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CHAPTER XXXII.

"I have no excuse to make for what is past. My life has been a mistake, a lost one; and turn as I will, I can see no way of retrieving it. That is why I made the final plunge into certain infamy without thought of trying to save myself. It is strange, but my comfort, through all the agony I have endured, has been that you do not love me. I would give my life in lingering drops, for one moment of your love; but since that can never be, I am glad that you do not love me, and cannot suffer as you did."

"I have executed a paper making over all the Warnes estates to whomsoever shall be the rightful heir to the Basingwell property. You will find the document in a sealed envelope in the hands of your lawyers. I have taken nothing—shall take nothing with me but a diamond ring that was given to me with some Warnes money, and given to me when you loved me.

"I go with Lord Gree. Have no thought of dishonor to yourself. The infamy is all mine, the dishonor is all his. I scorn and loathe him as you do me, and it is for his punishment that I go with him.

"Lionel, I love you.

"Flora Vanemore, Lady Warnes."

When Harrison returned to his master he found him sitting as he had left him.

"The bath is ready, your lordship," he said.

"Harrison, Lady Basing—Lady Warnes has gone. She will not return. I will have a cup of coffee, and will take the ten o'clock train to London. I shall not return here again. I leave the castle in the hands of you and Mrs. Barlow. Do whatever your judgment dictates. The will of the new heir is declared. Get me the coffee. I will take my bath."

CHAPTER XXXIV.

There was plenty in the crowded hospital for the willing hands of the volunteer nurse to do, and they were willing, if not skilful. All night long she worked under direction of the silently hurrying doctors, and when dawn came she worked still. She saw the old corps of surgeons replaced by a new one, and the old corps of nurses replaced by a new one; but there was a need of all the nurses that could be had, and no one knew her except as she showed herself willing, and so she took her place among the day nurses as she had taken it among those of the night, unchallenged and gratefully welcome. Only one of the new surgeons, fresh from a night of rest, noticed that her hands, however willing, were not practiced, and he said, kindly:

"You have not had much experience?"

"No, I have just come; but I wish to be of service, and will do whatever you say."

He looked with admiration at her beautiful face, and cast a glance over her dress. He knew by her slight accent that she was English, and by every token, that she was a lady.

"Perhaps," he said, "it would be well to put you under the direction for a few days of a skilled nurse. There is a countrywoman of your own yonder," she followed the direction of his glance, and saw the sweetest, tenderest, most beautiful face she had ever looked on. "Shall I assign you to her?"

"Anything to be of most use. Thank you."

She was worn and tired, but she halted the fatigue of her charitable work with the fervor of one who would find forgetfulness. The surgeon looked up at a wounded soldier as they stood beside her.

"Sister Phyllis, here is a new volunteer; will you take her under your direction and instruct her? You will find her as apt as she is kind-hearted. I did not hear your name," he said, with a bow to Lady Warnes.

"Sister Flora," she answered.

The surgeon bowed, smiled and left them. He was too busy to remain with them, but he had time to say to himself that the two Englishwomen were nearer to literal angels of mercy than were often seen anywhere.

Sister Phyllis had acknowledged the introduction with a smile and a lighting up of her rare face, and when the surgeon had gone said in a low voice, which was without suspicion of whisper, but was soft and soothing to the ear:

"It is sad work, Sister Flora, but it seems a woman's work, and it is not long before one knows what to do. This man is dying, the surgeon says—Oh, no, poor fellow! he does not hear. There is nothing to do here, but watch him now and then. If he should recover consciousness he may have a message. Most of them have that. Here is a new case coming. There may be amputation or some other operation. Will you come and wait with me?"

The voice, the kindly words, the soulful eyes, and the sweet, honest way of Sister Phyllis won the other, and she followed her with a swelling heart. The thought that flashed into her mind was a wish that she had been like this fair creature, so that she would have been worthy and acted worthy of Lionel.

All that day, with growing weariness, she learned the art of nursing from Sister Phyllis, and perhaps she learned more, too, for it seemed as if the simple sweetness of the nurse shed its rays into the hearts of all she came in contact with. More than one soldier looked at her out of his dying agony and smiled as if his vision had been of an angel.

"You are very tired," said Sister Phyllis to her once.

"It does not matter," she had answered,

"Oh, yes, it does," Sister Phyllis had said, with her frank, sweet way. "You cannot do as well for the patients if you are not fresh."

"I had not thought of that," she answered. "I have not learned to be unwell yet."

"Ah, but you will," said Sister Phyllis. "Will you not lie down, or go home now? You really are not fit to remain. I saw your eyes shut while you stood waiting for me, a few minutes ago."

"Let me stay until it is time for you to go," she pleaded.

Sister Phyllis yielded, but when night came and brought the relief of the other corps of nurses she led her weary companion to the cloak room.

"I think I had better see you to your house," she said.

"Very well," said Flora, mechanically. Sister Phyllis looked anxiously at her.

"Have you no cross on your cloak?" asked Phyllis, as she saw Flora arrayed for the street.

"No. Should I have one?"

"You will be safer with it. There is no man in Paris who would say a wrong word to the wearer of the red cross. The men, and the women, too, would mob him if he did. But I shall be with you to-night, and you must sew a red cross on in the morning. But you must not come if you are not rested. Which way do you go?"

They were in the street now, and Sister Phyllis had stopped and looked up at her taller companion. Flora was too utterly weary to make any effort to deceive her companion, and moreover, there seemed something truth-compelling in the earnest brown eyes that were searching her face.

"I do not know. I have no home. I came to Paris last night."

A momentary flush and look of shrinking dismay passed over the face of Sister Phyllis, and the meaning of it was clear to the other. She drew herself up in superb stateliness, but she made no explanation. A sudden look of softness and pity came into the sweet face turned to her.

"If you will go home with me I shall be glad to share what I have with you."

"Heaven bless you for that!" sobbed Flora, the first tears wetting her cheek. "I am a wretched woman, and have done much harm, but you have no cause to shrink from me."

"It was shameful of me to think for an instant," said Sister Phyllis, slipping her little hand into that of the other. "Come! Where did you sleep last night, Sister Flora?"

"I was in the hospital."

"All night? Oh, my dear! No wonder you are weary. Come! It is not far."

"I shall not put you out? Your family?"

"My family," and Phyllis laughed softly, "thinks that everything I do is perfectly lovely. Carrie is all there is of my family, and she will love you on sight because you are so beautiful, and you will love her because you can't help it."

"Is she your sister?" asked Flora, marveling in a weary, mechanical way, at the child-like cheeriness of her companion, who had shown only the deeper and more womanly side of her nature in the hospital.

"Oh, no, not my real sister; but just the same. I don't believe a real sister could love me as much. She is a cripple; but, oh, ever so much better than she was. And such an artist! But that is a lost art just now. Nobody buys pictures. But she goes on painting just for the love of it. She will make even you smile," said Phyllis, naively, "she is so bright and cheery. She is a lesson to me all the time, with her contented spirit."

"I wouldn't have supposed you needed any such lesson," said Flora.

"Oh, yes, I do. I'm not contented. I'm ambitious, and I want many things I can't have, and know I never can," and a shade of seriousness crept into the mellow tone of her voice. "But here we are! Convi-

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"She utterly ignores poverty," laughed Phyllis. "You should hear her pretend that her brother is a marquise, and that she has a hopeless passion for an earl."

The laugh died out of her voice at her last words, as if that part of the jest were no jest at all. At the very top of the high building she came to a stop. She knocked gently at one of the doors.

