

The Broken Circle!

CHAPTER XL.
Death has a majesty of its own; and General Sir Arthur Hatton, who had shown scant courtesy to Martin Ray when alive, who had indeed detested him, now that he was dead, showed due honor and respect to his memory. He remained at the cottage with Leah and Hettie, he attended the funeral, and then the little council was held which decided the fate of so many.

There was no sensation when the quiet funeral procession wound its way down the green hill to the pretty churchyard. Few knew that the once popular "Voice of the People" was laid to rest here, that the man who had taught sedition and treason, whose voice had been as a flame of fire, slept his last long sleep in the quiet churchyard. The waves sang his requiem.

Martha Ray had left nothing but his name. In one sense she daughters were pleased that it was so. It disproved, they thought, most conclusively many of the charges brought against him. He had not made money out of his starving admirers.

The funeral was over, and the general and his two nieces sat in the little parlor, where the blinds were still drawn and the gloom of death still lingered. Now that the last solemn rites had been performed, the general was anxious to return home; it was for no use spending even another hour in Southwood. But he wanted to take Hettie back with him.

At their first interview he had been so entirely captivated by Leah that he had not taken much notice of Hettie. He remembered only that she was fair, sweet, and winsome, and that although he was angry and irritated with her, he could not help admiring her faithful love and devotion to one of the most unprepossessing of men. He had taken her sister away, and had forbidden all mention of her name; but his anger had been against the girl's father, and not against herself. Now that the father was dead, it seemed to him the most natural thing in the world that he could adopt her.

He asked her to return with him, to live with him as his daughter, and not to leave them again. He liked her all the better because she was in no hurry to accept the invitation. The girl's heart was still sore with the old pain. She could not forget all at once that this man who was willing now to make her his adopted daughter had denounced her father in most unmeasured terms; she could not forget the scene in the gloomy little house in Manchester. In death, as in life, her heart was faithful to her father. Had he lived, she would have refused every overture from Sir Arthur; as it was, she was with difficulty persuaded even to listen to him.

On the day of the funeral he asked her what she intended to do. She told him that she would live on there at the cottage, continue her teaching. Site could earn enough money for her maintenance. Sir Arthur looked at her, so young, so fair, so refined, and he vowed to himself that it should never be. Then he talked to Leah. He would do nothing without consulting her. Her eyes filled with tears when she heard of his generous proposal.

"It is the only thing wanting to make my life perfectly happy," she said. "I love Hettie so dearly! No one will ever know what it cost me to leave her."

Yet it did not seem sure that Hettie would consent. To live in grand houses, to wear costly jewels and rich



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He would have refused; but she could refuse nothing to the beloved sister whom she had loved so well and had lost so long. The general said all he had to say, and then went out to smoke a cigar by the sea-wall where Martin Ray and Sir Basil had often stood, leaving the sisters to finish the debate alone. When he had gone, golden-haired Hettie went up to her stately sister. "Oh, Leah," she cried, "is there no other way in which we could be together? After all he said to our poor father I feel that I shall hate to live under his roof and eat his bread. If you would come and live with me, I would work so hard to keep you, and you should never work at all."

Leah laughed. How little this good sister of hers knew to what luxury she was accustomed! She kissed the sweet face. "You must not forget, Hettie," she said, "all about our mother. Remember that Sir Arthur represents her. If she was living, if she could speak to us, I am quite sure that she would tell us both that he stood in her place. I can never leave him. Instead of asking me to do that, make up your mind to come and live with me. He is so kind; we shall be very happy. Oh, Hettie, can you understand how tears I have always wanted you?"

"Yes, I can, for I was never happy without you." And then Hettie told her sister how she had watched Harbury House, and how she had seen her once at the theatre, and how she had purchased from the footman the bouquet that she had held in her hands.

(To be continued.)

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Hated Marriage; Killed Sister's Fiance.

Hatred of matrimony by two generations of Farwells, has led to the conviction at Madison, Wis., of Hartwell Farwell, a rich Dane county farmer and deacon of the Congregational church at Windsor, for the murder of her sister's fiance. Farwell warned his sister not to attempt to marry. After fifty-two years of spinster life, love came to her and she announced her engagement. Farwell killed Philip Houtsten rather than have another wedding in the family. The jury in the case was out fifty-four hours, returning its verdict recently.

"I've got plenty of money to provide for my daughters, they don't need to worry," James Farwell, father of the convicted man, often repeated to his family. The father died ten years ago, but he handed down the heritage of celibacy to his bachelor son, Hartwell, who became even more bitter toward marriage than his sire.

A Symbolical Ship.

(From the Toronto Globe.)
To-morrow the largest ship in the world will sail from a British port to New York. She was designed in Germany and construction was begun before the war, but she now flies the flag of Great Britain, to whom she was delivered as a prize of war. One of her features is a spacious suite planned to accommodate the Kaiser, which he no doubt would have occupied if his dreams had come true. The ship is a symbol. In the pride of his power William of Hohenzollern boasted that the future of Germany lay on the water. The building of the greatest liner in the world was a detail in this grandiose design. It was a piece of swag that must have appeared peculiarly to the megalomaniac who pushed his country into its ill-fated naval programme. History shows fewer episodes of more treachery from than the surrender of this Jerichan, which typified the pre-war Germany, to the nation whose supremacy on the ocean it deliberately

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challenged. As it sails under the red ensign of Britannia the forsaken and almost forgotten autocrat who sees nothing more maritime to-day than a Dutch canal must think of that Imperial suite. "Ill-weaved ambition, how much art thou shrunk?"

Witness Battle at Sea.

Passengers on the Swedish-American liner Frederick VIII, arriving at New York on May 2, described a spectacular pistol battle witnessed off the Grand Banks early the previous Saturday. For more than two hours, the passengers said, they watched a school of porpoise, about 150 strong, eyeballing about the ship. Suddenly there was a tremendous commotion among them. With their glasses the passengers then saw that the porpoise had been attacked by half a dozen sharks. The defenceless fish made every effort to get away, and the sea was churned up as if by a battle of monsters. It ended with the slaughter of some fifty or sixty porpoises, crimsoning the sea for a wide area.

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The trip lasted thirteen months, when they were forced to return, because the canoe containing all their supplies sank. Lieutenant Reginald Smith, one of the party, describing the trip, said:

"We met two Indian tribes apparently undiscovered. They had never seen a white man, and thought us some new kind of animal. They were primitive, unintelligent, and more like apes than humans, not even understanding signs we used to other Indians. The men were nude, except for foliage loin cloths, and the women save for a primitive loin covering of wild cotton dyed with the juice of wild nuts."

QUEERED.

Long years ago G. Grimshaw was in country jail; he was accused of swiping tin snips and other kinds of tools. Of course his spirit was a distress, as yours or mine would be, until the grumpy one confessed, and Grimshaw went free. It was an error of the law that sent him to a cell, where he was fed on bread and slaw and water from the well. And he has led a useful life since that dark day of yore, providing nobly for his wife and children twenty-four. And now and then, to serve the state, or prestige gain, maybe, he comes forth as a candidate for some small public snap. And always at the crucial hour when roorbacks must prevail, up comes the story, dark and dour, that he was once in jail. In vain he rises to explain his martyrdom of old; the voters listen with disdain and then they knock him cold. And so he teters through the town, a sad and weary scout; there is a spot in his renown, and he can't get it out. He's washed the spot with gasoline, he's lathered it with soap, but in campaign's its always seen, and he's abandoned hope. This world of ours is most unfair and insistent at times, and none can say its acted square with poor old Grimshaw Grimes. A blemished record is a frost that makes the world seem stale; so let us all; whatever the cost, avoid the country jail.

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British Ministry Will Not Resign.

Premier Attaches No Importance to Defeat on Vote--More Shooting Outbreaks in Belfast--Dail Debating Peace Negotiations--Mount Vesuvius in Eruption.

WILL CLASH ON.
LONDON, May 17. The Cabinet, after telegraphic consultation with the Prime Minister, has decided to carry on and appoint a select committee to investigate the question of Teachers' Superannuation, the subject of which in the first instance led to the Government's defeat.

NOT IMPORTANT.
GENOVA, May 17. Lord George attaches no importance to the defeat of his Government by the small majority of three, the essential question of education having political importance, it was learned today.

WILL APPOINT EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE.
LONDON, May 17. The British Cabinet has decided to refer to the wishes of the Commons and appoint a Committee to enquire into the educational programme on which the Government was defeated last night, Austin Chamberlain announced in the House this afternoon.

