."

GRAND "AT HOME" under the auspices of the Ladies of St. Patrick's Church Association, will be held in the British Hall, on Tuesday, Jan. 23, (the eve of the general holiday). Double Tickets—\$1.00; Ladies—50 cts. Dec. 12, 21.

Ask your Druggist for SERRAVALLO'S TONIC (Bark and Iron Wine). Cures: ANAEMIA, CHLOROSIS, DEBILITY. Delightful Taste.

ARRIVED IN SCOTLAND.—The Marine and Fisheries Department had a wire from Mr. Piccott who went on the Pretorian, to-day, dated Greenock, saying that he had arrived there this morning and was well.

McMurdo's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

Died Suddenly.

Mr. Alan Ebsary who resided at the foot of Mundy Pond died suddenly at his home this morning of heart failure. He got up as usual this morning and went to work about the place, when he was suddenly taken ill and collapsed when he reached the house. Deceased was in his 62nd year and was an old and trusted employee of Balne Trade and every spring used to be sent to Harbor Grace to take charge of the sealing premises there while the seals were being manufactured. He leaves a widow, two sons, one in the city, the other in British Columbia, and two daughters, married in the city to mourn their sad loss.

Trains all Stopped.

All the trains are held up by the snow to-day except the 8.45 local that went out to Carbonara. This train reached here this morning. The weather is intensely cold up the country, a gale from the N. W. is blowing west of the Trossilla and the drifts are positively blinding. Some of the men are working the plows. This morning the temperature was 29 below. The express going west left here Thursday evening for the North Arm at 11 a.m. to-day. The express that is coming this way is still at Little River.

Public Spirit.

In conversation with the Telegram this morning, Inspector General Sullivan expressed the pleasure it afforded him yesterday to witness the assistance willingly extended by the passengers of the Allan Line Pretorian, from Philadelphia, via St. John's, N. F., to Glasgow, which reached here this morning. A fire occurred in the smoke room on the upper deck and flames broke out. This happened yesterday morning, when the steamer was 130 miles from Malin Head. The fire assumed alarming proportions and considerable excitement prevailed. The prompt work of the crew arrested the spread of the fire, but the smoking room was destroyed. No one was injured.

Clyde Arrived.

The S. S. Clyde, Capt. Job Kneel, arrived here from the north at noon to-day, having been two weeks trying to get south on the completion of the Green Bay service. The ship was in Seldom bay by heavy ice the past week. Capt. Kneel got out on a slight change of wind yesterday morning and came south to Catalina where he sheltered till this morning, and made a good run on the north. The ship was led up heavily on her sides, deck and rigging. Several big seas swept over her crossing Trinity and Conception Bays this morning.

Here and There.

Avoid all those aches and pains you are suffering from and use STAFFORD'S LINIMENT.—Jan 2, 12

RECOVERED FROM ILLNESS.—Mr. Adams, of Ayre & Sons, employe here, who had been ill since New Year was able to get down to work to-day.

CONSTABLE ILL.—Const. Brown, of the West End Station, was taken suddenly ill this morning while on duty. Dr. Macpherson was called to attend to him.

WENT TO HOSPITAL.—Miss Bertha Goodland, daughter of Mr. W. H. Goodland, who had been sick for the past month, went to the General Hospital yesterday for treatment.

TOWING SCHOONERS HERE.—The s.s. Fogota has been engaged to tow up here from Seldom Come Bye the schooners Alva and Maggie, laden with fish, which are frozen in ice, carrying away the roadway. The sea swept right into the harbor pond beyond the beach and broke up the ice there, which was over six inches thick. The people of South River were not able to get across to the station.

BOWING SHIPS.—The Portia harbored at Cape Broyle during Wednesday night and passed Cape Race at 3 p.m. yesterday, bound west. Nothing was heard from her to-day.

The Prospero left Nipper's Harbor at 3.30 a.m. Wednesday, having got clear of the ice there, and though no word was heard of her to-day, it is thought she reached Griguet. She is expected to get back to Tilt Cove this evening or to-night.

Good For You

You can't have a clear brain, active muscles and firm nerves, if your bowels are sluggish; but see what a help to you will be a few doses of BEECHAM'S PILLS

Sold Everywhere. In boxes 25c.

DIED.—Last evening, after a long illness, Hazel Mary, aged six years and eight months, youngest daughter of Edward and Esther McCormack, Southside.

On Thursday morning, at the General Hospital, Bride, beloved wife of Frederick Butcher, Funeral to-morrow, Saturday, at 2.30 p.m., from her husband's residence, 173 Duckworth St. Friends will please accept this intimation.

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Enjoyment! Security!! Contentment!!!
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Use HALL'S SAFES for your valuables, etc.
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Fire on Pretorian

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\$40 Taken From Safe.

