

The Evening Telegram.

IF it is only because they are so interesting—apart from the practical opportunities they offer—the small advertisements in the People's Paper, the EVENING TELEGRAM, are well worth studying.

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WEATHER FORECAST.
TORONTO, Noon—Fresh westerly winds cloudy and mild, with local showers. Wednesday—Fair, not much change in temperature.

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Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday a BIG DOUBLE SHOW.
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In a scorching funny act, entitled "Buster Brown and the Clown."
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Firefly Coaster
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- Charms
- Brooches
- Bracelets
- Belt Buckles
- Gem Rings
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- Safety Pins
- Baby Pins
- Scarf Pins
- Blouse Pins
- Stock Pins
- Belt Pins
- Crosses
- Chatelains
- Fountain Pens
- Silver Pen Holders
- Shaving Pencils
- Fancy Pens
- Gold Cuff Links
- Gold Filled Cuff Links
- Silver Cuff Links
- Labradorite Cuff Links
- Eye-glass Chains
- Automatic Eye-glass Holders
- College Pins
- Hair Pins
- Back Combs
- Key Rings
- Key Chains
- Shaving Brushes
- Shaving Mugs
- Shaving Paper
- Soap Boxes
- Cigarette Boxes
- Cigarette Cases
- Silver Cigar Cases
- Gummetal Cigar Cases
- Leather Cigar Cases
- Cigar Cutters
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- Ladies' Leather Card Cases
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- Gilt Photo Frames
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- Silver Backed Brushes
- Silver Backed Mirrors
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- Shoe Horns
- Tooth Brushes
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- Tweezers
- Scissors
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- Puff Boxes
- Tooth Powder Boxes
- Nail Polishers
- Paste Boxes
- Vaseline Boxes
- Ornamental Boxes
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- Boat Button Hooks
- Toilet Bottles
- Perfume Sets
- Dressing Cases
- Darners
- Blotters
- Jewel Cases
- Seals
- Napkin Rings
- Paper Knives
- Penell Cases

Silk Spools
Erasers
Silver Vases
Fancy Vases
Bon-Bon Dishes
Toilet Clocks
Calendars
Ice Sticks
Tea Sets
Parts of Tea Sets
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Ebony Cloth Brushes
Ebony Backed Mirrors
Ebony Hat Brushes
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Dessert Spoons
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Fruit Knives
Dessert Knives
Fish Knives and Forks
Carving Sets
Salad Bowls and Servers
Berry Spoons
Scrup Spoons
Cream Ladies
Cake Knives
Pie Knives
Gravy Ladles
Butter Knives
Cold-Meat Forks
Sugar Shells
Sugar Tonges
Ice Tonges
Coffee Spoons
Pickle Forks
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Ash Trays
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Silver Mounted Walking Sticks
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Liqueur Sets
Flasks
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Coat Hangers
Stamp Boxes
Cigar Piercers
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Bill Books
Photo Cases
Hand Bags
Card Cases
Field Glasses
Magnifying Glasses
Silver Letters for Leather Goods.
Baby Rattles
Nestle Cases
Child's Cups
Child's Spoons
Opera Glasses
Boquet Holders
Pocket Combs
Table Bells
Spear for Ice Sticks
Tea Strainers
Hairpin Boxes
Jewel Cases
Silver Stands
Automobile Clocks
Auto Goggles
The Clips
Anti-Sweaters
Paper Weights
Sweet Trays
Pin Cushions
Model Seals
Whitecoats
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Sea Lions
Big Bells
Cake Stands
Coffee Stands
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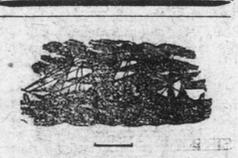
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Tuesday is Bargain Day at LARACY'S.
Men's All-Wool Heather Socks, 20c. pair.
Women's Corsets (special), \$3c. pair.
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Everything in the Dry Goods, Crockery and Glassware Departments reduced on TUESDAY at
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Two other features—one a dramatic subject, the other a comedieta—are also on the bill.
MUSICALS EVERY SHOW.
HEAR YE! HEAR YE!
HEAR YE!
Remember the night performances give every store employee a chance of witnessing them.
7.15 9.30 9.40



THE STEAMER 'Prospero'
Will leave the wharf of
BOWRING BROS., Limited,
ON—
Thursday, the 14th Dec., at 10 a.m.
Calling at the following places:—
Bay-de-Verde, Old Perlican, Trinity, Catalina, Bonavista, King's Cove, Salyage, Greenspond, Wesleyville, Seldom Come By, Fogo, Change Islands, Herring Neck, Twillingate, Moreton's Harbor, Exploits, Fortune Harbor, Leading Tickles, Pilley's Island, Little Bay Island, Little Bay, Nipper's Harbor, Tilt Cove, LaScie, Paquet, Bale Verte, Coachman's Cove, Seal Cove, Western Cove, Jackson's Arm, Harbor Deep, Engle, Conche, St. Anthony, Griguet, Baute Hr.
Freight received until 6 p.m., on Wednesday.
For freight or passage apply to the Coastal Office of
BOWRING BROTHERS, Limited
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FESTIVAL OF EMPIRE COMMITTEE.
A MEETING of the General Committee will be held in the Board of Trade Rooms on WEDNESDAY Evening next, 14th inst, at 8 o'clock.
GEORGE E. TURNER,
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Eclipse Bread Mixers,
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make perfect bread, make delicious cakes.....**\$2.25, \$1.75.**

Enterprise MIXERS.
Baking Pans, \$1.10, 1.25, 1.70, 2.25.
Strainers, S'Argent Food Choppers, Skimmers, \$1.10, 1.20.
Enamelled Saucepans, Cooks Knives
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British Empire Tool Sets,
All serviceable English made Tools, complete with book of instructions,
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Designs and Prices sent on application. Orders executed promptly. Prices moderate. Workmanship guaranteed.
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NOTICE!
The Regular Quarterly Meeting of the Masonic Club will be held in the Hall, Masonic Temple, 9 p.m. WEDNESDAY, 13th December, 1911.
S. A. CHURCHILL,
deci2,21p Hon. Sec.

FOR SALE—A Desirable Dwelling House, on Duckworth Street, with all modern conveniences—perpetual lease. Ground rent, \$28.00 per annum. Also, an extra well built Dwelling on Prescott St., lease 99 years. Ground rent, \$22.00 per annum. Also, Dwelling House and grounds on Circular Road—nominal ground rent—perpetual lease. For further particulars apply to R. J. COLEMAN, dectri2,11 Hill.

For Sale, on easy Terms, That Large Dwelling House, on Water Street, opposite Bowring Bros. This property extends from Water Street back to Duckworth Street. TO LET—Homes on Gower St. Also, for sale choice Berkshire & Poland-China Pigs. For particulars apply to WM. COOK, Water Street. deci2,11

To Let.—The Suite of Offices in Martin's Building, lately occupied by the Canadian Trade Commissioner. Apply MARTIN HARDWARE CO. deci2,11

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LOST, Last Week—A Gold Bunch with a wreath of Shamrocks on same. Finder will be rewarded upon returning same to this office. deci2,11

Picked Up—Two Setter Dogs—one Red and White with collar around neck with no initials; the other Black with a few white spots. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses by applying to A. MOYES, Topsail, P. O. deci2,21

Picked Up in the Synod Building—A Purse containing a Sum of Money. The owner can have the same by applying to L. G. CHAFF, care of Nicholl & Jackson Co., Ltd. deci2,11

Help Wanted.
Immediately, a Housemaid; references required; apply to MRS. R. C. AYRE, Brookside, Circular Road. deci2,21p,11

An Experienced Caterer, Waiter, etc. requires engagements. Excellent references. Address: BUTLER, 33 Cochrane St., St. John's. deci2,31p

Immediately, a Young Man to take charge of Outpost Store; must have some experience of Dry Goods. Permanent position and advancement on satisfactory. Apply, by letter, to "M" Telegram office. deci2,11

Wanted.—On 2nd January, 1912, an Office Clerk, with four or five years' experience; also experienced Stenographer (Male). Apply by letter only to BOWRING BROTHERS, Limited. deci2,11

Immediately, a General Servant; in family of two; washing out; a man looks after the furnace house only two days; liberal wages given to the right girl. Apply at this office. deci2,11

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A General Servant; applying, between the hours of 7 and 9 p.m., to MISS NEYLE, Newton Cottage, Gower Street. deci1,11

At Once, a Boy. Apply at THE EMPIRE STORE, King's Road. deci1,11

WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT to go to Bay-De-Verde good wages. Apply 18 BRAZIL'S SQUARE. deci1,11



Presents Free
man, Boy or Girl purchasing \$2.00 or Rubbers we will give... We have selected the Choice money could buy—toys that cannot be bought at the White Shoe Store and entitled to a present from among

December Month.
Y and holds good for December or Bill of purchase. All must be Presents.
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OUR PRICES:
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2.50, now..... 1.90
now..... 1.80
\$1.50, now..... 1.10
eg. \$1.75 & \$2.00, now... 1.40
eg. \$2.50, now..... 1.90
et Top, reg. \$2.50, now... 1.90
15, 17, 19, button, reg. 2.90
toned and buckled, reg. 2.90
\$2.00, now..... 1.40
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Top, all fancy Shoes.... 39c
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29c

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WHITE OATS.
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Don't praise—don't
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To most people it is a delicious revelation. There's no telling but what you'll find it the same.

Eastern Fruits and Spices—
Pure Mail Vinegar—
the rest is a secret
Come! Try
H.P.

A MYSTERIOUS QUEST.

CHAPTER VIII.

The Jennie Rogers Mystery.

The identity of the girl found dead in Blind Alley this morning has been settled. Several persons, among them her employer and the woman with whom she lived, have testified to her features as those of an orphan girl by the name of Jenny Rogers, who worked in the large shirt-factory in Wooster street, near Broome. Inquiry into her character proves her to have been both virtuous and industrious; but she was sickly, and her death, which seems to have been sudden, was, according to present appearances, solely the result of a fright given by the following anonymous letter, which was found in her room:

"New York, May 25, 1887.

"Miss Jenny Rogers: Will you let a true friend warn you? Though you seem at present unconscious of the fact, you have a desperate enemy, who has sworn to be the ruin of you. He is not a common man, and will certainly accomplish whatever he desires. Whether his determination springs from too much love or too much hate, I cannot tell; but he has singled you out as his victim, and, before long, you may expect to see yourself visited by a fine-looking and uncommonly pleasing gentleman, who will talk fairly to you, but who at heart means you nothing but wrong and suffering. Let me see him, I will describe him in advance. He is tall, with dark hair and moustache, gray eyes, and a polite manner. At sight of such a man, flee; it is your only safety.

"With best wishes,
"A FRIEND."

This letter, according to the landlady with whom she lived, was given her yesterday evening upon her return from the factory; and, though she did not tell anybody about it, she manifested so much uneasiness all night, that the people in the next room complained of being disturbed. But in the morning, she was so quiet that the landlady became alarmed and went into her room, when she found that the young girl had not only gone away, but had carried off

most of her effects. This was a great surprise, as Jennie had always seemed both honest and considerate. But it was followed by a still greater surprise. For, a few minutes later, before the landlady had left the room, in fact, a strange gentleman called upon this girl, with a large packet of extra work in his arms, leaving any word, expressed himself much astonished, since she had promised to be at home to see him. He did not give his name, but he was tall, good-looking, with a black moustache and gray eyes. He left the work and went away, looking much put out and disappointed.

Meanwhile, poor Jenny Rogers, who, if she had expected him as he had said, had taken most certain means of escaping him, was lying in an alley nearby, dead. She had run, as several testify, for two long blocks down North Moore street, and if, as some think, she was troubled with heart disease, her death is explained. But this cannot be settled till the autopsy takes place.

