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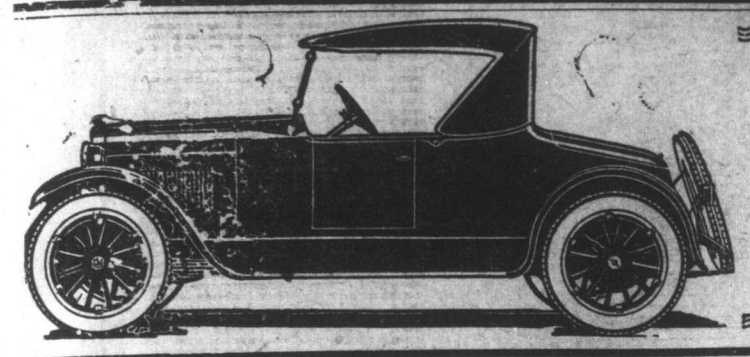
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ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, THURSDAY, APRIL 2, 1925

PRICE: TWO CENTS.

NUMBER 75.

WEATHER FORECAST. TORONTO, Noon.—Moderate winds, mostly cloudy. Friday—Fresh N.E. winds, partly cloudy; not much change in temperature.



MR. CAR OWNER. Do you realize that no matter how careful you may be, there is always the possibility of an accident, constituting a heavy damage suit for personal injuries to pedestrians? For the small sum of about \$10.00 we are prepared to accept this liability up to \$10,000.00. We can also protect you against damage to the property of others, damage to your own car by collision, and the fire hazard. Throw the burden of responsibility upon us Tessier's Insurance Agencies, Box 994.

Auction Sales! THE PEOPLES AUCTIONEERS AUCTION. Pianos, Mahogany & Other Furniture, Acadia Engine, Etc. AT OUR AUCTION ROOMS, Star Hall, Henry Street, on To-Morrow, Friday, 3rd Inst., at 10.30 a.m. consisting of:

Buick BUICK THIRD MEMBER. Buick cars drive through a third member, not the springs. The springs only support the body and assure easy riding. A Buick rear spring accidentally broken, can not misalign the axle and prevent driving the car.

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ST. MARY'S AMATEUR DRAMATIC TROUPE WILL PRESENT "SAFETY FIRST" COMEDY IN 3 ACTS, 13th, 14th, 16th and 17th April, 1925 IN ST. MARY'S HALL.

THE Blue Taxi MR. E. H. BOONE, (formerly of the Red Taxi) wishes to announce to his patrons that he is now attached to the BLUE TAXI SERVICE with headquarters at THEATRE HILL.

BRIAN DUNFIELD BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, NOTARY, Board of Trade Bldg., St. John's. Telephone 422.

WANTED For a limited period, Two Stenographers, engagement to begin immediately. Please state experience and salary required; apply to OFFICE, P.O. Box 1345, apr.14

1 "Wagner" piano, splendid tone; 1 "Schwick" piano, mahogany case; 1 4 h.p. Acadia engine, 1 polished oak bedroom suite, consisting of: ladies' dressing case, bureau and washstand; 3 mahogany drawing room chairs, in perfect condition; 1 rosewood French cabinet, 1 brass fender, 1 ladies' French Ivory dressing table with triple winged mirrors, bench to match, with glass claw legs; 1 baby carriage, 1 Singer sewing machine, 1 W. E. cabinet, 1 mahogany framed couch, green plush covering; 4 bedsteads, springs and mattresses, 1 5-piece suite furniture, 3 4-burner Florence oil cookers, 1 kitchen cupboard, 1 small stove, 1 W. E. top kitchen table, 1 solid oak mantel, lot of pictures and picture frames without reserve, etc.

FRESH TO-DAY. (Wholesale and Retail) Sausages, Pork Tea Roll, Jellied Pork Tongue, Jellied Veal, Cold Loaf, Bacon, Eggs, Ham, Bologna & Butter. COFFEN & MCKAY, 2 LeMarchant Rd. Phone 831. mar27,3mo,ed

For Sale. 1 Driving Mare, 9 years old, weight 1000 lbs. 1 General Purpose Horse, weight 1150 lbs. 1 Driving Horse, weight 900 lbs. 1 Express. 3 Sets Harness. WM. BRENNAN, Phone 1461. mar31,41

KILBRIDE SWEEP (2nd WEEK—LUCKY NUMBERS.) NO. 121461—PRIZE \$50.00 Drawn by Watty Reid. Witnesses: Wm. Barker, Leo English, S. Fraser, Mike Savage, J. I. Quinton. apr.2,31

NOTICE There will be a Meeting of the Star of the Sea Ladies' Association this Thursday evening, April 2nd, at 8.30 o'clock. A. J. BUCKLEY, Secretary. Keep Easter Monday night open for a Big Card Party and Dance at the Star. apr.2,11

J. B. URQUHART, Agent for The Steel Co. of Canada, Ltd. The Merchant's Marine Insurance Co., Ltd. The Employer's Liability and Accident Insurance Co., Ltd. The Crown Cork and Seal Co. Office upstairs G. Kearney's New Building, Water Street. J. B. URQUHART, mar30,61 apr.2,11

LOST—On Tuesday, a Gold-Plated Watch with chain attached. Finder will be rewarded upon returning same to this office. apr.2,31

POPULAR DOWDEN AND EDWARDS AUCTIONEERS AUCTION. AT THE EMPIRE HALL, Tuesday, April 7th, A quantity of High Class Furniture etc. Dowden & Edwards, apr.2,31 Auctioneers.

Nothing is Left to Chance from the time we take your prescription, until the finished package is handed back to you, it is handled by competent registered pharmacists of long experience. We buy only the best standard drugs and chemicals, to use in your prescriptions, and they are compounded exactly as the doctor ordered. WHY NOT BRING THEM TO US! PETER O'MARA, THE DRUGGIST, THE REGALL STORE, mar21,3mo,s,m,w

FOR SALE. 1 5-Passenger Chalmers Motor Car, very little used; apply to WALTER WILLS, c/o Bowring Bros. Ltd., Office. apr.2,31

Our Own WHY OH WHY? Not a Cross Word Puzzle, neither is it an April Fool Question. What we want to know is—Why do some of the Housekeepers in St. John's buy high priced imported cake when they can get a very good Raisin or Ginger Cake weighing 1/4 lb. each for the small sum of 5c. Practically all the grocery stores in St. John's are supplied daily by us with these cakes. We would suggest that you give them a trial and be convinced of their most excellent quality. SPECIAL—WEDDING and BIRTHDAY CAKES TO ORDER. East End Baking Company apr.12,1

FEILDIAN CLUB. The Annual Meeting of the Feildian Club will be held on Thursday, April 2nd, at B. F. C. Hall, at 8.15 p.m. All ex-pupils of B. F. C. are cordially invited to be present. H. C. HAYWARD, Hon. Secretary. mar30,apr.1,2

FOR SALE—One Handsome Bassall Piano; apply to 9 Cavell Ave. apr.2,31

WANTED—4 or 5 Unfurnished Rooms, either on Theatre Hill or in that locality; reply by letter to "ENQUIRER," c/o Evening Telegram Office. apr.2,31,th,m

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FOR SALE. FREEHOLD HOUSE, No. 6 Bowring Row, Merrymeeting Rd. A bargain for a quick purchaser, immediate possession; apply to H. R. LILLY on the premises, or R. A. PARSONS, Solicitor, Bank of Montreal Building. mar31,51

STEWART'S FANCY BAKERY Easter Dainties Important to Housekeepers! We can supply you with Raw Pastry by the pound. Orders taken for Pastry Strips, Oyster Pattie Cases, Mince and Fruit; Sponge Cakes, recommended by leading physicians for invalids; Genuine French Sponge Cake by the pound; Lady's Fingers, etc. Meringues a specialty. In English Baking, we reign supreme. STEWART'S FANCY BAKERY (OPPOSITE KING GEORGE INSTITUTE) WATER STREET EAST. apr.1,31,td

NOTICE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC. I am now prepared to buy all kinds of second hand Stoves of all sizes, also stove parts. Enamelware of every description repaired, bottoms replaced, also 1 good Second Hand Range for sale. Apply to LEO LAYMAN, 47 Wickford St. apr.1,31

FOR SALE—Aerated Water Machinery, consisting of one Pump and Carbonator complete (new), one Automatic Crown, one Foot Crowder, and one Bottle Filling Machine; apply by letter to P. O. BOX 1333, City. mar23,m,th,t

WANTED—A House (to rent) centrally located, must have modern conveniences; apply by letter to Box 32 this office. apr.2,11

For Sale! That freehold property known as Farrell's situate on the corner of Duckworth Street and Custom House Hill and consisting of two dwelling houses and two shops together with large basements. The property will be sold separately or as a whole and terms can be arranged for purchaser. For further particulars apply to WOOD & KELLY, Temple Building, Duckworth St. mar24,2

PUBLIC NOTICE. Tenders will be received at the office of the Department of Public Works up to noon of Wednesday, the 8th day of April next, for the purchase of the Old Court House and Gaol Building at Ferryland with land in connection therewith measuring roughly about 115 by 80 feet. The building is of stone and wood construction. The Government will not be bound to accept the highest or any tender. C. E. RUSSELL, Minister of Public Works, St. John's, Newfoundland, March 25th, 1925. mar30,apr.2,4,6

FOR SALE. A VERY DESIRABLE FARM situated on Freshwater Road, about ten minutes walk from city, containing 22 acres of farm land, with a frontage of 2000 ft. of building ground; same will be disposed of in building lots or as required, also a Farm on Thornburn Road, containing 45 acres. For further particulars apply 27 Freshwater Road. mar31,3,ed

"Popular Business Manager Narrowly Escaped Drowning." Yesterday's Telegram reported a near drowning accident to a popular visiting-business manager. Only a few days before, this Company issued him our best Pilot Accident Contract in a substantial amount, and he certainly very little expected to be so close to a possible tragedy. But—Who knows, WHEN or WHERE or HOW? When the cost of accident insurance is trifling, who wants to be without it? \$7,500 Principal Sum, and \$25.00 Weekly Benefit, only \$25.00 yearly. U.S. FIDELITY & GUARANTY CO. J. J. LACEY, Nfld. General Agent. mar24,ed,td Board of Trade Bldg. apr.2,11

The Avalon Dye Works, Duckworth Street, Phone 80. P.O. Box E5143. apr.2,31,ed

FOR SALE—General Purpose Horse (weight about 1000 lbs.), Victoria Wagon, 1 Set Carriage Harness; apply MRS. JAS. BRADBURY, Summer Street. mar31,31

WANTED—A Woman or Reliable Girl for general housework, must be willing to understand general cooking; apply to the CENTRAL FRUIT STORE. apr.2,11

Taxi Service HIGH-CLASS CAR, 7-passenger; good driver; prompt service; rates reasonable. Phone 2827, Night Phone 678. GEORGE GILLIES, 48 Gower Street. HOUSES WANTED. We have a number of prospective PURCHASERS listed on our books with 1/4 to 1/2 of the Purchase money to pay on HOUSES suitable for their requirements, to which we are prepared to loan them the balance of the purchase price; thereby assuring parties having HOUSES FOR SALE, when doing business through us of a CASH transaction. NOW is the time to give us full particulars, as most of our clients are desirous of getting occupation this Spring. Prices ranging from \$1,000.00 to \$4,000.00. FRED J. ROIL & CO., Real Estate & Insurance Agents, Smallwood Bldg., Duckworth St. oct.1,11

FOR SALE—That Freehold Property situate Water Street West, immediately opposite Royal Bank of Canada. For particulars apply to WOOD & KELLY, Temple Bldg., Duckworth Street. mar14,11

WANTED—A General Maid reference required; apply A. E. HOLMES, Seaman's Institute. mar18,11

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LORD MORDEN'S DAUGHTER — OR — THE TRAGEDY OF THE CEDARS.

CHAPTER V.

"I must, or Esther will come in search of me," Dora whispered, her face crimsoning under his ardent gaze. "My dear little love," he said, softly and tenderly, "I will go, but not for long. I will find Lord Morden; I will solve the secret of his unhappiness, and the mystery that surrounds Captain Deene. As for Marlowe, I shall take a delight in kicking him before long!"

He kissed her a dozen times, and she no longer attempted to evade his caresses. She felt that he was all in the world to her. She had been alarmed by his passion at first, but now she responded with a fervor that astonished herself.

"Good-by, my darling," he said, again and again. "I will not delay one moment, and your face will ever be before me. If anything happens, you have my address—my father's address, and he will be glad to receive you."

"I will remember what you say, Edmund!"

How sweetly the name lingered on her lips! Does any woman who truly loves ever forget the first time she uttered the name of the man she loved?

There was a sweet, lingering embrace, and then Locksley turned and was hidden by the thick trees. With his kisses still warm upon her cheek—his impassioned words in her ears, Dora stood for a few moments, bewildered and frightened. It had all been so sudden that it seemed unreal; this world of happiness was too beautiful to be true.

Dare she face Esther? Would not those keen eyes detect the change in her? Would she not read the joy that must shine in every feature?

She was still clutching the scrap of paper that her lover had given to her, and now she smoothed it out, and read:

EDMUND LOCKSLEY,
Care Norman Locksley,

The Cedars,
Streatham, London, W.

Then she carefully folded it, and was about to put it into a place of safety, when there was a quick step behind her, and a man's burly figure burst into the summer-house.

It was Mr. Richard Marlowe!

CHAPTER VI.

Viscount Melville was very much surprised that evening when Locksley returned to the Queen's Hotel two hours earlier than he had promised, and not only that, he started his friend by inquiring if it were possible to get back to the city that night!

Melville informed him that it was quite possible, but that they would not reach Streatham until nearly midnight.

"Why this sudden haste, my dear fellow? You have quite upset my di-

rection. What has come over you lately?"

"I will tell you all in good time," smiled Locksley.

"What did the captain think of the news you took him?" asked the viscount, a little curiously.

"Was rather surprised to hear that Lord Morden was living," replied Edmund, evasively. "But he will not be satisfied until I have actually seen his lordship, and I have promised to obtain an introduction, and be convinced that he is really in the flesh."

"What arrant nonsense," said the viscount, contemptuously. "Has the old captain lost his reason? For all that you know to the contrary, Lord Morden may be exploring the Nile, or—

—the North Pole in a balloon!"

"I don't think so," Locksley replied, seriously; "and as I have promised to find him, and bear to him a message of vital importance to more persons than one, if necessary I will engage the best detective talent that money will buy."

Melville knocked an ornament off the mantelpiece, for the sole purpose of stooping to hide his face.

"A copy of the Madonna in plaster of Paris," he grumbled, ruefully. "There goes four shillings and sixpence! Ah! News of vital importance to Lord Morden? My dear fellow, you interest me. Perhaps I may be permitted to share in the secret?"

"Not at present, Melville, not at present. You will pardon me, old friend, but this is a matter which has been confided strictly to me. If you can assist me to find Lord Morden, or direct me to any person likely to know anything of his movements, I shall be your eternal debtor. If not, I shall lay the case in the hands of an expert detective to-morrow. You have already told me that you saw him a year ago—in Paris. I do not think that it will be very difficult to trace him, unless he is travelling incog."

They left Broadstairs next morning by an early train, and proceeded direct to Streatham, where the elder Locksley lived in retirement in a handsome mansion called "The Cedars."

Viscount Melville had taken the precaution to telegraph their movements to Mr. Norman Locksley, and a carriage awaited them at Streatham station.

The viscount appeared to be ill at ease, but Locksley was too much occupied with his own thoughts to notice this, and resolved, after meeting his father, to commence his inquiries concerning Lord Morden, for his dear lord's sake.

When the carriage reached "The Cedars," he noticed, for the first time, what a gloomy, prisonlike place it was. The grounds were surrounded by a somber-looking redbrick wall fully ten feet high, and the top was spiked to keep out intruders.

His father was standing in the doorway, a tall man, with silvery hair and beard, whose stern face was marked with lines of care.

He promptly came forward when Edmund alighted, and took his son by the hand.

"I am glad to see you back, my boy," he said, simply. "We parted in anger, and both were equally to blame. Melville wrote about some adventure of yours. If anything had happened to you it would have killed me!"

Edmund grasped his father's hand warmly, and vowed that he would never offend him again.

"Melville has also mentioned," continued Mr. Locksley, "that you have at last decided to settle matters between yourself and Lady Clare. She and Sir George are still here."

Edmund flushed guiltily, and mentally consigned Melville to Hong Kong, or some equally distant place, for not minding his own business. Here were fresh complications!

He began to stammer some reply, when Lady Clare Moncrieff and her father put in an appearance, so that it was impossible to make any explanation then.

While Melville and Sir George Moncrieff were talking together, Locksley greeted Lady Clare, and, much against his will, was compelled to lightly kiss the ruddy cheek she turned toward him. It seemed almost sacrilegious to touch any other woman but Dora with his lips now!

"You are looking well, Edmund," observed Lady Clare. "But I cannot say the same for the viscount."

"It would be superfluous to tell you that you are looking handsomer than ever, Clare," replied Locksley.

He followed his valet indoors, and went to his apartments to remove the travel stains from his clothing, and to think how he should approach Lady Clare after lunch. The sooner it was over the better for all concerned.

At the table there was little said. Melville complained of being tired, and Locksley's father was too preoccupied for speech, for he had heard from the viscount the story of his son's acquaintance with Captain Deene.

The meal over, Sir George Moncrieff decided to attend to some business in the city. He knew that his daughter and young Locksley wished to be alone. He also knew that the elder Locksley and Melville had something of importance to discuss, and did not wish to be in the way of either.

In a little while, therefore, Edmund found himself alone with Lady Clare, and never remembered feeling so unhappy in his life before.

"Clare," he began, "I am afraid that there is some misunderstanding concerning my intentions toward you."

"My dear Edmund, you startle me," replied Lady Clare. "You received my letter, of course?"

"Yes."

"And in reply told Melville that matters should be settled between us without further delay?"

"I did," groaned Locksley.

"How troubled you look!" laughed Lady Clare. "One would think I were an ogre!"

She drew up her splendid figure, and displayed two rows of teeth perfect in shape and of dazzling whiteness.

"Clare," went on Locksley, desperately, "you do not understand."

"No, my dear Edmund, I confess that I do not."

"There have never been any professions of love between us."

"Love! What nonsense are you talking? Only moonstruck boys and girls talk of love. We esteem each other, and shall make excellent partners in life, Edmund. We have known each other from childhood almost, and you must not forget the pleasure that the match will give our parents. It is a most desirable one in every way."

