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'Margaret,'
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CHAPTER XV.

She had been cold the moment before, but now she seemed suffocating with an awful heat. With trembling hands she tore off her hat and waved it—Heaven knows with what desperate idea of attracting attention!—but the wind seized it and tore it from her hand. A moment afterward she felt the water lapping at her feet, and with an awful voice she called upon—Blair!

As if in answer to her appeal, the lightning shot out from the black sky and revealed her form as if carved in bronze on the top of the rock. The next moment she heard a man's voice, and a boat seemed to rise from the depths of the sea at her feet.

A lantern flashed in the darkness, and by its flickering gleam she saw a man rowing in the boat, and a woman crouching in the stern.

It was Day and his wife. The woman screamed and pointed. "There—there she is! For Heaven's sake be quick!—Spryng, Mrs. Stanley, spring! Oh—" and she moaned, "be quick!"

"But, half mad with the insanity of mental and physical torture, Margaret drew back.

"No!" she cried. "I will not go! You shall not take me back to them!" "Quick!" roared Day, with an oath, "or you will be too late! Here, hold the lantern, Jane! Hold it high!"

His wife seized the lantern and threw its rays upon Margaret's wild, white face. The boat, driven by the tide, struck against the rock, and Day, grasping it with his boat hook, sprung on to it.

For a moment or two Margaret lay struggle between the weak and exhausted woman and the strong mariner. It lasted only a minute or two; then he lifted her bodily, and as gently as possible dropped her in the boat.

Springing in after her he seized the oars and began rowing to shore.

For a moment or two Margaret lay motionless, panting heavily, then she got to her knees and fung herself at Mrs. Day's feet, clinging to the woman's dress.

"Have pity on me," she moaned; "don't take me back; I will go anywhere else. I will do anything—but don't take me back to him! Oh, listen to me! You don't know how cruelly he has wronged me. I cannot go back. Stop!"—and she seized one of the oars. "You shall stop!"

Day stopped rowing, confused and bewildered.

"Is—she mad?" he roared, hoarsely, at his wife.

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Mrs. Day, white and trembling, threw her arms round Margaret and got her clear of the oars so that he might row.

"Oh, my dear, what is it? What has happened? Do you know that you have been nearly drowned? If I had not seen you and caught the boat just as it was coming to land—quick, James, quick!"

"No, no," sobbed Margaret. "Not back! I will not go back!" and she tried to free herself from the woman's grasp and throw herself into the sea. "The poor lady's gone out of her mind!" said Day, pityingly. "Hold her, Jane, for Heaven's sake!"

"Yes, yes," panted Mrs. Day. "You row as hard as you can. I will hold her, poor dear. Oh, James, what can have happened? And she so happy a few hours ago!"

Day bent to the oars. Margaret had ceased to struggle, but Mrs. Day did not dare to relax her grasp. The boat forced its way nearer the shore. Suddenly there rang out a sharp report, and a flash of fire darted from the beach.

Day uttered a cry and stopped rowing as if he had been shot, and Mrs. Day crouched still lower in the boat.

"It's the coastguard!" he said, bending forward and lowering his voice, though no one but the two women could have heard him. "It's the revenue men—and I've got the things aboard!"

There was silence for a moment, then Mrs. Day spoke.

"You must go to shore, James," he said, with the calmness of despair.

"If we were alone—"

She stopped and looked at the prostrate figure at the bottom of the boat. "Go ashore!" he responded, with an oath. "What! and them waiting for me? I tell you I've got the stuff on board. It's ruin, blank ruin!"

Silence again. The wind howled, the boat tossed like a walnut shell upon the black billows.

"Oh, James, think of her—think of the poor demented creature!" sobbed Mrs. Day.

"Think of her! Yes, that he right enough; but I must think of these, lass, and the bairns as well! I tell 'ee it means ruin! As well 'ow straight into the jail's gates as go ashore to them wolves. No! I'm sorry, Jane; I'm main sorry; but I can't do it—for your sake."

"There was that tone in the man's voice which quies even the strongest and most determined of women, and his wife sank back and resigned herself.

The boat swung round, and Day, setting his teeth, pulled for the open sea.

"We'll never reach the schooner," panted Mrs. Day, hoarsely.

"I'll risk it," he responded grimly.

"Better trust ourselves to the open all night than run into the midst of the sharks there," and he nodded toward the shore.

"And this poor lady?"

On his advice went to Sherbrooke Hospital, where I was to be benefited but the old troubles returned and I tried a Montreal hospital. Got a little better, but the help was only temporary, and I was soon bad again. "On the advice of a friend, I began to use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and I now thank that friend, for today I am as free from kidney disease as I ever was in my life. I owe the cure to Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, for they undoubtedly did the work. I am 68 years old and have spent 35 years as a traveller calling on the drug trade. Everywhere I am told that Dr. Chase's medicines are the best sellers and give the best satisfaction of any medicines on the market. Shall be glad to answer any questions in regard to my cure if people care to write me."

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He glanced at Margaret. "Well, I'm but doing her bidding, beant it?" he retorted. "Didn't she pray and beseech me not to take her back? There, be easy! I've no breath for chattering, woman. Keep the lantern dark, and steer her straight out."

As he spoke there came another flash from the shore, and a rocket sped upward to the black sky. Day uttered a grim exclamation of satisfaction.

"The fools!" he ground out; "they've showed me the way! The schooner lies due north of the customs, where that rocket started from! Keep her straight, lass, and we'll slip 'em yet. They won't risk their boat out—it's worse near the beach than it be here clear of the rocks. Sit still and 'fear nought!"

With the cool courage belonging to his class, he pulled steadily on, his wife grasping the tiller—for Margaret lay motionless and inert enough now—and peering into the darkness. Suddenly she uttered a cry.

"The schooner, James! I saw her light for a moment!"

"Ay!" he responded coolly; "she's heard the gun and seen the rocket, and thinks we may be harking ba. Show a glim of the lantern toward her, but keep it from the shore."

Cautiously Mrs. Day raised the lantern, with its light side toward the vessel, and an instant afterward a faint light appeared and then went out.

Day laughed cheerily. "She sees us, lass. Keep up the heart; it's all right. I've give them chaps the slip once more!"

"Yes, once more!" she responded, with a groan; "but some day or other—"

"Tut, tut! thee'st lost thee nerve, woman," he broke in, curtly. She sank back with a heavy sigh and said no more.

Presently they saw the light again, this time close upon their bow, and in a few minutes the boat grated against the side of the schooner.

"Is that you James?" inquired a voice.

Day answered in the affirmative.

"Yes; worse luck. Let the rowe down the other side away from the shore; you can show a light then. I've got women folk aboard."

He pulled round to the larboard, and the lantern showed a rope ladder. "Lend a hand here," he said, and he raised Margaret.

The man on board uttered an exclamation.

"Sakes-a-mercy, James, what have you got there?" he demanded.

"It's my cousin," said Mrs. Day, before her husband could answer.

"Oh, and it's you, too, Mrs. Day, is it?" said the captain, in a tone of surprise. "Well, it's a rare night for ladies to be out in! And your cousin! Bless my soul, but she's swooned!"

Between them they got Margaret on deck, and Mrs. Day had her carried down to the cabin, and then, asking for some brandy, locked the door on the men.

It was some time before Margaret recovered consciousness, and for some minutes she looked round with a listless indifference that was worse almost than the swoon from which she had roused.

At last she asked the inevitable question: "Where am I?"

"Here with me, dear lady," replied Mrs. Day, beginning to cry for the first time, "and Heaven be thanked that you are not lying dead in Appleford sands!"

Margaret drew a long sigh. "I—I thought I had died," she moaned, and turning her face to the wall, said no more.

Mrs. Day sat down beside her, praying that she might sleep, for she knew that it was her only chance; and after a time Margaret fell into that stupor of exhaustion which is the nearest approach to nature's great restorer.

Presently there came a knock at the door, and opening it, Mrs. Day found her husband outside.

"How is she?" he asked.

"Better, poor soul!" she replied.

"Well," he said, "you'd better come on deck. The captain's upset about this, and has been asking me questions about 'em."

"And what did you say?" she demanded, anxiously.

"Well," he retorted, with a grim smile, "seeing as you've started the

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I thought as how you'd better continue, so I left 'em to you."

She stood for a moment thinking deeply, then followed him on deck.

The schooner was scudding along at a pace which put all danger from pursuit out of the question; but the captain, who was leaning against the bulwarks smoking a pipe, did not look at all comfortable or amiable.

"Well, Mrs. Day," he began at once, "what's this yarn about your cousin? Sakes alive! I'm fond of your sex enough, but I like 'em best on shore. Who is she, and what is she doing out in the boat?"

"She's my cousin, Captain Daniel," said Mrs. Day, promptly, "and she's in trouble. I don't know as I ought to tell you the story, but seeing that we brought her on board—"

"Just so, and that's what I object to," he said gruffly. "It's work enough to take the trade quiet and snug, as it is, but with a woman aboard that nobody knows anything about—"

he puffed at his pipe significantly. "You can trust her," said Mrs. Day; "there's no fear of her splitting, Captain Daniel."

"Oh, you'll think she'll die?" he said, looking mightily relieved.

"No, no! But there are reasons why she should keep her own counsel, though she is a woman. You wait until morning, captain, and you'll see whether she's to be trusted or not."

She spoke with such a confident air that he relaxed a little.

"Well, you and yours are in the same boat, remember, Mrs. Day, and if harm comes to us, your James will share it! Don't forget that."

"I do not not forget it, captain," she responded.

"Very well," he said. "I'll leave it to you. Make the poor soul as comfortable as possible. The Rose of Devon wasn't chartered to carry lady passengers, but we'll do the best we can. You'll find some extra bedclothes, and that like, in my cabin; and I'll see to the supper by the time you're ready. As to liquor—he grinned—"well, I dare say we can find a glass or two of that!"

"I dare say!" said Mrs. Day with an answering smile, and she hurried back to the cabin and to Margaret.

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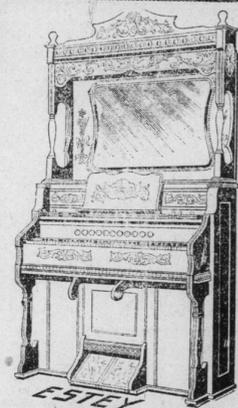
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damaged the cross-channel steamer Sussex, have been handed the American naval attaché and will be forwarded to Washington by the Poch, leaving France next Saturday. The Poch will not reach Washington before April 22nd. A report has indicated that the character of the fragments have already been cabled to the State Department, but ocular fragments furnished by the actual fragments is considered of such importance that they are being forwarded to the United States by the American Embassy. It is understood several pieces are not merely shattered bits of metal, but bear certain inscriptions which are believed to constitute damaging evidence of a character to show where the missile came from.

NOT UNUSUAL.

LONDON, April 12. According to a report received by Lloyds shipping agency, the Murjek was sunk without warning.

TOWNSHEND HEARD FROM.

JOHANNESBURG, April 12. Sir Lionel Phillips, a leading South African gold mine operator, announced to-day that he had received a cable dated last Friday, from Major General Charles Townshend, Commander of the British troops besieged at Kut-el-Amarah, stating he was well and expected to be relieved shortly.

