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A Terrible Disclosure ; What Fools Men Are !

CHAPTER IX.

Then he held out his hand to Lela. "Good-by, Lady Fane." She put her hand in his. It was burning hot, but it did not affect her as Clifford Revel's had done. "Good-by, Lady Fane. I wish you every happiness. You are young to occupy so exalted a station as that which has fallen to your lot, but I think you will do your duty. It may happen in your ladyship's experience to encounter trouble—who is free from it?—but you will always remember that you have a husband to support and aid you. Good-by, and every blessing attend you."

Lela bowed her head. There were tears in her eyes, called there by the grave, solemn voice.

"Good-by, and thank you for your good wishes!" she murmured.

Then Lord Edgar drew her arm within his and led her into the next room.

Clifford Revel lingered behind and followed Nagle into the lobby.

Then he closed the door of the room behind him and contemplated his tool with suppressed amusement.

"Nagle, you have been as good as a play!" he exclaimed in a low voice—"as good as a play! My dear fellow, you ought to have gone on the stage, you ought indeed! I never knew anything done better! You read the service like a bishop! Like a bishop!"

Nagle stood and looked at him with grave face and knitted brows.

"—And your farewell was excellent! I admire your taste in declining to remain for the luncheon. And your farewell good wishes! Upon my word, Nagle, you have earned your money!"

"You think so," said Nagle, looking calmly at the flushed face of his employer. "You think so, Clifford Revel?"

"Yes! I am quite satisfied. Quite. It was splendid! Any one would have been deceived, leave alone my poor fool of a cousin and a simple girl! But, by Jove, it was a near shave! I thought she was going to back out of it at the last moment. It was only your clerical appearance that deceived her. It was a wonderful get up. You'll pass as a clergyman anywhere!"

"You think so?" said Nagle, with the same grave air.

"Yes, anywhere! Nagle, I am delighted with you. And to prove it, I'll add a five-pound note to our bargain. Look here, here are two hundred and fifty, and here is a five-pound note added," he said, in a whisper, as he took a roll of notes from his pocket and looked them over.

Nagle took them, and without counting them crushed them together in his hand.

"I am glad you are pleased," he said quietly.

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Clifford Revel looked at her so thoroughly believes that she is my Lady Fane, the future Marchioness of Farintosh, whereas you and I know that she is nothing of the sort, but simply plain Miss Temple! It is enough to make one laugh!"

"Or weep," said Nagle.

"Weep!" echoed Clifford Revel, with a laugh. "Not I! I enjoy it! It is, at the least, an elaborate joke! You have the notes! Good-by! If you have my advice you will put the hering pond between you and this day's work."

"You advise that I should seek safety in flight?" said Nagle, quietly.

"I do. It is my sincere advice. You know what this morning's work means for you if ever it should be brought into court? Ten years, at least, my dear Nagle."

"Well, perhaps you are right," said Nagle. "I'll think it over."

"Clifford! Clifford!" called Lord Edgar.

"There, he wants me!" said Clifford Revel, with a smile. "Good-by! Take my advice! You are a rich man with capital. You yourself scarce."

"Thanks," said Nagle, calmly. "If I might offer you advice—"

"I don't want it!" said Clifford Revel, smilingly.

"Just so. But if you did I should say, don't be too certain. I throw my advice in for the extra five pounds, and again I say, don't be too certain!"

CHAPTER X.

It was an extraordinary wedding! Lela scarcely realized that she was married; it seemed like a dream to her; the beautiful rooms, the table laden with costly plate and choice glass; Lovel, black-garbed and noiseless; the landlady's niece, in her pink ribbons, all seemed unsubstantial and unreal. The words so solemnly spoken by the man who had read the service rang in her ears like the voice in a dream. It was only when she looked up into the handsome face of Lord Edgar—"made like a god's with happiness"—that she could grasp the truth, the fact that she was married, that he was her husband, and that Lela Temple had been transformed into the Viscountess Fane! She was still rather pale, but never lovelier—certainly never lovelier in Lord Edgar's eyes, and as he bent over her, whispering some short, sweet words, his lips touched her hair.

"My wife!" he murmured, and the red blood stained her face for a moment as she looked up at him.

At this moment Clifford Revel, having parted from Nagle, entered the room and stood in the doorway, looking down at them with a sardonic smile, which changed swiftly into a genial one as Lord Edgar turned and smiled at him.

"Breakfast is served, my lady," said Lovel in his most subdued voice, and Lela looked up at him with a little

bewilderment in her eyes. Certainly not yet had she realized that she was "my lady."

Lord Edgar drew her arm within his, and led her into the next room, and Clifford followed.

It was an exquisite little breakfast. Lord Edgar had given Fortunum & Mason carte blanche, merely stipulating that there should be some hot things, and Lela saw dishes that she had never seen before and of which she was quite ignorant.

She was placed at Lord Edgar's side, and Clifford Revel took the bottom of the table. His face was flushed, his keen eyes sparkled. He was an admirable actor, and the whole morning's work had simply been as a pleasant comedy—or tragedy, in which he played a part with the deepest zest and enjoyment.

He began to talk in his brightest and best manner, making Lord Edgar laugh in his hearty frank fashion, and even causing Lela to ripple now and again. He exerted that mysterious charm which he possessed to the utmost, and rattling on with ready wit and pleasantry, and yet mingling it with a show of deep respect for Lela that would have won her heart but for the impression which she had received when she first saw him, and which neither his wit nor his perfect manner could quite dispel.

She was angry with herself for entertaining the vague feeling of distrust, but there it remained, even when Lord Edgar was laughing, and she herself was smiling at some piece of elaborate nonsense, uttered in Clifford Revel's softest of voices.

"Lady Fane," he said, "you drink no wine! Let me recommend this Pommery—I hope you've got at least a dozen cases of this, Edgar—it is just a lady's wine, not too sweet, and not too dry! May I?" and he leaned forward and filled her glass, disregarding her protestation.

He filled his own at the same time, and emptied it at a draught; he was enjoying himself to the utmost. He felt that he should like to laugh aloud with wild, mad triumph.

Meanwhile, Lovel waited in noiseless gravity, and dish after dish made its appearance and vanished; then came the sweets, and with them a small wedding cake, upon the top of which was formed in crimson the letters "E. L."

"Edgar and Lela!" said Edgar. "Why, who thought of that, Clifford?" Clifford Revel waved his hand, airily.