Lady Clare glanced at him, with radiant eyes, and flirted her fan.

"I cannot think as you do, Clare," said Locksley. "Indeed, the match can never take place!"

"Edmund!"

Lady Clare gave a little shriek.

"Do you mean to say that you deliberately discard me—that you would dare to insult me in this way?"

(To be continued.)



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Gland Treatment is Hit by British

Medical Council Says It Falls to Find Any Beneficial Results.

London.—The return of youth and rejuvenation of mankind by means of the Steinhach and Voronoff gland treatment is but a dream, according to the British Medical Research Council. The Council does not actually use these words, or specifically refer to the Steinhach, Voronoff methods, but in its annual report, referred to a series of exhaustive experiments along these lines, the council says:

"No constant beneficial influence upon tuberculosis, nor upon the mental or muscular weakness found in the senile was observed."

The studies and experiments which were carried out by Britain's leading physicians and scientists at five principal hospitals and infirmaries, were undertaken to test "numerous recorded observations" suggesting a beneficial influence of extracts of the glands in the treatment of old age and of some infectious diseases, especially tuberculosis.

Even if the dream of perpetual youth is not realized, the council's report contains good news and quotes valuable discoveries for combating sickness. The researchers state that the apparent interchangeability of light and of vitamin action is opening new chapters alike in theoretical physiology and in preventing medicine which are of the first interest and importance.

"All these studies, still in active progress, have given new hopes, of which some are already realized, of the widespread diminution of diseases and of a great future improvement in the health, stature and beauty of the people of this country," says the report.

An interesting account is given of experiments which showed that olive oil exposed to sunlight until bleached killed tubercle bacilli more speedily than olive oil which had not been so exposed. These experiments are continuing.



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GREB AND WILSON.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 25.—Harry Greb, middleweight champion, to-day signed for a ten-round fight with Johnny Wilson, former champion, at Douglas, on April 17th. Greb's title will not be at stake, as the men will box at catchweights.

NERVES AND FAINTING SPELLS

Sent Woman to Bed. Great Change After Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Sarnia, Ontario.—"After my girls were born I was a wreck. My nerves were too terrible for words and I simply could not stand or walk without pain. I suffered with fainting spells until I was no longer any good for my household duties and had to take to my bed. The doctor said I should have an operation, but I was not in a fit condition at that time. My neighbor said, 'Why don't you try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?' I am sure it will do you good and will save those doctor's bills. So I was advised by my husband to try it after I told him about it. I am very thankful to say that I was soon able to take a few boarders for a while as rooms were scarce at that time. My baby is 17 months old now and I have not yet had an operation, thanks to the medicine. I have recommended the Vegetable Compound to a few people I know and have told them the good it has done me. I know I feel and look a different woman these last few months and I certainly would not be without a bottle of your medicine in the house. You can use this letter as you see fit, as I should be only too glad for those suffering as I have to know what it has done for me."

Mrs. ROSAMUND MACGARGOR, R. R. No. 2, Sarnia, Ontario.

A recent canvass of women users of the Vegetable Compound reported 18 out of 100 received beneficial results. C

The Prospects of the Jap-Russian Treaty

TOKYO, March 20.—(C.P.)—Japan is expected to reap a commercial harvest as a result of the Japanese-Russian trade treaty that has recently been negotiated. A survey of economic conditions by experts shows that when normal times return, Japan will benefit enormously because of the vast undeveloped natural resources of Russia, and that at the same time Russia also will profit much in the development of her raw materials and the general growth of her industries with the aid of Japanese capital and expert labor.

Japan will gain from Russia fishing rights, forest privileges, rice growing industries, shipping, oil and fax industries, while Russia will be able to supply her markets with Japanese cotton and silk, textiles, chemicals, machinery and take advantage of the other's shipping facilities.

That the fishing industries along Siberia's coast will witness rapid development is the belief of business men of both countries. Practically all of the East Siberian forestry rights will be in the hands of the Japanese when detailed agreements on industrial concessions are drawn up.

Although the Soviet government protects its textile industry by creating a trust, the cost of production is still high, and if Japanese cotton and silk goods can be placed in the Siberian markets, both countries will be able to benefit.

What Soviet Russia lacks most today is adequate shipping facilities. Most of her exports are carried by foreign ships, and in this respect Japan can come to the aid of the Russians by offering the services of her large merchant fleet.

On the heels of the signing of the commercial treaty, the launching of a huge Japanese business corporation for the exploitation of the lumber resources of Siberia, to be backed by some of the most powerful interests in Japan, has been announced. The company will operate under the name of the Russian Forestry Society.

Japanese interests also intend to develop the oil resources of Siberia and Saghalien, to which exclusive rights are now held.

Sugar or Molasses

A gallon of Molasses which retails for about 90 cents to one dollar, contains from 6 to 7 pounds of Sugar, and at one dollar per gallon, the sugar content costs over 12 cents per pound; therefore molasses as a sweetening agent is more expensive than sugar.

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Light in the Fruit Garden

NEW WESTMINSTER, March 11.—(C.P.)—Farmers of the Fraser valley who feel the call of the bright light have only to go to their poultry houses to be dazzled with lights as bright as those of the Great White Way itself. But, while days un-naturally lengthened by electricity have generally come to be accepted as an effective method of speeding up production in the egg plants, the announced intention of one grower of small fruit in the Burquitlam district to install a lighting system in his patches has stirred up much discussion.

With six rows of raspberry canes flooded with light, this progressive grower contends, the berry pickers will be enabled to gather the ripe fruit during the cool nights in those few weeks at the height of the season when the hot days are all too short in which to "pick clean" the bushes of their fast-ripening crop.

Scuffers at the innovation maintain that the pickers will spend the greater part of their time awaiting mosquitoes and the other insects which would be attracted by the glow. Another problem is that of finding the extra pickers who would be required. This type of labor is always difficult to secure during the comparatively short picking season, and it is anticipated that, with the eight hour day being enforced under the recently enacted provincial statute, this commodity

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Soviet Representatives in Paris to Discuss Economic Matters—Settlement of Mines Dispute Look Hopeless—Revenue in Great Britain Shows Slight Surplus Over Expenditure.

THINGS THAT MIGHT BE FORGOTTEN.

MONTREAL, April 1. Shown a despatch from London in which Sir Laming Worthington Evans, British Secretary for War, was quoted as saying in reply to questions in the Commons that twenty-five Canadian soldiers had been executed for military offences during the war, five New Zealanders and no Australians, General Sir Arthur Currie, former Commander in Chief of the Canadian corps, said the bringing up of this unpleasant subject was most unfortunate, and it was hard to conceive why such questions should be asked in the British House or answered. He said the comparison between Canadians and Australians indicated nothing, as the system of court martials would account for the exemption of Australians from suffering the extreme penalty. "If the facts of the case are reported by the Canadian Press are correct, I consider the British Government has committed another stupid blunder, and

struck a dangerous blow at imperial friendship," said Sir Arthur.

BRITAIN WILL HAVE SMALL SURPLUS.

LONDON, April 1. When a short month hence Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, makes his budget statement to parliament he will be in nothing like such a favourable position to carry out his taxation relief as was his predecessor, Philip Snowden, in 1924. The national accounts a year ago showed balance of revenue over expenditures of approximately £49,000,000. This year the corresponding balance is only about £3,658,000. The figures for the year are, revenue £795,435,595, expenditures £791,776,711.

SOVIET EXPERTS IN PARIS.

PARIS, April 1. Four Soviet experts have arrived in Paris for negotiations of an economic nature with the French Government. Leonid Krassin, Soviet Ambassador,

has requested the Government to set a time and place for the first meeting.

LONG TIE-UP EXPECTED.

GLACE BAY, April 1. With the opening of the St. Lawrence River navigation only two weeks away, it was noted here to-day that the coal company's fleet of steamers were not yet manned, or making preparations to carry on the trade, while at this time last year the crews were all signed on and awaiting for the river to open. Indications to-day were that a long idleness might be expected from the present labor tie-up which will be four weeks' old Friday night. No information was available from either the Besco or the United Mine Workers, both of which stated, there was nothing to report.

FLOOD CONDITIONS IN MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, April 1. The flood crisis has not passed. At noon to-day there were 55 feet of water in the 40 foot harbor channel with every indication of continued rise. Conditions were reported as "somewhat more serious" than they were yesterday, although surprisingly little damage has resulted from the unprecedented rise of the St. Lawrence Back River and River Des Prairies. During the night in Montreal North, citizens went about in canoes and row boats with flashlights receding "imprisoned" women and children and cattle. For a time there was danger of the entire village being swamped.

CHURCH UNION VOTE.

TORONTO, April 1. The summary issued to-day by the Church Union Bureau of Information shows 1828 Presbyterian Churches

have voted in favor of Church Union and 559 against.

DOUBLE SUICIDE.

BANCROFT, April 1. That Mrs. Nettie Wilson, aged 42, and her daughter Shirley, aged 14, committed suicide by drowning on March 18, was the verdict of a coroner's jury which investigated the double tragedy which occurred at Port Stewart on Fraser Lake.

\$100,000 FIRE.

ST. THOMAS, Ont., April 1. Fire of unknown origin to-day destroyed the canning factory of the Dominion Cannery, Ltd., at West Lorne, and contents; loss \$100,000.

BRITAIN'S BEEB BILL.

LONDON, April 1. Great Britain is getting wetter and wetter. The Prohibitionist Organization in a report just issued, asserts that during 1924 the total beer bill of the country was £148,000,000 against £76,000,000 for milk. The alliance also figures the total spent on all intoxicating liquors in 1924 amounted to £316,000,000, compared with £307,000,000 in 1923.

SUICIDE.

One night I journeyed to the pond, intent on suicide; I hoped and felt the great beyond a moment's comfort would provide, for, since my sad existence dawned, I had been sorely tried. I had a string of maiden aunts who made my life seem hard, and cousins who would wear my pants when I was not on guard; they came from many distant haunts and camped around the yard. Oh, I had relatives to burn, and most of them were twins; they ate the product of my churn, and squashes in the bins; they raked the cupboard, each in turn, and emptied jars and tins. So now I viewed the splashing wave, and said, all sick and sore, "When I have found a sloppy grave, no relatives will hore, and Cousin Jane and Uncle Dave will trouble me no more. When my poor weary soul has soared to yonder glowing skies I won't be called on to afford relief to hungry kays, no aunts around my groning board will eat my costly pies." But then there came another thought that chilled me to the toes; I saw that self destruction brought another grist of woes; and so I, stricken and distraught, from that pond's margin rose. I would more relatives' accost upon the other shore, a hundred aunts who were not lost, but merely gone before, and Uncle John, who was a frost, and cousins by the score. I heaved a wild and frenzied laugh, and jumped upon my hat, and said, "If dead I still must quaff a cup from sorrow's vat; far better stay and stand the gaff, than take a chance on that."

Not Old at Ninety

Every morning an old man of ninety-five leaves his suburban home for the City, where he is the manager of a large business. His is probably a record, but there are many other old folk whose activities are remarkable. A woman painter who died not long ago at the age of ninety-three did not begin as an artist until she had passed her seventieth birthday. In the following twenty-three years she achieved distinction as a painter of religious subjects. Many elderly people travel when they might be excused for preferring a chair by the fire. A London woman, only five years off her century, enjoys twelve-mile trips on the trams and thinks nothing of walking through Green Park on fine days; while at the age of seventy-eight an enthusiastic walker recently tramped from John O'Groat's to Land's End, a distance of nine hundred miles. In sports, too, many old people line up with the youngsters. An elderly woman began swimming, when she had passed her sixtieth birthday, and still frequents the baths. But the

Serenade

Oh light 'tis not wealth I woo,
In truth my love is all for you.
You may be close on fifty-two,
If you were ninety, you would do.
Matilda Jane I love you dear,
This vile report about your hair
Is false, yes false, to that I swear,
Matilda mine oh say you care.
They say your teeth are not your own,
I'd love you, if you'd one alone.
Oh Jenny, hear my piteous moan,
And let me share your golden throne.
Oh I will love you all my life,
Or yours, when that you are my wife
All will be bliss, we'll have no strife,
Yes, you the butter, I the knife.
Come say you will be mine for aye,
And say it quick, my love I pray,
I fear me, that on any day,
My debts will lock me far away.
NEMO DIXIT.

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Just Folks.

By EDGAR GUEST.

THE OCEAN.
To-day the waves are running high
And angrily they roar;
Above them is a sullen sky
And fogsams strews the shore.
Wind-tossed and whipped and white
With foam,
Like refugees they race
From some grim terror, pressing near
To find a safer place.
But yesterday their skies were fair
And these poor waves which run
To break at last to such despair
Were rippling in the sun.
They laughed and sang about the feet
Of children on the sand,
Tired wanderers found their music sweet,
And lovers, hand in hand.
When dies this storm of rage and strife
These waves again shall play,
And hide the hurts of grief and strife
As men must do to-day.

Here is the mirror of our years
Upon the ocean's breast,
We have our times of cruel tears
And then with peace are blest.

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The Prince's First Levee

A PICTURE OF SHY DIGNITY.

A picture of shy but happy dignity framed in the gold and silver of a state coach, the Prince of Wales, wearing Welsh Guards uniform and the Order of the Garter, drove through a cheering crowd to represent the King at a Levee for the first time. The crowd formed a narrow avenue between York House and St. James's Palace, down which there drove two state coaches, the first occupied by the Prince and the Master of the Horse, the Earl of Granard, and the other by Brig-General G. F. Trotter, Military Secretary, and Lieut. W. D. C. Greenacre, Equerry-in-Waiting. Life Guards formed the escort, and as the coaches passed through the great gates into the inner courtyard of St. James's Palace the National Anthem was played. The Lord Chamberlain, the Earl of Cromer, received the Prince, who walked through corridors lined with Gentleman-at-Arms and Yeomen of the Guard to the Throne Room. Those presented at the Levee numbered nearly 1,000, representing the Forces, Diplomacy, and Politics of this country, and the Governments of a dozen others. The Levee lasted for an hour and a half, and the Prince throughout acted with great dignity and charm and knowledge of procedure. Afterwards he had luncheon with the King and Queen at Buckingham Palace—Daily Mail, March 11.

—By Bud Fisher

AND JEFF

THIS IS MORE THAN MUTT CAN DOPE OUT.

LISEN, JULIUS: MUTT DOESN'T KNOW A THING ABOUT YOU! I'VE NEVER TOLD HIM I HAD A TWIN BROTHER. AND AS SOON AS I GET OVER THIS SEASICKNESS, WE'LL HAVE SOME FUN WITH HIM!

SURE! I'M SORRY YOU'RE SICK, JEFF!

JEFF: THIS SEA AIR GIVES ME A FIERCE APPETITE! LET'S GO DOWN AND PACK IN SOME TRIPE AND—

MUTT: FOR THE LOVE OF MIKE, HAVE A HEART! I'M SEA SICK!

SEA SICK, EH?

OOH, I'M AS SICK AS A DOG! THE MERE MENTION OF FOOD STARTS MY STOMACH TO CHURNING! PLEASE GO!

JEFF'S A SICK MAN, BUT THAT'S NO REASON WHY I SHOULDN'T HANG ON THE FEED BAG!

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Radiatorial Comment

Radiations from faulty electric power lines or equipment constitute an elusive, annoying and widespread source of interference to pleasurable radiocast and code reception. They are elusive because they may vary with weather conditions and are often difficult to locate, especially if coming from some part of a system miles away from the fault actually producing the disturbances. They are annoying, not alone in making reception disagreeable, but also because their correction usually lies beyond the ability of the listener. They are widespread because liable to occur wherever power lines go.

The trouble is not due to the receiver, which is merely performing its normal function of detecting radiations, but to the electric power system, whose function is to transmit or utilize power and not to radiate it. These radiations are not caused by the useful sixty-cycle current, which is comparatively inaudible and not easily radiated, but by high frequency oscillations produced by arcing grounds, leakage over defective insulators, or anything else causing an electric spark discharge.

While they represent a greater or less waste of energy their main objection, from the power company's viewpoint, is the possibility of a future break in the continuity of service. Their occurrence is a danger signal which it is to the company's self-interest to investigate.

But of far greater significance than this physical break is the danger of a break in the continuity of friendly relation with the public. No one can feel friendly to a company whose equipment is a constant source of annoyance. The \$75,000,000 additional annual revenue which radio has brought to the power companies through battery charging and later hours of home lighting is but a drop in the bucket when compared with the public good-will which is thus being seriously jeopardized.

Most power companies are fully alive to this situation, although a few still inform complainants that they are not interested. But knowing of a situation and taking active steps to correct it are two entirely different matters. Some of the companies have made more or less half-hearted efforts to locate trouble after it has been called to their attention but, so far as we are informed, none have taken the initiative in finding these faults before complaints are registered.

It is no more difficult for a power company to know of this interference than for a consumer to be annoyed by it. A sensitive radio receiving set in each district office, substation and power plant will give notice as soon as defects occur and a crew can be sent out to remedy them at once. The expense of this would be negligible in comparison with the value of the goodwill thus preserved, especially if the power company lets it be known that sincere efforts are being made to locate and prevent such interferences. Furthermore the company would have facts instead of surmises to answer many complaints of interference which are not caused by their equipment.

There are admittedly many difficult technical problems to be solved before all of these undesirable radiations can be eliminated. This is a task for the radio engineers, at least one of whom should be employed by every large power company. A great deal of helpful information is already available in connection with the elimination of the somewhat similar inductive interference of power lines with telephone lines. Much of it can be applied with profit to the present problem.

Heretofore there has been much talk but little action. The time has come for the power companies to act voluntarily. The public is long-suffering, but patience sometimes ceases to be a virtue. Unless corrective action is soon taken some astute politician will ride into office on a slogan of non-radiating power lines, his support coming from thirty million irate radio fans.

Finally the Federal law definitely forbids transmission without a license. It is beyond the realm of belief that any power company can secure a license to maintain a public nuisance!

London Post Uses Straw Pulp Paper
 EXPERIMENT MAY RESULT IN HUGE NEW INDUSTRY IN CANADA.

LONDON, March 18.—For the first time in history a British morning newspaper came out this morning on straw pulp paper.
 The Morning Post which this morning is issued on Devaine's process paper says that it promises to revolutionize the papermaking trade and that it will be a vast new world industry in which the Empire may be expected to profit materially.

