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CHAPTER XL.
"Have you made plans for me?" Shirley said, smiling down sadly at the sweet, bright face. "That is very good of you. May I hear them?"
Madge hesitated a little; the plans which she had talked over so eagerly with her mother on the previous evening seemed difficult to unfold to this grave, stately woman, stately even in her shabby black dress, as she sat by the window resting her head against the wall.
"Won't you tell me?" Shirley said softly. "Whatever they are, I shall be only too grateful for the kind thought which prompted them."
"And you will not be offended?"
"Offended—with you, my child?"
Shirley smiled slightly as she spoke, and, lifting her hand, parted Madge's hair on her brow with tender, caressing fingers; then, bending forward, she put her lips to the pure white forehead.
At the touch Madge Oliphant's face colored, and she trembled slightly. She had taken a sudden warm, girlish fancy to this beautiful, fascinating woman who had come so strangely into her life.
"Mamma thought, and I hoped, that you would come and live with us as my friend and companion," said Madge, looking up with entreating eyes.
"But—you know nothing of me," returned Shirley unsteadily. "I can give you no references as to—"
"Mamma said she would trust you," Madge said eagerly, coloring

hotly at the remembrance of the earnest entreaties she had employed to induce Lady Oliphant to dispense with references in case this beautiful and interesting stranger had none.
"She said she would trust me!" Shirley echoed, with a bright light of admiration on her face as she thought of these strangers' faith in her. "How good of her! Heaven bless her for it!"
"And you will come? Oh, please, come!" pleaded Madge. "We shall have such pleasant times, you and I together. Mamma is not very strong, you know, and you would help me to take care of her, and we should be so happy! You will come?"
Shirley hesitated; then looking down at the eager entreating face, she shook her head. She knew she could take no position, however humble, in such a household as Sir Frederick Oliphant's; there would always be constant risk of detection. Even if they had not known Guy, they might have other visitors who would recognize her; even among the servants there might be some one.
"You will not come?" Madge said, in a disappointed tone. "But, surely—"
"Do not urge me," Shirley begged faintly. "I cannot bear to refuse you; but indeed I must do so. I must not come into your home, my child. Believe me, it hurts me greatly to refuse you."
"Then I will not urge you. Will you let me tell you the other plan I think perhaps you will like it better. You will not be offended, will you?" added Madge shyly.
"Nothing you could do or say would offend me," Shirley assured her. "My child, but for your kindness, I should be homeless and shelterless now—but for your charity, I should have starved to death by the road side. Oh, there is no work I will not do to earn my bread, since," she ad

ded, with irrepressible bitterness—"since I cannot die!"
She dropped her head upon her hands as she spoke and covered her face, and there was a short pause in the little attic room where they were; then Shirley looked up again, and said softly—
"What is it, Miss Oliphant? Tell me what you have found for me. Ah, forgive me—I have pained you! But indeed I will not distress you again."
"I am sorry for you!" Madge said pitifully. "You are so young and so pretty to be unhappy. Shall I tell you what we were thinking of, mamma and I? We want a teacher for the village schools, and we thought you might be that teacher."
Shirley's face brightened.
"The schools here?"
"Yes. That red-brick building on the hill is the girls' school, and that little cottage beside it is where the teacher lives. Do you think you think you would like that? Mamma told me to tell you," the girl went on coloring a little, "that the salary would be quite sufficient, and that the cottage was a comfortable little place. The last teacher was a lady," continued Madge earnestly. "We were very fond of her, and she left us only to be married to a gentleman who had been curate here, but who now lives the Vivar of Addinbrooke. The work is not very hard." Madge resumed in a minute. "There are two upfit teachers, and you would soon get into the ways here. You know mamma has a hobby, and her hobby is the education of the children, and she likes them to be taught useful things, plain sewing and all that."
Shirley's thoughts went back to her sewing classes that she had attended at the convent at Bruges; she could teach plain sewing, great lady as she had been; her proficiency in needlework had often astonished her maid.
"It would be a quiet home for you," Miss Oliphant continued in her earnestness. "I think you would not be unhappy, and we would try to make you comfortable. Will you stay with us there, at the cottage?"
"I cannot," Shirley answered piteously and brokenly; and Madge uttered a quick exclamation of disappointment as she rose from her knees by Shirley's side and turned away, keenly hurt.
With a sorrowful tenderness and regret and yearning, Shirley's eyes followed her as she moved away. Ah, what a haven of rest and peace the little red-brick cottage seemed to

her! And yet she had to turn away from it. How could she accept a post which might bring her into contact with Guy? For, of course, if he was "courting" Miss Oliphant, he would be constantly at Erindale, and they could not fail to meet at some time or other. No; she must refuse it; she must go away and let him be happy with this sweet young girl who was so eminently worthy of his love, who would make him forget the past and his misery. She must go away and let Madge think of her as ungrateful for all her kindness. She must go away—but whither—whither could she go?
With a great tearless sob her head sank forward on her breast. Ah, how hard it all was, how cruel life was to her! Was she never to find rest? Must she go out once more into the cold cruel world which had treated her so hardly? Must she face the long nights without shelter again? Must she know the misery and suffering of hunger and thirst and fatigue and depression? Must she go through them all once more? Ah, Heaven, why did they save her—why had they not let her die?

Madge came back slowly, and stood beside her for a moment in silence.
"Won't you stay?" she said gently.
"We will try to make you happy."
"Heaven help me!" Shirley answered brokenly. "I cannot! Ah, don't let me trouble you, Miss Oliphant! I bring misery and suffering wherever I go, and you must not let the thought of me cloud your young life. Ah, if it is as bright and cloudless as I wish and hope it may be, it will be a happy life."
"But why will you not stay?" the young girl persisted gently. "I think you would not be unhappy; and mamma would be so pleased, and—"
Shirley caught the gentle hands which were held out so kindly toward her, and drew them both close to her heart.
"Heaven bless you for all your goodness!" she said tearfully. "I shall never forget it—never! But I cannot stay—do not ask me—for your own sake, do not ask me!"
The intensity of her earnestness struck Madge Oliphant painfully, and she forbore from her entreaty, wondering a great deal, and grieving for the misery on Shirley's face which seemed to deepen every moment.
"I will not urge you any longer," she said gently. "Perhaps you will think it over for a day or two, and then give mamma an answer. It will make us very happy if you accept. And now I must not talk any longer," she added, "for I have tired you out. Will you come down with me?"
Shirley rose at once; above all things, she feared to excite suspicion in the young girl's mind, and, moreover, it was a very great pleasure to her to be with Madge—the girl was so sweet and bright, so sparkling and tender; besides, she wanted to know her better, this happy girl, this fortunate girl who was to live with Guy in the future and bask in the sunshine of his love and nestle into his heart, healing the old wound and making him happy once more. Sweet blue-eyed Madge—Heaven bless her and him!

Mrs. Ford was waiting for them in the little sitting room, and Madge tried to chat with her usual gaiety; but it was difficult for her to overcome her disappointment, and Shirley's sad eyes became sadder still as she watched the shadow which darkened the fair young face.
"You don't seem so bright to-night, Miss Madge," Mrs. Ford said, looking at her anxiously. "Are you quite well?"
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Henley	F. J. Mc
Sub for C. P. Ayre	W. L. Don
B. Peters	R. St
H. E. Cowan (sk.)	J. C. Jar
20	A. Macph
H. A. Brown	T. Ba
F. Martin	A. S. Ro
D. McFarlane	F. H. Dou
R. C. Reid (sk.)	12
14	A. Bre
B. Hayward	W. H. Ra
J. Taylor	S. J. F
J. S. Mann	W. R. Wa
C. R. Duder (sk.)	16
12	J. Mal
Ino. Taylor	J. J.
F. Martin	D. H.
H. Donnelly	T. W.
H. D. Carter (sk.)	11
20	E. H.
W. McNeilly	W. A.
J. Soper	F. C.
G. Whiteley	E.
J. Browning (sk.)	15
9	J. B.
H. Bartlett	S. Tho
S. Rodger	J. P.
Dr. Macpherson	J. P.
J. C. Hepburn (sk.)	W. F.
12	19

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J. Hebley	F. J. Morris
Sub for C. P. Ayre	W. L. Donnelly
G. Petera	R. Strang
H. E. Cowan (sk.)	J. C. Jardine
20	8
H. A. Brown	A. Macpherson
F. Martin	T. Barron
D. McFarlane	A. S. Rendell
R. G. Reid (sk.)	F. H. Donnelly
14	12
R. Hayward	A. Bremner
J. Taylor	W. H. Rennie
J. S. Mann	S. J. Foote
C. R. Duder (sk.)	W. R. Warren
12	16
Jno. Taylor	J. Mulcahey
F. Martin	J. Kelt
H. Donnelly	D. Eaton
H. D. Carter (sk.)	T. Winter
20	11
W. McNeilly	E. Harvey
J. Soper	W. A. Ellis
G. Whiteley	F. Crane
J. Brownlie (sk.)	E. Rowe
9	15
H. Bartlett	J. Baxter
S. Rodger	S. Thompson
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331,000 out of Work in New York.

Conditions are Abnormal and the Worst Known for Seven Years.—Problems for Various Organizations to Face.—Principal Section of Unemployed to be Found Among the Unskilled.

New York, Feb. 6.—Statistics gathered by the Employment Bureau of the Society for Improving the Condition of the Poor, showing that 331,000 men in New York were out of work, furnish an interesting study for employers, philanthropists and social economists. As a result of a canvass of manufacturers, contractors and merchants, the Bureau reports that conditions were abnormal and the worst since the winter of 1907-1908. "Most of the employers felt, however," says the report, "that business relief was in sight and that a very few months would see the return of normal business conditions."

Unskilled Labor Worse.
Of the total unemployed, 140,000 were unskilled laborers. The building trades came next, with 79,000. Then followed: Longshoremen, 18,000; cloak and suit makers, 18,000; waiters, 6,500; tailors and pressers, 6,000; clerks, book-keepers and accountants, 5,000; mechanics, 4,500; boatmen, bargemen and sailors, 4,200; barbers, 3,800; drivers, 3,000; engineers and firemen, 3,000; and other trades in smaller proportion. The Bureau acknowledged that these figures are only approximate, but said that in every case the most conservative information was followed.

Journalism 1,500 Years Ago.

The President of the Chinese Republic, Yuan Shi Kai, recently suppressed the newspaper "King-Boa," which undoubtedly was the oldest paper in the world.
For 1,500 years it has reported the more important news not only of China, but also of foreign countries. At a time when the art of printing and journalism was as yet unknown in Europe, the Chinese invented a means for making type of lead and silver, and in the year 400 A.D., the paper "King-Boa," was printed, and has since been issued regularly until recently.

