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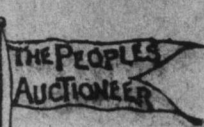
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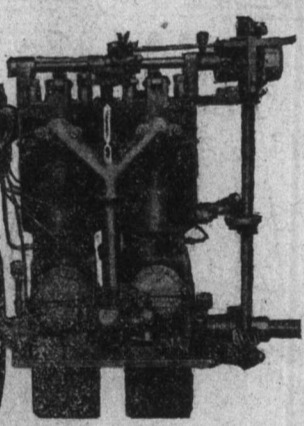
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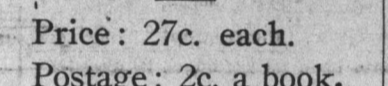
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On the Road to Thiepval.

...of a Night and a Day during the Battle of the Somme. When a Little Group of "Tommy's" Wanted to End Their Little Argument With the Man to Man, But the Boches' Point-Nines Cut In and Spoiled all the Fun.

CAPTAIN DAVID FALLON, M.C., of the British and Australian Armies.

On the road to Thiepval we were up in August, a year ago, at a place called Moquet Farm, which was very entrenched and well guarded every scientific instrument of war.

Our objective at this time, during the battle of the Somme, was a trench in the skyline, which enfiladed the trench had been heavily fought and the position had changed perhaps a dozen times.

On August 14 we were resting on the avenue (not the one in New York) when my colonel sent for me and explained the position so far as we were able. I was given the assistance of two platoons, which were untrained, and after explaining the work to my N. C. O.'s, told them to prepare for the night's fireworks display.

The position had to be captured and held; that was all there was to it. Too many lives already had been sacrificed in the taking of the trench. When the sun had set I paraded my men and saw that everything necessary had been provided for them: three days' emergency rations had been issued. Every man carried 250 pounds of ammunition, and the reserves were each bringing up a box of Mills souvenirs (hand grenades) for Fritz.

Sandbags and guncotton had been provided to blow up any obstacle which we thought would hinder the march and to consolidate any position we won.

Everything was ready and I passed the word along for the fun to start. I led the boys through endless trenches, some in decent condition, others belted to the ground by the guns from Moquet Farm. It seemed that the Huns were aware of our advent, for no sooner had we started than they greeted us with everything they had in the way of explosive toys.

The night was illuminated by thousands of skyrockets and the flames of bursting shells and bombs, which appeared to jump out of every hole. The moon was peeping from beneath the clouds with a cynical eye, and I thought its light would be the death of us, for the success of any night operation depends largely upon total darkness. The bombardment gave the effect of a colossal fireworks display, only I had to keep

on the run the whole time, with no chance to stop and watch it. Shells, 5.9 high explosive—Fritz's favorite souvenir—and a wide assortment of bombs were distributed among us.

So far we hadn't replied, for up to then we hadn't seen a Boche—well, not a live one—and we were travelling along the land which no king or congress rules, and where graft is not attempted.

At last we caught up with the Huns. They couldn't run as fast as our boys, for they carry too much avoirdupois, and trench life is not very healthy for the slim and agile, let alone one who carries too much superfluous flesh.

We exchanged grenades as fast as one could present them, and I started to cry. "Send more bombs up!" for the reader must understand every bomb thrown must be sent up from the rear. No man can fight if he carries a rifle and bayonet in one hand and a box of "bills" in the other. Being lightly accoutred with revolver, bombs and my bayonet, I was able to keep the Huns on the run, and often I got so far ahead of my men that I found myself alone. I was all dressed up for the display, but I was running short of bombs.

The men, having to carry a box of bombs weighing about twenty pounds could not keep up with me, so the cry would reach me, "Not so fast, sir!" Now, friend, what would you have done in such a crisis? Your job when you come in touch with the enemy is to give them no time to rally and offer resistance, which would take the form of a counter attack, leaving them to collect the souvenirs and spoils of war. Sometimes I would gather a handful of bombs and pass them quickly along to the Huns. Other times I would shout words of encouragement to my boys to hurry and send up more valentines, which the Boches were not particularly enjoying.

All this time there were the whizzbangs, crumps of shells and pings from the "typewriters" (machine guns) all sending out their tune of hate. The Huns were hating, and so were we. We were strafing, and so were they, but we had the laugh on them, because we were the hunters and they the hunted.

Running through the Skyline trench, I nearly stumbled over a pair of legs which were sticking out of a funk-hole. With my left hand I gripped a leg and at the same time shouted, "Who's there?" and you could have knocked me down with a feather when I heard, "A Norfolk, sir."

Ye gods! I want you to understand that the Norfolks had captured and lost the same trench about three days before.

This unfortunate mother's son, or some one's ideal, was left "in his little wooden hut" all alone for three days.

I at once handed over my rations to him, detailed my man to look after him and sent a note on back for a stretcher. The man had had both legs shattered, and I had gripped a stump, which must have given him fearful agony.

I am thankful to say if I haven't done a good action in my life the getting away of this man and the saving of his life will, I am sure, make amends for all the deaths I am supposed to be responsible for.

As all good things must come to an end—even life and heaps of dollars do—we gained our objective and joined up with the Australians. What a small world, to be sure! Fancy meeting an old chum whom I had last seen twelve thousand miles away, not as one ought to meet, in the classroom or reunion of Old Boys, but each in tatters and in a bloody state. Remarkable to relate, we both greeted each other with, "Fancy meeting in this hell of a hole."

After a little bit of conversation we settled down to consolidate the position without any material. And wasn't it materialism and commercialism that brought us there? But our position had to be consolidated to meet the counter attack which would come as sure as death was in the air.

By all the rules of war one consolidates with sandbags filled with earth; but if one hasn't sandbags one must find some substitute, and in the military vocabulary it is known as improvisation.

Here is a problem for the mathematician, or better still, the engineer. You have a long, large hole, once a beautiful trench, which the Boches took two years to consolidate, 100 yards in length, its width varying from four to ten feet and its depth from eight to two feet. Your job is to build that hole so that you will give bullet proof cover for your men, who number at present ten, but you expect more with the coming reinforcements.

You have sent a messenger for mortarist, etc. In fact, you have sent two. One somehow lost his way, care-

less follow, but such things so happen when no "coops" are about to guide us; but as yet nothing has turned up and you must consolidate quickly, for you don't know how soon the counter attack may come.

War is not run by any time table and if one wants a certain article and can't get it, he must get something right away and do the next best thing. And readers, especially pacifists, fingerists and materialists, read slowly what comes next. If you skip it or treat it cynically, may all your nights be as restless, and even worse, than mine. I MADE MY PARAPETS OF THE DEAD—FRIEND AND FOE.

Supercivilization had taught us that one living man is worth more than a hundred dead ones, and had I not the safe-keeping of ten priceless lives? What else was I to do?

The night passed with very little excitement during the construction of the human parapet. Reinforcements arrived and with them plenty of bombs and sandbags.

The stretcher bearers had done their work well, for the trench was cleared of all the horrors of war, as far as the eye could see.

At sunrise the long expected counter attack came; but not with men, as one would imagine. We wanted to fight it out man to man, but no, no! We were sniped by 5.9 guns from Moquet Farm and each shell weighing about 220 pounds.

