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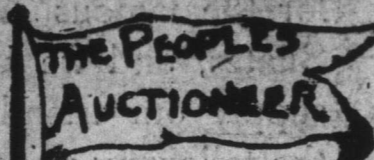
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The Romance OF A Marriage.

CHAPTER VI.

"Then I—I think you might have paid more attention to them," retorts Stancy de Palmer, growing a deeper red, and trying, but unsuccessfully, to stare the stranger trespasser down. "I did," says Sir Herrick, quietly, and with no whit of offence in his cool, low voice; but the reply arouses Mr. de Palmer's ire.

"Then—then—" he stammers, with a poor attempt at dignity, "how is it that you didn't keep away?"

"I'm sorry," says Herrick. "Confound it!" as the patient cup collapses. "I'm sorry. The water belongs to you, I apologise."

"The water is—the property of my father—Mr. Palmer, of Powis Court," says Stancy, haughtily, "as you might have read."

"I don't think I got as far as that," says Sir Herrick, going back to the stream, and becoming instantly absorbed in refilling the cup.

Stancy stares, too wrathful for instant retort, and Mr. Palmer and May come up.

"What is the matter, Stancy?" asks the great sugar-baker, pompously.

His hopeful son turns and waves his hand, the long and bony fingers covered with rings.

"Oh, nothing much," he says. "This—this person is trespassing, and I am just telling him so."

"But, Stancy," murmurs a soft voice, and May, with her eyes fixed on the graceful figure, in its well-cut suit of cords, with its air of nobility palpable as the sun on the water, approaches.

"Pray hold your tongue, May," says her brother, not over-politely.

"There's some mistake," says Mr. Palmer, and he thrusts his thumbs in the arm-holes of his white waistcoat, and approaches the daring intruder on the Palmer domain with so admirable an imitation of a full-grown turkey-cock, that Paula, hidden behind the stump, and enjoying the little farce, can scarcely suppress a laugh.

"Er—young man," says the owner of Powis Court, clearing his throat,

"are you aware that this is private ground?"

"The criminal gets up as coolly as an eye."

"Yes; I've just been informed so," he says; "as I said, I am very sorry."

"You have been fishing," says Mr. Palmer, severely.

Sir Herrick nods.

"Yes, and had some very fine sport. The water seems well preserved."

Mr. Palmer gasps more like a turkey-cock than ever.

"I—I," he says, pompously, "I must request you to give me your address," he says.

"With pleasure," says Sir Herrick. "Wait one moment, if you will," and he goes to the stump slowly, carrying the cup.

But Paula, probably thinking that the fun has gone far enough, rises from behind the stump, and with a pleasant nod, says:

"How do you do? How are you, May?"

"Paula!" exclaims the soft voice, "is that you?" and May Palmer moves toward her.

The two men stand and stare for a moment; then Mr. Palmer, recovering first, comes forward with a pompous smile and an outstretched hand.

"Er—good-morning, Miss Paula! I did not know you were there. Er—been fishing?" as he sees the rod lying beside her. "Ah, I see, this is a friend of yours?"

"Yes," says Paula, taking the cup which Sir Herrick hands her as coolly and quietly as if they were alone.

"Yes, I'm very sorry, Mr. Palmer. I didn't think you'd mind."

"Not at all—not at all," says the owner of the Court, with a condescending wave of his hand. "Any friend of yours is welcome, Miss Paula."

"Why didn't he say so?" mutters Stancy, eyeing the non-chalant figure sullenly.

Sir Herrick turns with a smile.

"You didn't give me time, you know," he says.

"Oh, no!" says the gentle voice of May. "It is all—a mistake. But—with a reproachful smile and in a lower voice—"It was your fault, Paula! What a wicked girl you were to hide—"

"I wasn't hiding," says Paula. "Yes, I was—in a whisper. It was so funny. I wanted to see what they'd do."

"Any friend of yours, my dear

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young lady," says the sugar-baker, condescendingly, "is quite welcome. I hope you have had good sport?"

"Yes, thanks!" says Paula, nodding; "there they are!"

"Fond of fishing?" asks Mr. Palmer of Sir Herrick, condescendingly.

"I think you will find, as you said, that the waters are very well preserved. I spare no expense; money is no object—no object whatever. I—er—do not fish myself, but I like my friends to have good sport, and I'm prepared to pay for it."

"Very kind," murmurs Sir Herrick, calmly.

His manner rather disconcerts the great sugar-baker. It is not thus that his advances are usually met, and his face grows rather red, while that of Stancy waxes crimson.

"I suppose you haven't been fishing with a worm?" he says rudely.

"No," says Sir Herrick. "How do you do it?"

Stancy drops his eye-glasses, and looks daggers, but it doesn't occur to him at the moment to speak out.

Once more May, evidently the peace-maker, steps into the breach.

"How is dear Alice?" she asks, hurriedly. "I hope she isn't knocked up after last night. Did she enjoy herself?"

"Very much," says Paula. "She wasn't up when we left."

"And—your brother?" asks May, her eyes dropping for a minute. "I'm afraid he was rather bored."

Paula laughs.

"Bob enjoyed himself amazingly," she says, with a polite disregard of the truth.

"I'm very glad," says Mr. Palmer, pompously. "We—er—do our best to amuse our guests. Expense is no ob-

ject—none whatever. If you are going to do a thing, do it well, I say."

"Come, father," says Stancy de Palmer, suddenly, "we shall be late for luncheon."

"Er—yes," says Mr. Palmer, but he still eyes the tall figure standing so easily and quietly outside the conversation. "Good-morning, Miss Paula. Er—any friend of yours is welcome to fish, you know—any friend of yours or your brother's. This—er—gentleman is a friend of your brother's, I suppose. Come on business, I suppose?"

This is more than Paula can stand. She had intended letting the Palmer's go their way in that state of bliss which springs from ignorance; but the pompous, condescending tone of the sugar-baker landing it on the very land which should have belonged to the man standing so quietly by her side is too much for her.

"No," she says, "he has not come on business; he has come on—pleasure. This is Sir Herrick Powis, Mr. Palmer."

Now, if there is anything Mr. Palmer and his son worship besides money, it is rank.

A lord is, in Mr. Palmer's estimation, a being of different clay to the rest of mankind; a being to be looked up to and lauded; even a baronet he regards as something to kowtow to and fawn over; but a Powis of Powis, notwithstanding their downfall, is the creme de la creme.

For a moment he stands gasping, his eyes and mouth wide open with horror as he realises that he has been actually rude and overbearing to one of the upper ten; then he turns pale and raises his hat.

"Er—this is a pleasant surprise," he gasps. "My dear Miss Paula, why didn't you tell me sooner?"

"I hadn't time," says Paula in a very fair imitation of Sir Herrick's voice, and with a side glance at him.

"I—er—beg ten thousand pardons, Sir Herrick," he stammers, the perspiration standing on his forehead.

"I'm very sorry! Of course, I couldn't know!" as if it were a pity that baronets and earls didn't wear their titles emblazoned on their shirt-fronts.

"Couldn't possibly know, now could I? I hope you're well, Sir Herrick. Permit me to have the honour of shaking hands, Sir Herrick," and he extends a fat, podgy palm.

Sir Herrick shakes hands, with a smile of suppressed amusement.

"Stancy," says Mr. Palmer, effusively, "this is—er—Sir Herrick. You've often heard me talk about him. We've often talked about you, Sir Herrick. I assure you; haven't we, May?"

But May stands silent, with a little look of shame and pain on her face.

"Hoften and hoften," continued Mr. Palmer, who is apt to get wild with his "h"s" when he is confused—"hoften and hoften I have said how 'appy I should be if I could meet Sir Herrick."

Sir Herrick inclines his head in acknowledgment, and tries hard to look duly impressed.

"And where are you a-stopping, Sir Herrick? At Myrtle Cottage?"

"No," says Sir Herrick. "I am staying at the King's Arms."

"No! Really!" exclaims Mr. Palmer, shocked at the face of a real living baronet staying at a country inn.

"And how long 'ave you been there?"

"A day or two," says Sir Herrick, with an amusement which Paula and the silent May can plainly discern.

"No!" exclaims Mr. Palmer in accents of sorrowful regret. "Dear me! If I'd only known it! I assure you I didn't know it, Sir Herrick. If I had I should have ventured to ask you to honour me with your presence at our little party last night."

"Very kind," murmurs Sir Herrick, with a tone which plainly says, "How long is this going to last?"

"Yes, certainly," continues the master of Powis Court. "But I had no idea! How should I?"

"How, indeed," assents Sir Herrick.

"But now we know," says Mr. Palmer, "I hope you'll honour us with your company. The King's Arms is no place—oh, dear me, no!—for such as you, Sir Herrick. You must come and stay at the Court. We'll do our best to make you comfortable—oh, May?"

But May does not speak. She just lifts her eyes and drops them again. Stancy de Palmer stands eyeing the tall graceful figure of the man he has tried to insult, with a sullen, uncertain air. Paula, seated on the stump, watches the group with an amused smile.

(To be continued.)

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HELSINGFORS, Dec. 19.
General Denekine has gained an important victory in the Voiga Valley, according to newspaper despatches received here.

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF LORD FRENCH.
DUBLIN, Dec. 19.
An attempt was made at one o'clock this afternoon to assassinate Viscount French, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland. Lord French was driving between Ashton Gate of Phoenix Park and the Tip-Royal Lodge when a shot was fired. A civilian nearby was struck and instantly killed by the bullet. A policeman was wounded at the same time. Lord French escaped.

FRENCH "ALL RIGHT."
LONDON, Dec. 19.
The news of the attempt to assassinate Viscount French in Dublin was confirmed this afternoon by the Irish offices. A late message from Dublin said Viscount French was "all right."

FRENCH'S ASSAILANTS.
LONDON, Dec. 19.
A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Dublin says that the assassins of Lord French and his party numbered fifteen or twenty persons.

Several shots are said to have been fired by Lord French's assailants. The military present promptly returned to the fire and one of the assailants was shot dead. His body lay by the roadside. Ambulances were immediately rushed to the spot. Information gathered indicated that the assailants were from a field militia the Vice-Regal party was passing along the road. Most intense excitement prevailed.

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Censoring the Cinema.

Wherever in the world the silent drama finds its way, a "board" consisting of one or more individuals is granted the motherly task of seeing that the sentiments and morals of the community at large are not offended by any film indiscretions.

Some time ago an elaborate version of Dante's "Inferno" was screened in Melbourne, and as, of course, no clothes' shops, fustees, nor head-makers exist beyond the Styx, the unfortunate wicked ones were depicted in this realistic film without draperies of any kind.

