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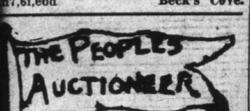
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**COLONIAL LODGE, No. 135.**  
The Installation of the N. G. and officers-elect of Colonial Lodge, No. 135, will take place on Friday, Jan. 9th, at 8 p.m. A full attendance is requested. A cordial invitation is extended to all Oddfellows to be present at all functions.

By order N. G.  
**EDWIN EBSARY,**  
Rec. Sec'y.

#### I. O. O. F.

An Emergency Meeting of Atlantic Lodge, No. 1, I. O. O. F., will be held this Friday evening, at 8 o'clock sharp, for purpose attending installation ceremony of Colonial Lodge, No. 135. A full attendance is requested. Members will first meet in Reading Room. By order of the N. G.

Jan 9, 11  
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#### NOTICE.

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WM. C. MAJOR,  
Secretary.

#### NOTICE.

The Quarterly Meeting of the Truckmen's Protective Union will be held in the Longshoremen's Hall on Monday, January 12th, at 8.30 p.m. A full attendance is particularly requested. By order,

Jan 8, 21  
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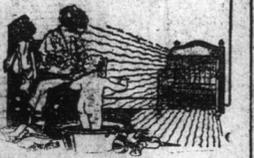
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Jan 7, 21  
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Jan 9, 11

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Jan 7, 21

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Jan 9, 11

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at Waterford Hall; apply to MATRON at the Institution.  
Jan 8, 11

#### WANTED—Immediately,

a Good General Servant; apply 320 Duckworth Street.  
Jan 5, 21, eod

#### WANTED—Immediately,

a Cook, where two other maids are kept; apply MRS. (DR.) G. N. MURPHY, Torbay Road.  
Jan 7, 11

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#### WANTED—A Young Lady

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Jan 6, 11

#### WANTED—A Saleslady for

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#### WANTED—A General Maid.

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#### WANTED—A Cook; apply

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dec 31, 11

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Jan 2, 11

#### WANTED—General Ser-

vant; one who understands plain cooking; reference required; apply MISS KELLY, "Stonywood", Allandale Road.  
dec 31, 11

#### WANTED—A Girl, for

Military Road Store; apply to W. E. BEARNS, Military Road.  
dec 16, 11

#### WANTED—Children's

Nurses; apply MRS. GORDON WINTER, Circular Road.  
dec 12, 11

#### WANTED—Lady Steno-

grapher with some experience; apply by letter to G. KNOWLING, LTD.  
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Pipe Fitter and Plumber; Union wages; none but first class men need apply. MOORE & CO., Duckworth St.  
nov 13, 11

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CHAPTER XII.

"None the worse for the accident, I hope?" says Mr. Palmer, from the head of the table.

"No, thanks," replies Sir Herrick.

"We all escaped, I think."

"Thanks to Mr. Stancy's excellent coaching," says the major, unblushingly.

Bob grins, and Stancy colours sulently.

"It wasn't altogether my fault," he mumbles; all his confidence and self-assurance vanished at the entrance of Sir Herrick.

"Fault!" says the major, with a gentle smile and a shrug of the shoulders. "If it comes to fault, I'm afraid my stupid man was as much to blame as anyone. He must have been in the middle of the road. I've a great mind to ask Hurstley to discharge him."

A faint smile curves Sir Herrick's lips, as he says to Paula in a low whisper:

"That was nicely done, wasn't it? Of course his man was on the right side."

He says this in a whisper, but honest Bob blurts out, bluntly:

"That wouldn't be fair, major; the man was all right enough."

"If you say so, my dear sir," responds the major, sweetly, "I will overlook it."

And Bob, utterly crushed by the deferential air of the compliment, bends over his plate.

"Yes, he is beautiful!" murmurs Paula. "I was quite right."

Sir Herrick raises his glass, and looks at it with a curious smile.

"Wait! You'll admire him still more fervently," he says in the same low voice. "He hasn't really had a fair opportunity of displaying his qualities yet."

The dinner goes on; it is really wonderful how the cook has managed to produce so many courses in so short a time; and the major's voice is heard in dulcet tones addressing May, whom all his attempts at drawing out, however, seem to frighten further into her shell.

The meal comes to an end at last, and the three girls file round the table into the drawing-room; and Mr. Palmer, ordering some special claret in,

requests the gentlemen to draw nearer together.

Then indeed it is beautiful to see how the major plays his men. Very much as Paula had fished for her trout, he throws conversational flies for Mr. Palmer and Stancy, and, aided by the special claret, he succeeds in getting them to talk and display all their little weaknesses, all their little follies, till Mr. Palmer grows as big and pompous as a bull-frog, and Stancy as conceited and self-sufficient as a peacock, that sloping bank Bob—sturdy, single-minded Bob—drinks his claret in silence, and Sir Herrick leans back, drinking nothing, and as deaf to the soft voice of the major and boastful ones of the father and son as if he were out of hearing. In fancy, as he leans back with half-closed eyes, he sees that sloping bank of moss with the grand pines above it, and the beautiful, girlish face so close to his own. It is Paula's voice he is listening to through the confused buzz of the ones actually speaking.

CHAPTER XIII.

At last the major pushes his glass from him, and Mr. Palmer rises.

"Shall we join the ladies?" he says. The major smiles.

"May I," he says, meekly, and with bent head, "may I suggest that these young gentlemen take slight whither I am sure their thoughts have gone long since, and that you and I, my dear sir, indulge in a cigar? With the deepest remorse I must confess that I am a devotee at the shrine of the goddess Nicotina."

"Certainly, certainly!" says Mr. Palmer, delighted at the affability of his fashionable guest. "Sir Herrick and you, Mr. Estcourt, and Stancy, join the ladies, and the major and I will have a weed."

Sir Herrick rises and looks at his uncle. The major, as a rule, detests tobacco, and at the best—or worst—never goes beyond a single cigarette. Why, then, does he propose a smoking bout with the sugar-baker? But the major meets his questioning gaze with an inscrutable smile.

"Forgive me, Rick," he says, shaking his head penitently. "You know my old weakness for the social cigar," and Sir Herrick, with a faint, incredulous smile, passes out with the other two.

"A splendid young gentleman—Sir Herrick!" says Mr. Palmer, putting at his cigar.

The major inclines his head.

"The image of yourself, major."

The major waxes a modest hand.

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"Well, yes, I was not unlike him, my dear sir; the resemblance has been noticed before."

Mr. Palmer looks round, the keen eyes of the major are fixed on him with a bland, child-like smile in them.

"I took to him the first time I saw him. Nothing stuck up about him, major. That's what I like. Many a young man coming here to this 'ouse, which, in a manner of speaking, ought to be his own, would have put on airs; but he didn't."

"Rick is an admirable boy," murmurs the major, with a kind forgetfulness of the admirable young man's many escapades. "You are aware, my dear sir, that in a sense I regard him as my son?"

"Oh, indeed!" murmurs Mr. Palmer, puffing at his cigar and nodding comprehensively as he wonders whether the major is a rich man.

"As my son," continues the major, eyeing the decanter dreamily, but still watching the sugar-baker. "Rick, owing to the death of his father, has become my special care, and I need not say that I am fond of him."

"Of course, yes; fine young fellow!" grants Mr. Palmer.

"To Rick will descend whatever belongs to me of the world's goods," says the major; "that is, if he marries as I should wish."

"Oh!" assents Mr. Palmer, knocking the ash off his cigar. "Just so. Very generous of you, major!"

"Not at all," murmurs the major, modestly. "When I say according to my wish, I mean that I should do all in my power to steer him to a proper matrimonial haven."

Mr. Palmer nods. He is not a clever man, and the major sees that if he wishes him to understand he will have to speak out—a course which is always against the major's taste.

"Of course," he says, "what Rick will have to look for will be money."

Mr. Palmer nods.

"Money," repeats the major, thoughtfully. "Rick, dear boy, has quite enough of blue blood on his side for himself and his wife too."

Mr. Palmer nods.

"Very old family, the Powises," he says.

"They came over with the Conqueror," says the major, plaintively, "and if we had money we could take the head of the family. Yes, Rick's wife would take the lead of the whole country."

Mr. Palmer thrusts his hands into his waistcoat and nods.

The major looks at him out of the corner of his keen eyes.

"What a charming girl your daughter is, my dear sir."

Mr. Palmer bows pompously.

"You're very kind; you make me proud, major. Yes, May's a good girl, a very good girl."

"Ah!" sighs the major, "if I could see Rick comfortably settled in life to a girl like your charming daughter, my dear sir, I should feel that I had done my duty."

It is spoken at last. The major leans back contemplating the table-cloth with a tenderly solemn air, and puffs at his cigarette. Mr. Palmer, on the other hand, lays his cigar down and stares at the calm face with eyes wide open as a codfish's.

And so they remain while one might count ten.

Then Mr. Palmer, having taken in the suggestion, gasps out:

"Are you serious, major?"

"My dear sir, I am always serious," retorts the major, with a delicate smile. "Never more so than at this moment."

"Then—then you think—" gasps Mr. Palmer, ruddy as a lobster and goggle-eyed with pleasure.

The major smiles.

"My dear sir, it is only a suggestion. And let me say that I should not have made it to anyone possessed of less common-sense than yourself," and he bows.

"But—" grunts Mr. Palmer, with a long breath.

"Why not?" asks the major. "As I said, my dear Rick has blood enough for himself and wife, and I presume—that is, I trust, I do not presume—in thinking that Miss May will have enough of the world's goods to suffice for both" and his keen eyes fix themselves on Mr. Palmer's wide-stretched eyes.

"My daughter," says the sugar-baker, pompously, "will have as much as I like to give her. Look here, major, let's you and I understand each other."

"By all means. I am a plain man," murmurs the major.

"So am I, sir, so am I!" responds

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Mr. Palmer, enthusiastically. "And my word is my bond. What I say I mean, and that's Houndell Palmer to a T," and he brings his red hand down upon the table with a thump that nearly makes the exquisite major jump out of his skin.

"Being both plain men," says the major, with a bland, innocent smile, "we can neither of us beat about the bush, my dear sir. Now, I'll tell you in so many words what I wish, and you shall say whether it falls within your view. Is that agreed?"

"Agreed!" assents Mr. Palmer, stinging his cigar into the fire-place and leaning forward eagerly.

The major sips his claret daintily.

"You see, my dear sir, to state the case, how do we stand? Here is the last of the Powises, one of the old Hampden Powises, a penniless man, and here are you in possession of the old house which should belong to him."

"Right—quite right," assents Mr. Palmer; "but" with a shrewd smile, "I bought it, major."

"Quite so," assents the major. "You bought it; and you, if you will permit me to say so, adorn it. But money isn't everything, as you will admit, my dear sir."

Mr. Palmer sighs as he thinks of the snubs he has endured from the county families.

"No," he says "money isn't everything."

"Birth goes for something," says the major, with a smile. "Now, I say, what a fine thing it would be if you had birth as well as money at the Court. What a fine thing it would be if your daughter—a most charming young lady, my dear sir—could become Lady Powis, of Powis Court!"

"Lady Powis," murmurs Mr. Palmer. "Lady Powis," and he leans back and stares at the ceiling.

"Lady Powis, of Powis Court," repeats the major, slowly, "you would be the father of a maronette's wife, the grandfather of a future baronet, I trust; and not a simple baronet, but a Powis, of Powis Court."

"I—see," murmurs Mr. Palmer, with half-closed eyes, as he views the glorious vision. He the father of a real live lady, the grandfather of a baronet! It is indeed a glorious dream.

The major puffs at his cigarette and gives the idea time to sink, then he says:

(To be Continued.)

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## To-Morrow Is the Day.

### Ratification of Peace Treaty Expected --- New Jersey to Test "Dry" Laws --- Clearing Off Female Staffs--Allied Military Mission Arrested--Bolsheviks Take Another Town.

#### PEACE TREATY WILL BE RATIFIED TO-MORROW.

LONDON, Jan. 8. Ratification of the Versailles treaty will take place Saturday at 4 o'clock in the afternoon in the Hall of the Minister of Foreign Affairs, when the latter modifying the amount of tonnage originally demanded from Germany will be handed to Baron Kurt von Lerner, head of the German delegation. The powers that have ratified the treaty will be represented, Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan, Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, Guatemala, Peru, Holland, Siam, Czechoslovakia and Uruguay.

#### ALLIED NOTE TO ITALY.

ROME, Jan. 8. The Corriere D'Italia says that a memorandum not in the form of an ultimatum but a very grave document coming from the Allied nations to the government of the nation, has been delivered to the former Minister Scialoja, by the Allies. The memorandum, the paper asserts has for its object the closing of a period of negotiations and the opening of a new one, and recalls to the Italian negotiations that the treaty of London does not exist any more, having been destroyed gradually by formal Italian negotiations.

#### JUMP IN POTATOES.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8. Potatoes jumped thirty-five cents a bushel on the local market to-day, marking the biggest increase in many months.

#### BRING WOMEN TO GIVE MEN EMPLOYMENT.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 8. Because appeals for aid are pouring into the City Hall daily at an alarming rate, drastic action is to be taken immediately to relieve the employment situation in Winnipeg, Mayor Gray announced this afternoon. A survey of all women employed by the city with the view to reducing them to those who are self-supporting or helping to support others will begin immediately and the Mayor recommended that business concerns take similar steps.

#### PRINCE OF WALES TO VISIT JAPAN.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8. Information has been received from Tokio by the Japanese Consul here to the effect that the Prince of Wales probably will visit Japan this spring.

#### STEEL STRIKE CALLED OFF.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 8. The strike in the steel mills and furnaces called in September and which at its inception involved 367,000 men, was officially called off here to-night by the National Committee for an all day meeting.

