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CHAPTER III.

The moment he had struck the blow Heroncourt saw the folly of the thing he had done. He ought to have collared the man, not felled him so savagely; but the cry of a woman was one of the few things that destroyed his self-command.

His remorse, if the word is not too strong, was increased by the expression of Maida's eloquent face as she turned to her. There was in it indignant horror of his violence, and something like shame—as if she were ashamed that she should have been the cause of the blow.

"Are you hurt?" he asked, as gently as he could.

She shook her head, and her deep grey eyes went beyond his face to the prostrate man, and the coldness in them softened to pity and concern.

"Are you sure—your wrist—you called out—he may have sprained it."

She shook her head again; this time with a touch of impatience.

"No, oh, no!" she replied, as coldly as the glance had rested on him. "I am not in the least hurt—but it was so sudden. He is hurt, poor man!"

She made a step toward the small crowd that had collected round the pickpocket as if she intended going to see for herself, perhaps to render assistance; but Heroncourt could not stand this.

"No, no!" he said, abruptly, almost in a tone of command. "Stay here, please. I will go and see."

He pushed his way through the

group as the man rose, wiping the blood from his lips and looking round him in a covert, furtive way. At sight of Heroncourt he would have bolted; but Heroncourt stood before him, and gripping him by the arm looked at him steadily.

"You appear to be all right, my man," he said. "Let this be a warning to you—but it won't, will it?" he put a sovereign into the grimy hand, instinctively held out for it, "and now take yourself off."

As he spoke he looked significantly towards a policeman, who was approaching with the regulation stride, and the thief, snatching his cap from the hand of a small, open-mouthed boy, dragged it over his forehead and slunk off quickly.

"A pickpocket. I have just prevented him robbing a lady. It's all right, officer," Heroncourt explained, and, leaving the policeman to disperse the crowd, he rejoined Maida.

"There was not much harm done," he said. "The fellow has quite recovered his senses and has gone off. I'm afraid I have frightened you more than he did—and I beg your pardon. I should like to say that I don't often lose my head quite so completely, but—well, I thought he had hurt you, and the mere idea of—of such a brute touching a lady—however, I'm sorry I was so hard on him, though I fancy he deserved it."

Maida was perfectly self-possessed; it is not your dreamy, artistic natures who are given to self-consciousness or hysterics, to nervous giggling or blushing; and the color that sprang to her face did not spring from shyness, but from indignation and womanly severity.

"How can you tell—"

Heroncourt stared at her.

"I mean how can you tell how sorely he was tempted? He may be very hungry, starving; there may be a wife, children at home wanting bread. He looked wretchedly poor and miserable—"

Heroncourt stared at her aghast, feeling as a criminal feels when the judge delivers his little lecture before sentence.

"Oh, come! he was just a common pickpocket," he remonstrated, "and I assure you that after pawning your bracelet he would have gone straight to the public-house. I noticed the fellow as he crept up to you. By the way, where is your bracelet?" he broke off to inquire, his keen eyes—the sportsman's eyes—flashing to her wrist.

Maida looked down, and her face fell. The bracelet was not there, but in its place a thin, scarlet line.

"There you are, you see! He has got it after all!" said Heroncourt, not with triumph, but with annoyance and chagrin. "What an idiot I was to let him go off before enquiring! I hope it was not of great value?"

"Oh, no, no!" she said, but with a touch of regret in her voice, and with something like a sigh: the bracelet was a present from Carrie. "It was just a simple thing, just a thin, plain band of gold; but—I'm sorry—"

"I might find him even now," said Heroncourt almost to himself, and, raising his hat, he was turning in pursuit when Maida put out her hand to stop him.

"Oh, no, don't, please! you could not overtake him. Let it go. Besides, it—it will be some compensation, consolation for that cruel blow—"

She checked herself and bit her lip, for by the expression of Heroncourt's

with a calm eye and a mind untroubled by desire. To Heroncourt a face she was reminded of the fact that, after all, the blow, cruel as it may have been, was struck on her behalf.

"You find it more easy to forgive him than me," he observed, rather drily.

"Why, of course," she said, her beautiful eyes resting on him as if she were surprised at the remark. He may have been an ordinary pickpocket—"

"He was, I give you my word!"

"But he was poor and—tempted. It is wrong of us to wear jewellery so openly. You have never known what it is to be tempted in that way."

"Well, perhaps not. There is something in that." He made the admission as a man does when he yields so that the argument may be prolonged. "A man looks at this sort of thing in a different light to women. Are you sure you are not hurt? There is a mark on your wrist: sometimes one gets a sprain without knowing it just at first."

Maida looked down at her wrist with a sudden dismay in her eyes.

"Oh, I hope not! How should I play?"

"Perhaps you would let me see. I have had some experience in hurts and wounds."

"Are you a doctor?" asked Maida, but not curiously. If he had replied in the affirmative, she would, of course, have had no hesitation in submitting her arm for his examination.

"A doctor? No," he said, taken aback, "but I know a sprain when I see it."

"Thank you—there is no need—I am sure it is not seriously hurt," she said, rather coldly, and, with a slight bow, turned away in search of a cab; but a moment afterwards she paused, and, her eyes resting on him with a milder consideration than they had as yet held, said:

"Oh, I have not thanked you yet. I am very much obliged." The words seemed even to her somewhat inadequate, and she added, rather lamely, "It was very kind of you to come to my assistance, and I am very grateful."

"With very little cause," he said, as he raised his hat. "Seeing that I didn't succeed in saving your bracelet, and that I have distressed you by my violence, I suppose I have done more harm than good, indeed, to have made a sad mess of it. I hope you'll forgive me—and let me call a cab for you."

"Forgive!" The rare smile shone in her eyes and made the sensitive, mobile lips tender for a moment.

"Oh, but that is too big a word! I am sorry I spoke as I did; but—you hit him so very hard!"

He hailed a hansom and helped her to get in.

"Where shall I tell the man to take you?"

"No. 28 Coleridge Street, please," she said; and once more the smile dawned in the deep grey eyes and curved the sweet lips.

For some time after the cab had driven away, Heroncourt stood looking after it reflectively, or rather absently, going over the whole incident bit by bit, his mind travelling back beyond the incident itself to the girl's appearance and performance at Lady Glassbury's.

He could not get rid of the impression she had made upon him. It was not her beauty, unusual and somewhat bizarre as it was, that had affected him—for Heroncourt was by no means a susceptible man; the boy who has had a surfeit of raspberry tarts can regard alluring confections



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Heroncourt knew how to behave in all these cases; but he felt that this girl from whom he had just parted could not be classed with any of the ladies above mentioned. She was a lady—and not one of the smart set. She was a girl with a girl's swift impulses and a girl's stainless purity—those eyes of hers had flashed upon him with the swift, candid indignation and rebuke of a child. Heaven and earth! he could feel them on him now. An other voice—the voice which had sounded so exquisitely gentle, so thrillingly tender in Etheledra's room—how cold it had been when she had brought herself to speak to him! She had made him feel a brute, a savage, a Whitechapel pugilist. It was the first time in his life that a woman had looked so and spoken to him in that way; and, much to his surprise, the memory of her indignation, her coldness, irritated, worried him. He felt as if he should like to prove to her that he was not so bad, so ruthless and callous, as she had thought him. He woke from his reverie, and with a shrug of his shoulders—for he felt that he was indulging in a kind of morbid remorse, for what? giving a beastly pickpocket no more than his due—retraced his steps.

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WEEK-END NOTES.

(L. C. M.)

Of late it has been stated in the papers that the coal seams of our country are to have another test and that experts are to do the work. This, if true, is good news, and it comes at a time most opportune.

There have been so many vain attempts made to market our coal that one wonders if this attempt is to have the same result, or is it to be the final test which is to settle for ever this disputed question and establish the great truth so long known, that Newfoundland has coals and has it in abundance.

Such men as Jukes and Howley have long ago expressed themselves upon this subject, and they have affirmed that Newfoundland abounds with coal and that they have seen it, and have analyzed it, and that in quality it is equal to any that is imported from Cape Breton. All their reports go to prove that they are sincere in their opinions, and that the survey which they have made are genuine and true.

Mr. Howley is still with us and he still holds to his views in this respect, and he is confident that within the area of Terra Nova there lie embedded myriads of tons of coals. No other gentleman in our midst has travelled the interior more, nor as much, nor as long, as Mr. Howley, and therefore his opinions are worthy of the best confidence of the public; and his learning and wide scientific research qualify him to judge of our resources. For fully forty years he has prospected in the interior, and made surveys of our island; and if proof of his ability as a geologist and as a geographer is needed, then his map of Newfoundland, published in 1907, is the certificate of the same.

As a geologist Mr. Howley has delved deep into the mineral beds of Newfoundland, and his investigations all give proof of what he believes as to our hidden wealth. But upon no one particular phase of his work is he so keen as he is upon that of our coal-beds; and although we have failed to operate these beds, he is still optimistic upon their value and upon their commercial importance to Newfoundland's future. Mr. Howley believed in what he saw at first, and his later investigations have tended to deepen his convictions. He has done his duty in this respect, and if some of his advice had been followed at the right time there is no doubt whatever, that long ere this the households of the city and of the country generally would have been using some of our own coal instead of being totally dependent upon outside supply; and now that the war is upon us there would not exist any fear of shortage nor any extremely high prices, and this would indeed mean a good deal to the people of every class and place.

There are some who doubt the quality of our coal-beds, but these beds have never yet had a fair and properly conducted and impartial test. There has seemed even to be something which prejudiced the decision, and between party interests and official red tape, the various tests have all gone by the lee, with the result that Newfoundland has been a dependant instead of a producer, a buyer instead of a seller, and now a suppliant instead of a dictator.

Why should not Newfoundland possess coal? Every country near her and around her has it and why not she have it? She has been penalized

often and her people have paid a steep price for existence; but nature has not penalized her but it has enriched her and entombed in her all that is necessary for the wants of her people; the unfortunate feature of it all is that we have not seen these things, and that the vision of her leaders has been dimmed by the fogs and animosities of party politics. The operation of politics has so warped our leaders that it seems to have taken the most of their time to keep in harness the men who followed them, and by the time that the crew got their share the ship has had but little left.

But we have now come to a critical and crucial date in our country, and if the right turn be taken there is a possibility of rising from the ashes of our failures to a richer place than ever before. Necessity is still the mother of invention, and if the hour of need is made to prove the hour of salvation then the lesson shall have been well earned though dearly bought. Experience has ever been a dear school in the individual life of any community, and what is true of the individual is true of the community. As a community we should learn many lessons, and among them one of the best would be the appreciation of our own resources and the operation of our own coal mines.

Long enough have they lain dormant, long enough has their value been ignored, long enough have party politics frustrated their development, long enough have they been played with as election dodges, long enough have they been the topic of empty campaign oratory, long enough have they been trotted out to embellish the clap-trap of our public life, and long enough have they been neglected. Surely we have had sufficient of these things, therefore it is now due us that something practical be done, and that at last the coal seams of the island become an asset to its people.

Doctors Use This for Ezema

If you are afflicted with skin disease, the kind that seems to baffle medical treatment, and leaves you wild with itch, do not fail to investigate a prescription that is now recommended by many of the best skin specialists, even in preference to their own prescriptions. This is the simple, soothing, liquid external remedy, D. D. D. Prescription. This liquid stops the itch instantly, and effects a cure that is permanent. In fact, it took thousands of cures, case after case, before the best doctors were convinced of the absolute merit of this remedy.