THE PALESTINE MANDATE.
GENEVA, May 17. The Council of the League of Nations decided to hold a special meeting not later than July 15 to consider the question of approving the British mandate in Palestine. The failure of the League to register its assent during the present session is attributed to the opposition of France and Italy. Vatican is reported to have expressed fears that religious interests in the Holy Land would not be properly safeguarded under the terms laid down previously. Lord Balfour expressed surprise that such a baseless

FURTHER OUTRAGES IN BELFAST.
BELFAST, May 17. Further serious outbreaks of shooting occurred here today. The military charged the rioters and a man named Dudgeon, who refused to halt when challenged, was fired on and killed. During the firing this evening one woman was killed and another wounded. A private of the Sussex Regiment was also wounded. The military fired on gangs of rioters in the Marrowbone District, and acts of incendiarism kept all the fire brigades busy.

NEGOTIATIONS FAIL.
DUBLIN, May 17. The Peace Committee of the Dail, which has been trying to find a basis for unity of the Irish factions, formally reported to Dail today a breakdown of the negotiations.

DAIL DISCUSSES PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.
DUBLIN, May 17. Dail Eireann debated throughout the day the breakdown of the peace negotiations between the South Irish factions and then adjourned until tomorrow without coming to any decision. The interval was to be used by the peace-makers, as some hope is entertained of reaching an agreement. The Peace Committee agreed to uncontested elections, but could not agree on what proportion of members each side should have. There was further disagreement on the constitution of the Cabinet and more still on the principle of its operation. The Free Staters wanted the Cabinet to assist

In the operation of the Treaty, while the insurgents wanted to evade and destroy the Treaty. The deadlock seemed complete, nevertheless De Valera repeatedly announced his willingness to join a coalition, if not obliged to abandon his principles. Collins showed a disposition to welcome the olive branch and thought a Coalition might be utilized to consolidate the advantages already gained, which would be jeopardized by conflict.

WHEAT AGENCY ACT RECOMMENDED.
OTTAWA, May 17. The passage of an act creating a national wheat marketing agency, with powers similar to those of the Canada Wheat Board of 1919, and to become effective when two or more Provinces have conferred upon this agency the powers possessed by the late Wheat Board, was recommended to Parliament today by the House Committee on Agriculture by a vote of 51 to 28. The Liberals voted almost solidly against the recommendation, but the Progressives were supported by several Conservatives. An amendment offered by A. R. McMaster, of Bromar, aiming to strike out any compulsory features, was previously defeated by a majority of seven.

NO WHEAT BOARD THIS YEAR.
SASKATOON, May 17. Any hope that the farmers of the West may have of securing the re-establishment of a Wheat Board to handle this year's crop has been finally destroyed by the statement of the Minister of Agriculture at Ottawa that he is opposed to the Wheat Board. Hon. Geo. Langley, President of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator, declared today, Mr. Langley added the voluntary pool would in no case be a substitute for the Wheat Board.

VEUVIUS IN ERUPTION.
NAPLES, May 17. The volcano of Vesuvius is emitting a large quantity of lava and clouds of dense vapors, but the Royal Observatory declares the eruption will not endanger the surrounding territory.

CHINESE LEGATION LEAVES TOKIO.
TOKIO, May 17. The entire staff of the Chinese Legation here left Tokio today, without notification to the Foreign Office, declaring their departure was due to the failure of Peking to supply funds for Chinese students here, and the refusal of Japanese Banks to make further advances.

CHINA'S CIVIL WAR.
PEKING, May 17. The fate of Manchuria and Mongolia for the moment transcend all other issues in China, because of General Chang Tso Lin's defiance of the Peking Government and his avowed intention of establishing an Independent Empire in these Provinces. The Government has announced that it has not received notification of Chang's declaration of independence, and the Legations are endeavoring to ascertain whether the proclamation was personally sanctioned by the Manchurian General.

Passing of Famous Corps
NEWFOUNDLAND R.N.R.
(BY ONE WHO KNEW IT.)
The removal from the Navy List of the old cruiser Briton, (late Calypso) will pass unnoticed, even in the Navy itself, except perhaps by a few officers and men who have served in her during the past 10 or 20 years. Yet the passing of the old ship has a certain sad significance, for with her disappears that truly splendid corps the Newfoundland Royal Naval Reserve. Incorporated some 20 years ago, the Newfoundland R.N.R. was a force unique either on land or sea. Recruited in the ancient Colony by an Imperial arrangement with the Colonial Government (which paid an annual contribution towards its upkeep), it remained entirely under the control of the Admiralty and in fact formed an integral part of the British Navy. The personnel was drawn exclusively from the ranks of the Newfoundland fishermen. Strong, hardy, self-reliant, and God-fearing, the Newfoundlanders is a borne seaman and spends his life in constant warfare against the elements.

North Sea Blockade.
When the Great War broke out in August, 1914, the Newfoundland Royal Naval Reserve was called up by Royal Proclamation, and in the 10th Cruiser Squadron, which kept the blockade across that dark and stormy sea which lies between the Shetlands and Norway, the services of the Newfoundlanders as boat crews for boarding vessels at sea were invaluable. A French officer whose ship was sent north to augment this squadron in 1915 once recounted to me how when he joined the Flag it was blowing a gale with a heavy sea running. The admiral made a signal, "Stop engines; I will send a boat to you." "He told me he could scarcely believe his eyes; it seemed impossible that any boat could be lowered and live in such a sea--yet it was possible and it was done because that boat was manned by Newfoundlanders."--Daily Mail.

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At the House.

PRIME MINISTER ASKS FOR EARLY ADJOURNMENT TO CONSIDER RAILWAY.

The House adjourned early yesterday afternoon on motion of the Prime Minister who explained that in view of recent developments in connection with the railway, he wished to have a party meeting.

Sir Michael Cashin asked if anything would be done in connection with the operation of the Hns, and was told that the Government would try to make arrangements as early as possible.

The Prime Minister said that a letter received that day from the President of the Reid N.M. Company had ended with a suggestion of arbitration, and he wished to have the final paragraph of that letter fully explored before taking any further action. (The letter will be found appended.)

Mr. Archibald pointed out that the cessation of railway operations was having an undesirable effect on residents of Conception Bay. Those who wished to come to town could not leave and those who wished to leave town were unable to get out. He suggested that a steamer should be put on the Conception Bay route.

The Prime Minister said that if the railway operations were not begun shortly, the Shipping Department had instructions to maintain a passenger and mail service between the capital and isolated settlements.

During question time, Hon. Mr. Warren made it perfectly clear that the amendment to the Companies' Act, passed in 1920, did not have the slightest effect on the Reid N.M. Co., who could, before it was passed, have divided up and made separate, all their subsidiary companies.

The House adjourned until Friday. The letter from the Railway Company is as follows:

St. John's, Nfld.,
May 16th, 1922.
The Honorable the Colonial Secretary,
Sir,--I have the honor to acquaint the Government that since my letter to you of yesterday's date the majority of our engineers have not reported for duty, that hardly any trains are running today, and that a complete tie-up of the railway appears inevitable. We are thus, through no fault of our own, but by reason of the breach by the Government of its contracts with us, prevented from operating the railway, and, as intimated in previous letters to the Prime Minister, propose to call for an arbitration under Clause 101 of the 1898 Contract, of all matters in dispute between us and the Government arising out of all the contracts. Formal notice of claims will be served on the Government within the next few days. In the meantime, and before resorting to this final and irrevocable step, we are still open to discuss a compromise which will put an end to all claims and dispute on either side. I have the honor to be,
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Obituary.
There passed peacefully away, on Tuesday, 16th inst., at his residence, 149 1/2 Pleasant Street, James Monck, a highly respected citizen, leaving a wife, one son, John at present in the employ of the Horwood Lumber Co. and of late has been employed by the three sisters, Mrs. P. Stapleton, Mrs. E. Mallet of Odeon, P.B. and Sister Mary Elizabeth of the Sacred Heart Convent of Manhattan, New York. The deceased was for fourteen years employed by the Lighthouse Department as foreman building lighthouses and installing fog alarms along the coast, and of late has been employed by the Municipal Council.

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MUTT AND JEFF—



Swedes Have Great Love for King.

GUSTAVE'S ACCIDENT REVEALED THEIR AFFECTION.

STOCKHOLM (Associated Press).—The slight but painful injury sustained by King Gustave of Sweden in an automobile accident near Nice on the French Riviera, has revealed once more the affection which the Swedes cherish for their monarch. The accident caused great anxiety throughout Sweden, even after it was officially announced that the king's hurts were not serious. For the king is rather frail and nearly 54 years of age. King Gustave has chosen Nice as his favorite haunt and playground when he seeks relaxation and recuperation from the cares of state and he is one of the most popular and welcome guests of the resort. His amusements there included playing bridge with friends and tennis with Mile. Lenglen, the French champion, and Earl Balfour. In spite of his age, King Gustave still plays a brilliant tennis game and is looked upon as one of the best amateur players of Sweden. A stiff game of tennis or bridge always puts him in good humor, and his witticisms on these occasions are quoted throughout the Riviera.

HAS KEEN WIT.

