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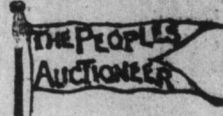
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or demand, deliver in duplicate
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Act, or in such other form as
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covering each accounting peri-
od for which he is liable to tax-
ation. In such return the tax-
payer shall state an address in
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tices and other documents to be
mailed or served under this
Act may be mailed or sent.

Section 9 Provides for returns to be made
by any "person" suspected of
being liable to taxation.

Section 10 Penalty for not making returns.

Section 10 (b) Penalty for false statement in
returns.

Statement of auditor, including balance
sheet and profit and loss account should be for-
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(Sgd.) M. P. CASHIN,
Minister of Finance.

Department of Finance,
St. John's, January 9th. Jan 9, 12

Public Notice!

REVISION OF THE LIST OF ELEC-
TORS FOR THE DISTRICT OF
ST. JOHN'S EASTERN AND
WESTERN DIVISIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a
Court of Revision of the List of Elec-
tors for the Electoral District of St.
John's, Eastern and Western Divi-
sions, will be held in the Central Dis-
trict Court on Wednesday next, the
9th instant, and shall be continued
each day thereafter until and includ-
ing Wednesday, the 16th day of
January instant, from 12 o'clock noon
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NOTICE TO FARMERS—
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annual meeting of the St. John's Ag-
ricultural Society will take place in
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CHAPTER XIX. STRIVING AGAINST THE STREAM.

At last the day arrived when Morgan was expected, and dinner was in coats of removal when a servant announced his presence. Olive turned pale for a moment, then summoned up a smile.

"I will go to him, father, dear," she said quietly, "while you finish your wine and smoke."

Sir Edwin sat down again thankfully, and Olive left the room.

Outside in the hall she paused and pressed her hand against her heart; and could her father have seen the expression of despair upon her face, he would have thrown Bingleigh to the winds and saved her.

Morgan Verner was lounging on a couch in the drawing-room, but he rose to meet her with a smile. He was dressed in the height of fashion; but do what he would, he could not remove the signs of dissipation and innate vice so plainly visible on his weak face. Olive shuddered with an unconquerable aversion as she held out her hand.

"Well, Olive, my dear," he said, with the insolence of conquest. "Here I am at last. Did you think I was never coming? I say, how pale you are—not ill, I hope?"

"No," said Olive, drawing away her hand, which he had kept in his own. "I am quite well. How are you?"

"Oh, first-rate," he replied, his eyes shifting a little beneath her steady regard. "I'm precious glad to come back at last—been looking forward to it for weeks, 'pon my word. I'm a lucky fellow to have you—you—I'm sure we shall be happy. Always loved you, don'tcherknow, since the beginning."

Olive sank into a chair.

"Never thought there was a chance for me," he continued. "Felt a bit out of it, you know—but we're engaged all right now, eh, what?"

"I suppose so," said Olive nervously. "Mr. Verner has been very good," she added irrelevantly.

"Oh, yes," said Morgan, with a sarcastic smile, "the governor's not a bad sort, and if he says a thing, he does it. I suppose he settled all the creditors—he's good at that sort of thing," he added, laughing feebly.

"He has saved Bingleigh for my father," said Olive, "and I am very grateful."

"Oh, that's all right," said Morgan sheepishly. "What's ours is yours, you know, now we're going to be married. We shall be like two turtles doves; and the sooner the better—what do you think? When shall it be?"

Olive's heart seemed to stand still. "Oh, not yet," she cried; "not for some time!"

Morgan frowned. "Oh, but that was part of the bargain—" He stopped, wishing he had held his tongue.

"A bargain—in which I was sold as part of the estate, I suppose! Well, if it was a bargain, it must be kept."

"Oh, you know what I mean," he stammered. "You are so quick to pull a man up; of course, there's no bargain."

"Yes," interrupted Olive. "Your father agreed to save Bingleigh, at a great cost to himself, if I promised to be your wife. There was nothing said about the marriage taking place at once."

"No—I admit that," said Morgan; "but you know I'm awfully anxious. And then look what a time I've loved you! By Jove! Do you remember the fancy-dress ball?"

Would she ever forget it? On that night a noble-hearted man had asked her to be his wife, and she had refused. Refused for the sake of one who, though lowly in position, had, she believed, loved her and been worthy of her love. Now he was gone, a criminal flying from justice, and she was pledged to marry one whom she despised. Had she but accepted Lord Cravenford, she could at least have respected him.

"I was very near popping the question," continued Morgan, happily unconscious of what was passing in Olive's mind. "I wonder if you'd have jumped at me then?"

Olive shivered involuntarily.

"I say," said her lover, taking her unwilling hand in his. "You've been fretting, I believe. 'Pon my word! You wait till we're married, and we'll settle down in the respectable old style, eh?"

Olive rose abruptly, drawing her hand away.

"I will tell my father you are here," she said unnecessarily—she felt she could not bear this tete-a-tete much longer.

"Oh, I say," said Morgan, also rising. "Don't run away like that—"

But Olive, fearing he was about to embrace her, crossed quickly to the door and left the room.

An ugly scowl settled on Morgan's face as the door closed.

"Proud minx!" he muttered. "I'll show her I'm master, once we're married. Does she think I'm going to be treated like dirt, after all we've done for them?" He was not aware how his father had won the upper hand of the Seymours, so his indignation was not unnatural. "They'd have been

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beggars," he thought, "but for us. I'll teach her how to receive her future husband—she'll be a bit more civil next time."

At this moment the door opened, and Sir Edwin Seymour entered. It was as much as Morgan Verner could do to replace the scowl with a smile, and even then, it was one of such condescension that had Sir Edwin retained his early keenness, his eyes would have been opened immediately. As it was, he was nervously pleased to see the young man.

"You must come over to dinner tomorrow," he said. "You have been away a long time; Olive will be glad to have you back."

"She doesn't show her joy much, then," said Morgan sulkily.

"We must keep you, now you are here," said Sir Edwin unheedingly. "Your father has been very good to us; he has acted most generously."

"Oh, don't mention it," said Morgan condescendingly. "We are all of one family now, you know."

"Yes, yes," murmured the poor old man. "You'll take care of her, Morgan. She is a dear girl, and you love her, I know."

"Oh, Olive and I understand one another," said the young man, as he rose to take his leave.

In the carriage all Morgan's spite and anger returned in full force. He felt he could almost hate Olive for coyness and purity; and he longed, with all the hatred of a base nature for a noble one, to humiliate her and to break her spirit.

On the following evening, the two Verners dined at Bingleigh. They were both resplendent in clothes of the newest and most fashionable cut; and Olive, as she rose to receive them, could not help contrasting their manner, as they entered with all the assurance that wealth and patronage could give, with that of her father, who stood so gently by his "benefactors," as he called them.

"Well, Olive," said John Verner, in his harsh voice, "We've got the wanderer back again, you see. You must take care to hold him, now you have got him."

Olive's face flushed, but she made no reply; and just then dinner was announced.

Morgan sat, by her side, and, under the brilliant light, she could see the ravages of dissipation more plainly than upon the preceding day; and her soul revolted at the idea of marrying him. He had a great deal to say—especially when the wine came around—and spoke of Paris as the only place worth living in.