#### THE "ARK" REACHES THE KIEL CANAL.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8. The Soviet "Ark" Butord with cargo of 248 radical aliens is about to enter the Kiel Canal, according to an official despatch received here to-day.

#### BOLSHEVIK SUCCESS.

LONDON, Jan. 8. Bolshevik cavalry have recaptured the town of Berdiansk, on the north shore of the Sea of Azov, one of the most excellent ports on the sea.

#### CANADIAN PARLIAMENT TO MEET FEBRUARY 26.

OTTAWA, Jan. 8. Parliament has been officially called for Thursday, February 26th.

#### INFLUENZA OUTBREAK ABOARD FRENCH STEAMER.

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 8. The French steamer Maitre, from Havre and Vigo with passengers and cargo for Rio de Janeiro and this port, has arrived here with five passengers dead, seven dangerously ill and a large number of others suffering from an attack of influenza which broke out in violent form a few days ago.

#### BIG WIRELESS STATION FOR VANCOUVER.

VICTORIA, B.C., Jan. 8. A directional wireless station is to be installed on the west coast of Vancouver Island by the Dominion Government in the near future. A chain of these stations is planned for the Pacific coast of the United States and it is most probable that the British Columbia equipment will work in connection with one or two of the first class stations.

#### RESULT OF PAPER SHORTAGE.

OTTAWA, Jan. 8. A partial embargo on export shipments of newspaper paper from the mills of Price Bros. to the United States has gone into force and is now in effect by order of the paper controller.

#### MOULDERS REJECT COMPROMISE OFFER.

LONDON, Jan. 8. Members of the Iron Moulders' Union who have been on strike for wage increase since September 20 have rejected the compromise offer of employers.

#### ALLIED OFFICERS ARRESTED.

PARIS, Jan. 8. The arrest of several military representatives of the Allies by a Rumanian officer in occupied Hungary, is reported in a Prague despatch through Geneva to-day. The message says that members of the military mission sent by the Allies to Arad district to inspect prison camps and re-

port on alleged atrocities of which interned Hungarians were said to have been the victims, were arrested by the commanding officer of the concentration camp who became enraged at the severe criticisms of the conditions, made by the mission.

#### ANOTHER AERIAL MAIL SERVICE.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8. Aerial mail service between Chicago and Omaha, was inaugurated to-day when pilot Smith left Grand Park carrying 400 pounds of mail and a package of meat. The meat is to be served at a banquet for General Pershing in Omaha to-night.

#### CHALLENGING NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8. The Governor of New Jersey and his advisers in political matters have decided to launch legislation by which that state would soon permit the sale and manufacture of beer and wines containing up to five per cent alcohol.

#### EXPLOSION CAUSES BIG DAMAGE.

REGINA, Sask., Jan. 8. Damage to the extent of more than \$100,000 was caused at the city power house to-day when parts of one big steam turbine burst and completely wrecked the unit.

#### MAKING PATRIOTS OF THEM.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8. "Patriotic Bolsheviks" who are raising a fund to assist their comrades held on deportation proceedings will have to invest in Liberty Bonds in order to get their friends out on bail. The authorities at Ellis Island announced to-day, that offers of cash bail had been refused since the Island had no facilities for handling large sums.

#### WILSON SILENT ON THIRD TERM.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8. President Wilson in his message to the Jackson Day dinner here to-night said, a clear and single way to determine the will of the American people on the League of Nations was to make it an issue at the next election. The president's message said nothing what ever about a third term for himself and neither did it say even by implication or intimation that he would not be a candidate as has been widely forecast. Most of all the President's message was devoted to an expression of his arguments of why he considered it the duty of the United States to join the League of Nations and why he considered the war not really won until it did. An attempt to crush the new nations of Europe would be made, the President said, if the United States held aloof.

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#### Ladies' Auxiliary Election.

A general meeting of the St. Andrew's Ladies' Auxiliary was held yesterday afternoon in the Smallwood Building. The principal business of the meeting was the election of officers for the ensuing year and making arrangements for the celebration of "Burns' Night", which will be held on the 26th of this month. The reports for the past year were read and adopted, after which the election took place with the following result: President—Mrs. H. Crawford. 1st V.P.—Mrs. C. Henderson. 2nd V.P.—Mrs. A. McKinlay. Secretary—Mrs. J. Irvine. Treasurer—Mrs. J. Wallace. The following were elected Honorary Presidents: Mesdames J. Brown, H. D. Reid and A. K. Lumsden. A vote of thanks to the retiring officers brought the meeting to a close.

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#### M.C.L.I. Opening Debate

A full house took part in the opening debate of the M. C. L. I. last evening when the Irish Question was discussed by some of the Institute's best speakers. Dr. J. A. Robinson led the negative and Mr. S. P. Whiteway the affirmative. The resolution was: "Resolved—That Lloyd George's recent proposal for the settlement of the Irish Question is the most feasible yet suggested."

Mr. S. P. Whiteway in his opening remarks reminded his audience that it took Gladstone in the year of 1886 three and a half hours to state the Irish Question, and pointed out how impossible was the task of stating it in the short time at his disposal. The chief historic facts up to the present time were briefly outlined. The problem is in reality a racial one and the religious bitterness that now threatens to overshadow the real issue has been brought about by British confiscation. Lloyd George's proposal is the most feasible yet suggested because the Bill of 1886 gave no representation in the Imperial Parliament. The Asquith Bill of 1915 led practically civil war, and the proposal of Lloyd George is along the lines on which Canada was given responsible government in 1840 and the Dominion of Canada was formed. Australia and South Africa were also formed on these lines, and hence the model on which the Empire will be federated.

Dr. Robinson while agreeing entirely with Mr. Whiteway's facts regarding the injustices heaped on this unhappy country by England, which he called "The Disgrace of the Centuries," said the reason that this great problem has not yet been solved is because not yet has the Imperial Parliament taken it into consideration with that seriousness that it demands. Britain took advantage of the war to add still greater injustice on Ireland. Asquith's Bill passed in 1915 and signed by King George, has not yet been granted; it was and is a Bill acceptable to the Irish people, and would, if granted, prove Britain true to her claims of Democracy and go a long way towards solving this great problem. Ireland by a majority vote of 3 to 1 demanded in 1918 "self-determination." The chance of a satisfactory settlement seems to have been lost. The real voice of Ireland is silent; on either side are heard the cries of extremists.

The leaders were ably supported and much valuable information added by Messrs. Bursley and A. Moore for the affirmative, and Messrs. L. Woods and F. E. Peters for the negative.

The vote showed a slight majority for the resolution.



THE SPLENDOR OF THE GOAL. He never tells the pain of it. He dreams about the gain of it. His letters ring of victory. And glorious days to be. He never pens the hurt of it. The drudgery and dirt of it. To-morrow's better, finer world is all that he can see.

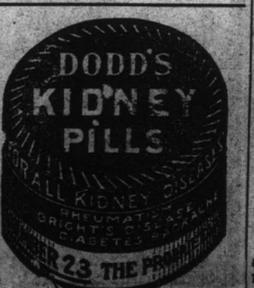
It's fine, he writes, to share in it. To have the chance to dare in it. To see the flag we love so well. Still dancing in the sky; To be a living part of it. The flesh and blood and heart of it. And feel that all that's good shall live. Long after we shall die.

His letters never sadden us. They're written just to gladden us. They tell of comrades' noble deeds And victories to be. They prophesy a spring again. When all the birds shall sing again. And all the people of the earth Rejoice in liberty.

Oh, some men preach the gloom of it— Repeat the cannon boom of it. And paint the awful scenes of death That every eye must see; They echo every moan of it. Each grim and dismal tone of it. And dull, with needless pain our faith In joys that are to be.

But he, who bears the weight of it. Who feels the hurt and hate of it. Sends not a word of doubt or fear To terrify the soul. He never counts the cost of it. Nor dwells upon the loss of it; Beyond the death and pain, he sees The splendor of the goal.

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#### Shipping Notes.

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S.S. Brighton, with a general cargo from New York and Boston, is expected here on Monday; this will probably be her last trip for the season.

WEEK OF PRAYER.—The last meeting of the Week of Prayer will be held in Wesley Church this evening at 8 o'clock. Subject: "Nations and their Rulers."

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Supporters Throng Star Hall--Candidates and Other Speakers Receive Tremendous Ovation--The Menace of Coakerism Fully Explained--Greatest Enthusiasm Ever Displayed.

"The most enthusiastic political meeting in the history of St. John's," as it was last night described by one who has for many years been a campaign manager in the district, may be taken to epitomize the great rally of the Liberal-Labor adherents at the Star of the Sea Hall. Long before the meeting began the hall was filled, and as the Chairman opened with an address of explanation hundreds more squeezed in through the doors and filled aisles, box entrance and exit halls, orchestra and every possible place where a man could get. Calculated by those who know the hall and its capacity, there were slightly over fourteen hundred people present, and in every man-jack the invincible Liberal-Labor Party had a staunch, enthusiastic, true-blue supporter and worker. There was not an East End face in the hall, while boys (usually seen at such meetings) had been prevented admittance.

Spontaneous enthusiasm marked the night. Applause greeted each point scored and the applause was none of your half-hearted, undecided applause of men who chered but didn't know at what.

"Hang 'Er Down!" was a cry caught up and carried by the packed hall, and to "hang 'er down" every man was determined.

Mr. John Cadwell occupied the chair, and he it said that a chair was never filled better nor with more acceptance on the part of the audience. His frank, fearless explanation of the events which had resulted in the Workingmen's Political Party, going with the Liberal Party appealed to every man as being straight, hard, clear-cut facts, and the cheering

which greeted his speech was proof sufficient that every man accepted his explanation. Mr. J. R. Bennett, the sitting member for St. John's West, was the first speaker. Mr. Bennett in a masterly manner disposed of the attacks made on the ministry of Sir Michael Cashin, which was only in power five months, and the personal attacks made by the Government press on himself and late colleagues. The policy of the Government to the present was vilification and abuse. He was prepared to stand it all, but he doubted if the intelligent voters of St. John's West would lie down under the attacks made on their honesty and their rights to vote as they would. Mr. Bennett concluded his address without any personal reference to the Government candidates, and asked for a straight, honest, clean fight.

Mr. W. J. Linegar followed, and his speech proved that St. John's or any other district in the Dominion would have a sitting and able representative on the floor of the Assembly if they honored him with their support. He fully explained his position in uniting with the Liberal-Progressive Party. After the General Election he, with Mr. Cadwell and Mr. Foley, interviewed Mr. Squires, by request, and after more than an hour's talk with him they were just as much in the dark as to what he wanted or wished to propose as when they entered his office. The interview only ended with Mr. Squires using a lot of words so meaningless that they did not go back to their committee to report. Then followed a meeting with Sir M. P. Cashin, at which Mr. J. McGrath, the Chairman of the Labor

Party, attended. The offer of Sir Michael was such that he and his colleagues reported to their committee. Some wanted two Labor candidates to run, but 85 out of the 100 agreed to the Cashin proposal. Mr. Linegar also dealt with the housing problem and the building committee, of which he was chairman. It would be idle to tell his story here, but no more contemptible transaction could possibly be framed than that of the men with whom he had been associated when they called themselves together, and formed a new committee. Mr. Linegar told of an interview with Mr. Squires at which Mr. Gibbs and Mr. McGrath were present and some other directors of the housing company, at which Mr. Squires offered to do something if the directors of the company took off their coats and fought for him. He could not be a party to such an outrage, and because of this stand he was vilified and attacked. Other matters were also gone into by the speaker, but space does not even permit a review. The electors will again have a chance to hear Mr. Linegar, and when they do they will hear a practical, sound, reasonable and convincing argument that will prove to them that he is worthy of their confidence in the forthcoming bye-election.

Sir Michael Cashin was the next speaker, and devoted his speech to fishery matters. In a practical and logical way he gave facts and figures of our codfishery during the last 30 years, and how the catch was handled. Up to a few years ago Water Street held the key to the situation as to making the price, and they guided themselves as to whether the catch was normal, short or above the average. Then came the outside buyer from Canada and the U. S. A. and elsewhere, and through competition the price went up. Water Street was not satisfied with this and last October was formed a combine, or a trust, which if allowed to carry out its programme would bring the fisheries back to the days of "sell here or you can't sell anywhere." That such was the case was very much in evidence when an agent for a foreign concern called on Mr. Job to offer a protest against the Coaker regulations. He was politely told by Mr. Job to go into some other business. Water Street could handle and dispose of all the fish that was caught. Sir Michael continued by reading the agreement between Hawes and the Water Street six, as to the shipping and handling of the fish exported to Europe. Hawes, the other party in the agreement, was given full control of cod to Portugal, Spain, Italy and Greece, or any other countries or markets in Europe. The agreement gave Hawes exclusive rights, and the commission given him, which was on the gross proceeds, would net about \$1,250,000. Sir Michael thought that if Mr. Hawes got \$250,000 a year out of the fishermen he was getting a fairly good salary, and he would like to know if there was not another agreement, and if some others interested were not sharing in the \$1,000,000 of profits that were left. When these iniquitous regulations were put into force there were many objections by the small man, who was shipping to Canada and the U. S. A., but no heed was given. Every other government in Newfoundland had a policy of trying to find new markets, but the Coaker-Squires combination were trying to kill the markets we had. Permits were applied for to ship fish to the U. S. A., but were refused. The result was that action was taken in the Supreme Court against the Government's action, and a unanimous decision was handed down by the Judges that the action of the Government was illegal. The whole trouble with the fish ring was to make money quickly, and he would like to know if there was not another agreement, and if some others interested were not sharing in the \$1,000,000 of profits that were left. When these iniquitous regulations were put into force there were many objections by the small man, who was shipping to Canada and the U. S. A., but no heed was given. Every other government in Newfoundland had a policy of trying to find new markets, but the Coaker-Squires combination were trying to kill the markets we had. Permits were applied for to ship fish to the U. S. A., but were refused. The result was that action was taken in the Supreme Court against the Government's action, and a unanimous decision was handed down by the Judges that the action of the Government was illegal. The whole trouble with the fish ring was to make money quickly, and he would like to know if there was not another agreement, and if some others interested were not sharing in the \$1,000,000 of profits that were left.