It is now thoroughly established among medical authorities that eczema is purely a skin disease, due to a germ and curable only through the skin. It is not a blood disease at all. The effect of D. D. D. Prescription is to penetrate the pores, kill the disease germs and to soothe and heal the skin, restoring it to its healthy condition.

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A Tale of Tailoring

Our newest arrival is a smart selection of Men's American Tailored Suits in Serge and Mixed Tweeds. These Suits are quite apart from last season's styles, there is a distinct difference in the cut and the materials are of the newest weaves.

The man who aims to be always well yet serviceably dressed should not fail to see the range of Suits for smartness and service we are now showing, at prices ranging from \$12.00 to \$25.00.

U. S. Picture & Portrait Co.,
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MAGIC BAKING POWDER



The Kaiser's American Dentist.

Detroit News: "You sent for me, did you?" asked the Kaiser's American dentist.

"Yes, I did."

"What seems to be the trouble?"

"I dunno. Maybe I'm cutting my wisdom teeth."

"It may be that," said the dentist, "or maybe you've bitten off more than you can chew and your teeth are sore. I may have to remove a crown."

Unconscious Europe Agents.

Carl W. Ackerman, syndicate writer for the New York Tribune Association, says that every American newspaper is printing daily propaganda written and distributed by the Krupp interests, the largest manufacturers of war munitions for the German Government. For nearly two years the American press has been regularly printing despatches from the Overseas Agency, Mr. Ackerman declares. Some have believed these reports were "official." This is only half true. The Kurpps have been financing this news association. The government has given its support and the two wireless towers at Sanyville, Long Island, and Tucker, N.J., have been used as "footholds" on American soil. These stations are just as much a part of the Krupp works as the factories at Essen or the shipyards of Kiel. They are to disseminate the Krupp-fed, Krupp-owned, Krupp-controlled news to the Overseas News Agency. Doubtless an end has come to all this now that the United States is at war with Germany. Mr. Ackerman declares that the Krupp interests have gigantic plans for a publicity campaign to follow this war. Not only the Krupp directors, but the army and navy believe they can "conquer the world by publicity." They plan to merge the Wolf Agency, in Germany, with the Transoceanic and Overseas News Agency and distribute "news" throughout the world, especially in North and South America. They count upon the foothold they have now in the United States to aid them in their schemes.

The Last Words of Funston

"HOW DELIGHTFUL IT IS."
(By Henry Polk Lowenstein.)

How delightful it is to do one's duty well;
How delightful it is in the House of God to dwell.

How delightful it is, like Sheridan on his ride,
With a heart full of hope, to swim to the Other side.

How delightful it is, at Country's call,
To put on the armor and fight for all.

How delightful it is, in foreign land,
To uphold the flag for Justice stand.

How delightful it is to slip out of the sod,
And on the wings of music to fly to God.

Listening to the orchestra playing a beautiful waltz in the hotel where he was stopping in San Antonio, Texas, General Funston, speaking to a little girl nearby, said, "How delightful it is!" and then expired, these being his last words.

STOMACH TROUBLES.—Stafford's Prescription "A" cures Indigestion and Dyspepsia. Price 25 and 50c. bottle. Postage 5 and 10c. extra.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GARTS IN COWS.

The Indictment Still Stands.

New York Evening Sun: Torpedoes fired from a German submarine sent the Lusitania, with 114 Americans in her toll of dead, to the bottom of the Atlantic two years ago to-day, yet the name of the German officer who aimed the fatal shots remains still undisclosed. Nameless criminal for a nameless crime! But it is worth while remembering that the indictment of William Hohenzollern and Admiral von Tirpitz for the murder of the Lusitania's people, found by a Kansas coroner's jury, still stands.

Acknowledgment.

The Committee of the Naval and Military Convalescent Hospital gratefully acknowledge the following gifts received since May 18th:—Miss Holloway, jelly; Miss Ayre, cigarettes; Miss Mare and friends, concert, cake, chocolates; Miss Mary Ryan (Plantilla), gramophone records; Miss F. Cowan, coffee percolator and coffee; Mrs. C. Turner, eight day clock; Miss Caldwell (Briggs), eggs; Mrs. Tessier, rhubarb, eggs, stereoscope and views; Master Harry Milley, gramophone records, books; Master Hartley Ayre, eggs; Mrs. S. Milley, table napkins; Mr. Evans, Newfoundland Quarterly, Vol. 16; Mrs. P. J. Howlett (Pety Hr.), eggs; Mrs. Gillard, pastry; Mrs. A. G. Smith, cake; Miss Ruth and Master Edgar Hickman, magazines; Mrs. Bishop (Manuela), eggs, butter, milk, potatoes; Mrs. Holden, trout; Mrs. Crowley, fruit; Anonymous, box at Casino for concert; Mrs. F. W. Ayre, Mrs. S. Milley, motors provided to take patients to and from Casino; Miss May Kennedy, cake; Miss Milley, fruit; The Busy Bee Society, handkerchiefs; Misses Carter, fruit; Mrs. Whitten, home-made candy; Mrs. Brehm, fruit; The Misses Browning, rhubarb, cake, books; Mrs. Dwyer, magazines.

Had Headache for Two Years.

A Barrie Man Tells of Persistent Headaches and Indigestion—Finally Found His Way to Good Health.

Barrie, Ont., June 2nd.—For two long years the writer of this letter was subject to severe headaches. The nervous system got run down, digestion failed, and there was continued loss of weight.

The use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food changed all this, and now with scores of other Barrie people Mr. Nader is recommending the use of this food cure as the best means of building up the exhausted nervous system, and curing headaches, indigestion and all the annoying symptoms of a run-down condition.

Mr. John Nader, 38 Penetang street, Barrie, Ont., writes: "During the last two years I had an attack of indigestion, accompanied by severe headaches. I suffered from loss of appetite, and my system became run down. I also lost considerably in weight. I began using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and as they helped me I continued this treatment for some time. My condition is now greatly improved, my headaches are gone and my health in general is much better. I can cheerfully recommend the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to those suffering from nervousness of any kind."

As a spring tonic and restorative to overcome tired, languid feelings and build up vitality at this time of year there is nothing to be compared to Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50c. a box, a full treatment of 6 boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers. Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Do not be talked into accepting a substitute. Imitations only disappoint.

Your Boys and Girls.

No more bumped baby heads from falling against unrelenting crib sides. The new padded adjustable cushions have banished sorrow forever, so that one burden is lifted from the anxious mother's heart. The pads come in sets already made, are of quilted muslin with crocheted edges, and have tape to hold them in place. They launder splendidly.

A child's skull is but little more than putty in substance and it is up to the mother to make it shapely. There is not the least excuse for any child having an ugly nose. The tiny bodies are so plastic that it is only necessary to have the will and determination to make them anything one wishes them to be. Home massage under the instruction of a nurse or a doctor is the foundation for your little girl's future beauty and your son's straight shoulders and strong body.

A beauty specialist declares that any mother can make her baby have curly hair by always brushing the hair backward when it is damp and washing it from the forehead instead of the way it grows. She says ringlets and waves are trained.

Buy a bottle of Stafford's Phoratoke Cough Cure for 25c. and receive a numbered ticket. See advertisement.—may 1, 17

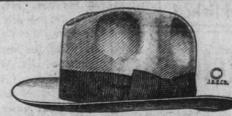
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- SILK SCARFS, HOSIERY, GIRLS' MIDDY BLOUSES.
- CHILDREN'S SUMMER DRESSES, CHILDREN'S HATS.
- MEN'S SHIRTS, SOCKS, TIES, COLLARS, SUSPENDERS, ETC., ETC.

OUR BARGAIN TABLES

have been replenished with New Goods. Wonderful values. Come early and get your pick.

The C. L. MARCH CO., Ltd.,
House Furnishers, Corner Water and Springdale Streets, St. John's.

The sleeveless coat is a novelty. The crowns of the best hats are tall. There are cloaks of periwinkle blue. Leather cardcases are fashionable again. Broad sash belts are much employed. Tulle hats are new and very fashionable.

Beige is smart when combined with white. White serge sports hats are flower trimmed. Blue frocks are trimmed with gray muslin. There are many box-plaited straight skirts. Lose-plaid coats with hats to match are new.

Summer furs are to be worn without a doubt. Fashion has taken a fancy to light gray serge. Black velvet jackets are worn with wash skirts. Russian blouses are extremely good for schoolgirls. Very small people are wearing gingham a great deal.

The King's Birthday.



As Monday next is being observed as His Majesty the King's Birthday, THE EVENING TELEGRAM will not be published.

Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - Proprietor
H. A. WINNER, B.A., - - Editor

SATURDAY, June 2, 1917.

LOSING RUSSIA.

We have been incurably optimistic in our view of the war, but we find it hard to avoid the plain inference of present events in Russia. The situation there is still so unsettled that nothing certain has emerged from it, but the surface indications show it to be growing steadily worse. Not merely the folly but the alarming power of the Workmen and Soldiers is exhibited in their seizure of Kronstadt, the key to the capital. Simultaneously strikes recur in many factories and the industries are further paralyzed. The German conquest of the country is nearing completion, effected not by arms but by ignorance within. No doubt Germany, if she had the men to spare, could at this juncture make short work of Russia; but it would be an expensive undertaking and might consolidate into combined opposition elements which can be left to themselves to fall apart. And so Germany wisely leaves them to themselves and secures the double advantage of eliminating Russia and of gathering all her forces to stem the advancing flood in the West. There the first fruits of the pitiful business are already apparent. It is doubtful if the situation can be saved by any number of British and American missions. Nothing but a miracle can save it, and we do not look for miracles in the twentieth century.

The Russian revolution was to have produced many things, and among them to date is a bountiful crop of cynics. The rosate visions that entranced the eyes of more impressionable people have not exactly materialized. The event, and America's entry, seemed to give a new meaning to democracy. Already sufficiently elastic, the word has become almost a synonym for every blessing unhappy man can enjoy on this earth. But among the instances of the emancipation of nations through their transition to democracy, which writers of all sorts are fond of describing, we have not yet seen cited the most striking case which history contains. Ancient Athens was a pure democracy. It had reached in some directions a height of intellectual and artistic culture hardly yet attained by succeeding civilizations. It fell before Philip of Macedonia and his organized barbarians. Imperial Rome stood the storm for a thousand years or more. Russia is hardly a parallel to ancient Greece but this essential peril is the same with her. She is in the hands of a mob who, like all democracies, know well enough their own aims but fail to perceive that

there are forces outside which may prevent their realization. Russia is all but lost to the Allies. In return they can count upon the doubtful set-off of Austria's condition—doubtful because her cast-iron system will keep disaffection in check long after Russia may withdraw—and the real benefit of America's accession. Nothing would surprise us less than the prophecy that the war will yet narrow to a struggle in the West, with the United States as the deciding factor.

Return of a Well-Known Cleric

AND DISTINGUISHED SCHOLAR. Rev. John Line, B.D., Prof. of Theology, Mt. Allison University, came in by last night's express and his many friends in the city will be glad to meet and hear him again. He has consented to speak to the Wesley Bible Class at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, and will preach at Wesley Church evening service. Mr. Line's splendid services during the fatal illness of the late Rev. Mr. Freeman, and the year following his death, will ever be remembered by West End Methodists. He has been filling appointments in Toronto since that time. Prof. Line leaves next week for Twillingate and other places, returning for the Annual Conference which opens in Cochrane St. Church June 25th, and at which he has been asked to deliver the Theological Lecture.

