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Part Household Furniture including Crockeryware, Glassware, ornaments, 2 Mirrors, Tables, Chairs, Carpets, 1 Bed, Bookcase, Pictures, Lamps, 1 Marble Slab.

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Sale will continue from 10.30 a.m. to 5 p.m., 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Particulars later.

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An exceptionally well balanced concert party will render Scottish Songs. Turkey Salad Supper will be attended to by the St. Andrew's Society Ladies' Auxiliary, and the Dance music will be supplied by the Prince's Orchestra.

Tickets: Double, \$3.00; Gents, \$2.00; Ladies, \$1.50, can be had from members of St. Andrew's Society and Ladies' Auxiliary. Concert Programme will be announced later. nov21.21, w.f.s.m.w

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A Sale of Plain and Fancy Work will be held in the Parish Hall, Southside, on Wednesday, November 28th, at 3.30 p.m. Candy, Home-cooking and Meat Variety Stalls, Afternoon and Meat Teas will be served. Afternoon Teas 30c., Meat Teas 80c. Admission to Sale 10c. nov25.21

## N.B.S. LADIES' AUXILIARY.

Card Party and Dance in the Society's Rooms on Tuesday, Nov. 27th, at 8.30 p.m. Tickets . . . . .50c. including Supper. nov24.21

## CHALLENGE.

I Walter Lewis of the schooner "Lunenburg," now in port, do hereby challenge Mr. Martin Day, the recognized Newfoundland Champion Step-Dancer, to a challenge dance, to take place, when and where Mr. Day may specify. Signed, WALTER LEWIS. nov25.21

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

COURT OF REVISION. A Court of Revision will be held before the undersigned, who have been appointed by His Excellency the Governor in Council, under the provisions of Section 228 of the St. John's Municipal Act, 1921, to revise the appraisal of property within the Municipality of St. John's made during the present year. The Court will be held in the Municipal Chambers, City Hall, Duckworth Street, on every lawful day during the month of December next, between the hours of 2.30 p.m. and 4 p.m. Dated at St. John's this 24th day of November, 1923. F. J. MORRIS, ELI DAWE, Revisors. nov24.21

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## FOR SALE — 1 Pair B.C. Fir

5 Panel Folding Doors, with hardware and wheels, size 3 x 7 feet, slightly used; apply 100 LeMarchant Road. nov26.21

## FOR SALE — One Taylor

Safe, height 37 inches, width 30 inches, depth 27 inches; apply OFFICE IMPERIAL TOBACCO CO. (NFLD.), LTD. nov25.21

## FOR SALE — 1 Buggy and

Harness in first class condition; apply R. DARBY, Cliff's Cove. 'Phone No. 1396 or 1096, or 139 Gower Street. nov25.21

FOR SALE — 1 HORSE, weight about 1050 lbs., aged 12 years old, kind and gentle in any harness; apply BERT BASTOW, Carman, Baird's Cove or Pennywell Road. nov26.21

FOR SALE — At a Bargain, a House on Flavin Street, 3 rooms, hot and cold water and every modern convenience. For further particulars apply JOHNSTON & EVANS, 30 1/2 Prescott Street. nov24.21

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By Young Man (ex-Army Officer) Position as Travelling Salesman. Qualifications: Sobriety, personality, and an inexhaustible fund of energy, coupled with ten years' experience in dry goods, provisions and general merchandise; can produce good references from various sources and loyal service is guaranteed; would prefer salary and expense basis. Write "TRAVELLER," c/o Evening Telegram. nov25.21

## LOST — Last Week, a Lad-

die's Silver Watch with initials M.F. engraved on back. Finder will be rewarded on returning same to 86 Springdale St. nov26.21

## LOST — Last Evening Be-

tween Gear, New Gower, Adelaide and Water Streets, a Gold Brooch, Caribou Head. Finder please return to 303 Water Street, Reward. nov26.21

## STRAYED — From Nagle's

Hill, 2 Head Cattle, one marked X on right side the other marked 25 on rump also rope on head. Finder please notify W. HALLIDAY, Nagle's Hill and get reward. nov23.21

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a real fountain pen. You can get them as low as \$1.25 at BUTLER BROTHERS, The Fountain Pen Corner, foot of Prescott St. nov26.21

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## Help Wanted.

WANTED — A General

Maid; apply 263 Theatre Hill. nov26.21

WANTED — Immediately, a General Maid, must have references; apply 214 Theatre Hill. nov26.21

WANTED — Experienced General Girl; apply after 7 p.m. to MRS. E. FOX, 27 Queen's Rd. nov24.21

WANTED — A Capable Maid, an outport girl preferred; apply with references to 15 Prescott St. nov26.21

WANTED — A Maid with a knowledge of plain cooking, references required; apply MRS. S. MILLEY, Circular Road. nov26.21

WANTED — A General Servant, small family; apply MRS. J. T. ANDREWS, 206 New Gower Street. nov24.21

WANTED — A Good General Servant, reference required; apply to MRS. CHAS. CROSS, Masonic Terrace off Gower Street. nov24.21

WANTED — By November 28th, a Maid for general work; apply MRS. ALAN G. CARTER, 7 Maxse St. nov24.21

WANTED — A Maid who understands plain cooking; apply MRS. T. J. DULEY, Rennie's Mill Rd. nov20.21

WANTED — By the First week in December, a General Maid, must have references; apply MRS. W. H. HENDERSON, No. 2 Waterford Bridge Road. nov26.21

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WANTED — A Good Reliable Girl or Middle Aged Woman as general servant; apply MRS. THOMPSON, Cherry Hill, Cove Road, over Robinson's Hill. nov26.21

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# Under False Colors

OR  
Lord Somerton's Ally.