The original name of the Signorina Valdi has been found to have been this same fatal one of Jenny Rogers. Signed by different names, these various reports interested the inspector greatly. Pondering upon them, he decided that the evidence of a conspiracy against girls of this name were good, and that the strange gentleman who disappeared in all these reports saving the last was one and the same man. A detective was therefore, called and given such clues to this mysterious individual as could be gathered from these various reports, with an injunction to have him forthcoming in time for the inquest soon to be held over the remains of the poor girl found in the alley-way.

CHAPTER IX.
HORACE BYRD.

Late at night, there sat in a small room two men. Their figures are familiar, yet perhaps it is best to describe them. One is large, benevolent-looking and elderly, with a smooth face and kindly bearing, but with a curious mannerism affecting all his actions that at once draws attention and inspires inquiry. He never looks at the person he addresses, but gives all his glances and seemingly all his attention to some insignificant object in his vicinity, filling it with his confidences and extracting from it the inspiration which most men gather from the eye or smile of those with whom they are conversing.

Whether this is a mere habit caught in the long exercise of a calling demanding secrecy of intention, or whether it is the result of a deliberate

determination on this man's part to seem to know less and see less than he really does, has never been decided even by those most nearly connected with him. But that it marks the man and gives him a power at once weird and controlling, no one has ever disputed, not even those who suffer most from his talents.

These are the inspiring ones who seek to compete with him in his success and invariably fail, though he is an old man now, verging on to seventy, and both from age and infirmity in no condition to engage in the active exercise of that detective work which has employed his energies for so many years.

The other is a young man of a well built frame, attractive features, good expression and cultivated manners. He is a detective, too, but neither in speech, look nor action does he show it; hence his usefulness and growing favor with the chief. The names of these men are Gryce and Byrd, names, as I have said, with which you are familiar, even if you have never seen them mentioned save in this narrative.

They are talking, and Mr. Gryce's voice is the one we hear first.

"The reward, of course, is a fine one, but friendship has some claims, and I think the traces you should follow are those of the disappointed prima donna. If, in doing this, you strike, as is probable enough, upon the clew we are all in search of, viz., the secret of a conspiracy involving so many girls of one name, virtue will have its reward in more senses than one, and I for one shall congratulate you; but if you do not, and yet find the signorina, and so relieve Degraw from his anxieties, why, you will have done a good work that will always give you satisfaction. The man with the black moustache and grey eyes who has been seen in connection with everyone of these girls, but the signorina, will not be found so readily. The daughter of Abram Rogers is buried and consequently his interest in her is ended; the publicity attending the inquest following the death of the girl in Blind Alley will frighten him away from her, while the similarity between the name of the heiress and these other two victims to his machinations will deter him from being seen with her till public attention has been drawn from the name and all those who have been known to bear it. But the Signorina Valdi has not been known to have borne it, except by a few persons. With her, he may not carry on his schemes, whatever they may be, with seeming impunity. If, therefore, he is a strong man he appears, and if the conspiracy, as we have termed it, has any good reason for being, you will find her in the toils or under the influence of this man whose name may or may not be Montelli, but who is certainly a person of resources demanding all our skill and energy in tracing him."

"Mr. Gryce, how can I thank you? You are met at once with courage and enthusiasm. I have a mile to the reward, for I've netted it, but if judgment points in the same direction as duty, how easy it will be for me to go forward."

"True; but remember that I promise nothing. I only point out the course I should follow if I were of your age, and engaged in active service."

"That is all that is necessary. I desire no wiser mentor nor more disinterested friend. And now let us look into the clews I have picked up in my day's search, and decide as to which one I shall follow first. It will not take long, for the facts are few and meagre."

The old detective showed his interest in his usual benevolent way, and after a short discussion, too technical to be interesting to the reader, the two men parted, and Byrd returned home. The next morning he called at Mr. Degraw's studio.

"I should like to see the sketch you drew of Signorina Valdi."

Mr. Degraw hastened to show it, meanwhile overwhelming the detective with questions.

"What have you discovered? Whom have you seen? What hope is there of finding her?"

But Byrd was reticent.

"I have discovered nothing as yet," he replied. "The task you have given me is not an easy one. Were her beauty less, or her characteristics not so pronounced, I should almost despair of solving the mystery that surrounds her; but with such a face as hers, she cannot long remain anywhere unnoticed; and now that I know its characteristics, the chances are few still of her escaping me. If you were to photograph this—"

The artist shook his head.

"I have an invincible repugnance to making her features the common property of a dozen police officers. The case does not seem sufficiently pressing. If you can get along without it, do. I am sure her womanly delicacy should be considered."

"I will try; but it may occasion delay. Have you Montelli's note about you?"

"I believe so; yes, here it is."

"I suppose you have no objection to letting me have that?"

"None whatever."

"And now for a minute description of this Italian."

"I only saw him for an instant, but in that instant I got the impression of a tall, slim man, of decided dark complexion, and lowering glance. He wore a black moustache, and had a sinister and uncanny expression, that made a most disagreeable impression upon the beholder. Yet his form was not bad, and by some people he might even be called a gentleman, though I should never describe him as such. But then, I hate him, and with reason, for I believe him to be the cause of the signorina's abrupt departure."

"I wish your description had been a little different. I wish it had tallied more with that given of the gentleman haunting the other three girls! Sinister, eh? and dark? That is not what is said of the urbane stranger who visited Miss Hadden's school, and lay in wait to view Mr. Rogers' young daughter."

To be continued.

Cascarets Cleanse Liver and Bowels.

No Biliousness, Headache, Sick, Sour Stomach, Indigestion, Coated Tongue or Constipation.

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Chicago, Dec. 4.—American railways lose \$50,000,000 worth of fuel a year and consume \$200,000,000 worth of coal to obtain \$80,000,000 worth of efficiency, according to figures prepared by Chief Engineer L. C. Fitch, of the Chicago Great Western Railroad. That road conducted an investigation as a result of the charges by Louis Brandeis that the railroad wastes \$1,000,000 a day. The remedy suggested is a fuel bureau of experts, improved firing devices on locomotives, a school for firemen, more scientific ordering of locomotives for services, and closer watch on exposed coal yards.

Women Need

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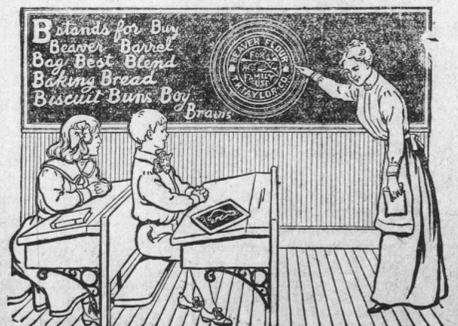
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The Evening Chit-Chat

By MOTT CAMERON



The shampoo lady was speaking of a period of nervous breakdown, which she underwent a few years ago.
"What caused it?" I asked.
"Well, you know," said the shampoo lady, "I would try to do so much and get over-tired. I was foolish, I know, and mother tried her best to stop me, but there, I thought I had to have a hand in everything, and of course, ended by not being able to do anything."
A few days after this, we happened to be speaking of the shampoo lady and someone mentioned a time when she had brought herself to the verge of insanity by taking care of her mother who was an invalid for years. Inquiry proved that this was the same breakdown which she had ascribed to her own carelessness, and further revealed the fact that it was really caused by her having given herself, heart, soul, and body, to the care of the invalid mother.
Do you know, I think the shampoo lady fairly doubled the beauty of her sacrifice by the fineness of her attitude towards it?

There are a great many people in the world who are big enough to sacrifice and be praised.
There are very few people in the world big enough to sacrifice and be silent.
There are many people capable of great unselfishness if they can be spurred on by praise, gratitude, and the consciousness that their friends regard them as martyrs.
There are comparatively few people capable of being thoroughly unselfish, and taking as their only reward the consciousness of doing right.
And there are even fewer people capable of being thoroughly unselfish, and not even realizing that they are so.
And that is the height that the shampoo lady evidently had reached. Undoubtedly, the conscious of it, self, praised-by-the-world self-sacrifice has its reward.
In fact, it has most of that reward right now.
But somehow, maybe it's a queer notion, and yet somehow I have an idea that if there are rewards stored up for us, there is a far greater reward in store for the unconscious, unpraised self-sacrifice—greater by the addition of the recognition it did not ask on earth.
To sacrifice—
To sacrifice and be happy—
To sacrifice and be silent about it—
To sacrifice and be unconscious of it. I think these are four great steps up the mount of character development.

Red Cameron

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Ostrich is in high favor in the realm of millinery.

Most of the new fashionable silks have the satin finish.

The use of fur trimmings on evening gowns is quite marked.

Chenille embroidery is coming prominently to the front this year.

Velvet is the predominating feature in the realm of fine tailored suits.

Taupe (mole) is an old favorite costume color now brilliantly revived.

Just at present Paris is enthusiastic over the new rhinestone trimmings.

Orchids and violets are the cut flowers most in evidence at fashionable events.

One-corner hand-embroidered handkerchiefs continue the most popular for holiday gifts.

There is a growing tendency toward the use of white velvet in millinery, both large and small.

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Suit jackets are to be cut on straighter lines with 26 inches as the predominating length.

There is a decided preference for the hat with a broad brim at the sides and shorter back and front.

The vogue of wash silks increases, and they have now been joined by the ever popular foulards in wash patterns.

An ultra-chic style which cannot be overdone is the wearing of white—many costumes being seen without a touch of color.

Laces are being used in greater profusion than ever. Carrickmacross lace, the loveliest of all Irish laces is much in demand.

Many plush bonnets are being worn and in a measure this material rivals velvet and fur. It is exquisite in its changing metallic shades.

Bonnets are higher this winter, and most of them have flaps. These are trimmed with feathers or aigrettes placed well toward the back.

The younger children of the "smart set" are this season dressed mostly in white, with coats of white broadcloth, trimmed with white fox or ermine.

The latest in neckwear is the extremely large bow of black or white pleated maline. Frequently both colors are used together, one veiling the other.

Novelty features in suit and separate coats consist of the sloping shoulders, belted and collarless effects, long rolling revers, side buttoning and large armholes.

Much use is made of gold lace, and ornaments on fashionable hats, particularly on black velvet hats, for covering the crowns and crushed bands and large bows.

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1 ladies' handkerchief, marked "P. C. Duley";
1 handkerchief, marked "Geo. Shea";
1 handkerchief, marked "S. Brennan";
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2 napkins, marked "Neyle";
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Rogers Silver

Sugar Shells, Berry Spoons, Cream Ladles,

Silver Plated

Trinket Boxes, Vases, Menu Holders, Pin

Stands, Individual Peppers and Salts, Breakfast Cruets, Dinner Cruets, Serviette Rings, Butter and Preserve Dishes, Tea and Coffee Services, Salad Bowls, Fish Carvers, Entree Dishes, Rose Bowls.

Sterling Silver

Photo Frames, Hand Mirrors, Hair Brushes,

Vases, Scent Bottles, Serviette Rings, Manicure Sets, Cigarette Cases, Match Boxes.

Brass & Copperware

Brass and Copper Kettles,

Copper and Brass Jardiniers, Vienna Coffee Machines.

CUTLERY

Sets of Table Cutlery, Carvers, Pocket Knives, Scissors.

G. Knowling.

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Island Home Lodge.

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir.—On Thursday, the 7th inst., Island Home L. O. A. No. 39, held its annual election of officers which resulted as follows:— W.M.—Bro. Stephen Johnson—elected. D.M.—Bro. Wm. Driscoll—elected. Chaplain—Bro. G. Johnson—elected. Rec. Sec.—Bro. K. Morris—elected. Fin. Sec.—Bro. Ismael Cooper—elected. Treasurer—Bro. F. Lewis—re-elected. 1st Lect.—Bro. G. Fagner—elected. 2nd Lect.—Bro. Herbert Bursey—elected. D. of C.—Bro. Stephen Garland—elected. Inside Tyler—Bro. E. W. Reid—elected. Outside Tyler—Bro. Jno. G. Snelgrove—elected. Senior Committeeman—Bro. Joshua Wheeler—elected. NEMO. Lower Island Cove, Dec. 8th, 1911.

