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LODGE EMPIRE, No. 270. There will be a meeting of the White Rose Degree of Lodge Empire, No. 270, in the Odd Fellows Hall at 8.15 o'clock this evening, Jan. 2nd, 1923. Business; Conferring Degree. By order W.P. H. R. LILLY, Secretary.

Knights of Columbus.

The Regular Monthly Meeting of Terra Nova Council, No. 1452, Knights of Columbus, will be held in Columbus Hall, Duckworth Street, this Tuesday evening, Jan. 2nd, at 8 p.m.

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THIS TUESDAY EVENING, Jan 2nd, at 8 o'clock, in the Cochran St. Lecture Room. ADMISSION 25c. Bannerman Street Entrance.

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The regular Card Tournament will be held in the rooms to-night.

L. J. HARNUM, Secretary.

A CARD PARTY

(In aid of St. Patrick's Memorial School) will be held in the Holy Cross Schools on

Wednesday, Jan. 3rd, at 8.30 p.m. TICKETS 50 CENTS.

Newfoundland St. Andrew's Society.

A Children's Party will be held in the rooms on Thursday, Jan. 4th, from 4 to 8 p.m. The children of all members of the Society and Ladies' Auxiliary are cordially invited.

Auxiliary ladies please take note re-arrangements for catering.

NOTICE.

The Dance in the C. C. Hall to-night will start at 9 o'clock sharp.

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The Heir of Bayneham

Lady Hutton's Ward.

CHAPTER XXII.

Then Lord Bayneham met him, and greeted him warmly, pressing him to waive all ceremony and dine with him. Captain Massey was sorely puzzled. He longed to gaze again upon the fair young face that had been the one star of his hope and love; he longed to see her in her own home, surrounded by luxury and love. Then he could take the picture into exile with him, and think of it when he felt dull and lonely. So he yielded, and went to dinner, looking with sad eyes upon the one face that had been all the world to him. She welcomed him warmly and kindly; her little white hands outstretched to meet him. There was no thought of love or lovers in that pure, guileless heart. She had never known that he cared for her. And this man, who had loved the fair young girl so deeply and hopelessly saw what others had never noticed. He read the expression of that face and those clear, true eyes more correctly than did those who lived with her. She was even more beautiful than before her marriage; but the beauty was changed. The first flush of youth and happiness had died out of it, never to return. He saw something of constraint in the smiles that had once seemed ever to linger round her lips. He noticed that when she was neither speaking nor listening an expression of deep thoughtfulness came over her, and

WHAT MADE ME HAPPY

"I was congratulating myself that I had passed the winter without catching a cold, when I got one at the beginning of last May. It was because I was run down. Being run down I had some trouble in getting rid of this cold. I was a nervous wreck. I would wake up regularly mornings feeling that some terrible calamity would take place. Although we were comfortably off, I felt sure my husband was going to lose everything. The children worried me. If they made the least noise, I would get into a terrible temper. I would scold them so that I am sure they hated me. I would be mad with myself after it was over and make up my mind never to let it happen again. I would go to bed at night and begin to think and picture dreadful things which might happen to me and my family. I would lay awake for hours, sometimes until daylight, until I was so weak that I could scarcely raise my head. I would waken next day just as tired as when I laid down. After what happened. The children annoyed me and I wouldn't have cared if they had left me for good. I felt that it was only a matter of time before I would lose my mind. I knew that my symptoms were due to a run down condition and that if I could only get something to build me up, I might be all right. I knew that there must be some good tonic but most of them made such foolish claims that I was afraid of them. Happening one day to run across a leaflet about Carmel, I was impressed with the moderate rate way this preparation was described, so I made up my mind I would try it. I did and today I am the happiest and healthiest woman living. I haven't a care in the world. Instead of running away from me, my children are now with me all the time. My husband tells me that my disposition is as near an angel's as any human being's can be, but of course he is prejudiced. I don't believe I have a nerve in my body now." Carmel is sold by your druggist, and if you can conscientiously say, after you have tried it, that it hasn't done you any good, return the empty bottle to him and he will refund your money.

weight of dread, as of some coming heavy evil which she could not avert; and once in her sleep she sprang up wildly, crying, "Claude, do not go to Bayneham. I have dreamed that I lay dead there."

CHAPTER XXIII

"Will you go with us, Claude?" asked Lady Bayneham on the following morning. "I am going to take Hilda to call on Lady Graham."

"I should be delighted," he replied; "but I have a gentleman—Mr. Fulton—coming on rather important business; I must therefore defer the pleasure."

For the second time Lady Hilda heard that name uttered before her, and did not remember it. The carriage drove off, and she sat serene and smiling by Lady Bayneham's side. They saw a tall, handsome man go up the broad flight of steps, but no warning came to Hilda, no impulse or instinct told her that he was the man whose cruelty had doomed her mother to death.

"I am glad you are come, Mr. Fulton," said Lord Bayneham courteously; "we will go into the library, as we shall require pens and paper for our calculations."

The visitor followed his young host. Was it chance that directed Lord Bayneham there? The library was a grand apartment; its chief ornament was a magnificent picture hanging over the mantelpiece. It was the portrait of Lady Hutton's ward, taken by the celebrated artist, Mr. Seaton, and valued by Lord Bayneham above all other treasures. The summer sunbeams fell slanting upon it, lighting the golden hair and beautiful face with a bright radiance. It was a face to dream of, so pure, so fair, and lovely. The violet eyes and sweet lips smiled at you; the tender innocent heart, the guileless, loving nature; sweetness, constancy and truth, were imprinted on every feature. The sunbeam was not brighter than the sheen of the rippling golden hair.

As Mr. Fulton entered the library his eyes fell upon the picture, and it startled him so much that he uttered a low cry. He went up and stood before it. He asked himself was he was he dreaming or awake. The room, Lord Bayneham, and the present faded from him; he and the present faded from him; he stood in Brynmar woods, under the cool shades of the green trees; the lovely face flushed at his passionate words, the fair young head drooped beneath his gaze. He was there wooing Magdalen Hurst in the opening of her fair youth and beauty. It was but for a moment, and something dimmed the eyes that had long been dry. He started; what was he, Paul Fulton, sentimental?—going to cry because a beautiful picture resembled his dead wife, making a simoleon of himself for a painted face?

"You admire that painting," said Lord Bayneham; "it is considered an exquisite gem of art."

"I—once knew some one whose face resembled this," stammered the visitor. "Indeed!" said Lord Bayneham quietly; "she must have been very beautiful then."

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A DAINY "PARTY" OR "BEST" FROCK.
3959. Canton crepe or crepe de chine would be attractive for this style, but it is nice also for gingham and other cotton weaves. The skirt is joined to a long waisted underbody. The overhush, caught up at the sides in soft folds under ribbon trimming or a motif or rosette, is slipped over the dress when worn. One may have both skirt and overhush in straight or scalloped outline. This Pattern is cut in 4 Sizes: 6, 8, 10 and 12 years. A 10-year size re-

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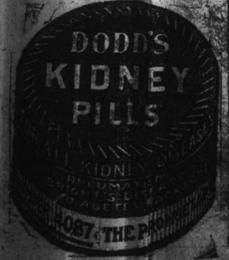
Worst-Behaved Island.

Falcon Island, in the South Pacific, is the most restive and changeable piece of land in the world. It has a knack of disappearing below the waves and then suddenly bobbing up again. It was first seen and charted by H.M.S. Falcon in 1855. But in 1877 another ship found that the land had disappeared, though smoke was issuing from the sea. The charts were altered accordingly. Then, in 1885, the island returned, quite faintly, and remained so long that the steamer Egeria, in October, 1889, charted it again, showing it to be just over a mile long, a mile broad, and 153 ft. above sea-level at its highest point. Early in 1894, however, a survey ship found that the island consisted of only a low stretch of narrow rock, less than 1,000 ft. in length. By December of the same year the

island had bobbed up again, and was over three miles long and nearly two broad. As if exhausted by such an effort to increase in area, it vanished once more in 1895. No further signs of ambition were noted until 1900, when the island again began to grow. Since then it has undergone many changes. Today it is covered with palm trees and vegetables, but its reputation for misbehaviour is such that no one will settle upon it.

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Reparations Conference Final Meeting To-day.

Disorder and Disaffection in Mosul -- France
Rejected German Offer -- U. S. Gun
Runner Captured by British Warship.

FINAL CONFERENCE TO-DAY.

PARIS, Jan. 1. The Prime Ministers of France, Great Britain and Belgium, together with Marquis Della Torretta, representing the Italian Premier, will go to conference to-morrow in what is regarded as the final effort of the Allies to reach a collective settlement of the Reparations question. There is a sober, even anxious, spirit in the air tonight, in face of the possibility that if the Conference fails to reach a direct action by France will follow. The main questions to be decided are, first, whether a moratorium can be granted to Germany, second, upon what terms. France and Great Britain are sharply divided in policy. The French insist upon using the productive resources of Germany on the left bank of the Rhine and in the Ruhr Valley as guarantee when the moratorium terminates Germany will resume her Reparations payments. President Millerand in referring to the New Year good wishes the diplomatic corps to-day, made clear that France stands upon her conception of justice and her rights for the Treaty of Versailles. The British Government thoroughly disapproves of the stern methods of penalties and desires to work out a plan under which Germany will be allowed a moratorium of at least two years, time to be employed in so reorganizing her resources that she may successfully shoulder her debts.

A REVOLT IN MOSUL.

LONDON, Jan. 1. A revolt has broken out in Mosul in the kingdom of Iraq, says a dispatch from Constantinople to-day to the Mail. The reports are credited to sources received from Ankara. Hundreds of the British Air Force, which police Mesopotamia, on behalf of the British Government, are declared to have been burned. During the Mesopotamian campaign, there have been repeated reports of discontent and threatened risings in Mosul. The British have claimed rights in the Mosul oil fields. There have been minor revolts by Kurds in various parts of Iraq Government, which have been attributed in London as being instigated by the Turks.

FRANCE REJECTS NON-WAR PACT OFFERED BY GERMANY.

HAMBURG, Dec. 31. The Franco-German non-war pact, proposed by Germany to France,

through the mediation of a neutral Power, has been rejected by Premier Poincaré. This statement was made by the German Chancellor, William Cuno, in a speech before the Hamburg Bourse to-day.

NEVER MORE FRIENDLY.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1. George Harvey, United States Ambassador to London arrived in New York yesterday on the Berengaria, and while declining to discuss the exact reason for his unexpected recall to Washington, told his interrogators that the British Government planned full payment of the British war debt to the United States. Never before in the history of the two nations, Col. Harvey said, have relations been friendlier than at present.