CHAPTER XXXV.

"Two whole days and I have not seen you, Noel," she said. "And you know that I had an 'at home' this evening!"

"I had forgotten it, mother," he replied, calmly. "I am very busy, you know, and really I am in no humor to listen to the insane laughter and rapid remarks of the people you usually get about you."

"Noel, it is disgraceful of you to speak in that way of my friends. Poor boy! I know that you are busy, and that we shall soon be enjoying what is ours by right. Oh, Lawyer Grant is certain of your success! He says that there need be little or no exposure if the young man who calls himself Miss Sterne does not make trouble, because Sir John is as good as dead. In one way, it is a very good thing; we must consider the family name, though my wicked brother deserves all that he may get!"

"Mother," said Noel, "I shall retire to my room at once. I have dined at the club."

"But, my dear, Adeline is here, and she is sure to—"

"I am going to my room," he interrupted, firmly.

His face was very pale, and he took a couple of turns across the room.

"I have much to say to you in the morning, mother," he pursued. "For the present I wish to be alone."

She glanced at him half doubtfully, but dare not say more. She felt ill at ease.

"There are letters in your private drawer," she said. "Good-night, Noel. I must not neglect my guests. I do hope that Adeline will not suspect that you have returned."

He kissed her cheek almost coldly, and when she was gone he opened the drawer where his letters were usually placed when he was away. There were half a dozen, and all except one were tradesmen's bills—bills that were much overdue, amounting in the aggregate to a large sum.

He sighed and locked them away. The other letter was from Lawyer Grant, and marked "Personal" in the left-hand corner.

He opened it, and half anticipated the contents, which ran as follows:

My Dear Campbell:—I must express my surprise and disapproval at the cavalier way in which you are treating me. Are you blind to your own interests? There are matters of the most imperative importance that must be discussed between us at once. I have labored unceasingly on your behalf for months, and expended large sums of money. What are you doing beyond waiting for the inheritance? I lost sight of you for days altogether, and get no word of explanation. Do you call this businesslike or gentlemanly, considering what you owe to me—and, excuse me, to my dear daughter?"



## Building a Baby

Mother—your baby's body is being built now for life. To-day you can influence his future health, in a way you can never do when once the muscle and nerve tissues are developed and the bones are set. The material out of which the body is built is food and food only, but it must be suitable to the infant's power of assimilation.

Viol is a food that has been specially designed by Medical Experts and Food Specialists to meet the particular requirements of growth. It contains just those vital principles which play so mysterious a part in transforming food into living tissue.

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may as well be plain with you. I am deeply concerned by reports of a silly flirtation between you and your low-born cousin. I really cannot countenance it, and you must cease such dishonorable conduct—dishonorable to that girl and to my daughter. I have yet to learn why you honor Blairwood at all with your presence. I am sure that the time is hardly ripe unless you are planning immediate improvements. Let me have the favor of an interview without delay. I sent a letter to your club two days ago, and have had no reply. Yours respectfully,  
JAMES GRANT.

Campbell's eyes flamed with anger, and tearing the letter into a hundred fragments, he tossed them into the fire.

"Confound his insolence," he muttered; "he shall have the desired interview in the morning, and then—"

He covered his eyes with his hands and bent his head over the table.

"And then I shall be worse than a pauper! Dare I tell him all? But for my mother's sake, I would unmask the villain; his schemes should be flaunted in his face; only for her I know that it would mean social ruin—it would be worse than death, for the serpent would be sure to sting! Twenty thousand pounds, and not one shilling with which to pay! I have the talents which God has given me! Oh, pauper! Dare I tell him all? But for my mother's sake, I would unmask the villain; his schemes should be flaunted in his face; only for her I know that it would mean social ruin—it would be worse than death, for the serpent would be sure to sting! Twenty thousand pounds, and not one shilling with which to pay! I have the talents which God has given me! Oh,

for freedom, with my darling's face to inspire me—to nerve me to work-work!"

He shook his fists savagely in the air. "I will see you to-morrow, Mr. Grant, and play you with your own weapons, though I am lashed with self-contempt the while. You have trapped me in every way so far, but the mine will be sprung when you least expect it! Oh, it will be pleasant to see you writhe, a victim to your own cunning! and for every word that you have dared to utter against my sweet Elsie, I will give you a hundred blows!"

He heard Miss Cleveland's voice in the drawing-room—sordid and resonant. She was singing a hunting song, and he shuddered.

"I liked her once," he thought. "But I fear her now. She will make an implacable foe. To-morrow, or the next day, I shall hear from my darling—my inspiration—my delight! And when she knows all—when I stand before her as I am—just Heaven teach her to forgive!" At that moment there was a tap at the door, and a servant delivered a telegram which read in this way:

Sensible at last. I think that it is safe for you to see him. He is very weak.