"My small contribution to the feast," he said. "Now, my lady, you must cut it, and I think I deserve the first piece!"

By this time Lovel and the maid had withdrawn, and were doubtless drinking a glass of the old Pommery in the ante-room.

"Yes! So she does! Give it to him, Lela!" said Lord Edgar. "I don't know what I'll say 'we'—should have done without you, Cliff! Give him the first piece, and may it bring him as beautiful and sweet a wife as I have got."

Lela crimsoned, but Clifford Revel laughed—almost boisterously.

"Edgar is privileged to-day, Lady Fane; he can say what he pleases. But I must say, for my part, that I echo the wish with all my heart. Will you not say so, too?" and he looked at her.

Lela started lightly, and held the knife motionless, then as she put the slice of compressed indigestives on his plate, she said:

"I wish you all the happiness you deserve!"

Lord Edgar laughed aloud, but Clifford Revel shrugged his shoulders.

"I am satisfied! Thank you, Lady Fane! After all, I shall not fare so badly, if your wish be realized. I am not half a bad fellow, I beg you to believe that, Lady Fane! It may sound conceited, but I protest that, as the world goes, I am not worse than the rest of my kind!"

He rattled on in this fashion for half an hour, then he filled his glass again and passed the bottle to Lord Edgar.

"I have one duty left to perform,"

he said, with a smile that should have been a fendish sneer, "and that is to propose the health of the bride."

Lord Edgar nodded and smiled at Lela.

"The bride!" repeated Clifford Revel, and he rose and stood smiling down on them, with his wineglass in his hand. "Edgar, my dear fellow, if this were an ordinary wedding breakfast, with two rows of guests, I might be excused for making an ordinary speech. But it is not! Ordinary wedding breakfasts, alas! are too often but the feast which follows on a ceremony which has united two persons who have become one for a hundred reasons, rather than that which alone should prove the cause—love! But in your case, love is the sole and all principal reason. Yours, my dear Edgar, and if you will permit me to so call you, my dear Lela, is a marriage in which love reigns paramount. Love, pure and unalloyed by any thought of the world's dress, hovers over the marriage feast. To you, my dear Edgar, I can only offer the congratulations which are due to a man who has the happiness to be doing a husband so beautiful and charming a bride as Lady Fane! Before you stretches a long vista of happy years. To you, Lady Fane, I would desire to express my heartfelt wishes for your perfect joy and happiness."

"Hear, hear!" said Lord Edgar, softly, as he put his hand on Lela's arm.

"You have married this morning the man of your choice, and I will make bold to say that your choice has been a wise and happy one. I—speak as his closest friend—know the depth and sincerity of his love for you. I know how severely he has been tried, and how well he has proved his devotion to you. My dear Edgar—my dear Lela, I wish you both a long and prosperous and happy life; and for myself I desire no greater happiness than to be considered your most faithful and devoted friend. Lady Fane, I drink your health!"

And he raised the glass to his lips and bowed to her.

Lela would have liked to have felt grateful; she would not have been ashamed if her eyes had been dim with tears; but somehow the speech did not move her. She found herself watching the small, keen eyes, and weighing critically the soft, admirably managed voice, and a vague and, as he thought, unreasonable feeling of uneasiness and distrust possessed her.

But Lord Edgar had no doubts or distrust.

He sipped his wine, and, with a touch of color in his face, rose, looking in silence for a moment from one to the other. Then he said:

"Clifford, in the name of my dear wife, and my own, I thank you for all your kindness to me and to her. She knows all that you have done for us, before and on this day. But she does not know you as well as I do, though I trust the day may come when she will realize how good a fellow you are. I can't make a speech as you can; I have not the gift of the gab," he laughed, and Clifford Revel laughed in echo. "But I can just manage to thank you for your good wishes, and to say that both my wife and myself wish that our happiness, which you troubled so much to bring about, may one day fall to your lot! Clifford, I drink your health and your future happiness."

He raised his glass as he spoke; then, noticing that Lela did not respond, touched her arm.

She started, blushed, and put the glass to her lips.

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THE SITUATION IN AUSTRIA. LONDON, May 5. "There are at least a dozen different crises in Austria to-day," wrote one of the best informed English correspondents yesterday. All these crises appear to concentrate on the problem of food; even the radical animosities of the composite empire which have always been the weak timbers of its structure have been inflamed into annual bitterness by sectional jealousies over food distribution. These crises appear to have reached a culmination to-day in the Government's decision to prorogue parliament during the present phase of the war, for the reason that it could not help but only hinder in the solving of economic problems on which everything depends.

IN PALESTINE. LONDON, May 5. The War Office issued the following statement in regard to operations in Palestine: Throughout May 2nd the fighting continued east of the Jordan to the south of Esalat. Enemy forces which had crossed the river and advanced to attack our troops holding the village of Esalat were driven back. Our air service attacked the enemy's rolling stock on the Baghdad railway, in the vicinity of Esalat, and on the Wadi Sir, south of Esalat, with bombs and machine gun fire. Two of our machines failed to return. During the night of May 2nd and the morning of May 3rd the enemy renewed his attacks on Esalat from the northeast and north with considerable reinforcement. In each case the attacks were repulsed with heavy losses and 316 prisoners remained in our hands.

FRENCH OFFICIAL. PARIS, May 5. The official statement issued by the War Office last night, reads: There was no fighting during the course of the day. There was reciprocal bombardments north and south of the Arre River and also along the Meuse River.

Eastern Theatre—There was artillery actions west of Vardar and in the Sarrair sector. The enemy attempted a number of raids on the Italian and Serbian fronts, but was everywhere repulsed. In their counter-attacks the Serbian troops took the town of Secondar near Debrovopolje and held it. British aviators bombarded with success enemy convoys south east of Sere.

AIR FIGHTING. LONDON, May 5. An official statement on aerial operations last night says a most successful day's work was accomplished by our airplanes Friday, good visibility assisting co-operation with the army. Bombing was carried out with the utmost vigor, over twenty tons of bombs being dropped on the railway stations, and on Marcel Cave, a German machine were brought down. Five were driven down out of control and three were shot down by anti-aircraft guns inside our lines. Owing to our machines are missing, a large tank met in on most from the

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NOT CONSIDERING PEACE MOVE.

