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### Auction Sales!

**POPULAR DOWDEN AND EDWARDS AUCTIONEERS**

**AUCTION.**  
**To-Morrow, Wednesday**  
at 11 a.m.  
at the residence of  
**Late Mrs. Mary Peckham**  
97 Bond Street,  
all the Household Furniture. Inventory in Morning News.  
**TO-MORROW AT 11.**  
**Dowden & Edwards,**  
Auctioneers.  
(On account of whom it may concern)

**AUCTION.**  
**On Thursday, 4th inst.,**  
at 12 o'clock noon,  
at the Central Premises of  
**Messrs. Geo. Knowling,**  
Ltd., Water Street.  
50 kegs GINGER (20 lbs. each).  
9 cases WHOLE PINEAPPLE, 2's.  
14 cases PINEAPPLE CHUNKS, 1 1/2's  
1 sack SAGO.  
1 sack TAPIOCA.  
2 sacks SALT (1 cwt. each).  
Landed in a damaged condition from on board the S. S. Digby, Cleburne, Master, from Liverpool; surveyed and ordered to be sold at Public Auction for the benefit of whom it may concern.

**A. S. Rendell & Co., Ltd.**  
Auctioneers.  
Jan 2, 21

**1923 FICTION!**  
Shepherd of the Wild—By Edison Marshall  
On Tip Toes—By Stewart Edward White  
Secret Cards—By J. J. Bell  
The Hidden Riches—By David Lyall  
Rim o' the World—By B. M. Bower  
The Ring Valley—By John D. Fitzgerald  
The Film Mystery—By Arthur B. Reeve  
Ann and Her Mother—By Douglas  
Price \$1.50 each.  
**S. E. GARLAND,**  
Leading Bookseller & Stationer,  
177-9 WATER STREET.

**NEYLE'S STEEL SLIDE SHOES.**  
2 x 3 1/2 x 7 1/2 feet.  
2 x 3 1/4 x 7 and 7 1/2 feet.  
**HARNESSES.**  
We manufacture and repair all kinds of harness.  
**HURRY COMBS.**  
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ADDED SWEAT PADS.  
ROUND EYE REIN SNAPS.  
Thread MACKEREL TWINE.  
Thread HERRING TWINE.  
Thread GENGING TWINE.  
3 lb. CAPLIN TWINE.  
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**COFFIN FURNITURE.**  
WHITE, BLACK,  
WHITE and GOLD,  
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### FOR SALE.

**A Beautiful Bungalow,**  
built of concrete blocks, very latest design, contains six large rooms with bath room finished all through with hard wood, all modern improvements; basement large enough to hold three or four cars, with side entrance. Immediate possession given. For further particulars apply to  
**J. R. JOHNSTON,**  
Real Estate Agent, 20 1/2 Prescott St. or Higgins, Hunt and Emerson.  
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**PRIVATE SALE.**  
**264 BARRELS FLOUR,**  
slightly damaged, on Furness Withy brand.  
In quantities to suit purchases, the following well known brands of flour:  
**BEAVER, MAPLE, QUAKER,**  
\$6.00 per barrel to clear. Hours of delivery: 10.30 to 1; 2.30 to 4.30.  
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**THOS. PEEL.**  
**FOR SALE.**  
1 12 inch Ice Plow (Ice King).  
1 6 inch Ice Plow.  
1 6 inch Ice Saw.  
1 8 inch Ice Saw.  
— ALSO —  
1 Crescent Ice Saw.  
All in first class condition. For price apply to  
**WILLIAMS & CO.,**  
dec 26, 8, 1, eod

**FOR SALE.**  
**One Ford Coupe**  
Complete with Electric Starter.

**2 FORD CARS**  
Complete with Electric Starter.  
**1-1 1/2 TON TRUCK.**  
**1-7 PASSENGER CAR.**  
ALL IN GOOD ORDER.

**The Royal Garage**  
CARNELL ST.  
NEW ARRIVALS.  
**HAY—Finest Timothy.**  
**OATS—Finest P.E.I. White.**  
**CORN—Whole.**  
**CORN—Cracked.**  
**GLUTEN MEAL.**  
**SCRATCH FOOD.**  
**CARRIES.**  
**OFFER SHELL.**  
**PARISPS.**  
**BEER.**  
**P.E.I. POTATOES.**  
Lowest Prices, Wholesale & Retail.  
**M. A. Bastow & Sons,**  
dec 29, 21

**Before Disposing of Your Furs See Us.**  
We guarantee to pay the highest market prices for all kinds of Raw Furs, and to forward cash by return mail; or if you so desire, we will exchange the value of your furs for any class of goods you require at rock bottom prices. Write us for quotations.  
**The Dominion Stores,**  
106-8 New Gower Street.  
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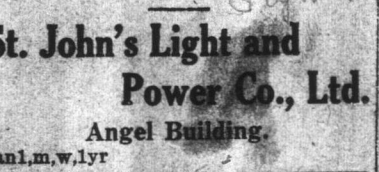
**BOOK-KEEPING!**  
I am prepared to audit, open or close books, make-up, adjust and collect accounts. Prepare statements for business profits tax and install easy systems of book-keeping.  
**WILLIAM COLLINS,**  
Board of Trade Building.  
dec 26, 61

**MINARD'S LINIMENT USED BY VETERINARIANS.**



### THIS COMING YEAR

Use Electric Light in your home, office, store or factory. Its cost is very small in consideration of the many advantages to be derived from its use. You obtain a decorative effect with Electric Lights impossible to accomplish with any other illuminant. It will pay you to investigate our claim further, etc.  
**St. John's Light and Power Co., Ltd.**  
Angel Building.  
Jan 1, m, w, 1, 17



**PLACE YOUR BUSINESS HERE THIS YEAR**  
Perhaps in the old year you were not entirely satisfied with your machine shop work and repairs. Give us the opportunity to serve you in the new year. We are well equipped with machinery, men and all facilities.  
**C. A. BOURNE,**  
Corner Water & Springdale Sts.  
dec 23, eod, 11 Telephone 2136

**Grove Hill Bulletin**  
Per doz.  
Chrysanthemums . . . 50c. to \$2.00  
Carnations . . . . . \$2.00  
Narcissus . . . . . \$1.50  
Calendula . . . . . 50c.  
**POT PLANTS.**  
Azaleas . . . . . \$5.00 each  
Cyclamen . . . . . 75c. up  
Ceraniums . . . . . 50c. up  
Ferns . . . . . 75c. up  
Primula . . . . . \$1.00 each  
**INSPECTION INVITED.**  
**J. G. McNEIL,**  
Tel. 2476. P. O. Box 792.