GERMANY'S PROPOSAL.

PARIS, Dec. 30. A mortgage on wealthy German people up to twenty per cent. of their total value is the guiding principle of the Reparations proposal Germany will make to the Premier's Conference according to a version of the German plan given by the foreign editor to the Paris Journal. The mortgage would be established by means of income tax returns.

BOYCOTT RESOLUTION REJECTED.

GAYA, India, Dec. 30. A resolution proposing a boycott of British goods was rejected yesterday by the All India National Congress which began its sessions here to-day.

LEAVING CONSTANTINOPLE.

VALETTA, Malta, Jan. 1. In consequence of the uncertain situation in Constantinople, sixteen hundred British subjects and Maltese will leave the city at once, it was learned here to-day.

GUN RUNNER HELD UP.

QUEENSTOWN, Ireland, Jan. 1. The British torpedo boat destroyer Venomous on Friday arrested a United States steamship close to Castletown Bere, Ireland, which was supposed to be trying to land a cargo of arms and ammunition. A destroyer patrol has been watching for the vessel for the past week. The Venomous waited until the American vessel was within three miles of Castletown Bere and then called upon the captain to halt and heave to. The commander of the destroyer boarded the vessel accom-

panied by one of his officers and a party of marines and conveyed her to port by order of the Free State Government.

A BROOKLYN TRAGEDY.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. After he had shot and killed his 29 year old wife, Frank Dagote last night was killed by his father-in-law, Giovanni Magliocco. The shootings took place in Dagote's Brooklyn home, in the presence of their four children. Magliocco has been arrested, charged with murder.

WANT COAL INDUSTRY NATIONALIZED.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31. The purchase by the United States Government of the entire coal industry in the United States, both bituminous and anthracite, at a total cost of five hundred million dollars, a Cabinet place for a Secretary of Mines, and the creation of a Federal Commission of Mines and a National Mining Council, are proposed in a plan for the nationalization of the coal industry which the United Mine Workers will present to the United States Coal Commission in January.

AN ADDITIONAL VOTE FOR U. S. NAVY.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31. A Washington supplement appropriation of six million five hundred thousand dollars for the modernization of battleships in the United States Navy was requested of Congress on Saturday by President Harding, who transmitted a letter from Secretary of Navy Denby, declaring that as a result of the Arms Conference decisions, the nation must adopt a new policy regarding its capital ships if they are to be maintained at a standard of efficiency comparable to that of similar vessels of foreign powers.

BRIEFS.

It is announced that Geoffrey Dawson has been appointed editor of the London Times in succession to Henry Wickham Stead.

General Sir Neville Macready has been made a baronet on the occasion of his retirement as Commander of the British forces in Ireland.

Spain has placed a cruiser at the disposal of Lloyd George who intends visiting Morocco during the week as part of his holiday to Spain.

A Treasury statement places the revenue of the United Kingdom during the past nine months at £688,500, 000 compared with £676,750,000 for

the corresponding period last year. The Canadian Parliament will assemble on Wednesday, Jan. 31st. The most striking passage in the Archbishop of Canterbury's New Year's message in his reference to the "sheer materialism, blunt, patent, unabashed, which seems to wax rather than wane in England's home circles." The message says selfishness and greed of gain go hand in hand with the weakening of health and home ties and these simple domestic obligations that were formerly considered distinctly English.

Supt. O'Neill Honored.

PRESENTED WITH CLOCK AND ADDRESS.

On New Year's morning, Superintendent O'Neill was presented with a very handsome clock and suitable address by the men of the Terra Nova Constabulary. The presentation was made by Constable Walsh during the parade at the Central Fire Hall. The clock bore the following inscription:

Presented to

P. J. O'Neill, Esq., J.P.,
From the Police in the Barracks,
January 1st, 1923.

The address was as follows:

To P. J. O'Neill, Esq., J.P.,
Supt. Terra Nova Constabulary.
Dear Sir.—We the members of the force who are now living in barracks, tender to you our heartfelt sentiments for a bright and prosperous New Year. As this is your first New Year to be here over us as Superintendent of Police, we feel we cannot let it pass without showing you our appreciation for the encouragement and kindness you have shown us since you have been Superintendent over us.

Some of us here now who have lived with you in barracks know your sterling qualities and worth, and we do not forget that through you we have received more privileges than we ever had in the force before, which through your influence we received from the Inspector General permission to dress in plain clothes when off duty.

We are here to-day as friends and comrades, and as such we ask your acceptance of the accompanying gift, and we hope that it will remind you sometimes on a cold night that there are warm hearts in the force who wish you every success and prosperity in the future.

Signed on behalf of the men in Barracks.

VINCENT S. WALSH,
Senior Constable.

Superintendent O'Neill, who was quite taken by surprise by the unexpected event, in reply thanked the men for the splendid gift and words of appreciation, which accompanied it.

In regard to the force, the Inspector General and himself had already done their best to make it as comfortable and as pleasant as possible for the men under their charge. The past year from a police standpoint had been very satisfactory and he hoped that this year would be equally so. He reminded the men that anything that was in his power to do for them would always be a pleasure, and he would keep the clock as his most treasured gift in remembrance of his first New Year as Superintendent of Constabulary. He wished the men and their families every happiness and prosperity for the coming year.

Lausanne Fashion Show Dooms The Flapper.

LAUSANNE—Short hair and short skirts was little favor in the fashion conference which Fust, of Paris, artist, conducted at the Grand Theatre for the fashionable crowds gathered in Lausanne for the Near Eastern Conference. The Parisian mannikins displayed more than 100 costumes before the exclusive audience which registered its approval by loud applause, or was deadly silent when a mannikin moved across the stage in a costume which did not meet the fancy of the audience. "It soon became apparent that the girls counted much for a short-haired girl to call forth much applause from the young diplomats who constituted a greater part of the male section of the audience. There were mannikins with

bobbed hair which was curled, and bobbed hair which was plaited down straight. There were both blonds and brunettes with short hair, but they attracted little attention. All eyes were on the girls with long hair, whether it was red, golden or black. They got all the applause. And the more modest and demure the mannikin was, the greater her popularity with the spectators. The snappy flapper was clearly in the discard, in the opinion of the international crowd gathered at Lausanne, and the willowy girl in extremely long skirts and with plainly dressed hair was in favor. The prime favorite among the mannikins was a gray-eyed little Quakeress, with brown hair parted in the middle, and simply dressed. Her suits and gowns were all gray or blue, and when ever she appeared on the stage the applause was deafening, while the more flashy mannikins, walking with great affectation and dressed in conspicuous red and yellow gowns, were greeted with little enthusiasm.

Words Coined by Drinking Customs.

The invitation to have a peg is heard frequently, but probably few who give or accept the invitation know how the expression came into use.

Peg tankards are sometimes seen in the cabinets of the curious. It is supposed they were first used by the northern continental nations and introduced among the Anglo-Saxons by King Edgar, by way of laying a restraint on excessive drinking. An authority has given a precise account of the peg tankard. He says: "Peg tankards, generally made of maple wood, have in the inside a row of eight pins, one above another, from top to bottom.

"The first person that drank was to empty the tankard to the first peg, or pin; the second was to empty to the next pin, and so on—by which means the pins were so many measures to the drinkers, making them all drink the same quantity.

Pins as Guides.

"As the distance of the pins was such as to contain a large draught of liquor, the company would be very liable by this method to get drunk, especially when, if they drank short of the pin, they were obliged to drink again."

At Braintree and Bocking, in Essex, a curious old drinking custom was observed. There, when two persons joined together in drinking a pot of ale, it was divided into three parts or draughts. The first was called "neckum," the second "stinkum," and the third "swankum." Each man had at different stages, to imbibe each of the three portions before he finished his bout.

In an old dictionary "swank" is said to be "that remainder of liquor at the bottom of a tankard, pot, or cup" which is just sufficient for one draught, which it is not accounted good manners to divide with the left-hand man, and according to the quantity is called either a large or little swank."

Wisps of Wisdom.

Happiness will never be found at the end of the rainbow unless you carry it there.

Popularity is more often a reward for not displeasing people than for pleasing them.

Success is not sold on the installment plan. You must pay for what part of it you take.

Give a man the alphabet and an iron will, and who shall place bounds to his achievements?

The man who is constantly disappointed in others is likely to be a disappointing fellow himself.

Don't gaily with your purpose. Not many things indifferently, but one thing supremely is the demand of the hour.

Have a good word for everybody. The only man who has a right to look down upon others is the man in an aeroplane.

People who are every now and then "turning a new leaf" blot the new with the same stuff that spoiled the old.

The man who does what he pleases is seldom pleased with what he does.

The more of the others burdens we bear, the greater the strength to carry our own.

Cub Cigarettes are appreciated, not only by the smoker but by those in his company.

Worlds of the Future Photographed.

Two thousand new suns, in the process of making, have just been discovered and photographed. Some day probably they will develop into fullgrown suns, with their own sets of planets revolving round them, so that there will be two thousand new solar systems.

The discovery has been made by Harvard University astronomers who are carrying out observations at Arequipa, Peru. They have also taken the photographs. These budding suns are reported as "nebulae," which is the astronomer's name for faintly glowing patches of light which are found at enormous distances in space by means of powerful telescopes. Several thousands have already been mapped. Only two are visible to the naked eye—one in the sword-handle of Orion and the other in Andromeda.

Whirling Spirals.

The nebulae are in the form of whirling spirals of what looks like luminous vapour. It is supposed that they condense, in the course of ages, into suns, and in the process throw off pieces that condense more rapidly, being smaller, and so become planets. Our own solar system is believed to have been formed in this manner.

Another discovery made at Arequipa is that what is called the "Magellanic cloud" is 660,000 billion miles away from the earth, instead of only 510,000 billion, as hitherto estimated, and that its diameter is 90,000 billion miles. The distance of the earth from the sun is a mere inch compared to this—93,000,000 miles.

"These new discoveries and calculations," said Dr. Crommelin, of Greenwich Observatory, "are extremely useful to us, and they help in our great work of mapping out the heavens."

"Nearly twenty-five years ago Professor Holden, of the Lick Observatory, in California, estimated that there were at least half a million uncharted nebulae to be discovered. It will therefore be seen that this two thousand are but a fraction of the number still to be located."

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Love in a Mist.

(By ELLIOT BAILEY.)

"Oh-h!"
"I beg your pardon! Are you hurt?"
"No—are you?"
"Not a bit—it's this beastly fog."
"Good-by."

"Good-by!"
He raised his hat and they parted, and the fog, whose enveloping darkness had caused them to collide, swirled down between them again and hid them from each other's view.