ROME, May 5. (By Associated Press.)—No favorable occasion for a further peace move by Pope Benedict has presented itself nor does one seem near, it was stated at the Vatican to-day, when enquiry was made there regarding the report that His Holiness would make another peace offer on Whit Sunday.

DUTCH-GERMAN QUESTIONS SOLVED.

AMSTERDAM, May 5. The German News Agency at the Hague, according to the Handelsblad, has issued a statement which it says is authoritative, announcing that a complete agreement had been reached between Holland and Germany on all the pending questions responsible for the recent crisis. It says the affair had been adjusted in a manner satisfactory to Holland as well as Germany.

BOTHA'S APPEAL.

LONDON, May 5. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—A despatch from Cape Town, dated Thursday, says Premier Botha is tonight issuing an important and novel appeal to obtain recruits to fill gaps in the South African brigade in Europe. General Botha emphasizes the fact that it is absolutely essential to send large forces to represent South Africa. He dwelt on the splendid manner in which the young men of South Africa are responding to the call and the untiring zeal of the recruiting committees. To-night he particularly appeals to men of wealth and others, saying, "If you cannot go yourself, send your substitute." Such wealthy men, General Botha proceeds, will then be directly represented in the struggle and will be able to share the great personal sacrifices of others. General Botha announces that he will open a list for the names of South Africans willing to provide five, three or any other number of substitutes.

RESPONDING TO THE CALL.

CAPE TOWN, May 5. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—Premier Botha, in a statement amplifying his substitute scheme for raising recruits, points out that South Africa is well acquainted with the principle which has already been in vogue in all South African wars. Substitutes, in addition to what they receive in the way of bounty, will also get all Government pensions and will participate in the Government-General's fund. The intention is to get men, not money. General Botha is sending out recruiting agents for the special purpose of recruiting substitutes. The splendid response to General Botha's appeal is already evidenced by the fact that all Ministers of the Crown, Unionist members of the Assembly and many of the South African party have put down their names to find substitutes.

HEROIC DEEDS.

LONDON, May 5. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—Acts of almost superhuman heroism characterized deeds for which five Victoria Crosses have been awarded. Three of the recipients are dead. The following instances are typical: Second Lt. B. O. Cassidy, late of the Lancashire Fusiliers. During a hostile attack, when the flank of his division was endangered, Cassidy, who was commanding a company in close support, carried out in the noblest manner, and to the letter, orders that he must hold the position to the last. The enemy came on in overwhelming numbers, endeavoring to turn the flank. He, however, continually rallied his men under terrific bombardment, and the enemy were several times cleared out of the trench by his personal leadership. The company was eventually surrounded, but Cassidy fought on, encouraging and supporting the men until he was killed. His most gallant conduct held up the whole attack at this point and undoubtedly saved the left flank from possible disaster. Pte. H. G. Columbine, late of the machine gun corps. Owing to casualties, Columbine took command of a gun and kept firing from nine in the morning until one

o'clock in the afternoon in an isolated and unwired position, beating back successive enemy waves. An attack by a low flying enemy airplane finally enabled the enemy to gain a footing in a trench on either side. The position being untenable, Columbine ordered the two remaining men to get away, and though bombed from either side he kept on firing the gun and inflicting tremendous losses. He was eventually killed by a bomb, which blew up both him and the gun.

TRAVELLERS TO U. S. MUST HAVE PERMITS.

WASHINGTON, May 4. The House yesterday passed the Administration passport bill requiring all persons entering the United States to have a Government permit and giving the President broad powers in restricting entrance to or exit from American ports. The bill now goes to the Senate. An attempt to amend the Bill to exempt American citizens going to Canada and Canadian citizens coming into the United States from being required to have permits was defeated as was a proposal to limit its provisions to persons leaving the country.

LLOYD GEORGE PRAISES SAMMIES.

LONDON, May 5. Premier Lloyd George who has returned from his visit to France in which he attended the sessions of the Supreme War Council and went to the front spoke enthusiastically to-day of the American troops. A good number are already there said Mr. Lloyd George, and many more will pour in steadily during this month. The French who saw their fighting in the battle lower down the line said they were first class fighting material, full of courage and resource and all very keen.

SHORT SOWING IN UKRAINE.

AMSTERDAM, May 4. Only about fifty per cent. of spring sowing has been accomplished in the Ukraine, Herr Von Weldon, President of German Food regulations board, has informed the Food Committee of the Reichstag, according to the Kolnische Zeitung.

FRENCH OFFICIAL.

PARIS, May 5. (Official.)—The artillery on both sides was active north and south of the Avre and also in the sectors of Douaumont (Verdun front) and Fleury (Lorraine) near the American Toul sector. There was no infantry action in Lorraine. A raiding operation was carried out by the French in the region of Letricourt. Patrol operations in the region of Anservillers resulted in the taking of prisoners. The night was quiet on the remainder of the front.

WILSON REVOKES SENTENCES.

WASHINGTON, May 5. President Wilson disapproved yesterday of the sentence of four American soldiers in France ordered to be shot. Sentences of two of the men, Privates Oton Lodoen and Stanley G. Fishback, were committed to three years' confinement. Privates Forrest D. Sebastian and Joseph Cook were granted full pardons.

NO POSSIBILITY OF PEACE.

PARIS, May 4. Premier Clemenceau and former

Premier Briand appeared yesterday before the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Deputies and gave that body information on the subject of the peace soundings made by Austria last year, as developed recently in the publication of letters written by Emperor Charles to his brother-in-law, Prince Sixtus. Premier Clemenceau, says the Echo de Paris, declared in the clearest possible fashion that at no time was there any real possibility of peace, nor could at any time the tentative proposals made by Austria under whatsoever form be taken seriously.

AUSTRIAN PARLIAMENT.

AMSTERDAM, May 5. Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary has empowered the Austrian Premier to adjourn Parliament and forthwith inaugurate measures to render impossible the resumption of its activities. A Vienna despatch says the closure is due to the seriousness of the food situation. The Government will devote its entire strength to the economic problem, and will try to create conditions required to enable the population to hold out. Dr. Von Seydler, the Premier, speaking at a conference of party leaders, declared that the serious economic and food conditions made it imperative for the present Government to be spared from Parliamentary criticism. He demanded that Parliament be forcibly postponed, otherwise the Government would forcibly present the sessions.

APPRECIATE BRITISH SAILORS.