This Date in History.

FEBRUARY 13.

Last Quarter—17th.

New Moon—24th.

Days Past—43 To Come—321

WILLIAM and MARY proclaimed 1688: While Stadtholder of Holland, William III. married Mary, eldest daughter of James II. When the latter abdicated and fled the country, William was invited to succeed him and he and Mary were proclaimed on this day. There was resistance in Scotland and Ireland but James's cause was defeated in Ireland at the Battle of the Boyne, and in Scotland by measures that were not wanting in cruelty, as was shown by the Massacre of Glencoe, 1692.

WAGNER died 1883, aged 70. German composer who revolutionized operatic methods by doing away with set ballads and choruses, and endeavoring to give the same unity of action to an opera as would be realized in a play without music.

'Tis the mind that makes the body rich.

—Shakespeare.

Ponderous Personages.

JOHN D. ROCKFELLER

By GEORGE FITCH,

Author of "At Good Old Swash"

John D. Rockefeller, one of the most frequently mentioned citizens of the United States, lives in a country near New York City, which he has made over into a very handsome front yard. He also has a residence in Cleveland, Ohio, where he lived many years, and is acquainted with several people.

Mr. Rockefeller is famous in more ways than any other American, with the possible exception of that steeling athlete hunter, author, explorer, woodchopper, warrior, preacher, historian father and statesman, Col. Roosevelt. Mr. Rockefeller is one of the most noted golfers in the country. He has never won a cup, but he is the only golfer who rides after his ball on a bicycle.

Mr. Rockefeller is also the nation's most famous Sunday School teacher. He has a large class in New York City and it was on account of his talks to young men on how to succeed that he was elected to honorary membership in the American Press Humourists' Association some years ago.

Mr. Rockefeller is also noted for his extravagance. Money slips through his hands like water. No sooner does he save a cent a gallon on the price of transporting oil than he lets go of a million dollars in some college or other. He blew in \$25,000,000 on Chicago University in ten years, thus putting the record of the most extravagant senior to shame. With him it is a case of saving at the spit and wasting on the General Education Board. He has spent \$120,000,000 in the last twenty years. If it were not for a little Standard Oil stock—say about \$500,000,000 worth—he would be a poor man to-day.

Mr. Rockefeller also has the most famous head of hair in the country. When he bought it reporters wrote columns about it.

Mr. Rockefeller, moreover, is famous for his exclusiveness. He does not go to tango teas or Europe, and has never been elected to office. He is personally known to very few citizens. He is so retiring that when the government wished to serve a witness subpoena on him, some years ago, it took a hundred deputy sheriffs several weeks to find him.

Mr. Rockefeller is the most famous ex-dyspeptic in the country. Twenty years ago he could not swallow anything except dry toast and competing companies. Of late years, however, he has cut both of these articles of diet and eats everything else with impunity.

Mr. Rockefeller was born in New York state in 1839 and is a self-made man. He used to sell oil for a living, but retired some years ago, long after his competitors had started life over again.

"All That I Know is My Wife is Dead."

New York, Jan. 31.—Ferdinand Koehn, chief wireless operator on board the liner *Monroe*, who took off his own life preserver and strapped it around a woman just as the steamer *Monroe* started to sink early yesterday, lived with his parents in the Bronx.

Six survivors of the disaster reached here early to-day. Among them was Thomas Harrington, of Bridgeport, Conn., accompanying the body of his wife, who died after being taken aboard the rescue ship *Nanuetket*.

Harrington was the passenger who swam in the cold water supporting his wife by holding her hair in his teeth. "I am too weak to talk," he said. "All that I know is that my wife is dead."

Had Itching Piles For 27 Years

Often Laid Up for Days at a Time—A Wonderful Tribute to Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Few people were ever more enthusiastic in praising Dr. Chase's Ointment than the writer of this letter. When you read the description of his case you will not wonder why Mr. John Johnson, Coleman, Alta., writes: "Three years ago I was cured of blind, itching piles of 27 years' standing by using Dr. Chase's Ointment. I used to think that death would be the only relief I would ever get from the terrible misery of piles. Often I was laid up for three days at a time, and at other times worked when I should have been in bed."

"Dr. Chase's Ointment is worth sixty dollars a box instead of sixty cents. I am a different man since using it. I am farming all the time, and never miss a day. Words fail to express my gratitude for the cure this ointment made for me. I cannot tell half as much about it as it deserves. Anyone desiring this can write direct to me."

Dr. Chase's Ointment, 60 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

M. C. L. I. Debate

The attendance at the debate in the M.C.L.I. Rooms last night, was somewhat smaller than on previous occasions, which was due to the number of members attending the citizens' meeting. The question of Agriculture was discussed under three heads viz:

- (1) Model Farm.
- (2) Seed and Stock Distribution.
- (3) The Homestead.

The leaders for the different policies, in the order above mentioned, were Messrs. Charles Steer, W. H. Peters and W. Soper, respectively. Mr. Steer, in a very interesting speech showed the benefits to agriculture that would accrue from scientific instruction in the cultivation of the soil. He cited as examples the progress that had resulted from the method in other countries, and contended that Newfoundland should follow in line to have agricultural results. Mr. Peters, who was an advocate of the distribution of seeds and stock, stated that as Newfoundland is principally a fishing country, we could not hope to achieve such results in agriculture as Canada. The only thing to be done was to encourage the fisherman farmer to grow his own produce by procuring good seed for distribution. In the course of his remarks he referred to the benefits resulting from the formation of Agriculture Societies for this purpose.

Mr. Soper contended that the homestead policy was one that necessarily appealed to everyone, since it contained the most important features of all policies. The encouragement of forestry in this policy, were such that they could not fail in bringing about beneficial results. In the vote being taken the majority decided in favor of the homestead policy.

W.C.T.U.

The meeting of the W.C.T.U. held at the Seamen's Institute, yesterday, was largely attended. The meeting opened with a devotional half hour, conducted by Mrs. Joe Pippy, who dealt with the Inspiration of the Scriptures. The principal object of the meeting was to deal with the petitions to be presented to the Legislature re the shipment of intoxicating liquors to Local Option districts. The ladies have secured a large number of signatures to the petitions, which were submitted to the committee who will arrange for their presentation to the House.

Young Man, Do You Want ONE?

We refer to the fact that we have a few choice patterns of our up-to-date warmth-without-weight Overcoatings left, and we got to clear them out. Come and select one, as you need it, and we will talk about the price privately. Made in our famous up-to-date, double-breasted effects. Don't lose the chance. SPURRELL BROS., 365 Water Street, next door to Parker & Monroe's.—Jan 27, '14

Young Lady Protested.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—Allow me to use your columns to praise the pluck of a young lady (well known in the city), who yesterday at dinner hour, on Duckworth Street, bravely faced a drunken teamster, who was about to ill-treat his poor horse.

Quite a lot of men were passing and spectators at the time, but the young lady showed more pluck than the whole bunch, and talked to that teamster in a way, that drunk and all as he was, brought him to his senses.

What a pity it is that her example is not followed more frequently in the streets of St. John's. Unfortunately they are all too rare, and it is the hope of the writer, that this expression of approval and esteem, may be the means of winning more help for our dumb friends.

Yours truly,

A LOVER OF ANIMALS.

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S. MILLEY.

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Any analytical chemist can prove by analysis, that tea and coffee contain two harmful drugs—

Caffeine—an alkaloid that irritates the heart, liver and kidneys, and upsets the nerves.

Tannin—a drug which produces an astringent action upon the tissues of the stomach and bowels.

But the greatest test of all is made in thousands of homes where it is daily proven by personal experience that headaches, biliousness, indigestion, heart irritation and nervousness are very often caused by tea or coffee drinking.

An ordinary cup of tea or coffee contains from 1 1/2 to 3 grains of caffeine, and from 2 to 7 grains of tannin.

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It is absolutely free from these drugs or any harmful substance. Made only from prime wheat (roasted) and a small percent of molasses. Postum contains the rich, nutritious values of the grain—is a genuine food-drink.

Postum comes in two forms:

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Evening Telegram.
W. J. HERDER, - - - Proprietor.
W. F. LLOYD, - - - Editor.
FRIDAY, February 13, 1914.

**Public Meeting
of Citizens'
Committee.**

The public meeting held in the T. A. Hall last night was attended by a fair representation of citizens of all classes who showed much enthusiasm in the policy outlined in the report of the Citizens' Committee. After the report of the Committee's progress on Civic matters to date had been read by the Chairman, Mr. W. G. Gosling, a set of resolutions asking the Government to postpone the Civic Election, were moved by Hon. J. Harris and carried by those present. The meeting was called to order at 8.15 p.m. by Chairman Gosling, who had with him on the platform, Hon. J. Harris, J. Harvey, M. P. Gibbs; Messrs. C. O'N. Conroy, F. W. Angell, C. P. Ayre, J. Fenelon, F. Bradshaw, G. Shea, G. F. Power, E. M. Jackman, P. McNamara, J. C. Barter, W. F. Howley and Dr. Breim.

Mr. Gosling in opening the meeting explained the purpose for which it was called and referred briefly to the work of the committee since its inception stating that the accomplishment of the work undertaken by them would result in the health and happiness of the people.

He wanted it distinctly understood that the movement was not in any way meant to obstruct the Municipal Council.

The present and past councils had done as much as possible with the means at their disposal, and though there were much needed reforms apparent on all sides the matter could not be dealt with by the council under the existing system.

The citizens needed awakening from the apathy that has so long prevailed. The speaker then outlined the policy of the committee with regard to having the civic election postponed for one year, and the management of the city affairs be given to a committee of twelve, who would carry on the work of the city gratuitously. After referring to the good work done by reform committees in other cities, he read the report of the Committee which has already been published in the Telegram.

