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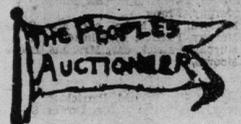
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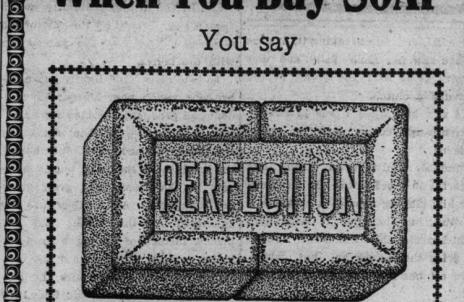
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CHAPTER XXIV.

Get away she must; and yet how? Night after night she lay awake trying to frame some excuse which would withstand the entreaties of the signora and Florence; and she decided to remain until the party broke up and the prince returned to the court, and then she would vanish—forever.

The last night arrived. The party had been out on the hills, and returned with the gaiety of spirits which we English—alas!—know nothing of. The great banqueting hall was brilliant with light, and the guests in their magnificent costumes and gorgeous uniforms gave additional splendor to the decorations.

Margaret stole down to the drawing-room a few minutes before the gong sounded, and her advent was the signal for a crowd of courtiers to throng round her.

"I should think you would be glad when we are all gone!" said one, a white-haired veteran, who seemed to find it impossible to leave the side of the quiet English girl, with her sweet smile and rare eyes. "I know you artists so love quiet, and we make such a noise, do we not? Alas! we shall be all quiet enough to-morrow, for we shall be far away from the dear villa, and thinking of you—"

"Please include me, count," said the signora.

He made her a bow.

"I spoke collectively, of course," he said, amidst the general laugh, and not a whit discomposed. "If you know how dreary you make the court after your villa, and how we pine after you all!" he said with a sigh. "Why, I declare, to-day, if it had not been for the effort which becomes a duty, we should most of us have been in tears. I missed everything I shot at, did I not, prince? But, bah! I did not appeal to you, for you were as bad. Indeed, I do not know what has come to you lately; you have lost your own altogether."

"That is true," said a young attaché; "and Rivani used to be the best shot amongst us; the best I know, except Blair Leyton."

The prince was standing beside Margaret, showing her some photographs of Rome which he had sent for, and was paying no attention to the general conversation.

"That is St. Peter's," he was saying, when suddenly Blair's name smote upon her ear.

She looked up, pale as death, and the photograph fell from her hand to the floor. Half a dozen hands were outstretched to recover it, but the prince stooped and picked it up, and stood in front of her as a screen.

"Are you ill?" he asked in a low voice; but Margaret did not hear him. She sat, leaning forward a little, her face deadly white, her eyes fixed upon the young attaché.

The prince took up a fan and unobtrusively fanned her, his fine eyes fixed on her face with the tenderest regard.

She did not seem as if she were

about to faint, but rather as if she had fallen into a trance.

"Blair Leyton?" said the count. "Blair Leyton?" and at every repetition of the name a tremulous quiver passed rapidly over Margaret's white face.

"Yes, Viscount Leyton, the Earl of Ferrers' nephew. Surely you remember him, general?"

"Oh, yes," said the count. "I had forgotten for the moment. Yes, yes! He was a good shot. One in a thousand. I was with him in the Black Forest—in England, too. A wonderful shot! A wonderful young man, too," he added; then, as some reminiscence occurred to him, he warmed into enthusiasm. "A fine specimen of an English sportsman. I do not think I ever saw a young man ride as he rode. It was in one of the English hunting counties; and he was riding a perfect demon of a horse. There was no other man on the field who would have got into the saddle, and yet this young lord rode him as if he were a lady's palfrey. I saw him jump—"

"I am afraid, my dear signora, you would not believe me if I were to tell you. It was a tremendous jump, and to miss it meant a broken limb—or a broken neck."

He paused, and Margaret, who had been fighting against the terrible effect the mere mention of Blair's name had worked upon her, recovered, and with a sigh, withdrew her eyes from the speaker, and looked up at the prince.

"Are you better?" he murmured, still screening her from the rest, and affecting to examine the costly fan he held.

"I—I am quite well," she said, looking down. "It must have been the heat."

"Doubtless," he said. "I will see the dining-room is cooler."

The gong sounded at the moment, and he had to leave her and give his arm to the countess, but Margaret heard him give directions to the servants respecting the dining-room windows.

The dinner proceeded. Her chair was placed within about six of his at the bottom of the table, and sometimes he would lean forward and say a few words; but to-night, although he watched her with that tender scrutiny of which Love teaches us the secret, he said nothing. And she sat silent, not listening to the talk around her, but thinking of that past which Blair's name had recalled all too vividly. The splendid room, the brilliant company, faded from her sight, and in their place rose the inclosed garden at the Court, and in the moon rays stood close by her side the man who even then, as she thought, was plotting her ruin!

Suddenly she heard his name again. It was the old general, who, apparently, could not forget the young Englishman who had taken the big jump.

"Has any one seen Viscount Leyton lately?" he inquired.

Margaret had a piece of bread in

her hand, and was breaking it, but the prince saw her hand fall, and her fingers close over the bread with a convulsive clutch.

"I saw him when I was in London a month ago, count," said the young attaché.

"Indeed, and is he as strong and cheerful as ever? Dear me, I remember him singing a song—a stupid sort of song; but he sang it with that light-hearted chic which the French so pride themselves on, but which, after all, one sees often in the English."

"Blair Leyton wasn't very light-hearted when I saw him last," said the young man. "He was awfully changed. He'd been ill, so they said, and very unwell, too. Something had gone wrong with him, I fancy; an affection of the heart, I suppose. Your Englishman, when he loses his mistress, invariably takes to drink or gambling. I don't fancy Blair would sink to the former, so I imagine he had been going in for the latter. You know the Green Table Club, general?"

The count gave a significant grimace, and executed something very like a wink, and the attaché nodded significantly.

"Poor fellow, he was always reckless and careless; but lately they say he was positively desperate. He must have been living pretty hard, for he is so fearfully altered; the mere shadow of his old self; and you know what a splendid fellow he was, general?"

"Ah, yes," assented the old soldier. "I thought when I saw him that I would give a good deal to have him in my brigade. And he was so altered and broken, you say?"

"Oh, terribly. I heard, too, that he had lost nearly all his property. He had a good deal in his own right, in addition to his heirloom of the Ferrers property."

"It is a dreadful thing to see a man so richly endowed go to the dogs in that fashion," said the general, who had borne anything but a character for steadiness in his youth.

A smile went round the table, and the attaché, to close the subject, remarked:

"Oh, I hope the dogs will be disappointed yet. There was a rumor of a match between Blair and the great heiress, Miss Violet Graham; but I can't vouch for the truth of it, seeing I got it from a man whose word I wouldn't hang a dog on—Austin Ambrose."

"Austin Ambrose, a man with a face like a mask, and a trick of looking over your head while he is talking to you?" said the general. "Oh, yes, I remember him. He was always with Lord Leyton."

"And is still," said the attaché. The subject had run itself out, and the conversation took another turn, but all the time it had been dealing with Blair Leyton, Margaret had set her eyes fixed on the cloth, her hand closed on the piece of bread, and when it had concluded she looked up and round about her, like one awakening from a dream.

The signora signalled to the ladies and rose, when the prince held up his hand.

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"Pardon, my mother, but you have forgotten the toast."

"Ah, the toast, yes," she said, and with a placid smile sank down again. The prince filled the glass of the lady near him with wine, and leaning forward poured some into Margaret's glass.

"It is our custom on the night before our departure, Miss Leslie, to drink this toast—'To our next meeting!'" and as he spoke, he rose and raised his glass.

All rose, ladies included, and lifted their glasses above their heads, and Margaret did the same. But her hand felt weak and tremulous. Blair's name was still ringing in her ears, and almost unconsciously she let the glass slip from her fingers. The red wine ran down her dress, where it made no sign, but reaching the table cloth marked it with a blood-like stain.

The party looked rather grave, for it was considered a bad omen, but the prince, with his ever ready tact, laughed.

"Bravo, Miss Leslie!" he exclaimed. "That is the Greek fashion; you have secured the fulfillment of the toast by pouring a libation to the gods."

She looked at him gratefully, as his "bravo" was echoed by the rest of the gentlemen, and then she passed out with the ladies.

As if to dispel the slightly grave impression which poor Margaret's accident had produced, the men were merrier over their wine than usual, and the prince seemed, as in duty bound, the brightest of them all; but at intervals his handsome face grew grave and thoughtful. At last they rose and sauntered into the salon; but the prince, instead of joining a group of ladies, walked through into the conservatory, and sinking into the seat on which Margaret had sat, folded his arms and gave himself up to reverie.

He remained there for a quarter of an hour, then, with the firm yet light step peculiar to him, strode into the drawing-room, and going up to Margaret, who was seated, by herself for a wonder, in a shady corner, bent down and said:

"Will you give me a few minutes?"

Margaret looked up at him almost pleadingly, but he met her gaze steadily, and with a little sigh she rose and laid her fingers on his arm.

He led her through a doorway opening to a portion of the terrace, which was inclosed by glass and occupied by some palms and statuary. The moon shone through the brown leaves and fell in white gleams upon the marble figures. Through the thick curtains the sound of the voices and music in the salon came fitfully, but the prince and Margaret were as little likely to be intruded on as if they were in the midst of a forest.

"For a moment or two he stood looking up at the moon, as if he were choosing his words, then he turned to her, and laying his hand upon her white fingers, he said in a low but firm voice:

"You know why I asked you to be gracious enough to come here with me?"

Margaret remained silent, her heart beating heavily.

"Miss Leslie, to-morrow I leave Florence. I may not return for months, or I may get leave of absence and come back within a few days. It rests with you. The words I spoke to you the other night, they are what I would speak again now. Miss Leslie, I love you; will you be my wife?"

Margaret raised her pale face, and regarded him sorrowfully.

"Prince, it cannot be," she murmured. "Oh, I wish—I wish you had not told me—"

"I could not do otherwise than tell you," he said gravely, and with a manly tenderness. "Why should I conceal that which my heart feels? And why cannot it be?" and his fingers closed over hers.

"You forget, prince, you are a nobleman, one of the nobles in Italy, and I—"

She stopped.

(To be Continued.)

**"Fine and Dry"**

**Windsor Table Salt**

THE CANADIAN SALT CO., LIMITED

Combinations and envelope chemises are coming to be made of wash satin, as well as of crepe de chine. Pockets are large and deep, cuffs are mighty and collars are anything that happens to be becoming to one.

