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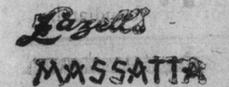
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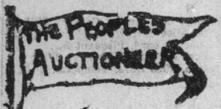
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CHAPTER XXXIX.

The Home-Coming.

"Well—er—yes!" he said, and at once began to talk about the journey of the morrow.

They started quite early the next day, and Norah cast a wistful glance at the sunny watering place as the train moved out of the station. She had been so supremely and perfectly happy there, you see. It was a long journey, and they did not arrive at Santeigh until late in the afternoon.

"I shall like just what you like to do," she replied, and, of course, he put his arm round her and kissed her.

They reached the Court, and she was stricken dumb with surprise at the sight of the Ferndales and Jack, who, with Mr. Petherick, were grouped in the hall, evidently anxiously awaiting their arrival.

"Why, what does it all mean?" she exclaimed, as she flew to Lady Ferndale with a little cry of delight. "Why are you all here—why are we here? Has the earl come back? Mr. Petherick, surely you don't mean to keep me in the dark?"

"Not for a moment, my dear young lady!" he responded, with a little cough of bewilderment. "I should be only too glad to enlighten you in respect to this—this—mystery; but I'm as much in the dark as you are. All I know is that I have received a communication from the earl—"

They had moved into the drawing room by this time, and he stood in the center of the group looking from one to the other.

"His lordship has written stating that he has invited you and Mr. Burne and our good friends here to dinner to-night, and that he hopes to have the pleasure of meeting them. The note reached me this morning, and contains just that and nothing more!"

Norah remained silent and open-eyed, looking from one to the other. "It's very mysterious," said Lady Ferndale with perfect gravity. "But,

at any rate, whether the missing young man puts in an appearance or not, I hope the dinner will be all right, for these young people must be terribly hungry. Come along, dear, there is barely time to dress!" And she carried Norah off.

Norah found her old room ready for her, and Harman waiting to attend upon her as of old; and in a condition of wonderment beyond description, changed her traveling dress for an evening one.

The sight of Harman awakened all the painful memories connected with Becca South. She asked gently if Harman had heard any tidings of the lost girl, and Harman, with a sigh, shook her head.

"No, my lady—no, ma'am—not a word, and—"

"I shall never hear of her again," but did not want to sadden her beloved mistress, and changed the subject.

Presently the big gong resounded through the house, and Norah went down into the drawing-room.

The Ferndales were there and Jack, but not Cyril nor Mr. Petherick. Norah looked round.

"He is not here yet!" said Lady Ferndale, taking her hand and drawing her to her almost protectingly.

"Are you very anxious to see the new earl, Norah?"

Norah smiled. A kind of presentiment of some approaching surprise and climax suddenly flashed upon her, but it was vague and indefinite.

"Are not you?" she said. "What does it all mean, and why does he come in this mysterious manner. Where is Cyril?"

"He will be here directly; he is in the library with Mr. Petherick," said Lord Ferndale, crossing over to her, and taking his place beside her, also with an air of supporting and encouraging her.

"He has something of importance to communicate to Mr. Petherick—"

"About the earl?" she asked, her brows coming together with a puzzled expression.

Before Lord Ferndale could answer, the door opened, and the butler, with a look baffling description, said:

"Lord Arrowdale."

Norah started, and held Lady Ferndale's hand tightly, and looked toward the door, but she saw no one beside Cyril and the old lawyer.

Then suddenly she caught a glimmering of the truth from a certain expression in Cyril's face. The next instant he was by her side, and had got both hands in his.

"Are you surprised, dearest?" he murmured.

"Am I? Cyril!" broke from her, as she clung to him, her lovely eyes searching his face. "Are you—?"

"Yes, countess!" said Mr. Petherick, with a slight emphasis on the

title. "The Earl of Arrowdale, for whom we have been looking so long, is none other than your husband, Mr. Cyril Burne!"

Norah uttered a faint cry, and trembled a little; and then, as they gathered round her, and, all talking at once, began to explain the mystery, the tears rose in her eyes, and, half-laughing, half-crying, she hid her face on Cyril's breast.

They were all excited, and the old lawyer certainly not the least.

"Of course, I have been a blind old idiot," he exclaimed to Lord Ferndale, "for I should have guessed the truth long ago. But, you see, we lawyers are not accustomed to romance, and—and it never occurred to me that Mr. Burne could be other than he represented himself. If I were to try and tell you how glad I am that things are as they are I couldn't do it!" And he laughed, and coughed, and nodded to one and the other.

"No need to trouble about that money now, you know, Lord Ferndale," and he chuckled.

"The money the late earl left to Norah?" said Lord Ferndale.

"Yes, yes!" assented the old man. "We shan't dispute the will now, Lord Arrowdale won't be troubled by us. He may keep it and welcome."

Cyril heard and looked round.

"It is not Lord Arrowdale's to keep, Mr. Petherick," he said with a laugh. "Will you take charge of this for Lady Arrowdale, please?" And he handed him the long blue packet in which he had inclosed the marriage certificate.

"Open it, please."

Mr. Petherick opened it, and hastily read the paper inclosed. Then he held out his hand with an impulse of satisfaction and approval.

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There was more handshaking and talking, but at last Lord Ferndale reminded the rest that dinner was waiting—and spoiling—and Cyril, relinquishing Norah to him, gave his arm to Lady Ferndale.

As the door opened they saw that the hall was full of servants. The butler had borne the startling news of Cyril's identity to the servants' hall, and, in a flutter of intense excitement, he had gathered together to give him and his beautiful wife a welcome.

Not for many years had the vaulted roof rung with such cheers as rose when the party came out from the drawing-room into the hall, and it was not until Cyril had led Norah forward, and spoken a few heartfelt words of greeting and thanks that the party were permitted to go in to dinner.

And long before the meal was over was heard the buzz and murmur of an excited crowd gathered on the terrace outside, for the news had spread through the village like wildfire, and the excited people had hurried to the Court to ascertain for themselves whether the story were true; whether, in deed, Mr. Cyril Burne were the new Earl of Arrowdale, and beautiful Lady Norah, whom they had learned to love, the countess; and it was not until Cyril had taken Norah out onto the terrace and presented himself and her to the cheering crowd that it would consent to betake itself to the merrymaking for which the household had made hasty preparations.

It was a night of wild excitement. Some ready-witted individuals rushed off to the church and set the bells ringing, and others hurriedly built up a huge bonfire on the green, and soon the flames were springing sky high, and helping the bells to proclaim the home-coming of the young earl and his bride.

With her arm within her husband's, and surrounded by their friends, Norah watched the red reflection of the great fire and listened to the pealing of the bells with feelings of profound joy and gratitude; joy so perfect and absorbing that it is little wonder she forgot for the moment the existence of such a person as Guildford Berton, or the mystery attending the disappearance of Becca South.

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- Andrews, Isaac, Patrick St.
- B Bartlett, John
- Baxter, Winnie, card, Quidd Vidi Rd.
- Bell, Wm., sr., Nagle's Hill
- Byrne, Edward, card, Alexander St.
- Bucham, Miss Mary, Duckworth St.
- Byrnes, Miss A., Prescott St.
- Best, Joseph, Holloway St.
- Bounds, Mrs. Joseph, Wills' Range
- Butler, Miss, late Newtown
- Bursey, Mrs. A. L., care Mrs. Hinds
- Bursey, Susan, retd.
- Brace, Miss Mary
- Byrne, R. C.
- Burry, Mrs. Baxter, Long's Hill
- Barnes, J. J., Boggan St.
- C Carr, Mrs. Augusta, card
- Chaulker, Miss Maud, Military Road
- Colbert, Thomas, retd.
- Cotter, D., Nagle's Hill
- Cooper, W. W.
- Corcum, Miss Helen V., Gower St.
- Cuff, George, care Joseph Ryan, Murray St.
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- Hickey, care Mr. Power, 32 — St.
- Hickey, Miss Aggie, care Mrs. Morrissey, Patrick St.
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- Holmes, Miss A., Hayward Avenue
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- J Johnson, Miss G., Bond St.
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- K Keeping, Miss Maggie A., care Gillis, Patrick St.
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- King, Joseph
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- Linthorne, Miss Alfreda, Methodist College Home
- Lynch, Mrs. Amelia, William St.
- M Martin, Miss Helen, Carter's Hill
- Martin, Miss L., Long's Hill
- Mason, Mrs. Joseph, Casey St.
- Meadus, Miss Barbara
- Mercer, Miss Janet, Lime St.
- Miller, Miss Leonard, Coronation St.
- Miller, Mrs. Clara, Cochranes St.
- Mills, Miss Lizzie, Henry St.
- Moore, Mrs. John, Colonial St.
- Moore, Mrs. M., Cook St.
- Moore, Edgar
- Mearney, Miss L., care Mrs. Anderson, Circular Rd.
- Murphy, James
- Mullett, Miss P., Henry St.
- Murphy, Joseph, George's St.
- N Newhook, Leander
- Nicholas, John
- Nixon, Mrs. D., card, Mundy Pond Rd.
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- Nugent, Mrs. Edward P., 34 — St.
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- Parsons, Miss Ethel
- Peddie, Miss Alice, care Mrs. Chard, Monroe St.
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- Scott, Miss Fannie, care Mr. Ryan, LeMerchant Rd.
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LLOYD GEORGE'S STIRRING SPEECH.

LONDON, To-day.

The attention of London was focused to-day upon the Guild Hall, where British financial leaders assembled to launch the new war loan meeting under the chairmanship of the Lord Mayor and Premier Lloyd George, the principal speakers, in their task of explaining to the city's financiers, merchants and citizens the details of the great financial operation which the new Chancellor of the Exchequer is to place before the country to-morrow in his promised speech was whetted by his recent visit to Rome, which in a formal prospectus. The interest was expected to colour his remarks and afford the keynote for the country in the wide war loan campaign of the next few weeks.