As a workman himself he appealed for the support of the laborers for Mr. Linegar and himself, assuring the audience he would always back up any measures in their interests brought forward by his colleague. In clear cut manner he pointed out that Squires and Brownrigg held power only at the pleasure of Coaker and if they had the interests of St. John's West at heart would have opposed the iniquitous fish regulations. They failed to do so because they hold high offices and must do as they are told letting the interests of their constituents go by the board. His own record as a member of the Municipal Council showed he was faithful to the people, and he would be so in the House of Assembly if elected with Mr. Linegar in the coming contest. The popularity of Mr. Martin was shown by the hearty applause which greeted his remarks, and at the close he was cheered to the echo. Mr. W. J. Higgin followed, and when the cheering subsided he began by pointing out that those on the platform were not bruisers as stated in the Star, and no police had been engaged to control the meeting. As far as the fish case was concerned it would be improper for him to say more than that the Court had un-animously thrown down its own Government, a thing most unusual in the judiciary of this dominion. When such happened it was clear the conditions must be exceptional and the regulations considered improper by the Court. Advantage had been taken by Coaker and the few associated with him, of an act intended to deal with entirely different conditions to conserve for themselves all things pertaining to fish, and for Mr. Hawes everything in the way of commissions. Squires and Brownrigg had to do as they were told. They weren't strong as shown by their refusal to accept the challenge to attend the Liberal-Labor meeting, and dared not oppose their boss. By the fish proclamations Coaker could do as he likes. The attempt to put them into law was claimed to be to beat the Consorzio in Italy, but the facts are that the Consorzio to-day is further from defeat than when the mad regulations were started. Experiments in some industries are all right but tricks should not be tried which were likely to ruin the whole country. It is not right for one man to jeopardize the country's interests because Hawes comes in and says "I'm your only salvation." Hawes gets a good time for the next four years. It is against every principle of right for any legislature, executive or individual to take a crazy chance on the judgment of one who a few days ago did not know if Newfoundland were an island or attached to the mainland. Such a one sided agreement was never known before. The one who agrees to a proposition giving the proposer all the benefits, is either soft or there is something in it for him. The Water Street merchants are not soft and the fish regulations were a good thing for those interested in them. The eter-

nal law of supply and demand holds good in the fish markets to-day. This is not the only fish producing country in the world, and it is foolish to think we can dictate to all outside. Knowing the decision of the Court and thinking the fish business too dangerous to be touched, where do the electors come in. On the 22nd will come the chance to answer by defeating the candidates of the Government which promulgated such outrageous regulations. In kindness to them don't send them back to be hosed about by Coaker. Labor and the Liberal Progressive parties are now bound together by a contract made above board. The issues now are different and only two parties are in the field. The question is "Is Coaker rule wrong for St. John's West." St. John's East has already answered and as this is only one big district it is up to the West Enders to return Martin and Linegar and show they cannot be bought by the giving out of a few orders, the offering of which is an insult to a voter's intelligence. That sort of tactics may buy cheap men, but not those of St. John's West. The election of Martin and Linegar will give Labor the long-looked-for representation in the House and so strengthen the Opposition that no laws will be passed unless the Liberal-Labor Party approves of them.

Capt. A. Kean was next introduced, and was warmly greeted. Capt. Kean also dealt with the fish problem and referred to a Government circular, which had been handed him, one of the paragraphs of which read: "You get more for culling \$12 fish than \$6 fish." What the paragraph meant the captain was unable to explain, but the only reasonable explanation was that the man carrying a barrow of \$12 fish would get more pay than the one carrying the \$6 fish, and if the price dropped any lower Coaker and Squires would have them carry and cull it for nothing. Dealing with the personal attack made on himself, he pointed out that during his nautical life he carried over 170,000 passengers and crews, and at no time did he have a single serious accident or any loss of life. In that time he had entered and left 25,320 ports and had struck his ship three times. The Star and Advocate wanted St. John's West to decide the election on the question of how many times he struck the Portia or Prospero. The policy of personal abuse and misrepresentation was the only means at their disposal. He was quite confident, however, that St. John's West would consider the issue of whether Coaker and the fish combine would rule, or whether honest Government would win out. He was sure of the answer, which would be a splendid victory for Martin and Linegar. Mr. James MacDonnell, M.H.A., St. George's, who will be a power in debate in the next Assembly, came next and in a speech telling and effective held the audience for more than half an hour. While Mr. MacDonnell spoke one could hear a pin drop, and his appeal went home to the hearts

of his hearers. It is impossible, in the brief space at our disposal to even attempt to outline Mr. MacDonnell's address, but those who heard it will give it full circulation, and its effect would be felt. The public will have another opportunity of hearing Mr. MacDonnell speak before polling day. At midnight the meeting closed with the National Anthem.

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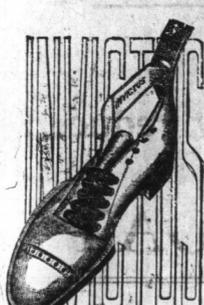
It is said that the Angels protect "boobs" and "simps". Bryant Washburn must have been surrounded by a whole flock of them in "The Poor Boob." The series of predicaments and "scrapes" that "Simp" got into will keep you rocking with laughter.

Don't "overlook" to-night's Comedy—it's only a laugh—entitled "THE NYMPH," in 2 Parts—2.

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### ANALYZING YOUR PREJUDICES.

What a absurd things prejudices usually are! Partly because they needlessly hamper those who hold them in one way or another. Partly because they use up nervous energy uselessly. And partly because they often have so little basis that if their possessors examined into their care they would often be surprised, perhaps ashamed.

It is so hard for truth to catch up with falsehood. Of course, as soon as I got to the root of the matter and consciously saw how absurd was the basis of my prejudice I was able to dig it up root and branch, and I now feel only a sort of expletory admiration. But it has been a lesson to me—how baseless a prejudice can be.

A Perfectly Ridiculous Prejudice. In fact, in the light of it I caught myself in another even more foolish. There are two big mail order houses from whom I often buy. I was told of a third and felt a reluctance to try it—partly because I suppose, it is always harder to get out of a rut than into one; partly because of that loyalty we so often feel toward the tailor shop, the restaurant, the theatre, we have distinguished by our patronage; and partly, as I discovered on analysis, because one of the firm names is the name of a man I intensely dislike. Absurd! Absolutely. Perhaps no one else would ever be so absurd. I wonder.

Fads and Fashions. Capes will be worn again. Serges show fancy corded striped effects. Fashion surely does flutter feather fans. Lace, light or dark, is greatly in evidence. Cross-stitching is seen much on underwear. Red predominates in gowns for the opera. Redingote lines are considered favorably. Velours are among the best liked sports hats. Metal brocades are having enormous success. High colors are promised in spring skirts.

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### A New Disease.

British scientists have just discovered a new disease arising out of the war. The new disease is called Fellophobia, and means "hatred of one's fellow men." British medical men define Fellophobia as akin to hydrophobia, which is caused by the bite of a mad dog. Fellophobia is found among returned soldiers in various degrees of malevolence.

### Gramophone Did It.

Neighbors, relatives and doctors for 30 days tried to wake Mrs. Fred Tracey, of Oxford, N.Y., from her "sleeping sickness," but a talking machine succeeded where human tongues had failed. When, as a last resort, a record was played, she became conscious long enough to inquire: "What was that?" Then she fell asleep again, but was aroused several times after that. Her physician now states that she will recover. The woman is 55 years old, and although believed to hold the 1919 championship for "long distance sleeping," is in good physical condition.

### A Lucky Man.

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New York, Dec. 26.—The luckiest and thricest man aboard the Cunarder Mauretania, in yesterday from Southampton and Cherbourg was Wm. F. Astley, coming from the land of thrift and Harry Lauder, to make his home in America. His distinction came through his being the ultra-happy father of a storm baby born on the most riotous day of the trip, Monday, when his wife, under the stress of unusual weather, added Frances Maura Astley to the passenger list.

The 603 cabin passengers, twenty-four hours after the birth of Frances, filled with the philanthropy of Christmas, swiftly made up a purse of \$700 for the little girl.

F. L. Kingsmith, European agent for the Ford Motor Company, besides contributing his share in the purse, decided that the little girl could not do without a proper baby carriage and he turned over to the happy father a special Christmas gift from Henry Ford, an order for an automobile "F.O.B. Detroit."

The frugal father looked at the order a few minutes and conceived the scheme of enriching his little heir by raffling the order, perhaps, fearing that the automobile might not be big enough for her when she grew up.

A notice posted in the saloon inspired most of the ship's company to invest in the car, and on Christmas Eve the inheritance of Miss Frances was increased by \$1,301. The passenger winning the car declined to be interviewed.

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When Mary had her little lamb, existence was a joke; then people lived on pie and jam, and weren't always broke. The prices then were not so steep as those of our markets quote, and so a girl could have a sheep, a warthog or a goat. If she could have a sheep, a warthog or a goat. If she could have a sheep, a warthog or a goat. If she could have a sheep, a warthog or a goat.

Mary had a lamb to-day, and wished to feed the same, and went to buy a bale of hay, she'd find the price a shame. And she would cry, "Oh, mutton dear, when prices freeze my blood; if you can't live on atmosphere, methinks your name is Mud. I gnash my teeth and mourn and weep to see you go away; but I must have a wooden sheep, that doesn't bleat for hay." When Mary had her little lamb you'd buy a herd of swine, for what you now pay for a ham, that's mostly bone and brine. Then little girls could have their lambs, to trail along behind, and bobcats, crocodiles and clams, and pets of every kind. And they could have their polar bears, and wolves, and snakes galore, and build them neat and cozy lairs beneath the kitchen floor. But now a girl would get in wrong, if she with pets should fool; and Mary takes no lamb along, when she proceeds to school.

### Dead City Discovered by Airman

Lieut.-Col. J. A. Beazley gives in the Geographical Journal an interesting example of how photography from an airship can extend our knowledge. When making an aerial reconnaissance in Mesopotamia over territory occupied by the Turks, he took a series of photographs near Samarra, which shows distinctly the ruins of a ancient city extending twenty miles along the Tigris River and two miles and a half wide, large enough to shelter easily 4,000,000 inhabitants. This city would never have been noticed on the level, since it is not marked by anything but scattered hillocks, although pottery and medals had been discovered on the site. But the photographs show clearly its whole plan, with its fortifications, canals for irrigation and streets.

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By Bud Fisher.





**Evening Telegram**

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor  
C. T. JAMES, Editor

Friday, January 9, 1920.

**Your Bread & Butter**

Here is something for the workingmen of St. John's West to consider, something that appeals to them directly inasmuch as it is deliberately taking the hard-earned money from every pocket of the laboring classes, irrespective of status, without any equivalent return or any possibility of redress, while the men who are in authority at the moment are allowed to remain in power. The high cost of living was used by every Squires-Coaker candidate from the hustings last fall as one reason why the Cashin Government should be defeated. Used persistently with all the power of invective of which the fuglemen of the Liberal (?) Reform Party were capable, and buttressed by inaccurate and misleading statements as to prevalent conditions, the people who listened were befuddled and led astray from their usually correct judgment, and heeded the wily and plausible assertions of the men, who knew they were uttering untruths, even as they spoke them.

But what has happened since? Has the high cost of living diminished? Have the men to whom the people entrusted the Government done anything or attempted to do anything to make good their pre-election promises? Do they care anything about the people now that they imagine they are firmly seated in the saddle of power? Let this be the answer. Flour that was selling at FOURTEEN DOLLARS a barrel one week ago, is now selling at SIXTEEN DOLLARS, giving an extra profit to importers of TWO DOLLARS per barrel, these TWO DOLLARS being deliberately taken from the pockets of the consumers, stolen from them as callously as though they had been held up and robbed on the highway by footpads. Butter, of local manufacture, selling last week at FOUR DOLLARS and EIGHTY-FIVE CENTS for a ten-pound tub, is now FIVE DOLLARS and FORTY CENTS, clear profiteering of FIFTY-FIVE CENTS on every ten-pound tub sold by the manufacturers. Has the Government stepped in and forbidden this altogether outrageous advance on the price of Flour and Butter? Not so that one could notice it. Pre-election expressed sentiments do not find favor with the men who follow the lead of Messrs. Coaker and Squires.

It is freely known that Mr. Coaker, as President of the Union Trading Company, purchased some time ago at the market quotations of the day, TEN THOUSAND BARRELS of a well known grade of Flour from a firm of mill agents in this city, and the bulk of this purchase is lying in his stores at Port Union. In addition to this stock all his branch stores are well supplied. To any who doubts this statement they are referred to a letter published in the local press recently over the signature of Mr. Job H. Roberts, wherein he complained

that the Reid Newfoundland Company were giving preferential treatment to Mr. Coaker in the matter of cars for the transportation of his flour at a time when other consignees were unable to secure freight facilities. It is also currently stated that the Union Trading Company have placed a contract for its twelve months' supply of Butterine. This, of course, prior to the advance. Cannot the workingmen put two and two together and discover why it is that there is no Government interference?