Ye misers and money grabbers, what money was wasted that day! Sunrise at that time was at four o'clock, and that was the signal for the guns to open fire.

But what could I do? How could a mere mortal fight shells which could not be seen, only heard? Whose starting place was four miles away? When they burst they consume everything, and every one, dead and alive.

What did they care, that I and the others were not prepared to die, and didn't want to die? Why should we die? We who possessed priceless impetuous youth?

Most of my men were either killed or wounded, and I did what I could to render first aid and relieve their hurts. Although I escaped so far I was not immune from the 5.9's, for at last, about six o'clock, I was hit in the shoulder and was put almost hors de combat. Still I had to carry on, for my job was to hang on and never mind the rest.

During the continuous shelling one of my boys shouted, "Are we down-hearted? Are we fed up?" and the chorus came, "No. Oh, no."

This state of affairs kept up until 6 p.m. when I was relieved by another officer and more men, and still more men were sent up to take the places of those who had taken the count. I made my way back to headquarters and reported the whole situation, and told the commanding officer that if our artillery didn't put the guns at Moquet Farm out of action the shells from the farm would put our people out. I was sent to a hospital, and during the X-ray examination the doctors discovered only seven pieces of shrapnel in me. One piece, which then refused to keep out, but which I treasure now as a keepsake, weighs one ounce, is one inch in length, one-half inch in width and is an eighth of an inch in thickness.

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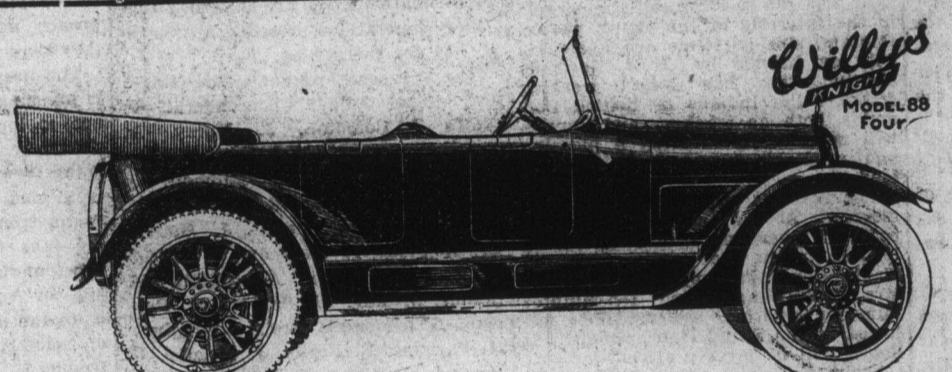


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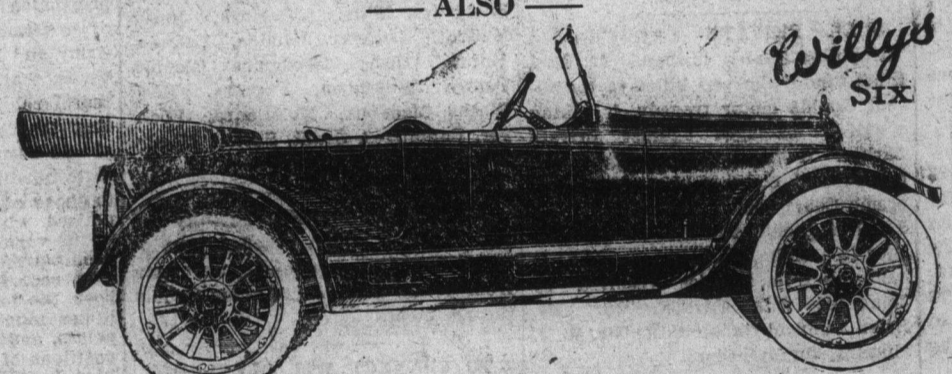
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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor
H. A. WINTER, B.A., Editor
WEDNESDAY, Oct. 31, 1917.

THE WAR.

It is a little inconsistent on the part of the clerk of the weather to cut off our connection with the world at this particular juncture. Up to the time of writing no news has reached us, and we must wait until our Canadian friends repair their wires (which seem peculiarly susceptible to damage), to learn how things fare with the Italians and whether the war is still on. Yesterday's messages contained nothing of importance and threw no light on the situation there. But the bare announcement that the British have gone ahead again in Flanders atones for a column of omissions. A thousand yards further ahead between Poelcapelle and Passchendaele is a hundred miles nearer victory. The latter place was once a far distant objective; the British are practically there now. Roulers lies ahead a bare four miles, about as far away as Windsor Lake from St. John's. And Roulers is a more vital necessity to the German line than that lake is to this city.

Among the most significant reports from the West front are the hints that have been frequent lately of readjustments in the Allies' lines. The French appear to have replaced the Canadians to a large extent and the Canadians to have been moved to Flanders, where, as is their custom, they are no sooner arrived than they proceed to install themselves in the particular point that is nearest Berlin. It is not hard to see what this movement betokens. Every available man is being sent to the scene of action in Flanders to add more weight to the tremendous push—that is under way. It is perhaps a mistake to set a limit to the time of these operations, for the winter will impose no worse conditions than have prevailed for weeks past, and will only affect this front in so far as it may end the fighting elsewhere and enable reinforcements to be sent hither by either side. If the winter failed to halt the British on the Somme last year, it will have less effect in Flanders now. The luckless troops that must face Haig and his guns in the lowlands of Flanders this winter will have an experience from which any sort of retreat will be a welcome escape.

It is possible that this shifting of troops is aided by the advent of the American forces, whose numbers at the front will now increase steadily. The news that snow has fallen where they are suggests that they may be holding a part of the line in the extreme east, in the Argonne or the Vosges Mountains, where alone it is likely that snow would fall so early. We shall soon know, however, where they are and probably what length of front they hold.

Nothing more, of course, is known here yet as to the fortunes of the Italians, though some optimistic observer yesterday saw hope in the fact that the common front had united all parties behind the front. We trust the unification is there, but it is a pity that it should seem to rest upon the almost supreme power of Giolitti. There is about as much hope in that aspect of it all as there would be in the supersession of Lloyd George by a violent Sinn Féiner.

Convicted of Theft.

Five lads named Goodall, Waddleton, Pearce, Scanlan and McGrath were arrested last night for theft. Each of them was fourteen years old and three of them had a criminal record.

There is a marked scarcity of brin socks in the local trade at present and in an endeavour to bring about a famine, the lads stole thirty-two of them from Baine Johnstone & Co.'s store yesterday and disposed of each of them on board of outport crafts along the waterfront at fifteen cents each. After they had divided the "dough," a "blow-in" followed. Detective Whelan rounded up the culprits at their homes late last night. They were arraigned before Judge Morris to-day and in the order mentioned the names were called and all pleaded guilty. Goodall, who made a slight acquaintance in police circles before, was sentenced to two months imprisonment, without the option of a fine; Waddleton, the leader of the gang and who had served several terms in the Penitentiary before, got six months. Pearce, who also had a criminal record for theft, was sent down for two months; Scanlan and McGrath, their first offence, were let go on suspended sentence, their parents signing bonds of \$200 for their future good behaviour, also giving the Judge an assurance that they would thrash the lads.