"The best security for peace in the future," Lloyd George said, "would be obtained when the Nations banded themselves together to punish peace breakers." Lloyd George spoke for forty minutes, dealing only briefly with the war loan. The Premier turned to the question of the German peace offer, saying the Kaiser sent out a message to his people that the Entente had rejected his peace offer. That was done to drug those whom he had been unable to drag, but where are actually the German peace offers? The Allies asked for them, but the Germans did not offer any terms. They only offered a trap baited with fair words. Such words tempted us once, but the Lion now has his eyes open. We have rejected no terms, but we have seen that war is better than peace at the price of Prussian domination of Europe. The Allies have made it clear in their reply to Germany and still clearer in their reply to the States that before they attempt to rebuild the temple of peace they must see that the foundations are solid. I have just returned from a Council of War from the great Allied countries upon whose shoulders the burden of this terrible war falls, Lloyd George said. I cannot give the conclusions reached there, but there were no delusions as to the magnitude of our task, neither were there any doubts of the result. We looked all difficulties in the face, probed them and made arrangements to deal with them. We separated with the feeling that if victory is difficult defeat is impossible. There was no flinching, wavering, faint-heartedness or infirmity of purpose. There was a grim resolution that at all costs we must achieve the high aims with which we accepted the challenge of the Prussian military caste and rid the world forever of its menace. One thing which impressed me at this conference, is the increasing extent to which the Allied people are looking to Britain, trusting in her rugged strength and great resources. She is to them like a great tower of dependence. She is becoming more and more the hope of the oppressed and the despair of oppression. To-day the armies of Britain are more for efficient than ever before in training, in equipment, in spirit and in humanity. The Allies are fully aware of the losses and suffering which the war causes neutrals as well as belligerents. They deplore them, but they do not hold themselves responsible for them, having in no way either willed or provoked them. They strive to reduce these damages in a measure compatible with the inexorable exigencies of their defence against the violence and wiles of the enemy. It is with satisfaction, therefore, that they take note of the declaration that the American Congress is in no way associated in its origin with that of the Central Powers transmitted on the eighteenth of December by the Government of the United States. They did not doubt, moreover, the resolution of that Government to avoid even the appearance of support of the moral authors responsible for the war. The Allied Governments believe they must protest in a friendly but not a hostile manner against the assimilation established in the American note between the two groups of belligerents. This assimilation is based on the public declaration by the Central Powers and is in direct opposition to the evidence both as regards responsibility for the past and as concerns guarantees for the future. President Wilson in mentioning it certainly had no intention of declaring himself with it. If there is an historical fact established at the present date, it is the willful aggression of Germany and Austria-Hungary to insure their hegemony over Europe and their economy domination over the world. Germany proved by her declaration of war, by her immediate violation of Belgium and Luxembourg, by her manner of conducting the war, her contempt of all purposes of humanity and all respect for small States. As the conflict developed the attitude of the Central Powers and their Allies has been one of defiance of humanity and civilization. It is necessary to recall the horrors which accompanied the invasion of Belgium and Serbia, the raids of Zeppelins on open towns, the destruction by submarines of steamers and merchantmen even under neutral flags, the judicial murders of Miss Cavell and Capt. Poyntz and the deportation and reduction to slavery of civil populations. The execution of such a series of crimes, perpetrated without any regard for universal prohibition, fully explains to President Wilson the protest of the Allies. They consider the note which they sent to the United States in reply to the German note will be a response to the questions put by the American

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Their objects in war will not be made known in detail, with all equitable compensations and indemnities for damages suffered, until the hour of negotiations; but the civilized world knows they implied all necessary, and in the first instance the restoration of Belgium, of Serbia and Montenegro and the indemnities which are due them; the evacuation of the invaded territories of France, Russia and Roumania, with just reparation; the reorganization of Europe guaranteed by a stable regime founded as much upon the respect of nationalities for full economic development, which all nations great or small possess, as upon territorial conventions and international agreements suitable to guarantee territorial and maritime frontiers wrested in the past from the Allies by force or against the will of their populations; and the expulsion from Europe of the Ottoman Empire, which proved itself so radically alien to western civilization. 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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor
H. A. WINTER, B.A., Editor
FRIDAY, January 12, 1917.

Clever Diplomacy.

The irregularities in the telegraph system, which by a sort of fatalism invariably occur when anything important is coming over the wires, are apparently responsible for the incoherence of the message that recites the Allies' reply to the United States. We have endeavored to make as much sense of it as possible. Our readers will at any rate be able to derive from our version the gist of this important document. The most cursory perusal will show the claims that have been made for it to be justified. In a word, the Allies have dejectedly turned the Wilson note, which at first blush seemed so plainly to militate against them, very much to their own advantage and to the discomfort of the enemy. For not merely is the length and particularity of their note in striking contrast with the curt and evasive reply that the Central Empires have made to America, but it uses to the full the opportunity afforded to inform neutral opinion, and even the opinion of the enemy proletariat, in many matters in which it was highly desirable that it should be informed.

The note falls broadly into two divisions. Preliminarily it answers the insinuations in Mr. Wilson's message that caused so much indignation among the Allies. Wilsonian apologists have made much of the grave "error" of the Allies in thinking that he represented the aims of both belligerents to be the same; he said, they say, not that the objects of the belligerents were the same, but that what they said were their objects were the same. The present note will suffice to acquit the Entente governments of this terrible confounding of Tweedledum and Tweedledee. With tremendous emphasis it details one by one the deeds of the Central Empires which themselves proclaimed the hollow hypocrisy of their pretended objects in the war. There should have been no need for Mr. Wilson to be answered in this, but he is answered, and the colossal and selfish stupidity of the West and Middle States, the war-aborning electorate that reinstated him, will have something to reflect upon.

The other part of the note that is important answers the direct request of the President. Though it refuses to state the Allies' terms in detail until the hour of negotiations, it nevertheless states them generally with a directness and unambiguity refreshingly original in diplomatic correspondence of this sort. We have neither the space nor feel the need to discuss them; we are in any case likely to hear enough about them in the future. The point is that the neutral world and the other side know now some of the things which one side at least means to achieve before it will think of peace. The wisdom and the courage of this statement are alike to be commended. Another point which should not be lost is the clear indication of Prussian militarism and predominance as the root evil of the whole matter. The note will find its way into the homes and minds of the German people. This aspect of the matter will strike them, and whatever

its reception, it will remain with them. Thus a great object of the Allies is already achieved, which may before long acquire an importance and achieve an effect at present hardly dreamt of.

Recruiting Meeting at Bell Island.

Another Contingent in Sight.
Mr. Geo. J. Adams, Chairman of the Conception Bay Recruiting Committee, accompanied by Major Carty, Privates Seymour, Small, Clouston and Mr. Charles E. Emerson, K.C., held a most successful meeting in the C. L. B. Armory at Bell Island last night. Stirring and patriotic addresses were given by those mentioned while Pte. Seymour gave a song. On the platform were Rev. Swan, Mr. MacDougal, Manager of the D. I. & S. Co., and other prominent people of the mining town. At the close of the address six recruits were secured and about twenty others signified their intention of joining up within a few days. All the party who left here yesterday, with the exception of Mr. Emerson, who returned this morning, will remain over till Monday, when recruiting meetings will be held at the mines and other places.

Wedding Bells

ST. CROIX-HALLERN.
On the 6th inst. a very quiet wedding took place at St. Vincent between Mr. Alden St. Croix, son of Mr. John St. Croix, and Miss Bridget Hallern, daughter of Mr. Edward Hallern. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. S. O'Riordan, P.P. The bride was neatly attired in a pretty dress of alice blue, with hat to match. Mr. Thomas Hallern, brother of the bride, was best man, and Miss Kitty Gibbons was bridesmaid and wore grey poplin. Before the marriage ceremony breakfast was served at the residence of the bride's parents, and at 2 p.m. dinner was given at the residence of the groom's father to over twenty guests. We wish Mr. and Mrs. St. Croix many years of happiness.—Com.

DUNN-HUDSON.

A very pretty wedding was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hudson, 201 Westmoreland Avenue, Toronto, on New Year's Day, when Miss Florence Hudson, their niece, was united in matrimony to Robert Dunn, Esq. of Humber Bay. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Albert Hudson, of Clinton St. Methodist Church. The bride, who was given away by her brother, wore a dainty gown of cream silk poplin with bridal veil, orange blossoms and seed pearls, and carried a bouquet of beautiful white roses. She was attended by her cousin Miss Susie Hudson, who wore a white embroidered voile dress and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The groom was assisted by Louis G. Hudson, of Toronto University, brother of the bride. The gift of the groom to the bride was a sunburst of pearls, to the bride a pearl necklace and to the best man a pearl tie pin. Wedding gifts in a neat costume of navy blue, with hat to match and a handsome set of furs presented by her brother, Mrs. Dunn is a daughter of N.B., and Mrs. A. G. Hudson, of Lower Island Cove, and makes her future home at Humber Bay, Toronto.—(Sgd.) G. A. Moores.

Curling Fixtures, 1917.

- 1. H. D. Reid Medal. Points—Open to all. Thursday, Jan. 11th. Taylor Medal. Points—For Curlers of two years' standing and under. Thursday, Jan. 11th.
- 2. Victoria Trophy. Inter-Division—White vs. Blue. Tuesday, Jan. 16th.
- 3. Bonavista Trophy. Inter-Division—Red vs. Green. Thursday, Jan. 18th.
- 4. Thanksgiving Day. Monday, Jan. 22nd.
- 5. Jubilee Medal. Points—Open to all. Wednesday, Jan. 24th.
- 6. R. G. Reid Trophy. Natives vs. All Comers. Thursday, Jan. 25th.
- 7. Greiner Cup. Inter-Division—Blue vs. Green. Tuesday, Jan. 30th.
- 8. Buchanan Cup. Inter-Division Red vs. White. Thursday, Feb. 1st.
- 9. Cowan Medal. Points—Open to all. Tuesday, Feb. 6th.
- 10. Wright Medal. Points—For Curlers of two years' standing and under. Tuesday, Feb. 6th.
- 11. T. & A. Cup. Inter-Division—Green vs. White. Thursday, Feb. 8th.
- 12. Bennett Shield. Inter-Division—Blue vs. Red. Tuesday, Feb. 13th.

Rod and Gun.

Among the stories in the January Rod and Gun which is now on the news-stands is "The Pilgrimage," by H. C. Haddon, "Starting the New Year Right," by F. V. Williams, "Camping in the Heart of the Rockies," by E. Anderson, "The Lost Cabin in Mine of Calchas," by Mike Jay, "A Hunting and Fishing Trip in British Columbia," by T. S. Scott, "With the Oceanographers," by R. J. Fraser, etc., etc. Reginald Gourlay contributes an article on "Our Passing Game Birds," to the Conservation Department and the other regular departments are well maintained. W. Taylor, Limited, Publisher, Issues Rod and Gun at Woodstock, Ont.

From Cape Race.

CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind south, strong, dense fog and rain. Bar. 29.50; ther. 42.

ASK FOR MINARD'S LINIMENT AND TAKE NO OTHER.

Convicted of Assault and Theft

By the S. S. Prospero there arrived here this morning from King's Cove, a prisoner named John Maloney for the Penitentiary. Maloney belongs to Sweet Bay, Bonavista Bay, and only a few days ago was tried before Magistrate Somerton, at Trinity, for assaulting a girl by striking her a couple of blows in the face and telling her to mind her own business; also he was charged with having committed a series of petty larcenies. He pleaded guilty and for the assault got two months imprisonment and one month for the theft or a total sentence of 3 months.

Pansy League.

Government House.
January 10, 1917.
To Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir,—Will you please let me write another letter in your paper to tell all my good friends that the Pansy League will give a Matinee at 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, January 13th, at the Rossley British Theatre. Mr. and Mrs. Rossley are very kindly doing all the hard work. Then our friend, Mr. Wheeler, will come, escorted by that jolly smiling Doll of his, then we can all have a good laugh. Come and join. Our never failing friends, Messrs. Gray & Goodland, are selling tickets. The price of tickets will all be sold. Pollywog will sing in French; he really is a beautiful singer, many friends have said a real wonder. Come and see me put my kittens to bed, and take them for a drive in my pretty Pansy League cart. Little Rex, where are you come along, dear friend, a nice taste of Mr. O'Regan's noted prime beef awaits us if we are good. Polly likes peanuts, and if you like candy you will find some nice little friends of mine selling very good candies, please help them unload their goods. The price of tickets are 10 and 20 cents on sale at Gray & Goodland's, and I have some for sale, too. Well, good bye, dear friends. I hope to see you on Saturday at the British Hall. I once did belong to Mr. and Mrs. Rossley. It was their wish I should prove a useful and good cat and thanks to so many kind friends I have so far succeeded. Will you still help me?
With many grateful puffs,
I am, your loving friend,
PANSY.