**Fresh Halibut, Fresh Salmon, Fresh Cod Fish.**  
**WADE'S Grocery Store,**  
67 Prescott Street.  
dec 19, tu, 11, 11 Telephone 1592.

**NOTICE.**  
Notice is hereby given that Gugi Constantinesco of the Hadden Engineering Works, Honey-pot Lane, Alporton, in the County of Middlesex, England, Engineer, and Walter Hadden of 132 Salisbury Square, Fleet Street, London, E.C., England, Proprietors of the Newfoundland Patent No. 223 of 1918 for "Method and means for transmitting power by wave transmission through liquids" are prepared to bring the said invention into operation in this Colony and will license the right of using the same on reasonable terms or to sell the same.  
Dated the 29th day of December, A. D., 1922.  
**WOOD & KELLY,**  
Solicitors for Patentees.  
Address—Temple Building, Duckworth Street, St. John's, Newfoundland.  
dec 29, jan 2, 5, 8

**George Neal Limited**  
We sincerely thank our customers for the liberal patronage given us in the past, and avail of this opportunity to assure them that we will put forth every effort to retain their good will and confidence in the future. Wishing one and all a generous share of Prosperity during 1923, we now start the New Year's business by intimating that we are well stocked with Provisions, Groceries, Feeds and Fruit which we offer the Trade at Lowest Market Prices.

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**We wish our many friends and patrons A VERY BRIGHT AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.**  
**THE STANDARD MFG. CO., Limited**  
Jan 2, 17

**JUST ARRIVED:**  
**Silver Cigarette Cases,**  
Which we offer at a Special Price, *per Case*  
**\$4.25 to \$8.00.**  
**R. H. TRAPNELL, Ltd.**  
*Silver Cigarette Cases*

**Home Sweet Home.**  
Houses to Let. Building Lots. Farms for Sale. Fire Insurance effected at lowest rates. List your Property with us, for CASH Purchases.  
**FRED. J. ROIL & CO.,**  
Real Estate and Insurance Agents,  
Smallwood Bldg. Duckworth Street.  
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**Morey's Coal is Good Coal!**  
In Stock, Best Grades of  
**North Sydney Screened, Scotch Household and Anthracite COAL.**  
**M. MOREY & Co., Ltd.**  
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**S. O. E. B. S.**  
**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.  
**J. J. MADDIGAN,**  
Fin. Secretary.  
Jan 2, 11



**TESSIER'S Insurance Agencies, St. John's.**  
dec 19, th, s, tu, 11

**Oranges, Grapes, Onions.**  
100 cases Spanish Valencia Oranges, 300 & 360 count.  
100 kegs Green Grapes.  
40 cases 4's Onions.  
And in stock:  
50 bags Yellow Globe Onions.  
**Soper & Moore**  
Phone 480-902. P. O. B. 1918.

**G. D. SLEATER**  
**Graduate Optician**  
437 WATER ST. WEST.  
Phone 916 P.O. Box 251.  
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**FOR SALE or TO LET**  
That desirable and well known freehold property, situated on Richmond Avenue (West End), three minutes walk from car line. The above is fitted with all modern conveniences, nice garden and trees around it. May be inspected at any time; immediate possession; apply THE HOME ESTATE CO., LTD.  
dec 18, eod, 11

**Wanted—Raw Furs!**  
We are open to purchase all kinds of Raw Furs, and are prepared to pay highest cash prices. It will be to your advantage to see us before disposing of same. Satisfaction guaranteed.  
**GORDON BUTLER,**  
Room 10, Bon Marche Building.  
Water Street.  
dec 22, 3 mos

**A LECTURE**  
By REV. G. L. POWELL, M.A., LL.D.,  
of Ford City, Pa., U.S.A., under the auspices of the Cochran St. Women's Association.  
**THIS TUESDAY EVENING,**  
Jan 2nd, at 8 o'clock,  
in the Cochran St. Lecture Room.  
**ADMISSION 25c.**  
Bannerman Street Entrance.  
Jan 2, 11

**MASONIC CLUB CARD TOURNAMENT.**  
The regular Card Tournament will be held in the rooms to-night.  
**L. J. HARNUM,**  
Secretary.  
Jan 2, 11

**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.**  
Jan 2, 21

**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. C. Hall to-night will start at 9 o'clock sharp.**  
Jan 2, 11

**Star of the Sea Ladies' Association**  
**AT HOME,**  
Monday, January 8th.  
Admission, including Supper, Cards and Dance, 75c.  
Jan 2, 31, eod

**HOUSE TO LET!**  
Tenders will be received up to Jan. 8th instant for the letting of the house No. 32 Queen's Road, lately occupied by Major Baird. House is to be let on yearly tenancy, rent payable monthly. Tenders should state the amount of monthly rental they are prepared to pay. Only written tenders will be considered. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders to be addressed to J. A. W. W. McNelly, Solicitor, Smallwood Building, City. Jan 2, 21, tu, th, s

**TO LET—House No. 7**  
Flavia Street; all modern conveniences; apply S. L. LITTLE, 290 Water Street, opp. Bank Nova Scotia.  
Jan 2, 11

**TO LET—Shop, cor. Gower and Victoria Streets,** suitable for office or grocery; also space for storage; apply by letter to BOX 48, c/o this office. Jan 2, 11

**TO LET—House No. 36**  
Franklin Avenue, with all modern conveniences; apply to M. & E. KENNEDY, Contractors, Renouf Building, or THE HOME ESTATE CO., LTD.  
dec 23, 11