Fire Breaks Out on Schooner.

A big three-masted schooner which was being towed into port by the tug D. P. Ingraham at 6 o'clock last evening was suddenly seen to burst into flames and for upwards of half an hour was the scene of much attraction along the waterfront and on board the four hundred and odd vessels in the harbor. The ship, which was heavily laden, sprung a leak at 12 o'clock the previous night when about forty miles off Cape Race and in order to keep her from going under it was necessary to keep the gasoline engine, which was attached to the pumps, going at full speed. The captain and crew were congratulating themselves on reaching port without further damage, when all of a sudden the gasoline engine exploded and in less than two minutes the starboard side of the ship was a mass of flames. The pumps of the D. P. Ingraham, which towed her to port, and that of the patrol boat "Port Saunders," Captain Moore, which hastened to the scene, were quickly put in use and after thirty minutes hard fighting the fire was extinguished. With the apparatus that worked the pumps put out of commission, the water in the hold was piling up fast and in order to keep the ship afloat, applied the hand pumps. Shortly after she was towed to Franklin's wharf. She is still leaking badly and is only kept afloat by the continual working of the pumps. The engine room and galley were badly damaged by the fire, which fortunately did not connect with a quantity of gasoline that was stowed in the fore part of the ship.

W. M. S.

The Annual Convention of the St. John's District of the Women's Missionary Society will be held in Wesley Church this week. The Convention will open at 3 o'clock this afternoon, for which a good programme has been arranged. Amongst other interesting items will be "Glimpses of the Board Meeting," by Mrs. Lindsay, who represented the work in Newfoundland at that important gathering convened in Toronto a few weeks ago.

At 7.45 the meeting will be largely in the interests of the young people. Reports, musical items and exercises, with an address by Miss Gertrude Martin who has been working amongst the Indians of British Columbia both as teacher and evangelist, will combine in ensuring a pleasing and profitable hour to all who attend.

The sessions will be continued tomorrow. At the afternoon session practical questions will be discussed in relation to the work. A Round Table Conference presided over by Mrs. Parkins and three ten-minute talks on important topics will be followed by the Social Hour, which it is hoped will be largely attended. Eight o'clock in the auditorium of the church the closing service will be held, a choice programme has been arranged. The address of the evening will be given by Mrs. Lindsay, who will speak further on "The Board Sessions of 1917."

We extend a very hearty invitation to all interested to attend.

SUES PRIVATE PARKER.—Mr. Theophilus Chafe, husband of Mrs. Ethel Chafe who was killed in the recent Goulds motor tragedy, is taking a suit for damages against Private Parker. If it can be arranged the matter will come up before the Supreme Court some time between Nov. 8 and 14. Included in the suit for damages is a claim for his son who is suffering from injuries received by being hit with Parker's car. Mr. Brian Dunfield for plaintiff; Mr. W. J. Higgins, for defendant.

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Casualty List.

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Previously Reported.

2nd Lieut. W. Lloyd Woods, 68 Le-Marchant Road. Gunshot wound neck and chest, severe. At Wandsworth, 488--Private Robert Haley, Bonavista. Gunshot wound left shoulder. At Fulham Military Hospital, Ham-mersmith.

3394--Private Frank Burt, Campbellton, N.D.B. Gunshot wound right thigh, severe. At Military Hospital, Grove Road, Richmond.

3222--Private William Upward, Harry's Harbor, N.D.B. Seriously ill gunshot wound back. Do.

3442--Private Eleazer Saunders, Point LeMingston. Gunshot wound back, severe. 6th General Hospital, Rouen, Oct. 12. Seriously ill. Oct. 27.

2600--Private James Cook, Hickman's Hr., T.B. 64th Casualty Clearing Station, dangerously ill, fractured skull, Oct. 10th. Condition improved, Oct. 25.

2623--Private Job Dyke, Salvage Bay, B.B. Wounded Sept. 28. Discharged to duty from 62nd Casualty Clearing Station, France, Oct. 9th.

2243--Private Dorman Pelley, Phillips Head, N.D.B. Do. Do.

469--Sergeant W. P. Carew 33 Patrick Street. Wounded Oct. 9th. Discharged to duty from 62nd Casualty Clearing Station, France, Oct. 18.

2519--Private E. Star Brooklehurst, 21 Maxse Street. Wounded Sept. 27. At 14th Casualty Res' Station, France, contusion back and hands.

1884--Private Andrew N. Goochie, 1 Beadell's Square, Do. At 62nd Casualty Clearing Station, France, shell shock.

485--Private Edward White, Twillingate; fever.

R. A. SQUIRES, Colonial Secretary.

Prospero Back.

The S.S. Prospero, Capt. A. Kean, returned from the northward at 8 a.m. to-day, having been as far as Quirpon. A fine trip was experienced, progress not being retarded by adverse weather. We are informed that fishery operations north are suspended for the season.

The Prospero brought a full freight and these saloon passengers:—F. Smith, A. Compton, J. Morey, M. Toms, Parsons, R. Wakeham, T. Martin, A. Fradham, H. Mitchell, J. Roberts, B. Chipman, R. Norman, Pte. Baird, A. Hull, E. Martin, J. Goudie, Dr. Bennett, T. Wellman, J. Mercer, E. Ryan, A. Noble, A. Elliott, H. Simms, J. May, W. Parsons, J. Roberts, N. Chippett, Rev. Gillingham, R. Parsons, R. Boyde, J. Meaden, G. Parsons, A. Elliott, S. Abbott, S. Pond, A. House, Rowell, R. Bowring, D. Powell, H. Cobb, F. Clouter, H. Gudgeon, B. McGrath, G. Gent, S. Grant, H. Cashman, Moody; Misses Snow, Linsay, Breen (2), Morey, Roberts (2), Amesty, Waterman, Parsons, Snelgrove, Miller, Maddock, Jones, McGrath, Lockyer, Jenkins, LeDrew, Dunn, Colish, Mesdames Garline, Penny, Wilkinson, Parsons, Best, Weeks, Maddock, McNamara, Lockyer, Bannister, Grant, Sutton, Moody, 80 in steers.

RECRUITS COMING IN.—By the s.s. Prospero which reached port at 5 this morning, seventeen young men from points north came along to join the regiment.

TO CONNECT WIT GLENCOE.—Passengers leaving by to-morrow morning's train for Placentia will connect with the s.s. Glencoe for points along the west coast.

Our Duty to the Regiment.

A Letter With The Right Ring In It.

The Editor The Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir,—It was with considerable gratification that I read your Editorial in this evening's issue, speaking so plainly, as it did, to the fishermen of Newfoundland, for their slackness in recruiting. Of course my opinion is that we should have had Conscription long ago. I have only supposed that the Government may have thought that the upkeep of a large body of men might—in common parlance—burst the Colony, financially, and have been letting matters hang fire. It has, however, been my opinion all along that supposing we "burst" and went into "Confederation," (and I have always been an Anti-Confederate), that it was better to go down nobly, than to live ingloriously, and the latter we should certainly do if under our present Voluntary System the 1st Nfd. Regiment should have to yield the proud position it now holds, and its heroic soldiers disperse amongst other units, owing to lack of recruits to keep its ranks to strength. The finest thing that Newfoundland has produced has been her voluntary raised Regiment and Naval Contingents. The finest bit of history in the annals of Newfoundland has been written by the 1st Nfd. Regiment and the Nfd. Naval Contingents.