"England's not worth a rap," he said loudly. "Give me Paris!"

"England's the place for a country gentleman," said Sir Edwin mildly.

"Yes, indeed!" said John Verner, with a dark look at his son; he was only too fully aware of the bad impression Morgan was making. "By the way," he added, "have you heard anything more of that young horse trainer or thief?"

"Reuben, do you mean?" said Sir Edwin, sadly.

Olive, who happened to be glancing at Morgan, saw that his face went white as death. Her own had paled, as it always did when she thought of Reuben—but why should his name affect Morgan?

"No," her father was saying, "we heard that some one had died in the workhouse at some seaport, and he thrust her in the same direction; so I did not do any more. It was very sad."

"Very!" sneered Verner. "I always knew he would come to no good. You should have set the police on his track. He'd have got seven years' hard labor—perhaps more—burglary, and suspicious antecedents—why I broke off; for as he raised his eyes, he saw that his son's face was livid as with some sudden fear."

"Are you ill?" asked Sir Edwin.

"No, no," Morgan said hoarsely. "It's nothing—a sudden pain—I had it in Paris two or three times. Give me the brandy," he said to the butler. The man brought it, and Morgan took a glassful, which seemed to restore him. "Funny thing, those attacks—attacks of the heart, eh, Olive?" he added, leering at her.

To her relief, she found it was time to retire to the drawing-room, which she did, thankfully enough; while Morgan recommenced his attacks upon the wine. Even Sir Edwin noticed how freely he drank; but, mindful of the obligation he was under to the young man's father, he forbore to mention it. John Verner, also, was not blind to his son's delinquencies,

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and watched, with steely eyes, the effect of the patent liquor on Morgan's brain and demeanor; indeed, when the men rose to join Olive, he was hardly able to walk steadily.

As he passed him, his father whispered sternly:

"Get into the open air, Morgan; you drink too much!"

Morgan shook himself angrily. "I'm all right," he said; "let me alone."

In the drawing-room, he left his father to talk to Olive, while he sank down into a chair behind a screen, and Olive, crossing the room to the piano, saw him lying there, breathing heavily. At first she was alarmed, believing that he had fainted; then, as she realized the nature of his "illness," a feeling of intense horror and of shame came over her. Speechless, she proceeded to the instrument, and sat down to play.

With the first notes, Morgan awoke, and, sobred by his sleep, went to her; and, with cool assurance, leaned over the piano.

"Bravo!" he exclaimed. "Pon my soul, I had no idea you could play so well! I'm awfully fond of music."

Pale with anger and disgust, Olive rose from the piano, and crossing the room to the window, stepped out on the terrace. There, wrapped in her own misery, she leaned against the balustrade. Her thoughts turned to Reuben. Dead! Dead in a workhouse, while she lived a life worse than death, tied to the degraded son of John Verner. Her heart seemed breaking, and, with a sob, she covered her face with her hands.

A step sounded behind her, and she looked up hurriedly, to find Morgan, who had followed her.

"Stargazing, Olive?" he said; "it is beautiful, isn't it? I could stay here forever—with you," he added, in would-be tender tones, while at the same time he drew her arm close within his own.

With a shudder, Olive tried to disengage herself; but he was sober now and strong.

"Don't be shy, darling," he said huskily. "Aren't we engaged? Why, I'll swear you haven't given me a single kiss yet. Come, this is a good opportunity—lovers in the moonlight, eh? Just one, Olive," and he drew her close to him until his hot, wine-laden breath swept her face.

But, with an inarticulate cry, Olive thrust her hand against him and bore him back with all her strength.

"Keep back," she said, her voice vibrating with passion, her eyes blazing. "Keep back! How dare you insult me by your touch? I am to be your wife, but I am not your slave. Dare to insult me again, and I will break the compact, though it kills my father and myself!"

Bewildered and alarmed, Morgan Verner shrank back, and Olive, shaking her arm as if to free it from the pollution of his touch, swept by him with a look of scorn, and, gliding down the terrace, disappeared in the darkness.

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GERMANY'S POLITICAL TURMOIL.

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If the German papers correctly mirror the situation there the test which the Bolshevik have made of Germany's attitude toward the proposal of no annexations has thrown Germany into political turmoil. Advice from the capitals of neutral countries bordering on Germany show that the opinion prevalent there is that one of the most severe national crises in the history of Germany is developing as a result of the difference of views between the militarist and non-militarist leaders regarding the Government's attitude toward Russia. It is reported generally that General Von Ludendorff, as leader of the former group, actually has gone as far as to threaten the resignation of himself and Field Marshal Von Hindenburg if further countenance is given to such views as those advanced by men of the type of Dr. Von Cserninn and Count Cserninn, the German and Austrian Foreign Ministers. At the same time the view of Von Kuehlemann and Cserninn fail to satisfy the German Socialists who regard their middle of the road policy as tricky and who are determined that the spirit of the Reichstag resolution be followed sincerely and without qualification or reserve. Neutral observers declare that the gap between the German parties suddenly has become a chasm so wide that there is little chance of bridging it and that the development of an internal crisis of serious proportions seems inevitable. On the other hand it is pointed out that the various parties in the belligerent countries never appeared so completely united as in their support of the war aims formulated by President Lloyd George.

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BRITISH OFFICIAL.

LONDON, Jan. 8. An enemy party raided our air base yesterday at noon in the neighborhood of Fleisquiers, the War Office announced. One of our men is missing. Hostile artillery showed some activity during the night in the neighborhood of Bullecourt and Passchendaele.

GUATEMALA.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8. A despatch from Guatemala City filed Saturday declared that violent earthquake shocks were continuing, reducing to ruins the few buildings left untouched by the previous quakes. With 30,000 people homeless and without sufficient temporary shelter, fears of disease epidemics are greatly increased.

RUSSIAN DELEGATES AT BREST-LITOVSK.

LONDON, Jan. 8. The Russian peace delegation including Foreign Minister Trotsky, reached Brest-Litovsk on Monday for the re-opening of negotiations that afternoon, according to a Berlin despatch received in Copenhagen.

MEAT SHORTAGE.

LONDON, Jan. 8. There was no improvement in the supply of meat at Smithfield Market this morning. Beef was scarcer than ever, but the supply of pork was a relief to retailers who had been selling nothing but a limited amount of mutton since Monday of last week. Tinned meat was largely bought by butchers who serve the working class districts. There was no demand for poultry, the public refusing to pay the almost famine price of 14 shillings for a chicken. Unless a larger amount of mutton is released it is feared a large number of small butcher shops will be forced to close.

GERMAN OFFICIAL.

BERLIN, Jan. 8. The Austro-German lines in the Monte Asolone sector on the Italian front were subjected yesterday to severe bursts of artillery fire at intervals, the army headquarters announced to-day. There were similar demonstrations along the Piave line. To the north of Vidar the fire continued to the night. The statement also says that isolated sectors in Flanders and southwest of Cambrai were subjected at times to violent fire. At dusk British companies attacked east of Bullecourt, but they were repulsed. In the Sangar region, in France, a lively artillery duel developed in the evening. It was revived early to-day after a quiet night.

NEWFOUNDLAND HONORED.