The effect was decidedly artistic, although perhaps not what our maternal forbears might have approved. Later, in Vancouver, the "Inferno" was presented as produced for Canadian consumption. Each of the lost was parading the plains of Hades in a cute little pair of striped bathing-drawers. The morals of the Canucks had been preserved, but at what a price!

Often, after the censor's nimble scissors have been at work, the public can guess for themselves where the cutting has taken place. Recently, when the beautiful cinema play, "The Queen of the Sea," with Annette Kollerman in the title role, was being screened in Calcutta, the merciless treatment it had received in parts was only too apparent by an utter lack of continuity.

Pity the Poor Producer.

In India, both on the screen and the stage, the lowering of the British Raj before the natives by the exhibition of white women in flimsy attire is sternly frowned upon.

Sometimes the public, while blaming the producing company, is quite unaware of the real facts of the case. How a producer must writhe with chagrin occasionally at the appearance of some pet work of art after the censor's shears have done with it!

From time to time there have been outrages to the effect that crime is caused by the showing of bank hold-ups, highway robberies, and so forth. Some censors, particularly in certain of the United States, still expunge everything in films that smacks of gun-play, the blowing open of safes by "bad" men, executions, train hold-ups, poisonings and lynchings.

The danger that some fellow-citizens may poison himself if he witnesses the remarkably realistic contortions of Mr. Wn. after that unlovely character has partaken of the doped tea, is too great to be disregarded, in their opinion.

In some places "across the pond" the police do the film censoring, and it is noticeable that fun poked at the guardians of the law is liable to rough handling. The famous Keystone policeman must be fortunate indeed in these places to pass the private view of the censor board.

During the war, of course, all censor boards had a busy time expunging all German propaganda, pictures of up-to-date war-craft, prominent landmarks in scenery, and other subjects, the circulation of which might prove of service to the enemy. Even now the war is won, some Western films are censored in countries under the British flag on account of "too much Star Spangled Banner" and Yankee heroics, and our American cousins return the compliment by deleting any violent displays of the "good old Union Jack."

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Even though we cannot take place with these great men, we know that "the dread of ridicule" distinguishes originality in its birth. I think that it must be some particularly marked admixture of envy, venom and knowledge of our own limitations that makes us hoot and jeer at the man or woman who, in our own circle, is trying to accomplish something.

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the world seeing many places worth seeing, and she is very happily married to a man with tastes and talents akin to her own. Her girl friends, none of whom have done as well either in matrimony or in business, are very proud to refer to her as a "dear friend."

She had talent, of course. But more than that, she had the courage to persist in the face of the jeers and scoffs of those she counted as her dearest friends.

The things which are thoroughly worth while, and which bring us the largest rewards, are those which only a few people can do. They require either great natural ability, or special, persevering training, or both. In order to attain to them, we must leave the "beaten track." Those who, staying in the beaten path, show a degree of self-esteem which our friends resent and they do their best to take it out of us.

Decide to Do One of Two Things:

One thing is certain: if you believe you have a great idea, if you cherish a great ambition—or even a comparatively small one, you must either keep it to yourself, or else steel yourself to bear the ridicule of those about you. The thing to do is to emulate Davy Crockett—be sure you are right and then go ahead.

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Spiders Spin Fishermen's Nets.

In some of the forests of New Guinea there is to be found a spider which, although itself possessed of no great dimensions, spins a web about six feet in diameter, and the natives have for generations been making use of them as fish nets. At first they laboriously transferred these webs from the supports upon which they had been placed by the insects and attached them to bamboo sticks which had been looped, but latterly they conceived the idea of taking their loops down into the forests and investing the spider to make his web in the loop of bamboo, after which they had only to take the stick from the ground and go after the fish. The native uses this about one pound in weight, neither the fish nor the water being sufficient to break the mesh. The usual practice is for the fisherman to stand on a rock at a favorable point and when the fish appears within reach they quickly dip it up and throw it on the shore.

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SPAIN.—The market has been very bare and splendid prices realized. The Sterling Exchange declined heavily and this has placed remittances from Spain in an exceptionally good position.

ITALY.—News from the Consorzio states that the Fish Merchants had no wish to combine and are the strongest opponents of this present way of carrying on business.

They state that the Italian Government intended forming a monopoly of the Fish Trade to raise money for its own use, but rather than allow Government officials to ruin the whole fish business, the Merchants persuaded the Government to allow them to continue the control in their own hands but under Government regulations.

GREECE.—Cables from Greece this week state that over seventy thousand quintals of codfish have been received there and the market is well supplied as the demand has been poor owing to a very short crop of Olive oil.

Shipments of French fish have reached the Greek market and shows how quicker our competitors are reviewing from their war troubles.—Trade Review.

Cadet Old Comrades.

The meeting of the C.C.C. Old Comrades held last night in the Armoury, was presided over by Mr. T. J. Foran. After the minutes of the previous meeting had been confirmed, the full executive was appointed as follows: President, T. J. Foran; Vice Pres., J. Fagan; 1st V.P., Ex-Sergt. Robinson; Treas., Ex-Sergt. J. Mosker; 1st. Treas. J. J. Murphy; Secy., M. J. O'Reilly; Asst. Secy., L. G. Scavouri, ex-Pte. M. Smyth, W. Dugan. It was decided to hold a series of card tournaments during the winter months, the opening games to be played Monday, 29th inst. The President announced that Sir Michael Cashin had offered a \$20 gold piece as first prize. Hon. Frank McNamara a side of bacon and another supporter had donated a goose. A vote of thanks was passed to those who so generously offered these prizes. The executive will meet again next week to finalize arrangements for the opening of the tourney.

Ship on Fire.

With fire raging in No. 6 hold the steamer Caledonian of the Leyland Line, put into Halifax Harbor last week, docking at the Furness Wharf pier. The ship is laden with cotton, among which the fire was kindled by spontaneous combustion. Gangs of men soon had the damaged bales out, steam having been continuously injected into the hold from the ships boilers, from the moment the fire was discovered. The Caledonian was from Boston, Mass., to Manchester, England, with orders to call at Louisburg, C.B., for bunker coal. Being nearer Halifax when the fire was reported, the Captain at once headed his ship for that port. The Mercian, which ship put in here some days ago, also on fire, is of the same line of steamers as the Caledonian.

Vocational Committee.

DISCUSS RE-ESTABLISHMENT QUESTION.

Hon. Mr. Justice J. M. Kent presided over the regular meeting of the Civil Re-Establishment Committee, which took place at the Millie Building last night, and at which considerable business was transacted. There was also present: Dr. V. P. Burke, Blackall, M.B.E., Secretary; Major W. H. Parsons, M.C.; Major J. W. March, M.C.; and Capt. L. C. Murphy.

Some 40 applications for re-training have been received since Dec. 1st, and 22 granted for courses in motor engineering, carpentry, garage mechanics and general education. Within the same period 48 returned men made application for employment and out of that number 35 were placed in positions—a very good showing for the time—but quite a number are still unemployed.

It was reported that over 150 students are now receiving tuition at the Synod Building; these include returned veterans who are being trained in navigation, general education and commercial subjects, and it is really surprising what is being done in this connection. Over 30 men are also attending the Engineering School at the Old Recreation Hut, and here these men are receiving first hand instruction in mechanics and practical engineering work.

The Vocational Officer, Dr. W. W. Blackall, has just returned from an extensive visit to Canada. He acquired a great deal of information which should be very valuable to the interests of our returned men during the coming months.

With the adoption of the minutes of the previous meeting, the passing of pay-rolls, etc., a very busy meeting was terminated at 10.30 p.m.

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Fancy Boxed Handkerchiefs, specially arranged for Christmas giving, in boxes of 24 dozen. Prices per box 45c.
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Also a big assortment of Wool Mufflers for men's wear. A practical gift.
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GLOVES—Ever Acceptable.
Ladies' Gloves, 70c. to \$2.50 per pair.
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A line of Ladies' White Wool Gauntlet Gloves of the very best quality. An ideal gift.
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LADIES' GAITERS.
A practical gift for mother or sister. Nothing would please her more than a pair of Buttoned Gaiters, the right shoe for stormy weather. A complete range of sizes. Price, \$3.50 per pair.

CHILDREN'S MITTS.
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About 40 dozen of Ladies' Fleece Knickers, made of heavy fleece, buttoned at knee. These are extra good value and suitable for present wear. Sale Price, ea. \$1.58

MUSLIN CURTAINS.
Curtains will give tone and character to your windows. To those who are thinking of getting new Window Curtains will find those dainty Muslin Curtains the exact thing. Lace edge with corner design; length 2 1/2 yards long. Price, \$2.50 per pair.

TOY TOWN
IS LOADED WITH GOOD THINGS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS. The delight of the youngsters and a charm to those of older growth. In this, the last week before Christmas, Toy Town invites your particular attention at SCOTT'S. Santa Claus will be so busy selecting the wants for Xmas that the good old saint will have the time of his life. Lots and lots of Toys to see, too, in spite of the thousands which have already started on their journey toward a Merry Christmas.

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Why She Jibbed.

Barbara, aged six, had enjoyed herself tremendously at the exhibition to which her ma had taken her. There was only one thing she wanted to do now, and that was to go for a trip in one of the gondolas that floated on the artificial lake.

Her mother was, therefore, very surprised, when they arrived at the landing-stage, to see a look of terror come over the child's face.

"Why, Barbara," she said, "what's the matter? Don't you want to go on the lake now?"

"No, I don't," said Barbara decidedly; "and I won't!"

"Why not, dear? You're not frightened, are you?"

"Yes, I am. Look what it says up there."

Over the pay-box was a notice-board, and the mother read: "Come for a trip round the lake! Ladies and gentlemen only 30. each. Children thrown in!"

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1 House on Springdale Street, good investment; 1 House on New Gower Street, 1 House on Hamilton Avenue, 1 House in Hoytestown and one on Water St. West; 1 New House on the corner of Prince of Wales Street and Merrymeeting Road, 1 House on Duckworth Street, 1 House on Pennywell Road. For further particulars apply to

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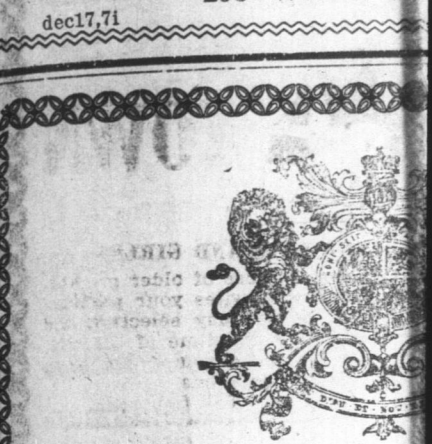
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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor
C. T. JAMES, Editor

Friday, December 19, 1919.