"Is that you, Phyllis? Come in."

Phyllis opened the door, and said:

"I have company—a lady. May I bring her in?"

"Why, of course. Who is it? Anybody I know?"

The lamp was burning brightly in the room, and from the chair in which she sat, thus showing how much she had improved in health, the crippled girl could see them as they entered.

"No, it's nobody you know," answered Phyllis. "Sister Flora—I don't know your other name—this is Miss Carrie Braithwaite. Carrie, this young lady is a new nurse at the hospital, and I have asked her to come and share our quarters for—for a while, if you don't mind."

"I had no other home," said Flora, "and she asked me to come here. Was it right, Miss Carrie?"

"You are almost as beautiful as Phyllis," said Carrie, irrelevantly. "Will you kiss me, please? I can't walk very well, though I can a little."

"Why, Carrie!" exclaimed Phyllis, flushing.

"Well, I can walk a little," said Carrie.

"I didn't mean that."

"Thank you," said Carrie to Flora, who had stooped over and kissed her. "I want to be kissed by people I like. Pahaw! Phyllis, that was a compliment to Sister Flora, wasn't it?"

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War News

Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

FRENCH FORT CAPTURED BY GERMANS.

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SERIOUS!

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PARIS, Feb. 26. According to latest information our forces are still resisting from the positions in Beaumont district. Repeated attacks of the enemy are no longer reckoning his losses. The commander-in-chief has ordered advance positions, running from Cote du Taquin, held since last night, and used as an observation line. It has been brought back and established near the Meuse heights. It has been effected without any attack. Our artillery is an

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swinger shell for shell on both sides of the Meuse to the German bombardment.

In Artios mine fighting we have exploded two on the west of the Lille Road and another east of Neuville under a trench occupied by the enemy. In Champagne we have completely repulsed a German attack on a salient captured by us south of St. Marie Apy. The total number of prisoners is 340, of which 9 are officers and 36 sub-officers. Destructive fires on German works north of Villesur Tourbes and in the region of Mont Tetu. In the region north of Verdun the bombardment continues without a stop east and west of the Meuse. To the attacks from the enemy our troops answer by counter-attacks very vigorously made on the divers points assailed. All the new attempts by Germans in the Champagne region and on the Cote du Taquin, where we are solidly established, were repulsed.

Desperate fighting raged around Douaumont. The fort, which is an advanced element of ancient organization defending Verdun position, was captured this morning by the enemy, after several unsuccessful assaults, which cost him very heavy losses. The position was anew reached by our troops and even passed. All German attempts to drive us back again failed.

Northeast of St. Mihiel our heavy artillery bombarded the enemy's depots near Vigneulles. The Germans fired several big shells in the direction of Laneville and Nancy.

To-day in the Verdun region, Adjutant Navarre, on a monoplane, has brought down with his machine gun two German machines. This is the fifth German aeroplane brought down by that aviator. The enemy's machines fell in our lines. Two of the aviators were killed, two others were made prisoners. On the same day one of our aeroplanes, composed of 9 aeroplanes, threw 144 shells on Metz Sablon railway station. Another air squadron bombed the enemy's establishments of Chambley, N.W. of Pont au Mousson.

Belgian Communiqué.—Artillery action was more active to-day on our front, particularly in the region north of Dixmude. Our batteries effectuated destructive fires on German works at Merchem.

Feb. 27.—In the region north of Verdun our troops continued reinforcement of their positions during the night. There is no change on the attacked front east of the Meuse where it is snowing in abundance. The enemy made no more attempts on Cote du Taquin, neither on Cote du Poivre. Yesterday during the evening a strong German attack was launched against Handromont farm, east of Cote du Poivre, but was shattered by our artillery fire and by our machine guns. By our counter-attacks, another attempt, just as violent in Hardincourt region east of Douaumont, likewise did not succeed. In Voevre the drawback of our advanced guards was effected without the least hindrance from the enemy. West of the Meuse was no infantry action. In Vosges, after artillery preparation, the enemy tried yesterday at nightfall, a strong attack on a two kilometre front southeast from those made in the valley. This attack was a complete failure. This morning an action of our batteries against depots and German food stores of Vossemir, north of Munster, gave good results.

NO CHANGE.

PARIS, Feb. 27. There was no change upon the battle front to the north of Verdun during the night, according to the French Official War Office statement this afternoon. The French troops continued to reinforce their positions. No new attack was made by the Germans to the east of the Meuse, the statement says.

REQUISITIONING GERMAN-AUSTRIAN SHIPS.

PARIS, Feb. 27. A Lisbon despatch to the Paris Temps, says that the requisitioning of German and Austrian ships has been extended to all these lying in the ports of Portugal and her colonies. They total thirty-seven at Lisbon and thirty-three in other harbors.

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 27. General Kuropatkin has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the Russian armies on the northeast front.

RIOTS IN MONTENEGRO.

ROME, Feb. 27. It is reported that bloody riots have broken out among the starving inhabitants of Montenegro, and that the

castle of Crown Prince Danilo has been set on fire.

EVACUATION OF DURAZZO.

ROME, Feb. 27. An official statement confirms the report of the evacuation of Durazzo by the Italian, Serbian, Montenegro and Albanian forces.

FIVE STEAMERS SUNK.

LONDON, Feb. 27. Lloyds announces the sinking of the British steamers Denaby, 2,887 tons, and Summel, of 531 tons.

The Wilson steamer Dido, 4,769 tons was sunk Saturday morning. The captain and two of the crew were landed by a Belgian steamer. As the Dido carried a crew of 29 men, it is feared there has been a considerable loss of life. The British steamer Eastnet, 2,227 tons, has been sunk. The crew were saved.

The Peninsula and Oriental Line steamer Mataja, 12,431 tons gross, has been sunk off Dover. It is believed that the vessel struck a mine. No details of the disaster have been received. The Mataja was from Sydney, N.S.W., Dec. 24th, for London, and arrived at Marseilles on Jan. 11th. She is a sister ship of the Persia, which was torpedoed and sunk off the island of Crete on December 30th last with the loss of 326 lives. The people from the sunk Mataja are now being picked up by rescuing boats, according to despatches from Dover to Lloyds agency.

DUTCH STEAMER MINED.

FLUSHING, Holland, Feb. 27. The mail steamer Mecklenberg, of Zealand, ran on a mine while on a voyage from Tilbury to Flushing. The vessel was lost, the officials of the liner state, but the passengers, crew and mail were saved.

BRITISH STEAMER ON FIRE.

LONDON, Feb. 27. The British steamer Stuyvier, from New York on Feb. 11th, for Havre, has been abandoned, aft, sea, according to a despatch to Lloyds from Irishairial, Ireland. All the members of the crew are reported taken off by another steamer.

ROMANIA.

BUCHAREST, via London, Feb. 27. The chances of Roumania engaging in the European war on either side, exist no longer, according to the leaders of responsible Roumanian parties, though it is not wholly out of the question that at the last minute Roumania may take part in the struggle to secure for herself territorial advantage at the expense of the belligerent whose defeat appears to be certain. This is quintessence of a statement to the Associated Press after a number of interviews with leaders of public thought and affairs.

These Roumanians who in the past advocated action against the Central group, now say the military situation in Europe is uninviting to Roumania, while yet in some quarters it is still maintained that joining the Central Powers would be the best policy for this country. Nobody here expects anything short of military cataclysm will range Roumania on either side of the war.

THE CRESCENT PICTURE PALACE.