In view of all this, it will be interesting to note just what the Advocate—the personal organ of Mr. Coaker—will have to say, and what measures it will suggest adopting to prevent profiteering such as has been presented, but with an extra TWO DOLLARS' profit on TEN THOUSAND Barrels of Flour, and FIFTY-FIVE CENTS on a ten-pound tub of Butterine, Coaker should worry, as this must certainly ensure larger dividends to shareholders, and make safe the ten per cent. for the ensuing year. But to those who are not shareholders, to those who were cajoled by smooth tongues into voting for the Coaker-Squires candidates, there will not be much satisfaction in the knowledge that they are being bled white by constantly increasing prices to satisfy the cupidity and greed of speculators. The people of St. John's West are made to suffer that others may profit at their expense, but a remedy is placed in their hands in the shape of the ballot, and they can apply that remedy on January 22nd by voting for the men, who are opposing the profiteering proclivities of the friends of Dictator Coaker and his made-to-order Prime Minister—MARTIN and LINEGAR.

**Facts For West End Voters.**

**66 MALEFIC DAYS OF TORY GOVERNMENT.**

If the West End electors fail to take advantage of the opportunity that will come to them on the 22nd, to kill Coakerism and put out the Tory Government that is bringing new curses on the country every day since they assumed control of its public affairs, they will have four long years of regret before them. If Squires was a Premier in the real sense of the word, and possessed the power and privileges of a Premier, there may be some hope, but the sixty-six days of office of the Tory Government have given proof after proof that Squires is only a political tool in the hands of Coaker, and is compelled to do his bidding. Squires is intelligent enough, we all know, not to be well aware that nearly all the public acts done by the Government since they assumed office, are not alone prejudicial to the general welfare of the country, but are also inimical to his own and Brownrigg's chances of getting re-elected in St. John's West, and had he been real astute, he certainly would have waited till after the bye-election to dismiss Capt. Kean, and to have forced the resignation of Hon. J. A. Robinson. He would have deferred creating a department of education giving Mr. Barnes \$2,500 a year, with the implication that the present denominational system was going to be changed, and that Barnes would boss the school superintendents and the clergymen of the different denominations in future.

If this is not the intention, then they will have to take the other horn of the dilemma and admit that Barnes' appointment is a disgraceful piece of political jobbery and fraud on the taxpayers of Newfoundland. It is equally hostile to Squires' prospects of election in the West End to have the iniquitous exporting regulations put into

operation. If Squires was a party to these things he must have lost all his shrewdness and cuteness since election day, which those who are his worst enemies have never denied him, because the Supreme Court has decided against Coaker's outrageous and absurd export prohibition, and Squires must have known that this would happen, though he allowed himself to sanction the proclamation giving the regulations effect. What a come down for our brilliant young Solon, the one and only bright legal luminary of the Newfoundland bar. All those happenings are operating against Squires in the West End. If so why did he not save them off till he had his seat secure for four years? The answer is plain. He could not if he would. He is Premier on the sufferance of Coaker and his F.P.U. men, and he knows that if he does not agree to everything that Coaker wishes to have done he would be thrown out immediately. Some people are bad enough to give this solution, viz., that Coaker has planned it all in order to get rid of Squires and make Warren Prime Minister. Certainly the circumstances are sufficiently plausible to bear such an interpretation, and more credence is given to the theory by recalling the bitterly hostile relations that existed between Coaker and Squires up to last September, when Dr. Campbell performed his now historic "grafting operation" and brought the two into apparent if not real unity.

Be this as it may, St. John's West in the meantime is the unfortunate victim of Squires' helplessness and Coaker's domination. To-day it reminds one of the winter of the Bank Crash, and there is an ominous look in the faces of the workingmen. Some one is going to get the effect of their pent-up indignation on the 22nd. There is no work on the wharves, and nearly all the coopers are idle because they can't sell their fish-casks. There were twenty-five applications at one firm yesterday to sell casks, but as the fish was going away in bulk there was "nothing doing." Three big Tory four firms that tumbled over each other to congratulate Squires in November, have already advanced their flour \$2.00 a barrel; others more timid and more cautious are waiting to see "how the people will take it," and have put on only \$1.00. Others—thank goodness the larger number—who do not want to grind the faces of the poor, and who believe in a Hereafter, have only added 50 cents in pursuance of what has usually to be done to cover carrying charges, insurance and interest. They are expecting that the Government will intervene to decide whether the \$2.00 touch is not profiteering, and if it is to have plunderers rounded up. They shall, we fear, wait in vain for action on behalf of the people from the Tory Government. The latest tax on the poor people was levied Tuesday last, when the oil companies—here advanced the price of kerosene oil 1 1/2 cents a gallon, and it is rumored on the street to-day that the price of tobacco will soon get another lift. Truly Tory times are hard times! But there is a chance to be relieved from them on the 22nd if Labor stands true to its colors in the West-End. If not, look out for wholesale emigration in the Spring, if through high prices for food, lack of work and scarcity of coal the people will live so long. We have sufficient confidence to believe from the expressions of the West End workers the past few days, that this will not occur. The people's blood is up; they keep silent for the most part, but they are thinking a lot. Every man who wants to stay at home and live his life in St. John's, will go to the polls on the 22nd, vote for LINEGAR and MARTIN, and root Coakerism out of St. John's for ever.

**SHRAPNEL.**

St. John's West will kill Coakerism on January 22nd.

Cannot Doc Campbell prescribe something for 'Arris of the Star?

Eating too many Green Peas has given the Adelaide Street-Toronto journalist-medic a bad attack of political dyspepsia.

Squires and Brownrigg are not 'appy men these days. Martin and Linegar are keeping them too much on the move. Going, Going, GONE!

Labor has seen through the little play staged by Coaker, in which Hawes and the six members of the Water Street Ring are the chief performers, and the Court has censured it thoroughly and effectively.

The Post asks where was the pink sheet (Telegram) during the war? The Telegram asks where was John St. John and Harris M. Mosdell during the war? Were they hiding behind privilege? That's the answer.

That wonderful Campaign dodger distributed about town by the Coaker-Squires Tory bunch is certainly some document. The collective wisdom and brains of the Star and Post crowd must have suffered some strain after its composition.

Meanwhile, if it will soothe the troubled mind of the "hedlaw" of the Star, St. John's West sends him this advice:

'ANG 'ER DOWN 'ARRIS!

**Supreme Court.**

(Before the Full Bench.)  
In the matter of the application of Smith & Shipman Co. Ltd. for a writ of mandamus directed to the Hon. H. J. Brownrigg, Minister of Customs.  
The King vs. Henry Brownrigg.  
The Attorney General for H. Brownrigg makes application for an order granting leave to appeal from the judgment of the Court delivered on the 8th day of January, 1920, to His Majesty in Council and that the issue of the writ be stayed. Mr. Emerson does not object to leave to appeal but objects to the stay of an issue of the writ. C. A. V.

**King vs. Mary Howell.**

The Deputy Minister of Justice moves for arraignment to-morrow at 11 a.m.

**CARNATION OUTFITS.**—We are just opening boxes of Carnation Outfits containing materials sufficient to make three dozen beautiful natural-like Carnations, and instructions how to make them, at One Dollar and Sixty per box. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.

**G. W. V. A. Magazine.**

The Great War Veterans' Association will likely have the first issue of their magazine ready in March. As there are nearly 4,000 members of the Association the magazine will have a large circulation. The Board of Editors consists of: Mr. Fred Emerson, Editor-in-Chief; Capt. Hugh Anderson, H. A. Winter, Capt. L. C. Murphy, J. G. Higgins, B.A., Harold Mitchell and J. J. Ryan; and with these wielders of facile pens it is promised that the literary efforts will be entertaining and interesting. Some contributions from leaders of the Empire are also forthcoming, and an especially good number is anticipated.

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**Shipwrights Elect Officers.**

At the annual meeting of the Shipwrights' Union held last night the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

President—F. Pitcher.  
1st V.P.—J. Fynn.  
2nd V.P.—E. Squires.  
Secretary—W. Doran.  
Treasurer—W. W. Whitmarsh.  
Senior Committee Man—Jas. Peddie.  
A committee of ten, including Mr. Peddie, was also elected. The reports of the Secretary and Treasurer were presented and adopted and showed the affairs of the organization to be in a flourishing condition.

**McMurdo's Store News.**

FRIDAY, Jan. 9.  
We have pleased a young lady in charge of our Toilet Goods Department, and she will also sell Chocolates and Sundries. We think the change will help our patrons to have their wants in this way supplied more promptly as well as more satisfactorily than before.  
There is not the least doubt as to the value of our Creco Cough Cure in cases of recent colds and coughs. Indeed it has become a family remedy which is greatly relied upon during the winter and spring months. Price 50c a bottle.

**Historical Society.**

At last night's meeting of the Historical Society a most interesting paper on the Pilgrim Fathers was read by Mr. W. A. Munn. Details of the life of these early settlers, their dealings with the Indians, their customs, dress and houses were told. The story of a Red Indian who was the first these dauntless men heard speak English in the new colony was very interesting. The Indian had been captured years before and sold as a slave in Malaga. From there he was smuggled on board a ship belonging to "Guys" colony and brought to Newfoundland. Guy sent him back to his native soil and his words to the Pilgrim Fathers on meeting them were, "Welcome Englishmen."

A close connection between New England and Newfoundland was made during the life time of the Pilgrim Fathers, and one of their ships visited Bay Bulls in 1655 to purchase cod-fish. Newfoundland selling rum, molasses and sugar brought from the West Indies and buying hogs, fowl, medicine and footwear. For some years the Collector of Customs at St. John's was a subordinate of the Collector at Boston. Mr. Munn in replying to a vote of thanks moved by Dr. Burke and seconded by Mr. H. F. Shortis, took occasion to recall other connections with the American colonies referring to such families as the Gills, the Hutchings, Bridges and Dunscombes, some of whose ancestors were born there. The following were elected to membership. Rev. Chas. Lench, Messrs. T. J. Pope, M. Bursey and J. D. Lockyer and the following will be balloted for at the next meeting, Feb. 12th, which is the annual one, and open to members only:—Messrs. Thos. Foote, (Grand Bank); George Hutchings, D. Jas. Davies, Robert S. Munn and C. T. James, (Evening Telegram).

**Shipping Notes.**

S. S. Rosalind is leaving New York for here via Halifax, Sunday morning. S. S. Henry Clay Sailed at 8 a.m. this morning for Antwerp.  
Schooner Clutha fish laden, cleared for Gibraltar this morning, from G. M. Barr.

S. S. Coban 2 days from Louisbourg coal laden to the Reid Newfoundland Co., arrived in port this morning.  
S. S. New York, 7 days from New York, with a cargo of oil and bound to Rotterdam, arrived in port to-day short of coal.

S. S. Nevada, 4 hours from Bell Island in ballast and bound to Louisbourg, put into port this morning, for men to make up a crew.

Schooner Ruby and Dorothy, cleared from Port Union for Lisbon, with 5120 qtls. codfish shipped by Union Trading Co.

**Coastal Boats.**

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S. S. Susu arrived at Westleyville at 2 o'clock, there awaiting a favorable opportunity to proceed further.

S. S. Ingraham arrived at Catalina at 2 o'clock, with the schooner Monchy in tow.

**REIDS'**

Argyle left Lamaline at 11.30 a.m. yesterday, inward.

Clyde left Valleyfield at 8.15 p.m. yesterday, going to Lewisporte.

Glencoe, Patrol not reported.  
Home arrived at Catalina last night, on the way to St. John's.

Meigle at North Sydney.  
Sagona at Port aux Basques.

**Here and There.**

**MAGISTERIAL INQUIRY.**—An enquiry into the death of the Norwegian sailor, at the Seamen's Institute begins at the Magistrates Court this evening.

BISHOP'S New Shoe Store are now opening a big variety of Women's Patriotic High Cut and Low Cut Shoes similar to those now showing at Arnold Constable, the well Fifth Avenue New York Shoe Store.

**AT THE CROSBIE.**—The following guests are registered at the Crosbie:—Robert Dunford, Grand Bank; L. R. Riggs, Flat Island; T. W. Loughlan, Flat Island; F. G. Tibbo, Grand Bank; John Cheeseman, Burin; T. V. Hollett, Burin; R. C. Bonnell, St. John.

Fifty-three pairs of Men's Eighteen Dollar Emerson Boots are now selling for Nine Dollars and Twenty, Eleven Dollars and Ten and Twelve-Twenty per pair at BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD., New Shoe Store. This fifty-three pairs of genuine all leather shoes are at least six dollars per pair under price and are sure to sell in a very few hours.

**CIVIL COURT PROCEEDINGS.**—In the Civil Court to-day, a Mr. Jessop, belonging to the Old Country sued the Consolidated Foundry claiming that under an agreement, he is entitled to not less than \$4.50 per day on piece work. The company claims that he is entitled to payment on the basis of piece work done. The case was adjourned till Tuesday. Hunt for defendant; Gibbs for plaintiff.

**MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DYPH- THERIA.**

**MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES**

**CILDS, &c.**

**MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DYPH-**

**TEMPER.**

**Horlick's Malted Milk**

**Chicken, Ducks, Geese, Turkeys.**

**Allenbury's Milk Food.**

**MORTON'S SOUPS.**—Soup and Bouilli, Green Pea, Fatty Broth, Mulligatawny, Vegetable, Julienne.  
**Van Houten's Cocoa** Cadbury's Cocoa, Bournville Cocoa, Fry's Cocoa, Cleveland Cocoa, Vi Cocoa, Cowan's Cocoa.

**BOVRIL.**

**Table Apples, Table Pears, "Sunkist" Oranges, Tangerine Oranges, Grape Fruit, Grapes, Table Raisins.**  
**KOP'S WINES.**—Ginger Wine, Port Wine, Sherry Wine, Orange Wine, Raisin Wine, Cherry Brandy.