**TO RENT—At Reasonable**  
rates, part use of a well furnished suite of Offices. Everything provided, including typewriter and telephone. Inquiries treated confidentially. Address "OFFICE DESK," this Office.  
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**FOR SALE—Big Quantity**  
of Hax, very cheap, NORTH AMERICAN FUR, HIDES AND MEXICAL CO., Water Street, West.  
dec 20, 11

**Most Attractive Proposition**  
—For sale as going concern, leasehold interest in that well known and established property, known as Treatment Hotel, situated on Central Water Street. This is the very best offer made to the public for some time. For terms and further information apply HOME ESTATE CO., LTD., 136 Water Street.  
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**Earn \$20 Weekly, Spare**  
time at home, addressing, mailing, music, circulars. Send 10c. for music, information, etc. AMERICAN MUSIC CO., 1658 Broadway, N.Y.  
dec 26, 61

**DANCING—Miss Bremner**  
resumes her Evening Classes on Thursday, January 4th, continuing Mondays and Thursdays. For further particulars apply 99 Military Road.  
Jan 2, 21

**Gentleman requires Un-**  
furnished Bed-Sitting Room, or Sitting Room and Bedroom adjacent; Central or East End preferred; apply by letter to BOX 4, c/o this office.  
Jan 2, 21

**WANTED—By Young**  
man position as Assistant Book-keeper, many years experience in Outport firm; handwriting and neatness of work a specialty; good at execution of customs entries and profit tax statements, etc.; apply "OFFICER," this office.  
dec 11, 11

**WANTED—To Purchase**  
an old Grandfather Clock, either in good or bad repair; apply stating price to "CLOCK," this Office.  
dec 29, 61

**WANTED—After Christ-**  
mas, a reliable Outport Girl, must understand plain cooking, healthy and willing to work; apply by letter to "A. B. C.," c/o Telegram Office.  
dec 11, 11

**WANTED—By a Young**  
Man a Position as Clerk or Office Work; apply immediately by letter to BOX 4, c/o this office.  
Jan 2, 11

**Help Wanted.**  
**WANTED—A First-Class**  
Barber; apply J. L. COURTNEY, Barber, Prescott Street.  
Jan 2, 21

**WANTED—A Good General**  
Servant; apply to 45 Parade St.  
Jan 2, 11

**WANTED—A Cook; apply**  
MRS. JAMES PARKER, Garrison Hill.  
dec 30, 21

**WANTED—A Maid to take**  
care two small children; reference required; apply between 6 and 8 p.m. to 30 Maxse Street.  
Jan 2, 11

**WANTED—Immediately**  
an experienced General Servant, small family, washing out; apply 31 Military Road.  
dec 22, 11

**WANTED—An Experienced**  
Cook; apply MRS. F. C. ALDERDICE, 4 Park Place, Rennie's Mill Rd.  
Jan 2, eod, 11

**WANTED—A General Maid**  
as soon as possible; must be reliable and trustworthy; small family; reference required; knowledge of plain cooking; apply MRS. ALBERT HARVEY, 238 Duckworth St.  
Jan 2, 21

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Clean Your Bowels! End Headache, Biliousness, Colds, Dizziness, Sour, Gassy Stomach

To clean out your bowels, without cramping or overacting, take Cascarets! You want to feel fine; to be quickly free from sick headache, dizziness, biliousness, colds, bad breath, a sour, acid, gassy stomach, constipation. One or two Cascarets, anytime, will start the bowels acting. When taken

at night, the bowels work wonderfully in morning. Cascarets never sicken or inconvenience you next day like pills, calomel, salts or oil. Children love Cascarets too. 10 cent boxes, also 25 and 50 cent sizes. Any drugstore.

**The Heir of Bayneham**

—AND—  
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 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. 6422

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

"She was," replied Mr. Fulton; and then there came across him a vision of his dead wife's face as he had seen it last, white and worn with the misery and anguish of pain deeper than death. "That is my wife's portrait," said Lord Bayneham. (To be continued.)

**Telegram Fashion Plates.**

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**A COMFORTABLE CONVENIENT GARMENT.**  
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**A COMFORTABLE UNDERGARMENT.**  
4183. This style will readily appeal to the woman who desires freedom and comfort as applied to bloomers. Saten, crepe, serge, flannel and silk are good materials for this model. The Pattern is cut in 4 Sizes: Small, 27-29; Medium, 31-33; Large, 35-37; and Extra Large, 39-41 inches waist measure. A Medium size requires 1 1/2 yards of 36 inch material. Pattern mailed to any address on receipt of 10c. in silver or stamps.



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4072-4078. For afternoon as well as informal "evening" functions, this style is very appropriate. The graceful drapery and "length giving" lines made this model becoming to slim and stout figures. The Waist is cut in 7 Sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measure. To make this stylish design for a medium size will require 7 1/2 yards of 40 inch material. Revers, collar and vest require 1 1/2 yards of contrasting material 22 inches wide. The width of the skirt at the foot is 2 1/2 yards. TWO separate patterns mailed to any address on receipt of 15c. FOR EACH pattern in silver or stamps.

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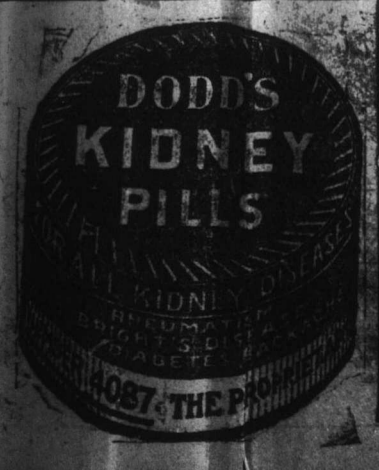
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island had bobbed up again, and was over three miles long and nearly two broad. As if exhausted by such an effort to increase in area, it vanished once more in 1895.

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.

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### 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 circles 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 rejection 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 for 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 Poincare. 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 Tuesday.

### 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, when 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.

At Braintree and Bocking, in Essex, a curious old drinking custom was observed. There, when toppers 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."

### 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 full grown 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.

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Whirling Spirals.

