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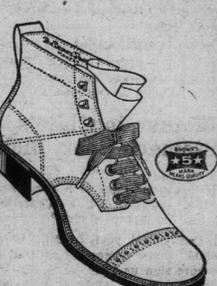
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CHAPTER XXIII.
"My dear lord," he said, in his sweetest voice, "we men of business know a great deal more than most people give us credit for knowing. One little bird—pray don't think I wished him to whisper secrets—came to me one day and whispered your name and that of a certain well-known money-lender."

The earl's face grew more fixed, but he did not move a muscle or show the slightest anger or surprise at the captain's knowledge of his embarrassments.

"Do not be afraid, my lord," said the schemer, in his softest voice; "the secret is safe with me. I shall not tell any one that Lackland Hall is mortgaged to the neck; that there is a lien on every other house your lordship holds; that there is a bill of sale upon the furniture, and that Lady Lackland's diamonds are at the jewellers, being repaired. I shall not tell all this because it is not to my interest to do so."

The earl stroked his mustache and looked straight before him.

"You do indeed speak plainly, Mr. Murpoint," he said, "and, while I will not endeavor to disprove or deny your assertions, I must at least confess that they startle me. Granting, merely for argument's sake, that I am an er—er—somewhat embarrassed, I cannot see how it can be to your interest to help me."

Presently a couple—a handsome man and a beautiful woman—passed them as they promenaded after the dance.

"What a couple they make! My ward is beautiful and well-bred, my



lord, and Lord Boisdale and she are good friends."

The earl scrutinized the sleek, serene face of the speaker with acute anxiety.

"I see," he said, "I see. You are right, you are right, Mr. Murpoint; they would make a handsome and suitable pair. It is a capital idea."

"Which requires capital," said Howard Murpoint.

The earl flushed.

"Your ward is wealthy—"

"And your son must needs be noble, my lord," continued the captain.

"A match between them is a thing to be desired."

"You would give your consent?" said the earl, almost feverishly.

The captain smiled.

"Let us talk of something else," he said. "It is a shame to dispose of the young things without their consent."

Then suddenly he said:

"Did you hear that the prime minister had spoken of my scheme for negotiating with the Swedish mines with much favor?"

"Yes," said the earl, not understanding why the conversation had been so rapidly changed.

"A friend told me that I deserved a baronetcy for it, hah! hah!" and he laughed softly.

"Fancy plain Howard Murpoint made Captain Sir Howard Murpoint, Bart., M.P.!"



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"I see!" said the earl, as a sudden light began to burst in upon him.

"Let me follow your example, Mr. Murpoint, and speak plainly. Do I understand that you will give your consent and bring about a marriage between my son, Lord Boisdale, and your ward if I obtain for you through my influence the baronetage which seems to cause you so much amusement?"

"My dear lord!" exclaimed the schemer, with a deprecating smile

"that is indeed speaking plainly. I am very grateful for your good intentions, very, but if I am anything, my lord, I am disinterested. From my boyhood I have worked for others; I am working for others now. It is enough for me that I can see my ward—my dearest friend's daughter!—happy. Be assured that if I thought a marriage between her and the admirable Lord Boisdale would tend to increase that happiness I would use every influence I possessed to bring about such a match, which would do us so much honor and would, I hope, be beneficial to the interests of your noble house."

The earl held out his hand and his cold, icy eyes glittered.

"You are a clever man, Mr. Murpoint, and a generous one. England is blessed indeed in the possession of such men as you! I am honored by your confidence—and—ahem—I think you really deserve the baronetcy!"

"You are very good to say so," smiled the captain, with a cunning light in his dark eyes.

"Shall I," he said, as the earl took up his crush hat and prepared to depart—"shall I have the pleasure of adding your name to the list of directors of the Penwain Mining Company?"

"Certainly, certainly. I shall be delighted," said the earl; "I will go on to the club, I think, and after shaking hands warmly he departed.

Howard Murpoint leaned back in his chair, and watched the tall form of his latest dupe disappear amid the crowd.

"Snared at last!" he muttered. "Did I speak too plainly? No; I think not. I have committed myself to nothing. Shall I get the baronetcy? I think so; if not, let the Earl of Lacklands beware. I have him in a cleft stick."

At that moment Bertie and Ethel approached. As they entered the cor-

ridor, Mr. Murpoint rose with a scowl and passed out.

"Those two," he murmured; "they must be disposed of before long. She thinks, poor girl, that Fate will prove kind and give her to the arms of Master Bertie. Lady Boisdale, I am your Fate, and have other intentions respecting you."

Bertie and Ethel entered as the curtain fell over the doorway through which they had passed.

"I thought papa and Mr. Murpoint were here," said Ethel.

"They are not far off, I dare say," said Bertie. "Will you not rest a while?"

"How warm it is," said Ethel, leaning forward and fanning herself.

"Every one looks hot excepting dear Violet. See where she goes, pale and untruffed as usual. Dear Violet!" and she sighed.

Bertie's eyes followed Violet as she passed, leaning upon Lord Boisdale's arm.

"Do you think Miss Mildmay is ill or unhappy?" he asked, in a low, grave voice.

"I cannot say. I do not think her ill, and I would not like to say that she is unhappy. I think she scarcely knows herself the exact state of her own feelings. See how dreamy and yet serene she looks; she is not thin either, and yet—oh, how terrible a puzzle is life—how weary, stale, flat and unprofitable."

Bertie looked up at her.

"Not to you—you are happy, Lady Boisdale. What should you know of the temptations, the sorrows, the failures of life?"

Ethel smiled.

"I may retort," she said, "in kind. What failures can the celebrated and popular Mr. Fairfax know?"

"The greatest failure a man can experience," said Bertie leaning forward. "The failure of a hope, that at the best never deserved the word! Lady Boisdale, if you could read my heart at this moment you would see how bitter life is to me, how hollow the mockery of success which has fallen to me! Once I would have welcomed it, longed for it. Now it is as bitter Dead-Sea fruit which crumbles to dust beneath my touch. Once—may I listen, I implore you to listen," for Ethel had half risen, pale and confused.

"Once," he continued, very pale and earnest, and with a sad music in his voice. "When I was young enough to cherish such daring ambitions I dreamed that I could make a place for myself in this great struggling, writhing world, a place high enough to satisfy my ambition and feed my hope. I hoped to reach that place and to seat another there beside me, rather let me say, upon the throne itself while I knelt at the feet. This was a boy's dream, Lady Boisdale, and like most dreams only the bitterness of its unreality is left to me. I have made a place for myself, but it is empty and desolate. A desolate and bitter mockery because I dare not, I dare not hope that she whom I would have for my queen will ever deign to fill it. Lady Boisdale, could you see me as I really am, solitary, alone in the great world, bereft of my dearly-loved friend, bereft of my hope, you would pity me. Others might laugh me to scorn for a presumptuous idiot, but you, whose gentle heart I know so well, would pity me."

He took her hand as he spoke, his voice trembled.

A tear fell on the hand which held hers.

He looked up and saw that she was weeping.

In an instant his reserve, his determination to go no further was broken down.

He drew the hand to his lips and, looking up at her averted face, passionately said, in a voice trembling with love and supplication:

"Lady Boisdale—Ethel! you know for whom my heart has thirsted, you know why to me the world is bitter and life a mockery! It is because I love you—I love you, Ethel, and I have not dared to hope. If you can forgive me my presumption, if you can—if you can love me—oh, Ethel, you know I have loved so long and hopelessly. Forgive me if I have forgotten the gulf which yawns between us. Why should I not?" he exclaimed, suddenly and passionately. "Is it a crime to love a noble woman, because she is an earl's daughter? Hearts are not given to the rich and



mighty alone. The peasant revels in the power to love, and I—I who kneel at your feet pleading for your pardon, feel that I have not sinned against Heaven or man, but have simply obeyed the pure impulse of my soul in daring to love you. Ethel, Ethel, you too condemn me!"

And with a tone of despair and reproach, he half rose.

"No, no!" cried Ethel, turning to him and laying her white, trembling hand upon his arm. "No, no. Condemn you! I love you!"

CHAPTER XXIV.

So Bertie had declared love, and won an acknowledgment from Ethel that his love was returned.

"Ethel," he said, and the name sounded wonderfully sweet as he dwelt upon it with loving tenderness, "Ethel, I must go to the earl and ask for my pearl of price. Shall I go tomorrow?"

Ethel turned pale and sighed.

"To-morrow?" she said. "Yes, must be so soon?"

"Yes," he said, quietly and gravely, "the world will say that I should have asked him first; but we cannot always control our hearts, they will have their way sometimes, and mine has been under boot and bar so long—so long."

"So long?" she murmured, blushing and turning away from him.