The French newspapers have been publishing a story of a little incident that occurred at Nice to illustrate his wit. The King had Mile. Lenglen, as his tennis partner and she was playing on the right hand side of the court. The King frequently encroached on her territory in his zeal to return the ball; whereupon Mile. Lenglen admonished him to "keep to the left, Your Majesty," and once gave him a gentle push. At the end of the game the King is reported to have said to his partner: "You remind me of my Premier for you are always telling me to keep to the left." Premier Branting of Sweden is head of the Socialist Party, which in Parliamentary language is called "the left."



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At the other end of the scale come the miniature Bibles, about 1 in. square and 2-3 in. in thickness, which people used to wear as charms attached to their watch-chains.

These tiny volumes are "bound" in gold, sometimes gem-encrusted, and are greatly valued by collectors. The text is in Hebrew, and the titles in Latin, but it is perhaps unnecessary to state that neither can be read except by the aid of a powerful magnifying glass.

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BERLIN.—Trees on which birds warbled their morning song are turned into newsprint paper and sold as midday editions on the same day in certain towns of the Harz district, says the Papierfabrikant, the leading German papermakers' organ. The exact time taken in the process is 3 hours 25 minutes. The trees were felled at 7:35 a.m.; pulped and turned into paper by 9:30, rushed in a motor truck two and one-half miles to the printing office and at 11 o'clock newspaper boys were crying the local sheet on the streets.

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Little Dorritt.
800th ANNIVERSARY OF CHURCH WHERE SHE RESTED.
LONDON (Associated Press).—Lovers of Dickens are preparing to participate in the commemoration of 800th anniversary of St. George's Church, where Little Dorritt rested on the night after the party when she was too late to return to the Marshalsea Prison. Later she was married in the church. Dickens was also a worshipper there during his boyhood and often attended the services later in life. The present church was built in 1784 on the site of the first church which was given by Thomas Arden to the monks of Bermondsey Abbey, in 1122.

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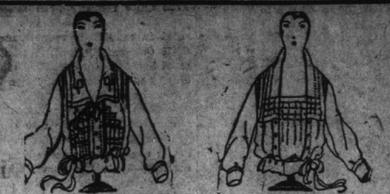
No Freedom of Press in Russia.
MOSCOW.—Soviet Russia's newspapers have been reduced during the past year from 963 to 282, and now have a total circulation of only 1,500,000 for all of Russia, according to a report made at the recent Communist Party Congress. All of these are government controlled. Speakers at the conference declared that freedom of the press could not be permitted at this time.
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The Companies Act

MEMBERS ANSWERED AT THE HOUSE. WEDNESDAY, May 17. The reply to Sir Michael Cashin the Minister stated that to date there have been two hundred and thirty and fifty thousand dollars expended by the Newfoundland Company for the Government on Capital Accounts...



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Rosalind Reaches Port.

CONCERT HELD ON BOARD. S. S. Rosalind reached port from New York, via Halifax, at 3:30 p.m. yesterday. The ship made a quick trip. Capt. Mitchell reports the presence of numerous icebergs off the coast. The ship brought the following passengers: Messrs. Paul Callan, Charles Burton, Theo. Wilde, Thos. Wall, Miss Ruth Oswald, Miss G. Edgar, Miss Clara Thrappe, Miss M. Torry, Miss Mabel Cox, Miss Mary Cox, James Liddy, Hy. White, W. Clifton, Mrs. Clifton, Miss C. LaBose, Miss H. Violetta, Miss K. E. Nelson, Miss Daisy Ford, Mrs. E. Martin, F. Goodland, Ed. O'Keefe, Mrs. S. Grant, Mrs. F. Grant, Mrs. A. Sullivan, Jno. Sullivan, Miss Loretta Sullivan, Thos. Sullivan, Edmond Sullivan, G. F. and Mrs. Kearney, Miss G. Rees, Mrs. J. Parker, Edward Heaver, R. Sullivan, Mrs. A. Ullrich, H. Ullrich, Mrs. A. Hurley, D. Hurley, Mrs. M. Brennan, Mrs. T. Murphy, James Churchill, A. Degraw, H. Taylor, E. Quirk, Mrs. J. Urraine, Miss B. Furlong, P. B. Holt, C. A. C. and Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. R. Sullivan, Miss Sullivan, W. L. Munn, W. Wallace, Lady Crosbie, Miss Vera Crosbie, Miss Ella Crosbie, Chesley Crosbie, Ray Bennett, Miss M. Meaney, V. Verge, C. H. Shaw, W. Bishop, H. R. McKenzie, Miss M. Arthur, Geo. Dawson, T. Dawson, Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. Dawson, Miss Margaret Dawson, Mrs. W. Purpin, J. Mason, F. Burden, Mrs. M. O'Keefe, L. Hicks.

Dried Fish.

BIG PRICE IN LUNENBURG. Fortune is smiling on the Lunenburg fishing men this spring. Without unusual difficulty they landed a large catch on the early spring trip, and now, if the news we hear is true, they are going to get a big price for it. In our last issue we said that the views of local buyers favored not more than \$7.50 as the new season's price, but now it appears that out of pure kindness of heart a Lunenburg buyer has gone on record as being willing to pay \$8.00; in fact he has paid this figure for at least one cargo. Against this local exporters declare that as foreign markets are at present, it would be impossible for them to make any profit on fish costing them \$8.00. However, it may be that these marketmen will move up to accommodate themselves to the new situation. Such things have happened before and may likely do so again. The most interesting thing in connection with the present situation, however, is not the harassed feeling of the firms who expected to get supplies at between \$7.00 and \$7.50 per qtl., and must now pay \$8.00, but instead, what does this higher price mean in profits to Lunenburg? The answer is an extra 20 or twenty-five thousand dollars thrown into the lap of the toilers of the sea. This is of very considerable monetary importance even in the richest community per capita in Canada. But it is also important from another standpoint—one which we harp on at every opportunity—the psychological effect. Every Lunenburg skipper and fisherman must now be more assured than ever that the fisherman's life is the life for him. What other industry, aside from "rum running," is bringing such returns to men employed in it at the present time? Echo answers, none. It seems to us today that for one cause and another, the present season is likely to produce a very remarkable record in fish production in Canada. The conditions which favor this expectation are obvious, namely, high prices, more men than usual at work, that is including the shore as well as the bank fisheries, and last and certainly not the least important, the run of fish. It certainly looks to us at the moment as though in Canada at least this year were going to be a fisherman's year.

Motor Bus Accident.

ONE MAN INJURED. The Mack Motor Truck, which left here this morning taking passengers and freight around points in Conception Bay, met with an accident near Eskehill's Hill and one man was seriously injured. A message was received by the Inspector General from Constable Devine of Holyrood stating that a Mack Motor Bus driven by Frank Marshall and containing a number of men from St. John's had met with a mishap coming down Eskehill's Hill. John Conway, belonging to Colliers was injured, but the doctor called in attendance said his injuries were not serious, though the man was suffering much pain.

Canned Pineapple.

AN ACCIDENT AND A HIT. The story goes that Hawaii was blessed one year with a bumper crop of pineapples that completely glutted the market. A large part of the crop proved to be a dead loss. The idea of canning the surplus was conceived and executed. The new product—purely experimental in character—was shipped to the United States, and the task of introducing it to the public was entrusted to an experienced advertising man. This man happened to know his business and first familiarized himself with the qualities of the goods of which he was to write. He described the canned pineapple in such an appetizing way that the readers of his copy simply couldn't resist giving the thing a trial. Canned pineapple made an immediate hit; the consignment, large as it was, was very quickly passed from jobber to retailer to customer, and a new industry had been created in the twinkling of an eye. Since that year—and it wasn't so long ago—the canning industry has made tremendous strides in Hawaii, and a pineapple in cans has become a staple article wherever foods are sold.

Topics in Brief.

(Literary Digest) The ungrad are the easy prey of the Red—Columbia Record. The early worm gets the fishhook—Newspaper Enterprise Association. It would be better if Ireland picked the harp more and the quarrel less—Washington Post. Well, the great war seems to have made the world safe for the Turks—Greenville Piedmont. You can't improve the breed of Ford by crossing them with a locomotive—Farm, Stock and Home. As many say it, "Get thee behind me, Satan" is simply an invitation to push—Norfolk Virginia-Pilot. These strikes are more or less like coffee. Settling them seems about the only way to get at the grounds—Manila Bulletin. "It is hard to give away a million," says John D. It sure is. You have to get one first—Newspaper Enterprise Association. Wouldn't it be awful if the girls didn't have any more sense than we think they have?—Newspaper Enterprise Association. Mr. Bryan disagrees with Darwin's monkey theory and there are those who have disagreed with Mr. Bryan's donkey theory—Detroit News. Cousin Bill Hohenollers didn't get an invitation to that royal wedding in England, but he didn't have to buy a wedding present, either—Brooklyn Eagle. While seven million Russians are being fed by charity, Trotsky pauses long enough to say that the Soviet Government "does not need the rest of the world"—New York Morning Telegraph. The first-line trenches of prosperity are the excavations for new buildings—Asheville Times. The indications are that the people of the United States are about to lose another great strike—New York Tribune. A nation that can not convict its murderers makes a fine show legislating the length of a bathing skirt—Columbia Record. One of the most curious things about American politics is that without a single historical exception a partisan is invariably a member of the other party—Washington Post. It might prevent a lot of window-breaking and door-smashing if the Mayor presented the keys of the city to some of the criminals now residing here—New York Tribune.