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### 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."

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### 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 instalment 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.

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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?"

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## 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 healthy 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.

For Gentlemen of good taste  
Cub Cigarettes.—ap12,tt

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Can be made more easily comfortable and pleasurable by the installation of this simple, economical device. Saves you one-third of your fuel bill. Keeps out cold and draft, dust and soot, deadens noise and stops rattles.

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METAL WEATHERSTRIPS  
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## Lausanne Fashion Show Dooms The Flapper.

LAUSANNE—Short hair and short skirts was little favor in the fashion conference which Fust, of Poiret, the 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.

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, when 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.

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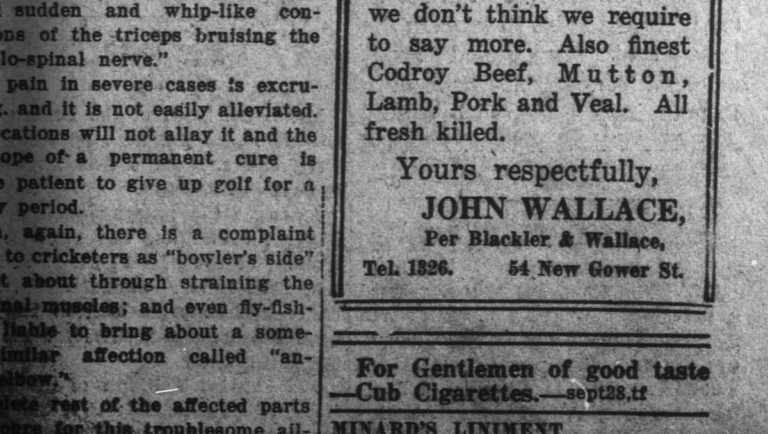
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# The Admiral's Daughter

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 5 p.m. from North Sydney, via Fort aux Basques, bringing the following passengers:—E. G. and Mrs. Bottle, D. Bowden, J. Bowles, E. G. Goss, P. J. Fenny, J. Northrop, A. H. Savage, W. A. Bell, Mrs. G. Goss, Mrs. F. Goss, and daughter, Miss F. Goss.

## Held Successful Reunion

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. J. M. Stitt 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. Dibley 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. Dibley.

## Sunday Morning's Fire.

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 \$900 on the furniture. Mr. Varley's home was not damaged much.

## 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 artists themselves and the almost heroic 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 by the artists who took part, these being as follows:—Miss Marguerite Mitchell, Mr. Gordon Christian, Miss Ruth Callvert, Miss Alice Woods, Mr. Stansfield, 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 Fort 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 Fort aux Basques, and will very 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.

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## U. F. Movement.

PROTESTS ADVOCATE SENTIMENTS.

St. John's, Nfld., 2nd January, 1923. Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir.—The enclosed letter has been sent to the Advocate for publication. We would thank you to also publish same in your columns. Yours truly, PETER ROBERTS, J. S. HILL.

January 2nd, 1923. Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir.—We arrived in St. John's on Sunday last by the S.S. Suez and shortly after obtained as a copy of the Advocate containing an Editorial on Captain Jesse Winsor, the Chairman of the UNITED FISHERMEN'S MOVEMENT. The object of your editorial was undoubtedly the killing of our movement. At this writing—the paper has not yet reached North. We have no doubt but that action will be taken when it does. Attacks like this can only serve to make the fight more bitter, and, if the ADVOCATE wants this kind of thing, it can be accommodated. There are many skeletons in the cupboard that can be pulled out and some of the leaders of the F.F.U. are not immune.

We, as a MOVEMENT, do not know the private affairs of our members and we care less. Mr. Editor, the object of BONAVISTA Bay and also of NEWFOUNDLAND do not want this kind of writing. We had enough of that last election. OUR OBJECT is to try and make CONDITIONS BETTER, so that the people will be able to live in some comfort. The people would like the Advocate to boost the REDUCTION OF TAXATION rather than write such foul rubbish. We are out for REDUCTION OF EXPENDITURE and REDUCTION OF TAXATION, and a POLICY IN GENERAL that will benefit NEWFOUNDLAND. We are determined to have this, and the Advocate cannot scare us off by foul writings such as that under review.

We here call the PRIME MINISTER'S ATTENTION to the article in question and beg to serve notice on all concerned that writings like this can only have one end, and if anything happens that can be called by any other name than "PEACEFUL PROTEST" the blame will be on the heads of those responsible for such mouthings.

Yours truly, PETER ROBERTS, J. S. HILL. St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 2, 1923.

## Cheap Flour.

NEARLY ALL BOUGHT UP. During last week there was a great rush at the Furness Wharf pier for the flour saved from S.S. Canadian Gunner, and which is being disposed of by private sale. Hundreds of barrels have been sold to people from nearby outposts and those who made purchases have in many instances come back asking for more as they found the quality not in the least impaired despite the fact that many of the packages looked dirty. The large bulk at the premises last week are now practically disposed of and only about 150 barrels remain.

## S. S. Kyle Outward.

S.S. Kyle, which ship made a special trip from North Sydney to St. John's owing to the snow blockade along the railway line, will be leaving port this afternoon at 4 o'clock, weather permitting, for North Sydney, taking mails and passengers. The Kyle will resume her usual route upon returning, and will remain in that service unless forced to make other trips to St. John's.

## 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 students of the St. Bon's Alumni, will also celebrate the side of victories in the football arena for the College pupils.

TRAIN NOTES.—Thursday's incoming express was due to arrive in the city at 2 p.m. The west bound express left here at 1 p.m.

# 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.
  - BIZARRE COSTUMING.
  - RIPROARING COMEDY.
- "The Show you'll be sorry you missed."
- The remainder of the special costumes (from Tams, New York) will be used to-morrow night.

## Child Welfare Association.

REPORT FOR MONTH OF DECEMBER.