Hon. J. Harris followed and after congratulating the previous speaker and endorsing his remarks, moved the following

RESOLUTION:
WHEREAS the present deplorable condition of the city of St. John's is a matter of serious concern both to its citizens and to the general population of the Colony, with whose interests the welfare of the capital city is closely connected;
AND WHEREAS under the existing law the Municipal Council are fully occupied in carrying out to the best of their ability a system which they did not create, and which has proved utterly inadequate to the needs of the city, and have neither the time nor the machinery at their disposal for the study of a scheme for reforming that system so as to bring it into line with modern requirements;
AND WHEREAS in the opinion of this meeting it is in the interest of the city that a larger body of electors should have an opportunity of studying the civic problem at first hand;
BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that a petition from the citizens of St. John's be presented to the Legislature praying that the next Municipal Election be deferred until June, 1915, and that upon the expiration of the term of the present Council the government of the city be vested in a Board of 12 citizens to be appointed by the Governor in Council to hold office for 12 months, to act without pay or remuneration of any kind, to study during their term of office the whole civic problem, and to submit

**Mr. Kent's
Amendment.**
Yesterday in the House of Assembly Mr. Kent made a motion of protest against the non-appointments to the vacancies at the heads of the departments of Justice and of Agriculture and Mines.
As the estimates of the latter department were before the Committee the motion took the following form:
"That the estimates of Supply for the Department of Agriculture and Mines be not considered by the Committee until a Minister of Agriculture and Mines be appointed by the Governor in Council pursuant to the Departmental Act 1898, either permanently or under an acting appointment, and he has taken his seat in the House."
In 1898 certain Departmental Acts were passed, relating among others to both of these departments. These Acts provide that a Minister for each of the departments shall be appointed by the Governor in Council by Commission under the Great Seal of the Colony and that the Ministers shall have the management and direction of the department over which he presides.
This statutory obligation is being ignored. The attention of the Prime Minister and his colleagues has been repeatedly directed to the violation of this constitutional obligation, but no satisfaction is vouchsafed to the protests, the Ministry relying on a complacent majority of supporters.
We now direct the attention of His Excellency the Governor to the statutory obligation which is cast upon the Governor in Council by these Departmental Acts of 1898.

CHIMNEY FIRE.
At seven o'clock this morning a fire of an unusual origin occurred at the residence of Mr. Sydney Blandford, on Circular Road. The hot water pipe on the back of the stove in the kitchen was frozen and as soon as the servant girl lit in the fire the stove exploded, and parts of it scattered about the room, and a slight blaze ensued. The servant was away in another section when she heard the loud report and after running to the kitchen to see what had happened, aroused the other inmates. Mrs. Blandford immediately telephoned to the Central Fire Station, and the firemen as well as the East End brigade responded, but before they arrived Mr. Blandford and the servant had the fire extinguished. The damage done did not amount to much.

McMurdo's Store News.
FRIDAY, Feb. 13th, 1914.
A box of White's delicious Fork-drip Chocolates will make her glad at St. Valentine's tide. You can select no gift for to-morrow more certain to give and leave a pleasant impression. The boxes look dainty and handsome, and the contents are positively the nicest of them all. Come in and look them over. Prices from 55c. to \$1.50 a box.
Darrington Toilet Lotion is the original preparation of Lotion for the toilet, and is always of uniform quality. A splendid emollient and a perfect skin food, which has an affinity to the natural oil of the skin, and so is the most natural means of curing slight cases of sprouting, chaps and abrasion. Price, 25c. a tub.

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Here and There.
MARRIED VS. SINGLE.—To-day at the Currier Rink an exciting competition is on between the married and single ladies.

WEATHER.—The wind is north-west up the country to-day, with the temperature ranging from 10 below to 10 above the lowest temperature being at the Quarry.

St. Valentine reigns supreme in the Presbyterian Hall TONIGHT. Be one of the merry-makers. Admission 20 cts. Feb 13, 14

GOES IN 'CLUTHA'—Capt. Halford, late of the ill-fated barque Mayflower, goes in command of the brig Clutha, succeeding Capt. Joyce, who has decided to remain on shore.

INJURED MAN ARRIVES.—By today's train, there arrived for the general Hospital a man named Luff, who is suffering from injuries received in an accident a few days ago. Luff was chopping wood at his home in Campbellton, when the axe slipped and he nearly cut his foot off.

MAN FOUND FROSTBITTEN.—About seven o'clock last night, two citizens found an inebriated man lying on the road side near Bannerman Park, and brought him home. The unfortunate man's hands and feet were frostbitten and he left to lie where he was he would have frozen to death.

NO CAUSE FOR ALARM.—According to a message to the Fisheries Department there is no cause for alarm regarding the U. S. Tug "Pot-mac" which is jammed 4 miles N.W. of Lough-star Head. The tug is short of coal and provisions, but there is no danger of her being totally wrecked, as stated by a contemporary.

Challenge Dance, Gaiety Theatre, Mechanics' Hall, Saturday night, Feb. 14th, between David Taylor, fisherman, South Side, and James Mansfield, seaman, New Gower St., for a money prize. The date of the season. Admission 10c.—Feb 13, 14

GRAND FALLS HOCKEYISTS.—A message was received last night by the Hockey League from Grand Falls asking if our boys would meet a team from the paper town. The League will consider the matter at a meeting tomorrow night, but it is unlikely anything definite will be done until the Progressives of Halifax are gone.

M. G. B.—Don't forget to get your tickets for the M. G. B. So-called to be held in the College Hall on Wednesday next. A first-class performance is in progress and don't forget that the inner man will be remembered also. Tickets may be obtained from the members or the N. C. O's.—Feb 13, 14

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Ladies' MACKINTOSH BARGAIN.
We have eleven only Ladies' Mackintoshes slightly soiled. We offer at **75c. each.**

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Girls' Fancy Tweed, smartly trimmed collar and cuffs; an altogether remarkable offer at **\$1.45.**
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Note of Thanks. Here and There.
Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir—Through the columns of your paper, I wish to sincerely thank the many friends who have sent wreaths and messages of sympathy to myself and family on the death of my dear wife. Yours truly,
HORACE M. HERBERT.
Millertown, Feb. 7th, 1914.

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED.—As the community are in a fever of excitement as to the rightful holder of the title, and to ease the public mind, I accept the challenge of Mrs. Bride Nelson to dance her at the Gaiety Theatre on Monday night, Feb. 16th, for five dollars, the championship and the belt. (Sgd.) MRS. CATHERINE READY, Champion Dancer, Bannerman Street. "Can't Lose."—Feb 13, 14

DON'T FORGET St. Thomas's Men's Bible Class Social in Canon Wood Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 17th. Tea on table 7 o'clock. Tickets 30c. Concert at 8. Admission 10c.—Feb 12, 14.

PASSED ILL-FATED VESSEL.—The Nellie M. while on her way to Brazil, passed the Mayflower on January 15th, in mid-ocean, the day before the latter vessel was abandoned. The Mayflower was then in a bad plight but the Nellie M. was powerless to give assistance.

MARRIED.
On the 12th inst. at the residence of Mrs. Hand, 7 Bell Street, by Rev. Dr. Cowperthwaite, Capt. and Mrs. Caroline Bennett, of Berlin, to Miss Caroline Rebecca Hollett, of the same place.

DIED.
At Millertown, on Thursday, February 5th, Ellinor Burt, beloved wife of Horace M. Herbert, aged 45 years, deeply regretted by a large number of relatives and friends.

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Dainty effects in various pretty styles, square, round and pretty Sailor Collars, Ribbon and Embroidery trimmed.
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Various styles, all trimmed with lace, ribbon and tucks.
Reg. 25c. Sale Price... 20c.
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Beautiful designs in Swiss Embroidery. Many finished with Pink and Blue Draw Ribbon.
Reg. 50c. Sale Price... 40c.
Reg. 65c. Sale Price... 52c.
Reg. \$1.25. Sale Price... \$1.00</p> <p>Flette Nightdresses.
Reg. 85c. Sale Price... 68c.
Reg. 95c. Sale Price... 76c.
Reg. \$2.80. Sale Price... \$2.05</p> <p>Wincey Nightdresses, various styles and sizes. Reg. \$2.60 each. Sale Price... \$2.13</p> <p>"Blaxella" Nightdresses, all wool, guaranteed unshrinkable; round & square neck styles. Reg. \$5.75 ea. Sale Price... \$3.95</p> <p>Flette Knickers.
Trimmed with Embroidery Lace and Tucks.
Reg. 45c. Sale Price... 35c.
Reg. \$1.00. Sale Price... 80c.</p> <p>Infants' Pinafores.
Sizes 18 in. to 24 in.
Reg. 20c. Sale Price... 16c.
Reg. 90c. Sale Price... 76c.</p> |
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Here we are! Nearly half way through February month and consequently nearly half our Annual Sale is over. If YOU have not benefited by this great event—if YOU were not one of the tremendous crowd that visited this Store during these last two weeks—

DON'T DELAY ANY LONGER. COME RIGHT AWAY.

The values offered have been a revelation to even the most Experienced Shoppers. We intend giving better values, if possible, for the remainder of the month.

Children's Cotton Dresses—Special.



Reduced Prices on Girls' American Wash Dresses. What is so dainty for the Miss from 4 to 14 years as a pretty Gingham or Cotton Dress? Mother can make something pretty, of course, or get it made, but it is hardly worth the bother when we offer these at such low prices. During this Sale you can afford to secure three or four Dresses to have on hand.

Ladies' Cotton Dresses.
Very smart styles in Cotton and Linen Dresses for ladies; very effective patterns in Plain, Spot, Check and Stripe effects.
(Cotton.)
Reg. \$1.25 each. Sale Price... \$1.00
Reg. \$1.45 each. Sale Price... \$1.16
Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price... \$1.60
Reg. \$3.20 each. Sale Price... \$2.69
Reg. \$5.75 each. Sale Price... \$3.15
(Linen.)
Reg. \$5.00 each. Sale Price... \$4.10
Reg. \$8.00 each. Sale Price... \$6.75

LADIES' SKIRTS.
In Poplins, Linen, Ratine, &c.
Values \$5.00 and \$6.00. Sale Price... **\$1.04**

REDUCED PRICES On Fashionable Corsets.

Nearly all the Corsets ordered by us for Spring and Summer 1914 have arrived, and are offered at the same price reductions that are in force on our regular stock.

In addition to the popular D. & A. Corsets, La Diva, Mona, La Gracieuse, &c., we are showing the famous "Nemo" Corset. The newest Nemo models are to be seen here, and they are well worth seeing. We like to sell Nemo Corsets because they are always up-to-date in style and give perfect satisfaction always.

- LA DIVA CORSETS.**
Self-reducing Belts; adjustable; absolutely guaranteed; 6 garters. Regular \$7.00 and \$4.10. Sale Price... **\$2.50**
- LA GRACIEUSE CORSETS.**
Long hips, medium busts, 4 garters, abdominal belts; 19 inch to 26 inch. Regular \$1.00 pair. Sale Price... **86c**
- NEMO CORSETS.**
The best models for stout people, abdomen supporting straps various styles.
Regular \$4.00 pair. Sale Price... \$3.55
Regular \$4.50 pair. Sale Price... \$3.95
Regular \$5.00 pair. Sale Price... \$4.55
Regular \$6.00 pair. Sale Price... \$5.25
- MONA SELF-REDUCING CORSETS.**
In various sizes, patent straps. Reg. \$3.50. Sale Price... **\$1.99**
- D. & A. CORSETS.**
All sizes, all styles.
Regular 75c. pair. Sale Price... 63c.
Regular \$1.00 pair. Sale Price... 89c.
Regular \$1.40 pair. Sale Price... \$1.25
Regular \$1.70 pair. Sale Price... \$1.53
Regular \$1.85 pair. Sale Price... \$1.67
Regular \$2.25 pair. Sale Price... \$2.08
Regular \$2.70 pair. Sale Price... \$2.40

GREAT SAVINGS ON KITCHEN GOODS.

