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ENTENTE ALLIES MAKE FURTHER GAINS IN **ALL WAR REGIONS**

The British North of the Somme Russian Success Front and Capture Trenches on Plateau North West of Bozentin

FRENCH GAINS ON

Strong Fortified Positions in evening. Monfalcone and Sorizia Sectors Taking Over 2000 Additional French Progress Along the Euphrates

all three regions, marked operations issued by the War Office to-night. west of Pozieres, north of the Somme, at Barleux in Chalons sector. the British made an advance of from. On the Verdun sector a German at- Ore Steamer Ashore a mile against the Germans, and also repulsed. captured the trenches on the plateau northwest of Bozentin le Petit; while Russians Capture the French, southeast of Mourepas gained a further foothold on the slopes of Hill 109 between Thiepval and the Somme Saturday night.

hands of the Russians.

Carpathian region, Petrograd reports British Advance vance against the Austro-Germans. On the Bystritzl sector, near Monastir-

The Duke of Costa is keeping up his front. strong offensive against the Austrians in the Izonso, and have driven them German Counter from fortified positions in Monfalcone and Gorizia sectors, and made prisoners of more than 2,000 additional men.

The London War Office, however, of Fleury. disputes this statement, asserting that British cavalary are still in pursuit French Victory of the Turkish rear guard, which French Victory Sunday evening had been driven back to a position east of Birselmanoa. After a long period of inactivity the

against the Turks. Advances against the Russians on the Persian front and in Turkish Armenia, arec laimed by Constantinople.

potamia have attempted to advance

German Version

England are wholly untrue.

Russians Draw

sian drive in Galicia goes forward un- 109 along the road from Maurepas to at 4 p.m. checked. The War Office announced Clery. The number of unwounded to-day that a number of additional prisoners taken by us, counted up to villages have been captured. Russian the present is 1,000, while thirty forces have reached Marianpol, seven machine guns were captured. miles southeast of Halicz, the key to have gained possession of a series of

fortified positions. Italians Take

ROME, Aug. 13-The Italians have French population of occupied territailor and Wm. Dwyer, the popular most intense and deaths occur daily. carried other positions and captured tories, especially the internment of despatcher of the Reid Nfld. Co. leave As a result the Stephano which left two thousand prisoners.

It's no use beating around two birds sical safety. in the bush with rolling stone that

In Galicia PETROGRAD, Aug. 14.—Russian forces in Galicia have captured the

town of Marianpol, 7 miles southeast SLOPES OF HILL 109 of Halicz and further north of the town of Pedgaicy, according to a Rus-Italians Drive Austrians From sian official communication issued this

On Somme Sector

up to Saturday night. Sunday, north- Violent artillery duel is proceeding down with the heaviest losses.

200 to 400 yards over a front nearly tack south of Avocourt Wood was

Main Enemy Winter Quarters

According to Berlin the assaults by PETROGRAD, Aug. 13.—An official the Entente Allies were stopped with report says that the main enemy winheavy casualties to the attackers. ter quarters before Tarnopol and Buc-Fighting near Ham and Maurepas zlez have fallen into the possession of continued through the entire night in- the Russians. The battering down of to Sunday, men repeatedly coming the fortified wall happened on the to grips in hand to hand encounters. same day ts the fete in celebration of Maurianpol in Galicia, 7 miles the birthday of the heir to the Impersoutheast of Haliez town of Podgalcy, ial throne, Grand Duke Alexis Niklaieand several villages along the Upper vitch. Advancing before Stanislau the Sereth River, have fallen into the Russians have crossed the river Bystritza into Solotvina.

Northwest of Pozieres

zyska, however, Berlin says the Rus- LONDON, Aug. 13.—The War Office sians have been thrown back at sev-reports an important advance northeral places by counter attacks of the west of Pozieres, the lines being pushed forward 400 yards, over a mile

Attack Repulsed

Constantinople reports the Turks PARIS, Aug. 13.—In a counter at east of the Suez Canal returned to the tack after the French gain on a fourattacks against the British and com- mile front, the Germans were driven gress was made by the French south

British along the Euphrates in Meso- Third Line German Trenches Opposite Buscourt (Are Taken-A Thousand Unwounded Prisoners are Taken and Thirty Machine Guns are Captured.

PARIS, Aug. 13 (Official)—North of Wholly Untrue yesterday and last night our troops to- President Wilson. day attacked the third German posi-LONDON, Aug. 13.—The British tion, extending from East Hardicourt A lady who recently advertised in from the Cape Race grounds for sup-Press Bureau says the German wire- to the Somme opposite Buscourt. On the Mail for a position as housekeep- plies. She lost some gear in recent less reports regarding damage done this front, six and a half kilometres, er received an offer of matrimony stormy weather and several over 200 tempted to carry more contraband during the recent zeppelin raids on our infantry with magnificent dash Some class as an advertising medium. captured all the trenches and strengly to 1,000 metres. We penetrated the village of Maurepas, which, and the cur possession. We carried our new PETROGRAD, Aug. 13-The Rus-lines on the southern slopes of hill mails and passengers is due here

Lemberg. On the upper Sereth they Pope Indignant Over German Treatment

it is said that the Pope is preparing day with their friends. 2000 Prisoners an important document protesting against German treatment of the women and girls, and demanding this evening on a run in Mr. Spurrel's New York Saturday has the largest

READ THE MAIL & ADVOCATE in the Garden Party at Avondale.

LONDON, Aug. 13-The British offical report states all is quiet along the somme front, except for intermittent

RUSSIAN.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 13 (Official)-The main enemy winter posiions before Tarnopol and Buczacz have fallen into possession of the Russians, according to an official statement from General Headquarters ssued tonight.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 13 (Official)-Our forces have reached Mariampol seven miles south-east of Halicz, the tey to Lemberg.

GERMAN.

BERLIN, Aug. 13—The French and British hurled large masses of troops ONDON, Aug. 14-Hard fighting in PARIS, Aug. 14.—The French have against our positions on the Somme and in the Italian theatres with fur- Maurepas on the Somme sector, ac- official to-day records no gains for ther gains for the Entente Allies in cording to an official announcement the Allies, and says that assaults between Thiepval and Guillemont broke

Gets Off Undamaged

SYDNEY, Aug. 14—The Norwegian steamer "Saudefjord," Capt. Olsen. with a cargo of 10,000 tons of iron ore from Wabana, N.F., for the Dominion Iron and Steel Co., which went ashore in thick weather at Sydney mines on Saturday night was floated undamaged at 8.30 last evening and is now

Wilson to Act Peace Maker In Big Strike

Controversy is Laid Before Presi-Two Million Men Are Effected by Lock-out

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.--A general strike on virtually all the railroads of Hr. the hook and line voyage is also boats, with the submarine standing ciled all but a few intransigeants. I the nation paralyzing commerce and improved and one man and his crew throwing approximately two million on Friday last took 15 qtls. on squid rected shots from our guns soon and forgotten. men out of employment can be averted bait. only through the good offices of President Wilson, as a result of two days developments the dispute over the An hour later railroad managers 19 in ard Seward, Way and nine steerage. number, said they would leave for the capital at the same time. Both parties will reach Washington to-morrow the Somme, after preparatory fighting in time for an early conference with

The Bruce express with Kyle's

squid very plentiful in that section. Fishermen will learn this with pleasure.

of the Penitentiary, left for West- the leave of absence granted him. ROME, Aug. 7.-In Vatican circles ern Bay yesterday to spend a holi-

Messrs, E. Spurrel, clothier and guarantees of their moral and phy- auto-cycle over Conception Bay. Mr. passenger list in her experience. Dwyer goes to visit his mother at Spaniard's Bay and both will also take

British Still Drive Back Turk Forces

Latest Official Statement Says British Cavalry Are Still in Pur-Ashes Are Found There

LONDON, Aug. 14. British forces n Egypt are still driving back the Turks who were defeated in a recent battle east of the Suez Canal.

The following announcement in regard to this campaign was given today:-"Our cavalry were still in suit of the Turks' rear guard yesterday evening and driven it back the Although no materials or stores were found at Birselmanca there were large hold. heaps of ashes in the vicinity of the

FOUR CHILDREN TAKE DIPHTHERIA

Yesterday four children of Mr Lewis, engineer with Bowring Bros., were stricken with diphtheria at their home Pennywell Road. It is not often that such a circumstance is recorded as four being stricken in the one family Mr. Lewis has the sympathy of all who know him and we hope his ittle ones with proper care and attention will get over the dread

SAW DRIFTING TRAPS.

When the Susu was goting north ast week a cod trap drifting away vas met in Baccalieu Tickle. The bucys and corks were attached, and it vas evidently swept from its moor-

SUSU'S FISHERY NEWS.

The Susu reports that the fishery dent at His Request-Delegates about Fogo Island for the hook and From Railroad Men and Own- line men has greatly improved, and crs Now at Washington-Over the traps which did poorly are all taken in. Earl's have a freezer alof squid, and this should prove great benefit to the fishermen. At Cat

men's demands for an 8 hour day and The S.S. Susu, Capt. Roberts, arrivversy was laid before President Wil- North. The ship had a most stormy son at his invitation, after workers trip on the run from here to Greens had flatly refused to any form of ar-pond with a hurricane of N.E. wind bitration. They had refused media- and big sea running and it took her Our men saved the erew at some Franz's teaching and on this basis at tion yesterday, but soon after accept, 18 hours to a run and course, which, risk to their own lives and stood by tacks the ideals that his country ha ing the President's summons extended under normal conditions, could be On Somme North through the Federal Board for media- done in 11. She made all ports of call ed the wreck to a British port for bleeding for. He asks: tion and conciliation the men announ-except the outer Wadhams on the run ced that the leaders of four railroads North. Her passengers were: Rev. one American ship, which had been brotherhoods would leave for Wash-R. H. Way, Ensign Wills, F. W. Abington at midnight accompanied by 30 bot, D. Kinsella, R. H. Parsons, J. days without coal or food, into a of the 600 delegates assembled here. Young, T. Young; Mesdames W. Rich- British port through the worst sort

SMALL BANKER DOES WELL

The little banker "Western Annie" dent. of four dories, Jos. Cheeseman master, of Pushorn, arrived here vesterday now over 500 qtls and is going good but I can scarcely name the offender.

WELL DESERVED FURLOUGH.

Mr. John P. Shea, father of Pte Edmund Shea, to whom we not long since referred, saw His Excellency the Governor to-day with the outcome that King's Cove to-day reports Pte. Shea will get a well deserved furlough home. This brave lad was severely wounded in the Gallipoli carpaign, was months in Hospital and since has been twice wounded in The Misses Ethel and Mabel France, once, we believe, very sev-Rose, daughters of Warden Rose erely. This lad certainly deserves

HEAT IS INTENSE.