Appeal For Help.

With starvation staring the peoples of Central Europe, outside Germany, in the face, coupled with the generally unsatisfactory condition of things in the countries therein, it appears rather strange for a Viennese journal to be making a call on humanity for the purpose of aiding "prisoners of war in terrible Siberia." The World Market, (Der Weltmarkt) is the official Trade Journal for the Central (European) and Foreign States, and is published in Vienna, according to the imprint. Its issue of November 15th of the present year, a copy of which is before us, contains on the first page an eloquent appeal for contributions to help war prisoners in Siberia. "All those," says the introduction, "who have any human feeling and wish to forget race hatred and distinction may contribute to help the poor prisoners of war in terrible SIBERIA." No explanation is given as to whom these poor war prisoners may be or are. The request is to give toward their relief. Money and warm clothing are required, subscriptions of the former to be sent to the Club of the East of Central Europe, headquarters, Vienna. Old clothes may be forwarded to the Swedish Consulate, Shanghai, China. A far cry surely.

In sharp contrast to the aid for war prisoners' appeal is an article on page two, describing the existing want in Vienna itself. Coal and Food is needed there, the inhabitants being destitute of either. "Could any Englishman or American," begins the second paragraph of this-whine, "who has had the pleasure of being among the innocent, good-natured (it is to laugh) people of Vienna see them suffer so terribly after five years of starvation, and so to further their absolute demoralization, when only a small contribution, if not in money, but by their influence might bring relief." A truly pathetic request from the innocent, good-natured members of the Vienna Club, of the East. Here is another characteristic whine: "It is terrible to think that there exists nations who isolate Austria by inhuman cruelty and cut off all intercourse by making their money valueless and preventing them from (getting) the necessities of life abroad." A German must have written those lines, because only a Hun could write such wash. "Everybody has the right to live," is another platitude expressed, but our good-natured and innocent Austrian would-be friends forget conveniently, that it was not so long ago that their expressed sentiments were against everybody living but themselves and their Allies, and they fought for that principle, unsuccessfully, thank goodness. Der Weltmarkt makes it clear, or tries to, that Vienna is not asking for charity. A donation is only an act of humanity and duty, and if money cannot be given, influence on others may be used. Forget the past may be

an easy motto for an Austrian or German to adopt but for a British or a Belgian or a Frenchman it is not so easy. They cannot forget. The cruelties and barbarities of the Teutonic soldiery are graven on their hearts forever, and the arrant hypocrisy of their former enemies, will not tend to eradicate the lines, which are cut too deeply.

The Club of the East seems to be an organization formed to watch over the interests of the Austrian public, at home and abroad, and to secure commercial connections in the East, also to re-arrange trade matters. It has in view the establishment of branch clubs in China, Japan, India and Malaysia, whose members are to be persons interested in the artificial and natural products of those countries, as well as others, who have interests there (chiefly Teutonic). This club is for no other purpose than that of propagating German and Austrian trade. All its funds and that of its branches, should any be organized, must be remitted to headquarters at Vienna, where a council of six members and the president and secretary are the final court of appeal. The whole thing looks like a big move on the part of Germany, with Austria again the pawn, to capture the trade of the Orient. The appeal of the club for aid should not for a moment be listened to by Britons. It is a scheme to get funds to carry on propagandist work. Der Weltmarkt is printed in English, (very badly) French and German. Among the advertisements are three London, England, Houses: Ardath Tobacco Co., Ltd.; Poulton and Noel, and Ehrmann's (Teutonic that) wine and spirit dealers. Der Weltmarkt also has a Press Agency, whose specialty is the supplying of Anglo-American Press news. The Hun is thorough when he sets about anything, and if Britain is not to be left behind in the trade race, producers and exporters will have to get busy.

Police Court.

A 17-year-old laborer of Indian Er. was charged with assaulting a woman at that place. He was remanded for eight days.

A case of violation of the Prohibition Act was postponed until Wednesday, Jan. 7th.

Six young men were charged with stealing a bottle of brandy from a messenger boy. Two were each fined \$10 or 30 days; two were discharged; the case against the fifth was withdrawn, and the sixth was fined \$20 or 30 days' imprisonment.

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The Late Sir John Alcock

AN APPRECIATION.

More than one in Newfoundland, will sincerely mourn the shocking death of Sir John Alcock, Pioneer of Atlantic Aviation, who was killed in France yesterday afternoon when the water-plane in which he was flying crashed and inflicted injuries from which he could not recover. It is as the first aviator to cross the broad Atlantic by air that he is most widely known, but there are some—a few—who knew the man and could appreciate the qualities with which a generous nature had endowed him. Of a cheery, pleasant and unostentatious manner, he endeared himself to everyone with whom he came in contact, and of all the Transatlantic adventurers who came to Newfoundland, neither approached his popularity. It was, perhaps, the newspapermen with whom he mostly mixed, and the writer has the words of the one concerned to vouch for the fact that every foreign newspaper correspondent who covered the Transatlantic flight found him the most pleasant and satisfactory of the various flyers. What he had to tell he told in a straightforward manner, without embellishment or flourish, and he was indeed the happy and (as far as the journalist is concerned, at least) valuable ability of telling, without being urged or aided, every essential fact there was.

Sir John (then simply Captain) Alcock, K.B.E., D.S.C., will ever be remembered by Newfoundlanders—aven though the other Transatlantic aviators have been forgotten—for he is very near to being a Newfoundland-er himself. His grandfather lived here, and he has relatives living here now. He was the last one to arrive in the country for the purpose of attempting the flight across the broad Atlantic, and he was the first to accomplish it. But little was heard of him until he actually left, and when he did arrive on the other side the world went wild over him. No part of it, however, regarded his achievement nor himself with greater pride and admiration than did little sea-girt Newfoundland, the Pride of the Ocean.

Alcock has gone but his memory remains.

J. R. S.

THE TIDAL WAVE!

The tidal wave has not yet come along, although some people have been talking about it for the past three weeks or more. We still have until the 21st to know whether our future is to be cut short, in the meantime, however you can buy Golden Pheasant Tea, and the tidal wave of public opinion in favor of this delicious tea is growing higher and stronger every day.

Buy it,
Try it,
If you try it,
You will buy it.

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Personal Mention.

Capt. W. C. Jarvis, of the S. S. Escacon, which arrived in port Thursday, is looking fine after his ten months' absence. His ship, which has a load of China clay from Powey, England, sails in four or five days for New York, where the cargo will be discharged.

Wesley Church
Victory Class.

Sunday is the second-last Sunday of the old year. What have we given to God the past year—How much are we going to give? Is it too much to give two days pay or more out of the past year's wage, to the Service of God as a thank-offering? The Church is asking for two thousand dollars; the Victory Class is asking for five hundred, total \$2,500. We thank those who nobly responded, but we are looking forward to a nobler response. We want every member, old and new, to be present at the services between now, and the New Year. Prayer service at 9 o'clock, and the Thank-Offering Service at 9.45. Everybody welcome.

Ladies' Curling Club.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Curling Club was held in the Club Room on Friday, when the election of officers for the ensuing year took place, resulting as follows: President, Mrs. W. Rennie; Vice-President, Mrs. F. Alderlyce; Secretary, Miss Mary MacKay; Committee: Mrs. W. G. Gosling, Mrs. Rogerson, Mrs. Duder, Mrs. Hickman.

Announcement.

I wish to announce to my patients and the public that I have moved into my new Optical Office on Duckworth Street, No. 336, opposite Beck's Cove steps, and just a little east of the Majestic Theatre. It's easy to find my office, because it's between the Daily News Office and Holloway Studio. If you have decided to have your eyes attended to, and you haven't much time to spare, call and see me and you will be attended to immediately. My time is given exclusively to the examining of eyes and the fitting of glasses. I have no other business or agencies to delay me or you when you call to see me about your eyes. I am in a position to serve you when ever you call. This is of especial advantage to outport people who have no time in town, who are so busy to call during the day time, you will find me at the office between 7-8 every evening. If you are an invalid or unable to come to the office I will send appointments to visit you at your home. 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From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, Dec. 20.—Wind East, strong with snow storm; nothing sighted to-day; Dec. 22, 23; Ther 22.



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Shipping Notes.

S.S. Rosalind is expected here from Halifax on Monday. S.S. Avondale is taking water and will sail Monday. The S.S. Canadian Sower is coaling at Harvey's to-day and will sail for St. John when finished. S.S. Amphitrite cleared from Curling for Halifax with 1,300 barrels of bearing for H. Rutstein. Schr. J. Harry McKenzie has cleared from Spencer's Cove for Gibraltar, for orders, with 3,800 qts. codfish shipped by W. Wareham.

Coastal Boats.

GOVERNMENT. S.S. Seal left Seal Cove at 2 p.m. on the 17th, going north. S.S. Fortis was to sail at 4 this afternoon. S.S. Prospero left LaSalle at 1.45 p.m. yesterday, coming south. REIDS. Arzyle not reported. Clyde at Port Union. Dundee at Lewisport. Glouce due at Port aux Basques this morning. Home left Three Arms at 12.30 p.m. yesterday, outward. Kyle left Port aux Basques at 11.55 p.m. yesterday. Mistle left North Sydney at 5.20 a.m. yesterday. Petrel not reported. Sagona at Port aux Basques.

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BOY SCOUTS' COLUMN.

(Edited by an Asst. S. M.) CHRISTMAS. This is the last Scout Column before Christmas, boys, and a little bit about the coming day will not be out of place. The day is, as you know, the anniversary of the birth of Our Lord and will be honoured by every Scout in his own peculiar manner. It is due. We were so busy in the days when unhappiness in certain circles was made greater and emphasized, try to be the sorrowful and the unfortunate on Christmas Day. Don't forget it; make it your "extra special" good turn.

The concert and display held by the Gover St. Troop was immensely gratifying. The entertainment was one of the most successful ones ever held in the city. Everything went off without a hitch. To the Scoutmaster, Rev. Mr. Forbes, and to the three Assistant Scoutmasters, Messrs. Dunstan, Francis and Tizard, great praise can be given. We were sorry to see no Wolf Cubs on the programme. Their Cubmaster, Mr. Donald Lewis, was working hard to help make the thing a success. Unfortunately H. E. the Governor was unable to attend, owing to a previous engagement. If Mr. Forbes will not object we are going to give a short criticism of each item below.

- 1. Remarks by S.-M. (We would not dare say anything in regard to those.) 2. A little physical culture would do the boys a world of good. 3. Excellent for an amateur, but a little too fast. 4. This item deserves special praise and Asst. S.-M. Tizard is to be congratulated. 5. Very good. 6. Very amusing. 7. The make-up was bad. There was not enough '2 in d' used.