The Gift That Pleases.

There is no gift more acceptable at Xmas than a photograph. We cannot suggest a more delightful present than a portrait by S. H. PARSONS & SONS. A good portrait is a possession of great charm—a human document—always interesting—always welcome. We have revolutionized our photographic methods and all photographs taken up to the 15th of the month will be delivered before Xmas. Studio: Corner Water and Prescott Streets. dec.2,1w.

MOONEY'S BISCUITS.—A choice assortment containing varieties to satisfy every taste and suit every occasion.

Small Cracknels, Arrowroot, Thin Wine, Tea Biscuits, Thin Marie, Sweet Wine, Coconut Fingers, Social Tea, etc.

Lunham's IRISH BACON, IRISH HAMS.

Fresh Herring. Frozen Herring.

Fresh Halifax SAUSAGES, Fancy Canadian CHEESE, Pure Canadian BUTTER, 1-lb. blocks.

Ex Florizel Dec. 6th. Corn Meal, Corn, Cattle Feed, Bran, Cotton Seed Meal. Ex Rosalind, 200 bags Black OATS, 150 bags White OATS.

C. P. EAGAN, Duckworth St. & Queen's Rd.

A Man Killed.

Mr. Hutchings, Deputy Minister of Justice, received the following message from Mr. Wm. Bradley, J. P. Lewisport, this morning:—"Thomas Waelan, of Port Blainford, was killed last night by falling into the hold of S. S. Giesek; am preparing body for transmission by rail to his home." He leaves a wife and two children.

Why Not Go?

The Cake and Pudding Sale which the Ladies of St. Andrew's Church are giving, on to-morrow afternoon and night, in the Presbyterian Hall, is sure to be of interest to everybody. After the sale a grand concert will be given, commencing at 8 p.m. This part of the programme is being looked after by Miss Jean Stang which is a guarantee of its excellence. But this is not all, at 9.30 a Partridge Supper will bring to a close a very pleasant evening for you if you have been fortunate enough to be present.

Women to Serve State, is Idea.

One Year of Charity Work Would Offset Men's Military Service. Paris, France, Dec. 1.—The idea of Mme. Hilfiker Schmidt, a Swiss physician, that all women should be required by law to devote one year of service to the state in some public charity, as men give military service, is discussed with interest by many French people. The press dislikes the compulsory phase, but the suggestion is made that women desiring government positions should be requested first to volunteer for one year's charitable service. Hitherto maternity has always been urged as an offset to military service, but the number of childless women is growing continually, and so Europe's conviction that all citizens owe a certain period of their lives to the state actually may culminate in such charitable services are now advocated. There would be many fields from which to choose. There is assistance to be given the aged, children, the sick, the infirm, the deformed and the indigent, and there is work to be done in maternity hospitals, in social settlements and in maternity hospitals, in social settlements and in numerous other so called organizations. "The work is indeed favourable for general volunteer service everywhere in aid of movements to alleviate the ill of humanity—service in which women are eminently fitted to act." Advocates of the idea believe that many women who had planned business careers would relinquish them to remain in charitable work.

Electric Restorer for Men. Phosphon restores every nerve in the body to its proper tension; restores strength and vitality. Preserves the brain and nerves. Restores the system. Relieves all chronic ailments. Price \$2 a box, or two for \$3.50. Mailed to any address. The Seaboard Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

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PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c. dec.12,1w.

McMurdo's Store News.

TUESDAY, Dec. 12, 1911. Among the new ideas this year, we have secured Roger & Gallet's Violette de Parme in handsome individual boxes. This method of putting it up makes this exquisite perfume more than ever suitable for presents; and Milette de Parme is likely to be in considerable demand this Christmas. Price \$1.25 a box. If you have not yet bought your essences and spices for the Christmas Pudding, you should ask your grocer for the Acme Brand of these indispensable ingredients. If you use these you will be sure to have a delicious pudding.

Ask your Druggist for SERRAVALLO'S TONIC (Bark and Iron Wine).

ANAEMIA, CHLOROSIS, DEBILITY, Delightful Taste. LAID TO REST.—The funeral of the late Nicholas Wadden took place yesterday afternoon and was largely attended. Rev. Fr. O'Callaghan recited the Requiem prayers at the Cathedral. Interment was at Belvedere.

THE PATIENT BRAIN

A tireless worker so long as supplied with rich, red blood. The brain is one of the most patient and industrious organs of the body. It can be induced, by good treatment, to perform prodigies of work. But it is sensitive and will not brook abuse. It responds to the lash at first, but if the lash is laid on too hard it breaks.

STOP—READ THIS!

—And don't wait till Christmas week to order your Overcoat. We have a nice selection of Tweed and Melton Overcoats which we make up in the very latest style from \$15 to \$24. Have a look at them, then you will order. SPURRELL BROS. 365 Water Street, next door to Parker & Monroe's West End Store. Phone 574. dec7.eod

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—Mr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food, and you will overcome diseases of the nerves. Headaches will disappear. Irritability will go, digestion will improve, and weakness and despondency will give place to new hope and courage, new vigor and energy. Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food will enable you to avoid such extreme nervous trouble as prostration and paralysis. 50 cents a box, 6 boxes for \$2.50; at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

Wonderful Ship Will be the Gigantic.

London, November 25.—Remarkable details are now shown of the 1,000-ft. liner, the Gigantic, which the White Star Line has commissioned Harland & Wolff to build at Belfast. The beam will measure between 111 and 112 feet, the displacement will be 70,000 tons, and the gross tonnage over 50,000.

The levels will be a dozen or thirteen, with the highest over 75 feet above the water line. The passenger accommodation will be increased in the first class from 800 to 1,000 or more, and the total passengers that can be carried will number over 4,000.

The Gigantic will not be an ocean greyhound, but a seven-day boat. She will have both reciprocating and turbine engines. The cost is to be close on £2,000,000. She will have a cricket field, a tennis court, golf links and reception and ballrooms, and restaurant and verandah cafes, which will be placed forward instead of aft.

There will also be a plunge and all kinds of baths and a gymnasium. There will be a most elaborate scheme of decoration.

Here and There.

Obtain a bottle of Stafford's Ess. of Ginger Wine for Xmas, at only 10 cts. a bottle.—dec.6st

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.—A man from Botwood arrived by train last night to go to the Hospital. He has a serious internal disease and was taken to the Hospital by Mr. E. White-way.

Dr. de Van's Female Pills. A reliable French regulator of the female system. These pills are exceedingly powerful in regulating the generative portion of the female system. Relieve all cheap imitations. Dr. de Van's are sold at 25c. a box, or three for \$1.00. Mailed to any address. The Seaboard Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

By the Prospero yesterday Const. S. White brought along a man named Sheppard, of Cattina, for the Penitentiary to serve a term of thirty days for using threatening language to a resident of the place.

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HOME FROM SYDNEY.

—A large number of Newfoundlanders working at Sydney all the summer and fall returned by the S. S. Invermore last trip to spend Christmas holidays with friends.

The Kohler and Tonk Planos are celebrated for their pure tone and lasting qualities. Selected by us as specially adapted for our humid climate—very little tuning required. CHESLEY WOODS, Sole Nfld. Agent. nov25,11

"Amid this mighty fuss just let me mention, the Rights of Woman merit some attention," and at the present moment we are devoting all our energies by trying to please them with the most genuine values in every line of dry goods to be had at RODGER'S Sale.—dec12,11

The Ladies of St. Andrew's Church will hold their annual Cake and Pudding Sale, in the Presbyterian Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 13th, at 3 o'clock; grand concert at 8 p.m., and partridge supper at 9.30 p.m. Admission, 10 cents.—dec11,21

UNDERWENT OPERATION.—Mr. Angus Crane, of Joh Bros. & Co.'s employ, underwent a dangerous operation in the General Hospital yesterday, an abscess was removed from the appendix. Though very weak he is doing well and his complete recovery is looked for in time.

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If in Doubt Get Our Gift Suggestion Book. FREE.

Last Week of the BIG SALE!

A Record in Bargain Giving. Sweeping Clear Out of Odds and Ends. YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY.

Marvelous values were given away last week, but for the next few days customers will be astonished at the astounding cheapness of the clearance lines.

There will be a special rush for the bargains in Striped and Plain Flannellettes. Unheard of reductions on Twill Sheetting, Blouse Stuffs, Flannels and Shirt Stuffs. See the extraordinary offers in Dress Goods. You will be delightfully astonished.

Every article in the Gents' Furnishing Department going at genuine money saving prices. REMEMBER: This Great Clearance Sale lasts just a few short days longer.

DON'T MISS THE CHANCE OF A LIFETIME.

A. & S. RODGER.

MARINE NOTES.

The S. S. Furnero left Bell Island Saturday for Philadelphia, laden with 6,450 tons of ore by the N. S. S. Co.

The S. S. Blackheath left Bell Island yesterday with 7,550 tons of ore for the N. S. S. Co. and proceeded to Philadelphia.

The Almeriana is due here to-day from Liverpool having left there Saturday week.

The Lake Simcoe sailed to-day for Brazil fish laden by Baine Johnstone & Coy.

The Rosalind sailed at 12.30 p.m. to-day for Sydney and Charlottetown and will return with a full cargo of produce.

The Stephano leaves New York on Friday next for this port via Halifax. The Florizel leaves New York on the 23rd inst., for this port and Halifax.

The Prospero sails north at 10 a.m. Thursday taking a full freight. The Portia left Grand Band at 7.45 p.m. yesterday.

Chicken!

Choice Corn-Fed CHICKEN. KILLED TO ORDER.

A. R. MARTIN, care of A. H. MARTIN, AGENT, Cavendish Square, Phone 608.

Police Court News.

To-day a drunk was discharged, and another, who has appeared before, \$2 or 7 days.

A man, a resident of St. Mary's Bay, was before the Central District Court on a charge of deserting the fishery service of a planter there and entering that of another during the past summer. Plt. claimed for the supplies issued to deft. and also damages for desertion. The evidence of quite a number of witnesses was taken and the matter occupied the attention of Judge Knight all the forenoon. Mr. Frank Summers appeared for plt. and Mr. Wood for deft.

Mate Hipditch, of the schr. Pandora which was entered and robbed, Sunday morning, says that Saturday afternoon a man was seen by him on the South Co. wharf who seemed to act in a very suspicious manner. Hipditch particularly noted his appearance and can describe his dress, etc.

Money for War Chest

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Unequaled Showing American Samples,

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Ladies' Collars, Ladies' Blouses, Ladies' Belts, Ladies' Sailor Collars, Ladies' Jabots, Ladies' Hand Bags, Also, Hair Brushes and Children's Flannellette Underclothing.

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A YULE-TIDE MESSAGE!

Santa Claus SAYS:

Since I first began my yearly travels over the wide, beautiful world to cheer, comfort and gladden homes, it has remained for me to learn and observe, with great pleasure, on this my approaching Yuletide visit to Newfoundland, that the people here have a real, genuine and generous opportunity for a very small cash outlay to give and bring happiness to all that are near, dear, and those they wish to cheer.

No one need be deprived of a gladdening Xmas remembrance as the Forced Sale of the C. L. March Co., Ltd., Entire Stock enables all to indulge in the exceedingly small outlay this Forced Sale affords to send a token that conveys Yuletide's message of Xmas Happiness.

The Great Forced Sale of the C. L. March Co., Ltd., Entire stock is indeed WATER STREETS' ONE BRIGHT STAR for the slim Pocketbook, and also permits the fat purse to observe the Holiday calls on it without noticeably diminishing its rotundity.

The Forced Sale of the C. L. March Co., Ltd., Entire Stock is in truth a Sale for Everybody and in Buying here Your MONEY STRETCHES LIKE RUBBER.

Here are some of the more Suitable, Desirable and Serviceable of Xmas Gifts and any amount of other goods are to be seen by coming to this Store.