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**A**  
Ash, Miss E.  
Adams, George  
Aylward, Miss M., card, New Gower Street  
Andrew Brothers  
Abel, E.  
Anderson, Miss Katie, card  
Austin, Chas., Freshwater Road

**B**  
Barrow, Miss Susie, Freshwater Rd.  
Babcock, T. C.  
Baird, M., Freshwater Road  
Barnes, Mrs. Wm., New Gower St.  
Bradon, Mrs. John  
Barrett, Miss Ethel  
Byrne, Miss A., Duckworth St.  
Bell, Wm., Mt. Scio  
Bellow, Miss J., Water St.  
Bride, Thomas, Water St.  
Brown, Mrs. Samuel, late Bay Roberts

**C**  
Carrigan, Mrs. John, Flower Hill  
Clancey, Mrs. H., Newtown Road  
Cavanagh, Mrs. Simon, Water St. West  
Coady, Michael  
Cole, Arthur, care Harvey & Co.  
Coady, M.  
Collins, Miss May, Victoria St.  
Coleman, Mrs. Spencer St.  
Codner, Mrs. A. E., Water St.  
Crocker, Miss Minnie  
Coleman, Thomas, Barter's Hill  
Connors, P. J.  
Cullen, Miss Lillian, care G. P. O.  
Coles, Miss Mary  
Crowley, Miss Mary, Job's Square

**D**  
Day, John  
Davis, Willis  
Dalton, Mrs. Annie, card, Gower St.  
Dempsey, Catherine  
Dean, Thos., care General Delivery  
Doyle, Miss Margaret, Monkstown Rd.  
Donnelly, John, card  
Doody, John T., Mundy Pond Rd.  
Dorothy, Miss Jennie, Casey St.  
Doyle, Mrs. Jas., Casey St.  
Duff, Michael, card  
Duke, Patrick  
Duff, Alice J., Water St.  
Dunphy, A., Victoria St.  
Dunphy, Thomas  
Dunn, Andrew  
Durrant, Mrs. James, Lime St.  
Day, George V.  
Dwyer, Mrs. J., Holdsworth St.

**E**  
Ebsary, Albert, S. S. Glencoe  
Elliott, Rev. W., care Gen'l Delivery  
Emblett, Ruth K.  
Ellsworth, Pte. G., George's St.

**F**  
Fraser, Miss Minnie, care F. B. Wood  
Fennessey, James  
French, Wm., Gower St.  
Field, Harry  
Fitzgerald, Miss V., card, Pleasant St.  
Forsey, J. E.  
Fox, Miss Jane, Waterford Bridge Rd.  
Porbes, G. O., George's St.  
Fullford, C. P.  
Flemming, Mrs., Newtown Road  
Flynn, Nellie, Military Road  
Ford, Harry, care John Ford, — St.  
Furlong, Minnie

**G**  
Gardner, Mrs. Laurence, care Balsam  
Garland, Miss Emma J.  
Gibson, J., Waterford Bridge Road  
Garland, Miss Helen, Water St.  
Green, Miss Minnie, Freshwater Rd.  
Greeley, Mrs. James  
Green, Miss Lydia  
Gore, Mrs. Bearn, Gower St.  
Green, O. F., care G. P. O.  
Gibson, R., card  
Giles, J. B., card, late Coley's Point  
Goodland, Mrs. A. J., slip, Victoria St.

**H**  
Helphard, Nelson, off Newtown Rd.  
Hayward, Miss Katie  
Hiscock, George  
Hickey, Miss Aggie, late Holyrood  
Hiscock, J. W., Balsam Place  
Hill, Miss Mand, Water St.  
Hillar, Miss Etie, card  
Hickey, Miss Aggie, care Gen. Delivery  
Hollett, Samuel, care Gen. Delivery  
Horwood, Norman  
House, Gordon, care G. P. O.  
Hopkins, Mr.  
Horwood, R., card  
Houllhan, Mary, care Mrs. Cooper, LeMarchant Road  
Hallamore, C. W.  
Haynes, Wm., Central St.  
Houllhan, Miss Mary, Freshwater Rd.

**I**  
Idollas, H. J.

**J**  
Jennings, Frederick, Richmond St.  
Johnston, J., McBride's Hill  
Joy, Mrs. John, Lime St.

**K**  
Kennedy, Edward  
Kennedy, Terrence, New Gower St.  
Kent, William, Patrick St.  
Kin, Mrs. Bertha

**L**  
Learning, Joseph, late Alexander Bay  
Lewis, Patrick, Booman St.  
Lewis, Mrs., card, Brazil's Square  
Lyons, Gregory, care Gen. Delivery  
Laurence, Miss Nance  
Lynch, Miss Julia, Prescott St.  
Lingar, Thomas, Newtown Road  
Long, Mr. City

**M**  
Malyan, F., Gower St.  
Malone, Michael, late Badger  
Manuel, C. A.  
Martin, Mrs. S.  
Martin, Mrs. George, Casey St.  
Meeley, Mrs. Thomas, Water St. West  
Marshall, Mrs. M., King's Rd.  
Martin, Mrs. T. H., Forest Rd.  
Madden, Mrs. J.  
Madden, John, South Side  
Morcer, S. R., care G. P. O.  
Mitchell, Mrs., Adelaide Street  
Miller, Miss S.  
Mitchell, Mrs. H. C., Gower St.  
Molloy, Mrs. Mary  
Moore, Miss A., Carew St.  
Moore, Pte. Leo

Remaining 19th, 1916.

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T. H., Forest Rd.
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as Mabel, care Mrs. Syme
rick, Riverhead
rick, care Mrs. Jas. Boone
Ronald, Patrick St.
Miss Nellie, Gower St.
Miss Minnie, LeMarchant Road
Nellie, care G. P. O.
omas, James St.
Mrs. Reuben, George St.
as A., New Gower St.
as Della, late Grand Falls
C.
H., Hamilton St.
Nagle's Hill
care General P. O.
mas W., Freshwater Rd.
Mrs. Spracklin, Water St.
Carnell St.
Blanche,
care General Delivery
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J., G. P. O.
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Miss Nora, Gower St.
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Wm., Water St.
Summer St.
Alice, Summer St.
D. B.
Long's Hill
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WOODS, P.M.G.

Block Cutch
WHITING, ATLAS BRAND CEMENT.
COAL and WILMINGTON TAR.
ROOFING PITCH, WILMINGTON PITCH & RESIN.
RED and YELLOW OCHRE.
MANILLA COIR and HEMP CORDAGE.
STEAM ANCHORS and GRAPNELS.
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ROOF COATING and ROOFING TINNS.
G. KNOWLING.
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At the House.
Monday, May 1st, 1916.
Practically all the business of the Assembly Chamber was finished yesterday, the order paper being gone through.

The Prime Minister moved the suspension of the rules regarding all matters to come before the House. The Municipal Bill passed through Committee, received its third reading and was sent to the Legislative Council for concurrence. The Bill provides for the election of Mayor and Councilors for two years in June and the plebiscite on the Ward system at the end of September. The Premier pointed out that the Bill was the unanimous report of the Select Committee of both Houses.

The House then went into Committee on a Bill to regulate the Censorship of Moving Pictures and went through with a few verbal amendments. The rest of the Bill was emended by Mr. Cliff, Mr. Higgins, Mr. Downey and Mr. Lloyd, the latter pointing out that whilst it was true that there was rarely anything of an objectionable nature shown here, censorship was necessary not only from a moral standpoint, but also from a patriotic, as he had seen displayed here offensive pictures, which emanated from a German source and which were offensive and insulting to a British audience. The pictures referred to were brought in to being in the United States and would cater to the taste of Germans and Sinn Feiners.

Girl a Nervous Wreck at Eleven Years of Age
Was Tired Out, Pale and Sallow—Would Tremble Till the Bed would Shake—Dr. Chase's Nerve Food Cured Her.
In the schools of to-day there is found an alarming proportion of weak, nervous children, who have little chance of developing into healthy, useful men and women. Nature requires the assistance of such treatment as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to help them over a trying period and set them on their feet.

Constable Simmonds Rises to the Occasion.
Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir:—For three or four months the citizens of St. John's were, to a certain extent (the females especially) terrorized over the repeated burglaries that took place in this city, and many were under the impression that the police force were becoming incompetent to deal with matters of this kind, more especially as the perpetrator exhibited such ingenuity and audacity that marked him, in the estimation of the public, as an old practitioner, or to give it the professional title—an expert.

At last that unassuming, but keen and energetic officer, Constable John Simmonds, unravelled the mystery, thus proving that he possesses tact, discrimination, as well as undoubted bravery in case of emergency. I say discrimination advisedly, because Constable Simmonds ran considerable risk in making an arrest of a youth who was known to be a telegraph messenger, whose duty called him to all localities at all hours. Such a youth would be held above suspicion by ninety-nine out of a hundred policemen. But Simmonds took no chances, or, in other words, in local parlance, gave no soft tricks. He kept his quarry in sight, and captured him in the act—thus removing a cause of annoyance and terror from the minds of our citizens, as we did not know whose turn would come next, or the bold burglar to pay us a visit. The particulars of the repeated robberies have been so well ventilated through the newspapers for three or four months that it is unnecessary for me to go into details, suffice it to say that seldom in our history have robberies been carried out so successfully and repeatedly without detection, or which produced such a sensation in the community.

Well, Mr. Editor, Constable Simmonds unravelled the mystery, and did it clear and simple, a skill that proves that he is as well qualified to use his mental faculties and discrimination upon such an occasion, as he would be to use his knuckles upon emergency, if driven to extremity. Now the question arises, the public are under a deep obligation to Const. Simmonds for the skill and determination displayed in capturing the youthful unsuspected thief, but what about the authorities? Are they going to recognize the services of this efficient officer? It is unnecessary for me to say that others, during years past, have received full recognition for services rendered, both in monetary as well as official recognition, but seldom, in our city, has anxiety been dispelled from the minds of our house-keepers and business men, as when Simmonds rose to the occasion, and placed the young buccaneer in the refugee precarum, down by the banks of historic Quidi Vidi, to meditate at leisure over his past acts, and make a firm resolution to sin no more. I shall watch this matter with interest, and so will many others, who like to see a man rewarded according to his merits in duty well and faithfully performed.

St. John's, May 1st, 1916.
St. Mary's Annual Meeting

The parishioners of the above church held their annual meeting last night in the Parish Room, and considering the unfavorable weather was largely attended. Reports of the various committees were read and adopted. The election of wardens and committee now took place resulting as follows: Rector's Warden—L. G. Chafe, re-elected. People's Warden—W. J. Pike, re-elected. Select Vestry—Thos. Cornick, Capt. G. Herald, A. Osmond, W. Gardner, Albert Whitten, Capt. E. Dawe, H. W. Bradbury, G. B. Whitten, S. Bradbury. Honorary Members—Jas. Worrall, W. Churchill. Finance Committee—S. Bursell, J. L. Noonan, Capt. Axford, L. Bartlett, G. Gardner, F. H. Ellis, W. C. Chafe, A. Melvin, L. Sheppard, N. Andrews, G. Pike, C. Lester, G. Carberry. Cemetery Committee—F. Bursell, Captain Dawe, W. Cook, Capt. Herald, J. Oakley. Industrial Committee—Capt. Dawe, F. Bursell, G. B. Whitten. Organist—G. B. Lloyd. Sexton—Geo. Reid.

W. P. A.
Rock Harbor—27 prs. socks.
Spout Cove and Adams Cove—85 prs. socks.
Wesleyville—12 shirts.
Placenta—50 prs. socks.
Cupids and Burnt Head—71 prs. socks, old white material.
Mrs. Forbes' Circle, Bonavista—10 prs. socks, old white material.
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Lamaline—120 prs. socks.
Exploits—5 prs. socks.
Western Bay—24 prs. socks.
Heart's Content—50 prs. socks, 21 shirts, 10 bandages.
Briannna and Pettley—34 shirts, 6 prs. socks.
Winterton—4 prs. socks, 17 shirts.
Flat Island—22 prs. socks.
ANNIE HAYWARD,
Convenor Packing and Shipping Committee.
FREIGHT DIRECT.—The s.s. Melgie will leave Louisburg to-morrow with a full cargo of freight direct to this port.
KEEP MINARD'S LINIMENT IN THE HOUSE.

RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

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A powerful three-act social drama, "The Family Divided."
Adapted from the play, "The House Divided," by H. S. SHELDON. Beautiful production featuring EDNA MAYO and BRYANT WASHBURN.
BERT STANLEY, singing ragtime songs. JACK LANE, singing popular ballads.
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5c. The Crescent Picture Palace. 5c.
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Opening Announcement!
We announce the opening on Monday next, in the store lately occupied by Mrs. Ed. Kielly, Rawlins' Cross, of an up-to-date
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The Store will be under the direction of Mr. Peter G. Ryan, of Roxbury, Mass., who will feature the latest American notions in
Ice Creams and Sundaes.
From time to time new specials in these lines will be introduced, as well as in Egg Drinks, Ice Cream Cones will be supplied for the especial delight of the little ones.
Cigars, Cigarettes & Candies of Highest Grades, will also be sold.
The Store, which is entirely separate and distinct from our Military Road Branch adjoining, will remain open every night till 11 o'clock.
We respectfully ask for a share of the patronage of the public in this new venture of ours.
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Hardware Department.



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**Geo. Knowling.**  
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**Evening Telegram**

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor  
W. F. LLOYD, Editor

TUESDAY, May 2nd, 1916.

**The Big Loan.**

The big loan which the Legislature is authorizing will help the country to realize the obligations which are being and have been piled up the last year or two. The Bill which passed the House of Assembly yesterday is to give the Government authority to raise Five Million Dollars. The object of the loan is to pay off a debt of nearly Four million dollars and to raise another million dollars to keep up the Newfoundland Regiment until the Legislature meets next year. The indebtedness has occurred in this way. Two years ago a Four per cent loan of Two million dollars was authorized. The financial agent of the Colony advised against the attempt to float this loan, as at that time Colonial loans were being offered at Four and a half per cent. Both in the House and in the columns of the *Evening Telegram* we had pointed out the futility of passing a Four per cent Loan Bill under the then existing circumstances. Our advice was disregarded, but the advice of the London agents could not be disregarded and the Loan was not put on the market. Instead a million dollars was borrowed from London bankers. The Loan was for one year. It is about two years since the money was borrowed and the Government has now to liquidate it. This accounts for One million dollars of debts. In addition the Government owes the Bank of Montreal \$960,000. Half of this on the loan to cover the deficit of expenditure over revenue for the year ending June 30th, 1915, and \$450,000 for various loans to build lighthouses, telegraphs, telephones,

etc. This accounts for nearly Two millions of debts. The Government has also borrowed from the Imperial Government Two Million Dollars for war purposes. This accounts for almost Four Millions of debts. Of the War Loan of Two million, one and a half millions have been spent, leaving half a million dollars on hand. This with the million dollars to be raised is expected will cover war expenses until the Legislature meets next year. This leaves a margin of \$40,000, which will be more than eaten up, if the loan has to be floated at a discount of even one per cent. The bill provides that the loan may be raised in London, New York or locally, and the interest offered on the debentures to be sold is 5 1/2 per cent. per annum.

**Florizel Here**  
**From New York**

**WAS ON DOCK AND RENOVATED—SIGHTED SCHOONER WITH MAST CARRIED AWAY.**

The Red Cross liner Florizel, Capt. W. Martin, arrived here at 10 o'clock last night from New York. She came direct and made the run in 84 hours, notwithstanding that dense fog and heavy rain was experienced en route. She brought a full general cargo, including a deck load, and the following passengers in saloon: David Baird, Wm. Knowling, J. G. Crawford, Miss May Furlong, Miss Agnes Galloway, Capt. Wilson, John Forbes, Edward Waite and 29 second class. At 10 a.m. yesterday the Florizel sighted the schr. Dorothy Duff fifty miles W. S. W. of Cape Race. The schooner was molasses laden bound to this port from Barbadoes and had her mizzen mast gone to the deck, the work of a recent storm. The Florizel bore down on the damaged vessel and Capt. Martin offered aid, which was not accepted by Capt. Dean, who said his vessel could get along all right.

The Florizel was on dock while at New York and was thoroughly overhauled. Her cabins and staterooms were painted and decorated by a staff of workmen who went from here. The interior of the ship is now in magnificent condition for the Red Cross route the coming summer. While at New York she also had her sealing propeller unshipped and replaced by her summer propeller. There came on the ship Capt. Wilson and crew who brought the s.s. Adventure to Russia. The Adventure was delivered to the Russian authorities at Archangel. Their story is much the same as that told by the Bella-venture's crew, who returned not long since. There was quite a lot of unnecessary delay while on the Russian border and the Adventure had a difficult time of it forcing her way through the heavy ice in getting to Archangel. Capt. Wilson and crew are well.

**Don't forget the Cochrane St. Mission Circle Concert in the Lecture Room of the new Church on Tuesday, May 2nd, commencing at 8 o'clock. Among those taking part are H. M. S. Briton's String Band, Mrs. Farn-dale, Misses Herder, Hanlin, Johnson and Curtis; Messrs. Emerson, Bulley, Courtney, Kerr, Herschell, Young, McIntosh and Private A. Noseworthy. Admission 25c. Candy and Ice Cream for sale. Tickets may be had from members of the Circle or at the door.—ap29,21**

**The Grave of a Hero.**

A very touching letter from Chaplain Clarke, C.E.F., to Mrs. Fowling, telling of the death of her son Private Norman Fowling, who died of wounds, April 9th.

France, April, 13, 1916.  
Dear Mrs. Fowling—  
You have long before this received the official cable telling you that your son, Norman Stewart Fowling, died of wounds in hospital, on April 9th.  
I am the Chaplain of the battalion to which he belonged, and an sending you a few particulars of the circumstances under which he met with his death. He was wounded on the night of the 7th of April. He formed one of a party which had been sent out to reclaim a trench badly damaged by the enemy's artillery. While they were engaged in the work they came under very severe shell fire with the result that your son was partially buried under heavy sand bags. He must have been wounded internally. He was unconscious when they carried him out of the trenches, and remained unconscious until he passed away.

I am not able to tell you the exact location where your son is buried, but it will comfort you to know that the position on the map is registered in the office of the Graves Registration Commission. If you write the

Headquarters, Graves Registration Commission, Canadian Corps, France, they will give you any information you desire respecting his grave. There is another fact which may be of consolation to you. At the conclusion of the war the French Government is going to buy all the graveyards where the English are interred, and is going to present them to Great Britain, so that while your son is buried in a foreign land, you will have the satisfaction of knowing that he is buried in English soil.

Your son was very popular with both the officers and men of his company. His platoon commander told me he was a very fine young man, and one of the best men he had under his command. He was also the second best shot in the battalion, and what is better still, he had a clean conduct sheet.

Your loss is a great one, but let this thought comfort you. He died a hero in the sacred cause of Justice and Liberty. He will not be forgotten either by Heaven or by Earth. God will reward him for the sacrifice, and a grateful country will keep his memory green for the life he lost on the Field of Honor.  
Yours sincerely,  
H. B. CLARKE, Capt.

**Landslide Crushed in House, Occupants Escape.**

One of the worst landslides for some years occurred last night at 8 o'clock on the Southside, when the residence of Mr. W. Parmiter was in danger of being buried beneath the falling earth. Mrs. Parmiter and her daughter were sitting in the dining-room when the danger called attention to a rumbling noise at the rear of the house, and on going to the door that opens to the garden, found that the steps had been carried away. Realizing the danger, they rushed to the bedroom where two younger children were sleeping, and snatching the little ones out of bed, they hurried to a nearby house. No sooner were they through the door than water and gravel weighing about thirty tons, came crashing into the kitchen burying the kitchen stove and almost filling the room. An alarm was raised and several persons quickly responded but little could be done other than making a safe way for the water that was running like a small river into the house. The damage done is extensive and Mr. Parmiter will stand to lose over \$100.  
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**1st Nfld. REGIMENT.**

**Casualty List.**

1179 — Private Hayward Cooper, Snook's Harbour, T. B. Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth. Gunshot wound in shoulder (received April 19.)  
1221 — Private George Dave, Clarke's Beach, C.B. Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth. Haemorrhoids.  
Additional Information.  
2nd Lieut. John E. J. Fox, St. John's. Previously reported with dysentery and myocarditis, at Malta, Nov. 10, 1915. Now reported admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth. Debility.  
J. R. BENNETT,  
Colonial Secretary.

**In Fond Memoriam.**

Their passed peacefully away on April 24th, in the 27th year of her age, Sister Mary Thecla, known in the world as Mary Brophy. Sister Mary is a daughter of Laurence and Mary Brophy, Mount Pearl, and entered the Convent at Mount St. Vincent, Halifax, on the 29th of December in the year 1913, where she has since laboured in the vineyard of her Divine Saviour as a little Sister of Charity. Sister Mary Thecla had been in perfect health until the past January, when she was taken suddenly ill, and has since suffered much, but all with patience and resignation to the most Holy Will. She was joyfully awaiting the coming of Easter when her Religious Profession was to take place, but now to our grief it is all over. Though she has not been able to complete her novitiate and pronounce the vows that would make her his little spouse, yet her Divine Lord has accepted her good desires and has now received her into his Heavenly cloister. Our dear little sister was ready to die and looked forward to it with much joy. She regretted of not seeing her dear ones at home, but we hope to meet her in Heaven where she is to-day rejoicing with the blessed. She has taken up her cross and followed her Saviour in life and in death. He will receive her into His most loving Sacred Heart which was her greatest devotion. She has left us in the bloom of youth, but three short years ago, to-day our dear child lies cold in death. She closed her loving eyes in this world only to open them in Heaven. Her short life was well spent and she is now enjoying the reward of it in her heavenly home. Our cross is a heavy one, but we must be reconciled because we know our loss is Heaven's gain.

She is gone but not forgotten. Never shall her memory fade. Kindest thoughts shall ever linger Round the grave where she lies in a Com.  
**C. C. C. Successful Social Event.**  
The annual Easter dance, under the auspices of the C.C.C., was held at their hall last night and proved a very enjoyable as well as highly successful event from every standpoint. Upwards of four hundred persons attended. The ballroom, where the dancing was held, was artistically illuminated, a splendid collection of trophies won by the Corps being conspicuously shown. The music discoursed by the band, under the direction of Capt. Bulley, was excellent. At midnight teas were served by the ladies' committee, and those efforts much of the success of the affair was due.

**Supreme Court.**

(Present: Chief Justice Howland.)  
The King vs. Job H. Roberts.  
This is an indictment of conspiracy to defraud an insurance company. Howley, K.C., with L. E. Emerson for the Crown; W. J. Higgins for the accused.  
The following jury were sworn in: Thomas Pope, John Newhook, Edward Collingwood, George Cooke, Arthur Bennett, Frank Kenny, David McGrath, Denis Bartlett, John J. Henley, John Bartlett, William Harris, sr., and James A. Thomas.  
Cyril W. G. Tessier sworn by L. E. Emerson, cross-examined by W. J. Higgins. Joseph Baggs and Charles A. Jerrett sworn by Howley, K.C., cross-examined by W. J. Higgins.  
Court adjourned for recess till 2.30 o'clock.