The process in which the only chemicals used are common salt and lime has been tried out in French factories with astonishingly successful results, and the experiments are to be continued in Canada, where there is an abundance of straw after the threshing. There is every prospect therefore, if the process is successful,

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H. A. Gwynne, the editor, has been the prime mover in the new experiment.

Those Atlantic Rollers

At one of the many social functions he attended during his last visit to New York, Sir Harry Lauder confessed to his host that he was not a particularly good sailor.
 "On the passage over here," he is reported to have said, "we had some pretty rough weather, and once or twice I felt rather like the Burnley man who went with his son on a pleasure trip to the Isle of Man.
 "He was very, very seasick, and when the boat was half-way across, he said to his son:
 "Jimmy, I've gotten a stick w' a silver knob on 't at hoam. Tha can have it. There's ten quid 't the bank, and that's for 't burryin'. And, Jimmy, bury me in 't Isle of Man. I can't stand this trip again, alive or dead!"

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Fresh Blue Point Oysters.

Obituary

Capt. William Carroll, a well known master mariner, passed away at 10.30 Tuesday night. The funeral takes place at Mount Carmel Cemetery at 2.30 p.m. to-morrow. Deceased retired from sea service about ten years ago, when he was appointed to a position as Tidesman in the Customs Department. Capt. Carroll was born at King's Cove, B.B. in 1859, and was in his 65th year. He was educated at the High School there under the late M. Cuddihy of Torbay, and leaving school at 16 he went to the fishery. After spending several years at the shore and codfishery he went to the Banks as master, also as master on the Labrador. He moved to Placentia in the early nineties and was banking as master out of that port for several years. He went subsequently as master in the following schooners:—Dolphin, Nonpareil, Ronald C. Josemite and Columbia. He followed the coasting trade and also made voyages to the Maritime Provinces and to Europe. He served his apprenticeship at the fishery with the late Capt. Arthur Jackman who had a great regard for him. Subsequently he went master of S.S. Kite out of Bowring's in the Gulf two springs. He afterwards went in the schooner Cordelia to Oporto. He was with Capt. Jackman when he brought out the S.S. Aurora and Eagle to Newfoundland, and on the whole had a life of active experience in the seafaring life of Newfoundland as has been equalled by few men. He came of good seafaring stock of three Newfoundland generations, and was able to endure all kinds of hardship. He was a quiet man but full of energy for work and well liked by the men who used to go with him on his voyages. His son is following in his footsteps and is now 3rd Mate on S.S. Sylvia. He leaves besides a wife, two daughters, one sister and a brother, to whom the Telegram extends its sympathy.

"Blue Bird Tea Brings Happiness."

In the Realms of Sport

ST. BOY'S HOCKEYISTS PRESENT TIE-CUP TO THEIR ALMA MATER.

A very pleasing function took place at St. Bonaventure's College on Tuesday morning at 12 o'clock when a committee from the old St. Bon's Hockey Association formally presented to Rev. Bro. Ryan the Principal, the Tie-Cup, won by the St. Bon's team the present season. The Tie-Cup has now been won outright by the St. Bon's team and for the future will repose at the College with the other numerous athletic trophies won by the College teams in the different fields of athletic endeavour. In the presence of the assembled pupils the cup was formally handed over to Bro. Ryan by Mr. J. G. Higgins, the manager of the team. Bro. Ryan in his reply congratulated the work of the team and heartily congratulated them on their success, but more still on having always "played the game." Short addresses were also made by Mr. Cyril J. Cahill, M.H.A., Vice-President of the St. Bon's Hockey Association, and by Dr. V. P. Burke, and as a proper finale the Principal announced that a half holiday would be granted.

TO-NIGHT'S BOWLING

7.30—Dunfield vs. St. Andrew's. 9.00—C.E.I. vs. T.A. There were no games played at the Alley last night.

PLAIN SIDE LEADING 125 POINTS.

The Masonic Billiard Tournament between Spot and Plain, was continued last night. The evening games were played and Plain side is now leading by 125 points. The result of the games as played, are as follows:— Spot Plain W. Roger—278 W. Thistle—300 G. Anderson—300 K. W. Mercer—296 G. Freeman—300 D. P. Duff—212 H. Worsley—200 R. Kennedy—185 E. Gear—115 E. W. Taylor—200 J. T. Lamb—94 W. Joseph—200 H. Ross—300 B. Peel—251 To-night's games will be:— 7.30—A. C. Sellars vs. D. R. Thistle; F. Hamlin vs. J. Lindberg. 9.00—W. F. Joyce vs. F. E. Rabbitts; A. Collins vs. Ian Johnston. (For other Sport News, see page 15)

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Second Weeks Drawing

The second drawing in the Kilbride Sealing Sweepstake took place last night. The lucky numbers for this week are as follows:—121, 161, and 110, 616. The holders of tickets with the above numbers are each entitled to \$50.00.

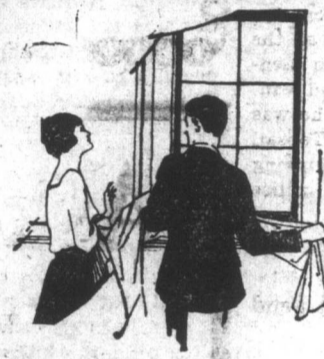
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From Cape Race

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day, nothing in sight. Bar, 29.97. Ther. 45.

SPECIAL BARGAINS New Easter Merchandise Friday and Saturday

Brighten the Home with New Curtains



Casement Cloth. White Casement Cloth with pretty lace edge and inserted insertion. 54 inches wide, a good looking and serviceable Spring Curtaining. Regular 70c. yard. Sale Price 61c. Cream and White Casement Cloth, 54 inches wide, with lace edge and inserted insertion of pretty designs. Will give your windows the popular tone for Easter and Spring. Reg. 90c. yard. Sale Price 80c. Cream Lace. Cream Curtain Lace in very pretty all over designs; 60 inches wide; very special value. Reg. 75c. yard. Sale Price 64c.

Pretty Ribbon

New Ribbon. Very fine Silk Corded Ribbon, in pretty self-colored Lacquered designs, 5 1/2 inches wide; shades of Brown, Grey, Navy, Green, Sage and Jade. Regular 60c. yard. Sale Price 54c. Lingerie Braid. Dainty Silk Lingerie Braid; shades of White, Sky, Pink and Mauve. Regular 15c. piece. Sale Price 13c.

New Gloves for Easter

Fabric Gloves. These are wonderful value and come in shades of Fawn, Grey and Black, one dome fastened, all sizes. Suede finish. Special for Friday and Saturday, the 45c. Fabric Gauntlets. One of the season's newest, in assorted Greys and Fawns, one dome fastened, special Suede finish, scalloped and pleated wrist, fancy back; all sizes. Reg. \$1.00 pair. Sale Price 90c. Women's Gauntlets. The very newest for Spring wear, shades of Beaver, Grey and Fawn, one dome bound with silk braid of self shade and finished with knotted fringe. Others with fancy cuff finished with a cord in pretty laced effect; all sizes. Reg. \$1.25 pair. Sale Price \$1.13. Lisle Gloves. Women's Lisle Gloves, shades of Beaver, Putty, Grey, White and Black; two dome fastened, super-shade and finished with knotted fringe. A very dressy and serviceable glove for Spring wear, splendid value. Reg. 90c. pair. Sale Price 79c.

Special Value in Household Needs

Cushion Covers. Cream Poplin, frilled, neatly embroidered in assorted colors; size 20 x 20. Reg. \$1.05 ea. Sale Price 95c. Sideboard Cloths. Brown Linen Sideboard Cloths, hemstitched and colored embroidered; size 13 x 54. Regular 85c. each. Sale Price 77c. Pillow Cases. Hemstitched and self-embroidered; size 22 x 32, splendid quality. Reg. 85c. each. Sale Price 77c. Toweling. Crash Cup Toweling, with blue border, 16 inches wide; extra good quality. Regular 28c. yard. Sale Price 26c. Smallwares. HARDWOOD COAT HANGERS—Special each 6c. HARDWOOD PANTS OR SKIRT HANGERS—Special each 7c. MENDING WOOL—in slits, all shades. Special 5c. RUBBER SPONGES—Large size. Reg. 30c. each. Sale Price 25c. COKE TABLE MATS—Oval and Square. Reg. 14c. each. Sale Price 12c. SHOE BUFFERS—Covered with heavy lambs wool. Reg. 17c. each. Sale Price 14c. ALUMINUM TEA POTS—Small size. Reg. 55c. each. Sale Price 55c. ALUMINUM CASTOR SETS—Reg. 40c. set. Sale Price 34c. ALUMINUM EGG CUPS—Standard size. Special each 6c. FANCY STRAW SHOPPING BAGS—B.A.S.K.E.T.S.—Assorted shapes. Reg. 175c. each. Sale Price \$1.40.

Easter—The day of Glorious New Apparel is but two short weeks away. In the short time that remains we must supply the immense demand which each year in ever increasing volume is turned to this store as the logical source of supply. Our preparations to meet this demand have been most bountiful. The varieties are practically innumerable, affording the widest possible selection, satisfying individual preferences and embodying that much desired element of exclusiveness. You will find this advertisement brim full of New Easter Merchandise, all offered at greatly reduced prices for this FRIDAY and SATURDAY.

Beautiful DRESSES

As a very special offering for this week-end sale, we have selected two groups of smart Dresses for women. These are some of the newest arrivals, and are up to the minute in style and trimming. Gaberdine Dresses. Some in Coat effect, with Roll collar, fastened at side with fancy button and tied with girde; in Black only, with collar; sleeves and skirt neatly embroidered with Black and Champagne. Others in the straight line effect with Peter Pan collar, long sleeves with turned back cuff, front trimmed from neck to hem with pin tucks, braid and buttons, fitted with smart inset pocket, can be worn with or without narrow girde; colors of Navy and Black, navy and Red, with Silk Braid in Black, Red and Champagne; newest styles. very smart. Reg. \$12.50 each. Sale Price \$10.30. Smart Dresses. A few very smart Dresses in Poret Twill, Figured Twill and Plaid Flannels. Some in one piece style, round neck, elbow sleeves, with girde of self material, neck and sleeves bound with silk braid; others in two pieces, middie and skirt, with Peter Pan collar of contrasting shades, long sleeves with turned back cuffs, also a few in Coat style, with open sleeves nicely embroidered in Black and Red; shades of Brown, Grey and Navy. Reg. \$15.00 each. Sale Price \$12.60. Sport Skirts. Fancy Hop Sack skirts, plain and accordion pleated, nicely trimmed with fancy buttons, 34 and 36 length, 23 to 30 waist. New arrivals, lowly priced. Reg. \$4.85 each. Sale Price \$4.10. Silk Scarves. White Silk Knitted Scarves, 54 inches long, 9 inches wide, finished with knotted fringe. Reg. \$3.35 each. Sale Price \$2.97.



1925 Authentic Blouse Models

Tricolette Smocks. Round neck, half sleeves, with girde, shades of Peach, Emerald, Jade, Tan, Fawn and White. Very special value. Reg. \$3.50 each. Sale Price \$3.00. White Jean Middies. Sailor collar of Navy, Sage and White, finished with braid; patch pocket, long sleeves, buttoned cuff, wide hipper band; sizes 38 to 40. Reg. \$1.85 each. Sale Price \$1.68. Brush Wool Sweaters. Comfortable and extremely smart, in the newest Spring shades, a very necessary part of the new Spring outfit, made with collar that may be buttoned to the throat or worn open, in such striking combinations as Jade and Camel, Peacock and Pearl, also White striped and plain White. Reg. \$5.65 each. Sale Price \$4.69. Dressing Gowns. Captivating Dressing Gowns of fancy Cotton Crepe, v neck, half sleeves, shades of Fawn, Peacock, Rose, Grey, Navy, Pale Blue and Lavender, with pretty all over floral designs, neck and sleeves finished with narrow satin ribbon. Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price \$1.80. Women's Pants. Jersey Ribbed, summer weight, knee length, laced trimmed, open and closed styles, buttoned at hip; assorted sizes. Reg. 55c. pair. Sale Price 47c. Women's Girdles. "Just to clasp" elastic girdles for women; sizes 23 to 30. Reg. \$2.20 each. Sale Price \$1.94. Camisole Tops. Fine Lace Camisole Tops, with straps complete, very pretty. Reg. 65c. each. Sale Price 55c.

Charming Easter Footwear at Sale Prices



Patent Leather Shoes. Black Patent Leather Shoes for women, strap style, in "Bally" design, open work front, military rubber heels, medium toe; sizes 2 1/2 to 6, newest style. Reg. \$5.00 pair. Sale Price \$4.50. Women's Shoes. Grey Buckskin Shoes, fancy one-strap style, two buttoned fastened, military rubber heels, medium toe; sizes 3 to 6. Another new Spring model. Regular \$3.95 pair. Sale Price \$3.56. Misses' Shoes. Brown Calf, cross strap style in cut-out design, natural fitting, rubber heels; sizes 1 to 2. A dressy and serviceable shoe. Reg. \$3.20 pair. Sale Price \$2.88. Infants' Boots. Kid Boots for infants, buttoned style, in Tan and White and Black, fancy trimmed tops, soft sole; sizes 1 to 3. Get baby a pair for Easter. Regular 70c. pair. Sale Price 63c.

Crepe Night Gowns

Women's Nightgowns. Cotton Crepe, plain shades of Pink, Peach, Lavender, Mauve and White, round neck, short sleeves shirring across front, finished with coloured stitching. Reg. 85c. each. Sale Price 76c. Camisoles. White Cambric Camisoles, nicely trimmed with wide Torchon Lace, insertion straps, elastic at waist. Regular 60c. each. Sale Price 53c.

New Spring Dress Goods

Fancy Georgette. Exceptionally pretty shades of Putty, Sage, Grey, Copper and Brown, with beautiful fancy designs; 35 inches wide; one of the very newest creations for Spring. Reg. \$1.80 yard. Sale Price \$1.62. Check Ratine. A pretty material in Fawn and Blue, Maroon and Blue and Grey and Green checks; 56 inches wide; very special value. Reg. 85c. yard. Sale Price 87c. Am Shan. Imitation Shantung Silk, natural shade with crossbar effects of Red, Green and Black; 36 inches wide; a very serviceable material. Reg. 80c. yard. Sale Price 73c. Striped Shirting. White grounds with assorted colored stripes, also White Silk Stripe; 32 inches wide; splendid wearing quality. Reg. 60c. yard. Sale Price 54c. Fancy Maracain. Pretty two-tone effects in all the newest designs and shades for Spring; 35 inches wide. Reg. \$1.80 yard. Sale Price \$1.62.

New Hosiery For Easter

Heather Hose. Women's Ribbed Cashmere Hose, in Heather mixtures of Brown, Green, Fawn and Hello, seamless fashioned leg, spliced feet, plain elastic tops; sizes 9 1/2 to 10. Regular 80c. pair. Sale Price 71c. Cashmere Hose. Shades of Fawn, Mole, Nigger, Grey and Champagne; plain and assorted ribs, seamless fashioned leg, double heels and toes, garter top; sizes 9 to 10. Regular 80c. pair. Sale Price 68c. Silk and Wool Hose. Women's Art Silk and Wool Hose for women, shades of Grey, Fawn, Brown and Black; seamless fashioned leg, double heels and toes, wide suspender tops; sizes 9 to 10. A dressy stocking that looks well and wears well. Reg. \$1.45 pair. Sale Price \$1.29. Women's Hose. Art Silk and Wool Hose for women, shades of Grey, Fawn, Brown and Black; seamless fashioned leg, double heels and toes, wide suspender tops; sizes 9 to 10. A dressy stocking that looks well and wears well. Reg. \$1.45 pair. Sale Price \$1.29.

News of Interest

Our Men's Wear section is now resplendent in all the new things for Easter and Spring wear. New arrivals are crowding us to the limit. Such a big assortment that you are sure of getting exactly what you require and at very low prices for such quality goods. Men's Tweed Suits. A splendid line of Men's Suits in Grey mixed Tweeds, showing the newest style for Spring wear; 3 button coat, plain and cuff bottom pants; sizes 34 to 37. Reg. \$22.75 suit. Sale Price \$20.50. Men's Caps. New arrivals for Spring, shades of Mole, Fawn and Brown, pleated back, with band, all sizes. Very dressy. Reg. \$2.50 each. Sale Price \$2.25. Men's Hats. Soft Felt Hats, in the newest shapes, colors of Grey, Fawn and Brown, block brim, all sizes. A nobby hat for Easter and the Spring. Reg. \$4.50 each. Sale Price \$4.25. Men's Boots—\$4.98. Men! Here are the sizes left in this wonderful Boot bargain: 6 1/2, 7 1/2, 8 and 9 1/2. If your size is here, you are missing the opportunity of your life to secure high grade Leather Boots at a very low price, if you do not get here early to-morrow morning and secure a pair or two before it is too late. Regular values up to \$15.00 pair. Special to clear \$4.98. Special to clear \$4.98.



To the MEN!

Men's Fabric Gloves. Grey Fabric Gloves, Suede finish; sizes 7 to 8 1/2 only, dome fastened, ideal for present wear. Reg. \$1.25 pair. Sale Price \$1.13. Knitted Ties. Anew shipment just received, showing the newest designs and color combinations for 77c. Men's Shirts. Made from special quality English Broadcloth, plain Cream and White, double cuffs, starched collar band; sizes 14 to 17. Reg. \$2.55 each. Sale Price \$2.29. Boys' Blouse Waists. Made from extra strong Percale, 10 1/2 sizes 8 to 15 years; White grounds with assorted colored stripes, long sleeves with sewn wrist-band. Reg. 70c. each. Sale Price 59c. Men's Leggings. Brown and Black Leather Leggings, sizes 14 to 17 1/2; guaranteed all leather, with steel and strap; English manufacture. Reg. \$3.30 pair. Sale Price \$2.97. Boys' Pants. Corduroy Pants to fit boys of 8 to 10 years. Knicker style, 2 side pockets, lined throughout, in assorted shades of Fawn and Brown. Mothers—These are splendid wearing quality, and are just the thing for school wear. Buy him a pair of these and forget how hard he is on clothes. \$1.65. Regular \$2.00 pair. Sale Price \$1.65.