Travelling Toilet Cases, 30c. to \$1.50
Traveller's Dress Cases, \$1.50 to 3.00
Sewing Boxes, 50c value, for 25c
Very Fine Jewel Cases, reg. \$5 going for \$2.50
Post Card Cabinet, reg. \$5 for \$2.50
Fancy Glass Powder Jars, reg. 75c. for 40c.
Carving Sets, 75 to \$2.50.
Tea Spoons, half-price, up from per dozen, 25c.
Dessert Spoons, per doz., 50c.
Table Spoons, per doz., 60c.
Forks, silver, per doz., 60c.
Pure Linen Repp Stationery, 16 cts. per box.
The New Smooth Ivory, per package of five quires, 30c.
54 piece Dinner Sets, Ruby printed and Dorothy, \$6.50.
70 piece Sets, the very best China, for only 16.50.
Sets of Jugs—3 in set—printed, for only 45c.
Sets of Jugs—3 in set—Litho & Gold, for only 50c.
Sets of Jugs—3 in set—Ivory & Gold, for 55c.
Fancy Teapots, for only 45c
21 piece China Tea Sets, China printed and Gilt, for \$2.50.
40 piece China Tea Sets, China printed and Gilt, for \$4.50.
6 piece Fancy Toilet Sets, assorted, Printed and Gold, for only \$5.50.
3 piece Toilet Sets, for only 95c.
5 piece Toilet Sets, for only \$1.50.
6 piece very fine Toilet Sets, up from \$6.00.
Cheese Dishes, beautiful assortment, up from 40c.
Fancy Decorated Cups and Saucers, up for only 10c.

A very select stock of Fancy and Decorated Glassware, all to be sold at great Sacrifice prices.
Decorated Fern Pots, up from 45c.
Belt Pins, 16 cents.
Side Combs, 12, 17 and 21c.
Barrettes, 10, 12 and 15c.
Purses and Card Cases, 16, 21, 26, 65 and \$1.20
Hand Bags, 80c. \$1.40 2.30 and 3.00.
Ladies' Belts, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40 and 50c. each.
White Aprons, 21, 25, 30, 33, 45, 50 and 55c. each.
Sleeve Links, 15, 20, 25 and 28c
Silk Handkerchiefs, 50, 70, 75, 80, 90c
Excelsa Handkerchiefs, Initial, 18c
Ladies' Blouses, Kid Gloves, Handkerchiefs and Collars.
Men's Mufflers, dark and fancy, 21c and 45c
Black and White Check Muffler, 31 and 50c
Black Silk Mufflers, 99c
Ladies' Cream Silk Blouses, \$1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 2.75.
Colored Silk Blouses, \$2.30, 3.30, 3.90.
Black Silk Blouses, \$1.50, 2.50, 3.30, 4.50.
Ladies' Lace Collars, in Stocks, Dutch and Coat, from 15c. to 45c.
Ladies' Handkerchiefs, hand stitched, plain and embroidered, 9c. 12c. to 20 cents.
Ladies' Kid Gloves, colored and black, 50c. and \$1.10.
Hair Barrettes, 12c., 15c and 18c.
Gents' Lined Kid Gloves, 95c. & \$1.40.
Childs' Coat and Bonnet Sets, Velvet, \$3.95.
Childs' Coat and Bonnet Sets, Corduroy, Velvet and Colored Cloth, 3.25
Childs' Colored Coats, \$1.35, 1.95 and 2.15.

Childs' Wool Caps, assorted colors, 32 and 42 cts.
Childs' Fur Sets, 57c.
Ladies' Furs, special lot Black Fur Stoles, 85c. to \$3 15.
Ladies' Dress Skirts, at 87c. \$1.50, 2.40, 2.80 and 3.50.

SILVERWARE

Silver Bon-Bon Trays, \$4.00 value for \$2.00.
Silver Cake Dish, \$8.00 value for 4.50
Silver Pickle Stand, \$6.75, for \$4.50.
Silver Fruit Stand Dish, \$10 value, for \$6.00.
Silver Toast Carriers, \$4.50 value, for \$2.75.
Gentlemen's Silver Shaving Mugs, 80c. to \$2.25.
Silver Butter Dish, \$6.00 value, for \$3.40.

FURNITURE

WICKER ROCKERS
at Forced Sacrifice Prices
\$3.50 to \$8.75
ENGLISH RUSH CHAIRS
at Forced Sacrifice Prices
\$3.25 to \$4.95
EARLY ENGLISH ROCKERS
Genuine Leather Spring Cushion'd
at Forced Sacrifice Price
\$8.98
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highly hand polished rocker
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HIGHLY HAND POLISHED
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Forced Sacrifice Price
\$6.00

SOLID OAK SPRING
CUSHIONED ROCKER
Forced Sacrifice Price
\$4.98

MORRIS CHAIRS
Forced Sacrifice Prices
\$8.00 to \$12.50

MUSIC CABINETS
Forced Sacrifice Prices
\$11.50 to \$13.50

LADIES' SECRETARIES.
Forced Sacrifice Prices,
\$6.95 to \$16.50.

HALL STANDS.
Forced Sacrifice Sale,
\$12.00 to 27.50.

BRASS BEDS.
Forced Sacrifice Prices,
\$15.00 to 25.00

LOUNGES.
Forced Sacrifice Prices,
Best makes, \$10 to 19.50

BUFFETS.
Forced Sacrifice Prices,
\$19.50 to \$57.00

SIDEBOARDS.
Forced Sacrifice Prices,
\$14.50 to 35.00

DRESSERS.
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Beautiful Parlor Lamps.
Forced Sacrifice Prices,
\$2.50 to 6.00

Never before within the Christmas Shopping Season has an opportunity been offered the public to buy Christmas Gifts at less than the usual big Holiday Prices. But this Forced Sacrifice Sale of the C. L. March Co.'s entire stock taking place at this Holiday Season period gives Christmas Buyers the most remarkable and unheard of chance to buy Christmas Gifts positively at less than actual cost to produce. This Forced Sacrifice Sale means a considerable loss to the C. L. March Co., Ltd., but grim necessity admitted of no alternative, SO OUR LOSS IS YOUR GAIN. Under no consideration by any Christmas Gifts low until you have visited this great Sale, looked over our big and fine Furniture stock and seen the exceedingly sacrifice prices MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES.

C. L. MARCH CO., Ltd.,

The Big West End Store, Corner Water and Springdale Streets.

Brigtn. Galatea

Arrives After a Stormy Trip of 53 Days From Oporto.

The brigtn. Galatea, Capt. Parsons, arrived here at 8 o'clock last night to James Baird, Ltd., after a very stormy voyage of 53 days from Oporto.

Interviewed by a Telegram representative on arrival, Capt. Parsons said that he had made 150 voyages across the Atlantic but that for continuous and excessively stormy weather he had never had such an experience as this before. The day after the ship left Oporto the furies of old Borcas were first noted when a hurricane out of the west sprung up with a mountainous sea and this continued for several days when the wind suddenly chopped off from the N. W. and again blew with hurricane force and with a sea which literally ran mountains high, and which lasted all through the voyage, with the exception of the last few days when moderate weather was met and the vessel made in at Cape Ballard, on the Southern Shore. About the middle of November the weather was the most stormy of the whole voyage and this again in labouring in the trough of the sea hit with a sea which came on board and threw with great force in between the pumps; one of the pump bolts went into his leg below the knee and inflicted an ugly wound which Captain Parsons bound up; the man was disabled for 10 days. Another big sea hit the new manila sail it bellied out with the wind and split it up from the boom to the gall, repairs were effected to it later. Other sails and running gear were also damaged. Both Capt. and crew were pretty well worn out after such a long and arduous voyage and were greatly relieved when the ship cast anchor in the stream last night.

Berlin Stirred Over Slave Story.

A sensation has been caused in Berlin by the publication of a book entitled "Little White Slaves," written by a former female police assistant, Sister Henrietta Arendt, in which the writer alleges that every year hundreds of German children are sold into slavery.

Sister Arendt bases her assertion on her professional experiences, and declares that the authorities, as well as the private children protection societies, either intentionally or unintentionally, disregard a state of things of which they cannot possibly be ignorant. She directs her chief accusations against the adoption homes and private maternity hospitals, and declares that every year these concerns, for a stipulated fee, get rid of large numbers of unhappy little nines, who even before their birth have become noxious to their parents.

The book gives one definite instance after another of cases of which the writer has personal knowledge. One of these adoption homes, in reply to a "catch" letter of enquiry, stated that it was able to send from Germany to France, Belgium, Holland or Switzerland three thousand "discreet" children monthly. This statement, says the writer of the book, is probably exaggerated for the sake of advertisement, but in any case it is an admission that the concern in question is prepared to negotiate the procuring of children.

A female "employment agent" in Berlin, says the writer, told her in the presence of witnesses that she sent children abroad at prices ranging from £15 to £500; a particularly large number going to Russia. Neither the police, the municipal guardians nor the children rescue societies ever created any trouble. Only a few weeks ago a child had been sent to a Russian "Baron" for £500, but in this case the child came of good stock, from aristocratic parents, and was well worth the price paid for it. The average buying price for a child of working-class parents in Berlin is said to be £15, while for children of better class people more money is paid, ranging up to £250 and £500 for children of noble birth.

The publication of the book has created so great a scandal that the police authorities have been obliged by the pressure of public opinion to open a thorough investigation into the alleged trading in children, and are making exhaustive enquiries into each single case mentioned in Sister Arendt's book.

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Housekeepers, we are ready!
Are You?

If you want the best that your money will buy we want to sell it to you. We have many things here for your desires and always know that what we sell we guarantee to be worth just what we ask. You will find no chances taken in dealing with us.

WALL PAPER.

From our elaborate stock of high and moderate priced papers you cannot fail to find something to please you. Besides having all our stock of Regular Papers Reduced. We offer three special job lots 10c., 15c., & 20c., with a large quantity of beautiful BORDERINGS at 10 cts. We never sold their like at their prices.

CURTAIN NETS

and Madras Muslin. Some are slightly soiled at ends. It is our desire to clean up before stock-taking and now give you an opportunity to Buy at GREATLY Reduced Prices. Your saving will be fully a quarter.

TABLE DAMASK.

A special lot in a huge assortment of patterns. Good value at 60 cts per yard 45c.

Tapestry Table Covers

Floor Canvas, at 48c. yd. Our Showing of Hearth Rugs, is exceptionally fine. There is such a diversity of patterns, colorings and size, such excellent quality in material and wearing. Such Reasonable Pricing that any one who wants a rug will be perfectly suited here.

SPRING BLINDS.

(Our Usual Bargain Lot) Two yards long with spring rollers and fittings complete. Nothing out of joint except 27c. with fringed end 5c. extra with Fringe & Lace Insertion - 43c. CURTAIN POLES, with fittings. Oak or Mahogany Poles that have tossed profits to the winds - 30c.

A Lucky Accident.

It was quite by accident that we were able to purchase An Elegant Line of Lace Curtains. at extremely favorable prices and the accident will prove a fortunate one for those requiring them for the xmas house-cleaning. Over 200 pairs At Various Prices.

MARSHALL BROS.