House visits, including newly borns . . . . . 457  
Attendance at Clinic (Thursday afternoons) . . . . . 81  
New admissions to Clinic . . . . . 12  
Re-attendance . . . . . 69  
Toddlers seen at Clinic . . . . . 21  
Attendance at ante-natal Clinic . . . . . 11  
Special visits by request . . . . . 18  
Recommendations to Visiting Ladies' Committees . . . . . 28  
No. of mothers receiving milk daily from the Assoc. . . . . 28  
Children supplied with cod liver oil during month . . . . . 95  
The attendance at the Clinic has been very steady this month, and there is a great improvement generally amongst the clinic babies. There is greater regularity of feeding, and the clinic babies are better clothed. Many of the mothers who are unable to attend the sewing classes, cut out the garments at home from our patterns and make them up.

There has been much poverty and distress this month through unemployment, and we have been very glad of the kind co-operation extended to us by the Government Departments (including the Vocational) and the various voluntary and charitable organizations in the City.

## Silver Cliff Mine.

STAMP MILL ERECTED—WILL OPERATE NIGHT AND DAY. A geologist from Montreal is expected shortly on a visit of inspection to Argentina in connection with Silver Cliff mine. A lot of samples sent recently to Canada by Mr. W. A. MacKay, the managing director of Silver Cliff Mining Co., have interested a group of capitalists so much, that they are sending a man to investigate with a view to taking over the property. Work at the mines is progressing favorably. A stamp mill has been erected, and the concentrating plant will be worked to capacity during the winter, operations being carried on night and day. The ore in the face of the new adit is about 2 ft. wide and assays \$50 per ton of lead and silver. The mill will grind and concentrate about 30 tons per day so that the possible output of concentrate will be about 15 tons every 24 hours.

## Coastal Boats.

Argyle left Argentina at 1 a.m. today on the western route.  
Clayde 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.  
Sagana on way to North Sydney.  
Malakoff leaving Port Union to-day.  
Kyle due to sail for North Sydney at 4 p.m.

## A Destitute Family.

WE HAVE BEEN REQUESTED to draw the attention of the charitable disposed portion of the community to the destitute condition of a family residing in an old house at the corner of Moore Street and Carter's Hill. Our informant states that there is neither fire, food nor clothing in the house, and only through the assistance rendered by neighbours, who themselves are none too well pleased with this world's goods, a mother and her four children would starve or freeze. The woman, whose name is withheld from publication, has a husband ill in hospital, and is without any means of support.

The Young Man's Shoe, in Dark Tan, Mahogany Calf, with Rubber Heels, for \$4.75, \$5.25 and \$5.50, at SMALLWOOD'S Shoe Sale—decls.14

## S. A. Watchnight Service.

The Watch Night Service was conducted by Colonel Martin in the New Gover Street Citadel, the three city Corp's being united for the occasion. The building was packed to its utmost capacity and a feeling of reverence and deep solemnity was evident through the entire proceedings. Sharp at eleven o'clock the Colonel commenced the meeting by lining out that well known hymn "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" after which Adjutant French and Mrs. Adjutant Hill led in prayer. The congregation then sang "A Few More Years Shall Roll", after which some testimonies were given and Lieut. Monlon soloed sweetly, "Oh What a Redeemer." The Colonel based his remarks on the parable of the barren fig tree as contained in the Gospel by St. Luke, and crowded into the short space at his disposal some very thought provoking truths. God, he said, is waiting to link his powers on to our weak efforts, and make us what in our best moments we would like to be. His message to those who had failed to reach their ideal during the past year was that they might succeed in 1923 if they would seek Divine strength.

## 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, French's Lane, Signal Hill.  
On Sunday, December 31st, a son to Mrs. Chas. 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 Toronto, on January 1st, 1923, Susan, widow of the late William H. Bemis, and daughter of the late William Giles, aged 74 years.  
At Millington, on December 29th, after a brief illness, William Ashburn, aged 55 years.

IN LOVING MEMORY of my dear father Robert Barrie. "Dear father we have laid thee in the 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 even in death's embrace;  
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 tomb, Even death's cold wave, I will not flee.  
Sing to them through Jesus' leader name.—Inscribed by his mother.

## For Your Prosperous New Year!

You have been waiting for the time when you could get that SUIT or OVERCOAT at not too great a price.

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.

J. J. STRANG, Tailor, Corner Water and Prescott Streets

## Floral Tributes to the Departed.

Nothing so nice as Flowers in the time of sorrow. We can supply wreaths and crosses on short notice, and guarantee satisfaction. We will endeavour to meet the humblest pursuit. "Say it with Flowers."

## Here and There.

Eat Mrs. STEWART'S Home Made Bread—oct.4.6mo  
BAY BOATS RETURNING.—T bay boats operated by the Reid NCo. during the year are now making their last trips for the season. T Clyde, Home and Malakoff will come off the route during this week, and will arrive in St. John's where they will receive a thorough overhaul and lie up until spring navigating opens.

## BARGAINS—Black Jersey Leggings, knee length. Ladies', 3 to 795c.; Misses', 11 to 85c.; Child's, 5 to 180c., at KNOWLING Shoe Stores.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. Garland and family desire to express their sincere thanks to Drs. French and Campbell, also Rev. C. E. Johnson for assistance during the illness of their dear son and brother: Wm. Iron Field, and Messrs. Farrell, Millar, Moyer, St. John, Peter, Hopkin and the Nfld. Highlanders, and Mrs. D. M. Baird for wreaths across the casket, and especially Mrs. (Capt.) Wilson for her kindness and during their sad bereavement. Also the following for notes of sympathy: Mr. and Mrs. W. Squires, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Carter, Miss L. MacFar, Mr. Ford Winsor, Mr. and Mrs. Williams and family, Mrs. E. Coull and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mulligan, Mrs. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. John, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mel (Royal Oak Lodge), Rebecca Mel (Davidson Lodge); also Miss M. G. Goss, who presented a beautiful bouquet of flowers.

## IN LOVING MEMORY

of Claude Wilson, darling child of his mother and father, 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.