Citizens' Committee.

Deputation to Select Committee Report Progress.
At the regular weekly meeting of the Citizens' Committee held in the Board of Trade Rooms last night Chairman Mr. A. Soper presided.
The minutes of the last regular and that of the special meeting were read and adopted. The deputation who attended the meeting of the Select Committee of the Legislature reported progress and the consensus of opinion was that the committee will favour their suggestions. A revision of the work gone through at the previous meetings, some of which remained on the minute book as unfinished business, was again taken up and sections 68 to 91 were discussed.
Touching on section 78 under the division of "Management of City Property" in relation to the cost of improvements such as water and sewerage, drains, etc., on streets that may be opened up in future, the charter proposes that the cost of such improvements should be borne by the owners of the property. This in the opinion of the majority of the committee was an unfair measure as it would cause a hardship to be made on the owners of streets in the city for the past twenty years in which those improvements have been made. Other property owners in the city were given these privileges out of the general funds of the Council, and it was only fair that the owners should have a like privilege. But in all cases where new streets are opened up and property increased in value, in some cases a thousand fold, the land owner be made pay for the improvements.

Sections 80, 81 and 82 were amended to read where the Council decides to widen or improve existing streets in the city or install main sewerage and water they shall do so at expense of the city.
Section 91 subsection (a), wherein the Council shall make rules and regulations prescribing the class of house which may be built upon any street within the city limits, was considered by a majority of one, so too drastic and unjust. All Comers, in the opinion of those voting against the section that it would be the means of encouraging restricted districts as in England.

THANKS TO THE FRENCH DRY CLEANING PROCESS
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Train Notes.

The incoming express left Port aux Basques this morning.
Wednesday's mail and freight reached Port aux Basques this morning.
The local from Carbonar reached the city at 12.15 p.m. to-day.
THREE SAD CASES.—Three male patients for the Insane Asylum, one from King's Cove, B.B. and the others from Twillingate District, arrived by the s.s. Prospero this morning and were conveyed to the institution in a cab.
Turkeys, Ducks, Geese and Chicken at ELLIS'.
DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS
CURE FOR RHEUMATISM, BRUISES, DIARRHOEA, GRAVEL, GOUT, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, HEADACHE, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE URINARY TRACT.
BOTTLES 25c. PER DOZEN \$2.50. THE PHARMACEUTICAL CO., ST. JOHN'S, N.F.

McMurdo's Store News

FRIDAY, Jan. 12, '17.
Zoetix is still one of the best esteemed among tonics, and gives remarkable results in cases of neurasthenia, loss of appetite, want of tone, debility and in convalescence from fever and other weakening diseases. It is very pleasant to take and is easily assimilated. Large bottle, price \$1.30.
Daniel's Remedies are, we think, likely to "catch on." They are specific remedies, and each has a clearly defined purpose and range of action. Dr. Daniel's "Familiar" book may be had from us for the asking.
Reids' Boats.
The Argyle left Piacentia at 4.45 p.m. yesterday.
The Home left Exploits at 4.20 p.m. yesterday.
The Kyle reached Port aux Basques this morning.
The Melite arrived at St. Lawrence at 1.20 p.m. yesterday going west.
The Sagona left Port aux Basques to-day.
MINARD'S LINIMENT USED BY PETER HARR.

In the Magistrate's Court.

(F. J. Morris, K.C., Presiding).
Constable Whelan vs. Edward Sinnott.
For breach of Sec. 4 of the Act to Prohibit the Importation, Manufacture and Sale of Intoxicating Liquors into and in Newfoundland after the first day of January, 1917.

Judgment on Preliminary Objection.
In the matter Mr. J. A. W. McNelly, Counsel for the Defence, raises a preliminary objection to my jurisdiction as Justice of the Peace to hear and determine these proceedings, quoting Section 6 of the Act, which provides: "All penalties under this Act shall be sued for, imposed and recovered in a summary manner before a Stipendiary Magistrate by any person who shall sue for same."

It is contended by Mr. Hunt and Mr. Dunfield, appearing for the Prosecution, that under Section 24 of the Quarter Sessions Act, as Justice of the Peace I have jurisdiction to try this complaint. The Section is as follows: "In places in which there may be no Stipendiary Magistrate, or when he shall be absent, a Justice of the Peace may exercise his jurisdiction and authority as if he were a Stipendiary Magistrate, save summary trials under Sections 8 and 9 of this Act."

As these are the first proceedings taken under the "Intoxicating Liquors Prohibition Act, 1916," and the rights and interests of a number of citizens are affected by the operation of the Statute, and as the question of jurisdiction has been raised by the learned counsel for the Defence, I will immediately report the matter to the Minister of Justice. Dated the 12th day of January, A.D. 1917.

Citizens' Committee.

At the regular weekly meeting of the Citizens' Committee held in the Board of Trade Rooms last night Chairman Mr. A. Soper presided.
The minutes of the last regular and that of the special meeting were read and adopted. The deputation who attended the meeting of the Select Committee of the Legislature reported progress and the consensus of opinion was that the committee will favour their suggestions. A revision of the work gone through at the previous meetings, some of which remained on the minute book as unfinished business, was again taken up and sections 68 to 91 were discussed.
Touching on section 78 under the division of "Management of City Property" in relation to the cost of improvements such as water and sewerage, drains, etc., on streets that may be opened up in future, the charter proposes that the cost of such improvements should be borne by the owners of the property. This in the opinion of the majority of the committee was an unfair measure as it would cause a hardship to be made on the owners of streets in the city for the past twenty years in which those improvements have been made. Other property owners in the city were given these privileges out of the general funds of the Council, and it was only fair that the owners should have a like privilege. But in all cases where new streets are opened up and property increased in value, in some cases a thousand fold, the land owner be made pay for the improvements.

Sections 80, 81 and 82 were amended to read where the Council decides to widen or improve existing streets in the city or install main sewerage and water they shall do so at expense of the city.
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Opening Announcement

We beg to announce to the public that we have taken over an up-to-date Baking Plant in the city and will be prepared to supply the trade with a strictly first-class line of Bakers' Goods.
Mr. J. Calder, Duckworth Street, will carry a full line of our goods, and all orders telephoned him or otherwise will receive careful attention and prompt delivery.
A full line will be on display at his store to-morrow evening (Saturday). Call in when down town and buy our goods.
C. W. JOHNSON, FANCY BAKER.
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Here and There.

There will be NO practice for Gower St. Choir to-night.—li
HERRING PLENTIFUL.—Herring are plentiful in the North Arm, Bay of Islands, the past few days.
WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is strong southwest wind and dull, temperature 30 to 50 above.
ON RECRUITING TROOP.—Major Carty and several privates went to Bell Island yesterday on a recruiting campaign. Needless to say patriotic Bell Island will respond liberally.
ANNUAL RETREAT.—On next Tuesday evening the members of the Juvenile T. A. & B. Society will be given their annual treat.
RESUMED DUTY.—Constables Kelly, Green and Hibbard, who were stationed in the interior, during the Christmas and New Year season, have resumed duty in the city.
SHIPWRIGHTS MET.—A special meeting of the Shipwrights' Union was held last night at the Star Hall and discussed an important matter.

Children's & Misses' DRESSES!



We are now showing a very large selection of Children's and Misses' Winter Dresses, English and American, in Velvet and Serge. The last word in style, fit and finish; shades of Green, Brown, Plum and Saxe, trimmed with White and Coloured Glaze Leather Belts, etc.

\$2.50 to \$7.70 each.
150 Dresses in the lot to select from, every one a gem to itself; just in time for school opening.

See Windows.

BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.

PHONE 484.
MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE CAREFUL CONSIDERATION.

A Royal Smoke

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Former Liquor Man Arrested While Leaving The Country.

Bernard J. McGarry, former manager of Mary Connors' Saloon, Water Street West, and proprietor and owner of McGarry's Cafe, 202 Water Street, has been held at Port aux Basques on a deposition taken out against him by parties in the city to whom, it is alleged, he owes several thousand dollars. Butchers, grocers, furniture dealers and bakers have some big accounts to settle with the saloon manager. The wonder is that a great many of our business houses put such trust in foreigners of whom they know so little.
COCHRANE ST. CHOIR.—All members of Cochrane St. Choir are requested to be in their places for the Prayer Service this evening. The final rehearsal for the Dedication Service of the new organ will be held at the close of the service to-night. A full attendance requested.
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Every Item a Bargain.

CUSHION COVERS.

Fawn Crash, with a full frill 3 inches wide and prettily embroidered centres. This cover measures 18 x 18 inches and is good value at the regular price of 30c. each. Friday and Saturday **24c**

IMITATION CHAMOIS DUSTERS.

Made from soft Flannelette with red bordered edges; size 23 x 24 inches, finished ready for use. Reg. 20c. each. Friday and Saturday **17c**

TURKISH TOWELS.

Good large sizes and heavy qualities in Red, Grey, Fawn and White stripes; fringed and bordered ends. Special value—these towels cannot be replaced to-day to sell at much above the regular price of 35 cents each. Special for Friday and Saturday **29c**

PILLOW CASES.

Of soft firm pillow cotton with beautifully embroidered corners and frill of soft lawn around the edge. They come in the most popular size being 18 x 28 inches. Reg. 30c. ea. Friday and Saturday **24c**

LADIES' SPATS.

Black, Navy and Tan Cloth Spats, firmly bound at the edges with leather and linen tape and finished with a neat leather strap and buckle to fasten under the foot, 9 and 11 inches high; all sizes from 3 to 7. Regular 90c. and 95c. pair. Friday and Saturday **86c**



HONEYCOMB COATINGS.

Fashion's favorite at a quick clearing price. Nothing more stylish or up to date. Get your length on Friday or Saturday while the price is low. Comes 54 inches wide in mixed shades of Blue and Fawn, Green and Fawn and Gold and Fawn. Regular \$1.40 yard. Friday and Saturday **\$1.25**

LADIES' COLLARS.

Starched Double Collars in plain openwork and embroidered; square and round corners; at a price that will sell them quickly. Reg. 25c. each. Friday and Saturday **12c**

Announcement!

Our JANUARY WHITE SALE will be open on Tuesday, January 16th

with the most surprising values of the season.

This Sale will prove of inestimable importance to economy seekers everywhere.

Nothing that brains and push and clever merchandising can accomplish will be omitted to make it a welcome bargain event to all.

Look out for further particulars in Monday's daily papers.

Unusual Bargains in the Showroom Dept.

MISSSES' and YOUNG LADIES' IMITATION FURS.

In Light and Dark Mixed Brown, Black Seal-ette with colored fur trimmed ends and fancy Greys. The neckpieces are in various pretty styles, some cross-over effects, others long throw-over styles, with narrow centres and wide ends, and some in plain straight makes. The Muffs are pillow shaped; they are lined with silk and satin. Reg. \$5.00 set. Friday and Saturday **\$4.00**

FLANNELETTE DRESSING JACKETS.

In pretty floral designs on Hello, Pink, Grey and Pale Blue grounds. They are made in a fashionable loose fitting style daintily trimmed with a band of one inch satin around the collar and extending down the front on either side. Truly a money-saving value. Reg. 75c. each. Friday and Saturday **68c**

CHILDREN'S WOOL JERSEYS.