- ASBESTOS SADDLERS,** 3 in Set. Reg. \$2.10 Sat. for **\$1.89.**
- Wire Potato Mashers. Sale Price... 7c.
Aluminum Pepper and Salt Shakers. Reg. 12c. each. Sale Price... 10c.
"Universal" Nickel Towel Racks. Reg. 12c. Sale Price... 11c.
"Giant" Cooking Forks. Reg. 12c. Sale Price... 10c.
Ratchet Basting Spoons. Reg. 12c. Sale Price... 10c.
Slotted Spoons 12 ins. long. Special. 6c.
Cold Handle Stove Lifters. Special. 5c.
Vegetable Paring Knives. Reg. 12c. each. Sale Price... 10c.
Combination Graters. Reg. 10c. each. Sale Price... 8c.
Painted Tin Spice Boxes. Reg. 55c. each. Sale Price... 49c.
Wire Soap Savers. Reg. 15c. each. Sale Price... 13c.
Wire Cake Coolers. Reg. 17c. each. Sale Price... 14c.
Cleaving Knives. Reg. 13c. ea. Sale Price 11c.
Pastry Rollers, 17 in long. Reg. 17c. each. Sale Price... 14c.
Emery Knife Sharpeners. Reg. 6c. each. Sale Price... 5c.
Cake Turners, 15 in. long, with wood handle. Special... 5c.
"Unique" Toilet Paper Holders. Reg. 12c. each. Sale Price... 10c.
Egg Beater and Cream Whip. Reg. 15c. each. Sale Price... 13c.
The "Ladysmith" Tin Opener. Reg. 20c. each. Sale Price... 17c.
Self-Drawing Corn Screws. Reg. 30c. each. Sale Price... 26c.
Spring Balances to weigh 25 lbs. Reg. 10c. each. Sale Price... 8c.
Spring Balances, to weigh 50 lbs. Reg. 20c. each. Sale Price... 16c.
Goddard's Plate Powder in pkts. Reg. 20c. Sale Price... 16c.
Secotine in tubes. Reg. 17c. Sale Price 14c.

To the Young Man about to Marry.

**FURNITURE
Stored free of
charge until
required.**



- PARLOR SUITE.**
Reg. \$72.00 for \$57.95.
- 5-PIECE SUITE.**
Mahogany frame, spring edges, upholstered; Reg. \$55.25 suite. Sale Price... **46.00**
assorted colored cut plush covering.
- 5-PIECE SUITE.**
Mahogany frame, web bottom, hard edge; upholstered in Green and Red. Reg. \$36.00 suite. Sale Price... **29.90**
- 5-PIECE SUITE.**
Walnut frame, spring edge, upholstered finish; covered with Green and Cut Plush. Reg. \$56.00 suite. Sale Price... **48.85**
- 5-PIECE SUITE.**
Allover stuffed, spring edge, upholstered in Moquette Rug with Plush Bands; assorted shades. Reg. \$72.00 suite. Sale Price... **57.95**
- 3-PIECE SUITE.**
Upholstered in Silk, spring edge, mahogany frame. Reg. \$62.00 suite. Sale Price... \$51.16
Reg. \$66.00 suite. Sale Price... \$55.90
Reg. \$72.50 suite. Sale Price... \$57.95
- SIDEBOARDS.**
Golden Oak finish, shock mirror; size 14 x 24 inch. Regular \$18.00 each. Sale Price... **14.97**
- ASH SIDEBOARD.**
Golden Oak finish, mirror with bevelled edges; size 14 x 24. Reg. \$20.00 each. Sale Price... **16.80**
- SURFACE OAK SIDEBOARD.**
Golden Oak finish, bevelled mirror; size 14 x 24. Regular \$22.00 each. Sale Price... **18.25**
- SURFACE OAK SIDEBOARD.**
British plate mirror, size 20 x 24; Golden Oak finish. Regular \$30.00 each. Sale Price... **24.22**
- SURFACE OAK SIDEBOARD.**
Shaped front mirror, 18 x 30; Golden Oak finish. Regular \$39.00 each. Sale Price... **32.50**

WE WOULD SAY THIS!
Our February Sale of Furniture offers you a splendid chance to save money on Furniture of utility, neat designs, and substantial construction. We invite you and your friends to visit us and look through the stock. Comparison with others will convince you that our prices are remarkably low.

- EXTENSION TABLES.**
Birch Mahogany Table, Golden Oak finish; 6 ft. Reg. \$11.00. Sale Price... **9.37**
- Ash Table, Golden Oak; 7 ft. long. Reg. \$14.00 ea. Sale Price... **11.25**
- Ash Table, 6 ft. long; Golden Oak finish. Reg. \$16.25. Sale Price... **13.40**
- Oval Table, 6 ft. long; Surface Oak finish. Reg. \$13.00 each. Sale Price... **15.00**
- DINING CHAIRS.**
Dining Sets, panel back, 6 in set. Reg. \$33.50 set. Sale Price... **25.18**
- Dining Set, leather seats, slit back, 6 in set. Reg. \$40.00 set. Sale Price... **33.66**
- Dining Sets, leather seats, panel back, 6 in set. Reg. \$44.00 set. Sale Price... **36.08**

JUST ARRIVED.
A large consignment of Rattan Chairs, ARM CHAIRS & ARM ROCKERS. These will sell at February Sale Prices.

Fur and Furlined Coats.

- A splendid chance to get an up-to-date Fur or Furlined Coat at a very substantial saving in price. We have sold quite a lot of these since the Sale Started.
- FUR-LINED TWEED & CLOTH COATS.**
Reg. \$30.00. Sale Price... \$24.00
Reg. \$42.50. Sale Price... \$34.00
- BLACK CARACUL COATS.**
Reg. \$47.50 each. Sale Price... \$38.00
Reg. \$54.00 each. Sale Price... \$43.20
- MOLE.**
Reg. \$42.50. Sale Price... \$36.00

Ladies' Costumes

- 18 only Stylish American Costumes in Black and Navy. Real up-to-date styles, made of high grade serge, smartly trimmed with Buttons, Braid, &c.; assorted sizes.
- BLACK SERGE.**
Reg. \$9.00 each. Sale Price... \$7.49
Reg. \$10.00 each. Sale Price... \$8.58
Reg. \$22.50 each. Sale Price... \$18.68
- NAVY SERGE.**
Reg. \$16.50 each. Sale Price... \$13.79
Reg. \$18.50 each. Sale Price... \$15.49

GROCERY SPECIALS.

- Now is your time to save money on Groceries. Many startling reductions have been made on staple lines for this month.
- Ceylon Tea, extra value. Reg. 25c. 30c. lb. for **20c.**
- Choice India Tea. Reg. 25c. lb. for **20c.**
- High Grade Rolled Oats. Special, 7 lbs. for **23c.**
- Good Handpicked Beans. Special, per lb. **4c.**
- Cleaned Currants in 1 lb. cartons. Special, per lb. **7c.**
- Finest American Granulated Sugar, per lb. **3c.**
- French Peas, Regular 15c. tin for **12c.**
- Armour's Delicious Soups. Reg. 12c. tin for **10c.**
- Boyer's Extra Tomatoes. Special, per tin **15c.**
- 3 lb. tins Pork and Beans. Reg. 15c. tin for **12c.**
- Record Brand Condensed Milk. Reg. 12c. tin for **10c.**
- Hartley's Jams in 1 lb. pots. Special **25c.**
- Hartley's Marmalade in 1 lb. pots. Special **20c.**
- Heinz Relish. Reg. 25c. bottle for **32c.**
- Choice White Pea Beans. Special, per lb. **5c.**

SHIRTS FOR MEN.

- MEN'S FANCY FLANNELETTE SHIRTS.**
With and without Collars; some lined, various pretty light and dark striped patterns.
Reg. 35c. each. Sale Price... 30c.
Reg. \$1.25 each. Sale Price... \$1.05
Reg. \$1.60 each. Sale Price... \$1.00
Reg. \$2.25 each. Sale Price... \$1.87
- WORKING SHIRTS.**
Dark Stripe, Cotton & Tweed.
Reg. 65c. each. Sale Price... 55c.
Reg. 75c. each. Sale Price... 60c.
Reg. 80c. each. Sale Price... 70c.
Reg. 90c. each. Sale Price... 79c.
Reg. \$1.04 each. Sale Price... 84c.
Reg. \$1.10 each. Sale Price... 90c.
- WORKING SHIRTS.**
Grey Flannel. With and without collars; all sizes.
Reg. \$1.25 each. Sale Price... \$1.05
Reg. \$1.50 each. Sale Price... \$1.25
Reg. \$1.80 each. Sale Price... \$1.50
Reg. \$2.20 each. Sale Price... \$1.87
- MEN'S WHITE DRESSED SHIRTS.**
Choice of either English or American makes, long or short bosoms, wristbands or medium cuffs.
Reg. \$1.00 each. Sale Price... 84c.
Reg. \$1.10 each. Sale Price... 90c.
Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price... \$1.70
Reg. \$2.50 each. Sale Price... \$2.15
- MEN'S BLACK SATIN SHIRTS.**
All Black Mercerised Sat. and White Pin Stripes; all sizes.
Reg. 75c. each. Sale Price... 65c.

LADIES' KNIT UNDERWEAR.