Body Cast Into Lake Michigan

Drifts Back to Slay's Cabin—Accusing Star of Lifeless Man Drives Murderer to Sheriff and He Tells About the Crime that He Committed. Escanaba, Mich., Dec. 2.—Additional details of the circumstances in which Arthur Lindquist, arraigned himself as a murderer, have been told by the prisoner. About one month ago a man named Fogarty was missed by his friends and associates. As the days lengthened into weeks and still no news came of him the impression of foul play grew stronger. But who had killed him was a mystery. Two arrests were made, but the evidence was lamentably weak. Last Friday Lindquist, a fisherman, rowed to Escanaba, across the bay from his hut, and surrendered to the

Sheriff. He told him that he and the man found dead had a row, that he had struck Fogarty on the head with a brick and then rolled the body into the water. He went down to the beach, he said, Friday morning to attend to some odd jobs. Arrived there he was horrified to see the body of the man he had killed nearly a month before, at a distance of five miles from the spot, lying in the sand. The eyes were wide open and accusing. To the terror-stricken man they seemed to be gazing toward his cabin. The storm had driven the body ashore at this point. Out of all the points along the borders of Lake Michigan, this place—the spot in front of the cabin—was the one toward which the restless waters had chosen to carry their burden. The unreasoning sea cast its mute evidence and its awful accusation at the feet of the man-guilty of the crime. Lindquist had tried to dispose of the body, but his nerves were unequal to

the task. He could not rid himself of the horrible impression caused by the unexpected spectacle of his victim lying on the sand at his feet. No doubt in those awful moments he felt that concealment was impossible—that the earth would somehow give up his secret even as the waters had done. And the eyes followed him everywhere—the wide, far-seeing, terrible eyes of the slain man. He shut himself up in his cabin to devise some new plans of escape. But it was useless. His fate had cried out from the mute lips of his victim. The only escape he could imagine lay in confession. By that course he would at least rid himself of the burden of his terrible secret, even though the guilt of his crime remained. So he closed his cabin, found the Sheriff—and the mystery was solved. What about a 400-day clock for the house. Perfectly noiseless and accurate time keepers, \$12.00 to \$22.50, at T. J. DULEY'S. -dec11,21

Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - Proprietor
W. F. LLOYD, - - Editor
TUESDAY, December 12, 1911.

The Death of Hon. D. J. Greene, K.C.

It will come as a shock to the community to learn that Mr. D. J. Greene, K.C., passed quietly away at 2 o'clock. We received the news just as we go to press. It would appear that the deceased gentleman has suffered at times during the past twelve months from trouble in the alimentary canal from which he has quickly recovered. Last night he was subject to another attack, which was complicated by a falling of the action of the heart. During the night and also this morning pulsation was very low, and in spite of the administration of strong restoratives, the attendant physicians felt that his recovery was hopeless, and as we have stated already he passed away at two o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Greene occupied a most prominent position in public and professional circles and was highly esteemed for his good heart, kindly wit, and high sense of honour. For very many years he represented Ferrisland in the House of Assembly, and at the time of the change of Government after the Bank Crash he became Prime Minister. After his resignation to allow the late Sir W. V. Whiteway to re-assume office, he became a member of the Legislative Council. At the Bar he occupied a leading position, after the death of Sir J. S. Winter and Mr. A. J. W. McNeilly, his only seniors but a few months ago, he became the senior member of the Law Society and was elected President. As Colonel of the Catholic Cadet Corps he was well known also among the younger members of his church, and much esteemed. To his wife, and his brother and other relatives we extend our sympathy in this hour of sorrow.

Increases in Pay.

We learn that the Government has increased the salaries of Mr. J. T. Mesney, Mr. Rooney, Mr. Kinsella and Mr. Lloyd, who are engaged either in the Postal or Telegraph work. Why some civil servants are favoured and others cannot get a show is a matter of much comment in the service and amongst the public. There is in this connection the case of Mr. Clarke, for whom it is said that the Postmaster General has frequently made recommendations as to his deserts, but which, we are told, have so far fallen on deaf ears. It would be interesting to know on what principles a few civil servants are selected for increases in salary or for favours, or whether there is any principle followed in such a selection. Is the selection haphazard, or is it made on merit alone, or is it influenced by political or other pull?

Supreme Court.

(Before Chief Justice.) About 2 o'clock this morning the special jury in the suit of Nicholas Philpot vs. The Bonavista Bay Mutual Insurance Co. returned a verdict of \$800 for the plaintiff. Mr. Warren, K.C., for plaintiff; Mr. Foote for defendant. This morning the hearing of R. Stockwood's claim against D. Doyle for land at Gull Island was begun. It will be resumed to-morrow. Mr. Morison, K.C., for plaintiff; Mr. Gibbs, K.C., for defendant.

Fishery News.

Harbor Breton—Herring plentiful at Connaigre and Miller's Passages; 3 to 5 barrels per net. Seal Cove—Nothing doing with fish. The season is over. Lark Harbor—Boats still doing well. King's Point—Doing well with herring. Several codfish caught yesterday through the ice. Curling—Wind S.W., heavy; herring plentiful but no sale. Vessels all practically loaded. Bonne Bay—Very good catch of herring, most of which are taken from under the ice.

Train Notes.

The local arrived from Carbonear sharp on time to-day in charge of Conductor Lee. About 40 passengers came in, including Chas. Butler, R. M. Duff, Mr. McDougall and Mr. McDonald. The west bound express arrived at Port aux Basques on time last night. The east bound express reached town at 2:30 p.m. yesterday. THE BRAZIL MARKET.—The Minister of Marine and Fisheries had the following message from Bahia:—"Forty-two milraes; market slack."

Schooner Dashed to Pieces.

Family Has Narrow Escape. When the big storm of a couple of weeks ago was on, a schooner owned by Mr. Samuel Collins of Hare Bay, B.B., was dashed to pieces on the rocks in Trinity Bay at a place called Old Woman's Cove, and a family on board as well as the crew narrowly escaped being drowned. Collins lent the schooner to the father of the family to take his wife and children from New Hr. to Hare Bay, and on the run they were overtaken by the storm and put into Old Woman's Cove. Here at night the vessel dragged her anchors and was swept ashore. A sea carried the boat away and death for all seemed inevitable, when one of the crew waded ashore through the surf and reached the rocks in a condition of utter exhaustion, taking a stout rope with him from the vessel. He braced himself for the emergency, knowing that the lives of a woman and several children depended on his exertions. He made fast the shore end of the line to a jagged spur of rock and a couple was made with a running noose over the line and in this the man essayed to take his wife and children ashore. It was a terrible task in the darkness and storm, but he succeeded with the aid of the other men on board, landed all successfully, but not without mishap. One of the children, a little girl, was swept by the sea from her father's arms and was given up for lost, as she was gone for 1½ hours when she was found on the beach having been washed ashore by the waves. She was unconscious and was revived after the men worked over her for about one hour. Another of the children, a boy, was swept against a rock after being washed overboard, and he too was found thrown up by the water and was so badly wounded about the head that he was unconscious for four hours. He, however, has since fully recovered. The whole party narrowly escaped drowning and lost all their belongings. They were minus their boots, and landed just as they were and when they left the vessel's cabin. The vessel, we learn, was not insured and the loss to Collins is a severe one.

Here and There.

REMOVAL NOTICE.—Dr. Murphy has removed his office to 160 Duckworth Street.—dec22
The Clutha arrived at Pernambuco yesterday, all well. Capt. Joyce took down a load of fish for Bishop & Sons.
FUNERAL TO-DAY.—The funeral of the late Mr. Maurice Kane took place this afternoon and was well attended.
BEST DECORATING.—The window clerks in the Water Street stores are now busily engaged decorating for Christmas.
DIED AT CARBONAR.—Mr. Jno. Doody, a respected resident of Carbonar, died last night in his 70th year after a long illness.
FRESH SALMON.—Patrick Power, of Tor's Cove, caught three salmon in his net last Thursday. He sold them at Bay Bulls for 20 cents a pound.
TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.—The little girl Penny, who was burnt so badly Sunday last at her home, Stephen Street, was taken to the Hospital to-day by Mr. E. Whiteway.
A Fountain Pen makes an "Ideal" gift for either a Lady or Gentleman. DULEY'S carry a good assortment in plain and gold mounted.—dec11,21
WEDDING BELLS.—The wedding of Mr. Jeremiah Power and Miss Ellen Grace, of Tor's Cove, will take place after Advent. About 100 people have been invited.
DRUNK AT HIS HOUSE.—Constables Green and Sparrow called at a house on Cornwall Avenue last night to arrest a drunken man who was breaking the partition.
CONSTABLE TRANSFERRED.—Constable Dawe, of the Eastern Station, has been transferred to St. Anthony and will go to his new station by the S. S. Prospero.
INSPECTING MINERAL CLAIMS.—Messrs. McDougall and McDonald, of the D. I. S. Co., Bell Island, who were in Bay de Verde District inspecting mineral claims, returned to town by to-day's train.
DISLOCATED ANKLE.—A young man named Pack fell on the ice at the foot of Flower Hill last night while "under the influence" and put his left ankle out of place. He was attended by Dr. Cowperthwaite.
VALUABLE FOX.—Mr. Frank Ryan caught a valuable silver hair fox at Baccalieu a few days ago. It is said to be worth \$800. Mr. John Rice, of Red Head Cove, trapped one on the main land worth \$140.

BANK of MONTREAL

1911—31st OCTOBER.
Statement of the result of the business of the Bank for the year ended 31st October, 1911.

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 31st October, 1910	\$961,789.51
Profits for the year ended 31st October, 1911, after deducting charges of management, and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts	2,276,318.75
Premiums on New Stock	368,477.50
Adjustment Bank Premises Account	9,400,000.00
	\$7,003,585.76
Quarterly Dividend 2½ per cent. paid 1st March, 1911	\$360,000.00
Quarterly Dividend 2½ per cent. paid 1st June, 1911	360,000.00
Quarterly Dividend 2½ per cent. paid 1st Sept., 1911	360,000.00
Quarterly Dividend 2½ per cent. payable 1st December, 1911	360,000.00
Amount credited to Rest Account	\$1,440,000.00
Amount expended on Premises during year	\$3,000,000.00
	708,800.00
	\$5,148,800.00
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	\$1,555,185.36

General Statement. 31st October, 1911.

LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock	\$14,887,570.00	
Rest	\$15,000,000.00	
Balance of Profits carried forward	1,555,185.36	
Unclaimed Dividends	\$16,855,185.36	
Quarterly Dividend, payable 1st Dec., 1911	1,508.01	
	360,000.00	
	17,216,932.37	
Notes of the Bank in circulation	\$15,914,654.00	
Deposits not bearing interest	46,187,654.74	
Deposits bearing interest	135,538,261.10	
Balances due to other Banks in Canada	175,687.44	
	197,816,137.28	
	\$229,920,420.65	

ASSETS.

Gold and Silver coin current	\$9,627,050.47
Government demand notes	9,717,605.75
Deposit with Dominion Government required by act of Parliament for security of general bank note circulation	700,000.00
Due by agencies of this bank and other banks in Great Britain	\$14,566,294.85
Due by agencies of this bank and other banks in Foreign countries	3,408,981.89
Call and short Loans in Great Britain and United States	42,602,772.00
	60,578,045.74
Dominion and Provincial Gov't Securities	675,479.94
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures & Stocks	16,134,367.86
Notes and Cheques of other Banks	7,013,385.71
	104,145,885.17
Bank Premises at Montreal and Branches (Valued at \$9,088,000.00; Land, \$4,735,000; Buildings, \$4,353,000)	4,000,000.00
Current Loans and discounts in Canada and elsewhere (rebate interest reserved) and other assets	\$121,053,065.71
Debts secured by mortgage or otherwise	188,204.43
Overdue debts not specially secured (loss provided for)	233,265.04
	121,474,535.18
	\$229,920,420.65

Bank of Montreal, Montreal, 31st October, 1911.
E. S. CLOUSTON, General Manager.

HOUSEKEEPERS!

It costs the same to buy GOSSAGE'S SOAP as other brands, but GOSSAGE'S will be found cheaper as the Soap is better than others, being a better cleanser, lathering freely, and does not melt away in the water.

Don't take other brands when you can get GOSSAGE'S for the same price.
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We Pay Highest Prices for
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Before Buying Elsewhere
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Epps's Cocoa is a boon to the worker, a blessing in strength, and economy in cost.