The Crescent Picture Palace is showing a big programme to-day. "Mrs. Van Alden's Jewels" is a great detective drama produced in two reels by the Biograph Company. "Masked Fate" is a society melodrama with Isabel Rea and a strong cast. All the world's latest happenings is contained in a full reel of Hearst Selig News. "The Broken Pledge" is a laughable comedy with Wallace Berry, Mr. Dave Parks, the man with the voice, sings "If I should meet you face to face," a classy ballad by Chas. K. Harris. This is a fine show, don't miss seeing it.

Florizel Leaving Again.

The S. S. Florizel finished landing her coal cargo this morning and sails again for Louisburg to load coal for here. She takes passengers and sails from Morey & Co.'s wharf. No time will be lost, if possible, in making the round trip, as the ship upon her next return has to be ready to leave for the icefields on the morning of March 12th.

MORE DIPHTHERIA.

Another case of diphtheria, the fourth from the same house recently, was reported from a house in Walsh's Square. The patient was a four year old boy who was removed to Hospital.

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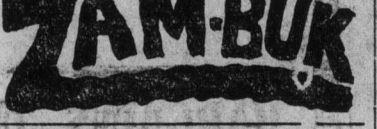
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Grand Falls Sends its Second Contingent.

TWENTY-SIX ARRIVE.

Yesterday morning the second squad of volunteers from Grand Falls arrived in the city by the express, and were met at the railway station by Instructor Hussey and Section Commanders of F. Company. A welcome was accorded the young men as they detrained and then all falling into the ranks the company marched down Water Street to the Seamen's Institute. Like the first squad, yesterday's arrivals are fit men and should pass the doctor's hands. Magistrate Fitzgerald who is Chairman of the Grand Falls Patriotic Association visited the men yesterday and all were delighted to see him. There are now five—three of the Grand Falls recruits in the city, and another squad is expected in a few days.

Young Man!

What about that Blue Serge Suit you are going to get? Why not get it now; or order it and have it ready when you want it? We have one of the finest stocks of Indigo Blue Serge, and sure to please you in style and workman-ship. Our popular prices are 25 to \$25. SPURRELL BROS., 365 Water Street. "Tailors for young men and men who want to stay young." feb25,ed:ff

B.I.S. L. and A. Elected.

The adjourned annual meeting of the B.I.S. was held yesterday morning after last mass, President Hon. J. D. Ryan in the chair. The business of the meeting was the selecting of the Literary and Amusement Committee for the ensuing year, and resulted as follows: W. J. Higgins, E. J. King, Jas. Aylward, W. Casew, T. H. O'Neil, W. Harris, N. J. Vinnicombe, J. McGrath, Jas. Callanan, P. J. Grace, John Moore, P. K. Devine, M. J. Donnelly, E. J. Brophy, T. J. Power. The above will meet on Thursday night to elect the officers.

Under the distinguished patronage of the Lord Bishop of Newfoundland.

St. Thomas's Women's Association Sociable in Canon Wood Hall, Wednesday, March 1st. Concert under the management of Mr. W. H. Stirling, L.L.C.M. Performers: Misses Anderson, Dunfield, Edwards, Furneaux, Johnson (2), Messrs. F. Emerson, C. Fox, F. Seymour and the Glee Singers. A nice assortment of Aprons for sale. Doors open at 7.30. Concert at 8. Tickets 25c. Candy and Second-Hand Books sold for the benefit of the W.P.A. feb25

Demand Dull at Oporto

A message from Lind and Couto, of Oporto to the Board of Trade, dated Jan. 26th, and received Saturday, reads: "The demand is very dull and is quite out of proportion to the very heavy stocks in the market. Buyers are demanding lower prices. The rate of exchange is 34d.

Here and There.

SOME CHANGE.—It was raining at places along the railway last night.

COAL FROM BELL ISLAND.—Another cargo of coal was brought over by the Mary to Bown and Co. on Saturday afternoon from the Dominion Company at Bell Island.

PIANOS AND ORGANS.—The famous Kohler and Tonk Pianos, The Necham, Godrich and Mason, & Hamilton Organs, CHESLEY WOODS, 282 Duckworth Street.—aug.7:ff

A DIPHTHERIA DEATH.—Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. and Mrs. R. Power whose little daughter, Alice, aged 4½ years old, died yesterday morning of diphtheria.

READY TO SAIL.—The schr. Novelty, fish laden by Geo. M. Barr, has been ready to sail to Brazil the last couple of days, and will get away as soon as ice conditions permit.

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200 Pairs Workmen's Pants

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All at reduced prices for the next 3 days.

Regular 75c. 1.00 1.40 2.00

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A fine assortment of Misses' White Clothing Frocks, Robes, Pinafors, Dresses.

All at Reduced Prices for the next 3 days.

Ladies' Blouses.

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Regular Prices

65c.	80c.	\$1.00	\$1.70	\$2.80
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Sale Prices

52c.	64c.	80c.	\$1.36	\$2.24
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CREAM SILK & POPLIN.

Reg. Prices	\$2.00	\$2.50	\$3.50
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 2 lb. tins in very heavy syrup.

APRICOTS, Evaporated15c. and 17c. lb.
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ROLLED OATS55c. stone
FLAKED WHEAT, 2 lb. cartons20c. pkt.
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MACKEREL MACONCHIE'S, Kippered16c. tin
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PORK & BEANS, 3 lb. tins15c. tin
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Casualty List. NOT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED. February 28th, 1916.

745.—Private Sylvester Brenson, North Harbor, P.B. Not previously reported. Adm. 3rd Canadian Stationary Hospital, Mudros West, Dec. 26, paratyphoid.

338.—Private Nicholas A. Gaiway, 222 Water Street West, Dysentery, Wandsworth, Dec. 21. Disc. from Hospital, granted furlough, Jan. 26.

1113.—Private Stephen James, Bishop's Falls, Frostbite, Wandsworth, Jan. 9. Do.

1242.—Private George Abbott, Battery Road, Do. Do.

5.—Sergeant John Williams, Swansea, Do. Jan. 5. Do.

1089.—Private Stephen Penney, English Harbor, T. B. Frostbite, feet, Mudros W., Dec. 13. Adm. Military Hospital, Baviere, Malta, Jan. 15.

381.—Private George A. Raines, South Shields, England, Frostbite, slight, Malta, Dec. 17. Trans. to Ghain Tuffieha Conv. Camp, Malta, Jan. 13.

614.—Private William A. Small, Farmer's Arm, Dildo, N. D. B. Frostbite, Malta, Jan. 1. Trans. to All Saints Camp, Jan. 17.

421.—Private Berkeley Piercey, Hopeall, T. B. Dysentery, Malta, Dec. 29. Do.

629.—Private Jas. W. Moore, 31 Duckworth Street, Gunshot wound, thigh (severe), Malta, Dec. 7. Trans. to Ghain Tuffieha Conv. Camp, Malta, Jan. 15.

301.—Private Stanley C. Winsor, Aquaforte, Jaundice and frostbite, Malta, Dec. 17. Trans. to Ghain Tuffieha Conv. Camp, Malta, Jan. 15.

698.—Patrick J. English, 66 Merry-meeting Road, Frostbite, Malta, Dec. 14. Do. Jan. 13.

23.—Private Jas. R. Tuff, 51 Hayward Avenue, Sick, Malta, Nov. 27. Disc. to Ghain Tuffieha Conv. Camp, Malta, Jan. 17.