LONDON, May 5. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—An article in the Sunday Times, referring to the extraordinary enthusiasm which the Zebrugge exploit excited in America, says: "The feelings of Americans for the British Navy is something very like hero-worship, and the exploits of the British sailors are the only thing discussed in the American Navy. Admiral Sims has written the Tribune, in the course of which he says: 'This daring action, apart from the degree of material success achieved, was a manifestation of the morale existing in the British Navy. We need have little fear as to the outcome of the present struggle when we have before us such a convincing demonstration of the morale existing in the great service upon which we are largely dependent for the maintenance of civility and freedom of the high seas. The U. S. Navy takes off its hat to the skillful raiders of Zebrugge and Ostend.' Major-General Biddle, of the American National Army, writes: 'The Zebrugge achievement was one which must stand out brilliantly and gloriously among even the many gallant deeds which have distinguished the Allied armies in this great war. We of the American Army appreciate to the fullest the accomplishment of the sea warriors of our British Allies. Such an achievement by a comrade force, must give heart and pride to every man of every nation engaged in any branch on the right side of this great struggle. American soldiers have read the story of the British sailors' splendid daring and trained skill with interest and admiration not to be exaggerated. Glorious deeds of this sort by any group of fighting men must stimulate every other group of fighting men to new ambition, to determination and efficiency. It is with boundless admiration and profound respect that the men of the United

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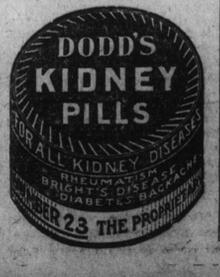
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States' armies salute those of the British Navy and congratulate them on Zebrugge. ON THE ITALIAN FRONT. ROME, May 4. To-day's War Office statement reports the following operations on the Italian front as the result of Italian and British patrole. A few prisoners were captured at Canove, in the Arsa Valley, while reconnoitering parties were repulsed and pursued in the Monte Tomba-Montefena District. Enemy attempts on Italian advanced posts were stopped at Oella. In various portions of the front there was desultory artillery fire. Air craft actions were carried out despite the enemy's attempt to oppose them. The British dropped sixty bombs on huts in the Arsa Valley. An Italian aircraft dropped a ton of explosives on the aviation ground at Camp Maggere. Fourteen hostile machines were brought down. SWEDEN FIGHTING AGAINST STARVATION. STOCKHOLM, May 4. The Swedish Government is striving to the utmost to obtain food for the Swedish people who literally are fighting against starvation. F. W. Thersell, Minister of Finance, declared in a speech Friday at Nystad. He outlined the agreement with the Entente powers for the supply of foodstuffs and other vital necessities against Swedish tonnage, and complained that certain interested parties in Sweden were opposing the agreement, thus increasing the difficulties of the Government. LIBERTY LOAN OVERSUBSCRIBED. WASHINGTON, May 5. For the third time within a year the American people have heavily over subscribed a war credit. As the third Liberty Loan was closing last night the Treasury announced the campaign had been "an overwhelming success" although \$3,000,000,000 was

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REVIEW OF OPERATIONS. Over the battle lines along the Piave River, and in the mountainous regions in Northern Italy, where the Allied forces have been holding their positions since last November, after the great Italian retreat from the Piave, there is an increased tension, and the long threatened blow at this front may be launched by the Teutonic Allies within a few days. For many weeks the Italian War Office has been aware that the Austrians have been gathering the legions with drawn from the Russian and Roumanian fronts for a drive at the Italian armies, and it is believed it will not be long before the Central Powers will make another try to reach the plains of Venetia, break through the Allied lines, and seek to bring the decisive combat in that theatre of the war. Emperor Charles of Austria, accompanied by his chief of staff, and high German and Austrian army officers is reported on his way to the Italian front, and the great movement of troops in Tyrol and Trentino would seem to indicate that the heaviest blows are being taken from other fronts to be hurled at the Italian lines. The blow, it is generally believed, will fall somewhere in the mountain section of the front, probably in the Lagarina Astico Valley. These sectors face the northern end, and if broken would permit the heaviest of the lower foot-hills of the mountains, or even reach the plains. If this should occur the armies along the Piave River would be compelled to fall back, probably as far as the Adige River. This would entail the loss of Venice and the vast expanse of the country to the enemy. The decision to launch a series of grand proportions against Italy was doubtless forced by the political and economic conditions prevailing in Austria. An offensive campaign that yields gains of ground might serve to still the elements which are seething throughout the Dual Empire, and would prepare the way of reckoning to the rulers of Austria. German domination of Austria is becoming more complete as time goes on. Tyrol and Bohemia have been annexed for food administration purposes to Germany, but this move in the great game of statecraft has served only to deepen the chasm between the racial factions of Austria. Bohemian troops have deserted from the Austrian armies, and if an offensive is not launched, demoralization of the Austrian forces may come sooner than the outside world expects. In the meantime the situation on the front in France and Flanders has remained fairly quiet. There have been local attacks by the enemy here and there along the line, but nothing approaching a general battle has been reported. The Allies have been improving their lines and are waiting for the Germans to make the next move. Pope Benedict has served notice on the world that the Vatican will not be a party to any peace offering at present. It is believed Berlin will seek to bring about a German peace, and if its advances are repulsed, to nerve the German people to a new bath of blood by pointing out that the Allies desire to crush Germany. The Pope has let it be known that he is desirous of taking any steps which may tend to shorten the war, but he does not see at the present time any reason to believe that an appeal would bring about the desired results. The situation in Ukraine and the ruthless methods being followed by the Germans in completing the subjugation of the people, have been reflected in an address by Vice-Chancellor Von Fayer before the German Reichstag.

THE PAPAL ATTITUDE. ROME, May 4. It is no secret, replied the Vatican authorities, of whom an Associated Press correspondent inquired, regarding the report "That the Pope since the beginning of his Pontificate has interested himself regarding three great issues concerning the war: First to maintain absolute impartiality; second, to limit as much as possible, to the extent of the conflict, and its horrors; thirdly, to work in every way in every perilous occasion to restore concord and brotherhood among the people. Given this program, it is only natural that should a propitious occasion arise, the Pope would do his best to carry it out. It is an easy task to prophesy from time to time within a few weeks or months some action on the part of the Pope, which may occur at any time if a favorable occasion arises, which, however, hasn't yet occurred.

