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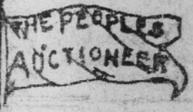
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CHAPTER XXXVI.

"Guy, rest now—you shall tell me another time," she entreated, seeing the terrible emotion under which he was laboring, and how unfit he seemed for further fatigue; but, after a moment, Guy lifted his head and went on earnestly—

"He told me what I had already guessed, that the wife he loved so dearly had forgiven him, and that, thanks to me, he should be happy again; and he thanked me in words which made me feel so unworthy when I remembered what a struggle I had had with myself. And he said that—but the words are too generous to be repeated—only, my darling, I must tell you this, for it seemed to me afterward that a foreboding of his sad end must have been upon him—he said that his was not a long-lived family, and that there might be happy days in store for me with you in the future. Darling, I hurt you to hear this; forgive me."

"It does not hurt me," she answered, raising her eyes, heavy with tears to his; she was kneeling by his side now, resting her head against his arm. "It takes so much of the pain away. Tell me all, Guy."

"When we parted—truer friend than we had ever been in life before—he asked me to give him my stick and to let him send me one in exchange; and the last I saw of him was when he was standing gazing at me as I went, looking so strong and handsome and happy. My darling, thank Heaven that I had no bitter thoughts in my heart against him then!"

She pressed her head against his in silence, too deeply moved to speak as she thought of the brilliant career so suddenly cut short, the life so suddenly taken; and on Guy's face as he sat by her side, there was great weariness and pain and regret.

"It was a terrible end," he said huskily then. "Shirley, have you an idea who could have done this dreadful deed?"

She shook her head wearily. "I did not know that he had an enemy," she said faintly. "Guy could it not have been—could it not have been an accident?"

"I fear not, my darling; and—with an irrepressible burst of pain—"until the mystery is cleared up I shall be a dishonored, crime-stained man."

She lifted her head and looked at him.

"You dishonored—you crime-stained! But"—her breath came quickly as a new fear came into her eyes—"you have been acquitted, Guy!"

"Acquitted—yes; they had not proof enough to condemn me," he said bitterly; "but until the guilty man is discovered, I am the guilty man, Shirley."

"Guy, who can think you so?" she asked, lifting her head and looking at him proudly.

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"And—and—the lovely face was full of an unpeppable horror—"dc they say—do they think that you killed Hugh to—oh, Guy, I cannot say it!"

She sank down in an agony of pain. Somehow this thought, so intensely horrible to them both, had never struck her; but now it filled her with an unutterable shame and anguish. Was this what they were saying of them? Was this what they believed? Oh, it was awful! No shame could equal this—no disgrace was ever so great!

Guy was grieved beyond measure at the effect of his words. She lay in his arms, trembling with an intense suffering which he was powerless to control; all the life seemed to have died out of her face as it rested against his breast, her breath came in quick faint gasps; for a moment he thought she was dying and would have summoned assistance, but she stopped him.

"Call no one; let no one see," she said, with stiff white lips, and he vaulted anxiously until the terrible motion had in some degree passed away and a faint shade of color had taken back to her lips.

"I have startled you—forgive me," he said gently, disengaging herself from his arms; and, moving a little way from him, she sat down on a low chair; and a silence fell between them, a silence of strange embarrassment, a silence so intense that he could have heard a pin drop in the room.

"Guy, is it true?" Shirley asked at length, in a curious constrained voice.

"That they will say so? I fear so, indeed, love," he answered tenderly. "But"—he moved to her side and bent over her—"need we mind that, Shirley?"

She looked up at him with a blind bewildered expression in her hazel eyes, an expression which filled him with pain and fear for her.

"Darling," he said softly, kneeling down by her side and encircling the trembling form with his arms, "you will come to me now, will you not? I will come to you, will you not? I will not quite directly perhaps—I would not ask that—but in a few months, remember how long I have loved you, how much I have suffered from our long and cruel separation. There is nothing between us now. Forgive me for speaking of this, my darling—it is soon, I know, and selfish to urge my wishes on you; but, Shirley, all this time, I have longed for you, and it has been very hard to bear."

"Very hard, Guy," she repeated softly, looking into his face with earnest, tender, sorrowful eyes from which the horror had all departed now, leaving only intense sadness in its place.

"They have been such weary years, my own," he went on huskily—those years of wandering and striving—how hard Heaven, only knows!—to forget you, but your face was ever before my eyes, your voice always in my ears, the touch of your dear fingers always lingering in my hand. Once, when I was very near death—I had met with an accident and fever had ensued—I thought you were standing beside me. I thought that I prayed you to put your lips to mine once and kiss me before I died. Shirley, my own, would you have cared so much?"

"I wonder—I wonder if you can guess how much, Guy?"

"My darling!"

He clasped her to him with sudden passion; but she disengaged herself gently but firmly from the tender arms, leaving her hands in his as her eyes rested upon him with an intense love and sadness, an agony of renunciation and woe which he would not, he dared not understand.

"Oh, Guy, poor fellow!" she murmured softly; and the tears gathered slowly in her eyes.

How changed he was—how terribly changed—and how greatly he had suffered! It broke Shirley's heart to add to that suffering; and yet how could she go to him bringing with her a confirmation of the horrible suspicion which people had entertained? How could she marry him when the marriage would but confirm his guilt and shame. Yet, reading the agony on his face and feeling the acute pain of her own aching heart, how could she send him away? He had left her when his love might have brought with it shame and disgrace. Did she love him well enough to ask him to leave her?"

Oh, the weary struggle which ensued in the sorely tried heart—oh, the agony of conflicting doubts and fears! Had she any right to send him away when she loved him so passionately, and when she was free to return his love? Had she any right to add to the unhappy, solitary, loveless years he had already spent? Had she any right to make him suffer further torture and agony? And yet to add to that unmerited shame which had already fallen upon him! Could she do it—she who loved him?"

"My darling"—how tender his voice was now in the new dread which had come upon him, and which he would not let her see?—"you must not let the past trouble you any longer. It is all over, and together we will forget it. You look so frail and white, Shirley, that I cannot be happy until I see some roses in your cheeks, and until these little hands"—kissing them softly as he spoke—"have a little more flesh upon them. You have been very ill, they tell me."

"Yes; but I am quite well now, Guy," she answered tremulously, and hid her face upon his shoulder, as he knelt by her side, to shut out his pleading face, so worn and haggard, yet so full of tenderness and love; and he folded his arms round her so gently that the pain at her heart deepened, and she dreaded with a yet more earnest dread what was to come.

"Do you remember, Shirley, one night long ago at Fairholme Court, that some one—I forget who now—sang some lines about the 'radiant grace of to-day,' begging the present to remain, and asking—

"What future can restore, when thou art flown,
All that I hold from thee and call my own?"

I remember so well thinking that happy as the present was, it was the eve of the day which was to give you to me, darling—that the future would be yet happier, that it could hold no great grief for us since we were to share it together. But the great grief, which came to us ere twenty-four hours had elapsed we could not bear together; we had to bear it apart. Now, my dearest, there is nothing to separate us. Looking far on into the

future, I can see no shadow of another parting from you, my own."

"Can you not, Guy?" she whispered softly, still with her eyes hidden.

"I cannot, darling, save for the few months which must elapse before I come to you and ask you to put your hands in mine and come to me, my darling, my wife! But this will not be like a parting; it will be but a short time, and we shall be able to see each other often, dear."

"Guy"—she spoke still with her face hidden against him, but his hands lifted her hand and rested it fondly and caressingly on his shoulder—"Guy, could anything make you doubt my love for you?"

"I think not, love," he answered, drawing her closer to him.

"Even if I were to hurt you?"

"Even then, Shirley."

"You would know—ah, you would be sure, would you not, that I did so only out of love for you, and because I knew it was best for you?"

"I would try to think so, my darling," he answered softly, a sudden dread chilling him as he listened to the words which seemed so difficult to utter, spoken as they were so slowly and brokenly, with the fair head bowed upon his breast.

"You would try? Thank you, Guy. Oh, my darling, my darling"—she clung to him now with sudden passion, her head pressed against him with a convulsive strength—"won't you help me? I cannot say the words, but—but—you can guess them without my saying them."

"What words, Shirley?" His voice was very low, as he bowed his head over her; and, rising to his feet, he lifted her and supported the beautiful head resting heavily against his shoulder, as she stood trembling in every limb, prevented from falling only by the strong arms which in-folded her.

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In Regard to Old Furniture.

By RUTH CAMERON.



A letter friend asked me to say what I think of the craze for old furniture.

Well, then, this craze for old furniture is something I have no use for, but the taste for old furniture I most nearly approve.

I believe it was about twenty-five or thirty years ago

that old furniture was first discovered in America. I don't know the exact details of the discovery, but I suppose that good taste, which for many years had been buried alive under black walnut and marble revived and reasserted itself in a few people of discrimination, and they began bringing down from their garrets the quaint old highboys, the stately secretaries, and the simple, dignified chairs and tables of the mahogany period.

The ideas of people of discrimination are always imitated and distorted by people without discrimination. Old furniture was the newest thing in home decoration. Wherefore, the horde of indiscriminating novelty seekers seized upon this idea and distorted it and the craze for old furniture came into existence.

People who are afflicted with this craze fill their houses with old furniture not because they appreciate its intrinsic beauty nor because it belongs to their ancestors and hence has associations for them, but merely because it is "the thing"; and, like all people who are fanatically striving to do "the thing" without understanding why, they make themselves and the thing ridiculous.

"I can understand why people like their own old furniture which has

been handed down to them as heirlooms," a friend of mine often says to me, "but I cannot see what anyone wants with other people's old furniture."

That is a point of view with which I partially sympathize, but not wholly. Of course, it's much nicer to possess family heirlooms and one prides them far more highly than what one buys, but if your supply of heirlooms is small, I don't see why it isn't all right to eke it out by buying a few pieces. And right here let me put in a word for the reproduction. There are a great many people who would rather have the most rickety piece that is genuinely old than a sound and perfect reproduction. Myself, I wouldn't. That is, unless the old piece came from my own ancestors or had treasured associations with some person whom I admired, if it were simply a choice between a rickety old piece from some unknown garret or a sound new piece with the same color and beauty of outline I would take the new every time.