450.—Private John C. Edwards, Pennywell Road, Jaundice, Malta, Dec. 29. Disc. to All Saints Conv. Camp, Malta, Jan. 12.

298.—Private Henry A. Tomkinson, Pictou Landing, N. S. Gunshot wound, back, slight, Malta, Dec. 7. Trans. to Ghain Tuffieha Conv. Camp, Malta, Jan. 12.

972.—Private John E. Vaters, Victoria, Carbonar. Septic right hand, Conv. Camp, Gozo, Malta, Dec. 20. Trans. to All Saints Conv. Camp, Malta, Jan. 17.

894.—Signaller Gerald Jos. Whitty, 338 Water Street West, Enteric, Croydun, Dec. 24. Fit for duty, granted furlough, Jan. 26.

404.—L. C. Fredk. P. LeGrow, Broad Cove, B. de V. Frostbite, Wandsworth, Jan. 5. Do.

1087.—Private Leo Fennell, Bay du Nord, P. B. Do. Jan. 18. Do.

1158.—Private Paul M. Dray, Little Bona, P. B. Do. Jan. 5. Do.

983.—Private John J. McGrath, 24 Livingston Street, Do. Do.

967.—Private M. F. Lannon, Placentia, S. E. Wounded. Nature of injuries, shell wound in leg. Do.

88.—Private John H. Simms, Fogu, Jaundice, Mudros W., Dec. 22. Disc. to Base Depot, Jan. 5.

432.—Private Paul H. Lilly, Explists, Jaundice, Mudros W., Dec. 17. Do. Jan. 7.

1064.—Corp. Fred M. O'Toole, Conception Harbor, Sick, slight, Mudros E., Dec. 16. Adm. Military Hospital, Citadel, Cairo, Jan. 14. Dysentery.

1117.—Private Edgar C. Whitton, 13 Queen Street, Gunshot wound, foot, slight, Alexandria, Jan. 22. Disc. to Monazah Conv. Depot, Jan. 20.

428.—Sergeant M. J. Nugent, Grand Falls, Cyst, Mudros E., Dec. 25. Discharged to duty Jan. 4.

624.—Private Allan Burgo, Bonavista, Diarrhoea, Mudros W., Nov. 30. Disc. to Conv. Camp, Mudros W., Dec. 27.

898.—L. C. Geo. E. Pike, Grand Falls, Jaundice, Mudros W., Dec. 17. Disc. to Base Depot, Dec. 29.

332.—Corporal John V. Temple, Sandy Point, Debility, Mudros, Dec. 29. Do.

924.—Sergeant George Dick, Ayrshire, Scotland, Jaundice, Mudros W., Nov. 30. Disc. to Base Depot, Dec. 28.

1288.—Private Richard Ryan, Melrose, T. B. Frostbite, feet, Mudros W., Dec. 7. Do.

840.—Private Mark B. Hicks, Rodding Cove, B. Rheumatism, Mudros W., Dec. 18. Disc. to Base Depot, Dec. 29.

650.—Private A. J. Myler, 13 Adelaide Street, Jaundice, Mudros W., Dec. 18. Disc. to Base Depot, Dec. 29.

562.—Private Peter J. Constantine, 20 McFarlane Street, Frostbite, feet; Mudros W., Dec. 10. do. Dec. 28.

527.—Private Francis T. Noseworthy, 6 Wickford Street, Sick, Alexandria; Dec. 20. Trans. to Mustapha Conv. Camp, Jan. 13; myalgia.

1527.—Private James Curnew, Stephenville Crossing, Frostbite, Wandsworth; Jan. 8. Trans. to Endell St. Military Hospital, Jan. 28.

690.—Private Walter C. Smith, Gower Street, Dysentery, Wandsworth; Nov. 18. Disc. from Hospital, Jan. 23.

1019.—Private Fredk. Bishop, 13 Sebastian Street, Gunshot wound, wrist; Wandsworth, Jan. 5. Fit for duty; granted furlough, Jan. 23.

956.—Private David Lewis, Belfast, Frostbite, Wandsworth, do.

J. R. BENNETT,
Colonial Secretary.

FOURTH WEEK

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Evening Telegram

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W. F. LLOYD, Editor

MONDAY, February 28, 1916.

The Verdun Battle.

Several weeks ago keen observers across the water were predicting a heavy military offensive by the enemy in the near future. It was in their opinion necessary that Germany should gain a decision or at least obtain some advantage of a material kind to settle the disquietude at home and to re-establish their credit abroad. Speculation ranged over the whole field of operations. After examining the positions on the Russian front, around Salonika, along the Suez Canal and on the Tigris, these observers came to the conclusion that none of these theatres of war would answer the German purpose, and that the big German offensive would take place on the Western front. Hillaire Belloc, in "Land and Water" and the writers in the London Times did not attempt to locate the attack with any greater exactness. But Hillaire Belloc said that the German aims could not be possibly attained without concentrating a force of less than 500,000 first class effectives. The great offensive did take place. It began early last week and is still on. It has been carried on with unprecedented vigor, so far as can be gathered, the Germans in spite of an utter disregard of the lives of their men have so far not only failed to gain what in military phrasing is called a decision and which in common parlance would be called a decisive victory, but they seemed to have failed so far to have gained any material advantage. A decisive victory would be compassed if they could destroy any considerable portion of the effective fighting forces of the French nation. A distinct material advantage would be gained, if they could straighten out the bulge in their line formed of the region of Verdun between the point where the French lines cross the Forest of Argonne and the point in the German salient which juts out to St. Mihiel. This bulge forms a wide mouth, bay and in it is the town of Verdun with

many forts surrounding it at various distances from Verdun as their centres. On Saturday morning the Germans claimed to have stormed one of these forts to the northeast. Later, however, the French not only drove them out, but re-captured ground beyond it. Whatever the ultimate result may be, the news to hand does not show that the Germans are making material progress in flattening out the bulge and taking the Verdun forts. If the German efforts should fall after losses on an unprecedented scale, this offensive of the Crown Prince, carried out under the stimulating presence of the Kaiser himself, the adverse effect of the battle will be far-reaching not only on Germany and Austria Bulgaria and Turkey, but among such neutrals as Roumania and Greece. The quiet confidence of the French and the way the French are standing up to what is perhaps one of the greatest offensives of the war, offer ground for the hope that the great German offensive will result in failure.

McMurdo's Store News

MONDAY, Feb. 28th, 1916.

The Flexol Shaving Stick is a good shaving soap sold at moderate price. Users say it is a pretty decent soap, and just the thing for the ordinary man. It is an excellent twenty cents worth.

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Cape Report.

CAPE RACE To-day. Wind E.N.E. light; weather dull, preceded by fog and rain for past 10 hours. Considerable slob ice along shore; no ships in sight. Bar. 28.55; ther. 40.

Don't forget that the Congregational Ladies' Aid Society will hold a Soabie in the Lecture Room of the Church on Wednesday evening, March 1st, commencing at 8 o'clock. Good programme, including "Why Men Marry." Refreshments, candy, etc. Admission 30c.—feb28,31

If you haven't bought any of LYNCH'S BROWN BREAD, you don't know what you are missing.—feb28,tf

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Here and There.

Parade Rink will not be open to-night.—feb28,li

GOING WEST.—The s.s. Prospero left Pughstrough at 8.55 a.m. to-day on her way west.

DIRANGO DUE.—The s.s. Durango is now 11 days out from Liverpool to this port. She has a large mail.

FEW PASSENGERS.—This morning's train took out the smallest number of passengers for the season.