Why is this? It is because the men who have blazoned this glorious bit of history for Newfoundland, have been real men, every one of them.

And to those of you who remain at home and selfishly leave these Real men to fight for you, your parents, your wife, your children, when you could just as easily also go as not, you are not men, you are merely male inhabitants of Newfoundland.

However, Mr. Editor, you have struck the right note when you say that the Newfoundland Regiment shall not have its glory dimmed by lack of men, and that there are those in Newfoundland who will make sure of that. Shall we who have had near and dear relatives and friends suffer and fall for us on the field of battle, in undying unselfishness, ever reproach us with the thoughts that they have shed their blood for us?

The need for men for the Regiment is pressing to-day, and even if it were not so immediately pressing, there should be enough new recruits always going forward to allow the "Blue Puttees" and the earlier recruits decent spells from the trenches.

I take it that the Government of Newfoundland is now making its last bid for voluntary recruits, and that if enough are not forthcoming a form of Selective Conscription will be introduced.

Under this style of Conscription I take it that each town or district would be called upon for a certain percentage of its men. This must naturally, therefore, bear more upon the Outports than St. John's, as in proportion to population, the average of enlistments in St. John's for the Army and Navy has been about three times that of the outports. It is, therefore, Mr. Editor, eminently fitting that your admirable editorial should have been directed more to the male inhabitants of the Outports than to those of St. John's. What I have noticed with pleasure that editorials in the various daily papers have lately been warmer and spoken more pointedly regarding recruiting, yours has been the most direct. It is to be hoped that it has touched most of the important points, and has been directed to those positions of the country that have not been keeping up their end.

Of course "Conscription" is the cure for this, but the question is, how long may it be before the Government figures that Voluntary Service is less successful here than it has been in any country and will continue we fear to be so, and there is, therefore, the danger that our Regiment might some time be out of the line. We can, therefore, only at present, all give our best efforts to recruiting. The present Recruiting Campaign, as far as I have heard, has not succeeded in gathering in many men who can pass the physical exam. I do not wish to criticize those in charge of this campaign, but to ask, is there nothing we can do to help them? Would a "Band" or two not help them, as the "Band" has always been a good recruiting medium and as far as I know there is only one now on the job and it is in St. John's. Of course it would mean considerable money to send "Musical Bands" around to the outports, but I do not think it would be much trouble to raise a fund in St. John's to defray the cost. If this idea should appeal to you, or through you to those in charge of Recruiting, as an earnest of same I should have much pleasure in going down on your list for a hundred dollars.

It has also occurred to me that each of the Daily Papers might start a "Recruiting Column" devoted to Recruiting, and publish Recruiting Talks from those who are qualified to speak, which may interest and help in understanding those men who have not yet seen their duty before them. This Recruiting Column should also include a Red Hot Advertisement or Appeal for Men.

You and I, Mr. Editor, believe in advertising, and more especially in the Daily Papers, as the best mediums.

I don't believe for the size and importance of the business that enough advertising is being done. What, do you think? If money is wanted for this we will raise it too. What we really

want in the Outports is practically an educational campaign. Many people there have not had the same opportunities of seeing and understanding life as it really is, as we of the city. We have, therefore, to help them to buck up and do their fair share and to show them that we appreciate what some of them have done. Now shall we all help? Perhaps the Editor will let me tell you in another letter how we can.

In the meantime, Mr. Editor, again complimenting you upon your article, and assuring you or others interested in recruiting of my hearty co-operation at any time.

I am yours truly,
THE SENTINEL,
St. John's, Oct. 30th, 1917.

Bob Fitzsimmons.

In 1880 a lanky ungainly youth of 18 strode into Timaru, New Zealand, and asked his way to the arena where Tom Macco, the old English champion, was holding his boxing tournament.

The youth was homely and freckled. His arms were long and hung almost to his knees. His hands showed signs of hard toil. His clothes were old and not of the latest mode. His questioners laughed in derision when he said he was going to enter the tournament against the best boxer on the island.

But the laugh was on them a few hours later when the youth had measured four of them on the mat.

It was the first public ring appearance of Bob Fitzsimmons, greatest of them all, who has just been counted out by the Great Referee in his bout with Death, the knockout king.

For the next few years Fitz stayed in the Antipodes winning battle after battle and in 1890 came to America where his first two decisive victories secured him first a match with Jack Dempsey, "The Nonpareil," undefeated middleweight champion of the world. Fitz knocked out Dempsey in 13 rounds in New Orleans, Jan. 14, 1891, and his fame was secure.

For the next few years Fitz met and defeated all the great middleweights and light heavyweights of his time, including Black Pearl, the great Peter Maher, Joe Choynski, Joe Godfrey and Dan Creedon.

From 1894 to 1897 he followed Jim Corbett around the country imploring for a match until Corbett was forced into the fight which resulted in his defeat in 14 rounds at Carson City, Nev., March 17, 1897.

It was more than two years before Fitz again entered the ring. In the meantime he filled many vaudeville engagements, shoeing horses on the stage, punching the bag and boxing with his sparring partners. Illustrating the solar plexus punch which had sent Corbett down to defeat.

For his first battle he picked Jim Jeffries, who by many was considered a set-up for him. For nine rounds he hammered Jeffries around the ring, battering him with punches which would have stopped any other fighter in the country. Jeff, bleeding and battered, grimed and came back for more and in the eleventh round knocked the wily Australian out. The battle was fought at Coney Island, June 9th, 1899.

In 1902 Jeffries again knocked out Fitz, who in the meantime had defeated Gus Ruhlin, Tom Sharkey and others.

In later years he was stopped by Jack O'Brien, Jack Johnson and Bill Lang.

Fitzsimmons fought his great fights against heavyweights as a middleweight. He seldom weighed much over 160 pounds even when he met the giant Jeffries and Dunkhorst.

Fitzsimmons was married four times. His present wife acted as his theatrical manager and was with him when he was stricken with the malady which ended his life.

He has one child, a son, whom he prepared for the ring a few years ago. The younger Fitz never proved a sensation, and has practically given up boxing.

Contrary to general opinion Fitz was not an Australian. He was born in Cornwall, England, June 4, 1862, and went to Australia in his early youth.

Here and There.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—Mrs. W. G. Gosling, Hon. Sec. Church of England Orphanage, begs to acknowledge the receipt of \$2,000.00 from the executors of the estate of the late T. R. Job, Esq.

The George St. Mission Circle will hold its annual Sale of Work and Teas in the Sunday School room of George St. Church on Nov. the 15th.—Oct 31, 11

ARRESTED ON SERIOUS CHARGE.—A young fisherman of the North Battery was arrested last night on a serious charge preferred against him by a young woman. He was released to-day on furnishing bonds to appear when called upon.