I have heard recently that black walnut furniture is becoming antique and as such will be much sought after in the future. May the powers forbid. There would certainly be no justification in its intrinsic beauty for bringing back this old style. Not that the wood in itself is unbecomingly, but the things they made of it. The functional marble topped tables, the slippery high cloth chairs and sofas and everywhere that thoroughly unbecomingly beautiful line and decoration.

To love the old because it is beautiful is one thing; to love the ugly merely because it is old is quite another.

And that's what I think about the craze for old furniture.

Ruth Cameron

Here and There.

CURLERS LEAVE.—The curlers who are to take part in the Halifax Maritime Bonspiel leave by this evening's express.

The s.s. *Stephano* sails from New York to-day for here, via Halifax.

The s.s. *Beothic* sailed to-day for North Sydney to load coal for Job Bros. & Co.

L. O. A. SOCIABLE.—The Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association, which was organized in August last, held a very enjoyable sociable last night, a large number attending.

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ESCAPED INJURY.—Last night a man named Bond got his coat caught in the gas engine at the premises of Jas. Bahrd, Ltd., but managed to stop the engine by putting on the lever which was near him, thus avoiding injury to himself.

The English boys residing in St. John's held a very enjoyable entertainment at Wood's West End Restaurant last night. The affair consisted of dinner, followed by speeches and songs, the vocalists being Messrs. Evans, Lloyd, Lockhart, Fox, Norman and Benbow, while Mr. E. Hirst acted as accompanist.

M.L.A. DEBATE.—The Mutual Improvement Association held an interesting debate in the Congregational Lecture Hall last night, when the question, "Is the conquest of the air worth while?" was thoroughly discussed. The affirmative side was led by Messrs. G. Langmead, sr., and O. W. Steele, and the negative supported by Messrs. H. R. Brookes and R. Butt.

POLICE MADE ENQUIRIES.—Yesterday Detective Byrne, acting on the instructions of I. G. Sullivan, visited the Goulds Road to investigate the supposed death of a man named Patrick Raymond, who, as reported in the Evening Herald of Monday, was smothered in a snow storm and found dead by two other men. Officer Byrne found the man in question very much alive at his home.

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The Firemen's Grievances.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—I again ask for brief space to give expression to the satisfaction I feel in finding that the Firemen's grievance has at last reached the aristocratic chamber known as the House of Assembly, and I thank you, Mr. Editor, for bringing the matter forward from your place in the House. I also thank W. F. Coaker, Esq., for his manly stand in assuring the House that he will stand by the firemen in their appeal for a decent wage. The Premier tells us that the Government guarantees to pay half of the expenses of the Fire Department, but surely he must realize that owing to the high cost of living at the present time the sum voted twenty years ago cannot be expected to remain so, and in order to carry out that promise in a business like way, the vote should be increased at least twenty-five per cent. The argument of the Premier cannot be considered sound in face of the fact that the Government voted years ago ten thousand dollars as the Governor's salary, but now find that an increase is justifiable. If this is true of the Governor, surely the same treatment should be accorded the firemen. If the Government has the firemen's case really at heart, surely it is not much trouble for the Executive to meet the City Councillors and arrange an increase.

I will now give an example of how one fireman disposed of his monthly salary, and I ask your readers to think it over. He receives \$38. Here is his expenses: Rent for house, \$5; groceries, \$20; coal, \$3.50; school fees and books for three children, \$4.50; clothes, boots, etc., \$6; incidental expenses, \$3.50; total, \$42.80, leaving him in debt \$4.80. And still we prate of the prosperity of the people. Surely, Mr. Editor, it is time to shut off playing hide and seek with this important matter, and give the firemen some of that British Fair Play we hear so much about.

Yours sincerely,
VOLUNTEER.
Feb. 4, 1914.

Wrestling.

At C. L. B. Armoury.

A series of wrestling bouts were run off in the C. L. B. Armoury last evening in the presence of a large gathering of onlookers. The first match was a bantam weight contest between Messrs. Rendell and Heinebury. The former won after 26 minutes' struggling with a further arm and body hold.

The next bout was between R. Marshall and F. Roberts. This was a lively and clever exhibition and resulted in a draw.

The main bout between O'Keefe and Hammond was then put on and excited considerable interest. The contestants wrestled at catch weight, but two falls out of three. Right from the start, Hammond worked strenuously and after 16 minutes, 20 seconds pinned his opponent's shoulder to the mat through the aid of a half nelson and grip scissor. On resuming Hammond again became aggressive and after 10 minutes, 20 seconds a second fall out of O'Keefe with a body scissors hold.

Mr. S. Cullen refereed the bouts. At the close Hammond was presented with a gold medal by Mr. F. Marshall on behalf of the C. L. B. Athletic Association.

Murdered in England.

Passenger from Halifax Killed in a Lonely Spot.
London, Jan. 24.—A passenger from Canada was the victim in a mysterious murder case near Bilston, Staffordshire. The victim was Kent Reeks, a young engineer from Sydney, N.S.W., who arrived in London via Canada on the *Empress of Ireland* on Saturday last and located at a hotel in Lord Nelson street, where he became acquainted with a visitor from Chicago. The latter soon left for Leeds, after which Reeks' body was found on Tuesday, with three bullets in his head, near Bilston, a lonely spot in the "Black Country." No reason is known for his trip there.

The victim had \$500 in his wallet, which is now missing. A curious find on the spot of the murder was an ornament from a woman's hat. Cartridges were found beside the body of the victim, but there was no weapon. The police favor the theory that the murder was committed elsewhere and the body conveyed to the spot by car.

A new fact brought to light is that the victim passed under the assumed name of E. S. Hyne, of Halifax, on the passage to Liverpool on the *Empress of Ireland*. Why he did this is not known. The police do not attach much importance to the story that the suspect wanted is a passenger on the *Grampian*, now en route for St. John.

The deceased came home to secure an engineer's certificate from the Board of Trade. His body was identified by an uncle living in Manchester.

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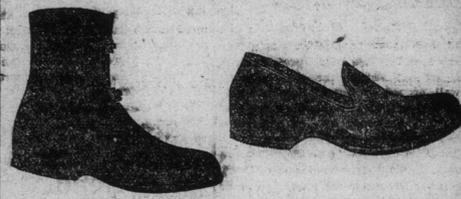
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Evening Telegram.

W. J. HERDER, --- Proprietor.
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WEDNESDAY, Feb. 4th, 1914.

Municipal Reform.

We are pleased to find that the Municipal Council has determined to make recommendations to the Legislature for a change in the Municipal Acts. Elsewhere in this issue, will be found a list of the suggestions they are making. We much prefer to see an amendment of the old time and well proved system of British Municipal Government rather than the new fangled American toy of American city management. The reversion to the Ward System is on the lines we have already expressed approval of, and the proposals for an extension of the franchise to rate-payers who are non-residents and to residents who are not at present ratepayers and who shall pay a poll tax are reasonable proposals. But the proposed amendments do not go far enough. There are many problems which should be tackled, as suggested by the Citizens' Committee, and these problems cannot be solved without additional revenue of a substantial nature. The Council is not asking for power to increase its revenue materially and therein the amendments proposed fall short of crying needs.

\$5,500.00 Steamer Hire.

Even if the District of St. Barbe's has not a full share of representation in the House of Assembly and should have two members there instead of one; even if St. Barbe's is treated scurvily in the way of roads and special grants, considering that the population is scattered over a coastline of some six hundred miles; even if the district obtains little of the \$40,000 agricultural grants, there are people who at times do well out of the district. We do not of course refer to the mail carriers, who do their work well and do it for years, and are rewarded by dismissal for political expediency, as Mr. Clapp pointed out in the House of Assembly yesterday. We have in mind an answer to a question put by Mr. Clapp and answered yesterday as to the cost of the steamer hired to distribute and collect ballot boxes. The firm in which the Hon. R. K. Bishop is principal had the job and hired the Earl of Devon to the Government, and were paid the sum of \$5,500, made up of 55 days' hire at

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At the House

After questions for information asked for by the Opposition members had been read, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Supply and the discussion on the estimates was continued.

Mr. Kent for the third time asked the Finance Minister for information in relation to the Banks and Railway Awards, and got a reply that the data was not ready. Before going through the Supply he thought that reports of every department in the public service should be laid on the table by the different Ministers. Continuing, he gave a fair and impartial criticism of the increased and wanton expenditures of the present administration, showing in detailed form how our public accounts were abused and overdrawn. He noticed by the estimates that the vote for general contingencies is the same as for years past, viz., \$10,000, yet on perusing the report of the Auditor General under section 33B, of the Audit Act for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1913, he observed that that vote was overdrawn and a supplementary supply of \$5,000 ordered by the Governor in Council. This was a direct violation of the Audit Act, or in other words the ordinary vote was replaced by an improper use of the powers of section 33B, of the Audit Act. The annual vote over general contingencies for the last four or five years was between \$20,000 and \$25,000. Section 33B, of the Audit Act is one intended for special emergencies, expenditures unforeseen and not anticipated at the time of the passing of the estimates. If the Government wishes to extend its powers they should take immediate steps to amend the Act, or otherwise observe it as it is. According to the present system it would be just as well to give the Governor in Council authority to augment the accounts appropriated under the estimates. On June 8th and Sept. 9th last the Governor in Council again overruled the Audit Act. Because of increased expenditures, the Customs Department was overdrawn to the extent of \$29,258.88 for the fiscal year ending June 30th. Special authority was brought into operation by the Government to meet these liabilities, which were certainly not of an unforeseen character. He also referred to the overdraft last year of \$1,451 in the Department of Public Charities. He considered the proposition to pursue when a department is overdrawn by reason of outstanding payment would be to have that matter brought before the House for adjustment. Mr. Kent then dealt with the extraordinary expenditures on main lines of road in the districts of Placentia and Ferryland. The sum of \$1,000 was voted for each place in June last in addition to a share of a special grant and the Surplus Trust Fund. In July, or after one month's lapse, these votes had become exhausted and more appropriations had to be made. Another irregular vote was the appropriation of \$10,000 for the carrying on of the Game and Inland Fisheries Board. The amount was allocated by the Governor in Council, and according to an extract from the Auditor General's Report read by Mr. Kent, the sum could be foreseen. The protection of our Inland Fisheries was a necessity, but provision should be made for it in the estimates. In his (Mr. K.'s) opinion the increases of salaries and the creation of new salaries made by the Governor in Council within the past few years surpassed all precedents since the establishment of the Audit Act. The total amount of unprovided expenditures was \$48,740, showing an extraordinary use of the irregular power which the Governor in Council has been in the habit of assuming to exercise, despite the fact that section 13 of the Audit Act prohibits the Executive from paying or increasing new salaries before coming into this House. He thought that the deputy heads of the departments should have their salaries properly fixed and that no discrimination should happen in the way of increases. The Audit Act, continued Mr. Kent, is the same system that is used by the Imperial authorities. It is a well devised means of protecting the public funds and the public service and if it is not suitable to the Government, amend the Act and suit the requirements of the Colony. He advocated the appointment of a public accounts committee, consisting of members from both sides of the House and expressed his intention of moving for such a committee before the session closes. This he thought would be effective in keeping down expenditures and running the civil service economically. Regarding the roads and bridges in St. John's East, he said some of them were badly in need of repairs; he also asked that a main line be made to Outer Cove from the city and that a main line be made from the eastern end of Bell Island to Lance Cove.