ENQUIRY AGAIN POSTPONED.—The Roberts barriary case, which was set down to commence this morning in the Magistrate's Court, was further postponed till Monday next.

Here and There.

GOOD WORK.—The Newfoundland Clothing Factory is now turning out uniforms for the newly enlisted recruits. The suits have given satisfaction.

POLICE COURT.—(Before Mr. Hutchings, K.C.)—A vagrant was sent down for 10 days. Two drunks were discharged and a third fined \$1 or 3 days. Dick Gray, convicted of larceny, got 6 months.

Stafford's Prescription "A" cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Gastritis and Nervous Dyspepsia. Price 25 and 50c. bottle. Postage 5 & 10c. extra.—jan5,tf

Names of Grand Falls Recruits.

This morning the Grand Falls second contingent of recruits, alluded to elsewhere in this issue, paraded from the Seaman's Institute to the C. L. B. Armory where they signed the roster and will be examined this afternoon by Dr. Burdon. It was originally intended for "H" Co. to accompany them from their boarding quarters to the Armory, after making a tour of the city, but this idea had to be abandoned owing to the wretched condition of the streets. Twenty-six recruits comprise the second batch from the inland town. All but one put in an appearance at the Armory to-day. Their names and native places are:

Henry J. Carter, Gambo, B.B.
 Hubert Edwards, Catalina, T.B.
 Samuel Edwards, Catalina, T.B.
 Hayward Ball, Grand Falls.
 Theo. Brant, Gambo, B.B.
 Laurence Oldford, Salvage, B.B.
 Jacob Penney, Champneys, T.B.
 Frank Evey, Harricott, St. Mary's Bay.
 James Moore, Grand Falls.
 Philip Healey, Holyrood, C.B.
 Robert Brown, Grand Falls.
 Edmund Reid, Dildo, T. B.
 William Brown, Twillingate.
 Arthur Stewart, Grand Falls.
 P. R. Hannon, Hr. Main, C.B.
 Patk. J. Connors, Dunville, P.B.
 Harry Frampton, Grand Falls.
 Robert Brown, Grand Falls.
 Michael Connors, Hr. Main, C.B.
 Herbert Willis, Grand Falls.
 David Peddie, Spaniard's Bay.
 John Maitland, Grand Falls.
 John Langer, Thorcroft, T.B.
 Andrew Evey, Harricott, St. Mary's Bay.
 James Murphy, Argenta, P.B.

Here and There.

GOING TO TOW SCHR.—The D. Ingraham left here this morning for Bay Bulls to tow to Harbor Grace the schr. Callidora which put in here fortnight ago, owing to adverse weather. The Callidora has a salt cargo she brought from Cadix.

On Wednesday evening, March 1st, in the Presbyterian Hall, the George Street Adult Bible Class are holding their Annual "At Home." Concert starts sharp at 8 o'clock. Games after concert and tea served. A feature of the evening will be a "Jumbled Word" Prize Contest." All members are requested to be present with a friend.—feb28,21,m,w

PERSONAL.—Mrs. Mich. Comerford and two children went to Paris last night. Besques by last afternoon's express on her way to Ottawa, where she will be met by her husband. Mr. Comerford will be remembered for his successful issue being the making of a visible aeroplane or any other machine from the enemy, and the authorities at Ottawa, so we understand, have accepted Mr. Comerford's plans.

NOTICE!

The Church of England Orphanage Annual Meeting will be held in Cannon Wood Hall on Tuesday, the 29th inst. at 7.30 o'clock p.m. His Excellency the Governor will preside. All friends and supporters of the Orphanage are cordially invited to be present.
A. N. GOSLING,
Hon. Secretary.

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TO-DAY'S Messages.

10.45 A.M.

FRENCH PRESSING GERMAN.

PARIS, To-day. Except around Fort Douaumont, the French War Office reports some abatement of German attacks north of Verdun.

ARMEN'S SUCCESS.

AMSTERDAM, To-day. Allied airmen attacked and destroyed a railway station and damaged a tunnel at Bleyberg, according to the Echo Belge.

BIRGIT SUNK.

LONDON, To-day. The steamer Birgit was sunk and 17 survivors have been landed. There are three small steamers named Birgit, according to shipping records.

TURKISH COLUMN DISPERSED.

LONDON, To-day. A Turkish column was attacked and routed by the South African troops yesterday at Agagia, Egypt, according to a British official statement issued last night, which adds the fleeing Turks are being pursued.

TWENTY-FIVE BODIES LANDED.

LONDON, To-day. About 25 bodies from the Matoja have been landed at Dover. The British steamship Empress Fort William, 2,181 tons gross, while attempting to rescue the survivors of the Matoja, also struck a mine and sank.

OCCUPIED DURAZZO.

VIENNA, To-day. Austro-Hungarian troops occupied the Albanian port of Durazzo this morning, according to an official announcement issued to-day by the Austrian War Dept.

BIG RUSSIAN CAPTURE ABOUT ERZERUM.

PETROGRAD, To-day. The capture of 235 officers, 12,753 men and 223 guns in the operations about Erzerum was announced in an official statement from the Russian War Office to-day. The pursuit of the Turkish army continues. The Russians occupied the village of Aschkata, 50 miles west of Erzerum and on the road to Trebizond.

HEAVY GERMAN LOSSES.

AMSTERDAM, To-day. The Germans have gathered a considerable number of troops in Flanders. Artillery and reinforcements have been continuously arriving since December. According to the Echo Belge, not less than 18 attacks were made recently by Germans against the narrow front of Steenstraet-Comines Canal, south of Hill No. 160. Only two attacks met with success, but the German losses must have

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HENRY BLAIR

possession of some trenches continue. On the Caucasus front during the last few days, our detachments are vigorously pursuing the Turks in a fierce snowstorm, our soldiers sometimes being up to their chests in snow. In Persia our troops dislodged the enemy from a series of positions and occupied Kermanshah.

AMERICAN NURSES FOR THE FRONT.

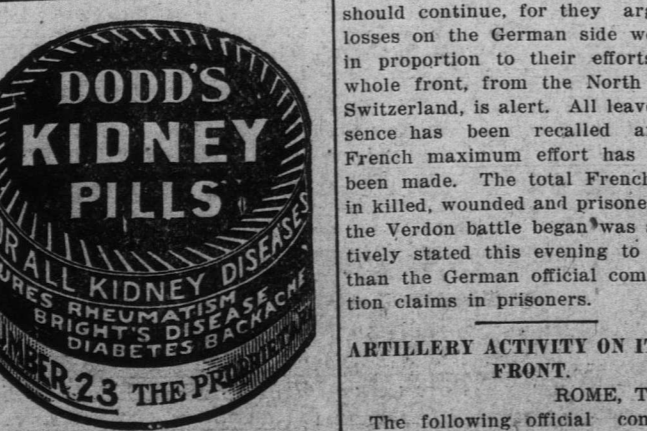
LONDON, To-day. Thirty-three nurses, most of them from the Mercy Hospital, Chicago, left London to-day for the British front. They have been detailed for service for six months in field hospitals. The nurses have been in London for nearly two weeks, gathering equipment.

QUIET CONFIDENCE OF FRENCH.

PARIS, To-day. Paris is very calm in the presence of the great battle now in progress around Verdun. There are no indications of tension or nervousness, but only sober confidence on the result prevails. The desire among those who know the defensive strength of the lines seems to be that the attack should continue, for they argue the losses on the German side would be in proportion to their efforts. The whole front, from the North Sea to Switzerland, is alert. All leave of absence has been recalled and the French maximum effort has not yet been made. The total French losses in killed, wounded and prisoners since the Verdun battle began was authoritatively stated this evening to be less than the German official communication, claims in prisoners.