The Royal Stores, Limited

Splendid Value in Stamped Linen

Guest Towels. Fancy Huck Guest Towels, suitable for button-hole edge, stamped in pretty designs ready for working; size 18 x 34. Regular \$1.50 each. Sale Price \$1.34. Serviettes. White Linen Serviettes, suitable for button-holed edge or crochet edge; size 12 x 12. Regular 35c. each. Sale Price 29c. Centres. White Union Linen Centres, stamped in very pretty designs for working; size 35 x 35. Regular \$1.20 each. Sale Price 98c. Tea Cloths. White Linen Tea Cloths, stamped in beautiful Applique designs, ready for working; size 36 x 36. Regular \$2.00 each. Sale Price \$1.69.

New Hearth Rugs at Sale Prices

Velvet Pile Rugs. We have just opened a new shipment of Beautiful Velvet Pile Rugs. A big assortment to choose from in pretty designs and beautiful colorings. Splendid quality with a heavy pile, just what you require to brighten up the home for Easter and the Spring. Very moderately priced. Size 27 x 60. Regular \$ 8.00 each. Sale Price \$ 5.40. Size 33 x 68. Regular \$ 8.25 each. Sale Price \$ 5.75. Size 32 x 74. Regular \$10.00 each. Sale Price \$ 8.65.

Boundary Negotiations Ended

FURTHER CORRESPONDENCE ON LABRADOR BOUNDARY DISPUTE.

Office of the Prime Minister, Province of Quebec, January 30th, 1925.
The Hon. W. S. Monroe, Prime Minister, St. John's, Nfld.
Dear Mr. Monroe— I duly received your letter of the 13th January, which I have carefully considered. I believe that the question to which you refer can eventually be settled. In my judgment, the difficulty lies in the question of the price to be paid to Newfoundland, should we come to a compromise. I do not expect you to commit yourself to any definite amount, but should the price which you ask for the conveyance of the rights which you claim to hold on the disputed territory exceed what we think reasonable, under all circumstances further negotiations would probably be useless. I would therefore suggest that, even in a very confidential way, you might inform me of the minimum amount which you would ask. And, if we agree on this, I believe that the other difficulties may be overcome. Yours sincerely, (Sgd.) L. A. TASCHEREAU.

Office of the Minister of Justice, Ottawa, Canada, March 16th, 1925.
Dear Mr. Premier—The Honourable Mr. Taschereau has sent me a copy of your letter to him on the 4th instant submitting, for consideration, a proposal of settlement upon the basis of the terms outlined therein.

Mr. Taschereau indicates that, so far as Quebec is concerned, the terms of settlement proposed are quite unacceptable; in his view, the amount of compensation stipulated is excessive and the reservations with regard to property rights would lead to endless disputes. As it seems impossible to arrive at an agreement, he considers that the question in dispute must be left to the arbitration of the Judicial Committee, and states that he has written to you in this sense. Speaking for the Dominion Government, I may say that I am of the same opinion. The project of settlement outlined in your letter is not substantially different from that which was considered, according to our notes, at the second meeting between your Ministers and the representatives of the Dominion and Quebec Governments held at Montreal on the 29th December last, except in these particulars, that you now define the areas along the coast proposed to be transferred to Canada with a view to giving us access to the sea and also specify the amount of compensation which Newfoundland would expect to be paid. The various objections to settlement upon these terms were then fully examined and discussed, and I understand the Canadian representatives were unanimous in the view that no settlement could be advised upon the basis of these terms. In that view I fully concur, and as no settlement seems likely to emerge from further correspondence or negotiations, I do not think we can do better than bring the question in issue before the Privy Council with the least possible delay. Yours faithfully, E. LAPOINTE.

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Hon. W. S. Monroe, Prime Minister, St. John's, Nfld.
Dear Mr. Premier— I am in receipt of your letter of the 10th ultimo, which I have carefully considered. As, apparently, it is not possible to agree on a price, and as we are too far apart, I believe that we had better call all negotiations off and let the Privy Council decide the case. I am glad to recognize the good will and the high spirit with which yourself and your colleagues have discussed this matter with us, and in the trouble which you took to meet us in Montreal. But, I presume that both Canada and Newfoundland have to satisfy public opinion on the terms of a possible settlement, terms which evidently are not acceptable to either country. Yours sincerely, (Sgd.) L. A. TASCHEREAU.

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Without prejudice to the dispute respecting the territory in question and strictly confidential, I refer to the correspondence and conversations between us, myself and members of the Government who recently visited Canada, are prepared to recommend to Council a proposition on the lines hereunder. The proposal is entirely from ourselves, and is made without reference to our associates in the Government. If it should prove acceptable to you its confirmation would depend, of course, first upon the Council, and later upon the House of Assembly.

1. The Government of Canada to pay to the Government of Newfoundland Fifteen Million Dollars for all the latter's rights, title and interest whatsoever to the territory known as Labrador, save and except that the Government of Newfoundland shall reserve and have exclusive rights to the use and enjoyment of a three mile reservation inland from high water mark (exception three quarters of a mile width on each side of all streams) but Newfoundland fishermen have the right to cut timber for

fishery requirements and purposes upon this three-quarter mile reservation. 2. In pursuance of the above the Newfoundland Government or any Department thereof undertake during negotiations to do no new administrative act, nor collect or receive any payments or dues, except what may be tendered by way of back rentals, in respect of the above mentioned territory or any portion thereof, without the permission of the Government of Canada. 3. Also the Government of Newfoundland, from the date of the confirmation of the present agreement by the Legislature of Newfoundland, undertake to do any acts (permissible by or not inconsistent with law) in connection with the above mentioned territory or any part thereof as may be required by the Government of Canada. 4. It being understood that the Government of Canada shall respect the existing legal rights of all persons to any portions of the said territory in accordance with the laws of Newfoundland as they now exist. Should it be necessary to bring the matter before the Legislature I might mention that our session will probably close early next month. Yours faithfully, (Sgd.) W. S. MONROE, Prime Minister.

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VITAL STATISTICS.

CITY OF ST. JOHN'S—WITHIN THE LIMITS.

Total number of births for month of March, 1925	90	Deaths from five years and over	34
Total number of deaths for month of March, 1925	82	CAUSE—	
Deaths under one month	4	Septicæmia	2
CAUSE—		Pulmonary Tuberculosis	2
Epilepsy	1	Tuberculosis	1
Convulsions	1	Phthisis	2
Prematurity	1	Abdominal Tuberculosis	1
Congenital Debility	1	Tuberculous Meningitis	2
		Carcinoma of Stomach	1
Deaths under one year	10	Carcinoma of Liver	2
CAUSE—		Carcinoma of Bladder	1
Convulsions	3	Apoplexy	2
Marasmus	3	Cerebral Haemorrhage	1
Malnutrition	3	Cerebral Abscess	1
Branchitis	1	Paralysis of Insane	1
Broncho-Pneumonia	1	Tumor of Brain	1
Congenital Debility	1	Señle Dementia	1
		Other Disease of Brain	1
Deaths from one to five years	4	Endocarditis	1
CAUSE—		Valvular Heart Disease	1
Marasmus	1	Chronic Bronchitis	1
Broncho-Pneumonia	1	Obstruction of Intestines	1
Stenosis of Oesophagus	1	Obstruction of Bowel	1
Scalds of Limbs and Body	1	Gallstones	1
		Senility	6
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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

Years	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925
Total No. of births for month of March	101	127	130	128	129	102	90
Total No. of deaths for month of March	76	97	46	73	69	66	82
Deaths under one month	5	10	2	3	5	2	4
Deaths under one year	13	6	9	10	9	7	10
Deaths from one to five years	10	17	3	5	9	5	4
Deaths from five years and over	48	64	32	55	86	42	34

W. J. MARTIN, Registrar General.

STOCK MARKET NEWS

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TO-DAY'S NEW YORK OPENING.

Battle	15%
Anacoda	37
C. P. R.	141
Cosden	27%
Cuban Cane Sugar Pfd.	57 1/2
Piske	11 1/4
General Motors	70
General Petroleum	48 1/2
Inter Nickel	27
Inter Petroleum	23
S. O. New Jersey	40 1/2
Kelly Springfield	14 1/2
Marine Pfd.	41 1/2
Pan. American "B"	75 1/2
Pacific Oil	54 1/2
Radio	50 1/2
Ray Copper	12 1/2
Stineclair	13 1/2
Studebaker	43
Sw starts	9 1/2
Shell Union	23 1/2
Southern Pacific	100 1/2
Tobacco Products	73 1/2
Texas Company	44 1/2
Union	138 1/2
U. S. Steel	115

MONTREAL OPENING.

Brazilian	51 1/2
Breweries	47
Spanish River Con.	105 1/2
Abihl	63 1/2
Dominion Bridge	83 1/2

(From Halifax Chronicle, Mar. 27th)

BRAZILIAN EARNINGS.

Both Gross and Net Increased in Jan.

TORONTO, March 25.—Both gross and net earnings of Brazilian Traction, Light and Power Company, Limited, for January show good increases over those of the corresponding month of last year. The millers' exchange rates since the first of the year have been running below the 1924 average.

and this has been an unfavorable factor that has evidently been overcome thus far by increased business. Gross earnings from operations in January amounted to \$2,494,194 which represents an increase of \$368,009 over the corresponding figures for January, 1924. Operating expenses amounted to \$1,908,701, an increase of \$217,588. Net earnings stood at \$1,495,493, an increase of \$148,423. The January net returns are the best that have been reported since October, and they have been exceeded only twice during the whole of 1924.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC DROPS. Shows Decrease of \$1,090,682 in Yearly Net Operating Income. NEW YORK, March 25.—The February report of the Southern Pacific shows a decrease of \$1,090,682 from February of 1924 in net operating income. The figure this year was \$1,503,723, compared with \$2,594,405 last. Gross revenues were \$20,333,175, a decrease of \$1,767,009, while expenses of \$16,817,946 indicated a reduction of \$921,082 from 1924. Revenues from passenger traffic, which declined in January, also showed a reduction during February. A decrease of \$589,562 was registered, while freight revenues dropped off \$981,569. The New York, Chicago & St. Louis (Nickel Plate) reported gross revenues of \$4,112,258 for the month, compared with \$4,620,541 in 1924, and net income of \$302,561 compared with \$477,458 the previous year. The income statement of the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie (Soo Line) (including the Wisconsin Central) shows a February gross of \$3,333,123, against \$3,301,524 last year, and a net deficit of \$720,131, against a deficit of \$866,091 in 1924.

Gloria Swanson is Fourth Star in "Zaza"

The character of "Zaza" probably has been played by more actresses in stock companies than any other role on the American stage in the last 25 years, yet there have been but three outstanding performances in this country. Mrs. Leslie Carter originated the role in New York in January 1899, a few months after Mme. Rejane created the role in Paris. In the operatic version of the play Geraldine Farrar was the star and in the first Paramount screen production, of the play, made in 1915, Pauline Frederick was starred.

Gloria Swanson will be the fourth "Zaza" to be given to the public in a stupendous production. The picture, which will be shown at the Nickel Theatre to-night, was produced under the direction of Allan Dwan and it is said to be the greatest picture of her screen repertoire. For lavish settings and pictureque investiture the present production of the famous French play, which, according to reports, was suggested to Charlie Simon, one of the authors, by Sarah Bernhardt, surpasses anything Miss Swanson has ever done on the screen.

Miss Swanson's interpretation of the role is radically different from that of her three predecessors. She has given a "Kiki" touch to the

famous "Zaza" and plays the actress as a gaming rather than wicked woman.

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Ships That Have Battled With Icebergs

The "Portia," Capt. Frank Ash Was Lifted Right Out of the Sea and Into the Air by an Iceberg.

(H. F. SHORTIS.)
For nearly half a century no man did more to bring his adopted country before the outside world than did the Rev. Moses Harvey, LL.D., F.R.C.S. His facile and versatile pen was ever at the service of Newfoundland, and scores of articles descriptive of our natural resources, adventures, escapes of the sea-faring portion of our people found their place in the leading journals of Europe and America. I may here state that the Rev. Dr. Harvey was the grand-uncle of our present Premier, Hon. Walter S. Monroe.

In overhauling some old documents and magazines lately, I came across the following unique adventure of Capt. Frank Ash, father of R. G. Ash of this city. To write the life and experience of the late Capt. Ash would fill a large volume, and would take far more space than could be placed at my disposal through the columns of the Telegram. However, I shall now reprint the interesting article from the pen of the Rev. gentleman, which I am sure will be perused with the greatest interest at home and abroad. Of the following stories regarding ships' encounters with icebergs, the first, I think, is the most thrilling and extraordinary of such adventures that have yet found their way in print. Indeed, I think it best to state, at the outset, that I had the account from the lips of Capt. Ash himself, whose ship, the "Portia" went through the remarkable experience to be described. Capt. Ash is a man of high character, whose veracity was unimpeachable. I give the story just as he told it to me in his own quiet, modest way. I believe his adventure is entirely unique, and not likely ever to be repeated.

Everybody knows that icebergs are the great terror of navigation in crossing the North Atlantic. From the Arctic regions these stately wanderers come sailing south in their lonely grandeur and dazzling whiteness. There are few more impressive objects in Nature than one of these towering ice-giants, its pinnacles towering two or three hundred feet above the waves, whilst two-thirds of the whole high mass yet lies below the surface. These bergs are of all sizes—some being met with from a mile to five miles in length—and they are often of the most fantastic shapes. Beautiful as they look, however, they are often "death on the white horse" to many a gallant ship. In the darkness of the night, in the blinding snowstorm, or enveloped in the ghastly fog, they lie in the path of the great Atlantic liners with their living lights, and were but for the unfortunate vessel that blindly dashes herself against their crystal sides.

Some years ago the steamship City of Boston called for Liverpool from Boston, with some hundreds of passengers on board. No trace of her was ever afterwards found. There can hardly be a doubt that the fangs of an iceberg were buried in her bosom, and in a moment she went down to destruction. But destruction, actual or threatened, from an iceberg may occur in other ways, and was indeed the case with the "Portia" as Captain Ash's experience abundantly proves.

A THRILLING EXPERIENCE.
Some years ago (1892) he sailed from New York for Newfoundland in the S.S. "Portia," having on board a distinguished party of American tourists of both sexes, numbering eighteen. After touching at St. John's to land cargo, the Portia had to go North to Pilley's Island for a cargo of iron pyrites, and the whole party took the "round trip." After a delightful voyage they started on the return journey. It was an ideal day as the Portia was crossing Notre Dame Bay, and the whole party were on deck enjoying the grand scenery. The deep blue sky was cloudless, and the sea-breeze positively intoxicating. Never was there a gayer party than that assembled on deck. To crown their happiness, a magnificent iceberg loomed ahead in the distance, almost directly in their course. None of the tourists had ever seen such an object. The ladies greeted its appearance with beaming smiles and waving of handkerchiefs, and the gentlemen with cheers and hand-clapping.

As the steamer rapidly approached the glittering giant its grand proportions astonished the spectators. The practiced eye of the Captain scanned it, and he informed the passengers that it was at least 800 feet in length, and nearly 200 feet high. It was one of the largest kind, and with its massive perpendicular sides gleaming in the sunbeams, crowned with domes, towers, and pinnacles, floating in majesty grandeur, it was indeed a sight never to be forgotten. The tourists were enraptured, and reckoned themselves especially fortunate. There was scarcely a flaw or fissure in its massive sides; all seemed as solid and stable as when it left its parent

glacier. Kodaks and sketching materials were got ready, for the steamer was now within a few hundred yards of the colossal berg. Nearer and still nearer the vessel glided, and presently all on board were lost in admiration of the emerald caves which indented its lofty sides. A moment more and they were startled by a low sound that speedily mounted into a dull roar like the rumbling of an earthquake, howling all the clatter of tongues. The huge mass suddenly burst asunder as if a mine had exploded on its icy exterior. It had separated into three immense blocks. The one nearest the Portia staggered for a moment, became top-heavy, and turned right over. There was a few moments' pause, and then its widespread base, coming up from beneath, caught the big vessel and actually lifted her clean out of the water. The incident is, I think, quite unparalleled. It was as if some huge invisible crane had swung her aloft, and placed her, high and dry, in an icy cradle, twelve feet above the surface of the surrounding sea!

No machinery of human contrivance could have performed such a feat as lifting a vessel of 1,200 tons, with a full cargo of ore, clean out of the water, and depositing her in a moment in a sort of "dry dock" on a shelving portion of the enormous iceberg, where she lay on a pretty even keel. But the thrilling horror of such a situation

for those on board may well be imagined. Instant destruction seemed inevitable. The bravest heart stood still. Cheers that were a moment before flushed with pleasure were now pale as death. And yet between the awful or sublime and the ludicrous there is at times only a step.

FACED WITH DEATH.
Captain Ash told me that as he stood on the bridge at this terrible moment, when death stared them all in the face, his own nerves being at extreme tension, he heard a high-pitched voice from among the tourists calling to him—

"Say, Captain, I guess we're in some danger here; how air ye going to launch this craft?" And truly it was a difficult question to answer. If the berg completed its overturning movement, and rise bottom uppermost, the ship would be flung over on the other side, and either crushed like a nut-shell or sent in a moment to the bottom. On the other hand, if the Portia held on in her slippery berth, on the side of the iceberg, how was she to be launched?

Fortunately the smaller berg was unable to make a complete somersault—probably because the water in the bay was not sufficiently deep to permit such a huge mass to turn over completely. For about one terrible minute the ship hung in her perilous and astounding position, and then a huge wave, created by the overturning of the other vast fragments of the original berg, swept her from her perch and launched her stern foremost, with a fearful plunge, into the sea once more. No one on board expected that she would ever rise. But the gallant ship came up slowly, battling with the billows in that awful maelstrom, like a mother fighting for her children. Capt. Ash, who had served his cool courage, at once signalled "Full speed ahead" to his engineer, and in a few seconds the Portia was out of danger.

The whole affair was over in less than two minutes, but naturally to the

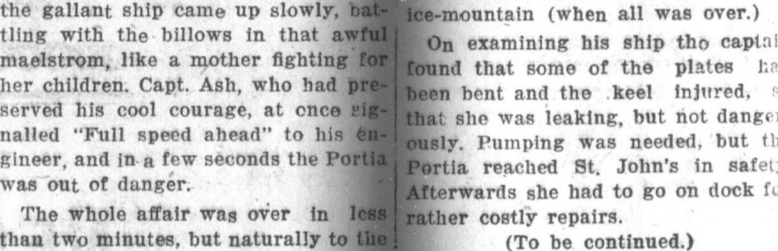
terrified passengers it must have seemed an age. As to the tourists—icebergs interested them no more. (Some of them will probably read this account.) Their enthusiasm and curiosity regarding these fair but treacherous monsters was already more than satisfied. They behaved remarkably well, however, especially the ladies, who did not utter a single shriek. Indeed, I suspect their breath was taken away by the suddenness of the catastrophe, and they had hardly time to realize their fearful danger till it was at an end.