In Brown and Sage, sizes to fit from two to five; neck body and welt all one piece, made in a fine elastic ribbing and the Jersey perfectly fitting and comfortable to the wearer. Reg. 95c. to \$1.05 each. Friday and Saturday **90c**

LADIES' WAISTS.

Dainty and stylish Waists, made from fine poplin, trimmed with collars of self material and plain and fancy striped silks, inconspicuous and blending shades; raglan or set in sleeves; the colors are: Grey, Sage, Brown, Tan, Champagne, Rose and Royal Blue. Reg. \$1.85. Friday and Saturday **1.65**

RIBBONS.

In popular light and dark stripes and plain colors, 4 to 5 inches wide. Can be used for Sash, Hair Ribbon, Millinery, etc. Regular values to 30 cents yard. Friday and Saturday **20c**

LADIES' CORSETS.

Consider this opportunity, the graceful figure that the styles require is given by this comfortable fitting, serviceable Corset which has been carefully designed with the new slightly incurved waist. Medium, High or Low bust; well boned; all hose supporters of strong elastic; all which make the Jersey perfectly fitting and comfortable to the wearer. Reg. \$1.25 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.05**

COSTUME SKIRTS.

Ladies' plain tailored Costume Skirts, in Black and Navy Cloth, smart high waist styles with belted back, and trimmed with large bone buttons at waist and side; a remarkable value at this low price. Reg. \$2.00 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.70**



UTRECHT VELVET.

For upholstery purposes in pretty shades of Red and Green; 24 inches wide. Remarkable wearing quality, firm back and close thick pile. Regular \$1.75 yard. Friday and Saturday **\$1.55**

CORDUROY VELVET.

Very fine cord, 21 inches wide, in a full line of selected shades for Costumes, Coats, etc. This is a splendid material for children's wear and an exceptional bargain at this low price. Special for Friday and Saturday, per yard **59c**

Money-Saving Opportunities in Men's Wear.



Splendid SHIRT VALUES

MEN'S SHIRTS.
A splendid variety of assorted qualities in Repps and Fancy Brocaded Shirt materials; coat styles with soft double cuffs and starched collar bands; separate longy collar with pointed corners; all sizes. Would be good value at \$1.80 each. Special for Friday and Saturday **1.35**

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS.
Made from fine American Shirt Cotton in assorted striped patterns; stiff cuffs and collar bands; all sizes. Reg. \$1.25 each. Friday and Saturday **1.10**

MEN'S TIES.

Wide end style in striped, spotted, fancy and plain patterns, also a small quantity of knitted ties in plain and striped. Special for Friday and Saturday, each **37c**

MEN'S HALF HOSE.

Made from soft wool yarns in Black only; 31 ribbed legs; seamless feet; spliced heels and toes; in a full range of sizes from 10 to 11 1/2 inch. Regular 65c. pair. Friday and Saturday **61c**

BOYS' OVERCOATS.

A small quantity of Overcoats to fit Boys from 3 to 8 years of age, made from heavy dark tweeds in good fitting styles; belted back, military collars; belted seams; in the popular double breasted style. These coats are special value and well worth \$3.50 each. Special for Friday and Saturday **3.00**

BOYS' SHEEPSKIN GLOVES.

Salamanca tanned, in sizes to fit boys from 7 to 14 years; lined with warm fleecy material and finished at the wrist with stout leather wristbands. Reg. 60c. pair, worth considerably more. Friday and Saturday **54c**

MEN'S BLACK TIES.

About 15 dozen only, the balance of a big purchase. They come in Black only, knitted in a neat stitch with pressed centres that will fit perfectly the close double collars; values up to 40c. each. Special, Friday and Saturday, each **10c**

STANFIELD'S UNDERWEAR.

Heavy, pure wool underwear, in Stanfield's famous make and guaranteed unshrinkable; sizes 34 to 40 inch shirts and 32 to 40 inch drawers. Reg. \$2.25 garment. Friday and Saturday **1.98**

SILVERWARE.

We offer a small quantity of Silverware this week at less than half price, consisting of Marmalade Jar, Shaving Mug, Trinket Box, Napkin Rings, etc.; also, 1 Set of Beaten Brass Dinner Gongs of Japanese design. Less than Half Their Regular Values to clear.

Hosiery Bargains

LADIES' HOSE.

Black and Tan in wide ribbed and plain; shaped legs; seamless toes and heels; all sizes. Reg. 55c. pair. The Tans would be good value at 75c. Special for Friday and Saturday **50c**

MISSSES' HOSE.

Black Cotton with a soft Cashmere finish; close ribbed feet; spliced heels and toes; sizes from 5 to 8 in. Reg. 25c. each. Friday and Saturday **16c**

NAP CLOTHS.

In pretty shades of Navy and Blue Grey, 56 inches wide; heavy close curl, perfect finish. These naps were bought almost twelve months ago and to-day's value would be about \$4.75. Reg. \$4.20 yard. Friday and Saturday **3.60**

BOYS' CAPS.

Of heavy worsted material in plain and fancy striped; a splendid cap for winter wear, can be used in Nansen or Pulman style. Reg. 80c. each. Friday and Saturday **74c**

MEN'S CAPS.

In dark grey tweeds with soft wool ear bands, to turn up on the inside; sizes: 6 1/2 to 7 1/2; golf shapes. Reg. 85 cents each. Friday and Saturday **78c**

BOYS' TUNIC SUITS.

Dark tweeds; belted suits; with round collar, over which is a white linen detachable collar which gives it a smart dressy appearance. These suits are neatly trimmed with two rows of fancy buttons; sizes from 3 to 7 years; \$2.00 values. Special for Friday and Saturday **2.45**

Smallwares

NAPOLÉON FACE POWDER.

Perfect face powder in White only; highly perfumed, in medium size flat boxes. Special value. Reg. 25c. box. Friday and Saturday **8c**

ASBESTOS IRON HOLDERS.

Of stout flowered chintz, strongly bound with grey linen binding and fitted with loop of tape for hanging. Reg. 4c. each. Friday and Saturday **7c**

MUSHROOM BARBERS'.

Of varnished hardwood with screw handles for holding needles; they make your darning much easier and give a soft smooth darn every time. Special for Friday and Saturday **9c**

PINS.

Loose leaf book of electroplated pins in assorted sizes; very conveniently arranged, any size of pin instantly. Special for Friday and Saturday per book **5c**

BACK COMBS.

Plain shell back combs in assorted designs, dark brown shades; strong teeth. Reg. 15c. each. Friday and Saturday **4c**

J.W.R. SEWING COTTON.

Six cord cotton for hand or machine use; superior quality; all sizes. Reg. 12c. 5c. reel. Friday and Saturday **12c**

LADIES' KID GLOVES.

Which have gracefully shaped fingers and well placed thumbs; they fasten with Dome fasteners or buttons and come in pretty shades of Tan, Navy, Sage, Beaver and Black in a full range of sizes. Reg. \$1.35 pair. Friday and Saturday **1.22**

GROCERIES.

- DELMONT APRICOTS. Regular 30c. per tin for **27c**
- EGG PLUMS. Regular 25c. tin for **22c**
- TINS PEACHES. Reg. 15c. tin for **12c**
- NATIONAL ROLLED OATS. Reg. 35c. per lb. **30c**
- 1 lb. POT'S RED CURRANT JAM. Special, each **30c**
- ROBERTSON'S TANGERING MARMALADE. Special, per lb. **25c**
- MUSHROOM KETCHUP. Special, per bottle **25c**
- MOONEY'S CRISP BREAD. Special, per tin **25c**

Smallwares

- PHOTO FRAMES.**—Made from hard metal and finished in gilt with mat to match; the outside measurement is 5 x 6 1/2 inches; they are fitted with adjustable back stands and take post card size photographs. Reg. 25c. each. Friday and Saturday **22c**
- TOILET SOAP.**—In Almond, Peroxide, etc.; they are guaranteed by the manufacturers to be of absolute purity and are made almost exclusively of the highest quality of coconut oil. Reg. 8c. cake. Special for Friday and Saturday **13c**
- HOBBY BOOKS.**—Carefully written by acknowledged experts and fully illustrated, many subjects, including Gardening, Woodwork, Needlework, Home Entertainments, Stamp Collecting, Home Mechanics, Pets, Motoring, Poultry Keeping, Photography and many others. Reg. 35c. each. Friday and Saturday **29c**
- CREEPERS.**—Self-adjusting style, that fit any size heel; they fasten over the instep with black leather strap and buckle; others to fasten with continuous band of elastic. Reg. 35c. pair. Friday and Saturday **32c**

CHILDREN'S WOOL GLOVES.

Plain and fancy colors; these gloves are splendid value and cannot be purchased to-day at almost twice the price asked. Special for Friday and Saturday, per 16c pair **16c**

The Royal Stores Ltd.

War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A. M.

CARDINAL MERCIER.

PARIS, Jan. 11. Cardinal Mercier, in a private letter printed in La Croix, the official church organ, writes: "We are all prisoners here, but if the neutrals knew the treatment inflicted on us I don't believe that they would confine themselves to verbal remonstrances. If they did we should have to despair of fraternal charity and humanity." The Cardinal said in a postscript, that although the Belgians are depressed they are by no means discouraged, and few want peace without victory.

TURKISH TRENCHES CAPTURED.

LONDON, Jan. 11. Six lines of entrenchments, covering the town of Rafa, on the Sinai Peninsula, have been captured by the British, it is announced officially. The statement says 1,600 Turks were captured. Rafa is thirty miles northeast of Elarish, Egypt.

DEPRIVED OF COMMAND.

LONDON, Jan. 11. A despatch to the Daily Mail from Paris, says: "I have it confirmed from neutral sources, usually very well informed on such matters in Germany, that Crown Prince William has been deprived of all effective military command."

BRITISH ADMIRALTY SHIP CORNWALLIS SUNK.

LONDON, Jan. 11. The British Admiralty Ship Cornwallis has been sunk by a submarine. The seaplane carrier Benny-chree also has been sunk.

FRENCH TROOPS EXPLODE MINE.

PARIS, Jan. 11. In the Argonne district French troops exploded a mine, causing heavy damages to their adversaries, according to the French war office. An attack by Germans on the Meuse right bank was repulsed with heavy losses to the Germans.

FORECASTING TERMS OF PEACE.

LONDON, Jan. 11. The Manchester Guardian's London correspondent, forecasting the terms of the Entente Allies' reply to President Wilson, says, restitution, reparation and securities are demanded, and the note gives some indications of the aims of the Allies in redrawing the map of Europe. The principle governing this must be the question of national losses, and certain formulas are mentioned. Belgium must regain her independence and be indemnified for her losses. The boundaries of France must be redrawn in a spirit of restitution. Italy must redeem her provinces, and the boundaries of the Balkans must be redrawn in conformity with nationality and history. Russia must have access to a warm sea. Great Britain is not mentioned, nor is the question of the colonies. The reply also deals with American proposals for a league to enforce peace which is approved in principle, but questions how such a league can be brought about and the machinery by which peace can be enforced. The striking thing to the world is that while the President directed a note to each of the Allies, the Allies reply as one.

DEAD.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11. Wayne MacVeagh, Attorney General in the Cabinet of President Garfield, is dead.