"Almost from the day when I first saw you—do you remember the time? Poor Leicester was alive then, and I poured all my hopes and fears into his ears. Ethel, I thought it hard that I should be debarred from hope; you were an earl's daughter—as you are now—and I was penniless, struggling, unknown."

"But it is all altered now," breathed Ethel, pressing his hand. "You are famous, and—and not poor."

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War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

OFFICIAL.

LONDON, Feb. 11. The Governor, Newfoundland: The French Government reports a slight advance in Louvain. The Russian Government reports continued fighting in East Prussia, and further capture of officers, men and machine guns in the Carpathians. Russian torpedo boat destroyers have bombarded three enemy batteries at Trestland, destroyed railway bridges, and sunk fifty enemy sailing vessels.

HARCOURT.

BERESFORD ON RAIDERS. LONDON, Feb. 11. In the Commons to-day, answering a question put by Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, concerning German air and sea raids on undefended towns, Premier Asquith said, "I am not prepared to make any general statement. Each case must be dealt with on its own merits." Beresford asked the Government to treat German raiders on undefended places as pirates, and after trial by court martial to hang them in public for the killing of women and children.

TAKING MORE STRINGENT MEASURES.

LONDON, Feb. 11. Premier Asquith, in an announcement made in the Commons, said that the Government is about to take more stringent measures against the trade of Germany. He promised that arrangements will be made to publish communications from Sir John French twice weekly, thus giving more news of the war. In connection with his recent statement to the effect that British casualties in the western fighting zone numbered 104,000 officers and men, the Premier explained that approximately 60 per cent. of alleged wounded had already recovered and were fit for service.

THE COST OF LIVING.

LONDON, Feb. 11. The housewives' side of the great war occupied the attention of the House of Commons this afternoon. For this body, by motion, invited the intervention of the Government in the present fight, which has been going on against the increased cost of living in the British Isles. The Government has already appointed a Parliamentary Commission to investigate this matter, and Premier Asquith explained to the House the result of inquiries thus far made, and outlined certain proposed steps dealing with urgent necessities which are causing much hardship on the poor. The Premier admitted the formidable rise in the cost of the necessities of life, but he contended that prices were substantially below the level, which the best informed judgment of the country would have anticipated at the end of six months of a war, involving, virtually, the whole civilized world, with the exception of the United States.

THE KAISER DISSATISFIED.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 11. Close observers of conditions in Germany, assert that the hurried return of Emperor William from the

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Eastern front, and his conference with General von Moltke and other army leaders in Berlin indicate that he was dissatisfied with the result of his army's efforts. Another shake up in the German army administration is predicted, by which Von Moltke would again become Chief of the General Staff and Von Falkenhayn would return to his work at the War Office.

EVACUATION OF INSTERBURG REMOURED.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 11. Private reports from Berlin say that it is rumored there that the Germans have evacuated Insterburg, in East Prussia, and that the inhabitants of the city are fleeing in panic before the Russians enter.

BULGARIA TO MAINTAIN STRICT NEUTRALITY.

SOFIA, Feb. 11. Bulgaria has decided to maintain a strict and loyal neutrality, said Premier Radolovoff, at a meeting to-day with his parliamentary adherents, at which a German loan to Bulgaria was discussed. The Premier declared that the military and financial preparations of the country were adequate for any eventuality, but the Government was confident that the friendly relations of the Powers towards Bulgaria would result to its advantage.

CANADA'S WAR BUDGET.

OTTAWA, Feb. 11. The necessity of raising upwards of thirty million dollars by new taxation, and the means by which this sum is to be raised, were the outstanding features of the Budget Speech by Finance Minister White, delivered in the House of Commons this afternoon. Following are the provisions announced by the Minister for restoring the revenues to the "minimum amount regarded as necessary." Special taxes are expected on rough estimate, to produce eight million dollars, and increased custom duties will add to the revenue from twenty to twenty-five million dollars on the General Tariff. The increases are seven and a half per cent. intermediate; five per cent. preferential, with certain exceptions, such as tea,

sugar, wheat and flour, with special war taxes, including one per cent. on bank note circulation; one per cent. on gross income (Canadian), trust and loan companies; one per cent. on net premiums of insurance companies, except life, fraternal and marine; one per cent. on telegraph cable messages; ten cents for every five dollars on railroad and steamboat tickets; ten cents on sleeping car, and five cents on parlor car tickets; one to three dollars per passenger from steamboat companies carrying to ports other than Canada, Newfoundland and the United States and British West Indies; two cents on all bank cheques, receipts and bills of exchange, express and post office orders; one cent on postal notes; one cent (war stamp) on each letter and post card; two cents on bills of lading; five cents per pint on non-sparkling wines sold in Canada; twenty-five cents per pint on champagnes and sparkling wines.

SUBMARINE ATTACK FOILED.

MUIDEN, Netherlands, Feb. 11. The German submarine U-2 yesterday attempted to torpedo the British steamer Laertes, which arrived here to-day from Java. The vessel escaped by adroit manoeuvres and fast steaming. When attacked, the steamer was flying the Dutch flag. The attack on the Laertes was made while the vessel was steaming between the Meuse lightship and Schouwen bank. The submarine fired several shells which damaged the steamer's funnel, compass and upper deck. As this did not induce the captain to stop, the submarine made an unsuccessful attempt to torpedo the steamship. The Laertes, when challenged by the submarine, was proceeding without showing her nationality, and when asked to stop, the vessel flew the Dutch flag, but this did not prevent the Germans, according to the ship's officers, from firing on the steamer and attempting to sink her. The captain of the Laertes says he flew the Dutch flag in order to save the crew, which consisted of subjects of neutral states, including those from China and Norway.

WILL INVESTIGATE.

THE HAGUE, Feb. 11. The Dutch authorities will make an inquiry into the attempt of the German submarine U-2 to torpedo the steamship Laertes, as it is suggested that the attempt was made inside Dutch territory.

NEW JESUIT GENERAL.

ROME, Feb. 11. Father Ledechowsky has been selected General of the Jesuits in succession to Father Francis Xavier Wernz.

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Hr. Grace Notes.

Our harbor from the Point of Beach is now free of ice, but people are still crossing north and back on the ice in the upper part of the harbour.

The masquerade ball held in the Academy Hall last night by the K. E. B. was a grand success. The costumes were very pretty to look at and the evening was most enjoyable. The sum of \$45.00 was the proceeds of the ball.

Mr. Graham Duff arrived from Nova Scotia by last night's train on a visit to his parents and other friends. All Graham's acquaintances are pleased to have him home for a holiday.

Some industrious men are now engaged getting muscels, which they sell at 10 cents per bucket. Although such a small price the vendors make fairly good pay, as good muscels are always salable.

Some of the shopkeepers sold four yesterday for \$200 per barrel, and are of the opinion it will be higher soon.

CORRESPONDENT.
Hr. Grace, Feb. 11, 1915.

Our Volunteers.

Four volunteers enlisted with the second Contingent yesterday, making a total of 1,083 enrolled to date. The names of those who enlisted yesterday are:—
Robt. T. Mercer, Manuels.
Jos. Butt, St. John's.
Hedley Taylor, St. John's.
Fred Ebsary, St. John's.

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Go now, make the best investment you ever made, by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder.

Two Little Waifs.

The two reel feature, "Two Little Waifs" presented at the Crescent Picture Palace to-day is a production of the Bison Company and contains a beautiful story.

There is a very realistic war scene in this drama pictured in the Bison way. King Baggot appears in "No-toriety" a drama of stage life produced by himself for the I. M. P. Company.

"Sergeant Hofmayer," the greatest comedy of the year introduces Food Sterling in the title role. Sterling is the funniest man in Filmdom, don't miss seeing him.

J. O'Neil Farrell, Baritone, sings a patriotic song written and composed by Judge and Williams, the writers of Tipperary, entitled: "Look out, mother, when the bands begin to play."

There will be extra pictures at the Saturday matinee, send the children, along, they will be sure to enjoy themselves.

On Monday "The Spider and her Web," a big two reel feature.

Fogota Here.

The S. S. Fogota, Capt. Dalton, arrived in port from the northward last night, having been unable to get further north than Greenspond. The ship was delayed at Bay de Verde for nearly a week on the way north, and the captain reports that navigation north of Cape Bonavista is now closed for the season.

YES FOR THE TABLE

WINDSOR SALT

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C. L. B. Non-Coms Meet

Last night at the Armoury the annual meeting of the non-coms, mess of the C. L. B. was held. After the presentation of reports election of officers took place, as follows:—

Chairman—Col. Sergt. F. G. Reid.
Vice-Chairman—Sgt. Instr. F. Miles.
Secretary—Corporal W. R. Moty.
Treasurer—Corporal C. B. Stevenson.