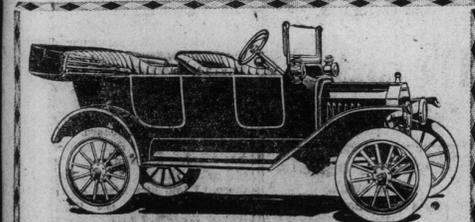
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St. John's, April 11th, 1916. [No. 39.]

Regimental Order.

By Lieut.-Col. Sir W. E. Davidson, K. C. M. G., Officer Commanding.

1—Promotions.

First Battalion—The following promotions are approved as undernoted.

No. 686, Actg. C. S. M. Warren, V. C. Co. to be Co. Sergt. Major, to date from 25/12/15.

No. 189, Actg. C. Q. M. S. Edgar, C. L. A. Co. to be Co. Quartermaster Sergt., to date from 31/11/16.

No. 678, Actg. C. Q. M. S. Cleary, C. A. C. Co. to be Co. Quartermaster Sergt., to date from 20/11/15.

No. 872, Actg. C. Q. M. S. Duley, C. D. Co. to be Co. Quartermaster Sergt., to date from 19/11/15.

No. 140, Corporal Maddick, H. A. Co. to be Sergeant, 27/2/16.

No. 32, Corporal Stephenson, S. A. Co. to be Sergeant, 27/2/16.

No. 1044, Corporal Barry, S. G. D. Co. to be Sergeant, 27/2/16.

No. 1073, Corporal Elliott, W. T. D. Co. to be Sergeant, 27/2/16.

No. 229, Corporal Penny, A. N. A. Co. to be Actg. Pioneer Sergeant, 27/2/16.

No. 274, Lance Corporal Carroll, T. A. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 211, Lance Corporal Morrissey, T. A. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 80, Lance Corporal Brien, P. A. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 51, Lance Corporal Patrick, N. A. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 469, Lance Corporal Carew, W. B. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 522, Lance Corporal Pratt, A. B. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 18, Lance Corporal Trebble, W. B. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 161, Lance Corporal Walsh, F. B. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 424, Lance Corporal Gardner, C. C. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 664, Lance Corporal Nicholl, E. C. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 817, Lance Corporal Duncan, G. D. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 1014, Lance Corporal Doyle, J. D. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 1106, Lance Corporal Riggs, L. D. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 61, Lance Corporal Thomas, J. A. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 509, Lance Corporal Houlihan, J. P. A. Co. to be Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 210, Private Clark, R. A. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 454, Private Corbett, S. C. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 302, Private Small, H. A. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 585, Private Parsons, A. B. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

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No. 457, Private Butler, G. B. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 454, Private Gilliam, A. B. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 76, Private Root, W. B. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 1273, Private Grace, W. C. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 807, Private Hynes, R. E. C. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 708, Private Folan, S. C. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 1275, Private James, F. C. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 855, Private Horbin, W. D. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 887, Private Hopkins, T. D. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 1009, Private Ayre, E. D. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 839, Private Bannister, W. D. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 1374, Private White, A. C. D. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 1030, Private Neville, R. D. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

No. 154, Private Gooby, A. A. Co. to be Lance Corporal, 27/2/16.

2—Transfer.

The following officers are transferred from 2nd to 1st Battalion as from March 11th, 1916:

Capt. J. A. Ledingham.

Lieut. W. J. Pippy.

Lieut. S. Robertson.

2nd Lieut. C. Rendell.

2nd Lieut. K. Keegan.

2nd Lieut. W. D. Ayre.

Lieut. W. J. Pippy relinquishes his temporary rank as Captain on transfer to 1st Battalion.

3—Command.

The following notice from the London Gazette, 15th March, 1916, is for information:

"Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel R. de H. Burton (Major, Reserve of Officers) relinquishes his temporary rank on vacating command of the Battalion, dated 23rd February, 1916."

A. MONTGOMERIE, Captain and Adjutant.

GARDENING.

I do not like to dig and till the garden—it's too hard a chore; I'd rather take a dollar bill and buy my onions at the store. When first the vernal breezes blow, men feel desire to hew the soil, and with their spades and rakes they go, and sing and chortle as they toil. But vernal breezes soon expire; the sizzling wind of summer blows, and sets the tollers bare, affair, and tans his neck and bakes his nose. And as he sweats 'neath burning skies, and gives the noxious weeds a whack, a million ants and bugs and flies crawl up his legs and bite his back. And then he hates his sawed-off farm, he grows enough for seven cents; his cauliflowers lose all their charm, his string beans look like twenty cents. Oh, I have gardened in the past, and know the fervor born of spring glows bright a while, but does not last; it is an evanescent thing. I do not like the take and hoe, I will not ply them any more; when I want turnips I will go and buy the blamed things at the store.



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At the House.

WEDNESDAY, April 12, '16.

Petitions were presented by Mr. Targett about a telegraph office and by Mr. Piccott regarding a post office.

The Finance Minister gave notice of introducing the Budget on Tuesday next.

The Bill "An Act respecting Companies, payment of whose capital stock or of interest thereon is guaranteed by the Government" was read a first time. This Bill was introduced by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

Mr. Stone asked the Premier if it was the intention of the Government to have the Spur Line to Trinity completed, and if so, when would operations be resumed.

The Premier said that the completion of the Spur Line was intended but could not be definitely stated as operations would be resumed.

Mr. Lloyd asked the Premier if the Contractors had refused to build it, the Premier replied that he was not aware that they had.

The report of the Select Committee on the Weights and Measures Bill was tabled. The report was tabled in the House.

The Bill to facilitate the marriage between British subjects residing in Newfoundland and British subjects residing in the United Kingdom was read a third time and sent to the Legislative Council.

The Bill respecting the administration of local affairs passed the Committee stage with some amendments.

The Bill encouraging the development of shipbuilding and the Herring Fishery were read a second time.

The House adjourned at 4 p.m. till this afternoon.

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LEAVING LIVERPOOL.—The s.s. Tabasco is set down to leave Liverpool for this port this day week.

STEERO IS COMING.

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TO ADDRESS MEN.

Hon. R. A. Squires will speak at Canon Wood Hall this evening commencing at 8 o'clock. Subject: "Efficiency." All men are invited.

NON-COMS. EXAMS.

Non-Coms. Examinations at the Volunteers' Headquarters were continued yesterday and again to-day, conducted by Capt. Montgomery and Lieut. O'Grady.

Stafford's Liniment is sold in over 500 stores.

Save the outside Green Wrapper. See advertisement.—mars31.f

TOURNEY FINISHED.

The billiard tournament, at the T. A. Club Rooms has finished, spot side having won. A dinner will be supplied during Easter week at the expense of plain side.

FOR SALE.—One Kohler Piano,

almost new and very slightly used. Property of a person leaving the country. Will be sold at a bargain. Apply CHESLEY WOODS, 282 Duckworth St.—ap8.f

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The Furniture Department has grown to such an extent that we find it necessary to make room for big shipments coming in, and rather than have the expense of moving our enormous stock, we have decided to sell the Bedroom Furniture and Bedsteads at

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White Enamel Washstands Regular price \$7.50 for	\$4.50	15 White Enamel Bedsteads, sizes 3 x 6, 3 1/2 x 6, 4 x 6, with Spring Regular price \$13.00 for	\$10.50
Surface Oak Washstands. Regular price \$6.00 for	\$4.50	Black Enamel Bedsteads, with Spring, 4 x 6. Regular \$9.50 for	\$7.50
Surface Oak Dressing Case and Washstand, with British bevel mirror. Reg. \$20.00 for	\$17.00	White Enamel Bedsteads, with Laths, 4 x 6. Regular price \$9.25 for	\$7.50
Quartered Oak Dressing Case & Washstand, swell front, with British bevel mirror. Regular price \$47.50 for	\$37.00	White Enamel Bedsteads, with Spring, 4 1/2 x 6 1/2; slightly damaged. Reg. price \$12.75 for	\$9.00
Surface Oak Dressing Cases & Washstands, British bevel shaped mirrors. Regular price \$49.00 for	\$40.50	White Enamel Bedsteads, with Spring, 4 1/2 x 6 1/2, 4 x 6, 3 x 6. Reg. price \$12.75 for	\$10.50
1 Solid Oak Dressing Case, with shaped mirror, British bevel. Reg. price \$34.50 for	\$22.00	White & Black Enamel Bedsteads, with Laths, 3 1/2 x 6, 4 1/2 x 6 1/2, 4 x 6. Regular \$5.25 for	\$4.50
Surface Dressing Cases & Washstands, with British bevel mirrors. Regular \$19.00	\$16.00	White Enamel Bedsteads, with Spring, 4 x 6. Regular price \$9.50 for	\$8.00
Regular \$20.00	\$17.00	White Enamel Bedsteads, with Laths, 4 x 6, 4 1/2 x 6 1/2. Regular \$11.75 for	\$10.00

The above goods are worth to-day landed in St. John's much more than we are asking for them in this Sale. Therefore it is a great chance for Housekeepers and Hotel Proprietors to take advantage as we are only running this Sale for 10 Days.

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Evening Telegram

W. F. LLOYD, Editor. W. J. HERDEE, Proprietor. AFFIDAVIT. I, WILLIAM J. HERDEE, of the City of St. John's, Newfoundland, Proprietor of The Evening Telegram Newspaper, being duly sworn do depose and say:

The Citizens' Committee

AND THE MUNICIPAL BILL. We think the Citizens' Committee has acted wisely in setting forth that the time at their disposal is insufficient to consider the Bill in its entirety, section by section, and make recommendation about it before the Legislature closes.

Sacred Concert To-Night.

We draw our readers attention to Mr. Allen's Concert in the Methodist College Hall, to-night at 8.15. The programme has already appeared in our columns and is up to Mr. Allen's usual high standard as regards the music and the general character of the items.

1st Nfld. REGIMENT. Casualty List.

Report of Casualties Received by Mail, APRIL 12, 1916. 300-Private Benj. Miller, 27 Young St. Frosthite, Wandsworth, Jan. 28, fit for duty; granted furlough Feb. 29.

1223-Private John L. Devereux, Avondale, Adm. 18th Stationary Hospital, Suez, March 3; sick. 272-Private Armourer Willis Manuel, Loon Bay, N.D.B. Do. 1138-Private Harrison Crocker, Heart's Delight, T.B. Do. 966-Private John J. Cahill, 208 Water St. W. Do. 1278-Private John Connors, 48 Wakeford St. Do. 148-L. C. M. F. Kelly, 37 LeMarchant Road, Do. 168-Private Jacob Abbott, Wesleyville, Do. 1134-Private Albert Lee, Riverhead, St. Mary's, Do. 948-Private H. C. Wakely, Haystack, P.B. Disc. from 5th Canadian Stationary Hospital at Abbassia Rest Camp, Feb. 15; cellulitis left hand. 982-Private M. James, 13 Barter's Hill, Do; frostbite right foot. J. R. BENNETT, Colonial Secretary.

Man Drowned.