Part II. 1. The best chorus for the evening. The whistling was very good. 2. Good. 3. Too much was done and it was not done naturally enough. Half the number of 'accidents' would be better. 4. Too fast. 5. Better even than No. 4—Part I. 6. Very good. 7. Fair. There were too many choruses. 8. Anybody could do the Semaphore alphabet. Why not send a message. Excuse me, Mr. Forbes, for my criticism, but it is just the opinion of one of the audience.

Notice This Scouts.

The complete list of competitors open to Rovers, Sea Scouts, Scouts and Wolf Cubs in the Great Sam- duence has been sent us by the Actg. Sec. for the Dominion, and will be published next week. There is a good chance here for some of our Scouts. Merry Xmas.

Editor Scout Column.

Dear Sir—Last week we had best turn out that we have had for quite a long while. The boys are working like "niggers" for the concert. Last week we tried some new songs and did splendidly. It is our intention next week to have a Christmas tree for the Cubs, Cheero Shabago, and now I will close, wishing all Scouts and Cubs a very merry Christmas, and a most successful New Year. DONALD LEWIS.

Wise Men Say—

That the worst thing you can do for some men is to praise them. That it is as easy to buy experience as it is difficult to sell it. That experience is a dead loss if you don't sell it for more than it cost you. That none are so fond of secrets as those who do not mean to keep them. Such persons covet secrets as a spend, thrift covets money—for the purpose of circulation. That existence is the privilege of effort, and when that privilege is met like a man, opportunities to succeed along the line of your aptitude will come faster than you can use them. That the best help is not to bear the troubles of others for them, but to inspire them with courage and energy to bear their burdens for themselves, and meet the difficulties of life bravely.

Here and There.

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IN FOR SHELTER.—Schooner Winifred Lee, salt laden from Lisbon to Marytown, is at Tropassey where she put in yesterday for shelter.

Brighten the Home for Christmas with Floor Canvas, Linoleums and Carpets from our huge varieties. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.

STREET CARS STALLED.—Three of the electric street cars were stalled at one time near the Customs to-day and the service of the sweeper was required, to get them on the move.

School Children by the scores profit by getting their School Supplies at THE BEE-HIVE STORE, Charlton St.—t.u.t.h.s,tf

C.M.B.C.—To-morrow (Sunday) will be Orphanage Sunday. All members of the Class are particularly requested to be present.

You can depend upon Reliable Batteries and Flashlights at all times. They're made to stand all weather conditions.

NOT HEARD OF YET.—Up to noon hour Messrs. A. S. Rendell & Co. had not received any intelligence of the vessel Lowell Parks, Capt. Sutton, which left here for St. Mary's eleven days ago.

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PRINCE OF WALES RINK.—During the present frosty spurt "Skipper Frank" has been busy at the Prince's Rink getting things in shape. He has a good sheet in preparation and is Jack Frost keeps up he will have an excellent sheet for Xmas Day.

You can get at BOWRING'S a fancy Box, containing 6 Ladies' Embroidery Handkerchiefs assorted, for \$1.50 Box—dec17,7f oct14,15,16, nov18,19,20, dec19,20

AT THE CROSSIE.—The following guests have registered at the Grosvenor: J. W. Dave, Bay Roberts; C. J. Chaleit, Halifax; R. Hardy, Hickman's Hr.; Mrs. J. W. Grant, New Glasgow; E. S. Hennebury, Beaverton.

BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD., announce the arrival from England of their Fall and Winter London-Made Aquascutum Coats for Ladies and Gentlemen. We are Sole Agents for Newfoundland.

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SAY!

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WILLIAM FREW, Water St.

To-day's Messages.

WHITE OFFICERS; NEGRO CREW. PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 19.—The steamer Manxman, which met with disaster while bound to Gibraltar from this port, had a crew of forty-nine men, according to reports here. The greater number of them were negroes.

BACK TO WORK. PARIS, Dec. 19.—Premier Clemenceau, who has been confined to his home for several days, because of a broken rib he sustained during his recent trip to England, resumed work to-day in his offices at the Ministry of War.

ASSASSINS ESCAPED. DUBLIN, Dec. 19.—The military escort which met Lord French at Ashtown Station, was some distance behind him when the attack occurred, but quickly galloped to the scene, being summoned by a woman who was driving a car containing Lord French's baggage. She turned back immediately on hearing the firing. The attack on Lord French was made two hundred yards from Ashtown Station. Policeman Loughlin was talking with a civilian as Lord French passed, Loughlin

was killed during the shooting, and the civilian, with whom he had been talking, fired at Lord French and another policeman killed him. The attacking party fled across the fields in the direction of Dublin, and none of them were caught. One report says that the attack was made with revolvers, and the civilian who was killed, is declared to have had a revolver in his hand.

No Opposition. Nominations for bye-elections are being held to-day in the Districts of Twillingate, Bonavista, Trinity, Hr. Grace and Fortune Bay, where Messrs. Jennings, Conker, Hallyard, Barnes and Warren are seeking re-election as Ministers of Public Works, Fisheries, Posts and Telegraphs, Education and Justice, respectively. There has been no announcement that any of the seats were contested.

SUSU'S PASSENGERS.—S.S. Susu left port yesterday evening for the northward with a full freight and a crew of 110 white passengers:—Messrs. S. J. Keats, Job Kane, Bragg, Hutchings, Hann, Winsor, E. P. Parsons, S. White, Rodgers, Misses Wick, G. Butler, W. Weeks, E. Bishop, House, Messrs. Bishop, Bragg, Hann, House, J. Keats, D. Hall, C. Carter, R. Tilley, G. Winsor, P. Mullett, J. Mullett, E. Anthony, S. Anthony, D. Anthony, E. Stuckless, Blackmore, J. Tiller and 10 in steerage.

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HENRY BLAIR

Every Saturday evening after 7 o'clock, Choice Ends of Beef, Mutton, Lamb, Pork will be sold at cost. ELLIS & CO., LTD., 203 Water Street.—nov29,tf

MARRIED.—On the 17th inst., at Wesley Parsonage, by the Rev. W. B. Bugden, Mr. Wilfred J. Rose, of this city, to Miss Mollie MacDonogh, of Edinburgh, Scotland.

DEED.—On the 18th inst., at Cupids, Miss Mary, aged 33 years, leaving one sister, to-morrow (Sunday), at 2.30 p.m., from the residence of Mr. John Doyle, 12 Brian Street.—R.I.P.

On Dec. 19th, Patrick O'Donovan, aged 62 years, leaving one sister, to mourn her sad loss; funeral on Sunday, at 2.30 p.m., from the residence of P. P. White, 38 Buchanan St. Rest in Peace.

This morning, after a short illness, Mary, aged 33 years, leaving one sister, Richard Stevenson, beloved one son, Richard Stevenson, father, 3 sisters and 2 daughters, to mourn their sad loss. Funeral takes place at 2.30 p.m. on Monday, from her late residence, 25 LeMarchant Road. Friends and acquaintances please attend without further notice.

This morning, after a long illness, Mary, widow of the late Robert Daly. She leaves two daughters in the city; and one in Somerville. A number of sisters, one brother, and great grandchildren to mourn their sad loss. Funeral takes place at 2.30 p.m. Monday, from her residence, Mrs. Capt. Jackson's daughter's residence, please copy. Pleasant Street. Friends and acquaintances please accept this the only intimation. Boston, New York and Sydney papers please copy.

Yesterday morning, after a long and painful illness, Elizabeth, (relict of the late John Clatney), aged 75 years, leaving a son, daughter and a large circle of friends to mourn their sad loss. Funeral Sunday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, Upper Battery Road. Friends and acquaintances please accept this the only intimation.

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Here and There.

INGRAHAM PUTS BACK.—S.S. Ingraham, which left Seldom at 2 o'clock yesterday with the vessel Sordello for this port, had to put back at 6.30 on account of meeting strong S.W. winds and heavy slob ice. She will wait there for favorable weather conditions.

GERTRUDE'S CREW PICKED UP.—A message to the Marine Intelligence Department from Cape Race reports that the S.S. Watuka picked up the crew of the schooner Gertrude. The vessel was abandoned in a sinking condition on the 16th inst. The Gertrude belonged to Lake & Lake of Fortuna.

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Pine cough syrups are combinations of pine and syrup. The "syrup" part is usually plain sugar syrup. To make the best pine cough remedy that money can buy, put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth) in a 16-oz. bottle, and fill up with home-made sugar syrup. Or you can use clarified lasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, you make 16 ounces—more than you can buy ready-made for \$2.50. If it is pure, good and very pleasant—children take it eagerly. You can feel this take hold of a cough or cold in a way that means business.

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Nationalization of Doctors Next?

London, Dec. 12.—There is a prospect in the near future of the medical profession in Great Britain becoming nationalized. That is, all doctors will be under the supervision of the State, paid by the State and their energies directed by the State. Doctors will then become servants of the state like the army, navy and civil services.

Dr. John Playfair, Director of the Medical Guild, says that numbers of doctors would be quite willing to accept State medical service if such service were limited to the needy classes. Indeed for a long time service of such a nature had been approved and has formed one of the principles of the guild. The fear, however, was that the State medical service proposed by the Government might ultimately embrace a whole community, including hospitals and all institutions in any way connected with the maintenance of the health of people.

Such a sweeping movement would not only be antagonistic to all feelings and aspirations of the doctors, but would, among other disadvantages, tend to reduce all professional activities and attainments to a dead level, and would entirely abolish all feeling and sympathy between doctors and patients which members of the guild cherished and upheld, and would be a bad bargain for the nation as leading to inefficient and perfunctory medical attendance.

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"Champion Billiard-Marker."

"If I ever had any conceit," Melbourne Inman, the billiard champion, remarked when telling me the story, "it was knocked out of me by this incident."

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Our Xmas Poultry has arrived, and we are now booking orders for TURKEYS, GEESE, CHICKEN and DUCKS, for delivery next week. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD., Grocery Dept. Phone 679. Dec 17, 19.

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SABLE I. PASSENGERS.—The S.S. Sable I. sailed this morning for North Sydney, with a small quantity of freight and the following passengers:—O. E. McCarthy, P. Dillon, J. M. Petite, Thomas Evans, Hugh Pynn, Mildred Pynn, L. McLean, Charles Main, A. R. Gillis, G. Munn, Miss C. H. Tanner, A. W. P. Weston, J. Hall.

Sunday Services.

Cathedral of St. John the Baptist.—8, Holy Communion; 11, Morning Service; 3, C.M.B.C.—This day is Orphanage Sunday, and all members of the Class are particularly requested to attend. Evensong, 6.30.