Here and There.

COASTAL BOATS.—S. S. Portia left Cow Head this morning going north. S. S. Prospero left Bonavista at 7 a.m. going north. Auto Top Dressing for Motor Cars and Carriages at BOWRING BROTHERS, LIMITED, Hardware Department.—may18.4f INCOME TAX.—Several city business men appeared in court today to answer summonses issued by Assessor O'Reilly on non payment of income tax. All the delinquents decided to pay up and the cases were not called. Ice Cream Freezers and Refrigerators at BOWRING BROS. LIMITED, Hardware Dept.—may18.4f OFFICERS MEETING.—A meeting of the officers of the Newfoundland Regiment is being held at Government House this afternoon when the matter of the presentation of the Silk Union Flag and its final disposal and other points in relation to same will be discussed. The C. L. B. Indoor Sports will be held to-night in the Armoury. The programme is a large and varied one. Amusement for all Prices 10 and 20 cents.—may18.4f A FULL PASSENGER LIST.—S. S. Rosalind sails for Halifax and New York to-morrow afternoon. The ship will have a full passenger list. A large number of young men are leaving by the steamer. Many of these are coming from points in Conception Bay, and are arriving in the city by motor cars and on foot.

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Household Notes.

A nice way of serving chicken is a la king in a rice ring. Creamed served in artichoke hearts makes a tempting salad. Cherries and pineapple make a splendid combination for a salad. When purchasing cucumbers, for eating, select the long slim ones. A little grated lemon rind improves baked or stewed rhubarb. A little preserved ginger gives a delicious flavor to rice pudding. Toast points are a dainty garnish for the chafing dish platters. Corned beef tongue is delicious served in gravy with mushrooms. A hard pencil eraser will remove paint or varnish from window panes. Try cooking sweet breads in butter.

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Evening Telegram

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Thursday, May 18, 1922.

Sir Robert's Reply.

It affords the Telegram much pleasure to be in a position to-day to publish the reply of the Right Honorable Sir Robert Bond, P.C., K.C.M.G., to the citizens of St. John's who some time ago preferred a request, at a public meeting, that Sir Robert address them from a public platform in the city. The reasons for being unable to undertake this, at the time, are given in the reply. Briefly Sir Robert was too ill to consider travelling and the strain that would naturally be placed upon a constitution enfeebled through sickness, in making an address at a public meeting place. Even at the moment Sir Robert is but slowly—though it is pleasing to note, surely—recovering from a three months' attack of pneumonia. The gist of the reply is based upon the oratory of expenditure indulged in by the present Government, and methods that should be adopted to check it if Newfoundland is to swing clear of the financial breakers that are ahead of the Ship of State. The iniquitous piling on of taxation and the debauchery of squandermania which have characterized the Administration and marked them as incapable of dealing justly with the people are also dealt with. "There can be no reduction of taxation until a reduction is first made in the Civil Government." There is no person who is so obtuse that he will not agree with this. The knife must be laid at the root. The trappings of Government must be made of less expensive material. It is not worth an anna to snip off the fringes and embroideries. The main garment has to be altered and made to fit more closely. The demand for reduced expenditure and corresponding reduced taxation is being received from all parts of the island. But the Government goes its way unheeding and deaf to the just requests of the populace. So callous and case-hardened are they that they treat all appeals with contempt and so still farther in their disbursement increase. The people are prepared to make sacrifices. They have intimated as much very clearly. But the Government are not imbued with a similar idea. They will not—do not intend to—make one sacrifice, unless it is on the altar of political expediency, and that merely with intent to allay the popular demand. As Sir Robert aptly puts it, the people "want a reduction of Government expenditure in order that taxation may be reduced, that the necessities of life may become cheaper, that capital may be unfettered, that labor may find demand, that trade may survive." Not by any means an impossible or unreasonable demand, and one which can well be met by the Government. Conditions in St. John's, yes and in other parts of Newfoundland have never, perhaps, been so severe

as they are this spring. Hundreds of men are leaving the South Coast for Canada to engage in the Nova Scotia and Cape Breton fisheries. Their productivity is thus lost to Newfoundland. Other years these same men went in their own small schooners to St. Paul's and Northern Cape Breton and invariably killed from one to two trips of fish, which they brought home and made. This year their labor will be given to producing for others and only their wages, and not all that will be returned as value to Newfoundland. That however, by the way. We ask that all who have the good of their country at heart, who are animated by that spirit of patriotism that surmounts all obstacles, to read carefully this reply of Sir Robert Bond to which we have animadverted, and if after searching perusal and examination of the advice he gives, they cannot see a way out of the great difficulty confronting them, then his task has been in vain, and the flames of the fire of independence have died to be revived no more.

Is it a "Frame-Up?"

For a considerable time prior to the departure of Investigator Morgan, the Government and the Reid Company were negotiating a basis on which railway operation should be surrendered by the Company and assumed by the Government. A claim for improvements, &c., was made by the Company, and was criticized by the Government's nominees, and the stage was set for a clean up. Then came the Open Letters to Mr. Morgan, published by the Telegram, and the conspirators on the Government side were alarmed by the sentiment they created amongst the public, who attributed them to a statesman not now in public life, and gave them the weight his utterances always command. Negotiations, apparently, ceased. The Government was paralyzed by fear of opposition from the rank and file of its supporters. Then followed a period of silence, and then the railway "hold-up." The Company's notice to its employees, that the Company could not pay wages, was so couched as to be a plain incitement to strike, and strike they did, in a manner which indicated collusion. And then followed a letter to the Government, read in the Assembly yesterday, proposing a compromise, and upon that the Premier asked time "to put the matter before the Government party," the "matter," apparently being a clean up of the contracts of 1898 and 1901; that is to say, a settlement of the Company's claim on the basis negotiated some time ago, as above indicated. The rank and file, having been intimidated by the suspension of railway operations, is now about to be asked to vote for a new deal.

Question Conveniently Asked.

Mr. MacDonnell (St. George's), in the Assembly yesterday, asked a question obviously intended to give the Minister of Justice and Mr. Higgins, M.H.A., an opportunity to explain their connection with the Act passed in 1920 to enable the Reid N.S. Company to do certain things which could otherwise not have been accomplished. Mr. Warren and Mr. Higgins were prepared. The 1920 Act, said Mr. Warren, "in no way altered the contractual relations of the Company to the Colony." Less "critically correct," Mr. Higgins said that the 1920 Act was to disable Sir W. D. Reid from interfering with the transaction of business by the Directors here. That is, the Company could not in reality have conveyed away its properties, without the 1920 enactment, because Sir W. D. Reid would not have consented. Then, the 1920 Act was to enable the Company to dispose of properties it could have legally disposed of without that Act, but in practice would have been forced to retain. Very accommodating! Where, it may be properly asked, was Sir Richard Squires, when the Legislature was engaged in jockeying Sir W. D. Reid, his friend!

Gymnastics par excellent may be seen at Canon Wood Hall on May 24th and 25th—may 18, 1922.

O Tempora! O Mores!

In the Legislative Council, yesterday, the Hon. Mr. Bishop opposed, and Sir P. T. McGrath supported, the Government's proposal to abolish bonds for Customs duties, and the Hon. Mr. Mews opposed, and Sir P. T. McGrath supported, the Government's proposal to place a tax on the transmission of newspapers through the post. What is the political significance? Has a new party been formed, or has Sir P. T. McGrath ceased to be a partisan, and become only a statesman? He has early lost sympathy with the newspaper fraternity.

New Hospital.

Arrangements are about completed to open St. Clair's Home as a private hospital to which any doctor may send patients. St. Clair's Home is owned by the R.C. Episcopal corporation and is a building of the most modern type. It is situated on a hillside at a moderate fee and still feel under no pecuniary obligation, as at the General Hospital, decided to utilize the building named. We understand that the new establishment will be under the direction of the Mercy Order and Mother Bernard, who is a highly trained nurse will be in charge. Sister Bernard has passed through successful courses in the leading hospitals in America. The Home has been completely remodelled to meet the present requirements and is fitted with the most modern operating wards. It will have ample accommodation for thirty patients. Prominent members of the medical fraternity have fostered the project since it was first mooted.