The Department of Justice received the following message from Magistrate Fitzgerald, of Grand Falls, this morning: "Polton Gelling, aged 25, single, of Gumbo, drowned at six o'clock last evening in Exploits River, one mile east of Aspen Brook, having gone through the ice. Body drawn under and not recovered. Deceased was a teamster with Contractor White, who operates logging camp near scene of accident."

Sailing Vessel Back From the Gulf Fishery - Damaged.

The schoer, J. R. Bradley arrived at Channel yesterday from the Gulf seal fishery with her stern damaged. She had three young harp seals on board and will resume the voyage as soon as repairs are effected. The foregoing information was received by Deputy Minister of Customs LeMessurier, today. The J. R. Bradley is the well-known Gloucester fish carrier. She fitted out in Channel in the early part of last month and also took her crew from there. That she has met with poor success is evident from her exceedingly small catch. However, when the damages, which were, no doubt, caused by the heavy ice in the Gulf are remedied, the Bradley will continue the sealing hunt, as she expects to get a load of old ones.

Grand Concert at Clarendville

FOR BENEFIT OF CHURCH. If it were not for the thoughtful and graceful activities of the ladies of Clarendville, we should soon be compelled here, by force of circumstances, to hang our harps and wire fencing and try the experiment of music in an inharmounous land. The good people here, at their churches and schools in the back ground, are taking advantage of every available opportunity to bring these institutions to the front. Of course if any public function can be made to serve a double purpose it would seem alright. It is alright to bring the social embryo, to the front and excite the risibility, but it is always well to have a primary view to the culture of the mind instead of being absorbed with what is merely ethical. The good people here started only a short time ago to prepare for their concert and notwithstanding some little annoyance which angels could hardly avoid-it was carried to a very happy, pleasant and successful issue. The musical selections were of a very high order and the voices that rendered them were in excellent trim. I could fancy being some old man, from the tip of whose pipe the cavity growth had been shed many years ago, reclining softly in his seat and repeating with great self-composure: "And the night shall be filled with music, And the cares that infest the day Shall fold their tents like the Arabs, And silently steal away." LONGFELLOW. Clarendville, April 8th, 1916.

Here and There.

REACHED BAHIA.-The schr. Bell, under command of Capt. Sinclair, has arrived at Bahia, after a good run from this port. AT PLACENTIA.-The Prospero reached Placentia this forenoon, and leaves again this afternoon on her way west. ACKNOWLEDGMENT.-The family of the late Mrs. Mearns, Patrick St., acknowledge the sum of \$5 conscience money-advt. COAL CARGO ARRIVE.-The s.s. Sable I. arrived here last night from Louisburg after a run of 48 hours. She brought a cargo of coal to A. Harvey & Co. THE FLORIZEL.-The s.s. Florizel moves over from the Southside to Harvey & Co's wharf this evening and sails for New York on Saturday, taking freight and passengers. SPRING STOCKS.-Large shipments of merchandise arrived from the Old Country to-day by the steamers Graciana and Rappahannock. The goods are principally spring stocks for our St. John's business houses. POLICE COURT (Before Mr. H. Hutchings, J.P.)-Two laborers of the Battery, drunk, were each fined \$2 or 7 days. A laborer of, Lime Street, drunk, was discharged. A slander case between two women was heard. The defendant was ordered to keep her own bond in \$50 to keep the peace. Minard's Linctment Cures Diphtheria.

Wesley Church Mission Band.

The Pansy Mission Band service last night was quite successful, forty-six dollars being realized from the sale of candy and collection in aid of missions. Mrs. Ronald Cross presided splendidly in their choruses, and the little ones did motion-songs and exercises most creditably, showing great painstaking on the part of Misses Goolbe, J. Martin and others who trained them. The enthusiasm for missionary effort at Wesley Church has been always commendable. The Sunday School has already given several workers to the foreign mission field and quite a number to the local ministry.

Life-Saving Troop Boys' Scouts

The weekly drill of the above troop was held last night at their armoury. Connected with this troop is a junior band, which will be last evening in Exploits River, one mile east of Aspen Brook, having gone through the ice. Body drawn under and not recovered. Deceased was a teamster with Contractor White, who operates logging camp near scene of accident.

A Narrow Escape.

At 12.30 p.m. to-day, a young man named David Donnelly, of 86 McParlane Street, narrowly escaped from what might have been a serious accident. He was at the time picking out some small sticks suitable for fencing from a pile of green wood, that was stacked in the back yard, and while in the act of pulling out a suitable stick the pile gave way and crushed the man to the ground. Mr. Samuel Fry, of Flower Hill, whose residence is just opposite, heard the man scream for help, and rushing to his aid, succeeded in pulling him clear, just in time, as the remainder of the wood toppled over. Rev. Fr. Sheehan and Dr. Tait were called and an ambulance shortly after. Mr. Eli Whiteaway, who was passing at the time offered his services, previous to the arrival of the doctor. On reaching the hospital it was found no bones were broken.

Supreme Court.

(Present: Full Bench.) Ellen McCarthy vs. James Brien.-This is an appeal in the case of the late Joseph Brien, of Howley, K.C., and L. E. Emerson, for plaintiff; R. T. McGrath for defendant. Hon. J. P. Gibbs was sworn and tendered his services in the case. Court arose at 1 p.m. for recess till 2.30 o'clock this afternoon.

Reids' Boats.

The Gloucester leaves Placentia this afternoon. The Home arrived at Placentia at 3.45 p.m. yesterday from the west. The Kyle reached Port aux Basques at 2 p.m. to-day. The Sagona arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.30 a.m. to-day.

Train Notes.

The outgoing express left St. George's at 8.25 a.m. to-day. The incoming express left Port aux Basques at 9.40 a.m. to-day and is not due till 6 p.m. to-morrow. The train from Trepassay reached town at noon to-day. The local from Carbonear arrived shortly after 1 o'clock to-day.

Here and There.

BRINGS SICK WOMAN.-The Earl of Devon arrived from the north last evening bringing along a fifteen passenger train, including a sick woman to enter hospital. GOES ON DOCK.-The Portia and Ethie came off dock at noon to-day. The Argyle and Othar will go on this afternoon. The latter was referred to by us yesterday as having been refloated and brought on here for repairs. A UNMENTIONABLE OFFENCE.-A resident of Bell Island, first mentioned by us as having been arrested on serious charges, arrived in the city this morning via Portugal Cove under escort of Constable Morrissey. SAGONA'S PASSENGERS.-The S. S. Sagona reached Port aux Basques at 7.30 a.m. to-day with the following first class passengers:-A. McGregor, Geo. Hawkes, John Bishop, A. English, W. F. O'Reilly, P. Blackall, W. W. Blackall, G. S. Perry, H. W. Hollett, P. A. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Delaney, A. Shaw, W. H. Thomas, Geo. McGrath, G. A. Buffett, H. Fraser, N. Snow, J. Walsh, S. Matthews. FOR SALE! Knight Property, with Timber Limit, with immediate possession for active operations. Apply to JAS. R. KNIGHT.

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Seaweed Ammunition.

Powder From the Sad Sea Waves. The curious fact is revealed in an interesting article in Chambers's Journal that seaweed is harvested for the purpose of making ammunition. The main chemical products of seaweeds, manufactured as kelp, are iodine and potash. In the United States, for some time past, considerable attention has been paid to obtaining potash from seaweed. "It was recently announced that the kelp crop of the Pacific Ocean is to be harvested by a powder company to obtain an ingredient used in making ammunition for the warring nations of Europe. One of the largest manufacturers of powder in the United States has decided to spend a large sum in this enterprise in order to obtain potassium chloride required to fill war orders, as it can no longer be obtained from Germany." Seaweed, too, is of much value as a food. The weed which grows in such abundance in the Sargasso Sea, which is called "raft-weed" is used very largely for pickling and as salads. On the coast of Pembroke a very considerable industry is the gathering of laver, a seaweed used for food. The laver gatherers camp out in huts, collect and dry the laver and send it to the Swansea market, and it is sold in the West End of London as a delicacy in winter. "It is purple when fresh, but black when you buy it, and something like thin liquorice to look at. It can be made into little rolls, dusted with oatmeal and fried. Pickled with pepper and vinegar and oil, or with lemon-juice, it is excellent." Dulse and tangle are two of the best-known edible seaweeds. Dulse has really been found a very valuable food in the North, and the Icelanders boil it in milk and salt it down in casks. "Tangle or 'tankle' is a well-known old-fashioned Edinburgh dainty. The young stalks being very gelatinous and nutritious.

Cigars, Cigars CHOICE Havana Cigars. ELLIS & CO., LIMITED. 203 Water Street. We have just received a case of 10,000 of our Celebrated "Calixto Lopez" Cigars. Extra Panetelas. Regalia Nueva. Deliciosos. Belvedere. Universales. Reina Victoria. Regalia Graciosa. Aristocracias. - ALSO - Due to arrive per Stephano another 10,000 case of our Celebrated Jamaica Cigars, "LA SABROSA." "Governors." "Conchas Especiales." H. L. Savory's Cigarettes now in stock. Savory's well known Cigarettes:- No. 1 York's Egyptian. No. 3 Plain Turkish. O. B. Russian. Straight Cut Virginian.

Daring Airmen's V.C.

Fought Germans in Air and On Land - Destroyed Hun's Machine Afterwards. Sec. Lieut. Gilbert Stuart Martin Insall, No. 11 Squadron, Royal Flying Corps, has been given the V. C. for the most conspicuous bravery, skill and determination in France. He was patrolling in a Vickers' fighting machine, with First Class Air Mechanic T. H. Donald as gunner, when a German machine was sighted, pursued and attacked near Achiet. The German pilot led the Vickers machine over a rocket battery, but with great skill Lieutenant Insall dived and got to close

range, when Donald fired a drum of cartridges into the German machine, stopping its engines. The German pilot then dived through a cloud, followed by Lieutenant Insall. Fire was again opened, and the German machine was brought down heavily in a ploughed field four miles southeast of Arras. On seeing the Germans scramble out of their machine and prepare to fire, Lieutenant Insall dived to 500 feet, thus enabling Donald to open heavy fire on them. The Germans then fled, one helping the other, who was apparently wounded. Other Germans then commenced heavy fire, but in spite of this, Lieutenant Insall turned again, and an incendiary bomb was dropped on the German machine, which was last seen wreathed in smoke. Lieutenant Insall then headed west in order to get back over the German trenches, but as he was at only 2,000 feet altitude he dived across them for greater speed. Donald fired into the trenches as he passed over. The German fire, however, damaged the petrol tank, and with great coolness, Lieutenant Insall landed under cover of a wood 500 yards inside our lines. The Germans fired some 150 shells at our machine on the ground, but without causing any material damage. Much damage had, however, been caused by rifle fire, but during the night it was repaired behind screened lights, and at dawn Lieutenant Insall flew his machine home, with First Class Air Mechanic T. H. Donald as a passenger.

Leonard Fell In'o Ring.