The heat in New York at present is

Royal Navy Are Truly Up to

Many of the Devices Used by

Blockade Runners to Fool the

tion some of the chief ruses:

and other firearms or ammunition. have been interned. "(2) Copper keels and copper plates on sailing ships. "(3) Hollow masts.

dropped one on the deck. The onion respects the most interesting that has bounced ten feet into the air.

ous liquid mixture. most frequent form of faking. In sev- mans were defeated in the national eral cases where the captain of the convention which sat at Frankfor neutral realized that the "game was when the Imperial crown was offere up" he produced both the genuine and to the King of Prussia. By this th

ness quite amusing. Neutral Ships Rescued. mcrchantmen were lowering their grave, and the glory of Sedan recon

off waiting to fire. A few well-di- the new Germany they were ignored disposed of the menace, and the neutrals were able to rehoist their boats

broken off at the deck and the crew whole career of Bismarck has been lashed to the bulwarks, while heavy rescued from oblivion by Prof. For seas swept her from bow to stern. ster. The Herr professor adopt until the gale abated and then tow- been cherishing for years and is nov assistance and repair. We towed: drifting about helpiessly for twelve

"Which neutral nation has been the worst offender against the British blockade?" asked the Eagle correspon-

Cannot Name Offender.

"I could easily tell you that, but I "The ships of one neutral have atqtls cod for her last trip. She hay through our blockade than any other,

> "Blocade work is unspectacular, uninspiring, but exceedingly dangerous The work of officers and men under my command has been consistently faithful and effective which have always held the possibility, for twentyfour hours a day, of destruction of German mines and German torpedoes. The bases of that blockade rests upon the ability and courage of reserve officers and men drawn from Great Britain's Mercantile Marine. Our effort has been purely to prevent goods from reaching the enemy, never to embarrass or inconvenience neutrals of whatever nationality, who are endeavouring, under conditions of extreme difficulty, to maintain legitimate trade relations necessary to their welfare and prosperity."

The Prospero left St. Anthony 7.30 p.m. yesterday, bound North.

nine inches from the ground.

German Boldly Attacks The German System Of Militarism

In the past few weeks there has Rear-Admiral Sir Dudley de Chair, arisen in Germany a prophet who suit of Fleeing Turks-Latter K.C.B., M.V.O., gave recently an inter- bids his countrymen abandon the Destroy Stores Before Aband- view to The Brooklyn Eagle from false gods they have been following oning Birselmanca-Heaps of which the following extracts are tak- for more than a generation. His preaching is not more significant than "Our blockade machinery took some the fact that the German censorship time to get running smoothly. The has not excluded it from a leading British Custom officers did not slide newspaper and has not forbidden otheasily into new grooves. Accustomed or newspapers to comment upon it for years board a ship and inquire favorably or not as they are inmerely for dutiable wines or spirits, clined. Whether the article in questhey were perhaps too easily satisfied tion will have any practical effect when the neutral captain produced a upon the war is a question we cannot few bottles of whiskey and allowed decide; but we may be not astray ir the Customs to seal them, while all seeing in it an indication of a general Turks' position east of Birselmanca. the time absolute contraband might dissatisfaction with the methods and be snugly hidden in the bottom of the ambitions of the war lords. Certainly

it is inconceivable that 18 months "With regard to devices adopted ago such an article as that written by by blockade runners to elude the vig- Professor Forster, of Munich, would lance of our examination. I may men- have received the hospitality of a German newspaper, or that the points he "(1) Double bottoms, decks, and raises would provoke serious discusbulkheads, concealing guns, rifles, sion. It is more likely that he would

> A Voice From the Past The article, which we are told by

the London Times has excited more "(4) Rubber onions. These were interest in Germany than any that has discovered when one of our officers appeared in months, and is in some appeared in Germany since the be-"(5) Rubber concealed in coffee ginning of the war, is entitled "The Work of Bismarck in the Light o "(6) Cotton concealed in barrels of Great German Criticism." Great German, it must be explained, wa "(7) Rubber honey, made in the the name given to the party which i form of honey-comb filled with a curi- 1848 refused to accept a solution the German question based on the e "(8) False manifests. This is the clusion of Austria. The Great Ger the false manifests for our boarding- will of the nation was declared officers to compare; a form of frank- Eighteen years later it was carrie out by Bismarck in a manner that they had not anticipated. Since the "On four distinct occasions which the Great Germans have been politic have come under my direct person- ally dead, as dead as the Jacobites c al observation, our blockading pa- the Tories who opposed the Reform trols have rescued neutral ships Bil. They disappeared on the da ready supplied with a large quantity from imminent destruction by Ger- when Prussia conquered and then up man torpedoes in the North Sea. The ited Germany. Koniggratz was their

One of the leaders of this move and proceed safely about their busi- ment was Constantin Franz, who, re "On another occasion we came gime, and whose work upon the subupon a Scandinavian with masts ject challenge and denouncing the "Where'n does this German world

task lie? It lies in the internationa calling of Germany as it was express ed in the Holy Roman Empire of th German nation-Germany was the the basis for the union of the whol of Christendom. It united German Slavonic, Magyar and Remance na tions and created the political found ation for the civilizing Christian wor! of the most different races.

and what have we instead, Nothin; but a barren doctrine of the individu al national state which is in itself the antithesis and destruction of al Christian civilization.

"Is not Germany called to raise herself, above the narrow circle o Railways Co. as early as 10 o'clock national ideas and interests, to the last night, when the first meeting point of a universal state standing of conductors and motorme. voted above the nations, in order by her to quit work. One thousand men example to direct also the other took a similar vote at a meeting this Western nations, and thereby herself, morning. Employes of the Second to build the foundation for a com- Avenue Line who had presented no munity of will in the Western World? demands to the company, struck in

German people, which has such great ough voted to quit early to-day. The traditions of its world functions, has Brooklyn lines are no involved.

utterable. * * * It is incredible what has been suggested in this con- Nobody ever says anything real nection to school boys in many cen-cheeky to an alarm clock. tres of nationalism. As though the

and did not rather dry in the soul which the barrenness of this national self-worship was veiled!"

A Witness to the Truth.

The strength of Professor Forster's position is that he strikes not merely at the external manifestations of the new nationalism, but at its very heart. If man differs from animals in that he acts consciously, civilized men differ from barbarians in that they act not merely by instinct or passion, but in obedience to an idea. It is this which the Western nations have seen, in that they have put in the centre of their, controversy with Germany an abstract conception; they call it militarism. The expression low it a recognition of the fundanental fact against which the struggle is directed; it is not merely against machines and ships and cannon and armies, but against a false dea and perverted thought, and they have always maintained that the true tragedy of the war was that Germany was not merely an infidel, but a pervert; she was a country which had deliberately mistaken a lie for a ruth, and after she had seen the light had chosen darkness. Of this ve have a welcome witness in Proessor Forster.

Tied Up by Strike

1t Standstill on Virtually Every Surface Line in Manhattan Seek Union Recognition—Nearly Two and Half Million People Are Affected by Dispute

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Strikes were n effect to-day on virtually every surface car line in the borough of Manhattan, Queens and the Bronx, involving 6,600 conductors and motormen, who daily use these lines. The test to determine whether the organation of employes recently formed sould paralyze the street car traffic of the city began early to-day when itizens going to work sought transportation. Indications at 7.30 a.m. vere that all the surface car lines in Manhattan, the Bronx and Queens were nearly tied up. A few cars guarded by policemen were moved. The labor leaders asserted that 80 per cent. of the employes of the New York Railways Co. which operates the majority of the surface ines in Manhattan had voted to

Elevated Not Affected. The elevated and subway lines. vhich were not affected by the strike ote, were thronged by persons, who vere unable to use the surface lines. hreats have been made that the trike will eventually be extended to

The street railway lines involved nclude the New York Railways Co., tue Railway Co. and two lines in the The strike to enforce a demand for

hose systems.

ecognition of the union and inreased wage began to take effect on the main lines of the New York Germany of "Hunger Rations." sympathy. Two hundred employes "It is truly astonishing that the of the surface lines in Queens bor-

for forty years endured to be put on Some minor disorders attended the nunger rations for its ideals. Much declaration of the strikers in Manunrest and dissatisfaction in Germany hattan and a few arrests were made may have had its real cause in the of strikers, who attempted to inwretchedness of the national horizon; terfere with the operation of cars. * * *the yawning duliness of So far as known no one was injured mere national interests became un-during the night.

Looks a trifle queer to see a girl continued noisy rattling of the sabre. A real diplomat is a man who sends No man ever loved a woman as daintly holding up a skirt already about the dignity and glory or one's nineteen roses to a woman on her own nation had any formative value, thirty-first birthday.

Something of the History of the Hereditary Second Chamber of England

cent writer a "caste-ridden country, union with Scotland. The twenty- from Church robbery. For examples: things are important. An English- Mr. Balfour, and Mr. Joseph Chamberwhere the rich peer is the Brahman eight representative peers of Ireland The Earl of Pembroke inherits Wil- man must be free, not only as to how lain. Throughout Europe the tendency and the penniless commoner is the are chosen for life, and the other Irish ton Abbey from William Herbert, and he votes, but as to what he votes for. on the part of the Crown and of govpariah." This is a rather severe in- peers are eligible to sit in the House he got it from Henry VIII who stole This can never be, as long as the rich- ernment is to restrict rather than to dictment of a country where democra- of Commons for constituencies in it from the Benedictines. The fortune est class can force a general election increase the number of nobility honcy is supposed to in the ascendant; Great Britain; only by so doing they of an Earl of North came from the by sudden and vulgar exaggeration." ors. For instance but did the taint of caste not exist, lose the privileges of peerage (other St. Cross Hospital whose founder had |-(Chesterton). "the fragment of feudalism known as than mere titles and precedence.) The provided for thirteen poor men within the House of Lords would never have Irish peerage is not doomed to ex- the walls and one hundred without, Memoirs of Lady Cardigan" sheds very their use is forbidden by the terms of floated safely into the twentieth cen-tinction as is the peerage of Scot- the balance to go to other poor. The luminous rays on the personnel of the the Constitution. For some time past tury." English society seems so dom- land; one Irish peerage may always Duke of Portland has for his country House of Lords; and a reviewer says. the Czar of Russia has declined to inated by the caste-principle that it is be created whenever three have be-seat Welbeck Abbey-"one of the won- Lady Cardigan shows the English grant the rank of Baron, Count or openly stated by competent observers come extinct, and the Irish peerage is ders of England." It is set in a park nobility to be morally incapacitated Prince to any one who has male heirs, that direct connection with the peer- to be kept up to the number of 100, eight miles in circumference. The for taking part in the government of thus insuring the lapse of the dignity age gives a young man politically not including those who hold peer- Duke of Devonshire owns in England a free people, and proves incontest- on the death of the grantee. The ten years' start in the handicap of ages of the United Kingdom. Lord and Ireland over 193,000 acres, with ably that the aristocratic order which Kaiser of Germany in conferring the life. Every cadet of a noble house is Palmerston was an Irish peer, but sat an estimated rental of \$800,000, counts is now attempting to usure supreme title of Count, Prince, or Duke now biographically labelled in Debrett in the House of Commons; Lord Curz- among his seven "seats" Chatsworth power over the nation is from a moral invariably makes the honor ad person-("the guide-book to the peerage"), on was created an Irish peer when he and Bolton Abbey-more stolen standpoint very much like the aristo- am, that is to say, for life only-his and when a scion of nobility becomes went as viceroy to India, and would Church property. The houses of Rus-cratic order which came to an end by object being that he may be free either a candidate for a public office, he is be eligible to a seat in the House of sel and Cavendish according to Ed- the guillotine in France during the to revise the dignity in the person of usually a winner against an opposing Commons if he had not been elected mund Burke, derive their revenues revolution. middle-class Smith or Jones who is as a representative Irish peer. designs on the public.