Military Funeral.

The funeral of the late American Navy man, Edward O. Joy, will take place to-morrow forenoon from the Knights of Columbus rooms on Duckworth Street and will be one of the largest seen in the city for some time. The procession will proceed to the railway station at 11 a.m. and will include prominently a guard of honor from our Regiment and Naval Reserve forces, as well as many American citizens. The C. C. C. band will also attend and render the Dead March in Saul.

McMurdo's Store News

SATURDAY, June 2, 1917. We have just opened a new stock of Rubber Plaster in handy packages—half inch, one inch, and one and a half inch. These little cylinders are extremely convenient, as the plaster packed in these keep well. Price 10, 15 and 20c a pkg. Also Rays Adhesive Plaster, 1 inch, in flat packages. Price 10c each. Also just arrived: Wamsote's Cod Liver Oil Preparation, 4.10 a bottle. Bricks Tasteless Cod Liver Oil Preparation 60c. and \$1.10 a bottle.

Fisherman Drowned.

Mr. C. C. Pittman, J.P., of Lamaline, wired to Deputy Minister of Justice Hutchings this morning as follows: "James Fleming, Jr., of Allan's Island, married, while on his way from St. Pierre last night fell overboard from motor skiff near Lamaline light-house and was drowned. Body not recovered."

Reid's Boats.

The Argyle left Placentia at 5.40 p.m. yesterday on the Merasteen route. The Clyde is at Lewisporte. The Dundee arrived at Port Blandford at 10 a.m. yesterday. The Ethie left Port aux Basques at 7 a.m. yesterday, going north. The Glencoe left Harbor Breton at 3.40 p.m. yesterday, going west. The Hawk is at Lewisporte. The Wren left Clarendville at 4.30 a.m. yesterday.

ARRESTED AND RELEASED.—A fisherman of Trinity Bay was arrested under warrant last evening by Constable Vail at the instance of a young woman. This morning the case was heard in camera and the accused, establishing his innocence, was let go.

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Meeting of Patriotic Association.

Last night's meeting of the Patriotic Association was a large one. The Governor, who presided, first tabled the report of the Association's work for the past year, which had also been tabled in the House of Assembly. He announced the publication later of the full list of honours and distinctions won by Newfoundland soldiers and sailors. Referring to the Battle of Monchy, he read a letter from an officer which gave a vivid account of the engagement. He stated that the total casualties incurred there amounted to 542—32 killed, 17 died of wounds, 226 wounded, 23 known to be prisoners of war and 244 missing. He then read the list of promotions, as already published, and referred particularly to the case of Lieut. Gerald Byrne, M.C. and Privates Lewis and Picco, M.M. From Capt. (Rev.) Clayton he had learned details of their performance which showed it to have been a brilliant one. He also spoke in high terms of Lieut. Stan Duder, R.N., now home on furlough, and of his services on a sweep in the Dardanelles. His Excellency expressed the thanks of the Association to the people of the northward for their splendid donation to the funds of \$1,570.00 per Mr. Pomeroey.

Mr. J. A. Clift, K.C., presented the report of the Standing Committee, which showed that 3,616 men had been despatched from here to date and 189 were in training at headquarters. A committee had been appointed in England, with the Prince of Wales as chairman, to supervise the upkeep of soldiers' graves after the war, and Sir Edward Morris had been recommended as Newfoundland representative upon the Committee.

The Finance Committee's report, submitted by Hon. M. P. Cashin, showed an expenditure for war purposes to date of \$2,829,985.46, and an amount drawn from the Treasury of \$2,836,783.44, leaving a balance of \$6,797.98 in hand.

Mr. E. S. Munn presented the report of the Patriotic Fund. Total contributions up to April 30th from all sources were \$132,248.90 out of which \$60,737.58 had been paid, leaving a balance in hand of \$71,511.02. The number of families assisted was 658 and 461 grants were current. Owing to increased cost of living, some of the grants may be added to.

Hon. P. T. McGrath presented the Pensions and Disabilities Board's report. All returned soldiers had been medically examined and their cases dealt with. The number of pensions at present being paid is 173, at a monthly cost of \$4,121.20. The report

stated that both the Jensen Camp and the Convalescent Hospital are being enlarged to provide more accommodation. In reply to a question by Mr. Blackall as to the position of men not in hospital but not yet well enough to work, to whom he considered the pensions inadequate, Mr. McGrath explained that they could, if they wished, avail of the hospital, and if they did not do so their pensions were reduced accordingly. The work of grading the pensions was very difficult, but any man incapacitated to more than the extent of 20% of his working capacity was granted a full pension. Major Macpherson also pointed out that the allowances were based on the extent to which the grantee's former working power had been reduced. The report also dealt with the matter of fitting men with artificial limbs, which is being done by an expert here, at a cost of \$100 per limb, which is a moderate figure.

Mr. W. B. Grieve had not prepared the Forestry report, owing to pressure of work generally. The committee in charge, he said, were doing good work and Major Sullivan and Mr. Ino. Browning were rendering valuable assistance. The securing of suitable men for the companies was found difficult. From March up to May 26, 323 men had been accepted for the Army and Forestry Battalions. At various outposts stations had been opened, circulars had been issued calling for recruits, and 110 enlisted since April 16th.

Capt. Roan submitted the report of the Musketry Committee. Excellent work is being done in this connection and great praise was due the instructors. Prizes for competition have again been offered by Mr. Ken Blair. This will stimulate new interest among the recruits. The meeting tendered a vote of thanks to Mr. Blair.

Mr. F. H. Steer announced that the Red Cross Fund was about \$34,500 and that the outports had yet to be heard from. The sum of \$3,000 was collected on Tag Day and \$5,000 had been cabled abroad already. The contributions from the outports will bring the total up to \$45,000, it is expected.

Mr. C. R. Steer intimated that he had discussed with experts during his recent visit to Canada and the States the possibility of getting a plant here for the construction of airplanes. Such an establishment here would mean an expenditure of a quarter of a million dollars. Commander McDermott, Capt. Abraham, Government Engineer Hall, C. R. Steer and Angus Reid were selected by the Chairman to consider the feasibility of the scheme.

Sir W. H. Horwood reported that Miss Pauline Baird had been accepted by the Non-Combatant Committee for War Hospital work.

Mr. J. W. Withers, on behalf of the Foodstuffs Committee, stated that with the assistance of the Government Agricultural Department a great deal more land than formerly would be cultivated this season and that 66 grants had been made to persons in the city.

Sir Justice Kent presented the Employment Committee's Report showing that honourably discharged men were constantly in consultation with the committee and availing of the latter's services; also that re-education is going on apace. The committee, he thought, should be made acquainted with the wants of employers respecting help. Positions had been secured by several but he emphasized that the task of securing positions should not be left entirely to the Committee.

Mr. W. B. Grieve believed it a good idea if people could be assured an outlet for their potatoes, owing to the big crop this season. Mr. Withers answered that much less flour would be imported and the consumption of potatoes would naturally be far greater.

His Excellency the Governor eulogized Majors Montgomery and Paterson for their services in connection with the contingent of volunteers, which were delayed quite a while at Windsor, N.S. His Excellency also intimated that he has thanked the Canadian Government, the town of Windsor and those who provided the Hospital there for our soldiers.

Right Hon. Sir E. P. Morris in speaking of his visit to "Ours" at Ayr and in France, stated that everywhere they had earned the highest praise and were always happy and contented. The men in hospital are receiving every possible care and attention. At the meeting of the War Cabinet the highest military and civilian personages had praised the work of the Sailors and Soldiers of Newfoundland, while the efforts of the Patriotic Association were regarded with wonder, as it is the only body of civilians doing such work. Sir E. R. Bowring and Mr. Steel-Matland are doing splendid work in looking after the comforts of those in hospital. Before leaving for home he had chosen Dr. Green as Newfoundland representative on the Graves Committee. Sir Edward also stated that it had been utterly impossible to secure tonnage to carry pit props, of which there is a large quantity at present to be shipped.

A vote of thanks proposed by Sir William Horwood to Sir Edward for his interesting account of his visit was passed by the meeting.

Fleet Paymaster Wyllys, Messrs. Collins and Letts, of the Marconi Telegraph Co., Councillors Brownrigg and Vinnicombe, Messrs. Alex. Drovers and P. Knowling were added to the roll of the Association. The meeting then adjourned.

Our Baseball Column.

PLAGIARISED AND OTHERWISE.



A little later all the fans will be picking the winner in the Pennant race, so the savant who edits this highly interesting and erudite feature is going to let the readers of this journal in on the ground floor and call the turn now.

The race for the Allan trophy is not going to be so one-sided as some rooters suppose, but the Wanderers, if they repeat their winning streaks of last season and take pains not to have any losing streaks, should finish ahead of the teams that lose consistently. In other words, nothing can keep the Pennant out of the hands of a club that wins regularly while the others are losing games. The Red Lions and B. I. S. also look good, and Clouston thinks his Cubs have a chance, but unless one of these three teams succeeds in winning more and losing fewer games than the Wanderers, then the latter should win.

We are aware that this is a staggering statement, but being printed in heavy, solid type, it is not so likely to collapse on the agate assertions of other prophets.

If your club wins this year, Tell your friends you saw it here.

The Wanderers we regret to say will be minus the services of McLean, their clever centrefielder and general utility man, who has been transferred to Canada. Mac's cheery smile will be missed by the fans this summer.

THE GAME.
This world's a diamond with the bases laid. And on it Life's great game of ball is played. The teams are Human Being versus Fate. And Time's the umpire, watching by. We're at the bat; our purpose o'er and o'er To wield Ambition's club and try to score; To try to solve the curves the pitcher throws. And lam the sphere where not a fielder goes; Where some of us are sluggers who can kill Fate's blinding speed and drive it where we will. Others tap infield hits, but swifly race. And beat the ball down to the primal base. Still others, though they strive their best, no doubt, Fan wildly at the air and then strike out. Then seek the bench, downcast, with visage drawn, Crestfallen, shamefaced, blue, ambition gone! Or rag the umpire, growling like a bear. To shift the blame and sulk in their despair; That's not the game; there is no time to quit. What though you failed to cut in with a hit, You've got another chance—stand to the plate. Head up and ready—keep your guard and wait.

Wait for a good one—let the other rip. And when it comes, now—lam it hard—and zip! It's got to go! And so must you, old man! Hike for the base—keep going—yes, you can. And so around—don't lose that swinging stride; You've got to beat the throw in—slide, now slide! Wow—wow! You did it! Score? Of course you scored. See—there's your tally marked up on the board! And now you'll win the game—no doubt at all. You'll never lose, old man, if you'll Play Ball! Owing to unavoidable circumstances, the proposed game for this afternoon between the U. S. navy men and the city league had to be postponed. It is hoped, however, that the encounter will take place at an early date, as the fans would welcome an exhibition of genuine American ball, in order to contrast it with the game as played by our locals.

FRED'S PREPAREDNESS SERMON. "In days of Peace prepare for War" The wist old Umpire said, "And that is what I'm resting for Till wintry days are dead. The wintry days are sweet as wine And gaily now I go it. But shortly I'll be getting mine. And jolly well I know it. The Summer of our discontent Was what my old pal Shakespeare meant!"

Cape Race Report.

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind W, fresh breeze, foggy to sea; several schooners passed in this a.m. The schooner Star, Capt. Carew, arrived this morning with supplies and left again at 10.15. Bar. 29.75; Ther. 50.