Mr. F. J. Morris said that the amounts allocated for roads in the district of Placentia was inadequate; that new roads and a main line were necessary there; that most of the

places in his district was not as level as the Southside Hill, and that he was going to ask for an increase in the estimates.

Mr. Clapp was the next speaker. He contended that the amounts allocated for the upkeep of main lines, roads and bridges were altogether insufficient. This was notably the case in the district of Twillingate, which he represented. The roads there were badly in need of repairs by reason of the want of a substantial annual grant. He suggested that an inspector of Roads or some competent man be sent over the main lines of the different districts and have him supply a detailed report to the Minister of Public Works, who could inform the House what the estimates for the annual upkeep of those roads would be. He believed that money voted to improve the roads would be well spent, and he hoped the Government would see its way clear to do something in this direction. He reiterated what Mr. Kent had said regarding the estimates and the extraordinary expenditures connected therewith. As he took it, it was a repetition of the old story of increased salaries made by the Executive Council which was not authorized by this House to do so. The Audit Act is very explicit and prohibits the Governor in Council from expending any monies except the monies that are voted in this House or those called for in cases of emergency. Notwithstanding, the Government came into the House looking for indemnity on account of expenditures made without authority and contrary to the provisions of the Audit Act. During the past few years this practice has been considerably worse than ever it was before. When the Governor in Council is allowed to violate the Audit Act with impunity and can raise salaries at will, as the increase of \$48,750 within the past few months demonstrated, it would be much better to have the Act wiped off the Statute Book. If the Government will "forget" the law, how can they expect the other people of the country to observe it.

Mr. Clapp asked for an additional grant for repairs to roads in his district. St. Barbe was a large but scattered district, having a coast line of about 600 miles. Harbour Grace and Carbonear had good roads because they were allocated more money than St. Barbe was, even though he latter was a much larger place. One of the most important places in St. Barbe District was Bonne Bay. Here the roads are impassable, and as he Prime Minister himself experienced, you cannot move around in the tight time without being accompanied by a light. On the north east section of the coast conditions were even worse. He hoped that the Government would give his appeal consideration and vote sufficient monies for the maintenance of the roads in St. Barbe District. He pointed out that all couriers and post office officials were underpaid in the district, while their civil servants were dismissed, or political reasons. Mr. Clapp emphasized that these dismissals were unfair and unjust. It may be that these officials held different political attitudes to the man who opposed him in the election fight and because of that the defeated candidate who was on the Government side, was apparently influential and narrow-minded enough to oust these patriots and officials out of their positions and have men who supported him, the defeated candidate, take their places. He asked for a motor ferry boat at Norris' Point and St. Margaret's Bay.

Mr. Coaker followed and said that he was spending of Road money in the North was causing endless trouble. Every man was looking for his share and the only way to overcome the difficulty would be to establish a properly constituted Council; this would facilitate matters in a great many respects; it would show in the estimates the details of the expenditures, whereas at the present time it is impossible to find out from the estimates how the monies were expended. Regarding the General Hospital, he said that it was common knowledge that everything was not running as smoothly as members on the Government side thought. He understood that Dr. Keegan wishes to have an investigation take place and suggested that a commission be appointed to make a searching enquiry and probe the matter thoroughly. Mr. Coaker asked for a ferry at Goose Bay. It was one of the most beautiful spots in Bonavista Bay and a ferry boat to bring the mails to and from was a great necessity. He agreed with Mr. Clapp about the dismissal of public servants because they did not support the Government members in the election. He knew all the facts, having learned them from his F. P. U. Council in St. Barbe, and thought the position ridiculous. He was aware that the defeated member for St. Barbe could get anything from the Government but the representative, Mr. Clapp, could not get anything for his constituents. Mr. Coaker wished to make it clear that where over there is an F. P. U. Council the Union men are not going to tolerate this kind of treatment and will not allow any

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In these days of fox farming, and even snark farming, it is interesting to know that in Canada we have perhaps the only farm in the world devoted to the breeding of entirely new race of animals or cattle.

Cattle are the result of years of experiment of crossing meiotic cattle of various breeds, the American bison or buffalo, today a new strain has been established. Mr. E. Mossom Boyd, of Boheny is the originator of the idea, and at the present time a large herd of cattle. These animals are nearly as hardy as their wild forefathers, a splendid hide, much more even than the buffalo, have the large hump of the domestic animal, and powerful shoulders and neck of buffalo. The hide alone is more valuable for fur than an ordinary steer, and in the case of cattle meat becomes the by-product, such in just as good, as valuable weights as much as that of a very steer.

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City Fathers Draft Proposals.

A special meeting of the City Council was held yesterday afternoon, when it was decided to submit certain proposals to the Legislature, while in session, with a view to improving the present system of civic elections. It is thought desirable to extend the franchise by imposing a poll tax, and removing a certain clause that at present delimits many from voting. The matter has been under consideration for some time past, and is in no way meant to obstruct the Citizens' Committee in their work. Still the Council is of the opinion that their experience in civic affairs ought to enable them to form a scheme, without any drastic changes, that would meet with the approval of the Government and taxpayers alike. The following are the proposals, which the Council's Solicitor will draft in proper form for presentation to the Legislature at the earliest opportunity:

- 1) That the election of Councilors at large, give place to the ward system.
- 2) That the City be divided in the wards.
- 3) That the Southside be considered one ward, with the right to elect one Councilor.
- 4) That the City proper consist of four wards, each to elect two representatives.
- 5) That the Mayor be elected by popular vote.
- 6) That ratepayers living outside the city, and at present disqualified, be given the franchise.
- 7) That on payment of a poll tax, the amount to be fixed later, those over 21 years of age not property owners or occupiers be granted the franchise.

The Mayor holds that it is necessary to have the Councilors increased to nine, as under the present system the six members are now compelled to get on several committees at the same time, but with the addition of three members the general work of the Council would be greatly facilitated.

Wedding Bells.

BRADBURY-DAWE.
A very pretty wedding took place at Briggs on January 28th, when Mr. Alan Bradbury, engineer of this city, was united in matrimony to Miss Eunnie Dawe, daughter of Capt. John Dawe, of Coley's Point, Bay Roberts, and former teacher of the High School at Coley's Point. Rev. Canon Colwell officiated. The bride was pleasingly costumed and wore a suit of blue serge with hat to match. After the ceremony the bridal party drove to the hotel at Briggs, where a reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Bradbury return to the city tomorrow and will make their future home on Mundy Pond Road.

To-night's Hockey

The postponed match between the St. Bon's and Crescents takes place to-night. The players will be: Crescents.—Thomas, goal; Herder, point; Joy, cover; L. Stick, rover; Coultis, right; Hutchings, centre; M. Stick, left. St. Bon's.—Walsh, goal; L. Edson, point; Godden, cover; Higgins, rover; right; Callahan, centre; Shortall, left.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DITH-TERIA.

other person but the member to spend money in the districts.

The Prime Minister rose to say he had a uniform system, as previously suggested by the hon. member for Bonavista, for the spending of the road monies and that a Municipal Board would be appointed in most of the settlements. He said he was not aware of any man being dismissed on the recommendation or advice of a defeated candidate and that the Governor in Council made no dismissal within the past five years in the district of St. Barbe. He asked Mr. Clapp upon what grounds he made his charge.

Mr. Clapp established his case right up to the hilt, clearly showing how one George Rake who carried the mails for many years from Deer Lake to Bonne Bay, was dismissed for no reason. He (Mr. C.) was informed that Rake performed his duties faithfully and was paid the sum of \$25 a trip. Rake was about to resume his duties this winter when a man named Shepherd, a strong supporter of Mr. Clapp's opponent in the last election, was taken on and paid \$32.50 a trip, or \$7 more than Rake was paid.

The Prime Minister—I hear that his evening for the first time. I will inquire into it. Mr. Clapp—The same applied to a man named Peyton, who used to bring the mails from Grignon to St. Anthony and who had been instructed by the Postmaster General in November last to resume his work. He was turned out to make room for one Weir, another hester of my opponent. The Colonial Secretary's Department informed me that this work was given out on tender, yet strange to say the man Peyton, who filled the post for twelve years was neither asked or given a chance to tender. Another instance is the case of the man Payne who carried the mails from Cow Head to Danke's Harbour, and who was dismissed to make room for another Government supporter and who voted for the defeated candidate for St. Barbe.

A QUIBBLE.
Mr. Bennett arose and said that Mr. Peyton had instructions to resume his work with the mails but was not told how long he may remain at it.

Mr. Coaker took objection to the men being turned down in view of their long and faithful service. Further, they were honest in handling the mails, and this could not be said of others. He cited instances where F. P. U. letters were tampered with and money taken out of them.

Mr. Hallyard said the roads in Fogo were in a wretched condition and that repairs were badly needed. The southern districts had railways in their backyards while the north was totally neglected. In referring to the mails he pointed out that the only time the people of Fogo get a mail is when the Sagona calls there. He criticized the family grants that are given in Fogo, and that he knew of people given money to repair their own backyards. Such grants were the compensation these people got for their political support.

Mr. Jennings was the last speaker. He had taken a mental survey of all that had been said about main lines and roads and emphasized how badly in need of the construction of new roads was the district he represented. He noticed that the estimates had increased \$150,000 more than last year. He thought the whole civil service needed reconstruction, as it could be run more economically. He said the civil service was overmanned and showed up an instance of where seven officials were engaged doing the work of two men. In dealing with education he expressed the opinion that school teachers of to-day get much larger salaries and more holiday than the teachers of 40 years ago. As it was 6.30, the Committee or Supply rose, reported progress on the House adjourned until 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The publisher of the best Farmer's paper in the Maritime Provinces, is writing to us states: "I would say that I do not know of a medicine that has stood the test of time like MINARD'S LINIMENT. It has been an unerring remedy in our household ever since I can remember, and has outlived dozens of would-be competitors and imitators."