Don't forget the G. F. S. Bazaar to be held in the Synod Hall Thursday, Nov. 1st, 3.30 p.m. Admission 5 and 10c. Jumble, Plain Work, Fruit, Vegetables and Teas for sale. Concert at night, 20c. extra. Come and bring your friends.—Oct 31, 11

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Pitiable Stories of the Slaughtered in Hun Air

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Another remarkable case was that of a young woman who was in the wreckage in the basement of a fish market where several were with whom she took shelter. She was pinned there but escaped serious injury. A little boy was found under a table in a wrecked house, several persons were killed and he, but he was unharmed.

Paris, October 21.—An official issued by the war office giving the following summary of the Zeppelin raid: "The first Zeppelin was down by artillery fire at 8.15. The second was forced down by an aviator near Bourbonne. The third was forced down near Laragne, near Sisteron. The four officers and fifteen crew were taken prisoners after they had landed the airship.

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"The seventh landed at Montigny le Roi, debarked its wounded occupants, threw out ballast and then departed. It was chased by aviators in the direction of Pole and Besancon and later was signalled together with the eighth Zeppelin as passing over Pontallier, in Cote D'r, making for Switzerland."

In its comment the Matin says the German aerial fleet experienced the most complete disaster it has ever met. Dawn was chosen for the attempt as the mist from the valleys favored concealment.

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**The Enemy's
Food Troubles.**

Glasgow Herald: However much we may grumble about high prices and food scarcity as compared with pre-war times, we are still far from sharing the enemy's hardships. A recent arrival from Prague tells us that as a result of continual under-feeding the people who before the war were of ample proportions have become quite thin. The mortality among children and old folk is high, owing mainly to lack of milk. Food supplies are carefully regulated and cards are required for dripping, flour, sugar, bread, coffee, and meat, but the possession of cards is no guarantee that supplies will be obtainable. Consequently the poor often wait all night outside the food shops in order to be first served. Prices, too, are very high. Rice costs from 12s to 14s a pound, and butter (when it can be got) 13s a pound. Bacon is slightly cheaper, and averages 10s 6d a pound. Imitation coffee, made of roasted barley and other cereals, costs only from 3s 4d to 4s a pound, but real tea and coffee, which can sometimes be bought surreptitiously, run to 16s a pound. Chocolate costs 13s. The supply of fruit and vegetables is very limited, and bread, made chiefly of maize, is sour, mouldy and indigestible. Clothing is even scarcer than food. Woolen cloth costs from £1 13s 4d to £2 10s a yard, and even the soldiers' uniforms are old and ragged. Boots cannot be bought for less than £3 8s 6d a pair, and are mostly fitted with wooden heels.

**Science Will
Eliminate War.**

(From the Vancouver Sun.)
Experts agree that the development of the airplane as a war weapon is only in its first stages. It is interesting to reflect upon its further development. It will probably play the leading part in future wars, if there are any. One of the most important preparations for future wars will be to provide underground shelters for the civilian population. It may be necessary to do this before the present war is ended. In London, when warning is given of the approach of air raiders, as many people as possible take refuge in the underground railway tubes. The aircraft of the future may be able to destroy everything on the earth's surface. If wars continue, the improvement of the airplane and the high explosive may make underground cities necessary. Mechanical developments have already changed the natural order of things in war. Surface navies no

longer rule the seas. Fortifications do not protect. Cavalry is almost useless. Non-combatants are no longer under the protection of international law. Mechanical arts will do more to make war impossible in the future than arbitration or a league of nations.

Austria in Extremis.

(From the New York Post.)

There is every sign that Austria will be flying the hunger flag this coming winter even more openly than last year. A Vienna daily begs the Premier to appeal to his Hungarian colleague for food from Hungary's stores. It is well known that Austria does not, even in peace times, raise enough to feed herself, and that since the war began her food problem has been a growing menace to her. Hitherto the Hungarians have steadily refused to help out their fellow-member of the Dual Monarchy. Tisza about a year ago stated in Parliament at Budapest that if one kilo of edibles were exported to Austria, there would be grave danger of a revolution. And so it happened that while most of the necessities of life were reasonably plentiful in the Hungarian capital, in Vienna, on the contrary, hunger stalked the streets. The Magyars have been very bitter against the Austrians since the war's beginning, more bitter than they were in peace times. They claim that they had to bear the brunt of the fighting, that they have single-handed saved the Dual Empire, while the Austrian troops ran away in panic. Now that the Hungarians have less food than ever before, it is scarcely likely that they will be more accommodating than they were last winter.

**German Enthusiasm
Gone.**

Geneva, Oct. 21.—A despatch from Basle states that the great lassitude and indifference of suffering Germany may be gauged from the fact that the recent German victories in the Baltic and even the news of the prospective evacuation of Petrograd caused practically no enthusiasm in unofficial circles in spite of the efforts of the newspapers.
For the first time since the war, according to travelers, many towns were not beflagged after a victory.
Colonel Feyler, the Swiss military critic, says that the German Baltic conquests can no longer affect the real end of the war. There is much noise, he says, like the Kaiser's speeches in the Balkans, but they have fallen on unheeding ears in Germany.

**Russian Officers
Preferred Death**

Commander of the Oesel Garrison and Other Officers Tried to Rally Their Men—Failing, They Committed Suicide.

Petrograd, October 25.—How the Germans were aided in the capture of Oesel and Moon Islands, in the Gulf of Riga, by sympathizers there, is told by M. Vishnevsky, a commissioner sent to observe conditions there, and who escaped in an open boat after the occupation. He describes the heroic efforts made by the officers to rally their men and assert that several of them, including General Martinoff, commander of the garrison, committed suicide when the troops surrendered.

That the Germans had knowledge of conditions on the islands is indicated by the fact that when Aviator Safonov brought down a German hydroplane, the dead occupant was found to have complete plans, not only of existing, but of proposed fortifications. On the plans places were marked for bombing. General Martinoff's scout frequently observed lanterns flashing from the shore and upon investigation found a deserted cabin with a ladder leading to the roof. Squares of canvas lying on the ground were removed, but later were replaced by a mysterious hand.

In an effort to stem the surrender of large bodies of troops, Vishnevsky and others pretended to be sending signals to Russian ships bringing help. Instructions were issued by soldier committees, he said, that those wishing to surrender should gather under white flags. Commander Shishko, of the Reval battalion of the death it is related, handed his sword to a soldier saying:
"I never will return home. Those who can save themselves or die as I."

He then shot himself. The Germans gave two hours in which to surrender. The majority of the garrison gave up their arms within this time.

McMurdo's Store News

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 31, 1917.

If you have in the past been annoyed by trying to use tooth brushes, the bristles of which keep coming out, resolve next time to get a Sandient Tooth Brush the hairs of which will not come out. We have no hesitation in saying that these, the Sandient Tooth Brushes are the most satisfactory and longest lasting brushes in the market, and users of them are practically agreed as to their serviceable qualities. If you use the Sandient Tooth Paste with these brushes your satisfaction will be enhanced. Price (Brushes) 35c., each; (Tooth Paste) 25c. a tube.