St. Thomas—Holy Communion, 8; Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11; Preacher, Rev. C. A. Moulton; 3 p.m., Gifts to the King Service; Evensong and Sermon, 6.30; Preacher, The Rector; Subject, "The Throne and the Manger: The Two Measurements of God."

St. Mary the Virgin—8, Holy Communion; 11, Matins and Litany; 6.30, Evensong.

Gower St.—11 and 6.30, Rev. E. W. Forbes, M.A., B.D.

George St.—11 and 6.30, Rev. D. B. Hemmeon, B.A.

Cochrane St.—11 and 6.30, Rev. G. J. Bond, B.A., LL.D.

Wesley—11 and 6.30, Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church—Rev. Gordon Dickie, M.A., Minister; Sunday Services at 11 and 6.30. The Minister will preach at both services. Morning Subject: "The Dawn of Peace," and in the evening, "The Christmas Spirit." Christmas music; the Children's Gift Service will be held at 3; Strangers welcome at all services.

Queen's Rd. Congregational Church—11 and 6.30, Rev. Dr. Fenwick; all are welcome.

Adventist—Subject: "Mammon of Unrighteousness; All are welcome; Evangelist D. J. C. Barrett."

International Bible Students' Association meets in Chapter Room, Victoria Hall, opposite Gower St. Church; 2 p.m., Sunday School Lesson; 8 p.m., Discourse: "And there was a great Calm." All are welcome.

ST. THOMAS—At the morning service to-morrow, Rev. C. A. Moulton will be the preacher. In the afternoon the Sunday School children of the Parish will meet in Canon Wood Hall at 2.45. At 3 the annual "Gifts to the King" Service will be held in the Church, when the children's offering for Christmas will be made, and an address given by the Rector. At the 6.30 service the Rector will preach, his subject being: "The Throne and the Manger: The Two Measurements of God." All are welcome.

GOVER ST.—To-morrow will be a special day in Gower St. Church. The usual class meetings will be held in the morning at 9.45, and in the afternoon at 1 o'clock. The Pastor will preach at 11 a.m. on "The Incarnation and its Human and Divine Implications." There will also be a brief talk to the children on "Lanterns" in the afternoon at 2.30. The Sunday School will hold its annual "White Gifts for the King" Christmas service. The service will be held in the auditorium of the church, which will be suitably decorated. Gifts will be presented of "Self, Service and Substance." In the evening at 6.30 the choir will render the sacred cantata "Bethlehem" (Mantel). The solo parts will be taken by Mr. and Mrs. F. J. King, Mr. Carl Trappell and Capt. Lloyd Woods. Week-day meetings—Monday, 8 p.m., Epworth League; Wednesday and Friday, 7.45 p.m., Prayer Meetings; Thursday, Christmas Service at 11 a.m. The public are cordially invited to all the above meetings. Strangers and visitors will be especially welcome.

GEORGE ST. A.B.C.—To-morrow being Christmas Sunday, the Class will unite with the Sunday School in the Christmas Gift Service, which begins at 2.45. Every member is invited to participate. The organist would be pleased if the members would report at the Class Room not later than 2.30 for the purpose of having a short practice of the special hymns.

COCHRANE ST.—At Cochrane St. Church to-morrow afternoon at 2.45, the Sunday School will hold its White Gift Service. Every scholar is expected to bring a gift wrapped in white paper. These gifts will be distributed to the sick and poor of the congregation. The offering and gifts of money will be devoted to the payment of the school's only missionary in China. Bright service. Come and bring a friend with you.

WESLEY—Preacher at both services, the Pastor. Subject for morning: "The Discovery of God"; for the evening: "God Waiting Man's Answer." Visitors always welcome.

Wonderful Caves.

Elephants—one of the small islands which dot the Apollo Bunder Harbour at Bombay—boasts a group of caves, which contain some really remarkable carvings on their walls. Huge figures, several times larger than human beings—men and women principally—and a series of scenes, chiefly allegorical, said to be at least two thousand years old, draw crowds of people from all parts.

The caves are approached by means of small craft only, from which

when the tide permits, one steps on to a very long and very slippery causeway built of large stones.

The island itself is well worth a visit in the cold weather, as it is called in the Far East.

From the top of the cliffs a beautiful view of Bombay and the surrounding islands is obtained, and the balmy, scent-laden breezes, and the brilliant sunshine, blue sky, and tropical colouring, make one feel that life is worth living.

The natives themselves are picturesque, though dirty, and a guide

is easily obtainable for a rupee or so.

As the sun begins to set, the birds sing more sweetly and emphatically, until it disappears, and there, as in the hot countries, at that hour insect life makes itself heard to a remarkable degree. Indescribable colours paint the heavens in one exquisite picture.

The sea glimmers in the soft brilliance of the moonlight, while the stars hang like large jewels in the velvet sky, is something worthy of remembrance.

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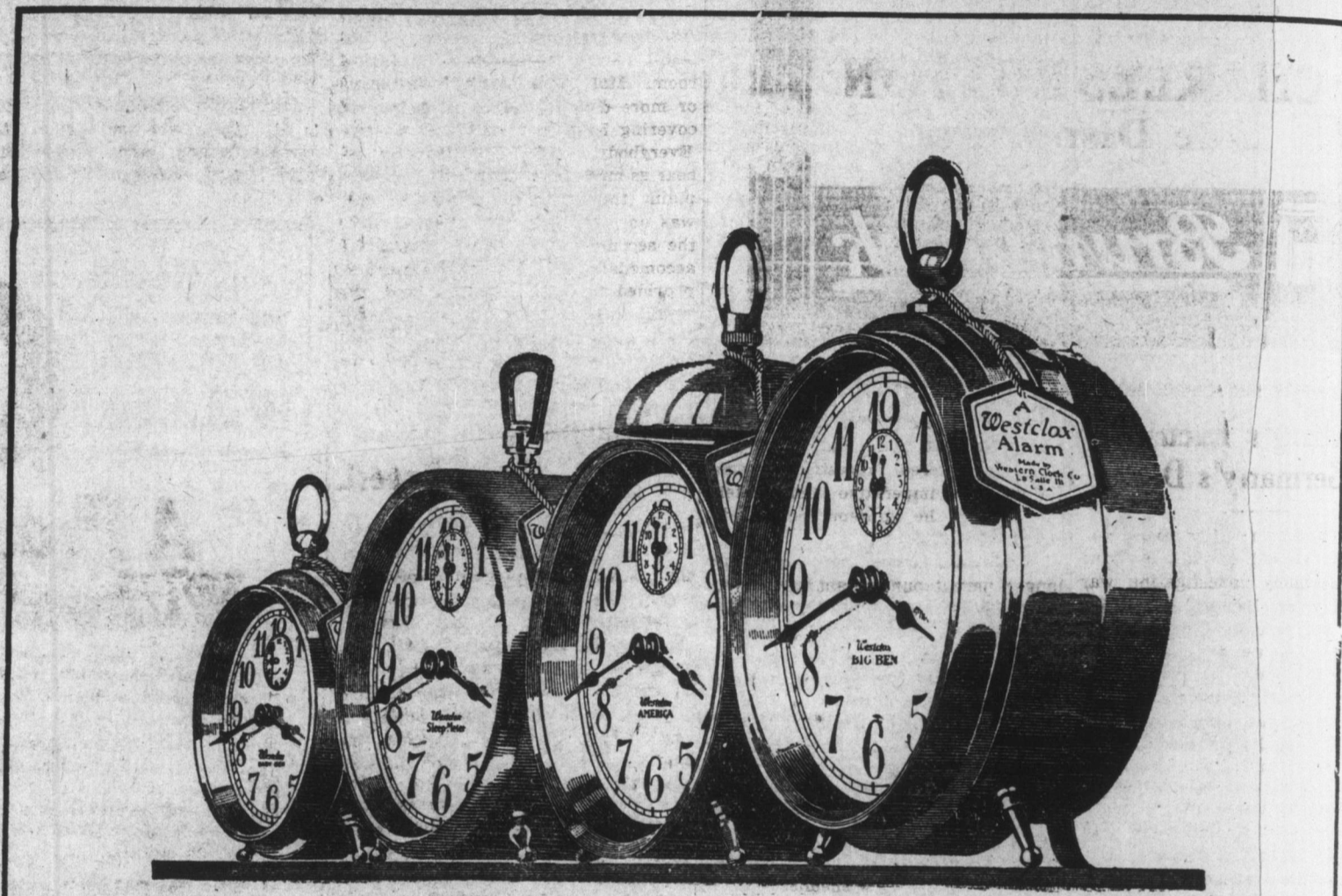
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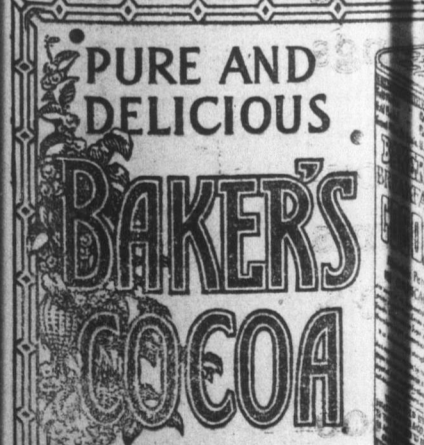
Field Marshal von Hindenburg declared before the sub-committee of the National Assembly investigating war responsibility, at Berlin: "I brought with absolute certainty that neither the people, the Kaiser nor the government, desired the war, for the government knew better than others Germany's tremendous difficult position in a war against the Entente."

Germany's defensive strength, said the Field Marshal, was as unfavorable as possible from the start. It might be left to history to decide why Germany's peace policy had failed.

"If the military authorities prepared for the possibility of an unreasonable war," continued von Hindenburg, "that was only its duty towards the nation. If there had been solid, united co-operation between army and home-land we could have attained victory."

"While with the enemy, notwithstanding his superiority, all parties were united ever more firmly in the determination to be victorious, with us, although we were numerically inferior, interests at home made their influence felt, and this state of affairs led to the breaking of the will to victory."

In all great decisions Ludendorff and himself were of the one mind.



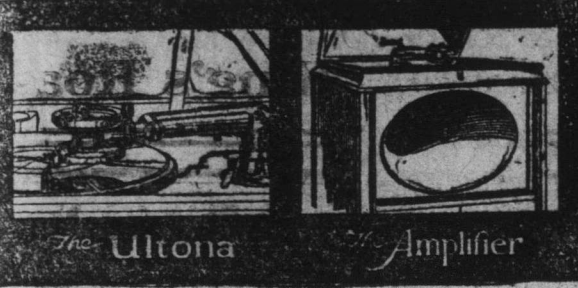
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The janitors have quit and left. Us for ourselves to shirk. The railroad brotherhoods walk out. And make us hike to work.