Mailman Samuel Bradbury, on local train arriving here from Carbonara yesterday at 3 p.m., reports that a sum of \$40 was stolen from the safe in the post office on the train. He had left the money in the safe and came down to the General Post Office on the arrival of the train, which was a belated one and should have arrived here the previous night. When he went back to the car shortly afterwards he found that the safe had been broken open and the money gone. He reported to the P. M. G. and the police are now investigating.

Making Long Voyage.

The Furness liner Verango left Halifax for here at midnight Monday, and is evidently meeting bad weather as up to press hour she had not put in appearance.

The Wobin, coal laden, left Sydney for here at the same time and has not yet turned up.

A LARGE FUNERAL.—The funeral of the late James Kennedy took place at 2.30 p.m. yesterday and was very largely attended. The remains were enclosed in a handsome casket, the undertaker was Mr. J. T. Martin, and interment was at Belvidere Cemetery. At the R. C. Cathedral the requiem service was read by Rev. Dr. Greene.

Sydney's Stormy Weather.

Advices from Sydney to-day say that that port is blocked with snow storms and that several ships including the Kamford, laden with coal for this port, but got away. Yesterday all business was at a standstill and the work of loading or discharging ships could not be proceeded with. Trains are stalled and trams cannot run and business generally is tied up.

Something of a Fisherman Himself.

The customer had waited 15 minutes for the fish he had ordered. He was very quiet as he sat there, but internally there was a seething. At the end of the 16th minute the waiter, who had been in total eclipse for 15½ minutes, bustled up. "That fish will be here, sir, in five minutes." Five minutes elapsed three times. Then the waiter bustled up again. "The fish will be here, sir, in a minute." The customer turned to him. "Tell me," he said quietly, but with certain emphasis, "what bait are you using?"—St. Louis Republic.

SELDON IS FULL OF ICE.—Seldom Come Bye is full of slob ice. The s.s. Fogota left there yesterday at 3.30 p.m. for St. John's.

EMPIRE HEARD FROM.—Gen. W. Barr received a cablegram from Capt. Benson of the Empire at North Azores, yesterday, saying that he was ready to leave but was kept back by bad weather.

G. KNOWLING BOYS' G. KNOWLING
NEW OVERCOATS!
We have just received an entirely New Stock of Boys' Overcoats, made on the very latest and most approved models. See them—they are the smartest and best selected garments in the city.
GOOD! WARM! CHEAP!
A Splendid Line of Boy's Warm Winter Overcoats, double breasted with wide Prussian storm collar, and belt at back, in good dark tweeds to fit boys from 3 to 8 years of age.
\$1.90 to \$2.20 according to size. Splendid Value.
Boy's Ulster Overcoats, suitable for boys from 8 to 14 years of age. Fine long warm coats, strap at back and buttoned cuff.
\$2.30 to \$2.70 according to size.
Boy's Heavy Prussian Storm Overcoats. The coat for cold weather, made in heavy tweed, striped effects. These coats button up to the neck, the collar protects both the throat and ears. Double breasted, belted back, and buttoned cuff. To fit boys from 3 to 15 years.
\$3.20 to \$3.90 according to size.
Boy's Chesterfield Overcoats. A single breasted overcoat with vent at back, in heavy and light tweeds, in all sizes to suit boys from 10 to 17 years. Prices from
\$2.70 to \$6.60
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Winter
For Bands and
Prices: 50c, 60c, 85c
Nansen Cap
The Young
G. F. KEARNEY.
Phone 726

Uncle
THE POET
I know a man who always seeks
ter tears roll down his cheeks,
not understand why
UNTIMELY comfort in the land,
INDUSTRY zling summer days
comes around to now
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stands aloof until there's rain, so
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McMurdo's Store News
FRIDAY, Jan. 12, 1912
This kind of weather makes a
Water Bottle almost a necessity.
The use of such an appliance will save
cold or chill many a time. And
any case, every family should ha
one. They are invaluable in ma
kinds of pains which can be dissip
by the prompt application to the
of pain of a hot water bottle. We
we have some Special Hot Water B
tles which are guaranteed to stand
years continuous fair use, and wh
we will replace if within the year
they prove defective. The quality
of the best, and they are furnished
with the patent hollow stem, wh
which cannot be frozen solid. Y
should inspect this brand before pu
chasing. Price 12 1/2c. 25c. 50c. 75c.
each.

Green Bay
25 barrels choice well-cured
Large
Local Kippers.
Smoked to a perfect
a fish for breakfast, they
are really hard to beat.
50c. dozen; 5c. the pe
Finnan Haddies, 10c. lb.
Blue Point Oysters, 12c. dz
C. P. EAGA

U NEED EM! Winter Caps,

For Bands and Knitted Bands.
Prices: 50c, 60c, 85c, 90c, \$1.10, \$1.20, \$1.50.
Nansen Caps, price \$1.00.



The Young Man's Store.
G. F. KEARNEY. J. M. ATKINSON.
Phone 726. jan12, eod

Uncle Walt THE POET PHILOSOPHER.