ARTILLERY ACTIVITY ON ITALIAN FRONT.

ROME, To-day. The following official communication was issued yesterday:--Our artillery fired with great effect upon the high roads of Upper Reine and Zeeback Valley, where considerable movements of enemy troops were reported. Along the Isonzo front there have been artillery duels, which were particularly intense in the region of the Plazzo Basin. In the Montekuk region at Blava one of our batteries wrecked the enemy's entrenchments and put their defenders to flight. Further activity has been displayed by our mountain detachment in the region of Monte Nerche and on the Carso plateau where we captured some prisoners.



Germany's Challenge to the U.S.A.

Word comes that the Stock Exchanges are advised that Germany will not call off or defer her threat to begin sinking after March 1st armed merchantmen at sight by submarines. This is a flat challenge to President Wilson. The question is what will President Wilson do now!

St. Pierre Bulletin.

PARIS, Official, Midnight, 27th. Between Soissons and Rheims we opened up a destructive fire on the German works, situated opposite Venizel and east of Troyon. In the district north of Verdun the fierce engagements of the last few days have somewhat slackened during the day, except between Douaumont height and the hill situated north of Vouz Village, where a strong German attack was made against our eastern and western positions of Douaumont height. This attack was repulsed and the slopes of hills are covered with German corpses. Our troops are gradually surrounding a few enemy troops who had succeeded in gaining a footing but who are holding on with the greatest difficulty. According to latest information the Talon Benvenue height, swept by both artillery fires, is now held by a single one. In the Woivre enemy has come in contact with our advanced positions in the direction of Blunzee and Moranville, where all his efforts to debouch towards hill 255 completely failed. In the Vosges at Hartmannswiller there is an artillery engagement. In the State as a third partner and as a controlling and harmonizing influence in the relations between capital and labor.

EVACUATED ACCORDING TO PLANS.

ROME, To-day. The evacuation of the Port of Durazzo in Albania, is said by the Italian Press, to have been in accordance with plans long prepared, as it had served its purpose as a base for rescuing the remainder of the Serbian Army.

WILL VISIT ENTENTE CAPITALS.

PARIS, To-day. Crown Prince Alexander of Serbia, accompanied by Premier Pachitchais, Sonisto, will make a trip to Rome, Paris and London, to thank the Entente Governments for the assistance they have rendered to Serbia, says a despatch from Athens.

12.30 P.M.

RUSSIAN STEAMER SUNK. LONDON, To-day. The Russian steamship Petchenga was sunk and fifteen of those aboard were saved.

CONFIDENCE IN MINISTRY.

AMSTERDAM, To-day. With only a dissenting vote, the Luxembourg Chamber of Deputies adopted a vote of confidence in the new Ministry, although five members were absent.

1.45 P.M.

ONLY 260 SAVED. LONDON (Official), To-day. Of the complement of 431 passengers and crew on the steamer Meteljel, which struck a mine and sank off Dover yesterday, only 260 are known to have been saved.

2.00 P.M.

NO LET UP IN VERDUN BATTLE.

PARIS, To-day. The most recent information here depicts the battle of Verdun as raging without the slightest let up. The Germans are launching frenzied attacks against the French lines, backed up by the outer forts without regard for their sacrifices. The Temps states that from the most reliable sources it is learned that the Kaiser is prepared to sacrifice at least two hundred thousand of his best troops in order to take the French stronghold.

TURKEY IN WRETCHED CONDITION.

BUCHAREST, To-day. Definite information comes from Constantinople that the Turks are in wretched position and cannot hold out for more than two months longer. There is much misery owing to famine, and desertions are numerous. Enver Pasha has gone to Asia Minor.

Reids' Boats.

The S.S. Kyle was to leave North Sydney at 9 o'clock this morning. The Argyle arrived at Placentia at 10.45 a.m. yesterday, from West. The Meile has not been reported since leaving Hermitage Cove at 12.50 p.m. Friday. The Sagona is still at Port aux Basques.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES COLDS, ETC.

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MARRIED.

On Sunday, the 20th, at the R.C. Cathedral, by the Rt. Rev. Monsignor McDermott, Mr. George Cobbett and Miss Mary Walsh, both of this city.

DIED.

On Feb. 28th, Francis H. Chown, in his 83rd year, a native of Wellington, England; funeral on Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m., from residence, 31 King's Bridge Road.

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SALE

Sweaters, Caps,

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Men's Gold Knitted Glove Bargain.

have a few dozen, all values. Knitted in plain colors which offer at

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Here and There.

TO TOW SCHL.

The D. P. am left here this morning hills to tow to Harbor Grace the Callidora which put in, there at ago, owing to adverse weather. The Callidora has a salt crew brought from Cadiz.

Wednesday evening, March

the Presbyterian Hall, the Street Adult Bible Class holding their Annual "At Concert starts sharp at 7 o'clock. Games after concert served. A feature of the evening will be a "Jumbled Word Contest." All members requested to be present with end.--Feb 28, 21, m, w

SOCIAL.

Mrs. Mich. Comerford and children went to Port au Prince by last afternoon's express, by way to Ottawa, where she will be by her husband. Mr. Comerford will be remembered for his part in an invention of his, the aeroplane or any other bodies the enemy, and the authorities have, so we understand, have accepted Mr. Comerford's plans.

NOTICE!

Church of England Orphanage Meeting will be held in Cathedral on Tuesday, the 29th inst. at 7 o'clock p.m. His Excellency will preside. All friends and members of the Orphanage are cordially invited to be present.

A. N. GOSLING, Hon. Secretary.

New American MILLINERY.

We beg to announce the arrival of our first shipment of **AMERICAN MILLINERY for Spring 1916.**

The most striking novelties of the season and the more conservative creations each are to be found here in ample assortments and at attractive prices.

Included in this shipment are some very smart **Novelties for Children.**

An Early Inspection Invited.

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The Habit of Crossness.

By RUTH CAMERON.

"Kindness is a language that the dumb can speak and the deaf can hear and understand."—Bovee.

I do not think most people realize to what an extent crossness is a habit.

It is so easy to be cross over all sorts of little things if one gets one's mind turned that way.

And it is so easy (not as easy, I don't claim that, good habits seldom are as easy to acquire as bad ones) to be pleasant and forbearing in the face of all sorts of little annoyances, if one gets one's mind turned that way.

It is a matter of course in some families to be cross at annoyances.

In a family where the habit of crossness prevails the housemates look upon it as a matter of course that they shall be cross when anyone does not understand, or when anyone makes some small mistake, or whenever any little annoyance of one kind or another comes up, or when they themselves are tired.

"Mercy, no!" snaps the daughter of the house. "How could you think I meant Mrs. Richard Smith? You know she hasn't any children old enough to skate. How could she be out skating with them? If you'd only think, mother, you'd know I meant Mrs. Philip Smith."

The maid forgets to give the son's handkerchiefs to the laundryman, and when he finds himself short of collars he immediately seizes the opportunity to let off all the pent-up irritation of the day's small annoyances in one uncontrolled spasm of crossness, be-

Home Baking Time.

These cold wintry days when a continuous fire has to be kept going in the kitchen range, the opportunity presents itself for Home Baking. Herewith are tendered a few suggestions.