Here and There.

GRAND DANCE to-night in Star of Sea Hall, Oct. 31.—11

WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is light S. E. wind and fair, temperature 35 to 49 above.

GLENCOE PASSENGERS.—The following first class passengers left by the Glencoe this morning:—Hubert Diamond, Mrs. T. Forsey, H. Gillard, Mrs. Jas. Brown, and Miss Marjorie Brown.

EXPRESS PASSENGERS.—The following first class passengers are on the incoming express:—R. Walsh, W. N. Fraser, P. J. McEwen, J. Ryan, R. Chaffey, S. O. Garwa, S. Moore, A. Skinner, E. M. Brown, G. Evans, E. W. Phelan, G. and Mrs. Shea, Miss E. Shea, H. A. Brown, H. B. Chesley, J. W. McGrath, A. T. Seers, W. G. Pike, Miss W. Pike, W. Clarke, R. Ciarla, A. Kiter, R. F. Pauling, Henry Luscher, M. F. Sweeney, Mrs. Geo. Whitley and daughter, F. J. and Mrs. Bishop, Capt. J. and Mrs. Pike, S. Tibbo, J. A. Baxter, Hon. S. K. and Mrs. Bell, J. Grant.

DEED.
On the 30th inst., Pauline Verdun, darling child of Boyd and Annie Butler, aged 1 year.



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The Argyll left Lamaline at 3.10 p.m. yesterday, outward.
The Clyde left Twillingate at 12.50 p.m. yesterday, outward.
The Dundee left King's Cove early yesterday morning, outward.

Train Notes.

The Ethie left Flowers Cove at 3.45 p.m. yesterday, outward.
The Glencoe left St. John's at 10 a.m. to-day.
The Home left Pilley's Island at 3.15 p.m. yesterday, inward.
The Wren left Heart's Content at 5.25 p.m. yesterday, outward.

Yesterday's outgoing express left Quarry at 7.45 a.m. to-day.
The incoming express left Port aux Basques at 10.10 a.m. to-day.
Stale cake crumbs can be very well used in a fruit pudding.

BRINGING UP WILLIE — Really William Had a Holler Coming But When He Voiced His Squeal Here's What Happened!



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200 pairs Children's and Misses' Bedroom Slippers, nicely made; shades of Red and Grey and Blue and White. A nice warm Slipper for the cold season.

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Child's Job Astrachan Leggings

A few pairs left of a big Job, Navy only. **Job Price, 75c pair.**

How Economy Takes Hold of People!

By RUTH CAMERON.



RUTH CAMERON

Economy is a funny thing. I don't suppose people find it so who have to practice it day in day out, week in week out, month in month out, year in year out (I know of no greater test of character than to do this bravely and uncomplainingly and without degenerating into mere miserliness) but perhaps they will forgive me when I explain that I carelessly used that much abused word "funny" in its too common misuse—in place of the word queer.

Economy is a queer thing. In the way it takes hold of people, I mean, the strange little ways they don't economize, the total inability of some people to learn it and other people's inability to ever unlearn it.

He Can't Bear to Spend Money for Clothes.

I know a man who is very lavish of his comfortable income, except when it comes to clothes, then he is really miserly. He wears a suit until it almost drops off him; his wife has to fairly drive him to the tailor's. And even then he does not spend in proportion to his income—twenty or twenty-five dollars for a suit, perhaps. Yet he is a young, fine looking man and likes to appear well. Only he just can't bear to spend money for clothes.

She Economized in Dish Water.

Economy with some people gets to be a habit of mind. They economize even in things which don't matter at all, just because their mind is twisted

that way. A woman once confessed to me that she found herself economizing in the most absurd ways. "When I heat the water for my dishes I will use it so sparingly that I always have some left. I can't seem to bear to use it quite all," she said. This same woman, though she loved candy, never could eat it wholesale as some people do. She would eat it bit by bit, almost penuriously, hoarding it by instinct. Yet she could well afford to buy all she wanted. I have seen her look with ill concealed horror at people who pitched in and ate freely.

Most Women Find Extravagance Easy to Learn.

The effect of prosperity on women who have always had to economize is very interesting. Some simply cannot learn to spend money. It seems to hurt them. But these are the exception, not the rule. I think the average woman easily enlarges her spending power, in most directions only holding on to some little economies, as a keeprake of auld lang syne, as it were. It is an interesting phenomenon that such women are often astonishingly extravagant about large sums. I have always wondered about this and was much interested in the following explanation by Mr. George. "Poverty has taught woman much about the pence but it has taught her nothing about the pound."

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Cottellie's Macaroni, 18c. packet.
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THE BLUES.

The blues are a successful form of worry with indigo trimmings. They are usually preceded by a feeling of deep despondency in the pit of the stomach, and are sometimes followed by the stealthy footsteps of the sick headache.

Physicians tell us that the blues are caused by meditating in a low, blood-curdling tone on some act that fate is about to perform. A great many people seem to enjoy the sensation of being buried in the blues up to their shoulderblades, and are thus able to make life one grand, sweet song for all who are in the immediate vicinity. They are able to see an attack of the blues coming before anybody else knows it is in town, and run right up to greet it with a drooping lip. By taking one look at the low-spirited lip of a faithful helpmeet a shrewd observer can tell at once just when the blues will move in and usurp the throne of passion.

Some styles of the blues are harder to the out than others, and have to be expelled by argument, wrist watches and box candy. When an earnest, devoted wife has sat by the bedside of a new batch of bread and watched it cremate itself from the knees down, nothing will remove the blues which follow, but love and a trip to the picture show. If husbands would distribute more love and less jewelry about the family hearth, there would be fewer of our wives and mothers felled by the intermittent blues and laid up on washday with the camphor bottle.

When the blues light on a victim and refuse to be shaken off, they are called melancholia and have to be treated by a high-priced specialist. This is entirely unnecessary, however. There are plenty of cheap and effective cures for the blues, ranging from the old-fashioned, bare-handed spanking to a dose of sunshine from a husband who is a human incandescent. Pure, unfiltered sunshine from a big-hearted sunshiner is the best

known remedy for this ailment. This teaches us that in picking out a husband preference should be given to a suitor with a large mouth, sparkling teeth and a smile that lights up the house like a Christmas tree.

PLACES FOR ALL



WALT MASON

Some men must do the fighting, and some must teach in schools, and some must do the writing, and others shoe the mules. Let no man think he's fuffa because he may not go and shoot holes through the brutal, exasperating foe. I wished to join the army; the sergeant said, "My hat! Your years and weight alarm me—you are too old and fat." I wished to join the navy; the officer was flip; he smiled and said, "By cravy! You'd sink our biggest ship." Turned down by one and t'other, I merely said, "By James, officials cannot smother my loyal hopes and aims." I straightway went to knitting; I knit when on my walks; I'm knitting when I'm sitting, I make the soldiers socks, so stout, a bull can't tear them, they'll keep men's tootsies warmed—but pity those who wear them; their feet must be deformed! My wife, she begs and wheedles to have me paint the barn; but with my knitting needles I use up balls of yarn. I make the sock and stocking, with large and bulging heel; when men are in them walking, how happy they will feel! You cannot help agreeing my course is wise and right; thus every human being may help to win the fight.