I know a man who always seeks for work, some wealth to earn, and bitter tears roll down his cheeks, since he has turned down again; there is no comfort in the land, he says, for working men. When summer days are gone, and howling blizzards blow, he comes around to mow the lawn, which is knee-deep in snow. "I want to shovel snow," he cries, when August days are hot; in winter he could sweat the flies, when there is none to swat. On week days he will bask at ease, but when the Sabbath comes he oils his elbows and his knees and then he fairly hums. The shingles may let in the wet, but still he stands aloof until there's rain, and then, you bet, he wants to fix the roof. This man, who represents a class, is always shy of dough, and his declining days he'll pass out where the paupers go. If you would gather in the seeds of comforting amounts, quit training with the trifling lads, and do the work that counts.

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In the blizzard which raged from 3.30 p.m. yesterday same small children, after leaving school, had a hard time of it going through the drift, and the wonder is that some of them were not smothered, especially those who had to traverse the higher levels. When such storms arise it would be far safer for teachers to keep youngsters in school so that their parents or other persons might call for them to conduct them home.

McMardo's Store News.

FRIDAY, Jan. 12, 1912.
This kind of weather makes a Hot Water Bottle almost a necessity. The use of such an appliance will save a cold or chill many a time. And in any case, every family should have one. They are invaluable in many kinds of pains which can be dissipated by the prompt application to the seat of pain of a hot water bottle. Now we have some Special Hot Water Bottles which are guaranteed to stand two years continuous fair usage, and which we will replace if within that time they prove defective. The quality is of the best, and they are furnished with the patent Holdfast Stopper, which cannot be lost or mislaid. You should inspect this brand before purchasing. Price (2 qt.) \$3; (3 qt.) \$3.50 each.

ANOTHER THEFT OF MONEY. — During the past 24 hours a theft of a considerable sum of money from a resident of the West End has been reported to the police, and the detectives are now investigating.

Green Bay SALT HERRING!

25 barrels choice well-cured Herring, just in from Green Bay, Large and Bright.

Local Kippers.
Smoked to a nicety. For a fish for breakfast they are really hard to beat.
30c. dozen; 5c. the pair.

Boutillier's Boneless Smoked FILLETTS,
contains no bone, just the choicest part of the fish, the centre only, fins, bone and tail cut off; tasty and appetizing, which only the Scotch cure can impart to fish.

Finnan Haddies, 10c. lb.
Blue Point Oysters, 12c dz.

C. P. EAGAN, DUCKWORTH ST. & QUEEN'S ROAD.

Mailman and Companion Are Missing.

Yesterday the Colonial Secretary, Hon. R. Watson, had a telegram from Rev. J. T. Newman stating that Mailman Smith had been out 52 hours and had not put in appearance up to the time the wire was sent. A search party had gone out from Clarenville but it was deemed impossible that they would get across to Random Island, and Rev. Mr. Newman suggested that another party be sent out from Britannia Cove. Mr. Newman was instructed to take any steps he might think necessary. It is possible that the men might have put up in the storm at one of the settlements between Clarenville and Britannia Cove, which on his route he would have to call at.

A man named John Hodder accompanied Smith and both left in a sail boat, and just after leaving Clarenville the blizzard began. The Postmaster General had no notice of the matter until 7 p.m. yesterday, and on his orders a search party started from Clarenville in less than an hour. It is hoped that the men have taken refuge on Random Island to await the abatement of the storm. Smith belongs to Elliott's Cove, which is near the route he would have to take and he might possibly have sheltered there. News of the two men will be anxiously awaited.

M. C. L. I. Debate.

At the Methodist College Literary Institute last night another excellent debate was held; there was a large attendance in spite of the stormy weather. Mr. I. C. Morris was called to the chair to conduct the proceedings. The subject selected was: Resolved—"That the English law governing the taxation of estates of deceased persons be introduced into Newfoundland." The affirmative was led by Mr. R. F. Horwood who was ably supported by Messrs. E. V. Wylie and A. Dawe. The negative was taken by Messrs. S. Woods and G. Peters. The arguments of the affirmative were that the taxes of the people of Newfoundland are now as heavy as can be borne and that there should be some other way devised of earning taxes without coming down on the poor man.

The negative speakers contended that the case in England was entirely different from ours. The Mother Country needed the money to keep up the Army and Navy and therefore taxed the estates of the deceased wealthy men. Several other speakers took part, and great interest was manifested towards the end. After the vote was taken the affirmative was found to have won by a good majority. Mr. I. C. Morris conducted the meeting in his usual able manner.