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Bobcaygeon Man Sees Big Future for Cattle—Wild Buffalo of the Angus and Hereford Breeds—New Variety Has Splendid Hide and the Celebrated Hump of the Buffalo.

In these days of fox farming, mink farming and even skunk farming, it is interesting to know that in Canada we have perhaps the only farm in the world devoted to the breeding of an entirely new race of animals called cattelo.

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He was able to purchase a thoroughbred bull which had been captured as a calf on the prairies, some seven years before, and with this animal, he decided to at least give his idea, a thorough experimental trial.

For the purpose of the trial he crossed the buffalo with domestic cattle of the Polled Angus and Hereford breeds, and at the end of the first season, had obtained some 30 calves. Six of these were males, but only one survived, and he proved of no service in the experiment, and was disposed of later to the Toronto Zoo.

Of all the cows but nine would

breed, and with these hybrid animals, the experiment was continued, until in less than ten years the herd had grown to about thirty animals, some being one-quarter bred buffalo, others three-quarters. Then hybrid would no longer describe them, and Mr. Boyd invented the name "cattelo."

In this country of cold winters, the problem of housing domestic cattle has always been a serious one, and cattlemen cannot afford to have larger herds than they care for in the severest winter weather. The buffalo being a native of this country is much better able to stand extremes of cold and it was hoped that by crossing with domestic cattle a hardy strain might be produced. In this respect the experiment has proved a great success.

The buffalo is a very good meat animal, and has much bigger shoulders than the domestic. The well-known hump on the buffalo is not fat as in the case of the camel, but muscle. The cattelo has much of the buffalo's hump.

The Rosiru Whaling Co., Ltd.

The annual general meeting of the Shareholders of this Company, was held on Saturday last, when a dividend of 6 p.c. was declared. This Company is the most successful of the whaling companies operating in Newfoundland waters, and last year secured one hundred and eleven (111) whales for two steamers. The rate of the dividend declared in the past two seasons namely 10 p.c. would have been maintained, but in

consequence of the possibility of the Company having to incur expenditure in the improvements of their Plants, a balance was left to the credit of Profit and Loss to be carried forward to next year.

YOUNG MAN, DO YOU WANT ONE?—We refer to the fact that we have a few choice patterns of our up-to-date warm-without-weight Overcoatings left, and we got to clear them out. Come and select one, as you need it, and we will talk about the price privately. Made in our famous up-to-date, double-breasted "SPORELL" style, 265 Water Street, next door to Parker & Monroe's—Jan 27, 1914.

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This Date in History.

FEBRUARY 4.
Full Moon—10

Days Past—34 To Come—330
HARRISON AINSWORTH born 1805. Well-known writer of historical fiction who produced forty books in less than fifty years, many of which are being constantly reprinted. The most popular of his tales are "Old St. Paul's," "The Tower of London," and "Windsor Castle."

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—Paley.

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By the use of this latest invention you can have, in one second, speech with any or all of your staff, located anywhere on your premises, without leaving your desk, without waiting the time your employees uses in going from their station to the private office, without any bell to ring or other attachment to handle. You may give callers attention without admitting them to your room and all the time your hands are disengaged and you may speak from three to ten feet from your instruments and be perfectly heard at the other end of the line. If you are interested in this service Mr. Percie Johnson will furnish detailed information on request. This service has been tested by six months perfect working in St. John's.

T.A. Juveniles Entertained

The annual treat to the T. A. Juvenile Society took place in the T. A. armoury yesterday afternoon, and was attended by over 400 boys.

At 4 o'clock the lads were entertained in the Casino Theatre by Mr. I. P. Kieley, manager of the Nickel, who had a special programme of moving pictures for the occasion, after which all sat down to an excellent repast furnished by the lady friends of the society. The appetites of the lads were keenly developed and all did ample justice to the tempting viands supplied. After tea the lads were all given a package of candy and fruit. During the evening the President, Mayor Ellis, and the officers and guardians of the society were present. The President delivered a brief address to the boys and on their behalf thanked the ladies and all those who assisted to make the evening so enjoyable.

At night a dance was held by the adults in which about 100 couples participated. An excellent program was gone through, the music being supplied by the T. A. Band.

The officers and guardians of the Juvenile Branch deeply appreciate the interest displayed by the ladies who devoted so much of their time and attention to make the annual treat such a phenomenal success.

To-day's Events.

- 2 p.m.—Matinee performance, at Nickel Theatre.
- 2 p.m.—Matinee at Rossley Theatre.
- 2 p.m.—Matinee at Crescent Picture Palace.
- 3 p.m.—Meeting of Legislature.
- 6 p.m.—Currics leave for Halifax.
- 7 p.m.—Performance at Nickel Theatre.
- 7 p.m.—Performance at Rossley Theatre.
- 7 p.m.—Performance at Crescent Picture Palace.
- 7.30 p.m.—Hockey Match, St. Bon's vs. Crescents.
- 8 p.m.—Annual meeting George Boyd Lodge.

Two Reel Feature

At The Crescent.
Undoubtedly the best two reel feature picture seen for some time is presented at the Crescent Picture Palace to-day and to-morrow. The picture which is entitled, "The Smuggler's Daughter" is a strong dramatic story of the daring doings of a gang of opium smugglers together with a fascinating plot, in which a young girl plays the principal character. As comedies, "Professional Jealousy" is a clever burlesque that must certainly create laughter. "First Aid Filtration" is also rich and abounds in many comical situations. This bill is a record for interest and fun. Mr. David Parks slugs the latest illustrated hit, "The Story I Read in Your Eyes." The Crescent has won its popularity on its own record in giving a good clean show; it is the home of enjoyment and refinement, comfort and safety. Usual seasons and prices.

WINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DISTEMPER.

Alone!

They've taken her away up the steep, steep brae,
To her home in the sild kirkyard,
And I sit alone this weary day—
Alone w' my grief unshared.

I ha'e seen her laid in her cauld, cauld bed,
And now the driftin' snaw
Throws a white glistenin' pall on a grave new made,
And ower it the chill winds blaw.

And I count the years since we twa were wed,
And the lang years roll away,
I see her a bride 'mang the roses red
On one sweet morn of May.

In her wistful een the love light gleams
Through a mist of April tears,
And they hold in their depth the tender dreams,
And hopes of the coming years.

But the bonnie een, and the sunny sheen
Of her nut-brown wavin' hair
Had lang been dimmed, and the years had ta'en
The bloom frae her cheek so fair.

But the love we pledged that sweet May morn—
Oh, that love was leal as true!
And the years that left us bare and worn
Our hearts the closer drew.

And mem'ry stirs dead hopes and fears
As I dream of bygone days—
Of a baby face with its smiles and tears,
And eyes where laughter plays,

And of that dark day when sorrow came
And left in its weary train
An empty cot and a childless dame
And hearts with an aching pain.

But now she lies by her child again,
And still through the darkening day,
The driftin' snaw whitens hill and plain
And a grave on yonder brae.

And I long for the touch of her gentle hand
And my heart is wearin' sair,
But pray I that soon in that far-off land
Our life ance mair we'll share.

Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.
VERA CRUZ, Feb. 3.
The American consul at Tampico reports by wireless that the rebels attacked and defeated the federals Altamira, 15 miles north of the city. The federals retreated south. It is believed the rebels are in strong force, and intend to renew the attack on Tampico.

Special to Evening Telegram.
MEXICO CITY, Feb. 3.
Federal troops are being rushed from Saltillo to San Luis Potosi Torreon, to assist in its defence. General Velasco, in command there, is said to have 5,000 men. General Blanquet, War Minister, is a authority for the statement that the federal force sent to the south-west has checked the advance of the rebels from Durango. A force under General Orozco, which has been sent north, is expected to hold back Villa's men. The rebel movement in the State of Oaxaca is becoming more active. A fifth regiment was despatched from here last night to that section of the country. Jose L. is Requena and Pedro Villar, who were recently arrested in connection with alleged plotting against the Government, and later were released, leave Mexico on Thursday.

Special to Evening Telegram.
LONDON, Feb. 3.
The following legacies left by Lord Strathcona, have been made public: \$1,000,000 to the Royal Victoria College, Montreal, after the reduction of any payment made during his lifetime, in addition to the College Buildings and site provided by him; \$500,000 to the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal; \$500,000 to Yale University; \$100,000 to Kingston University, Ontario Extension Fund; \$60,000 to the Presbyterian College, Montreal; \$50,000 to St. John's College, Cambridge, in addition to \$50,000 given in his lifetime; \$50,000 to Leachell Hospital, Ferris, where he was born; \$50,000 to the Church of Scotland, Infirm Ministers' Fund; \$25,000 to Aberdeen University for Chair of Agriculture; \$10,000 to the Streatham (London), Home for incurables; \$10,000 to London University College.

NELLIE LOUISE ARRIVES.—The tern schooner Nellie Louise, Captain Mark Burke, arrived in port this morning to Messrs. Bowring Brothers, after a 54 days' passage from Pernambuco. Very stormy weather was experienced on the passage.

The Greatest Modern Educator Of Children— Mme. Montessori

on her recent tour of America included Battle Creek, the great Pure Food Center, in her itinerary. Speaking of diet for children she makes the following statement (in the public press of Dec. 31, 1913):

"Coffee and tea should never be placed within reach of a childish hand."

Besides being an educator, Madame Montessori is a physician, and bases this advice on her scientific knowledge that an ordinary cup of tea or coffee contains from 1 1/2 to 3 grains of caffeine—a poisonous drug.

In these days of liberal education the average parent is becoming informed concerning the baneful effects of tea and coffee drinking, not only on the youth, but on those further along in life.

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The Clue of the Five Yellow Hairs.

HOW AN EXPERT CRIMINOLOGIST BROUGHT A MURDERER TO BOOK WITH THE AID OF SOME HAIRS FROM A MOUSTACHE, AND THE KNOWLEDGE THAT A SUICIDE NEVER SHOOTS HIMSELF THROUGH THE EYE.

(By JOHN LAWRENCE.)