hereditary in early times must not The powers of the House of Lords, the anomalies of this institution the tent of \$200,000 to the accused to prebe overlooked. It is applied to what-formerly vast and important, have following excerpts are very opposite—vent the mention of his name. But ever goes by succession, whether that been restricted almost to vanishing all from English sources. succession be ruled by natural gener- point. The Lords may not muddle "The House of Lords has become good. Repose, straight forwardness, ation by election, or by any other way. with money bills; have no control ov- the refuge of panic-stricken classes courtesy, coolness, and courage, are The office and estate of Bishops or er the army or navy; may not in- holding titles to land or breweries the characteristics of these English Abbots is hereditary in this sense; it terfere with the control of the House or financial and industrial concerns. gentlemen who happen to be peers. must pass to some successor, and is of Commons over foreign or colonial "Peerage" should now be spelled It is commonly supposed that the therefore spoken of as hereditary, laffairs, matters relating to peace and Beerage' for the House of Lords is King who is "Fountain of All Honors" Bishops and Abbots were known as war, treaties nor internal administra- simply an amalgamation of intere is can confer dignities on whom he "Lords Spiritual"; Earls and Barons tion. The Lords cannot upset the bound together by no tie but fear of pleases. In reality, his powers in as "Lords Temporal". The same age Cabinet nor exercise control over the financial reform. In the historic ser e this respect are very restricted. The the shape of an hereditary peerage no longer existant, for, as was the liquid that can be called blue blood grant independently of the Cabinet enlarged by the creation of new class- now so prominently before the public, 'faked' like a picture leader's 'ancient Bachelor) and the Victorian Order. es of peers. The ancient earls of a bill, on a third rejection by the master.' But together they have pov- In fact, the latter dignity was institutthem bearing French titles of dukes the King's abbent, and on that as- and domestic animals in a prairie fire disposal of the sovereign some distincand marquesses. Neither title was sent being given becomes law. But __the thin remnant of the old feudal tion that could be granted independabsolutely new in England; but both two years must elapse between the barons—interesting survivals after all ently of the Cabinet. It is pretty genand earl were really the same thing; date on which it passes the House of Roses, civil wars, Whig oligarchies, have occurred between Crown and dux, afterwards supplanted by comes, Commons a third time. As individuals, aldermanic ancestries, and American, Government on the question of the the English earldorman, and Earl was personal privileges as formerly—they have not yet been driven out of our of Pitt and George III is a matter of in England as the lord marcher. But "king's cousins." A peer accused of class to risk a revolutionary over- ed that "while he could make the felhigher than the earl, the first duke fellow members of the Upper House. itivist Review.

England has been termed by a re- what different from the terms of the Henry VIII, and draw their revenues (its basest rich,) can decide

ceptation is found in the "Act against thus suspended while the peerage is legislation. the Designers" (1332), but it is Stubbs held by a female, but revives when The House of Lords has ceased to and vacant faces are unpleasantly nu- his guest. A contented "Ah!" slip-Constitutional history, "the word is it passes to a male heir. Children of be a popular institution, though it merous. Certain noble lords, of the ped from the countryman and then used so clumsily as to show that it peers have a definite precedence and seems to be irreplaceable. "Eng-sort who never enter the House ex-his arms in the air were discernable. was then a novelty." The thing is most an elaborate system of titles and epi- land" says an English essayist "has cept in obedience to special Whips "What's the trouble?" asked the important than the name, and we as- thets which perplexes foreigners; the no Supreme Court to guard the Con- from their party, are just average host. The answer came in a distresssume that the British Peerage (House eldest son of a peer ranks immediate- stitution; the Royal veto has fallen well groomed men. Others are fusty ingly plain whisper of disappoinment of Lords) is the personal continua- ly after peers of the rank next below into disuse; no Alexander Hamilton eccentrics who might be taken for "Oh, nothing; only the thing's tion of the ancient Witenagamot, My- that of his father; the precedence of has planted in our constitution the curio dealers in a back street in a empty." cel Gemot, or the Magnum Concilium daughters follows the general prin-fundmental principles of liberty, life Cathedral town." It is only fair to of the Plantagenet Kings. The House ciple, the principle implied in the and ownership. Nothing forbids leg-state, however, that "black sheep" in of Lords is thus, unless an exception doctrine of abeyance, that all daught- islation that would imply faith in con- the House of Lords are not more nube made for Hungary, the oldest sec- ers rank with the eldest son. The tracts. Any Jack Cade who can se- merous than in other walks of life ond Chamber in the world: it is like- daughter of a peer married to a com- cure a majority in the Commons could Some of the blackest of the flock are wise the most numerous and the most moner keeps her rank; but, if she altar the laws of life and property— those whose crimes never reach the hereditary in its character. The ear- marries a peer she takes the rank of after getting rid of the House of newspapers. Some years ago liest peers were Bishops, Abbots, her husband, whether that he be high- Lords. In fact, our only existing safe- House of Lords scandal became public Earls, and Barons; and to the Model er or lower than the rank which she guard against despotism, socialism, in consequence of procedures before Parliament of 1295 were summoned was by birth. All sons of peers are "es- and extravagance, or other results of a criminal court. In the course of 2 Archbishops, 18 Bishops, 70 Abbots, quires" of right; and by courtesy all brain-storm in a demagogue who has this trial correspondence was im-41 Barons. Even then the hereditary children of peers are entitled to the captured the House of Commons—to pounded in which the names of no. principle seems to have been estab- conventional epithet of "honourable."; cur shame be it said—is the Heredit- fewer than six peers were implicated. lished. The meaning of the word "noble" they are not in any sense, ary House of Lords." To illustrate One of them paid blackmail to the ex-

which saw Earls and Barons assume monarch. Even the power of veto is there is but a feeble trickling of any only dignities which the monarch can was also that in which the order was case with the Irish Home Rule Bill in its veins. Many of the titles are are ordinary knighthoods (Knights-England now saw men placed above House of Lords, may be presented for er, and they herd together like wild ed by Queen Victoria to place at the were now used in a new sense. Duke first introduction of the bill and the the slaughters of the Wars of the erally known that serious differences was the older English translation of however, the Lords have the same inheritances—money changers who conferring of dignities. The incident the English word commonly used to are free from arrest in civil process temples adventurers who know 'a history. The latter was compelled by express the dukes as well as the in "coming, going, or returning"; ev- real good thing on the political turf. the "Great Commoner" to accord a counts of other lands. So the march- ery peer has the right of access to All of these are shouting to the be- peerage to a man utterly unworthy of io markgraf, or marquis was known the Crown, and dukes are officially the wildered chiefs of the old governing the honour; and he savagely remark-

A peerage cannot be surrendered to surrendered by their lawful propriet- sight—and a rare one, for eighty per ing himself unworthy, or else to perscheming adventurer with nefarious the Crown or alienated to any other or, with the gibbet at the door! "The cent. of them seldom attend a debate. person, it can be forfeited only by list of other spoliations is lengthy. It is an interesting sight to stand in other European countries too there is The peerage is generally (though attaineer or by Act of Parliament. Of The Lords now own in the aggregate St. Stephen's Hall and watch the a movement to refuse to increase herincorrectly) set down as a synonym this last process there seems to be 15,500,000 acres of land, with an an- peers filing out into the night after a editary titles—The Canadian Freeman. for the House of Lords; and in this only one case on record—that of Geo. nual rent roll of \$65,000,000 or an av- great division on a national crisis. article we follow the common accep- Neville, Duke of Bedford, degraded by erage of \$115,000 a year each. Child- "A more extraordinary body of men to tation. The use of the word Peerage parliament in the reign of Edward IV, ren who are to inherit this land are invest with the power of Constitution-(from the Latin pares) first appears as not being really wealthy enough labelled lawmakers in their cots. And al veto cannot be imagined. The lead- and customer from the country whom in the 14th century, and was a direct to support his dignity. A peeress has a bankrupt, a voluntary or an idiot, ers, of course, look like other people, importation from France; the term all the privileges of a peer, except though himself suspended, hands on but among the others retreating chins theatre. When the lights were low, peer in anything like its present ac- that of sitting in parliament, which is to his son or successor the power of and foreheads, the affectation of mon- the merchant drew forth a pair of

now, first, dukes and then marquess- crime may refuse to recognize the throw, and chance whatever may come low a Lord he could never make him es come as distinct ranks of peerage courts he then must be tried by his to our rickety old constitution.'-Pos- a gentleman." The late Lord Salis-