Avoid Blood Poison

The best and simplest way of insuring against blood-poisoning is to apply Zam-Buk to a cut, burn, cold sore or any open wound or diseased part as soon as sustained. Of all the myriad forms of germs which set up blood-poisoning, not one has yet been found that Zam-Buk does not kill! A thin layer of Zam-Buk over a wound or sore acts in two ways. It prevents all harm coming into the wound or sore from the outside, and on the underside it stimulates the cells to renewed activity, promotes just the healing, tissue-building material needed by causing the blood to deposit this more rapidly and thus brings about rapid healing. Apply it to that cold sore, those chapped hands, that frost bite or that eczema. Sold at 50c. box, all stores or drug-gists, or post free from Zam-Buk Co., St. John's, Nfld., for price. Refuse substitutes.

Race Called For.

Many people in the city would like to see a race between Thomas Woods, the champion skater, of this city, and Mr. Fred Haddon. The latter is a very swift skater, and the belief is that he would give Mr. Woods a hard push for first place in a three mile run. The race would interest many, and it is hoped that a meeting between the two will be arranged.

Wire to Mr. W. H. Jackman.

Mr. W. H. Jackman received this morning a cablegram from Mr. Ambrose Norris, his brother-in-law, who went over on the S. S. Pretorian. He had then just arrived at Greenock, and said in the despatch: "Just arrived here; all." It is remarkable that he does not make any allusion to any fire having broken out on board the ship. It is believed by the public generally that the report appearing in our contemporaries yesterday was exaggerated.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GARGET IN COWS.

Sidewalk Sketches.

By H. L. RANN.



HUSBANDS

Husbands are animated meal tickets whose sole mission in life is to touch the cash register and look pleasant. The career of a husband is crowded full of cataleptic ennui and overdue bills, and he never gets rid of either until it is time to cash it on his life insurance. Very few husbands live any longer than is absolutely necessary unless they are yoked to some stymph with a barnful of government bonds and a pliable and yielding nature. In these days, when a fresh egg will look a ¢2 bill in the face with a cold and stony stare and the price of new-mown butter will set a man's eyeballs back until he can't see the way home, it requires real heroism to become a husband with the idea of remaining in the business for any length of time. It is all right to weave poetry about Horatius at the bridge and T. Roosevelt backing away from a third term with the speed of a furniture van, but your real hero is the man who introduces seventeen children to the baptismal font and then undertakes to scratch around their appetite on \$1.25 a day. Some husbands are domestic in their habits and would rather stay at home nights and crochet or core apples than patronize the flowing bowl and be led home by the night watch. Others start out after supper and hit all the high spots on both sides of the elevated, returning with the apologetic look of a man who has impaled himself neatly and with some haste on a sheet of sticky fly paper. The henpecked husband is one who fell asleep at the switch when he ought to have risen up and asserted his manhood with a broom handle. When a husband loses his patience and his front teeth he is said to be all in, and is frequently exchanged for a new brand with the lozenge habit and the hardness of an arctic explorer.

Burns to Divide Rewards.

\$30,000 Will be Distributed Among His Assistants.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 2.—Detective Burns arrived here to-day to testify before the Federal Grand Jury in what is considered to be the final lap in the Government's investigation of the alleged dynamiting conspiracy. The announcement is made of Orle McManigal's departure from Los Angeles for this city to testify. An army of detectives still were at work in tracing the movements and activities of big labor leaders in the last two years. He expressed the belief that he would collect upwards of \$30,000 in rewards. This sum he intended to divide among the many assistants who helped him run down the McNamaras.

CLEARING THE TRACK. — Supt. Andrews had a staff of men on all day yesterday and last night clearing the track on Water Street. The two sweepers were also out. It is expected to have the cars running to-morrow.

The Odds

are always with the man who has strength of body, steady nerves and a clear brain. If tea or coffee is found to interfere with digestion, or upset the nervous system, one's common sense and ambition would suggest a change.

POSTUM

in place of coffee has helped thousands upon thousands of people to Better Digestion Sounder Sleep Steadier Nerves Clearer Brains Health Nerves and Brain are an asset— "There's a Reason" Canadian Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Windsor, Ontario, Canada.

Pure Fruit Competition

To the Boy or Girl sending us largest list of words made from the letters contained in words PURE FRUIT we shall give \$5.00.

Competitor must mail list of words to reach us not later than January 31st.

Four of the large Reliable Syrup labels must accompany each list. (Soak the labels off the bottles.)

This competition is much easier than the last one and you ought try to win the \$5.00 prize.

Donald Frazer, of 15 Prescott Street, won the \$5.00 prize in the Reliable Drinks Are Best Competition. His list contained 2011 words.

IF AT FIRST YOU DON'T SUCCEED TRY-TRY-TRY AGAIN.

Buy Reliable Fruit Syrups Always.

GREENE & Co., - - Distributors, ST. JOHN'S.

WE'VE GOT THEM, But not for Long.

GOOD HEAVY BLACK

Wool Hose

Suitable for Women or Boys, at

15 cents per pair.

The Quantity is Limited.

BUY EARLY.

S. MILLEY

Pacific Ancients Clever

Building of Mortised Stone Proves Mechanical Skill.

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 28.—News of an interesting archaeological find on Fanning Island, in mid-Pacific, indicating the island was once inhabited by a skilled race, was brought here by the steamship Makura.