Margaret Simpson, pausing to recover her breath, for the impact had been a sharp one, gazed back into its impenetrable folds.

"He's got quite a nice voice," she murmured, "and I do wish I knew where I was."

Then the fog played another prank. It lifted suddenly and disclosed the owner of the voice also standing still not ten yards away and, strangely enough, looking back in the girl's direction.

He came forward at once. "Are you lost?" he asked.

"I'm afraid I am," she said, helplessly. "I usually get an omnibus somewhere here, but they don't seem to be running."

"You'll have to go by Tube."
She laughed. "But where's the Tube?" she exclaimed, in mock despair.

"I think I can get you there."
As he spoke the fog swooped down again, and they began to feel their way back along the pavement. Then suddenly they reached the cosy radiance of a tea-shop and the same thought struck them both. In the light from the doorway they paused involuntarily.

"Had your tea?" he asked.

She hesitated. "No," she confessed at last. "Have you?"

"No."

Old Ladies' Comfort Boots for \$4.00 the pair at SMALLWOOD'S Shoe Sale.—dec18,tt

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By BEN BATSFORD

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Ladies' Coats, plain and with Fur Collars & Cuffs. Colors: Brown, Fawn, Blue, now selling at half price.

Also Big Reduction in LADIES' COSTUMES, Spring and Fall.

We also have a nice assortment of Xmas Toys, Kewpie Dolls, from 25c. up. It will pay you to see us before buying elsewhere.

I. LEVITZ, 252 Water Street

Opp. Dicks & Co.

When Muscles Strike.

Medical men are only just beginning to realize that many hitherto obscure muscular and rheumatic complaints are due to games.

When the brain calls upon any particular group of muscles to perform the same action over and over again they are apt to show their dissatisfaction by declaring a strike.

A typical case in point is "tennis elbow," from which complaint most ardent devotees of the game have suffered at some time or other.

The symptoms vary from mere stiffness of the elbow joint to severe cramp culminating in some instances to temporary inability to use the arm for any purpose whatever. Sometimes, too, there is a painful swelling of the forearm below the elbow joint.

A kindred complaint is "tennis leg," which affects in a somewhat similar manner the muscles of the calves and knee-joints. Another example where the leg muscles are the victims is afforded by "rider's sprain," a complaint to which polo players are peculiarly liable.

"Golf arm" is akin to tennis elbow, the symptoms being much the same. It is due, according to a writer in a well-known medical journal, "to repeated sudden and whip-like contractions of the triceps bruising the musculo-spinal nerve."

The pain in severe cases is excruciating, and it is not easily alleviated. Embrocations will not allay it and the only hope of a permanent cure is for the patient to give up golf for a lengthy period.

Then, again, there is a complaint known to cricketers as "bowler's side" brought about through straining the abdominal muscles; and even fly-fishing is liable to bring about a somewhat similar affection called "angler's elbow."

Complete rest of the affected parts is the cure for this troublesome ailment.

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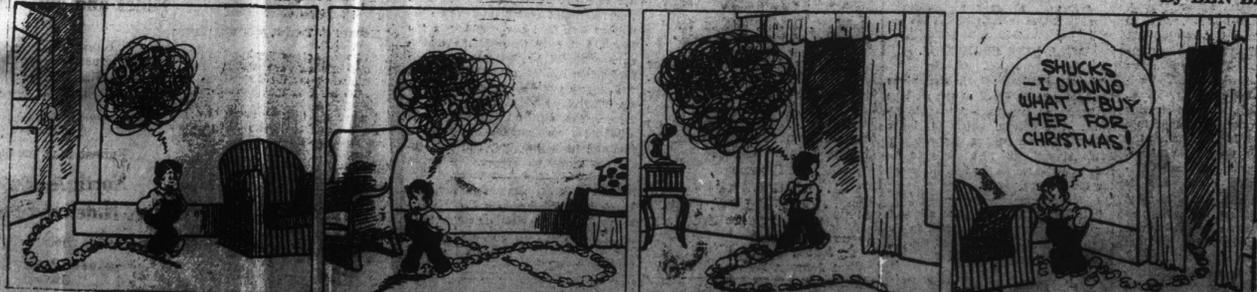
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we beg to intimate that we will have large consignments of the finest New York and Canadian Poultry, the same quality of birds we had last week, and we don't think we require to say more. Also finest Codroy Beef, Mutton, Lamb, Pork and Veal. All fresh killed.

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Evening Telegram

The Evening Telegram, Ltd., Proprietors.

Tuesday, January 2, 1923.

1923

Permit me to introduce myself. I am the New Year of 1923, born at one minute after midnight on December 31st last, Sunday. My birth was announced by the ringing of church bells and the blowing of whistles from the steamships in the port of St. John's. These heralded my coming, as an infant unknown, and perhaps, to some unwelcome; but notwithstanding I am here to stay for twelve months. None know me at present; none are prepared to take a chance on a prophecy as to what I shall be when 1924 ousts me from my position, as I ousted 1922. I am a mystery even though but a two day old infant. Yet even in the short forty-eight hours of my birth, I have made an impression. I was ushered into being under auspices which look most promising. I came when the weather was fine, and when thousands of people attended services known as "Watch Night" to extend to me their welcome. Though an infant I am lusty; though an adolescent juvenile, at the moment, I am strong; though little, as human stature is measured, I am a giant. I hold within the hollow of my hand the destinies, not only of Newfoundland, but those of the whole British Empire and the universe. But I admit that these have to be formed by the people themselves. I am merely the instrument. I am but Time as represented by the passage of the months of the calendar. Yet I have been longer than the world has lasted, and have witnessed all the things that have happened since I was; and will visualize all those that will occur until I have ceased to be. So to you mortals it is given to see that you do not place too much faith in ideals. These are all very well in their way, but often they do not materialize. People do not, nor will not, hold the same views, but much may be accomplished if bitterness and strife and envy and hatred and malice are barred out of the councils of countries and nations and empires. I have closed the door of the year ahead, and in such a manner that you must open it yourself. That which lies beyond the threshold I am not permitted to tell you. Your own efforts have to make the opening either one of success or failure, prosperity or disaster. But take up the things that you have to do cheerily and cheerfully, and you will find that when I have attained my full stature, and my appointed time comes to give place to another, your efforts will not have been in vain. Meanwhile I am asking the Evening Telegram permission to thank you all most heartily for the welcome accorded me, a total stranger, on the very minute of my birth, and also to express the hope that my period spent amongst you will not have been in vain. May I, too, wish you all A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS 1923.

Kyle's Passengers.

S.S. Kyle, Capt. Stevenson, arrived in port yesterday at 8 p.m. from North Sydney, via Port aux Basques, bringing the following passengers:—E. G. and Mrs. Bottle, D. Bowden, J. Bowles, E. G. Goss, P. H. Fenny, J. Northrop, A. H. Savage, W. S. Bell, Mrs. G. Goss, Mrs. F. Goss, and daughter, Miss F. Goss.

The Admiral's Daughter Sir Marmaduke Winter, Kt.

BRILLIANT SUCCESS THE HANDICAPPED THRU TIE-UP OF COSTUMES.

Necessity is the mother of invention! A musical revue demanding the portrayal of the rural simplicity of England, the vivacity and colour of Spain, and the lavish gorgeousness of the East requiring costumes, lighting, and scenery of a most complete nature. With most of the regalia and paraphernalia marooned on the Gulf Tropic in the belated snow-bound express—still through the ingenuity of the artistes themselves and the almost herculean efforts of the management, the brilliant performance of "The Admiral's Daughter" presented not only an original but entrancing entertainment, and the handicap of incomplete wardrobes was more than over-shadowed by the brilliant and clever novelty, vocal and dancing numbers and the individual efforts of the talented cast.

As always in a revue, the plot is but skeleton. In "The Admiral's Daughter," however, it is sufficient to hold the audience mildly mystified and unable to guess the eventual outcome. Lack of space to-day prevents us giving the complete review and criticisms to to-day's page, and indeed we deem it would be unfair and perhaps unwise to do so until we see the performance in all its splendour, which we understand will be to-night as the belated express with the costumes on board is due early this afternoon. Without intending to be invidious, mention must be made of the wonderful dancing (particularly in the final scene) of Miss Joan Rendell who delightfully portrayed the title role. Lithe, grace and daintiness with a true interpretation of the lure of the Orient are embodied in her. Her dances, and her performance was worthy of a Panlova. Briefly then, this is a show well worth witnessing for its delight alone—apart from the fact that its object is to augment the early insufficient funds of the Permanent Marine Disaster Fund. It will be staged every night this week.

M. G. C. A. Concert.

A GREAT SUCCESS.

The College Hall was filled to its utmost capacity last night to hear the concert arranged by the M.G.C.A. Band. The programme, which was a very lengthy one, proved very popular to all lovers of music, and many scores had to be repeated to the delight of the artists who took part, these being as follows:—Miss Marguerite Mitchell, Mr. Gordon Christian, Miss Ruth Calvert, Miss Alice Woods, Mr. Stanfield, Mr. J. Wheeler, Mrs. H. Small, and Mr. Holmes. During the evening the Methodist Guards Band rendered some very pleasing selections which were heartily applauded. A number of young ladies disposed of a goodly quantity of ice cream during the evening.

Sebastopol Runs Ashore.

STRIKES "PANCAKE" SHOAL.

A message was received by the Government Coastal Department yesterday stating that s.s. Sebastopol, which is replacing the Fortia on the Western route, went ashore at Port aux Basques on Saturday night. The ship remained in the same position all night until Sunday morning, when she was refloated without assistance. The message as sent by Capt. Winsor states the ship was not damaged. The Sebastopol is now at Port aux Basques, and will probably leave that port for here to-day, and will call at a couple of the principal ports en route. This is the second occasion during the same trip that the Sebastopol has been on the rocks, as she struck last week at St. Jacques and had to be assisted off by S.S. Glenora.

Held Successful Reunion

T. A. CARD PARTY & DANCE.

The lady members of the Total Abstinence Society held a very successful card party and dance in the Club rooms last night. The attendance was very large, and one and all spent a very pleasant evening. The prizes for cards were awarded to Mr. Wm. Cullen and Mrs. P. Hickey, who ran up creditable scores. Dancing was kept up until an early hour this morning; Bennett's Orchestra furnished the music for the occasion.

Personal.

Mr. A. M. Stiles of the British Import Co., who has been spending the week at Colley's Point, returned by last night's boat. Amongst the passengers on S.S. Diaby for Halifax was Capt. W. T. Hollett, of the firm of W. & T. Hollett, Ltd., Durin. Capt. Hollett, it is understood is proceeding to Italy to negotiate some fish sales for his enterprising firm. Mr. Charles Williams of the Royal Bank of Canada, this city, has been transferred to the branch in Halifax. "Charlie" will take up his new duties next week, leaving here by S.S. Diaby.