"Good-night, Conrad!" "Cheer up, Conrad!" "Never mind the old man, he'll change his mind to-morrow!" The scene was one night in June, 1911, outside one of the big hotels in Berlin, not far from the Unter den Linden, Berlin's most famous street. A dozen convivial spirits, dressed in uniform, were parting from one of their number, who, a few minutes later, had disappeared into the hotel and, after a last drink, was heard by the hotel servants to slam his bedroom door behind him.

He was Lieutenant Conrad von Herrlichhausen. But though he had entered his bedroom, it was not to sleep. Feverishly he paced up and down, muttering to himself: "The miserable old psalm-singer! Why shouldn't I talk to a pretty girl if I like? Everybody else does! The old sinner did so a thousand times before Heinrich got round him. I'll swear!"

A Drinker and a Flirt.

A little explanation of Lieut. Conrad's anger is necessary. He and his cousin Heinrich were the nephews of Count Herrlichhausen, a wealthy member of German aristocracy. Heinrich, the Count's favorite nephew, was steady-going, straightforward, and helped his uncle in the management of his estates. He was looked upon as the Count's successor.

Lieut. Conrad, though the heir to the title, was just the opposite of his cousin. Nothing delighted him more than drinking bouts, or flirting in cafes with a certain class of women of expensive tastes and little morals. That evening the Count had entered the same cafe as his nephew and found the Lieutenant with one of these women on his knees, uproariously toasting her and her companions. Then and there there had been a violent row.

"From this moment," shouted the enraged Count, as he left the cafe, "you are no longer my heir. I will disinherit you to-night!"

That was why Lieut. Conrad was in a bad temper. He knew only too well that his uncle would keep his word. For over a couple of hours he paced up and down the room. At last a grim smile broke over his face. Rapidly he took off his gorgeous uniform and slipped on muffs.

A moment later he had crept cautiously out of his bedroom, and had disappeared down one of the dark passages of the hotel.

"My Master's Been Murdered!"

No one saw him leave the hotel, no one saw him as he hurried along in the direction of the Unter den Linden. Next morning a terrified servant rushed out of the Count, Herrlichhausen's house and cried to a passing policeman:

"My master's been murdered! My master's been murdered!" Immediately the Chief of the Police was communicated with, and he discovered that not only had the Count been murdered—he had been strangled—but that the Count's nephew Heinrich had been found shot in an adjoining room.

He elicited the following facts: On the previous night Heinrich and his uncle had quarrelled violently. They had been overheard talking excitedly about the Count's will, the contents of which Heinrich had declared were unjust. He had left his uncle's room apparently in an uncontrollable rage.

The Chief of the Police read the will, which was found in the Count's bureau, and to the surprise of everyone it only left ten thousand marks to Heinrich, while the dissolute nephew, Lieut. Conrad, came into possession of the whole of the Count's remaining property.

"There is no doubt," reflected the Chief of the Police, "that Heinrich had discovered the meagre amount left him, and in a moment of passion had strangled his uncle. He was afterwards stricken with remorse and shot himself!"

To make quite sure of his theory he called in Dr. Gross, the famous German criminologist.

First of all, Dr. Gross examined the body of Count Herrlichhausen. The hands were clenched tightly and on the throat were a number of tiny indentations. In each of these small marks the skin had been broken.

The detective forced open the dead man's fingers. Clenched in the left hand were five short yellow hairs. These he carefully placed in a piece of paper.

Inch by inch he examined the room, the carpet, the door, the windows, and the bed itself. Then he went into the room where Heinrich lay and searched it as he had done the other. The Count's nephew, a man of about thirty, was lying on the bed partly dressed. In his right hand he still held a pistol, one chamber of which had been fired. He was shot clean through the right eye.

He Plucked Five Yellow Hairs. Heinrich had a yellow moustache and beard. Dr. Gross plucked five yellow hairs from the dead man's beard and compared them under the microscope with the five found in the Count's hand.

"The hairs on the paper," he said, turning to the Chief of the Police, "did not come from Heinrich's moustache, or beard, though they are of the same color."

"But—" began the official. "Tell me," interrupted Dr. Gross, "what is the Count's nephew Conrad like? Has he a yellow moustache?" "Yes," replied the Chief of the Police; "but it was impossible for him to have murdered the Count. He was seen to go into his hotel at eleven last night, and came down to breakfast at his usual time. He is waiting downstairs if you wish to see him, but it is impossible."

"Nothing is impossible," said Dr. Gross. "This is what happened last night: Both Heinrich and the Count were murdered! Whoever committed



What do You Know about Us?

We are countless little brothers and we live in companies of 5 and 10 in little red houses. First of all we were only leaves; we were grown way down in "Ole Virginny," picked, cured and packed there, sent a long voyage to your country and here we were dressed in little white dresses and made into cigarettes.

We are sweet, cool and pleasing to smoke; we're sold everywhere at 5 and 10 cents a packet, and we have one coupon in every packet of 5 and two in every packet of 10. Our coupons can be exchanged for valuable Premiums—Why don't you try us? Buy a packet of 10 for 10 cents with two coupons—You'll like us SURE!

Imperial Tobacco Co., (Nfld.) Ltd.

The Cave of Gloom.



James Bonehead runs the ginseeng store. His brow with gloom is clouded o'er. He used to have a decent trade, but now it's fallen and decayed. He blames his troubles on "his clerks." They are a set of life shirks," he often says, "and that's no dream; not one of them has any steam. When I go up into other stores and see the clerks skulking around the floors, with vim in every move-

Household Notes

Thoroughness is what counts in sweeping. If a chimney catches fire, throw salt on the fire. Never keep endive in water—it will become bitter. Lace should be ironed while damp, with mullin over it. Iron holders should be round instead of square shaped. The young leaves of Swiss chard are excellent as a salad. If you cannot have both salad and sweet at a meal, omit the sweet.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

the murders entered the house by that window, first of all shot the nephew, and then entered the next room and murdered the uncle."

"I can't understand why you should think Heinrich was murdered. It seems to me a plain case of suicide," interrupted the other.

Why It Was Not Suicide. "For several reasons," replied the detective. "The first thing which made me suspicious was that he was shot through the eye. Now, suicides have a horror of damaging their eyes in any way. In fact, I do not know of a single case of suicide, whether the man was insane or not, where the victim had shot himself through the eye."

"Now, the bullet had gone clean through Heinrich's right eye. That told me either it was a unique case of suicide or it was murder."

"But when I examined the way he was holding the revolver I knew it was murder. When a man shoots himself, the sudden shock to his nerves makes him grip the revolver extremely tightly. This grip cannot be imitated, however quickly the weapon is placed in a man's hand after death. The dead man, though gripping the weapon in his hand, was holding it comparatively loosely. If he had shot himself, I should have had considerable difficulty in releasing his hold."

"The man who carried out the murders has a yellow beard and particularly long finger nails. You can see that by the way the skin has been torn in the dead man's throat. We can soon test whether it is Conrad or not. Have him brought in!"

"The Lieutenant came into the room between two police officers. "Hold out your hands!" said Dr. Gross, sharply.

Eagerly the Chief of the Police bent forward. The nails on the Lieutenant's fingers were much longer than usual, and each one had been fashioned to a sharp point!

Dr. Gross led the Lieutenant, who made a vain effort to hide his trembling anxiety, over to the bed, and taking hold of one of his hands, placed it on the dead man's throat. The fingers exactly filled the indentations the detective had pointed out to the Chief of the Police!

"But what is the motive?" cried the latter. "The Count has left everything practically to this man, so why should he murder his uncle?"

"That we shall see," said the detective, taking the Count's will out of the bureau. It was very short, and part of it read:

It is my wish that my nephew HEINRICH shall receive from my estate the sum of ten thousand marks, and that my beloved nephew CONRAD shall receive all the balance of the real and personal property which I possess after the sum of ten thousand marks is paid. The will was signed and properly witnessed.

where the words Heinrich and Conrad were written turned a violet blue, while the rest of the paper was coloured brown by the iodine!

The Motive. "Ah!" cried Dr. Gross, triumphantly. "There you have the motive! Heinrich and Conrad in the original will have been rubbed out and interchanged. The ink used to write the will is what is known as iron galle ink. This ink always soaks well into the paper. Even when apparently erased, what was originally written can be detected."

"How?" asked the Chief of the Police. "By means of sulphide of ammonia."

After he spoke he rapidly washed the names Heinrich and Conrad out with warm water, dried the paper, and then moistened the blank space with the ammonia.

Faintly, but clearly, the name of Heinrich appeared where Conrad had been, and Conrad where Heinrich had! The will read now:

It is my wish that my nephew CONRAD shall receive from my estate the sum of ten thousand marks, and that my beloved nephew HEINRICH shall receive all the balance of the real and personal property which I possess after the sum of ten thousand marks is paid.

"There's the motive," said Dr. Gross. "Lieutenant Conrad, knowing his uncle had disinherited him, left his hotel secretly in the night, shot his cousin and strangled his uncle, altered the names in the will, and went back to his hotel in time for breakfast."

Almost before he had finished speaking the Lieutenant was kneeling on the floor at his feet. "Yes! Yes!" he cried. "I murdered them both. They robbed me of my birthright."

Before he could say more he was led away by the two policemen.

Healthy and Unhealthy Lighting.

Gas, it may be said, vitiates the atmosphere. True. But it also helps to purify it. Its purifying power is greater than its vitiating power. Electricity does not vitiate, nor does it purify. Hear what three eminent men have said:—

Much evidence has lately been adduced to show that gas is more useful than the electric light in promoting efficient ventilation of air. It is for this amongst other reasons, that gas is being frequently substituted for the electric light. The latest example is, perhaps, the Society of Medical Officers of Health, which has recently installed gas on its premises, after experience with the electric light.—Dr. Jamieson B. Hurry.

Editor Let Cat Out

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Not Afraid of In- On the motion of this afternoon the Le- bly unanimously agreed safe-conduct under c- to the Burns detecti- might come to Queb- dence before the spe- which are conducting ing of the charges against Messrs. Bera- Mousseau.

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Thick, Glossy all Dandruff

Girls! Try It! Hair G- and luxuriant at o- falling hair.