It was signed simply by the letter "M."

"Good," murmured Noel; "I will go after my visit to Grant."

CHAPTER XXXVI.

Noel was an early riser, and had been in his studio a couple of hours when the breakfast-bell rang. A bulky brief had been forwarded by a brother barrister for his opinion, and he had just completed his pencil notes, when his mother appeared in the doorway.

There was an anxious expression in her eyes which she vainly endeavored to hide.

"Breakfast in waiting, Noel," she said.

"Thank you, mother; I will come at once. Half-past eight. H'm. I have no time to lose; my cab will be here at ten. I am glad that I have gone through these papers. Martin has taken an entirely erroneous view of the case, and his line of argument would have prejudiced the judge."

"I don't see why you should devote hours of precious time to Mr. Martin," his mother remarked, complainingly.

"The law has never been of much financial value to you, indeed, taking into consideration the cost of—"

"My dear mother," he responded, "had I chosen to follow the law, I might have made a respectable income by it. But I have elected otherwise, and do not regret it. Martin is taking on those patrons who are satisfied with my substitute. He is a worthy fellow, whom it is a pleasure to help. I intend vacating my chambers in his favor next quarter day and settling down to work in real earnest. I have three portraits to paint—a cabinet minister, an earl's daughter, and a successful pork butcher, and my patrons will grow tired of waiting—particularly the pork butcher," he added, with a laugh.

"Let them wait," his mother replied. "You can afford to do so."

"I do not think that I can, considering our expenses," he said, lightly. "Well, this is not the place to discuss ways and means, mother. What a glorious morning!"

She took his arm, and they left the studio, which was isolated from the house, being connected by a conservatory of unusual length.

The breakfast was eaten almost in silence; but the moment they were alone in Mrs. Campbell's bright little morning-room, she returned to the question of expenses in her peevish, complaining way.

"Is it this that you wished to speak to me about?" she said. "I think that it is very unkind of you to worry me about such trifling things, when we shall soon be rich. I am sure that if I were Adeline, I should grow tired of your inattention. She must be awfully fond of you. Independent of Blairwood, you will have a big fortune with her, and it will be your duty to set aside at least half of the revenue of the Blairwood estate for my life. Not that I shall live very long. I have told Adeline that the dowry house will be quite satisfactory to me. Of course, I must live near to you, and she thinks that it is a splendid arrangement."

"My dear mother," replied Noel, "we are not in possession of Blairwood Park yet, and I do not think that we ever shall be."

(To be continued.)

## Rheumatism Gone, Claims Mr. Merlinger

Rheumatism is said to be due to acid in the blood. Whatever its cause, only those who have it know the suffering it produces. While Carnol is not claimed as a specific for rheumatism, it did wonders for Mr. Merlinger. Sufferers from rheumatism may profit from his experience which follows:

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Carnol is sold by all good druggists everywhere.

A Visit to the Fleet (Canada).

Last Saturday the Dominion Premiers and other Conference delegates were invited by the First Lord of the Admiralty to visit the British Fleet at Spithead. Contrasting this review with that held in 1914, it was, for various reasons, a less splendid pageant not only from a smaller number of capital ships assembled, but the absence of sunshine greatly reduced the visibility and marred the impressiveness of the spectacle.

It was a new fleet that was in review, and though reduced in numbers, as fighting machines they had increased in efficiency and also in cost. The Hood, the greatest of our battle-cruisers, is said to have cost in the neighborhood of \$6,000,000.

The Princess Margaret, which carried the Admiralty guests, had been a C.P.R. boat, and is now a thoroughly equipped mine-layer. The new submarines, with a 12-inch gun, and the Argus, resembling a Noah's Ark, with its great deck for seaplanes, were among the most noticeable innovations caused by the war.

The impressiveness of this proof of British sea-power must have helped the Dominion Premiers and others to grasp more fully the importance of this first line of defence, so vital to the safety, not only of the Mother Country, but of the whole Empire, and no doubt the thought was present in the minds of many that eventually, and perhaps in the not distant future, the great burden of this defence will be more equally shared by all the nations who benefit from its benefit.

Great as have been the reductions as a result of the Washington Conference, the naval expenditure, though at the minimum compatible with reverence, is a heavy drain on the revenue of Great Britain which there can be no hope of decreasing until a wiser policy prevails in international affairs.

In addition to the Canadian and Newfoundland delegates and the members of their staffs, those present included Sir Joseph Ewart, Mrs. Brotherton, Lady Cashin, Mr. G. Hambleton, Mrs. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. John

Howard, Mrs. Hyde, Miss Lancelot, the Hon. P. C. Mrs. and Miss Larkin, Mr. W. LeFroy, Mrs. F. A. McGregor, Miss Montlambert, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Noyon, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Woodard, Mr. and Mrs. William Phillips, Mr. F. C. Wade and Mrs. Margery Wade.

man pursues man, but there are also cases where man runs after woman. And when it comes to a running battle the odds are heavily in favor of the male. As for temptation, neither sex is entitled to throw apples at each other. Science may attempt to abolish the Garden of Eden, but it represents a condition of affairs which in these dark and overcrowded days we would like to recapture. Compared with the modern husband, Adam must have had a very easy time. He worked more or less when he liked, and his wife never badgered him about her dress allowance. There was no housing problem, no income tax, and the cost of living was negligible. No wonder Adam lived for hundreds of years, but for all that Eve must have been a minx if we are to judge by her daughters.—*Liverpool Weekly Post.*