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Ideal Winter Vacation **BERMUDA.** Resort. Service to be resumed in December, 1919, by Furness Bermuda Line fast twin screw palatial steamers.  
S. S. "FORT HAMILTON", 11,000 tons displacement, sails from New York December 6, 17, 27.  
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Every Man that has trouble in getting a pair of Shoes that will fit him perfectly should come here for Shoes!

No matter whether your feet be large, small or of medium size, you are sure to find a last that is especially adapted to YOUR foot, if you will but come to us with your Shoe Troubles!

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We're showing all the correct Winter Shoes in the Conservative or the Extreme Styles!

Shoes at \$6.00, \$8.00, \$9.00, \$11.00, \$20.00.

Just Test our Expert Shoe Service and see the result of buying Your Shoes Here!

**Parker & Monroe, Ltd.**  
THE SHOE MEN.

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**Homeless Children.**

A poorly clad child named Teen, aged 13, living with her sister, aged 14, was found on the street last night by the police and taken to the lockup for shelter. The children's parents are dead and they have been living by themselves near Brien St. since the death of their father. The child was before court this morning and was taken by a woman of the Higher Levels to learn housekeeping. No home has yet been found for the elder girl.

**Damaged Ship Arrives.**

The S. S. Worcester, owned by the U. S. Shipping Board, put in port this morning short of fuel. She is an oil burning ship of 5,100 tons gross and is operated by the International Mercantile Marine. She is from London to Boston and during the passage met with boisterous weather, causing some deck damages. One of the sailors had his eye badly injured and had to be attended by a doctor. A survey of the ship to ascertain the extent of the damage done has not yet been made.

**Here and There.**

**CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.**—A case of smallpox was reported from Boston Street this morning, and the patient, a married woman, was taken to hospital. A case of diphtheria was reported from York Street yesterday, and the patient, a one-year-old boy, was taken to hospital.

**SAILED FOR GLOUCESTER.**

The following schooners sailed from Woods' Island for Gloucester: Louisa R. Sylvia, with 1050 bris; and Klara with 558 bris; herring; the Ellinboro N., and the T. M. Nicholson sailed for Channel to fish loading. Bay of Islands was full of ice for three days but the Jan moved off last night and there are four vessels at North Arm yet.

**DIED.**

Passed peacefully away on January 7th, at midnight, after a short illness, William Patrick, son of the late John and Jane Kirby, aged 48 years, leaving to mourn four brothers and three sisters. Funeral from his late father's residence, Pierce Avenue, Wood's Pond Road, on Saturday at 2 p.m. Friends will please accept this as the only intimation.—R.I.P.

**Stamped Linens.**

GUEST TOWELS—Huck, in new, stamped designs, on plain grounds.  
Reg. 40c. each. Friday & Sat. **34c.**  
Reg. 55c. each. Friday & Sat. **44c.**  
On striped grounds

**MORE ALTERATIONS!**

We are altering and improving this great Store in many departments; and, in order to make the necessary changes as rapidly as possible we have marked desirable, up-to-the-minute merchandise for

**Child's Jersey Leggings.**

White, Grey, Brown and Black. They give great comfort, look well and protect the stockings from wear. All round serviceable garments. Sizes for children wearing size 2 up to size 10 boots.  
Reg. \$1.10 pair. Friday and Saturday **95c.**

**FRIDAY and SATURDAY**

at prices that will move it to your home in a hurry. Just read these Friday and Saturday Sales, then come, and besides finding unusual savings, see the improvements we are making.

- MEN'S WOOL SWEATER COATS**—Heavy knit in Brown with maroon collar, pocket tops and front edging; an all-round serviceable garment that buttons snugly about the neck and fits well; all sizes from 36 to 42 inches. Reg. \$4.25 each. Friday and Saturday **\$3.50**
- MEN'S FLOWING END TIES**—Combination colors in stripes, floral effects, plaids and fancy patterns that will suit the most particular people. Regular \$1.65 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.48**
- MEN'S SOFT, STRIPED PIQUE COLLARS**—Double style with wide open front; made with buttons attached to close at corners; a very neat and stylish shape; all sizes. Reg. 40c. each. Friday and Saturday **36c.**
- MEN'S LAWN INITIALLED HANDKERCHIEFS**—Large size, with narrow hemstitched hem; neat and effective initials worked in colors. Regular 20c. each. Friday and Saturday **36c.**
- MEN'S KHAKI WOOL MUFFLERS**—Heavy weight, tubular Mufflers in a lasting quality; made in a good wide width with deep knotted fringe. If you require a good, serviceable neckpiece you cannot purchase a better one anywhere than the line we offer here. Regular \$2.30 each. Friday and Saturday **\$2.05**
- MEN'S PLEIN COLOR DERBY AND WIDE END TIES**—In Greys, Dark Reds and Blue, also floral and fancy effects in the most desirable combination colors; all new stock only recently opened. Regular \$1.10 each. Friday and Saturday **93c.**
- MEN'S KID AND BUCKSKIN LINED GLOVES**—A glove bargain that every man should immediately take advantage of. Some of these gloves are worth more than \$4.00 pair, but we want to clear them and we have marked them at a clearing price. Special, per pr., Friday & Sat. **\$2.90**

- WOMEN'S NOIRE UNDERSKIRTS**—Stout, service-giving quality at a moderately low price. These skirts are made in a very desirable style with pleated flounce, drawing, adjustable waist and medium width skirt. The colors are Wine, Saxe, Nigger and Black. Regular \$2.25 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.95**
- WOMEN'S NAVY SERGE DRESSES**—A pretty, new style you will quickly admire. The skirt is pleated all around, the belt at waist has a small pocket and the waist is made with vestee front and collar of white mervé silk. Reg. \$32.00. Friday and Saturday **\$27.00**
- WOMEN'S SCOTCH PLAID SKIRTS**—A popular American model, cut small and finished with button trimmed pockets and wide belt at waist. These skirts we have only recently opened and they are going like ripe cherries, so we advise you to get one this week at the reduced price, for you may never have this opportunity again. Regular \$5.50 each. Friday and Saturday **\$4.50**  
Regular 11.00 each. Friday and Saturday **\$9.00**
- WOMEN'S EIDERDOWN DRESSING GOWNS**—A warm, comfortable garment without cumbersome weight. The cuffs and collar are nicely trimmed with satin edging; the buttons are also of satin to match. Reg. \$9.75 each. Friday and Saturday **\$8.25**
- MISSIE'S STITCHED RIM CRUSHABLE FELT HATS**—In attractive two-tone colors; very fashionable and up-to-date. The low price should attract many shrewd buyers. Reg. \$5.00 each. Friday and Saturday **\$3.75**
- MISSIE'S SMOOTH FELT HATS**—An extra good quality with band of silk in a contrasting or blending shade let in through slits in the crown, forming a kind of check effect. Reg. \$5.50 each. Friday and Saturday **\$4.35**
- WOMEN'S VELOUR FELT HATS**—In Navy, Fawn, Grey, Royal, Taupe and Black; a desirable, long front brim with ornament and bow of self color ribbon. Reg. \$7.50 each. Friday and Saturday **\$5.50**



**A Great Clearance of Wom's, Misses & Children's HATS. SWEEPING REDUCTIONS.**

Hats that were offered at prices ranging from 65c. each up to \$4.50 will be sold to-morrow at **50c.** each.

Others ranging in price from \$1.00 up to \$4.75 each will be offered at **75c.** each.

The opportunity to buy these at so great a reduction is due to our decision to clear them at once. There are some 489 hats altogether, mostly Felts and Velours.

- BOYS' KNITTED WOOL GLOVES**—All wool, seamless "Jason" gloves, in Grey and Heathers. Sizes 4 to 10 years. Reg. 90c. pair. Friday and Saturday **78c.**
- PILLOW CASES**—Plain Cotton in a good heavy; size 21 x 32 inches. Reg. \$1.00 each. Friday and Saturday **85c.**  
Reg. 70c. each. Friday and Saturday **60c.**

**There's Warmth Without Cumbersome Weight in Riverside Blankets. Let Us Show You a Pair.**

- WOMEN'S HEAVY KNIT UNION WOOL SWEATER COATS**—Made without collar. The edge at front is in closely knit self material which extends around the neck and continues down the front; cuffs and pocket tops to match. Reg. \$3.50 each. Friday and Saturday **\$2.90**
- GOLD BROOCHES**—Scroll design, set with stones of various kinds; high grade; most remarkably low priced. Reg. \$3.50 each. Friday & Saturday **\$1.95**
- WOMEN'S NECKWEAR**—Collars in roll and sailor styles, beautifully embroidered and lace trimmed. Collar and cuff sets of fine muslin, with lace and insertion trimming. New and beautiful neckwear that almost any woman can buy because of the low price. Reg. 85c. Friday and Saturday **70c.**
- AMBER COLOR BEAD NECKLETS**—In various pretty styles; some graded in size, others with beads mixed through to blend or contrast in color. Reg. \$1.20 each. Friday and Saturday **98c.**
- WOMEN'S SUSPENDERS**—Of fine Sateen, made to fasten around the waist, four strong elastic hose supports; nickelled metal parts; rubber buttons. Reg. 95c. each. Friday and Saturday **80c.**

- WOMEN'S FANCY KNIT SCARFS**—Just the right Scarf for Newfoundland winters; good, thick, warm and fleecy; made 12 inches wide with striped ends. Colors: Plain Black, and White with Pink or Black stripes. Reg. 80c. \$1.00 each. Friday & Saturday
- WOOL FASCINATORS**—Bordered at outside edge with wool, knotted fringe; Saxe, White and Purple stripes only. Reg. \$1.75 each. Friday & Saturday **\$1.55**

**Seasonable FOOTWEAR**

**UNDER PRICED.**

- MEN'S HEAVY ELK BLUCHER BOOTS**—With hard wearing soles and heels of white leather. The fronts are treble stitched and heels strongly reinforced; double stitched soles and bellows tongue. Reg. \$7.80 pair. Friday and Saturday **\$6.92**
- MEN'S FINE BOX CALF BOOTS**—A real dressy style with rubber heel, invisible eyelets and self-tip. Extra quality; well finished. Reg. \$9.85 pair. Friday and Saturday **\$8.85**
- WOMEN'S PLAIN CASHMERE HOSE**—Winter weight, in nice soft quality; fast black. Reg. \$1.35 pair. Friday and Saturday **\$1.16**
- CHILDREN'S RED FELT JULIETTES**—Thickly padded chrome leather soles, silk cord edge and pom-pom trimmed fronts. Sizes 12 to 2. Reg. \$1.75 pair. Friday and Saturday **\$1.56**
- SELF-ADJUSTING CREEPERS**—For any boot, rubber or gaiter; adjusts itself to the right size of heel. Reg. 40c. pair. Friday and Saturday **34c.**
- WOMEN'S TAN HIGH LACED BOOTS**—With cloth top, pointed toe and high heel. The intersole is of chrome leather which is a great protection against dampness. Reg. \$9.75 pair. Friday and Saturday **\$8.70**
- WOMEN'S BOX CALS SKATING BOOTS**—With damp-proof sole, medium height heel and fancy perforated front. These boots are well made and lined with stout twill cotton. Reg. \$9.35 pair. Friday and Saturday **\$8.40**

- WOMEN'S FLEECE LINED CORSET COVERS**—Stout, frost-resisting garments of very fine knit; made for comfort and wear from good quality union yarns; short sleeves; durable; crocheted edge. Reg. \$1.45 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.28**
- WOMEN'S CREAM FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR**—Very elastic quality, made with long sleeves and medium neck. Reg. 95c. garment. Friday and Saturday **84c.**
- BOXES OF HANDKERCHIEFS**—White Lawn, neatly hemmed and hemstitched; embroidered corners; three to a box. Reg. 55c. box. Friday, Saturday and Monday **45c.**
- CREPE DE CHENE BLOUSES**—A beautiful new style in Maize, Peach, Beige or White; most suited for special occasion wear. They are neatly trimmed with hemstitching around the collar, at cuffs and down the front. Reg. \$10.75 each. Friday and Saturday **\$9.00**
- HABUTAI SILK BLOUSES**—Plain and all-over tucked. Real dressy styles that women would be glad to wear; V and round neck. Reg. \$1.75 each. Friday and Saturday **\$9.00**
- WOMEN'S STRIPED JAP SILK BLOUSES**—In Black, Brown and Maize, with white ground; in a very serviceable style with convertible collar; washable colors. Reg. \$5.50 ea. Friday and Saturday **\$4.50**

- FINE RIBBED CASHMERE UNDERWEAR FOR WOMEN**—Round and V shaped neck with adjustable drawing; long sleeves; open or closed pants. Reg. \$1.90 garment. Friday and Saturday **\$1.50**
- WOMEN'S WHITE FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR**—A good heavy weight that will prove most comfortable and wear well; short sleeves. Reg. 95c. garment. Friday & Saturday **78c.**



**CHILDREN'S WEAR.**

- CHILDREN'S "SLIPOVA" ROMPERS**—Extra quality, considered most remarkably low price at \$1.00 each. Sizes to 6 years. Special for Friday and Saturday, each **80c.**
- DARK COTTON OVERALL DRESSES**—Dozens of different styles in floral, check stripes, etc., with plain color trimming. Sizes up to 6 years. Reg. \$1.70 to \$1.85 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.50**
- "KLEINERTS" WATERPROOF BABY PAINTS**—To be worn over diapers to protect the outer garments from dampness. Reg. 80c. pair. Friday & Sat. **70c.**  
Reg. \$1.10 pair. Friday & Sat. **90c.**