The sudden explosion of the berg admits of an easy explanation. It had been exposed for some time to the rays of a July sun, and was in the condition called "rotten" by the fishermen, its cohesive powers being relaxed by the heat. When in this state the slight vibrations caused by the action of the Portia's propeller and the pulsing of her engines were sufficient to precipitate its dissolution. One of the ladies had nerve enough to take a snapshot with her hand camera of the floating fragments of the exploded ice-mountain (when all was over).

On examining his ship the captain found that some of the plates had been bent and the keel injured, so that she was leaking, but not dangerously. Pumping was needed, but the Portia reached St. John's in safety. Afterwards she had to go on dock for rather costly repairs.

(To be continued.)

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PEPYS BEHIND THE SCENES

A Journal of a Visit to the South Coast of Newfoundland.

March 16th.—This day did leave with Povey by train, for Argentea, being called with great suddenness to make a journey to the South Coast about the business of our office. Indeed, I did have so little notice that I had scarce time to pack my clothes, and all due to that rascal Povey, he having fair warning of that we must leave to-day, yet told me naught of it till last night. My wife in a great ado about my departure and do bid me farewell with many tears and protestations. The journey to Argentea a mighty pleasant one, being greatly enlivened by the presence on the train of Mr. Wallace, the famous comedian, who did keep us in the highest spirits by his many quips. Going on board the good ship "Portia," did learn how Mr. C. White, that is her popular purser, was married yesterday, and so to offer him my congratulations, in which all those with me did join. Coming to Buria early on St. Patrick's morn, we attend with much ceremony, to the dipping of the Shamrocks, having a small bunch of these with us.

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at night, do have a small concert at the inn which greatly amuses all that are there. So having to join the Gloucesters to-morrow, we do bed.

March 20th.—Up betimes, being waked by the Gloucesters' siren and go aboard and settle ourselves away. The sea high, and poor Povey somewhat indisposed and takes little pleasure from the journey. But Lord, we are not at sea more than 30 minutes, when he becomes ill—as indeed, well he might, being a heavy swell—and I came pretty nigh losing my own breakfast, yet did contrive to save it from going to the fishes by great exercise of will power. Being come at night to Grand Bank, the weather mighty wet, yet Povey and I ashore and do wander about the town, making divers purchases of things we have need of. Anon, going aboard the steamer, she do anchor in the stream, and there we stay all night.

March 21st.—Up late, having breakfast brought to us, which we did greatly appreciate. Anon up on deck, and do find ourselves in St. Bernard's, being voyaging around Fortune Bay. This a new journey to me and did interest me greatly, albeit I did go ashore only at St. Bernard's, having some telegrams to send. All the settlements very small and some very quaint. Coming this night to Terrenceville, which was destined to be the terminus of the Fortune Bay branch railway, did lie up there all the night. This branch line is now forgotten, since Mr. Morgan did have such rails as were laid, taken up some 3 years ago to replace old ones on the main line. This a great pity, being that the Fortune branch would have been mighty useful to the public.

March 22nd (Lord's Day)—Up betimes, and at breakfast do meet with Mr. Courage, that is the Magistrate for this Bay, he having boarded the ship at Harbour Mill. We do discourse at some length, and he tells me how great a boon to Fortune Bay is the service which the Gloucesters renders, and highly thought of by the people that the Government should show them so much consideration. He tells me much concerning the difficulties of travelling that he do experience in his work and is, indeed, an interesting talker. This afternoon we come at last to Belleoram, and do find there, on the wharf, Mr. Hillyard, and he mighty glad to see us and accompanied us to the inn of Mrs. Skeans where we do reside while in the town. This night Mr. Scott comes to see us, and Mr. Davies, the rector, also, and much pleasant discourse before retiring.

March 23rd.—Povey and I up and about our business, which keeps us most of the day, and do have much interesting talk with divers old friends that do include Messrs. Burdock, Fudge, Kearley and Whitley. This evening Mr. Burdock gives us to our tea, some fresh cream from his own farm, and some hake-pieces, which we did greatly enjoy. At night, Mr. Wallace being with us, we did play at bridge, and I did fare very badly, yet not so much as to cause me worry.

March 24th.—This day, to the beach, and do see the great fish dryer which Messrs. Harvey & Co. did erect last autumn. Indeed, a fine plant, and great things hoped from it. I do learn, among other things, how there is a steam trawler expected soon at Belleoram, and will fish the Banks from there. This night, Povey and I to Mr. Oakley's house, but are not there long when the Portia arrives; so we to make haste to board her, and settle ourselves away for the night, which we pass at St. Jacques. I did spend most of the night reading some

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

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SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES
Start out by filling in the words which you feel reasonably sure. These will give you a clue to other words crossing them, and they in turn to still others. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares and running either horizontally or vertically—both.

HORIZONTAL
1—Pertaining to marriage
7—Defiled
13—A pivotal point
14—Southern State of U. S. (abbr.)
18—Railroad (abbr.)
19—Child
17—Precious stone
20—Top room
21—Termination of many plural words
22—Bulbous, flowering plant (pl.)
23—Mother (abbr.)
25—One of the Arabian races (abbr.)
28—Tipped (abbr.)
29—Pertaining to heat
36—A melody
38—Man's name (family)
39—The study of the body
38—Great (abbr.)
39—Exclamation
40—An absurd fancy
45—Afternoon (abbr.)
47—Reflected sound
60—Rats
61—An Egyptian god
62—Ostrich-like bird of South America
68—Uphol
64—A degree (abbr.)
66—More eagerly desired
67—Foreman (abbr.)
61—Good vessel
63—A neuter animal
64—A unit
65—Terminates
67—Meaning "all right" (abbr.)
68—Suffix to denote condition
69—A river in N. W. Russia

VERTICAL
1—Rich reddish purple color
2—Edged tool
3—Edge
4—Exists
5—Southern State of U. S.
6—A subsidiary ditch
7—Three
8—Parts of a circumference
9—A province of Canada (abbr.)
11—Black liquid
12—Propriety in conduct
19—Initials of famous American
24—Mode of handling
22—One who stifles another
23—Conjunction
28—Strif
31—Indefinite article
32—Note of the scale
33—An insect
34—I am (contraction)
35—A holy person (abbr.)
44—Like
45—An albuminous compound
46—A kind of rope
48—Pronoun
49—A morning carpet
56—Accomplished
57—A metal
58—Clean up leaves
59—A thoroughfare (abbr.)
60—Girl's name
62—A dental degree (abbr.)
64—Belonging to us
65—A holy person (abbr.)
69—The people of Holland (abbr.)

letters from my wife, which do tell me how lonely she is. Yet, at the same time, speaks of her playing at bridge high every afternoon and night since I left her. But what maddens me is that she did go to the St. Patrick's night dance with Briggs, who is a fellow I greatly dislike, and must write her that she must see no more of him.

March 25th.—Up betimes, and coming on deck, do find the ship in Grand Bank stream, and the wind blowing from the north east, is impossible to make the pier. So the Portia comes to anchor, Povey and I to go aboard Mr. Povey's motor boat with the greatest difficulty, owing to the pitching of the vessel. Coming ashore, do meet with Mr. Alderice, he going home, and do bid him see my wife and give her my love, which he promises to do for me. So to our inn, and then abroad to Bill Matthews, the barber, and to have myself trimmed, which he does mighty well, better even than I could do it myself. Buy all this day, and at night, at Capt. Pierce's bidding, to the Club, which is just opened, and a mighty cheerful place, with much good company. I do meet there many of my old friends, and did talk with them all of divers matters of public interest.

March 26th.—Up betimes, and abroad about my business. Among other things do make enquiries of the banking vessels, and to have myself trimmed, which he does mighty well, better even than I could do it myself. Buy all this day, and at night, at Capt. Pierce's bidding, to the Club, which is just opened, and a mighty cheerful place, with much good company. I do meet there many of my old friends, and did talk with them all of divers matters of public interest.

March 27th.—Povey and I about the conclusion of our business which keeps us busy all the day. By despatches out of St. John's, I do learn how Sir J. C. Crobie did present the estimates for the next fiscal year, and show an increase of some four hundred thousand dollars, half of which is the interest on the loan raised last year. This day some vessels do return from English Harbour, where they did get their supplies of bait and seem as if all the bankers still be out on a fishing. Smoking a cigarette this night, I did burn a small hole in the knee of my new trousers, which troubles me greatly, being that I may ill afford a new pair.

March 28th.—Up betimes, and with Povey, by coach to Fortune, the road in the worst possible condition and the journey mighty uncomfortable. So to see Mr. H. Lake and he gives me to read the latest papers from St. John's, which do interest me greatly. Anon meeting Mr. P. Lake, he tells me how he has many enquiries concerning his canned fresh codfish, and among them some from New York, Haiti and Australia. I did advise him to send some samples to the Nid. exhibit at Wembley, being a good article and this the best means of making it known. Anon to wait on Mr. Spencer, who discourses with me of divers affairs, to my great content. This night, to the Club, where good company and a right pleasant evening. So home and to bed.

(To be continued).

What's in Your Pockets
YOU'LL PROBABLY LOOK AFTER READING THIS.

By a FATHER.

"Let's see what you have in your pockets, Jimmy."
My small son, after lodging his protest, reluctantly did as I requested. And this is what he had been carrying about with him:

- 1 Penknife.
- 1 Piece of String.
- 1 Bar of Cheering-Gum.
- 3 Conkers.
- 2 Pieces of Toffee.
- 1 Nail.
- 20 Cigaretta Pictures.
- 1 Piece of Elastic.

Household Notes.
Vegetables cook more quickly in tin utensils.
A rack of paper towels is useful in the kitchen.
Always garnish a salad after adding the dressing.
Potato balls and dice are nice served in potato soup.
Boston Mm beans with minced parsley and onion salt.
Garnish corn chowder with popcorn or minced parsley.

10 Foreign Stamps.
1 100.00 German Mark Note.
The End of a Collar Stud.
A Fish Hook.
1 Box of Matches.
When I had made a list of them, he asked me to turn out my pockets.

After a moment's hesitation I gave way. And this is what I produced:

- 1 Fountain Pen.
- 1 Season-Ticket Case.
- 1 Pipe.
- 20 Cigarettes.
- 2 Boxes of Matches.
- A Pencil and Pocket-Book.
- A Time-Table.
- 2 Bunches of Keys.
- 10 Pennies.
- 5 Shillingsworth of Silver.
- A Purse.
- A Handkerchief.
- A Handkerchief.
- 1 Mirror.
- 1 Safety-Pins.
- 1 Comb.
- Pencil and Notebook.

From this I concluded that I was a human pantechnicon. For about half of the contents of my wallet could have been left at home; one box of matches would have been sufficient; the time-table was unnecessary, as the trains run about every half-hour; most of the keys I never used.

Jimmy vowed that every item in his list was vital to his existence. The nail, for instance, was used to make the hole in his conkers.
The contents of the small boy's pockets 's a standing joke. But is the small boy the worst offender after all?

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House of Assembly Proceedings

WEDNESDAY, April 1, PETITIONS.

HON. J. J. LONG presented a petition from Lord's Cove, in the district of Burin, on the subject of a road. Mr. H. B. C. LAKE gave the petition his support.

MR. HALFYARD presented a petition from Hodge's Cove on the subject of a road.

MR. C. J. CAHILL presented a petition from Harbour Main on the subject of a road. Hon. Mr. Woodford supported the petition.

THE PRIME MINISTER presenting his first petition to the House said that coming from his side of the House it was like talking to oneself. The petition was from the people of Bonavista Bay signed by 200 people. It asked that the old age pensions be granted to the widows of the old age pensioners. He said that when last in Bonavista Mr. Lawrence gave a speech calling attention to the fact that very often the old lady had borne the burden and heat of the day with the old fishermen was left destitute when he died, and asked if it might not be possible for the Government to have the old age pension continued to the old lady after her partner's death. The Prime Minister stated that this suggestion appealed to Captain Winsor and himself as being just and reasonable, and since the whole party has expressed approval.

THE PRIME MINISTER tabled further correspondence in relation to the Labrador Boundary question. (Correspondence appears in another column). He said he hoped that the House is satisfied that they have done everything in their power in connection with the settlement of this matter out of Court. There had been certain satirical references to their sort of junketing party to Montreal, but he pointed out they did not court any

trip there. They received an invitation from Mr. Taschereau to come to Montreal to discuss the matter, and it appeared to him that it would have been very wrong for this country to have refused the invitation on that occasion. They were asked to come up and discuss the Labrador Boundary question, and they could do nothing else but go up. The House would realize that everything possible has been done, and now the Attorney General will try and get the Ottawa authorities to bring the case before the Privy Council so that a settlement of the dispute as quickly as possible may be made.

MR. WARREN said that at the beginning of the session there was a great deal of criticism of his connection with the Labrador Boundary question, and now he shared that with the honourable gentlemen who went to Montreal a few months ago. He considered a long time ago that the boundary question was one that was a case for settlement, and he was very glad indeed when the Prime Minister took advantage of the invitation from Ottawa—from the Dominion of Canada to go there and talk over the matter of a settlement of the question. He considered that the Prime Minister has made every possible effort to settle a case which, in his opinion ought to be settled. In his continuing he said it seems now that the question will have to be settled before the Privy Council, and he hoped that the Attorney General would make every effort to see that the Dominion of Canada and the Province of Quebec will, with all possible speed, bring their case to completion, as ours is now completed.

HON. MINISTER OF JUSTICE said that for the information of the House, and following out what the Hon. Member for Fortune had said, even while this correspondence was going on, and about a week following their return from Canada he wrote official to Mr. Taschereau to have his case

ready for presentation, but the correspondence may have given an excuse to postpone the filing of the case. It is possible that these negotiations being carried on might have afforded some excuse for delay, but he agreed with the Hon. Member for Fortune, that now there is no further excuse in that direction, and we will certainly ask immediately that the case be filed.

MR. HICKMAN said he did not see how it could be claimed that the matter was one for settlement out of court. He was altogether set back and surprised that the Prime Minister should intimate that he would accept a small sum of 15 millions. He believed the water powers alone worth half our public debt. Taking the timber in to consideration according to Mr. Halfyard's valuation in a speech on the question, it alone was worth 153 million dollars, figuring the wood at \$1 per cord. He felt that Canada had turned down the Government offer to Canada.

Before the House went into Committee of the Whole on supply, resolutions in connection with Justice Education and Public Charities Department were given second reading.

SUPPLY.

When the speaker put the motion that I do now leave the chair, Mr. Warren moved an amendment and took occasion to refer to answers he had received relative to the Railway and Liquor Control. He said it was a well established rule that no supplies may be granted before there is a redress of grievances. He discussed at some length the standing of the Railway Commission and the Board of Liquor Control. He suggested that a vote "in toto" be incorporated in the estimates for all expenditures for the Railway Commission and for the Board of Liquor Control.

The motion that the Speaker do now leave the chair being put, was passed and the House went into Committee on the Whole on Supply.

MR. ASHBOURNE speaking on the vote for Marine & Fisheries thought that it was very inadequate and he thought it ridiculous to be asked to vote \$2,000 for the fisheries, especially as \$20,000 was to be allocated for the encouragement of agriculture. He did not understand the apathy of the Government towards the fisheries. He thought that there was very little evidence of economy in other directions. If it was necessary to increase many of the votes it would be the duty of the Opposition to insist that more moneys be expended for repairs and that would benefit the fishery. Referring to the sealing industry, he said, as far as the steamers on the front are concerned, he thought there will be just about a saving voyage. We should have certain information in this colony as regards the breeding seals so that we might be able to get some idea as to whether the seals are in sufficient numbers to the seal fishery every year. As we do not want to have the seals exterminated the Government ought to make some move in this important subject. Regarding the report of Mr. Huxman on the temperature of water, he intended this year to fit all their schooners with thermometers.

In regard to the Fisheries Department, he suggested getting a statistician here so that we may gather data and have it at our fingers end when needed. He congratulated the Marine & Fisheries Department on the manner in which the cod liver oil industry is being developed. The time will come when Newfoundland will have to depend for its own protection and for its own life not only on the catching and on its curing but on the utilisation of the waste products that are being thrown away to-day. And the time will come when we shall have a development in Newfoundland of the curing of cod roes. In Norway they derive an income of about a million and a half from the cod roes Newfoundland derives practically nothing from this source. Caplin are used for bait and food in the outports, but nothing has been done to make them a source of revenue. The squid had not been exploited to any extent and in regard to herring fishery Norway with a population two or three times that of Newfoundland we should have an income from this industry of about seven millions of dollars. Instead of that we get about a half a million. Mr. Ashbourne urged that the time is opportune when some standardization might take place, whereby the quality of our fish might be perhaps improved from what it is now. Speaking of the halibut he said, halibut industry, they have halibut over at Port au Port, and they fish for it in about twenty fathoms of water. In England they fish for halibut in one hundred to one hundred and fifty fathoms of water; and to-day we find that there are only seventy thousand pounds of halibut being exported per year from Newfoundland. We are also told that there are English and Norwegian trawlers going to Greenland, and that this year the Norwegian vessels will probably send some vessels to Newfoundland in order to catch halibut, and take it back fresh to England. What are we doing in this regard? We are doing nothing. And yet there is an enormous supply of halibut on the West Coast. There are a great many things that need speaking of in their estimates. There are many increases, but there are very few decreases to be found. In regard to steam-graphers

they are getting a sum that is in excess of what the average fisherman in the outports—the family man gets in a year to support his family. In regard to pensions he thought they should be taken out of the arena of politics and he wished to know why it was that men who got good salaries had been pensioned as such high rates. He endorsed what had been said by the member for Burin in regard to old age pensions. He considered that the fishery service had been neglected, whilst the government could find money for anything else.