LATEST. WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, To-day—Luck seems to go against the Germans, and along the crucial northern battlefield, Sunday still found the Prussian commanders working desperately to whip their organization into a shape, for a renewal of the delayed offensive. While the Allied forces, aided by weather conditions, made counter operations which are most disconcerting to the enemy, playing against time, it was quite apparent that the Germans intended another assault on Flanders yesterday morning, but the arrangements were upset by a combination of events. These were the Allied operations and a heavy rain, which converted the ground into mud flats over which it was impossible to move either infantry or artillery. There was also confusion arising from wholesale retreats, and the arrival of strange troops. In the German area the Allied artillery has maintained an incessant bombardment of enemy territory, and Friday night before the projected German attack, the French and British gunners played havoc with the German preparation. The Allied troops have also been carrying out in succession local operations, which improved their lines and upset enemy schemes to a marked degree. Yesterday the Allies occupied a large number of important positions at various points along the front of 4,000 yards west of Kemmel. The British also made an advance of 500 yards along the front of 1,000 yards northwest of Doon, thereby regaining a number of positions which had been contested many days.

GOUGH'S TESTIMONIAL. BELFAST, Ireland, To-day. Sir Robert Gough's first public statement regarding the conduct of the fifth British army, which he commanded in the retreat from St. Quentin, comes in a letter to the Lord Mayor of Belfast, in which the General pays a high tribute to the work of the Irish troops. The letter follows: The fighting of the Ulster divisions, as indeed of all the divisions in the fifth army, against the greatest odds hurled on any body of troops throughout this great war, was magnificent. The main features of the situation to which the fifth army was exposed, are known to every one, and give some idea of what those odds were. Fourteen infantry divisions against forty

German divisions, on March 21st reinforced by some eight to ten more German divisions during the subsequent two days. I can't speak too highly of the splendid calmness and doggedness with which my fellow-countrymen met and fought this storm, and though many laid down their lives splendidly, they saved the British Empire and France and permitted the arrival of reserves.

ITALIAN OPERATIONS. ROME, May 6. An increase in the intensity of the hostile artillery fire along the front notably in the Lagarina Valley, and in the Foss Alta sector, is reported by the War Office to-day. The Italian artillery has also carried out many bombardments and there has been additional intensive activity by the Capronis and Briar planes, during which eight enemy machines were destroyed and many tons of bombs dropped.

THE CASUALTY LIST. RECEIVED MAY 4 TH. 3rd Canadian General Hospital, Boulogne, April 25th. 3057—Private John Barnabe, Ferryland. Shell wound, right hand, mild. Removed From Seriously Ill List, Improved, May 2nd. 2258—Private Raymond Barle, 18 Allan's Square. Previously reported. Seriously Ill, Improving, April 25th. 2825—Private Raymond A. Cornick, 61 Power St. Previously reported. 754—L. Cpl. Michael F. Murphy, 47 Patrick Street. Previously reported. Improving. 2340—Private Kenneth Atwood, Safe Hr., B. B. Previously reported. Killed in Action, April 18th. 249—Actg. Sergt. William Simmonds, 13 Long's Hill. Previously Reported Died at Aldamm, Germany, No Particulars given. Nov Reported Died of Tuberculosis. 2214—Private Lewis G. Hudson, Adam's Cove, Bay de Verde. J. R. BENNETT, Actg. Minister of Militia.

Secretary Baker saw need of tobacco "Over There" and the American Government has commandeered the entire output of "Bull Durham" and "Duke" mixture and partial output of "Velvet" and "Tuxedo," because the American Soldier and Sailor wants the brands he has been used to. Imperial Tobacco Co. (Newfoundland) Ltd.

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Shipwreck Crew Here. Captain Kemp and crew of the ill-fated coal carrier Loulsburg, which became a total wreck at Cape English, St. Mary's Bay, at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning, reached the city at 12:50 p.m. to-day by train. From 1st Officer A. Porter, who by the way is a resident of St. George's, West Coast, we learn the following facts: The unfortunate steamer left Louisburg, N.S., on Friday morning last, coal laden for this port, and with the exception of a heavy fog the weather was as usual. At 1:30 a.m. yesterday the Loulsburg, which was feeling her way along in the fog, was thought by the crew to be about 20 miles off Cape Pine. However, to make sure of their position the captain decided to take soundings and signalled the engine room to stop the engines, which had no sooner been done when the ship grounded on a reef and sank within forty-five minutes. Immediately she struck the boats were thrown overboard, the captain and with the officers comprised the ship's crew, got in them and rowed ten miles to St. Mary's. Had the ship been going at full speed at the time she struck the reef believe that there would have been but little hope of saving their lives. The unusual currents in those waters were, in the opinion of the crew, the means of drawing the ship 20 miles out of her course.

Hr. Gracian Killed in Action. Sergt. Graham Duff, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Duff, of Hr. Grace, has been killed in action in France on April 17th. A message to that effect was received in the city last night from Hr. Grace. Deceased was attached to No. 2 Canadian Siege Battery and has been with his regiment since August, 1915. He was slightly wounded on June 26th, 1917, but was back again to the front shortly after, and had been in the thickest of the fight up till the time of his death. Before going overseas he was on the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, at Alberta, P.E.I., where he was held in the highest esteem by his employers and the community in which he resided. To the bereaved parents the Telegram offers its deep sympathy.

Fire in R. C. Church, Grand Falls. A destructive fire broke out in the R. C. Church at Grand Falls, last night, and before the flames could be subdued the altar and sanctuary had been consumed, along with the ceiling and interior fixtures, including some beautiful religious emblems. Having reached the ceiling the fire ate its way through to the roof. While the exact origin of the outbreak is unknown it is thought that it might have been started by the burning candles on the altar.

Channel Notes. In addition to the large number of soldiers given by Channel and vicinity to the Nfld. and Canadian Regiments, fifteen others have volunteered recently and having passed the physical test, are now en route to headquarters. Well done, Channel. Conscription will not have to apply to you.

McMurdo's Store News. MONDAY, May 6, 1918. Ideal After Shave, made by us from a recipe specially designed to suit the requirements of this climate and the name "Ideal" suits it well. It is very bland and soothing, and as it dries in at once does not show on the face. If you are troubled with tenderness or smarting of the skin after shaving, your remedy is right here. Price 25c. a bottle. Williams' Dental Cream is worth trying. It is equal as a dentifrice to the Williams' Soap for shaving, and that says all that needs saying. Price 35c. a tube.