**FLOWING VEILS.**

- Navy, Brown, Black, etc., with chenille spots and fancy spotted borders in various designs. Assorted meshes. Regular 95c. each. Friday and Saturday **80c.**  
Regular 80c. each. Friday and Saturday **65c.**
- SKIRT SUPPORTS**—In White or Black, made with heavily nickelled, rustless metal parts. These Supports hold the waist and skirt securely together without pinning. They save time and temper. Reg. 12c. ea. Friday and Saturday **6c.**
- PILLOW CASES**—Beautifully designed and neatly hemstitched. Size 22 by 36 inches. Reg. \$3.80 each. Friday **\$3.15** and Saturday

**BUDDY BOOTS are Made in One Quality Only: The BEST.**

- HALF BLIND NET**—A most desirable quality and design, imitation frill. Reg. 40c. yard. Friday and Saturday **32c.**
- LARGE SIZE PLAIN COTTON BOLSTER CASES**—Linen buttons to close on the inside; size 20 x 54 inches. Reg. \$1.10 each. Friday and Saturday **95c.**
- SILK PANELED DOWN COMFORTERS**—The most desirable color combination you could wish to choose from. One side is covered with fine, soft quality Art Sateen or Cotton, the other is suitably paneled with plain silk in colors to match. Reg. \$14.00 each. Friday and Saturday **\$12.70**
- VITRAGE NET**—One pattern only, 17 inches wide; remarkable value. Reg. 17c. yard. Friday and Saturday **14c.**
- WINDOW SCRM**—Ivory and Cream with fancy openwork edge and imitation hem. Reg. 55c. yard. Friday and Saturday **48c.**

**MEN'S HIP RUBBERS.**

Full length, canvas lined Rubbers with red soles, and heels of new five rubber. They are double at the knees and are well protected at all wearing points. Reg. \$7.50 pair. Friday and Saturday **\$6.60**

- FAMORAI SILK**—A good wearing, serviceable silk for Blouses, Dresses and Skirts. It is very closely woven and has a finish like Shangtung, but much finer. The colors are Brown, Navy, Grey, Saxe, Black and White. Reg. \$3.60 yard. Friday and Saturday **\$3.20**
- COLORS JAP SILK**—In Cream, Red, Saxe, Hello, Grey, Brown, Navy and Light Blue. A beautiful silk for draping or to use for light weight lining; rich shades of Cream, Red, Saxe, Hello, Grey, Brown, Navy and Light Blue; 22 inches wide. Reg. 45c. yard. Friday and Saturday **37c.**
- NAVY and BLACK ALL-WOOL DRESS SERGE**—Extra qualities and real good value at their regular prices. This is a splendid opportunity to get a dress length at a reduced price. Reg. \$5.20 yd. Fri. & Sat. **\$4.75**  
Reg. \$5.75 yd. Fri. & Sat. **\$5.25**  
Reg. \$6.35 yd. Fri. & Sat. **\$5.95**
- NETZ CORD**—Splendid for dresses or single skirts; finer than Gaberdine; 40 inches wide. Reg. \$3.55 yd. Fri. & Sat. **\$3.25**
- BANNOCKBURN TWEEDS**—Mottled Greys, especially desirable for costumes; pure wool, 58 inches wide. Reg. \$5.25 yard. Friday and Saturday **\$5.25**
- AMERICAN CROCHET QUILTS**—Assorted patterns in double bed size; a good serviceable quality, and very low priced. Reg. \$3.40 each. Friday and Saturday **\$3.10**

**At the City Hall.**

The regular weekly session of the City Council was held yesterday. The Mayor and all the Councilors were present. After the preliminary business was gone through the following matters were disposed of:

A letter was read from the Minister of Justice in which he states he was enquiring into the title to the old Railway property East End.

In connection with the foregoing Solicitor Carter reported that the Reid Company had no power to issue lease of this property for building purposes, as they only held it for Railway purposes.

It was decided to have the Solicitor report on who would be responsible for making road and laying water and sewerage there.

Baine Johnson & Co., requested the necessary permission to open the city main water pipe for the purpose of installing a sprinkler system. The request at this season could not be acceded to as it would be risky turning off water on Water Street.

A claim from the Gas Company for damages to their gas main was ordered to be paid.

The Reid Newfoundland Company wrote that conditions during the past two or three weeks were exceptionally bad which caused many of the electric lamps to be out. The circuits were open in some cases and lamps broken. It was held that some allowance should be made for the time lights were out. The Council does not blame the Company, but if the service is not given it should not be paid for.

Permits were ordered to be given Horwood, Lumber Company and C. J. Truscott to make repairs to buildings.

The Secretary of the N. I. W. A. wrote in reference to Richard Hopkins of the Sanitary staff who claims he was hurt. Ordered the facts be given to Mr. Nauflits.

Solicitor Carter reported that action in the Supreme Court was being taken against the parties who have not paid their bills for improvements as prescribed by the Municipal Act of 1919. Also that the draft agreement in reference to the Quidi Vidi Road houses was being prepared.

The Engineer's weekly report as to water and street conditions was read. Attention was called to a letter in the Herald re Mr. D. French. At the time Mr. French asked to be relieved of his duties he was asked to give one month's notice or remain until some one was appointed. Mr. French had been assisting until the end of the year but his work has now terminated. Decided to advertise for a boy.

**Train Movements.**

An express reached town at 2.30 this morning.

The express which left here yesterday was at Port Blandford this morning and is making good time.

The Trepassey train is not yet running, though the track has been cleared for a considerable distance. The work is tedious and picks have to be used to remove the ice which has formed under the snow.

**From Cape Race.**

Special to Evening Telegram.

**CAPE RACE, To-day.**

Wind west, strong, weather dull, hazy. The s.s. Fortia passed in at 8.30 p.m. yesterday; a three-masted British schooner P L U M No. is code list, passed in at 11 a.m. to-day. Bar. 29.60; Ther. 34.

**Here and There.**

Members of Wesley Choir are requested to be present at the **Week of Prayer Service to-night at 8 o'clock.**—Jan. 11

**ANOTHER ADVANCE IN KEROSENE OIL**—Kerosene Oil has again advanced costing now \$16.00 per barrel, wholesale.

The Rinks are now opening, and you had better secure a supply of Ankle Supports from BISHOP'S New Shoe Store while the assortments are complete. A new shipment of American Supports has just been opened. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.

**TOBY TIMES**—Yesterday wholesale dealers were notified that the price of kerosene oil had increased by 1 1/2 cents per gallon. Retailers in consequence will have to increase their price by two cents. Flour, Butter and oil have gone up within the past two weeks. Next!

**CARBON Cleaning Fluid** removes grease spots without injury to fabric or color. Cleans silk, satin, velvet, velour, flannel, serge, lace, wool, chiffon, cashmere, cottons, white kid shoes and gloves, feathers, upholstery, etc., with entire satisfaction. Selling 85c. per bottle at BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD., Dry Goods Department.

**REMAINS SENT HOME**—The remains of Miss Janet Daley, who lost her life in the fire at Mr. Thomas Carter's residence on Wednesday morning, was sent out by train as far as Holyrood to be transferred by team to her home in St. Joseph's, Salmonier, for interment.



**The Royal Stores Ltd.**

Minard's Linnest Cures Diphtheria

# Supreme Court Judgements.

## Excess of Power by Governor-in-Council-Fish Export Regulations Illegal.

In The Matter of The Application of Smith & Shipman, Co., Ltd., for a Writ of Mandamus Directed to The Honourable Henry J. Browne, Minister of Finance and Customs.

### JUDGMENT OF THE CHIEF JUSTICE.

A preliminary objection has been taken that the applicant has failed to prove a demand upon and a refusal by the Minister. The affidavit proves that the demand was made on the Deputy Minister. The act, the performance of which was sought from the department, was purely ministerial. Whatever objection there might be to the demand having been made to the Deputy Minister instead of to the Minister, it is, in my opinion, answered by the Minister's affidavit. He stated that by the proclamation of His Excellency the Governor-in-Council it is proved that no codfish shall be exported without a permit therefor having been obtained from the Minister of Fisheries and filed with the proper customs officer and that no permit for the exportation of codfish, the subject of this proceeding, was filed with the proper customs officer or any customs officer. This statement shows a distinct determination on his part not to do what the applicant required unless "permit" was filed. Where an officer shows a settled purpose not to perform a duty, he cannot be heard to object with respect to the sufficiency of the demand (in re Davidson 24 U. C. Q.B. 66). This objection must therefore be overruled.

As the other objections with respect to procedure were passed upon by me at the hearing it is not necessary for me to refer to them again.

The applicant Smith and Shipman Co., Ltd., is a local company which has ready for export to Naples, Italy, via New York, a quantity of codfish which it has purchased for J. Aron and Company of New York on whose behalf it desires to export same. On the 27th of December 1919 the Manager of the Company attended at the Customs House here and reported nine thousand five hundred quintals for export to Naples via New York and applied to have it entered outwards at the Customs and to have delivered to him on behalf of Smith and Shipman, Ltd., a certified copy of said export entry to be attached to the way bill. The Assistant Collector refused to enter the fish outwards unless and until the applicant could produce to him a permit to export said fish signed by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries which he alleged was necessary under and by virtue of the proclamation of His Excellency the Governor-in-Council of date the 20th day of November 1919. The present application to the Court is for a Writ of Mandamus to issue directed to the Minister of Finance and Customs commanding him to enter outwards at the Customs House, St. John's, for Smith & Shipman, Ltd., 9,500 quintals of codfish for export to Naples, Italy, via New York, U.S.A., and to deliver to this company a certified copy of said export entry. The statutory duty, the enforcement of which is here sought, arises from the Customs Management Act, Section 102 of that Act declares that "all goods or merchandise exported shall be reported and entered outwards at the nearest Customs House and a certified copy of the export entry shall be attached to and accompany the way bill of goods."

It is competent for the Minister, who is, by statute the Collector of Customs, to designate an official for this purpose. Unless the applicant can have the requirements of the Customs Act complied with he is prevented from exporting his fish. His right to the Writ of Mandamus now applied for by him must depend upon the validity of the Proclamation of His Excellency the Governor-in-Council of date the 20th of November, 1919. This Act enables the Governor-in-Council by proclamation to "prohibit the importation or exportation of goods of any class, description or origin specified, either generally or from or to any country or place named in the proclamation or subject to such exceptions as may be specified in the proclamation."

The words used in the proclamation issued by His Excellency the Governor-in-Council are, "prohibit the exportation of codfish, except upon the following conditions, namely:—

- (1) That a License to export Codfish shall have been obtained from the Minister of Marine and Fisheries.
- (2) That no codfish shall be exported without a permit therefor having been obtained from the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, and filed with the proper Customs Officer.
- (3) That the sale and price of the Codfish exported under such License shall have been confirmed by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

(4) That an Affidavit shall be made by the holder of such License, or his duly qualified agent, describing the quality of such Codfish to be exported, and such affidavit shall be filed with the Minister of Marine and Fisheries."

The sole authority for the proclamation is the foregoing section of the Import and Exports Restriction Act. Consequently if, and in so far as the proclamation exceeds what is there enacted it must be regarded as ultra vires.

We have therefore to enquire what words are to be found in this section which can authorise the number of exporters of codfish being restricted to those who may be licensed for the purpose by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, or to compel them to obtain a permit from him or to submit to him for his confirmation or approval the sale and prices of the codfish to be exported; or to make oath as to the quality of fish.

What the Act says is simply that the Governor-in-Council by proclamation may prohibit the importation or exportation of goods of any class "subject to such exceptions as may be specified in the proclamation." That is the extent of the power conferred by the statute.

The discretion vested by the Legislature in the Governor-in-Council is personal and incapable of being delegated; and the subject of any prohibition to be proclaimed and of any exception to such prohibition must alike be specified in the proclamation.

The Act imposes no conditions upon the exporters of fish nor does it enable the Governor-in-Council to impose any. The proclamation is in excess of the powers granted by the Legislature in that instead of specifying exceptions it proclaims a prohibition subject to certain conditions. These conditions are without statutable authority. As the proclamation does not assume to prohibit the exportation of codfish generally and is not directed against any country or place named in the proclamation, its purport must have been to prohibit subject to exceptions and the proclamation having failed to effectually do this has to be treated as nugatory. The applicant is therefore entitled to export codfish upon complying with the requirements of the Customs Act.

A peremptory Mandamus should issue directed to the Minister of Finance and Customs for the performance of the duty required by the applicant herein.

St. John's, January 8th, 1920.

Higgins, K.C., L. E. Emerson, with him for the applicant.

The Attorney General, Gibbs, K. C., with him for the Minister of Finance and Customs.

In The Matter of The Application of Smith & Shipman, Co., Ltd., for a Writ of Mandamus Directed to The Honourable William F. Coaker, Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

### JUDGMENT OF THE CHIEF JUSTICE.

The applicant in this proceeding asks for a Writ of Mandamus to issue directed to the Minister of Marine and Fisheries commanding him to issue to Smith and Shipman Co., a permit to export from Newfoundland to Naples, Italy, via New York, fifteen hundred casks of Labrador codfish and five hundred casks of Shore codfish. The affidavit of Benjamin M. Shipman the Managing Director of this Company shows that he applied to the Minister of Fisheries for a license to export codfish and was informed that such licenses were not being issued and that permits to export particular parcels of fish would be granted without such licenses being necessary, provided the other conditions called for in the Proclamation of the 20th day of November 1919 has been complied with. Later he applied for permit to export these casks of Labrador and Shore codfish via New York to Naples, Italy, and, at the request of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, information was provided the Minister on the 15th day of December that this fish had been sold to Consorzio, Italy, and that the price at which the said fish was sold was not less than ninety shillings for Shore and eighty-five shillings for Labrador.