Early Morning Seizure.

POLICE CAPTURE CARGO LIQUOR. At 3 a.m. to-day police Constables Whelan and Pike whilst doing duty on the Southside road, seized a large motor boat hauling into one of the piers. Being suspicious that all was not well they investigated and were surprised on making a search of the boat to find a large shipment of liquor which had evidently come from St. Pierre. In all 23 kegs of rum and one case of whisky were seized and brought to the lockup. The motor boat is owned by a war veteran, who conducts a fishing business on the Southside.

West Coast Business.

Purchased by Portuguese Firm. It is rumored that the Portuguese firm of Lind and Conto of Oporto, has purchased the West Coast business premises of R. Moulton Ltd. Negotiations for the transfer of the property will likely be finalized to-morrow. It is understood that the business will be resumed on an extensive scale under local management. Some local capital we also understand has been put into the enterprise and several well known business men will be included on the directorate.

Lobster Fishing.

SCHOONER MET STIFF BREEZE. Messrs. Henley Parmenter and T. Forsey left to-day in the schooner "Pindar" for the West Coast on a lobster catching venture. The schooner arrived here Saturday from Harbor Grace and met the full force of that night's breeze coming up the shore. Only good seamanship and careful handling brought her through. Mr. Parmenter is an ex-Naval Reserve man and his former experience proved valuable at the time.

Stalled at Argentina.

The Glencoe from the Westward landed the following passengers at Argentina where they will have to stay until the railway is again operating: Fred Harvey, Miss E. Squires, G. Squires, Const. Bartlett, A. E. Sellars, Nurse Rose, A. Bungey, Rev. A. T. King, Miss E. Forsey, E. D. Elliot, Mr. Parsons, E. W. Webb.

Shipping Notes.

S. S. Winona arrived in port this morning from Montreal via Charlottetown bringing a fair freight consisting mostly of four and potatoes. S. S. Digby left Halifax last evening and is due here to-morrow. The ship sails for Liverpool on Saturday. S. S. Watchful sailed this forenoon for Bay de Verde.

McMurdo's Store News.

THURSDAY, May 18. We have just opened a line of nice Turkish Sponges, the real and proper baby's sponges, four different sizes, the smallest large enough to be worth while, all good values at 60, 85c., \$1.10 and \$1.35 each. We have also some Honeycomb Sponges of good quality for general toilet use, at 30 and 40c. each. The use of Carthage Hair Tonic will improve the growth and the appearance of the hair, and keep the skin of the scalp clear of dandruff and scurf. A good dressing as well as a stimulator of the growth. Price 35 and 50 cents a bottle.

Rt. Hon. Sir ROBERT BOND, P. C., K. C. M. G., Replies to Citizens of St. John's.

If Cancer Affects Body Politic Scalpel Must Be Used--Present Physicians Incapable of Operating--Country Crying for Application of Knife.

TO THE CITIZENS OF ST. JOHN'S: Fellow-Countrymen,— I am honoured with the request received from you yesterday, that I would address you on the subject of "the present financial condition of this country, and the imperative need for a drastic reduction in the public expenditure." It seems peculiarly the occasion when a man ought to be ready and willing to appear before his fellow-countrymen, to warn, to counsel, and to cheer them, for there is no mistaking the signs of the times. Capital is locked up everywhere, and trade is at a standstill, a general gloom is cast over the country, and bankruptcy stares us in the face. The man who does not recognize this state of affairs is unworthy of his station, and the man who does, and abstains from doing his utmost to ameliorate this condition of affairs is unworthy of his station, and the man who does, and abstains from doing his utmost to ameliorate this condition of affairs is unworthy of his station, and the man who does, and abstains from doing his utmost to ameliorate this condition of affairs is unworthy of his station.

our food, clothing, implements of trade, and everything else belonging to us, is being hoarded in the markets of the Mediterranean. Such is the competition of those countries in fresh fish, with the fish of Great Britain, that recently alarm has caused a movement to proceed from the fishery interests there for Government protection. Any displacement of trade in fish that may result from this movement is almost certain to effect us in European markets. Added to these alarming conditions have, we not admit, if we are honest men, that we have been living for some time now riotously and recklessly on borrowed money? To meet the interest payable on those borrowed millions taxation has had to be increased to such an enormous extent that trade is crippled, importations restricted, the purchasing power of the people very seriously curtailed, and real wages and distressing demonstrations, and in a calm despair—the last dignity of the wretched. If this be true, and I challenge denial,—our anxiety should surely be to husband our powers, so that we can look the future boldly in the face. The blunders, and precipitancy of folly—smitten rulers must give place to sober thought, and to an honest endeavour to shape institutions, and to mould men's minds and purposes, in accordance with the change that is silently surrounding them. Things can never be again as they were a few years ago. We have to make up our minds to that. But they can be made very much better than they are at present, if one and all will but recognize the mutuality of the interests of all classes of the community. Not only has increased taxation to be attributed to the interest on borrowed money, but, in no small degree, to the expenditure, the unwarranted expenditure, in connection with the Civil Service. Unnecessary departments, hosts of unnecessary officials, excessive departmental allocations, all add to the difficulties that confront us. Let it be understood by all—I speak as one having many years experience in governing this country,—there can be no reduction in taxation until a reduction is first made in the Civil Government. That is what, in St. John's, were reduced, the people are demanding of the hands of their Trustees,—the Government of the Colony. They are not demanding the expenditure of money by the Government,—that would mean greater impoverishment for them, for it would, eventually, have to be paid back into the Treasury out of their own pockets in the shape of taxes—they are demanding a reduction of expenditure by the Government; they express as plainly as they possibly can their willingness to forego many things that they have been told by their Trustees are essential to their happiness; they recognize the gravity of the situation, and are prepared to make great sacrifices if necessary to avert calamity. They want a reduction of Government expenditure in order that taxation may be reduced, that the necessities of life may become cheaper, that Capital may be unfettered, that labor may find demand, trade may revive. The Government must surely see the necessity for such reduction under the head of Civil Government. If they do, then it is incomprehensible to me why they do not welcome the proffered assistance of the public in bringing it about forthwith. I have been amazed to notice the manner in which the suggestions of the Board of Trade in St. John's were received. I certainly would not lend my support to any interference by the Board of Trade, or any other body of men, with the Executive Government of this country. The Prime Minister and his colleagues must assume responsibility like that of a Commander-in-Chief and his staff in the field, or the Chief Justice and his Assistant Judges in a Supreme Tribunal; but I have yet to learn that either of these highly placed officials have ever deemed it derogatory to their dignity, or incompatible with their responsibility to respectfully hearken to the respectful representations of the people. The Chamber of Commerce in London, together with the affiliated

Chambers throughout Great Britain, have quite recently been making representations to the British Government in respect to reductions in the Civil Government, and that Government has not considered it beneath its dignity to welcome, and listen to, and adopt, the recommendations that those Chambers of Commerce made. What a contrast this presents to our petty concern of a Government! Your city is the centre of the commerce of this country,—it is the heart, where the great pulses of its industry beat,—to which the life blood of two-thirds of this country flows up by numerous channels, to be again propelled to every creek and cove and hamlet in this island. What more fitting than that any national movement, such as this, should originate right here. The city, with its Board of Trade, would be derelict in its duty if it failed in this crisis to awaken the people of the whole island to the danger impending, and represent its views in respect to the situation to the Executive Government. It is not because some members of the Board of Trade acted unwisely a year or two ago, and brought discredit upon themselves, that a great body of intelligent citizens should be treated with disrespect, and denounced through the official organ of the Government. It was but politics, worse citizenship, and the very antithesis of patriotism. The intervention of those outside public life in executive business could not of course be tolerated for a moment. It would of course be a physical impossibility to conduct the business of the State by the actual intervention of every citizen. Such a plan of government must necessarily fail; if for no other reason, at least for this,—that it would prevent the citizen from using his own business, which it is the object of all governments to enable him to do. But citizens are not intervening when they respectfully approach the Government with either a request or a suggestion; they are but exercising their right; and it would be well for those in authority to remember that the only just foundation of all government is the will of the people. It is an exceedingly dangerous thing to try and override the will of the people; it bespeaks anarchy, and something worse. Now let me say in conclusion, that as in the formation of individual character, and in the development of the human system, there are causes of undisturbed and powerful operation, so, in national character, and development, there are causes, equally certain, of growth and excellence on the one hand, and of degeneracy and ruin on the other. It belongs to the philosophy of history to investigate these causes. The topics of national curiosity and liberal speculation acquire practical importance when the condition of the land we live in is the subject of our investigation. When we turn the inquiry to our own country; when we survey its natural resources, its earning power, its trade and commerce, and examine its public and governmental institutions, it then becomes an inquiry of the highest interest, and worthy the attention of every patriotic man and woman, for we then dwell not in the past but in the impending future, tending with individual and public fortune; a future towards which we are daily and rapidly swept forward; a future, which our character, actions, and principles must necessarily influence, for good or evil. We then strive, as far as our poor philosophy can do it, to perceive the country's auspices; to cast its horoscope in the national sky "where some stars are waning, and some have set." You have asked me with an implied confidence, which I sincerely reverence, to say what can and ought to be done at this time. Can I do this without stepping into party politics, which above everything else I want to avoid? I want you to believe, that if I thought for a moment that party politics was in any way connected with your public action I should have declined participation therein. Now, then, I will try and point to the way out of our difficulties. If we mingle discretion with our zeal, the greater will be our success in this patriotic enterprise. It does not require special skill, I think, to diagnose the trouble. We all recognize that there is something radically wrong with the body politic, which calls for immediate attention. Don't you remember that in the autumn of 1917? I issued a warning to that effect? Then said it was suffering from a malignant cancer, which was rapidly eating into its very vitals. The people did not heed the warning; they called to their service another physician, and to-day the disease has reached a deadly stage. There is only one certain remedy known to science for the cure of cancer,—he it existed in the human body, or in the body politic, and therefore is to plunge in the knife and cut it out, root and branches. It may be painful to the operator to do this, but it certainly must needs be most painful to the patient. But life depends upon the complete eradication of the malignant growth, and no matter how agonizing the pain may be, the knife must descend to the very bottom spots of the disease. As in medical science cancer in the human system is recognized under the names of carcinoma, sarcoma, and sarcoma; so in political science it is recognized under the names of debt, waste, plunder. It is only a question of locating the disease to determine,—under both branches of science,—which of the names apply; but it is cancer all the