The total number on parade yesterday was 262, and these visited Government House grounds, where they were put through various exercises.

A squad of men had rifle practice at the South Side Range yesterday, and all made satisfactory progress.

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Adventure Back.

The s.s. Adventure, Capt. Couch, reached port yesterday evening from Alicante, after a sixteen days' passage. The ship left here the day after New Year's Day, in the height of a storm and made the run across to Gibraltar in ten days. Remaining there four days for orders, the ship then proceeded to Naples where a portion of her fish cargo was discharged. The balance was unloaded at Alicante. The ship then went to Gibraltar to bunker and after a delay of one day left the 'rock' for this port, meeting stormy weather most of the passage, but sustained no damage. Coming over the Banks near the Flemish Cap, considerable heavy ice was met and one large berg.

HELD UP.

Capt. Couch and his crew had an eventful experience, owing to the Adventure being twice held up, first by a British cruiser off Gibraltar and again by a French ship near Sardinia, an island in the Mediterranean. As the Adventure did not halt quick enough a shot was sent across her bows. The Adventure's nationality and mission were made known by signals and she was allowed to continue. The ship will now get ready for the sealing voyage.

Narrow Escape From Drowning.

From passengers who arrived in the city by last night's train, we learn that Dr. Chisholm and his driver had a narrow escape from drowning. While proceeding from Britannia Cove to Clarenville to connect with a cross-country train, Dr. Chisholm, his driver and horse went through the ice where they were crossing the Arm and only with great difficulty were the two men rescued from a perilous predicament. They were unable to get dry clothing until they reached Clarenville, consequently, they suffered much from their immersion.

DISEASE BEING STAMPED OUT. The outbreak of diphtheria at Petty Harbour is being stamped out and only one person there is now ill of the disease, who is recovering rapidly.

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 W. F. LLOYD, - - - - Editor
 FRIDAY, Feb. 12, 1915.

The Use of Neutral Flag

We notice that the New York Times in commenting on the use of the Stars and Stripes by the master of the Lusitania says: "We can afford to be indulgent about the use of our flag, a device for misleading an enemy which is not forbidden, yet we hope that emergencies of that nature will not often arise. The use of the Stars and Stripes upon foreign craft would naturally increase the risk to our own vessels in those vexed waters." It is doubtless some such fear as is indicated in the last sentence prompted the note from the American Government which emphasized the grave responsibility which the British Government would incur in sanctioning this use of the American flag to evade the enemy. This point of view is worth examination. If a British steamer escapes detention, examination and detection of her nationality, because a German commander of a submarine is deceived by the use of the Stars and Stripes, "a device for misleading an enemy which is not forbidden," surely the American Government can afford to be indulgent about the use of the American flag, for the device may save American as well as British lives. If a British steamer is detected to be British, after examination of papers, etc., and is torpedoed, although using the American flag, the fate of the British steamer will be no worse than if she had been flying the British flag, and America and Americans would not suffer by it. If, however, the commander of the submarine after examining papers, etc., wrongly concludes that an American ship is a British ship and American lives and property are lost by the German submarine torpedoing her, surely the whole fault is with the Germans, and the British can not be held responsible for it. If, however, the German Commander decides he has no time to examine the papers of a ship flying the American flag, but concludes to sink her without ascertaining definitely that she is the ship of an enemy and bases his decision on the ground that as A, B, C, D, British ships are flying the American flag, therefore the probability is that this ship is also flying it as a ruse, surely the fault is entirely with the German and not with the British ships, or British Government. Is it not clear the whole fault lies with Germany for instituting a callous inhuman practice of destroying ships, without first ascertaining for a certainty their nationality, by a Prize Court or at least some certain mode. Unless America can show some international rule or municipal law of their own which makes the use of a neutral flag by a vessel of a belligerent improper, it appears to us that President Wilson's representation to Great Britain lacks clear thought and is not well grounded. The use of a neutral flag as a ruse de guerre cannot increase the risk to neutrals, so long as the belligerent warships takes proper precautions to ascertain the real nationality of a ship before blowing it up and does not blow up a ship on the mere suspicion that she may be an "enemy ship."

Here is what the N. Y. World says: "So far as the use of neutral flags by British merchantmen is concerned, how long it is since the adoption of that device by German ships was hailed all over the world as exceedingly clever." Has Berlin forgotten that the Emperor of whose exploits it is justly proud, a warship and not a merchantman gained its most notable success at Panang, where it appeared in disguise. To-day it is notorious that the Dresden and Karlsruhe, hiding somewhere in the Southern ocean, are supplied from neutral ports by captured ships manned by German crews sailing under neutral flags. "There is complete agreement among neutral nations as to the meaning and the menace of Berlin's decree. It is a wanton denial of neutral rights. It exhibits a deeper, at least a more imminent hostility to neutrals than it does to a belligerent." The neutrals at whom it is aimed are therefore urged by every consideration of self respect and safety to unite at once in remonstrances so impressive "to be ignored."

Supreme Court.

Court met at 11 a.m. to-day, pursuant to adjournment. Present: Mr. Justice Johnson.

Abram Kean vs. William F. Coaker and the Union Publishing Co., Ltd.
 [This is an action for \$10,000 for damages for libel.]

W. J. Higgins for plaintiff; Morine, K.C., and Kent, K.C., for defendants. Morine, K.C., moves for adjournment on the grounds of the absence of a principal witness, and reads his own affidavit in support of the same.

W. J. Higgins consents to a short adjournment. The special jury are therefore dismissed and the cause is adjourned sine die.

Court adjourns till 11 a.m. to-morrow.

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Personal.

Mr. W. J. Mahoney, representing Lever Bros. of Port Sunlight, left for Grand Falls by last evening's express on a business trip in the interests of his firm.

Mr. M. F. Abbott, who had been visiting the city during the past week, returned to his home at Port au Port by last evening's express.

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STOLE RABBITS—A laborer who was arrested yesterday, charged with stealing a pair of rabbits, was before court to-day, convicted and fined \$5 or 14 days.

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 PRICES OF FOODSTUFFS.

LONDON, To-day.
 "The large expenditure by the Government on the Separation Allowances permitted the working classes to consume food on nearly the same scale as they did before the higher prices came." The Premier continued, "Among the factors in the shortage of wheat are the closing of the Dardanelles and the depredations upon crops in the areas of war, the Premier said he did not think shortage of wheat would last long. The determining factor has been prices in the New York and Chicago markets, the Premier said. These are in a highly nervous and jumpy condition and I know of no way whereby any Government in the world can control speculation. As a rule speculation provides its own remedy, after next June there is reason to anticipate that the fever of speculation will abate. Continuing, the Premier called attention to the very considerable consumption of meat by the troops, declaring that no men were better fed than British soldiers. The stock of sugar in the hands of the Government was sufficient to last many months and the price of sugar was now approximately the same as in the States. Dealing with the future, the Premier said that Argentine wheat soon will be available. Russia would facilitate in every way the export of wheat to the Allies but it would be some time before her supplies were available. Steps had been taken to get Indian supplies. Regarding shipping, the Prime Minister said, that nine vessels of considerable size, now occupied by prisoners of war, would be released for service and that the Admiralty would relinquish the vessels in its service whenever possible. The Government, said the Premier, had been invited to fix maximum prices (which German Government has done with such disastrous results) and to buy up all available supplies in Europe, but I do not think steps of that kind would facilitate the desired end. The Government desires to do everything possible to guard the working classes against hardships. A great war like the present must, however, demand sacrifices. Bonus Law, who followed Asquith said he thought the Government might have done a little more than it had, and that it should, especially when it knew that Turkey would enter war and that Dardanelles would be closed, have bought up large quantities of wheat. The Government should also have acted earlier, Law said, in reducing the high cost of freights. It was common knowledge, he said, that many ships taken by the Admiralty often lay idle for weeks and months. If a Board of business men were appointed to deal with these ships, he was sure that fifty per cent of them would be released for general trade. The Opposition leader said, if the Premier could convince dealers that there would be a plentiful supply of wheat by June, he was sure that the price immediately would fall.

THE USE OF NEUTRAL FLAGS.

WASHINGTON, To-day.
 The publication by the State Department of the text of notes sent yesterday to Britain and Germany, revealed that both countries had been warned in most emphatic terms against menacing the vessels or lives of American citizens, traversing the recently proclaimed sea zones of war. Germany was advised that the United States would be constrained to hold the Imperial German Government to strict account and liability for such acts of its naval authorities as might result in the destruction of American vessels or loss of American lives, and that if such a deplorable situation should arise, the American Government would take any steps it might be necessary to take to safeguard American lives and property. To Great Britain, the United States pointed out the "measure of responsibility which would be imposed on the British Government for loss of American vessels and lives in case of attack by a German naval force. If England sanctioned the general misuse of the American flag by British vessels and thereby cast a doubt upon the valid character of neutral ensigns."