A London doctor has thrown a cloak of doubt around the apple tree which we have been led to believe grew in the Garden of Eden. This medical man, tracing diet through the ages, asserts that it is a mistake to think of early man surrounded by luscious fruits and abundance of delicate food to be had for the trouble of gathering it. But the apple theory will not be discarded lightly. Throughout the ages it has been related that Eve tempted Adam with an apple, and the old gentleman fell. Feminists may assert that the man always sees to put the blame on the woman and there is some ground for this statement. Man seldom flies from temptation, often he seeks it, and no doubt this will be the will of the world so long as we are male and female. But if woman is the weaker vessel as alleged, then man is a miserable scoundrel to place the blame on her because she accedes to his wishes. Happily all men are not so weak-kneed as Adam, and if taken to task they do not blame the woman. If a woman charms and captivates a man she is bombarded with congratulations and wedding presents and the hussy at the church door, walks boldly up to the altar as if he likes it, which he probably does.

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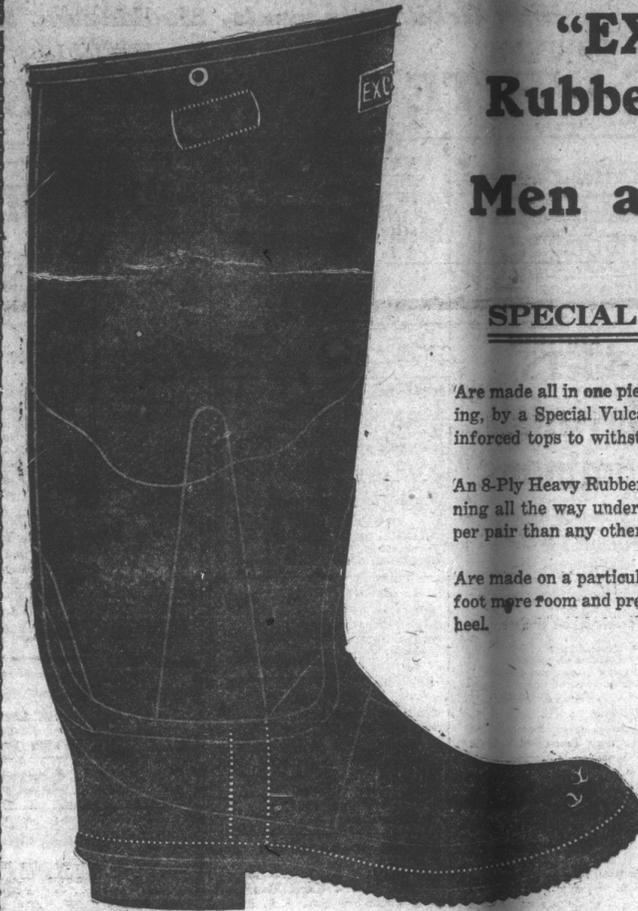
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### The Prince's Message

From his very exceptional knowledge of the Empire, gained through his extensive travels, the Prince of Wales was able to give special weight to the useful advice he proffered in his speech at the Overseas League banquet on Tuesday night. He took advantage of the occasion of this banquet to the Dominion Premiers to speak of the importance of first-hand knowledge of the Empire which he was anxious to encourage "in statesmen, in journalists, in writers, in teachers, and in all who are distributors of ideas and information to the public of Great Britain." This advice is especially valuable at the present time, when the appreciation of the magnitude of the Empire and its potentialities as an arbitrator for world-peace and the great exemplar of tolerance, justice, and freedom is every day becoming more widely understood and appreciated.

Nothing could have been happier than the references to the esteem in which the Prince is held, made by the Premiers of Canada and Australia and the Maharajah of Alwar.

In replying to the words of welcome by the Prince of Wales, Mr. Mackenzie King made a speech on the constitutional growth and possibilities of the Empire which can only increase the prestige which he has gained by his thoughtful and statesmanlike speeches during the last few weeks. A full report of his speech appears on another page, which may be read with advantage by all who are sympathetically following the constitutional development of the Dominions in their relation to the Mother Country and the Empire as a whole.—Canada.

### Shocked the Bishop

LITTLE GIRL SAID: "OH! DAMN IT, I'M ONLY SEVEN."

Lord Riddell, speaking at a dinner in London recently, said that the guests which he had been called on to fulfill rather reminded him of the story of the bishop who was staying at a country house where there was a little girl who took a great deal of interest in his lordship's clothing and gaiters. Anxious to lead the child's mind to higher things, he asked her she knew the Lord's Prayer. She replied that she did. "And the Ten Commandments?" asked the bishop. "Yes," replied the little girl. "And the Catechism?" inquired the bishop. "Which his young friend replied, "Oh, damn it, I'm only seven."

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(c)—BELIEVE ME IF ALL THOSE EN-DEARING YOUNG CHARMS.

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### Harbor Grace Notes.

remedy for unemployment was restoration of peace in Europe.

#### MAJORITY OF 8 PEOPLE FAVOR LEAGUE.

OTTAWA, Nov. 25.