**Here and There.**

**ELLIS' for Fresh Poultry.**  
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FILLED WITH ICE.—Green and White Bays are filled with ice, according to late reports received from there.  
"Last Judgment" (Spohr's).  
Final rehearsal to-night in the Kirk at 7.30 sharp. A full attendance is requested.—may2,1i  
NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. L. Brophy and family wish to thank all those who so kindly sympathized with them in their last sad bereavement.—adv.  
WANTED.—A Captain to navigate a vessel from Montreal to this port. Good wages to a reliable man. Apply J. J. ROSEBATER.—may2,1i,tu,th

**SHOOTING COMPETITION.**

Under very unfavorable weather and light conditions, last Sunday a squad of volunteers visited the Southside Range and shot for the fourth prize offered by R. B. Job, Esq., Private L. Stevenson making 16 out of a possible 20, rapid fire and 5 minutes. The disappearing target with 5 seconds interval. The other competitors did good work much to the satisfaction of the instructors, who are well pleased with the class of men coming forward. The other prizes offered by Mr. Job were won by Ptes. Hoddinott, Moore and Angel. Mr. K. Blair has offered two prizes that will be the next competition.  
PIANOS AND ORGANS.—CHESLEY WOODS, 282, Duckworth St.—ap26,1f

**First Arrival**  
**From the Gulf.**

The S.S. Viking, Capt. Wm. Bartlett, Sr., steamed into this port at 1.45 p.m. this afternoon and anchored on the quarantine grounds. The Viking is the first arrival at St. John's from the Gulf seafishery and hauls for ten thousand seals, young and old. She reports having a hard spring so far as ice conditions were concerned. The Viking in company with the other ships was lammed for several days in the early part of the voyage when the whitecoats were to be had in their prime, the ice being found impenetrable. A dangerous adversity also reported by the Viking's crew was the rafting ice. The Diana got nipped on one occasion and came near leaving her bones in the Gulf, as it was she got a bad squeeze. After continuous butting through the floe the Viking reached the young harps off Grindstone Island during the latter part of March month. Unfortunately, just as the slaughter commenced a snow storm came on. Killing was indulged in for only a few hours as the weather became very thick, compelling the crew to abandon their work and get aboard their ship. The storm lasted three days and when it subsided, killing was resumed. The Viking and Ranger killed about a half load each, but only got about four thousand each of the seals, owing to the ice breaking up, caused by heavy sea, and the majority of the pups were lost. After that the Viking along with the other ships went in search of old fat, as the young ones had all taken to the water. Off the Prince Edward Island coast old seals were found numerous, but conditions for getting them were unfavorable. However, the Viking managed to get a few hundred of them aboard every day in April. The two Norwegian sealers which were operating in the Gulf were seen in the early part of the voyage but were not doing anything with the seals. The Viking bore up for home on Thursday last. The following day she put into Channel and on Saturday harboured at St. Lawrence on account of fog and heavy sea, leaving there last evening. The Viking's crew of 130 men will share about \$45 a man.

**DIANA ARRIVES.**

The s.s. Diana, the second steamer to arrive from the Gulf Sea-fishery, reached port at 2.30 p.m. to-day. The Diana hauls for 8,000 seals.

**STEERO IS COMING.**

**Sad Death of a Naval Reservist.**

The sad news was received yesterday by the Rev. Mr. Legge, of the death by pneumonia of Naval Reservist John Hibbs, of Portugal Cove, which occurred at the Naval Hospital Plymouth, Eng. Reservist Hibbs left here with the first draft of Navy men to go on active service, and served on board H.M.S. Prince Albert at times relieving ship of the Queen Elizabeth in the Dardanelles. John Hibbs was a son of Nathaniel and Elizabeth Hibbs, an old Portugal Cove family. He leaves a wife and two children to mourn the loss of a loving husband and father. To the bereaved ones the *Telegram* extends deepest sympathy.

**He Is Now After Charlie Chaplin.**

What strange people the world is composed of. Here is one: A few mornings ago we read of an interview in the New York Herald, with an inventor who left here a short time ago to put his marvellous motor driver, illuminator, and heating apparatus before the American nation. Needless to say we will soon hear of its wonderful success. Our esteemed friend and inventor although nearing the allotted span is just as active, if not more so, as far as brain power is concerned, as he was thirty years ago. To cap the climax of this energetic man's actions he sent a telegram to a gentleman filling an important position with the Reid Nfld. Co., on Saturday, as follows: "Just closed deal with Insurance Co., New York, to have my feet insured for five hundred thousand dollars." From the foregoing you must naturally infer he is now after Charlie Chaplin's feet and in the near future we will have the pleasure of seeing him in the movies.—Com.

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Volunteers can get the most reliable wrist watches at Trappnell's, ap28,1f

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**Messrs Carter, the King's Seedsmen,**  
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**Tested Seeds,**  
grown on their own Seed Farms, and being bought by us for cash in large quantities, are offered at  
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**BET, Crisomn Ball and Early Egyptian.**

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**TURNIP, White Strap Leaf, Golden Ball and Orange Jelly.**

**CARROTT, James' Intermediate and Early Horn.**

**LETTUCE, Drumhead and Holborn Standard.**

**PARSNIP, Hollow Crown and Maltese.**

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We also offer **CLAY'S Fertilizer, the finest chemical manure** for the cultivation of window plants.

**Geo. Knowling.**

**Wedding Bells.**

A very pretty wedding took place at Christ Church, Quidi Vidi, on April 26th, when Gordon F. Palmer and Hannah M. Bastone were the contracting parties. The bride, who is the eldest daughter of Mr. Robert Bastone, of R. N. Co., was given away by her father, was attired in a suit of cream voiles with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. The bridemaid was the sister of the bride, who wore a pretty costume. The bridegroom was attended by Mr. W. Summers. The happy couple are favorites of the village, and they received numerous presents, amongst them being a set of china from the Women's Guild at Quidi Vidi. After the ceremony they drove around the city and then to the home of the bride's grandmother where they partook of a sumptuous supper before taking up their future residence on Duckworth Street.

**Fresh Halibut, Fresh Herring, at ELLIS'—ap24,1f**

**Cape Report.**

Special to Evening Telegram.  
**CAPE RACE, To-day.**  
"Wind N., gale, weather fine. S. S. Florizel passed in at 2.45 p.m. yesterday and sealing steamer Viking at 4.15 and Diana at 5.30 a.m. to-day. Bar, 29.65; ther. 60.

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**TO-DAY**

**Message**

**11.00 A.M.**

**INCREASING AMERICAN**

WASHINGTON, April 26.—A regular army of 180,000 men practically had been reported. One thousand prisoners of war, as provided in a bill passed the Senate.

**LONDON BUDDING**

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**Wedding Bells.**  
 A very pretty wedding took place  
 Church, Quidi Vidi, on April  
 Gordon F. Palmer and  
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 parties. The bride, who is  
 daughter of Mr. Robert  
 of R. N. Co., was given away  
 her father, was attired in a suit  
 of white with hat to match, and  
 carried a bouquet of lilies of the val-  
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 of the bride, who wore a pretty cos-  
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 by Mr. Summers. The happy couple  
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 numerous presents, amongst  
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 Guild at Quidi Vidi. After  
 ceremony they drove around the  
 and then to the home of the  
 bride's grandmother where they par-  
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**Fresh Halibut, Fresh Herring,**  
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**TO-DAY'S  
Messages.**

**11.00 A.M.**

**INCREASING AMERICAN ARMY**

WASHINGTON, To-day. A regular army of 180,000 men has practically been agreed upon by the Senate and House at a conference on an army bill with plans for expansion, as provided in a bill which has passed the Senate.

**LONDON BUDGET.**

NEW YORK, To-day. The British troops and Irish Constabulary brought about the surrender of all rebel forces in Dublin. The people in the Irish capital for the first time in a week are able to move freely about the city, undisturbed by bullets. Rebel snipers in the country districts of the Island also are laying down arms. Quiet is said to prevail in most places where disorder previously had been reported to exist. One thousand prisoners, taken in Dublin, have been sent to England. The repulse by the French of powerful German attacks around Verdun again has been followed by a heavy German bombardment of these sectors and a continuation of shelling on Cote Devivre and Douaumont northeast of fortress. No fresh infantry attacks have been launched by Germans. By sapping operations in Argonne Forest the French were enabled by the explosion of a mine to take a portion of a crater. Nothing important occurred along the northern sector of the battle front in Russia, according to Berlin, but south the Austro-Hungarians have been forced to withdraw before a counter attack by Russians from the trenches north of Mlynov, which they had previously captured. The usual bombardments in progress on the Austro-Italian front, Gorizia has again come under heavy fire of Italians. In the Ademollo Zone, the Italians are on the offensive against the Austro-Hungarians at Lopo Pass. Paris reports on Greek frontier there has been some frequent but unimportant skirmishes between Entente Allies and German-Bulgarian forces, whose lines are less than two-thirds of a mile from each other at certain points. Two British war craft, the armed yacht, Agass, and the mine sweeper Nasstridium have been sent to the bottom in the Mediterranean by coming in contact with mines. Gerard, American Ambassador to Germany, is returning to Berlin, after having had a conference at German Army Headquarters with Emperor William. With regard to the American Note to Germany concerning the submarine warfare no announcement has been made of the date when Germany's reply to the Note will be despatched.

**2.00 P.M.**

**QUIET IN DUBLIN.**

DUBLIN, To-day. Quiet reigns in the streets of Dublin to-day. There was little traffic and the thoroughfares are still strongly held by military. It is assumed that the Sinn Feiners still at liberty have hidden their arms after using all munitions and returned to the ranks of peaceful citizens.

**FRENCH ON OFFENSIVE.**

PARIS, To-day. A strong attack was made by the French troops last night on the German positions southeast of Fort Douaumont on the Verdun front, the French captured a first line of German trench five hundred metres long, the War Office announces this afternoon, and took a hundred prisoners. West of River Meuse activity of artillery continued through the night from Avocourt region to Deadman's Hill. The War Office also announced that in their attacks on April 29 and 30 on north slope of Deadman's Hill French gained German trenches over front of about 1,000 metres and depth 300 to 600 metres.

**LANDED AT MAKRI.**

LONDON, To-day. The Patrios of Athens states that French ships have landed a force at Makri in Asia Minor. Makri is a seaport on the Mediterranean about 250 miles south of Constantinople.

**Train Notes.**

The outgoing express reached Port aux Basques at 6.05 a.m. to-day. The incoming express is due late to-night. The Mail and Freight left Port aux Basques at 4.40 a.m. to-day. The local from Carboneau arrived sharp on time at noon to-day. The train from Trepassey reached town at 2 p.m. to-day.

**At the Kirk.**

At the evening service on Sunday the Rev. Mr. Sutherland delivered a very impressive sermon on the words to be found in Ephesians 3: 8—"Unto me, who am less than the least of all saints, is the grace given that I should preach the unsearchable riches of Christ." These last few words, "The unsearchable riches of Christ," serve as my text. These words as you will see set before us the Apostle Paul. Paul as we know at first was against Christ. His treatment of the disciples was very harsh. We now see the effects of his conversion; Christ enters his life; how ardently he shows his listeners the good to be obtained by following Him. A great lesson is obtained, and to Paul it is an honour to preach about it. It is said of Paul when speaking he was filled with the blood of Christ, so much good had been shown him and so impressed was he with our Lord. Paul was a great enthusiast and thinker, and in his addresses his enthusiasm knew no bounds. Christ was his helper, his friend, and to serve Him was his one thought and to draw others to Him. We see great men affected by things in life. Wordsworth says of some flowers which greatly impressed him, "These flowers make thoughts too deep for utterance."