Your Boys and Girls.

You should be very careful of the food given baby after weaning. Between ten and twelve months it should be some simple soft food, such as junket and the gruel from oatmeal and other soft cereals. Baked potato is very good if it is properly prepared. Butter and cream may be added to the potato.

The juice extracted from a piece of boiled beef is excellent. Broths made from beef, mutton or chicken should be given with toasted stale bread. About three ounces at a time is the correct amount for baby over twelve months.

The baby between twelve and eighteen months should be given three meals a day with a light meal between breakfast and dinner and again between dinner and supper.

OUR VOLUNTEERS.—A shooting party was at the Southside range yesterday in charge of Lieut. Winter. The following offered themselves for enlistment yesterday: Geo. H. Hancock, Briggs; Albert Richards, St. John's; Harvey Mercer, Long Island, N.D.R.

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ADVICE.

By RUTH CAMERON.



RUTH CAMERON

I want to tilt at an accepted belief to-day, that it is not wrong to give advice carelessly because people almost never take the advice they ask for.

"Advice is the one thing which everybody likes to give and nobody likes to take" is a typical epigram—that is "some thing that people accept as true because it is easy to remember."

But why is it wholly true? Aren't we swayed by what other people think we ought to do more than that admits.

As I look back I can see many a place where what people thought I ought to do upheld me.

To take a humble instance. Once upon a time when I was a newspaper reporter I lost my position just two or three weeks before Christmas. I had only had the position about two months and I had been saving hard for two things, to get myself a much needed winter outfit and to buy some nice Christmas gifts. I had not saved enough to do both and I was in a quandary. Should I buy measly Christmas presents and get the suit or should I wear my old clothes, buy the lovely Christmas presents I had planned and get a new suit when I landed the

new position of which I had strong hopes.

I thought she'd advise me to do what I wanted.

I met a friend on the street one day and I put it up to her. She was the kind of person whom I expected to advise me to do what I selfishly wanted to do—get the suit. Instead she gave me a surprise by saying, "Get the Christmas presents." And I did.

The sequel is rather interesting. I landed the new position and after Christmas, when prices were down, I happened upon the prettiest suit I ever owned or expect to own. Had I bought before Christmas I should doubtless have gotten something commonplace.

Sometimes I Get the Advice I Wickedly Want.

That is one of many times when I was bolstered up by good advice to do the unselfish thing.

And then there were other occasions when I weakened by someone who deliberately chimed in with the advice my selfish self was giving me.

It is always a temptation to do that when people ask advice. It gives one a temporary popularity. But it isn't real friendship. Refuse advice at all if you wish but if you speak, don't be careless in your advice giving. Remember you may speak at just the moment of indecision when your word will tip the scales one way or the other.

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Volunteers Shooting Competition

L. Corp. Gladney Wins With Good Score.

Capt. W. H. Rennie, Shooting Instructor, presented Mr. K. Blair's prize to L. Corp. W. J. Gladney after the competition closed yesterday afternoon. The range was 200 yards, 5 shots, no time limit and with rapid firing 5 rounds in 30 seconds.

The following scores were made:—

Name	Application	Rapid	Total
L.-C. W. Gladney	18	19	37
Pte. L. Hillier	19	14	33
Pte. L. Pigrim	19	13	32
Pte. D. Drake	17	14	31
Pte. P. Nottal	16	15	31
Pte. W. Mews	18	12	30
Pte. C. Tavernor	15	11	26
Pte. A. H. Greave	13	13	26
Pte. L. Hillier	15	10	25
Pte. G. Ballam	16	8	24
Pte. W. F. Coffield	17	7	24
Pte. J. LeDrew	15	9	24
Pte. Stowbridge	11	12	23
Pte. T. Ryan	17	6	23
Pte. W. Sampson	8	13	21
Pte. J. F. Burke	13	6	19

Patriotic Opera.



In aid of the W. P. A. Funds and under the patronage of His Grace the Archbishop, the pupils of the Mercy Convent will reproduce "The Hours" at the Archbishop's Library, also the operetta "Cinderella in Flowerland" will again be presented to-night.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited. Gentlemen.—Theodore Dorais, a customer of mine, was completely cured of rheumatism after five years suffering, by the judicious use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

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A. OOTE, Merchant, St. Isidore, Que., 12 May, '98.

Marine Insurance Company's

ANNUAL MEETING.

Appended is the annual report of the Nfld. Marine Insurance Co., Ltd., presented by its Secretary, Mr. W. A. Munn, at the annual meeting yesterday afternoon. Election of officers resulted thus:—

President—Hon. R. K. Bishop.
 Vice-Pres. Hon. A. F. Goodridge.
 Board of Directors—Hon. M. G. Winter, C. P. Ayre, John S. Munn, J. Browning, A. H. Murray and W. A. Munn, Secretary.

REPORT.

Sixth Annual Report of the Directors of the Newfoundland Marine Insurance Company, Ltd.

To the Shareholders of the Newfoundland Marine Insurance Company, Ltd. Your Directors have pleasure in meeting you to-day in the sixth annual meeting of the Company. This Company since the small beginnings of six years ago has shown steady advancement and the conservative policy pursued by your Directors has, while affording a large measure of convenient protection to the Trade, produced very satisfactory returns upon the capital invested. The business has increased year by year, and for 1916 our Premium Income amounted to \$82,000.00. The retention of this amount in the Trade of this country, instead of sending it out to Britain or other countries, would of itself justify the existence of this Company. Our income of the past year has been derived largely from War Risk Insurance and this, we are glad to say, has proved to be a very profitable business. The risks taken have been confined to the same limits as we accept for Marine Insurance. Upon your acceptance of the proposal, your Directors intend to pay from the profits of the past year a cash dividend on the subscribed capital, and a stock bonus addition of ten per cent. We have at present a cash balance of \$28,000 and \$52,400 invested in good profit paying securities, the earnings upon such investments for the past year being \$2,118.00. Our only loss paid under our policies of War Risk Insurance was upon cargo by S. S. "Stephano" upon which we lost \$7,200. Within the past few days we have heard of our second loss, but we have provided for that claim in our statement now before you. Your Directors bespeak for their successors your continued interest and support, and express the hope that you may find your next annual statement equally satisfactory, as the one placed in your hands to-day.

Many and varied are the ornaments for the head; they are even attaching streamers of tulle to ornamental hair bands.



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The Weather.

Hockeyists and skaters generally are very much disgruntled over the present spurt of summer-like weather. It looks now as if the hockey season will not open before February month. It is a coincidence that about this time last year we had a week of frosty and the most severe weather in the history of the country. Beginning on a Saturday night and continuing until Friday of the following week, the thermometer dropped to 22 below zero during that period and never went above 10 below. That week will go down in local annals and our oldest inhabitant cannot remember a harder spurt.

AN ILL WIND.



WILLY MASON

To pay the grocer for his butter I had to soak my tyre; my warlike breast was all a-flutter with forty kinds of ire. I quoted passages from Dante, in my profound despair, and said I'd wreck the grocer's shanty, and pull the grocer's hair. And then I heard that merchant mutter, "Cool down, cool down, my son! I wish that I could sell you butter at fifty cents the ton. For I am tired of hearing kickers who snort around and swear; I'm weary of the man who hickers and howls and paws the air. The grocer's friend, is in no danger of salting wealth away; it is the horny-handed granger who's getting rich to-day." Then I cast down my martial armor, my shotgun and my sword, and said, "If this thing helps the farmer, I'm sorry that I roared. When I was young and full of yearning for manhood to begin, I used to do the week-end churning, and bring the henfruit in. And so I'll make no further splutter, no more I'll rant around; for I'm aware that country butter is worth two bones a pound."

Aged Man Suicides.

Deputy Minister of Justice Hutchings received messages last night from Dr. R. J. Freebairn, Magistrate at Cape Broyle, and Constable Whelan, informing him that Pierce Carew, aged 65 years, belonging to that place, had taken his own life by shooting himself at 11 P.M. yesterday. No further particulars were given and a Magisterial enquiry is being held to find out the cause of the suicide.

L.C.A.S. MEETING POSTPONED.—The meeting of the Ladies' College Aid Society, which was to take place yesterday afternoon, was postponed.

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LONDON GOSSIP.

PRINCE ALBERT'S MAJORITY.

This week gives us a Royal coming-of-age, for Prince Albert was born on December 14th, 1895. After his long period of sick leave it is doubtful whether the Prince will get away from Portsmouth, and in any case there would be no celebration. Nor does his attaining of man's estate mean that he will set up an establishment. The King is averse from charging the State with large sums for the maintenance of his family, and for some time Prince Albert's allowances will come out of the Privy Purse. The Prince of Wales, of course, has a large income from his Duchy.

THE QUEEN'S BROTHERS DECORATED.

French decorations for Queen Mary's soldier brothers, the Duke of Teck and Prince Alexander of Teck, are now gazetted. Both these princes have been doing excellent military service in various capacities since the first month of the war. The Duke put in a good deal of hard work at the War Office last year as well as at Headquarters in the field, and fully deserved the French President's award of Commander of the Legion of Honour. His son, Prince George, is also in khaki with the 1st Life Guards. The Teck family belongs to the House of Wurttemberg, and the present Duke would be King of Wurttemberg now if his grandfather, Alexander Duke of Wurttemberg, had not married the Polish Countess de Rhedy. Prince Alexander adds his new decoration, Grand Officer of the Legion of Honour, to his D.S.O., which he won in the Boer War. During that campaign he was repeatedly mentioned in despatches. Baden-Powell appreciated his services at Mafeking. It has been said of Prince Alexander that "there is no officer in the Army more popular with his men." He sacrificed the Governor-Generalship of Canada to do his duty as a soldier in this war.

GOW OF GOWS.

Gow's old oyster shop in the Strand is one of the "home lights" to Londoners of the old school returning from abroad. It was there that George Augustus Sala went after he arrived at Charing Cross from a long visit to Paris, where he had been writing on the joys of Paris cookery, and his words on that occasion were "Thank God, at last I can get a steak." The founder of Gow's was buried last week. He came to London from Scotland about sixty years ago, and his taste in oysters and lobsters ultimately put him among the foremost in the trade. He opened shops in several places in London. He was a genial old gentleman, not only in the oyster season but at all times, and his secular interest was gardening. One of the finest magnolia trees in England was at the front of his house, Batsons Hill, overlooking the paddock at Lingfield.

A SELF-IMPOSED CENSORSHIP.