OTTAWA, Jan. 8. In the list of decorations appearing in to-day's cable from London in the newly created Order of the British Empire, is the name of W. A. M. Goode. Goode is a native of Newfoundland. He is well known all over Canada. He represented the Associated Press in the Spanish-American War and afterwards was its manager in London, England. When the London Standard was taken over by the Chamberlain party, Goode was made managing editor and took an active interest in all that makes for the Empire. For a time he was manager in Canada for the Standard of Empire.

LISTS DELAYED.

LONDON, Jan. 7. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—In order to meet the convenience of the Dominions and Colonies with the present slowness of communications, it has been arranged to defer until a later date, probably the 1st of March, the notification of lists of appointments to the Order of the British Empire in respect to services in or for the Dominions or Colonies.

AERIAL POSTAL SERVICE.

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SHIPS SHORT OF COAL.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Jan. 8. A number of ships loaded with supplies for the Allies which have been delayed for more than two weeks because of lack of coal sailed to-day for Europe. One of the steamers carried the first mail to leave here in seventeen days. Many vessels are idle at the docks here waiting for fuel.

AWARDS FOR WAR SERVICE.

LONDON, Jan. 7. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—The recipients of the various grades of orders of the British Empire for war services are headed by Dame of the Grand Cross conferred upon Queen Alexandra. Seven Knights of the Grand Cross include Sir Arthur Wilson, Director of Production, and Sir William Pender Wingate, High Commissioner for Egypt. Five Dames of the Grand Cross include Viscountess Northcliffe. Sixty-eight Knight Commanders include William Goode, Honorary Secretary of the National Committee of the Belgian Relief; Alexander Graef, Managing Director of the Fairfield Shipbuilding Company; John Lloyd, Director General of Recruiting; James McKeern, Managing Director of Vickers, Limited; Roderick James, Managing Director of Bonterra's Charles Stewart, Public Trustee; Major General Leo Stack, Acting Aidar. Fourteen Dames Commanders include Lady Lugard, founder of the War Widows Committee. Two hundred and seventy-two Commanders include Miss Stevenson, Private Secretary to Mr. Lloyd George. There is also a long roll of officers and members of the Order.

NAVAL TRADITIONS UPHOLD.

LONDON, Jan. 8. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—In connection with the loss of British destroyers, cabled on Dec. 29th, it transpires they successfully fulfilled the most important duties. When the first one was hit below the water line, the other destroyers, including mines and submarines, unhesitatingly responded to the call for assistance and threw everything floatable overboard to the men in the water. Many of them were saved, while from another destroyer sinking with all on board, all were taken off in the most skillful manner. Everyone behaved in accordance with the highest traditions of the British Navy. A surgeon, after hours in the water, attended wounded and some of the rescue.

CRITICIZES LLOYD GEORGE.

LONDON, Jan. 8. M. Farman, former London correspondent of the Petrograd Bouras Gazette, writes to the London press that the British Premier's statement of war aims widened and deepened the gulf between the West and revolutionary Russia, instead of bridging it. The Premier's reference to Russia, says M. Farman, will be interpreted there as giving Germany a free hand to deal with Russia as she desires. The writer accuses the Premier of throwing over Russia in childish petulance and vindictiveness because the Bolsheviks have been guilty of a breach of diplomatic decorum.

WILL WITHSTAND THE SHOCK.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8. The expected German offensive in the west, Secretary Baker's weekly war review to-day says will possibly be their greatest assault, but the British and French armies can be relied upon to withstand the shock.

FAMOUS GENERAL DEAD.

PARIS, Jan. 8. General Grossetti who commanded the forty second division under General Foch in the battle of the Marne and executed the famous flank movement which decided the fate of the French army, died at the age of 55. General Grossetti took part in the operations in Champagne and Verdun and subsequently commanded the army at Salonika. He relinquished the command last October on account of illness to return home.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

WASHINGTON, To-day. A favorable report was submitted by the House on Women's Suffrage Committee to-day on the Baker federal suffrage amendment resolution. It is identical with the one already reported without recommendation by the Judiciary Committee. The House votes on Suffrage on Thursday.

GERMAN ATTACK REPLUNDED.

PARIS, Jan. 8. German troops which attempted to advance on the Verdun front after bombardment, were driven back by the French fire last night, it was announced officially. Heavy artillery fighting continues on the Champagne front.

GERMAN OFFICIAL.

BERLIN, Jan. 8. (Official)—There was spirited artillery fighting between Lake Ochrviva and Lake Preba, in Gorna Bend, and between Yardar and Lake Doiran, on the Macedonia front. German Jaegers brought in French prisoners from trenches west of Lake Preba, which hitherto have been defended by Russians. All fronts are embraced in the terms of the armistice agreed to between Russia and the Central Powers, and in conformity therewith the Russians in Macedonia evidently have been withdrawn from the trenches as were those in France recently.

COMMENT ON BRITAIN'S WAR AIMS.

LONDON, Jan. 8. While no German official or semi-official has yet been issued much newspaper comment has been received. Some of the German press recognize the moderation of the speech but they declare without exception that the conditions laid down can't be accepted. It is considered significant, however, that the comment of the Vorwarts has not been received, so that the opinion of the Socialists in Germany is unknown outside of that country. Austria papers, according

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When arrested he had \$300 worth of diamonds in his pockets which the officers say he admitted stealing.

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Thanks.

Miss L. Collett and Miss L. Wakely wish to heartily thank the ladies of St. Buffett who sent baskets to be enclosed at the basket party which was held on January 2nd. Sincere thanks are also tendered to Capt. Geo. Brown and Mr. Isaac Wakely who acted as auctioneers, and whose untiring efforts went far to induce the gentlemen to open their purses so liberally. The total amount raised was \$121.20, of which \$40.00 goes to buy wool for socks, \$20.00 to the Overseas Club for cigarettes for our Buffett boys at the front, and \$61.20 to the Imperial Red Cross Fund.

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H. J. HERDER, Proprietor, W. A. WINTER, B.A., Editor, WEDNESDAY, Jan. 9th, 1917.

The Plot Exposed.