MR. H. B. C. LAKE pointed out that Mr. Ashbourne, being a member of the Fishery Board, was equally responsible with him and all others on the Government side for the meagre vote for that purpose. He felt sure that the party of which he had the honour to belong was taking the necessary steps to encourage the fishing industry and that as soon as the Board had the chance that the previous party had, they would do something really worth while for the industry. He knew that this Government would take such steps as could be taken to encourage the fisheries. The Minister of Marine and Fisheries was a man who knew his job and who would attend to it. To-day on the S.W. Coast they had a twenty-five per cent. increase in the bank fishery over last year. Referring to the matter of pension, he stated that the Prime Minister had forecasted when he presented a petition on the subject. Upon some interruption on the part of Mr. Halfyard, he said that he opposed the scheme of giving pensions to men who drew fat salaries all their life, as the Honourable member for Trinity had done.

MAJOR CASHIN pointed out in reply to Mr. Lake's remarks, of the previous day, that the men of Ferryland did not want to hinder the work of the bank fishermen. He suggested that the petition that Mr. Lake had referred to, was to prevent the hauling of bait in little coves and creeks where there was not enough to supply the shore fishermen. The fishermen of the Southern Shore, he asserted, were fishermen of the best possible type, and did not desire to hinder the work of any branch of the industry. He was as strong an advocate of the fishermen as either Mr. Lake or Mr. Ashbourne.

The weak spot in the fisheries was the total lack of interest taken by the trade of Water Street. The bank fishery, which thirty years ago was prosecuted by some 157 sail, to-day consisted of only 30 sail. Why, in that time, from Bay Bulls in his district, there were 27 vessels going to the banks, commanded by Williams. Now there is not one vessel. The reason for this was that to-day there were no merchants in St. John's supplying bankers with the exception of Mr. Monroe and Harvey & Co., at their Bellefleur branch. From certain facts and figures he showed that the banks of Lunenburg showed a profit that we might have had. Last week the Fishery Board asked the exporters to meet them and discuss fishery matters. Mr. Templeman, Mr. Baird, of the Monroe Export Company, Mr. Baird, Jr., of James Baird, Ltd., and Mr. Outerbridge, of Harvey's, exclusive of the exporters on the Board, were the only ones who attended. This was indicative of the apathy displayed by the exporters. He was an advocate of a law to compel exporters to put the article in a package that the label calls for.

THE MINISTER OF MARINE AND FISHERIES, speaking on behalf of his Department, pointed out that one individual could not always have his way in Government. There were many calls and a lot of opinions to be considered. He had heard that this Government were doing nothing for the fishermen. He did not mind that coming from Mr. Ashbourne or Mr. Hickman, but he did object to such remarks coming from anyone who sat under the rule of Sir R. A. Squires or Sir W. F. Coaker during their term of office. They were a group of men who had driven a lot of fishermen out of the country, and had driven a lot more almost to starvation. The Prime Minister had offered a bonus on fish provided that the finances of the country allowed of it and if the price of fish was low and demanded it and the Minister was pleased to state the bonus was never demanded. The bounty given on shipbuilding would cost the tax payers forty to fifty thousand dollars this year and he asked if this was not encouraging the fisheries. In the proposed highway construction the Government were taking a chance, but they were simply doing as all fishermen did, and that was taking a chance. We had to have roads, for in his own district alone there were 45 miles of coast without even a footpath. There were no bridges to get across the streams and it is a great hardship to the men who had to travel along that coast owing to the lack of bridges. Especially was this so between Gambo and Wesleyville. The men in their travelling, when they came to an overflowing brook had to take off their clothes and swim across.

MR. HALFYARD—How did they get their clothes across?

CAPTAIN WINSOR—They had to risk throwing it across in some way, but if you had been there you would be like Lot's wife, turn back and become a pillar of salt. (This remark, at the expense of the member for Trinity, brought down the House). When he assumed office he found that the Fishery Board had been

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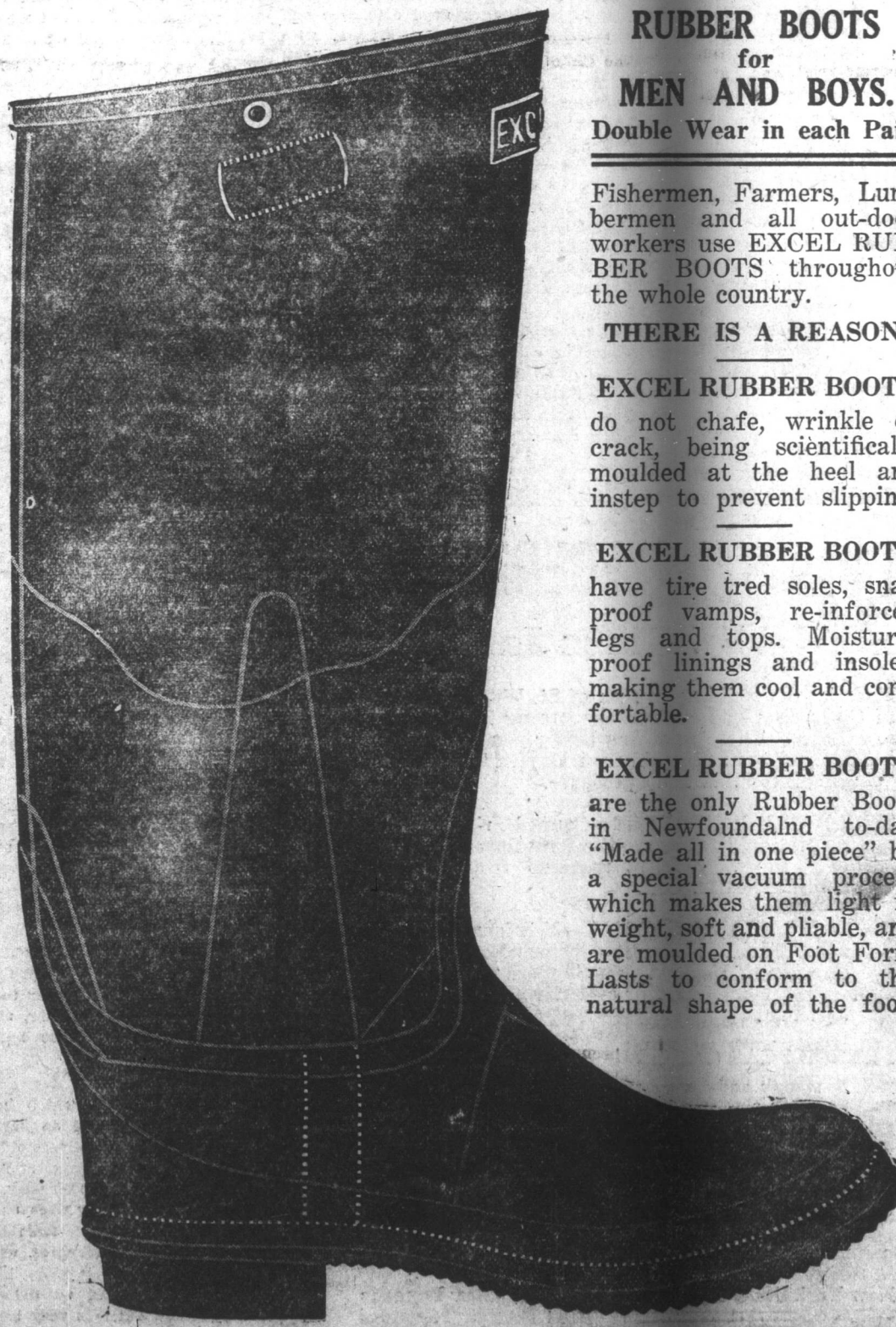
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Our Montreal Letter

JUSTICE WILSON SCORES LAXITY OF PARENTS.

A scathing arraignment of present day "civilization" and laxity on the part of parents in the control of their children, was made by Mr. Justice Wilson in the Court case of *King's Bench* before he sentenced William George Watkins, aged 21, to be hanged on June 12th, for the murder of Francois Xavier Beauvais, the Verdun grocer and postman.

Watkins was found guilty of murder after the jury had been closed for more than an hour. Alfred Deschambault, 17 years of age, who was also a member of the gang that committed the degradation, was found guilty of manslaughter and will be sentenced at the end of the present term.

When asked if he had anything to say before the sentence of death was passed on him, Watkins, who up to the final scene, had been phlegmatic and had frequently smiled at some friend in court, lost his sangfroid and in a voice shaken with sobs stated that the Crown's evidence had told a lie. Constable Tremblay and Detective Lajoie had told the truth. He was then sentenced and left the dock his face shaking with emotion. Deschambault paled visibly when the jury pronounced him guilty of manslaughter but kept his nerve and left the dock with a firm step.

The learned Justice scored present day civilization, modern, advanced, ultra-modern, progressive. Here were not rough bearded men one usually associates with a hold-up. They were mere boys with some school girl complexions produced by modern civilization. Children were continually coming before the courts on the most trivial charges and parents were to blame for not guarding their wards. The situation was deplorable.

THE NEW FORUM RINK PERFECT IN EVERY DETAIL.

The new Forum Rink, situated at the corner of St. Catherine Street and Abbot Avenue, is probably one of the finest, if not the finest, on the Continent. The ice surface is 220 feet long by 80 feet wide. The seating capacity is 12,000. The immense tiers of seats, extending all around the building, give a full view of the ice surface, and the game can be followed in every movement. At the bottom of the tiers the box seats are placed, while chairs are placed all around the building just below the box seats. When a game is scored the Empire presses a button and a red light flashes. The score at the end of the periods is shown at the north end of the rink by electric lights. The rink is furnished with locker rooms for professional and amateur teams, and fitted up with all the latest conveniences. Special rooms for ladies are also to be found. The Directors also have a special room. The main entrance is situated on St. Luke Street, while the entrance on St. Catherine Street is principally used for officials and patrons of box seats. Stores are built on the front and the two sides of the building, but many of them are not yet furnished, while others are occupied. A large bowling alley is another attraction that has been added. The attendance at all the games this season, both professional and amateur, has been wonderful. Capacity crowds filled the large building on more than one occasion when the senior league players were in action; while the amateurs drew close to eight thousand spectators. The people know a good thing when they get it, and they certainly have a rink that, no matter how far below zero it is on the outside, you can sit comfortably without an overcoat, and enjoy perfect use, owing to the excellent heating in the building. It is a word. The Metropolitan of Canada has a rink which we credit, not only to the city of the Province, but to the whole Dominion.

SCHOOL TROUBLES ARE STILL TO THE FORE.

Difficulties in school administration on the Island of Montreal are still far from being settled. The Metropolitan Commission appointed to finance all the Protestant schools is not popular with the Montreal Protestant School Commission, Westmount, Outremont, Montreal West, LaSalle and Mount Royal. Those different School Boards claim that they will lose their autonomy under the scheme, and they do not seem eager to help or shoulder the responsibility of aiding the Verdun Commission.

THE HAPPENINGS OF A FEW DAYS

Tuesday, February 24th, very difficult walking, thousands fell on the sidewalks and the streets and a large number sustained sprained ankles.

Friday, February 27th, a blizzard raged.

Saturday, February 28th, the earthquake, which lasted from three to four minutes, frightened thousands, did considerable damage to many buildings, and caused four deaths in the Province.

Sunday, March 1st, fire discovered in St. James' Basilica, and did damage to the extent of \$15,000. Sunday evening near midnight, St. Anthony's Church robbed of nearly \$1,100, which was kept in a safe in the Sacristy.

A FEW THOUGHTS FOR THE DAY.

Dear Readers—He that is too proud to ask is too good to receive. Him whom a little will not content, nothing will content. From a pure fountain pure water flows.

Who builds according to every man's advice will have a crooked house.

SOMETHING ABOUT THE CARE OF BABIES.

Speaking at the annual meeting of the Child Welfare Association, Dr. C. F. Martin, Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, McGill, spoke of the necessity of advisability of beginning the training of a child from the second week of its life onwards, not letting it do as it likes until school age. The Dean pointed out that the work done by the Child Welfare Association was not so much a work of curing sick babies as of preventing wrong bringing up. "It is a matter of prevention," he said, "and your Association is doing work as modern as any that is being done in this line. There is great need for this work in Montreal; indeed, I am afraid there is as much need of it among the seats of the mighty as there is in Point St. Charles and in the districts in which the Association has established centres."

The report of the Director, Miss M. A. Martin, showed that 15 nurses were employed last year, 6,000 babies were registered, 25,323 visits were made, an increase of nearly 40 per cent in the amount of work done. Conferences for mothers were held in the different centres conducted by 25 volunteers, and 25,076 babies were registered at these conferences. Two new health centres were opened; prenatal conferences, directed by doctors, were held, looking after 318 cases.

A SCHOLAR WHO HAD A LIVING FOR DEBT.

A Montrealer's Diary says: "When the little scholars of the Plainville School annex, Ontario Street, west, reported for duty Thursday morning last, they found that the building had been gutted by fire overnight, and they would be compelled, however reluctantly, to take a holiday, many of them began to worry about the fate of various books and playthings left in their desks and whether some of these might be recovered. Among the first group to arrive was a little boy, who apparently needed not at all what fate befell his books, pencils, pens or other paraphernalia left behind; but was very anxious to salvage a wad of chewing gum that he had fastened to the under side of his desk. Expressing his concern that it might be lost or even scorched, he made efforts to recover it, but all to no avail. It was, apparently, the only item that marred his happiness.

ALEXANDRA HOSPITAL FREE FROM DEBT.

Dr. A. D. Blackader reports that the Alexandra Hospital for contagious diseases is free from debt after many years of struggle. Emphasis was placed on the necessity in diphtheria cases of the prompt use of anti-toxin, as, when delayed,

the toxin of the disease had already made recovery doubtful.

The following were elected to the Board of Governors for 1925:

- Representing the Montreal General Hospital and Western Division: Farquhar Robertson, Robert Adair, C. E. Neill, A. D. Blackader, M.D., James Cleghorn, C. W. Lindsay and W. Grant Stewart, M.D.
- Representing the Royal Victoria Hospital: Sir Vincent Meredith, Bart., Sir Charles Gordon, P. L. Wanklyn, and Sir Herbert S. Holt.
- Representing the Associates: Commander J. K. L. Ross, Charles R. Hooper, William J. Morrice and Huntly R. Drummond.

DEATH OF A DISTINGUISHED SOLDIER.

The death took place lately at the military hospital at Ste. Anne de Baillue, of Lieut.-Col. Edouard Leprohon, one of Quebec's most distinguished soldiers. Lieut.-Col. Leprohon, who was in his 66th year, has had a long and creditable military career, both in the Canadian Militia and in the Great War.

The deceased was one of the first to answer the call in 1914, and his ability in organizing was soon appreciated and the Militia Department at Ottawa made use of his services in recruiting French-Canadians in the west.

Lieut.-Colonel Leprohon saw active service at the front, where he was gassed and afterwards as transportation officer he was engaged on the hazardous duty of running the gauntlet of U-boats with the responsibility of hundreds of lives in his care. On one occasion he was in command of troops on a hospital ship which was torpedoed in the vicinity of the British Isles, but he managed to save all his men. He himself, however, was thrown into the sea and his immersion undoubtedly affected his health seriously and permanently.

During the latter part of the war and in demobilization Colonel Leprohon was in command of troops on the Olympic and other big liners, at that time camouflaged and nameless, and the writer of this obituary crossed with him in 1918 when just after leaving Queenstown a U-boat was sighted and the great guns of the Olympic got busy, while the big liner zig-zagged at a rapid rate.

Born in Montreal on November 16, 1859, the son of Dr. J. L. Leprohon and of Mme. R. E. Mullins, author of several Canadian romances, Edouard Leprohon was educated at the Montreal College and entered commerce. In 1877 he entered the Canadian Militia, joining the 1st Regiment, Prince of Wales, as a private, and after several years he was transferred to the Victoria Rifles, with which he served five years. Subsequently he joined the 66th Battalion, Carabiniers Montreal, as Lieutenant, and served for some years as an officer.

THE CHURCH ROBBERS CAPTURED.

Two youths of 18 years, who robbed St. Anthony's Church, have been found. As soon as the policeman on duty had discovered that the church had been broken into, he notified the Rev. James J. Flood, acting pastor. Lieut.-Col. Leprohon immediately told the policeman to go to a certain house and bring two young lads who were employed as helpers around the church. Both denied any knowledge of the affair. The priest knew one was lying, so he questioned him closely and finally he broke down and told Father Flood that the money would be found in the back of the hall under the altar, buried under the floor. \$750 was found there. Then the guilty one gave the name and address of his accomplice, and the next evening the two guilty ones were brought up to St.

Anthony's Hall, as the detectives failed to get any more information about the missing \$750. Father Flood got after the ringleader again, and after pleading ignorance about the balance, he told the priest that he'd find it in a certain room, buried under the floor, in his house. And it was there. A portion of the \$1,100 was the offering to be given to an African Missionary, who is at present soliciting funds for his missions. This is the third time that St. Anthony's Church has suffered from robbers. The place where the safe was kept was in the Sacristy and the young robbers used a pickaxe, and dug away the bricks at the side of the safe and made the haul. Both were sent to the Bordeaux Jail, and while Father Flood informed your Correspondent that he would not prosecute them, the law will take its course. The ringleader pleaded with Father Flood to have him committed for five years. So the Judge may oblige him, perhaps with less, perhaps with more.

THE FIGHT AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS AND INFANT MORTALITY.

The campaign against Tuberculosis and Infant Mortality in the Province is being waged with more energy than ever. Dispensaries have been opened in several places and the Cure, this Mayor and the population are responding to the organization.

The Commandments of Health.

1. Breathe fresh air at work or play.
2. To stay in the open air as much as possible.
3. Sleep with windows open.
4. Breathe through the nose, not through the mouth.
5. Take a bath at least once a week.
6. Breathe deeply at all times.
7. Keep clothing clean and in good condition.
8. Keep clean surroundings, at home, work, or play.
9. Brush teeth twice a day, but particularly at night before retiring.
10. Not spit on the floor.
11. Use individual drinking cup or glass.
12. Wash hands before meals and after leaving work.
13. Avoid doubtful food.
14. Avoid unsafe drinking water (especially in country).

WHY WE GROAN UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

Dear Readers.—Selfishness and Greed are the causes," says the Telegraph, "of the troubles which afflict the country to-day. There is not a single sane man who would deny the truth of this statement; and yet, we venture to assert, that it would be extremely difficult, if not impossible, to find one individual who would admit that he is either culpably selfish or avaricious. Selfishness and greed are such despicable human qualities that any man with a proper amount of decent self-respect would resent as insulting the imputation that his character might be sullied by their traits."

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Household Notes.