GARRISON EXHAUSTING ITSELF.

PETROGRAD, To-day.
 A further explanation of the retirement of the Russian forces in East Prussia was made to-day in an official statement, which says: "It is believed we are upon the eve of a great operation which must solve definitely the struggle in East Prussia. Warning is given that because of necessity for military secrecy, little information may be expected regarding operations which are about to begin. The Russians are seeking the shelter of their own fortress, the statement asserts, before attempting to take 'more concerted' positions from which to oppose the heavily reinforced Germans. The Russians claim the garri-

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Fox Case.

This week the case of the Game Board against J. R. Horwood came up for hearing before Magistrate Squary, of Channel. The authorities discovered nine foxes being exported under a permit to export three foxes, and as a result Horwood was arrested. A man, Penney, who was implicated in the matter, escaped to North Sydney. After a long hearing the Magistrate found Horwood guilty, and he was fined \$400 or four months imprisonment. The nine foxes were confiscated. Mr. C. E. Hunt represented the Game Board at the hearing, and returned to town by last evening's express.

WRank ith Officers of Regular Army.

["The London Gazette," Tuesday, January 26th, War Office, January 26th, 1915.
 With reference to Army Order No. 35, of January, 1915, Officers of Overseas Contingents are granted temporary commissions in the Army, with effect from date of embarkation from their respective countries, or subsequent appointment, and take rank with Officers of the Regular Army from such date.



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The saddest job on earth is waiting for good or ill—it's just the same; at other times the hours go skating, but when we wait they're halt and lame. Some dire misfortune we are dreading; the waiting's worse than is the blow; we say, "We'd think it better stalling, if grief would do its worst and go," he man who's waiting for the sheriff to lead him to the gallows floor, and then reduce him to a scraph, is glad when all the waiting's over. We wait for some expected blessing, with hopes that buoy, and fears that rack; and waiting for it's so distressing that when it comes we send it back. We wait and wait and wait for dinner, and when it's dished, some two hours late, our appetite, that was a winner, has jumped its job and pulled its freight. When we are kids we're sadly waiting for lumpy years to make us men; when manhood comes its cars we're hating, and wish that we were kids again. We're waiting always, waiting ever, for something foul, or something fair; the end will come to waiting never, until we wait for harps up there.

GERMANY'S FOOD.

(New York Journal of Commerce.) That food supplies are scarce for the people in their homes is practically proclaimed by this government action, and it can hardly be that the army supplies are liberal. There seems to be little chance of getting much grain by importation, and between now and the next harvest there is likely to be a scanty supply of food at the front and in the rear of the armies, while the ranks of the cultivators of the soil have been depleted by the ranks of those fighting for the life of the nation. Under the circumstances the government is hardly to be criticized for using its authority to the utmost to conserve the food of the nation and see to its equitable distribution, instead of leaving that to a cruel competition between those who have and those who have not, though it seems like a policy which has had no precedent since the days of Joseph in Egypt, when it was justified by famine instead of war. What effect this lack of food may have on the duration of the struggle is an interesting and rather melancholy question.

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FIND EMPLOYMENT IN GERMANY.

Venice, Italy, Feb. 3.—Many Italian peasants, both men and women, are going to Germany to engage in farm and factory work, in response to offers of unusually high wages. For the men \$1.62 a day is promised, and to the women 75 cents.

Italian newspapers are warning the peasants against accepting this employment, in view of the uncertainty in regard to Italy's foreign policy, but apparently many unemployed persons are willing to assume the risk involved.

GERMANY'S TERRIFIC LOSS.

East Prussian Casualties Far Exceed Those in West.

London, Feb. 4.—The German casualties suffered in the fighting in East are published here. These appear to exceed by far the enormous loss suffered on the west front. Among the regiments which no longer exist are the Third Infantry Reserve Regiment. All this unit's officers have been killed, wounded or are missing. Infantry regiments Nos. 61 and 151 were annihilated during the fighting in Poland.

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Size 50 x 126. Reg. \$2.25 pair. Sale Price. \$1.90
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Size 60 x 126. Reg. \$3.75 pair. Sale Price. \$2.75
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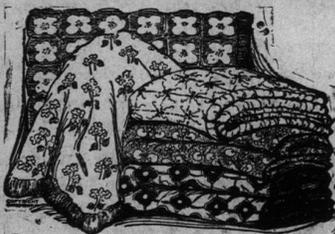
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Reg. 40c. yd. Sale Price 35c.
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Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price \$1.85
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Silk and Satin covered, plain and fancy; vented, reversible; nicely finished.
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Reg. \$9.00 each. Sale Price \$8.40
Reg. \$10.00 each. Sale Price \$9.45
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HUNGARY.

By GEORGE FITCH.

Author of "At Good Old Slivash."
Hungary is a small patch of ground in the dorsal region of Europe which has been mulling up history with great success for a thousand years. It is the home of the celebrated Magyars, who burst into Europe with great fury in the ninth century, and have held together closer than an Odd Fellow lodge ever since.

There are only about 9,000,000 of these Magyars, but in their fighting days it usually took about five enemies to hold each one of them. They defeated Germany, ruined Austria, defeated Russia, invaded Italy and threw rocks at the Turk over the walls of Constantinople. Every one breathed a sigh of relief when the Magyars quit fighting, and took up the tasks of self-government and the conquest of the Magyar language, two things which have kept them very busy for the last fifty years.

Hungary is bounded on the north by sige guns, on the west-by hostility, on the east by danger, and on the south by Serbia and other forms of dynamite. Politically, it is only about as quiet and placid as a miner's strike in Colorado. There are eight prominent nationalities in Hungary, each of which could give a lot to be able to boot the other seven out. In consequence of this, the Hungarian parliament resembles an old-fashioned New York caucus just before the riot call goes in, and Hungarian citizens in search of peace have been emigrating to the United States at the rate of 150,000 a year. To offset this, a million Russians have recently emigrated to Hungary, through the Carpathians, but not for the pursuit of agriculture and the arts.

Hungary is as large as Kansas and Iowa combined. It has 20,000,000 people, or five times as many as these two states. The Hungarians are simple quiet folk at home who dress in passionate colors on fast days, and till the soil in a sketchy and laborious manner the rest of the time. Hungary's twenty million people do not produce as much in the crop line as the 1,700,000 people of Kansas. This shows what the humble, but efficient corn planter and gang plow will do, if allowed to have full sway.

Hungary's prides are Budapest, a beautiful pair of twins with 750,000 population, and the celebrated Danube River, which flows through the country furnishing transportation, romance, scenery, and malaria in great profusion. Hungary's hope lies in the 25,000 Hungarians who come home from America each year with plenty of money and new fangled ideas about agriculture, politics, and the infant death rate.

Household Notes

A good sandwich is bread and butter with chopped dates.
To wash colored silks, use cold water and a moderate amount of soap. A flannel dipped in turpentine will clean a porcelain tub excellently.
Save all the buttons, tapes, etc., of garments that are no longer useful. The new-laid egg is one of Nature's greatest gifts to the sick room.
Excellent bibs for babies are made of small Turkish towels cut in two.
The more fresh foods there are on a table the better for the family's health.

At a pinch common white blankets can be cut up and used for baby blankets.

Put a thimble on the curtain rod when slipping it through the hem of the curtain.

The tops of pale-colored evening gloves make very dainty shoes for tiny babies.

Chamois mittens, worn while doing housework, are a great saving to the hands.

If a felt hat is faded or shabby, the crown may be cut off to form a toque foundation.

Little bags filled with shot make good little sewing-room weights for keeping a pattern in place.

Buttonholes on heavy linen can be done very satisfactorily with a fine crochet hook and thread.

A glass of hot water, with lemon juice is excellent for the complexion if taken just before going to bed.

Cookies should be put into a cloth-lined stone jar when hot if you would keep them melting and crumbly.

Woolen materials can be cleaned with a dry rubber sponge, care being taken to rub the wrong side of the nap.

Nothing makes better wash cloths than white stockings cut open. The edges may be finished with pink or blue crochet.

If you keep a canary see that his cage is spotlessly clean—it is better for his health as well as for the cheerful aspect of his room.
For salad dressing, three table-spoonfuls of oil, one and a half of vinegar, quarter of a teaspoonful of salt, one-eighth of pepper.
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A friend of mine who was coming much laden down a rather steep flight of stairs, slipped on one of the top stairs. It was impossible for her to use the hand next to the banister, but with almost unbelievable agility she shot the other hand across and saved herself.