Another story is told of a painter famed for his beautiful pictures, that these his paintings were inspired by another power. When asked about one, showing nature in all its glory with a beautiful sunset, replied, "We were standing in a meadow, my father and I, as the sun was going down. My father was greatly taken with the sunset and as it slowly sank below the horizon lifted his cap; turning to me he said, "my son this is Heaven." So we see each and every individual is inspired by something in life; to Paul Christ was everything, his one ideal. We see in the world to-day a lot of class distinction, which should not be. The Jews thought and believed they

were God's chosen people, but Christ says, Jews and Gentiles, Greek and Barbarian are both alike to Him. We see men to-day seeking after wealth, power and position, these things are all right if obtained honestly, but the way to live and do right is to trust and let Christ live in our lives. Christ had no means, being only a poor peasant's son. We hear of Him in the Temple as saying, "The Son of Man had nowhere to lay His head." On dying He could leave His mother nothing but the tender love of His disciple. Even His very garments were gambled for while He hung naked on the Cross. Yet Paul saw wealth in His doings. The unsearchable gifts were in evidence in healing the lame, restoring to health the infirm, and in other ways these and these alone were wealth.

We as a nation have carried out to a great extent the power given us from above, yet with all the sadness which exists, yet a trouble and disaster which this great war has brought, can we say from our hearts that Christ would be received if he came to London to-day, would not the same treatment be meted out to Him as in the past? In conclusion, let Christ live and guide your life, in so doing happiness and all good will follow you. Mr. King presided at the organ and made quite an impression on the congregation; his playing was certainly a treat. The anthem, "The strife is o'er," was rendered by the choir.

**British Military Critic.**

PAYS HIGH TRIBUTE TO FRENCH VALOR AT VERDUN.

Homage Rendered Stubborn Defenders—Germans Have all Available Troops Engaged in Battle—Enemy Swept by Artillery Fire.

LONDON, April 22.—Col. Repington, the Times' military correspondent, who has just made a trip to the Verdun front, pays a very high tribute to the valor of the French troops and the military judgment of their commanders in the following despatch:

"We must render great homage to the stubborn defenders of Poivre Hill, the Le Mort Homme, Vaux fort and the other French positions on the Verdun front for their magnificent fighting through the great Verdun battle."

"General Petain realized the role which artillery was to play in this war after the second month of the conflagration. He rapidly learned to appreciate the value of the curtain fire. The marvellous operation of modern artillery is particularly suited to the French genius and to the terribly destructive fire of the famous soviante quintze. Nevertheless it is in the employment of heavy artillery that General Petain excels. He has rendered the use of this heavy artillery extraordinarily supple, and the heavy guns have become a battle instrument of marvellous efficiency. General Joffre spoke to me with enthusiasm of the method whereby the French medium calibre guns such as those of 155 mm. and 210 m. are made to dominate the German guns which are often heavier and of longer range.

**All Available Troops Engaged.**

"The Germans have engaged all their available troops in this battle, and after the arrival of a division withdrawn from the Russian front a few days ago, they now have thirty divisions in the Verdun theatre."

"The estimate according to which the Germans lost 150,000 men during the first month of the battle is a moderate one. The enemy is giving no breathing space. The French have the superiority in artillery. They are night and day keeping under their fire all possible routes, reserved positions, woods and cantonment zones. When the Germans abandon the main roads and take to paths, the French aviators discover them, and the paths are swept by artillery fire in their turn."

"General Petain does not hesitate to abandon a piece of ground if the Germans are obstinate in their efforts to obtain it, and if, as at Mallinourt, it does not form an easily defended salient. But he is always sure the enemy shall pay the maximum price, and he does not allow him to advance, unless he is ready to sacrifice three lives for one."

"The whole northeastern front is littered with German dead."

**WEATHER REPORT.**—The weather across country is light north east wind and dull.

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**Reids' Boats.**

The Argyle leaves Placentia to-day for the west. The Dundee arrived at Wesleyville to-day.

The Glencoe left Port aux Basques at 7 p.m. yesterday, coming east. The Home is at St. John's.

The Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques at 4.50 a.m. to-day and sailed at 1 p.m.

The Sagona left Port aux Basques at 5.45 p.m. yesterday.

**Amusements.**

**THE FAMILY DIVIDED AT THE NICKEL.**

There were large audiences at the Nickel Theatre yesterday in spite of the disagreeable weather. The programme had been splendidly arranged and afforded satisfaction to the large number of patrons. The great social drama "The Family Divided," is an attractive story which proved popular with all. The singing of Jack Lane and Bert Stanley was of a high order and they were enthusiastically applauded. This evening the programme will be repeated. Be sure and see it.

**BORN.**

On Saturday, April 29th, a daughter to Private H. L. and Mrs. Morry, 1st Newfoundland Regiment.

**DIED.**

On Sunday, the 30th ult., after a short illness, Edward Kennedy, aged 58 years, leaving a wife, one daughter and one son to mourn the loss of a kind father and a loving husband; funeral at 2.30 p.m. to-morrow, Wednesday, from his late residence, No. 76 Springdale Street; friends and acquaintances please attend without further notice.

**Police Court.**

(Before Mr. Hutchings, J.P.) A 42 year old salesman drunk and disorderly in another man's store, was fined \$2 or 7 days.

Another drunk and disorderly was discharged.

**Here and There.**

**TABASCO AT HALIFAX.**—The Tabasco arrived at Halifax this morning.

**STEERO IS COMING.**

**COMING SOUTH.**—The Fogota arrived at Nipper's Hr. at 10 a.m. to-day, coming south.

**KYLE'S PASSENGERS.**—The Kyle on her last trip brought only three first class passengers.—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. LeClair, Kenneth Walsh.

**PHONE FOR THE RIFLE RANGE.**

—A squad of volunteers, armed with telephone wire and insulators, marched to the Southside Rifle Range this morning to install a local phone connection on the range.

**DOING WELL AT HOSPITAL.**

Private William Callahan, who entered the hospital last week to undergo a slight operation is, we are pleased to learn, fast recovering. Private Callahan is a son of Mr. R. Callahan, and is the third member of the family to don the khaki.

**ON TIME AFTER FOUR MONTHS.**

The train from Carboneau in charge of Conductor P. Lee arrived in town at noon to-day on time for the first time since the New Year. The delay was previously caused by having to stop at Brigus Junction to connect with the Heart's Content train. A change in the Heart's Content timetable has made the above possible.



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St. John's, April 10th, 1916.

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### Mannerisms.

By RUTH CAMERON.



RUTH CAMERON

The other day I met a man whom I had not seen since childhood. I did not know that I was to meet him. There were several other people in the room and when I came into it he was standing with his back to me, looking out of a window. He had grown older (strangely enough) greyer and much stouter, and I could not see his face. And yet I knew him instantly.

How? By a mannerism. He was twisting a certain lock of hair in just the way he had always done as a child at school.

I Would Have Known Him in Hong Kong.

If I had been in Hong Kong or Alaska and had seen a man twisting a lock of hair in just that way I should have known it was he.

How much the mannerism does make the man, or woman.

Many things, little in themselves, are big in their effect on others—and a mannerism is one of them.

She Hasn't Any Attractive Mannerisms.

"The trouble isn't that she is so plain," I heard a man say the other day of a woman who seems to be singularly lacking in attractiveness; "it's because, on top of not being particularly pretty, she hasn't any attractive mannerisms. Some girls who aren't pretty are charming, because they have pretty mannerisms, a fascinating smile, a quaint way of holding the head, a pretty laugh, some graceful gesture—and she hasn't a

single attractive mannerism. That's the chief trouble with her."

In still worse case is the person with actively unattractive mannerisms.

He's A Perfectly Good Man But He Will Clear His Throat.

I know a perfectly good man who is shunned by people who would otherwise come to know and like him because he has a painfully disagreeable mannerism. He constantly clears his throat, not because of any organic trouble there, but because he has fallen into that habit. Unfortunately we cannot say, "Go to, I will have pretty mannerisms." A deliberately acquired mannerism is no longer a mannerism, it becomes an affectation, and affectations, as everyone knows, are not pretty.

But one can at least rid one's self of disagreeable mannerisms. One can watch one's self for them. Get someone whose frankness you can forgive to tell you if you have any particularly unattractive expressions. Listen to your own voice and laugh. Get rid of the unattractive mannerisms and perhaps attractive ones will come in their place.

With My Letter Friends.

Question—Will you kindly suggest outdoor work and means of obtaining same to a teacher who needs to regain nervous strength?—S.H.M.

Answer—I have sent this correspondent all the suggestions I could think of. Perhaps some of the big family of letter friends can give her some ideas through me.

EVERYDAY ETIQUETTE.

"How should I acknowledge the receipt of a graduation gift from a person in the same town?" asked the graduate to be.

"A note of thanks should be written to the person from whom the gift has been received," said her mother.

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### Newfoundland and the War.

The Newfoundland Men—Brigadier's Praise of the Regiment.

We have received from Sir Walter Davidson, Governor of Newfoundland, a copy of a letter forwarded to him by Brigadier-General Cayley, commanding the brigade of which the Newfoundland Regiment formed one of the units. Its perusal will show that this distinguished officer pays the highest tribute to the gallantry, efficiency, and adaptability of the Newfoundland soldiers. The letter reads: "To the Governor of Newfoundland: "Your Excellency—I feel sure that you and the people of Newfoundland will be anxious to hear of the doings of their contingent since they have been on active service. "As you doubtless know, the regiment landed at Suva, in the Gallipoli Peninsula, in September and were attached to the 88th Brigade of the 29th Division, which brigade I have the honor to command. It was with the greatest interest and gratification that I looked forward to their joining us. The brigade was holding trenches very close to the Turks on the left centre of our line. The Newfoundland Regiment was at first reserved. While in reserve all officers and the different companies were sent up to the trenches and attached to regiments in warfare. All were remarkably quick in picking up all there was to be learned, and their keenness was very noticeable. The result was that after a very short time they took over part of the firing line. "There was no big operation, but small enterprises were frequently on foot, and in all they had to do the regiment continually showed a splendid spirit of readiness of response. I especially recall the incidents of the night of December 4-5, when we advanced part of our line. I detailed them for this work, and it was admirably carried out, all who took part showing the highest courage and determination in face of very severe op-

position. The results of the operations were entirely successful.

The Gallipoli Blizzard.

"Another occasion I should wish to recall is the storm of November 23 and the following days. A very violent rainfall which flooded the trenches more than waist deep was followed by three days of northerly blizzard and intense frost. The conditions, were such that the most veteran troops might have been excused for losing heart, but in spite of very heavy casualties from exposure the regiment never for a moment gave in, but maintained their spirits and cheerfulness in a most wonderful manner. "Then, again in the evacuation of Suva and Helles, operations of which the success depended entirely upon the steadiness and discipline of the troops taking part, their share in these extremely difficult operations was most admirably performed. "It has been the greatest honor and pleasure to me to have these gallant fellows in my brigade, whose traditions they have most worthily upheld. Their fellow-countrymen have every reason to be proud of them and their doings. "Their casualties have been many from bullets and sickness. It is my earnest hope that all who have left us are doing well, and that for the remainder there may be a speedy and safe return. In conclusion I desire to convey my most respectful sympathy to the relations and friends of those who have so gloriously fallen. "I am, etc., "D. E. CAYLEY, "Brigadier-General Commanding 88th Brigade."

### Omaha.

Omaha, the big town of Nebraska and the easternmost whop of that great unaffiliated West, was first discovered by Messrs. Lewis and Clark, who encountered a magnificent smell while ascending the Missouri River over a century ago, and reported later that the locality possessed great natural resources for the packing house business. This proved to be the case and millions of hogs have met an untimely, but scientific end, in South Omaha, which is connected with the city proper by a steady and highly nutritious southwest wind.