U. F. Movement.

PROTESTS ADVOCATE SENTIMENTS.

NEW YEAR HONOR BESTOWED.

A Canadian Press Despatch from London states that the New Year Honors include a Knight Bachelor for Hon. Marmaduke Winter, C. B. E., Member of the Legislative Council, Newfoundland, in recognition of public services.

Marmaduke George Winter, was born at Lamsine on April 4th 1857. The new knight is therefore nearing his 66th year. He is the youngest son of the late Mr. James Winter, B.E. Cus., and brother of the late Sir James B. Winter (one time Premier of Newfoundland). His education was begun at St. John's and finished at Upper Canada College, Toronto. His wife was Alice Augusta, daughter of the late R. R. W. Lilly, Q.C. In 1875 Mr. Winter took a position in the Mercantile offices of Messrs. P. & L. Tesler. After two years he went to New York and was employed in the office of Lee & Co., large leather merchants. Making a stay of 1878 more than a year, he returned home and instituted a business of commercial agent and importer, in partnership with his brother Thomas. From then to the present day the history of the firm of T. & M. Winter has been one of progress. Mr. Thomas Winter has retired since 1895, and Robert Gordon Winter, son of the principal was admitted to partnership. Sir Marmaduke is largely interested in the manufacturing industries of the country, being President, Standard Manufacturing Co., F. B. Wood Manufacturing Co., Vice-President, Sir Grace Scott & Sons Manufacturing Co., Director, Newfoundland Consolidated Iron Foundry; President, British Clothing Co., Ltd., Newfoundland Marine Insurance Co. He is also an ex-President of the Board of Trade, St. John's, and is a director of Bishop Field College and Field-Spencer Association and Chairman of the Board of Governor's of the Nfld. Savings Bank. In 1910, under the Morris Government, he was appointed to the Legislative Council. A keen sportsman, he was an enthusiastic cricketer, and for a number of years captained the Terra Nova Cricket Association. The Telegram extends congratulations to the new knight on his latest distinction.

Big Plant Destroyed.

FIRE AT ST. JOHN, N.B.

A letter was received by a friend of Rev. Fr. McLaughlin yesterday, stating that Mrs. Agnes McLaughlin, a sister of the rev. gentleman, who was here on an extended visit last summer, recently met with a heavy loss, when the bakery owned by her and another sister was totally destroyed by fire at St. John, N.B. The plant referred to was one of the largest manufacturing concerns in the Maritime Provinces. It is understood that the premises were only partly covered by insurance.

Services at the Kirk.

THE KIRK CHOR repeated the Christmas music at the evening service on Sunday. A large congregation was present. His Excellency Sir Wm. and Lady Allardice, accompanied by Capt. Wilberforce-Bell, occupied seats of honor at the eastern side of the Sanctuary. The minister, Rev. R. J. Power, M.A., took his text from 16th chapter of Luke, 4th verse, and for upwards of thirty minutes preached a very effective sermon on New Year resolutions. The singing by the choir was all that could be desired. The choral Fantasy on old carols "Christmas Day" with Miss I. Glenemding as soloist, was a very pleasing rendition.

Susu in Port.

HAD STORMY ROUND TRIP.

S.S. Susu, Capt. Roberts, arrived in port Sunday morning after a very stormy round trip on the Pogo Mail Service. The ship brought a full cargo, mostly fish and oil, and the following passengers:—A. Warg, H. M. Perry, B. Andrews, S. Hill, P. Roberts, E. S. Spurrell, Capt. L. Rose, C. F. Snellgrove, Rev. G. L. Tullik, and 5 steerage.

McMurdo's Store News.

TUESDAY, Jan. 2, '23.

For that little persistent hacking cough—nothing very serious perhaps, but decidedly annoying, which is often the result of cold or damp air on sensitive throats or bronchial tubes—Freston's Throat Lozenges form an admirable remedy. One or two lozenges taken in the morning or at night, or before going into the open air, will prevent much annoyance, and induce a feeling of comfort. Price 30c. a box. Just received: A full stock of Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. Price \$1.20 a tin.

St. Bon's Celebrate.

WILL DINE CHAMPIONS.

The St. Bon's football champions for 1922 will be dined at the College on Thursday evening next at 8:15 o'clock. The dinner, which is being tendered by the members of the St. Bon's Alumni, will also celebrate the side of victories in the football arena for the College pupils.

Dwelling House Burned.

Sunday afternoon the residence of Mr. Charles Garland, Major Avenue, was practically gutted by fire. At 11:30 a.m. an alarm from box 238 brought the Central and West End fire companies to the scene. Upon arrival the premises of Mr. Garland and an adjoining house, owned by Mr. Varley, appeared to be ablaze. Several streams of water were quickly brought into play and at 12:45 p.m. the firemen reeled up their hose. The blaze originated in the bathroom of Garland's home and is supposed to have been caused by some sparks getting between the ceiling; as a short while after the blaze was discovered the water had thawed out frozen water pipes with lighted pipes. Mr. Garland carried \$1,500 insurance on his house and \$500 on the furniture. Mr. Varley's home was not damaged much.

Child Welfare Association.

REPORT FOR MONTH OF DECEMBER.

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The all British shoes at SMALLWOOD'S.

THE NEW YEAR STARTS WELL.

CONCEDED LAST NIGHT THAT

The Admiral's Daughter

MOST ENTRANCING PRODUCTION Ever Staged in St. John's

YOUTH AND BEAUTY IN GILT EDGED BOMBSHELLS OF JOY

LAVISH SCENES. EXOTIC DANCING. DELIGHTFUL VOCAL NUMBERS. RATTLING PLOT. "The Show you'll be sorry you missed."

The remainder of the special costumes (from Tams, New York) will be used to-morrow night.

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S. A. Watchnight Service

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Coastal Boats.

REID'S.

Argyle left Argentinia at 1 a.m. to-day on the western route. Clyde left Lewisporte at 1:30 p.m. yesterday. Glencoe left Burin at 6:30 a.m. Sunday, going west. Home left Lewisporte at 1:35 p.m. yesterday. Sagona on way to North Sydney. Malakoff leaving Port Union to-day. Kyle due to sail for North Sydney at 4 p.m.

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I now beg to announce that I have made reductions on all SUITS and OVERCOATS and the price is bound to satisfy your pocket. Call in and let us tell you more about it.

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Shipping.

Schooner Over The Top, has arrived at Bahls from Messrs. Bishop & Sons after a passage of 31 days.

BORN.

On December 29th, 1922, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Conroy, Walsh's Square.

On December 30, a son to Mr. and Mrs. John Penney, Funch's Lano, Signal Hill.

On Sunday, December 31st, a son to Mrs. C. B. Carter, 43 Queen's Road.

DIED.

On December 30th, at the Fever Hospital, Elizabeth Marjion (Beattie), 4th daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Snow, and beloved wife of Samuel Milley.

Suddenly, this morning, at 3 a.m. of heart failure, Henry T. Nicol, leaving a wife, 4 daughters, 2 sons, 1 brother, and 2 sisters to mourn their sad loss. Funerals will take place from his late residence, 11 Flavin Street, at 2:30 p.m. Thursday.

At Wexford, on January 1st, 1923, Susan widow of the late William H. Bemis, and daughter of the late William Giles, aged 44 years.

At Millington, on December 29th, after brief illness, William Ashbrook, aged 55 years.

IN LOVING MEMORY

of my dear father Robert Barrie. "Dear father we have laid thee down in peaceful grave's embrace; But thy memory will be cherished 'till we see thy heavenly face."—Inscribed by his daughter, Mary Barrie.

IN LOVING MEMORY

of Howard J. Taylor, who died January 1st, 1919. "Lord I would clasp thy hand in mine, Not ever murmur nor repine, Content whatever lot I see, Since 'twas thy God that leadeth me."

And when my task on earth is done, When I rise from the victor's won, Even death's cold wave, I will not flee, Singe thou through Jesus' leader name.—Inscribed by his mother.

IN LOVING MEMORY

of Claude Wilson, darling child of his and his mother, who died December 30th, 1922. "He is gone but not forgotten, Never shall his memory fade, Sweetest thoughts shall ever hover around his spot where he is laid."

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New Year Callers

AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE

L. P. Fallon, Capt. J. D. ... L. P. Fallon, Capt. J. D. ...

Tessier, J. W. M. Tessier, R. Tilley ... Tessier, J. W. M. Tessier, R. Tilley ...

Hutchings, J. M. Spears, T. J. ... Hutchings, J. M. Spears, T. J. ...

H. S. Hayward, Master F. Hayward ... H. S. Hayward, Master F. Hayward ...

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES. PROMINENT OFFICIALS INDICATED ...

Fish Exporters Meet. An important meeting of fish exporters ...

British Empire Steel Enters on New Era of Progress Under Most Favorable Circumstances

Revival of Business Coincides With Completion of the Corporation's Financing Success—Assures Company of Satisfactory Opportunity to Forge Ahead.

The market position of the various security issues represented in the British Empire Steel Corporation group ...

AT THE MEMORIAL SCHOOL. P. R. Kelly, R. Burnham, Wm. J. Harris ...

Star of Sea Annual Parade. At the regular monthly meeting of the Star of the Sea Association ...

A Fitting Finish TO THE OPENING OF THE NEW YEAR. Last evening the Majestic Theatre was crowded with patrons ...

When Nfld. Shopkeepers Sell Sugar in Packages. They avoid the loss of weight which occurs when barrels are in transit from the Refinery.

U. F. Deputation in City CALL ON ADVOCATE. Messrs. P. Roberts and J. S. Hill arrived in the city yesterday by S. S. Susu.

Norih Sydney Screened COAL! NOWLANDING Ex "Tune" 700 Tons North Sydney Screened COAL.

Essence of Ginger Wine Made from the old English recipe. The contents of one bottle makes three quarts of Ginger Wine.

Saturday's Sale! All Aluminum Ware Less 10 p.c. Wm. J. Clouston

Take home a bottle to-day. Price 20c. bottle. PETER O'MARA, THE DRUGGIST, The Rexall Store.

5 ROSES and VERBENA Flours. The first shipment for a few years of the above popular brands has just been received.

C. P. EAGAN, 2 Stores: Duckworth Street & Queen's Road

HOCKEY BOOTS—Just received by express. Straps and Buckles with inside ankle supports, for ladies and gents. KNOWLING'S Shoe Stores.