Prunes and Rice	Macaroni & Cheese
After all there are few desserts that will beat the old-fashioned rice cooked with an egg or two.	Makes a delicious dish and will replace meat at any meal. Macaroni 14c. pac. Vermicelli 14c. pac.
Gingerbread	
Stewed Prunes served with boiled rice makes an excellent dish.	You will be surprised at the improvement a fine Sultana Raisin makes in the gingerbread.
Japan Rice 10c. lb.	Finest Golden Wax Sultana Raisins 25c. pac.
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self-indulgence of being cross at every little thing. But once you get into the habit of being reasonable and pleasant and forbearing, you will find it doesn't require so much effort after all. Just try it, and see.

Championship Hockey.

The playing of three games more, and possibly less than that number, will terminate the League Hockey fixture and decide the holders of the championship for 1916.

The Feldmans, Victorias and Terra Novas are now on equal footing, the St. Bon's being out of the running.

The next game promises to be of much interest. The teams slated to compete are the Terra Novas and St. Bon's and their line-ups will be—

Terra Novas	St. Bon's
Duley	Hearn
Goal	Goal
Tobin	Vinnicombe
Point	Higgins
Watts	Cover
Stick	Callahan
Rover	Johnson
Johnson	Godden
Centre	Centre
Sellers	Crawford
Right	Trapnell
Left	Shortall

T. A. Rooms Flooded With Water.

The reading and billiard rooms of the Total Abstinence Society's Hall were found yesterday morning in a badly damaged condition by water, caused by the gullies on Henry Street overflowing during Saturday night's rain storm. A big inrush of water entered the Theatre flat of the building and came through the floors and ceilings to the downstairs sections. A couple of hundred dollars worth of damage was done. This is the third accident of its kind to have occurred within recent years at the same hall.

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How do you feel to-day? Not quite right? Energy a little below standard—not strong enough to make much exertion? Perhaps a slight cough?

Nyala's Cod Liver Compound is what you need.

Don't get frightened about those words "Cod Liver." You'd never know it from the taste.

And the taste is pleasant. It's a real cod liver extract, cod liver oil, wild cherry and hypophosphites—a splendid combination.

The cod liver extract builds you up—so does the extract of malt. The wild cherry soothes the bronchial tract and the hypophosphites supply phosphorus to the nervous system—just the thing it needs.

As an all round tonic, strength restorer and body-builder you'll find nothing better than Nyala's Cod Liver Compound—so why look further? You will be pleased.

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Seals Reported Plentiful.

Numerous seals are reported to be seen off the Cape Breton coast. This has striking significance so far as the Gulf seal fishery is concerned, as it will be remembered that last spring the S. S. Bonaventure, Capt. Bob Bartlett, the only steamer of the Gulf fleet to bring in a trip of seals finished loading in Sydney Harbour. Shipping which arrived here recently report sighting many herds of seals passing the Grand Banks and in the vicinity of Cape Race.

Our Volunteers.

The volunteers spent Saturday at indoor drill. On account of the inclement weather rifle practice could not be had Saturday but all yesterday squads were engaged firing over the range.

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A detective drama in 2 reels, produced by the Biograph Co.

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DAVE PARKS, Baritone, the Man with the Voice, singing *Classy Ballads and Popular Songs.*

GOOD MUSIC AND EFFECTS—A COMFORTABLE AND WELL VENTILATED THEATRE.

Obituary.

MRS. JOHN B. McLEA.

On Friday last an estimable lady in the person of Mrs. John B. McLea passed away at Montreal. Many of the older generation will remember the McLea family at one time closely identified with the commercial and public life of the Colony. The family left for Canada many years ago, where they have been doing well. The deceased lady is the mother-in-law and also an aunt by marriage of Mr. Kenneth Prowse, this city. The Telegram respectfully offers its sympathy.

Strayaway Found.

A four-year-old boy named Power strayed away from his home in Collier's Lane, off Quidi Vidi Road, yesterday morning and was found later in the day wandering about at Kildonnan by a farmer of that place. The little boy who was hungry and fatigued was driven to town and left at the West End Fire Hall where he was found by his father, Mr. B. Power.

To-Morrow Night's at Home.

The "At Home" to be held by the C. C. C. to-morrow night in their hall promises to be one of the most successful events of the season. The affair is under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Davidson and His Grace Archbishop Roche. At 8.15 the "At Home" will open with a concert, after which dancing will commence. The music to be supplied by the band of the Corps under Capt. A. Bulley. Some of the latest selections will be given, so that those who attend are assured a good time.

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Ottawa, Feb. 15.—The resolution presented to-day by the Minister of Finance on the tax on profits was as follows: "One-That, in the following, "Minister" means the Minister of Finance of Canada; "the company" an incorporated company having its head office in Canada; "person" any individual of person partnership, syndicate, association or other body, and the heirs, administrators, executors or other legal representatives of such persons, according to the provisions of the part of Canada to which extends.

Two—That shall be levied, and paid to the Minister of Finance of Canada, on the amount by which the profits of any trade or business subject to this act are reduced in every accounting year after the fourth day of the month of January, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, in the case of such persons, in the case of all other persons, upon the profits of such trade or business as determined in the said act.

Provided, however, that no amount shall be paid or payable by any person if the provisions of paragraph 1 of the war revenue act, 1915, apply to the amount payable from the amount paid, and the minister shall determine any question that may arise in which the provisions of the said act and those provisions are payable.

Three—That the accounts shall be taken to be the accounts of the business which have been made up where the business has not been made up in any definite period so far as for which they have been made up, or if a year or other period elapses without the account made up, the accounting shall be taken to be such period as such date as the Minister determines.

Four—That the trades and professions to which the tax shall apply shall be those in which the trade or business of the person (whether continuously or not) of any description or partly carried on in Canada.

(a) Any trade or business that is not a trade or business of any portion of which is the carrying or dealing in money or in materials or supplies for war purposes, the capital of which is less than ten thousand dollars.

(b) The business of life insurance.

(c) The business of factoring.

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The Family Doctor Tried This.

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That was a good many and since then many cases of eczema, both in children and adults, have been cured. Dr. Chase's Ointment is the standard cure for this disease.

Mrs. Geo. McNair, Riverview, N. B., writes as follows: "Dr. Chase's Ointment cured my son's eczema. He would not wish for any more cuts, burns and bruises than he had in the five years ago a friend of mine"

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How Taxes on Profits Are to be Levied.

Text of the Resolution Under Which Seven Per Cent. in Some Cases and Over Ten in Others - Provisions Against Evasion - How Values Are to be Determined.

Ottawa, Feb. 15.—The text of the resolution presented to-day by the Minister of Finance on the taxation of war profits was as follows:—

One.—That, in the following resolution, "Minister" means the Minister of Finance of Canada; "non-Canadian company" an incorporated company having its head office or principal place of business outside of Canada...

Two.—That there shall be charged, levied, and paid to His Majesty a tax of twenty-five per centum of the amount by which the profits arising from any trade or business subject to the tax in every accounting period ending after the fourth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, exceeded, in the case of incorporated companies seven per centum, and in the case of all other persons ten per centum, upon the capital employed in such trade or business.

Three.—That the accounting period shall be taken to be the period for which the accounts of the trade or business have been made up, and where the accounts of the trade or business have not been made up for any definite period so far, the period for which they have been usually made up, or if a year or more has elapsed without the accounts being made up, the accounting period shall be taken to be such period, and ending on such a date as the minister may determine.