Omaha was first settled about half a century ago, but remained a village until the world tried to crowd into Nebraska in the eighties. Then it arose and became a city at the rate of one ward per diem. In 1890, it had 140,000 people according to the census takers who were not only Omahans, but who were getting paid on the piecework system. In the next ten years, Omaha held a census and the government changed its census

supervisors. The result was appalling. Omaha could only muster 102,000 people in 1900 and Kansas City began metropolitanizing for the Missouri Valley. Omaha now has 215,000 citizens.

Omaha distributes farm machinery, and also returns their hogs and cattle done up in neat packages. Most of the transcontinental trains from the West disintegrate at Omaha also, while tourists from the credulous East usually leave the cars in this city and spend a few hours hunting for Indians and buffalo cutlets.

Omaha is loyally supported by all Nebraska, which meets annually in the city at the fall festival of the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben, and buys everything from steam threshers to plug hats. The city sits high on the Nebraska hills above the Missouri and is full of handsome homes with vacuum cleaners and good literature in them. It also has the greatest smelter in the world, a suburb presented to it by the Missouri River, which took it away from Iowa, a number of extinct United States senators, the largest Bee in captivity, issuing three editions daily, the finest private art gallery between Chicago and San Francisco and many other interesting sights, including a morgue filled each night with the forms of those who have perished from thirst on account of the eight o'clock closing law.

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**Hon. J. Harvey's  
Rejoinder to  
Mr. R. B. Job.**

May 1st, 1916.  
Dear Sir,—I fear Mr. Job's letter has not been well thought out, nor do I think that he has paid me the compliment of having thought out mine.

As I understand the general argument, it resolves itself into a counter proposition that the number of seals on the front was not decreased during the period 1899 to 1913, and that no action of any kind is desirable. Mr. Job is welcome to his opinion.

The evidence seems to me sufficiently strong, even after everything has been urged that could be said on the other side.

I am not wedded to a comparison of three years averages. It is of course desirable for intelligent comparison to take averages, and thus to eliminate as far as may be the accidental fluctuations which otherwise tend to obscure the general trend. If a four year period is preferred to a three year, it is quite satisfactory to me.

My analysis of the figures is based upon Chafe's published statistics, the accuracy of which is undoubted.

The addition of the seals which may have been on board occasional lost ships, makes no very important difference to this general trend.

Taking then Mr. Job's generous estimate of 36,000 seals as lost in the "Grand Lake" and "Virginia Lake" (a figure which by the way Mr. Job ought to verify—the "Grand Lake" reported a total of 19,000 seals of all kinds aboard and the "Virginia Lake" only between 1,500 and 2,000 young harps, or a total perhaps of 20,000 young harps), and taking a four year period as adopted by Mr. Job in one part of his letter, the average catch works out as follows:—

1899 to 1902	242,000
1903 to 1906	242,000
1907 to 1910	200,000
1911 to 1914	163,000

The steel steamers were introduced with the "Adventure" in 1906.

Taking Mr. Job's own figure of 36,000 lost and applying it to my three year period figures, the following declines in average yearly catch from 1899 to 1902 are shown:—

1902 to 1904	11,000 less
1905 to 1907	48,000 "
1908 to 1910	44,000 "
1911 to 1913	90,000 "

The question is,—Is there a general decline? It does not seem that a small break in the regularity or symmetry of the decline nor any other minor consideration can affect the conclusion that there are fewer seals than there were 15 years ago, and as to that Mr. Job and I will apparently only have to agree to differ.

"The fact that there were 273,000 killed in 1906 disposes of any question of decrease up to that point." (Vide Mr. Job.)

Why? I suppose no one would question that in 1906 there were probably more than 273,000 young seals on the front. If in any one favorable year a very high proportion of all the

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young of that year happened to be cleaned up, it is difficult to follow the mental process which concludes that such a catch "disposes of any question of decrease up to that point." What it does do in all probability is to dispose of any question of increase in the herd for that year.

"The decrease in the period 1905 to '1907 is entirely accounted for by the abnormally small catch of 130,000 in '1905." (Vide Mr. Job.)

This is probably a typographical error. The catch was 139,000. The weak spot is, that 139,000 is not a very abnormal catch. (Mr. Job notes a little later that the 1912 catch was only 130,000.) These lean years are always sure to recur from time to time and they do not affect the broad results. In this particular instance, however, if we are to say that the year was so abnormal that the real average (1905-1907) should show larger than the average shown by the statistics, it unfortunately replaces our old friend the regular sequence of decrease, which supposedly had been got rid of at least in the three year average table. I think, however, that this critically regular sequence of decrease is not of very much importance, so long as the general trend seems clear.

Attention is called by Mr. Job to the large catches following the years 1895 to 1898, when an unusually number of Bedlamers (not breeders) were taken. It would take too long to deal fully with this point. But I might just point out that in 1896 and again in 1897 there was a very small take of young, unparalleled in fact until 1915. Incidentally it may be noted that with 1900, when the escaped seals of 1896 ought hypothetically to be joining the productive seals, there began the first of a series of large fisheries. I had not failed to notice that the steamers in the Gulf had increased. I suppose it will be admitted that broadly speaking seals bring steamers, not that steamers bring seals. The fishery in the Gulf employs more steamers partly at least because the seals have increased. Not only did the steamers increase, not only did the catch more than double, but the individual catch of each steamer in the Gulf increased by an average of 50% in young harps, and (unfortunately) many fold in the older classes.

In the six years 1902 to 1907—17 trips were made, the average catch being 5,300 young harps.

In the 6 years 1908 to 1913—30 trips were made, the average catch being 7,900 young harps.

There were hardly any old and bedlamers killed during the first period and a considerable escape of young occurred which was allowed to mature and to breed undisturbed. Naturally with a larger herd there are more steamers, naturally in the absence of restrictions an increased number of the older classes, as well as the young, will be killed. The herd can afford a larger killing, but it is a pity, in view of the comparatively small annual value brought in, to destroy these breeders in the Gulf whatever the temptation may be on the front.

"It appears to be a generally accepted fact that the seal mates at the beginning of its third year and whelps "at the end of its third year of life." (Vide Mr. Job.)

The bedlamers can only consist of seals which have recently escaped. They cease to be bedlamers when they breed. Therefore the very large bodies of bedlamers seen from time to time must under this theory represent the escape of two years only. Capt. Kean officially estimated the bedlamers in 1913 at about 500,000, which was probably too high. On this two year principle the escape of young in 1910 and 1911 would have been equivalent to 250,000 in each of these years to conform to such an estimate. The catch of young in 1910 was 238,000 and 1911, 200,000. The escape could hardly have been very large.

The grounds for saying that a seal breeds at the beginning of its fifth

year are two. First because the only scientific study of our seals published (foreriding pinnipeds 1897) fixes that period as established, and secondly because common sense indicates the same thing. If a seal breeds in its third year, it is difficult to account for the number that are seen every year. On the average a third of the young may perhaps escape, but there are undoubtedly years when the percentage that escapes is very small.

Capt. Kean who is at least as likely to be correct in his tentative observations as anyone, estimated in 1913 that 50,000 eastern harps escaped. There were probably more (it could only be an intelligent guess), but we may take it that it was not 200,000.

Captain Robinson's authoritative assignment of the fifth year is corroborated by the practical probability that more than two years of accumulation are required to account for the number of bedlamers annually in evidence.

My figures, as was plainly indicated, made no pretence to accuracy. They were illustrative of a possible condition and were designed only to show that on a given seal population "the destruction of a relatively small number of old and bedlamers may be sufficient to upset the balance of Nature and to turn again into a loss."

I no where stated that these figures were more than illustrative of a theory, viz: that it is worth trying the experiment of completely protecting the old. The figures, however, have some thought and some study behind them.

The present Bill does not protect the old seals. It stops the shooting of seals, a very wasteful operation on account of the animals hit and lost. It affects a very minor item on the gross of the seal catch.

The Bill ought to stop the batting of old harps. A very large majority of these old harps are females. I do not assert that the protection of the old would be sufficient to prevent another steady decline in the herd, following upon the increase which is likely to be noted in the next few years, but it would be a comparatively inexpensive attempt, and it might succeed.

If we go on without doing something, we are certain to reduce the seals again, unless steamers cannot be obtained to go into the business.

The calculations based upon a seven year breeding period are admittedly purely arbitrary. Captain Robinson is unable to throw any light upon the seals' lease of life. I think 7 or 8 years which is the view of many, with whom I have discussed it, is reasonable, but it may quite possibly be nearer 10 years.

It does not alter the purely arbitrary principle which I tried to illustrate, and this principle can be equally well exemplified (I never pretended to prove it) if a ten year period is dealt with. It would merely involve a change in the distribution figures. The actual figures of course vary greatly from year to year.

I will only call attention to one aspect of the suggestion that the breeding period is ten years rather than seven. It would add greatly to the potential value of the breeder and the bedlamer, and would emphasize even more strongly the necessity for their special protection. Instead of noting the fact that in the past 7 years 139,000 old which have been prematurely killed ought to be producing 60,000—(plus)—young—which is the real and vital point to bear in mind, we shall have instead to deal with 177,000 destroyed seals which ought to be producing 80,000 to 90,000 young seals annually over and above the present production.

With apologies for trespass.

Yours truly,  
JOHN HARVEY.

P.S.—May I add that I take issue with Mr. Job's view that because there will be admittedly more seals now than there were before the short fisheries of 1914 and 1915 such Legislation was never less required. Surely now is the time to act.

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I do not wish to be unduly optimistic. Nevertheless, for reasons that I propose to give, I feel confident that, unless the Germans gain a surprising series of victories, Austria will quit within the next few months.

First, I ought to explain that, although I am British, I have not an atom of British blood in my veins, and my father was an Austrian. I have travelled all over the Dual Monarchy; I know a good many of its fourteen languages, and have attempted to study—at first hand—the peculiar political problems which simply team in Austria and Hungary.

There is an enormous difference between the Austrians and the Germans—difference in manners, habits, outlook on life, and political opinions. The Austrians have very grave defects, and Austrian statesmen have for years—nay, centuries—been about the last word in foolishness and incompetence.

### Off to the Races.

But to everyone his due. The Austrians are not Huns. With a single exception, every British man and woman who has come back from Austria since war began has had nothing but the highest praise for the extreme courtesy with which the Austrians treated every Briton.

I heard a very good—and, I believe, perfectly true—story the other day on this point. A rather fussy neutral diplomat, whose business it is to see that prisoners of war are properly treated, visited a Hungarian prison where a number of British are interned.

He presented his pass to the elderly Landwehrman, who was lounging against the door, and said he wanted to see the English.

"You cannot see the English today," replied the aged guardian.

"Oh, but I must! It is my duty, and I insist on seeing the English at once!"

"In that case," said the sentry, "you had better go to the—Raccourse"—about a hundred miles away. "We let the English have a day off, as they said they had not seen a race for a long time!"

"This is no exaggeration of the spirit of Vienna and Budapest to-day towards everything British."

### Speaking Many Tongues.

All the same, it does not get over the fact that the Austrians are in alliance with the Germans, that they are therefore opposed to us, and consequently our enemies. How is it, then, that we are asked, that they are going to leave the Germans to themselves? In the first place, it is just as well that we realise how few German-speaking people there are in Austria. The total population of Austria-Hungary is 45,000,000. Of these only 11,000,000 are returned officially as German-speaking. I believe that even this figure is greatly exaggerated, but it will serve.

No fewer than 21,000,000 speak a Slavonic tongue—i.e., a language or dialect akin to Russian. About 9,000,000 speak Magyar, the Hungarian or Tartar language, which has no affinity with any other language in Europe.