St. Patrick's Parishoners TO HONOR THEIR DEPARTING PRIEST. The men of St. Patrick's Church met in the Convent School yesterday morning to make arrangements for the presentation of an address and gift to the Rev. Fr. Pippy, P.P., who is shortly to take up his work at Pouch Cove and Flatrock. Mr. John Barron was moved to the chair and after the appointment of Mr. T. J. Rollis, as Secretary, and Mr. James Power, as Treasurer, a subscription list was opened, the results being very satisfactory. Another meeting will be held later and in the meantime any parishioners who so desire can send their subscription to one of the gentlemen mentioned above.

Here and There. DR. G. N. MURPHY will resume practice on Tuesday.—11 When you want something in a hurry for tea, go to ELLIS'—Head Cheese, Ox Tongue, Baked Ham, Cooked Corned Beef, Bologna Sausage. WOUNDED WITH CANADIANS.—A Canadian casualty list of April 24th gives the name of No. 716,178 R. C. Parmiter, of St. John's, Nfld., as wounded while fighting in France.

Legislators Dined. His Excellency the Governor entertained a number of our legislators at a dinner in Government House on Saturday evening. Included in those present were Honourables Sir P. T. McGrath, John Harvey, R. A. Squires, Michael Power, Dr. G. Skelton, M. G. Winter, A. F. Goodridge, A. W. Mews, S. K. Bell and Mr. Hugh H. Carter, K.C., Clerk of the Legislative Council; Hon. W. J. Higgins, Speaker; Mr. J. S. Currie, M.H.A.; E. Parsons, M.H.A.; G. F. A. Grimes, M.H.A.; C. O'N. Conroy, K.C., Law Clerk, and P. K. Devine, Assistant Clerk of the Assembly.

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To-Night's Opera. A rare treat is in store for all who attend the "Sorcerer" to-night in the Casino Theatre. Nothing has been left undone by the director, Mr. Hutcheon, the good brothers and the talented performers to make this performance a pronounced success, and the orchestra accompaniments by eight of the best musical artists in the city will alone be worth the price of admission. The proceeds will be equally divided between the W.P.A. the Holy Cross Schools and St. Joseph's Church. Some good seats may still be had at the Atlantic Bookstore.

Here and There. When you want Sausages, why get ELLIS'; they're the best. GIVE THEM A "ROYAL" WELCOME.—Capt. Keegan and Moxie Stick will arrive by express to-morrow morning about 8 o'clock. At 9 o'clock the returned soldiers will haul them down Water Street. The business people are requested to have their premises decorated and the public are asked to give them a rousing reception. ANOTHER SEALING SCHEMERE REPORTED.—The schr. Cedelia, owned by Emanuel Pike, of Channel, and commanded by Capt. D. Martin, of Codroy, when last reported some time ago, had on board over 200 seals. She has possibly since secured several hundred more and her arrival at Channel is expected at any moment. Her crew of sixteen men will no doubt make a good bill.

Here and There. Celebrated Opera, "SORCERER," Casino To-Night. Tickets at Atlantic Bookstore. BORN. At Hillsboro, King's Bridge Road, on Wednesday, April 10th, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Macpherson. On Sunday, May 5th, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Merchant, Hamilton Street, City. MARRIED. At the Cathedral, November 4th, by The Right Rev. Mons. McDermott, Catherine (Kittie) Malone to John Maddigan, both of this city. DIED. This morning, May 6th, Charlotte, beloved wife of Mr. Saunders, aged 55 years, leaving husband, one son and one daughter, and three brothers to mourn their loss. Funeral on Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. from her late residence 27 Brazil's Square.

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Young Man! What Will You Be--A Volunteer or a Conscript?

This space given to the Regiment by MARSHALL BROTHERS.



The Three Pitfalls.

By RUTH CAMERON.



When I was a young girl, I remember one day, of a woman who had recently been visiting in our neighborhood. She has a wide circle of friends, about whom she talks voluminously and interestingly.

Said one woman, who is something of a wit, "Mrs. R. had been visiting her friend Edith Martin before she came here, and she told me so much about the Martins that I was almost ashamed. It seems indecent of me to know so much about their private affairs. I shall feel ashamed next time I meet them."

Anything But One Thing.

"Queer, isn't it," said another woman, "when Mrs. R. is so kind hearted about most things? I verily believe she would do anything in the world for her friends."

"Except keep their private affairs private," said the first woman.

"Why, she even tells things about

her own affairs that you wouldn't think she'd want anyone to know."

Slaves To The Habit Of Talk.

"Well, isn't that the way with anyone who talks a great deal?" said the wit. "They run out of legitimate material, and they are such slaves to the habit of talk that they can't stop talking, and so they simply have to tell things they've no business to tell!"

I think that's an excellent characterization, don't you?

And an excellent warning to those of us who have a tendency to be "slaves to the habit of talk."

How Seldom A Talker Avoids All Three.

There are several dangers in talking too much.

One is that you will bore people by talking uninterestingly.

Another is that you will antagonize them by talking when they want to talk themselves.

And a third is that in trying to keep up a continual flow of conversation and keep it interesting, you will say too much.

How seldom one meets a voluminous talker who does not fall into one of those three pitfalls.

Your Boys and Girls.

It is only by studying the children in their spontaneous play that we can learn how to allow them freedom enough to keep their games and play from becoming purely mechanical. Much of the kindergarten play to-day is meaningless routine. Watch the children when they are not aware of the espionage and see what they choose to do.

There are advantages and also disadvantages in the kindergarten system as at present conducted, at least so far as it touches the subject of physical education. For all growing children there is a great necessity for large general movements of the trunk and limbs, and this necessarily, with the child's natural desire for spontaneous play, points clearly to the need of a re-adjustment of school systems in general in this respect.

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"If an accident happens at the dinner table, such as overturning a glass or breaking a piece of china, what should I say?" asked May.

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Our Daily Story.

THE HUNTRESS.

It was at Evelyn Piquet's literary evening. They had just been introduced.

"Delighted to make your acquaintance, I'm sure," said Hammeron Tongue. "What was the name? I didn't quite catch the name."

"Smith," said Miss Mineola Smith.