New Year Callers

AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE

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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, both parent and subsidiary, constitutes an interesting study in value at this juncture which is worthy of special attention. This big Corporation may be now definitely stated to have emerged upon a new era of commercial and manufacturing success, and it would be natural to assume that when the circumstances are realized by people who are specially interested in pick-ing up high grade securities at ex-ceptionally low prices the bargains which are now on the market counter will not last for any great length of time. It may be stated that the turning point of the company's career since the period of deflation of 1920-21, which reduced the company's opera-tions and earning power to the mini-mum of some years, was the recent flotation of bonds to the amount of \$5,000,000 which was needed to re-vert to liquid position of the Com-pany and prepare it for the revival of trade which is now well under way and promises to prove one of the best and most profitable periods in the company's annals. The issue, which took the form of consolidated mortgage bonds, bear-ing 5 per cent interest, of the Dom-inion Iron and Steel Company, Limited, was an instantaneous suc-cess having been over-subscribed within a few hours in the New York bond market. The success of such an offering in that discriminating centre constitutes the acid test of a company's manufacturing and finan-cial position as both are closely scrutinized by the underwriters of the bonds before the deal is definitely closed. For reasons which are fairly well understood by people familiar with the markets the securities of steel companies are usually slow to re-spond to changing conditions and this undoubtedly explains in a very large measure why those of the British Empire Steel Corporation and its subsidiaries continue to sell at such bargain prices. It is interesting to note that the great bulk of investors in Dominion Iron and Steel Dominion Coal and Dominion Steel preferred shares have been satisfied to keep their holdings so that there have been but few offerings of that group. The first preferred stock of British Em-pire Steel has been more active, however, but it remained for the second preferred shares to provide the broadest market of all. The common stock seems to have been largely put away for the long pull by its owners. The decline in Empire Steel first preferred constitutes one of the most inviting of the whole group now trading at the attractive level of 70 in the recent dealings at which it yields approximately 10 per cent. The second preferred is a speculative favorite and has lately been selling around 25 1/2 to 26 recently as com-pared with a high record of 39 earlier in the year. Dominion Iron and Steel preferred has been selling at 67, ten points below the year's high and should on the rally which will inevitably ensue recover all of that and likely still further appreciate. Dominion Coal preferred, although holding con-siderably higher at 82 1/2 is never-theless a bargain for an issue with its excellent earnings in a business which is booming at present. Dominion Steel 5 per cent preferred at 76 to 77 is still an opportunity for investment which should not be overlooked. The British Empire Steel Corpora-tion has no funded debt but the bonds of underlying companies seem to be closely held in the strong boxes of investors as they very rarely appear on the market. This con-stitutes a note of satisfaction in the investment which can be expressed in no other way.

PRO PATRIA SAFE.

NORTH SYDNEY, N.S. Jan. 1. The steamer Pro Patria which re-ported at St. Pierre at five thirty this morning, sixteen hours late, dispelled the fears being entertained for her safety.

OUT OF THE GRIP.

HALIFAX, N.S. Jan. 1. The storm, that has swept the Mar-itime Provinces is subsiding, leaving record fall of snow in many places and demoralized traffic. Recovery of rail traffic is being rapidly accom-plished, and schedules are to be re-stored to-day.

NOT REGISTERED AT HALIFAX.

The two masted schooner, sunk off Barnegat, N.J., in collision with the tanker Nora on Saturday, with loss of two of her crew, was identified to-night as the Jeanette of Halifax, un-derstood to be bound north from Newstead to St. Pierre, but there is no record at Halifax of the schooner.

SPOILED THE NEW YEAR JOY.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1. Prohibition enforcement officers, Federal and police, combined last night and this morning the most ex-tensive raids in the history of the Volstead Law, when they visited a score of public amusement places in the vicinity of Broadway and Green-wich Village. Police stations, crowd-ed with prisoners, are awaiting hear-ings, and large quantities of liquor were confiscated. It is estimated that New York hotels entertained over one hundred thousand guests last night.

TWO DROWNED.

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BLUFFED THE ETHERAL SEA.

CAPE MAY, N.J., Jan. 1. The Munson Line schooner Munmor-ton won a two days' fight with heavy gales, according to a report from the coastguard cutter Kickapoo, which went to the Munmor-ton in answer to an S. O. S. call. The Kickapoo stood by the Munmor-ton for two days while the latter was at the mercy of the many much cried-up rumors of her dis-aster. She was sighted on Saturday righted herself and proceeded on her voyage to Boston with coal.

U. F. Deputation in City

CALL ON ADVOCATE.

Messrs. P. Roberts and J. S. Hill ar-rived in the city yesterday by S. S. Susu. The men came as the represen-tatives of the United Fishermen's Movement, in connection with a re-cent editorial in the Fishermen's Advocate, captioned in double display type: "Who is Jesse Winsor?" The delegates called on the Editor of the Advocate this morning, with a letter asking an explanation, which he pro-mised to publish. The text of the letter, appears elsewhere in the columns of Telegram to-day.

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TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

PROMINENT OFFICIALS INDICATED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1. Benedict Crowell, Assistant Sec-etary of War under the Wilson Ad-ministration, and six "dollar a year men" associated with the Council of National Defense, indicted here on Saturday by a special grand jury, investigating war frauds, on charges of conspiracy to defraud United States Government in the construction of war time army camps and cantonments. Others indicted were Wil-liam A. Starrett, Morton C. Tuttle, Clemens W. Lundoff, Clair Foster, John H. McGibbons, and James A. Moore. Indictments on charges of conspiracy were for maladministration existing of laws and regulations and to control the giving of contracts to friends, associates and clients un-der the "cost plus" system, which, it is charged, resulted in a loss to the gov-ernment of a million of dollars and a reduced morale of labor.

Fish Exporters Meet.

WHO BROKE SELLING AGREEMENT.