"However, could you do that quickly enough?" I asked her after the first flurry had subsided.

"Because I had to," she answered, rather grimly, with a slight shudder for the danger passed.

And she was right. "Had to," was the occasion and the strength wrapped up in one package. If she had been asked to see how quickly she could move her hand across she could never have attained that speed, but along came the need and with it the ability.

Again and again, in the lives of most of us, necessity proves to be not only the mother of invention but of unguessed powers and capabilities.

The Girl Who Nursed Her Mother Through Pneumonia.

A little school girl neighbor of ours who never before did a day's nursing in her life, has just nursed her mother through a difficult case of pneumonia. (A disease in which, as everyone knows, the nursing is practically everything.) The doctor praises her work highly and says he could never have saved the patient without such excellent co-operation. If the girl had been asked a month ago to do some of the simpler sick room tasks,

Ruth Cameron

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"Chezar Vilyam's" Amazing Doings.

Munchausen Out-Munchausened.

The Prussian-Turkish Alliance has resulted in the appearance of a kind of journalism that leaves David Crockett and Baron Munchausen out of sight in the rear, and almost fitted to take its place among the "Arabian Nights," if to its other attributes it would only add that of charm of style.

The conversion of the Kaiser to Mohammedanism is the centre of all the romance, for this is firmly believed by the ignorant Moslem masses in Constantinople and elsewhere. It is related that the Emperor—"Chezar Vilyam" in Turkish—was "converted" fifteen years ago, but for political reasons did not avow it until the Balkan assault on Turkey, when his conscience began to trouble him. Then he made his "confession of faith." One Turkish newspaper tells what followed:

"The harem of his Moslem Majesty, Chezar Vilyam the Second, together with the harems of his staff officers, will visit Constantinople early next spring. Ten of the most powerful of the captured British dreadnoughts will escort the imperial party."

Another paper tells of the massacre of 500,000 Moslem Indians in South Africa. From an Asia Minor publication the public learns the imperial German territory have declared their loyalty to His Moslem Majesty. The Belgian people of all classes are flocking by thousands to the German officials and confessing the true Islamic faith. The Belgian people are voluntarily converting their churches into Islamic houses of worship. May their good examples be followed by the other infidels!

The above is matched by still another from the same source:

"According to a wireless from Amsterdam the British Government has offered 2,000 donkey loads of gold as indemnity if the mighty feet of His Moslem Majesty abandons its attack on London. This offer was refused by the Government of His Moslem Majesty the Chezar Vilyam the Second."

Such is the output of the German Ananias Bureau organized in Turkey, the entire press of that country being controlled by agents of the Kaiser.

This Date in History.

FEBRUARY 12.
New Moon—13.

Days Past—42 To Come—322
CHARLES DARWIN born 1809. The distinguished scientist whose "Origin of Species" first clearly formulated and elaborated the theory of evolution. In 1871, he issued his "Descent of Man," a still further elaboration of the evolution theory.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN born 1809. One of the outstanding men of the period who by sheer merit raised himself to become President of the United States of America in 1861, when also his anti-slavery pronouncement led to the Civil War of 1861-1865. In 1864 he was re-elected and in the following year was assassinated.

Not the bright stars, which night's blue arch adorn;
Nor rising sun, that gilds the vernal moon;
Shine with such lustre as the tear that flows
Down virtue's manly cheek for others' woes.

HOME THOUGHTS FROM THE TRENCHES.

Old mother mine, at times I find
Pauses when fighting's done
That makes me lonesome and fabled
To think of those I left behind—
And most of all of one.

At home you're knitting woolly things
They're meant for me for choice;
There's rain outside, the kettle sings
In sobs and frolics till it brings
Whispers that seem a voice:

Cheer up! I'm calling far away;
And, wireless, you can hear.
Cheer up; you know you'd have me stay
And keep on trying day by day;
We're winning, never fear.

Although to have me back's your prayer—
I'm willing it should be—
You'd never breathe a word to spare
Yourself, and stop me playing fair;
You're braver far than me.

So let your dear face twist a smile
The way it used to do;
And keep on cheery all the while,
Rememb'ring hating's not your style—
Germans have mothers, too.

And when the work is through, and
when
I'm coming home to find
The one who sent me out, ah! then,
I'll make you (bless you) laugh again,
Old sweetheart left behind.
—Punch.

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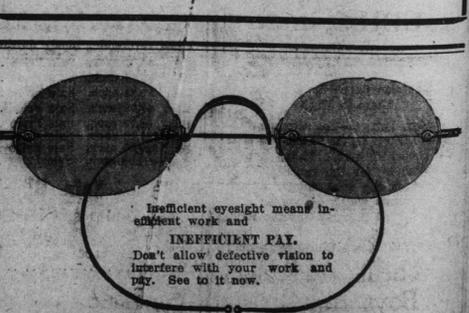
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AUSTRALIA'S BARRIER IS 1,200 MILES LONG AND JEALOUSLY GUARDED.
From Condon to Hopetown, clear across the continent of Australia runs a fence of woven wire 1,200 miles long, and the single purpose of its construction is to guard the fertile farm lands from the havoc-making rabbit pest. The entire eastern part of the continent is overrun with rabbits, but the western state, the "Golden State," as it is proudly called, is practically free from them, thanks to this seventh wonder of a fence. Upon the intactness of this barrier depends the prosperity of every farmer in Western Australia and it is guarded with the eagerness and the care that a beleaguered state takes to prevent a devastating army from passing its boundary.
Imported into the country by some immigrant, who doubtless hoped that they would live and thrive, the original party—for rabbits are not native to Australia—have multiplied into a countless horde, hardy, omnivorous and bold. In vast armies they scout along the fence seeking for some entrance hole, and often travel hundreds of miles to one ocean end of the fence trying to find a place of passage through from the inhospitable regions to the fertile farms.
The most amazing precautions are taken by the "Golden State" to maintain the effectiveness of its barrier. Range riders guard it for its entire length and keep it in a perfect state of repair. Ingenious traps are installed at every railroad crossing, and wherever a road passes through, rabbit-proof gates are built into the fence. A heavy fine is the penalty for any one who leaves a gate open.
Sometimes a "willy-willy," or cyclone, levels whole sections of the fence, and then it must be rebuilt with all possible speed. Often this occurs in the desert country, through which a part of the fence runs, and then the posts and wire must be carried on camels from where the railroad ends. The expense of maintenance is large, but the saving to the fertile farms reaps the outlay many times over in bountiful crops.

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Sad Cases of Destitution In the City.

We are informed from a reliable source that the destitution existing in the city at the present time is great, and is mainly on account of lack of employment. In the small tenement houses along the intersecting streets, particularly in the West End, there is much distress to be seen. "It is difficult to conceive," said our informant, "what hardships and sufferings some poor creatures are going through, through no fault of their own." Strange to say, however, that the most deserving cases are people who are remaining reticent about their condition. These same people saw brighter and better days and not very long ago, but just now are in subject poverty. It is commendable to note that the charitable institutions are so active and are attending to the needy since the advent of winter. The ladies of the Dorcas Society, especially, are constantly attending to the wants of the poor.

PITTABLE CASES.

Some heartrending cases are known to exist. Two New Yorkers, a middle aged woman and her daughter, named Palmer, were found yesterday morning by the police without food or fuel. They came here twelve months ago and have no one to provide for them. The daughter has managed so far to keep herself and mother from perishing with hunger.

W.P.A.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Women's Patriotic Association gratefully acknowledges the following Money Boxes and contents in aid of Sick and Wounded, opened at Government House on February 8.

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108	1.16
111	4.09
115	52.20
235	48
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407	1.38
416	12.92
417	1.38
420	96
426	1.55
429	75
442	1.77
451	83
495	2.02
499	29 96.70

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Any persons desiring boxes please ask for them any Working Afternoon, at Government House.

Pope Intoned Prayer for Peace.

Rome, Feb. 7.—There was an impressive scene in Saint Peter's this afternoon when Pope Benedict intoned prayer for peace. The great edifice was thronged with worshippers when the Pope, surrounded by twenty-two cardinals, mounted to the Papal altar. Standing between the four richly gilded spirals of the dromedary canopy, Pope Benedict intoned the prayer, which was repeated by the kneeling multitude, whose voices echoed throughout the great temple. The prayer was to "God of All Mercies, King of Peace."

The Pope, on arriving and departing was accorded an ovation. As he was leaving after the ceremony, there were many cries of "Long live the Pope," and "Give us peace."

Despite the downpour of rain at three o'clock this afternoon, all the bells of the four hundred churches in Rome pealed out, calling the people to services to implore the cessation of the war, and the establishment of peace among the nations of the world. Over sixty thousand persons gathered in St. Peter's.