"Oh, Smith," repeated Tongue. "Not such an uncommon name, after all, is it?"

"Thee hee!" tee hee'd Mineola. "I knew you were clever as soon as I saw Mrs. Friddis bringing you over. There's something about a clever man, before he even speaks, don't you know?"

Hammeron Tongue began to find her intensely interesting.

"Do you go to the movies much?" he asked. "I think they're nice places to take a nap in once in a while, don't you, Miss unusual-name Smith?"

"Thee hee!" tee hee'd Miss Smith.

"You cert'ly are clever!"

Hammeron Tongue began to find her positively fascinating.

"They're starting to dance," he said. "Dancing has certainly changed from what it used to be."

"Hee!" hee'd Mineola. "You don't let much get by you, do you?"

"Sherlock Holmes is my middle name," said Hammeron Tongue.

"Thee hee. How do you ever think of all those things?" marveled Miss Smith.

He now began to wonder how he had ever got through all those years without her, and after that he danced with her all evening and she told him fifty times that he was as graceful as he was clever, and after that he got her address and telephone number and permission to call, and four months after that they were safely married.

Special Notice.

At the end of this year we will give 5 cts. for every 12 Outside Green Wrappers obtained from "STAFFORD'S LINIMENT."

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Milady's Boudior.

SECRETS OF KEEPING YOUNG.

Mothers should realize that each generation lives differently and ideas are constantly changing, and if she would go hand in hand with her children, she must be a student with them. Some people seem never to grow old, always seeming to be young and buoyant, carrying their years lightly. Their secret is that they keep the mind young and fresh by activity, the heart light and merry and live above the little worries of life.

So remember that growing old rests much with oneself. If one wishes to grow old prematurely, discard youthful employments and pursuits and settle down to elderly ways, just as some individuals become invalids when by a little effort they might shake off their physical lethargy and raise themselves to health and vigor.

For women to change her daily routine of life to that of a younger set, she necessarily will have to conserve her strength and do a certain amount of training at the beginning. She must also take an inventory of her beauty possessions and where there is any deficiency she must make improvements. It may be possible that her circulation is not perfect and that the veins of her hands are very pronounced. This condition may be helped by proper exercise.

This exercise should be taken standing; the arms are raised outstretched at the sides and continued high up overhead, and at the same time the body is lifted to the toes. Stand so the arms are bent at the elbows, hands lowered and the feet resting flat on the floor. This may be repeated fifteen times. Each time the hands are lowered at the back and an effort is made to reach further down. This action brings about a better circulation and gives color to the arms and hands.

A DISMAL DAY.



An ice cold rain is falling, sometimes it's mixed with sleet; the optimist is calling, this rain will save the wheat!

Then I forget the weather, and a n d smile from ear to ear, and crack my heels together, and raise a lusty cheer. If rain-hands are lowered at storms, blooming, bleeding, with gusts of sleet and snow, will bring the wheat we're needing, why, let the moisture flow. I never can be doleful, I always must be gay; in gloomy mood and soulful I'd like to spend a day; I wish I might be swabbing from my fat cheeks the

Fads and Fashions.

Batiste is increasing in favor. New ribbons are of brocaded faille. Printed foulard silks are in great favor.

Sashes continue to be an important note.

The waist line remains vague and undecided.

Quilted silk collars are a novelty in England.

Net frocks for wee girls have sashes of net.

Dyed panama is a feature of the new millinery.

Silks and metal ribbons appear in floral patterns.

Afternoon dresses often have flaring sleeves.

Homespun is a good choice for an everyday coat.

Flowers appear often on the crowns of hats.

Sun bonnets are in great vogue for small girls.

General utility coats are made of Scotch mixtures.

The present mode in hairdressing demands height.

The high crowned tailored hat is greatly in evidence.

Straight-front jackets of the blazer type are seen.

The latest handbags are made with frames of wood.

The newest corsets have Philippine work for decoration.

The season's waists show very effective color combination.

Black satin and Venetian silver lace are a fine combination.

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INFANTS' COATS and DRESSES.

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House of Assembly.

(Saturday.)
Petitions were presented by Messrs. Abbott, Goodson and Crosbie. The Select Committee appointed on Friday to consider and report on the petition presented by the Prime Minister, from the Trustees of the Congregational Church tabled their report which on motion was adopted. A bill was introduced giving effect to the prayer of the petition.

The Minister of Finance then moved the House into Committee of the Whole to consider the New Loan Bill. Mr. Cashin reviewed the story of our war loans since the outbreak of war in August, 1914. The temporary loan of two million of dollars which was secured from the British Government in 1914, was paid back by request of the Home Government. In 1916 Sir Edward Morris succeeded in raising a loan in the United States of five millions. He reviewed how these loans were used for war purposes and stated that our total expenditure to date on war account was five and a half million. The loan he now asked the House to sanction was for six million. This amount he said could be secured in Canada or the United States. But as the cost of floating the loan was rather high on account of the present day value of money, he communicated with the Government and they had decided to try and raise the loan in the local market. The Minister reviewed the history of various Victory Loans in Canada. What they actually cost the Dominion and the manner in which they were arranged. Last year the Minister stated we spent one and a half million dollars borrowed from the British Government. The Loan Bill passed by the House last summer for \$3,000,000 is incorporated in the present bill.

It was pointed out by the Finance Minister that there is lying in the Canadian banks in this city some fifteen million of dollars belonging to the people of this Colony at 3%. The surplus interest on this money is going outside the Colony and others are reaping the benefit, he said. This Victory Loan which was now offered to the people of this Dominion meant the \$210,000 extra would be put into the pockets of our people and he thought the Government would have no difficulty in successfully floating the required amount. The rate of interest was 6 1/2%. This he said, made it a very attractive investment. The security was gilt edge, the British Empire.

Besides the \$15,000,000 in the banks there was, the Finance Minister said two and a half million dollars worth of gold given out by the banks here that never came back. And to this amount of gold must be added at least one and a half million dollars worth of silver. This the Minister termed the "stocking amount." He had faith in the people of this country and asked that all party differences be wiped out and that all combine for the successful operation of the Loan. He hoped by the end of the year that the Dominion would have 1,000 men in khaki. We will require for the next twelve months an expenditure on war account of two and a half million of dollars.