How Lightweight Was Introduced. New York, April 4 (Benny Leonard, the newest star in the lightweight firmament, fell into the boxing game through a skylight. Leonard was wild about prize fighting during his early kid days. He used to linger around the gymnasiums whenever he got a chance. On fine nights in his particular district of the Bronx, he and some of the other boys would crawl on to the roof of one of the clubs and gaze down upon the battlers through the skylights. "One night, three years ago, the glass broke," said Leonard. "I tumbled into the ring. Billy Gibson, who was running the show, grabbed me and asked what in blazes I was doing there. I told him I was on the roof and had wanted to see the fight. Billy thought I said I wanted to fight. "So Billy chased me into a dressing room, gave me a pair of swimmin' trunks and put me on. I'd never fought before. I was scared stiff. I knew nothing about the game except what I picked up in battles with the neighborhood boys. But I sailed right into the other fellow and knocked him out. Billy gave me \$5 and I nearly died of joy." Leonard has fought in eighty bouts since then and lost but one. He's never been knocked out.

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A wonderful collection of New Frillings in Lace, Net and Chiffon; colors of Black, White, Cream and Paris. Reg. 20c. yd. Friday & Sat. **16c**

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Well cut Gingham Overalls, in Blue and White and Black and White Stripes, neatly finished with White Taped Edges; all sizes. Reg. 45c each. Friday and Saturday **39c**

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High Grade White Muslin Aprons, fancy designs, frills, tucks and other effects, ribbon bows. Reg. 45c each. Friday and Saturday **35c**

Smallwares and Notions.

- PEARL PIN SETS.—White Pearl Neck Pins, 2 on card. Regular 15 cents set **12c**
- BLOUSE SETS.—Gold Topped Pins, hand engraved, 4 pairs in a set. Regular 35c. **28c**
- HAIR BARETTES.—Neat Shell Barettes, light and dark shades. Regular 10c. **8c**
- TOILET SOAPS.—Lullaby, assorted perfumes, two cakes for **10c**
- COMMON PINS.—Marvelous sheet pins, large papers. Special, 6 sheets for **10c**
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- M. A. S. C. O. W. COMBINATION SAFES.—Black Japanned. Regular 35 cents each **28c**
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- VELVET POLISHING CLOTHS.—Cleans like magic; no polish required. Special, each **6c**
- PHOTO FRAMES.—Gilt Frames. Post Card size, dull finish. Regular 45 cents ea. **35c**
- POLICE WHISTLES.—Metal Whistles as used by Bosuns each **5c**
- Shinold's Shoe Polish. Regular 10 cents tin. **8c**
- Flaming's Black Currant Jam, 1 lb. crocks. Reg. 35c. **30c**
- Robertson's Pineapple Marmalade, 1 lb. crocks. Reg. 30c. for **25c**
- Bracknell's Pickles—in large bottles. Reg. 20c. each. **13c**

Grocery Specials.

- Peaches—in large tins. Regular 25 cents each. **22c**
- Strawberries—in large tins. Regular 20 cents each. **18c**
- Pork and Beans—in large tins. Regular 18c. each. **16c**
- Money's Cream Soda Biscuits. Regular 30 cents pack. **25c**

Silverette Photo Frames

The newest in Photo Frames—Oval Silverette Frames—that are guaranteed not to lose color; size 7 x 9; velvet strapped backs. Reg. 90c. each. Friday and Saturday **69c**

CREPE PAPER GOODS

TABLE COVERS.—Made of Fancy Crepe Paper, size 63 x 84; an artistic reproduction of a line of Table Cloths especially useful for luncheons and social gatherings. Reg. 25c each. Friday and Saturday **25c**

PAPER NAPKINS.—Fancy floral designs on white grounds; fast colors. Special, 20 for **6c**

The Easter Season makes the greatest demand; not only in matters of personal dress, but also in things pertaining to the whole household.

We point with pride to the splendid values in Easter Goods displayed at this Store and confidently rely on your approval.

A Steady demand for Fancy 'Crepes'

Every day we witness the demand for Cotton Goods—Crepes, Gingham, Percales, &c.—getting stronger, and we feel quite pleased to think that the splendid stocks now displayed on our counters are big and varied enough to give every customer a fair chance of getting what she wants.

White Cotton Crepes with fancy colored rosebud designs; 27 ins. wide. Regular 13c. yard. Friday and Saturday **11 1/2c**

500 yards Striped White Cotton Crepe, 20 inches wide; new designs in fast colors. Reg. 20c. yard. Friday and Saturday **17c**

IMMENSE STOCKS OF Fine FOOTWEAR for Men, Women and Children



Men's Boots

This line represents a special purchase made by us from a manufacturer at Sacrifice Prices. Patent Colt and Black Vici Kid Leathers, made on the latest style lathes; medium weight. Special, per pair, Friday and Saturday **\$4.05**

MEN'S OXFORDS.

The time for low Shoes is fast approaching. Secure yours now at a discount. Black Vici Kid, Patent Leather and Tan Russian Calf; in several styles and in all sizes. Special Friday & Saturday, per pair **4.05**

INFANTS' TAN BOOTS.

Well made Boots in Tan Vici Kid, buttoned and lace styles; sizes from 3 to 6; solid leather soles and heels. Reg. 95c. pair. Friday & Saturday **85c**

MISSES' BOOTS.

100 pairs Black Dongola Kid Boots, Blucher and Buttoned styles, patent tip, low heels, wide comfy toes; sizes 11 to 2. Reg. \$2.00 pair. Friday and Saturday **1.80**

LADIES' BOOTS.

75 pairs Black Vici Kid and Patent Leather Boots, buttoned & laced styles, with dull kid tops. Reg. \$3.00 pair. Friday & Saturday **2.75**

Cream Japanese Silk

If you are looking for a Dress or Blouse Material that will give good service, have a look at this line of Cream Jap Silk we are offering on Friday and Saturday at a reduction. It is one of the best values we have ever offered; it is 35 inches wide. Special, per yard **46c**

Spring Cleaning Helps



5c. each.



- Cake Turners. Special, ea. **5c.**
- Nail Brushes. Special, ea. **5c.**
- Apple Corers. Special, ea. **5c.**
- Tack Lifters. Special, ea. **5c.**
- Measuring Spoons, per set. **5c.**
- Can Openers **5c.**

- Wooden Spoons, large size. Special, each **5c.**
- Tea Strainers. Rustless Wire. Special, each **5c.**
- Asbestos Cooking Mats. Special, each **5c.**
- Spring Clothes Pins. Special, per doz. **5c.**
- Scotch Butter Hands. Special, each **5c.**
- 1/4 gallon Clothes Pegs. Special for **5c.**
- 3/4 do. cakes Shoe Wax. Special, each **5c.**

- School Slates, size 6 x 9. Special **5c.**
- Brass Hooks. Special, per doz. **5c.**
- Brass Pad Locks. Special, each **5c.**
- Table Spoons. Special **5c.**
- Tea Spoons, 3 for **5c.**

Tooth Brushes

- White Bone Egg Spoons. Special, each **5c.**
- Drapery Hooks, per doz. **5c.**
- Tin Pie Pans. Special, for. **5c.**
- Flour Dredges. Special, for. **5c.**
- Dish Mops. Special, for. **5c.**
- School Erasers. Special, for. **5c.**
- Blanco for Canvas Boats, per cake. Special **5c.**

Ironing Wax, 5c

- Sorbite Metal Polish. Special, per cake **5c.**
- Sewing Machine Oil in bottles. Special, each **5c.**
- Paring Knives. Special for **5c.**
- Picture Hooks. Special **5c.**

Mouse Traps, 5c

- Individual Butter Prints. Special **5c.**
- Stove Dampers. Special **5c.**
- Nutmeg Graters. Special **5c.**
- Trout Hooks, 100 in box. **5c.**
- Trout Lines. Special, ea. **5c.**
- Marbles, 50 for **5c.**

New American Curtain Serims

The amazing popularity of these dainty Curtain fabrics has induced us to offer another lot that are newly arrived. Many who came to buy last week arrived too late to secure their needs. Here's their opportunity: 12 pieces of high grade Curtain Serim in neat floral borders, assorted colors; all finished with hemstitching. Cream and White grounds; 35 inches wide. Reg. 35c. yard. Friday and Saturday **29c**



Men's Caps

English Tweed Golf Caps in mixed Greys and Browns, a few with the popular one-piece crown; sizes from 6 3/4 to 7 3/4. Special for Friday & Saturday, each **1.13**

Silk Neckwear

A collection of high grade Silk Ties, with wide flowing ends; the designs are the newest and most up-to-date. Reg. 75c. ea. Friday & Saturday **65c**

British Ties

All Near Silk Ties in a big range of spring patterns and colorings; extra fine quality. Reg. 25c. each. Friday and Saturday **20c**

Cashmere Hose

500 pairs Cashmere Half Hose in several weights, seamless soles and heels; fast colors; Black with fancy embroidered clocks, Steel Grey and Heather mixtures. Reg. 50c. pr. **42c**

Cuff Links

6 dozen sets of Cuff Links and Studs in strong Gilt dull finished and Oxidized Metal. These will outwear 3 sets ordinary Links. Reg. 30c. set. Friday & Saturday **24c**

Standard Garters

Strong serviceable Garters, good webbing; pad to prevent metal touching the skin; in several colors. Reg. 15c. pr. Friday & Saturday **12c**

Tunic Shirts

New Spring patterns in smart Tunic Shirts, coat styles; materials of Percales and Mercerized Casement Cloth; several pretty striped designs; all sizes, double cuffs. Special, each, Friday & Sat'y **1.36**

Sample Shirts

Self-colored and Fancy Striped Shirts; all samples, no two alike; some with collars attached, others without; soft double cuffs; sizes 14 1/2, 15 and 15 1/2 only. Special, 10c each **10c**

Boys' Felt Hats

New American styles in colors of Brown, Grey, Navy, Fawn and Blue; all sizes, finished with Silk Ribbon & Cord. Reg. 50c. ea. Friday & Saturday **35c**



Men's Handkerchiefs

Pure White Cambric Handkerchiefs, Linen finish, full sized, with taped borders; hemmed ready for use. Reg. 15c. each. Friday & Saturday **12c**

Men's Belts

Strongly made Belts in Brown and Black Grained Leather, sizes 34 to 40 inches; Plain Oxidized and Leather Covered Buckles. Reg. 55c. each. Friday & Saturday **45c**

Spring Glove Bargains

Gloves are an important item connected with the Easter Dress. We have probably the best stock in the city at present. The two following are specials picked out for Friday and Saturday. Lots of others in stock, Kid, Suede, etc.