being the eldest son of Edward III The House of Lords was in early "The House of Lords is a standing ship and from public life was by some who was created Duke of Cornwall in times a comparatively small body. In business committee of the very rich to said to have been hastened by a dis-1337, a dukedom to which the eldest the reign of Elizabeth there were only insure, first, that the wildest pute with Edward VII, owing to his son of the reigning sovereign is born. sixty lay peers. The Stuarts created schemes shall go through quickly and stern refusal to give the consent of the Marquesses began under Richard II, 108, Pitt 141. During the early Tud- quietly; second, that anything op- Administration to the grant of a peerin 1386 when Robert Vere Earl of or reigns the number seems to have posed to such schemes shall go age which the King wished to be-Oxford, was created Marquess of Dub- fluctuated around fifty. Taking the through slowly, doubtfully, amid deaf- stow. The fact is that the Adminislin, and directly afterward Duke of whole House there are only sixty ening clamours. It is not a place for tration is the arbiter in the matter Ireland. In the next century the peers who can boast of old titles. avoiding revolutions; it is a place for of the bestowal of dignities; and new title viscount was added between earl There are in fact, two orders in the exploiting some revolutions, and for peerages come into existence at the and baron. Since that time no title House of Lords, and the peers them-concealing others. The House of wish of the party in power. No less conveying rights of peerage has been selves never forget the difference be- Lords has really much the same func- than eighty new peerages have come devised. The five ranks of the tem- tween the old and the new men- tion as the more vulgar part of the into existence since 1906; and on the poral peerage thus are in the order though it is concealed from the outer press. It exists to turn on the lime- eve of the general election in 1905 of Duke, Marquess, Earl, Viscount world. New creations are resented light. It decides what violent changes several utterly unknown individuals by peers of ancient lineage "as a dilu-shall be printed in small -letters, were created peers in return for huge The Peerage has undergone several tion of the privileges that their an- what much milder in gigantic charac- contributions to the Unionist electoral modifications since the seventeenth cestors monopolided." The peers of ters. A bill is introduced to cut off fund through the party Whip, who is century; and in 1649 it was actually ancient lineage seem oblivious of the the left leg of every nonconformist known as the Patronage Secretary to DEFIANCE TO FIRE abolished by a vote of the House of fact that many of them, at least, had important measure. A bill is intro- the Treasury because he is the chan-Commons. It was, however, restored not very respectable beginnings. Lloyd minister; the Lords pass it as an un- nel through which whatever patronage in 1661. Other changes occurred in George recently lifted the veil and duced to charge every millionaire a possessed by the Premier is dispensed. 1707 and in 1801. The change of 1707 some of the "ancients" were con- half-penny more on his marriage The question of purchase of honours took effect on the union of Scotland fronted certain historic facts which license; the Lords reject it, and it at has even been discussed in the House with England; by the treaty of Un- must have caused them to pender. He onces becomes monstrously important of Lords, and a member declared that ion the Peerage of Scotland was to told them very bluntly that "their filling the land with cries of spoliation when acting as Whip in his party he be represented by sixteen of its num- hands were dripping with the fat of and despair. This is the real func- had on several occasions been "apber chosen for each parliament by the sacrilege." The Cecils and the Dev- tion of the modern Lords, they have proached" in the most matter-of-fact Scottish peers themselves. The Scot- onshires were charged with possess- charge of the vulgar department; and way by persons who were anxious to tish peers were ineligible to sit in ing ill-gotten goods. Sir Henry Lucy they manage the headlines and the obtain peerages in return for cash. the House of Commons, and the Scot- ("Toby, M.P.,") in London Punch has loud advertisements in the great mod- payable to the party fund. Gibson tish peerage was domed to gradual written words that burn regarding ern conspiracy of wealth. They must Bowles is responsible for the stateextinction. The union of Ireland with some of the British Magnates. He be destroyed because no nation can ment "that many contributors to Bal-England brought about another says, amongst other things: "The have manly control of its destiny so four's election fund have been made change; and the terms were some- most ancient peerages count from long as a small ring of its rich (often the recipients of titles, some of them

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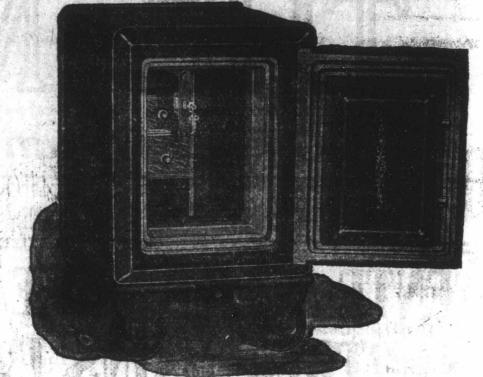
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Because I am a German," by Hermann Fernau (McClelland, Goodcild and Stewart), is one of the most notable and important books of the war. The author is a Prussian subject of German stock born in Breslau, where he lived up to the age of 21. He was afterwards domiciled in Paris, but his German nationality was sufficiently clear to oblige him to quit that city Haakon Sits on on the outbreak of hostilities and he now lives in Switzerland. From this refuge he writes in defence of the ideals of liberty, justice, the humane and rational development of political, moral and intellectual life in

Menaced by Germany

than ever before in the history of the world. The friends of this ideal, he says, are necessarily the enemies o that the disease called Prussianism almost inarticulate Germany, will reccgnize that its worst enemies were its own dominant leaders and not those who now face it along a thousand niles of steel and flame

Teuton "Intellectuals."

The author is particularly strong in his denunciation of those philosophers, educationists and intellectuals of Germany who without protest allowed the Kaiser to trample the higher Germany beneath his feet. "Individual opinions no longer exist, but only opinions that have found official sanction. Journalists and newspapers standing to attention! Fieldgrey sentiments and field-grey science Iron words and iron money. The whole nation one mass of bronze, in which no golden streak of individual character is allowed to glimmer! A scoundrel he who should now speak as citizen of the world! An abandoned wretch he who now should hint doubt of the supreme virtue and veracity of the Government once so biterly maligned! An offspring of hell ne who should not look to Potsdam

Defence of "J'Accuse." In large measure the book is defence and vindication of "J'Accuse," a work by another German. which some months ago created a great sensation all over the world, but was suppressed in Germany. "J'Accuse" arraigned the Fatherland for bringing on the war and those abject German writers who have attacked the writer as untruthful and an enemy of Germany are ridiculed because of the superficiality, unsoundness and trickery of their arguments Herr Fernau takes the ground that to Paris. the Hohenzollerns are guilty of bringing on the present world catastrophe and he seems to take the ground that the junkers and militarists cannot be suppressed unless absolute kingshir

defence, the writer has only supreme been threatening for some time. contempt. He says that such logic is worthy only of babes, sychophants and of those responsible for a world-wide grovellers. Very long and unspeakably sad is the list of German poets. "just because I am a German." thinkers and patriots who have had to endure abuse and ignominy, imprisonment and . exile, 'merely be cause they felt and expressed democratic sentiments. Even the author of "Deutchsland Uber Alles" for years endured the most cruel persecution from the German Government

Challenge to Germans

The last half of "Because I Am a German" is largely devoted to an appeal to Germans to answer, if they can, the charge that the Fatherland precipitated the war. The author makes a strong point of the fact that much of the correspondence between Berlin and Vienna just prior to the war has never been published. "Why does the German White Book afford absolutely no definite proofs that Germany tried to pacify Austria or to prevail upon her to accept Serbia's self-abnegatory surrender to Vienna's demands." Herr Fernau quarrels with the idea that the Hohenzollers made Germany great. Her real greatness he attributes to the thinkers and artists and musicians of a by-gone age Rating the present Imperialistic war of conquest as the most gigantic crime conceivable against humanity, the writer concludes by demanding, in the name of the millions who have already fallen and those who still have to fall, the trial and punishment

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Shaky Throne

CHRISTIANIA, Aug. 7.-King Haakon to-day entered upon his forty-fifth year, but beyond the customary official salutes and the display of flags on public buildings the He considers that this idea is more birthday anniversary of His Majesty dangerously menaced by Germany was permitted to pass entirely unobserved. The Norwegian people have outgrown the habit of celebrating the royal anniversary with popular festi-Germany so long as her organized vities. As a matter of strict truth, force is wielded under the influence he people pay little attention to of the deportation at an hour and of a poisonous delusion. He insists their King. The great war which has a half's notice, of 25,000 citizens involved nearly all the rest of Europe from the French towns of Lille, must be eradicated and when that op- has served to accentuate the distaste Roubaix and Tourcoing by the eration is performed, an at present of the Norwegian people for the insecret that in the breasts of the masses there exists a strong hope that at no distant date royalty itself may be

> There is no dissatisfaction with King Haakon personally in Norway but the extreme democrats, who have steadily gained in numbers and in duence, aim to make the institutions of monarchy useless and paving the way for a republic. Personally, both King Haakon and Queen Maud are held in high esteem by the people Since coming to the throne they have never made the slightest attempt to extend the royal prerogatives. In fac they have uttered not the slightest protest against the numerous mea sures of parliament passed with view to reducing those prerogatives Intimate friends of their Majesties are of the opinion that whenever the Nor wegian people signify their desire to a change in the form of government the King and Queen will be well conent to quit their thrones and return o England for their ruture residence

For the Ladie's Only

Paris, Aug. 2.—What will be the fashion in winter dresses was re vealed to-day, when Martial & on view. The exhibition marked the opening of the August dis plays and was attended by many American buyers, who, contrary to anticipations, were not prevent ed by the strike of the mantle makers in New York from coming

Longer coats and skirts with the elimination of the big hip, ar the predominating feature in the

Skirts are less full, but still ar and the autocratic monarcity disap far from skimpy. The tendency to enlarge the sleeves near the For those Germans who argue that shoulder is growing more marked in starting a preventive war the but we still are safe from the les Kaiser was using a measure of self- of mutton infliction which has

catastrophe "I demand this," he says

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Paris, Aug. 2.—Poignant details Germans last Easter, are given in stituions of royalty and it is an open a French Yellow Book, released for publication to-day.

The Germans' orders were for the people in certain districts of these towns to assmble in readiness for departure at their front doors which were to be left open and none was to leave the house before 8 a.m. The orders stated that "all protests will be useless and any one trying to evade deportation will be pitilessly punish-

The victims in all cases were chosen arbitrarily by the officer in charge of the deporting party. Each person singled out for deportation was allowed sixty pounds of baggage, which it was recommended should consist of utensils for eating and drinking, a blanket, good shoes and personal linen. If any one exceeded this weight his or her whole baggage was to be thrown aside.

Each bundle was to be made up separately for one person and sup plied with a tag showing the address, name and number identity card. When at their destination the deported persons were allowed to write to their relatives once

The Yellow Book continues. "The measure caused the greatest anguish and despair among Armand placed their new models the population of the notified districts, while in some cases it led to madness. Many people became so ill they had to take to their

> "Parents especially suffered torture at seeing their wives, daughters and children of both sexes over the age of fourteen led aways or packed into street, cars, pro miscuously, with bad characters of all sorts, male and female, not knowing what was to be their destination or fate. The anguish was renewed night after night dur ing the ten days of Easter.