In supporting the loan Mr. Currie said it was a pity the people had not been given the opportunity to invest their money before, when the outlook was brighter than it is now. With regard to the money in the Savings Banks he reminded the Minister that while the people were getting a lower rate of interest, they had the privilege of drawing and using their money when they needed it. He suggested that the Government would be more successful in raising the loan, if the bonds were issued in small denominations and made negotiable or if provision were made where in exceptional cases they could be redeemed. The loan offered a splendid return, but he felt the Government would have to enter upon a vigorous campaign if they hoped to make it a success, as the people needed educating on the matter. Replying to the Minister, he stated he thought there would be no politics so far as the loan was concerned. He would give it unqualified support.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.
The Non-Ferrous Metal and Metallic Ores, and the Identification of Criminals Bills were read a third time and passed.

Committee of the Whole on Supply was deferred until to-day.
"An Act respecting the Military Forces of Newfoundland" passed the Committee stages with some slight amendments. During the sitting Mr. Walsh called the attention of the Chairman that there was not a quorum present.

The second reading of the Beaver Preservation, Fire Patrol Act Bills was proceeded with. The second reading of the Crown Lands Act was deferred until to-day.

The House adjourned until to-day at 3 o'clock.

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The Silent Navy At Work.

While the Regiment has been making things hum in the recruiting line, the Master-at-Arms and other officers on board H. M. S. Briton have also been "at it again." As a matter of fact, a visit to the old training ship at any time, will find the blue cloth gentlemen always at it. From Wednesday to Saturday last week 28 young seafaring men offered for the navy as follows:—

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- ALBERT JNO. RODWAY, North Hr. Six more have offered since Saturday.

Attempted Suicide.

A 32-year-old man named Barrett, attempted suicide on Saturday by inflicting a deep gash in his throat with a sharp instrument, and is now in the Insane Asylum. The unfortunate man came here recently from a nearby outpost with the intention of securing a passport to go abroad, but while here offered for the regiment. He was partly examined by the military authorities and told to report later for further examination. While walking in Freshwater Road on Saturday he attempted his rash act. Mr. M. Ryan, who was passing at the time noticed the man acting strangely. He quickly conveyed him to the Regimental headquarters where Dr. Burden dressed the wound, and finding the man insane ordered him to be taken to the Asylum.

Church Parade

Upwards of six hundred volunteers turned out in yesterday's parade. Leaving the C. L. B. Armoury the splendors, headed by the C. C. C. Band, proceeded down Long's Hill, along Duckworth Street to Cochrane Street, where the Methodist contingent went to Cochrane Street Church, and the Anglican men to St. Thomas's, the R. C. squad returning to the Cathedral. The C. C. C. Band rendered excellent music along the route of march.

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Public Notice

I am directed by His Excellency the Governor in Council to issue the following notice under Authority of Minute in Council passed 28th February, 1918.

Augmentation of the Pay of Royal Naval Reservists Newfoundland.

The Government of Newfoundland have decided to augment the pay of Newfoundland Royal Naval Reservists so as to place them on the same footing as men of the Newfoundland Regiment.

Under the provision of the War Measure Act, authority is given to the Minister of Militia to deal with the matter of augmentation of pay of the Royal Naval Reservists, Nfld., in consultation with the Senior Naval Officer, St. John's.

It is ordered that a sum of 33c. per day be placed to the credit of each Naval Reservist from the time of commencement of the war, in cases where men were then serving, or otherwise, from the time when their services began up to the time of discharge, or of death, or to the 30th of September, 1917, inclusive.

As the rate of pay of Naval Reservists was increased from October 1st, 1917, and as the difference between the amount they receive and that allowed the members of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment is 17c. per day, this difference will also be credited them from that date.

The foregoing amounts will not in any case be made a payment from Admiralty sources. The Minister of Militia, St. John's, Nfld., is solely responsible for the issue of any sums due.

Newfoundland Royal Naval Reserve men serving in any of H. M. Ships, including all members of the Trawler Reserve and those in Defensively Armed Merchant Ships etc., are eligible for the pay as set forth, and should be informed of the following alternatives as regards the method of payment:—

(a) Payment will be made on personal application to the Minister of Militia, St. John's.

(b) Payment will be made to the nominee of any Reserve man, on written application duly witnessed, to the Minister of Militia, St. John's.

(c) Sums due will be placed to the credit of Reservist men who do not desire to avail themselves of the foregoing and can be drawn by them at the expiration of their service.

The following form is to be compiled and forwarded direct to the Minister of Militia, St. John's, Newfoundland, at the earliest possible date:—

NAME AND OFFICIAL NO.	WHAT IS DESIRED DISPOSAL OF AMOUNT DUE UNDER ORDER 1, 2, or 3. (IN CASE OF 2, FULL NAME AND ADDRESS MUST BE GIVEN.)	SIGNATURE AUTHORIZING DISPOSAL.

All communications of any description with regard to these payments are to be made to the Minister of Militia, St. John's, direct.

Payment will commence on 1st May, 1918.

In cases where members of the Royal Naval Reserve (Newfoundland) have been killed in action or died of wounds or sickness, or through any other cause, the amount due as Augmentation Pay will go to the Estate of the deceased. The authority to obtain the Estate of the deceased is, in case of a Will, Letters of Probate; and in case there is not a Will, Letters of Administration. Such letters are issued by the Supreme Court of Newfoundland on the Petition and Proofs of Executor of the Will, or the next of kin. If the Estate does not exceed \$500.00, after the proof of the facts has been obtained the petition can be applied for by the Minister of Justice.

With reference to the foregoing, it is suggested that the next of kin of Reservists who are now serving should communicate with them and request them to send their instructions to the Militia Department. No action can be taken until such instructions are received.

Next of kin of deceased Reservists will be communicated with in due course when their claims have been proved.

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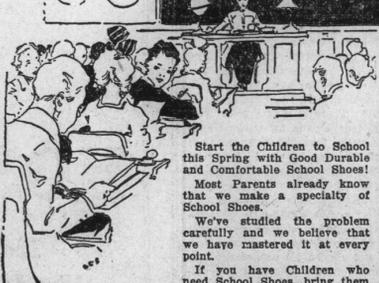
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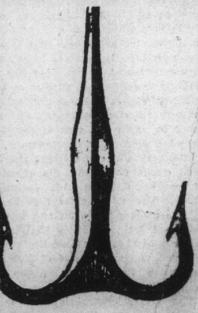
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