The "New Statesman" last week printed as its chief article a comment on the political situation under the heading "Had Zimm peace?" It is in the nature of an attack on Lloyd George so far as it goes, but it breaks off suddenly, leaving a couple of columns of the paper blank—but for one thing. In the middle of the blank

Indigestion Resulted From an Inactive Liver

The bowels became constipated and the Whole Digestive System Upset. With many people constipation becomes a habit. And it is a dangerous habit which is certain sooner or later to cause serious disease. "Daily movement of the bowels" is the first and most important rule of health. When the liver becomes torpid the bile into the intestines is stopped and the bowels become constipated. But you can readily overcome this condition by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. There is no treatment obtainable which so promptly awakens the activity of the liver and bowels and thereby corrects the engagements of the digestive system. Mrs. Herbert Doherty of Beaver Brook, Alberta, N.B., writes: "I can gratefully say that Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills is a great medicine for constipation. I have suffered from constipation ever since I can

near a very vital point that when the wounded were carried past to the dressing station a short time ago the Y.M.C.A. was able to serve them with tea and cocoa and thereby discovered one more chance for developing its magnificent work. It has a record of 180,000 hot drinks served free in six months from these dug-outs to men leaving or returning to the mud of the trenches. Mr. Yapp, who has just returned from France with a review of the Association's latest work, told of many strange homes for the canteens and rest huts, including a Trappist monastery, where the monks, still in possession, had had soldiers billeted on them. France has now forty or fifty Y.M.C.A. clubs for officers, and quite a number of hostels where the relatives of wounded officers and men who have been hastily summoned from England can stay, if necessary, free of charge. The Y.M.C.A. cars meet all these relatives at the ports, and take them sometimes 80 to 100 miles to the wounded man's hospital. He makes an urgent plea for books of every sort.

PENSIONS OF EX-LORD CHANCELLORS.

Sir Robert Finlay's stipulation that his rights to a pension for his services as Lord Chancellor should be waived has drawn attention to the financial provision which the State makes for lawyers who have been fortunate enough to have attained to the Wool-sack. An ex-Lord Chancellor is entitled to a pension of £5,000 a year, no matter how brief may have been his tenure of office. Now there are very limited numbers of ex-Lord Chancellors who may enjoy pensions. At present there are four—Lord Halsbury, Lord Loreburn, Lord Haldane, and Lord Buckmaster. The number is extraordinarily large. At times there has been no retired Lord Chancellor. This was the case during a considerable portion of the time when Lord Halsbury occupied the Wool-sack. Political vicissitudes, however, have been responsible for his brief tenure of office which Lord Haldane and Lord Buckmaster have enjoyed. It does not follow that because a Lord Chancellor retires he ceases to perform judicial work. Lord Halsbury for many years after he quitted the Wool-sack took a very constant part in the legal side of the work of the House of Lords and the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council. His example in this respect has been followed both by Lord Loreburn and Lord Haldane. They are doing work for which Lords of Appeal-in-Ordinary are paid £6,000 a year.

No Peace on That Basis

If Germans wish to know why the sentiment of the Allies is so inhospitable to peace, let them read the Kaiser's New Year's proclamation to his army and navy. The Kaiser tells his German people that they have been "victorious in all theatres of war on land and sea." The campaign in Roumania is described as "our recent triumphal march." "The greatest naval battle this year was our victory in the Skaggeak," in which the German fleet retired to its base and left the British in command of the sea. "The gallant deeds of our submarines have secured for my navy glory and admiration forever." "God also in the future will be with us."

Everyday Etiquette.

"Will you please tell me the proper manner in which to eat a sandwich at a luncheon?" asked Jennie. "The most delicate way is to use the knife and fork. It is perfectly proper, however, to cut the sandwich in small pieces, and eat these pieces from the fingers," answered her mother.

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Get from your pharmacist a fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, debilitating headaches, dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

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at best only a truce.

It may flatter German pride to believe that Germany has been "victorious in all theatres of war on land and sea" but that sort of pride must be paid for. What the German people are actually fighting for is not a German victory but a means of placating their own vanity that they will not be tempted to revolutionize their Government when the war is over. They do not know it, but they must rest assured that the Kaiser knows it and the chancellor knows it and all Junkertum knows it.

The Imperial Government would immediately offer most liberal terms of peace if it could be certain that when the reaction came there would be no change in the German attitude toward the throne and the doctrine of divine right. This is not the first time that a great people has battled desperately to insure its own political servitude and to save itself from freedom, and it may not be the last. But there can be no basis for a permanent peace until the Germans themselves begin to understand what they are really fighting for, which is not freedom for Germany but their own continued political submission to the mediaval system that plunged them into this war.—New York Times.

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Dedication of Organ.

CRANE STREET METHODIST CENTENNIAL CHURCH.

On the third anniversary of the opening of the church and organ by the congregation of Crane St. Methodist Church will have the pleasure of again holding service after the manner. The new organ, which has been installed in the church, will formally be dedicated and used for the first time on Sunday morning. The pastor of the church, Rev. Dr. Bond, will preach in the morning, while the Rev. Gordon Dickie, M.A., of St. Andrew's, will conduct the service in the evening. The choir have made special preparation and it is hoped that they will be one of reverent rejoicing. The organ stands as a memorial of James S. Pitts, C.M.G., who was devotedly attached to every interest pertaining to Crane St. Church, to the war conditions and the rise in prices, it was impossible to provide an instrument equal to the one at the same cost, but Mrs. Pitts generously came forward and assumed additional burden. The Inscription Plate, which was on the original instrument, was found in the ruins of the church, and, having been repaired, has now been affixed to the case of the present instrument. It is one thing of the old church came through the fire and finds a new home in the new building. The case containing the instrument was designed by the architects of the church and, therefore, conforms in design and finish with the interior of the building. For the organ itself, however, one of the foremost of English organs was employed and Messrs. Harwood and Harrison, of Durham and Don, have supplied an organ that is the pride and delight of the congregation, we trust, for many years to come. This firm has, during the last ten years, built a great many of organs for the English cathedrals and this is a guarantee of the quality of their work. The organ is most complete in every respect—there is every variety of tone colour—flute, reed, ring, diapason, orchestral and wood-wind. There is also every variety of power, from the faintest whisper to the thunder of the full organ. The accessories to assist the Organist are also many, thus facilitating greatly work of playing the instrument. The tone is most musical, being full and round for the loud stops, with dignity and power, while the softer stops are most pleasing and sweet in tone. During the past few months Messrs. Harwood and Harrison, the clever and efficient representatives of Harrison and Harrison, have been busy erecting the instrument in the Church. They have been assisted by our own talented organist, Mr. Walter Vey. It is no small work to satisfactorily put together an organ with its miles and miles of tubing, its mechanical contrivances innumerable; its pipes—over three thousand in number and varying in size from smaller than your little finger to large enough to hold six or eight men. The regulating, adjusting and tuning have been satisfactorily completed and, on Sunday next, the congregation will hear the organ for the first time. The instrument consists of three manuals—Great Organ, Well Organ, Choir Organ—and also pedal Organ. There are sixty-five raw stops and the action is tubular-pneumatic. The Console is separate from the organ proper and has been

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The gas range is a muscle saver and a step saver. Think of the many tons of coal you used in that coal range, and how you have had to handle it all twice; first, carrying it up out of the cellar; then, from the kitchen to the ash barrel. No more soot to wipe away; no more ashes to cart away; no more wood to fetch; no more coal dust; no more smoke and no more reason why the kitchen cannot be kept as clean and as orderly as the parlor. The gas range means just this. Saves 50 Per Cent. of Kitchen Cares. Half of the labor in the house is caused by dust from the coal range. Every time it smokes, no matter how good the draught may be, clouds of ashes rise and settle on the furniture. It Eliminates Hard Work. Use a gas range and you will live better, you will play better, and you will work better because the use of the gas range eliminates the drudgery of carrying coal, ashes and the chopping of kindling, as well as the drudgery of cleaning up a lot of dirt, and, best of all, for the cook it makes it unnecessary for her to stand over a hot stove from two to three hours a day. PHONE THE GAS CO. 604.17

Back From North

The s.s. Prospero, Capt. A. Kean, returned from Griquet and intervening northern ports at four o'clock this morning, bringing a full cargo and a tonnage of passengers. S. Bradbury, A. W. Watson, W. Dave, R. Bowring, D. Morey, S. Hancock, A. Miller, E. Knight, F. G. Wiseman, W. A. Strong, F. Hackett, J. C. Colbourne, R. Young, Mrs. Taylor, J. Young, A. Young, H. Roberts, E. Stuckless, S. Gateburn, S. Bennett, A. Stone, C. Stone, J. W. Hodke, Mrs. Hodge, W. Anthony, P. J. Hogan, Capt. E. Bishop, J. D. Lockyer, D. Devine, Mrs. Devine, Capt. W. Kean, Mrs. Kean, Mrs. Collins, J. Green, Miss Ryan, J. Bishop and 29 steerage. On the return trip the ship was delayed several hours by thick fog. The Prospero brought along three thousand barrels of herring from Green Bay ports.

AT THE CRESCENT.

The Crescent Picture Palace presents a great war drama to-day: "Sally Castleton, Southerner," is a story of the American Civil War produced in three reels by the Edison Co. A very fine comedy drama is "Two Smiths and a Heir" by the Lubin Comedy Company. "For Better or Worse," is a lively and funny Vim Comedy featuring Burns and Stull as "Pokes and Jabbs." Professor McCarthy plays a programme of the newest and best music for this great week and show. Send the children to the Crescent Saturday matinee, it's great this week.

NEW STOCK.—We have just received a large shipment of Giant Junior Safety Razors. Price 50 cents with blades. CHESSLEY WOODS, 282 Duckworth St.—Jan 12, 17.

ROOFINGS! All Kinds Carried in Stock. CERTAIN-TEED ROOFING Is Guaranteed 15 Years. Our Prices are the Lowest in the Country. GEO. M. BARR.

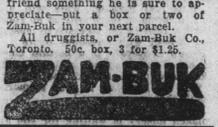
Seventeen Newfoundlanders

ON H. M. S. CORNWALLIS—PROBABLY ALL SAFE.

The news of the sinking of the British Admiralty Ship Cornwallis was received in the city yesterday and was a source of great anxiety to the relatives of a number of our brave sailors serving on that ship. So far as can be learned, between 15 and 17 Newfoundlanders were on board the Cornwallis at the time of her destruction. The Chief Gunner, Mr. Charles G. McCarthy, is a son-in-law of Mr. Thomas Peel, of this city. Mrs. McCarthy and her three-year-old son now reside at Plymouth. Mr. Peel was attending a meeting of the Citizens' Committee last night when he was informed of the loss of the Cornwallis and being anxious to know of his son-in-law's safety proceeded to the Anglo-American Telegraph Office to send a cable to the Old Country, but while in the act of writing the message a cable came in over the wires informing him of the safe arrival of Chief Gunner McCarthy, at Plymouth. No other particulars were received. Capt. Wallace McCowen, formerly of this city and son of the late Inspector General McCowen, was also on the ship. Reservist Joy, son of Mr. S. Joy, junk dealer, is another Newfoundland on board. Further particulars of the crew of the ill-fated ship are anxiously being awaited.

A CANADIAN SOLDIER SAYS

"All my friends, if they want to help me, to send some Zam-Buk. The boys here say it is very good, and it is much in demand." This is an extract from a letter received from Pte. J. R. Smith of "The Princess Pats" in France. There is certainly nothing so good as Zam-Buk for the soldier and ailments incidental to a soldier's life. It is splendid for all kinds of sores, blisters, burns and cuts, and it is equally good for frost bites, chilblains, cold cracks and chapped hands. Nothing ends pain and heals so quickly as this big antiseptic, an application of Zam-Buk to a wound as soon as sustained, will prevent all danger of blood-poisoning. If you want to send your soldier friend something he is sure to appreciate—but a box or two of Zam-Buk in your next parcel. All druggists, or Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, 50c. box, 3 for \$1.25.



Here and There.