Excavators have unearthed a large stone building 200 x 50 feet. No mortar was used in its construction, the stone having been skilfully mortised together. In this building was found a tomb containing a human skeleton with a necklace of the teeth of the cachelot and other articles, including the skull of a dog. It is believed the island was one of the resting places of the Polynestans during their early migrations. Recently it was purchased by a British-Canadian Syndicate for use as a coal-station, in view of the opening of the Panama Canal.

Dr. de Van's Female Pills
A reliable French regulator, never fails. These pills are exceedingly powerful in regulating the generative portion of the female system. Refuse all cheap imitations. Dr. de Van's are sold at \$5 a box, or three for \$10. Mailed to any address. The Sobell Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.



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Rust-Proof
CORSETS

Guaranteed to outwear any other Corset. The bones cannot break or rust nor can the fabric tear.

Every Pair Guaranteed

MARSHALL BROTHERS,

Newfoundland Agency.

The Bearnsh-Hanley Fire

BY "MAC"

There appears to have been so many blunders in connection with the Fire and Water Departments at large conflagrations in recent years that it is nearly time a Commission was appointed by the Government to investigate matters thoroughly.

NO WATER.

For nearly three-quarters of an hour yesterday morning no water could be got except a slight effusion—barely more than a dribble—which expanded a force of water nearly ten feet in the air. Now this is not intended to be satire, or exaggeration, but real genuine facts. Apparently owing to the peculiar phases of the situation the Water Department men are not to blame as no alarm of fire was received by them; but surely if it takes ten or fifteen minutes if a flow of water was not forthcoming, it was somebody's duty to inform them. Another plausible (?) excuse is offered, viz., that owing to the cold spurt people have been letting their taps run, with the result that the mains have somewhat diminished. Something of the same nature occurred at the Baird and Vinnicombe-Gale fires a few years ago, but no investigations were held; or, if there were, the results were not made public. Oh, dear, no! It might have caused some embarrassment. Then again one of the beautiful, costly, enormous "merryweathers" would not work. In the meantime "someone had

blundered," and Messrs. Bearnsh, Hanley and Thompson, together with their families and friends, had to gaze as complacently as circumstances would allow upon their blazing properties, while the miserable dribble from five hoses caused puddles in the snowy slaw. I'm sure these gentlemen must receive great consolation from the fact that the water service was temporarily out of commission.

REMEDY.

Such occurrences can very easily be remedied. (1) Some years ago the City Council at a great expense built a large conduit and reservoir from Windsor Lake for the purpose of giving a greater water supply and presumably a greater pressure in time of fire. Strange to say it has never been opened once since it was built for the purpose of fire-fighting. Again, the West End water supply was shut off yesterday from 8.50 a.m. till 2 p.m., not a drop being available anywhere except from those who were fortunate enough to have had a quantity in for culinary purposes. Now, Mr. Editor, this is "criminal barbarism," to use an expression of Kipling's. Imagine what distress and inconvenience was caused to, I may say, thousands of the families of our laboring classes, who were dependent on the "tanks" for their supply of water for dinner. And this is the service for which we are forced to pay large taxes semi-annually. Now, what I propose should be done is to open the reservoir in case of fire and flood the tanks. This would obviate the necessity of turning off the water in either portion of the town, and at the same time would give a pressure which

would throw the water at least one hundred feet in the air instead of ten, such as was the case yesterday morning. I hope the Mayor will take this matter up at their meeting this afternoon. What is the good of hoarding up these millions of gallons of water (surely the Council do not anticipate that Windsor Lake will dry up) if it is not used in cases of serious conflagrations? It seems ridiculous to think that while valuable property was being burned for the want of water, millions of gallons of it were reposing peacefully in the reservoir. Then the question of a fire boat for harbor duty crops up again. It cannot be gainsaid that if one of these were on the harbor yesterday morning much less damage would have been done. Some months ago a correspondent in your paper very wisely suggested that the one launch or small steamer could very well manage to fulfil the duties of both the pilot and fire patrol service. The authorities, however, assume pure disinterestedness when a suggestion comes from outside parties, but let the thickest atom of an idea creep into their brains, be it fallacious or otherwise, it is immediately put into execution and they pat their own chests and congratulate themselves on their ingenuity and foresight. This harbor patrol has got to come sooner or later—the quicker the better.

INSURANCE.

Have the authorities ever considered the deleterious effects a fire like yesterday has on the Fire Underwriters? The rates at present are certainly excessive, but an "exhibition" or two like this will certainly result in increased premiums in order to protect their own interests—and justly so.

FIREMEN.

The firemen, from Inspector General Sullivan down to the reserve man, deserve every encomium of credit and praise. Despite the inclement weather conditions they worked like trojans; and yet these are the men who receive the miserable pittance of one dollar per day, or \$365 a year (by the way, they will get \$366, as this is a leap year) and make no grumble to the public. While the Government can afford their picnics and sit in their cosy offices, discussing libels, these men are doing their utmost to prevent destruction. Truly, as in the words of the song:

"In their hearts there's only one dream—
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A Menace to the City.