Since the present political crisis was brought about at the opening of the New Year, by the announced resignation of Sir Edward Morris to whom we shall refer by that name in what follows, since we do not yet know what title he has assumed and because we are dealing mostly with past events, the storm that has arisen has raged over the whole political ground and has lately shown a tendency to centre itself around matters of detail, important enough in themselves but apt to distract the attention of the public from more important and from the true nature of the whole situation itself. To these objects we propose here to direct that attention once more, and to endeavour to show the country in general what has been going on in the past and the ugly thing that threatens it in the near future, that menace the phases of which the capable pen of our correspondent "vigilance" has been so well describing. We shall leave tonnage and other committees for the present and speak of larger things. The situation which has arisen is the logical result of past events, the consummation, to put it more exactly, of a conspiracy, a conspiracy as deep, as crafty and as dangerous as it could be possible to imagine in this century and on such a stage as this country affords. The arch-conspirator, the master hand that has guided the rest, is the man who has been lately honoured for his country's sake, Sir Edward Morris. In order to understand the designs of which he has been the centre and which he has so successfully carried out, it is necessary for us to notice briefly the recent course of his political career. It is the popular and natural belief both in Newfoundland and, more so, outside it, that the very high mark of honour conferred upon Sir Edward Morris is but a reflection, and meant to be such, of the honour in which the country which he has until now represented is universally held. To put it in a few words, that the Prime Minister of Newfoundland has been elevated to the peerage because of the magnificent achievements of the Newfoundland Regiment. The belief is doubtless correct, or partly so. We shall not comment at length upon that aspect of the matter because, to be frank, comment is painful. We recognize the fact that honours like these are often conferred for such reasons on men who would not otherwise receive them, and if there were in this case no great impropriety in it we should not say anything. But how can we congratulate the country for the indirect recognition, or him who has received it directly, remembering what part Sir Edward Morris has played in that respect and towards that very source of his honour, the Newfoundland Regiment? Remembering, as we do, how no part in its formation, its guidance, its maintenance or its encouragement; how, when it needed men, he shrank from providing them; how neither himself nor one of his followers lived up to his first duty as his country's representative to go to his district and ask men to come forward; how, when the Recruiting Committee concluded years of strenuous, self-sacrificing and most valuable work by recommending conscription as the only means of keeping the Regiment in the line, and when the Patriotic Association endorsed the recommendation unanimously, he ignored it and the men behind it completely and contemptuously, and instructed the Government, then in session, to have nothing to do with it; how, in the heat of the dispute arising out of the Profits Tax Bill, he denounced and vilified, from his place in the House of Assembly, those men who done most and given most of the whole country, in and to the great cause, and that in language familiar to a disreputable husting; how, before he left the country, when the need of soldiers was too imperative to be ignored, he enlisted the services of all the newspapers, with the double object of shifting his own responsibility and of stifling criticism; how, when that has been achieved and nine out of ten enlistments since that date can be ascribed already to that very campaign,

he now boasts openly, in the London and Canadian papers, of the "beneficial results" in recruiting of the formation of the Coalition Ministry; how, when the Regiment has been praised he has ever been to the fore to receive the greatest measure of the praises, having done nothing to help it but stood the greatest obstacle in the way of the support which the country longed to give it—how, in the light of these things, can we pretend to feel that the great honour, won through others, has fallen on one in the least fit to receive and to bear it? True, some say that others may reap, but was there ever so bitter a sowing for so empty and contemptible a harvest? But this is not all. We may be sure that the position which Sir Edward Morris occupied would lead those who had the dispensing of honours like this to inquire first into the state of politics here in Newfoundland, and would have borne themselves nobly on the battlefield and on the seven seas; how was Newfoundland, at home being herself? It here that we can imagine the late Premier distinguishing himself, exhibiting to full and triumphant effect the wiles and guile that he so successfully replaced in him the honest ability that has raised many another. "Look," he says to them in England and at Downing Street, "how united and one accord the country is. Look at this union of political men, this coalition, that I have brought about. No longer any thought of politics, no time for quarrelling, all occupied in putting their combined weight and energy into the great task of winning the war." This is not the least imagination on our part: it is the obvious thing for him to say under the circumstances, and he is plainly inspiring the numerous references in the foreign press which are to-day merely paraphrasing our very words. We need go no further. The two pictures thus presented of his native country would be more than sufficient to cause complete satisfaction at the front and source of honour. What we desire to deal with here is the exact manner in which this political union, which has served Sir Edward's purposes so well, was brought about. At some time since the last general election it became evident to Sir Edward Morris that he had small chance of leading his party victoriously at the polls. It was time, to put it expressively, to slip out. But a very great deal would depend, as to its effects upon himself, of the manner and circumstances of the slipping. His heart-yearned, we know, for the home country. Visions of a comfortable appointment, some dignified sinecure, floated before his eyes. How was he to make them substantial, to translate them into reality? Plainly, he was most desirous that he should be succeeded by a leader favourable to the project; far better would it be if he left behind him also a government united and harmonious, a "national" administration. How well all these conditions have been achieved, and how admirably all the circumstances of the times have lent themselves to the same purpose, we can now see plainly enough. The first step was obvious. It was to approach the leader of the opposition, who was, of course, Mr. Coaker. This was done, as far as we can see, somewhere about a year or more ago. But an important factor had to be considered. Sir Edward Morris could do nothing, of course, without the concurrence and assistance of the one absorbing ambition, the object of these gentlemen is, as everyone knows, to effect the confederation of Newfoundland and Canada. We will not discuss here the merits of the confederation question. We know it has much in favor of it, much against it. It is not a question which this country may have changed since it was last made a real issue. But we can say this much. The people of this country will be ready enough to entertain that question, to listen to a discussion of its merits and to decide upon them, when, and not until, it is put to them in a clear and straightforward manner. The one thing they will not tolerate is to have their whole destiny decided, or in any way affected, by the hold and corner plotting of a few men who would not otherwise be going on. Mr. Coaker, and his associates, a mirabile dictu, Mr. Coaker proved tractable. We spoke recently of the alliance formed between the F.P.U. and the Reid-Newfoundland Company, with his usual bluster and his usual crudity of judgment, challenged us loudly to produce our proofs of so infamous a charge, never dreaming that we could or would do so. The extract from the Montreal Star which we published yesterday provided all the first of them. We now offer another. In a letter which Sir William Reid wrote to Lord Shaftesbury last month the following striking paragraph occurs: "I beg to remind you that in order to ensure the success of Confederation in Newfoundland, it was deemed necessary to secure a union of political parties here. With a view to effecting such an union, Mr. H. D. Reid and Mr. Crawford had been doing their best to gain the co-operation of Mr. W. F. Coaker, the President of the Fishermen's Union here, when it was an organization with great political influence. These two gentlemen arranged that Mr. Coaker should take a trip through the Southern States, and to divert Mr. Coaker's journey in the direction of Ottawa, as they were desirous that he should be educated in the matter of Confederation. It thus paved the way for that community of interest between the rival political parties here that has resulted in the amalgamation of their forces. I ask you to believe that all the work was not unimportant either to the interests of Newfoundland or of the Reid-Newfoundland Company."