Turkeys, Ducks, Geese and Chicken at ELLIS'. RESERVISTS—ARRIVE.—Three naval reservists who missed their passage at North Sydney on the Kyle's last trip, reached town yesterday afternoon. Stafford's Drug Store (Theatre Hill) is open every night till 9.30.—Jan 2, 17.

Street Car Service Increases Its Revenue.

The gross earnings of the Street Car Service for 1916 amounted to \$42,091.91, showing an increase of \$500 over the previous year. The Reid Nid. Co. are obliged by law to pay 2 per cent of the gross earnings to the City Council as well as the special tax of \$200, which makes a total for last year of \$1,341.83. This service, with but a few exceptions, has increased its revenue each year since it commenced to operate.

City Council Meeting.

The regular weekly session of the Municipal Council Board was held last night, the full Board attending. The collections for last week were unusually small. The comparative collections and expenditures are: COLLECTIONS 1917. Arrears and Water Rates...\$27.14 Sundry Revenue...242.52 \$269.66 1916. Arrears and Water Rates...\$74.40 Sundry Revenue...2,941.33 \$3,015.73 EXPENDITURE 1917. Labour...\$1,614.88 Bills, 1917...166.38 Bills, 1916...178.15 \$1,959.41 1916. Labour...\$942.84 Bills, 1916...1,110.21 Bills, 1917...1,035.12 \$3,088.17

MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE.

The further preliminary hearing into the charge of manslaughter preferred against James Goss and wife, will be resumed to-morrow, when the evidence for the defence will be taken.

Over 30,000 bottles of Stafford's Liniment sold last year.

SLEIGH ON EXHIBITION.—For the past two months and a half a handsome sleigh, presented to St. Joseph's Church Fair by Mr. Andrew Carnell, has been on exhibition in Moore & Co.'s window. It will be drawn for next week.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect Head.

Because of its tonic and laxative effect, Laxative Bromo Quinine can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness nor ringing in the head. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVES' signature is on box. 25c.

DIPHTHERIA SPREADING.

A young woman residing at a house on Patrick Street, was removed to the fever hospital yesterday suffering from diphtheria. It is a mild form of the disease and the patient is already out of danger.

QUICK AND EASY.

The Giant Junior Safety Razor, 225,000 sold to the soldiers on the Western front; 50c. with 7 blades; extra blades, 40 cents per dozen, or 3 for 10 cents. CHESSLEY WOODS, 282 Duckworth St., head McBride's Hill, Sole Distributor. Wholesale only. For sale at advertised stores.—Oct 17.

FOR HOSPITAL.

By the express which reached town yesterday afternoon, Mr. Hann, of Botwood, came in to enter the General Hospital suffering from an internal complaint. He had to be taken to the institution in the soldiers' ambulance. A little chap named Parks, of Lark Harbor, also came on the express to enter the hospital to undergo an operation for the removal of a piece of glass from his eye. He was accompanied by his mother.

Have your Suit or Overcoat Cleaned and Pressed for New Year.

Phone or send to SPURRELL, 365 Water Street. Telephone 574.—Dec 28, eod, 17.

MUSICAL COMEDY AT ROSSLEYS.

Last night the programme at Rossley's British Theatre was very much enjoyed by a large audience. "Hello, Betty" like all musical comedies, is without plot or caste but serves to bring forward a lot of jolly songs and many dainty dances, showing up a lot of pretty costumes that in the Rossley entertainments seem endless. Too much praise cannot be bestowed on the talented and well trained troupe. A monster programme is being prepared for the Pansy League on Saturday, one of the finest performances ever given in the city. On Monday the old-time St. John's favorites will appear in a novel original sketch, Jack Rossley will be seen in a new second act uniform; one of the good old laugh shows. Don't miss the Pansy League matinee.

A GOOD WINTER HABIT

Many people dread winter because the sudden climatic changes bring colds, grippe, rheumatism, tonsillitis or bronchitis. But thousands of well-informed men and women today avoid much sickness for themselves and their children by taking a few bottles of Scott's Emulsion to make richer blood, fortify the membranes of the throat and chest and create body warmth to resist sickness. Soldiers at war receive cod liver oil; it will also strengthen you. Scott & Bowne, Toronto, Ont.

RUN OVER

This Stock List:

- 58 cases KITCHENER CHOW. 44 cases HOOTON'S COCOA. 25 cases WONDERFUL SOAP. 80 cases SEEDED RAISINS. 54 cases PRUNES and APRICOTS. 47 cases KNIFE BRICK. 35 cases T. D. PIPES. 7 cases BUTTER, 30 lbs. ea., at 20c. per lb. 23 boxes CIGARS, 50's, at \$2.25 per box. NEW ARRIVALS OF ABOVE GOODS WILL BE HIGHER IN PRICE.



- To Arrive: 1500 sax CATTLE FEED. 2500 barrels FLOUR. 500 barrels SUGAR. 400 cases PICKLES & CHOW. 50 cases CATSUP.

COLIN CAMPBELL, Phone 434.

Stock-Taking Sale

Stock-taking over, we find owing to late arrival of some goods far too much on hand, so we have decided to have a Clean-up Sale and give our Customers and the Public the benefit of same. Considering that it is the goods for everyday use, we predict a ready response as prices will be reduced in some cases to half and everything reduced some. We list a few of the many bargains offered:

- LADIES' & GENTLEMEN'S MACKINTOSHES, from \$5.50 to \$10.00. Now offered at \$4.95 each. 3 only LADIES' CARACUL COATS. Values \$9.00. Now offered \$6.45. Special prices on other Coats. LADIES' WHITE SILK BLOUSES up to \$3.00. Now \$1.75. LADIES' WHITE LAWN BLOUSES, trimmed with insertion and embroidery, \$2.50 value. Now \$1.50. Lot of Assorted BLOUSES. Values up to \$3.00. Your choice for \$1.00. LADIES' KID BUTTONED BOOTS, \$3.50 value. Now \$2.95. Lot of BOYS' FLANNELETTE SHIRTS, 45c. Now 25c. BOYS' SUITS, \$4.50, \$3.85, \$5.00, \$5.75. Now \$3.95, \$3.25, \$4.25, \$5.25. SPECIAL TO THE CHILDREN.—We will sell balance of our Toys, &c., at cost and under. SPECIAL BOOKS as the Queen Mary Gift Book, Painting and Drawing Books, Picture Books, &c.

THE FAIR. The C. L. March Co., Ltd. Cor. Water & Springdale Sts.

In Milady's Boudoir.



Every time you give any attention to your face, remember that your neck needs the same care, and it can easily be given at the same time. Before going to bed at night wash both face and neck in warm, soapy water. Rub the neck particularly well with the complexion brush. Then in softening with cold cream, and removing dirt which the soap and water did not touch, massage the neck as well as the face. Allow the fingers to rest on the ears, the hands extending below the chin, then massage with the thumbs, pushing the flesh back under the curve of the chin. This will help to prevent the appearance of folds and creases in a "double" chin.

Recommendations

And Suggestions by Sanitary Supervisor. At last night's meeting of the City Council Sanitary Supervisor Dwyer submitted his annual report, which was a very exhaustive one and contained several recommendations and suggestions for the improvement of the city, amongst which was to have certain fish markets and public lavatories removed and replaced by new ones; that motor street sprinklers and motor sweepers be used for cleaning the streets to obviate the present hideous noise in the early morning. He also suggested that the washing and cleaning of windows and sprinkling of sidewalks be done before 9 o'clock in the morning; that the Sanitary Stables be re-built, as at present they neither were wind tight nor water tight and sooner or later may collapse; and the removal of old unsightly fences along Water Street. A new programme for the collection of ashes was presented. The report was a very comprehensive one and practically all the recommendations of Mr. Dwyer will be carried into effect. MINARD'S ESTIMATE FOR SALE EVERYWHERE.



NOW WE ARE AT IT IN EARNEST!

STOCK-TAKING and Its Manifold Worries are Over.

And once more we find ourselves hustling about seeking

WANTED LINES for This Week's Business.

"Boulevard" Blouse Checks.

5 pieces of these excellent washing materials in a between weight; make up nicely for Blouses or Children's Dresses; 27 inches wide; assorted checks on dark grounds. Reg. 20c. Friday, Saturday and Monday

17c.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY
MONDAY

HERE TELLS THE STORY!

Ladies Wool and Cashmere High-Grade Hose.

All our better grades of Hosiery will be found in this grand assortment; Hosiery a pleasure to handle, fast black, plain and assorted ribs and an excellent lot of All Wool Hose; assorted sizes. Regular up to 90c. per pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday

79c



Soft Collars 2 for 27c.

A brand new shipment of these, improved shape, perfect fitting and convenient height; shades of Blue and Cream; all sizes. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday



SHREWD SHOWROOM VALUES.



SPECIAL!

An interesting Sale of
CORDED SILKS.

Truly, excellent Silks of high degree in light shades; very suitable for Dress Trimmings, Coat Collar and fancy work; such shades as Pink, Helle, Sky, Mauve, and White, etc. Regular values to \$1.20 per yard. Friday, Saturday & Monday

79c

Ladies Mufflers.

Fine Silk Knitted Mufflers, with silk fringed edge, trimmed with pearl buttons; plain shades of Navy, Sage, Rosada, Grey, Black and Shot effects. Reg. 70c. Friday, Saturday and Monday

Dressing Jackets.

Tidy looking Dressing Jackets, in heavy flannel, cord trimmed, without collar, shades of Pink, Sky, Grey and Cream. Regular \$1.50. Friday, Saturday & Monday

\$1.39

Back Combs.

Not old stock, but just a regular jumble of makes; plain amber and shell and many others with brilliant settings. These we intend clearing out regardless of cost. Values to 30c. Friday, Saturday and Monday

Under Skirts.

Made of good wearing flannel, in Cream, Pink and Striped, finished with wide flounce, button hole edge and shaped band at waist. Regular \$1.00. Friday, Saturday & Monday

87c

Directoire Knickers.

Ladies' Fleece Directoire Knickers, in shades of Sage, Grey, Eera and Cream; band at waist and knee. Just the weight you need. Reg. 70c. Friday, Saturday and Monday

Childrens White Wool Overalls.

Surprising value, white wool overalls ankle length draw string at waist, ever so warm for the little one in sleigh or for walking children. Reg. 30 cents. Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday

28c

FEATHER MOUNTS--Job Line.

A genuine show of high grade Feather Mounts in all the newest shades. Values to \$1.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday, each

55c.

Infants Vests.

These are an extra fine lot; some in all low neck styles, long sleeves, tucked front, button trimmed, also a few Roman Stripe Blouses with military Collar and gilt button trimmings unusually pretty and becoming. Styles much underpriced for this week's sale. Reg. \$2.40. Friday, Saturday and Monday

Silk Poplin Blouses.

Some very stylish makes in Black and Coloured, your choice of high or low neck styles, long sleeves, tucked front, button trimmed, also a few Roman Stripe Blouses with military Collar and gilt button trimmings unusually pretty and becoming. Styles much underpriced for this week's sale. Reg. \$2.40. Friday, Saturday and Monday

\$1.78

WARM FOOTWEAR for Outdoor and Indoor Wear.--- Note Values!

Mens "Romeo" Slippers.

Your choice of Black or Tan in a good wearing house shoe slipper; leather sole and heel; half sizes. Reg. \$1.90. Friday, Saturday and Monday

\$1.70

Mens Storm Rubbers.