If a fire should occur at present on the higher levels, say about Freshwater or Cookstown Roads, Parade Street or any other thoroughfare in that section, the city would be menaced with a disaster similar to that which occurred in 1892, especially if at the beginning of the outbreak a high wind prevailed. The streets of the upper parts of the city are now covered with snow drifts from 6 to 10 feet deep, and the firemen, if called upon, could not get their heavy apparatus along with that despatch which is theirs under normal circumstances. We think it would be money well spent if the Council were to employ men at once to open up and level these streets to put them in condition to admit of vehicular traffic going over them. The loss of a few minutes at the outbreak of a fire might mean the destruction of the city. Many poor citizens who are idle at present would consider a few days work at snow shovelling a god send, and in no better way could a portion of the revenue be spent than in this way. It might mean the saving of much property as well as the conservation of human life.

Shipwrights Hold Meeting.

The annual meeting of the St. John's Shipwright Society, was held in the Star Hall last night. After the roll was called it showed the Society to be in good financial condition. Mr. John Halfyard was then moved to the chair and the election of officers took place and resulted in Mr. Wm. White-marshal being re-elected President; Isaac Mercer, 1st V.P., elected; Richard F. Baggis, 2nd V.P., elected; Frederick C. Pitcher, Secretary, re-elected; Lemuel Simmonds, Treasurer, re-elected, and ten committee men.

Mr. P. Hanley's Heavy Loss.

Besides his own house which was destroyed yesterday, Mr. Philip Hanley owned the residence of his son, James, and also that of Mr. F. Thompson. His insurances on these properties were \$1,000 on his own and \$400 on Thompson's with the Liverpool, London and Globe, and \$700 on his son's residence in the Phoenix. This aggregates \$2,100 on the 3 houses so that Mr. Hanley's loss is a heavy one. He roughly values his own residence at \$2,200, his son's, \$1,800, and Thompson's, \$1,600, or \$5,600, so that he stands to lose \$3,500, as the residences named are completely gutted. The three men lost practically all their furniture, and Mrs. Hanley was particularly unfortunate. She held a policy of \$700 on her own personal effects with Mr. Percy Johnson but allowed it to lapse a few months ago, and in the fire of yesterday lost almost everything. Mr. Hanley saved all his books and most of his papers. He and his wife are now staying at the Crosbie Hotel.

A Weekly Drill.

The full Battalion of the C. C. C. were present at the Armoury last night and were put through drill by Major Donnelly. The band of the Corps headed the lads in the marches and gave some fine music. Until further notice these drills will be held each Thursday evening. The Corps Athletic Association will meet Sunday next, after last Mass, to arrange hockey and other sports for the season.

CODROY SUFFERS.—Mr. Robert Templeton received a message from Codroy this morning informing him that during the terrific storms of the past week the church at that place had been blown down, and the dwellings of the residents greatly wrecked.

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A Big Fire at Halifax.

Special to Evening Telegram. HALIFAX, To-day.

A fire early this morning destroyed the Herald building and several houses. The Herald building is completely gutted and machinery of every description destroyed. The fire is still burning, but is under control. The loss is over a quarter of a million. The Herald appeared as usual with the assistance of the Chronicle plant. The firms burned out include Cragg Bros., Shoemaker & Sons, Munns Davidson, McCormick and several other buildings.

Big Fire at North Sydney.

Special Evening Telegram. NORTH SYDNEY, To-day. The Hotel Sydney and the moving picture house was burned to-night.

"Conquerors of Our Hearts."

Special Evening Telegram. BOMBAY, To-day. The newspapers here, including the vernacular, print reviews of the visit to India of the King and Queen. All the newspapers are eulogistic. The Jam Janshed says five weeks ago it was Bombay's proud privilege to welcome King George and Queen Mary as conquerors of our hearts.

Still Stormy at the Cape.

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE TOWN, To-day. Wind N. W. storm still raging; heavy snow showers. The S. S. Portia passed west at 3 p.m. yesterday; 3 small icebergs are grounded west of here and are fast breaking up and very dangerous to shipping. Nothing in sight to-day. Bar. 29.32; ther. 14.

Fire Caused by Throwing Match Away.

Special Evening Telegram. NEW YORK, To-day. The official investigation into the Equitable Building fire reveals pretty certainly that the disaster was caused by the careless throwing away of a match. Between three and four hundred millions of cash securities were removed yesterday intact.