All Protests Unheeded "The protests of mayors and other officials went unheeded. A bishop who intervened personally was told by a general: 'You,

bishop, shut up and be off.' "At the beginning of the deportations some girls of the aristocracy were seized, but they soon were released as were also daughters of those in the houses where German officers were billeted.

"At Roubaix the Prussian Guard refused to participate in the raids and the work had to be done by the Sixty-fourth Regiment from Verdun. Some soldiers engaged in the deportation were even seen to shed tears.

"A large proportion of the young women taken belonged to the servant class, several of whom voted to go in the place of their employers daughters. On the other hand, many young women of the better classes wanted to accompany the servant girls of their family. When those deported were conveyed to the railway station and loaded into the cattle trucks they kept crying: 'Vive la France,' and singing the 'Marseil

Summing up French opinion concerning what it defines as the German Government's clear violation of The Hague conventions in deporting the population of by the belligerents. Roubaix, Tourcoing and Lille, the insist upon the observance of the they conceive of their duty and fenders. The text word now pass-

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At present the only available docks are located in Harbor Grace and at St. John's; so that northern vessels are forced to avail of these when repairs are needed. As the great bulk of our shipping is found north of Baccalieu it goes without saying that in future, when the Catalina plant is in operation, that all the repairs and overhauling will be done there.

Apart from its proximity to the great northern shipping centres, this plant will be able to supply everything that is needed to effect repairs, little or great, as close by will be a thoroughly equipped mill where moulding, fitting and other essentials will be done, and done without delay. The site of this dock is second to none. It lies in a basin where neither winds nor sea can incommode the progress of the work. Then comes the advantage of lessened cost, as, by the utilization of the shipcarpenters of the dockyards who will be regularly employed, it will not be necessary to seek labor outside. This, from a marine standpoint, is a utility second only in importance to the shipbuilding plant.

It is quite possible that the dock at Catalina will not be the only one to be operated by the F.P.U. and we believe that another of similar equipment will be located at an early date on the South Coast, possibly at Harbor Breton where conditions seemingly warrant such a convenience as is being established at Catalina.

At present vessels along the South Coast (there are one hundred banking vessels alone between Marystown' and Burgeo) are forced to go to St. Pierre for repairs and overhauling sometimes twice every season. This means an expenditure of from \$30,000 to \$35,000 annually for, in addition to actual expenses incurred in repairs, every crew (aggregating for the entire fleet, some 1600 men) spend money very freely in the French Colony. Most of this passes into the treasury of suppliers and tavern keepers. So that from this point of ter of the enterprise to keep it view alone, the establishment of closed. a second dock is opportune.

So far, Mr. Coaker has been un- combination in other lines; and word Trust) controls practically they be left as free as possible to able to give as much attention to whilst the shareholders are wax- everything that our fishermen the South and West Coasts as he | ing rich and opulent, the toiler is need. would wish; but he will soon di- forced to pay exhorbitantly for We shall discuss other activities Republican President in that rerect his attention to this import- the products of the factories. We in a subsequent issue.

section of the Island; and we feel that the fishermen there will respond to his efforts just as they done elsewhere. Hitherto, they have been stuffed with all manner of silly stories about Mr. Coaker; but they are now, notwithstanding the infamous tactics of certain heavily salaried politic-ians interested in his policy of uplift. The fishermen of Placentia

and Fortune Bays have been treated to an amount of political dope the aforesaid scatterbrains such we would not care to print. We have in our possession some of the "speeches" delivered in certain localities three years ago by one of the impecunious individuals who has been sponging on the Government since he entered the

House of Assembly.

est members in Fortune Bay-one who has built up an extensive business, and who is universally esteemed. With such a representime when the F.P.U. will be as well known along the South Coast as it is now in the Northern out- Grande.

FISHING SUPPLIES

N the completion of the buildings, now in course of erecbreastwork, the Trading Com- Mexico is as follows: mands for the codfishery and the herring industry. As it will have by the States should keep these its own vessels in the trans-Atlan- figures in mind. tic trade there will be a regular recently. Furthermore, salt can we refer to is as follows: be purchased more reasonably at | "The attitude of ex-Chief Jus plant at Catalina, and adjoining | permanent staff of laborers will | in their controversies with the it, will be constructed a Marine be kept on the Union premises. United States has been purposely

> would not have now to report that by Mr. Wilson. "the big fleet arrived too late." These are but a few of the advant-

Catalina is in operation. Company will import all that is vulnerable points. In a series of needed, except such articles as difficult positions such as were can be purchased locally. It is the presented to Mr. Wilson, any ntention of the Company to pat- policy adopted would be open to ronize home industries provided sharp criticisms. It was mortally that such are not identified with impossible to devise a course not Combines such as they are in objectable in some important feamany cases to-day. The policy of ture. There was always the risk the organization is to serve the of war, which the President wisepeople along legitimate commer- ly tried to shun, and the necessity cial lines. It will handle no product that is the result of the place. No doubt the President sweating process; but it will purchase only from institutions where "fair wage" scale is operative.

One of the most important tems in the line of supplies is hard biscuit. This will be manubest possible product will be turned out. To illustrate the importance of this special industry we strongly-united support of the quote an item which appeared in President by the United States in evening contemporary a day or so ago; "It is said that several submarine controversy, and at the parties in the city are going to organize a company to equip a pakery for the manufacture of

in the city; and the price charged attorneyship for them in the crisis. for their output is practically the No doubt President Wilson misssame. Why? Because there is no competition. Fishermen have when he failed to protest, in the been paying through the nose for his much-needed item in their list of supplies; but the combination will have to meet competition from Catalina within a brief that abstention.

There are few industries in St. John's which are not controlled by might not be more disposed to mercantile interests; and everything tends to keep up the price than Mr. Wilson has been. But of the fishermens' supplies.

We had an instance of the Combine ststem in the case of the manufacture of tobacco some years ago. A fully equipped factory was never operated, as it was made worth while for the promo-

Hughes and Wilson

COMMENTING on the forthcoming Presidental election in the United States in November hext the Toronto Mail and Empire has a well tempered article on the situation which we republish here-

What Pres. Wilson has done the world knows. What Mr. Hughes might do no one knows.

So far the Republican nominee has kept mum on the European situation and has confined himself to a campaign of abuse of what he and his backers call "Wilson's Muddling," without offering any suggestion for the rectification of such muddling. Hughes seems to be chiefly concerned over the The F.P.U. has one of its bright | Mexican question and hopes to stampede the voters on the Democratic administration's attitude on this vexed problem. Quite a large number of those who are tative, it is only a question of backing Hughes financially are responsible for the present condition of things across the Rio

According to William H. Seamon, late of Chihuahua, who has had a life long experience in Mexico as a mining engineer, the whole trouble is caused by dollars and they tell the story. tion at Catalina, along a 400 feet amount of money invested in

pany will handle everything that American.....\$1,057,770,000 is needed in the prosecution of English. 321,302,800 plies. A salt store with a capacity | Mexican...... 793,187,242 of 8,000 tons will meet all the de- Other Nations. . . . 118,535,380 Those who argue intervention

Senator La Follette in La Foland unfailing supply of salt, Liv- lette's Magazine for August asks erpool, Ivizia, and Cadiz; and Shall these powerful interests be fishermen from northern outports permitted to succeed in their will not be dependent on St. | plot?" It is not American policy John's for their supply; nor will to have the flag follow their in they be forced to wait days and vestments. The article from the days for it such as has happened | Toronto Mail and Empire to which

Catalina, as the expense of hand- tice Charles E. Hughes toward ling it will be minimized, for a Germany and the Entente Allies cheaper than in St. John's; and the Wilson Administration, ac everything will be in the fisher cepting the Republican nominafion, he still covers over his dis-During the present season we position. He assails President had an illustration of the incon- Wilson's wordiness in dealing with veniences and the losses to north- Germany, and blares forth a call ern fishermen who came on here for the championship of United for supplies. Had the Catalina States rights, by whomsoever vioplant been in operation, northern lated, but he dexterously keeps skippers might have got down to away from the vital, ground of the Straits and the Labrador what he would have done had he. coast fully three weeks, or at in the White House, had to deal least, a fortnight earlier; and we with the concrete problems faced

"Political strategy would re quire the Republican candidate to ages that will be derived by fish- veil his predispositions in the ermen when the huge plant at earlier part of the campaign, a least, while attacking the course As regards provisions: The of the President on all of its many of holding Germany in its proper wasted much notepaper, and used 'grave' diplomatic language when the fist to back it up was hanging loosely. But when Mr Wilson finally made up his mind to break off diplomatic relations factured on the premises, and the he made it up firmly enough, and Germany had to crawl on the submarine issue, in the face of a people. Looking back now, at the twin results achieved—German backdown and the maintenance of peace—the people of the United States have good reason to feel There are already three bakeries satisfied with the Administration's ed a great moral opportunity name of international good faith, against the violation of Belgian neutrality, but even Mr. Hughes does not dare criticize him for

> "So far as the Allies are concerned, Mr. Hughes, if elected, put real difficulties in their way the Allies at least know Mr. Wilson, his ideas and policies, his reasonableness and his cautious moderation! All they could ask, now that Germany has been forced to stop wholesale and ruth-

do not wish to individualize; but we repeat that a commercial olig-We have an instance to-day of archy (we do not wish to use the

BY CALCAR

ment of the peat areas of the Island by sun-drying, to begin with, and ultimately by such mechanical process as seem most desirable, are now being actively enterprised. In several places in Newfoundland peat is already used as a fuel and with much satisfaction to those who avail of it; and the immediate project is to secure the services of expert peat cutters from Ireland, who will be sent into localities in the Colony where peat is available and instruct the residents how to utilize the deposits to the best advantage, as thereby the Colony's forest resources can be preserved longer, through the diminution of the demand on them for fuel, while the expenditure of money for coal can be avoided, which has now to be made in many places where wood is not available. It is diabolical humor. Does it furnish thought that it may ultimately be- a key to the prophesy, as it were. come possible to manufacture Does it hint at the coming of the make it a substantial local indus- be so reduced in the scale as to

what of the essence and tone of land by the timber shark. some cheap jack promoter's scheme. But this is no promoters prospectus. We quote these words from "The Mineral Wealth of Newfoundland," a pamphlet issued by no less authority than the Government of this unfortunate country. The issuing of silly writings on the natural wealth of the country is one of the high ight spots in the Morris activity. This paragraph on the peat beds which we have just quoted is one of the most glaringly assinine of the whole series. It is ungrammaical and we were going to say ilogical, but it is worse than that. t is utterly stupid and self contradictory. As for the grammar of course we are not sedant enough to find full with that if the passage had some common sense, for after all sound sense is superior to grammatical usage. and when a man has something good to say it matters not if it be said in language a little uncouth but when you get nonsense dressed in awkward language you get something to disgust. Particularly is this the case when the gabbling comes from a high