High cut Storm Rubbers in a highly dependable make; one of our best sellers; sizes 6 to 10, including half sizes. Special Friday, Saturday & Monday

97c

Ladies Gaiters.

11 Button Gaiter with warm black fleece lining, shapely and a pleasure to walk in; all sizes from 3 to 8. Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday

\$1.80

Ladies' Spats

Another lot of these just to hand, 8 Button length, fast black cloth, perfect shape. Reg. 80c. Friday, Saturday and Monday

72c

Mens' Buckle Gaiters.

High cut, mid weight Gaiters, with 2 buckles and patent clasp fastening. Good value at \$2.60 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday

\$2.40

Ladies' Juliet Slippers.

Warm Juliets for wearing about the house, and the ideal thing for wearing in gaiters; they come in fine Donola Kid, all leather sole and low heel; sizes 5 to 8. Reg. \$1.80. Friday, Saturday & Monday

\$1.60

Crib Blankets.

100 pairs of Fleece Cotton Blankets for infants' cots; White with Pink or Pale Blue striped borders, stitched edge. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday, each

24c.



A "Clean-Up" Sale of Boys' Pants.

Assorted makes in Navy Serge, Tweeds and Corduroys, lined throughout, sizes to fit boys from 2 to 7 years. Some of these as high as \$1.25 pair. Friday, Saturday & Monday

92c

BOYS' COAT SWEATERS.

For the bigger boys, a very desirable line of Knitted Sweater Coats, buttoned front, neck; shades of Navy, Green and Cardinal. Regular \$1.70. Friday, Saturday and Monday

\$1.48



If you can't call, write us.

Items Well Worth Reading--Some Values

GREEKIAN QUILTS.

A clearing line of these in all White, Pink, Blue or Yellow, full size, being 2 1/4 x 2 3/4 yards, plain edge and unusually pretty designs, high grade satin-like finish; about 18 altogether. Reg. up to \$3.75. Friday, Saturday and Monday

\$3.25

WHITE FLANNELLETTES

10 pieces of pure White English Flannellette 31 inches wide; this is a beauty for general wear, very closely woven and nice finished top. Reg. 20c. value. Friday, Saturday and Monday

17c

SAXONY FLANNEL.

All wool fine Saxony Flannels, light Cream shade. Old value here. Just a piece or two to hand. Reg. 65c. Friday, Saturday and Monday

57c

"LONDON SMOKES"

Per Yard, 13c.

A case lot of these in Grey and Blue Grey, that nice mottled effect; they come in long remnant form; will cut any required length, equal to any you have yet bought for 15c. per yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday

13c

BOYS' FUR-BACK MITTS.

With warm lining, hard wearing leather palms, just what they need when out sliding or knockabout wear. Reg. to 50c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday

39c

MEN'S SWEATERS.

A line of all White Wool Sweaters, some with roll collar, others low cut collar; a most desirable Sweater for hockey players. Reg. \$1.40. Friday, Saturday & Monday

\$1.15

COTTON TWEED PANTS.

Roomy sizes in stout Cotton Tweed Pants for the workman. Mottled Grey and striped patterns, every pair well made, well cut and well finished. Reg. \$1.50 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday

\$1.39

WHITE MUSLIN CURTAINS.

30 pairs of these, in soft White Muslin with lace edging at side and foot and mock hemstitched border, nice for Bedroom, Bungalow or any place where a light Drape is required; see these they're value for \$1.40 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday

\$1.15

COTTON DELAINES.

Some very pretty Paisley patterns and others in fancy stripes, 30 inches wide; this class of goods promises to be higher coming in; stock up now. To-day's regular price is cut for this Special Sale. Reg. 25c. per yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday

22c

ART SATEENS.

A few pieces of pretty Art Sateens, 28 inches wide, mostly small patterns; these are to-day's 25c. regulars. Friday, Saturday and Monday

21c

BOLSTER CASES.

Just located a bundle of good serviceable wearing Bolster Cases, about 3 dozen in the lot; size 19 x 61. Reg. 50c. value. Friday, Saturday and Monday

42c

BATH MATS.

A need in every Bath room; they're made of stout Terry Cloth, bound ends, fancy coloured border and lettered centre. Reg. 35c. Friday, Saturday and Monday

29c

BOYS' JERSEYS.

Sizes to fit from 3 to 9 years, in shades of Navy, Sage, Brown and Cardinal; the kind of Jerseys that give the best of wear. Reg. up to \$1.40. Friday, Saturday and Monday

\$1.18

FACE CLOTHS.

Of fine White Terry Cloth, bound edge; get one for each member of the family. Reg. 5c. Friday, Saturday and Monday

3 for 10c

Wedding Bells

At Riverhead, St. Mary's.

CHRISTOPHER-LEE.

The wedding of Miss Hannah Christopher, of Mall Bay, and Mr. John Lee, of Riverhead, occurred on the 6th inst. At 2 p.m., the bridal party, consisting of twenty persons drove to the Presbytery at St. Mary's, a distance of six miles, where the nuptial knot was tied by Rev. S. O'Driscoll, P.F. After the ceremony the party returned to the groom's home at Riverhead, where over 100 invited guests were assembled to wish the young couple happiness and prosperity on their matrimonial voyage. The bride was becomingly attired in a very pretty costume and looked charming as did also her cousin, Miss R. Lee, who acted as bridesmaid, and wore a very pretty gown for the occasion. Mr. Harry Lee, brother of the groom, was best man and performed his duties in a very able and creditable manner. The assembled guests did ample justice to the good things provided and the unanimous decision was that it was one of the old-time weddings. Dancing and sports were continued until next morning, when after partaking of breakfast, the guests dispersed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Lee every happiness in their wedded life.—Com. Riverhead, St. Mary's, Jan. 10, '17.

Rann-dom Reels.

THE PANCAKE.

The Pancake is a round, flat object which is used as a substitute for breakfast.

A few years ago the medical profession decided that people would feel better and live longer if they would go without breakfast or eat some light dainty article of food which would allow the stomach to take the ordinary hill on high. Doctors everywhere are agreed that nine-tenths of the stomach trouble in existence is caused by rising up in the morning and trying to eat the pantry shelves bare. Therefore, conscientious doctors are now urging their patients to eat nothing but a relay of self-raising Pancakes for breakfast and not drive the stomach to some rebellious act.

The most popular form of Pancake is the buckwheat type, which is said to contain more life-giving properties than two pounds of raw beef. Some people object to the buckwheat cake on account of its sallow complexion which can be piled on the table to the height of the Leaning Tower of Pisa, and then disappear with terrifying rapidity. It is a trying task to fry whole wheat Pancakes for a stout, intrepid husband and nine chunky sons, and this is no doubt one reason why it is so hard to keep a good hired girl these days.

The Pancake can be made by anybody who is not particular about the specifications or does not care to preserve human life. This is why no two Pancakes taste alike or have the same soothing after-effect. It requires an artist, however, to fry a Pancake and give it that delicate, golden-brown finish which appeals to the aesthetic eye. The brand new wife who can do this without working in too much sour milk is a greater treasure than an automobile which can be started in cold weather without having to remove six spark plugs.

Fads and Fashions.

Many full coats have the fullness held in place in front by a belt, but fly loose in the back.

Many a straight house gown depends for its charm wholly upon a circle of bright colors.

If you wish to be sure of a note of richness for the serge frock, make a bead-embroidered girle.

Anybody who owns a charming old snuff-box will find that it can be handily used in a vanity bag.

Jersey cloth is heavier than it was, but many of the prettiest sports cloths are made of this material.

Whenever possible the one-piece cloth gown should be finished with a long velvet coat of the same color.

Ermine is used in the shape of pipings and facings to relieve the darker furs used in muffs and boas.

The severity and simplicity of present day millinery is a matter for great interest and for congratulation.

A distinct touch of the peasant costume of Brittany is the full-pleated skirt worn with a square-cut corsage.

The Russian note is seen even in the motor coats of nutria—often belted and collared with a darker fur.

The collar of black velvet buttoned to the chin makes a becoming and warm finish for the winter jacket.

You may make your blouse without a collar, but the square or round neck must be finished with embroidery.

The little girl looks very quaint if her dress is finished at the neck with a kerchief of fine batiste and lace.

The little girl's dress of serge may be touched up with a belt, cuffs and neck binding of a pretty plaid material.

NOTICE!

The sailing of S.S. Prospero for the usual Northern Ports has been postponed until Saturday, 13th inst, at 10 p.m.

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A story of the Civil War, produced in 3 reels by the Edison Company.
"TWO SMITHS AND A HAFF"—A Lubin comedy-drama.
Burns and Stull as Pokes and Jabbs in **"FOR BETTER OR WORSE"**—A lively Vim comedy.

PROFESSOR McCARTHY playing the newest and best music—Drums and Effects.
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MUSICAL COMEDY REVUE—New Songs, Dances, Jokes, Costumes, Music, Electrical Effects—All New Pictures—All Star Caste.

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Uncle Sam granted a patent on the legs of this famous boot. It is the lightest, strongest and best-looking short boot ever made. The "muscles" greatly strengthen the leg and at the same time keep the weight down. No other boot on the market has this "muscled" leg.

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The wonderful boot shown above is only one member of the Top Notch family of rubber footwear that is just what its name implies—top notch in every way. Top Notch rubbers and arctic are the best-fitting, the best-looking and longest-lasting goods you can buy. We sell them.

Cleveland Rubber Co.

NOTICE!

NOTICE is hereby given to all creditors and other claimants on the estate of Michael Murphy, otherwise Michael Rafael, late of Trepassy, Shopkeeper, deceased, to send in particulars of their claims, duly attested, to the Registrar of the Supreme Court, administrator of the said estate, or to the undersigned Solicitor for the said administrator, not later than the 4th day of February next; after which date the administrator will distribute the assets of the estate among the parties entitled.

Dated St. John's, the 4th day of January, 1917.

F. J. SUMMERS,
Solicitor for the Adm.
Renouf Building, Jan 5, 17.

BLAIR'S

GREAT

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**Buy Early and avoid
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for goods mentioned in this ad. cannot be repeated at present prices when once sold out. We can only give you these special prices because goods advertised were bought some time ago.

Wonderful Values in Underwear.

Men's Stanfield Wool Underwear, all sizes . \$1.29 gar.
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Women's Heavy Cream Fleece Vests and Pants, 33c. garment.

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Superior Quality Nap Coating, \$3.50 values at \$2.70 yd.
Great Reductions in Ladies' and Children's Felt Hats.
Ladies' Waterproof Hats. Reg. \$1.25. Now 80c. each
Ladies' and Misses' Newest American Fancy Wool Caps and Hoods. Reg. \$1.00 each. Now 50c. each
All our Stock of New Smart Millinery at Reduced Prices.

Big Money Saved on Purchases of Ladies' Wear.

This includes:

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Ladies' Costume Skirts of all kinds and Ladies' Blouses of all descriptions.

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Wool Blankets at Bottom Prices.

Best Quality Wool Blankets. Sale Price . . . \$4.30 pair
Coloured Cotton Blankets only 70c. pair
Best Quality American Floor Coverings only . 98c. yd.
These are regular \$1.20 values, are two yards wide, and we show a large variety of patterns.

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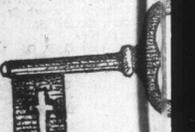
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