If you care for be- glitens with beauty with life; has an inc- ness and is fluffy a- Danderine. Just one applicati- beauty of your hair, diately dissolves eve- dandruff; you can heavy, healthy hair- dandruff. This de- robs the hair of its lu- and its very life, and it produces a feverish- of the scalp; the ha- loosen and die; then- fast. If your hair has be- thin, faded, dry, e- only, get a 25 cent o- ton's Danderine at ap- toilet counter; apply- ed and ten minutes a- this was the best inv- made. We sincerely belie- everything else adv- desire lots of it— hair—you must u- Danderine. If even- new?

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Will be open WEDNESDAY all day.

Editor Let the Cat Out of Bag.

Beck Says D. Lorne McGibbon Fianced the Whole Investigation by Burns Detectives.

Quebec, Jan. 30.—For over two hours this morning Edward Beck, former president of the Montreal Herald Publishing Company, and editor-in-chief of the Montreal Herald, unfolded to the members of the special investigation committee of the Legislative Assembly how detectives from the Burns' agency came to be employed to uncover corruption in the Legislature.

The journalist told of how he had overheard through the dictaphone a twenty minute conversation between J. O. Mousseau, ex-chairman of the private bills committee in the office of Mr. Sampson, in the Duluth building, Montreal, and with J. L. Perron, chief counsel, and A. E. Roberts, president of the Montreal Tramways Company, who are members of the investigation committee listening, declared that the sleuths had been employed to frustrate tramways and other legislation which it had been reported would be presented.

The proceedings were sensational in their interest, and were marked by occasional clashes between Mr. Marchal, counsel for Messrs. MacNab and Nichols, and Mr. Perron.

McGibbon's Guarantee.

At the commencement of the session, Mr. Marchal explained that owing to indisposition of Mr. MacNab was unable to appear before the committee as ordered. The lawyer wanted a postponement of the sitting, as he explained they would not send word to their witnesses in New York to come to Quebec until the question of safe conduct had been disposed of.

One of the interesting facts disclosed by Mr. Beck was that the financial costs of the whole investigation carried on both in Quebec and Montreal had been guaranteed by D. Lorne McGibbon, former owner of the Montreal Herald, who on being approached by Mr. Beck told him that such investigation was to be in the public interest and if he, Mr. McGibbon, was kept out of it, witness could go ahead and take what steps he liked to investigate.

Not Afraid of Investigation.

On the motion of Premier Gouin this afternoon the Legislative Assembly unanimously agreed to grant a safe-conduct under certain conditions to the Burns detectives so that they might come to Quebec and give evidence before the special committees which are conducting the investigation of the charges of corruption against Messrs. Berard, Bergevin and Mousseau.

In presenting his motion Sir Lomer said that he had presented it so no one could say the Province of Quebec had been afraid to face the charges which had been made against members of its Legislature.

Interviewed later on, Mr. Nichols said that the detectives would in all probability be here to testify on Monday.

Thick, Glossy Hair, all Dandruff Gone

Girls! Try it! Hair Gets so soft, fluffy and luxuriant at once—No more falling hair.

If you care for heavy hair, that silken with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Dandertine.

Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scrub robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots tamish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Dandertine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire lots of it—no dandruff—no hair—you must use Knowlton's Dandertine. If eventually—why not now?

If We Knew.

Could we but draw back the curtains That surround each other's lives, See their naked heart and spirit, Know what spur the action gives Often we should find it better, Purer than we judge we should— We should love each other better, If we only understood.

We can judge all deeds by motives. See the good and bad within. Often we should love the sinner, All the while we loathe the sin. Could we know the powers working To overthrow integrity, We should judge each other's errors With more patient charity.

If we knew the care and trials, Knew the effort all in vain, And the bitter disappointment, Under the loss and gain; Would the grim external roughness Seem, I wonder, just the same? Would we help where now we hinder? Would we pity where we blame?

Ah, we judge each other harshly, Knowing not life's hidden force; Knowing not the fount of action Is less turbid at its source; Seeing not amid the evil All the golden grains of good, Oh, we'd love each other better, If we only understood.

Mother! If Child's Tongue Is Coated

If cross, feverish, constipated, bilious, stomach sour, give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative to-day saves a sick child to-morrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Don't be fooled!

Hard Times.

By GEORGE FITCH, Author of "At Good Old Sivasht."

Hard times are regular visitors in every country—the kind of visitors who outwear their welcome before they have rung the door bell.

Hard times may be caused by bad crops, or decayed industries, or war, or a government which is solid timber above the collar. Hard times may also be a species of sobering up. After a country has become so prosperous that people spend billions of dollars for stocks and bonds printed by emulators and backed by rainbows and east wind, hard times usually come along as a sort of financial brunoise.

The United States has had times about once every twenty years, this being the only precedent followed with any devotion in this country. No one knows why we have had hard times except perhaps a few great financiers, who will not tell for fear the grand jury might find out. Of late, we have had hard times for the same reason that an audience gets up at the cry of "fire" and tries to pass unanimously through a small door at the same moment. We have had hard times because one pessimist whispers, another wags his head, a third sighs heavily, a fourth declares that he will curtail his production next year, a fifth says it is a shame for the party in power, which isn't his, to plunge the country into such woe, a sixth calls attention to such large headlines to the fact that railroads are laying off men, and a seventh tells all comers that his bank cannot lend any more money and will sit henceforth on what it has like a devoted Plymouth Rock hen trying to hatch chickens out of door knobs.

Soon after this, hard times arrives with baggage for an extensive stay, and the bread line becomes almost as long as the line in front of the theatre when the ex-mistress of an ex-king is billed to exhibit.

Last year the crops of this country

Household Notes.

Tack a piece of cork to the short leg of a table or chair that is uneven. Leather furniture may be washed carefully with water and a little soap. A dash of peanut butter in salad dressing gives an agreeable nutty flavour. Breakfast eggs may be baked in ramekins. The yolks should not be broken. Cheesecloth is excellent for dusters because it may be washed frequently. It is said that the best iron-stand is a brick—it keeps the heat from radiating. Save the cold rice and make griddle cakes of it. They make an agreeable variation. Soak new lamp wicks in vinegar before using, and they will not smel when turned low. Never put an entire carpet on a living room floor. Have rugs which can be taken up. To clean white enameled furniture, rub with a cloth dipped in water and baking soda. It is said that ink mixed with the white of an egg will freshen black kid gloves satisfactorily. Fly-specked mirrors should be washed in cold water and polished with chamolis, dipped in alcohol. Paper dish cloths are now in the market, and it is said that they will last a month, and do not absorb. To clean velvet, use a rag dipped in paraffin and rub the pile briskly, then rub with a piece of dry flannel. If spots of paint are dropped on window glass, a little hot vinegar will remove them. Do not scrape the glass. When washing valuable china or glass, put a folded towel in the bottom of the pan. It will save chipping. Keep jars of peanut butter turned upside down, and you will not be annoyed by part of the butter becoming dry. Stains on brown boots may be removed by rubbing with a piece of lemon and polishing with brown polish. A spout strainer is a very handy thing, and if it has a tiny basin attached to catch the drip, it is doubly valuable. Afternoon tea may be varied by using for the tea fruit lozenges, or orange flower water or lemon instead of cream. For a good fruit salad, serve white grapes, pineapple, cut oranges and grapefruit in a sherbet glass with French dressing. Baked codfish is a trifle more savory if it is dressed with melted butter and sliced hard boiled eggs with the thinnest dash of mustard. A delicate white lining for a muff can be slipped in whenever white gloves are worn, and will be found a great saving for the gloves.

STOP COUGHING.

It's quite as foolish as it is annoying to keep on coughing since PHORATONE COUGH MIXTURE is sold all over Newfoundland and is guaranteed to soothe and heal the irritated parts at once, and to rapidly destroy the very cause of this aggravating nuisance. Hundreds of persons are complaining every day about the cough or cold they have had for a long time, and are not able to get rid of it. Don't let a cough or cold hang on you day after day and run the risk of catching and developing the "cough" that is not easy to throw off. You will avoid all this worry (about the cough or cold you have) by obtaining PHORATONE COUGH MIXTURE at once. Price 25 cents a bottle, postage 1 cent extra. Prepared only by DR. F. STAFFORD & SON, St. John's, Nfld. (Manufacturers also of Stafford's Ointment and Prescription "A.")

Circulated News of the Advantages of the Dominions

Washington, Jan. 29.—How Canada has paid the Western Newspaper Union \$42,000 a year for the last 12 years to circulate reading matter about the Dominion through the medium of "patent insides" which the union furnishes to newspapers, was told to the Senate lobby committee to-day by George A. Joslin of Omaha, president of the union, and Alfred Washington, its advertising manager.

Joslin testified that the matter so circulated was marked "advertisement" and was designed to induce Americans to immigrate to Canada. Washington testified under cross-examination that he did not think it unpatriotic nor disloyal to his country to circulate such matter. Canada's interior department, he said, paid the western newspaper union one dollar a column for all such material the newspaper used.

W. J. White, Canadian official in charge of immigration agencies in the United States, appeared voluntarily to say the Dominion government spent \$70,000 a year advertising in the United States for immigrants. He added that he did not disparage the United States in the advertising he handled.

Is Your Name On Our List?

If it is not we urge you to hurry in a request that it be added at once—provided, of course, that you would be interested in receiving our investment literature as issued from time to time. This obligates you to nothing and will be of undoubted value to you.

Our present concern is to have immediately the names of ALL investors, present or prospective, who would like a copy of our February "Investment Offerings," which is now ready.

Since surplus copies are limited and the demand will be large we suggest that you write now—right now.

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For the Children's Use.

"Can you," I said to my Druggist, "suggest anything for irritable skin in children. Mine are very prone to skin irritation in winter. A new woolen garment, a slight chafe, exposure to cold winds, and they are in trouble at once. Is there anything to relieve it?"

He handed me a cake of soap, saying: "You will find in this what you need. This is Zylex Soap, and is really first rate for the purpose. Try it."

I did so with most satisfactory results too. Zylex Soap (as well as the Ointment which I always keep on hand) has proven its value to me. Zylex Soap is 25c. a cake; the Ointment, 50c. a box. At all druggists. jan28, eod, ff

The Mexican Chanty.

(From the London Advertiser.)

Ten Mexican statesmen were having a good time, Diaz cleared out and then there were nine.

Nine little Mexicans monkeying with fate, Madero got murdered and then there were eight.

Eight little Mexicans scowling under heaven, Huerta killed another and then there were seven.