Austria came into the war for two reasons. She is not a democratically ruled country, like Britain. The Government of Austria-Hungary is solely and entirely conceived with a view to maintaining the power of the Hapsburg monarchy.

The figures quoted above will show the enormous number of Slav-speaking Austrians, and many of these are of Serb origin, speaking the Serb tongue, sharing Serb ideals, and living in close proximity to the Serbian frontier.

It can hardly be surprising, then, that Austria's rulers looked with the utmost suspicion on Serbia's rise after the Balkan wars. They feared that sooner or later there would be a movement of revolt on the part of the Austrian Serbs, who would want to join their kinsmen.

Secondly, although Austrians and Magyars as a rule are as quarrelsome as Kilkenny cats, on this subject they

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For these two reasons Austria and Hungary were very pleased at the prospect of war with Serbia. Nor did they particularly object to war with Russia, for various political and religious reasons.

### Germany to the Rescue.

The Austrians started war with a light heart. Anybody who knew them could hardly be surprised to find that they lacked generals and plans, and that in a very short time they were getting a sound drubbing, not only from big Russia, but also from little Serbia.

Germany came to Austria's aid. Austrian generals were sacked. In a very short time the Germans had complete command over Austria's armies, and, after terrific fighting last summer, the Austrian fears of an invasion of Budapest and Vienna were removed.

But, be it borne in mind, Germany did not do all this donkey-work for nothing. She did not do it because she loved Austria. As a matter of fact, Austrians and Germans cannot get on together.

Germany's motives were, if not very obvious, at least very sound. She wanted to regulate Austria's trade; she wanted to have control of Austria's railways, and thus get direct access, by way of Bulgaria, to Turkey, and the Near East. Now, the Austrian is a good taker and a bad giver. So long as Germany was giving Austria said nothing, but the moment there was any question of a quid pro quo Austrians became restive.

### Ended in a Fiasco.

Only a little while back there was a meeting of Austrian chambers of commerce at the Vienna Town Hall, to consider Germany's proposals for an "economic union." The meeting ended in such a fiasco that, although the Vienna papers devoted two, and in some cases three, columns to the subject, the censor only allowed three lines to appear.

There are a dozen reasons why Germany and Austria should break away from each other, but the most important one is Poland.

Poland is already a very rich country, and when the war is over it is going to be the richest in Europe, having regard to its size.

It is rich in three respects, and each one is important. First of all, it is a great agricultural country; secondly, its many oil wells have turned whole towns into millionaires; and thirdly, it is rapidly becoming industrialised.

From Warsaw to the German frontier is much like going from, say, Bradford to Manchester. One long series of towns falling on top of each other; highly organised factories, all worked by people who do not care how many hours they labour, so long as they can make money.

The Poles are a pleasure-loving people. They like to have money, in order to scatter it about. They can spend in one day the earnings of six. But they do not mind working hard on the six days in order to have the cash for their one day's amusement.

### Passive Resistors.

It is not to be wondered at, then, that both Germany and Austria have for many years cast covetous eyes at Poland. Each has wanted it for herself. They had no objection to combining in order to win the country, but, now that it is won, they do not know how to divide it.

So far as the Poles themselves are concerned, they have no doubts about the matter at all. The Poles want to be free. Meanwhile they are passive resistors. The invader must solve his problems for himself. The Poles are not going to help him.

At the present time Germany and Austria have come to a rough working agreement about Poland. They have divided it into half, with Warsaw and Seidnitz as a sort of frontier lines, and each country occupies and man-

ages its own half. This, however, cannot be a lasting arrangement. Sooner or later they must decide what they intend to do, and then look out for trouble!

I have already shown the number of Slavs in the Austrian Empire. When Poland, or a portion of it, becomes incorporated, the Slavs will be in a majority.

### Longing for Peace.

What will be their attitude towards the Germans? It is easy to foresee that it is going to be one of hatred and underlying antagonism. German and Slav cannot stand each other.

The last thing that the Austrians want is anything that will bring them in closer or more permanent contact with the Germans. The Magyars, who form the cream of the Austro-Hungarian fighting forces, hate the Germans so much that they decline to have German words of command in their army. It is hardly necessary to add that the Slav-speaking Austrians are absolutely in sympathy with their Hungarian comrades.

I have known many Bohemian, Polish, Ruthenian, and Serb members of Parliament and leading writers. It is no exaggeration to say that every one of them would gladly do anything to get away from the hated German domination and look to the standard of Great Britain, which has for two centuries or more stood for liberty to these peoples.

Every day since the war began I have read Austrian newspapers, including those of every shade of opinion, from the ultra-reactionary "Reichs-anzeiger" to the ultra-democratic "Arbeiterzeitung." There is not the slightest doubt that Austrians are fed up with the war. In the Hungarian Parliament there is perpetual talk of peace, and clear signs of longing for the end of strife.

### Work for our Diplomats.

It is up to our diplomats. I do not think it would be a difficult thing to get the Austrians to quit; I do not think it is beyond our resources to make arrangements which, while making provisions for the ideals which form the basis of this war, will still hold out a greater reward to the Austrians than if they continue in partnership in Germany's desperate struggle for world-power.

Given such an opportunity, Austria will certainly slip out of the war. Knowing what I do of Austria, I am perfectly certain the day she does this will be joyously celebrated as the greatest public holiday ever known in either Austria or Hungary.—Answers.

## A Modest Hero.

V. C. NEARLY A YEAR AFTER DEATH.

Admiralty, S. W., March 21. The King has been graciously pleased to approve of the granting of the Victoria Cross to the following officer in recognition of his most conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty:

Sub-Lieut. Arthur Waldene St. Clair Tisdall, R. N. V. R. (killed in action).

During the landing from the S. S. River Clyde at V Beach in the Galipoli Peninsula on April 25, 1915, Sub-Lieut. Tisdall, hearing wounded men on the beach calling for assistance, jumped into the water and, pushing a boat in front of him went to their rescue. He was, however, obliged to obtain help, and took with him one ring and Leading Seaman Matis and two other leading Seamen Curtis and Parkinson. In all Sub-Lieut. Tisdall made four or five trips between the ship and the shore, and was thus responsible for rescuing several wounded men under heavy and accurate fire.

Owing to the fact that Sub-Lieut. Tisdall and the platoon under his orders were on detached service at the time, and that this officer was killed in action on May 6, it has only now been possible to obtain complete information as to the individuals who took part in this gallant act. Of these, Leading Seaman Fred Curtis O. N. Dev. 1399, has been missing since June 4, 1915.

### NAME DISCLOSED IN "THE TIMES"

As the official notice indicates, the identity of Sub-Lieutenant Tisdall and those who assisted him in his gallant deed was for a long time unknown. On December 6th, however, The Times published an account of their brave deed contained in a letter from a naval officer naming Mr. Tisdall as the leader of the little rescue party. The officer wrote:—"Throughout the afternoon of April 25 an officer (unknown to all) and three bluejackets, one of them a petty officer, were very prominent. The officer and the petty officer did the most daring of things. Time after time they visited that awful beach and brought back wounded officers and men. Darkness came and that officer was nowhere to be found. All the petty officer and bluejackets could say was 'He's one of those Naval Division gents.' Days and weeks passed away, and I and others never ceased trying to find out, if we could, who and where the unknown hero was. . . . His very saving of the wounded and the hand-

ling of them was in itself the work of an artist, and a very great one."

Two days later the story was supplemented in our columns by a letter from "Surgeon, R. N.," who described as follows the young officer's death:—"Bravely leading his men in the advance on May 6, he was killed whilst standing up on the parapet of a trench where his men were taking temporary cover. His body is interred close to the spot where he fell. Tisdall was a man who had absolutely conquered fear. He entirely disdained to take cover, while insisting on his men doing so. I remember well remonstrating with him on V Beach, but all to no purpose."

Sub-Lieutenant Tisdall's parents have received letters from brother-officers telling with added detail the story of his gallantry. One of them wrote:—"His work of magnificent devotion was performed under a perfect hail of pom-pom, machine-gun, and rifle fire at almost point-blank range. It was continuous work, and extremely arduous. Of course, there were others helping him, but he was the organizer and inspiring example." Another officer wrote:—"We saw your son on a spit of rock. He turned to me and said, 'I can't stand it. I am going over.' . . . He was a very gallant man, and I have every right to be proud of him, alive or dead."

Mr. Tisdall, who was the second son of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Tisdall, of St. George's Vicarage, Deal, was 24 years old. As we recorded at the time of his death, he was educated at Bedford Grammar School and at Trinity College, Cambridge, where he graduated with a brilliant record, gaining double first class Classical honours and winning the Chancellor's gold medal in 1913. An athlete of the physique, he rowed in the First Trinity boat. While holding a post in the Home Civil Service he joined the R.N.V.R. as seaman in May, 1914, and took part in the Antwerp expedition of the Royal Naval Division, in which he received his commission (Anson Battalion) in October, 1914. He was the first man in the long line of "Chancellor Medalists," among whom were Lord Tennyson and Archbishop Benson, to win the V.C. Mr. Tisdall's poems, with his letters from Antwerp, Egypt, and the Dardanelles, and a memoir, with a preface by Dr. Butler, Master of Trinity, will shortly be published.

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## War News

Messages Received Previous to 9

**OFFICIAL.**  
LONDON, . . . . .  
The Governor, Newfoundland, . . . . .  
All the rebel commandoes in have surrendered. The rebels have advised the British where to surrender, and the men generally is collapsing. In Verdun there were further attacks, especially at Mortier yesterday, where the enemy were enormous.  
The enemy, employing gas, cut our lines at various points, especially near Loos, where they temporary footing, but were out by a counter-attack by the troops, leaving many dead, and the enemy trenches at these points.  
An enemy aerodrome at . . . . . was twice raided with favorable results.  
In Russia the enemy recaptured trenches at Narotch Lake, and numerous prisoners. In Volhynia Russians recaptured a salient, only lost, capturing six prisoners.  
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**REBELS SURRENDERED.**  
LONDON, . . . . .  
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LAST REBEL STRONGHOLD . . . . .  
LONDON, . . . . .  
Telegraphing from Dublin, the date of Sunday, the correspondent of the Evening News says that the rebel stronghold taken was a factory, which was surrounded midday to-day. Cut off from the beleaguered insurgents here, not heard of the capitulation of chiefs, and kept up a desultory trade from the roofs and windows, finally had to be subdued by a of artillery.  
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LONDON, May 1.

Official announcement this afternoon states that all the rebel leaders in Dublin have surrendered.

#### LAST REBEL STRONGHOLD TAKEN

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umns. There were one thousand prisoners in Dublin yesterday, of which 489 were sent to England last night. In the city of Cork during the night of April 30th and May 1st the rebels in Inisicorthy made an offer to surrender their arms on condition that the rank and file be allowed to return to their homes. They were informed that the only terms that could be entertained was an unconditional surrender. These terms were accepted by them at six o'clock this morning. It was reported later that the rebels were surrendering to-day on these terms to a column composed of soldiers of the Royal Irish Constabulary, who captured several prisoners in the neighborhood of Farns, County Wexford, to-day. In Wicklow, Arklow, Dunlavin, New Ross, Counties Cork, Clare, Limerick, and Kerry, generally quiet. The whole of Ulster is quiet.

#### GERMAN ATTACK DEFEATED.

PARIS, May 1.