- We carry the most complete lines of Ladies' Underwear to be found anywhere. The advantages you gain by supplying your needs during this Sale ought to bring you here this week. We are prepared for every demand likely to be made on our resources.
- STANFIELD'S WOOL UNDERWEAR.**
VESTS & PANTS.
¾ and long sleeves, high necks.
Reg. 85c. gar. Sale Price... 75c.
Reg. 95c. gar. Sale Price... 85c.
Reg. \$1.10 gar. Sale Price... 99c.
Reg. \$1.35 gar. Sale Price... \$1.20
Reg. \$1.50 gar. Sale Price... \$1.33
Reg. \$1.75 gar. Sale Price... \$1.58
- LADIES' COMBINATIONS.**
Reg. \$3.00 gar. Sale Price... \$2.70
Reg. \$3.20 gar. Sale Price... \$2.86
Reg. \$3.60 gar. Sale Price... \$3.25
- CREAM FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR.**
VESTS & PANTS.
Reg. 65c. garment. Sale Price... 59c.
- All Jaeger Wool Underwear less 10 per cent. off regular prices.**

KNOWLING.
another instalment of valuable Clothing at BARGAINS in
CHILD'S PINAFORE BARGAIN.
values, fresh and clean trimmed with lace and very. These offerings will be themselves.
c. and 30c.
each.
good value for 25 cts. ea. The quality is unimpaired.
COLORED FORE & DRESS BARGAIN.
safely say that these are the best value even at our prices. They consist of Dutch Overall, designed in all leading colors, assorted trimmings, cotton and Cotton Dresses
50 cts.
each.
90 cts. to \$1.20. Good washable garments, to fit of years of age to
CHILD'S & Embroidered MUSLIN DRESS BARGAIN.
crisp and new. A rare opportunity to secure a charmingly suitable for party etc. Daintily trimmed and embroidered.
55c,
75c, 80c.
girls of 3 to 8 years of age from \$1.00 to \$1.49
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collar and cuffs; an alternative at
of age, and worth at
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Central Stores

A Belated Shipment of Job Embroideries

has arrived and is on sale this week at very special prices. We wish to clear away every yard of it this month and have marked them at specially close prices for quick selling.

**Think of Buying
the Daintiest Embroidery
at 10 cts. per yard.**

The variety is large, commencing at the low price of 3c. per yard and ranging up to 25c. for Embroideries 27 inches wide.

When we say
"INVICTUS" Shoes of Geo. A. Slater fame are dependable we mean that they will stand wear and tear and retain their shape. Like old and trusted friends they may always be relied upon. They are "THE BEST GOOD SHOE."

Our New Wall Papers ARE ON DISPLAY

and they present a striking example of our ability to gather the highest class goods and to sell them at ordinary prices.

**Distinctiveness in the Papers
themselves and Value in
their prices we strove for**

and secured. We are now showing all the new 1914 designs.

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**Fresh Cream
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Fresh TURKEYS
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GORGONZOLA CHEESE
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The Provisional Commission.

Letter From Hon. John Harvey.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Sir.—May I say a few words regarding last night's meeting of Citizens and its objects.

In the first place anyone who was present must, I think, have been disabused of any idea that a crusade involving an attack upon our present Municipal Council had been at any time in contemplation by the Committee or any person directly or indirectly connected with the movement.

On the contrary sympathy was freely expressed for them in their many difficulties, and much appreciation of their honest efforts and of their accomplishment under these difficulties.

This is not to say, however, that the conditions under which they have to work are not being criticized. But these conditions were not of their making, nor have they any responsibility for them. The criticism is upon these conditions.

The first question before the Public is: Are the conditions satisfactory?

No one imagines that they are. The Municipal Council are themselves of opinion that they are not, for not only have past and present members of the Council stated so repeatedly, but it is understood that the Council are recommending a change at the present moment. It is indeed sufficient apparent that there can be no improvement of an adequate nature in Civic affairs under the present system.

If then the present situation is unsatisfactory what alternative courses are open?

(1) If the electors prefer it we can go on as we are. That is, of course, the easy way. But it means four years more of the present state of things.

(2) We can adopt hurriedly and at once an ill-digested and immature scheme of change. Not necessarily ill-digested and immature upon the

part of the proposers, but certain upon the part of the Municipal Electors who would have to pronounce in favor of or against it. Anyne who had been a member of the Committee would appreciate this, for it took for meetings of a comparatively small number of interested men, each lasting from 8.30 to 11 p.m., to come to a decision upon the best preliminary course to be immediately adopted.

(3) There remains the proposal embodied in the resolution passed at last night's meeting—that the regular Municipal Election should be postponed for one year, and that an unpaid commission should be appointed to study the whole problem, to make a report in good time for the mature consideration of the Electorate, and to administer Municipal business in the meantime—the latter, as a matter of general convenience, as well as for the purpose of putting the Commission into immediate touch with the practical details of the problem.

Is there any other possible way of accomplishing the object in view, viz., the ultimate improvement of our City Government, through popular information and action. The proposal involves no necessary eventual change in the present position. It carries no ultimate disenfranchisement of voters, and even the provisional commission could be elected by popular vote after regular nomination.

It is to be hoped that all those who look at the present situation from this standpoint and who believe the members of the Citizens' Committee, who have already made some sacrifice of time and work in this matter, have not been actuated by any personal or selfish motives, will do what they can to see that the petition is largely signed.

Yours etc.
J. HARVEY.

Feb. 13th, 1914.

10 Boxes PURITY BUTTER,

By S. S. Stephano to-day.

1000 lbs. Fresh Halibut,
due by s.s. Prospero.

300 Fresh Mackerel.
20 boxes Finnish Haddies.
300 lbs. Fresh Codfish.
Smoked Caplin.
Boneless Codfish.
Kippers.
Selected Salt Herring.
300 pairs Fresh Rabbits.
Fresh Eggs, Fresh Oysters.

Bananas.
Tangerines.
California Oranges.
Table Apples (boxes).
Lemons.
10 lbs. No. 1 Baldwins.
Valencia Oranges, Celery.
Cauliflowers.
Shelled Almonds & Walnuts.
Desiccated Coconut (fresh).
P. E. L. Dressed Turkeys.
Selected Ducks.
Plymouth Rock Chicken.

T. J. EDENS,

151 Duckworth Street, 112 Military Road.

Obituary.

CAPTAIN JOHN GREEN.

The passing away of a veteran in the person of Captain John Green, took place at his late residence LeMarchant Road, this morning. The deceased was born in Newcastle, England, and had attained his 90th year. In the early sixties he first came to Newfoundland as master and owner of one of the old-time foreign sailing vessels. For about ten years he continued in this capacity, until he accepted a position with the late C. G. Bennett in the Tug Co. Since 1892 he had been associated with Mr. G. Rendell, the present manager of the Company, until his retirement a few years ago. He had been ailing for some time past, and the end was of unexpected. He was a prominent member of the Methodist Church, and he was senior member of the quarterly Official and Trustee Boards of Wesley Church. He was also one of the oldest members of Dudley Lodge, S.O.E., being a charter member. Capt. Green was truly upright and honorable, and most faithful in the discharge of his duties which at times were rather arduous. To the sorrowing relatives and friends the telegram in unison with the whole community, extends sincere sympathies.

Hymenal.

BENNETT—HOLLETT.

A quiet and pretty wedding was celebrated by the Rev. Dr. Cowperthwaite yesterday afternoon, the contracting parties being Capt. Ambrose Bennett and Miss Carrie R. Hollett, both of Burin. The bride wore a gown of embroidered net and brilliants over Charmeuse satin, veil and range blossoms. She was attended by her sister Miss Ella Hollett, who wore a pretty dress of white and pink silk, while the groom was supported by his nephew Mr. Ernest Heeseman, of Bishop Feild College. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold bracelet, to the bridesmaid a brooch and to the groomsmen a set of cuff links. Many valuable presents were received, among them being a silver ladle from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parsons, and a silver and oak nutcracker from Mr. F. LeFevre, S.H.A. Owing to the sad news of the death of the groom's father on Monday, the former plans were cancelled and the wedding took place at the home of Mrs. W. Hann, 7 Bell St. After having partaken of an excellent tea prepared by the ladies, the happy couple drove to the Osborne House where they will await the sailing of the s.s. Prospero, when they will leave for their future home in Burin. We all join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Bennett many happy years of wedded life.

—AMICUS.

Valentine Tea.

The Valentine Tea, held by the Daughters of Empire in the Girls' Department of the Seamen's Institute yesterday afternoon, was largely attended.

The ladies all brought parcels which were placed in a basket, from which each one drew a package. This feature of the entertainment excited much interest and amusement. Miss Harvey presided at the piano and an excellent programme of vocal and instrumental selections were given which enhanced the enjoyment of the evening. At the close teas were served by Mesdames LeCom, Duley, Valentine, Smallwood and Tait. The proceeds, which were considerable will be devoted to the funds of the Samaritan Committee.

THE EXPRESS.—The express that left here Wednesday, reached Port aux Basques at 7 a.m. to-day. The passengers were taken over by the s.s. Bruce. There will be no express to arrive in the city until Sunday morning, as there will be no express leaving Port aux Basques until after the arrival of the Linrose, due there to-night.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

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LACE CURTAINS, 2½ yards long, 80c. Now 60c.
LACE CURTAINS, 3 yards long, \$1.70 Now \$1.35
LACE CURTAINS, 3½ yards long, \$2.50 Now \$1.90
WHITE CURTAIN NET, good designs, very wide 9c. to 30c.
PILLOW CASES, frilled, 35c. Now 28c.
PILLOW CASES, H. S., 25c. Now 20c.
WHITE SHIRTING, splendid value 9c.
WHITE FLANNELETTES, the value of the season 10c., 12c. & 14c.

See Our Windows.

Come in for sample and compare values.

BISHOP, SONS & Co., Ltd.,

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Wants to Know.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir.—I understand some months ago the Municipal Council granted an arbitration to the Trustees (Oshane Street Church) re their claim for damage to their property on King's Road and Bond Street. The agreement, it is said, was drawn up and signed by the Mayor and the members of the Trustee Board. The arbitrators proceeded with the examination of the witnesses on behalf of the Church officials which closed their case. Now the Council's Solicitor refuses to proceed with his side of the case. If my informant is correct, this seems a very strange proceeding. Perhaps Mayor Ellis can enlighten the Methodists of the East End of the city through the columns of your widely read journal, why this stop in the proceedings and who is responsible for same.

Yours truly,

FAIR PLAY.

P.S.—In my next, as soon as I can obtain reliable information, I may ask some pertinent questions of the Mayor, as to why the Council's representative were not present at a number of meetings of the arbitrators, which necessitated a postponement from time to time.—F.P.

C.L.B. Elects Officers.

The W. & N.C. O.'s of the C.L.B. held their annual meeting last night. The election of officers was conducted by Mr. A. G. Williams and resulted as follows:

Chairman—Col. Sergt. F. J. Reid; re-elected.
Vice-Chairman—Comp. Sergt. Inst. F. Miles; elected.
Secretary—Corp. W. R. Mott; re-elected.
Treasurer—Corp. C. B. Stevenson; re-elected.
Committee—Sergt. Major Dicks, Sergt. Inst. Ebsary, Sergts. Strong, Barnes, Snow, Trebble and Calk.

The Mess intends forming a sick visiting committee and the holding of a series of debates. Last year the Mess paid off \$700 of the Armoury debt, and ever since its formation in 1906 has done splendid work.

STOP COUGHING.