The painters drop the brush and pot. Demanding wages high. The miners leave the coal unmined. "More money" is their cry.

The plumbers will not mend the pipe. Increase of wealth they claim. But mother never strikes—she keeps On working just the same.

A Dire Necessity.

We understand there is considerable freight offering for the Northwest part of the Coast. The loss of the Ethie places that section of the Coast without steam service. We, therefore, urge that immediate steps be taken to supply the need. Within another few weeks at most navigation will be closed and the people northward will be cut off from the coastwise service for four or five months.

Now that the Ethie is gone, provision will have to be made for the replacing of her on the Bay of Islands-Battle Harbor route next season. Complaints for some time have been very general of the inadequacy of a steamer of the Ethie class for that service. Time and again during the past season she was crowded with from two to three times as many passengers as she had accommodation for, and frequently those who had occasion to travel the route described conditions as being most dreadful. We have seen the Ethie dock at Curling with over two hundred passengers on board. There was scarcely standing room. Most of them had spent three or more days on the ship, their only covering being the canopy of heaven. Everybody, however, endeavored to bear as much as possible without complaint the conditions while the war was on. We have now entered upon the second year of peace. Steamship accommodation for this service must be provided for next season, and we would urge the placing of a bigger steamer on the route; a ship of the Glencoe class would, we believe, be most suitable.

Death of a Religious.

(Western Star, Dec. 17.) After a brief illness, borne with resignation and surrounded by her sisters in religion, she passed peacefully to her eternal reward one of the old landmarks of Western Newfoundland—Rev. Mother Corsini. Death came on Friday evening and left the diocese poorer for its loss of a great teacher, who, for over thirty years without hand or blow quietly did the Master's work among the children of the people. She had at the time of her demise reached the ripe old age of eighty-two years—years which were full of good works and benediction. The funeral services were largely attended, some of her old pupils coming a long distance to be present. Requiem Mass was sung by the Bishop, with Father DuBordieu as Deacon and Fr. O'Reilly as Sub-deacon. The Bishop delivered a discourse replete with the Diocesan gratitude for the life-work of the dead nun and recalling the salient features of her life as a pioneer. She was buried in the Sister's plot, there to await a happy resurrection—the reward of life unselfishly devoted to the good of others. R. I. P.

Faithful In Love.

A case is on record of one lion who recognized an old friend after seven years, and went wild with joy on seeing him. This lion spent its early days at the Court of Morocco. Then it was shipped to England, and kept at the Tower. Seven years later, an Englishman whom it had "known" in Morocco visited the Tower, and the lion smelt him before he saw him. No dog ever gave its master a happier welcome. The man went into the cage, and the lion leaped on him, and licked his feet. After his departure, the lion refused food for four days.

A somewhat similar case is recorded of a tiger, who was shipped from Asia to London, and recognized a former owner a few years afterwards at the Zoo.



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Hindenburg's Excuse for Germany's Defeat.

Field Marshal von Hindenburg deposed before the sub-committee of the National Assembly investigating war responsibility, at Berlin: "I know with absolute certainty that neither the Kaiser nor the government desired the war, for the government knew better than others Germany's tremendous difficult position in a war against the Entente."
Germany's defensive strength, said the Field Marshal, was as unfavorable as possible from the start. It might be left to history to decide why Germany's peace policy had failed.
"If the military authorities prepared for the possibility of an unreasonable war," continued von Hindenburg, "that was only its duty towards the nation. If there had been solid, united cooperation between army and homeland we could have attained victory."
"While with the enemy, notwithstanding his superiority, all parties were united ever more firmly in the determination to be victorious, with us, although we were numerically inferior, interests at home made their influence felt and this state of affairs led to the breaking of the will to victory."
In all great decisions Ludendorff and himself were of the one mind;

they had worked in full accord from August 29, 1916, to the end.
"We considered unrestricted submarine war imperative immediately we entered the supreme command," said the Field Marshal.

"When 1917 came we could no longer permit our gallant soldiers to be bombarded with United States ammunition and their wives and children starved by the blockade. The U-boat war was the only means to oppose these conditions."

In his testimony, General Ludendorff said that the high command first refrained from beginning the U-boat campaign because the Chancellor at that time feared an attack by Holland and Denmark, owing to the pressure of Great Britain and there would be no troops to meet new enemies.

The Prodigal.

The son of the house had been reprimanded for wrong-doing, so he decided to leave home, and took his departure early one morning.

Repenting of his folly, he returned during the evening, but mother, father, and sister kept a stony silence towards him. After waiting for some time for some word of greeting, and hardly knowing how to open conversation, he quietly remarked, as he saw the cat come in: "Is that the cat you had when I went away?"

The Empire's Naval Expert.

Not only because of his high position and the importance of the mission which has taken him round the world, but also because of his great achievements and of his personal qualities, is Lord Admiral Jellicoe a welcome visitor in every British land. In Calgary a few days ago, Admiral Jellicoe made clear the object of these visits in which Canada has shared. "It is my mission in Canada," he said, "to advise the Dominion Government—where my advice is sought." In so technical and vital a matter as naval defence, the advice of an expert should be welcome.

As for Admiral Jellicoe's achievements, history will do them justice. During a great part of the war he commanded the Grand Fleet, and during all that time Britain retained command of the sea, moving by water troops, munitions and supplies as she willed. As in the case with many other battles by land and sea, that of Jutland will give rise to two sets of opinions—these adverse to Jellicoe's strategy and those approving of it. The debate may go on indefinitely, but this fact will ever remain—the German navy fled to the protection of its fortified base, and never again came out upon the North Sea until it came out to surrender.

On Friday last Admiral Jellicoe was sixty years of age, and forty-seven years have passed since he entered the Navy, following in the footsteps of his father, the late Capt. J. H. Jellicoe.

His family consists of his wife, Lady Jellicoe, daughter of Charles Cayzer, and three daughters.

At the Majestic.

Dorothy Gish in the Paramount Picture, "Pepper Polly," stars at the Majestic Theatre this evening. Last evening's picture was an unusually dramatic one; to-night's will be its direct opposite, and its cheery atmosphere will be sure to put you in a pleasant mood. Two bright comedies will help in accomplishing the same thing. We make the first announcement of the big British production, "Comradeship," which will be screened for the Christmas season. This picture, which should be seen by every soldier in the city, as well as by every soldier's friend, is wonderfully produced, and supported by a cast of famous stars. It will equal even "The Cavell Case," which ran for a full week. Do not forget the title—"Comradeship," and do not fail to see it on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. It will be a hummer.

Important to Housekeepers. You can get raw pastry by the lb. for your mince and apple pies at STEWART'S Fancy Bakery, opposite Seamen's Institute, Water Street East.—dec17,41

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The King's Mark.

An exceedingly strange revenge perpetrated on December 21, 1870, and one, moreover, that entailed the passing of a special Act of Parliament, which remained in force until 1829. About ten o'clock at night, a party of some twenty of the King's Guard assembled silently near the corner of Suffolk Street, under the command of Sir Thomas Sande. After waiting for some time, they saw emerging from a tavern not far away, two figures, one of a servant who led the way, bearing in his hand a flaming torch, and the other of a man, richly attired, and evidently of noble birth. As the latter reached the corner, he caught sight of the soldiers, and being fully aware that their presence boded no good to him, he snatched the flambeau from his servant's hand, and drawing his sword, prepared to defend himself. He was soon disarmed, and they "cut his nose to the bone, to teach him what respect he owed to the King," and then decamped. Earlier in the year, the opponents of the Government proposed in Parliament to levy a tax on playhouses, and in the course of the debate Sir John Coventry, (the victim mentioned above) asked, "Whether the King's pleasure lie among the men or the women that acted?" Sir John probably had in view the King's visit to Moll Davis, in Suffolk Street, where Charles had furnished a house for her, and given her a ring worth £700, which Pepys speaks of as "a most infinite shame." The King determined to leave a mark upon Sir John for his freedom of speech and thus the attack. But Parliament, furious at the indignity offered to one of their most influential members, banished the principal actor in the affair, and passed the law known as the "Coventry Act," which rendered the cutting, maiming, or disfiguring of any man punishable by death without "benefit of clergy."

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Great Oil Fire in United States.

During the drilling of an oil-mill at Tid-ona, Pennsylvania, on December 21, 1880, a sudden rush of oil, at the rate of seventy barrels an hour, took place, the stream ascending 41 feet above the surface of the ground, and above this mass of oil the gas or benzene rose in a cloud for 50 or 60 feet. All the fires in the neighbourhood were immediately extinguished, but one 400 yards distant ignited the floating gas, and in a moment the whole of the air was in roaring flames. The head of the jet of oil was soon in a furious blaze, and fell like water from a fountain over an area of 100 feet in diameter. At once a scene of indescribable horror took place. Scores of people were thrown flat, while just within the circle of the flames some bodies could be seen in the seething oil, one man, who had been digging a ditch to convey away the oil to a lower part of the ground, was killed, and could be seen, as he fell over the handle of his spade, roasting in the fierce element. A gentleman of the locality was standing near the pit, and was blown twenty feet by the explosion. He got up and ran about ten feet or more further, and was dragged out by two men and conveyed to a shanty some distance from the well. When he arrived, not a vestige of clothing was left upon him but his stockings and boots. His hair was burnt off, as well as his finger nails, while the balls of his eyes were crisped up to nothingness. In this condition he lived nine hours. The heat of the fire was so intense that no one could approach within 150 feet without getting scorched. No human power could extinguish the flames, and the fire burnt until the oil was exhausted.



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A Stag Goes to Chapel.

A curious occurrence took place on Thursday December 21, 1820, in Brasenose College, Oxford. A stag-hunt that day commenced in Blenheim Park, Woodstock, eight miles northwest from Oxford, the palatial seat erected for and granted to the great Duke of Marlborough by the British nation in honour of his famous victory against the French in Bavaria in 1704. The stag, while being hunted, escaped from the park, and directed its course towards Wickham, when, having reached the high road, it turned and ran towards the city of Oxford, with the dogs in close pursuit and followed by a great number of well-known and experienced huntsmen. The terrified animal had by now become very tired, and when it reached the centre of the city it sought refuge in the chapel of Brasenose College, where Divine service was being conducted. The hounds followed it still and there being no way of escape for the stag, they soon made short work of the animal in the presence of hundreds of astonished spectators.