Government May Operate Railway

EXECUTIVE WILL MEET TO-DAY. FURTHER DISCUSS SITUATION AND WILL NOT ADVANCE MONEY. If the Reid's will not or can not their employees the wages they the Government will take possession of and operate the railway. This was made by Sir Robert Squires to-day to a Telegram representative. In the meantime, the Board of the Reid Newfoundland Railway will meet the Executive Council this afternoon to further discuss a question of settlement of the final paragraph in the report of the proceedings in the House. The Reid's are prepared to lease all the claims under all contracts which they say they against the Government. They also prepared to sell the Government such assets as they may have in connection with transportation and the transportation properties of the Reid's. (a) The railway management, (b) certain assets, a proportion of rolling stock of Government property is the railway line from St. John's to aux Basques, (b) a substantial portion of rolling stock. Following the conference with company directors, the Executive Government may hold another meeting to discuss the result. Prime Minister said that it was possible to state when the would start moving. The Government are ready to enter into negotiation and operate at a moment's notice. Sir Richard laid upon the fact that now was the time to face the situation. It would be futile to wait until July when the duty would be found in getting members of the House together. Our morning contemporary says that it is possible that the would start moving. The following note was received by Telegram this morning: "With reference to an item appearing in the paper in which it was stated that I was learned at the Department Office that the trainmen did not up for duty. The trainmen have agreed to state that they are responsible for the trainmen's duty. Mr. C. O'N. Conroy, Solicitor of the Reid N.S. Co., when told of this note, emphatically denied that the Company did not wish to operate. It is true, as stated in a letter from Reid N.S. Co. that a large portion of trainmen did not turn up for work. So far as s.s. Kyle is concerned, she left Port aux Basques on Tuesday morning with Sunday's passengers brought by Sunday's going express, and has been at St. John's since Tuesday afternoon. A motor bus went out to Conception Bay with passengers while Watchful sailed with some of the passengers and a large accumulation of mail for the same district."

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- Navy Costume Serge.** 50 ins. wide; medium weight. Reg. \$1.30 yd. for \$1.62. 46 ins. wide; extra fine. Reg. \$1.90 yd. for... \$1.87. 50 ins. wide; cloth finish. Reg. \$2.50 yd. for... \$3.12. 54 ins. wide; medium weight. Reg. \$3.00 yd. for \$3.70. 58 ins. wide; special fine rib. Reg. \$7.00 yd. for \$9.75. 60 ins. wide; heavy cloth finish. Reg. 4.50 yd. for \$4.10. 58 ins. wide; extra special. Reg. \$9.00 yd. for \$4.50. 56 ins. wide; special soft finish. Special per yd. \$5.50
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Fancy Linens

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- Table Napkins.** dozen only; White Damask Table Napkins, mercerized Linen finish; assorted patterns; wide hemstitched borders; sizes 23 x 23 inch. Regular \$1.10 each 95c.
- Tray Cloths.** Made of White Linen, drawn thread work; centres beautifully trimmed with Battenburg Lace; size 18 x 18 inch. Regular \$1.10 each 95c.
- Glass Towels.** Made of strong Crash Toweling; sizes 15 x 26 inch; plain centres with red border. Reg. 45c. each for... 39c.
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- Turkish Towels.** Small size White Turkish Towels; of superior grade; fringed ends. Regular 30c. each for... 26c.
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The Royal Stores has become St. John's chief shopping centre for Men, because of its preparedness, its fine merchandise and its low prices.

- Newest Neckwear.** Wide-End Ties made of heavy Broche Silk, in assorted smart designs. Reg. \$1.60 \$1.47
- Another lot of Wide-End Ties, plain and fancy designs in assorted colours. Reg. \$1.60 54c.
- Boys' Braces.** English make; strong leather ends; superior elastic web; for all ages. Reg. 40c. 26c.
- Boys' Shirts.** Strong Khaki material with neat collar attached; sizes 12 1/4 to 14. Reg. \$1.50 each \$1.40
- Men's Felt Hats.** The season's latest models in colors of Brown, Fawn, Grey and Black; good leather bands and welted brims; sizes 6 3/4 to 7 3/4. Reg. \$3.20 each for... \$2.70
- Boys' Eton Caps.** Navy Serge; just the thing for Summer wear; all sizes. Reg. 90c. each for... 75c.
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- Plush Door Mats.** Size 12 x 30. Regular \$2.55 each for... \$2.29
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Correct Styles in Girls' Wear



- MISSIE'S STRAW HATS.** In a variety of pretty styles, trimmed with ribbon. \$3.90. Reg. \$4.25 each for...
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- INFANTS' CAMBRO UNDERWEAR.** With bodies attached; neatly finished, with embroidered fronts. Reg. 90c. each for... 80c.

Summer Underwear Values

- WOMEN'S WHITE CAMBRO KNICKERS.** Made of finest quality Cambro; medium sizes, closed styles, elastic at waist, straight knees. Reg. \$1.50 pair for... \$1.25
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- PEARL NECKLETS.** The latest novelty. 40c.
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- IRISH POPPY AND HAIR LOTION.** Large bottles. Reg. 75c. each for... 69c.
- BABY POWDER.** Women's brand, highly recommended for the nursery. Regular 35c. 29c.
- HUBBARD'S COQ. CREAM.** For soothing and beautifying the skin. Regular 40c. tube for... 33c.
- PHO-PHY-LACTIC TOOTH BRUSHES.** Adults—Reg. 70 and 80c. each for... 60c. & 70c. Youth's—Reg. 60c. each for... 47c. Child's—Reg. 65c. each for... 47c. Dental Plate—Reg. 70c. each for... 60c.

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White Bone, Black Vulcanite, Wood and Aluminum; lengths 9, 12, 15 and 22 inch. Prices 25, 35, 40, 45, 50 up to 70c. set

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White Cambro Embroidery. 5-inch wide fine quality; embroidered edges. Regular 60c. yard 55c.

Our Local Hippy

HIS DIARY.
May 17th.—The talk is in the highest degree of the railway, of the closing down of it, nor have the Government yet come to terms with the Company. Mr. H. D. Reid to wait on the Cabal this morning, and will not abate from his decision. The House in the afternoon adjourns early, and the Government will consider the railway problem. I home where my wife comes to me in a rage because of the milkman, his bill, and tells me how he does charge eighty cents the gallon, and gives naught but water for it. And, indeed, high time that the price of milk and other things came down, seeing how feed is cheaper and the people poorer. Meeting Mr. Cotton, he did tell me of his project in Hawke's Bay which he thinks will be well. He will give labor to nigh on a thousand men.

Musical Comedy Company Here.

MANHATTAN TROUPE ARRIVE BY ROSALIND—OPEN ENGAGEMENT MONDAY.
The Manhattan Musical Comedy Co. arrived by the Rosalind yesterday and will open for a four weeks' engagement at the Casino on Monday next. This company is believed to be one of the best that has ever visited this country. They have been engaged by Dr. C. J. Howlett and Prof. C. Hutton, who are the present lessees of the Casino. The musical director of the company is Mr. Chan Burton, who has worked several years in the same capacity with Henry W. Savage, the great American theatrical manager, who is known as "the man without a failure."