LADIES' LISLE GLOVES. In the following shades: White, Beaver, Blue and Green; all sizes. Reg. 55c. pair. Friday and Saturday **49c**

CHILDREN'S LISLE GLOVES. Sizes from 2 to 6 in shades of Beaver, Grey, Cream and White. Special, per pair **17c**



Easter Novelties

The Grocery Department is now showing a full line of **Chocolate Eggs, Chickens and Bunnies.** Sizes from the tiniest to the very large sizes. Prices range from **From 5c. to 40c. each**

Axminster Doormats

Over 100 well made Axminster Mats for interior. The size is 12 x 30. Made in Scotland; finest Wool and Jute; big variety of patterns. Reg. 85c. Friday & Saturday **74c**

White Shirtings and Blay Calicoes

Over 5,000 yards of fine White Shirtings and Blay Calicoes, absolutely pure finishes, no dressing; in widths ranging from 32 to 36 in. Special, per yd., Friday & Sat'y **10c**

2 yard Wide Linoleum

We have 20 pieces of high grade Linoleum to sell on Friday and Saturday. Many new designs, Floral and Tile, are shown. Reg. values \$1.25 yard. Friday and Saturday **1.05**

Bed Ticking

10 pieces Bleached Herringbone Yarn, Blue and White, 32 inches wide; soft finish; special values. Reg. 35c. yard. Friday & Saturday **30c**

HOBBY BOOKS

A series of clever text books dealing with the following subjects, Needlework, Gardening, Photography, Pets, Woodwork, Motoring, &c. Each book is written by an expert in his line. A handy book to the man or woman interested in any of the hobbies mentioned above. Reg. 30c. each. Friday & Sat'y **25c**

The Royal Stores Ltd.

Wash Gingham

We have secured a big job in WASH GINGHAMS bought before recent sharp advances, now selling at

9c. per yard.

American Muslins and Crepes.

Seldom does a season bring forth such a wonderfully beautiful assortment of distinctive new patterns as we are able to show at present. The following are a few of the many lines now at your disposal, all worth a great deal more money to-day.

OLYMPIC BATISTE	10c. yard.	Worth to-day 14c.
LUCILLE BATISTE		12c. yard
PACIFIC PLISSE in very dainty shades		20c. yard
CORDED ORGANDIE		20c. yard
FANCY CREPE CLOTHS, beautiful designs		20c. yard
PLAIN CREPE CLOTHS, shades Pink, Sky White		22c. yard
RED SEAL ZEPHYRS	18c. yard.	Worth double.
SILK BROCADES		30c. yard
RAINBOW SILKS		40c. yard
FLEMISH POPLINS		25c. yard

MARSHALL BROTHERS.

A LOT OF Remnants

White Piques,

Regular Price 35c. yd.

We offer them at 25c. yard.

Good Carriage.

RUTH CAMERON.



"How well dressed that girl looks," I thought to myself the other day as I watched one of the clerks in a department store while I waited for my change. Or perhaps I should say I felt it in the sub-conscious, unanalytical way in which we first register such impressions. Afterwards I analyzed my impression, and what do you suppose I found the well-dressed girl had on? A black silk coat sweater, a simple white business blouse, a plain tailored black skirt and trim black shoes—surely a very simple costume.

jected. "Ralph is six feet. I've heard him say so, and I know John isn't, because I remember how disappointed he was when he stopped growing without reaching the six-foot mark. He never could get above five feet ten and three-quarters."

The rest of us were incredulous, but she subsequently proved she was right. And yet John had seemed to all of us the taller because he carried himself so well that every inch of that five feet ten and three-quarters told. Whereas Ralph had a loose-knit, slovenly carriage.

A slouch is first cousin to a deformity. It spoils the effect of the handsomest face, the best-built figure, the most expensive clothes.

How She Spoiled A New Gown

At a function the other night a friend of mine appeared in a smart new gown. "Didn't she look pretty?" I said to the cynic.

"Yes, at first," he said; "but toward the end of the evening she slumped down in her chair so that the dress looked as if it came out of a rag bag."

A business man who hires the salesmen for his firm once told me that a good carriage carried more weight with him than good looks.

The foundations of a good carriage are laid in youth; it is easy then to acquire the habit of standing gracefully erect (chest out and stomach in, style to the contrary) and the mother who "keeps at" her children to stand well will win their ultimate gratitude even though they may be impatient at the time. Good looks and good clothes are advantages which we cannot all give our children, but a good carriage we can give—if they will only help us.

Her Good Carriage Made Her Seem Smarter Dressed.

Whence then my impression? I asked myself that question, and the answer was that she carried herself so well, with such a buoyant, graceful prettiness, that she gave the effect of style and smartness to that very simple costume.

Just as one is deceived by the stunning figure, charming face and graceful attitude of the pretty lady in the fashion plates into thinking one admires the gown she has on, so I had been deceived by her unusual grace of carriage into thinking it was this girl's dress that I admired.

What a big difference carriage does make in the appearance of both men and women!

We were comparing the appearance of two men the other day and someone said, "Of course John has the great advantage of being the taller."

When Every Inch Tells.

"But he isn't," someone else ob-

Summer smocks for gardening have ribbon lacing instead of buttons.

To Arrive

Early next week by S. S. Stephano:

- 100 lbs. Apples. (No. 1 Reds.)
- 50 crates Cabbage.
- 20 cases Calif. Oranges.
- 10 cases Lemons.
- 15 hrs. Cranberries.
- Parsnips, Carrots, Beets.

Also on hand:

Irish Creamery BUTTER,

in 50 lb. boxes.

Soper & Moore, Importers & Jobbers. Phone 480.

Here and There.

STEERO IS COMING.

S. BLANDFORD'S SEALS.—The S. S. Samuel Blandford will finish discharging her seals to-morrow afternoon. Up to this morning she had landed 12,000, the morning harps averaging 50 lbs. She will turn out over 20,000.

C.L.B. SPORTS.—The C.L.B. annual indoor sports will be held at the Armoury to-night and promises to surpass such events of former years in point of interest. The battalion's band will be present during the evening.

RETURNING FROM RUSSIA.—The crews of the Bonaventure and Adventure arrived at Newcastle-on-Tyne yesterday on their way back here from Russia, a message to that effect having been received last night by Mr. A. J. Harvey.

"DOROTHY BAIRD" ARRIVES.—The schr Dorothy Baird, Capt. Keeping, arrived here last night from Barbados, bringing a cargo of molasses to Jas. Baird, Ltd. The passage occupied 30 days, the vessel being delayed by calms coming along.

DR. DEVAN'S FEMALE PILLS.—Reliable medicine for all Female Complaints. 25¢ a box, or three for 75¢ at drug stores. Mailed to any address on receipt of price. THE SCOTTS' DISPENSARY, 100 N. 2ND ST., CINCINNATI, O.

PHOSPHORUS FOR MEN.—Restores vitality. A tonic will build you up. 25¢ a box, or two for 50¢ at drug stores. Mailed to any address on receipt of price. THE SCOTTS' DISPENSARY, 100 N. 2ND ST., CINCINNATI, O.

TRUE SPIRIT OF PATRIOTISM.—Some ten or twelve young men are now awaiting their turn to be admitted to the General Hospital. They volunteered at the Armoury quite recently, but failed to get all through the medical examination on account of slight physical defects, mainly about the feet. With characteristic patriotism these volunteers are determined to make themselves physically fit by having their ailments removed at the hospital.

Here and There.

FOR EUROPEAN MARKETS.—Not a small amount of excitement is witnessed on the water front this week. Several of our sailing vessels are ready for a dash to the European markets, and the race across the herring pond is expected to be closely contested, as the ships are evenly matched.

VOLUNTEER SQUAD COMING.—Yesterday afternoon, Dr. Lloyd, Secretary of the Recruiting Committee, received a message from Magistrate Wells, of Little Bay, stating that 11 young men, who enlisted at the big patriotic meeting held at Springdale, N.D.B., last week, were now on their way to Millerton, where they would join the incoming express for headquarters. The loyalty of this little settlement is evidenced by the large number of its young men who have offered for King and Country. Well done, Springdale.

Note of Thanks.

The family of the late Richard J. Costigan, Bell Island, desire to express their thanks to those kind friends and neighbours who assisted them so materially in their recent bereavement, to those whose aid during the period of illness was so much appreciated, especially to the attending physicians, Doctors H. A. Giovannetti and W. L. Carrigan, who were untiring and constant in their attention; to the Bell Island Star of the Sea Association, the Bell Island Catholic Cadet Corps and the Knights of Columbus for many kindnesses shown; to the following for messages of sympathy: His Grace Archbishop Roche, New York; Rev. J. J. McGrath, New York; Rev. Peter Kelly, Rev. Dr. Jas. Greene, Rev. J. Ashley, Rev. Wm. O'Flaherty, Rev. Jas. Donnelly, Hon. Justice and Mrs. Kent, Mr. Ino Dwyer, M.H.A., Mr. W. J. Higgins, M.H.A., Mr. W. H. Kennedy, Grand Knight, and members of Dalton Council Knights of Columbus; Mr. R. E. Chambers, New Glasgow; Mr. A. R. Chambers, New Glasgow; Dr. W. E. and Mrs. Jones, Mr. A. and Mrs. House, Mr. C. P. and Mrs. Egan, Mr. John Peddle, the Misses Donnelly, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Greene, Dr. R. J. Freebairn, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jackson, Mrs. E. M. Jackson, Mrs. P. J. and Miss Kennedy, Mrs. (Capt.) John Jackman, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Bown, Mr. Wilfred McGrath, Mr. Patrick Redmond, Mrs. T. P. O'Donnell, Mrs. D. J. Greene, Mr. Thomas Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Foote, Mrs. George Churchill, Mr. and Mrs. James Myron, Mr. J. D. O'Donnell, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Wm. Hibba, Mr. R. T. McGrath, Mr. and Mrs. W. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ring, Mr. W. J. Walsh, M.H.A., Miss Lulu O'Toole, Miss Gladys, Miss P. Clare, Rev. Sister Bernard (St. Clare's Home), Mr. and Mrs. James Fitzhenry, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Myles Fitzhenry, Inspector General Sullivan, Mr. W. F. Chisholm and members of St. F. X. University, Antigonish, Engineering Class; to the following who kindly sent wreaths and flowers: The Bell Island Star of the Sea Association, the Bell Island Curling Club, Mr. and Mrs. John J. McDougall, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. J. Miller, Mr. D. J. and Miss Jackman, Mrs. John Dwyer; and to Recorder F. J. Sullivan and Dalton Council Knights of Columbus, and Secretary J. M. Greene and Bell Island Star of the Sea Association for resolutions of sympathy.

NOTE OF THANKS.—The family and friends of little Mary Joyce Mason, who met with such a tragic death on Friday last, wish to express their sincere thanks to Mr. Andrew O'Neill of the West End Fire Dept., Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Godden, Mrs. Ruggles, Mrs. Hayes, "Nurse" Ellis, and Nurses of the General Hospital who prepared the body for burial. Also Mr. Macklin, who gave such valuable aid and sent a floral cross and other flowers to adorn her casket; and all other kind friends who rendered assistance in their hour of need.—adv.

Official.

Via Cape Ray—Viking, Ranger, Diana and Seal report their crews all well, and no men on ice.

LANDING SALT CARGO.—The schr. Thomas, which arrived here a few days ago from Santa Pola via the Azores, is now discharging her cargo of salt at Harvey & Co.'s premises.

Our Volunteers.