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25 Boxes FANCY A Xmas display.
300 Brls. FINEST Baldwin, etc.
100 Barrels KINGS—
100 Kegs Green Grape
75 Sacks C

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Xmas

100 cases Valencia Or
20 cases Large Lem
300 brls No. 1 Red Ap
100 cases S. P. Onions

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Our stock is reduced. Save from
CHESLE

Oats, Potatoes,

10,000 Bushels Heavy Bla
500 Bales Best No 1 H
100 Boxes Cheese.

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The announcement of the United States in offered by Sir Thom ent of the C. P. R., on either continent to vember the 4th, at the Square Garden, New the world-beating w of Saskatchewan, Can of \$1000.00 in gold.

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JUST IN:

- 25 Boxes FANCY APPLES—regular beauties for your Xmas display.
- 300 Brls. FINEST KEEPERS—Vandeveres, Wagner, Baldwin, etc.
- 100 Barrels KINGS—red as a rose. Also,
- 100 Kegs Green Grapes, 150 Cases Val. ONIONS, 75 Sacks ONIONS—75 lbs. each.

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Due on Wednesday:

- 100 cases Valencia Oranges, 100 kegs Sweet Grapes, 20 cases Large Lemons. And in stock:
- 300 brls No. 1 Red Apples, Wagners, Spys, etc.
- 100 cases S. P. Onions, 50 cases canned Fruits.

Book your orders quickly.

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CHESLEY WOODS.

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Latest Shipments.

- 10,000 Bushels Heavy Black Oats—Arriving & due to Arrive.
- 500 Bales Best No 1 Hay.
- 100 Cases Fresh Eggs.
- 100 Boxes Cheese.
- 200 Bales Straw.

Lowest Prices.

George NEAL.

A Prize of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS In Gold.

The announcement of Canada's victory over the United States in the contest for the prize offered by Sir Thomas O'Shaughnessy, President of the C. P. R., for the best wheat grown on either continent of America, was made November the 4th, at the Land Show in Madison Square Garden, New York. The winner of the world-beating wheat was Mr. S. Wheeler, of Saskatchewan, Canada. He received a prize of \$1000.00 in gold.

The World-Beating Flour

ROBIN HOOD

is manufactured at Saskatchewan, Canada, from this wheat. There is no mixed wheat in

Robin Hood Flour.

The Purest and Best Flour in the World.

Wedding at Brigus.

A quiet wedding took place at Brigus, C.B., on Nov. 28th, when Rt. Rev. Monsignor Walsh united in marriage Miss Katie Power and Mr. David Sheehan. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Maggie Power and Miss Ella Sheehan. Mr. Edward Sheehan, cousin of the groom, acted as best man. The bride and groom will reside at Grand Falls.

Coastal Boats.

REID NFLD. CO.
The Argyle reached Placentia at 5 p.m. yesterday.
The Solway left St. John's at 3.20 a.m. for North Sydney to take freight for St. John's.
The Clyde left Pilley's Island at 5 a. m. to-day going north.
The Dundee left Musgravetown at 6.20 p.m. yesterday.
The Ethie left Hant's Harbor at 7.15 p.m. yesterday and arrived at Carboneau to-day.
The Glenoe left Placentia at 1 a.m. to-day.
The Home is still north of Bonne Bay.
The Invermore left Port aux Basques at 10.20 p.m. yesterday.

Here and There.

AN OMISSION.—In the obituary notice of the death of Mrs. A. LeMessurier in last evening's issue we omitted the name of Mrs. Alan Long, as a sorrowing daughter.

GLENCOE'S PASSENGERS.—The S. S. Glencoe left Placentia this morning taking in saloon: J. Burke, W. Thompson, S. Smith, Capt. and Mrs. Canning, Isaac Mercer, Mr. Parsons, Miss Mitchen, Mr. Cox.

Dr. Brehm visited Broad Cove, C.B., yesterday, where there is quite an outbreak of typhoid fever. Another case developed there yesterday. A married lady being stricken with it. Four children are ill of the disease as well as the woman alluded to and the man who brought the disease from Quebec to the settlement has recovered. The patients reside in two houses which are quarantined.

Jas. B. McNamara's Confession.

MADE PUBLIC THIS MORNING.

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 5.—James B. McNamara's brief confession, penned by his own hand late yesterday, had many evidences of a man little skilled in letters, was made public to-day:

It is as follows:
"I (James B. McNamara), defendant in the case of the people, having heretofore pleaded guilty to the crime of murder, desire to make this statement, and this is the truth:

"On the night of September 30, 1910, at 5.45 p.m., I placed in Ink Alley, a portion of the Times building, a case containing 16 sticks of 80 per cent. dynamite, set to explode at 1 o'clock the next morning. It was my intention to injure the building and scare the owners. I did not intend to take the life of any one. I sincerely regret that those unfortunate men lost their lives. If the giving of my life would bring them back I would gladly give it. In fact in pleading guilty to murder in the first degree I have placed my life in the hands of the State."

(Signed) JAS. B. McNAMARA.
The confession covers one side of an ordinary sheet of paper, and was written with a fountain pen supplied by one of the attorneys. It is probably the only written statement of the case that will ever be made by the writer or his brother, John J. McNamara, who pleaded guilty to dynamiting the Llewellyn Iron Works.

Three Negros Cr'mated

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 6.—Two negroes and one negress were burned by a mob of white landers who object to the occupancy of land by negroes, near Savannah, Tenn., yesterday, according to reports received here to-day. The cremating is said to have occurred ten miles from Clifton, Tenn. Three negroes were travelling in a wagon with a load of seed cotton. They were waylaid, and the mob, after building a fire beneath the wagon, stood guard until the negroes were cremated.

Found Murdered.

New York, Dec. 6.—With a fractured skull and many cuts about the face and shoulders, the body of I. S. Vogel, a wealthy dealer in jewellery, was found to-day in the engine room of a down-town building.

The condition of the room indicated that Vogel had made a desperate fight for life. Small articles of jewellery were scattered over the floor, but gems of considerable value and a sum of money he is thought to have had in his pocket are missing.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES COLDS, Etc.

The Habit of Teasing.

Entertaining at First, But Soon Becomes Intolerable.

There are a few habits which should be more carefully looked after among youngsters than that of teasing and worrying their playmates or the elder members of the family. At the outset, and in its mildest form, it may be to a certain extent entertaining and amusing to the little one, but after a time it grows almost intolerable, and if allowed to strengthen with the growth of the child, it develops into a habit than which nothing is more annoying and exasperating. There are persons in our society who are simply tolerated because there seems no legitimate way in which to get rid of them. An accident, a misfortune, a trifling indiscretion or some uncomfortable event or another furnishes them a pretext, and there is no living with them once they get started. To show that one cares about such things is often to furnish occasion for further teasing; therefore the victims keep silence. There only protection is the avoidance of the society of such people, and more than one man and woman have found themselves omitted from entertainments and left out of social gatherings without being able to account for the fact.

Booms Powdered Milk

Antarctic Expedition Will Have Ordered Two Tons.

The announcement that two tons of powdered milk have been ordered for the use of Dr. Mawson's forthcoming Antarctic expedition has helped to bring into prominence an industry which is assuming large proportions in Australasia, especially in New Zealand. The same product was used extensively by Shackleton's expedition, and was the principal food of Professor David's party, which reached the south magnetic pole. New Zealand powdered milk is a serious rival to condensed milk, on account of its nutritive value and especially its keeping qualities. It is said to be much superior to condensed milk for infants' food, as it is thoroughly sterilized, contains no beet or cane sugar, and, in the process of drying the milk, the casein is divided into fine particles, as in human milk. One kind of powdered milk, made entirely from skim milk, is used largely in biscuit factories and in the manufacture of milk chocolate.

The Value of Conversation.

Conversation is the most delightful method of gaining knowledge. What is more invaluable than an accomplished companion, a living volume reading its own pages? What an intellectual treat it is to talk to one with whom conversing we forget all time!

It is worth much to read the lessons of a philosopher, but to hear him impart them is worth much more.

It is agreeable to read the narration of a traveller, but far more so to hear him describe what he has seen. Besides, there is the opportunity of asking questions, and skill in interrogation is one of the chief excellencies of an apt converser.

Lord Bacon has truly said, "He that questioneth much shall learn much, and content much; but especially if he apply his questions to the skill of the person whom he asketh; for he shall give them occasion to please themselves in speaking, and himself shall continually gather knowledge."

Some Remarkable Tricks.

Astonishing though the feats performed by the Misses Judge's cockatoos, a London music hall troupe, are, they do not exhaust, seemingly, the list of wonderful tricks which a bird is capable of performing. A correspondent sends us an account of a marvellous bantam-cock, whose cleverness must surely be unique. This bird was trained by a Mr. Fred Brooker, of Southover. It was one year old when the training first commenced, and the first feat which Mr. Brooker taught the bird to do was to hold a lighted cigarette in its beak while its owner lit a cigar. It went through this trying performance without flinching in the slightest degree.

The most amusing trick of all, however, was to see this clever little rooster answering his master's imitation of a rival bird crowing. This he would do with gusto, sitting partly on Mr. Brooker's shoulder, the words, "Go on, my lad; go on, my son," producing louder and more persistent crows. It took about a month to teach the bird these tricks.

The correspondent who sends us these particulars has himself been a breeder of game bantams, and says that he has made birds lie still for fifteen consecutive minutes, by putting them on their backs, and drawing a chalk line about ten inches long from their beaks, which, he says, seems to mesmerize them.—Tit Bits.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

Your Money or Your Life.



Reliable
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Reliable Fruit Syrups are made with Pure Fruit and Cane Sugar, and they cost a little more than inferior syrups made with Glucose, Saccharin, etc. BUT don't you think it a mistake to buy injurious Syrups and lose your good health,

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"RELIABLE DRINKS ARE BEST."
Get them from your Grocer.

What Shall I Give Her For Xmas?

We would suggest that you give her one of those DAINTY

Silk Underskirts,

In Black and Assorted Shades, worth \$6.00, that we are offering at

\$3.50 each. These are excellent VALUE and

would make A CHARMING GIFT.

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The Popular London Dry Gin is

VICKERS' GIN



D. O. ROBLIN, Toronto Canadian Agent

J. JACKSON, St. John's, Resident Agent.

An Interesting Letter

Zam-Buk has proved a great comfort to me, as it is now something like two months since it cured my little girl of eczema from which she suffered for a year.

THIS is but a fragment of a very interesting letter received by the Zam-Buk Co. from Mrs. E. Cassett, of Joggin Bridge, Digby Co., N.S. The letter continues:

"When the sores first broke out I called in a doctor; but his treatment did no good. I tried salves and lotions and washes of all kinds, but the sores still spread. The disease finally became so bad that the child's face and shoulder were completely covered with sores. Imagine the pain the poor child (not a year old) had to suffer!

"One day a friend advised me to try Zam-Buk. I did not have much faith at that time that Zam-Buk would be able to work a cure, but as there could be no harm in trying it, I obtained a supply. At that time the disease had defied all remedies I had tried for over a year. By the time I had tried one box of Zam-Buk there was a marked improvement. I continued the Zam-Buk treatment and day by day the sores showed signs of improvement, until the eczema was confined to the child's shoulder, one sore on which had been particularly deep. By degrees this, also, was healed, and finally Zam-Buk banished every trace of the disease.

"I have waited several months before mentioning this case to you, in order to see if there was any return of the eczema. There has not been any return; the cure being permanent, and there is no scar or trace of the disease from which the child suffered so long. You may publish this information if you wish, so that every mother may know the value of Zam-Buk."

Zam-Buk is just as good for cold sores, chapped hands, piles, blood-poison, ulcers, bad leg, varicose ulcers, scalp sores, frost bite, baby's chafed places, etc. Also as an embrocation for rheumatism, sciatica, etc. All Druggists and Stores, 50c box or Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price.

Zam-Buk
EVERY HOME NEEDS IT

Address all applications for samples and retail orders to T. McMURDO & Co., St. John's, Nfld.

Uncle Walt
THE POET PHILOSOPHER.