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RETURNING—led by the Red Nearer are now making for the season. Malakoff will be coming this week, and the thorough overhaul of all spring navigators.

NEWART'S HOME 604,606

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Romance of The South African Diamond Fields.

Sixty years ago the man who was bold enough to suggest that a solitary diamond could be found in the whole of South Africa would have been regarded as a lunatic.

He could have bought as many square miles as he pleased of the barren veldt which to-day comprises the De Beers, Dutoitspan, and Bultfontein mines for a few shillings an acre; and every acre, not many years later, would have been valued in millions.

In the first scene of this drama we see Van Kirk, a poor Boer farmer, looking on as one of his children picks out a pebble from the mud with which his rough, single-storeyed home was plastered.

House Encrusted With Diamonds. Upon looking at it, he found that it was a tiny crystal, which, in the sun's rays, emitted vari-coloured lights. An examination of the walls of his house revealed scores of similar pebbles. He consulted an expert, and discovered that his humble walls were literally encrusted with diamonds!

Thus was revealed the secret of one of South Africa's richest hidden treasures, soon to be famous throughout the world as the Dutoitspan Mine. For every tiny pebble in Van Kirk's mud walls there were diamonds worth hundreds of thousands of pounds awaiting discovery beneath the barren acres of his farm.

Not long after Van Kirk had awakened to the discovery that his walls were sprinkled with diamonds, a young Englishman named Rawstone, roaming over the veldt, flung himself down, exhausted by his tramping and the fierce heat of the sun, under the scanty shade of a thorn bush.

As he was playing idly with the sand by his side, he uncovered a pebble which flashed back the sun's rays in jets of fire. Even to his untrained eye the stone thus accidentally brought to light was a diamond of uncommon lustre as well as size, and his conviction was confirmed when, on his return, he showed it to his host.

Thus were revealed the riches of the famous Kimberley Mine. Within a few years the mine was yielding an annual million pounds worth of diamonds.

Nor was the tale of romantic discoveries ended. Riding one day at sundown to bring in his horses from the veldt, a Boer farmer saw a small animal, called a meerkat, scurrying earth from its hole. Some peculiarity of the ground thrown up led the Dutchman to fill his handkerchief with it, and after he had stabled his horse he examined the earth. To his astonishment he found a three-quarter-carat diamond.

Further search at the meerkat's hole revealed other diamonds, and the secret of the Wesselton Mine was discovered. A few months later £450,000 was refused for the small farm on which the Dutchman had made his accidental discovery; the De Beers Company was glad to purchase a quarter of it for £175,000, and since that day it has yielded hundreds of thousands of carats of the purest diamonds.

De Beers, Dutoitspan, Bultfontein, Kimberley, and Wesselton—such are the world-famous mines, which have been discovered within a few miles of Van Kirk's mud-plastered farmhouse. Within the memory of men who do not consider themselves very old, a few hundred pounds at the outside would have bought the land which for so long had hidden its treasures from the world's knowledge.

Since that time these mines have yielded diamonds to the value in a single year, and their output so far has exceeded £100,000,000. And all these riches have been the fruit of a sequence of accidents almost absurd in their triviality!

Why Ice Floats.

It is not for one peculiar property of water, the past history of the earth would have been completely altered and man himself might never have been born.

Almost everything gets bigger when it is heated and smaller when it is cooled, and in the ordinary course of events water does exactly the same thing. But the strange point is that if you cool water to seven degrees above freezing-point it stops getting smaller and begins to expand, continuing to do so until it becomes ice.

That, of course, is why ice always occupies more space than the water from which it is made, and so easily bursts jugs and water-pipes. It also explains why ice floats in water.

But if water followed the general rule, and got continually smaller as it grew colder, ice would be heavier than water and would form at the bottom of ponds, rivers, and seas, instead of at the top.

That would mean that in past ice ages all the living inhabitants of the water, including the progenitors of man, would have been frozen to death, or numerous forms of life are always to be found beneath the ice-lapped seas of to-day.

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WOMEN'S LONG RUBBERS . . . \$3.75



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Narrow, Medium or Pointed toes; High, Low or Medium heels.
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A Motor-Driven Parachute.

ACCIDENT THAT MAY REVOLUTIONIZE FLYING.

"A fall in an aeroplane, a broken arm and ribs, and several weeks in hospital gave Dr. Hubert Julian, a West Indian negro, a first lieutenant in the Canadian Air Corps during the war, the idea for a parachute invention that is destined to revolutionize the science of aeronautics.

At the age of thirteen Julian won a trade scholarship, and was sent to England to study motoring and mechanical science. He is an expert mechanic. He became interested in aviation, and learned to fly.

After two and a half years of experiment, during which the practicability of the parachute was demonstrated, Lieutenant Julian applied for a patent. In the opinion of experts, the invention was the kind that the aeronautical world had long ago been wanting. Demonstrations were held and its practicability established.

The device, as explained to the writer by Dr. Julian, consists of a parachute built like an umbrella and mounted on the top of the aeroplane, and of a motor-driven fan below it to force air into the parachute. It relates to new and useful improvements in safety appliances for aeroplanes.

The primary object of the invention, said Dr. Julian, is the provision of a safety appliance for aeroplanes so constructed as to prevent the machine from falling in case of engine trouble, thereby preventing resultant damages to the machine or injury to the occupants.

Another feature is the provision of a machine having a collapsible parachute attachment secured thereto and means for raising the parachute attachment from an inoperative to an operative position.

A further object of the invention is the provision of a safety appliance for aeroplanes, including a parachute attachment which is normally in a closed position, together with a suitable fan or propeller adapted to raise the parachute mechanism to its extended position when desired.

Another feature is the provision of a safety appliance for aeroplanes which will be comparatively simple and inexpensive to manufacture, reliable and efficient in use, and readily operated.

In case of engine trouble, it was explained, or any other difficulty which would cause the machine to fall to the ground without control, the motor is set in operation, which rotates the horizontal fan with sufficient rapidity to raise the parachute from the dejected position to full inflation, and the speed of the fan is so controlled that the air driven against the under side of the parachute will allow the machine to descend gradually and without danger of injury to the occupants or to the parachute.

The parachute may be made to operate as a separate device, being fitted with a small gasoline engine, fuel tank, etc., so that it is dirigible or controllable, enabling the flyer to steer it in any direction. It can be used on dirigible airships as well as on aeroplanes.

Cuban Bandit Makes Sensational Escape.

HAVANA, Cuba.—With sentences totalling 200 years in prison hanging over his head and 250 troops and rural guards at his heels, Ramon Arroyito, Cuba's modern Jess James, is still at large. His latest feat of escaping from the jail at Matanzas through a hole blown in the thick walls at midday, has again made him a popular hero and added to the difficulties of the authorities; for they claim nobody will help them follow his trail. Arroyito took to the high road about

three years ago and, if the holdups, kidnappings and other unlawful acts attributed to him are well founded, he operated in every part of the island before he went into retirement after two years of hectic endeavor and with a fortune variously estimated at from \$50,000 to \$200,000. But last spring, while very prosaically travelling from Matanzas to a nearby village to attend a cock fight, he was captured by two rural guards, acting as a train escort, who held him first for carrying arms without a license, but loaded him with chains when they discovered he was the notorious outlaw. Brought to "Havana" Arroyito was greeted by thousands at the railway station and his trip to the city jail resembled a triumphal procession. While being tried and convicted on numerous counts, he perfected his plans for breaking loose from jail, and only the accidental presence of a mounted policeman on the harbor side of the jail prevented a clean getaway three months ago. His escape from the Matanzas jail, where he was lodged last week to await trial for kidnappings, is credited to a former pal, Julio Ramirez, whom Arroyito once rescued from jail at Jarico by holding up the warden and trunkkeys single handed in broad daylight.

Swedish Expert Outlines Germany's Financial Future.

STOCKHOLM.—"If France breaks with Germany financially, chaos will follow, and the mark will drop to almost any conceivable low rate," said Professor Gustav Cassel, Swedish expert in international finance, and advisor to the League of Nations, upon his recent return from Berlin where he had been called upon by the German government, together with seven other financial experts from the United States, England, Holland and Russia. Professor Cassel declares that unless present conditions in Europe are altered, stabilization of the German mark will be impossible. The experts were agreed on this. They recommended that the German government ask for a moratorium of reparations payments for at least two years. If this request is granted, stabilization will depend principally on Germany's production and on the make-up of the national budget. An international loan to Germany would not in itself solve the problem, he says, but would have a tremendous moral effect on the people. The commission of financial experts recommended, according to Professor Cassel, that in case the moratorium were granted, Germany give the following guarantee: the establishment of a "central foreign exchange department" at the Reichsbank, to be provided with some of the Reichsbank's gold reserve;

the expenditure of this gold in the purchase of paper marks; the limitation of the floating debts, and the raising of the discount rate at the Reichsbank. With the consent of the Reparations Commission, an International Financial Association should be invited to help in the work of stabilization. The redeeming of paper marks should be limited to notes of the Reichsbank, chiefly foreign holdings. If marks were priced at the rate of 3,500 to the United States dollar, says Professor Cassel, less than half of the gold reserve of the Reichsbank would be sufficient for redemption. Professor Cassel has recently agreed to act as financial adviser to the Soviet State Bank in Petrograd.

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M'Lady's Silk Hose.

The love of wearing silk stockings as displayed by the present day young lady is by no means a modern fashion.

Long years ago they were introduced into Court life, where they became extensively popular. So far back as 1500 the feminine mind was as susceptible to the allurements of

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All Baking Powders Alike—But

Is your baking powder absolutely pure? Royal is.
 Is your baking powder absolutely wholesome? Royal is.
 Is your baking powder varying in strength under all conditions? Royal is.
 Is your baking powder economical in using, baking foods fresh, and making home baking so satisfactory that it takes the place of more expensive food? Royal is.
Royal Contains No Alum Leaves No Bitter Taste



SIDE TALKS.

By Hugh Cameron.



"Don't you know what we did this week ago?" a friend of mine said to me yesterday.

"Well, when Phillip and I came home Saturday at five, I said, 'I do wish we had planned to go up to Montreal over this weekend. It's going to be lovely weather and we haven't a thing to do. Why didn't we plan to

visit some new kind of food, or try out some new household appliance, or some new recipe. Anything to pass the time, so that you are not going to be an old fogey. You've got plenty of time to be old, don't hurry matters up."

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Grandeur Than Niagara

A traveller describes the wonders of the Victoria Falls in Rhodesia. "They are not only the grandest waterfalls," he says, "but also the most sublime spectacle in the world. To say that the river Zambesi measures more than a mile in breadth where it rushes over the precipice in a roaring, snow-white torrent to drop 400 feet, and to throw up columns of spray to some 2,000 feet visible fifty miles distant—this is to say nothing.