The majority of the people in the United States who do their own thinking believe we should have gone into the League of Nations," said Franklin H. Martin, Director General of the American College of Surgeons, in an address here Saturday before the Canadian Club. Prominent statesmen in the United States among whom he mentioned Hoff, Hughes, Root and Hoover, were to-day ready and anxious to stand behind some programme of adherence to the League if they could only do so without too palatable a right about face. The dominating political party, however, backed by a powerful and wealthy press, had conducted a campaign of depreciation and ridicule of the League and it was now necessary for some outstanding American statesman to come out in downright support of the League. Dr. Martin asserted there was an influential group in the party which was growing restless and outspoken with regard to the League and gave it as his opinion that a new pronouncement would be made in the near future.

#### THE 3rd CARD TOURNAMENT OF THE SERIES OF 4-CARD TOURNAMENTS WHICH THE STAR R.R. & B. COMMITTEE IS HOLDING, WILL BE HELD IN THE STAR HALL ON MONDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 26th, AT 8.30.

There will be three prizes as usual and the special prize of a \$20.00 Gold Piece for the most games in the four tournaments. Admission 50c. Men only. nov25.1

#### STRESEMANN'S SUCCESSOR.

BERLIN, Nov. 25.

Dr. H. F. Abert, Minister of the Treasury under Chancellor Cuno, has accepted President Ebert's invitation to form a new Cabinet.

#### L. G. ON FRANCO-BRITISH RELATIONS.

GLASGOW, Nov. 24.

Lloyd George declared in a campaign speech here to-day that Great Britain's relations with France were never worse. I doubt whether in living memory they have ever been so bad as now, he said, owing to what has happened during the last year, the resumption of normal trade relations throughout the vast population of Central Europe probably has been postponed not for a matter of months, but probably for years. The ex-premier asserted that the Liberal Party

#### Schooner Abandoned off Outer Cove.

CREW ESCAPE WITH THEIR LIVES.

Schr. Rosaleen, 25 tons, with a crew of four on board, had a narrow escape for their lives yesterday afternoon, after abandoning their vessel a few miles off Outer Cove. The Rosaleen left here 9 o'clock yesterday morning, with a full load of provisions on board, bound for Hr. Grace. After leaving the Narrows, on her way North, a heavy sea was encountered, which badly buffeted the vessel about, with little or no progress being made. It was not until darkness had set in that serious trouble arose. The little vessel was running under a fore-sail a short distance off Outer Cove, when a heavy sea came in and broke off the rudder post, below the deck. The vessel was now left in a helpless condition, and began to drift rapidly towards the rocks which loomed up only a short distance away. The crew were powerless, and there was nothing left to do but leave it to its fate and save their lives. Capt. Bartlett and his crew latched a boat, and after rowing about in the heavy sea for upwards of two hours, they managed to land safely at Middle Cove. Capt. Bartlett and his crew arrived in the city last night. They lost all their belongings beside all their wages, which they had left in their bunk on board the vessel. They had come here intending to purchase their winter's provisions, but, securing a freight, they postponed their own business until the next trip. The vessel carried no insurance, and the loss to Capt. Bartlett is a heavy one.

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Safeguarding Our Markets.

One of the chief objects of the visit to London of the Dominion representatives was to consider ways and means whereby trade within the Empire might be facilitated and extended...

For a long time the Trade reports have referred to the poor demand in the markets for our salmon. This has been attributed in part to the unstable conditions which exist abroad...

There is evidence of this indifference on the part of the authorities in connection with many of our fish products, or is it timidity? Complaints of a similar nature have been made with regard to the lobster industry...

We are quick to complain if our imports are not up to the mark. We find fault with the British manufacturers, for instance if our orders are not filled according to specifications...

If, in the next session of the House, the time was given to the setting of our domestic affairs in order, we should have little cause to feel pessimistic with regard to the future.

Save the Caribou.

We are glad to notice in the columns of the News a letter drawing attention to the wicked slaughter that is taking place throughout the country of our caribou.

not be long before the public, through the Press or by bringing pressure to bear upon their representatives, will demand that measures shall be taken whereby extermination of the herds may be prevented.

This slaughter is not the work of sportsmen, for the number killed under the game regulations would never cause any appreciable decrease in the number of the animals.

As long as the Government stands by its policy of parsimony in the matter of protection grants, so long will this lawlessness continue. We fear that the time has already passed when anything but a close season for a number of years will have beneficial results...

Laid to Rest

Yesterday an immense concourse of citizens of all denominations paid their last tribute to the memory of the Honourable George Knowling.

The cortege, in charge of Undertaker Lawrence, left "Thoronia" at half past two. Preceding the hearse was a delegation from Avalon Lodge, of which the deceased had been a member.

His Excellency the Governor will read the Prayers for the Dead by His Lordship the Bishop and Rev. A. B. S. Stirling.

St. Thomas's Notes

The Installation of the Rector of St. Thomas's Church in the stall of St. Patrick will take place on Advent Sunday, December 2nd.

His Excellency the Governor will give an illustrated lecture on "Pill-Then and Now" to Llewellyn Club on December 6th.

McMurdo's Store News.

We have now in stock a beautiful assortment of Perfumes, Toilet Waters, and Chocolate for the Xmas Season, and before making your selection, you should see our line.