Thirteen young men offered themselves for enlistment, bringing the total number of volunteers up to 3,399. The new additions are:—Thos. Walsh, St. John's; Malcolm Lush, St. John's; Fred Rogers, St. John's; Edmund Peters, St. John's; Jack Carmel, St. John's; Edward Pike, St. John's; Jos. Wheeler, St. John's; Thos. G. Butler, St. John's; Chas. Howell, St. John's; Chas. Gobbie, St. John's; Jack K. Hallett, St. John's; Herbert Halleran, St. John's; Mark Hutchings, Spaniard's Bay.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES EURE, ETC.

Our Volunteers.

I was cured of Acute Bronchitis by MINARD'S LINIMENT. Bay of Islands, J. M. CAMPBELL.

I was cured of Facial Neuralgia by MINARD'S LINIMENT. Springhill, N.S. WM. DANIELS.

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Conquerors But Conquered.

"In all the central and southern portions of Serbia, the population has been told to stay in their homes lest, like the northern portions, these should be given up to loot and plunder," writes Rev. Nicholas Yelinsovic in the Weekly Dispatch. "Hence the civil authorities in the towns and the bishops have remained. True, some 700,000 of the people have fled from the occupied districts—some to Albania, some to Greece, some to Italy, and others even to Paris—but there are still four millions of the population in the conquered territory, and these will remain just as the Belgians have done in Brussels and Antwerp."

"Judging from the stories of German and Austrian prisoners brought over by the refugees I was able to examine in Paris, the rank and file of the enemy know, however, that occupation does not mean conquest.

"They all report that the men are weary of the war. They are apathetic—nay, even melancholy, so much so that the Serbs could not help feeling a certain kind of sympathy for them, as if they were fellow-victims. They are the conquerors, they say, but they know that they are conquered just as we know we are the real victors even in our defeats."

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LIGHT, HEAT, COMFORT!

The proprietor of one of the best known multiple shopping systems is credited with saying, "Give me any old shop, in any old street, and I'll guarantee to make it in twelve months the most widely known and best frequented shop in the district." He was asked to explain. Holding up three fingers he said, "I believe in the trinity of LIGHT, WARMTH, COMFORT. I should dazzle the moths until the candle drew them, I should bring them into a warm, comfortable shop, filled with a soft, pleasing radiance, and the rest is—well, mere child's play."

Mixed metaphors, perhaps, but expressive. Now we can more than imagine the kind of shop this well-known individual would open, for we pass it in almost every town—always a landmark to the street. No one fails to notice it. There is an indefinable air of welcome and invitation as one stands for a moment on the pathway and lets one's gaze travel inside it. The subdued, restful lighting effect that so charms because of its very unobtrusiveness, the absence of dark corners, the intangible feeling that if one would step inside one would be sure of experiencing a delicious sense of warmth and cheerfulness—all these are parts of its appeal. Truly a shop with an individuality.

We cordially invite all progressive business men to visit our showroom and see our latest Lighting and Heating Appliances, by the adoption of which the ideal outline in the above extract from a London paper may be easily secured. Our new RADIO X. Lamp and GASTREAM Radiators fill all light and heat requirements.

ST. JOHN'S GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

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NEW CABBAGE, etc., etc.

To arrive ex S. S. Stephano Monday:

- 100 crates CHOICE NEW CABBAGE.
- 100 part bags SILVERPEEL ONIONS.
- 50 barrels NO. 1 APPLES.
- 20 barrels CHOICE HARD CRANBERRIES.
- 40 cases CHOICE CALIFORNIA ORANGES.

Counts 150s, 176s, 216s.

Burl & Lawrence, 14 New Gower St.

CHAIRS for Comfort.

Chairs—being the most used articles of furniture—need to be of many designs and qualities to suit all needs. Here in our large Showrooms we have every kind conceivable, and all are the best of their particular make.

We call your attention to our fine English Easy Chairs. They are of many designs, all are heavily padded, with delightfully easy springs and handsomely upholstered in Plush, Rug, Tapestry and Leather.

This large stock of Chairs needs no recommending, their many merits can be instantly seen and form a "sure-winning" combination—sterling quality and reasonable prices.

U. S. Picture and Portrait Co.

British Theatre, Wednesday and Thursday.

MID-WINTER "THE OPIUM"

A strong human drama THE BRIDE OF THE SEA—An

Citizens' Committee on Municipal Act

The above committee held their meeting last night at the Board Trade Rooms. There was a large attendance. The first business was the election of its officers which resulted as follows: Chairman, Mr. Albert Soper; Vice-Chairman, Mr. Walter Kelly; Secretary, Mr. Warwick Smith; Asst. Secy, Mr. J. M. Devine. Mr. J. M. Devine pointed out that the Bill is now before the House and that the Committee should ask the Legislature to stop action until this committee formulates its views. Mr. Spratt and Mr. Goff agreed with this position, the latter objecting to the bill being railroaded through. Mr. Smith stated that the Premier had promised that the Citizens' Committee should be kept in touch with the Committee of the House. Mr. Spratt moved that the bill be taken and debated section by section. H. E. Cowan opposed the motion on the ground that it was manifestly impossible for the Committee to consider the bill at all intelligently in the short time before the House closes. The discussion developed along these lines and as the session of the evening had it was impossible for the committee to complete its work in a half hour. A motion was made that a resolution was arrived at that the act of the committee should be a declaration of the fact to the Government. Thereupon Mr. H. E. Cowan moved and Mr. Walter Kelly seconded the following resolution, which was duly adopted:

That in the opinion of this meeting, the time given to the committee prior to the closing of the Legislature is insufficient to permit them discussing the bill in its entirety. The Committee will consider the problem and make recommendations to the government of the city after June next and report at an early date.

The discussion leading up to this resolution was carried on in a spirited and intelligent manner. Necessaries were different views were expressed in all sincerity and a very decided interest in the affairs of the city. An informal discussion then took place as to the problem of running the city for the next year. Various suggestions were thrown out such as asking the present Commissioners to continue in office for having an election under the old law, but the matter was referred till another meeting. The Ward system found many supporters. Mr. Cyril Lindsay moved that the committee be increased, but the motion was not adopted as the meeting considered that the number was large enough for the present. The suggestion was made that as the consideration of the bill proceeds, information should be obtained from interested citizens who have suggestions to make. The committee made good progress, and the date for the next meeting was set for Friday next at 8.30.

Will Go Recruiting.

Private Jensen, of Hr. Broton, who fought in the big battle at Ypres with the 12th Canadian, is now in the city. He was badly wounded in the back by shrapnel and was also gassed in the first battle in which the Germans used gas. He has many interesting experiences to tell of the campaign in France, where he fought three months in the trenches. He will be engaged in recruiting for the new Newfoundland battalion. His wounds rendered him medically unfit for further service at the front. He is still anxious to do his "bit" in the way he can do it now, in encouraging others to face the foe.

APPOINTED NURSE.

Miss Isabel Holden, sister of Mr. R. K. Holden, of this city, has been appointed one of the nursing sisters with the Canadian Contingent. She is a graduate of the Long Island College Hospital of Brooklyn, N.Y., and before leaving the hospital was night superintendent. A congratulatory Miss Holden on the honor bestowed upon her, and her Newfoundland.

RED

British Theatre,
—ON—
Wednesday and Thursday.

Murdock McQuarrie, in
"THE CAMEO RING."
Ben Wilson, in
"A Lesson From the Far East"
Joker Comedy—"The Refugees."

Matinee
This Afternoon

MID-WEEK PROGRAMME AT THE NICKEL.

"THE OPIUM SMUGGLERS." Another sensational installment of the
"THE EXPLOITS OF ELAINE."

"The City Tigress."

A strong human drama of criminal life. In which swift retribution overtakes a woman who leads a Jekyll and Hyde existence.
THE BRIDE OF THE SEA—An appealing photoplay by the Reliance players. THE HIGH COST OF LIVING—A very amusing American comedy.
PERFORMANCES THROUGHOUT THE LENTEN SEASON FOR THE CITY RELIEF FUND.

Citizens' Committee on Municipal Act

The above committee held their meeting last night at the Board Trade Rooms. There was a large attendance. The first business was the election of its officers which resulted as follows: Chairman, Mr. Albert Soper; Vice-Chairman, Mr. Walter Kelly; Secretary, Mr. Warwick; Asst. Secy., Mr. J. M. Devine. Mr. J. M. Devine pointed out that the bill is now before the House and that the committee should ask the Legislature to stop action until this committee has had time to complete its work in a way that is to the benefit of the city. Mr. Soper agreed with this position, the latter objecting to the bill being introduced through Mr. Smith. Mr. Soper moved that the committee be kept in touch with the Legislature and that the committee be authorized to make a report to the committee on the bill at the next meeting. Mr. Soper moved that the bill be taken and debated section by section. Mr. H. E. Cowan opposed the motion on the ground that it was manifestly impossible for the committee to consider the bill at all intelligently in the short time before the House closes. This discussion developed along these lines, and as the sense of the meeting was that it was impossible for the committee to complete its work in a way that is to the benefit of the city, the committee was adjourned until the next meeting. Mr. Soper moved that the committee be kept in touch with the Legislature and that the committee be authorized to make a report to the committee on the bill at the next meeting. Mr. Soper moved that the bill be taken and debated section by section. Mr. H. E. Cowan opposed the motion on the ground that it was manifestly impossible for the committee to consider the bill at all intelligently in the short time before the House closes. This discussion developed along these lines, and as the sense of the meeting was that it was impossible for the committee to complete its work in a way that is to the benefit of the city, the committee was adjourned until the next meeting.

First in the opinion of this meeting the time given the committee prior to the closing of the Legislature is insufficient to permit them discussing the bill in its entirety. The committee will consider the problem and make recommendations to the government of the city after June next and report at an early date. The discussion leading up to this resolution was carried on in a spirited and intelligent manner. Necessarily there were different views, but they were expressed in all sincerity and evidenced a very decided interest in the affairs of the city. An informal session then took place as to the problem of running the city for the next year. Various suggestions were given out such as asking the present Commissioners to continue for a year, or having an election under the old law, but the matter was deferred till the next meeting. The Ward system was discussed and many supporters. Mr. Arch Lindsay moved that the committee be authorized to make a report to the committee on the bill at the next meeting. Mr. Soper moved that the bill be taken and debated section by section. Mr. H. E. Cowan opposed the motion on the ground that it was manifestly impossible for the committee to consider the bill at all intelligently in the short time before the House closes. This discussion developed along these lines, and as the sense of the meeting was that it was impossible for the committee to complete its work in a way that is to the benefit of the city, the committee was adjourned until the next meeting.

Will Go Recruiting.
Private Jensen, of Fr. Breton, who fought in the big battle at Ypres with the 12th Canadian, is now in the city. He was badly wounded in the back by a bullet and was also gassed in the first battle in which the Germans used gas. He has many interesting experiences to tell of the campaign in France, where he fought three months in the trenches. He will be engaged in recruiting for the new Newfoundland Battalion. His wounds rendered him medically unfit for further service at the front. He is still anxious to do his "bit" in the way he can do now, in encouraging others to face the foe.

APPOINTED NURSE.—Miss Isabel H. R. K. Holden, of this city, has been appointed one of the nursing sisters with the Canadian Contingent. She is a graduate of the St. John's Hospital of the St. John's College Hospital of New York, N.Y., and before leaving the hospital was night superintendent. A congratulatory letter from the St. John's Hospital of New York, N.Y., and before leaving the hospital was night superintendent. A congratulatory letter from the St. John's Hospital of New York, N.Y., and before leaving the hospital was night superintendent.