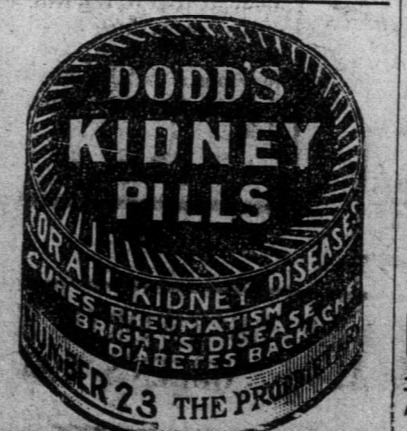
One Hundred Years of Peace

Special to Evening Telegram. WASHINGTON, To-day. The plan for the celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the Treaty of Ghent, pending before the Senate Committee of foreign relations, is in the shape of a bill appropriating \$7,500,000 for the purpose of invitations to the nations of the world to join in celebrating the Ghent Treaty.

Grouse Prospects for 1912.

To those who take any interest in the grouse prospects for the forthcoming season, it will be an interesting speculation as to the effect of the present hard winter on the stock of birds. It is a well-known fact to rearers that an unsuitable season destroys more birds than any amount of shooting over a moor, and a rainy June or a long cold winter or spring causes great mortality amongst the parent birds. Those who have had the temerity to face countrywards the last few days must have noticed not only the quantity, but the hardness of the snow. A crust strong enough in most places to bear a man's weight covering the whole surface of the country. Both caribou and grouse find the crust very much of an obstacle in the way of their procuring the moss or buds on which they live. It is to be feared that if the present conditions are universal on the barrens, that the birds will suffer heavily from lack of sufficient food, resulting in death or small and weakly broods.