Try rubbing a spot of fresh paint off with a piece of the same fabric. A velvet hat can be kept in good condition by wiping it with a piece of black stocking after brushing.

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RELAXING THE MIND.

In this workaday world of noisy hustle and bustle few of us give our minds enough relaxation. From the moment we open our eyes to reality until the time when they beg for rest and quiet, we keep ceaselessly on the move. Helter, skelter, we tear through life.

In times, during illness, and its long hours of convalescence we realize how much we have lost by not giving our minds a few moments each day to rest. Must we all be obliged to have to lie on a sick bed to realize this vital fact?

Ask yourself before you close your tired eyes each night, how many moments during the long day of rush and hurry, you have given freely to your mind for relaxation and meditation and, if you are truthful to yourself, you will be surprised at your selfish admittance.

Relax, meditate, day dream. It will do your mind a world of good. Allow your mind to wander into the impossible realms of imagination. Allow it full rein during every moment that you can spare from your daily duties. It will keep you young and keep the crows feet and wrinkles from appearing before their time. The mind, like every other part of the body, craves for playtime and moments of recreation.

Your Boys and Girls.

Mother should be particular to teach their children accurate speech, as nothing so pleases the man or woman with the world, as their manner of using the English language. Do not let them say that something "took ever so long" when, in reality, it took only five minutes. Don't let them say they have been to a place "lots of times" when you knew they have only visited there once or twice.

When once the trick of these little exaggerations is established, people never completely lose it again and such mistakes are very apt to give an insouciant flavor to a conversation. Above all, let the children carry messages correctly, repeating them word for word. This is an accomplishment far more important than most people realize. Mischief often arises, owing to the fact, that one friend's message to another, if not told exactly as it was meant, sometimes leads to results far from pleasant. They are avoidable if your child is taught accuracy.

A tough piece of meat will cook tender if it is first soaked in vinegar. Don't forget that whole hominy is a delicious and inexpensive and nourishing dish for these cool days. Lima beans may be allowed to grow till fully ripe, then they can be threshed out of their dry pods.

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We have a large selection of Framed Pictures on our walls which it is well worth your while to see. If you are a Picture-lover you will be delighted with them, and you'll surely remember a bare spot where some favorite Picture would just fit.

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Fishery Returns by District

As compiled by the Board of Fisheries, exclusive of Bay de Verde to October 10th. The total marked disparity.

District	1917.
Ferryland	28,200
Placentia and St. Mary's	60,050
Burin	291,153
Fortune Bay	124,735
Burgoe & LaPoile	46,775
St. George's	12,940
St. Barbe	39,600
Twillingate	88,045
Fogo	37,825
Bonavista	130,305
Trinity	39,180
Carbonear	11,050
Hr. Grace	21,305
Port de Grave	9,170
Hr. Main	2,260
Strait	31,120
	882,815

Look at a Child's Tongue When Crossed Feverish and

Take no chances! Move poison liver and bowels at once.

Mothers can rest easy about "California Syrup of Figs," for a few hours all the clogged, sour bile and fermenting food moves out of the bowels, and a well, playful child again. It simply will not take the time to empty their bowels, and become tightly packed, and sluggish and stomach discomfort. When cross, feverish, restless, if tongue is coated, then give it, and can't cause any difference what all your child is full of cold, or a sore throat, rheas, stomach-ache, has a member, a gentle "inside" should always be the first given. Full directions for children of all ages and are printed on each bottle. Beware of counterfeit. Ask your druggist for the of "California Syrup of Figs" lock carefully and see that by the "California Fig Syrup Company." We make no small hand back with contempting syrup.

I. G. Occupies New Office

To-day Inspector General I. G. occupies for the first new offices at Fort Towns, old building which was years ago by the heads of department and after the lock-up, which has been modelled and undergone improvements. The offices by the Inspector General at the Central Fire Hall have been into sleeping quarters for members of the police. The object of the change is to efficient service.

POOR HERRING FISHING herring fishery to date indeed and that there is done at present is the message just received by the Fisheries Department from Bay

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Placentia and St. Mary's	60,050	40,350
Barin	201,155	131,090
Fortune Bay	124,735	74,575
Burgoe & LaPointe	46,775	45,670
St. George's	12,940	7,130
St. Barbe	39,600	21,125
Twillingate	88,945	42,075
Fogo	37,825	12,530
Bonavista	130,305	70,910
Trinity	39,180	53,180
Carbonara	11,050	1,510
St. George's	21,205	18,280
Port de Grave	9,170	5,310
Hr. Main	2,360	2,220
Straits	31,120	15,900
	882,815	567,230

Look at a Child's Tongue When Cross, Feverish and Sick

Take no chances! Move poisons from liver and bowels at once.

Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, and they become tightly packed. Liver gets sluggish and stomach disordered. When cross, feverish, restless, see if tongue is coated, then give this delicious "fruit laxative." Children love it, and it can't cause injury. No difference what all your little one— if full of cold, or a sore throat, diarrhoea, stomach-ache, bad breath, remember, a gentle "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are printed on each bottle. Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a "bottle of California Syrup of Figs," then look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." We make no smaller size. Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

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POOR HERRING FISHERY.—The herring fishery to date is very poor indeed and that there is being nothing done at present is the tenor of a message just received by the Marine and Fisheries department from Bonavista Bay.

Rags Fill Tires Which Berlin Uses.

Kaiser William is the only person in Germany who now rides in an automobile equipped with pneumatic rubber tires, according to Victor Van der Linde, technical representative of the Goodrich Rubber Company, who has just returned from Europe, where he was sent to make an investigation of rubber and gasoline conditions. The Crown Prince, Von Hindenburg, Ludendorff and Von Mackensen, Mr. Van der Linde says, have to bump along on tires filled with rags, compressed cork, and paper on account of the scarcity of rubber. In Berlin Mr. Van der Linde rode in a taxicab with wheels bound with rope in the place of tires, and taxicabs of any kind, he says, are scarce in the streets of Germany's capital.

"The situation in both Germany and Austria as regards tires is deplorable from their standpoint," said Mr. Van der Linde, "and countries bounding the Central Empires, with the exception of those at war with them, are in nearly as bad a plight. In neither Germany nor Austria are any tires to be had. In Sweden the price for a tire is \$550, and this must be accompanied with a permit from the Royal Automobile Club. In Norway I found the price to be \$460 for a tire, and permit necessary. In Denmark the price was \$320, and the purchaser must give written assurance to the Government that it will not go to Germany. The cost in Holland is \$250 a tire, with a similar guarantee to the Government. Other prices in European countries for a single tire are as follows: Russia, \$100; Spain, \$125; Italy, \$100; Great Britain, \$90, and France, \$90.