sembled last summer. We ask our readers to throw their minds back to that time, and to refresh their memories as to the stand taken by Mr. Coaker and the Advocate then. We have spoken, and still speak, of Sir Edward Morris as the master plotter, but what an apt pupil the master had! The whole of the bitter antagonism of Mr. Coaker and his paper, the whole of its abuse of the Morris party, the whole of its uncompromising attitude and its insistence upon an election, are now seen to have been the merest bluff, the merest camouflage, the merest blind to mislead public opinion. The union had already been effected. The only thing that prevented its being consummated before the House opened, or within a few days after, was the great difficulty which both plotters experienced in shepherding their respective flocks, in bringing their followers into line with their little plans. But they succeeded at last. That great event took place, the coalition of the parties in a NATIONAL government, through which the one conspirator had the control, for a very short time, of the country against which he has secretly plotted. The rest is all but a mere shadow. The rest is the part of the whole, Sir Edward's disappearance from the scene had yet to be effected. It was arranged, as we know, that Mr. Coaker was to succeed him, and that he was to do so in a way which would sustain the appearance of a continuity in the "national" administration, while in reality it merely completed the transfer of the government into the complete control of the F.P.U. To allay his followers' suspicions, Sir Edward Morris not merely did not inform them of the disgraceful pact, but actually represented to them Mr. Coaker as seeking, and himself as agreeing upon and has since come to pass. If there is anything in the pages of Macchivelli that surpasses all this, we must read him again. We have said enough to show the country plainly where and how he stands. Can any reasonable man now refuse to believe that it is for the moment at the mercy of these two grasping corporations, the Reid-Newfoundland Company and the F. P. U.? That the latter, professing the greatest hostility to the former, is in reality in complete accord with it? Who can fail to see the extreme peril that threatens the country? Happily it can yet be averted, but it must be averted in complete accord with the Government should be to move for the appointment of a Royal Commission to deal with all that is involved in that connection. All hope of this vanishes at once if the Coaker party continue to hold power, for their political alliance with the Reid-Newfoundland Company effectively bars such an inquiry. Was the appointment of Mr. Higgins, Solicitor to the Reid-Newfoundland Company, to a seat in the Executive Council part of the agreement to which you referred? Whether it was or not matters little in considering the fitness of the thing. If Dr. Lloyd proposed Mr. Higgins to His Excellency the Governor as a fit and suitable person to meet at His Excellency's Council Board, then I do not hesitate to say that Dr. Lloyd was guilty of an attempt to deceive His Excellency, or was guilty of unpardonable ignorance of the grave responsibility that attaches to him as first Minister of the Crown. His Excellency could not know that Mr. Higgins is the Solicitor of a corporate concern under enormous contractual obligations to the people of this country, unless he was so informed; but Dr. Lloyd knew it, and he also knew that when a former Solicitor of the Reid-Newfoundland Company was smuggled into the Executive, immediately the representative of the Crown was made aware of it, he very properly dismissed that Solicitor, and strongly censured those responsible for naming him to the Executive. I wish I could say of Dr. Lloyd's alleged naming of Mr. Higgins to the Executive Council, "actus non facit reum, nisi mens sit rea", but I cannot do so, for if the allegation be correct, it was a crime for which he should pay the proper penalty. Yours truly, VIGILANCE.

The Menace to the Country.

Editor Evening Telegram. Sir,—I said in my letter yesterday that the system of binding political candidates by an oath of allegiance to a Union Council is a degradation of Parliament, a subversion of the very spirit of representative Government that is embodied in the Ballot Act. It is something more than that, for it is the tool of tyranny. Under and by virtue of it Unions, Corporations, or, as in the present instance of a Coalition Government, where a Union has a majority representation in the Executive Government, may divert the public revenues to facilitate their own business. The Daily News has published one instance of this being done to the extent of fifty thousand dollars. The orders of the President of the Union must be obeyed, or the oath of allegiance is broken, and the penalty follows. No man who is contemptible enough to thus sacrifice his liberty for a seat in the House of Assembly is likely to destroy those orders, hence we have arrived at a period in our parliamentary history when it behoves every lover of liberty, every upright, manly man, to spurn this unclean instrument of corruption, and to do its utmost to destroy its influence. The situation is particularly alarming in the light of the revelation made by you in your editorial of Wednesday last, that the Reid-Newfoundland Company has lately formed an alliance, for political purposes, with the F. P. U., looking to a joint control of public affairs and legislation." For exactly twenty years the Reid-Newfoundland Company have persistently, indecently, and violently sought to control the public affairs and legislation of this Colony, and as you say, for the past ten years, under Sir Edward Morris, they have succeeded in so doing. One of the first duties of an incoming Government should be to move for the appointment of a Royal Commission to deal with all that is involved in that connection. All hope of this vanishes at once if the Coaker party continue to hold power, for their political alliance with the Reid-Newfoundland Company effectively bars such an inquiry. Was the appointment of Mr. Higgins, Solicitor to the Reid-Newfoundland Company, to a seat in the Executive Council part of the agreement to which you referred? Whether it was or not matters little in considering the fitness of the thing. If Dr. Lloyd proposed Mr. Higgins to His Excellency the Governor as a fit and suitable person to meet at His Excellency's Council Board, then I do not hesitate to say that Dr. Lloyd was guilty of an attempt to deceive His Excellency, or was guilty of unpardonable ignorance of the grave responsibility that attaches to him as first Minister of the Crown. His Excellency could not know that Mr. Higgins is the Solicitor of a corporate concern under enormous contractual obligations to the people of this country, unless he was so informed; but Dr. Lloyd knew it, and he also knew that when a former Solicitor of the Reid-Newfoundland Company was smuggled into the Executive, immediately the representative of the Crown was made aware of it, he very properly dismissed that Solicitor, and strongly censured those responsible for naming him to the Executive. I wish I could say of Dr. Lloyd's alleged naming of Mr. Higgins to the Executive Council, "actus non facit reum, nisi mens sit rea", but I cannot do so, for if the allegation be correct, it was a crime for which he should pay the proper penalty. Yours truly, VIGILANCE.

Death of Bishop Jones.

Was Thirty-Nine Years Bishop of Newfoundland. There passed peacefully away at Bishop's Court at 3.45 o'clock this morning, His Lordship Bishop Jones, Prelate of the Anglican Church in Newfoundland and Bermuda. His Lordship does not permit us to give an extended account of the life and work of the venerable cleric, who was respected by all classes and creeds throughout the country, who will learn with deep regret of his passing. He was born at Born at his parents' on Oct. 7th, 1849, he received his early education at Eton and later at Cambridge, graduating in the U.S.A. in 1872. He was later honoured by that school of learning with the degree of D.D., which honour was conferred at his consecration as Bishop in 1878. The consecration ceremony was performed by the then Archbishop of Canterbury, assisted by the Bishops of London and the late Bishop Kelly of Newfoundland, Bishop Jones' predecessor. His Lordship reached our shores in July, 1878, and in the same month in the Cathedral in the same month. His first visitation to the northern part of the Diocese took place in the same summer, and was followed by a visit to the southern part in June of the following year. His Lordship presided over a meeting of the Synod. Among the many works of his Lordship, which have been restored, was the choir, transepts and sanctuary of the old cathedral, which he consecrated on September 4th, 1882. The sacred edifice was destroyed in the great fire of 1892. The choir and transepts were again restored in 1892. His Lordship has been succeeded, as was later rebuilt and was consecrated on St. Matthew's Day, Sept. 21st, 1905, exactly 55 years from the date of his consecration of the old nave by Bishop Field. During his many years as head of the Anglican community in this country, Bishop Jones ordained one hundred and thirty clergymen, the greater number of whom he ordained both Deacon and Priest. In Oct. 1889, His Lordship was married to Alice, daughter of Sir A. Archibald, Lt-Governor of Nova Scotia, the wedding ceremony being performed at Halifax. Mrs. Jones predeceased her husband in June, 1902. The Bishop leaves two sons, Llewellyn Field, British Legion, and one daughter, Miss Dorothy in England, who resides with her aunt, Mrs. (Rev. Canon) Reginald Heygate. Owing to advanced age and ill health which prevented His Lordship from performing his duties, he decided to relinquish his high office on July 9th, 1917, with a decision which was learned of with deep regret by church people and others throughout the country. We have been informed that the remains of the late prelate will be conveyed from his home at Bishop's Court to the Cathedral to-morrow evening, where they will lie in state until three o'clock on Friday afternoon when the funeral will take place. The sacred edifice will be open day and night, when visitors may attend the church. A special celebration of the Holy Communion will be held on Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

Funeral of the Late Bishop Jones.