Where is the Oriole?

Think British Ship May Be Another Submarine Victim.

London, Feb. 5.—The British steamer Oriole, which left London for Havre last Thursday and was due at Havre on Sunday, has not been reported. Lloyds are paying fifty guineas per cent to cover her total loss.

Much alarm is felt for the safety of the Oriole on account of the German submarine activity, and fears are also entertained regarding the steamer Borowdale, which has not been reported since leaving here January 21 for Granville, near Saint Malo.

Heavy Fatalities on Seydlitz.

London, Feb. 6.—The Times correspondent at Rotterdam says that he learns the German battle cruiser Seydlitz was very seriously damaged in the naval engagement in the North Sea on January 24 and that the fatalities aboard were heavy.

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Fort George, Inverness-shire, 27th January, 1915.

Dear Sir Walter Davidson,— I have to acknowledge receipt of your letters of Christmas Day and 11th Jan., and to thank you for the kind terms of the same.

I have fulfilled your instructions to Pte. Metcalf, who was much gratified. In case of any serious illness I will at once inform you.

The conduct of the men has been good throughout, and it is a cause of great satisfaction.

The men are also very fit, and their healthy, fresh and vigorous appearance, as compared with the men of other units around, has been remarked on.

Our time is spent in routine field training, and the Regiment is making good progress, the weather and other conditions helping the same.

Lord Brassey did the Regiment a valuable service in making a thorough inspection of it at Bustard Camp and has honored it and been exceedingly good to it on several occasions.

Mr. Susham and the Anglo-Nfld. Development Co., Mr. and Mrs. W. Martin, of Paington, Devon, the Newfoundland War Contingent Committee and the Rt. Hon. Sir William MacGregor, Mr. J. W. Evans, Carmelite House, and others have been very good to us.

A. Company, under Captain Carty, has just completed a course of musketry, and fired well.

B. Company, under Captain Alexander, has commenced a course to-day. I have the honour to be,

Your Excellency's obedient servant,
R. de H. BURTON.

We are looking forward to the arrival of the draft.

Narrow soft linen roll-over collars and cuffs will be worn with plain waists.

Naval Reservist Dies in Hospital.

At 4.30 this morning the death occurred at the General Hospital of Naval Reservist Edward Young, of Bonne Bay, after a very brief illness. Deceased joined H.M.S. Calypso, as a volunteer, some months ago and after undergoing the necessary training, was a member of the contingent that left on the Allan Liner Mongolian and returned again. While on the Mongolian he contracted a severe cold. On Wednesday last his condition grew serious and he was removed to hospital. His illness became more critical and he succumbed this morning, as mentioned. Deceased was an active young man and a fine type of seaman, unmarried and had been living with his parents at Bonne Bay, before he enlisted to do service for his King and Country. He died in harness a true British hero, and to the bereaved parents and other relatives general sympathy will go out.

The Same Old Flag at "Ours."

Another big crowd at the West End again last night. Every one talking about the pictures. They are far ahead of any seen in a long while. Mr. Rossley is making arrangements with the great Elliott firm, and he will be the first to show these wonderful films. The pictures of this company made quite a sensation in Europe. Their strength lies in consistent stories in realistic scenes, with the best photography and acted by established motion picture stars. The clever little Aneta almost brought down the house last night; dressed in correct man-o-war serge suit, she sang "We are all under the same old flag," and was encored again and again.

Special to Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, To-day.

Wind W. S. W., fresh breeze and weather clear. The shore is clear, but slob ice about ten miles south and west. The barct. E. S. Hoekens passed in at 8.40 a.m. Bar. 29.88; ther. 25.

21 Enlist at Port Rexton.

A packed hall greeted the speakers at Port Rexton to-night. Rev. Mr. Pittman was Chairman, and the speakers were Mr. J. G. Stone, Mr. Grimes and Rev. Dr. Curtis. Mr. Stone told the audience that he expected to join the Calypso shortly, and hoped to see large numbers from this district, when he boarded her. At the close of the meeting, 21 enlisted—15 for Naval Reserve and 6 for the First Nfld. Regiment.

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Mary Peckford and Cinderella.

Among the many beautiful pictures shown at Rossley's last night was the great feature film "At Home Folks," with Miss Mary Peckford. This picture shows the beautiful young star at her best, and had much to do with placing her where she is to-day at the head of all the motion picture ladies in the world. The Sheriff Round Up is another stirring feature, while the travelogues take us among strange lands and strange people. The Making of Corks is very interesting and instructive. The crowd last night were delighted with the pantomime, Cinderella, each and every member receiving encores, while Jack Rossley had the house in roars. Only two more days to see the best of all the pantomimes. The big matinee on Saturday, send the children to see poor Cinderella, the whole production and all the pictures; children, five cents; Monday, "A Night with the Allies."

DROWNING ENQUIRY.—A magisterial enquiry into the death of the young man Cook, whose body was found floating in the waters of the harbor, commenced yesterday afternoon before Judge Knight. Three witnesses gave testimony. The mystery surrounding the sad affair has not been solved.

BILLIARD TOURNEY.—The semi-finals in the T.A. and B. Society's handicap billiard tournament for the prizes donated by President W. J. Ellis, are now being run off.



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Juvenile Offenders.

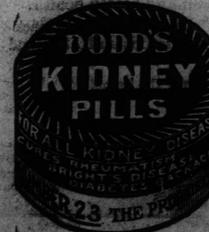
In his lecture on Tuesday night, Rev. Mr. Hemmeon spoke of the sentence of imprisonment passed recently on a lad of 13 years, deploring the situation which made this immature boy a companion of hardened criminals instead of being sent to a Reformatory or industrial school, where the necessary correction and development could take place. The question of a Reformatory is a hardy annual with the Grand Jury, just as the Board of Trade Report is hardly complete without reference to the Telephone system.

But yet nothing can stir the Government to action in the matter, and we have in the present instance a boy of 13 who was too young to understand the sentence passed on him and who became hysterical with awful fright when it was explained to him and he realized the separation it meant from his home. Now, it seems to me that this is another matter for the Civic Commission to take up and provide some place which would turn those boys into decent citizens instead of letting the prison turn them into jailbirds or corner bums. The "morale" of the people is or should be just as much the concern of the Council as clean streets, and the establishment of a Reformatory seems a much greater need than the problematical necessity of spending an enormous sum on new water mains. It is really a blot on our city that we have no more regard for juvenile offenders than we have for a dog that steals a bone and the guilt in each case is much the same and caused only by the way they have been brought up.

And a flogging after all doesn't correct much. The growing boy is all activity and it becomes our duty, it becomes the duty of the state when the action comes under notice of the Law, to direct this energy in the right way and instead of so many "Don't do that's" let there be "Do this."

Calling attention to their relationship to his satanic majesty is certainly not becoming from the lips of an officer of the law!

THEOBALD. It is impossible to talk nicely about Reformatories and it makes one mad to see utter waste of public monies when a crying need like this weeps in vain.



M. C. L. I. Debate.

A very interesting debate was held at the M. C. L. I. Rooms last night when the question: "Should the owners and employees of any business concern suffer proportionately during times of national crisis?" was thoroughly discussed.

The leaders for the affirmative were Messrs. W. G. Currie, T. Young and K. Header, while the negative side was supported by Capt. A. Keen, Messrs. B. Chown and J. C. Parsons. Owing to the question being such a broad one, many views were held as to its exact meaning, and as a result many interesting speeches were made. Upon the vote being taken the majority decided in favour of the affirmative.

The question for debate on next Thursday night will be: "Is a Government justified in regulating the prices of foodstuffs in times of peace as well as in times of war?" This is a topic which is occupying the public mind to-day, and the discussion will no doubt prove an interesting one.

Have You an Itchy Spot?

Somewhere on your body? If so, attend to it at once. In Eczema—and itchy spots, whether dry and scurfy, or moist and inclined to "weep," are generally eczematous—delays are foolish, allowing the disease to spread and affect more of the good skin. Your best chance for a cure is to use Zylex, which will give almost instant relief, and if used in the earlier stages of the trouble will almost certainly bring a cure, and in any event will greatly ameliorate the trouble. Ask your druggist about it. Price 50c. a box. Zylex Soap, 25c. a cake.

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Marine Notes.

The barq. Gaspe has reached Pernambuco after a 36 days' passage.

The S. S. Florizel is now due from London.

The barq. Lake Simcoe, 40 days from here, has arrived at Pernambuco.

The S. S. Durango leaves Liverpool on Wednesday next for here.

The S. S. Morwenna leaves Halifax on Sunday for this port.

The Nova Scotia "Lumber King" says:

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Here and There.