I have read your latest story, Henry James; it contains no actions sorry, Henry James; there is nothing there to shock; no man hits another's block; all your people stand and talk, Henry James. Oh, "THE OUTCRY" they talk too long, I mean, Henry James; and I can't guess what they mean, Henry James; each one anxiously conceals all emotion that he feels, each one's head is full of wheels, Henry James. Oh, your ladies and your gents, Henry James, look to me like twenty cents, Henry James; nothing sane have they in mind, nothing but their social grind, and they stand and talk us blind, Henry James. I like narratives of folks, Henry James, who are telling in their voices, Henry James; men who saw and dig and pound, men who plow the fertile ground, men who make the wheels go round, Henry James. All your little fiddling lords, Henry James, with their endless stream of words, Henry James, are not worth one sweating jay who is tolling day by day, sawing wood or balling hay, Henry James.

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—AND—
CHRISTMAS PRESENTS
are identical.

It is impossible to mention one without thinking of the other. As soon as Christmas Presents come up the first thought is ROPER'S, and this year, in

Artistic Jewellery and Silver Novelties, unquestionably Roper is better supplied to fill the demand for Xmas Presents than ever.

Special Evening Telegram. WELLINGTON, N.Z., Dec. 11. Prohibition has been defeated on submission to the popular vote.

AT HALIFAX.—The S. S. Florizel which left here at 2 a.m. Sunday was supposed to have gone direct to New York.

THE CHARACTER

of my companies well warrants their abundant success. Their strength, their careful selection of risks and their promptness of settlement recommend them to all insurers. Consider also their favourable rates.

PERCIE JOHNSON,
Lower Rates. Insurance Agent.

Cable News.

Special Evening Telegram. NEW YORK, Dec. 11. A cable from Delhi to-day says all is in readiness for the great Durbar ceremony to-morrow. Delhi is like a scene from the Arabian Nights. The streets are gorgeously decorated, and the population has swollen from 200,000 to 500,000. Hotel keepers are reaping a harvest, but thousands are kept away owing to extortionate rates. British and native troops guard the streets, which are filled with extraordinary polygot crowds, representative of hundreds of races and creeds. The King and Queen reviewed the troops this morning, and presented new colors to two British and native regiments. Many native rulers were present, their wives and daughters occupying screened pavilions. A State banquet was given this evening by their Majesties.

Special to Evening Telegram. LONDON, Dec. 11. Despite the insistence of the Unionists that there differences between the Ministry, Irish Nationalists and Home Rule advocates, there are apparently sincere expressions of belief that the Home Rule Bill is certain of passing during the present session of Parliament. John Redmond, proceeding on the assumption, says in Home Rule Notes in his new periodical, that he looks forward to King George opening an Irish Parliament in person, and promises a demonstration of loyalty from the Irish people. He asserts that this demonstration will be the first pledge of a lasting reconciliation whose effect will be felt throughout the English-speaking world.

DOCTORS COULD NOT HELP HIM

BUT GIN PILLS DID

"During August last, I went to Montreal to consult a specialist as I had been suffering terribly with Stone in the bladder. He decided to operate but said the stone was too large to remove and too hard to crush. I returned home and was recommended by a friend to try Gin Pills. They relieved the pain. I took two boxes and went back to the specialist. He said the stone was smaller but he could not remove it although he tried for two nights and a day. I returned home and continued to take Gin Pills—and, to my surprise and joy, I passed the stone. Gin Pills are the best medicine in the world, and because they did me so much good, I will recommend them to all the rest of my life."

J. ALBERT LESSARD, Jollicite, P.Q. See a box, 6 for \$2.50—at all dealers, and money back if they fail to give relief. Sample box free. National Drug & Chemical Co., Canada, Limited, Dept. N. Toronto.

Amanada Howell.

SUBSCRIPTION LIST.

The sad case of Amanada Howell, the girl of fifteen, who lost her way in the woods between Bonne Bay and Hocky Harbour will be in the minds of most people. It will be remembered that she was astray twelve days exposed to the inclement weather of last October. When found she was in a terrible condition, and when brought to the General Hospital at St. John's it was found necessary to amputate both of her legs below the knees. While she was recovering from the effects of the operation, she was attacked by diphtheria, but she is now recovering. Mr. Clapp, member for the District of St. Barbe's has interested himself in her case. He is advised that much care and skill will be needed to fit her with artificial legs which may suit her after she has attained her full growth. The Government contributes usually a quarter of the cost of the expense of artificial legs. Mr. Clapp has collected a sum of money towards the purpose of helping her in this direction and giving her a new start in life after her terrible misadventure.

The following subscriptions have been collected by Mr. Clapp:—

William M. Clapp	\$10.00
Rt. Hon. Sir R. Bond	10.00
Joseph Outerbridge	10.00
M. G. Winter	10.00
W. C. Job	10.00
Hearn & Co.	10.00
James Baird, Ltd.	10.00
W. A. Ellis	5.00
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George Knowling	15.00
Bowring Brothers, Ltd.	10.00
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B. J. & Co.	10.00
Ayre & Sons, Ltd.	10.00
Henry Blair	5.00
J. D. Ryan	5.00
G. & Co.	5.00
Steer Bros.	10.00
Geo. M. Barr	10.00
W. S. Monroe	5.00
Parker & Moore, Ltd.	5.00
James Black	2.00
Marshall Bros.	10.00
Bishops Sons & Co., Ltd.	5.00
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W. & G. Rendell	5.00
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A. Goodridge & Son	10.00
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St. John's Gas Co.	10.00
R. G. R.	5.00
Angel Engineering Co.	5.00
H. L. Co.	3.00
W. H. Crowley	5.00
James McLoughlan	5.00
W. A. Munn	5.00
J. Harvey	5.00
J. A. Branscombe	2.00
C. M. Harvey	5.00
A. S. K.	2.00

Special Evening Telegram. HALIFAX, Dec. 11. The award in the Berwindmill salvage case apportioned \$12,000 to the owners of the Energie, \$750 to the captain, \$1,250 to officers and men. The Mackay-Bennett gets \$2,000, of which \$100 goes to the officers.

Special to Evening Telegram. PARIS, Dec. 11. Five persons were killed and eight injured as the result of a collision on the Northern Railroad outside its Paris terminus.

Special Evening Telegram. LONDON, Dec. 11. The Delhi correspondent of the Daily Mail says that after the Durbar the King will announce an important reform, promising higher commissions for native officers.

Special Evening Telegram. TORONTO, Dec. 12. The Ontario provincial election yesterday resulted in a sweeping victory for the Whitney Government. The parties in the New House are: Conservatives, 83; Liberals, 22; Labor, 1.

Special Evening Telegram. HAMBURG, Dec. 11. Widow Rech and her daughter committed suicide in the Stock Exchange here to-day. They had gambled their whole fortune and lost.

Makes a Bad Cough Vanish Quickly—or Money Back

The Quickest, Surest Cough Remedy You Ever Used. Family Supply for 50c. Saves You \$2.

You have never used anything which takes hold of a bad cough and conquers it so quickly as Finex Cough Syrup. Gives almost instant relief and usually stops the most obstinate, deep-seated cough in twenty-four hours. Guaranteed to give prompt and positive results, even in croup and whooping cough.

Finex is a special and highly concentrated compound of Norway White Pine extract, rich in ginseng and other healing pine elements. A 4-oz. bottle makes 16 ounces—a family supply—of the best cough remedy that money can buy, at a saving of 12c. Simply mix with home-made sugar syrup or strained honey, and is slightly laxative—both good features. A handy household medicine for hoarseness, asthma, bronchitis, etc., and usually effective for indigestion troubles. Used in more homes in the U. S. and Canada than any other cough remedy.

Finex has often been imitated, but never successfully, for nothing else will produce the same results. The genuine is guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. Certificate of guarantee is wrapped in each package. Your druggist has Finex or will gladly get it for you. If not, send to The Finex Co., Toronto, Ont.

Stormy Weather Reported.

From passengers who came down on the Gloucester and arrived here last night's train we learn that during the past week the weather has been very stormy along the S. W. Coast and in Placentia Bay. Gales accompanied by heavy sea and snow storms prevailed, and little has been done as a result with herring which are reported plentiful in Placentia Bay, nor has much been done with codfish about Rose Blanche and other places though the fish are reported to be plentiful.

British Society's Meeting.

A special meeting of the Newfoundland British Society was held last night in the Hall. Arrangements were made for the annual parade of the Society with Albert Edward, Juvenile Branch, for New Year's Day. The Society this year will parade to Divine Service in Cochrane Street Methodist Church, and a deputation will meet the Pastor in a short while to confer with him as to the service and sermon. The meeting was largely attended and enthusiastic.

Canadian Hockey

Under the new rules adopted by the National Hockey Association a player guilty of a major foul will be banished from the game and will be fined \$5. His place, however, will be taken by a substitute player, and thus the teams will be kept at full strength. Minor fouls are defined as follows:

- (1) Throwing the stick to prevent a score.
- (2) Cross checking or striking an opponent.
- (3) Charging from behind.
- (4) Deliberate tripping, collaring or hooking.
- (5) Foul language.

For a minor foul a player will be cautioned. Three cautions will result in a \$5 fine. When the fines of a player amount to \$25 his case will be dealt with by the president, which may mean expulsion.

Minor fouls are described as: Kicking, holding, throwing or batting the puck with the hand, raising the stick above the shoulder (except in a lift), and loading off-side.

Any club which takes it on itself to pay the fines of its players will be fined \$200—if found out.

Previous to a game each of the contending clubs will have nine men in uniform and will be allowed three substitutes in the case of regulars being penalized. After the three substitutes have been used by each club any further penalty which deprives a club of the services of a player will necessitate the dropping of a man from the line-up of the opposing team.

THE POSTMASTER SICK FOR YEARS

BUT HE FOUND PERMANENT RELIEF IN DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Mr. John Nolan had Backache, Nervousness and Rheumatism but cured them so they didn't come back.

Point Le Nim, Restigouche Co., N.B., Dec. 11. (Special).—That as a renewer of youth Dodd's Kidney Pills has no equal is the experience of John Nolan, the veteran postmaster of this place. Sixty years of age but still strong and healthy, Mr. Nolan declares he owes his health to the great Canadian Kidney Remedy, Dodd's Pills.

"For ten years I was a sufferer with Backache, Nervousness and Rheumatism," says the Postmaster. "I was so bad at times that I was confined to my bed. I felt heavy and sleepy after meals, had a flash of light before my eyes and had difficulty in collecting my thoughts. After using several medicines without benefit I began to take Dodd's Kidney Pills, taking in all fifteen boxes. That was four years ago, and though I stopped taking the pills two years ago I have had no return of my trouble."

Backache, Nervousness and Rheumatism are all caused by diseased kidneys. To cure them to stay cured you must cure the kidneys with Dodd's Kidney Pills.

To make beeswax place the honeycomb in a coarse muslin bag and put in a small stone to weight, the contents. Put in a kettle, cover with water and boil. The wax comes to the top of the water and the sediment remains at the bottom of the kettle. When the water is allowed to cool the wax forms a solid cake.

To iron a handkerchief so that the corners will come out exactly even and square, iron it out flat, then fold its lower corners back almost to the upper corners, leaving a little space. Then, when the second fold is made, the corners will push up and be exactly even.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASES
GRAVEL, RHEUMATISM, BRONCHITIS, DIARRHOEA, COLIC, BILIOUSNESS, HEADACHE, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, ETC.

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To every Man, Woman, Boy or Girl purchasing \$2.00 worth of **Boots, Shoes or Rubbers** we will give a **Christmas Present**. We have selected the Choicest Toys for Children that money could buy—toys that cannot be equalled in the city. Buy at the **White Shoe Store** and receive your **Bill** and be entitled to a present from amongst the same.

Good for December Month.

SALE ON EVERY DAY and holds good for December month. Ask salesman for **Bill** of purchase. All must be initialled for **Christmas Presents**.

By the **Stephano** we have received 200 cases Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, 1500 pairs Samples in Men's, Women's, Misses, Children's and Infant's Boots.