On the 16th day of December the applicant received a letter from the Ministry of Marine and Fisheries refusing to grant the permit "unless the fish is handled by Messrs. Hawes & Co., Ltd." The affidavit of Joseph H. Gridley, Manager for J. Aron and Co., of New York on account of whom Smith & Shipman Co., purchased this fish for export, proves that he attended at the office of Messrs. Hawes & Co., Ltd., for the purpose of ascertaining the terms and conditions upon which they would undertake the handling of said fish and was informed by

Mr. Hawes (Junior) that they were reluctant to handle said fish but that they would do so on certain terms and conditions, viz: (a) They would take complete control of said shipment; (b) said fish would be sold or otherwise disposed of by them in such market as they thought fit, but not necessarily to the parties to whom the fish had already been sold; (c) they would not guarantee that they would obtain any particular price for said fish; (d) a commission of three per cent. on the sale price would be charged for their services.

The position taken by the applicants here is that having complied with the conditions called for in the Proclamation they are entitled to a permit from the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to export this fish.

Preliminary objections have been made to this application, touching questions of procedure similar to those raised in the case against the Minister of Finance and Customs. These objections are overruled for the same reasons as therein stated.

The real objection to this proceeding is that the applicant's position assumes the validity of the Proclamation, claims to have complied with the proclamation and asks for a permit from the Minister of Marine and Fisheries under its authority.

This Court has already held that said proclamation is ultra vires. The Minister of Marine and Fisheries cannot be commanded by the Court to issue permits to exporters as he has no legal authority to do so. This application must therefore be dismissed.

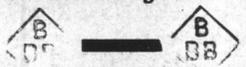
St. John's, January 8th, 1920.

Higgins, K.C., L. E. Emerson, with him for the applicant.

The Attorney General, Gibbs, K.C., with him for the Minister of Marine and Fisheries.



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## To-day's Messages.

### BOLSHEVIKS EXPANDING MOVEMENTS.

LONDON, Jan. 8. Bokhara, the capital of the important Khanate of Bokhara in Central Asia, and less than two hundred miles from the Afghanistan border, has been occupied by the Bolsheviks, according to reports reaching the War Office.

### SPAIN CAN'T DO IT.

MADRID, Jan. 8. The newspaper A.B.C., discussing the League of Nations declares that France is preparing for the next war. "We think, like Carlisle, to obtain peace in Europe it is necessary to reduce France to a third class power," says the newspaper.

### ROYAL FAMILY MEWED UP.

GENEVA, Jan. 8. The revolutionary movement in Bulgaria is spreading among the Peasants and workmen, according to Belgrade advices received here. Another important railroad bridge has been blown up by the strikers, it is alleged. King Boris and the Royal Family are said to be secluded in their Palace which is under heavy guard.

### PERSIA THREATENED.

LONDON, Jan. 8.

The situation in Russia is about as bad as could be from an anti-Bolshevik point of view, according to British war office reports, and there are few signs indicating any likely improvement. There are two especially menacing developments. In the first place General Denekine's army has been cut in two through the Bolshevik push to the sea of Asov at Taganrog, and its flanks have been thrust back, leaving a large gap. In addition comes the claim from the Bolsheviks of the capture, further east, of the town of Krasnovodak on the Caspian Sea, and while this is not confirmed, it is generally accepted as true. The capture of this important port, it is pointed out, creates a grave possibility that the Reds may overrun Northern Persia, and occupy Teheran, which would probably mean the establishment of Bolshevik rule in Persia.

### SATURDAY, SURE.

PARIS, Jan. 8.

The exchange of the ratification of the Peace Treaty with Germany will take place on the coming Saturday, tenth January, it now seems certain. The Supreme Council, to-day, fixed this date for the ceremony and decided that it should be held in the French foreign office.

### MRS. LLOYD GEORGE, S.M.

CARNARVON, Jan. 8.

Mrs. David Lloyd George, wife of the Premier, took her seat to-day in the quarter sessions as the first Welsh woman magistrate.

### KOLCHAK IN PERIL.

LONDON, Jan. 8.

News has reached London from British sources in Irkutsk, that 9,000 anti-Kolchak insurgents are holding Irkutsk, Eastern Siberia. They are armed with machine guns, and have airplanes, and are constantly being reinforced.

### OPEN SPLIT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.

William Jennings Bryan split openly with President Wilson at the Jackson Bay dinner here to-night on the question of whether the Democratic Party should make the League of Nations an issue at the next election. The former Secretary of State, three times a candidate for President and a power in his party, decided the Democrats could not go before the country at present. President Wilson in his message to the diners had declared that one clear and single way out was to submit the issue. Conceding the right of the Republican majority to dictate the Senate's course, Mr. Bryan declared, "Our plan has been rejected and we must face the situation as it is. We must either secure such compromise as may be possible or present the issue to the country. The latter course would mean a delay of at least 14 months, and then would succeed only in case of our securing a two-thirds majority. We cannot afford, either as citizens or members of a party, to share with the Republican Party the responsibility for further delay. We cannot go before the country on the issue that such an appeal would present. The majority of Congress can declare war. Shall we make it more difficult to conclude peace than to enter a war?"

### TO CORRESPONDENTS!

Correspondents are requested to accompany their contributions with their real names, not necessarily for publication but as a guarantee of good faith. In future no correspondence will be considered unless this rule is adhered to.

# Fifty Crates Crockeryware

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### Police Court.

Two drunks were each fined \$2. A girl, taken for safe-keeping, was released. In a case of assault, between a man and wife, an agreement to separate was reached.

### Obituary.

**THOMAS O'QUINN.** Thomas O'Quinn, 67, of Searstown, died at his home on the 3rd of this month. Death was due to paralysis of the brain. Besides many friends, two sons are left to mourn. To them the Telegram extends sympathy.

### FASHIONS AND FADS.

Checked brims are fashionable on round satin crowned hats. Velvet negligees are among the most luxurious of garments. Dragon fly blue is a wonderful color for the evening wrap. White Milanese silk jumpers are much worn instead of skirtwais. A very pretty serge skirt has a pearl front and a gathered back.

Mindard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria. Mindard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.





### Electoral District of St. John's, Western Division.

To Wit:

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the electors of the electoral district aforesaid, that in obedience to His Majesty's Writ to me directed and bearing date the third day of January, 1920, I require the presence of the said electors at the Industrial Twine Factory, off Hamilton Street, in the District of St. John's, Western Division, on the twelfth day of January, from ten a.m. until two of the clock in the afternoon for the purpose of nominating two persons to represent them in the General Assembly of Newfoundland; and that in case a poll be demanded and allowed in the manner by law prescribed, such poll will be opened on the twenty-second day of January in the year 1920, from the hour of eight in the morning till eight of the clock in the afternoon, in each of the polling stations fixed by the proclamation of His Excellency, dated twenty-ninth day of December, 1919.

And further, that at the above named factory I shall open the ballot boxes, count the votes given for the several candidates and return as elected the two having the majority of votes, of which all persons are hereby to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand at St. John's, this seventh day of January, in the year 1920.

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### Price Couldn't Work for Two Years, He States

Eight Months of Time Was Helpless—Gains Eleven Pounds and Works Hard Every Day Since Taking Tanlac.

"For the first time in two years I am in a condition to do a day's work," said Chesly Price, a fisherman, who resides at Hant's Harbor, while telling of the great benefits he had received from Tanlac, recently in Connors' drug store in St. John's, Nfld. Continuing, he said:

"For two years I suffered something awful with rheumatism in my arms, back and shoulders, and the pains I had were almost unbearable. I was in such bad condition I could not work, and at one time was laid up for eight months absolutely helpless, and had to be waited upon just as if I was a child. I had such a poor appetite I had to force down every mouthful of food, and what I did manage to eat did not seem to do me any good and I lost a great deal in weight. I was very nervous and on account of this and the pain I suffered all the time I could get but little sleep. I had splitting headaches nearly all the time and some times they were so bad it felt like my head was bursting open and I would nearly go wild. I was so weak and run down I did not feel like I could stand the pain much longer, and had become almost desperate.

"I had tried many different medicines, but as none of them had done me any good I was very much discouraged, but when there was so much talk and so much in the newspapers about the good Tanlac was doing so many people in Halifax and St. John's, my folks sent to Connors' drug store and bought me four bottles, and while I have only taken two of them so far, my improvement is simply remarkable. I have gained eleven pounds in weight, the rheumatism has left me entirely and I never have an ache or pain of any kind and can do as much work as anybody. I have such a good appetite I am hungry all the time and eat three hearty meals a day, and my nerves are in such good condition I sleep from nine o'clock at night until 7 o'clock in the morning without ever waking up once, and I go to sleep almost as soon as my head touches the pillow. I just feel great every morning and go to work with my old-time energy. Tanlac has done me a world of good, and I am glad to pass the word along."

Tanlac is sold in St. John's by M. Connors, under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative; in Harbor Buffett, by Thomas Wakely & Sons; in Placentia, by James Murphy & Son, and in Topsail by J. K. Bursell.—adv't.

### Sweet Reward.

A pound of sugar was offered to every regular member or visitor attending the meeting of the Men's Bible Class in Holy Trinity Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia, some weeks ago. This new incentive to worship brought out a record-breaking attendance of 177 men, among whom were 74 visitors. The sugar was dealt out with larger quantities given as prizes to those bringing the most guests. More than 200 pounds were distributed.

### "Syrup of Figs" Child's Laxative

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### Patronage Dies a Hard Death—If It Dies.

When the new Farmers' Government in Ontario announced that patronage would be abolished, there was general and generous applause—although experienced and cynical politicians who had heard such promises many times before were known to wink an eye and smile silently. There did seem ground for hope that something might be accomplished to rid the public service system of the Province of this malignant cancer. A new Government, like a new broom, might reasonably be expected to sweep clean; and then it was a post-election assurance rather than a pre-election promise.

A vacant registrarship in North Middlesex has already proved an opportunity for the Government to adopt its new principles. To give full credit those principles were lived up to. The assistant registrar, who had long been discharging the bulk of the duties of the office, was promoted. But instead of meeting with expressed approval, this action has given rise to a story of protest on the part of the Farmers' Club of the riding. Which only goes to show how deep-seated are the roots of the patronage disease. The talk of "direct responsibility" and the other aliases of patronage.

The United Farmers have registered their objection to a Government appointment without endorsement of the local organization, just as under a Liberal or Conservative Government the party followers would demand the right to fill the office with the nominee of the district caucus. The patronage of the Grit and Tory administrations cannot be called by any gentler term under the regime of the U. F. O. If the public services are to be conducted on the basis of efficiency rendered rather than political reward earned, the Drury Government will have to take a firm stand and find courage in the silent endorsement of the majority to offset the noisy agitations started by local small-calibre politicians.—The Financial Post.

### The New Humor.

When a schoolboy, in answer to an examination question, wrote, "The press is the mouth-organ of the people," he might not have said what he meant, or known exactly what he did mean, but he furnished a good text for an article on modern journalism. However, our present theme is not modern journalism, but schoolboy howlers, products of such confusion (or collision) of ideas as the quotation exemplifies, says Raymond G. Fuller in the American Child.

Look over the papers of the class in general history:

"There were no Christians among the early Gauls; they were mostly lawyers."

"Louis XVI. was gelatined during the French Revolution."

"Edward the Third would have been a King of France if his mother had been a man."

"The king was not to order taxis without the consent of Parliament."

"The cause of the Revolution was that the colonists wanted room to pasture their cattle."

"Georgia was settled by people who had been executed."

"In 1620 the Pilgrims crossed the ocean and this is known as Pilgrim's Progress."

"Elizabeth ascended the throne in 1588 and died in 1560. She did not have a long reign."

"Benjamin Franklin produced electricity by rubbing cats backward."

### Preparing.

Submarine S-16, the largest in the United States Navy, was launched from the yard of the Lake Torpedo Boat Company at Bridgeport, Conn., recently. The sponsor was Mrs. Archibald McNeil, Jr., who broke a bottle of champagne on the nose of the craft as it slipped down the ways.

The S-16 has a cruising radius of 12,000 miles, is 220 feet long, will have a speed of 12 knots an hour submerged, and 15 knots on the surface. A crew of 50 men will man it.

Bronze as an evening color is gaining ground. Gold and silver cloth are favored for dancing frocks.

# Is Your Child Under Weight?

These Tables Will Show You What Your Child Should Weigh to Be in Proper Proportion to Height—If the Child is Below the "Danger Point" it is Time to Act.

### Boys

Weight	Average weight for height
Inches	Pounds
35	33.0
36	33.5
37	34.5
38	36.0
39	37.5
40	39.0
41	40.5
42	42.0
43	43.5
44	45.5
45	47.5
46	49.5
47	51.5
48	53.5
49	55.5
50	57.5
51	59.5
52	61.0
53	62.0
54	63.5
55	65.0
56	66.5
57	68.0
58	69.5
59	71.0
60	72.5
61	74.0
62	75.5
63	77.0
64	78.5
65	80.0
66	81.5
67	83.0
68	84.5

### Girls

Weight	Average weight for height
Inches	Pounds
35	31.0
36	32.5
37	33.5
38	35.0
39	36.5
40	38.0
41	39.5
42	41.0
43	43.0
44	44.5
45	46.5
46	48.5
47	51.0
48	53.5
49	56.5
50	58.5
51	61.0
52	64.0
53	67.5
54	71.0
55	75.0
56	78.5
57	83.0
58	87.0
59	91.5
60	96.5
61	102.5
62	110.5
63	116.0

Note the weight same time each week. Cut out this chart for reference.



CAREFUL investigation shows that one child in every three is under weight as the result of malnutrition.

The chances are one in three that your child is in this class. The tables presented here will enable you to find out.

In the Students' Army Training Corps one in five was unfit because of being under weight, while in the adult army the proportion was about the same.