Serve cucumber soup with salmon loaf or croquettes.
 A little freshly soured cream gives soup a savory flavor.
 Garnish pineapple salad with sliced maraschino cherries.
 Paint your garbage pail inside and out with white enamel.

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Almost unbelievable profits have been made by small investments in German Bonds, and the profits already made are only a fraction of the possibilities which await the man who has the FORESIGHT TO INVEST NOW IN FOREIGN BONDS. REMEMBER

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WHAT IS NEWS?
 Someone had gotten a paper from home. "Home" being a little country town of 2,000 or 3,000 inhabitants. And the sophisticated city folks at the boarding house, finding the paper among others tossed upon the table in the parlor, were reading the items in great delight. "Listen to this, isn't this rich! Some country swain and his best girl got married and here's a list of their wedding gifts. From the bride's father, a sewing machine; from E. Smith, silver pepper and salts with gold tops; from Fred Brown, two linen towels; from the Greene's, a silver pickle fork. . . . Isn't this too funny!"

Pain, Measles and Hogs.
 Other items added to the hilarity of the group around the table. "St. Hopkins, out on the Richmond strip, has painted his barn white brightens up the place considerable." "The Bailey twins out Maple Grove way are reported down with the measles." "Jo Crandall killed his hogs this week. The biggest weighed 500 pounds."

Quaint items to city dwellers—yes. But after all is there anything there so strange, so very different from the

What's The Difference?
 Our strap hanger notes a threatened epidemic of scarlet fever reported by the health authorities and views it with some concern, just as the item about the Bailey twins down with the measles warns the neighbors out Maple Grove way of the danger of an outbreak at the country school.

"Estimates are being made as to the cost of a sand blast to clean the stone surface of the post office which has become badly discolored from so much soft coal smoke," reads the man in the street car. Not so different from the item about St. Hopkins' barn, after all, is it?

The women in the boarding house who found the list of wedding presents so amusing read eagerly the account of Society's Charity Ball, delighting in the lavish details of who was there and what they all wore, although not a name in the long list is familiar.

The World Loves News.
 News, I suppose, is anything that enlists the interests and attracts the attention of people in general. The world has always been greedy for news from the day when the town crier rang his bell through the town calling "Gidding's house's a-burning!" down to the present when our great city newspapers turn out as many as five editions in a day.

It's pretty much the same sort of thing that constitutes news the world over. The startling and the commonplace both have news value. And the commonplace news item of the village paper is just as important to the farmer and no more absurd than the commonplace which constitute items of interest to his city neighbor.

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Proceedings at the Legislative Council OFFICIAL REPORT.

WEDNESDAY, April 1. The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

In reply to Hon. Mr. Robinson's question, HON. MR. MORINE stated that no proposals were made or negotiations entered into. Conversations between members of the Government and other persons have convinced the Government that no arrangement for the operation of the Dock by contractors can be made, at all, until the Dock is repaired or practically rebuilt. It is understood that Vickers, Ltd., have been restricting their operations on this side of the Atlantic.

House resolved into Committee of the Whole on Redistribution Bill, Hon. Dr. Mosdell in the Chair. HON. MR. MORINE—It has been my fortune to be prominently connected during my Legislative career with four fundamental constitutional changes. Before this century began, I took an active part in the enactment of the "Ballot Act" and "Manhood Suffrage." During this session I have assisted in making Female Suffrage the law of the land, and today I am supporting the re-distribution Act, in the drafting of which it has been my very great privilege to be deeply engaged. It has been suggested elsewhere that the present measure is the result of my work for three years, a statement which is not critically correct, but which, nevertheless, does not contain the whole truth. I have given this matter intermittent consideration for many years, and I find upon examination of my volume of the 1914 census that I figured upon that many years ago to find a basis for re-distribution. It has been my privilege to visit a majority of the districts of the Island, generally upon political matters, and the rather intimate knowledge which I obtained in this way has been a very great aid to me in drafting this measure, for familiarity with the trade relations of the people is essential to convenient re-distribution.

Female Suffrage was enacted by our Legislature recently with absolute unanimity in both Houses, but only as the result of years of agitation. This measure of re-distribution has not been supported unanimously in the House of Assembly, but it has been received outside the House, I venture to say, by more unanimity than Female Suffrage itself, and by what may be said to have been practically unanimous public consent. No protest against its principles has been uttered even in the Assembly, on the contrary, no objection has been received either upon the ground of principle or from any part of the country. This is, I think, an absolutely unique situation.

I believe this unanimity has been accorded to the measure because it is transparently non-partisan. No taint of any merry-meandering for partisan purposes has attached to it; the endeavour behind it is to meet the condition of the country, and to be conspicuously fair to every interest. Letters from individuals all over the country commending the Bill have been received by Government members, and so far as I know no word of objection has come to them. It has really been marvellous to note how few alterations as to details have been suggested. While the draftsman's pen of this Bill is my work, I ought not to omit the fact that the measure before you is due to the loyal and unselfish co-operation of my colleagues in the Government, and our supporters in the Assembly, nor should I forget to say that the Opposition have endorsed its principles and some of its details, and have condemned none. Such a measure as this is not possible but for the broadly patriotic and generous feeling with which it has been received at every stage of its progress.

One outstanding feature of the measure is the frankness with which it aims to preserve the denominational basis. Certain idealistic critics have been carved out for the express purpose of protecting denominational interests, and they have said, "why not throw overboard this narrow sectarian idea, instead of perpetuating it." Nobody detests sectarianism in public affairs more strongly than I, but we must recognize things as they are, and an endeavour to overcome such sectarianism must spring from the people themselves rather than from legislation. When the people have decided that they will elect candidates on their merits, or on their platforms, and not allow themselves to be affected by sectarianism, the way in which electors' districts are bounded will be of no effect whatever in this relation, and until the people have experienced a change of heart, it would be unwise to attempt to make them liberal by legislation. As a matter of practical politics, it would, I submit, have been hopeless to introduce a re-distributional measure which did not regard the sectarian atmosphere of politics in this country; indeed the need of recognizing existing sentiment is the keystone of the re-distribution measure now before the House.

It has been the practice of the people during recent years to elect thirteen Roman Catholic representatives to the Assembly, and in St. John's

West, which has had until recently, nominally at least, a Roman Catholic majority, it has been the custom for many years to elect one Protestant candidate. Now this measure starts out with the idea that to be acceptable to them it is necessary to secure to the Roman Catholic people the privilege of continuing to elect thirteen representatives of their own faith, if they wish to do so, and the Bill provides constituencies for twelve candidates in which Roman Catholics are in a clear majority. It is proposed that by a conventional arrangement between contending political parties, the district of St. John's (East) shall have the privilege of electing one Protestant and one Catholic, on one side or the other. To make such an arrangement, it has been found necessary to provide ten Catholic seats on the Peninsula of Avalon; one on the West side of Placentia Bay, and two on the West side of the Island.

In this connection, I wish to draw attention especially to the District of Harbour Main, which remains a two-man constituency. "Why not divide this constituency?" it has been asked. The answer is this—Harbour Main has a population of 9,262, of whom only 3,082 are Protestants, who are all practically resident on the half of the district which borders on St. John's West. The number of these Protestant people is not sufficient to justify giving them a member, even if it were desirable otherwise; and on the East they are bounded by the District of St. John's West (external), a Protestant constituency, having a population of its own of 5,800. To take those 3,082 from the District of Harbour Main would reduce its population to 6,100, to whom only one member would be given and therefore, one Roman Catholic seat would be lost. There is no part of the Colony, as I see it, out of which a constituency could be carved for this seat. I have heard it said, "it would be possible to create a Roman Catholic constituency in the District of Burin," and my reply is "no." There are 4,490 Roman Catholics in the present District of Burin, but they are scattered from Marys-town on the North to Lamaline in the West, and so intermingled with the Protestant people, notably of Burin, that the creation of a Roman Catholic constituency there would be impossible. These and many other matters of the kind have been fully considered, and the result of deep consideration on all points is the measure before you. I confess that in drafting the Bill I paid little attention to inter-denominational divisions between Protestants, but much more to inter-trade relations, and certainly of community connections. It was, therefore, with peculiar pleasure that I found, when the drafting was finished, that substantially those inter-denominational relations had been as well protected as the rights of our Roman Catholic fellow citizens. We to-day, have Methodist representatives of Districts in which the majority is Church of England, and Church of England representatives of Methodist majorities. I hope this tolerant spirit will increase, and by reason of broadening minds, not because of legislation. When rights are secured by law the tolerance which wavers them will be all the more pronounced.

Certain persons have urged, that instead of an increase of members there should be a decrease, their only reason, apparently, being the cost of electing four additional members. There ought really to be no increase in election expenses. The few paid Returning Officers respectively in the smaller new constituencies ought to be less than those now paid in respect of the larger districts, and the total cost will not be more, perhaps less. The increase in members' pay will be a trifling matter. On the other hand I wish to point out that if a reduction of members took place, with which it has been received at every stage of its progress.

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constituencies already too large would be inevitable, and one of the excellent features of the present Bill is that districts have been reduced in area so as to become workable. For instance, St. Barbe has been divided, but with reduced members that would have been impossible; so with St. George's and the Districts of Burgeo and Fortune Bay. A reduction of the number of members would have made it necessary, for instance, to alter the boundaries of Ferryland and almost every district in Conception Bay. A reduction is, in fact, impracticable, and I can see no reason in favour of it worth serious consideration, while against it I can see the most overwhelming objections.

No objection against this measure is heard so often as that it is not based upon equality of numbers; that is to say, that the districts created are not to be uniform in the matter of population. Some people seem to think that this equality of population is the most important principle to be borne in mind, while to me it seems one of the "least important." Surely the area of the constituency to be travelled, the variety of interests to be served, the work which a representative should perform, are matters of more importance than the mere counting of numbers. A small, widely scattered, population present many problems for legislation; a congested population present no more, and often less. 18,999 people in St. John's (City West) can be as well represented by two members as 5,000 people in the new district of Hermitage. It is an accepted principle all the world over that the people in congested districts do not get as much representation per man as the people in farming or fishing areas. Any attempt at redistribution based upon figures alone would have been ludicrous as applied to conditions in this country; would have destroyed wholly the historical identity of existing districts, and would have left the varied interests of the outposts inadequately represented.

The most frequently repeated objection to the passing of this measure has nothing whatever to do with its principles or details, but consists of a parrot-like cry "give more time for consideration." I am not any time a subscriber to the "Socialistic new-fashion American practice" of retracing everything to the people for direction, taking upon every measure of importance before the Legislature a sort of referendum, by ascertaining at public meetings and in other ways what the people are supposed to think. The doctrine I hold firmly by is that the members of the House of Assembly are elected to be representatives, and that in matters of this kind they ought to act upon their own knowledge, and not seek inspiration from the mass of the people outside, who, in a technical question of this sort, are not possessed of the information essential to wise decision. Just consider the idea which has been propounded over and over again, that this measure ought to be deferred until it has been discussed by all the people of the country, and their opinions expressed upon it. Nobody can adequately consider and criticize this measure except with a map and a compass before him, and this material could not be brought before public meetings, or be available to the mass of the people of the country; nor could the people generally be expected to envisage all the large political denominational, historic and other considerations which enter into a re-distributional measure. Suppose the people were consulted at public meetings and otherwise, and passed resolutions upon the matter, what would the result be but a clamour, in which any clear direction would be unobtainable. If such a direction could be distinguished, and it were counter to the considered judgment of the members of the Legislature, (who ought to be better fitted to judge in a matter of this kind) would that ill-considered

public opinion be of any real help in passing such a measure as this? It might be possible that in some places, near the border lines of particular districts, that here and there a village or settlement would prefer to be in one district or the other, but people in the great majority of places in the Island would have no particular interest whatever for this particular district in which they may be placed, would be fixed and unalterable, by reason of surrounding circumstances. Nothing could be more senseless than the idea of submitting a measure of this kind to popular consideration and popular clamour. No local interests can be affected by this matter. It will make no difference whatever in any other respect than concerning the election of a member that a place is in one district rather than in the other. I heard one statement made, as though it were of importance, that a certain boundary line had been drawn in this Bill that a man's house will be in one district and his barn in another. But what of it? Suppose his had an out-house in a third district. What difference should it make? The man will vote in the district in which he resides not in which his barn is placed, or in which his out-house might be built. He will not be affected in any way whatever by the fact that his premises are in three electoral districts.

It has been objected, also, that there is no good reason why this measure should be passed at this session; rather it has been said that it will be more proper to pass it nearer the end of this General Assembly. I completely disagree with this. The proper time to pass a re-distribution measure is soon after an election, and long before another. It is not likely that in the consideration of this measure, the same partisan feelings will be brought to-day as in a session immediately preceding a general election. By passing this measure now, time will be given before the next general election, if it takes place in the ordinary course, for such amendments as may appear to be necessary after this measure has become law. If the measure were passed at the last session, and contained errors, they would be incurable before a general election. I, for one, do not believe that any amendment will be found to be necessary in the present Bill. I believe it will become a fact in a few days, and be universally accepted as a rock upon which the future political good fortune of the Colony will be established; but if amendments become necessary, they can be made at any time, and I therefore, I think that one of the things upon which we have to congratulate ourselves most strongly is the fact that the Government has courageously taken up this bone of contention and disposed of it.

Do we know, Sir, when a General Election will take place. Our present General Assembly may not be dissolved before the Spring of 1925, and no general election may take place before November of that year. But on the other hand, dissolution may occur at any time, through some vote of the House of Assembly, or some disagreement in the Government, and it would be a disaster if another general election were to take place before redistribution. I hope, Sir, that in this and all other respects we may be found ready for any fate that may befall us.

I anticipate great improvement from this Bill in the quality of representation of districts, not merely in the character of representatives, but in the quality of their work, when authority and responsibility are centred on one man instead of divided and confused between two or three. Take for illustration merely, the district of Trinity, now represented by three members but henceforth to be divided into three one-man districts. I heard its senior member say recently (and quite correctly) that a member residing in St. John's was more conveniently accessible to his constituents than one who resided in the district, and that he was therefore the one really held responsible by the people. Quite so. And therefore, generally speaking, two of the three under existing conditions are to be irretrievably lost. It is possible, and far more or less not functioning properly. Now I venture to say that if the same three men were representing the three new districts, each would be held responsible, each would function, and each would be a worth-while man.

No one man can adequately pay attention to the needs of a three-man district. He will have a man's sized task to capably attend to the public needs of a scattered six thousand people for whom he is the sole representative, and who will judge him by his work.

I hope, Sir, that with smaller districts, and with the consequently smaller cost of campaigns, busy men who now refuse to be candidates because they cannot afford the time or money for a big constituency will be readier than heretofore to take their part in public life; their country needs them, and they should heed the call.

In the divisions which had been made in the Bill before the House there were only a few outstanding questions to which he would like to draw attention. St. Barbe has been divided into two parts, namely, White Bay and St. Barbe. The member of that District had a few days ago said that both in principle and in detail the division was a proper one, and had no suggestion to make

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against it. The district of St. George's is divided into three one-man constituencies. There are several reasons for this. In the first place the population was large enough before this Bill for two, and the growth of the population shown in the 1921 Census, and in the Humber since, justifies the three members for that area. The Humber and Bay of Islands section is an industrial one and the population is growing with great rapidity. The remainder of the District is divided into Port au Port and St. George's. This is a natural division by the River St. George. The portion which will continue to be called St. George is agricultural, while the district of Port au Port is mining and fishing. There was another reason. In seeking to obtain the twelfth seat for the Roman Catholic population it was found that the division of that district represented the only solution. On the South West coast the Districts of Burgeo and LaPolle and Fortune have each contributed to make the District of Hermitage. Part of Burgeo and parts of Fortune and Hermitage Bay are added together to make the new District of Hermitage. This is agreeable to the people and the present representatives. Mr. Morine drew attention to the change made in the greatest of all Districts, namely that of Twillingate. The population of this District has entitled it to four members, and it has in consequence been divided into four parts, Twillingate including New World and Adjacent Islands, forms one part, and is devoted mainly to fishing interests. The mining portion, the centre of which is Little Bay Islands has been created the District of Green Bay, East of the Exploits, Lewisport, Norris Arm and west as far as New Bay up to and including Fortune District. Its interests are largely lumbering. The District of Grand Falls has been created out of the Valley of the Exploits River and includes the towns of Grand Falls, Botwood, Millertown, lies along the railway track and extends to and includes Grand Lake. Some people called the Humber and Grand Falls the labour districts; Hon. Mr. Morine preferred to call them the industrial Districts. Another, the district of Bell Island in Conception Bay, with the other two—Humber and Grand Falls—forms three districts of labour. The labour interest having grown during the past few years it seemed right to recognize it by offering opportunity of representation. In the Avalon Peninsula, Ferryland would be represented by one member instead of two. St. John's West and East have not been altered as to boundaries in relation to other districts, but Bell Island is taken away from St. John's East and it received the Catholic member lost to the Roman Catholic people in St. John's East. What is lost in one member is gained in another. The member lost in Ferryland District would go to Port au Port. The growth of the population justified this. The only change in St. John's East is that Portugal Cove is put into the District of St. John's West. This was done for the sake of equality, otherwise St. John's West (external) would have been short. Portugal Cove is a two-thirds Protestant and one-third Roman Catholic. Portugal and Broad Coves were so near together it was thought better to unite than separate them. St. John's West (external) then became a Protestant constituency. St. John's East (external) becomes a Roman Catholic constituency entirely. Because of congested Districts and also for denominational reasons, it was thought advisable to make two two-man Districts instead of four. Harbour Main remains as it was, Port de Grave as it was. Hr. Grace loses one member, and in future will be Harbour Grace and Bay Roberts. Bay de Verde loses one member, part of Bay de Verde District being added to Carbonar and giving them one member each. Trinity District, as at present, is divided into three one-man Districts: Bonavista Bay with a part of Fogo District, the Straight Shore, into four districts, and Fogo District with that exception, remains as it was. (To be continued.)

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EDITED BY JOHN M. CLAYTON.