The leading man is James Liddy, who became famous by the able manner in which he replaced Donald Brien in the recent revival of the famous "Merry Widow." He is under contract for a fifty-two week engagement with Henry W. Savage, opening on September 1st. Ruth Oswald, the leading lady, has played in several big musical comedies with great success and her work will be a revelation to local play-goers. Billy Clifton is the comedian and it is sufficient to say that it was he who made "O Boy" a show which enjoyed a phenomenal run in the States. Other members of the company include Margaret Tenny and Maud Drury who are well known on the American musical comedy stage. The violinist is Geraldine Edgar, an accomplished musician. The company will produce two shows each week. The opening bill will be "Sweetheart," which is still enjoying a successful run abroad. It will be followed by George H. Co-han's "45 Minutes from Broadway," "Madam Sherry," "The Time, the Place and the Girl," and many other successful productions. During the summer months the Casino will be remodelled. Hardwood floors will be laid down and the pit will be cut out entirely. A foyer will be built in the back of the auditorium and this will be a welcome addition. The theatre should prosper under its new management.

Personal.

Lady Crosbie and the Misses Vera and Dollie Crosbie, who have been on a short visit to Canada and the States, returned by the Rosalind yesterday. They were accompanied by Master Chesley Crosbie, who has been attending school at Toronto.
Mr. Ray Bennett, son of Mr. J. R. Bennett, who has just completed his first year in medicine at Dalhousie University, arrived by the Rosalind for the summer vacation.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Kearney, who have been on an extended visit to the States, returned by the Rosalind.
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. C. Bruce, who have been on a visit to Toronto and other Canadian cities, returned home by the Rosalind last evening.
Mr. Lionel Munn returned home by the Rosalind last night.
Miss Gertrude Thorne, of Bonavista, is leaving by s.s. Rosalind en route to New York, to study nursing. Her many friends wish her success.
Miss Bride Furlong, of Smithville, who has been in New York for some time past undergoing treatment at St. Vincent's Hospital, returned home by s.s. Rosalind last evening. Her many friends will be pleased to learn that she had a successful operation performed and is now on the way to complete recovery.

Sending Steamer.

WATCHFUL TAKES MAIIS.
S.S. Watchful sailed at 10.30 a.m. today for points in Conception Bay and along the North Shore, carrying passengers and mails. The ship was sent by the Shipping Department to relieve those residents of the Bay who wish to leave, or go to their homes, and who were prevented from so doing by the railway tie-up. The mails are very large, being the accumulation of several days.
The tread chickens under the weight of the Car. CONVERSE COMPRESSION TREAD. may 18.21.



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SIDE TALKS.

By Ruth Cameron.

SHE PREFERS TO BOARD.



A friend of mine is debating whether she will open her Summer cottage this season or go away and board a month, and spend the rest of the time at home.

I asked her how she could bear not to go to the cottage of which she is so fond. She sighed and then told me these four facts.

Four Reasons Why.
Her Summer cottage is about 35 miles from the city in which she lives. She has a large circle of friends in that city.

Most of those friends have automobiles.

The fourth fact I know you can supply for yourself.

"I hate to seem inhospitable," she defends herself, "but really it has become a problem. I love to have them. I enjoy company but it certainly isn't a rest. I find myself so tired and nervous sometimes after we've had a big crowd all day and I can't speak pleasantly to the children, or do what housework I have to do without feeling exhausted. And yet if I shouldn't be cordial to them, I should feel ashamed of myself. What do you think I ought to do about it?"

A hard question to answer, isn't it?

One Virtue Fights Another.

Most of us have been brought up to think of hospitality as a cardinal virtue. To fail in it is to fail in an obligation to society, to convict oneself of meanness. But it is a sad and incapable fact that even virtues occasionally conflict. One may find oneself brought up short in the act of exercising one virtue by finding out one is falling in another. If one uses up more strength and money in hospitality than one has any right to do, one trends on the toes of one's other duties.

In the old days there was less danger of overdoing hospitality because visiting was a more difficult affair than it now is. But with the coming of the automobile and with its gift of a greater mobility to the human race, the whole situation has changed.

Some neighbours of mine bought an automobile last spring. In the

early Fall they showed me a speedometer recording 5000 miles. Yet they had taken no long trips. "How have you run up so high a mileage?" I asked. "Oh," she said, "we have looked up all our friends in the country." As I happened to hear afterward they had looked up not only their friends but also several casual acquaintances who had unintentionally earned the status of friends by summering in places which made a proper distance for a drive.

Where Do They Go?

Most of the automobiles you see register on their speedometers from 5000 to 20,000 miles a year. I often wonder as I look at them how many thousands were spent dropping in on So and So.

And yet what would be the sense of having an automobile if it did not bring one nearer to one's friends?

I suppose it all comes back, as most things do, to the Golden Mean and the Golden rule, for both guests and hosts.

The hostess must consider herself and her family as well as her guests, and the guest must be careful about intruding, telephone ahead when possible, and accept invitations to meals only when there is no question but what they come from a genuine desire and not from a sense of duty.

Visiting Convention.

ROTARIAN PRESIDENT LEAVES BY ROSALIND.

Mr. C. E. Hunt, President of the St. John's Rotary Club, accompanied by Mrs. Hunt, leaves by the Rosalind tomorrow to attend the annual convention of Rotarians which is being held at Los Angeles next month.

Quite an elaborate programme has been arranged and it is expected that about 10,000 delegates will be present. A special Rotarian train leaves Boston with the Eastern delegates early in the month and will stop off at all the principal points across the Continent to the Pacific Coast. The trip will occupy about six weeks and Rotarian Hunt's many friends wish him and his good wife an enjoyable holiday. All the members of the Rotary Club will be down to say good bye to their delegate.

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

COUNTRY ALWAYS LIABLE.

OTTAWA, May 18.

Discussing railway estimates, Premier Progressive Leader, indicated his railway policy. He advocated the closing up of part of the Transcontinental lines running across the wilderness between Eastern and Western Canada, and the reorganization of the entire system on a replacement basis. As to management, he favored regional divisions, and suggested that an immigration policy should place new settlers along national lines. Mr. Crean declared that Canada had a splendid asset in her national railways but if turned over to private owners at this price, the country would lose their potential value, but would not escape the liabilities involved.

SCIENTIFIC ONLY.

WASHINGTON, May 18.

Any question of United States recognition of Russia lies beyond the time when the restoration of productivity shall have been set in motion by that country itself. Authoritatively it is stated that America will not participate in the Hague Conference, but is ready to embark on a purely scientific investigation of things in Russia.

RUSSIA ACCEPTS.

GENOA, May 17.

Russia has accepted the proposals of the powers for a meeting at The Hague to discuss the Russian situation, it was announced this afternoon.

COURSE OF ACTION.

LONDON, May 17.

The British Cabinet has decided to recommend to the Commons a course of action which will not involve the resignation of the Government, because of its defeat last night, the Pall Mall Gazette and Globe says it understands.

IMITATING NEWFOUNDLAND.

LONDON, May 17.

(Canadian Press)—The New South Wales Cabinet has decided to allocate one hundred thousand pounds for public works, for the purpose of helping to absorb the unemployed in that part of Australia, according to a Reuter despatch from Sydney.

St. Mary's Sanctuary Guild.

ENJOY SOCIAL EVENING.

A very pleasant affair was staged in St. Mary's Parish. Has last night, and attracted a gathering that crowded the available accommodation to the limit. The event, which was held under the auspices of St. Mary's Sanctuary Guild, took the form of a short programme concert, which was run off while the auditors enjoyed a sociable cup of tea and other refreshments. The rector, Rev. A. B. S. Stirling, presided and introduced the performers who were: Mesdames C. Garland, H. H. Small and W. J. Carsons; Misses Glen, Redstone and Messrs. Stanfield and Holmes, who all rendered vocal selections and Misses Moore (2) and Rose, who put on a well-acted and thoroughly entertaining dialogue. The whole programme was run off without a hitch and the delightful informality of the affair, coupled with the clever rendition of the various items, made the event one of the most satisfactory in the history of St. Mary's congregation.

The President of the Guild, Mrs. (Rev.) A. B. S. Stirling, is most thankful to the numerous friends who patronized the affair and to the splendid workers who made possible its great success.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind Southwest, fresh, weather fine, several steamers passed East and ten schooners passed in this a.m.; Bar. 30.10; Ther. 46.

Shipping Notes.

S. S. Canadian Sapper sailed last night for Montreal, taking a small outward freight and several passengers.

S. S. Malakoff arrived at Port Union at 7 o'clock last evening.

S. S. Neptune is now loading salt from the S. S. Songa.

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We have a good stock on hand, quality made for fishermen. Prices low as possible for good clothes.

Wood Clothes Pins.

5 gross box, best quality, \$3.00.