Application of the Tax. Four.—That the trades and businesses to which the tax shall apply are all trades and business of transportation (whether continuing or discontinued or not) of any description, carried on or partly carried on in Canada, except:— (a) Any trade or business other than a trade or business which, or any portion of which is the manufacturing or dealing in munitions of war, or in materials or supplies of any kind for war purposes, the capital employed in which is less than fifty thousand dollars. (b) The business of life insurance. (c) The business of farming and stock raising.

Five.—(1) That the profits shall be taken to be the net profits in the accounting period. (2) The profits of a non-Canadian company shall be such proportion of the net profits as shall bear the same proportion to the total amount of its net profits as the capital of the company as defined herein bears to the total amount paid up upon its capital stock.

(3) No deductions from gross profits for depreciation or for any expenditure of a capital nature for renewals, or for the development of a trade or business, or otherwise in the aspect of the trade or business, shall be allowed except such amount as appears to the minister to be reasonable and to be properly attributable to the accounting period.

(4) Any deduction made from the gross profits for the remuneration of directors, managers and persons concerned in the management of the trade or business shall not, unless the minister, owing to any special circumstances, otherwise directs, exceed the sum of two thousand dollars for each of the last accounting period ending before the fourth day of August, 1914, and no deductions shall be allowed in respect of any transaction or operation of any nature where it appears that the transaction or operation has improperly reduced the amount to be taken as the amount of the profits of the trade or business.

(5) In the case of any contract extending beyond one accounting period from the date of its commencement to the completion thereof and only partially performed in any accounting period there shall, unless the minister otherwise directs, be attributed to each of the accounting periods in which such contract was partially performed such proportion of the entire profits or estimated profits in respect of the complete performance of the contract as shall be properly attributable to such accounting periods respectively, having regard to the extent to which the contract was performed in such periods.

Incorporated Companies Capital. Six.—That the capital employed in the trade or business of any incorporated company having its head office or other principal place of business in Canada shall be the amount paid up on its capital stock.

As to New or Additional Capital. Eight.—That the minister may determine the amount of the capital of any incorporated company issuing stock after the 15th day of February, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, the capital stock of any incorporated company is increased or additional stock issued, or if the stock is in any way changed or reorganized in such a manner as to increase the amount of the capital, the minister may decide whether or not it is fair and proper to include such increase or any part thereof when determining the capital of such company, and the decision of the minister shall be final and conclusive.

Baby Afflicted With Eczema Dr. Chase's Ointment Cured. The Family Doctor Tried in Vain to Heal the Sores—Another Tribute to This Great Healing Ointment.

It may be interesting to note that Dr. Chase's Ointment was originally compounded to cure a case of eczema on a child. The disease had spread almost over the entire body and defied all the regular treatment for such troubles. The doctor was perplexed, but finally hit on the formula of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and, as many say, "It worked like a charm," healing up the nasty sores, and leaving the skin soft and smooth.

That was a good many years ago, and since then many thousands of cases of eczema, both in children and adults, have been cured, until to-day Dr. Chase's Ointment is recognized as the standard cure for itching skin diseases.

Capital of Other Than Companies.

Nine.—(1) That the capital employed in the trade or business of any person other than an incorporated company shall be taken to be the value of all assets, real and personal, movable and immovable, issued in connection with such trade or business.

(a) So far as the capital consists of assets acquired by purchase, the value shall be the price at which such assets were acquired, subject to any proper deductions for depreciation or replacement, or for unpaid purchase money, and (b) So far as the capital consists of assets being debts due to the trade or business, the value shall be the nominal amount of those debts, except bad debts proved to be such to the satisfaction of the minister; and (c) So far as the capital consists of any other assets which have not been acquired by purchase, the value shall be the value of the assets at the time when they became assets of the trade or business, subject to any proper deductions for depreciation or replacement.

(1) Accumulated profits employed in the business shall also be deemed capital. (2) Any borrowed money or debts shall be deducted in computing the amount of capital.

(3) Where any asset has been paid for otherwise than in cash, the cost price of that asset shall be taken to be the value of the consideration at the time the asset was acquired.

Requirement of Returns. Ten.—That provision be made requiring persons liable or believed to be liable to make such returns as may be necessary to assess the tax; and that provision also be made for the assessment of the several persons liable to taxation; for the appointment of a board of referees to determine assessment appeals; for a further appeal to the exchequer court of Canada; and for the collection of taxes, interest and costs in the exchequer court of Canada and other courts of competent jurisdiction.

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Hotels.

By GEORGE FITCH, Author of "At Good Old Sitwash." A hotel is a place where hospitality is dispensed at meter rates. There are in the United States over 100,000 hotels, some of which are good.

Hotels vary in the kind and severity. In New York and Chicago, one may find hotels containing 1,500 rooms apiece, in some of which rooms an awkward guest could not turn around without knocking over \$1,100 worth of bric-a-brac. In Arkansas, on the other hand, there are hotels in which a guest has to pay extra if he doesn't want to sleep with the family and which use the Mississippi river for a bath tub.

An ordinary hotel consists of a desk, with a register on it, a collection of rooms furnished luxuriously with windows, doors and beds with sheets on them, a dining room, gorgeously decorated with straw-colored pompadours and a writing room with a last year's time-table in it. The United States is full of such hotels. They only vary in the badness of the meals served. Some of these hotels change cooks every day, while others retain the same cook year after year, by allowing her to eat somewhere else.

There are also in this country a fairly large number of old-fashioned hotels where the family does the cooking and eats it too, right in public in the dining room. These hotels have old-fashioned heating stoves, and when the guest rises in winter he has to whittle the water out of the pitcher before he can wash his face. But they are eagerly sought by travelers for all that, because of the ease and fluency with which the bill of fare can be consumed, and the comfortable feeling which they leave in the vest and pants pocket regions.

Besides these two varieties, there are also modern hotels. These consist of a lobby upholstered in marble, onyx, gold and sunkenes and decorated at the rear with a member of some royal family behind a register. The lobby is surmounted by about twenty layers of glass, each of which rents for the price of a pair of shoes per night, while scattered about on the ground floor are restaurants, in which one may secure a large, well-cooked meal with plenty of side dishes for the price of an acre of land in Texas. In fact, it is perfectly easy for a small man with a fair appetite to eat up a whole Texas farm in a week in a New York hotel, especially if he washes it down liberally.

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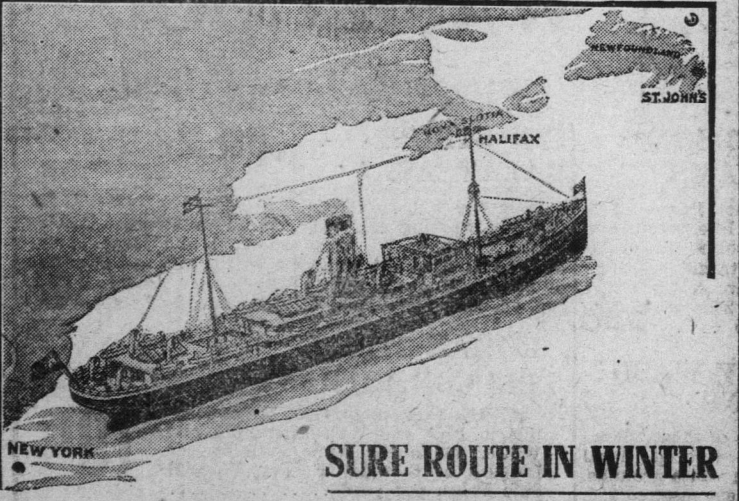
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