We also have a nice selection of the celebrated Mornay Peas and Currant Tarts specialties this week.

To-Night! To-Night! Mount Cashel Band Promenade Concert, Prince's Rink, at 8.30 Admission 20c.

Supreme Court.

(Before Mr. Justice Kent.) Lewis Dave and Wm. A. Mann. This is the hearing of an application on the part of the plaintiff for the following particulars of the plaintiff's defence:

(a) What part of the agreement set forth in paragraph two was in writing; (b) What part of the agreement was verbal; (c) Copies of the written portion of the agreement; (d) The purport of the verbal portion of the agreement; (e) The names of the steamers which the 5,336 silts of fish were shipped as alleged in paragraph 3; (f) The amount of fish shipped on each of the said steamers; (g) The dates of shipment; (h) A copy of the account of the said partnership transactions alleged to have been furnished to the plaintiff as set out in paragraph 5 of the defence.

F. G. Bradley for plaintiff moves for the particulars by Wednesday, Nov. 28th. Mr. Jerrett asks that costs be costs in the case.

At the Casino

"BROADWAY SCANDALS" OPENS WITH MISS MANHATTAN

Presenting Miss Manhattan the "Broadway Scandals" Musical Comedy Co. will make their debut at the Casino Theatre to-morrow night.

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Japanese Relief Fund

The Hon. Treasurer of the Japanese Relief Fund begs to acknowledge the following subscriptions:

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S. S. Sachem will sail for Liverpool on Wednesday morning.

S. S. Canadian Navigator sailed late Saturday evening direct for Montreal.

S. S. Amphitrite, taking 307 bbls. Scotch and 141 bbls. perl. herring, has sailed from Wood's Island for Halifax.

Coastal Boats.

Clyde arrived at Lewisport 10 a.m. yesterday, sailing to-day at 7.30 a.m. Glenora will leave Argenta after arrival of morning train.

Home left Lewisport 7.30 a.m. Kyle at Port aux Basques awaiting arrival Sunday's express.

Malakoff arrived at Port Unken 9 a.m. Saturday.

Prosper left Westport 12.30 a.m. yesterday, on her way to Hampden.

A Notable Anniversary

TORONTO, Nov. 25 (Can. Press).—Next June there will be celebrated in Canada one of the greatest events in the history of the Empire and of the Empire, namely, the anniversary of the settlement of Upper Canada by the United Empire Loyalists.

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Feigned Death. Last evening after being brought to the lockup, a deserted from a Danish vessel now in port simulated death so effectively that the captain and sailors of the ship who came to take him on board had to make a body load of him. Only after considerable difficulty was the deserted placed in a small boat and rowed off to his vessel.

Cattle Sales Dull. Although the auction sale of cattle at Cliffe's Cove to-day was well attended, bidding was not brisk. Large size animals fetched fair prices but for cattle that would not dress up to three hundred weight, only small figures were offered and some remained unsold. A crate of five white turkeys fetched \$3 each.

Personal. Mr. John B. Orr left for New York by yesterday's express. Rev. Fr. Nangle, C.F. left by yesterday's express for Boston where he will address a meeting of Newfoundlanders on behalf of the War Memorial and the G.W.V.A. Later he will proceed to England to make final arrangements in connection with the War Memorial.

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THE KILLED AND WOUNDED.

In the engagement two officers and ten men were killed of the English, and eighteen were wounded...

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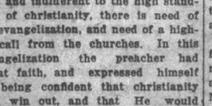
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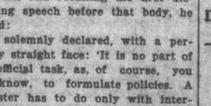
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# In the Realms of Sport

## DEMPESEY TO MEET GIBBONS IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Jack Dempsey left Los Angeles last evening via Chicago for New York, stopping at Chicago City, Utah, where he has coal mines. In Chicago he will visit friends and meet Jack Kearns, his manager. The two will have a conference with Eddie Kane, manager of Tom Gibbons, relative to a return match between Dempsey and Gibbons, to take place in this city about the middle of December or next spring.

This news was contained in a telegram received here by a personal friend of Dempsey. Another wire, not quite so explicit, was received by Tex Rickard. It stated that Dempsey would be in New York about December 1 for the purpose of closing for three matches. The prospective engagements with Tom Gibbons the St. Paul light-heavyweight, who stood up for fifteen rounds against the champion at Shelby last July; Harry Willis, the colored heavy-weight champion, and Luis Angel Firpo, the South American, who was Dempsey's last opponent.

According to the messages sent east by Dempsey, he plans to engage in at least one bout here this winter, and then leave for Europe. It is said that he has been offered two matches on the other side of the Atlantic. He had no intention of entering the ring when he went over the first time, and it is improbable that he will do anything more than box a couple of exhibition bouts this time, however.

Dempsey's next fight with Luis Firpo is assured for the middle of next summer, unless Firpo is beaten.

## POT POURRI

A gentleman prize fighter is one who smacks a tough egg on the whiskers and says, "Pardon my blow."

Expert writes that when Firpo and Dempsey meet again it will be anybody's fight. Anybody's but Firpo's.

Until the three-year-old horse championship is definitely decided the prize sweat potato growers of the country can not expect much attention.

Giants may sign Carl Mays. And all the time we were under the impression McGraw was looking for pitchers.