Here and There.

Sailor hats may be had in an endless number of forms.

Turkeys, Ducks and Chicken at ELLIS'S.

WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is calm and fine, temperature 42 to 50 above.

CAPLIN STRUCK IN.—A caplin "skull," unusually small, has struck in at Mobile, we hear.

ADVENTIST.—Subject: "Things New and Old." All welcome. Evangelist D. J. C. Barrett.

FOR THE FRONT.—Mrs. A. Richards received a message from her son, Private Albert Richards, yesterday, saying he was leaving the Old Country for the front.

OFF FOR FRANCE.—Rev. C. W. Hollands, of Carboner, received a message from his son, Lance-Corp. H. M. Hollands, at Ayr, stating he was leaving for France.

Keep Wednesday evening, June 6th, free for B. B. S. Concert, at 7.30, Presbyterian Hall. Admission 20c. Candy for sale. June 21.

AT COCHRANE ST.—The Rev. Dr. Bond preaches on Sunday evening at Cochrane Street Centennial Church. Subject: "The Religion of the Pocket Book." Special singing. Bright service. Visitors especially welcome.

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TO-DAY'S Messages.

10.00 A. M.

WAR SUMMARY.

LONDON, To-day.
Continuing his isolated attacks against the French lines the German Crown Prince on Friday threw his troops forward north of Moulin Lafaux, where the battle front bends northeast of Soissons, and against the battle scarred positions on Hill 304 on the Verdun front. Checked on Thursday in his attempt to hold the positions won on Mont Haut in Champagne, the Crown Prince had better success in his effort to break the French line. Near Moulin-de-Lafaux the Germans gained a footing in some advanced trenches, while counter attacks by the French troops forced them to retire from most elements taken, but they still remain in the toe of a portion of them. French artillery fire sufficed to check the German efforts against Hill 304, the Germans suffering heavy losses. There has been increased artillery firing in the Ypres sector in Belgium. Both London and Berlin comment in their statements on the activity of heavy guns in that region. Aside from several small raids and outpost engagements there has been little doing, except in artillery fighting on the Arras battle front. On the other battle fronts there have been no changes. Austrian attacks in the Vidice area of Julian front, north of Gorizia, were repulsed by the Italians, and Vienna reports the failure of Italian attacks in the same region. The taking over of the government of the great fortress of Kronstadt by the Local Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' delegates, and strike outbreaks in many large munition factories in Petrograd, indicate that the new Provisional Government in Russia is meeting with increased internal opposition. Kronstadt, 20 miles west of Petrograd, is the main fortress guarding the Russian capital, and is the main port of entry to the capital from the Baltic Sea. The Workmen's and Soldiers' delegates there not only have taken charge of the town but have declared that they do not recognize the Provisional Government. The Council has announced that all relations between Kronstadt and Petrograd hereafter will be carried out only through the Petrograd branch of the Workmen's and Soldiers' delegates, which recently caused the overthrow of several members of the Russian Cabinet. More than 120 of the largest factories in Petrograd are threatened with a complete tie up because of the strike demands made by the workmen. Several factories already have been tied up by strikers and the Conciliation Board is endeavoring to bring about an agreement between workmen and employers.

MOB RULE IN RUSSIA.

PETROGRAD, To-day.
The fateful decision of the Workmen's and Soldiers' delegates to assume control of Kronstadt, the great fortress which defends Petrograd, was carried out by a vote of 210 against 40, with eight delegates abstaining from voting. It is announced by the Workmen's and Soldiers'

delegates that henceforth the relations of Kronstadt with Petrograd and the remainder of Russia will be only through the intermediary of the Petrograd branch of delegates. The local Workmen's and Soldiers' Council at Kronstadt announced that it has taken in its hands the effective power of Kronstadt, that it doesn't recognize the Provisional Government, and that it has removed all the Government's representatives. The Minister of Justice has notified his colleagues of this development and on their instructions has communicated with the Kronstadt Council to revoke the orders.

PROUD OF CANADIANS.

OTTAWA, To-day.
Lt. General Byng, commander of a Canadian corps in the field, wrote to Sir Geo. Perley following the battle of Vimy Ridge, expressing pride in his men. The following extract from the letter was issued from the Militia Department to-night: "The corps was splendid last week. I knew they would do well, but could not have imagined the attack could possibly go as smoothly up to the time as it did. I see a good deal written that the resistance was feeble, but this is by no means the case, as is evidenced by the enormous number of dead Germans and our heavy casualties. Two flank divisions had heavy fighting (the 1st and 4th), but except for the centre of the 4th division, where we were checked for some hours, nothing disturbed the accuracy of the timetable. Naturally one's pride in the corps can hardly be described in words, and it would be impossible for me to do so."

NOT VERY MANY BUT TOO MUCH.

OTTAWA, To-day.
The belated returns ordered by the Commons in February, 1915, showing the number of Civil Service employees of German nationality in Canada at that time, was tabled in the House this afternoon. The eight departments reporting show twenty employees on the staff who were of German nationality.

A GOOD DECISION.

DUBLIN, To-day.
The Council of the Irish Unionist Alliance at a meeting here to-day resolved, while deprecating the opening of the question of Home Rule during the war, to participate in the Convention proposed by the British Government provided the Convention includes a fair representation of Unionists from the three Southern Provinces.

PROMISE SAFE PASSAGE TO NEUTRALS.

LONDON, To-day.
The German Admiralty has promised safe passage through the barred zone to all neutral vessels in English ports on July 1st, provided they carry distinctive signs and following indicated routes, according to a Reuter despatch from Berlin by way of Amsterdam. The announcement reiterates that England prevented the sailing of neutral vessels from British ports on the dates fixed by the German Admiralty as safe, thus hampering the supply of food to neutral countries. It adds that since the German sea barrier is raised only against the enemies of Germany, the German Naval Command, despite serious military objections, has decided once more to meet the wishes of neutrals who are suffering through England's ar-

bitrary orders and has therefore given orders that all neutral ships in England shall be granted safe passage through the barred zone on July 1st, provided they carry distinctive signs and will follow the indicated routes. Germany's assurance of safe conduct to Swedish and Norwegian steamers from British ports on July 1st was announced on May 30th.

WORKING FOR PEACE IN AUSTRIA.

AMSTERDAM, To-day.
According to a Vienna despatch to-day the Polish Club decided to authorize Deputy Das Zilky, in agreement with other parties, to introduce an urgent motion in the Lower House of the Austrian Parliament, declaring that both belligerent parties now recognize the right of nations to govern themselves and the foundation of a lasting peace. The resolution, the despatch adds, summons the Government in the name of the House to do everything possible with all States and peoples who desire peace on the basis of an understanding among the nations to render such a peace possible in the immediate future.

COALITION PROSPECTS BRIGHT.

OTTAWA, To-day.
After twenty-four hours of high tension and uncertainty the chances for coalition look brighter to-night than any time since the Prime Minister made the proposal to the Opposition Leader. Although the situation is still somewhat blurred by uninformed speculation on previous rumours, there are certain things which can be discerned as indicating a rising time for a Coalition probably. In the first place there have been renewed conferences between the Prime Minister and Sir Wilfrid Laurier; in the second, equally encouraging for prospects of union is the fact that the chief Liberal whip of the party left to-night for Quebec for a second conference with Sir Lomar Gouin. While the meeting between Sir Robert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier this afternoon was, as on previous occasions, of a confidential character, the Herald correspondent learns upon the highest authority that the Prime Minister laid proposals before Laurier of a generous and non-partisan character. The Premier in fact is known to have offered Sir Wilfrid a Coalition on a parity with the Cabinet would be composed of half Conservatives, half Liberals, the Conservatives retaining merely the advantage of Sir Robert Borden retaining the Premiership. In addition to the liberality of this offer he is known to be willing that all the Liberals to be taken into the Coalition may be named by Sir Wilfrid. Hopefulness for an agreement to-day lies in the fact that Sir Wilfrid Laurier didn't reject Borden's offer. It is believed the Leader of the Opposition will take a definite stand and submit his answer to the Premier's proposals by Sunday night. The success of the whole venture hinges around the province of Quebec.

SPREADING THE ILLUSION IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, To-day.
Extreme pacifist Socialist organizations, including the Independent Labor Party, have arranged for a big mass meeting at Leeds on Sunday to proclaim their sympathy with the work for peace without annexations and indemnities and to demand that the British Government support that formula in harmony with the Russian Government. James Ramsay MacDonald and Philip Snowden and other prominent pacifist ranks will speak. The meeting has gained a wide advertisement through local and other opposition, which led to the refusal of the use of one hall, but another was obtained.

MAY PAROON SINN FEINERS.

LONDON, To-day.
The Daily Chronicle says it has reason to believe that the Government is about to grant an amnesty to all Sinn Feiners now in prison. The paper believes this would be apt to create a favorable atmosphere for the coming Home Rule Convention, at which, it says, the Sinn Feiners will be represented.

AMERICAN INVENTS NEW BOMB.

WASHINGTON, To-day.
Representative Tilson, of Connecticut, exhibited in the House to-day a bomb which it is claimed will explode six feet above the surface of the earth no matter how high it is dropped and destroy everything within 200 yards, or even further. The device is the invention of Lester P. Barlow, thirty years, old, a native of Pennsylvania who has served as a coal passer in the navy and had charge of the aeroplanes for (use against?) Villa in Mexico at the time of the Border difficulty. The trouble heretofore has been that bombs bury themselves in the earth the explosion causing a crater which prevents effective fragmentation. The bomb has not yet been tested with a full charge, but in an experiment with a partial charge in it threw missiles everywhere for 300 yards around.

Casualty List.

(Received June 2nd.)
Reported by Post Cards from Following Wounded and Prisoners of War at Anhalt, Duisburg, Rheinland, Germany, April 22nd:
2322—Private Samuel Hooper, Rock Harbor, Burlington, Missing April 14.
1850—Private Allan Pilgrim, St. Anthony, Missing April 14.
Reported by Postal Censor Post Cards on route for Newfoundland, from Following Prisoners of War at Duisburg, Rheinland, Germany, April 20th; Wounded Left Side.
2960—Private Samuel King, Victoria Cove, Gander Bay, Missing April 14.
Reported Post Card from Following Prisoner of War at Munster, Westphalia, Germany, April 21st, Wounded Slightly Arm; Making Good Progress.
2488—Private Herbert Balbin, Country Road, Hay Robert, Not previously reported missing by unit.

2029—Corporal Elnahbert Moss, Sallor's Island, B.B. in Hospital at Duisburg, Rheinland, Germany, April 22. Wounded slightly arm.
J. R. BENNETT, Colonial Secretary.

The United States Army may place a large contract for the bombs.

RESCUED AMMEN.

LONDON, To-day.
The Daily Mail says that two British airmen have been landed by a destroyer on the east coast, after having been rescued from their wrecked machine. They had been clinging to the wreck for five days and five nights with a piece of chocolate as their only food.

LOSSES IN THE AIR.

LONDON, To-day.
The morning papers figure that 713 airplanes was shot down on the western front in May, of which 442 were German and 271 British and French. British headquarters admitted the loss of 86 machines, but as the French do not announce any war losses it is impossible to verify the inference that they lost 185. It is worthy of note that the estimate of 271 is compiled from the German official reports. The total losses for April were estimated at 700.

ZEPPELIN SCARED OFF.