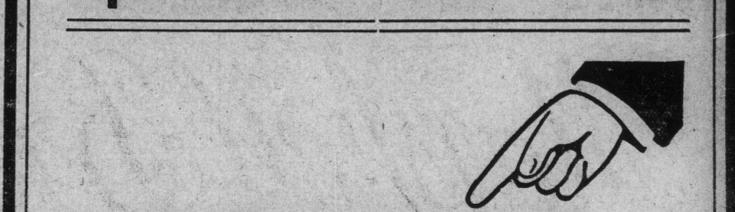
Seven under Huerta doing dirty tricks, he put a knife in one of them, then there were six.

Six little devils, murder, rape and rive, one other got his and then there were five.

Five little Mexicans, Villa, and four more, Uncle Sam scared one and then there were four.

And so on to the happy ending. The Kilkenny cats wouldn't be in it with the last duel when it comes, and the two Mexicans left make one by elimination of the less fit.

Special for This Week



Ladies' Fleece Lined Underwear, Extra Heavy Weight.

Price: **55 cents** per garment. Former Price, 75c. per garment.

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The Crescent Picture Palace.

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2 Reels. **THE SMUGGLER'S DAUGHTER** 2 Reels.

A big feature of interest.

PROFESSIONAL JEALOUSY—A clever burlesque.
FIRST AID FLIRTATION—A lively comedy.
MR. DAVID PARKS sings the latest illustrated hit, "The story I read in your eyes."

Look up the Crescent for enjoyment, comfort and safety. Usual sessions and prices.

Treating Cancer by Radium

Paris, Jan. 30.—The treatment of cancer by means of radium is receiving much attention here and is receiving much support. One of the first results of the movement has been an increase in the price of radium.

"What reliance is to be placed in the radium treatment?" is the question your correspondent put to Prof. Pierre Delbet, the eminent surgeon, who at the last meeting of the French association formed to discover a cure for cancer, read a paper summarizing the results of his observations in the treatment of radium in sixty cases. This is what he replied:

"Radium exercises an action upon cancerous cells, but its range, limited to that of a tube containing five centigrams, does not exceed three centimetres. It is not yet known in what proportion the range increases with the quantity of radium employed, but whatever may be its effective range of action, radium thereby is only a local treatment, and a local treatment cannot be the real therapeutics in cancer.

"Radium does not effect the extension of cancer, as, for example, the adenomas, which are extirpated when a surgical operation is performed.

"Its action is more localized than that of a judiciously directed ablation, and except in certain cases on the surface of the skin it would be a mistake to delay the operation, where an operation is possible, in order to try the effect of radium.

"Radium treatment is the best palliative treatment we know, but it is only a palliative treatment.

"One must be suspicious of the reports of 'cures' published with undue haste. I could have reported as 'cured' several cases of cancer, but in every instance the neoplasm resumed its evolution later.

"Statistics of the results of radium therapeutics are valueless unless the patients have been kept under observation at least two and a half years.

"Radium modifies certain inoperable tumors in such a way as to render them operable, but it is not yet known whether an ablation upon such tumors renders lasting service.

"I think radium may probably be usefully employed in the course of an operation. If placed where a reappearance of the cancer is most likely, it might possibly prevent a reappearance."

PURITY BUTTER!

By Rail to-day, Jan. 26th, 10 boxes 2-lb. Prints; 20 10-lb. Tubs.

By s.s. Stephano:

BANANAS.	By rail to-day, Jan. 27th:
CALIFORNIA ORANGES.	50 Dressed Turkeys.
TANGERINES.	50 Dressed Ducks.
WINE SAPP APPLES.	10 cases Ply. Rock Chicken.
CAULIFLOWERS.	10 brls. FRESH RABBITS.
CELERY.	10 cases SELECTED EGGS
CHICKEN, N. Y.	762 lbs. FRESH HALIBUT
OYSTERS.	200 lbs. COD TONGUES.
FINNAN HADDIES.	200 lbs. FRESH FISH.
Fresh Supply	
MOIR'S CALVES and CHOCOLATES.	

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151 Duckworth Street, 112 Military Road.

THE LEOPARD
cannot change his spots, but the removal of spots and blemishes from clothes is assured if **SUNLIGHT SOAP** is used. As the **LEOPARD'S** eyes gleam in the darkness of the night, so clothes washed with

Sunlight Soap

gleam white and pure in the brilliant light of day. Unlike the Leopard's jaws, which are formed to destroy, **SUNLIGHT SOAP** is created to preserve. It preserves your clothes and household linen and makes them last longer. **SUNLIGHT SOAP** is guaranteed pure, and will not injure the finest fabric.

BUY IT.



Bob Fitzsimmons Still Middle-weight.

"And if I Don't Stop any Wife 'Ope in Four Rounds I won't Awsk You to Let Me Fight," "Battling Bob" Told New York Boxing Commission When Refused Permission to Again Enter Square Circle.

Bob Fitzsimmons, "Battling Bob" of the '90's is still the world's champion middleweight pugilist.

The New York State Boxing Commission says so, and what the N.Y.S. B.C. says about pugilism seems to amount to something, not only in New York, but in other places.

Fitzsimmons was middleweight and heavyweight champion at the same time and never lost the former title.

Now, at 51, heroic "Battling Bob" wants to fight. "I'm not quite so good as I was, but if I couldn't dispose of these white hopes I've seen I'd be ashamed of myself. They're getting money by false pretences."

Until a few weeks ago Fitzsimmons was content to rest on his well-earned laurels, but when he saw Jim Flynn and Jim Coffey "flounder" through ten rounds like a pair of half-trained sea lions he jumped into the ring and, after stilling the tumult of cheers, said:

"After watching the exhibition here to-night, I feel it my duty to re-enter the ring and dispose of some of these so-called 'white hoppers.'"

Next day Bob was signed by one of the Gotham fight clubs to meet an unknown "hope" on January 6. Fitz, weighing about 200, began training.

Then the N. Y. S. B. C. applied the brakes and barred the veteran. Fitz pleaded in person, but the commission was obdurate. They told "Bobby" he was of a vintage of rare.

"I'll fight any of them in private and if I don't put him away in four rounds I won't ask to box in public," Bob offered, but the commission was deaf.

It was said the commission handed Bob in the shape of a declaration that he was still middleweight champion. They might have added he would die champion, as they won't let him box.

"A lot of good the title I won from Jack Dempsey does me when I can't follow my line of business to make a living," said Fitzsimmons lugubriously.

Fitzsimmons hopes he will not be barred in other states. He says he only wants a "chawnee" to prove that at 51 he is several hundred per cent. better than some of the jakes now collecting the money.

And, at that, it isn't difficult to visualize Carl Morris, Polkey, Jesse Willard, Jim Flynn and a few more of the punk crop, standing bewildered before the foxy Fitzsimmons executing one of his famous shifts.

Arthur Walker, 27 Charlton Street (off Springdale St.), Groceries and Provisions, School Supplies and Stationery, Fruits, Nuts, Candy and Soft Drinks, Stationery, Valentines, Cakes & Pies, useful household novelties, Daily Papers, Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, Thread, Laces, Perfume, Liniment, Needle Packages, Mending Tissue Wax Pads, Picture Post Cards, Postage Stamps, etc. Autoharps and Zithers tuned and re-stringed. Special prices on Columbia Zithers for February only. Easy to play. Free instructions.—j6,w,f,s,tf

Lord Kitchener's Power.

In Egypt Lord Kitchener exercises unfettered power, and so is wholly unconcerned about the views of the Imperial Government, for, unless they coincide with his own, he simply would not carry them out.

Lord Kitchener understands that the Egyptian native is impressed by pomp and trappings, and so he always drives in an open victoria, preceded by running horses (grooms), in gorgeous liveries and accompanied by outriders. His lavishness with Government money, it is said, is only equalled by his frugality with his own. Kitchener does the whole work of the Egyptian Government himself, and ignores the Khedive's existence. He works 15 hours a day and rarely, if ever, accepts social engagements.

He is a terror to his subordinates, judging them solely by results, without fear or favor. He gives only the curtest acknowledgment when they do well and is severe when they fail.

To Try Suit Against Senator.

\$50,000 Suit Filed by Oklahoma Woman Against United States Senator to be Called Next Week.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 28.—When the District Court of Oklahoma County convened for the February term next week, one of the first cases that will be brought up for trial according to present expectations, will be the \$50,000 suit filed by Mrs. Julien R. Bond, of this city, against United States Senator Thomas P. Gore, Oklahoma's "blind man eloquent." Both sides in the case hint that the trial will develop some sensational features that were not brought to light when the charges against Senator Gore were aired in Washington a year or more ago.

Mrs. Bond, the plaintiff, is thirty-one years old, and is the wife of Julien R. Bond, of this city. She is of medium size, and rather striking appearance. Her first husband was a dentist, whom she married at 19 while he still had another wife. After her first marriage had been annulled she became a teacher of shorthand and was thus employed when she met and married Bond.

In her suit against Senator Gore the woman asks \$50,000 for alleged damages to her reputation following alleged advances made to her in Washington when she called to see the Senator in the interests of her husband's candidacy for the position of internal revenue collector.

Mrs. Bond said that when she first saw Senator Gore in his private office he seized hold of one of her hands and her mesh-bag, and that when he seized hold of one of her feet, as she sat talking to him she thought it time to go. He told her to see him again, she said. The second time they met in a room at her hotel she said. At that time he attempted to seize hold of her as she sat on the bed, she testified, and that when her glasses had been broken in trying to avoid him she called for help and left in company with men who came to her assistance.

Friends of Mr. Gore have not hesitated from the start to declare their belief that the whole affair as described by the woman in her testimony in Washington, was a "plant" framed up by the political enemies of the blind senator to ruin his public career. Others ascribe the woman's action to a desire for revenge upon Senator Gore because he did not secure for her husband the political appointment he sought.

In view of the fact that Senator Gore is now a candidate for re-election the approaching trial and its outcome are awaited with keen interest in political circles in Oklahoma. Many persons well known in Oklahoma political circles are involved in the case. James Jacobs, formerly chairman of the Democratic central committee of Oklahoma, and who has been prominent in politics for more than twenty years, is one of the chief witnesses against Senator Gore. Another is Kirby Fitzpatrick, land title attorney to the State board of public land commissioner and a brother of the late Congressman Fitzpatrick of Tennessee.

The Lace Veil a Spring Necessity.