It's quite as foolish as it is annoying to keep on coughing since

PHORATONE COUGH MIXTURE is sold all over Newfoundland and is guaranteed to soothe and heal the irritated parts at once, and to rapidly destroy the very cause of this aggravating nuisance. Hundreds of persons are complaining every day about the cough or cold they have had for a long time, and are not able to get rid of it. Don't let a cough or cold hang on you day after day and run the risk of catching and developing the "cough" that is not easy to throw off. You will avoid all this worry by obtaining

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(Manufacturers also of Stafford's Liniment and Prescription "A.")

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

BIG STOCK-TAKING SALE.

Generous reductions on every article of Dry Goods in stock and any Oddments and Excess Stock we offer at cost and under to make a clearance. We can only quote a few of the prices and reductions here, but remember that on anything and everything you buy from us during this Sale you are saving money. Now is the time to buy for later requirements also.

Large Stock of Rubber Footwear-CHEAP

Women's Storm Rubber Shoes, good hape and finish. Now only 49c. pr. Women's Storm Rubber Shoes. Now only 59c. pr. Women's "Rubber Leaf" Brand extra quality Rubber Shoes. Now only 68c. pair.
Men's Storm Rubber Shoes. Only 78c. pair
Men's Storm Rubber Shoes in the very highest qualities, such as "Protection." Regular \$1.25 pair Now \$1.10 pair
Ladies' Highest Class Rubber Shoes both with Ideal and Cuban Heels; and Child's and Misses' Rubber Shoes of all kinds, all at Reduced Prices.
Ladies' "Rubber Leaf" Brand extra quality Waterproof Button Gaiters, now only \$1.80 pair.
Ladies' "Carnival" Button Gaiters, which represents the very highest quality; all sizes from 3 to 7, with half sizes, at \$2.45 pair.

We Can Suit You to Underwear

And we can suit you to prices of same.
Ladies' Cream Ribbed Fleece Vests and Pants, only 24c. garment
Ladies' Cream Ribbed Fleece Vests and Pants. Reg. 40c. & 45c. Now 35c. garment
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Ladies' Flannelette Underwear of all kinds at cost to clear.
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Women's Black Ribbed Fingering Hose. Special values for this Sale at 13c., 22c., 27c., 34c., 40c. and 50c. pair.
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Lot of Ladies' and Misses' Felt Hats, only 25c. each to clear.
Lot of Ladies' and Misses' Wool Rinking Caps. Clearing Prices only 20, 25 & 35c. ea.

Ladies and Misses Coats, Ladies and Misses Furs.

All heavily reduced to make a complete clearance.
Big Lot of Ladies' and Children's Belts. Get our prices on these.
Ladies' Hand Bags from only 18c. each.
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Men's and Boys' Eastern Caps, fitted with knitted bands for the wintry weather. Now only 55c. each.
Men's Patent Dress Shoes and Slippers. Regular \$1.10 and \$2.00 pair. Now only 85c. and \$1.70 pair.
Get our Prices on Winter Gloves of all kinds. N.B.—Sale Prices are for cash only.

HENRY BLAIR.

Doctoritis.

By RUTH CAMERON.



I met an acquaintance on a trolley the other day looking unusually well and animated. I commented on this fact and asked her what she had been doing to herself. I've just come from the doctor's, she said; "I'm trying a new doctor. I'm surprised that I look so well, for I'm really quite tired out with the long examination he gave me."
She drew down the corners of her mouth and tried to look properly depressed, but her eyes shone and I knew why. Let me whisper a secret to you. This poor lady is a victim of a new disease which is quite prevalent among women, and especially among women of the leisure class—the disease of doctoritis.

Do you know anyone who is afflicted with this dread disease? Its chief symptom, in case you do not recognize it by that name, is a terrible appetite on the part of the victim for doctors. That sounds cannibalistic, but I don't mean that she eats them, merely consults them. A patient in the advanced stage is never satisfied with one doctor, but goes from one to another; as the drug eater requires a stronger and stronger dose, so the victim of doctoritis continually requires the stimulus of a new doctor to listen to her symptoms and prescribe new potions and new courses of treatment.

Once upon a time there was a woman who began by having nervous indigestion and ended by having doctoritis, although she didn't recognize the latter disease until too late. This woman went from doctor to doctor for several years; she had a homeopath, two allopaths, an osteopath and a mental healer. She was a nervous invalid and the life of the family soon came to center about her and her digestion. Finally she tried a great stomach specialist and he actually cured her indigestion. She was

perfectly well physically; there was no longer any occasion for her to consult doctors, and the family life ceased to revolve about her. Now what do you think happened? Six months later she up and died of doctoritis struck in. You see it had been like taking his drugs from an opium patient too suddenly.
The psychology of doctoritis is easy to understand. The victims are usually people who have little to think about and who find it difficult to get their share of that precious commodity which we all crave—the limelight. When the victim goes to a physician he asks her about herself, her family history, her previous diseases, her symptoms, etc., etc., and she has the exquisite pleasure of being the centre of attention and of talking about herself as freely as she likes, and being listened to.
The experience delights her and she repeats it as often as possible; so doctoritis gradually develops.

The woman I met on the trolley car was always perfectly well, very busy and reasonably happy until she was about fifty-five. Then her husband inherited some money and her daughter married and went away from home, and she was left alone with too little to think about. Whereupon she developed doctoritis.

A few doctors think doctoritis is a splendid institution because it fills their pocketbooks, but more of them dread it and avoid the patients who have it. A doctor's secretary once told me that when a patient developed that disease her employer would have her tell the patient, whenever she called, that he was out.

And now a warning. Unsympathetic people are not to seize upon this account for all the illness in the more delicately constituted members of their family. It is far more likely that some real ailment of the body, the mind or the soul is the trouble, and unsympathetic folks will do well to be sure that none of these is present before they make the diagnosis of doctoritis.

R. C.

LONDON GOSSIP.

LONDON, Jan. 28th, 1914.

ROYAL UNDERGRADUATES.
The Prince of Wales has now returned to Magdalen College, Oxford. It has further been decided that Prince Albert, the King's second son, shall go up to Cambridge in October. It is not yet announced which College he will join, but if precedent is followed he will, of course, go to Trinity, though the older Royal foundation at Cambridge is King's College, founded by Henry VI. in connection with Eton, and it takes precedence over Trinity, which was not founded as a College till the reign of Henry VIII. But King Edward, as Prince of Wales, was at Trinity in 1861, after he had come down from Christ Church, Oxford. It will be interesting to see whether Prince Albert lives in college or out. The custom at Oxford is for them to move out into lodgings. At Cambridge Freshmen go first into lodgings, and move into college as rooms become vacant. King Edward, as an undergraduate, lived, I believe, at Madingley Hall, a mansion some distance outside Cambridge, but in the case of Prince Albert one would think that was a precedent hardly likely to be followed if, like the present Prince of Wales, he is to take part in the ordinary life of the college.

ANKLE PURSES.
After the ankle watch comes the ankle purse! When a Londoner sees a young lady bend down and apparently commence to unlace her shoes he finds that she is probably reaching down to take some money from her purse. The ankle purse may now be obtained at some West-end shop. It is made of leather, and straps round a woman's foot just above the boot. Thus the manufacturers think that they have overcome "the problem of the pocket." At one time when skirts were made considerably wider than at present, there was little difficulty in providing a pocket somewhere. But in the modern skirt there is no room for anything of that sort. So women kind have been forced to carry their purse and their handkerchief in a little hand bag which is, however, apt to be in the way when a large muff is in use. Many people will, of course, regard the ankle purse as out. Certainly the ankle watch has by no means become "the rage." A walk in London yesterday showed that men, too, have a difficulty in regard to pockets. In cold weather no one wants to take his gloves off to get at his money which is usually kept in an inner pocket. So tailors are now "building" ulsters and heavy coats with little pockets concealed in the larger outside pockets. The former can be utilized for small change, which can easily be extracted without removing one's gloves.

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expressed his pleasure at being awakened in the morning by the strains of "Rock of Ages." "That was cook," explained a young member of the host's family. "She always sings Rock of Ages to boil the eggs; three verses for soft-boiled, five for hard." It was a London clergyman who once complimented his cook on her selection of a hymn for prayers. "Yes," was the ready answer; "it's the number of my policeman."

HOSPITAL TREATMENT FOR INSANITY.

The London Medical Legal Society at its last two meetings has been discussing in some detail the question of the hospital treatment of acute and incipient insanity which now seems likely to be put into operation by the London County Council. This system, by which a large and important class of persons liable to mental afflictions may be successfully treated without incurring the stigma of being placed on the register of lunatics, has been advocated by many alienists, notably Dr. Maudsley, who a few years ago, presented a considerable sum of money to the London County Council towards the establishment of suitable wards. Progress has been hindered by legal obstacles, but meanwhile medical and legal opinion has ripened, and there is now practically unanimity that the system should be adopted generally by local authorities. In France and Germany it is general, but in this country the only case is in Glasgow where the local authorities have had a complete system of hospital treatment of the acute and incipient insanities in full operation for some years. Dr. Carswell, the physician to the hospital, described its working at a recent meeting of the Medical Legal Society. There is, of course, no compulsion on any patient to enter the wards, but in practice none make objection. The period of treatment is limited to six weeks during last year about 750 patients were treated, of whom only 250 were ultimately to be certified insane and transferred to the asylum. If legislation is secured for this new form of treating the mentally deranged we shall then have three systems—the lengthy and formal system of treatment under the Lunacy Act, the more immediate system under the Mental Deficiency Act which comes into force at the beginning of April, and the new hospital treatment.

UNIVERSITIES AND MILITARY EDUCATION.

In higher military circles much interest is being taken in the spirited attempt which the University of London is making to provide a special institution for systematic education in military subjects, particularly for officers of the Volunteer Force and for students of the University in question. It should be mentioned that some good work in the direction indicated has already been done by the Military Education Committee of the London University, at whose instance the important conference held yesterday was convened. A special series of military lectures has been recently instituted, the sixth of which

Wedding Bells.

A very quiet and pretty wedding took place at the residence of the bride, 68 McFarlane Street, when Miss Lillian May Harris was united in matrimony to Mr. George J. Spittell, by the Rev. Mr. Bartlett. The bride wore a lovely gown of pale blue tulle, silk trimmed, with silver beaded shifon. Her veil arranged in cap effect with orange blossoms. Miss Blanche Harris acted as bridesmaid and was dressed in a suit of white. Mr. John Baldwin, cousin of the bride, acted as best man. The newly wedded couple will leave shortly for New York, their future home.