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Tiburón, otherwise known as Shark Island, is a real Amazon kingdom, or perhaps queenland. The woman are the heads of the family and rule the men with a hand of iron, graciously permitting them to attend to the work of gathering food, wood and water, while their wives, mothers and daughters take care of the serious business of governing the country. All the men on Tiburón are under the rule of their women-folk, but the newly-married husband is the most abject of slaves. After mother has approved of the suitor who seeks her daughter in marriage—father's approval is taken for granted—the favored youth is at once made a slave of the family of his future bride, and for a year must be at their beck and call.

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The Silver Greyhounds.

King's Messengers run far less risks than they did in the "bad old days" of diplomacy. The "Silver Greyhounds," as the King's foreign service men are called, used at one time to consider it fair play and legal to steal private dispatches addressed to envoys of other Courts. They were frequently murdered, were always plotting and counter-plotting, invariably took their lives in their hands, often had to endure great hardships, and were cognisant of great State secrets.

The "whirligig of time" has changed much of this, and to-day these emissaries lead quiet and unobtrusive lives, and beyond being the bearers of important epistolary communications, they take no large part in matters diplomatic. It is high and honorable work, and the only risk they really run nowadays is the stealing of the confidential dispatches entrusted to them. The bag is not supposed to be ever out of the messenger's reach, though the Foreign Office gives full discretion to its servants, who in the matter of travelling expenses never have to consider the question of cost. They have for instance, the right to reserve for themselves an entire railway compartment.

The greater part of the weightier diplomatic communications is in these days carried on by cypher telegrams; but when a crisis arises and it is necessary for the concealment of significant secrets, members of the foreign and diplomatic services are employed. Stories of thrilling interest are told by the King's Messengers of attempted thefts of State missives, but during the last fifty years there has never been an instance of a bag of importance being stolen. Whenever the King is away from London, two or three "Silver Greyhounds" leave England every week with dispatches for his Majesty. Often they are sent on long journeys with many commissions to execute en route. They enjoy certain privileges, including immunity from baggage search on the frontiers by Customs authorities. Formerly they wore a uniform, but now their only badge of office is a silver greyhound carried round the neck, but not always displayed, and the brass-locked leather bag is stamped with the Royal Arms of Great Britain.

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Cigar boxes are another expensive item. They must be made of cedar wood. During the war cedar wood was almost unobtainable, and now it is very dear. But there is a good and cedar wood, as one of the newly rich discovered to his cost. He bought up a stock of fine cigars, some 5,000 in number, the property of an impoverished Peer. To house them he gave directions for the erection of a cedar wood cabinet in his library. It was an elaborate affair, with numbers of traps, divisions and partitions, so that each cigar could be kept separate without contact with its fellows. Alas! when he came to try them he found them unspeakable. The cedar wood had impregnated them. The cedar for boxes and cabinets must be of seasoned wood. They must not be of the material out of

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which pencils are made. And this seasoned cedar wood is very dear. When cigars are made in Havana they have to be shipped out within a fortnight or they would get spoilt. For smokers who like them 'green,' as some Englishmen and many Americans do, cigars are packed in air-tight, soldered tins. These tins usually contain only five cigars, as they must be smoked within two days after opening the tin.

Cigars are capricious things. After being shipped from Havana they get sick. They ferment. It takes from two to three weeks before they get right. They improve by keeping. A good cigar will keep for any period from 10 to 25 years.

It is not necessary to keep them in a hot room nor in a cabinet near the fire. But they should be kept at a more or less equable temperature. A room that is comfortable for yourself will suit your cigar.

If you go to or on the sea, you should take precautions. Sea air spoils a cigar. The only way to preserve them is to keep them in tins or jars with an air-tight cover. Old pickle-jars are very good for the purpose.

The discriminating smoker will never use a match in lighting a cigar. A wax match may be fatal, and a wooden match, with its sulphur, may be as bad. Paper spills are best. If these are not available, light an old match or piece of paper from your match.

In the matter of cigar everybody has his own taste. What will suit one man will not suit another. There are fashions in shapes and sizes. Some men think that a cigar to be good must be big. There is something in it. You can buy a cigar at £50 per 100—a big thing, some seven inches long—and you may be sure that you are smoking the finest thing procurable in the way of tobacco. There are certain connoisseurs who always buy these big cigars and cut them in half when they do not wish a long smoke.

The general public does not know much about cigars. It is generally goes for names and labels. But these really mean little or nothing. A certain named brand may be good one year and very poor another.

There is only one certain way to get the best cigar, and that is to place yourself in the hands of an expert and not to mind what you pay. The best cigar merchants, so far from competing with each other in under-selling like other business firms, are concerned as to who can charge the highest prices.

There is one famous firm which prides itself on being the most expensive in London. It insists on being dearer than any other and it thrives on it. You can get a very good cigar there for £12 10s. per 100, a cigar which the Prince of Wales smokes, and of which he took quantities with him on his tour to Canada. And from £12 10s. you can find anything at various sizes and prices up to the £50 per 100 cigars which only millionaires can buy.—A. E. M. F., in Daily Mail.

Cigar boxes are another expensive item. They must be made of cedar wood. During the war cedar wood was almost unobtainable, and now it is very dear.

But there is a method and cedar wood, as one of the newly rich discovered to his cost, he bought up a stock of fine cigars, some 5,000 in number, the property of an impoverished Peer. To house them he gave directions for the erection of a cedar-wood cabinet in his library. It was an elaborate affair, with numbers of trays, divisions and partitions, so that each cigar could be kept separate without contact with its fellows. Alas! when he came to try them he found them unsmokable. The cedar wood had impregnated them.

The cedar for boxes and cabinets must be of seasoned wood. They must not be of the material out of the forest.

Bull-Baiting
a la Arizona.

Bull-fighting has already attained a foothold in the United States. Out in Phoenix, Ariz., the famous Spanish pastime has come into its own. Almost everyone has heard of bull fights. Many have seen them, but very few know about the twentieth century variety out at Phoenix, says the Kansas City Star.

The Westerners inject comedy into the pastime instead of slaying the bull, as is the custom of the Spanish toreros. They also have a new name for it. It is called "Fighting with the Bull," and is described as follows:

"Horses are not used in these contests. In the days when toreros went into the ring to entertain important royalty horses were more important than the man, because the horses were looked upon to give the greater thrill. Narrow escapes of matadors, ere their deaths, were of little consequence. The act that counted most was when the bull, mad from torture, with several fishhook banderillas in the shoulders, charged a blindfolded horse while the rider sat calmly in the saddle. That was a great victory—for the bull. The men were only agents of torture.

"But laws have changed the order of things, however, even the laws could not kill the sport of the game. Exhibitions have been staged from time to time in the United States wherein the cruelty of the game was eliminated.

"Modernized bull-fights such as are being staged each Sunday in a rough lumber arena just outside of Phoenix are something of the 'no kick' variety. The toreros are not permitted to harm the bulls, yet spectators may be justified in their belief that it is a form of bull-baiting because of the same 'fish' of golden days in clothing and methods used. Anyhow, the banderillas only touch the bull's neck with two blunt rods and another blunt rod takes the place of a sword. It is difficult at times to get the bull to understand he is to be a kind, docile creature and not play too rough.

"At this juncture is where Phoenix injects the comedy drama in which an imitator of Charlie Chap-

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"I agree with you; yet the old songs sometimes contain sentiments of which one cannot wholly approve," which one cannot wholly approve."
"I think you are mistaken."
"I will give you an illustration. There is 'Home, Sweet Home,' for instance. You do not agree, surely with all the sentiments it contains?"
"Why not?" he asked, warmly. "Why not?"
"Because," she said, glancing at the clock, which was marking the hour

of one; "because there is a line in that song which says, 'There is no place like home.' You do not believe that, do you?"
Then he coughed a hollow cough, arose, and went downstairs to sleep on the sofa.
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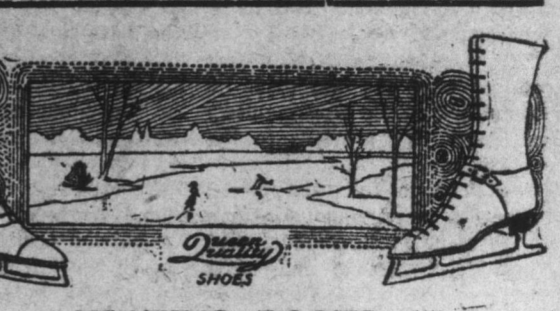
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DEFENDS WILLIAM LINEGAR.

"Star's" Dirty Attack on Him Denounced--Linegar is Workingmen's Favourite.

Editor Evening Telegram

Dear Sir,—With great disgust I read the dirty attack on Mr. William Linegar contained in yesterday's edition of the Daily Star. I cannot say that I was surprised at the Star's action, for that paper has, within the past year or so, proven itself to be utterly unscrupulous and unprincipled. Anything which stands in its way becomes the object of its reviling venom and nothing is too bad to be said concerning it.

My first intimation of this fact was received when the Star made its notorious attack on the Workingmen's Political Party just previous to the General Election. In that article—which will never be forgotten by the workingmen—a most unholty attack was made on the three candidates of the Workingmen's Party, and when the letter was read at the Committee meeting on the evening of the day on which the paper was issued, the packed rooms were the evidence of the frame of mind in which the Star's attack was received. The Star people would not have felt any too safe had they been near at that time, for the honest committeemen were justly enraged at the gross attack. When the three candidates wrote a letter to the Editor of the Star, replying to the attack, the Editor of that paper did not publish it. He made even no reference to its receipt. The other papers published it, but the Star, the very paper which contained the attack, refused to give those whom it had attacked space in which to defend themselves! That, in itself, is ample proof of the unfairness and liberality of the Star.

The Liberal Reform Party issued dodgers and cards attacking the Workingmen's candidates and advising people not to vote for the workingmen's candidates. I have those circulars and cards in my possession and challenge contradiction. On the public platform Hon. R. A. Squires attacked the workingmen's candidates and time and time again the Star, his newspaper, contained articles that attacked the workingmen and their own candidates. The workingmen of St. John's West are not likely to forget that, during the campaign, the Star called upon the voters not to vote for their own men, but to vote for the Liberal Reform candidates.