COPENHAGEN, To-day.
A Zeppelin appeared over Swedish territory on Friday morning near Malmo and was driven away by the fire of Swedish torpedo boats. The airship also approached the Danish frontier south of Copenhagen. The troops guarding the coast fired a number of warning volleys, after which the Zeppelin disappeared in a southerly direction.

HENDERSON AT PETROGRAD.

PETROGRAD, To-day.
Arthur Henderson, member of the British War Council, has arrived here. He was met at the station by the Minister of Foreign Affairs Tseschenko and later was introduced to the other Ministers.

THOMAS AT JASSY.

JASSY, Roumania, To-day.
M. Thomas, French Minister of Munitions, has arrived here and received an enthusiastic reception.

ANARCHISTS PARADE.

LONDON, To-day.
A Petrograd despatch to Reuter's says that a few score anarchists, accompanied by some soldiers and sailors, marched through the Nevsky prospect and other main thoroughfares at midday on Friday carrying black banners inscribed "Down with authority; down with Capitalists; long live the Social Revolution and the Commune." They were armed with daggers, rifles and grenades. The paraders stopped outside the Kazan Cathedral and harangued a crowd of spectators. One sailor proclaimed that they were only dangerous to Capitalists and not to the poor. Subsequently the agitators went from one assembly to another along the Nevsky inciting them to mob banks and declaring that a social revolution would be proclaimed on the occasion of the approaching Municipal elections. The authorities did not interfere with the demonstration.

FRENCH REPORT.

PARIS, To-day.
Lively ennobling in the region of the Chemin des Dames is reported in the official statement issued by the French War Office this morning. The statement says that a few feeble German attacks were repulsed during the night.

Train Movements.

Thursday's outgoing express reached Port aux Basques at 10.30 p.m. yesterday.
The incoming express reached the City at 3 p.m. to-day.

Holiday Trains.

For the convenience of those who intend going out in the country to spend the weekend holidays we give below the list of trains leaving the city from now till Monday.

TO-DAY.
Trepassey 5.30 p.m.
Carbonara 6.00 p.m.
Brigitte—Pointe west of 8.00 p.m.
TO-MORROW.
Express 12.30 p.m.
Excursion to Tor's Cove 2.00 p.m.
Return 8.00 p.m.

MONDAY.
Local 8.45 a.m.
Express 12.30 p.m.
Trepassey 5.30 p.m.
Carbonara 6.00 p.m.

Housebreakers Still at Remand.

The trial of the Morgan lads was set down for this morning in the Magistrate's Court, but the authorities were not ready to proceed as they are still busy looking up evidence, and the prisoners were further remanded. They have confessed to breaking into quite a number of city residences and taking a considerable amount of goods. The last place they broke into, it will be remembered, was the residence of Mr. F. Steer, who was seriously assaulted with a bottle by the culprits.

A WITTY RETORT.

A lady whilst going downstairs to dinner had the misfortune to step slightly on the dress of a lady in front of her. The man on whose arm the former was leaning rudely said aloud, so that the couple in front might hear:—"Always getting in the way, like Balaam's ass!"
Upon which the lady whose gown had been trodden on, turning round, replied, with a sweet smile:—"Fardon me, it was the angel who stood in the way and the ass which spoke."—Tit-Bits.

RESERVIST GOES TO HOSPITAL.

—Royal Naval Reservist Spencer of H. M. S. Briton was removed to the Hospital this morning for medical treatment. He is a native of Spencer Cove, N.B.

C.C.C. Band will meet in their New Hall immediately after 9 o'clock Mass to-morrow (Sunday) morning, for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late Seaman R. Joy, U.S.N.—li

CONCERT FOR CHURCH FUND.

In aid of St. Joseph's Church Building Fund a concert will be held in Holytown on Monday evening, June 7th, at which some of the best vocal and instrumental talent of the city will assist. A feature of the event will be a playlet to be presented by the children of St. Joseph's and Guidi Vidi, in view of the laudable purpose, no doubt a large patronage will be extended.

DIED.

Passed peacefully away at 12 o'clock, June 2nd, after five months illness, Elizabeth Norris, in the 81st year of her age. Deceased leaves one son and two grandchildren residing in Boston, also two sisters, Mrs. Keefe, of Ferryland, and Mrs. Shea, of St. John's, to mourn; funeral at 2.30 p.m., on Monday from the residence of her son-in-law, 22 Flower Hill.—R.I.P. Boston papers please copy.

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I wish I had gone to see his drawings but I had heard so much about them that I resolved not to see them. "A crazy way of mine, your honor."

So she headed him off by damning With Overpraise.

I once knew a girl who was afraid her fiancé might too much like a college friend who was to visit her. So she headed him off by praising the coming guest to the skies. "It worked perfectly—he was sick of her before he met her."

Talk about damning with faint praise, I don't think it is half so dangerous as sickening with too much praise.

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Everyday Etiquette.

"Should visiting cards be mailed to the bride or to the bride's parents when one is unable to attend a wedding?" asked Ruth.

"Since the invitation is undoubtedly issued in the name of the bride's parents, the cards should be sent to them," said her aunt.

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- FRESH COCOANUTS,
- WESTERN TABLE APPLES,
- CABBAGE,
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- 5 cases Seedless Grape Fruit.
- 80 crates No. 1 Texas Onions.
- 75 boxes Table Apples.
- 75 cases 250 Cal. Oranges.
- 75 cases 216 Cal. Oranges.
- 75 cases 176 Cal. Oranges.
- 5 cases Ripe Tomatoes.

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THE SHORT SKIRT.

The short skirt is a bob-tailed garment which is a lineal descendant of the Coney Island bathing suit, but has not been declared unconstitutional by the police force. Some short skirts are shorter than others, but all of them enable a man who is located two blocks away from the place where the lambskins are to be whittled down several inches without destroying the tent on semble.

Until the last year or two the short skirt was not worn by anybody but school-girls under twelve years of age. Somebody discovered, however, that a woman fifty-seven years old could be made to assume a very bland and kittenish aspect by donning a skirt clipped off just below the knees, and coyly revealing a pair of imitation stiletts. The result is, therefore, that the streets of our villages, towns and cities are congested with feminine drumsticks, clad in high shoes and a bold, untrifled look.



A skirt that didn't flop around the ankles and collect more dust than a suction sweeper.

The short skirt illustrates how rapidly the times do change. A few years ago, if a tall, jointless bargainer had come down town and mingled with the gay throng in one of those skirts, the police would have thrown a 9 x 12 rug around her

shoulders and taken her home in a closed carriage with the curtains lowered. If a mother caught her daughter of marriageable age on the streets in a skirt that didn't flop around the ankles and collect more dust than a suction sweeper, she would give her something to remember that wouldn't wear off for several days. Nowadays, however, nobody notices the short skirt except the street-corner crew, who are usually numerous enough to answer all purposes.

There is a suspicion that the short skirt was introduced at the behest of the shoe trust, which took advantage of the situation and worked several dollars' worth more of leather and green buttons into the high shoe.

Inasmuch as this kind of a shoe never fits anywhere except around the sole, the effect is a good deal like plunging a walking stick into a pair of rubber boots. Nevertheless, the short skirt has come to stay, whether old-fashioned folk talk like that or not, for it enables women to walk as if they were real human beings.

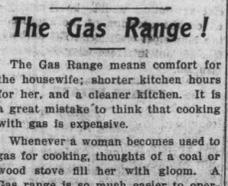
YOUNG THINGS.

In spring most things are fresh and new—except old guns like me and you. New leaves are on the ancient trees, new bumble bees on the stinging bee; new birds with antlers greet the dawn, new dandelions star the lawn; all things seem new, there's nothing gray except the eggs I bought to-day. The newborn duckling boldly swims; the calf steps round on wobbly limbs; we see the lambskins at their play, the cockin lifts a feeble neigh; the young of all the species bring their atmosphere of youth to spring, and anything that's old and hoar, that savors of the days of yore, seems out of place, of little worth, and ought to vanish from the earth. But I see nothing that is old, except that story you just told. The world itself looks bright and new, that in the winter pained the view, its dismal hues of gray and dun have changed to green beneath the sun; it is as cheerful, bright and gay, as though I were fashioned yesterday. Old things are hidden, and the young their banners everywhere have flung. There's nothing ancient, hoar, except the butter at the store.

The Gas Range!

The Gas Range means comfort for the housewife; shorter kitchen hours for her, and a cleaner kitchen. It is a great mistake to think that cooking with gas is expensive.

Whenever a woman becomes used to gas for cooking, thoughts of a coal or wood stove fill her with gloom. A gas range is so much easier to operate, so efficient for all kinds of cooking, and so much cleaner, that the idea of going back to the old style methods is decidedly unpleasant. Yet in winter many housewives think they must use a coal or wood stove, because there is no other way of heating the kitchen. THERE IS ANOTHER WAY AND IT IS FAR BETTER THAN THE OLD. THE CLOW GAS STEAM RADIATOR WAY. may23.17



Separate coats have large pockets, cuffs and collars. Black and navy satin coats are liked for street wear. Cotton gabardine is used for tailored summer dresses. Your sports shoes should lace with a cord, not ribbon.

\$50.00 in Cash Prizes!

At George St. Church. With every 25c. purchase at either of our Drug Stores, Duckworth St. and Theatre Hill, you receive a numbered ticket, and if you are holding a lucky number at the time the numbers are drawn (July 31st) you win one of the Cash Prizes we are giving away.

- 1st Prize \$50.00
- 2nd Prize \$15.00
- 3rd Prize \$10.00
- 4th Prize \$ 5.00

P.S.—The above does not apply to "wholesale" buyers, but only the "Retail Cash Purchases" made at our two stores. These prizes will be drawn by two prominent business men on the above mentioned date.

DR. F. STAFFORD & SON, Theatre Hill. STAFFORD'S PHARMACY, Duckworth Street. Stafford's 3 Specialties: STAFFORD'S LINIMENT, STAFFORD'S PRESCRIPTION "A", STAFFORD'S PHORATONE COUGH CURE.

Clock With Ninety-five Dials.

Petrograd boasts what is in many respects the most wonderful clock in the world. Its magnificence may be imagined from the fact of this colossal timepiece having no fewer than ninety-five faces. It indicates simultaneously the time of day at thirty different spots on the earth's surface, besides the movement of the earth round the sun, the phases of the moon, the signs of the zodiac, the passage over the meridian of more than fifty stars of the northern hemisphere, and the date according to the Gregorian, Greek, Mussulman and Hebrew calendars. The works took two years to put together after the clock had been sent in detached pieces from Switzerland to Russia.

A Glasgow watchmaker told recently about a watch that was brought to him for repairs and surpassed in interest all others that he had seen during his forty-two years of business. It was self-winding. The case was that of the regular hunting watch, and every time it was opened it partly wound the watch by the closing of the lid.

Where the lid joined the watch there was a little lever, to the free end of which was joined a scythe-shaped rack, which worked into a wheel with ratchet-shaped teeth. Instead of the ordinary fly spring there was a spring fixed to the plate, and attached by means of a short chain to the lever. As this spring pulled the cover open, the teeth of the scythe slipped over the teeth of the winding wheel, and by closing the cover the wheel was partly pulled round. To wind it completely the watch had to be opened and closed eight or nine times a day.—T.H.Bis.

Fads and Fashions.