An important meeting of fish ex-ported took place at the Board of Trade room on Saturday. Among the large number who attended was Mr. Geo. Hawes. The meeting was called to discuss an agreement of ar-rangement entered into between Mes-srs. Hawes & Co., Lazo & Co., Paine & Co. and Messrs. Campos, whereby the price of Labrador fish for Spain should be kept at a stipulated price. This agreement, according to state-ments made at the meeting, has been broken by Messrs. Hawes, and this contention was supported by cable-grams, which were read as follows:— "ALICANTE, Dec. 30, 1922.— "We have a poor opinion of the near future for the market for Labrador. Hawes broke agreement, Lazo, Paine followed; prices are nominal at 23 shillings. Demand restricted unless Hawes compelled to raise and hold prices. Business rotten." It was claimed by Mr. Hawes that his firm was not the first to break the agreement. Much discussion follow-ed and a prominent exporter stated he had received a message from Valen-tia under date of Dec. 34th, which lent confirmation to the Alicante Cable. The message is as follows:—"There is nothing encouraging in the market. re-cent improvements having quite dis-appeared. Hawes selling at had price at present. From appearance of the matter I think the object is the forcing of St. John's to sell at his price." One of the speakers at the meet-ing said that when this sort of thing is allowed by the exporters of the coun-try, "is it any wonder that fish to-day is selling at from \$7.70 to \$4.50 per quintal. The duty of the exporters, he said, who, after all, are the custod-ians of the people's fish, is to see that the best prices are obtained and they should not allow their agents to be sacrificing the industry of the country without any just reason whatever. Nothing final resulted from the meet-ing but it was threatened that the matter will be dealt with more fully in a series of letters to the press. We understand that the 4 firms, or agents, represent practically all the exporters of the country. If, as it is claimed, one of these broke the agree-ment, thereby causing fish to sell at such low prices, the outlook for spring fishing supplies is not en-couraging, unless other methods of marketing are adopted.

### 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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### A Motor-Driven Parachute.

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"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 difficulties 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 Jartico 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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The silk mistress in reply said: "I have made them very carefully of purple wool for your Majesty, and seeing these 'knits' are so well, I will presently set more in hand."

"Do so," quoth the queen, "for I

doe I like silke stockings so well because they are pleasant, thin, and delicate, that honestly I will wear no more cloth stockings."

**Wisp of Wisdom.**

The stickler seldom gets stuck. Hope and strive if you would thrive. Perseverance is true—cures are costly. Every man is a son of his own wife. The promised land is the land where one is not. Long take the memory. Truth-telling is tax-exempt.

If there were no clouds, we should not enjoy the sun.

God has given a feeling of content with everything finished.

Wealth brings power, but what most people need is "mass control."

Get wealthy honestly, use wealth judiciously, never reveal directly. As a rule, what the heart longs for the head and the hand can accomplish.

One of the great lessons in life is to learn how to obtain victory over defeat.

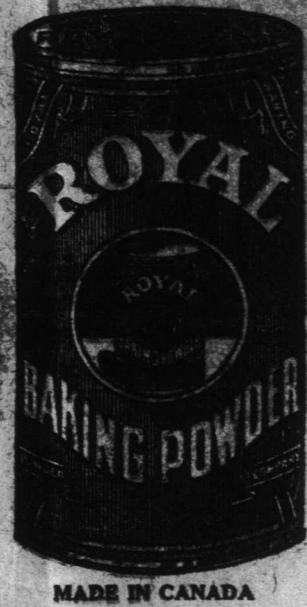
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SIDE TALKS.

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 recipe. Another to my friend of mine said to me yesterday, '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 comparisons 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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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 this 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 only 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 afoot, round 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-Flies Like Olives. 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 olive-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.

The South African Gold Case had the excuse that a large amount was involved. £500,000 worth of gold was the bone of contention. A year or so before there had gone to the House of Lords a suit that was relatively some 3,000 times more expensive. It was all over a ton of coke valued at less than £1, and the costs totalled nearly £200 before the House of Lords upheld what the County Court judge had originally decided.

The beginning of the action was

simple. The ton of coke when delivered had been shot through a plate glass window instead of the coal hole. Modest damages were claimed.

Another case that holds a high position on the list of costly lawsuits is Naylor vs. Aisling. It was concerned with a concession in Portuguese South Africa. The bill came to £21,000, and of this sum counsel's fees absorbed £10,000.

It is not only counsel's fees that make lawsuit bills such formidable matters. In a chancery case in which Mr. Marconi was engaged for instance, a wireless installation was fitted up in Court. There were aerials on the Law Court's clock tower.

Short-hand notes-taking and its transcription, with subsequent appearance in printed volumes, is another thing that costs money. This item alone will add thousands of pounds to the bill of a big case.

Sailors Do Care.

Probably if a leadfinger was asked what was the most dangerous cargo a ship can carry he would answer: "Dynamite." But sailors themselves will tell you differently.

Sugar, for example, is feared by the sailor, whose ship has to convey hundreds of tons of cane sugar in casks in the hold of the vessel. Should the ship sail through a hot area, the sugar from the "sugar" is leaking. The worst taste gets into their mouths, and they crave lemon-juice, vinegar, or anything sour. They lose their appetites, and are heartily glad when the voyage is over.

Coffee is as unpleasant, and almost as dangerous as sugar. Cotton is another really dangerous cargo. One little drop of oil on raw cotton would result in spontaneous combustion.

Acids and other chemicals must also come into the list of dangerous cargoes. Carbide of calcium is far more dangerous than dynamite. It is from this chemical that acetylene gas is made, and the product has only to be exposed to the air, for the gas to be given off in a constant stream.