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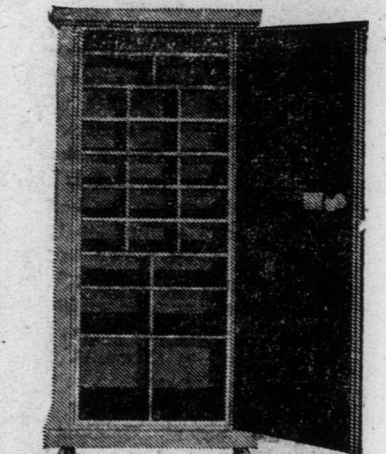
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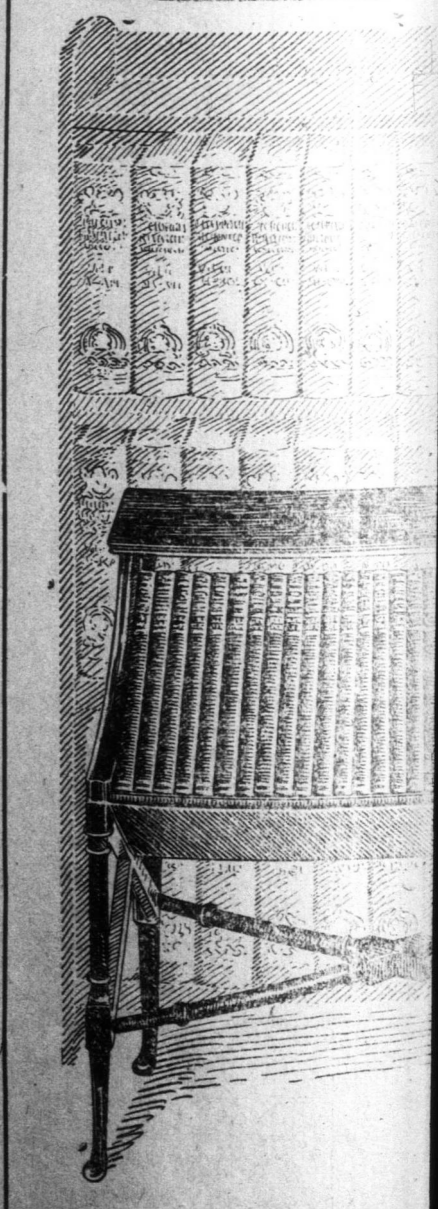
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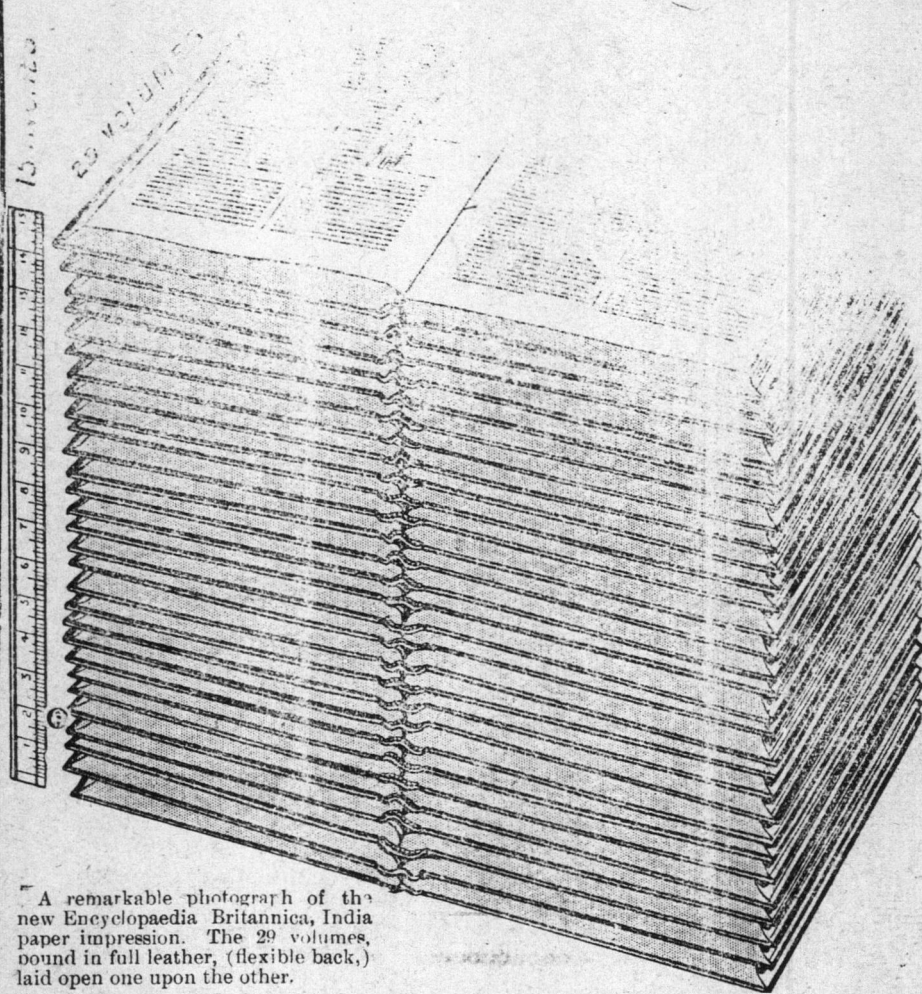
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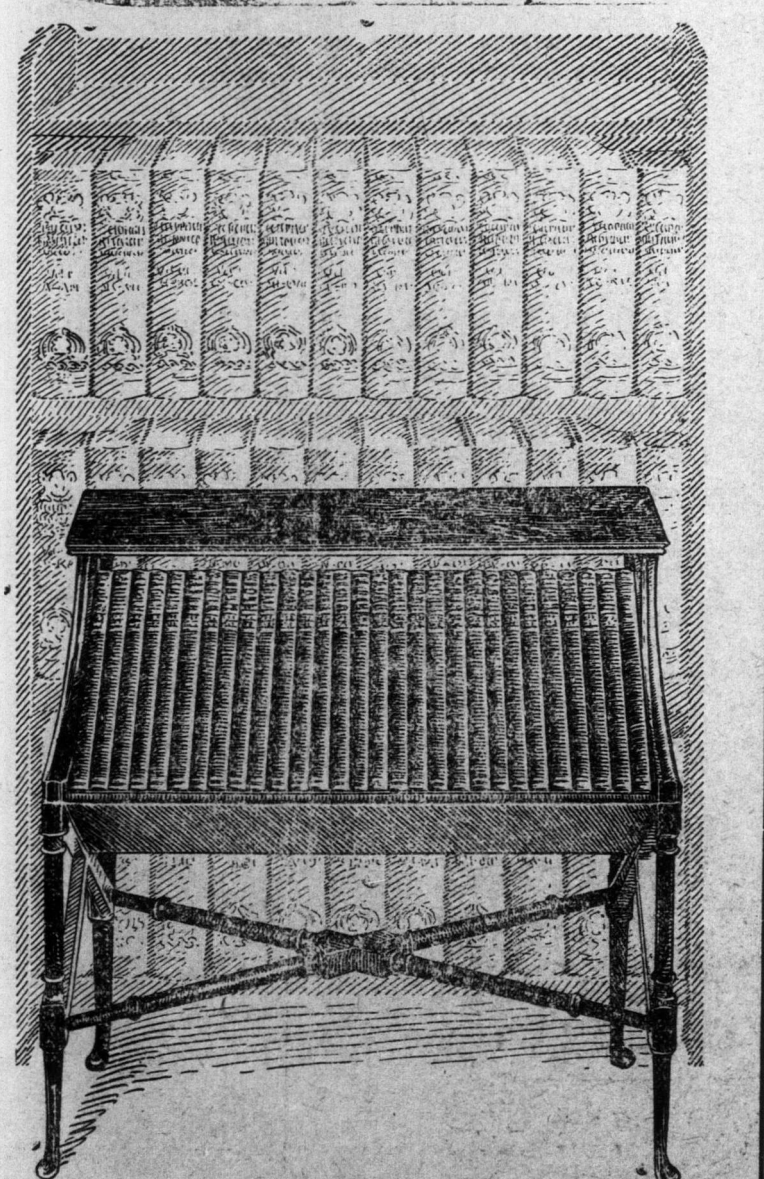
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