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Munitions for Russia

BY ALL POSSIBLE SHIPS. Carry War and Railroad Supplies. Washington, May 18.—All available American ships, the seized German liners and all the ships Great Britain can spare from her own needs, probably will soon be carrying war munitions and great quantities of railroad supplies to Russia. As a part of the united effort to hold fast the Russian Provisional Government against German influences, and encourage a Russian military offensive, the Allied war committees are making preparations to furnish the necessary transportation for supplies to properly equip and maintain the Russian armies. The first problem will be to transport some 100,000 tons of supplies already piled up in the United States, and the second will be to keep a stream of supplies moving.

In addition to supplying war munitions, the important railway leading from Archangel is to be equipped with American locomotives and freight cars to bring it to its fullest degree of efficiency in moving the great quantities of materials which will pour in during the five months the port is free from ice.

Sunday Services

Church of England Cathedral.—Holy Communion (1st Sunday) 7:00, 8:00 and 11; other Sundays, 8:00; Matins (except 1st Sunday), 11; Children's Service, 3:30; Evensong, 6:30; Week Days—Matins, 8:00; Evensong, 6:30; Saluts—Days, Matins, 7:30; Holy Communion, 8:00; Thursdays, Holy Communion, 7:15; Fridays, Evensong, 7:30; Sunday Schools, 2:45 p.m.; Boys' Bible Class, 2:45 p.m. (Vestry); C.M.B.C. (Synod Bldg.) 3 p.m.; St. Thomas's—Holy Communion, 8; Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11; Preacher, Rev. C. A. Moulton. Evensong and Sermon, 6:30. Preacher, Rev. A. Clayton.

St. Mary the Virgin, St. John's West.—Holy Communion on the first Sunday in each month at noon; every other Sunday at 8 a.m. Other Services at 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. St. Michael's Mission Church (Casey Street)—Holy Communion at 8 a.m. on the 3rd Sunday of the month; and at 8 on other Sundays. Other Services 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Christ Church, Quidd Yiddi.—Holy Communion, second Sunday at 8 a.m. Evening Prayer, third Sunday in each month at 7 p.m. Every other Sunday at 3:30 p.m. Virginia School Chapel.—Evening Prayer every Sunday at 2:30 p.m. BROOKFIELD SCHOOL CHAPEL. Evensong—Every Sunday at 3 p.m. Sunday School—Every Sunday at 4 p.m.

ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH, THE GOULDS. Evensong—Every Sunday at 3 p.m. ASYLUM FOR THE POOR. Holy Communion—The first Sunday in each month at 9 a.m. Matins—Every Sunday at 9 a.m. METHODIST. Gower Street—11. Rev. N. M. Guy, M.A.; 6:30. Rev. D. B. Hemmison. George Street—11. Rev. Gordon Dickie, M.A.; 6:30. Rev. N. M. Guy, M.A. Cochrane Street—11. Rev. D. B. Hemmison; 6:30. Rev. Dr. Bond. Wesley—11. Rev. Dr. Bond; 6:30. Rev. John Line. Congregational—11. Rev. T. B. Darby, B.A.; 6:30. Rev. T. B. Darby, B.A. At the close of the evening service Communion Service will be held. St. Andrew's Presbyterian—11. Rev. H. Royle; 6:30. Rev. Gordon Dickie. Salvation Army (No. 1 Citadel, Gower St.)—7 a.m. Kneedrill; 11. Holiness Meeting; 8 p.m., Praise Meeting; 7 p.m., Great Salvation Meeting. MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

King and Queen

Madam.—I regret to have to inform you that the information has been received that the vessel carrying the King and Queen has been torpedoed on the Atlantic coast. The King and Queen were on board the S. S. *Teutonic*, which was torpedoed on the Atlantic coast. The vessel sank, and the King and Queen were picked up by the *Albatross*, which arrived on the scene. Search was made for the King and Queen, but none could be found. Enquiries made of the crew who was saved, revealed that the rest of the King and Queen were not on board. The King and Queen were assured of the truth of the matter, and the Queen expressed her regret that her Majesty and the King were not on board.

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If you suffer from rheumatism let me send you a package of this remedy absolutely free. Don't send any money. I want to give it to you. I want you to see for yourself what it will do. The picture shows how rheumatism twists and distorts the bones. Maybe you are suffering the same way. Don't. You don't need to. I have the remedy that I believe will cure you and it's yours for the asking. Write me today. F. H. Delano, 808-D Delano Bldg., Syracuse, New York, and I will send you a free package the very day I get your letter.

TROUTERS' TRAIN.—The Reid Nfd. Co. have arranged to attach a trouters' car to the freight train which leaves St. John's at 8 o'clock to-night. Tickets will be sold for Brigus Junction and points west. An exceptionally large number of trouters have secured tickets for Brigus Junction and will go fishing in Anglo Pond.

FREE

If you buy to-day, Friday you roll of Film same will be free of charge.

TOOTH

Kodak Store Street

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Send

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(Sgd.) EDWARD

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The British Soldier and Peace.

(By R. P. P. ROWE.)

The question of peace has been much discussed, but hardly enough has been said of the views of the man at the front on this subject.

It must be remembered that the Army of to-day consists not of professional soldiers but of civilians, who have been brought up in all the occupations of peace and look forward not to promotion in the army as the goal of their ambition but to a return to their proper trades and professions.

This is a fact, and it is also a fact that the man at the front to-day senses of proportion. He recognises clearly that in August, 1914, Great Britain was quite unprepared for war and had nothing which could be called an army on the European scale.

FREE OFFER!

If you buy a Camera to-day, Friday or Saturday you will get a roll of Film FREE. Also, same will be developed free of charge.

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King and Queen Send Sympathy.

Mrs. Matthew Somerton, of Portugal Cove, C.B., received the following letter from Sir Edward Carson:—

The Act. Genl. of Navy, Admiralty London, S.W. May 14, 1917.

I regret to have to inform you that information has reached this Department that Herbert Somerton, Leading Seaman Newfoundland R.N.R., Official No. 720X, who was serving on board the S. S. Porto when the vessel was torpedoed on the 20th ultimo, was not amongst the survivors.

The King and Queen commands me to assure you of true sympathy of His Majesty and the Queen in your sorrow.

(Sgd.) EDWARD SARSON. The late Herbert Somerton, R.N.R., was a young man of exceptionally strong physique and equally strong character.

Fresh Smoked Haddies, 12c. per lb., at ELLIS'S.

Jensen Red Cross Fund.

Amount acknowledged \$4,290.51. Donation from Lady Outerbridge 50.00. Sale of Canteens by Mrs. Mulr. 20.00.

The Committee of the Jensen Camp also wish to acknowledge with many thanks the following donations:—

One ton of coal from Mr. T. A. Down.

Self-zongene and two pillows from Mrs. McKeen and Mrs. Syme.

One ton of coal from A. H. Murray. Bread necessary for the Camp from Mr. McGuire.

It is now found necessary to enlarge the Jensen Camp to more than again its size, the full expense of which will make a big call on this fund.

ASTHMA COUGHS WHOOPING COUGH SPASMODIC CROUP BRONCHITIS CATARRH COLDS Vapo-Cresolene



That Wistful Look

—may be, in most cases, attributed to constipation, disturbed digestion, rather than imprudent diet.

Abbey's Effer-Salt A spoonful of ABBEY'S SALT in a glass of warm water will effectively but gently give instant relief.

ABBIE'S VITA TABLETS strengthen the Nerves and enrich the blood 50 Cents a Box

"What do I think of peace, sir? Well, it's like this. All the world wants peace and no one much more than the British soldier.

"I wasn't one of the first out there, but even when I went out we were a long way behind the Boche in everything. It was only after a year and a half of it that we began to get level.

Nicholas and Delilah. The Strange Forces That Resulted in Fall of a Czar.

Nicholas was not the first, nor will he be the last, to yield up judgment and will into the hands of a queenly and beautiful woman.

What, then, are the present circumstances? The Army knows them well, and this time from a glad experience. Instead of the odds being 2 to 1 against us in guns they are in our favour, and everything else that counts is changed in like proportion.

The purely political side of the problem concerns the soldier less directly, but as has been said, the soldier in this case is primarily a civilian and here to be displayed a most evident common sense.

ROYAL VICTORIA COLLEGE MONTREAL Courses leading to degrees in Arts, separate in the main from those for men, but under identical conditions; and to degrees in music.

Telegram Fashion Plates.

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The Home Dressmaker should keep a Catalogue Scrap Book of our Fashion Plates. These will be found very useful to refer to from time to time.

A CHARMING DRESS FOR MOTHER'S GIRL.



2072—Gingham, percale, lawn, dimity, chambray, linen, gabardine, serge, repp and poplin are nice for this style. The back and front panels panels which extend over the sides and form belt sections to hold the dress firmly.

JUST THE THING FOR SUMMER FABRICS.

Earles, Mrs. Robert Edwards, H. Water St. Everett, Miss Hannah, Plymouth Rd.

"To Verdun From the Somme."



Waist—2095. Skirt—2096. For soft crepe, organdie, lawn, batiste, for flouncing and embroidered materials there is nothing so attractive as this combination.

SPEED HOUSE BOAT IS BUILT ON HYDROPLANE LINES

RADICAL departure from conventional designing is found in a new 50-ft. speed house boat that was launched in the East before the close of the past season.

With a 12-ft. beam, it carries enough free board to give a 6 ft. 3 in. clearance, and has a regular, ship's deck, which is roomy and comfortable.

List of Letters Remaining in the G.P.O. to May 25th, 1917.

- Adey, John, Livingstone St. Albertson, Johannes, Hagerty St. Archer, W. C., Hamilton St. Anderson, Miss Annie, New Gower St. Ashley, Miss Bella, Bell St.

The Emerson & Milton are First-Class American Pianos. From my experience of forty years they take first place in withstanding our climate, and are remarkable for their singing quality and exquisite touch. CHARLES HUTTON.

ue Pins be- re Hair Prices, SSES of sizes, or Russia, SHIPLE SHIPS, Railroad Supplies, 18.—All available seized German ships Great Britain down needs, prob- arrying war mul- quantities of ra- Russia. uated effort to Provisional Gov- ernment influences, sian military of- war committees ations to furnish portation for sup- ship and maintain The first prob- report some 190,000 ready piled up in and the second will of supplies mov- supplying war mu- railway leading be equipped with and freight its fullest degree ng the great quan- which will pour in months the port is ssy here has ar- road equipments are arrang- ortation. Official ly will be made

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Newfoundland Weather

with its damp and heavy fogs imposes the most difficult test a kerosene could be asked to meet.

SKIPPER KEROSENE OIL

Gives steady power under any weather conditions—because it is pure—every drop.

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STANDARD OIL CO. of NEW YORK
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Germany's Greatest Ghoul.

Why Hindenburg Would Never Take Prisoners, and How He Forced the Ruthless U-Boat Campaign.

Hindenburg has been the chief and most constant advocate of Germany's policy of terrorism and frightfulness since the outbreak of war. Terrible as have been Germany's atrocities in Belgium, they probably would have been worse had Hindenburg been in command on the Western Front at the outbreak of war. Hindenburg has boasted that what the German troops did in Belgium was child's play to what his troops did in Russia—a grim boast, and the full and fearful meaning of which we shall probably never learn.

The Prussian policy of frightfulness and terrorism in war has been advocated by its supporters on the grounds that such a policy is calculated to subdue and conquer an enemy in the shortest possible time. But Hindenburg, I verily believe, is an advocate of frightfulness for its own sake. The manner in which Hindenburg devastated the country on the line of his retreat in France is evidence of this. There was no object of the slightest military value to be gained in the way he burnt and destroyed towns and villages. It was simply wanton destruction.