In yesterday's attack the Star said

that, some few weeks before, Mr. Linegar had stood on the Casino platform and denounced Sir Michael Cashin and his government as the greatest aggregation of political misfits that ever ruled the country. I say that that is a lie, and that Mr. Linegar did not make any such statement. I was present at that meeting and know that he said nothing of the sort. I challenge contradiction. As a matter of fact, Mr. Linegar, in conversation with myself as far back as the first of November said that he was of the opinion that the wisest thing for the Workingmen's Party was to ally itself with one or other of the political parties, and in that way gain representation in the House. At that time I disagreed with him, giving my opinion that the Labor Party should not be identified with either other party but should stand independently of all other politicians. Since, I have changed my mind, for to me the defeat of the Workingmen's Party on November 3rd was proof that Labor could accomplish nothing by itself in St. John's West for at least another four years. I think so to-day. We lost at the polls. I thought, right up to a few days ago, that our chances of representation in the Assembly until the next General Election were nil. When I was acquainted of Sir Michael Cashin's invitation to Labor to send a man from its ranks to the Liberal Progressive Party to contest the bye-election, I was delighted. Instead of waiting another four years we will now be able to get a man in, and that man, William Linegar, is, I can assure everybody, a splendid type of Labor leader. In Mr. Linegar the workingmen of St. John's West will have a tried and true representative, who will at all times look after the interests of the workingmen.

Mr. Linegar is to-day the Labor candidate of the Opposition, by, and with the authority of the working committee of the Workingmen's Political Party. The committee decided to accept the invitation of the Leader of the Opposition, and the committee selected Mr. Linegar as the workingmen's candidate. Mr. Linegar, I happen to know, would never consent to go otherwise, for Mr. Linegar is Labor to the backbone, and if he does not stand for election as a workingmen's man he does not stand at all.

In going to St. John's West as a Labor candidate for the Opposition, Mr. Linegar gives the workingmen another opportunity of securing direct representation in the Assembly. The Opposition, through its leader, has pledged itself to support Mr. Linegar in the House with any Labor legislation he asks for. He will be the recognized labor representative and all labor matters will be handled through him. The manifesto of the Workingmen's Political Party has been officially recognised by the Opposition, and the many improvements there mentioned will be brought up by Mr. Linegar and supported by the Opposition.

Mr. Linegar is not a Liberal Progressive candidate. He is a labor candidate and is allying himself with the Liberal Progressive Party because only through this channel can Labor secure representation before the next General Election.

I did my little best for the Workingmen's Party in the campaign, and I will do it again for the Labor candidate in the bye-election. As a Liberal Progressive candidate, Mr. Linegar would receive no support from those who fought for him in the late campaign; but as a Workingmen's candidate he receives the support of every man who worked and voted for him in the November fight.

Yours truly,
J. R. SMALLWOOD,
late Editor Industrial Worker,
St. John's, Dec. 19, 1919.

Labor Representative Upheld.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—I noticed an editorial article in last night's Advocate which referred slightly to Mr. William Linegar, the candidate for the Workingmen's Party in the forthcoming bye-election in St. John's West. I am surprised at the Advocate, which is a Union paper, coming out against a Union man and a workingmen's candidate at that.

Let me assure you, Sir, that the workingmen of St. John's West who voted for Mr. Linegar in the election in November 3rd have seen nothing since that would cause them to go back on him. Mr. Linegar is still Mr. Linegar—the President of the Coopers' Union and the Leader of the Workingmen's Party. Because our party failed in the General Election and now embraces the opportunity of getting one man in the House of Assembly to represent Labor is certainly no reason for our deserting Mr. Linegar.

Let me assure you that he will receive the votes of the thousand men who voted for him in the General Election, and a great many more who did not then vote for him, because they did not think that the Working-

men's Party would be elected, being by itself and without funds or financial support. In addition he will receive votes of men who were not labor men before, but who have since become.

We lost before, Sir, but were not going to lose this time.
Yours respectfully,
A LINEGAR MAN,
St. John's West, Dec. 20, 1919.

The Ethie Wreck.

(Western Star, Dec. 17.)

The S.S. Ethie went ashore at Martin's Point, between Cow Head and Bonne Bay, during last week's storm and became a total wreck. Capt. English, his crew and passengers escaped and reached Bonne Bay. The Ethie was engaged in the coastal trade between Bay of Islands and Labrador, and is the second of the Reid Nfd. Co.'s fleet to end her days on the North West Coast. She was on the way south, having left Cow Head at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening for Bonne Bay, hoping to reach that port before the bursting of the impending storm. But the storm came on shortly after the ship put out. Particulars of her going ashore are not yet to hand.

The telegraph line to Bonne Bay was put out of commission by the gale, and it was impossible to hear from that section of the country. When the ship, however, did not turn up by the end of the week, much concern was felt for her safety, and the various wireless stations were applied to for any tidings of her. But nothing could be learned of her fate until Monday evening, when a messenger reached Deer Lake from Bonne Bay with the intelligence as cited above.

From other authentic sources, however, we learn that the Ethie, unable to stem the raging hurricane, drifted from daylight on Thursday till noon, when she was beached. A line was fired from the ship, but got caught up amongst the boulders, so the people of Martin's Point sent out one of their dogs, a very sagacious animal, to bring it ashore. The ship had sixty passengers on board, and her crew numbered thirty-two; all of whom were safely landed by means of a boatswain's chair on a line set up from the ship to the shore. One little baby of eighteen months of age was transferred to land in a mail bag. All underwent a most thrilling experience, and suffered much from intense cold. No doubt when full particulars are learnt it will be found that their miraculous escape from the deep was due in no small measure to the skillful seamanship of Captain English.

Former Kaiser Will Try to Steal Home.

Should the Allies decide to forcibly attempt the removal of the former Kaiser from Holland he will try a dash into Germany. It is believed in Dutch circles, according to an Amerongen despatch.

It is known that Wilhelm will make every effort to prevent his proposed trial by an Allied tribunal. The Amsterdam Telegraaf denying monarchist rumors, says it has learned authoritatively there were no secret relations between the former Kaiser and the German legation.

The entire situation has proved embarrassing to the Dutch Government. Wilhelm is causing Holland as much trouble as D'Annunzio is Italy, it is declared.

The Hollanders are not worrying so much about what the former Kaiser has done, as about what he might do. They see in him a potential firebox, apt to spring into flame at any time.

Sentiment among the Dutch people is divided. One section believes Holland must uphold her dignity and reputation as an asylum for political refugees, refusing to surrender Wilhelm unless there is an unanimous Allied demand, backed by a threat of blockade. The other section looks upon him as an uninvited guest. They favor seizing the first opportunity to eject the "thorn in Holland's flesh." They look upon visits of numerous guests to Wilhelm's home as particularly significant.

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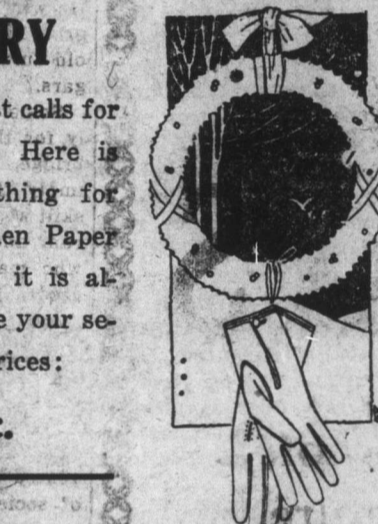
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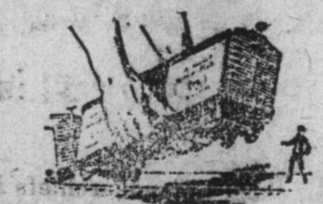
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two? The surroundings are strange, you-know. I don't think there can be anything wrong with her temper." "Nor didn't I at first, sir, said John; "but you see, she kicked me out of the box twice, and when you comes to think about it—well, that's a sort o' hint-like!"

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Loafers Who Live Luxuriously.

At his recent examination in bankruptcy a certain baronet admitted that he had been insolvent for the past thirty years. He owed over fifteen thousand pounds, and had no property of any kind, except some furniture in a rented house.

Yet this man, like many others of his kind, lived well, ate well, dressed well, and outwardly, at least, appeared most prosperous.

There are plenty like him. You see them lounging in the parks, driving in expensive motor-cars, dining at swapper hotels, and apparently enjoying every luxury that money can buy. Yet most of them could not write a cheque for fifty pounds which would be honoured at any bank in the kingdom.

How do they do it? Well, the chief secrets are, a face of brass and an extensive acquaintance among wealthy folk.

His "Commission." Wealthy folk who may be bled gently, artfully, and, as a rule, unsuspectingly. The most valuable of wealthy folk, from the point of view of the gilded pauper, are those with bold ambitions, and among wardens he finds plenty of these today. The man of straw, then, has the opportunity of arranging introductions. He "pushes" the new rich.

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Some of these gentry depend largely for their livelihood on skill at bridge, and such games. We do not imply that they are sharpers. Pure skill at cards always tells in the long run, and there are numbers of men who make from three to seven hundred a year out of cards at their clubs.

There are various classes of these gilded idlers, from those who are seen everywhere at the smartest houses, and who are regarded as mirrors of fashion, down to the shabby-gentled hangers-on to a lower grade of society.

Soviet Ships.

It seems that officers, engineers, doctors, and pursers of certain British Atlantic liners have had to form an association to preserve discipline on shipboard and to protect themselves against unions among the crews. It appears to be the fault of the steamship companies that such an association for defense and discipline has had to be organized. In some instances unions of stewards, firemen, seamen, have made complaints against certain officers; those officers have been removed. It appears also that sailors on these liners have complained in some cases that orders were given too sharply, injuring their tender sensibility.

Obviously even if there is any place on land where Soviet government is endurable, there is no place for it on the sea. The master of a ship must be an autocrat. The safety of his passengers depends upon his skill and experience. There can be no discussion of orders given by him or his subordinates. A moment's hesitation in obeying an order may cost the life of every man on board. It is possible that, as some of the associated officers insist, respect for the authority of the captain and the other officers began to decrease after the passage of the Furuseth-La Follette Seamen's bill, but the real cause of it is the attempt to transfer extreme trade unionism and government by committees and shop stewards to an element where debate or delay is dangerous and may be fatal.

If any of the steamship lines, for the sake of avoiding trouble and saving a few thousand dollars of loss which a missed or delayed trip would have caused them, have yielded to the demands and complaints of sailors, stewards, firemen, against any of their officers, and have had those officers transferred or suspended, they have themselves, and nobody else to blame for any laxity of discipline that exists or may arise thereafter. The men are entitled to good treatment. They are sure to receive it under the law, or to receive adequate redress if the law is violated. Law or no law, union or no union, there can be no hagglng or parleying with the officers on a ship. Their authority must be absolute. Their orders must be obeyed at once and without question. This is a matter of life and death. There can be no compromise about it.

It is to be hoped that, in the future, all Atlantic steamship companies will stand by their officers unflinchingly, no matter what the financial loss may be. Otherwise they will ultimately foment a spirit of insubordination that will have to be resisted, even if every Atlantic steamship has to lie at her dock for weeks. Instant as is the necessity of steady and ample ocean transportation, it is

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