Demand "VICTORY" FLOUR. The sooner the better.—Feb12,tf

ICE PACKING CLOSE.—Between Cape Spear and Cape Race the ice is packing close, making it difficult for shipping to get through.

VICTORY FLOUR.—Fresh and sweet while the loaf lasts. FRANKLIN'S AGENCIES, Ltd.—Feb12,tf

A CARNIVAL for Children will be held in the Prince's Rink on Saturday, 20th Feb., from 3 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.—Feb10,51,ead

REPAIRS EFFECTED.—Temporary repairs to the Mongolian are effected. She sails some time to-morrow for Glasgow.

THE NIGHT SCHOOL.—One hundred and two boys and forty-two men were in attendance at last night's session of the night school. Sixteen teachers were in charge and the progress made during the week has been extremely satisfactory. The school will open again on Monday evening at 7.30.

ONLY ONE "Bromo Quinine," that is Laxative Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days on box. 25c.

G. W. Brown

HOCKEY MATTERS.—The Feildians and Victorias will meet at the Prince's Rink this evening. There will be a change in the line up of both teams since their last appearance. The Feildians have won every game they played so far and if they win to-night the championship will be practically decided. To-morrow forenoon the St. Bon's and Bishop Feild College teams will compete.

CHARITY PERFORMANCE.—The entertainment given at the Casino last night under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Desjardins, was largely attended. The programme consisted of the sketches "Between the Soup and the Savoury" and "French Before Breakfast" both of which were well staged. The proceeds which amounted to quite a large sum will be devoted to the relief of the poor of the city.

THE MACGREGOR FIRE SALE

AT **The Royal Stores, Ltd.**

Yesterday's crowded Store proved this Sale a decided triumph. At every turn we were greeted by enthusiastic faces, some bright with expectation, others beaming with satisfaction.

If YOU have not been able, so far, to attend this Great Fire Sale **Come at Your Earliest Opportunity.**

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Advertise in the Evening Telegram

Enquiry into Alleged Larceny.

The preliminary enquiry into the case preferred against the young woman who was on remand charged with the larceny of goods from Blair's store, commenced at noon to-day before Judge Knight. One witness, Mr. K. Blair, was examined. At 1 p.m. an adjournment was taken until 3 o'clock this afternoon, when other witnesses will be called. We understand that at the option of Mr. W. J. Higgins, counsel for the accused, the case will be brought before the Supreme Court if the enquiry warrants it. The value of the amount of goods that the accused is charged with is \$214.00.

McMurdo's Store News.

FRIDAY, Feb. 12, 1915. Pine Tree Lozenges are just the thing to have at this season when changes of weather are so frequent as to cause chest and throat trouble. The use of these favorite lozenges will often prevent colds and hoarseness which if neglected may become serious. Pleasant to take they do not interfere in any way with the digestion, if taken according to directions. Price 25c. a box. We have a lot of "seconds" in tooth brushes on sale at present, at the nominal price of ten cents each. Come in and have your choice. Some bargains.

Nursing Class.

The following were the results of the examination of the Home Nursing Class, lectured to by Dr. Burman and examined by Dr. M. G. Roberts: (In order of merit) 1. Mrs. Jane Taylor, 95 p.c.; 2. Miss May Higgins, 94 p.c.; 3. Miss Ruth Duncan, 93 p.c. (In alphabetical order) Miss Marjorie Crane, Miss Carrie Crawford, Miss Madeline Donnelly, Miss M. Clara Fennell, Miss Elean, or Howlett, Miss Amy McEvoy, Miss Helen Meehan, Miss Marie White.

Here and There.

PORTO MARKET.—The prices quoted to-day are: 30 to 34 for large and 28 to 30 for small.

LEAGUE HOCKEY.—Victorias vs. Feildians, Prince's Rink, 7.30 this evening.—11

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RATHER EARLY.—A Butterfly was found flying about in a warm spot in the Standard Factory this morning.

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WEATHER.—A fresh S.W. wind prevails along the line of railway to Bishop's Falls, Quarry and Gaff Topsails. It is snowing a little. The temperature ranges from 10 to 25 above.

E. S. HOCKEN DUE.—The barq. E. S. Hocken, Capt. Martyr, 30 days from Pernambuco, passed Cape Race at 9 a.m. to-day, and is due here this evening.

Fresh Fish, Fresh Cod Tongues, Halibut and Smelts at BISHOP, SONS & CO'S. 'Phone 679.—Feb8,tf

REDS' BOATS.—The Ethie has not been reported since leaving Epworth at 4.50 p.m. yesterday going west. The Glencoe left Hermitage early this morning, going west; the Kyle is due at Port aux Basques.

Just received and for sale by **GEORGE KNOWLING**, at his East, West and Central Stores. **CHOICE FRESH HALIBUT**, only 10c. per lb.—Feb12,li

ENLISTMENT TOLL.—We shall begin the publication to-morrow of Mr. I. C. Morris's account of the Patriotic tour which he took on the West Coast with the Hon. C. H. Emerson, Mr. Piccott and others.

Stafford's Liniment, "made in Newfoundland" a cure for Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all aches and pains. Sold everywhere.—Feb11,tf

PORTIA OFF.—The s.s. Portia sailed at 12.30 p.m. to-day for Western ports, taking a full freight and as passengers in saloon, H. Dibbin, W. F. Lake, A. W. Lake, G. Vallis, Capt. Vigus, M. Ridges, J. Forbes, Miss Tibbo and 10 steerage.

DIED.

Yesterday at Logy Bay, Michael Flannigan, aged 74 years, leaving 4 daughters and one son to mourn their sad loss. Funeral to-morrow at 1.30 p.m. Boston papers please copy. Entered into rest, in Brookline, Mass., U. S. A., Jan. 28th, at the home of her son, Lieut. W. H. Oates, 5th Regiment, M. V. M., Emily Jane, beloved wife of John Charles Oates, and eldest child of the late John V. and Charlotte Spitzer-Bennet, of Carbonary, aged 71 years and 6 months. Passed peacefully away on January 28th, at her residence, No. 16, Eleanor Street, Montreal. Mary, the beloved wife of William Tremble, formerly of St. John's, leaving a husband, son, daughter and a large circle of friends to mourn their sad loss. Interment at Mount Royal Cemetery. **WINDY WEATHER CUMES GARDEN IN COVA.**

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 Heavily fleeced, mostly Pale Blue, very neatly finished; just the right size for the baby's cot. Reg. 55c. Annual Sale Price **48c.**

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 2 pieces of pure White, 17 inches wide, a nice heavy Towelling for ever day use. Reg. 15c. Annual Sale Price **12c.**

QUILT COTTONS.
 25 pieces of fancy Quilt Cottons; these are something new in design, light and dark patterns; would make very pretty quilt coverings. Special during Annual Sale, per yard **9c.**

Men's Soft Bosom SHIRTS.
 A new lot of American Shirts, perfectly cut, in shades of Plain Tan, Grey, Cream and Pale Blue, double French cuff; the ideal Shirt for summer wear. Reg. \$1.50. Annual Sale Price **1.29**

LATEST ADVICE
 from our "New York buyer" was that he had secured a magnificent stock of high class Millinery, Dresses & Blouses, &c., advanced styles for Spring, 1915. These have since arrived by S.S. "Srephano" and during the next few days will be busy opening up for immediate showing.

First in the field with New York Styles for Spring. **COME EARLY.**

TABLE CLOTHS.
 Just what you want for a breakfast cloth, size 50 x 60; half bleached, Crimson border, fringed edge. Reg. 60c. Annual Sale Price **49c.**

TAPESTRY TABLE COVERS.
 A lot of new patterns in these, large and medium sizes, nicely colored, fringed ends. Special reductions during our Annual Sale.

Reg. 90c. for	76c.
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Reg. \$3.00 for	\$2.40

WADDED QUILTS.
 The demand is for warmer bed coverings, and we certainly have some stunning values in Wadded Quilts. Many of them marked much less than the usual reduced price. 'Twill be worth your while to see this stock. Prices to suit every purse.

Reg. \$1.80. White Sale Price	\$.149
Reg. \$2.20. White Sale Price	\$.185
Reg. \$2.50. White Sale Price	\$.205
Reg. \$3.30. White Sale Price	\$.264
Reg. \$5.00. White Sale Price	\$.420

Hand Bags
 A lot of smart styles in Brown, Royal, Tan and Black leathers, strong leather strap, fittings inside; a most serviceable handbag. Reg. \$1.50. Annual Sale Price **\$1.12**

Sample Scarfs.
 Prices range from 35c. to \$2.70. These are new and show quite a lot of pretty styles, any colour you may want will be found here; Saxe, Navy, Rose, Purple, Tango Tan, and White, and Black, etc. Special prices now, avail of them.