Bill Brennan lasted four rounds in a fight and Omaha commissioners are suspicious. . . . Whereas we are merely surprised.

Nebraska coach shot blank cartridges at players to speed 'em up. Not knowing a shot in the arm would have had the same effect.

It is denied that Red Grange of Illinois is a professional, and yet he plays well enough to be one.

The cables announce that Henri Eleure, No. 3 ranking heavy-weight of France, has been defeated. . . . A No. 3 ranking heavy-weight in France is equivalent to a first-class bowler in Scotland anywhere.

Mike McGuire's manager wants \$50,000 for slander. . . . A prize fighter's manager who can be slandered is at least a novelty.

## THE CHANGES AND PROSPECTS IN CANADIAN HOCKEY

Toronto, Nov. 24. (By Canadian Press)—Although present indications are that hockey in Canada will be affected and its strength reduced by the migration to the United States of many star players, the changes of the various leagues throughout the country are preparing for another successful season. This is the golden age in sport and the departure of players will not greatly affect the enthusiasm of the fans or the keen duels on the smooth ice surface. The Ontario Hockey Association has been hit a heavy blow by the decision to send the Granites to the Olympic games and the departure of players like Lionel Conacher, Harold Cotton, Eddie Rodden, Roy Worters and others to cities in the United States. At the present time Canadian players are making the fascinating winter sport more popular than ever in Uncle Sam's domain. Even after years of playing the United States has failed to develop players of ability and still reaches its long hand into Canada or its hockey stars. The same condition does not exist here, however, and each year finds players, equally as good as those who have gone before, graduating from junior ranks. The players wearing the Aura Lee colors last winter showed what can be accomplished by boys still eligible for junior hockey. Out in the west there are a junior team, University of Manitoba, who can outscore the majority of senior teams. It is considered by many there is no greater amateur forward in the sport than Burdock, the great U. of M. centre man. And thus the officials are not hanging out any sign of discouragement. They know that the youngsters will fill the shoes of the players who have migrated and that the rink will ring with the cheers of applause as Canada's young manhood helps foster the winter sport.

Hamilton and University of Toronto appear to be the strong teams in the D.H.A. senior series. They have

# The Clyde's Empty Yards

ARE OUR SHIPBUILDERS TO BLAME.

The tragedy of the Clyde, with its long Sahara rows of unoccupied and noiseless berths, its armies of sacred and departing workers scouting from its shops across the sea appears to be in process of mitigation and alleviation. New warship work in the shape of light cruisers is promised; a round dozen orders for ships is believed to have been placed awaiting to begin at the cessation of the boiler-makers' troubles; and there is an expected share coming to the Clyde also of the liners likely to be built under collaboration between the Government and one or two of the leading shipping companies, for which two-and-a-half millions has been earmarked by the Government as advances. This last arrangement finds a precedent in the building of the Lusitania and Mauretania of seventeen years ago. And so, in respect of the Clyde builder, but know him to be a man of his word; and so, unwilling to build at all, haggled to get off with one ship, "Two or none," answered Sir William.

"What about price?" he was asked. Sir William scratched down some figures on the back of an envelope and soon made a direct and firm offer, and—booked the two ships! That same day he telegraphed to Fairfield to prepare proper contracts and it was found that he wasn't very much out with his envelope costing department tender.

Another Fairfield Enterprise. On another occasion, the Fairfield Company joined in with a like audacious enterprise. Some Manchester gentlemen felt aggrieved against the monopoly held by the Isle of Man Steam Packet Co. They asked Fairfield if they could build boats to whack the cracks of the I.O.M. Company. Assured in the affirmative, two ships were ordered—the Prince of Wales and Queen Victoria (still running)—and these were built at Govan.

When put on the Liverpool-Douglas route they knocked spots out of the English-built boats, and stole all their trade away. Posters were exhibited in Douglas each day of this sort:—

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The result was that everyone rushed to the Scotch boats, and madly cheered when they overtook and passed the other boat on the run up the Mersey. These old Clyde vessels (still running) are now the Queen Victoria, still running, and the Queen of the Clyde.

Existing conditions no Criterion. But even after stating the blackest pessimistic case against possibilities of new construction, the writer has still enough left in his veins of super-optimism to believe that something is lacking in our present attack on the problem of stagnation, and that something can still be done to busk things up a good bit. You know that arguing from existing conditions to the future is always dangerous. When the halfpenny tramway fairs were first proposed in Glasgow (we are going a bit off the rails here, but it is quite apropos) Mr. Dalrymple got ex-Battle King to get up and say in the Town Council there would be a resultant loss of £140,000. The Corporation, however, refused to be impressed, and, instead of that threatened loss, there was a dead gain of £250,000. Mr. Dalrymple argued from existing conditions; but the halfpenny fare made new conditions for itself.

To return to our shipbuilding conundrum, how does this great key industry really thrive and keep on its legs? It is not by the mere supplying of ships to keep the fleets of the world at full strength numerically that the Clyde made its fortunes. Had that been the dominating consideration, not one-half of the yards on the river would have been called into existence. No, the keynote of its development lay in the continuous compulsory supersession of existing types of vessels by improved types which it paid the shipping companies to possess, even at the cost of sacrificing ships in commission and still able to do good work. The running costs of a ship are more important to shipping companies economically than initial cost. And so the shipbuilders, by his inventive resources, bringing out new types of ship which saved the shipper so much in running, forced the shipper to give him new work.