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You have noticed, perhaps, that when an electric light is turned on near your receiver you hear a click in the receiver headset. This is due to the miniature spark which is formed as the circuit is "made." This click will be much more pronounced if the circuit is broken—that is, the light turned off. In an electric heater pad there is a thermal regulation device which automatically breaks the circuit when the temperature of the pad has reached a certain point. Quite obviously this regulating device is necessary. No one wants a pad that is red hot! When the current is cut off the pad, by means of this automatic switching arrangement in the pad, a click is heard in the receiving sets all over the neighborhood. This click is more vicious than the electric light switch click because the pad carries more current than the light, and the spark at the switch contacts on the pad is greater. This would be well and good. We all could put up with an occasional click, but the main trouble is that when the current is cut off by the automatic switch the contacts of the switch will vibrate and the current will be rapidly turned on and off and the spark at the contacts will turn into a miniature "arc" such as is visible at the contacts of an ordinary bell buzzer. It is this arc that causes loud continual buzzes in many receivers.
Some day all electric pads will be sold with a statement attached which certifies to their non-radio radiating ability. They should radiate heat and not radio waves!
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Dear me, boys and girls, isn't it too bad that unpleasant things so often happen and that I must tell you that most likely poor Little Jack Rabbit is lost. Of course he may reach home safely before I finish this story, but he hadn't reached the old Bramble Patch when I ended the last one, for poor anxious little Lady Love is still at the gate in the white picket fence looking over the Sunny Meadow for a glimpse of her bunny boy.
"Well, anyway, as the little bunny hopped along through the Shady Forest all of a sudden, just like that, quick as the wind that blows off your hat, a limb fell from a tree, plating the poor little bunny's left hind leg so tightly on the ground that he couldn't move. Yes sir, he no more could pull away his foot than he could tell who will be the next President.
Luckily his rubber-boot made a sort of cushion on which the heavy limb rested, so that he suffered no pain. But, goodness me, one doesn't like to be held tight by one's left hind leg in a forest after dark. Well, I should say no three times over.
"All of a sudden the poor little rabbit heard the friendly bark of the road, kind Policeman Dog.
"Hurry up. Please come quick, Policeman Dog, with your hickory stick," shouted the poor little rabbit.
"Dear me," gasped the good old dog after vainly trying to lift the heavy limb, "I wish I were an elephant. I'd soon lift it. Now, let me think what's best to do," and wrinking his forehead, he scratched his left ear with his right hind foot. "I know," he barked joyfully, all of a sudden—so suddenly that it made the bunny boy almost jump out of his boots, forgetting
for the moment that the big limb held one too tightly for anything like that to happen.
"I'm going to run over to the Hollow Stump Telephone Booth to call up the Fire Department," barked the old dog, "they'll bring ropes and pulleys and lift the limb in a jiffy, and in less time than I can take to tell if he was shouting over the wire:
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"Where to?" asked a voice the next minute.
"Bring the Hook and Ladder, with plenty of ropes and pulleys, to the Shady Forest. Little Jack Rabbit is pinned beneath a fallen limb near the Big Chestnut Tree."
"We'll be there in a minute or three to set the dear little rabbit free," shouted back the kind Fire Chief. And in the next story you shall hear what happened after that.
In fact, few animals more well-disposed to man.
But of all animals perhaps none is labelled more often than the pig, which through the ages has been credited with many faults and very few, if any, virtues.
We speak habitually, for instance, of the pig's stupidity, its laziness, its uncleanliness, and its greed.
But the pig is by no means unintelligent, as was shown not long ago by the sow which found its way home after being sold at a market thirty miles away.
And the pig is lazy only because close confinement makes it so, an explanation that may also be put forward in answer to the other charges against him.

Donkey's Aren't Dense

Donkeys have the reputation of being stupid, but this is not founded on fact. Few horses can match a donkey in intelligence.
The saying, "as brave as a lion," is not borne out by experience, for the lion, as any big game hunter knows, possesses only a fraction of the courage of some animals—the ram and the bull, for example.
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"Our Hospitality," Buster Keaton's second feature-length comedy made under his new contract with Metro, is coming to the Majestic Theatre tonight. This picture is described as an entirely new style of comedy. Aside from the Keystone situation, which are a staple part of the frozen-faced laugh artists' comedies, the story depicts the history of America during the railroad building era—one of the greatest periods in the growth of the country.
Much of the humor of the story is developed from the quaintness of social conditions of the time. The contrast between life of that period and today, as developed by Buster's scenario staff, Jean Hayes, Joe Mitchell and Clyde Bruckman, gives promise of some of the heartiest laugh material yet produced. Embedded in this glamorous chronicle of historic times is a love story and a feud.
One of the outstanding parts of the picture is a trip made by Buster, as the last of the McKays, on the first steam train, "The Rocket," in the early 1830's. This episode furnishes some delightfully quaint humor and offers also a correct historical replica.
Film fans are due for a distinct shock when they see Buster as William McKay, the serious youth, who returns to settle the affairs of his family, who have been killed off by the Cannibals. The sight of a smart-looking, small-statured lad, dressed in the elegant foggy of America in 1830, but with a sad, hauntingly familiar face, will greet their eyes. The pan-cake hat, baggy trousers and floppy shoes will give way to a high beaver hat, a Chesterian frock coat and a pair of light grey trousers shaped to the contour of the leg and fitting down over the shoes.
The cast of this Joseph M. Schenck Metro comedy epic is an all-Keaton affair. Natalie Talmadge Keaton, Buster's wife, returns to the screen in the leading feminine role. Buster II, the Keaton baby, also takes part. Buster's father, Joseph Keaton, originator of the famous "Three Keatons" of vaudeville fame, helps round out the family participation. Non-family players include Joe Roberts, Kitty Bradbury and Ralph E. Bushman, son of Francis X. Bushman. Buster Keaton and Jack Blystone directed. Fred Gibson was art director, and Elgin Lessley and Gordon Jennings did the camera work.
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Mr. Goodridge wrote and told him that our cod liver oil was much better than the Norwegian oil, and consequently Mr. Johnson came here. He came down here and he got very little encouragement from the past Government. But when he came down last year, we took hold of him, and gave him all the help that we could, and the result is that we have an order for twelve thousand gallons of Newfoundland Cod Liver Oil. Barious suggestions were made to Mr. Johnson during the past six months such as shipping oil in larger casks and those not tin lined. As a result the price was brought up from sixty cents to \$1.00 per gallon. The Department now has a man in the U.S.A. in connection with the oil business, and he states that one hundred and fifty thousand gallons of Newfoundland Cod Liver Oil will be wanted this year.

Coming down to the fishery itself, he said more could be done with our codfishery, and it is going to be done. We have been shipping the codfish out of our country in the same old way for the last hundred years, now we are going to try and have it shipped in better condition. He asked what you find with every other country—what does every merchant do? He has his agents out. The Norwegian government has agents all over the world and that is what we must do. It is not because one man gave a thing a trial and made a failure of it, that another man cannot take it up and make a good thing out of it. We must exploit Newfoundland, and try to develop our fisheries, and we have to place our products on different markets in the world. He felt sure Mr. Monroe is prepared to do anything that he is convinced will be for the uplift of this country, and once it is proved to him that it is going to be beneficial to the country—he will go to the limits. Referring to the herring fishery he said, previous governments did a lot about Scotch Cure herring but many people say that the Scotch Cure herring are not put up as they ought to be. We have complaints every day in the department in this connection. This year there are about 35 licensed parties packing Scotch Cure. If every barrel were to go out properly of course it would be

inspected by the man of the department. But it must be remembered that we have only six inspectors for both cod and herring and three of them are too old to be sent out of town so that we really have only three. Now how can the product of 68 packers be properly inspected by three men. Unless the inspector stays on a premises all day he cannot carry out the inspection properly. In some cases if he leaves after inspecting a few barrels the work of packing will still be carried on properly and in accordance with the regulations but in other cases it will not be. Unless we have more inspectors and the work of packing is confined to central packing houses, it will be impossible to control it. It is the intention of the Fishery Board to recommend central packing plants so as to get better results. He had been told by Mr. Taylor of Fleetwood that there would be no trouble in selling a million barrels herring to Russia this summer. He (Mr. Taylor) said if we did not do it he would; He wrote him a few days ago. And he (Capt. Winsor) was told that he had already shipped 200,000 barrels at a profit. Capt. Winsor claimed that if Mr. Taylor could sell the herring at a profit we could do likewise provided we did not have to pay 90 cents freight from Springdale and freight rates across the Atlantic were reduced. He believed we should have inspectors for split herring as well as for Scotch Cure.

At 6.30 p.m. recess was taken until 8 p.m.

NIGHT SESSION.

When the House assembled after recess the chairman resumed the chair and Capt. Winsor continued his address on the fisheries. Mr. Duff, Mr. Grimes, Mr. Hickman, Mr. Ashbourne, Mr. Halfyard also expressed their views on the subject after which the department passed.

MR. W. J. WALESH on the motion for adjournment referred to the condition of many of our fellow countrymen in the coal areas in Nova Scotia, occasioned by the strike there. He strongly urged that something be done to show our sympathy to the starving people.

Adjournment was taken at midnight until the usual hour to-day.

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NURMI FAILED TO MAKE NEW RECORD.

NEW YORK, March 25.—Paavo Nurmi, saying farewell to the board tracks of New York, on which he has established more than a score of records, failed by half a minute last night, to equal his time for one and one-half miles.

Nurmi's race featured the 224th Coast Artillery Meet. Jimmy Connolly, only other entrant of prominence, was left a half lap behind and Paavo proved, despite his poor time, that he has recovered fully from the attack which made him quit last week in a race at 5,000 metres against William Ritola.

WITH THE BOXERS.

NEW YORK, March 26.—Sir Terrie, New York Heavyweight, was given a decision over Lou Paluso, of Salt Lake City, in a ten round bout here last night.

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, March 26.—Danny Kramer, of Philadelphia, knocked out Eddie Wygant, Newcastle, featherweight, in the third round of a scheduled 12-round bout here last night.

LOS ANGELES, March 26.—George Godfrey, negro heavyweight, yesterday challenged the world in general and Harry Wills, Tommy Gibbons and Jack Dempsey in particular, in a telegram to the New York State Athletic Commission, sent by his manager, Jimmy Dougherty.

OAKLAND, Calif., March 26.—Jimmy Delaney, St. Paul lightweight, stopped Fred Sullivan, Oakland, in the fourth round of a scheduled eight-round contest here last night.

RE JOHNNY DUNDEE.

PARIS, March 26.—The French Boxing Federation officials to-day expressed great surprise that Johnny Dundee had been permitted to engage in a boxing bout in the United States before the French Federation's suspension on him was lifted, and are cabling the boxing authorities in America for additional details.

[Dundee, on March 25, fought a ten-round bout, in Boston, against Red Chapman. He was suspended by the French Federation for failing to remain in France some time ago to fight Fred Bretonnel.]

GREB BEATEN ON POINTS BY TUNNEY.

The American Light-Heavyweight Champion Outpointed Middleweight King in No-Decision Bout.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 27.—Gene Tunney, of New York, American light-heavyweight champion, defeated Harry Greb, of Pittsburgh, former holder of the title, and present world's middleweight champion, in a ten-round, no-decision contest here to-night.

Neither title was at stake, but the two men, who met to-night for the fifth time, were in great shape and their exhibitions were as strenuous as if the two titles were at stake. In the five fights, Greb has won one, one was a draw and Tunney took three.

By reason of his victory, Tunney will probably get his much desired match with Tommy Gibbons, outstanding light-heavyweight in the world, and challenger for Jack Dempsey's heavyweight championship.

Newspaper experts at the ringside gave Tunney six of the ten rounds. Tunney won because of his slashing body attack, forcing the Pittsburgh "windmill" to wince and break ground under a terrific bombardment of short rights and lefts.

Greb, 13½ pounds lighter than his opponent, started out in characteristic fashion, plastering Tunney with sweeping blows to the head.

The next few rounds were fairly even, but early in the third Tunney began to get in heavy body blows on the Pittsburgher, wearing him down. Greb was cautioned for holding in the clinches and wrestling Tunney to the ropes to escape punishment.

It was not until the seventh that it became apparent that the lighter man was tiring. In this round Greb landed only two punches and Tunney drove him around the ring with terrific punishment to the chest and mid-section. Greb's leads either missed or fell short and as he came in his opponent landed hard rights and lefts throughout the round.

The fight attracted a crowd that filled the auditorium to standing room capacity, the attendance being around 8,000 and the receipts about \$25,000. Tom Gibbons, the St. Paul heavyweight, who may be matched to meet Tunney in New York, June 12, occupied a ringside seat to get a close-up of his prospective opponent in action.

Gibbons also watched Greb intently as it was this famous Pittsburgher who defeated him in a decision contest in New York before Gibbons became a heavyweight championship contender.

Tunney weighed in at 181 pounds, while Greb tipped the beam at 167½ pounds.

SPORTING MEN FAVOUR FIGHT BETWEEN GENE TUNNEY AND WILLS.

NEW YORK, March 25.—Jack Dempsey, so-called heavyweight champion of the world, never will fight Harry Wills, negro challenger, no matter how great the financial inducements may be. This is the prevalent opinion of prominent and well-informed sporting men all over the United States.

Instead of readily accepting Wills' latest challenge and covering his \$2,000 forfeit, posted with the New York Boxing Commission, Dempsey and his manager, Jack Kearns, deliberately sidestepping the proposed match which the negro has been seeking for nearly five years.

Dempsey signed a movie contract last Monday, which will keep him out of the ring until some time next fall or winter. He made this engagement after receiving the Boxing Commission's preliminary order to accept Wills' challenge within a time limit of fifteen days, which expires tomorrow.

Kearns, meanwhile, has followed his numerous objections to the Commission's mandate with a statement that Dempsey will not defend his precious title in a bout with Wills, unless the latter first defeats Tom Gibbons. The champion's manager emphatically believes that Gibbons can be used to kill more valuable time. As a result Dempsey is afraid to try conclusions with the patient Scotsman and probably intends to retire without a reappearance in the ring, the logical opponent for Wills seems to be Gene Tunney instead of Gibbons.

Gibbons never has boxed Tunney and has refused a \$75,000 guaranty for an outdoor fight with him. Tunney, now a full fledged heavyweight, recently offered to fight Dempsey in the place of Gibbons or Renault, but received no reply either from the champion or Kearns.

In a clash with Wills, Tunney probably would put up a stronger argument than Gibbons, who is four inches shorter than the holder of the American light-heavyweight title and considerably lighter. Wills, at that, would have an advantage of nearly thirty pounds over Tunney, also about two inches in height.

Wills would be justified in commanding Gibbons to settle his differences with Tunney before asking for a match supposed to produce Dempsey's next antagonist, if any.

The Boxing Commission has given plenty of time to Dempsey and Kearns to show exactly where they stand. If the champion and his manager fail to accept the match with Wills before twelve o'clock to-morrow night the Commission probably will refuse to license them to operate in this State.

In that event, Wills doubtless will be convinced that Dempsey wants no part of his game. The negro then will be free to arrange a contest with Tunney or Gibbons, preferably the former, who is unable to drag the St. Paul man into the ring with a team of oxen.

NO OUTDOOR MEETS FOR PAAVO NURMI.

Will Race in England—Olympic Champion Will Run in the Boston Marathon.

NEW YORK, March 27.—Hugo Quist, manager and advisor of Paavo Nurmi, has announced that his charge positively would not compete in outdoor meets following his return from the Pacific Coast, early in May. When questioned regarding Nurmi's probable attempt for a new mile mark on the Harvard Stadium track, competition in college triangular meets and meeting Ritola in the Yankee stadium, Quist declared that there was nothing to the talk.

"Nurmi will go to England for races there," Quist said, "and he does not care to compete in races here after such a hard indoor and early spring campaign. He likes running in Europe and if he goes there I don't know whether he'll come back here or not. That is up to him."

When asked what Nurmi would do following his return here in May, since he was not due in England until July, Quist said that there was a possibility of his responding to invitations tendered by France, Sweden and Germany. Quist said that athletics on the continent were far different from competition here. He said that Nurmi would not run so often in Europe, but that his performances would be much better. The Finn's manager denied that he would accompany Nurmi to Europe, for the runner knows the continent like a book.

It was learned yesterday that Hugo Quist plans to revive interest in distance running in this country, and to raise it to a popularity it never has known before. Quist's next importation to these shores will be Adolf Oscar Stenrose, winner of the Olympic Marathon at Paris last summer.

After competing in the Boston Marathon on Monday, April 30, which this year will be the national championship event, Quist plans to have a series of long-distance races built around the Finnish veteran. These races will be divided into classes for

runners between the age of twenty and thirty years, thirty and forty years and forty and fifty years. Interest in distance running is bound to quicken since this sort of competition, based on the Finnish system of training, will bring out veteran runners in semi-retirement to-day simply because they dislike the idea of competing with youngsters whom they cannot defeat.

Stenrose finished third to Hannes Kohlenstein and Tewanima in the 10,000 meter race at Stockholm in 1912, and he is now well over forty years old. His competition in this country would do more to bring old timers into competition and to quicken interest in long-distance running among the younger athletes than anything else the Amateur Athletic Union could do.

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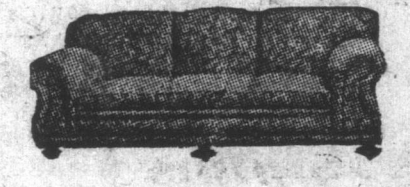
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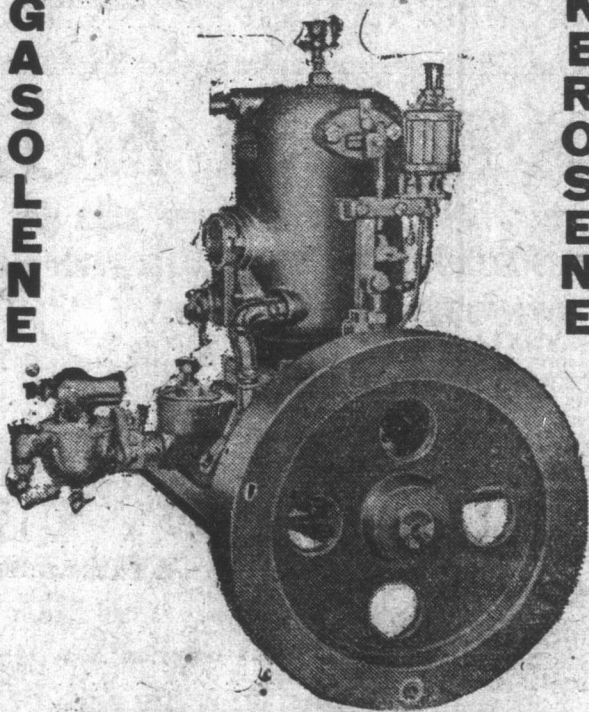
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