We are laying our guns against he volubility of the Morris organs not because we want to be captious but because we believe this to be the best mode of attack At election times you know that the batteries which win the battle are the rolling word batteries These play upon certain targets. but are meant to distract for they never hit the target of sound sense. If we can show the people what kind of guns they are that are used and how silly the knaves behind them there will be less disposition to be carried away by mere sound. When you know that t is the braying of asses you hear and not the voices of the gods your Olympus will resolve itself

nto a mole heap. Let us examine note for note this ass's braying who wrote the words with which we began this essay. Let us dissect it, cut the words from the skeleton and see for ourselves what form the frame takes whether it be of sense or

The first sentence which we strip off is openly deceptive. It is a lie pure and simple. It mistates and exaggerates facts. "Measures. for the development of the peat areas of the Island by sun-drying, to begin with, and ultimately by such mechanical process as seen most desirable, are now being ac-

tively enterprised." In what manner let us ask were they being "actively enterprised." Does Morris consider that a lot of braying about the value of peat bogs constitutes an active enterprise. Well it may be for it exercises the lungs of the ass and fits him for future braying. Neither do we consider the importation of two peat cutters from Ireland as anything in the nature of an ac-

tive enterprise. That sentence containing the choice bit of puerility about the burning of peat to preserve our timber areas a year or two longer we have already spoken of in a former essay. Of course our readers will remember that this

less submarine warfare, is that "finish their work." They would not fare better at the hands of a

idea about our forests has been repudiated by Morris who now claims inexhaustability for our no matter what draughts may be made upon our forest areas the trees will forever cover the land They cannot be exhausted for

they reproduce themselves in MEASURES for the develop- thirty years.

The closing sentence is the choice one of the lot for it conveys a prophesy and more than a tinge of irony if not of sarcasm. 'It is thought," says this delectable tit-bit of a pronouncement, "that it may ultimately become! possible to manufacture peat on a scale large enough to make it a Bishop has taken \$30,000 subsidy the boodle they now make by runsubstantial local industry.' In other words the Morris Government foresaw the day as they

thought when it would no longer axe on his shoulder and go to the woods for his fuel. Did they foresee the gobbling up of our forest areas by their friends the timber sharks and the denudation of the fisherman's reserve by the patriotic pit prop hawks. Is the word "scale" in the ven-

ture put there as a choice bit of peat on a scale large enough to day when Newfoundlanders would forget all other industry for peat Did anybody ever before read digging. Does it hint at the ruin such drivel? You may perhaps in of our fishery and lumbering insome prospectus, for it has some- dustry and the desolation of our

We can imagine Newfoundland with her people a nation of bog cutters. What an industry to be sure. Is that the faith Morris has in this country, that he can see no better employment for our people than bog cutting. What about our fisheries, what about our farm ing, what about our paper mills our mines and the countless industries that might be developed here. Have they reached the ultimate, are they on the down hill. that our population must overflow into the bogs there to become a nation of bog cutters.

GLEANINGS OF GONE BY DAYS

AUGUST 14

DRESBYTERIAN CHURCH first organized in St. John's, 1842. Foundation stone of old Congregational Church laid, 1851. Battle of Metz, 1870. Frederick Wyatt, agent Inman

Line at St. John's, died, 1872. Spanish brigantine Mayaquez zana lost near Blackhead; Capt. Fiol, wife and child dronwed. This vessel was signalled from the block-house at 4 p.m., and was lost at 9 p.m.—five hours after, 1876. The Southside Hill was on fire this day and night, from Syme's bridge to the Narrows. During the night the picture made by the fire attracted thousands of citizens by its wild grandeur. The smoke from this fire—the wind being from the west-filled the bay, and largely brought about the disaster to the Spanish ship, 1876. Regatta at Topsail, 1884.

Rev. S. O'Flynn died suddenly near Lunatic Asylum, while driv ing in carriage, 1899, "Wanderers" (Cricket Club)

left for Halifax, 1898. Steamship Thingvala collided with steamship Geiser 40 miles from Sable Island; the latter sank and 119 souls went down with her. The Thingvala, though much 💈 damaged, reached Halifax in

Richard Allen, of Bowring's em-

The "Earl of Devon."

timber. No matter how you hack, Sandy Carter is Despised and Hated by Residents of the Treaty Shore --- People Long for Union Govt.

(Editor Mail and Advocate) of Devon that gave Bishop a haul Government will rule and take be competent for a man to put his clear haul of \$10,000 each year a box of soap. Go ahead Presigest clown that ever walked a deck, when he is not stuffed with whisky, his mouth is full of oaths, and he never fails to be busy La Scie, Aug. 1, '16.

leverywhere concerning people's Dear Sir, Allow me to make business. He is especially interpublic the opinion of most men on ested in women's gossip; he is the Treaty Shore respecting a per- hated and despised by every deson named Sandy Carter. This cent respectable man on the shore. fellow is master of Bishop's Earl God hasten the day when a Union of over \$5000 in 1913 for collect- from Bishop the Hon. and Sandy ing ballot boxes; since then the soft blow and great seal killer. from the people for the service of ning the Earl of Devon. This the trawler Earl of Devon. She Sandy Carter is the same who does the work no better then a sailed a steamer to the seal fishery motor boat and Bishop makes a and didn't get fat enough to make out of her, for her freight and dent Coaker, the people are with passengers pay enough to pay ex- you. We long for the day to come penses. Carter is perhaps the big- to vote for a Union Government,

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(To the Editor)

rewarded by success. And what of centres has brought about a more those who comprised the business reasonable and honest system of trade ring and waxed rich, those so-called as in Port de Grave and Bay Roberts. "merchant princes." True to Scrip- In Bay de Verde alone last year many ture, they flourished like a green bay thousands of dollars were placed in important documents will be avert tree for a season, but the ill-gotten the pockets of the toilers through ed if you invest in riches were not destined to afford the competition of the Union Store. permanent comfort. It faded and fil- The fishermen who operate as squattered, and became a curse rather than ters on the Labrador Coast were able a blessing to many whose off-spring to demand the highest figure both be-

the aforesaid harbors and who suc- is unfortunate that some outside the

I wonder how many Non-Unionists houses in that town, and this despite fishermen are concerned and every Port Blandford realize the gigantic task that Presi-Levery effort on the part of those peo-Unionist should exert himself to assist St. John's Lodge. S.U.F. dent Coaker set for himself when he ple to redeem their homes. What are in this enterprise, which will eventuundertook the work of rejuvenation in the nett results of this unholy lust for ally make him his own exporter. If Passengers and Crew S. S. connection with the old-time system riches? To-day those homes are va- the same enterprise and confidence under which our staple industry was cant and forsaken. Their former were shown by the residents of Conlarge number of Unionists who do emigrated to other lands, and the in the North these fishermen would, Kodak Store (A. M. Tooton) not thoroughly appreciate it. The dis- Colony is so much the poorer, and if with their usual industry, develop in- part proceeds July 22nd ... tressing, but deep-rooted old-time though some avenging angel had to an independent and prosperous F. C. Chance, Boston order of things had to be tackled and smitten the greedy despoiler, his once class of people within the next decade, Wm. Goodyear, Musgrave Hr their death must, naturally, be a slow flourishing premises are decaying. The system and opportunities are open South Shore, Conception Bay One. Let us take Conception Bay for crumbling back to the dust, and ob- it is only a matter of united co-opera- (additional) an example. Here a rather complex livion. The gold accumulated did not tion for the general betterment of the Southside (for upkeep) and different order of things are met prolong life. Some who formed that most ancient settlement of the most H. D. Windeler with. Perhaps no section of New-partnership and who moved among Ancient Colony. foundland has suffered more than Con-the greatest of the land, have passed ception Bay. No people were more beyond the veil, and others are to-day great progressive object and be true exploited of the products of their lab- halting on the threshold of a misused to yourselves, your Union, and those Employees Job Bros. & Co. Ours. The many dilapidated and life, and, where is the monument of who come after you. vacant homes around its harbors bear their material success? They are ample testimony to this. The once leaving their home town poorer than thriving towns, such as Hr. Grace, they found it, and who will regret the rigus, Bay Roberts and many harbors passing. If the toiler were given a In the head of the Bay are to-day des- fair share of the products of his laberted by the sons of those sires who, our could the foregoing state of things after wresting fortunes from the come to pass? Certainly not. Hapocean, had only succeeded in enrich- pily this conditions and customs being the commercial vultures who held long to the sad past. A brighter day them in their toils. The United States has dawned for Conception Bay as and Canada are to day benefiting by well as for the North. To-day the our misfortune. A flood of emigra- F.P.U. has invaded those fortresses of tion which increased as the years graft. President Coaker has been in-Went by, has bereft us of our best. strumental in the fishermen both at Denied a square deal at home, they Labrador, as well as at home, getting seek it in a more democratic land the best value, for their catch. The where their talents and industry are advent of stores in some of those

squandered in a life of debauchery cause of advice through Union Press, guard" system of filing and inthe gold which to-day should repres- and circulars as well as by the Union dexing. Let us instal an equipent comfortable homes to many whose competing in the buying of fish on the ment for trial, free of expense or coast. This year the same will be The writer's attention was called done on a much larger scale if vessels to a firm which flourished in one of can be procured to bring cargoes. It

Union who are alike benefited, do not St. John

The next step will be the erection of stations on Upper and Lower Labrador from where fish will be exported, and supplies kept for the fisherermen's use. The site for these will e selected by Mr. Coaker later on This will revolutionize the Labrador Already acknowledged\$14,443.48 ald fishery as far as the Conception Bay Jas. Burden, Salvage

ception Bay as has been demonstrated Bay Roberts

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D. M BAIRD, Hon. Treasurer. FOR UPKEEP OF BEDS IN FRANCE Already acknowledged\$23,694.36

> 20.00 Burin account, upkeep Burin Cot Random South Circuit, per 20.00 Rev. I. Davis 5.00 Campbelltown, L.O.L. Lark Harbour, Bay of Islands C. of E. School Teachers and Pupil's (additional) 50.00 Anonymous for upkeep of Cots already provided Placentia (for 8 weeks upkeep) Rocky Harbor, per Isaac

Payne 17.85 108.34 S. U. F. Lodge, Middle Bight Members of S. U. F. Lodge Middle Bight Grand Falls (upkeep of 2 Grand Falls Cots)

\$24,547.78 Placentia, Dunville. \$1.00 each, Mrs. Michael Barron and

83.70 family, Mesdames T. P. Power, Thos. 10.00 Smith, John Thomas Dunphy, John Bird, Messrs. Thos. F. Power, Richard 4.00 Tobin. Small amounts \$14.70. Total 5.00 for Dunville, \$21.70.