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will be delivered on January 28th. A fortnight later Major-General Sir W. R. Robertson, the Director of Military Training, will himself give a lecture at the London University on "The Demands of Modern War," and it may be taken for granted that many others besides Volunteer officers and students will attend this particular discourse. Incidental to these lectures and to the conference is the large question whether other universities, more particularly those in our great cities, may not adopt, and possibly expand, the idea to which the London University is now giving practical expression. In any such schemes the War Office—which was specially represented at the London University conference—would assuredly co-operate.

Hr. Grace Notes.

A baby boy was born this morning to Dr. and Mrs. Cron.—Congratulations.

The harbor is now frozen over, the upper portion sufficiently solid to permit people to cross from one side to the other.

Miss Susie Stowe, daughter of Mr. Eli Stowe, died on Tuesday forenoon after a long illness, aged 22 years. Miss Stowe had been living with her uncle at St. John's, and returned home sick last fall. The disease turned out to be consumption, and despite the best medical attendance nothing could be done to save the young life. She had no dread whatever of death, and was quite reconciled to leave this world of cares.

The Bell Island steamer arrived yesterday afternoon with the remains of Mr. John Nichols, whose death took place on Monday, after being sick nearly a year. The remains were accompanied by Mr. Walter Nichols, son of the deceased, who holds a responsible position on the island. Mr. Nichols was 62 years of age, and leaves a widow and family to mourn their loss.

The K.E.B. are holding a Valentine Party and Dance at the British Hall to-morrow night. A pleasant time is anticipated.

The officers of the K. E. Brigade request us to thank Harvey & Co., St. John's, for a handsome calendar, and Mrs. Holt, Harbor Grace, for papers for the K. E. reading room. Other donations will be thankfully received. Magazines, papers, etc., are always welcome at the table of the rooms. —COR.

Hr. Grace, Feb. 12, 1914.

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The Kikuyu Controversy.

The President and Council of the English Church Union yesterday passed two resolutions, the first of which set forth "That the Bishop of Zanzibar's letter, the Bishop of Uganda's statement, and the resolutions of the Lambeth Conference of 1885 be referred to the Legal Committee." The second one read as follows:
"That the President and Council of the Union respectfully offer to the Lord Bishop of Zanzibar the expression of their sympathy with him in his anxiety concerning recent events in East Africa, and their desire to afford him support in all necessary efforts to maintain Catholic faith and order."
A resolution reaffirming the essential necessity of diocesan, priestly, and episcopal Orders of the Church of England is to be brought up at the next meeting of the members of the Union, next month.—Graphic, Jan. 23.

VIEWS OF SOME PRELATES.

Dr. Weston, Bishop of Zanzibar.

In his open letter to the Bishop of St. Alban's, the Bishop of Zanzibar charges the Bishops of Mombasa and Uganda with heresy in their teaching of the meaning and value of episcopacy and asks that the matter of the Kikuyu conference may be heard and judged in the Provincial Court before the Metropolitan.

Bishop Willis, of Uganda.—Dr. Willis, charged with heresy by the Bishop of Zanzibar, has been Bishop of Uganda since 1912. He was born on Nov. 8th, 1872, son of Sir William Willis, is a Cambridge man, and has been Curate of Great Yarmouth; Missionary in Africa; Archdeacon of Kavirondo, and chaplain to Bishop Tucker, of Uganda.

Bishop Peel, of Mombasa.—Dr. Peel, charged with heresy by the Bishop of Zanzibar, has been Bishop of Mombasa since 1899. He was born in India, son of Captain Peel. He has been Curate of Trowbridge; Acting Principal of the C.M.S. Noble College, Masulipatam; and Secretary of the C.M.S. in Madras and in West India.

Most Rev. Ronald Thomas Davidson, Archbishop of Canterbury.—The Archbishop of Canterbury says: "I refrain absolutely from expressing any opinion beforehand upon the subjects at issue. It is my duty as well as my wish to secure that at the proper time the Bishop of Zanzibar should have ample opportunity of laying his case before the proper ecclesiastical authority."

The Right Rev. Handly Carr Glyn Mordaunt, Bishop of Durham.—"I must not be ashamed of my own convictions. If the Bishops of Uganda and Mombasa are arraigned for heresy for their share of responsibility for a programme which I

think to be true to the mind of our Master and full of promise for His work, I, for one, would willingly, if it may be, take my place beside them."

The Dean of Durham.—"A large measure of religious co-operation would be quickly attained if only the Church of England were prepared to recognize that episcopacy . . . is not so essential to a Christian Church that its absence excludes from Christian fellowship. . . . The Church owes a deep debt of gratitude to the Bishops of Uganda and Mombasa."

The Right Rev. Charles Gore, Bishop of Oxford.—"I doubt if the cohesion of the Church of England was ever more seriously threatened. . . . Unless the great body of the Anglican Church can again speedily arrive at some statement of its principles. . . . to pull it together again in a unity comprehensive but intelligible . . . it will go to . . . disruption."

Canon W. J. Knox-Little, of Worcester.—"What English clergyman . . . can say . . . that episcopacy is not essential to the valid orders of our ministry . . . ? Who can truly call this teaching . . . 'New Tractarianism'? Who can . . . condemn the Bishop of Zanzibar, and approve the action of the other two Bishops? . . . The Church is not meant to be a weathercock."

Canon A. J. Mason, Chaplain to King George.—"When . . . he (Bishop Peel of Mombasa) gives the Communion to the missionaries of various bodies gathered at this Conference, he admits to the Communion of the Church of England and the whole Church of England is pledged by his action, unless it repudiates the action afterwards."

The Dean of Canterbury.—"The doctrine that Episcopacy is necessary to a Church . . . is a sure innovation in the reformed Church of England. . . . The religion of the nation of England, as a whole, is irrevocably Protestant; and the nation will never uphold . . . a Church which repudiates the principle of the Protestant Reformation."
—Montreal Witness.

Much Criticism of Bishop of Zanzibar.

A resolution in support of the action of the Bishops of Mombasa and of Uganda at the Kikuyu Conference was adopted by a London Conference of Lay Churchmen at the Church House, Westminster, on Saturday after a number of speeches had been delivered criticising the Bishop of Zanzibar.

Sir Edward Clarke in a letter expressing regret at inability to attend

said:—"This year will be one of great importance to the Church of England, and I am rejoiced that the Evangelical members of the Church are showing themselves resolute in defending their faith and order and discipline against the invasion of Roman doctrines and practices. This is essentially a layman's battle, and, God helping us, we will win it and get rid of the medieval corruptions which, rejected at the glorious Reformation, have been gradually creeping back."

Professor Benford Pitts, who presided, referred to the speech of the Bishop of Carlisle at Islington (quoted here last week), and, alluding to the Bishop of Zanzibar's statements, said it was well that the question had been asked in earnestness: "For what does a Bishop of the Ecclesia Anglicana stand? What is the truth which he has vowed to hand on to others?" They would, said the Professor, refer the Bishop to the marching orders of his consecration, when he stood, "persuaded and determined by God's grace," "that the Holy Scriptures contain sufficiently all doctrine required of necessity for eternal salvation through faith in Jesus Christ."

THE HOME PROBLEM.
Sir W. Mackworth Young said they were invited particularly to consider their position as laymen of the Church of England, in view of influences and tendencies adverse to those principles which they conceived to have been delivered to the primitive Church by Christ and His Apostles, observed for some 300 years, overlaid and obscured for 1,200 years, reasserted and vindicated at the Reformation, and now in some danger of being again obscured or belittled.

The movements in the foreign mission field were a perpetual challenge to the Church in the West. They had been stirred to the depths by the rush for civilisation in Japan, the lightning changes in China, the mass movements in India, and the growth of indigenous Churches in British East Africa.

They had been realising for more than a generation that the reflex action on the home Churches of these forward movements in the East would one day, take them by surprise, and, lo! with a flash, the searchlight of a great movement towards unity in one of the mission fields was turned upon their unhappy divisions, and they were face to face with the great problem of putting their own house in order, lest they proved blind leaders of the blind.—Graphic, Jan. 19.

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Get from your Pharmacist a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or Intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large 50-cent cases contain enough Pape's Diapepsin to keep the entire family free from stomach disorders and indigestion for many months. It belongs in your home.

At the Crescent.

The week-end bill at the Crescent is a splendid selection. Every night sees new friends at the theatre and the pictures are extremely good. For Friday and Saturday five new and lengthy subjects will be shown, the first of which "On the Rangers' Roll of Honor," is a grand story well acted with amazing cleverness of plot showing how a man of every day life makes good. The second picture, "The Yogi" is one of the best I.M.P. pictures seen for some time, a strong stirring drama: "Poleon, the Trapper" is a third drama that is equally interesting. All three are real features. Hy Meyer, the cartoonist, is very popular and another of his exhibitions will be given. "Leo the Indian" is a comedy that is a sure laugh; you will see the light side of life when you see it. Mr. David Parks, baritone, sings "Good-bye Little Girl of My Dreams," illustrated. Visit this house of refinement, comfort and safety for a good evening's pleasure. A special matinee to-morrow afternoon.

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Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt. 37

Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.

SOFIA, Feb. 12.
It is possible that King Ferdinand may visit America at an early date.

LONDON, Feb. 12.
The Lords to-day passed an amendment to the Address in Reply by 243 to 55, demanding a General Election on Home Rule.

HALIFAX, Feb. 12.
McLeod, Conservative, defeated Morrison, Liberal, in the bye-election for the provincial parliament in Baddeck County; majority, 32.

BIRMINGHAM, Feb. 12.
The Carnegie Library at Northfield, six miles south of Birmingham, was destroyed by fire by the arson squad to-day. All the books were burned.

LONDON, Feb. 12.
Preliminary plans for the tour of the British Empire by the Prince of Wales, and, possibly, Prince Albert in 1915, have been drafted. They will probably go first to Australia and New Zealand, returning by Canada and the States. The visit to India has been reserved for a later date.

KIEFF, Feb. 12.
Excitement prevails here over another alleged ritual murder. At the town of Pastoff, forty miles from Kieff, a Christian orphan boy, living in a Jewish family, was murdered about two months ago, and after the usual perfunctory inquest, was buried. Owing to rumors the remains were exhumed, and it is said showed 12 wounds on the body and that a certain Jewish rite had been performed before death.

BIRMINGHAM, Feb. 12.
A tube, charged with explosives, and suffragette literature was found on a window-sill of Moore Green Hall, Highbury, Arthur Chamberlain's residence. The fuse was attached to a lamp in which a candle had been burning. A post card addressed to the Home Secretary, was found nearby with the words, "Militancy not dead, but if you are not already, you soon will be."