The funeral of the Right Rev. Llewellyn Jones, D.D., will take place at the Cathedral on Friday, January 11th, at 3 p.m. There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at the Cathedral on Friday morning at 9 o'clock. When you want Minced Colons, try ELLIS.

Supreme Court.

(Before Mr. Justice Kent.) Murphy vs. The Fishermen's Star of The Sea Association. This was an action by the plaintiff, the widow of a member of the defendant association against the defendant on a policy of insurance for \$100. The facts, which were not disputed were as follows: Mr. Murphy was insured in the defendant association in 1904 and took out a policy for the usual sum of \$100. About the latter part of 1915, by reason of a deficiency in his income "The Star" found it necessary to effect some economies, and amongst others effected reduction of the insurance benefit to \$60. This was duly done under the Rules which had a proviso for amendment by two-thirds vote of the members present at a regular meeting after three months previous notice in writing had been given. The plaintiff contended that as the rules had a retrospective effect and effected reduction of the benefit, the amendment was of no effect. The defendants through their counsel, Mr. Gibbs, K.C., set up as a defence the amended rules and also pleaded that the insured by his conduct waived his rights under the policy. They paid into the court the sum of \$60 which they had already tendered and denied further liability. The Court in a rather lengthy judgment sustained the contentions of the defence, holding that the true contract was embodied in the policy of insurance and that the terms imparted by the amended rules, and that the plaintiff could only recover the amount which the defendant had paid into the Court. The Court also awarded to the defendant the costs of the action. Mr. Conroy, K.C., for the plaintiff; Mr. Gibbs, K.C., for the defendant.

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Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 30c. m.w.

Police Court.

(Before Judge Morris.) A 52-year old stoker was charged with being drunk. He was released on payment of conveyance. Sergt. Byrne had another Spanish seaman before court, charged with a breach of the Prohibition Act. The defendant pleaded "not guilty." The hearing of the case was deferred till this afternoon.

Here and There.

When you want Sausages, why—get ELLIS'; they're the best. SUCCESSFUL COMEDY—The soldiers at the Waterford Hall Convalescent Home presented the comedy, "Miss Kirkland's Money," with much success at Canon Wood Hall last night. LADIES' DRESSING CASES, BRUSH, Comb and Mirror, BOWRING BROS., LTD., Hardware Dept. dec24,so,tf

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FOR SOLDIERS AND SAILORS—An entertainment is being given in the Presbyterian Hall this evening to returned soldiers and sailors, by the Daughters of Empire.

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BOWRING'S SHIPS. The Portia left Channel to-day, commencing east. The Prospero sails to-morrow morning for northern ports with a full freight.

Successful Concert.

A very successful concert was held at Caplin Cove on Dec. 29th, in the Orange Hall, in aid of a new C.H.E. schoolroom, headed by Walter G. Cull. The programme consisted of dialogues, songs and recitations, and an opening item being that old favorite "Rule Britannia." The dialogue "Honour to the Best of Policy" was well acted, and it was successful. The chairman, our good old friend H. Thomas Cull, in his address which was brief, made every one feel at home. To wind up the sociable a good old "Pie" sale was held; one pie was sold for eight dollars, one pie was sold for \$10 to go towards the raising of a new schoolroom.—Com.

Cleveland Rubber Company, St. John's.

Dear Sir,—I must write you my thanks for my "Prize, Misses' Long Boots." I received them O.K. and cannot thank you too much for them. I can say I am proud to be a Prize Winner, but how proud am I of my Buddy Boots; for I have been wearing a pair for nearly a year, and they are still good—just as tight as ever. Wishing you a Happy New Year, I remain,

FRANKLIN TUCKER, Winterton.

TRADESMEN LEAVE FOR HALIFAX—Secretary-Treasurer, Secretary of the City Council arranged for the transportation to Halifax of a number of carpenters, who left here yesterday to work in the Nova Scotia town. A batch of masons and carpenters will also be leaving here to-morrow.

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MILITIA ORDERS. By Hon. J. C. Crosbie, Acting Minister of Militia. Promotion: To be Lieutenants from 1st January: Second Lieutenant H. M. Maddick, Second Lieutenant R. B. Herder, J. C. CROSBIE, Acting Minister of MILITIA. Jan. 5th, 1918. His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint William Woodford, Esq., to be a member of the Executive Council. NOTE—The Executive Council now consists of the following: Hon. W. F. Lloyd, K.C., D.C.L., Prime Minister. Hon. M. P. Cashin, J. C. Crosbie, W. F. Coaker, J. A. CHI, K.C., W. W. Halford, A. B. Hickman, W. J. Ellis, William Woodford. His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Hon. W. F. Lloyd, to be Acting Colonial Secretary; Hon. J. C. Crosbie, to be Acting Minister of Militia; Hon. J. A. CHI, K.C., to be Acting Minister of Agriculture and Mines. Department of the Colonial Secretary, January 5th, 1918. His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint John R. Bennett, Esq., to be Acting Minister of Militia, in place of Hon. J. C. Crosbie, resigned. Dept. of the Colonial Secretary, January 5th, 1918.

McMurdo's Store News

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 9, 1918. If you have any kind of fabrics to dye—it does not matter if cotton, wool or silk or a mixture of any of them, you are perfectly safe in expecting good results if you use the Sunset Soap Dyes. These dyes in large variety of colours and shades are rapidly and inevitably becoming the most popular dyes on the market. The ease with which they are used, the brilliancy of the tints imparted by them, the fact that they will color all kinds of fabrics, and the fact that they will not stain the hands or utensils, all tell in their favour. Price 15 cts. pkg.

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MARRIED.

On the 6th inst., at St. Patrick's Church, by the Rev. Father Renouf, Miss Mary Fitzgerald, of this city, to Mr. Patrick Hanlon, of Portugal Cove.

DIED.

At 8 o'clock this morning, after a long and lingering illness, James Francis Pearcey, son of Moses and Naomi Percey, leaving a wife, mother, father, two brothers and one sister and a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn the sad loss of a loving son and devoted husband; funeral on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m., from his father's residence, 54 Braddell's Square, Montreal and Toronto papers please copy.

EXPRESS PASSENGERS—The following first class passengers are on the incoming express: C. G. Larsen, G. G. Powell, Capt. C. Orsen, A. G. Kozie, Miss M. Randall, A. and M. Braddell, Mrs. A. Molan, S. Matheson, Miss C. Keating, Lieut. C. E. and Mrs. Carter, C. S. Moore, Corp. J. Horwood, Rev. G. Marcese, J. Seward, G. Browning, C. S. Moore, Corp. J. Stroude, L.-Corp. R. Crumney, P. A. Coady, W. Lidstrom, W. Garland, Meaney, L. Pilgrim.

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From Cape Race. Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind S.E., strong, with dense fog and rain. Nothing heard passing Bar. 28.75. Ther. 42.

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ANOTHER FISH CARRIER GONE.

The Capt. E. S. Hocken, Captain Courtenay, was lost last week while on her way to St. John's from a South American port, according to a message received by A. S. Rendell & Co. The met heavy weather, sprung a leak and had to be abandoned. The captain and crew were rescued in a life-boat and landed safely.