Jerseyside.

\$5.00, Capt. Geo. O'Reilly; \$2.00 per Miss Lena Griffin; \$1.20, Mr. and Mrs. Ins. Sparrow; \$1.10, Engineer Byrne; \$1.00 each, Thos. Moyst, P. F. Moore, M.H.A., Wm. Maddigan, A. J. Ryan, Purser Kelloway (S.S. Glencoe), Cond. Wm. Collins (2nd.) Mesdames P. Smith, Mary Burke, Miss Meta Bradshaw. Total for Jer-17.66 seyside \$18.30.

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Remembering Their Dead

Yesterday the Sons of England observed the beautiful rite, now an an- This will be another big week at the Cubs vs. Red Licns and B.I.S. vs. nual ceremony of decorating the Nickel theatre and the pictures will Wanderers, which has been postponed graves of deceased brethren. Meeting prove again that nothing but the best twice owing to bad weather, will be in the morning the Society appointed is shown there. The programme be- played Wednesday next in St. Georges committees, who proceeded to the C. gins to-day with an elaborate drama Field. It is expected to be one of the of E. and Salvation Army cemeteries entitled "The Carpet from Bagdad." and reverently laid beautiful floral This beautiful picture is in five reels Besides the great struggle for the offerings on the resting places of de- and is produced by the Selig Com- Pennants, the proceeds will go to supceased friends and brethren. The ser- pany's artists. The story is from Har- plement the Garden Party proceeds send a thrill of horror through all vice proper was held in the afternoon old MacGrath's well known novel. for the Church of England Orphanage, at the General Protestant cemeter. Kathlyn Williams, the celebrated actthe Rev. Hy. Royle officiating as chap- ress is in the leading role and is aslain. His address was one of peculiar sisted by Wheeler Oakman, Guy Oliver of all classes greatly appreciate the eloquence, not unmixed with pathos and Charles Cleary. Then there will and pride as he referred to the beau- be the continuation of that sensationtiful sentiment included in the So- al serial. "The Strange Case of Mary ciety's new departure and made par- Page." Wednesday, Francis X. Bushticular allusion to the part our boys man and Beverly Bayne will appear in are playing in the great strugger in the remarkable six-part drama "Grau-Europe. Her eferred to three S.O.L. stark," while on Friday the World's lads who had paid the supreme sac- Corporation will present Mary Miles rifice, Lieut. Taylor, Sgt. Major Winter in the "Fairy and the Waif." Miles and Pte. Stan Pike. The service all through was most impressive and a large congregation attended.

Circle and Leader of Cod Trap. Danger of Being Lonesome," in a feat-Marks: 4 buoys and one 1/2 brl. ure in two reels featuring Bryant tar keg, 3 coir moorings, one buoy Washburn and Miss Nell Craig. The with B.F. on it on the span line. 21 Vitagraph Company present "The b. line in each corner. 3 or 4 Wrong Mr. Wright," a comedy drama meshes by head, 21 lb. twine by "When Lin Came Home" is a pathetic head. The property of JAS. McB. Western drama; and "Shakeville's FITGERALD, Open Hall, B.B. Eugenic Marriage" is a very laughable aug7,6i

THE PORTIA HERE

The S.S. Portia, Capt. Joe Kean, arrived here at 11 o'clock Saturday night. She had very good weather and By the Portia we learn that traps went as far as Bonne Bay. She had about Lamaline and St. Lawrence, as no storms and but little fog until in well as Eurgeo, have done well but in the neighborhood of St. Mary's, and most other places poorly on the she had to lay off that port all Friday whole. All the traps are now taken night owing to dense fog. She brought in. There is now plenty of cod re considerable freight and her pas- ported all down the coast but there i sengers were Messrs: W. Mar- absolutely no squid to be had. Al tin, M. Martin, R. Maher, D. round Fortune Bay the bankers are Neat, J. B. Ryan, O. Bungay, Capt. W. in off the grounds, but this much-re-Kennedy, E. Hutchings, D. Thistle, R. quired bait cannot be found. In many H. Richards, F. H. Mahoney, V. Din- places as the Portia came by codfish ner, F. J. Hann, R. Hogan, M. Vail, could be seen "breaching" in grea Capt. Kendrick, R. Groady, G. Bennett, schools but there was no sign of the J. Evans, W. Molloy, D. Drake, W. bait so indispensible to catch it. Rowsell, G. Rowsell; Misses M. Neal, M. Pike, G. Sceans, V. Bartlett, Gladys Hollett, H. Tremblett, B. Anderson; Mesdames E. Noel, O. Bungay The friends of Corporal Patk. Tobin and 25 second class.

Teacher for Methodist School, is now enjoying a furlough. Corpor ferred. Salary \$170.00. Apply in the big "push" of July 1st., and the Chairman Methodist Springdale.—aug3,12i

MAN REPORTED MISSING

Saturday night the friends of a young man named Thomas Peddle, of the East End, reported him missing. number of passengers which included He left home in the early morning and Sir Glenholm Falconbridge, Judg had not returned up to 10 p.m. The Morson, His Lordship Bishop Power. police did not worry about him as Bro. Borgia Carew, Hon. P. T they know him of old, and Head Peet McGrath and Capt. Water Kennedy asserted that he had seen him as well as the members of the Terra speaking to another man at 9 o'clock. Nova Football Team, this season's

ARRIVED WITH LUNATIC

Const. Bartlett arrived here by the the boys of the inland city. Portia Saturday night from Burin with a woman who was violently insane, who required careful watching solutely eliminates Carbon from and who was sent to Lunatic Asylum Cylinders, Cylinder Walls and on arrival.

OUR THEATRES

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THE CRESCENT.

Go to the Crescent Picture Palace to-day and see the big week opening LOST-At Long Island, B.B., show. The Essanay Co. present "The Shakeville comedy. Professor McCarthy plays a new programme of music for this big show, take it in to-day.

PORTIA'S FISHERY NEWS

YOUNG SOLDIER BETTER

Water St. West, son of the late John Tobin, will be glad to hear that he WANTED !- Experienced Male has been released from hospital and Springdale. Associate Grade pre- al Tobin was wounded in the shoulder Board, wound, though severe, was not dan gerous. All his friends here will b glad to hear of his recovery. .

BIG PASSENGER LIST.

Yesterday's express took out a large champions, who under the supervision of Mr. Phil Raines, proceeded to Grand Falls to play a series of matches with

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POLICE COURT NEWS.

Mr. Morris, K.C., presided to-day drunk who assaulted a man, and as the American's say gave him "smoky lamp" was let go, as the other would not appear against him. The ease for a defective chimney brought forward by Head Dawe, another by Head Sparrow for loose and disorderly conduct against a man were dismissed. Const. Bruce had two men summoned for loose and disorderly conduct. One was fined \$1.00 the other dismissed.

European battleground, habituated to looking at the map in the light o minute knowledge of every successive wave of warfare from Julius Casar's triumphal campaigns down to the ragedy of 1870-1, General Townshend was able to prophesy in advance, at least eighteen years ago, the violation of Belgian neutrality, the fighting in the Argonne, and the main trend of subsequent events in France up to the

"Imperialist," in a splendid appreciation written for the May number of 'Khaki," tells us that the great soldier is descended from Brigadier-General Townshend, who fought under Wolfe at Quebec, In contemporary ife the most vivid influence upon his nilitary standards and ideals was that of Field-Marshal Lord Wolseley. In avourite topic, and he made many pilgrimages to the scene of Napoleon's battles. Wherever he travelled, he instantly viewed the country from a strategic standpoint and his expert knowledge and vivid imagination compined to bring to life again the drama of the old campaigns and to foreshadow the probabilities of campaigns

His active service record embrace the Nile Expedition of 1884-5, the Chitral Campaign of 1891-2, which included the historic defence of Chitral. the Sudan Expedition of 1898, and the

South African War. After eighteen months of heroic fighting General Townshend is a prisoner, and the thought is very grievous but his splendid defence of Kut has wen him imperishable glory; and such as he are never finally defeated, for it is not "defeat" in the bitter schae when a General has done the utmost mortal man can do, and has kept throughout all his sufferings and struggles the respect of his countrynen and the devotion of his fellowers. -Review of Reviews.

JUST A LITTLE RIFT Capt. Koenig of the submarine

Deutschland talks like a loyal Teuton boomer when he says that ail of fertile Poland is growing bumper crops this summer, but he seems to forget that efforts are being made to send a few hundred -New York Sun.

NOBLESSE ABUSE!

The English are a people of hypocrites, liars, and ruffianly thieves. The Russians are bar barians, whose sole idea of war fare is to commit the most hor rible atrocities. The Italians are an absolutely putrid nation. The French, whom their Government for the moment holds under the knot, are, according to Voltaire, half tiger and half monkey. Dirty and ignorant in time of peace, they have distinguished themselves in the course of this war by savagely maltreating German women and children and innumerable prisoners.-Nachrichten.

Mr. M. Spurrell, church officer of the Presbyterian Church, leaves contiguous places North.

Jumps Overboard English Harbor's and is Drowned

The double-header baseball match, One of the Florizel's Firemen Named Babstock is Drowned Shortly After Leaving Port Saturday-Ship Was "Hove up" off Port Till 6 p.m. as Result of Accident

One of those sad accidents, which

by its suddenness and unexpectedness who learn of them occurred Saturday and this alone will no doubt greatly evening from the S.S. Florizel shortly after she left this port for Halifax and New York. Possibly the following formal report to the police will epitomize the details of the sad affair-'Wm. Broderick, pilot, reports that at about 5.40 p.m. Saturday while returning from the Florizel in the pilot boat I saw the ship heave to one mile off the Southern Head. I returned to the ship to see what was wrong and Capt Martin of the ship reported that two of the firemen had jumped overboard When this occurred the ship was hove to and a lifeboat launched, and the crew tried to save the men. One of them, whose name is not known was recovered, the other, Stanley Babstock, was drowned. Rev. Mr. Hemmeon was notified and broke the sad news to Mrs. Babstock, and her two children.'