This condition could have been prevented by proper attention during school life, so that these young men would have developed normal, healthy bodies.

By neglect in childhood they have been sentenced to see their healthy comrades pass them in the race for success.

It is not necessarily the children of poverty that suffer from malnutrition. Your boy or your girl may look well and still be under weight. The regular use of the scales is the only sure test.

Other indications of malnutrition you may note are—easily tired—nervous—restless—finicky appetite—irritability—difficult to manage—talk in sleep—lack of happiness and spirits of a normal child.

These symptoms tell of the exhausted condition of the nervous system. They tell you that the blood is thin and watery and wholly unsuited to nourish the starved body.

It will take a little time to restore the wasted tissues, but the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food will very materially aid.

Digestion is weak, appetite is fickle, but in the meantime Dr. Chase's Nerve Food supplies in condensed and easily assimilated form the elements which go to make up rich, red blood.

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### A New Eden

#### Loses Its Adam.

The new Eden on the island of Tahiti in the South Sea has lost its Adam. And with his death the attempt to start the human race back again at its traditional beginning probably will end.

The worldly name of the Twentieth Century Adam was Charles Dowling, and a quarter of a century ago he was a moderately well to do Californian, college educated and with a promising professional future before him. Dowling had peculiar ideas; he believed that somewhere back in the dim past mankind had taken the wrong fork of the road. He believed the race should start back at its beginning and thus try to find the right trail. So he founded a society known as the Adamites in San Francisco.

Right at the start the strange beliefs of the Adamites got them into trouble with established society. They advocated discarding all clothing and living on a vegetarian diet. The San Francisco authorities did not care particularly what the Adamites ate, but did insist that members of the cult don some covering. So the Adamites sailed away to Hawaii, hoping there to find life less conventional. But the old Hawaii had passed; the people in Ukulele Land had adopted the white man's clothing, and looked askance at the nude Adamites. Disappointed again, the Adamites departed to a little island named Rarotonga, but there, too, the conventions of the modern world prevailed. Finally at Tahiti, a French possession, the Adamites found a site for the clotheless Eden. The French permitted them to take up lands and live as they wished, stipulating only that the Adamites put on clothes

when they visited Papeete, the island capital.

Two hours' climb up the side of a mountain and one might come upon the new Eden. Tropical fruit trees and beautiful gardens flourished there, for Tahiti is a kindly land. A rambling mountain stream had been dammed to provide a great bathing place. About this spot the dozen or so members of the colony lived a life of monastic piety. Dowling was a sort of patriarch, and he had countenance like one of the old Jewish leaders—a big face and head with long, curling beard.

Infant was swept the island of Tahiti recently and the patriarch of the Adamites were among the victims.

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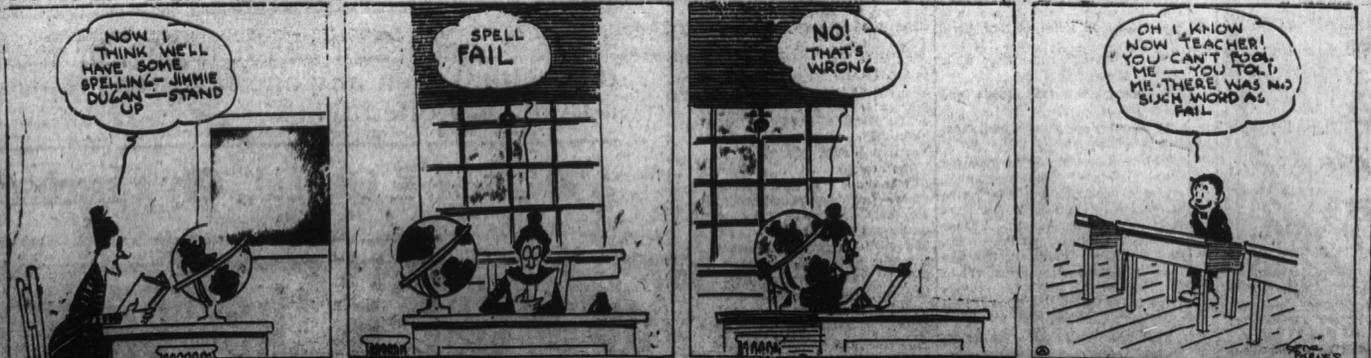
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**150-CRIMSON WOOL MITTS**—Only a dozen pairs of these with a few pairs of White; Misses sizes. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday **97c.**



## 'Odds and Ends' Sale of Hosiery.

**WOMEN'S FLEECE HOSE**—3 dozen pairs of Women's Fleece Plain Black Winter Hose; a good black finish in full sizes. Regular 60c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **49c.**

**Ladies' Wool Cashmere Hose.** One of our best lines in all Wool Cashmere Hose, fast black in assorted ribs. Regular \$2.00 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.78**

**Boys' and Girls' Winter Hose.** Heavy Ribbed Black Wool Hose for all winter wear; assorted sizes. Reg. \$1.50 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.48**

**CHILDREN'S HOSE, 22c.**—This line brings to you fine ribbed Hose in Black or Tan. Usual 30c. value. All sizes; one price Friday, Sat. & Monday **22c.**

**LADIES' GREY HOSE**—Cashmere finish, full sizes; plain knit; a serviceable stocking for present wear. Reg. 70c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **59c.**

**MISSES' DARK TAN HOSE**—Fine ribbed Dark Tan Hose for Misses; this is a good wearing line. Reg. to 60c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **49c.**

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**Pretty Centre Curtains**  
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These are Single Centre Curtains in pretty Ecrú shade, suitable for large windows; lace and insertion trimmed; very handsome. Reg. \$3.00 ea. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$2.38**

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**BATH MATS FOR \$1.45**—Double weight Turkish Bath Mats in mixed shades, and deep cream with crimson border and lettered centre. The remaining stock of these \$3.00 Mats clearing Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.45**

**WINDOW BLINDINGS**—An overstock is solely responsible for the special price quoted here. We offer 25, 32 and 36 inch in light and dark Greens and a piece or two in Buff shade. Regular 40c. yard. Friday, Saturday & Monday **34c.**

## "Odds and Ends" Sale, Boots, Shoes and Gloves.

**Clearing Line of MEN'S BOOTS**  
Every pair here offers its own special value. You will find Vic's Kid Boots, Box Calf, Gun Metal and others, odd lines that we must clear away regardless of price. Usual value from \$4.00 to \$9.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$2.49**

**CHILDREN'S and MISSES' FELT HOUSE SLIPPERS**—Broken lines of splendid little house slippers for home wear; 48 pairs in the lot. These sold regularly at 90c. and \$1.00. Clearing price for Friday, Sat'y., and Mon. **59c.**

**LADIES' LONG BLACK KID GLOVES**—Very finest grade Kid Gloves at pre-war prices. See these to-day; quality beyond compare; value for \$4.00 pair to-day. Friday, Saturday and Monday, the pair **\$1.48**

**CHILDREN'S SLEIGH WRAPS**—Heavy Cream Sleigh Wraps, silk ribbon trimmed, good washing wraps; good value at \$1.00 each. Friday, Saturday and Monday **83c.**

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**15 pairs only of ALL WOOL BLANKETS.**  
Every so slightly soiled on the fold only; superior quality; suitable size for 3/4 beds. Good value at \$9.00 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$7.95**

**12 only Large WADDLED QUILTS.**  
Quilts that you will appreciate these cold nights; made in an ample size; two tone coverings. Regular \$10.00 value. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$8.95**

**8 ONLY CRIB BLANKETS**—Some of these are slightly soiled, others are perfect. They all go at the one price to clear; heavy fleece topping; Blue and White. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$2.39**

**CHILDREN'S FLEECE BLANKETS**—15 only in pretty Blue and White Bunny patterns and others, for bed or sligh wrap. Reg. \$1.60 ea. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$1.42**

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Worth coming miles for.  
And representing all classes of Dry Goods. Flannelets, Flannels, Gingham, Scrims, Plaids, Towelings, Shirtings, Muslins, Lawn, Sheetings, Cotton Blanket Remnants, etc., and a tremendous pile of Dress Lengths, Skirt Lengths, and Children's Dress Lengths.

## One of The Snaps of This Sale:

**LADIES' BUTTONED BOOTS**—Splendid quality Gun Metal Boots, 15 button height, with military heel; a comfortable and a sensible walking boot. Worth \$6.00 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$4.39**

**"Odds and Ends" Sale.**

**BRASS STAIR RODS**—Heavy rods with fancy turned ends, 30 inches long; complete with fittings. Friday, Saturday and Monday, each **21c.**

**ALSO OAK STAIR RODS**—These are quartered with metal covered tips; 27 inches wide. Reg. 35c. each. Friday, Saturday and Monday **21c.**

**10 only Pure White Heavy Wadded Quilts**  
The last of one of our best selling lines—10 only; very serviceable, well wadded Quilts, with pleasing floral pattern coverings; convenient size. Value for \$1.25. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$6.50**

**WINDSOR TIES**—Plaid patterns and others in pretty stripes; also a few dozen in plain shades; suitable for boys or girls. Regular 35c. Friday, Saturday and Monday, each **29c.**

**JOB LINE OF BARRETTES**—Your nick of plain or fancy, nice assortment; others with brilliant settings. Usually sold at 25c. each. Friday, Saturday and Monday **16c.**



## 'Odds & Ends' Sale in the SHOWROOM.

See these Values.

**Ladies' Fine Wool Underpants.**  
These are real good quality, ankle length, band at waist, in all Cream shade; sizes 38 to 44 inch. Value for \$2.00 pair. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$2.65**

**LADIES' FLEECE KNICKERS**—Snug-fitting Knickers in Grey shade, warmly fleece elastic at waist and knees, others banded. Good value at their regular price, \$2.30. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$2.12**

**CHILDREN'S KNITTED SWEATERS**—Assorted shades, Rose, Sage, Crimson and White; 2 pockets; very snug looking; just what they need out of doors. Reg. to \$1.80. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.59**

**LADIES' FLANNELETTE UNDER-SHIRTS**—With button hole frill and hipper band, in cream shade only; good quality English Flannelette; our regular \$2.40 line. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$2.16**

**LADIES' GINGHAM OVERALLS**—Ample cloth used in the making of these Overall, assorted check patterns, round or square neck, with plain facings, with or without elastic at waist. Reg. \$2.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$2.24**

**LADIES' DRESSING JACKETS**—In Crimson shade only, white button hole edged, long sleeves, pockets and sailor collar. A necessary garment underpriced. Reg. \$2.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.49**

**MISSES' FLANNELETTE NIGHT-DRESSES**—Galen, trimmed, long sleeves, high neck with collar; sizes to fit 8 to 12 years; striped flannelette make. Reg. \$1.50 each. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.25**

**CHILDREN'S UNION SUITS**—Fleece-lined Suits or Combinations, high neck, long sleeves, suitable for girls or boys from 6 to 10 years. Reg. \$2.00 suit. Friday, Saturday and Monday, the suit **\$1.72**

**FLOWING VELS**—In Purple, Navy, Brown and Black, with chenille borders; these are fashionable. Reg. 75c. Friday, Saturday & Monday **67c.**

**Job Line Ospreys, in Black only, 15c**



## ODDS AND ENDS SALE in the Men's Section.

**MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS**—White Pique fronted Dress Shirts for special occasions; size 14 only. Reg. \$1.70. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.15**

**MEN'S LINED KID GLOVES**—Sizes 8 and 9 in a good wearing Tan Kid; dome wrist; an incomplete line. Reg. \$4.50. Friday, Sat. & Monday **\$4.20**

**MEN'S LINED KID GLOVES**—Sizes 7 1/2, 8 1/2 and 9 in wool lined Tan Kid Gloves for men. We have a few dozen of these to clear. Reg. \$3.40 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$3.00**

**BOYS' WOOL UNDERWEAR**—This is a finer finish Natural Wool Underwear, beautiful soft finish, perfect fitting and warm enough for all winter wear; sizes 24 to 34 in Vests and Pants. Values to \$2.50 gar. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.87**

**MEN'S COAT JERSEYS**—A line of comfort-giving Coat Jerseys, in a medium Grey shade, made in all sizes up to 46 inches W neck, 2 pockets. Reg. \$2.20. Friday, Saturday, and Mon. **\$1.78**

**MEN'S TOP SHIRTS**—Every-day shirts in good looking striped patterns, double cuff; the larger sizes only, i.e. 16 1/2 to 17. Reg. to \$2.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.75**

**Curlers Jackets.**  
The neatest, the best-fitting and the warmest coat you can wear at the "Roarin' Game"; dark mottled shade, with a soft woolly lining, 2 pockets, V neck; semi-elastic cuffs to hand. Regular \$10.50. To clear Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$9.75**

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Assorted sizes in superior quality Wool Jerseys; extra heavy weight with large roll collar. Just what the boys like. Sizes 26, 30 and 32. Grey with Crimson collar and Crimson with white collar and others. Reg. \$5.50. value. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$4.50**



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Do not have the fat too hot when cooking potatoes, they miss' cook as well as brown.

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To beat butter to a cream, if very hard, it can be slightly warmed in the oven or put into a hot bowl, but it must never be melted.

Dip your mixing-spoon in cold water each time before dipping into the cookie batter, and the mixture will slide off much more easily.

Molasses can be used in place of sugar in any cake mixture, if the molasses is dark the cake will be dark in color, but the texture will be as good as when sugar is used.

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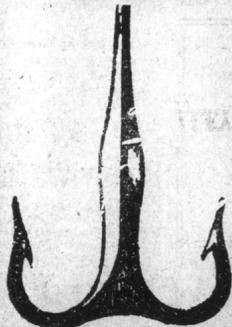
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