Casualty List.

RECEIVED JANUARY 8TH, 1918. Missing Nov. 30th. 3519 — Private Chesley Bennett, Lewisport, N.D.B. 40th Stationary Hospital, Etaples, Jan. 5th—Dangerously Ill, Suspect Cerebro Spinal Fever. 3048—Sergt. Reg. Bayley White, St. John's. Removed from Seriously Ill List January 6th. 2085—Private Willis Spurrell, Badger's Quay, B.B. Previously Reported Missing, Now Reported Prisoners of War, Registered at Limburg, Dec. 5th. 2714—Private Norman Baker, Newmann's Cove, B.B. 1818—Private Michael Campbell, Campbell's Creek, Port aux Basques. 3274—Private Albert Martin, St. John's. 1387—Private Wm. Notfall, Broad Cove, B.D.V. 2745 — Private Alexander Warren, Leaside Street. 2333—Private Fred Diamond, Flat Island, P.B., 2150—Private Ernest Butler, 146 Ford Street, Revere, Mass.

Liquor Cases Dismissed

The hearing of the case against the defendant for a breach of the Prohibition Act was continued in the Magistrate's Court yesterday afternoon. Mr. Higgins, counsel for defendant, called defendant's wife, who corroborated the testimony given in the previous day that the complainant had undertaken not to prosecute the defendant and had assured him in her presence that he was to be brought up only as a witness. At the conclusion of this evidence, Mr. Hunt, counsel for the prosecution, asked leave to withdraw the case, resting another case for which a summons had been issued against the same defendant by Noseworthy for having liquor in his possession. In making the motion Mr. Hunt pointed out that, in the light of the evidence given, he was satisfied that both the defendant and his wife understood they were not going to be prosecuted, but that such was not the intention of Head Constable Noseworthy (whose evidence was unopposed). He paid tribute to this officer's long service and good record and felt sure that the Magistrate would deliberately entrap the defendant. Mr. Higgins stated that one of the unfortunate results of endeavouring to carry the Prohibition Act into effect was the difficulty of securing evidence. On this ground he argued that the defendant should be acquitted which the police sometimes found themselves and that perhaps, unwittingly an impression, such as in this case, had been created in the mind of his client, however, he was compelled to take the course he had adopted, but at the same time he was satisfied that in the present instance any impression made in the minds of the defendant and his wife were there possibly by the conduct of the defence and at the conclusion of the hearing Judge Morris held with the contention of the defence and dismissed the case.

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YOUTHS', BOYS' and MEN'S RUBBER BOOTS.

Resolutions to Mend.

By RUTH CAMERON



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Just As Good As New. We were talking about New Year's resolutions yesterday. One man said, "No, I don't make New Year's resolutions. What's the use. You are sure to break them and then you stop trying." I hate that point of view. It is one of the half truths that do more harm than lies.

A Broken Vow Is Not An Absolution.

Doubtless vows do do harm when one feels that in breaking them one has been absolved from trying again until next New Year's day. But why on earth should one feel that way?

New Year's resolutions may not accomplish miracles. Few things do. But they are a step in the right direction. They don't furnish the stick-to-it-iveness. We have to do that ourselves. But they furnish a definite goal. They trace out a path. And most of us travel better in a path.

I think we all ought to reckon up our character accounts on New Year's Day. We need such stock-takings sorely. There are businesses whose owners never know whether they are solvent or not because they never take stock properly. And there are individuals who never know whether they are solvent in the business of living, whether they are getting on any from year to year, whether their assets are greater than their liabilities because they never stop and take stock.

Stop To-day and Take Stock. So by all means take stock on New Year's Day and then make your vows to stop the leaks, and to make more progress in the coming year.

Don't make the vows too ambitious and all embracing, and don't expect that they will be broken. But if, by any chance they should be broken don't throw them away in the dust heap of broken vows and other unpleasant memories.

Just pick them up, patch them together with the cement of new resolution and undaunted courage and go at it again. If you will honestly and thoroughly use those that remedy you will find them every bit as good as new.

A broken vow is not a tragedy, but a broken courage, a broken will toward the right, is.

"It is not vows that keep the world right, but the prayers of a man's soul from day to day."

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JERUSALEM.

Jerusalem, the hoary, gray town of wondrous age, whose palpitating story is writ in scripture's page! The feet of British strangers are in your streets to-day, where once the money changers were scourged for crooked play. Your customs and your manners are much the same as when the Pharaohs swung their banners, and brought home captive men. Your gray walls, still standing, were frowning grim and dark, when Jonah went joy riding, and Noah built his ark. Jerusalem, eternal, no doubt it makes you raw, to see a British colonel a-laying down the law. To see

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Small Ribs of Family Mess Pork.

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- 30 1/2-cs. Spanish Onions.
- 30 crates Texas Onions.
- 30 bxs. Fcy. Table Apples
- 5 boxes Grape Fruit.
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your storied places re-echo to the tread of blonde and freckled races, with whiskers showing red! Good bye to ancient custom, to old time ways farewell! The Brits will bust 'em, while they among you dwell. There is a strange time coming, Jerusalem, alas, when you'll have modern plumbing, electric lights and gas. And autos will go chugging, as busy as bay steers, where donkeys have been plugging five thousand sleepy years. And there'll be morning papers to greet you when you rise, your grocers and your drapers will learn to advertise. Jerusalem, the British will speed your laggard step, for they are blithe and skittish, and full of vim and pep. You've slept and dreamed while races grew up and knew decay, but now your ancient places will learn the modern way.

\$1,000,000 Offer

For 25-Round Bout Between Willard and Fulton for Red Cross.

Philadelphia, Dec. 29.—The first \$1,000,000 ever offered for an athletic event in the history of the world, is Matt Hinkel's bid for the Willard-Fulton championship bout, provided it is held in New York, Philadelphia or Cleveland and allowed to go 25 rounds. This offer was made by Mr. Hinkel to-day. He says:

"If the Red Cross believes that \$1,000,000 cannot be taken in for their cause, I will guarantee that amount, take all the chances and stage the bout myself under the conditions I have named.

"My offer is not made to exploit myself, but to help the Red Cross in the great war. There may be some people who cannot realize that a big earning proposition this proposed match is, and to show them, what can be expected, I am making this offer of \$1,000,000."

WILLARD'S TERMS.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Willard to-day declared that he would meet anyone that a committee of five newspaper men name as his opponent. Here are Willard's terms:

Bout to be held in Chicago, New York, or some big city, preferably Chicago; contest to be limited to ten rounds; no decision, with no title at stake; contest to take place next

Imperial Red Cross.

- Amt already acknowledged, \$32,569.96
- Helen Thompson, proceeds of small show 5.00
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- John R. Whiteway, Musgrave Harbor 5.00
- Sale of Dolls' Clothes, per the Misses Gladys Grant, Edith Lush and Besse Williams 17.15
- T. & J. French, Main Point, Gander Bay 50.00
- William Miller, New Hr. T.B., per C. T. Richards, Glenwood 5.00
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- Women's Patriotic Association, Cottle's Cove, New Bay 5.00

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THE HAIR.