BRITISH THEATRE.
The programme of photo-plays at the above theatre last night was most enjoyable. Murdock McQuarrie gave a splendid portrayal of his part in "A Lesson From the Far East" a pretty story of love lost and won. Ben Wilson in "A Lesson From the Far East" was also good and was upheld by a splendid cast of players who succeeded in making an interesting photo-play. The story begins and ends in China and is interspersed with many tense incidents. The programme will be repeated tonight and should be well attended.

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Amusements.
AT THE CRESCENT THREE-REEL SPECIAL.
The headline at the Crescent Picture Palace to-day is a 3-reel special Essanay feature "The Woman Hater." Henry B. Mathial, Edna Mayo and Bryant Washburn are featured in this big drama. The photographic scenes are beautiful especially the yachting and hunting scenes. Another great drama is "A Tragedy in Panama," a story of soul-stirring incidents produced by the Selig Co. "Cartoons in the Laundry" is a very funny reel, a laugh from start to finish. See this big programme to-day.

Here and There.
LEFT FOR LOUISBURG.—The s.s. Durley Chine, which landed a big general cargo at the Furness Withy pier, sailed last night for Louisburg.
Stafford's Liniment cures Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches & Pains. Save the outside Wrapper. See advertisement.—mar31,t

An Opinion of Willard.
Willard does not fill the bill says Right Cross in the New York Journal. He does not indicate enough interest in knocking his opponents "cold" or senseless. Ergo, he never can be more than passingly popular in the ring. He would be quickly forgotten if defeated.
The celebrities of the ring who are best remembered are those who possessed that animal instinct to destroy. Mere boxing is not enough. A boxer might be as clever as any ever was, but neither his name nor picture would be in the ring's hall of fame. If he possessed the unexpected "gamely" instincts of Jim Corbett, and then went out and beat a John L. Sullivan he might be temporarily acceptable. But, no doubt, he would be viewed with a dark suspicion.
If, after a decade, he was introduced in the same ring with a known slugger there could be no doubt who would be cheered to the echo. This would be the slugger, Saturday night at Madison Square Garden John L. Sullivan was received vociferously as ever he was, in his palmy days. No one ever accused Sullivan of pretending to box. That would have been a strange waste of time.

DANGER OF GRUBS.—The strong sun, the past few days, has taken all the frost out of the ground and is now fit to plough. Residents of the city could be seen digging up their kitchen gardens yesterday. Report has it that there is likely to be a lot of trouble with grubs this year. Several hot beds that we know of have been visited by large numbers of those insects, doing a lot of damage.
NEW FISH CURING PLANT.—Mr. E. St. John Howley and Mr. W. J. Ellis are at present in New York finalizing matters in connection with the plans of the proposed buildings for the Nfld. American Packing Co. at Bay Bulls. The company will erect a cold storage and refrigerating packing plant for dressing and curing cod, salmon and other fish. A smoke house, and plant for saving of the by-products which will turn out about 25 tons daily. In all probability the construction of the buildings and installing of machinery will commence within a few weeks hence.

Furness Liners Reach Port.

GRACIANA.
The S.S. Graciana, 13 days from Glasgow, reached port at six o'clock this morning, bringing 400 tons of general cargo, but no mail or passengers. She sails again for Halifax tonight.
RAPPAHANNOCK.
About an hour after the former had berthed at the Furness Withy pier, the S.S. Rappahannock entered the harbor. She was 13 days coming from London. She brought 1,000 tons of general cargo and one bag of mail. The Rappahannock is now anchored in the stream and will haul in to the Furness wharf as soon as the Graciana finishes unloading.

Wars New Words.

It seems certain that our nickname for the Germans—"Huns"—and the French nickname, "Boches," that comes from "Caboche" the "flat-nails" of 1870, are words that have come to stay. At first they were used in jest, but quite recently "Observer" in a perfectly serious article, mentioned that "Boches" and the word "Hun" are used in serious speeches and conversation.
"Kultur" is another word which has found its way into the language. Everybody seems to know that there is a difference between "culture" and "kultur"—and a difference not merely of spelling.
Our sixteenth-century war with Spain was responsible for several new words being added to the language. "Embargo" and "contraband" are two of them; while to our campaigns in the Low Countries we are indebted for such words as "freebooter," "furlough," "cashier," "leagues," "drill," "onslaught," "sconce," and "domineer."
"Forlorn Hope" is a military phrase borrowed from the Dutch "verloren hoop"—hoop meaning troop; and, although "comrade" is a Spanish word, it came to us through the soldiers who fought in the Low Countries.
The word "khaki" was not used in the way it is used today during the Boer War. The term "Die-hards" came to us from the battle of Albuera in 1811, when Colonel Inglis, addressing his men, cried: "Die hard, my lads, die hard!"
The term "free lance," now meaning a literary man who is in no one's employ, is a relic of the Crusades, when companies of knights roved from place to place offering their services to anyone who would pay for them.
"Gazette" meaning a newspaper, originated during the war of 1653 between the Venetians and the Turks. The news was read out publicly in certain places, and the fee for hearing it read was one "gazetta"—a Venetian coin less than a farthing in value. The military word "gazetted" is derived from the fact that military appointments are always announced in the "London Gazette," and so comes indirectly from the same source.

Obituary.

There passed away this morning, at 4 o'clock, at her late residence, 131 South Side, after a long illness, Mary Jane Ashman, beloved wife of J. J. Skinner and daughter of the late Geo. and Catherine Ashman. Deceased leaves to mourn her a husband, three daughters, two sons and one sister to whom the Telegram extends its sympathy.

EXPLOITS OF ELAINE LARGELY ATTENDED.

The programme at the Nickel Theatre yesterday was highly interesting and afforded the greatest pleasure to the large number of patrons. The sensational serial: "The Exploits of Elaine" was continued. The chapter was entitled, "The Opium Smugglers" and it was excellently shown. "The Tigress" was also an attractive subject. It is a detective story and was keenly followed from start to finish. The comedy and "The Bride of the Sea" were splendid pictures. This evening the programme will be repeated and no doubt there will be large attendances.

BORN.

At "Sunbyside" this morning, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Murdock.

DIED.

Passed peacefully away on April 12th, after a lingering illness, Matilda Mary, daughter of Joseph and the late Elizabeth Clarke, aged 17 years; she leaves a father, three sisters and a number of friends to mourn their sad loss; funeral takes place on Friday, at 2:30 p.m., from No. 2 Lyon Square, City. R. I. P.
Last evening, after a short illness, William Thomas Bell, aged 68 years, leaving a wife, one daughter, six sons and three sisters, to mourn their loss; funeral on Friday, at 2 p.m., from his late residence, Nagle's Hill; friends please accept this, the only intimation.—Boston and Montreal papers please copy.
On Thursday at 4 a.m., after a long illness, Mary Jane Ashman, beloved wife of John J. Skinner, leaving three daughters, two sons and one sister to mourn their sad loss; funeral on Sunday, at 2:30 p.m., from her late residence, 131 South Side; friends and acquaintances please accept this, the only intimation. R. I. P.
On the 12th inst., after a tedious illness, Nellie, daughter of Daniel and the late Eliza Foley, aged 10 years. Funeral on Saturday at 2:30 p.m., from her late residence, head of Leslie St.; friends and acquaintances will please accept this the only intimation.

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TO-DAY'S Messages.

10.30 A.M.

NO INTENTION TO VIOLATE HOLLAND.

THE HAGUE, To-day. The French Minister to Holland, Besaj France, has given Holland an assurance that neither France nor her Allies ever contemplated directly or indirectly attacking the neutrality of Holland or the inviolability of its territory, says a communication issued by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs yesterday. The assurance adds that the recent conference of the Allies in Paris did not occupy itself with Holland at all.

PURCHASING MULES.

KANSAS CITY, To-day. The British Army officers resumed the purchase of horses in Kansas City market to-day after a lapse of six months. It is announced six hundred mules have been shipped from here to Newport News to be loaded for Europe.

MORE SHIPS TORPEDOED WITHOUT WARNING.

LONDON, To-day. The Germans are not using either super-submarine or under-water boats without periscope in their new campaign, according to the best informed navy authorities here. It was pointed out to-day from naval sources that German submarines are following their usual course, that there is no evidence that they are able to travel a greater distance than previously was the case, or to stay out longer. The chief difference in the new campaign, according to British naval officers, lies in the fact that more ships are being torpedoed without warning. This development was not unexpected by naval authorities who predicted a greater loss in ships as the season advanced. Admiralty officials evidently are not greatly worried over the destruction of tonnage, asserting that additional mercantile tonnage needed can be built by a system of adjustment which will not interfere with the British Naval programme.

MORE WOUNDED EXPECTED.

LONDON, To-day. Although casualties resulting from last week's attacks on the craters at St. Eloi, are not known, yet every preparation is being made on this side for the reception of a large number of Canadian wounded, who are expected to arrive shortly at Poelkette and other Canadian hospitals.

FRENCH FIGHTING.

LONDON, To-day. A War Office communication issued last night says: Last night we made a small successful raid on the enemy's trenches near Richebourg Avous. Ten Germans were killed. The enemy last night made three successive attacks west of Pitoum-Ypres road and first gained a footing in our trenches but were quickly turned out, and other attacks repulsed, the Germans leaving about 25 dead in front of our trenches and three prisoners in our hands. We bombarded the enemy trenches in this area. There was considerable artillery activity on the north-west of Wytaachets and some shelling about Souchez, Carony and Colonne. Behind St. Eloi there has been heavy hostile shelling but little shelling on the front lines of the craters. It is now established that the gallant fighting of the Canadians in this neighborhood inflicted heavy losses on the enemy during last week.

BUDGET OF WAR NEWS.

NEW YORK, To-day. That a German submarine was not responsible for damage to the French cross-Channel ferry steamer Sussex, but that the Germans did sink a steamer in the region of the English Channel the afternoon the Sussex met with disaster, are the statements contained in Germany's reply to the American government's request for information concerning the Sussex. The steamer sunk is supposed to be the war vessel or mine layer recently built of the Arabic class, says the statement.

The Germans northwest of Verdun are evidently holding in the leash the infantry for fresh attacks in their endeavors to capture Hill 204 and Le Mort Homme key points which are tenaciously holding the way to the fortress. The infantry remained idle in their trenches while big guns were showering shells on the region, embracing a triangle formed by Hill 204 around Ennes and Le Mort Homme. Not even a sally by the Germans in this district is reported in the latest French official communication. Comparative quiet prevails east of the Meuse and around Donamont and Vaux, where there recently had been such vicious fighting. Artillery has been less marked by both sides than on previous days. Mining operations and grenade fighting have taken place in Argonne forest, during which the French captured the southern edges of two craters near Les Courtes Chaussees. In the Russian theatre there have been artillery duels and infantry attacks at various places. On the Austro-Italian front the Italians have taken from the Austrians the heights north of Riponale, and a strong line of trenches and redoubts along the slopes of Monte Pari and Cinnadore, and on the rocks of Monte Sperone, the Austrians suffering heavy casualties. Elsewhere along the line artillery duels continue. A despatch from Salonika reports a recrudescence of artillery fighting on the Greek front between Giyevoli and Doiran. In Asiatic Turkey, Petrograd reports a continuation of the Russian advance, west of Erzerum. The Turks, however, in the region of Bitlis took the offensive against invaders, but all their attacks were repulsed. Although the Turks have been defeated near Felahli of the British advancing to the relief

We have a separate PHOTOGRAPH of each Man that went forward in the last draft of men which left here on March 23rd.