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40, doz. \$7.00; 30, doz. \$7.50.

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Scrub and Stove, Mops and Brooms.

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Iron, wholesale, 12c.; retail, 14c.
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Idleness.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir—Father Faber remarks that "the twenty-four hours are the same to everyone except the idle, and to the idle they are thirty-six for weariness and dullness." The words of this gifted author occurred to my memory as I walked to-day down Water Street and saw the number of splendid fellows standing about with nothing to do. How weary must be their days and how sad and lonely when we add to the enforced idleness the horrible spectre of want. In my heart I feel pity for those men and deep, bitter resentment against the causes whatever they be that have induced this awful condition upon a land whose every son should have at least the ordinary comforts of life.

We are but 250,000 souls all told in a land of supposed great natural undeveloped wealth. We have an area of 42,000 square miles. We are told that we have great wealth of mineral and forest areas and vast stretches of the finest agricultural lands. We have waters teeming with fish for which the world is hungry, yet with all this our men are idle.

Unintelligent government management of our affairs is to blame for the anomalous position, which in a sense reverses the condition depicted by Hood in his "Song of the Shirt." In that case it was unending drudgery from morning till night, with us it is unending idleness, with the poor, seamstress it was semi-starvation, with us it holds out prospects of actuality.

"Work—work—work—
In the dull December light!
And work—work—work—
When the weather is warm and bright;
When underneath the eaves
The brooding swallows cling.
As if to show me their sunny backs,
And twit me with the spring!"

There is something wrong with the system which permits poverty of the kind existing here to-day to raise its upas shadow above so fair a land.

There is something remis in our governing body and to my mind that loose screw in the workings is not hard to locate. It is partly venality among those who aspire to public office, and of all narrow visioned government, it is acknowledged on all sides that the present is the worst we have ever had. This is deplorable, especially when we consider the trying period through which we, in common with the rest of the world are passing. To take people's minds off the fact that they are being bamboozled by a party of utter incapables and to make it appear as if something were being intelligently done for the country's good, chicanery of the most transparent kind is being resorted to in order to cover up the difficulty of statesmanlike ability.

It were well, if to hide this shortcoming were all that mattered, they yet lacked the probability of the most despicable treachery. I make no apology for this expression of suspicion though a great writer of the church St. John Chrysostom observes, "too anxious an inquiry, and an overgreat suspicion of imposture are to be avoided as being contrary to Christian simplicity and fraternal charity." For prudence and discretion are at all times to be observed, especially in matters relating to our native land.

Having in view the treacherous practices upon us in the past we were fools not to be suspicious in times like the present.

Millions of dollars are involved and we know to our cost what immense slush funds can do. We have venal men on the one side and a soulless corporation on the other, and we are surrounded by men who are plotting our ruin. The most dangerous feature of the whole situation is that our worst enemies are those who are posing as our defenders. I say beware of treachery; it stalks through your midst, it masquerades as a friend. This country won't be safe till Mr. Coaker and Sir R. Squires are politically disposed of. There is no need for the fearful depression existing here to-day. It is part and parcel of a devilish plot to ruin this country. And I feel now that the most flagrant act of treachery is about to be consummated, unless we can frustrate the designs of our cunning enemies. "Forewarned is forearmed."

Yours truly,
ARTHUR ENGLISH.
May 16th, 1922.

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Personal.

Miss Eva E. Martin, who was so successful at the Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital, Manhattan, New York, in coming out first of the Post Graduate, returned b "Rosalind" last evening, and will stay with her parents until September when she will enter the New York Surgical and Medical Hospital for a further Post Graduate course in Surgery, etc.

More LIVE rubber on tread, carried side wall, breaker strip carried down on sides, PURE PARA CUSHION, absorbing road shocks. CONVERSE CORDS.—may13,61

That Liquor Seizure
FACTS NOT CORRECT.
With reference to the another page stating that the seizure was made by the Cruiser "Daisy" from a Capt. of Placentia, we are informed goods seized were tobacco and ettes. No liquor was found on phy's schooner. The fine of \$100 imposed for smuggling.
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 As here portrayed, handkerchief linen was used, embroidered in blue. The girls tie in blue linen cord. Crochet buttons trim the jumper. This design is good for tulle, organdy, wash silk, chambray, voile, gingham, tafeta and crepe.
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The land for growing potatoes must be well prepared and brought to a fine "tilthy" state if a good crop is to be expected, good seed and a fair dressing of manure is also an essential as both the quality and productiveness of any variety of potatoes will deteriorate or degenerate. Care in the selection of seed is necessary. Size of sets will not materially affect the produce and good crops will grow from small potatoes provided the variety has not degenerated or run out. When potatoes are cut for seed each set should have two eyes. Small tubers should be scarred, as in some soils without this precaution, the set will fall to decay and the crop in consequence will be a light one. The blunt end of a tuber invariably contains the leading eyes. They develop earlier than sets from any other portion. Cut seed should be planted as soon as possible to prevent withering. In horse cultivation it is the usual practice in the neighbourhood of St. John's after plowing and harrowing the ground, to open drills 3 feet apart (3 1/2 feet is recommended) and six inches deep. About three inches of manure is put in the bottom of the drill and on this the seed is placed. The drills are then split with the plough to cover the seed. When weeds begin to appear the drills are cross-harrowed. If the ground is very weedy several harrowings at intervals are given until the potato shoots are nearly three inches high. At this stage the "scuffing" is brought into play and the potatoes kept ridged until the final earthing, which is usually done when the rows of stalks begin to meet. No other attention is given until digging time arrives. With good seed properly cultivated one barrel of seed should yield 15 to 18 barrels and that on less than 23 square rods of land.

Band of Hope

Entertainment.

TEA AND CONCERT.

The annual entertainment in connection with St. Thomas's Band of Hope was held yesterday in Church Wood Hall. Some 300 children sat down to the tea tables which were ably presided over by Miss Alice Hunt and Band of Hope leaders. After all the good things had been partaken of, the children assembled in the auditorium. At 8 o'clock before a large audience, including the parents of the children and Band of Hope supporters a concert was started. The arrangements for this entertainment were in the hands of Miss Gwen Edwards and Mrs. C. B. Dicks proved entirely successful. After the concert 8 tableaux were shown. During the evening a presentation was made to Mrs. Gardner, the longest worker in the Band of Hope. At the conclusion of the evening's entertainment, Rev. E. C. Eary, B.A., rector of the Parish, thanked all those who helped to make the affair such a success. He also made special mention of Rev. Mr. Moulton for his splendid services in connection with the Band's activities. Quite a number of city clergy were amongst the audience, and all spoke well of the manner in which the tea and concert was arranged. The following is the programme of the concert: Nearer My God, The King; Instrumental Duet, Trisla and Jack Noseworthy; Recitation, Mary Eary; Dance, The Horn Pipe, Brenda Watson; Recitation, Mary Morris; March, The Boys; Recitation, Millicent Bright; Colleen Dance, Ten Little Girls; Play entitled "Philosophy and Paucity." The characters were: Marjorie, Violet Crocker; Fairy Queen, Trisla Noseworthy; A Fairy, Isabel Wiseman; Fairy Messenger, Florence Johnson; Fairy Dancers, Phyllis Dow-

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Prohibition.

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 (Daily Mail).
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 Last year Spain announced the withdrawal of her thirty-year-old contract with Iceland by which Icelandic fish exports enjoyed the lowest import duty under that country's tariffs. Spain gave notice that she would raise the import duty unless Prohibition was abolished in Iceland and the import of Spanish wines allowed. The increase of the duty would have meant a serious difficulty in the way of exporting Iceland's most important product. Repeated attempts to settle the matter without abolishing Prohibition were made by the Icelandic Government but they were quite fruitless. In order that the island may keep her former favourable position in the Spanish market, the Iceland Parliament has now passed unanimously an Act abolishing Prohibition.

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 "So I sent him a bill—plain bill, in an ordinary envelope. Two days later I sent him a bill special delivery. Two days later I sent him a bill by registered mail. He had to sign for the latter, of course. In other words, I made him know that I knew that he had received the bills. Just that and nothing more."
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 Said the latter: "Till just bet you a thousand dollars as an opener."
 "The college graduate replied: "I'll raise you a million."
 "Make it a billion," said Pat.
 "Raise you a hundred billion," said Pat.
 "Two hundred billion," said Pat.
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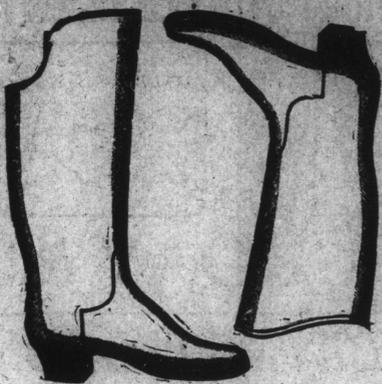
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