The lace veil must not be overlooked for Spring. It is a natural accompaniment of the lace-trimmed hat, and the trend in lace influences the fashion in veils. It therefore goes without saying the newest veils is the Chantilly, since Chantilly lace is and has been the favorite for hat trimming for some time.

The Chantilly veil is most becoming in the new range of colors, among the smartest of which is "dead leaf" brown, a color which is, by the way, very strong this season in all dress and hat accessories. Taupe, while no longer a novelty, is still excellent for veiling and is selling well for early Spring trade. One of the newest meshes is illustrated. It will be observed that while the net is figured, it has none of the absurd designs which disfigure rather than beautify the wearer, but has a well designed border and a small unobtrusive design at intervals over its entire surface.

Shadow lace veils will continue strong, particularly in colors to harmonize with the costume, and of course the well dressed woman who is wearing a lace or lace-trimmed hat will be sure to see that her veil will harmonize the only in color, but in texture with the lace on her hat.

The present style of hat is greatly improved by the addition of a smart veil, and the new colored veils are so much more becoming than black ones that it is obvious that veils will play an important part in the fashions of Spring.—The Illustrated Milliner, New York.

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M.G.B. Notes

The Guards held a very successful parade on Monday night, over a command of Major Hutchings.

For the winter months drill will be continued on Monday nights in the Highlanders' Armory when every member is expected to attend.

Work on the new Armory will be started in the early spring, and the Brigade is hoping to be in a house of its own before the fall.

The boys are already looking forward to the annual indoor sports which will take place early in April.

A concert and social will be held on the 18th inst. in the Meth. College Hall, and a good time is expected for all who attend.

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BOVRIL served hot at P. J. RAYNES', 112 New Gower St. Jan 24, 14

Telegraph Cable Interrupted

The Postal Telegraph cable to Portugal Cove was interrupted yesterday. Two officials of the department left for the Cove yesterday afternoon to investigate and returned again last night. The damage was caused by the recent storm and a staff of repairers will go over today to adjust the broken cable.

Here and There.

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TWO ARRESTS.—Two arrests in connection were made last night. The offenders were up before court today.

Mr. W. E. Ladley, Superintendent of motor power with the Reid M. Co., left by last evening's express for the West Coast.

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RAILWAY LINE CLEAR.—The railway line from here to Port au Prince is now entirely free from snow and the trains are all making schedule time.

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NO INFECTIOUS DISEASE.—So cases of infectious disease within the city limits, was reported to the Health authorities during the past three days.

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EUPHRATES SAILED AT DAYLIGHT.—The S. S. Euphrates sailed for Bell Island and other points in Conception Bay at daylight this morning. She carried a full freight.

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CLYDE SAILS FOR WEST.—The s.s. Clyde which was detained at Trepassay since Friday morning last reached Placentia at 2 p.m. yesterday, and sailed west on the Argyle route early this morning. Several passengers who had been waiting at Placentia for over a week went by her.

MR. P. BUTLER wishes to thank his friends, customers, and the public generally for their patronage during the past year, and also to inform them that his Restaurant, 318 Water Street, will open for business on Saturday, Feb. 7th. Prompt attention given to diners and special orders. Dining Rooms open from 7.30 a.m. until 12 p.m.—Feb 3, 14

PROSPERO ORDERED RACE.—Owing to the presence of ice in Placentia on Monday, the s.s. Prospero was obliged to pass by without entering. Through an arrangement made with the coast authorities several passengers who were at Placentia waiting for her, the ship was ordered back from Marystown yesterday morning.

MR. P. BUTLER, who conducted the well-frequented Restaurant, 318 Water Street, has removed to 318 North Side of Water Street, opposite A. Goodridge & Son, and next door to P. J. Raynes'. The building has been thoroughly renovated and newly-furnished; separate dining rooms, everything for the convenience of customers; waiting room for two hundred guests; use of piano during meal hours. Saturday, Feb. 7th, will be opening day. Diners served from 12:15 to 1:15. Prompt attention to special orders.—Feb 3, 14

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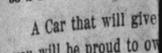
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Provision Against Unemployment.

BLACK WINTER FOR GERMANY.

"From all parts of the empire come reports of large cities and local government bodies beginning to make provision against unemployment in the coming winter," says the Chronicle.

"In Berlin a strong committee dealing with the subject has a ready made arrangements for building works, drainage, etc., and also for the more perfect working of labour exchanges. Similar steps are being taken in:

Frankfurt Munich,
Breslau Leipzig,
Cologne Dresden.

"It seems to be the universal opinion that the trade boom of the past five years is at an end and the lean years are not inevitable.

"Germany spends 50 millions sterling every year on its poor. Instead of decreasing this expenditure increases year by year. But close to one's hand are the means of giving ample employment. There are thousands of square miles of waste lands and moors in Germany only waiting the labour of men's hands to render them fruitful.

WHAT 40 UNEMPLOYED HAVE DONE.

"One example is given where 40 unemployed, Berliners have done wonders with a tract of land placed at their disposal by the State. They have cleared six acres of wood, and out of the thousands of trees cut down have manufactured simple furniture and fencing. The German Agricultural Society have given them manure and with this they have turned 20 acres into good arable land. Other acres suitable for residence, they have planted with trees other again, with sandy soil, they have turned into asparagus beds. They have laid roads and simple railways on the land at the disposal. There can be no doubt as to the healthiness of the work, and it is in every sense reproductive.

Weddings at Sea.

Captain of Warship or Merchantman May Perform Ceremony.

Very few people are aware of the power vested in the commanding officer of a British man-of-war, or in the captain of a British merchantman, when on the high seas or in a foreign port, where there is no British representative, as regards marriage, providing one or both of the contracting parties be a British subject. The scope afforded either of the officers is such as might be turned to very good account by enterprising novelists.

The captains of His Majesty's vessels are authorized by the Foreign Marriage Act of 1892 to act as marriage registrars just the same as an ambassador, consul, or British resident abroad, and the ceremony may take place on the high seas or on board a British man-of-war on a "prescribed modifications." These indicate that the legality of the marriage depends on the commanding officer fulfilling the conditions of the Foreign Marriage Act, which, with very slight differences, conform to the conditions as to age, consent of parents, false oaths, residence, and so on applying to marriages in the United Kingdom.

Though no one can question a captain's authority to marry at sea or on board a vessel on a foreign station, if any of the provisions laid down are not fulfilled, a secretary of state has the power by means of a warrant to vary or annul the marriage performed under the Act.

Before this Act commanding officers of men-of-war and merchantmen celebrated marriages on board under an old Act and the marriage had to be confirmed on arrival at the nearest port by the British representative there. Where there was none, the captain himself had to act as consul and confirm his own deed.

In the merchant service the skipper has even greater. He is not obliged to give a certificate, the only compulsion on him being the necessity to "log" the marriage in his official log-book, where it may be seen entered between reports dealing with the vessel's victualling, her course, the weather encountered, the ships spoken to, and the many humdrum details of "writing up the log."—Weekly Telegraph.

Irish Ghost Stories.

House Built on Fairy Path All Broken To Pieces.

A Dublin correspondent sends an extraordinary dispatch in regard to a collection of ghost stories which the Rev. St. John D. Seymour, rector of Cappawhite, County Tipperary, has received. He is writing a book on physical phenomena and advertised for records of "experiences." The replies he received were more numerous than he had ever, even in his most hopeful moments, expected.

"I have received," he said, "more ghost stories than I could get into a single book." He went on to relate a specimen "fairy" story which he obtained from a man at Port Arlington, Queen's County:

"A man near here saved \$2,500 and built himself a house on a fairy path. During his first night in the house all the furniture—chairs, beds and crockery—moved as if on wires, and after an hour everything was broken, and the man himself was seriously hurt. Having spent his life's savings on the house, he determined to live in it. When he recovered from his injuries he again went to live in the house. He had a similar experience, and finally he had to leave."

A justice of the peace, G. H. Miller, of Edgeworthstown, County Longford, related the following experience:

"During the winter of 1877 I was riding a horse past the old ruins and burial ground of Abbeyshille, on a bright moonlight night. In the middle of the churchyard I saw what I took to be a policeman in a long overcoat. He walked toward me and suddenly disappeared. I could see no trace of him. Afterward I learned that it was not a policeman, but a monk, whose ghost appeared there so often that after dark people would go miles out of their way to avoid passing the churchyard."

A woman told the following unhappy story of a haunted castle in the South of Ireland:

"When we went to live in the castle we could hear people talking in every room, and in every hall and corridor, but no explanation could be found. Often and often we heard terrible fighting in the glen beside the castle, the hideous roar of angry voices and the clashing of steel. No person would go down the glen after dark."

"One night I was sitting talking with my governess when I heard a step coming upstairs slowly. I went out and met the figure of the landing. It was the figure of a woman. She walked past me, hurried to a window at the end of the landing, and with a shriek which I shall never forget, she fell heavily to the ground outside."

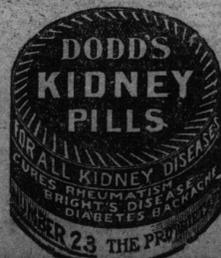
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It Is Lucky to Steal.

An extraordinary example of foolish superstition was disclosed recently in the case of a Hampshire farmer who was convicted of stealing turnips from a neighbour. He explained that he could easily afford to pay for them, and that, moreover, he had plenty of turnips of his own but he wanted stolen ones to make a concoction for a cow which had fallen sick, for he firmly believed that no other could be so efficacious.

A Staffordshire miner, too, was summoned for stealing a few broad beans from a garden. His excuse was that he wanted the pods to cure a corn which was troubling him. He believed that if the inner side of the pod was rubbed on the corn the latter would in a few days disappear. In this case, too, it was pointed out that the beans must be stolen ones, or they would be of no use. Examples might be multiplied from different parts of our own; but a similar belief also holds in Germany where practically every one buys a ticket for one or other of the State lotteries. Many of the uneducated peasants will tell you that they are sure of winning if the ticket they have bought with stolen money.

Most probably this idea of stealing things for luck originally arose from the natural desire of the criminal to find some excuse for his delinquencies.—Thomson's Weekly.



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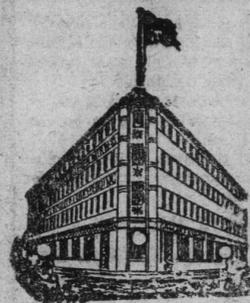
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