"Nothing, at least, that conveys any idea of the magnitude and beauty of the Falls.

"Only by comparison can any idea be given of the grandeur of Zambesi's fall. Anyone who has seen Niagara may gain some little notion of its unknown, untamed, unspoiled rival by imagining something nearly twice and a half as high and twice as wide.

"And, as this is a practical age, a comparison of the amount of horsepower running away in each case is interesting. Niagara's horsepower is 7,000,000, the Victoria Falls allow 30,000,000 horsepower to run to picturesque waste!

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To be popular at home is a great achievement. The man who is loved by the cat, by the dog, by the neighbour's children and by his own wife, is a great man, even if he has never had his name in "Who's Who."

Wonders of The Aurora Borealis.

Now that winter is here, it will be worth while to watch for that rare but beautiful phenomenon, the aurora borealis.

One of the biggest air raids of the war was carried out by the aid of the aurora borealis on Northern Lights. On that night the whole of the North Sea was a white glow under that strange radiance, the nature of which is still a mystery even to men of science.

In the latitude of London the aurora is seldom seen. As a matter of fact, there is a display about ten times a year, but usually the radiance is so faint as to be scarcely noticeable. In the North of Ireland, however, and in Scotland the aurora is visible on thirty nights in the year, while in the Shetlands it is seen very frequently.

Seen in Sunny Spain.

The farthest southern point at which the aurora is ever visible is Southern Spain, where there is a display once in ten years; while the line of its greatest frequency and brilliance runs between the Shetlands and Ireland. In the very far north, however, it is quite rare.

There seems to be a ring of aurora around both Poles, but at a considerable distance away from them.

The aurora is more frequent in winter than in summer. December and January give the most brilliant displays, but the lights have been seen in every month in the year. The usual colours of the dancing streams are white and red. Green is sometimes seen high in the sky, but violet is very unusual.

Auroras are most frequent and brilliant during sun storms. When big storms are on, both Poles are surrounded by rings of dancing radiance, while electric cables refuse to work.

NOT WORTH WHILE.

It's vain to get excited if wrongs should go unrighted, it's vain to weep and mourn, and tear your head to tatters, for nothing really matters, and nothing's worth a groan. If a man's teeth and ranting, and frenzied gesticulating would cure a single ill, I'd say, "Why, then, get busy, and whoop until you're dizzy, it's sinful to be still." When trouble's around me, attempting to confound me I do not shed a sigh; I know that by to-morrow my little bunch of sorrow will shrivel up and die. For troubles perish early unless we're sore and surly, and make of them our pets; the wise man winks at trouble and blows a soap-bubble, and slumbers and forgets. Oh, why get mad as haters, when nothing really matters, when nothing's here to stay? The gusty wind now rising with energy surprising will blow our griefs away. Here nothing is a fixture, and life's a queer old mixture of sigh and sneeze and smile; the years are onward sweeping, and anything like weeping is never worth our while. The slinking man's a rabbit, and weeping is a habit that should disgrace a loon; and still the bray splatters, though nothing really matters, we go away no soon.

Fortunes Swallowed Up in Lawsuits.

Another warning to would-be litigants was given by Lord Justice Scrutton recently. At the conclusion of the appeal in the Manchester Ship Canal Co. vs. Brunner Mond case he pointed out that the costs had already amounted to the enormous sum of £100,000. And this may not be the end of the matter.

It will not create a record, however, in the matter of costliness. Other litigation has been even more expensive. The doubtful honour of having contributed most to the pockets of the lawyers is claimed by what

Industries Destroyed by Insects.

One hundred and fifty-two million pounds. That is the amount of the loss caused this year to the cotton growers in the United States by the ravages of the boll weevil.

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While everyone is vaguely aware that various insects destroy man's crops, his stock, and his property to the tune of many millions yearly, it is only of late years that anything like definite estimates have been made of such losses.

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Oil-Fies Like Oilives.
 The blow-by costs Australian sheep farmers between £500,000 yearly, but this is a small matter compared with the ruin caused by the cattle tick, which, appearing in 1880, has now become a threat to three great States. Whole herds have been destroyed, and the damage done is said to exceed £20,000,000.

In one year £500,000 worth of damage was done by locusts to crops in one section of the Transvaal. The only way of destroying them is by treating their breeding-places with an arsenical solution.

Italy's plague is the oil-fly, which devastates the olive-yards. In southern Italy this insect has done £7,000,000 worth of damage within the last twelve years.

In a bad year hop aphids is reckoned to cost English hop growers as much as £2,000,000. The aphid increases more rapidly than any other insect, and the numbers infesting a single cherry tree have been calculated at 12,000,000. In India aphids are said to destroy each year hops to the value of £2,000,000.

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Obituary.

WILLIAM ASHBOURNE.

AN APPRECIATION BY CAPTAIN KEAN.

The news of the almost sudden death of William Ashbourne, at Twillingate, which reached this city Saturday, caused a sensation in business circles, and among the many friends and admirers of the deceased very great sorrow.

To do justice to the life of this man one could write a book. Such, however, is not my intention, but I think a few words from one who was a friend of his for over twenty years may not be amiss.

For much of my information I am indebted to Capt. Wm. Snow, of Twillingate, who informs me that the late William Ashbourne was the son of Thomas and Mary Ashbourne of that place, that he was born about 55 years ago, that his father was a very successful man both at the cod-fishery and seal-fishery, commanding his own schooner and bringing in several loads of seals. Capt. Snow speaks very highly of Mr. Ashbourne, Sr., who although not having any learning was possessed of great business ability. He first started William in business with a man by the name of Templeton at Twillingate, but his business did not flourish. He then bought out Templeton and started business on his own account at Farmer's Arm which business proved a success and is running to-day. After his father's death when the firm of Edwin Duder failed, William Ashbourne bought the premises and stock in trade and set up business for himself and later when Earle closed his business in Twillingate Mr. Ashbourne bought the stock in trade of that firm as well and at the time of his death he was running two business places in Twillingate and one in Farmer's Arm. Mr. Ashbourne was married three times. His first wife was a Miss Lucy Linfield, of Twillingate and of her were born six children, five of whom are still living, three at Toronto, a son, Elmo, in Scotland, and the eldest, Thomas, at Twillingate. His second wife was Miss Annie Pike, of Carbonear, and of her were born two children, Lucy and Harold, both of whom are now at Toronto. His third marriage was to Miss Janie Hill, daughter of the Rev. Jabez Hill, a clergyman of the Methodist Church, well known in this country, and to them three children were born, who with the rest of the family that I have named remain to mourn their sad loss.

I once heard the Rev. Jabez Hill preach a funeral sermon and he commenced by saying that a man's life was not to be reckoned by the number of years he lived, so much as the amount of work he crowded in these years. If he was alive to-day to preach the funeral sermon for his son-in-law he could not use more suitable words. From whatever standpoint you view William Ashbourne, you see a man. He was a true and faithful husband and equally a kind and loving father and he had very devoted children. He was a great advocate of education and his children are such that any father would feel proud of.

But what speaks more for the man is the manner in which the people of Twillingate regard him and that may be summed up in a very few words: they all tell you he was a hard man to make a bargain, he was; but when the bargain was made you could rely on him to keep it. He was not a man of ifs and buts and after all the world admires a man of balance, one who is equipoised, one who is self-sufficient, who believes in himself, trusts himself, who does not cover, whine or apologize but stands erect and dares to live his own creed. William Ashbourne was just such a man. Measure his life by years and his life was short, but judge it by what he accomplished and his life was long and though dead his life and action will speak. Twillingate will feel it is much poorer by the death of Mr. William Ashbourne; let me remind them that "God buries His workmen, but carries on his work." Let us hope that the mantle of the father will fall on his son Tom and that with the help of his uncle and the rest of the brothers, the House of Ashbourne in Twillingate will continue to be in the future what it has been in the past.

To the bereaved wife and family I tender on behalf of my wife and family our most sincere sympathy, and personally William Ashbourne will linger in my memory as one of the finest men that I ever had a business transaction with.—A KEAN.

(Mr. William Ashbourne who passed away on December 30th, was born some 55 years ago. He received his education at the Methodist Academy, and at an early age opened business in his home town. After the crash he took over the premises then known as Duder's, and by indomitable will, perseverance and hard work, built up one of the largest businesses of the north. He was Past Master in the Twillingate Masonic and Orange Lodges, also a Master of the Royal Black Preceptory. To his aged mother, wife and family the Telegram extends sympathy in their sudden loss.)

Mysterious Accident.

CAUSES DEATH OF NEWFOUNDLANDER.

GLACE BAY, Dec. 21.—The body of George Marr, who disappeared from his home at New Aberdeen on December 19th, was found on the cliff opposite the old fish houses, near the wharf, about four o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The body was found by Walter Stephens who was on his way home from work. When found the body was in a badly frozen condition and was lying near the top of the cliff after having been washed ashore by the sea.

After the finding of the body Mr. Stephens immediately notified Chief of Police Cosety, who in company with Deputy Chief Thomas and Sergeant Lewis, as well as coroner Ogilvie and undertaker Currie, proceeded to the scene and after an examination of the body had it removed to the undertaking rooms.

The body when found was practically in a nude condition, the only wearing apparel on the body being shoes and undershirt. The deceased was last seen alive at New Aberdeen on Saturday night, December 19th, about seven o'clock in the evening. It is also reported that he was seen around the centre of the town about nine o'clock the same evening, but this report has as yet not been verified by the police. Those who are strongly of the opinion that the deceased in wandering to his home fell over the cliff, the body then being carried out to sea and washed ashore yesterday by the heavy undertow that is prevalent along the coast.

When found the body was lying at full length on the shore, one arm and shoulder appeared to be broken while scratches and bruises were numerous about the body. The skull was also badly crushed, evidently from battering against the rocks. Following the finding of the body, a jury was empanelled by Coroner Ogilvie, and after reviewing the remains the jury adjourned until Friday night when an inquest will be held in the town hall. So far as is known the deceased has no known relatives and is only survived by his five children, two of whom are now in a home in Sydney, while the other three are living with distant relatives at Marble Mountain. The deceased was 38 years of age and was a former resident of Newfoundland.

Strong Attraction at the Nickel Theatre.

CROWDED HOUSES WITNESS GREAT SHOW.

"For Those We Love," the new Betty Compton picture released by Goldwyn, which is now being shown at the Nickel Theatre, is a story of the struggle of a gambler to live up to the opinion that a simple, country girl has of him. Knowing nothing of his means for earning a livelihood, she accepts him as a courageous man, after he has saved her life. And later when she learns what his habits are, her unflinching faith in the inherent fitness of his nature gives birth to a desire on his part to live up to his better self.