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 For the winter girl, smart "Balkan Middy" style, turned down collar and sewed with pocket, specially shaped and very snug fitting, in colors of White and Navy, and White and Royal only. See these. Reg. \$2.75. Annual Sale Price **2.38**

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 Something very dainty in pretty Coloured Silks, showing low neck and three-quarter sleeves, some with lace ruffle in front, others with plain silk trimmings, in colors of Cerise, Hello, Tan, Purple, Green, Saxe, Pink, Black, White and Oriental; a few others in Cream Challies with colored bow; very effective. Reg. \$2.50. Annual Sale Price **1.89**

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 Our regular \$1.00 line of Corsets, either low or medium bust to decide from, long hips, and four suspenders attached; every pair made bias cut, in finest quality coutil; all new stock, full assortment of sizes. Regular \$1.00. Annual Sale Price **89c.**

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 A line of Hosiery guaranteed to stand the wear and tear, and though low priced will give as much wear and satisfaction as many higher priced Hosiery. We make two lots and mark them to the lowest possible price during Annual Sale.

Small sizes	19c.
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CHILDREN'S CASHMERE HOSE.
 24 dozen pairs of ribbed Cashmere Hosiery for children, full length, fast black, assorted ribs, some with double knees; values to 30c. Annual Sale Price **17c.**

MEN'S HALF HOSE.
 These come in a nice heather mixture, real winter weight; one of the best values we have ever shown. Regular 40c. Annual Sale Price **33c.**

WOMEN'S CASHMERE HOSE.
 An assortment of plain and ribbed mostly, with a few dozen pairs of plain showing embroidered front, closely woven, fast black. Reg. 60c. Annual Sale Price **49c.**

MEN'S WEAR, CHEAP.

Men's Caps.
 The popular Golf Shape, in light and dark weaves. Caps are here to suit every kind of feature, best London manufacture. Regular up to 70c. Annual Sale **58c.**

Men's Braces.
 An easy fitting Brace, gives with every movement of the body; extra good clasps and strong cord attachments. Reg. 33c. pair. Annual Sale **27c.**

Children's Nightdresses.
 Made from good grade Cream Flannel, embroidery trimmed, turned down collar, well finished; sizes to fit from 4 to 7 years; regular up to 90c. Annual Sale Price **69c.**

Ladies' Vests.
 "New Knit" Brand. See This Line! Just what you require for present wear, finished with high neck and long sleeves; nice soft woolly finish, noting better for comfort and all round wear. A job line at 65c. Annual Sale Price **59c.**

Children's Dresses.
 Mothers! Here is a great chance for you to get a supply of dainty little Dresses in Colored Gingham and Linens, to fit children from 2 to 6 years. Lots of pretty stripes and checks in Pink and Blue, others in fancy, and many others in plain colors, with fancy collars, cuffs and belts, nicely trimmed with buttons, etc.; a great variety of styles. Regular up to 90c. Annual Sale Price **74c.**

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 These come in patent leather, sprigged sole and heels, single strap over instep. Special during Annual Sale.

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 Unquestionably the finest range of high class coats ever offered at such shattered prices and such a nice assortment to pick from a style, a fabric and a size for every coat seeker. Early buyers get the plums; take the hint and be on hand the opening days:

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 10 only of these in Pale Blue, Pink and Green, reversible, bound edges; size 60 x 72; very suitable for use between quilts. They are made of good grade Flannel. Now is the time to have one during the frosty spurt. Regular \$2.00. Annual Sale **1.55**

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 150 Remnants of extra fine Net, very handsome patterns, in White and Cream; these are just arrived and shown for the first time at the opening of our Annual Sale, your choice for, per remnant **28c.**

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 These come in lengths suitable for a pair of pillow cases or bolster length, mostly circular, made from fine American Cotton, far cheaper than the ordinary pillow cotton; we have marked each length in plain figures; come and get some now.

JOB LINE
Men's Scarfs, 8c.
 A big assortment of these, including wide end and narrow string Ties, lots of heavy knitted makes, pretty colorings; others in finer makes; values to 30 cents. Annual Sale Price **8c.**

Men's Gloves.
 A serviceable heavy grade Kid Glove, in nice tan shades; good value at 90 cents. Annual Sale **72c.**

BOY'S PANTS, 33 cents

To fit boys from 3 to 8 years, mostly Dark Tweeds, open knee style. Get a pair or two of these, you haven't bought them so cheaply before. Reg. 40c. Annual Sale Price **33c.**

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BRITISH NAVAL EXPERT INCLINED TO BELIEVE VON TIRPITZ.

London, Feb. 11.—The Daily News' naval expert says: "There is nothing particularly striking in fact that the German submarine U-21 should have been so far from her home ports, and no reason to believe that she was attended by a mother ship masquerading as a neutral trader. Admiral Von Tirpitz has declared that the largest type of his submarines 'can navigate round the whole of England,' remaining absent as long as a fortnight, but he added that it was necessary that such a boat should be able to lay up in calm, shallow waters so that the crew could rest.

"The U-21 was the first of the new and greatly improved type of German submarine and was launched in 1913. Her displacement is 890 tons, her speed 17 knots on the surface and 12 when submerged, and besides being equipped with four torpedo tubes and two 3-inch 14-pounder quick-firing guns, all those parts which show above the surface when cruising are armored with Krupp plating. The other boats numbered from U-11 to U-29 carry only one gun.

"The actual strength of the German Navy in completed submarines is unknown. The last official British return showed that twenty-one were in service at the beginning of 1914, while fourteen boats, from U-25 to U-38, with 'further numbers uncertain,' were under construction. In the autumn of 1911 the German press was making confident boasts that they would possess at least fifty submarines in 1914."

A British Base!

The Daily Chronicle's naval correspondent says: "The German submarine U-21 is believed to have sunk the Pathfinder on Sept. 5 and she it was that sank the Malachite off Havre on Nov. 23, and the Primo three days later. They were said to have been destroyed by gunfire, but more probably it was by portable mines with the fuses so placed as to blow holes below the water line. This is reported to have been the procedure in the sinking of the Linda Blanche." The Durward, which was sunk by a submarine near the Maas Lightship on Jan. 22, is believed to have been torpedoed, and this, of course, was the case in the loss of the battleship Formidable. The captain of the submarine will be sparing in his use of these costly missiles, for he will probably not carry more than five or six of them.

"We are left to speculate as to the route by which the U-21 reached the scene of her latest exploits. We cannot suppose that she has been in western waters ever since she destroyed the two ships off Havre. She must have returned to her base, otherwise we should have to imagine her establishing a base of her own in some remote and seldom visited cove somewhere on our own coasts. German submarines, as we know, have recently gone as far west as the strait, and they have from time to time been heard off the north coast of Scotland, where one was sunk in November.

"German submarines lately have been reported in Norwegian waters, and it is possible that they have, unknown to the Norwegian Government, found resources there. They could then pass down the west coast of Scotland, hoping to do damage off the Clyde, and then through the North Channel to reach the Irish Sea. There are great shipyards on the Clyde and at Barrow, where warships are built, and perhaps the very enterprising captain of the U-21 may hope to do damage among them."

RUSSIAN SUCCESSES ARE REPORTED IN THE EAST.

Petrograd, Feb. 4.—Important successes for the Russians in East Prussia and Northern Poland are announced in an official statement issued here to-day. In East Prussia the Czar's troops, despite desperate resistance by the Germans, have succeeded in crossing the Angerap river and captured fortified positions, while in Northern Poland they have captured the town of Skempe, only 33 miles from the great fortress of Thorn.

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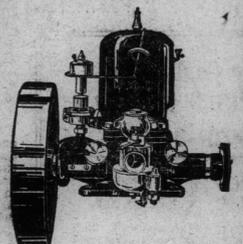
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Thursday, Feb. 18th—
(Forenoon) Victoria Street.
(Afternoon) Prescott Street, Central Hill.
Friday, Feb. 19th—
(Forenoon) King's Road and South Side.
(Afternoon) Cummins Street, Colonial St., East & West Side.
Saturday, Feb. 20th—
(Forenoon) Cochrane Street.
(Afternoon) Military Road, Side.
Monday, Feb. 22nd—
(Forenoon) Bogan Street and Bell Street.
(Afternoon) Military Road, Garrison Hill and Henry Street.

WEST END.
Wednesday, Feb. 17th—
(Forenoon) Pleasant Street, side, Hagerty Street.
(Afternoon) John Street, 1 Street.
Thursday, Feb. 18th—
(Forenoon) LeMarchant Street.
(Afternoon) Monroe Street.
Friday, Feb. 19th—
(Forenoon) Gilbert Street, and Street.
(Afternoon) Springdale Street, side.
Saturday, Feb. 20th—
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