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WANT AMERICAN ARMY WITHDRAWN.

MEXICO CITY, To-day. The Mexican Government has sent a note to its Ambassador in Washington to be delivered this morning to Secretary of State Lansing, asking that American troops be withdrawn from Mexican territory and that the pursuit of Villa be left to the Mexican Constitutional Army.

2,500,000 BRITISH TROOPS IN FRANCE.

LONDON, To-day. A Daily News despatch from Paris states the French Des Armes says the British army in France which numbered but sixty thousand in August, of 1914, now numbers 2,500,000.

INHUMAN BULLETS.

LONDON, To-day. The Crown Prince is using razor bullets in Verdun, each bullet weighs an eighth of an ounce and has a triangular steel blade as sharp as a razor, which makes an ugly wound and one difficult to heal.

GENERAL PETAIN'S LATEST SUCCESS.

PARIS, To-day. A German general attack on the left bank of the Meuse which began on Sunday is regarded as having been beaten, and the Germans have reverted to the previous relatively small alternate strokes against French positions on both sides of the River and to artillery operations. When the remaining French projections along the Forges Brook had been straightened out the Germans were able to engage the principal line to the west of the River from Avoncourt by Hill number 204, and Dead Man's Hill to Cumieres. Only frontal attacks under difficult conditions were possible except at Deadman's Hill where the Germans were able to attack through Ravines. They tried to force a passage between Deadman's Hill and Cumieres and to work around the south of the hill in order to envelop it. After two days of hard fighting this manoeuvre failed, and with it is believed to have collapsed the main idea of a thorough German attack. The small gain which the Germans made northwest of the Hill is not regarded as of the nature to modify the situation. The military observers point out that General Petain once more has succeeded with a minimum of wastage in beating off

with heavy loss the adversaries' attack thereby increasing the morale of their army, and enhancing his own reputation.

1.25 P.M.

SAILING VESSEL TORPEDOED.
BARCELONA, To-day. The Russian sailing vessel Imperator, was torpedoed by an Austrian submarine in the Mediterranean.

LULL IN VERDUN BATTLE.

PARIS, To-day. Another lull has fallen on the Verdun battle field, as Germans have been obliged to pause in order to fill up their gaps in the ranks, to replace damaged guns and bring up munitions preparatory to further onslaughts. It is believed that the French command is not likely to modify its methods. General Petain is said to be quite satisfied as long as the Germans go on to press a counter attack on a large scale when opportunity comes, and stocks of munitions which are practically inexhaustible.

Canadian War Nurse Sends Stirring POEM FROM FRONT.

The following stirring lines are from the pen of Nurse E. J. Parker, who was formerly with the Winnipeg general hospital, and is now in the Second Canadian general hospital in France:—

Oh, crimson year all stained with red,
Yet touched with gold by the noble dead
Let England live, the men may die
And as the passing years go by
So may the Nations wither
No price too high to pay
For Liberty.

Oh, crimson year all stained with red,
Yet lilies grow on the newly dead;
So far from this strife and misery
May bloom a fairer Liberty.

McMurdo's Store News

THURSDAY, April 13th, 1916.
We note to-day the arrival of several specialties of English origin of which we were out of stock: Gibson's Gout and Rheumatic Cure, Ferganac's Glycerine Balm, Beetham's Glycerine and Cucumber, Low's Depilatory, Sanitas Fluid, Sanitas Disinfectant, Powder, Clarke's Blood Mixture, Phenol Mercolized Wax, Bragg's Charcoal Biscuits, and Bishop's Cream of Lotion, large size. From America we have just received a full stock of Sal Hepatica.
We ask all our customers to let us see their orders for a few hours as possible. Sometimes at this season there is a little delay, quite unavoidable, in sending orders owing to the number, but those sent at once will be filled promptly. Call or send for our Seed Catalogue, gratis and post free.

Hr. Grace Notes

The schr. Constance came off dock yesterday and the schr. Yukon went on to-day.

The schr. Peerslee, C. Pike, master, left early this a.m. for Trinity Bay to load fence stuff, etc., for her owner, Mr. E. Simmons.

John Casey, Esq., J.P., who we reported as very sick a few days ago, is decidedly better, and we hope he will soon be all right again.

Mr. John Moore, of Dildo, was in town yesterday for a few hours on business. He returned home again to-day.

One of our right-thinking citizens gave a couple of lads a severe reprimand at about 9.15 last night for some very unbecoming conduct on the streets. The citizen warned them that the next time they offend in a similar way he would hand them over to the police. This is citizenship indeed, and we trust that others will follow in his footsteps and make our town what it ought to be.

Messrs. Ambrose Parsons, Moses Higgins, Freeman Sheppard, Miss Gladys Crocker and a number of others left for Boston by yesterday's express. A number of their friends were at the station to see them off.

The New Road Board are anxious to receive their grant, so as to be able to carry out their programme of making our streets fit to walk on. We understand the Board has other good things in store for Harbor Grace, and we feel sure our citizens made no mistake in electing these gentlemen.

A little girl named Peddle, of the East End, was hit in the forehead by a stone thrown by a small boy on Tuesday. A nasty wound was inflicted. Stone throwing is very dangerous and parents cannot too strongly condemn the practice in their children.

Hr. Grace, April 12, 1916.

Cape Report.

Special to Evening Telegram.
WIND EAST. CAPE RACE, To-day. The steamer Sable Island passed in, and the Prospero and several schooners west yesterday afternoon; the steamer Lady Sybil passed in at 7.50 a.m. to-day. Bar. 29.50; ther. 44.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mrs. J. E. Roberts and Mrs. Lundstrom wish to extend their heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends for the notes of sympathy they received in their recent bereavement; especially Mr. and Mrs. Clarke, of Lime Street; also to their outport friends and to the many kind friends who sent such beautiful flowers to adorn the casket of their dear one.

SECOND CALL From Devine's Great Clearance Sale!

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SPECIAL!
25 doz. Ladies' Underwear at 29c. per garment.
This is an extraordinary offer. You may not see the like again. These goods are the correct weight for this season. Worth 40 to 45c. each usually. **29c.**

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(All new goods.)
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Tea Aprons from39c.
100 pairs Boys' Pants from35c. up
Men's Suits, \$8.00 and \$9.00 goods, at\$4.99
(Few remaining.)
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Savory Roasters free with all purchases of \$10.00
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To The Buying Public!
We are endeavouring to give you service during this Great Sale. If unfortunately through crowding and rush you cannot get all you want, kindly look in forenoon when the congestion is not so great—it will pay you well. Now, remember, all must go, and if you don't get your share don't blame us.
Remember Friday, Saturday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday—all days for the next two months are bargain days until all is cleared.

J. M. Devine,
THE RIGHT HOUSE,
Corner Water and Adelaide Streets.

Newfoundland to Have Platoon in 148th Troops
An endeavor is being made to enlist Newfoundland young men into one body, and to this end a special platoon in the 148th Battalion has been set aside. Newfoundland, independent of Canada, had entirely apart from the large number of individual Newfoundlanders who have gone overseas with various Canadian units, has sent over 5,000 men to join the Allies in breaking the back of German militarism. Newfoundlanders in Montreal who wish to carry the glory of their country far beyond the reaches of the Atlantic, have now the opportunity, through the 148th Battalion platoon is to be commanded by F. P. Collins, a Newfoundland native is conducting the recruiting campaign. A few weeks ago the Newfoundland Society of Montreal elected one of its members into a committee rally patriotic Newfoundlanders together. This committee is composed of the following: Sir T. G. B. Lieut.-Col. Renouf, chairman; E. W. Mudge, Lieut. F. P. Collins, C. Gaden, A. G. Howell, F. J. J. J. Renouf and Arthur Collins headquarters of the committee, 25 McGill College avenue, and applications for enlistment can be either at that address or at Lieut. Collins at the barracks, 148th Battalion on Peel Street.

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Well finished, plain Pillow Cases with deep hemstitched edge, made of strong American Cotton; size 20 x 23. Reg. 25c. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday, each 22c

White Bed Sheets.
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Canada's Graft Scandals.

(From the Boston Herald.)
There may be some good reason for the two months' postponement of the trial of Sir Rodmond Roblin, and his Cabinet colleagues on the charge of conspiracy to defraud the Government in the erection of the Manitoba Parliament buildings, but delay would be inexcusable in connection with investigation of the charges of graft arising out of munition contracts awarded by the Canadian Shell Committee. The accusations are too serious to be allowed to engage public attention for any length of time without open inquiry and attempted refutation. Though no charge is preferred against the government or any member of it, the Government cannot but be held responsible for the acts of the Shell Committee if appointed. Were wrong doing proved, the responsibility, being political, would be less hurtful than if it were personal, yet it might bring on the Cabinet a harassing reproach of lack of proper supervision.
It is a grave charge that from \$1,500,000 to 2,000,000 of the funds entrusted by the British Government to the Canadian Government for the purchase of war supplies passed into the pockets of middlemen who obtained the contracts for or thought the formation of "mushroom companies" in the United States. Mr. Kyte, the Nova Scotian member of Parliament, who makes this accusation, names four men as concerned in these transactions, and one of them is Col. J. Wesley Allison, Gen. Hughes' agent for the purchase of munitions in this country. It is so far satisfactory that the alleged action of the agent is not imputed to the principal. The telegram from Sir Sam Hughes demanding a judicial investigation and announcing that he will immediately leave England for Canada is just what might have been expected of him, and the Government may be commended for its promptitude in nominating a Royal Commission to inquire and report. Canada has taken a brave part in the war. It would be a great pity if money for war supplies were found to have been misappropriated by any of her agents.

Roosevelt and Root.

(From the Boston Transcript.)
When James Bryce ended his services as ambassador to the United States and was on the point of sailing for home, he remarked to a friend: "I would leave less heavy in my heart were Roosevelt and Root working together. Their estrangement is a national calamity." It was natural that the meeting of these two men for the first time in five years should occur in the home of their mutual friend, and for that day Robert Bacon has waited long and eagerly. It was also eminently fitting that the only other Americans present should be Henry Cabot Lodge and Leonard Wood. The political significance of the gathering fades into insignificance in the light of its historic interest and importance. The rapprochement between Roosevelt and Root brings together the strongest personality the nation possesses in support of the most urgent problem the nation confronts—the restoration and security of its own honour. In their reunion is offered an example of whole-hearted devotion to the supremacy of the cause regardless of every personal consideration which their fellow adherents in support of the common cause may well emulate.

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