Betty Compton as the girl, and Lon Chaney as the gambler, give fine performances; and though the gambler loses the girl in the end, his life of noble self-sacrifice has not been in vain. Through her, he has come to know himself. The story was written by Percy Poore Sheehan and directed by Arthur Rosson.

Clinton and MacNamara, the celebrated vaudeville duo are due by the Silvia and will open engagement tomorrow. See to-morrow's Telegram for particulars.

There will be a meeting of the B. I. S. Ladies' Auxiliary on Wednesday evening at 8.30. ESTHER M. DOYLE, Secy.

Premises Gutted.

FIRE AT STARR BOW'S COVE.

Shortly before noon yesterday a fire broke out in the premises of W. B. Fraser, Starr Bow's Cove off Water Street. The blaze was noticed first by Mr. Chas. Graham, who rang in an alarm from Adelaide Street. The Central and West End Fire Companies responded in quick time, but when they arrived flames were shooting across the cove and it looked as if a big blaze was in progress. Three streams of water were employed and in a little more than a half hour all danger had passed. Mr. Fraser's store was gutted and a large stock of Xmas poultry, butter and produce partly destroyed. He carried no insurance. The promptness of the firemen prevented the fire from spreading to adjoining buildings. As it is the Dry Goods Store of Nicholle, Inkpen & Co., and P. Murphy were filled with smoke which to some extent damaged the stock. The warehouses of Mr. Gerald Doyle, agent for Dr. Chase, was also filled with smoke, but whether the stock is damaged or not is not known. Mr. Fraser is a heavy loser by the blaze and he is unable to account for the origin. He had no fire in the premises since Saturday evening. It is possible, he says, that defective wiring may be the cause, as on Saturday electricians were on the premises making some repairs. Besides the stock destroyed, Mr. Fraser lost a lot of valuable papers, which he kept in a safe. The door of this was found ajar by the firemen and all within was consumed.

New England Still Abounds in Game.

BOSTON—"About this time," as the old farmers' almanac used to say, a frequently occurring paragraph in the New England country newspapers, reads somewhat as follows:—"The annual game supper was held last night. There was a large attendance and the hunters provided a bounteous repast." Although the wild turkey which set the style for Thanksgiving dinners on the New Hampshire, Vermont and abundance of waterfowl found on New England lakes and streams in their migrations. Only in Maine does the moose subsist, but beard, common in that state, are still found also in the remote sections of the mountain country in New Hampshire, Vermont and Western Massachusetts. Wildcats are shot or trapped in considerable numbers every season, skunks and muskrats are still plentiful, and in the wilder districts mink and otter are not infrequently found. The wolves are gone; it is only rarely that a panther is reported, and the dam-building beavers now are few. That the rapidly increasing number of hunters has not more seriously depleted the supply of game in New England is due largely to conservation measures. For many years all the states in this section have enforced as strictly as possible the closed season provisions of the game laws, and in recent open seasons the bag limits on various classes of game birds and animals have been made increasingly smaller. Licenses also are required of all the hunters, and in the case of non-residents high fees are demanded. The game supper nowadays is often the sharing by an individual or a group of hunters of the results of a day's sport. But in a few villages in the heart of the woods it takes on a greater importance. Teams of villagers, fifty to a hundred on a side, are pitted against each other in a hunt from Lybreek to dark. The men go into the woods singly, each to his favorite hunting ground. When all have returned at night the spoils of each team are counted, and the one having the smaller amount of game pays all the expenses incidental to serving an elaborate meal in which the most choice range from squirrel pie to venison steak.

SECURED HOUSE.—The Walsh family who have been living under canvas near the Custom House building for some months past, have at length secured a home and are now comfortably situated in a house on the Battery Road.

THREE E-E-E FOOTWEAR

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Three E-E-E's Shoes—for the woman of taste, the woman who practises economy, and the woman who appreciates good value for her money—are guaranteed for sound value, honest service and thorough satisfaction. Ask the women who wear them and KNOW

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CHRISTMAS DONATIONS.

The Supt. of the Methodist Orphanage gratefully desires to acknowledge the following Xmas donations:—brl. of apples from each of the following: Mr. George Neal, Mrs. M. Drover, Mrs. W. J. Herder, Mrs. R. G. Pike, Mr. Frank McNamara, Mrs. Huskins; 1 box of biscuits from Mrs. J. P. Cash, Mrs. P. H. Bowden, Olive and Graham Snelgrove, Mr. G. Kearney, C. P. Eagan, A. O'D. Kelly. Xmas cakes from Miss Jean Way, Mrs. W. Ebsary, Miss Jean Wyatt, Mrs. W. Peet, Mrs. S. J. Tucker, Mrs. W. R. Goobie, Chocolates and candies from F. B. Wood & Co., G. Knowling, Ayre & Sons, Class 12, per Mrs. Stuckless, Cochrane St., Star Candy Co., Herbert Wyatt, Mrs. Reg. Dowden, R. Cross; 8 packages "Life Savers" G. Doyle; grapes, A. W. Mews, Dorothy and Ruth Vay; toys, etc., M. Nilsoxy, P. O. Mara; Xmas crackers and decorations, Mrs. S. Lindsay, Mrs. W. Dwyer; potatoes and turnips, Toppal; 1 box of soap Standard Manufacturing Co.; stockings and groceries, Mr. G. F. Grimes; 1 box table raisins, Mr. and Mrs. A. Goobie; books, Dicks & Sons; 1 ham, Mrs. J. P. Cash; 1 goose, Levi Diamond; 1 bag of bread, Browning & Son; 5 doz. drinks, J. R. Bennett; 1 counterpane, Mrs. W. P. Butler; 8 lbs. of jam, Mrs. H. Leslie; 46 boxes of handkerchiefs, Anonymous per S. Milley, Esq.; six loaves, per C. H. Johnson; 1 doz. tin tinned fruit, H. J. Brownrigg; sack of parsnips, Soper & Moore; 10 lbs. of tea, Meehan & Co.; 1 qr. real, Mrs. Y. Peet; 1 stone of white sugar, Boyde & Cecil Crumney; 1 doz. brooms, per P.

Shipping.

Schr. Muriel E. Walters, Capt. Sam Shaw, has arrived at Halifax from Wood's Island with 1,100 barrels frozen herring. S.S. Modena, 2 days from North Sydney, with a cargo coal to Job Bros. has arrived in port. S.S. Mapledawn left Sydney this morning for here. The ship is due on Thursday. S.S. Silvia left Halifax at 10 a.m. Monday, and is due here to-morrow morning with a full general cargo, which includes about 12,000 barrels flour. S.S. Sable I. arrived in port at 5 a. m. to-day from Halifax direct. The ship has a full general cargo, which includes a considerable quantity of beef. S.S. Rosalind leaves New York to-morrow for Halifax and this port.

Weather Mild

Up Country.

ALL LINES NOW OPEN. The weather along the railway line to-day is mild all over, with scattered showers of rain in several sections. The north east gale and snow storm, which prevailed up country ever since Wednesday last did not abate until yesterday morning. The incoming express, which was held up at the Toppals for seventy-two hours did not get away until early yesterday, and is due in the city at 2 p.m.

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Electric Lines Ablaze

CHINA SHOT CIRCUITED. Last evening the insulation on electric transmission line at Pres Street was shot by a large crowd of boys and children the wire which stretched over one hundred feet threatened to burn the cables. The wires were cut off from the line until a short circuit, which was the cause of the blaze, was located.

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GIFT BE PRACTICAL

Lines Ablaze

A Public Hazard.

The Evening Telegram.
 Sir,—Some few weeks ago the
 General inaugurated a
 campaign of "Fire Protection" to
 prevent the constantly recurring
 of fire to public and private
 property and the homes of our citizens.
 Unquestionably this campaign
 has had a considerable effect on the public
 mind and has inspired a much
 greater measure of preparedness
 against the danger of fire than
 ever prevailed.
 There is one aspect of the fire hazard,
 however, which received little
 notice from the Fire Prevention
 speakers, yet which is of grave
 importance to many, and at this
 season may most pertinently
 be mentioned for comment.

From Christmas to Lent is the
 season of the theatricals, and
 the theatre is a place where
 that season, at least half
 of the annual takings of the public halls
 are made. Almost nightly through
 January and February thousands
 of people will be exposed to the
 shock and horror of all fire
 accidents—that of the theatre fire,
 where escape is most difficult and
 the ordinary risk of burning is added
 to the hysterical menace of crowd-panic.
 How many have fortunately escaped
 the flames of this grotesque catas-
 trophes? How much longer may we
 hope to remain immune?
 The best of the writer's belief
 is that there are not three public halls in
 St. John's that are adequately protected
 against this terrible danger, either
 by efficient emergency exits or other
 means.

the great majority of cases

It Aids Growth!

Science recognizes that the
 present-day method of over-
 refinement of foods, often
 strips them of essential
 vitamins.
Scott's Emulsion
 of pure vitamine-bearing
 cod-liver oil is used
 effectually to add
 vitamine-value to the
 diet. It helps to re-
 move the hindrance
 to growth and health.

There is nothing to protect the
 child, his women and children, with
 thought but diversion in their minds,
 from being offered up as a holocaust
 on the altar of public and official
 indifference.
 Under these circumstances, until
 the police or other proper authori-
 ties take action, the prudent citizen's
 only safety will lie in bearing both
 the extremity of the danger and the
 means of escape clearly and constitu-
 tentially in mind throughout each visit
 to any insufficiently safeguarded hall.
 The writer, for one, will stipulate for
 a seat near the door! And, if those
 in authority wish to be regarded as
 wise, let this word suffice to remind
 them of their duties.

Jan. 2, 1923.
 Eat Mrs. Stewart's Home-
 made Bread.—Oct. 4, 1920

Just Folks.

By EDGAR A. GUEST.

LET'S GO.
 The future's looking mighty bright,
 Let's go!
 Things are working out all right,
 Let's go!
 Wheels are turning, smoke stacks show
 Fires are blazing high below,
 Traffic signals green, and so
 Let's go!
 Hard times? They are in the past.
 Let's go!
 Setbacks came but couldn't last,
 Let's go!
 Gloom has held its last parade,
 Grab the hammer, grab the spade,
 There's a fortune to be made,
 Let's go!

Skies are clear that once were dark,
 Let's go!
 Everybody on the march,
 Let's go!
 We have done with frown and whine,
 Let's go!
 Get set now and on the line,
 Everything is looking fine,
 Let's go!