READ OUR PRICES:

Men's Working Boots, sale price	\$1.45
Men's Fine Boots, reg. \$2.50, now	1.90
Boys' Boots, reg. \$2.25, now	1.80
Little Gents' Boots, reg. \$1.50, now	1.15
Ladies' Boots, all sizes, reg. \$1.75 & \$2.00, now	1.45
Ladies' Pat. Cloth Top, reg. \$2.50, now	1.90
Ladies' Tan Shoes, Velvet Top, reg. \$2.50, now	1.90
Ladies' Hobble Boots, 15, 17, 19, button, reg. \$3.50, now	2.90
Ladies' High Cuts, buttoned and buckled, reg. \$2.75, now	2.25
Misses' High Cuts, reg. \$2.00, now	1.45
Children's High Cuts, reg. \$1.50, now	1.15
Infants' Velvet and Cloth Top, all fancy Shoes	39c.
Infants' Patent and Fancy Top	59c.
Infants' Soft Shoes	29c.

BOOTS IN GALORE.

Boots and Shoes—our special trade, Newest and Completest made; Fit for tender feet and cold; Suitable for young and old; Don't forget to give us a call, We can suit you one and all.

LADIES' and MISSES' SAMPLES.—We have about 1500 pairs Ladies' and Misses' Samples, at \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00 per pair, your choice for \$1.20 per pair.

NOW DON'T FORGET sale on every day December month. Great Bargains in Rubbers—Men's, Women's, Misses' & Children's—best quality at **HALF PRICE**. Remember you get Footwear at Half Price and Christmas Presents **FREE**.

THE WHITE SHOE STORE,
304-306 WATER STREET.
P.S.—We shall give away the Christmas presents to all who bring the bills during Xmas week. Outport people can get their Christmas presents at the time of purchasing the goods. In Christmas week there will be the Christmas counter all ready for giving away.

deg5 **S. B. KESNER.**

Just received ex Steamers Florizel and Rosalind.

150 brls. Can. Pea Beans,
300 sacks of Cornmeal,
100 sacks Crushed Corn,
30 brls. Hambutt Pork,
(125 pieces to brl.) also,
BLACK & WHITE OATS.
HARVEY & COMPANY,

Mr. English On Fogs.

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The explanation of the phenomenon is this: Water at the freezing point must still give up a certain amount of its latent heat before it can be precipitated to the condition of ice. Every pound of water at 32 degrees Fahrenheit gives up 144 units of heat before it becomes ice. Very cold rain, or snow, abstracts its latent heat to the necessary degree, forms the familiar silver thaw. By a very simple experiment Mr. McGrath may produce the effect of silver thaw for himself. Let him take a potato some frosty day of night and place it where it can be thoroughly frozen. Then let him plunge the potato into a basin of cold water. He will see that almost immediately the tuber becomes encased with a film of ice resembling silver thaw. To account for the prevalence of fogs, Mr. McGrath tells back to the ancient theory of the condensation of the cold water from the north with the warm water of the Gulf Stream. The idea, of course, is borrowed from old histories, but as usual with Mr. McGrath he leaves it to be inferred that it is his own knowledge.

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In cold December, just as the lifeless trees and snow-covered hills gave token of the close of another year, the people of St. Joseph's, Salmonier, witnessed the close of a young life, Josie, beloved daughter of John and Catherine Fagen. Scarcely 19 years, this victim of the terrible plague, consumption, was only two years ago a pupil of St. Joseph's school. A general favorite was Josie, ever ready to help those who might have any worries, and always most careful not to hurt the feelings of others. And in this short space not even her nearest friends would recognize in the wasted form the cheerful bright young face of two years ago. Only her most familiar friends had the privilege of knowing her sterling qualities, and only those could feel sufficiently the loss of one whose example was always edifying. Humility was her leading characteristic, and when added to this the qualities of a devout Catholic and a sympathetic heart, it would not be exaggerating to say she was one of those whose chief object in life was to do good for others. If the knowledge of her virtues has not extended over the whole parish it is for the simple reason that it was mostly in her own home circle, in the school room and on the playground they were put into practice; and it is this fact that adds to the rarity of her character. In the feast of the Immaculate Conception, Dec. 8th, she was taken from her earthly home and laid in her last resting place. There was not one amongst the large crowd of mourners that attended her funeral whose heart was not filled with sympathy for the bereaved parents, sisters and brother. And who amongst them knew of the bright hopes cherished in that young breast, but never realized on earth. But let us hope they are realized beyond expectation in that land where virtue is recognized at its true worth.

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The Jewel Box of 10 parchment Xmas and New Year Cards, 60 cts.
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Curlers' Meeting.

A meeting of the Curlers took place last night for the election of candidates. Mr. J. R. Bennett presided and received twenty-six new members. The various sub-committees were also appointed. Auditors: J. J. Maher and W. J. Edgar; House Committee: J. A. Branscombe, C. R. Duder and F. R. Bradshaw; Ice Committee: A. H. Salters, F. Crane and T. Winter; Entertainment Committee: T. H. O'Neill, F. Chicom and H. W. LeMessurier; Curling Committee: C. R. Duder, W. Joyce, H. Jardine, F. W. Hayward, also the captains of the four divisions and President, Mr. A. H. Salter was formally presented with a set of Curling stones by Mr. John Jackson, the gift of Andrew Kay & Co., of Mauchline, Scotland.

Church Decorated With Fish

Christopher Wren's beautiful old Church of St. Magnus the Martyr, near the famous Billingsgate fish market, where, until one of them ran into a visiting Westerner and accidentally upset a basketful of wet fish over him, the porters were supposed to use the worst language in the world, has just celebrated a remarkable "Harvest Thanksgiving." The decorations of the church consisted almost entirely of real fish. Such decorations have never before been known in a London church. The silver of the lordly salmon mingled with the green of the common mackerel. The fashionable lobster and oyster met their poorer brethren the wrinkle and the whelk. More than forty varieties of fish had part in the scheme. During the service much income was burned presumably for desodorizing purposes. After the service the fish were sent to Guy's Hospital. Nothing was the matter with it; it went there for the patients.

Arrested at Railway Station.

A drunken man who wanted to go out by train to Conception Bay last evening was turned out of the station and not allowed to get on board. He gave trouble and made quite a commotion till the police came along and arrested him; he was taken to the lockup.

The Kamfjord Arrives

The S. S. Kamfjord arrived last night from Sydney with a cargo of coal after a run of 50 hours. The ship will likely make one more trip here with coal and this will finish her charter for the season. She will more than likely load fish for Europe, as she did last year, after discharging.

MINARD'S LINNET CURES DIPHTHERIA.

Sting of the Sea.

Some Tragedies of Trawling Off the British Coast.

For the deep sea fishermen the sting of the angry waves is as bitter to-day as ever it was. Only a few weeks back a fleet of fishing vessels sailed out from Lowestoft and into a great storm; but when they came back again three were missing, and are now definitely reported as "lost."

Trawling is simply chock-full with great and wonderful stories—mostly tragedies, though. Last year the trawler Gothic, of Hull, met a blizzard, was crippled by a heavy sea, and began to sink. A Grimsby vessel came to the rescue, and four out of the crew of eight had been saved by the crew of the small boat when that was smashed. To save the other, floated lines attached to buoys were used.

The skipper of the Gothic fastened the line round the waist of the steward. The steward hesitated, but only

for a moment. He jumped into the sea immediately, and was hauled across to the Grimsby trawler with all possible speed. But the icy waters killed the poor man, and it was a dead body which was dragged into the boat.

Even more tragic is the story of the foundering of the Grimsby steam trawler Celtic a year or so ago. Her tall shaft broke in a storm, and sent the propeller through her stern, so that she quickly filled with water.

The crew took to the boat, and were pulling away, when they were horrified to see the cook despairingly beckoning them from the sinking ship. He had been forgotten! At once they turned back, but before the boat could reach him the trawler went down, carrying the man to his fate.

For sheer weirdness, there is nothing to beat the story of the Plymouth fishing boat Fear Not.

Her crew consisted of the owner, William Rowe, and his seventeen-year-old son. One sunny June after-

noon the boat came back into the harbor, steered by the son, while Rowe sat upright upon a thwart, with his arms folded. But as neither of them moved, or answered to other fishermen's cries, a boat went alongside, and it was found that Rowe was dead, and his son in a trance.

Later on the son recovered somewhat, and explained that his father had died suddenly at sea, and all he could remember afterwards was steering the boat for Plymouth as though in a dream.

An extraordinary night of horror was the lot of the crew of another trawler, the Washington, wrecked off the coast of Iceland two years back. She struck a reef near the shore, and for a whole night lay exposed to the fury of a blizzard.

The mate tried to swim ashore, but failed. At four o'clock in the morning, one man, who had complained of the cold, died. The second engineer went raving mad. He refused to come out of the galley and was never seen

again. Two men were washed away and drowned, and another was dashed against the bulwarks and killed. Next day, when the sea went down, the survivors were rescued by the Icelanders by means of a line.

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- Extra Choice Turkey Figs, in boxes 17c. lb.
- Best Quality Nonpareils—hundreds and thousands 15c. lb.
- Sultana Seedless Raisins 14c. lb.
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- Desiccated Coconut 17c. lb.
- Prepared Icings—as't'd colors & flavors 12c. pkt.
- Cadbury's Chocolate Icing 35c. lb.
- Finest Icing Sugar 12c. lb.
- Caraway Seeds 9c. lb.
- Genuine Ground Mace 9c. oz.
- British Refined Cream Tartar—guaranteed 98 per cent 36c. lb.
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- Rice Flour 7. lb.
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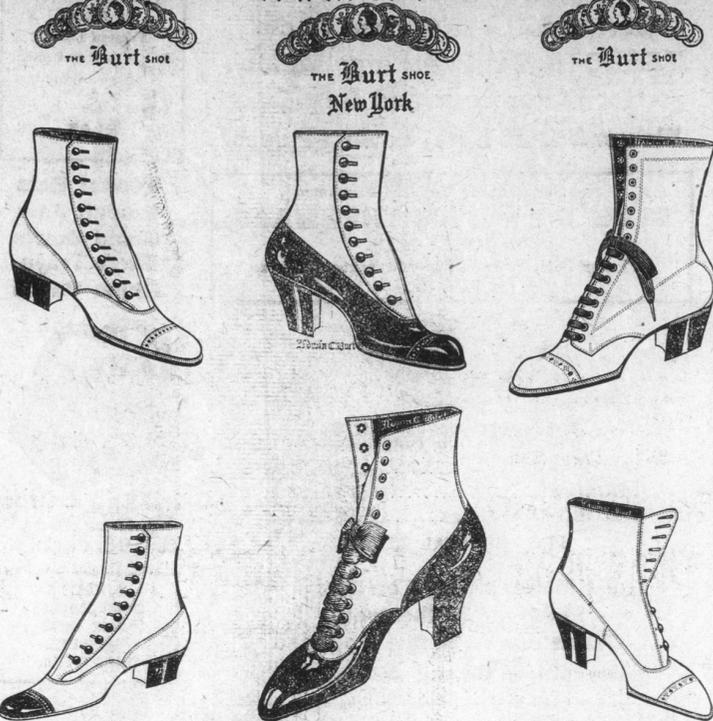
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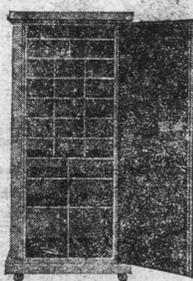
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TORONTO, Noon — Fresh strong winds, shifting to E. S. mild with showers to-day on Thursday.

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GEORGE E. TURNER, Secretary-Treasurer. dec13,11

NOTICE.

A SPECIAL Meeting of Marine Engineer Association will be held at their Rooms, at Beechey's, at 8 p.m., this WEDNESDAY, 13th Dec., 1911. By order of the Chairman. dec13,11 A SNOW, S

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