LONDON, Feb. 12.
The Labour members suggested that the Government withhold assent to the Bill of Premier Botha, granting indemnity to the government of South Africa for deporting the strike leaders. Without defending the S. A. Government, Col. Secretary Harcourt pointed out that there were only 1,250,000 whites to 5,000,000 natives, who, when work had ceased at the mines, became hungry and dangerous. Such was the volcano on which South Africa was sitting. He declined to advise the King to withhold his sanction, if the Bill was passed; and urged members to be careful to refrain from saying words derogatory to autonomous government, adding, "You could easily smash the British Empire in a day's debate in Parliament, if you tried to interfere with the autonomy granted to its various parts."

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Nine Virginia Cigarettes dropt inside a gate—
Tired Tim took one of them and then there were eight

Eight Virginia Cigarettes went curling at eleven—
One curled away in clouds of smoke and then there were seven.

Seven Virginia Cigarettes were in an awful fix—
One hit against a lighted match and then there were six—

Six Virginia Cigarettes were very much alive—
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The patrons of the Prince of Skating Rink would like to see the rink for future guidance, if waltzing in the Prince's Rink is prohibited. The rink is prohibited. The tendency to annoy waltzers by skatingers trying to prevent them from skating either by purposely granting small space as possible or intentionally colliding with waltzers, suggests the thought.

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I've seen a heap of spectres since I broke in the game, and called in priests and restors to exercise the same, and they were stately always and dignified and grand, with blue fire in their galways, and air of high command. Most shades that come to josh us have pride and self respect (of which they're duly cautious), and hold themselves erect; but this cheap ghost went sneaking toward the mundane dump, and when it heard me speaking it fairly seemed to jump. I cried: "Oh, ghostly broiner, what

are you now about? And tell me, is your mother aware that you are out?" The spectre drew its garment about its trembling limbs, and cried: "Oh, mortal varmint, with pity in your glims, the dump is just before me, I'll vanish from its edge! Then lay some burlap o'er me—I am the New Year pledge!"

CHILDREN'S CARNIVAL.— A Carnival for Children under 15 years of age will be held in the Prince's Rink on Saturday, Feb. 21st, at 3 p.m. Admission—Adults, 20c.; Children, 10c. Season tickets will admit.

LECTURES TO-NIGHT.— Rev. Dr. Greene, Spiritual Director of the Star of the Sea Society, will deliver an illustrated lecture to the members and their lady friends at their rooms this evening, taking as his subject, "Rome." Arrangements are being made for a series of lectures to take place during the Lenten season.

At the House

Bills introduced by the Prime Minister respecting Representation in the House and investigation of combines and monopolies were read a first time. The committee of supply passed the Postal, Lighthouse and part of the Agricultural vote.

Mr. Hickman thought that all information shall be given publicly in connection with law suit of the Commercial Cable Company and the Government. The last administration entered into a contract with the Commercial Cable Co. The Company had offered handsome payment to land their cables here. The present Government repudiated the contract. He also dealt with the sending of marconi messages to the Labrador from St. John's. The price he paid for steamers? 10 words was \$2.20 when repeated through a R.N. Co's steamer. This he considered exorbitant and conditions should be improved by the Government, the marconi stations at the Labrador are situated on mountains, some miles away from a settlement and very difficult to locate in stormy weather or at night time. He suggested that some system of telephone connection should be adopted that would be very beneficial to the people on the Labrador.

Mr. Stone He asked the Colonial Secretary the result of his enquiries regarding the dismissal of the mail Gardner, who was courier between British Hr. and Ireland's Eye and go reply to the effect that the Postmaster General wrote Gardner telling him his services were no longer required, the Government having found it necessary to alter the service as it was unsatisfactory.

Prime Minister in reply to Mr. He' an said that the contract between the Commercial Cable Company and the Government was still before the courts. He did not think it would be a public interest to discuss the matter in detail and that any questions on the matter asked in the House would answer. He agreed with Mr. Hickman concerning the rate of messages to the Labrador and thought there was room for improvement.

Mr. Kent endorsed all Mr. Hickman said in connection with the big prices paid for marconi messages transmitted to the Labrador. He referred to the existing conditions at the stations at the Labrador and emphasized that the Government should make full enquiries and have a remedy effected.

Mr. Clapp asked the Colonial Secretary if anything was done in connection with White Bay service since the loss of the S. S. Duchess of Marlborough. That ship was inadequate for the passenger and freight service in the Bay. He asked if the Fogot which was running temporarily last year was going to continue, the service. He was informed by the Colonial Secretary that the matter was under consideration.

Mr. Jennings thought that the Postmaster at Joe Batt's Arm who was paid \$360 was getting too much for the work he had to do; also there was not one-half enough work at Tilt Cove to keep a Postmaster there.

Mr. Lloyd asked the Colonial Secretary whether the duties of the Postmaster at Signal Hr. had not increased although his salary was so considerably reduced. The Colonial Secretary said he would enquire.

Mr. Kent asked that a supplementary vote be passed for repairs to the public wharf at Portugal Cove which was carried away in a recent storm. The wharf is the terminus between St. John's and Bell Island and there is a large amount of passenger traffic in evidence there daily. The present marine grant was insufficient, as a substantial structure was necessary to meet the requirements of the people.

Mr. Higgins supported Mr. Kent and hoped that the Government would see its way clear to make the additional allocation.

NO MINISTER OF AGRICULTURAL MINES.

Mr. Kent again protested strongly to the passing of the Agricultural vote in the absence of a Minister who should take his place in the House and give an account of his stewardship and of the wasteful expenditures, as pointed out by the Auditor General in his report. Mr. Kent iterated and reiterated the protest he made the previous day. It was unfair to the House and to the country at large for the Government by virtue of their majority to press the Committee to pass the Agricultural vote until a member was appointed or a satisfactory reason was given as to why the department was left unrepresented. He

President

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infringing that Act. It was the duty of the opposition to enter a protest against the violation of the constitution.

Mr. Kent's motion was then put. It was lost on a strict party vote.

Mr. Lloyd then asked the nature of the work Prof. Dunstan would undertake on his visit next summer. In reply the Prime Minister said Prof. Dunstan would meet Mr. Howley and hold conferences with him on the information in the possession of the Department. He would also visit the coal areas and examine the outcrop and make his report advising the Government what to do. His report would also be published in the Bulletin of the Imperial Institute, and it was hoped would attract capitalists to engage in the development of our coal areas.

Mr. Coaker referred to the extravagant way, and cited instances, in which money is expended on wells in Hr. Grace District.

Mr. Moore repudiated the charge made in anonymous letter to the press that he had ridiculed Mr. Jennings and the Salvation Army coat he wore.

Mr. Jennings had not seen the letter. He accepted Mr. Moore's disclaimer.

The coat he wore was the best he had and the one he was most at home in. He was glad it did not offend the susceptibilities of the House.

Big Hockey Match.

CITY vs. BELL ISLAND TO-NIGHT

The Bell Island hockeyists and several of their enthusiasts and admirers reached the city to-day at noon, and were met by the officials of the League and a number of city hockeyists. The visitors at once proceeded to the Prince's Rink and had their first practice. They are a lively aggregation and will give the home team a hard time of it. The match will take place at the Rink to-night commencing at 7.30. The players will be:

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| City | Bell Island |
| Hunt | goal |
| Herder | point |
| Parsons | cover |
| Higgins | rover |
| Winter | centre |
| Hutchings | right |
| L. Stick | Proudfoot |

The spare men are Shortall and Morison, and for Bell Island Thompson and Eagen. The captains will be Messrs. G. Herder and McLean for the City and Bell Island, respectively. The City will wear the Victoria's uniforms.

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WILL HOLD CONCERT.—The Non-Coms of the Methodist Guards are now making arrangements for a concert and sociable which will take place in the College Hall on next Wednesday night. The proceeds will be for the funds of the new Armoury.

Healthy and Un-healthy Lighting.

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I have in my mind's eye, at the moment, a hall which, in the old days, was lighted by gas, and in which a large audience could, with comfort, sit through an hour's lecture, or with pleasure through a three hours' dinner, but which, with the march of civilization, had its illumination changed from gas to electricity, the latter being employed with all the latest refinements to effect the lighting under the best conditions, with the result that any large gathering within its walls leads to a state little short of asphyxiation.—Vivian B. Lewis, Professor of Chemistry at the Royal Naval College, Greenwich.—Nov 8, 1f

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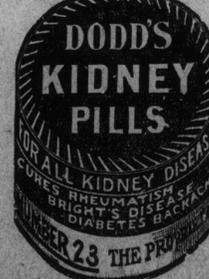
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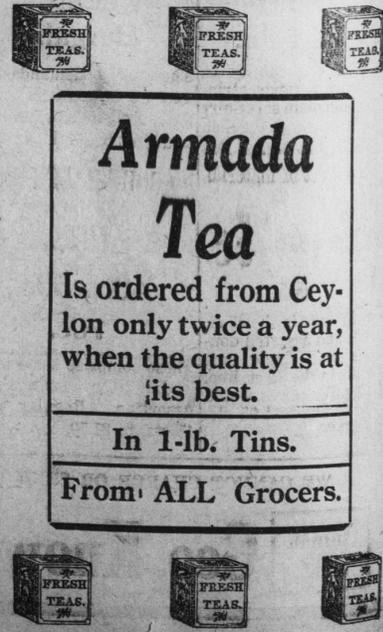
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THE FERRIS AUCTION
PUBLIC AUCTION
 TO SATISFY A MORTGAGE
 For sale by Public Auction, at
 20th, February 20th, at 11 o'clock
 on the premises, all the
 premises and land situated
 of Harbour Grace.
 1. Bounded on the west
 side premises formerly
 Henry Rutherford; on the
 west by water side premises
 occupied by Hitley & Co.
 the north by Water Street.
 The said land and premises
 23 feet from east
 Water Street at a distance
 2. All that waterside
 mises situated at Harbour
 Bounded on the north
 Street; on the south by
 Harbour; on the east
 merly owned by Will
 but recently occupied
 Cairns Rutherford; on
 land immediately described,
 measuring also
 61 feet more or less.
 3. All that piece of
 Harbour Grace, above
 in the occupancy of
 and part of the East
 Mary Bailey, bounded
 Water Street, above
 it measures 43 feet
 on the west by land
 Mary Innott and me
 144 feet; on the north
 Bridget Keefe and me
 80 feet more or less;
 land belonging to the
 Mayne, measuring from
 aforesaid 94 feet, to
 buildings and erection
 the said several pieces
 land and all appurtenances
 thereto.
 The property is for sale
 one of the best business
 sites obtainable in Harbour
 Grace. For further particulars
 apply to
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 Solicitors
 Jan 22. eod. feb 19

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