Kill All Prisoners.

There have been differences of opinion among German militarists as to the utility of different forms of frightfulness. For example, Ludendorff and von Falkenhayn were, at least, not among the warmest advocates of Zeppelins being used to bomb open and undefended towns.

But Hindenburg is the open, avowed, determined advocate of all forms

of frightfulness, and the more terrible they are the more enthusiastically does he support their use.

A doctor who knew Hindenburg well, not in a professional capacity, for the General never needed the services of a physician, told me that Hindenburg, when once talking of the rules of civilized warfare, said that if he had his own way he would never take any prisoners of war.

"They are a needless encumbrance," he said. "You have to feed and look after them; except in the case of the total surrender of an army I would never take prisoners." When the doctor suggested that two could play at that game, Hindenburg replied: "Yes, of course, but that would not matter; if I lose a thousand men it does not matter to me a jot whether they are killed or taken prisoners. They are of no further use to me."

Hindenburg's absolute disregard for the lives of his own soldiers is, however, not shared in general by the German people or even by other militarists. The sort of frightfulness that appeals to the Germans is the kind that they can practise without fear of reprisals.

Submarine Warfare.

To do Hindenburg justice, the fear of reprisals is not one that troubles him. From the start of the submarine campaign Hindenburg advocated the unrestricted use of the U-boats. This brought him into conflict with Bethmann-Hollweg and the Kaiser, and even some of the Kaiser's generals. Hindenburg's opponents were, no doubt, actuated by political rather than humane considerations, for they say that the absolutely unrestricted use of the U-boats would, if it did not bring them into conflict with the whole of the neutral world, alienate the sympathy of every neutral from Germany.

Hindenburg was summoned to see the Kaiser on the subject. He saw

the Emperor alone. What took place between them I do not know, but I was informed on reliable authority that Hindenburg put his views on the matter bluntly before the Emperor.

"If we win the war," he said, "it will not matter a jot to us how we win it. If we lose it, the reckoning we shall have to pay will not be appreciably lessened by our refraining now from making full use of all the weapons at our disposal."

Hindenburg's advice, however, for the moment was overruled. It was not until twelve months later that the Kaiser and Bethmann-Hollweg were compelled by the popular outcry in favour of the unrestricted use of the U-boats, an outcry encouraged and fostered as far as possible by Hindenburg, to adopt the General's policy.

In Supreme Control.

I may mention that this particular form of frightfulness, ever since the sinking of the Lusitania, is one that specially appeals to the German people, for they see in it that one that cannot very well entail on them any form of reprisals. It is not like ill-treating prisoners of war or putting them to death.

Hindenburg is now in a position that he probably never in his wildest dreams thought he would occupy. He is practically in supreme control of the direction of the German army and navy. Probably he knows that the Central Empires can never win the war. But I fancy that is not a consideration that troubles him much. His whole thought and energies will be directed to maintaining the German resistance as long as possible.

He has publicly stated that Germany could maintain her resistance for another thirty years; whether it would be possible for Germany to do that or not need not be discussed.

It seems on the face of it extremely improbable that she could. But one thing is practically certain that ere another thirty years have passed Hindenburg will have passed out of the land of the living, and what may happen then does not trouble him.

All that Hindenburg cares about is that he may hold the position he now occupies as long as possible, and as long as he can avoid an actual defeat on sea or land he will probably continue to hold it, unless and until the internal situation in Germany makes it impossible for the Germans to continue the struggle.

For how long Hindenburg may be able to avoid battle with the forces that are gradually pushing him back on the Western Front I don't pretend to say. That is a question that only a military expert in possession of all the facts governing the military situation could express an opinion of any value. But there is, I think, no doubt that Hindenburg will not allow the sufferings of the civil population in Germany to interfere with his plans in the field.

He will not hesitate to suppress internal disorder in Germany by the most ruthless methods, and in doing this he will certainly have at his back the support of the Kaiser and all sections of the militarist party.

Hindenburg is in the position of a man with a pack of starving wolves behind him and a foe better armed and equipped than he in front. He can keep the wolves at bay without much trouble by shooting them, but he will not risk a fight with his foe in front as long as he can avoid it. When ultimately compelled to fight, it would not surprise me if Hindenburg ended his career on the battlefield.—Pearson's Weekly.

Stars and Stripes.

Which are the three best-known flags in the world? There can be only one answer: the Union Jack, the Tricolor of the French Republic, and the Stars and Stripes of the United States. Probably there is not a civilized man on the globe who does not recognize these three at sight, and few who do not look upon them as emblems of Freedom.

The American Flag was first unfurled on New Year's Day at Washington's headquarters in the year 1776, but in its present form 1777 is its birth year, so that it is now exactly 140 years of age. The first flag introduced the stripes of the present flag, but retained the crosses of St. Andrew and St. George on a blue ground in the corner, implying the surviving acknowledgment of the royal power with the birth of a new nation. Had Britain had the good sense and sound statesmanship to accept that compromise it is more than likely that the States would have still owed allegiance to the successor of George III. But wise counsels did not prevail, and the next year the crosses were taken out of the flag and thirteen stars substituted, one for each of the original revolting colonies or States of the Union.

Since then many additional stars have been added as fresh States have been included with the advance westward towards the Pacific, two of the latest additions being New Mexico and Texas, but the stripes still continue to be thirteen in number as at first.—Tit-Bits.

Our Volunteers.



The following recruits signed the roll at the Water Street Recruiting Station and at the Headquarters yesterday:

- FOR THE ARMY.**
James Chambers, Brig. Bay, West Coast.
Robert Drake, Trout River.
Noah Scott, Upper Gables.
Hedley Hart, St. John's.
Isaac Smith, Swift Current, Placentia Bay.
C. W. Hann, Trout River.
Hanton Baker, Elliston.
Herbert Muise, South Branch, Grand River.
George Burt, Rose Blanche.
E. Rose, Rose Blanche.
James Auchinleck, St. John's.

FORESTRY HEADQUARTERS.
Ernest Felix, Flat Bay, West Coast.
Archibald Moores, Bala Verte.
The N.C. O. Class recently formed is making good progress and is now through the elementary work. The Soldiers and Foresters will hold their usual church parade tomorrow morning.

W. P. A.

EDITH CAVELL HOMES OF REST FOR NURSES.

Amount acknowledged	\$2,085.45
Lady Outerbridge	50 00
W.P.A., Catalina	21 00
Miss Gilbertson	5 00
W. P. A., Twillingate	14 00
The Sister of a Nurse	5 00
W.P.A., Salvage	6 00
Miss Duder, Montreal	10 00
Mrs. M. Cashin	10 00
Collected by Misses M. Vallis and E. James, Ramen	17 00
Spruce Brook, per Miss Ashman	6 00
Per Miss Furneaux:	
Rose Blanche	35 05
Diamond Cove	3 55
Harbour LeCoeur	19 10
LaPoile	10 50
LaPlante	3 00
West Point	9 00
Per Miss Fitzpatrick, Bell Is.	50 00
Proceeds of Concert	5 00
Dr. Lynch	5 00
A Friend	5 00
Mrs. Chadder, The Goulds	2 00
H. E.	3 00
The Misses Carter	3 00
W.P.A., Westville	8 00
N. W. P. A.	5 00
W.P.A. Concert, Briggs	9 50
W. P. A. Freshwater	5 00
M. Southcott	5 00

May 31, 1917. Hon. Treas.

Consumption Moderate

A communication to the Board of Trade from Lind and Conto, at Oporto, stated that since the date of their last report, the consumption of codfish has been moderate and that owing to the exigencies of shippers prices have had to be raised still further. Stocks at present are very limited. The rate of exchange is 31 1/4.

For every 25c. purchase made at Stafford's Drug Store you receive a numbered ticket. See advertisement.—may1,tf

T. J. EDENS.

A Union of High Grades and Low Prices.

- Am. Gran. Sugar, 10c. lb.
- 3 lb. tin Tomatoes, 20c.
- 3 lb. tin Pork and Beans, 25c.
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AUSTRIAN LOSSES

NEW YORK
A newspaper despatch from today says Italy's great victory has cost the Austrians in killed, wounded and missing, according to estimates, 100,000 men. Italians are now concentrating reinforcements in their line of troops, and re-fortifying positions, but continue to inflict losses on the enemy by countless counter attacks. Semi-official sources there were obtained to-day that tremendous losses of men. On May 19th four divisions, mainly 60,000 troops, defended the positions between and Frigidio, were practically out. On the next day attempts to recapture positions in the Vodice and Massif, cost the Austrians three full regiments, 10,000 men. Despatches to-day of the incessant pounding by British and British guns achieved effect on the enemy. Reports of exhausted regiments were morale.

BRITISH OFFICIAL

LONDON
An official statement from in May we captured in the battle area and in minor operations on the front, 3,412 German officers. We also took 50 field guns, 80 machine guns, trench mortars. A heavy party was driven off early in the northwest of Roubaix, Bapaume-Cambrai road. Our troops entered the trenches south of Ypres and bombed a number of dug-outs. There was some artillery activity by both sides the day in the area of Epehy on both banks of the in Ypres section. On night many long distance raids were carried out by planes with good results. Hostile ammunition dumps at way stations. In air the day two German airplanes brought down and one machine driven down on the ground. None of ours are missing. April according to a British in London, May 1, British in France captured 19,343 German officers including 393 officers and 227 trench mortar machine guns.

AERIAL ACTIVITIES

PARIS
The following official aerial activities were given to-day. In the period between 17th and 31st, thirty-two German planes were destroyed on during aerial combats, including fifty-seven others which were aged seriously and probably to the earth within the next few days. Capt. Guyenmore brought down machines, four of them on day. Two of these were minute, which is perhaps time in the war that such a time has been accomplished. These victories bring up to 42 of German machines destroyed far by this valiant effort same period Lieut. Pims

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War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A. M.

AUSTRIAN LOSSES.

NEW YORK June 1. A newspaper despatch from Rome to-day says Italy's great offensive already has cost the Austrians 300,000 killed, wounded and missing, according to estimates to-day. The Italians are now consolidating and re-organizing their lines with new troops, and re-fortifying their positions, but continue to inflict frightful losses on the enemy by repelling countless counter attacks. From semi-official sources these instances were obtained to-day to illustrate the tremendous losses of enemy forces. On May 19th four divisions, approximately 60,000 troops, which vainly defended the positions between Auzza and Frigidio, were practically wiped out. On the next day two desperate attempts to recapture Allingimont positions in the Vodic sector around Masif, cost the Austrians at least three full regiments, nearly 15,000 men. Despatches to-day declare that the incessant pounding by the Italian and British guns achieved telling effect on the enemy. Prisoners told of exhausted regiments and loss of morale.

BRITISH OFFICIAL.

LONDON, June 1. An official statement follows: During May we captured in operations in the battle area and in raids and in minor operations on other parts of the front, 3,412 Germans, including 48 officers. We also took one German field gun, 80 machine guns and 21 trench mortars. A hostile raiding party was driven off early this morning northwest of Rouresies on the Bapaume-Cambrai road. A party of our troops entered the enemy's positions south of Ypres and successfully bombed a number of occupied dug-outs. There was considerable artillery activity by both sides during the day in the area southeast of Epohy on both banks of the Scarpe and in Ypres section. On Wednesday night many long distance bombing raids were carried out by our airplanes with good results against hostile ammunition depots and railway stations. In air fighting yesterday two German airplanes were brought down and one other hostile machine driven down out of control. Some of ours are missing. During April according to an official issued in London, May 1, British troops in France captured 19,243 Germans prisoners including 293 officers, 257 howitzers, 227 trench mortars and 470 machine guns.