The accident occurred under circumstances which precluded the procuring of definite details. However, it known that all the afternoon there was trouble with most of the stokers on the ship, who had been drinking and were very quarrelsome. Indeed President F. Woods, of the Firemen's Union assures us he never worked harder to get the men to remain or board ship, but without avail. Shortly after the Florizel hove off from her pier two of the men had to be put on board and the rest were fighting or her decks. It is even said that some of the men climbed to the bridge and tried to assault Capt. Martin. The ship, however, put to sea, Pilot W Broderick bring her out, assisted by Pilots Frank Learey and Lyall Lewis The ship had gone about a mile from the Narrows and was shaping for Cape Spear at almost full speed when th culmination of the firemen's conduc occurred in poor Babstock jumping rom the rail into the water. Though a splendid swimmer, he sank in an instant. To illustrate the loyalty and devotion of the men to each other hardly had Babstock gone over, than history the Napoleonic wars were his Ml. Donovan, a comrade, who by the bye was perfectly sober, jumped in to save his friend and Patk. Heren (: survivor of the Newfoundland dis aster) prepared to do the same, bu was restrained. In the meantime boat was thrown out from the Florize and Donovan was picked up exhausted from a long swim. The pilots ray back to the ship and picking up the boat in which Donovan was towed i back to the steamer, where Pilot Broderick gleaned the facts which h reported to the police. It blew a gale from the South when the drowning occurred and it is believed that Bab stock was swept into the ship's wake and sank quickly, though a splendid swimmer. After the accident occur red the ship "hove up" off port unti 6 p.m. when she resumed her voyage Boats about, in one of whom was poor Babstock's father, jigged without avail for the body, nor did Mr. Babstock know it was his son who was drowner until he came to the City.

Mr. W. G. Gosling had the following wireless from Capt. Martin of the ship Saturday night: - "A man named Stan Babstock, jumped overboard and was

drowned."

who are the objects of the sinceres sympathy of the whole City. ----

THE KYLE'S PASSENGERS

The S.S. Kyle arived at Port aux Basques 7 a.m. yesterday with the thousand tons of food to Poland ollowing passengers: Mrs. G. Windostensibly for the relief of the ford, J. H. Bellamy, Mrs. A. Wilcox Poles. Starving victims of the P. and Mis Hatcher, R. Rawlings British blockade or plethorous Miss M. Gallop, A. W. McIsaac, Miss cultivators? Here is a little rift R. Gallop, A. W. McIsaac, Miss R in the German talk organization Gallopp, A. D. Thomas, Rev. W. R Seeley, F. Mayor, Miss E. Buffett, Miss E. Kelly, Miss A. Kelly, J. Kent.

OUR VOLUNTEERS.

Saturday forenoon the Volunteers tended by about 300 men.

Gift to Cot Fund

English Hr., August 9th, 1916.

Mr. William Batson, of John 40 yesterday. Mr. George Batson 2.00

Mrs. Francis Penny, of John50 torn in different places.

Babstock resided in Dick's Square and leave a wife and two children

and squad drill and in the afternoon bathing parade was held at Long Pond. Robert Haines, Grand Falls, enlisted. Yesterday the regular church parade was held and was at-

and Mrs. Norman Herald, of McFarlane Street, on the death of their only child, George, which occurred yesterday, after a brief illness. The little chap, who is a grandsone of Capt ting is it certainly tough. George Herald, of the customs, succumbed to an operation for appendicitis. What accentuates the sadness of mow the laws, then mother wanted England, to Charlottetown, P.E.I. the little chap's passing is that Capt. to mow the grass, and now we notice salt laden. this evening for a holiday to visit Herald, his father, is absent from that when the grass is cut it is the place of his birth, Trinity, and home, being now on his way from little Willie who painfully pshes the Cambridge, Neb., reports discoveries Pernambuco to Barbados. lawn mower.

We deeply sympathize with Captain

(Editor Mail and Advocate) Dear Sir.-We send you herewith list of subscribers to the Hospital Cot Fund at English Hr., T.B. This amount, \$56.50, has been forwarded to Magistrate Somerton at Trinity, who will forward the same to his Honor, Chief Justice Horwood, Kindly find place in your paper to publish these names as evidence to the public that, the people of English Hr. have done their bit for the Cot Fund.

GARLAND PENNY. WALLACE BATSON.

Collectors. the T.A. & B. Society was held yester-Mr. Garland Penny \$1.00 Mr. Wallace Batson 1.00 fuel cost. Mr. Martin Ivany 1.00 Mr. William J. Penny Mr. Reuben Penny Mr. William Ivany, of Wm. Mr. Jacob Penny, sr.

Mr. James Ivany, of Martin50 Mr. Walter Ivany 1.00 left for their parishes. Mr. Mark Wells 1.00 Mr. William Wells 1.00

Mr. Mark Barnes, sr.50 Mr. Wm. Penny, of Martin and family 2.00 lost by recent storms.

Mr. Allan Benson 1.50 Rev. J. C. Elliott 2.00 p.m. yesterday. Mr. Mark Ivany 1.00 Clyde left Lewisporte 9.05 a.m. to Mr. Francis Pottle 1.50 day Mr. Gilbert Bugden 1.00 yesterday, going west.

Mr. Arthur K. Batson50 4.40 a.m. to-day. Mr. Henry G. Batson and family 3.00 7.50 a.m. yesterday. Mr. Jacob Penny, jr. 1.09 Mr. Alex. Penny, of Jos. 1.00 Saturday. Mrs. Alex. Penny of Jos. 1.00 Sagona arrived at Maccovick on the

Mr. John Batson, of John 1.00 Mr. Alex. Penny, of Richard .. .30

Total .. \$56.50

crowds on Woodward Avenue. Rudolph Cooper, a Burrough's from Labrador with 450 qtls. guard, was shot through the hip and struck on the head. He is in a serious condition.

?**************** LOCAL ITEMS ~****************

LEAGUE FOOTBALL-B. I. S. vs. Collegians, St. George's Field this evening at 6.45.

The schr. Success arrived at Bahia on Saturday after a good run.

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The detectives were out yesterday 50 will be submitted for analysis.

Mr. Fisherman, to save nine-

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Saturday evening a number of the to 5ft. 5in.; age 18 years to 55 years Mr. William Ivany, sr.50 various outports attending a Retreat

The use of Carbonvoid means Sergt Major, both from this date. Mrs. George Barnes50 Ignition, easier Starting, and uni- aug14,11

Mrs. Peter Batson 1.00 were granted a brief furlough to see

Mr. Richard Batson, sr.50 The reports by the Susu show that Mrs. John Batson 1.00 the fishery is slack still from Bay de flour.

The use of Carbonvoid means Miss Mary Ann Penny 30 Bright Spark Plugs, Clean Cylin-Miss Mary E. Wells 1.00 ders, no Carbon, less trouble, no

Mrs. Nicholas Penny 1.00 reports stormy weather on the Banks Mr. Alex. Penny, of John 1.00 She also reports cod scarce and, like other bankers, some gear, cables &c.

Mr. Joseph Penny 50 two hundred and fifty dollars towards Mrs. Francis Penny, of Jas. 40 the funds of the Corps, bequest of Mr. Herbert Barnes 1.00 late Hon. John Harris, per Thos. Har-Mr. Alex Barnes 1.00 ris and Mrs. A. Tobin, executors.

REID'S SHIP REPORT

Mr. John T. Wells 1.00 Dundee arrived at Port Blandford

Mr. Edwin Bugden 2.00 Glencoe left Pushthrough 7.20 p.m.

Mr. William Batson, of Wm. ... 1.00 Lady Sybil left Port aux Basques Miss Thersa Batson50 Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques

Mrs. Reuben Penny50 Wren arrived at Clarenville 9 a.m. Meigle arrived at Louisburg 7 p.m.

TRAIN REPORT.

Saturday's No. 1 arrived at Port aux Yesterday's No. 1 left Bishop's Falls

Yesterday's No. 1 left Shoal Hr. 9.05 | St. Peter's lines on foot, infection

MOVEMENTS OF SHIPPING

Mr. H. W. LeMessurier, C.M.G., had Detroit, Aug. 4.—Five unmasked automobile bandits early this the following mesages to-day, viz.:afternoon held up an automobile The S.S. North Cambria sailed for in which \$50,000 payroll money Cardiff with 9,510 cords pit props from was being taken to the plant of Lewisporte; the S. S. Terra Nova arthe Burroughs Adding Machine rived at Greenspond from England, Company and before astonished Saturday, to load pit props; the Lowel guards could offer resistance F. Parks sa'led from Pushthrough to spatched five bags of six in the Gibraltar Saturday with 3,100 qtls car said to have contained \$37,000 cod; the S.S. Winlaton left French and escaped. The holdup occur. Arm, White Bay, Saturday, for Swanred in view of hundreds of em- sea with 2,318 cords pit props; the ployees of nearby automobile fac- Ronald G. Smith sailed from Gaultois tories and the usual afternoon for Oporto with 2,720 qtls fish.; the Wm. McGregor arrived at Wesleyville

HER RUDDER BROKEN.

Mr. LeMessurier, C.M.G., had a mes-They call it legal tender, but get- sage to-day with effect that the schr. 'Ruth Robinson', of Boston, Mass., had arrived at Placentia with her rudder In the beginning father wanted to broken. She is bound from Liverpool,

OFFICIAL

CASUALTY LIST FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

Received 3 p.m. Aug. 12th. 362 Lance Corporal Robert LeBut Campbellton, N.D.B. Died wounds at Royal Victoria pital, Netley, Aug. 11th. Received 6.30 p.m., Aug. 12th. 183 Private Michael Joseph Maddi. gan, 314 Water Street West,

University War Hospital, South ampton, Paratyphoid, slight 1418 Private Sydney Wilfred Evans 41 John St. Wounded, left arm August 2nd. 1749 Private Peter Tobin, St. Marve

Shell wounds, August 3rd J. R. BENNETT.

Colonial Secretary LEGION OF FRONTIESMEN AS rangements are now made for continu. ance of drill and general instruction at Hall on Tuesdays and Fridays from this date at 8.30 p.m. Standard of height for recruits has been raised chest measurement 34 inches, Promotions:-Sergt. Major R. Hudson to be 2nd. Lieut, temporary charge H. O. St. John's troop; Sergt J. Rose to be

E. W. VERE-HOLLOWAY

Lieut. O.C. L.F. GO FOR NEW SHIP.

By the Florizel Saturday there left six stokers, 4 seamen and a bo'sun for Sorel where they go to bring down A H. Murray & Co.'s new steamer, which will likely come here with a cargo of

PARIS, Aug. 7.—"Flies can be made to quit a room by coloring the window panes blue," says a paper read before the Academy of Science. "Flies dislike blue color and if one pane is opened they will immediately fly toward the white light.

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