We're a nation, free from hate,
 Let's go!
 We can keep it strong and great,
 Let's go!
 Land of freedom, land of mirth,
 Happiest land upon the earth,
 Let us show her what we're worth,
 Let's go!

Our Dumb Animals.

Chief Agents Report For Week End-
 ing December 29th, 1922.
 Asked by Brother O'Regan, of Mt.
 Cashel to humanely put to death a val-
 uable horse, whose leg had been broken,
 in some unaccountable manner,
 in the stable. Also a dog for Mr.
 Noseworthy, Freshwater Road. Mr.
 Noseworthy thought it wise to have
 it destroyed. Another dog owned by
 Mr. Baxter and suffering with distem-
 per, was humanely put to death. Also
 found two horses owned by grocers—
 one had a sore back and the other a
 sore hoot—I visited them, and they
 intend having the Veterinary Sur-
 geon's opinion, which I am waiting for.
 I have ordered in two horses for tem-
 porary treatment. My attention has
 also been called to truck horses par-
 ticularly, who after the day's work
 have been left outside beer shops,
 until seven and eight o'clock at night.
 In future we will try and take these
 horses and put them in pound, and the
 nearest stable we can get them in, and
 the owners will have to pay all ex-
 penses, as the law is very strict on
 this point. I also attended to the
 landing of twenty head of cattle from
 the Canadian Sapper, which were com-
 fortably housed on deck. Mr. W. N.
 Johnson sent for me before the an-
 imals were loaded in P.E.I. and I fur-
 nished him with a copy of the Act,
 which he promised he would have
 carried out. I visited the steamer and
 found the cattle very comfortably
 housed; everything that could be done
 for their comfort, was done. During
 the week I had fifteen pictures of the
 S.P.A. Horse framed for distribution
 and resold the same for two dollars
 and fifty cents each, for the Society's
 funds. Anybody wanting to buy one
 will kindly phone No. 653, where I
 will be glad to have any orders and
 receive any complaints of any animals
 being ill used, underfed or in poor
 stables.

JONAS BARTER,
 Chief Agent.

A good dinner deserves a good
 cigarette, a bad dinner needs
 one. Let your choice be CUB.

**An Astronomer's
 Quaint Suggestions.**

An intelligence test for M.P.'s and
 magistrates was suggested recently
 by Professor A. W. Bickerton, the
 octogenarian president of the London
 Astronomical Society.
 "No man," he said, "should be a
 member of Parliament until he can
 give an intelligent lecture on a can-
 dle to a set of youngsters. Then we
 might get a little intelligence. And
 no one should be a magistrate until
 he had invented something."
 The professor referred to the pro-
 gress made since his boyhood days,
 and exclaimed: "It was a lovely
 time! The good old times. But it
 is better to-day, in spite of the war
 and the present collapse of mentality.
 The matter to-day is that people
 simply do not know modern science."
 "Modern science teaches us this
 fact: that man did not evolve as an
 individual but as groups. Group ac-
 tion, coherency, altruism, and mutu-
 al aid were the means of evolution
 of the human race, and the fittest
 and the fittest fighter or the most
 unscrupulous militant."
 The lecturer mentioned that he had
 broken records at the College of
 Chemistry and the Imperial College
 of Science, and had been offered
 professorships in different branches
 of science. He attributed that to the
 fact that owing to weak health he
 had gone from one science to another
 and became a "Jack of all trades."

Cleaning and pressing still at-
 tended to in the same reliable
 way by Hickey at Spurrell The
 Tailor, Water Street, Phone
 574 and have your clothes at-
 tended to for the holiday sea-
 son.—Dec. 18, 1922.

Speaking From Experience



THE DOCTOR: "My wife and I
 found Steedman's Soothing Powders
 and it will soon be all right."

**Schr. Port Union
 Destroyed.**

VESSEL BURNED TO WATER'S
 EDGE.
 Whilst lying at anchor in Port
 Union, the schooner Port Union, owned
 by the P.P.U. Trading Co., was
 totally destroyed by fire on Saturday
 morning. The vessel was partly loaded
 with a cargo of split herring for the
 Jamaica market. The following mes-
 sage in reference to the vessel's de-
 struction was received in the city
 Saturday afternoon: "Schr. Port
 Union caught fire in fore-castle last
 evening while at anchor in port.
 The harbor was filled with aloft for
 making communication with the ves-
 sel almost impossible. Men fought
 the flames for three hours, but were
 driven from the deck by fire and
 smoke. The wind was blowing in
 the faces of the fire fighters. The
 vessel burnt to the water's edge and
 sank at 10 a.m. to-day (Saturday).
 The vessel was partly loaded with a
 cargo of herring. The hull was in-
 sured, but there was no insurance on
 the flames for three hours, but were
 was built at Port Union about two
 years ago. She was a fine tern
 schooner and had been used in the
 company's foreign trade. She started
 loading on the 11th of December and
 was waiting for a complete cargo."

Cure for Desertion.

A curious custom prevails in the
 New Britain group of islands, in com-
 pelling a man who has neglected his
 wife and children to run the gaunt-
 let.
 Two rows of women extend for
 a distance of several hundred feet,
 each woman being armed with a
 stick.
 Down the avenue thus formed the
 culprit, in a state of nudity, has to
 make his way; and as he darts past
 the women belabour him savagely.
 By the time he reaches the end of
 the row he is exhausted and covered
 with blood.
 The punishment is greatly dread-
 ed, not so much on account of the
 physical suffering it entails as the
 disgrace that follows, for the man is
 an outcast afterwards for several
 weeks.

Peril in The Pocket.

A LITTLE EXPERIENCE WILL
 PROVE THAT DUST AND GERMS
 LURK IN EVERY SEAM AND
 CORNER.
 Tell the average well-dressed man
 of your acquaintance that his pockets
 are full of disease germs, and he will
 be incredulous and annoyed.
 Challenge him to turn them inside
 out, and watch his face in the pro-
 cess.
 I write this, fresh from a thorough
 cleansing of all the pockets of three
 overcoats plus three lounge suits.
 The result was incredible. The
 debris—black and grey fluff, tobacco
 shaken from pouch and cigarette
 case, grains of poisonous veridigris
 from pennies, and black dust and dirt
 made quite a little heap.
 A scientific examination of that
 pile of pocket fluff and dirt would as-
 surely have revealed the presence
 of disease germs of all kinds sufficient
 to cause much illness.
 There is liability of the germs of
 catarrh and influenza, being present
 in any used handkerchief, and the
 average man after using a handker-
 chief thrusts it back into his pocket.
 Little Bits of Fluff.
 The chronic catarrh from which
 many suffer may result, in the opin-
 ion of an eminent bacteriologist, from
 constant re-infection from the suffer-
 er's own pockets.
 From our schoolboy days we are
 accustomed to put almost anything
 and everything into our pockets. In
 go dirty coins, much-handled letters
 and papers from the "post," dirty
 gloves, our smoking outfit, and all
 the lumber we carry about with us.
 The innocuous things, keys, pen-
 knife, cigarette and match cases, etc.,
 by friction serve to create fluff. Coins
 and metal things go into the pocket
 dirty and come out comparatively
 clean; from friction, the dirt remain-
 ing in the pocket.
 Our forefathers carried all their
 money in a purse, as do women. But
 the last two generations of men have
 reserved a purse for gold or notes,
 carrying all the unclean copper and
 silver loose.
 The fact is, most pockets are as
 dirty and as liable to harbour germs
 as a long neglected unswep room.

BIG HOLIDAY PROGRAMME AT THE NICKEL.

Betty Compson
 — IN —
'For Those We Love'
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 out your arms to help her. Has a lasting something that
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STAR MOVIE TO-DAY.

Sham! Sham! Sham! Sham!
 Not a fake Sham but a real Sham. A beauty picture which
 plays on the heart strings of life.
 THE INIMITABLE COMEDIANS
MONTGOMERY and ROCK
 — IN —
Girlies and Grubbers
 URBAN CLASSIC—Educational and interesting
 IT'S ON THE WAY! WHAT?
Foolish Wives. Watch this Space.
 COMING—New York's Prima Donna,
 MISS RHODA NICHOLS, Soprano Par Excellence.



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INSECT PEST THAT COSTS MIL-
 LIONS.
 Of all the insect pests that plague
 the British Isles the gadfly is the
 worst.
 It flies with incredible speed, mak-
 ing a loud buzzing noise like that of
 an angry bee. It does not sting, but
 a prick from its long-pointed beak is
 by no means pleasant, and it is by
 this means that the gadfly tortures
 cattle, throwing the beasts into a
 state of frenzy and sometimes infec-
 ting a whole herd.
 The female gadfly is even worse
 than the male. It is equipped with
 an extraordinary weapon in the
 shape of a horn growing on the lower
 portion of the stomach. This horn is
 hard and jointed in four places, so
 that it can be folded up like a tele-
 scope. The last of these joints ends
 in five sharp points, three of which
 are curved in the shape of a hook.
 With this contrivance the gadfly can
 lay its eggs either in the hair of its
 victim or in the skin itself.

Only One Cure.
 When the grubs hatch out, which
 they do in a very short time, they
 burrow still deeper into the skin, and
 produce swellings in which they live
 for ten or eleven months. Slowly
 they grow bigger, obtaining air
 through the holes through which they
 entered. If these holes are examined
 the tails of the grubs, with their two
 little breathing organs, can be seen
 quite plainly.
 When fully fledged, the grubs leave
 the holes and drop to the ground.

They make burrows in which they live
 another week or so, when they em-
 erge as fully-developed flies.
 Only cattle in good condition are
 attacked by the gadfly, and as many
 as four hundred grubs have been
 found on one ox.
 They feed upon the fat beneath the
 swellings caused by their presence,
 producing what is known to butchers
 as "licked meat." The hides of the
 animals affected are ruined, and from
 this cause alone between seven and
 eight million pounds are lost every
 year.
 The only known cure is the ap-
 plication of mercurial ointment or
 paraffin to the sides and backs of cat-
 tle at the season when the gadfly is
 known to lay its eggs.

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**CRAMPS—COLIC—
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**BRUISES—SPRAINS
 — SORE THROAT**

NOTICE.
 Four weeks after date hereof
 application will be made to His Ex-
 cellency the Governor in Council for
 Letters Patent for "New and Useful Im-
 provements in Signalling Systems" to
 be granted to Clyde E. Buckley of
 Maplewood in the State of New Jer-
 sey, Telephone Engineer; also Letters
 Patent for "New and Useful Improve-
 ments in Telegraph Signalling Sys-
 tems" to be granted to John E. Green
 of New York City, Telephone Engineer.
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