The hair is one of nature's gifts which is never appreciated until it is all gone, or beginning to depart and leave footprints in the wash bowl. A man will start out in married life with high hopes and a thick head of natural hair, and will allow it to come up alone and unaided and lop over his ear lobes with no other encouragement than the semi-annual shampoo. Just the minute, however, that he begins to miss it from its accustomed haunts he will try to coax it back with scalp rubs, tar soap preparations and liquid dandruff removers, only to cry "too late" and be obliged to sit for his picture with a Derby hat on.

The hair was given to man so that he would not be confused with other vegetables. It would seem that man, who of all the works of creation is the only one which can part his hair in the middle and still look 2 per cent. human, would prize this gift more than he does and keep up the repairs on it better. Yet we see all around us men who once had long, flowing locks, but who now retain nothing but their courage and sideburns. This teaches us that man, who is looked up to by woman as a model of wisdom and foresight, is in reality one of the most acute mental disappointments in the animal kingdom.

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A. COTE, Merchant. St. Isidore, Que., 12 May, '98.

Hr. Grace Notes.

Services of Intercession were held in all the churches in town yesterday on behalf of the War. Unfortunately the day was very disagreeable, and but small congregations were at each church.

It is feared we are bordering on a coal famine here. A number of our prominent citizens are meeting in the town hall this evening to consider ways and means of averting the same. The S. S. Euphrates left for Bell Island yesterday afternoon taking a number of men for the Island.

Many people are hoping for a little snow soon, so as to be able to get in the woods and thus help to relieve the coal situation.

Mr. Joseph Garland who died here on Saturday forenoon was buried yesterday afternoon in the R. C. Cemetery.

The pupils of the different colleges of St. John's, who were home spending their vacation will leave for St. John's by to-morrow morning's train. Union Services will be held this week in the Presbyterian and Methodist Churches, commencing to-night in the Kirk, to-morrow night in the Methodist and alternately for the rest of the week.

CORRESPONDENT.

Hr. Grace, Jan. 7th, 1918.

Week of Prayer.

Wednesday: Gower St. Subject: Christian Missions. Speaker, Rev. N. M. Guy.

Thursday: St. Andrew's (Presbyterian). Subject: The Home and the School. Speaker, Rev. Dr. Bond.

Friday: Wesley. Subject: Nations and their Rulers. Speaker, Rev. Dr. Curtis.

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Mrs. Wm. Bailey	5
W. B. Keon	5
W. R. Barlow	5
W. W. Gent	5
J. Hefferton	5
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D. Grant	5
Victor Coleridge	5
James Guy	5
Mrs. Oakley	5
Mrs. J. B. Lockyer	5
Mrs. Emma White	5
Mrs. Joan Lockyer	5
Mrs. John Woolridge	5
John Green	2
L. W. Earle	2
Cap. R. Fowlow	2
Mrs. Emma Hiscock	2
C. B. Somerton	1
Herce Fowlow	1
W. B. Belbin	1
Victor Maidment	1
Arthur White	1
Rev. C. M. Stickings	10
J. Morris	5
Joseph Morris	5
Sergeant Ryan	5
Mrs. R. Fowlow	1
Mrs. Ada L. Earle	1
Mrs. Sophie Barnes	1
Mrs. Mary Barnes	1
Mrs. Jacqueline Lockyer	1
Mrs. and M. L. Jenkins	5
Mrs. Jas. D. Lockyer	2
George Morris	1
Charles Morris	2
Mrs. Charles Morris	1
Martin Bartlett	1
W. E. McGrath	1
W. N. White	2
Louis Goldsworthy	1
Elliot Stone	1
Wm. Tibbs	1
Wm. Alfred Lock	1
James Meaney	1
Allan Penney	1
Mrs. M. DeGrish	1
John Sheehan	1

WARD 2.

Somerton	\$20
Geo. Palmer	1
Wm. Geo. Hayter	1
Mrs. Christian	1
Patrick Crocker	1
Martin Rowe	1
Thomas Maybee	1
Harry Hayter	1
Richard Woolridge	1
Mrs. John Brown	1
Mrs. Wm. House, Jr.	1
Mrs. Wm. House, Sr.	1
Mrs. John Rowe	1
Mrs. Geo. Lock	1
Patrick Eagan	1
Rev. W. M. Tarahan	2
Mrs. M. Day	1
Mrs. Wm. Connolly	1
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WARD 2.

Table listing names and amounts for Ward 2, including Somerton, Geo. Palmer, Wm. Geo. Hayter, etc.

DUNFIELD.

Table listing names and amounts for Dunfield, including Jacob Clark, Jacob Bellows, etc.

TROUTY.

Table listing names and amounts for Trouty, including Charles King, Jr., Mrs. Charles King, etc.

WARD 3.

Table listing names and amounts for Ward 3, including Edward Rowe, Mrs. Edward Rowe, etc.

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WARD 6.

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WARD 9.

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WARD 10.

Table listing names and amounts for Ward 10, including Mrs. John Woodridge, John Green, etc.

Table listing names and amounts for SPANARD'S COVE, including George H. Miller, Eli James, etc.

NEW BONAVENTURE, CAT COVE AND KEY'S HARBOUR.

Table listing names and amounts for New Bonaventure, Cat Cove and Key's Harbour, including Charles King, David Miller, etc.

WARD 11.

Table listing names and amounts for Ward 11, including Mrs. John Woodridge, John Green, etc.

WARD 12.

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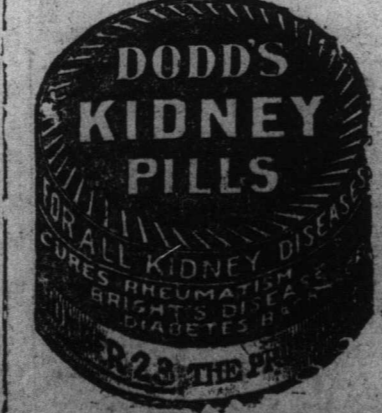
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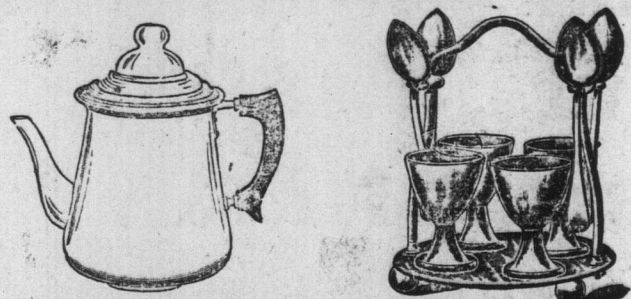
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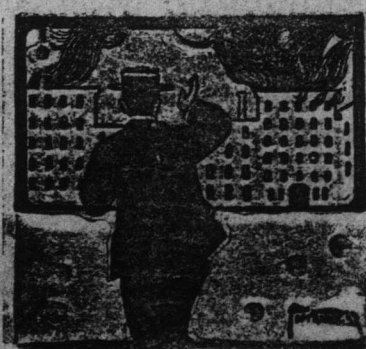
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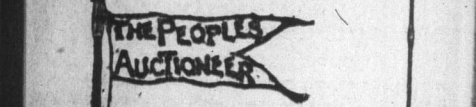
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