German troops in dense masses made a violent attack last night on the positions captured by the French north of Deadman's Hill on the Verdun front; the attack was defeated by the French. The War Office report of this afternoon says the Germans suffered enormous losses. Two simultaneous counter-attacks by the Germans on a trench captured yesterday by the French north of Cumieres, were repulsed. At Hill 304 and in the Vaux region there were incessant bombardments. A French aerial squadron bombarded a supply munitions station south of Thiencourt, and a camp near Spincourt.

#### WILL BE TRIED IN ENGLAND.

WASHINGTON, May 1.

The Supreme Court to-day held that Ignatius Timothy Tribich Lincoln, former member of the British Parliament, and confessed spy, must go back to England for trial on a charge of forgery.

#### GUN WORKS PARTLY DESTROYED.

CHERBOURG, France, May 1.

A fire of unknown origin last night partly destroyed a branch of the Creusot gun works.

#### STEAMERS SUNK.

LONDON, May 1.

The British steamer City of Lucknow, 3,669 tons, owned in Glasgow, has been sunk.

The British steamer Hendon Hall, from Portland, on April 7th and Louisburg, N.S., April 11th to Rotterdam, has been sunk, according to a despatch to Lloyds. Crew saved.

The British armed yacht Aegusa, Capt. Walker, retired Vice-Admiral, and the British mine-sweeper Nasturium, Lieut.-Commander Lloyds struck mines in the Mediterranean and were sunk. The official statement announcing this, adds that the captain and officers of both ships were saved, but that six men are missing from the crew of the Aegusa and seven from the Nasturium.

#### CONDITIONS IN EGYPT.

LONDON, May 1.

An official report given out this

afternoon says that conditions are rapidly returning to the normal in the northern area of the desert of Western Egypt. Small patrols in the usual armoured cars continue to hunt for and destroy hidden stores. Since the re-occupation of Solumm on the Mediterranean, near the border of Tripoli, more than 25,000 rounds of ammunition have been discovered. Two sets of German wireless were discovered hidden in the desert of Moshara, which has been occupied to strengthen the cordon around the troubled district. The British are harassing their foes at Daklia and are able to detect every movement of their enemies in this neighborhood. In this oasis a small hostile detachment are occupying Barahia, refugees from which point report that there are prospects of a famine and typhus in that region, and that no medicines are on hand.

#### GOVERNMENT'S TROUBLES.

LONDON, May 1.

The effect of the aerial raids and the attack on the English coast by German battleships the past few weeks, and the outbreak in Ireland and the surrender of General Townshend and the British force at Kut-el-Amara, has reflected an almost unanimous declaration from the British press that the present Government must be reconstituted or appeal to the country. The latter alternative is advocated only by the Northcliffe press. Other newspapers, who are opposed to Asquith politically, express the preference that he should rid himself of colleagues such as Birrell and reduce the size of the Cabinet. If the Government is to survive, it is thought it will be obliged to legislate with some measure of compulsion to relax the latest order of muzzling the press. Should Asquith resign it is highly probable that he would be succeeded by Bonar Law.

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### War and Human Progress.

Lord Bryce delivered the Huxley lecture at Birmingham University last week, taking as his subject: "War and progress: An Inquiry from History how far War and Peace have respectively Contributed to the Progress of Mankind."

Lord Bryce came to the conclusion that, although a state of war and the habit of preparing for it and delighting in it had, in some cases, been found compatible with progress, there was nothing to show that they had caused it. The races which had been most engaged in fighting had not been those that had advanced most. Prussia, of which Voltaire said nearly two centuries ago that "fighting was a trade" claimed to be an instance of success achieved by war chiefly, but it was still too soon to say whether this claim could be supported.

Materially war was destruction. It tended to create and to exalt a professional class which, whether or not it was well educated, was comparatively insensible to artistic and intellectual influences and pleasure in the moral sphere. It furnished occasion for the display of some virtues in the field, but whether these virtues tended to a moral elevation reacting on the whole nation and whether that elevation would be visible in the European nations when this war had ended were questions on which the war itself would throw light.

A war of aggression stimulated by national pride and ambition might have a different moral effect from one undertaken to repel a wanton attack and to protect the world itself from a menace to the sacred principles of justice and humanity. This war we were now waging was such a war, and he trusted that the sufferings and sorrows it had brought to us and to our Allies might be compensated by the raising of our national and personal ideals.

But on a review of the whole matter war would be found "not to have quickened, but to have greatly retarded the upward march of man. Progress had been due chiefly to thought. Thought was not helped by war. It was the races that knew how to think rather than the far more numerous races that knew only how to fight that had led the world.

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Military Watches with figures on dial, and hands clearly visible in the dark, just opened at Trapnell's.—ap23.1f

### French's New War Minister

Is Incident That the Allies Will Win.

Like Lord Kitchener, General Roques, who has been appointed French Minister of War in succession to General Gallieni, is a brilliant soldier as well as a clever organizer and military administrator. That is why he has been chosen from among the French generals commanding the armies at the front for the post of War Secretary.

An old comrade of General Joffre, he succeeded the latter as Director of Engineers at the War Office, and to this office he united that of Director-General of Military Aeronautics, of which he remained permanent inspector until 1912.

The new French Minister of War is one of the youngest generals in the French army, and was promoted in peace time to brigadier-general in his fiftieth year in 1906.

The outbreak of war found him commander of the Twelfth Army Corps at Limoges, and, although he is not very well known to the general public, he has won the admiration of the soldiers of France for his deeds of personal bravery.

It was for "personal bravery and aptitude of command" that he received the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor in January last, since when he has held command of the First Army in the group of armies in the East of France.

General Roques received his first commission in the Engineers when he was twenty-two. As Lieut.-Colonel he spent seven years in Madagascar under the colors of General Gallieni, and was responsible for the construction of an important railway in that corner of the world.

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Orders booked now for future delivery. Strongly advise you anticipating your wants in advance as prices are sure to go up owing to the serious advances in the foreign markets.

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Pedestrians are everywhere; they are the motorist's despair, they're ruinous to sport; for if, in scorching through the town, I run a half a dozen down, they have me hauled to court. It seems to me unfair and mean that edn I need for gasoline must go in paying fines, or damages, at the behest of walkers or damagers, who, and telegraphed their spines. Oh, how aggravated a driver feels, when some one gets beneath the wheels, and spools a costly tire! My sentiments, at such a time, if they were couched in song or rhyme, would melt a wooden tyre. Pedestrians look round with scorn,

### Your Boys and Girls.

There are a surprisingly large number of children poisoned by fly paper each summer from the arsenic in it. Formerly blotting paper soaked with arsenic was much used. More recently shallow boxes of tin with a wick through the top have come into use, but on account of the habit of many little ones of putting everything to their lips these seem to be as dangerous as the open saucer of water.

These fly poisons are often exposed on the window sill because flies are attracted to the light. Babies also are attracted by the light and the window-sill being within their reach is therefore the most dangerous place to expose poisonous fly destroyers of any kind. There are as efficient and more sanitary ways of catching or killing flies, and fly poisons if used at all should not be used in any home where there are young children.

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WIRE FENCING. **1**  
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### LIGHT, HEAT, COMFORT!

The proprietor of one of the best known multiple shopping systems is credited with saying, "Give me any old shop, in any old street, and I'll guarantee to make it in twelve months the most widely known and best frequented shop in the district." He was asked to explain. Holding up three fingers he said, "I believe in the trinity of LIGHT, WARMTH, COMFORT. I should dazzle the mobs until the candle drew them, I should bring them into a warm, comfortable shop, filled with a soft, pleasing radiance, and the rest is—well, mere child's play."

Mixed metaphors, perhaps, but expressive. Now we can more than imagine the kind of shop this well-known individual would open, for we pass it in almost every town—always a landmark to the street. No one fails to notice it. There is an indefinable air of welcome and invitation as one stands for a moment on the pathway and lets one's gaze travel inside it. The subdued, restful lighting effect that charms because of its very unobtrusiveness, the absence of dark corners, the intangible feeling that if one would step inside one would be sure of experiencing a delicious sense of warmth and comfort and cheerfulness—all these are part of its appeal. Truly a shop with an individuality.

We cordially invite all progressive business men to visit our showroom and see our latest Lighting and Heating Appliances, by the adoption of which the ideal outline in the above extract from a London paper may be easily secured. Our new RADIO X Lamp and GASTRAM Radiators fill all light and heat requirements.

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If you wish something extra chic and something that will bear the Mark of Quality, invest in one of these.

**Price: \$6.00 & \$6.50 each only.**

These Dresses are made of the very finest Muslins in White and Coloured makes, and worth in the ordinary way \$9.00 to \$12.00 each.

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Although freights and prices have advanced considerably, we are still selling a magnificent Piano for \$250.

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To-day ex S. S. Durango:

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- 400 prs. Girls' Patent Leather Pumps, sizes 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 1 and 2's. Reg. \$1.50 value. Now only... **\$1.00**  
Just an ideal party shoe.
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- Received To-Day.
- 1000 lbs. Fresh Halibut.
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### Grove Hill Bulletin EASTER TIDE.

We desire heartily to thank our many customers for their very generous patronage during this season, and to assure them of our best efforts to please them in the future as in the past.

**J. McNEIL,**  
Phone 247. Grove Hill.

### REID-NEWFOUNDLAND COMPANY.

### Bay-de-Verde Branch.

Effective May 1st, the Schedule will be as follows:

LEAVE 3.45 p.m.	CARBONEAR	ARRIVE 1.00 p.m.
4.07 p.m.	FRESHWATER	12.38 p.m.
4.15 p.m.	VICTORIA	12.30 p.m.
4.32 p.m.	SALMON COVE	12.23 p.m.
4.37 p.m.	PERRY'S COVE	12.08 p.m.
4.54 p.m.	BROAD COVE	11.51 a.m.
5.02 p.m.	ADAM'S COVE	11.43 a.m.
5.08 p.m.	WESTERN BAY	11.37 a.m.
5.24 p.m.	OCHE PIT COVE	11.21 a.m.
5.37 p.m.	NORTHERN BAY	11.08 a.m.
5.43 p.m.	BURN POINT	11.02 a.m.
6.00 p.m.	ISLAND COVE	10.45 a.m.
6.13 p.m.	CAPLIN COVE	10.32 a.m.
6.28 p.m.	OLD PERLICAN	10.17 a.m.
6.35 p.m.	BAY DE VERDE	9.50 a.m.
ARRIVE 7.30 p.m.	GRATE'S COVE	LEAVE 9.15 a.m.

### Notice of Removal and Partnersnip

HON. R. A. SQUIRES, K.C., LL.B.,

Announces the removal of his LAW OFFICES to the New BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA Building at the corner of Beck's Cove and Water Street, and the formation of a PARTNERSHIP for general practice as Barristers, Solicitors and Notaries, with MR. J. A. WINTER, eldest son of the late Sir James S. Winter, K.C., under the firm name of SQUIRES & WINTER.

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To arrive to-day:  
100 barrels CHOICE APPLES.  
50 sacks SILVERPEEL ONIONS.  
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20 cases VALENCIA ORANGES, 402, 714-PLANTS.—We will soon have our Cabbage Plants along. Please leave your order early before same are all booked.

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EIGHT PAGES  
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Auction Sale

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That Property as "Exon"

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The House is of brick construction and is fitted with heating by radiators, and electric light, and is connected main water supply from Lake, with an excellent pressure. Sewerage system runs to concrete septic tank of most modern construction.

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3 GLASS SHOW CASES.  
2 GASOLINE TANKS.  
1 CHEST JOHNSON TOOLS  
1 STOVE; also  
2 barrels SPARE RIBS.  
3 barrels PIGS' HEADS.

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