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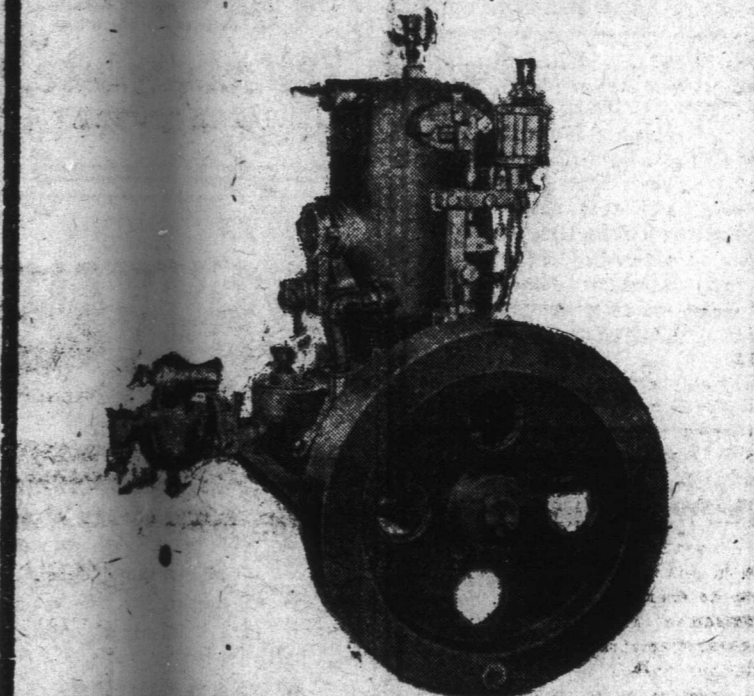
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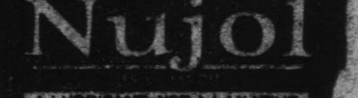
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THE INDOOR TENNIS. SETS OF PING PONG \$2.45, \$3.50, \$5.75. PING PONG BALLS 17c each, \$1.90 doz. S. E. GARLAND, 177-9 Water Street.

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THE DRAMA OF THE HEART ENTITLED "THE OLD OAKEN BUCKET"

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Real Scotch Bannocks. "Nairn's" Rutherglen Oatcakes.

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For The Xmas Feast

You will need something a little out of the usual in groceries of the "fancy" sort.

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S. A. BAND VISIT SANITARIUM.—The patients at the Sanitarium were treated to a specially prepared rendition of music by the S. A. Band of No. 2 barracks at the institution yesterday afternoon.

10 per cent. off all Boys' and Girls' Boots and Shoes at SMALLWOOD'S Shoe Sale.

EVERY BODY SMOKES

Old Chum Tobacco

A mild Tobacco that has fully met the smoker's demand for delightful quality and mild character.

CASH'S Tobacco Store. WATER STREET.

INTRODUCING SOLVENE

Shredded Soap. SOMETHING NEW An absolutely perfect White Soap in new and original form.

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TRY IT ONCE YOU WILL NEVER BE WITH-OUT IT.

Smokeless Fuel!

COKE is an excellent substitute for Anthracite Coal, and is the best smokeless fuel for Domestic or Industrial use.

ST. JOHN'S GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

Get Your "WHITAKER" to-day.

Whitaker Almanac for 1923 just received. Cloth Ed. \$2.10 Paper Cover \$1.00

GARRETT BYRNE, Bookseller and Stationer.

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.

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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.

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 have a good word for him.

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.

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.

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.

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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.

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.

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."

Licenses also are required of all the hunters, and in the case of non-residents high fees are demanded.

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.

Advertisement for Three E-E-E Footwear. Features the text 'EASE ELEGANCE ECONOMY' and 'Made by Archibald Bros. Harbor Grace'. Includes an illustration of a woman's foot in a shoe.

Methodist Orphanage.

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, 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 Veay, toys, etc., M. Nilosey, P. O. Mara; Xmas crackers and decorations, Mrs. S. Lindsay, Mrs. W. Dove; potatoes and turnips, Toposal; 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 Crumme; 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 Topsails for seventy-two hours did not get away until early yesterday, and is due in the city at 2 p.m.

Piles

All druggists are authorized to refund the money if PAZO OINTMENT fails in the treatment of any case of ITCHING, BLIND, BLEEDING or PROTRUDING PILES. PAZO OINTMENT instantly relieves ITCHING PILES and you can get restful sleep after the first application. It is guaranteed by Paris Medicine Co., Manufacturers of the world-famous Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets.

The Maritime Dental Parlor

Your duty to your teeth is essential to health and happiness. You can afford to neglect them any longer. You can afford to join our great行列 to whom we tender courteous invaluable services. Call for free examination.

M. S. POWER, D.D.S. (Graduate of Philadelphia Dental College, Garretton Hospital of Oral Surgery, and Philadelphia General Hospital.) Phone 220. 176 WATER STREET. (Opp. M. Chaplin's.)

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**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 theatrical orbit. It is  
 a conservative estimate that some  
 that season, at least half of  
 annual takings of the public halls  
 are devoted to the theatre.  
 January and February thousands  
 of people will be exposed to the  
 of the theatre fire.  
 The 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 incidence of this gruesome calamity.  
 How much longer may we  
 hope to remain immune?  
 The best of the writer's belief,  
 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 vitamin-bearing  
 cod-liver oil is used  
 effectually to add  
 vitamin-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 no  
 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!

**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 ani-  
 mals 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."

**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 process.  
 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.

**Cattle's Deadliest Foe.**

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.

**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  
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 this means that the gadfly tortures  
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 in five sharp points, three of which  
 are curved in the shape of a hook.  
 With this contrivance the gadfly can  
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**Cleaning and pressing still at-  
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 way by Hickey at Spurrell The  
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 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 alright."

**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.

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**BIG HOLIDAY PROGRAMME AT THE NICKEL.**

**Betty Compson**  
 — IN —  
**'For Those We Love'**  
 A story of love, sacrifice and a girl's supreme heroism. It  
 grips the heartstrings, and makes you feel like stretching  
 out your arms to help her. Has a lasting something that  
 will never allow you to forget. Rich in Action and Suspense.  
 Direct from a very successful tour of Australia. They will  
 appear every afternoon and each evening.  
 COMING VIA S.S. SILVIA FROM NEW YORK  
**"CLINTON and MacNamara"**  
 VERSATILE VAUDEVILLE DUO  
**Comedy Skit, Singing,  
 Talking, Dancing**  
 COMING—JACKIE COOGAN in "MY BOY."

**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**  
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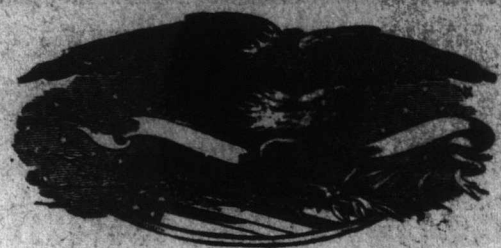
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