AERIAL ACTIVITY.

PARIS, June 1. The following official account of aerial activities was given out here to-day. In the period between May 17th and 31st, thirty-two German machines were destroyed on our front during aerial combats, in addition to fifty-seven others which were damaged seriously and probably crashed to the earth within the enemy lines. Capt. Guymore brought down five machines, four of them on the same day. Two of these were felled in one minute, which is perhaps the first time in the war that such a thing has been accomplished. Those five new victories bring up to 43 the number of German machines destroyed thus far by this valiant officer. In the same period Lieut. Pimsard put out

of action three German machines, triumphing over his fifteenth adversary. Here are other names of pilots who have increased the number of their exploits: Adjt. Madone, 12 machines; Sub-Lieut. Tarascon, 11; Adjutant Jullier, 10; Capt. Matton, 6; Sergt. Houllier, 5.

NAVAL BASES BOMBED.

LONDON, June 1. An official announcement says, several raids were carried out by naval aircraft from Dunkirk in the course of last night, the objectives being Ostend, Zeebrugge and Bruges. Many tons of bombs were dropped on the objectives with good results. In every case our machines returned safely.

PORT OF NEW YORK CLOSED.

NEW YORK, June 1. For reasons which the navy yard customs officials refused to reveal, the port of New York was for a good part of the forenoon closed to-day to all shipping. The passage of vessels in or out was barred by shutting the gate or steel net across the narrows which was placed there soon after the severance of diplomatic relations with Germany. Shortly before noon it was learned that the order for closing the port had been rescinded. Lack of information as to the reason for this action inspired a crop of rumors which found reflection in the stock market.

CAPTURE GERMAN POST.

PARIS, June 1. French troops last night captured a German post south of Chevreux, taking a number of prisoners, the war office announced. Raids by Germans and an attack on the Casque were repulsed.

PEACE AGITATION.

COPENHAGEN, June 1. Reports from Vienna say that simultaneously with the opening of the Austrian Parliament, thousands of workmen ceased work and attended meetings in different parts of the city. A great procession was organized which paraded the streets in a demonstration for peace.

THE HUNGARIAN CRISIS.

COPENHAGEN, June 1. An Austrian despatch to the German papers give the impression that the Hungarian crisis is gradually working in the direction of a dissolution of Parliament and new elections. In the interim a minority ministry would hold office and Count Andrássy is mentioned as the possible head for such a cabinet. Unless the Hungarian electoral practices are changed the Cabinet in power during the elections would probably emerge with a majority.

NOTHING DEFINITE.

OTTAWA, June 2. The possibility of a coalition government at Ottawa to handle the conscript issue in the Commons, is still being allowed to spak in to-day. In other words, the situation is unchanged from yesterday in essentials. The first official word which has been issued in reference to the coalition proposition, came this morning in the shape of denials from Sir Wilfred Laurier, Leader of the Opposition, and Sir Robert Borden. These denials were called for by a report from Quebec that a despatch from the capital had been received by a paper there announcing that Sir Robert Borden had been told by Sir Wilfred that his coalition cabinet proposition was absolutely impracticable and that the Opposition leader had stated that nothing except a miraculous event or something not foreseen at present could prevent imminent dissolution of the House. Sir Robert

when shown the despatch containing the interview said, "It is absolutely new to me." This statement was interpreted in some quarters to refer to a claim that Sir Wilfred had turned down the rumored coalition proposition. In other quarters it was taken to indicate that so far no specific proposals had been made to the Opposition, and in this connection it was argued that whatever had been done regarding conscription so far had been merely tentative and informal. The latter opinion has the largest body of reliable opinion behind it. Sir Wilfred was quite specific in his repudiation, stating he gave no such interview. This is accepted by many as proof that Sir Wilfred is not yet in a position to make a positive statement with regard to coalition.

WILSON'S WARNING.

WASHINGTON, June 1. President Wilson in a proclamation issued to-day, warns all persons seeking to avoid registration by leaving the country that they expose themselves to prosecution, and military service eventually, in spite of their efforts to avoid it.

AMERICAN VESSEL SUNK.

LONDON, June 1. The American sailing ship Dirigo has been sunk by a German submarine. The crew landed with the exception of John Ray, third mate, who was drowned when the boats were being launched. The statement issued by the British Admiralty says the Dirigo was attacked by gun fire from a German submarine, which gave no warning. The vessel was subsequently sunk by bombs after it had been ransacked by the crew of the submarine. The sinking occurred May 31st and the crew was landed at Plymouth.

NO TRUTH IN JAPAN RUMOR.

TOKIO, June 1. The Foreign Office has informed the Associated Press that there is no truth in the statement that Japan was to dispatch troops to Russia to reinforce the Russian army. It is stated that Russia doesn't need men, but munitions and supplies. In reply to a question as to whether Japan's naval forces in the Mediterranean will be strengthened, it was said that it would be premature to discuss that, but that generally speaking Japan would do everything in her power to co-operate with the Allies.

BRITISH OFFICIAL.

LONDON, June 1. Our troops gained ground slightly during the night, west of Cherisy, on the Arras front, says to-day's official announcement. Patrol encounters resulted in our favor last night in the neighborhood of Gouzeaucourt. Successful raids were made by us northeast of Loos, and near Ploegsteelt Wood.

RUMORS DENIED.

OTTAWA, June 1. When the interview in the Le Soleil, Quebec, crediting Sir Wilfred Laurier with statements about the rumored coalition ministry were communicated to Sir Wilfred, he denied absolutely having had any such interview. Premier Borden also stated that he had no knowledge of it.

PETROGRAD'S TROUBLES.

LONDON, June 1. Strikes and other measures to paralyze production have been decided upon in more than 120 of the largest factories in Petrograd, most of which are engaged in war work, Reuter's Petrograd correspondent telegraphs. A Petrograd despatch says that the extreme wing of the Socialists is beginning to agitate openly against Minister of War, Kerensky.

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TORNADO'S TOLL.

ST. LOUIS, June 1. Sixty-seven people were killed in a tornado that swept through several counties in the southeast of Missouri and South Illinois Wednesday, and a hundred injured. Property loss is enormous.

FOOD CONTROLLER RESIGNS.

LONDON, June 1. Baron Devonport has resigned as Food Controller because of ill-health. Baron Devonport was appointed Food Controller by the Lloyd-George Government on Dec. 10, 1916.

FRENCH SOCIALISTS.

PARIS, June 1. Premier Ribot to-day announced in the French Chamber of Deputies that the Government would not facilitate the voyage of the French Socialists to the International Socialist Congress at Stockholm. Premier Ribot was cheered by the great majority of members of the chamber when with the approval of the Cabinet he refused to give government recognition to the attempt of the French Extreme Socialists to discuss peace possibilities with Germany and other Socialists at Stockholm.

RUSSIAN LABOR TROUBLES.

PETROGRAD, June 1. After failure of the efforts of the Conciliation Board to reach an agreement on many points, the staffs of the factories resolved to strike or alternatively paralyze the work by carrying out all regulations to the letter. The time to form a strike is to be decided for each factory separately. In some cases the strike already has begun, while in others the staffs are busily enlisting the support of workers to include a six hour day and a minimum wage for women of 150 roubles monthly.

GERMAN REPRISALS.

LONDON, June 1. Lt. Robinson, of the Royal Flying Corps, who is a prisoner in Germany recently was transferred to Freiburg as a reprisal for air raids against that city by the Entente aviators according to the Central News. Lieut. Robinson was awarded the Victoria Cross for bringing down a Zeppelin during a raid on London. He was captured by the Germans in April this year. A despatch from Berlin May 12, said that British and French army officers held prisoners by Germans had been sent to Freiburg as a reprisal for raids on that city.

AUSTRALIAN ENLISTMENTS.

MELBOURNE, June 1. Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency. Hon. Geo. Foster Pearce, Minister of Defence, issued a return showing that enlistments in Australia from the beginning of the war to April 30th last, numbered 362,000.

SERIOUS TROUBLE IN RUSSIA.

LONDON, June 1. A Petrograd despatch says that the new Provisional Government of Russia is meeting with increased internal opposition, and that the seriousness of the situation is increased by the fact that the Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates have taken charge of the town of Kronstad and the great fortress there, and have declared that they do not recognize the Government. Hereafter it is announced all relations between Kronstad and the capital will be carried out through the Petrograd branch of the Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates.

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Some Record.

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AT THE HOUSE.

Yesterday afternoon's session of the House of Assembly was notable for its brevity as well as for a lively scene between the Leader of the Opposition and the Speaker, Mr. Goodison, member for Carbonear.

Several petitions were presented, from outport districts and the report of the Patriotic Association, submitted by His Excellency the Governor, was tabled by the Colonial Secretary.

In reply to the questions of the Leader of the Opposition, asking whether any provision is being made in the Estimates for taking the Voters' List this summer and whether provision was being made for a General Election next fall, the Finance Minister said the matter had not been considered. The Opposition Leader objected to this evasiveness and asked the Prime Minister for a proper and definite answer. The latter replied in similar tenor to the Finance Minister. The Leader of the Opposition then asked that the question be allowed to stand on the Order Paper. The Prime Minister took a different view and asked, that as the questions had been answered, in his opinion, they be stricken off. The Speaker ruled accordingly and thereupon a passage-at-arms occurred between himself and the Opposition Leader. The latter took exception to the ruling, demanding that the questions stay on the Order Paper, and added that the Speaker was acting as he did last year and was carrying out the behests of the Government. The Speaker termed this statement contempt and demanded that it be withdrawn, which was done. He then repeated his ruling that the questions be stricken off. Thereupon Dr. Lloyd appealed to the House over the Speaker's ruling, and it was upheld by the Government side on a strict party vote. That closed the incident.

The Daylight Bill was read a second time, the Colonial Secretary, who had charge of it, explaining the different sections and pointing out the desirability of the measure and its benefits. The Bill is to be known as the "Daylight Savings Act, 1917," and provides that from the second Sunday in June to the last Sunday in September the clocks shall be put on one hour and within that period the time will be designated "Colonial Time." The House adjourned at 4.15 p.m. until next Tuesday afternoon.

Wedding Bells.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place on Thursday, May 31st, when Mr. Peter Parsons and Miss Alice House were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. Dr. Bond. The groom's present to the bride was a gold extension bracelet and the same to the bridesmaid, Jeannie Pike. Mr. Wm. Pike and Mr. Ben. Sweetapple assisted the groom. The happy couple left for their future home, Gooseberry Island. The bride received many useful and valuable presents. We wish them many years of wedded happiness.

BODY ON TRAIN.—The remains of the late Michael Walsh, who died at North Sydney on Monday of this week, arrived by to-day's express.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.—The engagement is announced between Raymond V. Judd, B. A., F. A. I., second son of Mr. and Mrs. Judd, of Dalkey, Dublin, Ireland and Mary Genevive Torphy (Molly) eldest daughter of Mr. P. J. and Mrs. Shea, of Westmount, St. John's.

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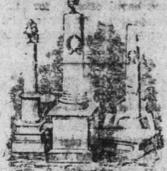
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