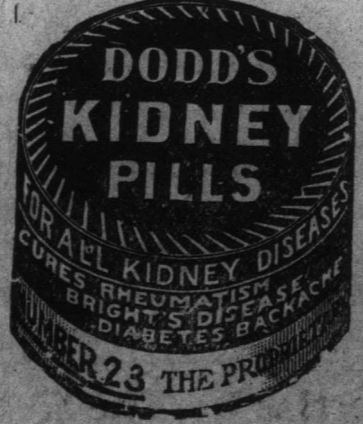
"The German scientists have tried to meet the situation by making synthetic rubber, but they have been unsuccessful. There is not an ounce of crude in it, and therefore it is devoid of fibre. Most automobile casings are stuffed with compressed champagne corks, paper, rags, and sausages made of ground cork. Some even have been filled with rags and dirt. This only refers to those cars that have some rags of casings left. Most automobiles have ground away their shoes and move about on rims bound with rope.

"There is not a bicycle tire left in Germany outside of those used for military purposes. Bids by the wholesale were conducted on shops and residences and all bicycle tires were seized. The cargo of the Deutschland on its last trip was almost exclusively rubber, but so pressing was the demand for rubber for dirigibles that none of it, with the possible exception of enough for the tires for the royal family, was permitted to go into automobile equipment. Germany had little crude rubber in stock at the beginning of the war. Since then she has been depending on what she could buy from Sweden and smuggle through the mails.

"Single sheets of rubber were sent in letters from the United States until Great Britain opened them and confiscated the contents. After this channel had been closed she purchased large numbers of machines in this country and had them shipped to Sweden. There she stripped the automobiles of the tires and abandoned brand-new machines to the Swedes. "In Sweden there are 10,000 automobiles. There are about 1,000 in operation on tires from which has disappeared all semblance of the original casing. Sweden has been placed in this predicament because of the number of tires that went to Germany from its ports earlier in the war. England having denied it rubber supplies, tires are scarcer there now than diamonds.

"Gasoline is nearly as big a problem as tires in the Central Empires. In Germany and Austria the price is \$6 a gallon, and it cannot be obtained without a Government permit. All the European countries now have a permit system in force for the purchase of gasoline. I found the price of gasoline per gallon in other countries to be: Sweden, \$1.75; Holland, \$1.50; Denmark, \$1.35; Italy, \$1; Spain, \$1.10; Greece, \$1.50; France, \$1.25, and Great Britain, 95 cents."

COURT OF REVISION.—The Court of Revision in connection with the list of Jurors recently taken will begin to sit next week.



Our Volunteers.

The following recruits offered at the East End Recruiting Station within the past two days: FOR THE ARMY. P. Sherry, St. John's. H. Alamy, St. John's. John Lewis, Lower Island Cove. E. H. Hopkins, Heart's Content. W. J. French, Winterton. Arn Chate, Goules. Marshall Grey, Lumsden North. Job Winter, Wesleyville.

FOR THE FORESTRY CO.

Walter Goolbe, St. John's.

At the Crescent.

"The Three Wise Men," a pictorialization of the Biblical story is the headliner at the Crescent Picture Palace to-day. This great feature is produced as a Selig Diamond special in three reels featuring Bessie Eytan and Thomas Santschle. One of the most thrilling adventures of "Grant, Police Reporter," is entitled, "Winged Diamonds," with the fearless George Larkin and Olive Kirby. The favourite Lillian Walker is presented in a unique Vitagraph comedy entitled "The Fusters." A programme of the latest and best music accompanies this great show, don't miss it to-day.

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Theatre Hill Drug Store is open every night till 9.30.

From Cape Race.

CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind South, light; weather clear with a heavy easterly sea on; several schooners passed in this a.m. Bar. 29.70; ther. 52.

Here and There.

When you want Minced Collops, try ELLIS'.

HALLOWEEN CONCERT.—There will be a Halloween Concert in aid of a worthy cause held in the Potwood Hall, Hutchings Street, commencing at 8 a.m. to-night.

Just Arrived — Nyal's Face Cream at Stafford's Drug Stores, Duckworth St. and Theatre Hill. sep7,tf

BACK FROM LABRADOR.—The schooners Ungava and Caribou Hill have just arrived back to Harbour Grace from the Labrador with 1,700 and 1,100 quintals of fish, respectively.

When you want Roast Beef, Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roast Pork, try ELLIS'.

WORK AT BELL ISLAND.—The Nova Scotia Company began work yesterday on the new section of their property at Bell Island. This will afford additional employment.

Nyal's Assorted Talcums arrived to-day for Stafford's Drug Stores, Duckworth Street and Theatre Hill.—sep7,tf

RECRUITING SLOW.—The number of enlistments at the city recruiting stations for the month of October have not at all been up to expectations.

When you want something in a hurry for tea, go to ELLIS'—Head Cheese, Ox Tongue, Boiled Ham, Cooker Corned Beef, Bologna Sausage.

ACTIVITY ALONG WATERFRONT.—There is much activity at the waterfront during the present week in the handling of fish and supplies. Over thirty sail of schooners, which landed fish cargoes and loaded their winter's supplies here, left yesterday for their respective outport homes.

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Patriotic Dance.

The employees of the Royal Stores, Ltd., and their friends, numbering four hundred persons, held an enjoyable dance, in aid of patriotic purposes, at the British Hall last night. The ballroom was artistically decorated and a fortune telling booth erected there was well patronized; card games were also indulged in. The ladies' general refreshment during the night. The music was furnished by the Myron-O'Grady orchestra.

"The Rosary."

"The Rosary" by Edward E. Rose, will be the offering by the Gladys Klark Company for Wednesday and Thursday evenings and Saturday Matinee. "The Rosary" has been endorsed by public, press and clergy of all denominations. Backed by the endorsements of such eminent persons as President Elliot, Dr. Parham, Rev. Allyn K. Foster, Ella Wheeler Wilcox and hundreds and even thousands of others. "The Rosary" founded on the emblems of purity, preaches a moral lesson, so these notables think, even better than a sermon. There are many bright comedy situations and delightful love scenes in the play and is entirely free from anything objectionable, hence the endorsements of the notable people who have commended it to the public. These people tell the story: Rev. Bryan Kelly—Mr. George Mannus. Bruce Wilton—Mr. Burton Mallory. Kenwood Wright—Mr. Chas. Newhart. Lee Martin—Mr. Sam Waldon. Alice Marsh, Vera Wilton (Twin Sisters)—Miss Gladys Klark. Kathleen O'Connor—Miss Lillian Hall. Lesura Watkins—Miss Elythe Bryan. SYNOPSIS OF SCENES. ACT I.—Bruce Wilton's Country Home. "The hours I spent with thee, dear heart, Are like a string of pearls to me." ACT II.—The Study, two days later. "I count them over, every one apart, My Rosary, My Rosary." ACT III.—The Study next morning. "Each hour a pearl, each pearl a prayer, To still a heart in absence wrong." ACT IV.—The "Chapel of the Rosary" (one year later). "I tell each bead upon the end, And there a cross is hung."

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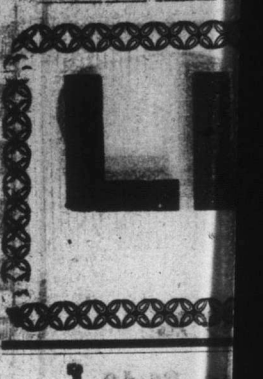
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