It can be understood that shipping companies do not quite like this extraneous game of dictating when they are to build new ships. It is apparent, in these days of avowed conservation of capital, that the scrapping of working ships before they have recouped the companies adequately is not likely to be readily undertaken. The inertia of reluctance must be overcome by the pace of the shipbuilder's temptations to create cheap-running or better revenue-earning ships.

Sir William Pearce's Way. A story very often drives home a point better than an argument. Here is one from Clyde history apropos the position we have postulated. It was in the days of the late Sir William Pearce, the head of the famous Fairfield Co., subsequent to the days of

the great John Elder. Fairfield was mightily go-ahead in those days (no comparisons with the present days are intended), and was always working out designs of faster and still faster ocean-going "crack" greyhounds. At the 1888 exhibition in Glasgow, a model was exhibited in the stand of the Fairfield Co., which would cross the Atlantic in five days (the Lusitania's best time was four days 12 hours 14 minutes). Fairfield then built, almost exclusively, all the crack boats for the Cunard and Inman Lines.

Sir William Pearce was a man of audacious enterprise. In slack periods he made the boldest of proposals. (Once he offered to build two battle-ships for the British Navy on his own design to keep the yards busy!) On this occasion he went to the Cunard Company with the design of a new crack ship and said to them: "If you don't build a couple, I'll build them myself and run them against you!" The head of the Cunard Company (a predecessor of Lord Inverclyde) looked in chagrin at the audacity of the Clyde builder, but knew him to be a man of his word; and so, unwilling to build at all, haggled to get off with one ship, "Two or none," answered Sir William.

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## WERE YOU EVER SOUL DIZZY?

I don't suppose there ever was anyone who wasn't sometimes smitten with the what's-the-use-of-it-ness of life. I don't mean the what's-the-use sensation we feel when we are trying with all our might for something we can't get, and are temporarily discouraged. I mean the what's-the-use sensation that comes when we have gotten what we wanted.

What of it? We climb the peak of accomplishment and we look about us and are excited. And then after a while the exaltation is succeeded by the opposite mood and we say to ourselves: "Well, what of it?"

Then that mood too, passes, as from our new eminence we catch sight of some higher peak to climb, some peak of prosperity or distinction that we had never clearly sighted until we reached the first eminence. Then at once we are so full of ardor and ambition to reach the new peak of happiness that we forget all about that moment of emptiness when we asked "What of it?"

And so we go on and on, from peak to peak struggling, longing, failing, attaining, sure that just ahead lies the promised land where fulfillment is really going to satisfy.

Said the Authorman, looking about him on a group of people, persuaded they were enjoying themselves because they were having a holiday: "What's the life anyway for all of us? Just a little work, a little sleep, a little pleasure and the chance to pass on the same kind of life to others."

At least that is my experience. There was a time when I used to think that some of the deep hidden experiences in my heart were unusual and that no one, or only a few people ever had the same. One of the things life has had most emphatically taught me is that no personal experience is individual, and few are unusual. Most of them are common. And that is why I have dared write about this queer business of the soul because I feel that there will be many people who have felt that there will be many people who have felt the same and who will be glad to feel the comfort of human companionship in facing the vast and awesome riddle: why and what is life?

## "The Charm of Oxford"

Paper Given by Mr. W. J. Browne B.A., B.L.S., at Holy Cross Debating Society.

At the Holy Cross Debating Society yesterday, Mr. W. J. Browne, B.A., B.L.S., read a very interesting paper on "The Charm of Oxford." Mr. Browne spent three years at Oxford, from 1919 to 1922, as a member of the Merton College, and he recited many reminiscences of his experience there. He gave a short sketch of the history of the University and referred to the fact that Merton College, which was started in 1264, the year before the first English Parliament, had kept the principal part of her buildings in perfect condition. Mr. Browne described many of the beautiful views to be obtained around Oxford and referred to the old customs that survived in the Colleges from the Middle Ages, and which gave there an additional charm. The speaker made reference to the great influence which Oxford men wield in national affairs, and he commented that in this respect Oxford excelled other Universities.

At the conclusion of the paper a very hearty vote of thanks was tendered the speaker.

## Obituary.

VERA CROSSMAN. Vera Morrell Crossman, the third daughter of Thomas W. and Minnie Crossman, passed away at her home, Prescott St., yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, after an illness of long duration. The deceased lady was educated at the Presbyterian College and Mercy Convent, and about two years ago entered the office of the Eastern Trust Company, only to resign that position about five months ago, on account of failing health. During her illness she bore her sufferings with patience and calmly awaited the end. In the Church she was a great worker. For several years she was a teacher in the Church and was a great worker. The deceased lady was of a kindly disposition, and her many friends in the business and social life of the community will regret to hear of her passing. Besides her father and mother, she also leaves to mourn three brothers and three sisters, to whom sincere sympathy will go out in their time of bereavement.

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### First Bishop of Calgary, Rev. Cyprian Pinkham, Reaches 79th Milestone.

First Bishop of the Anglican Church, by Consecration, in the World, completes his Fifty-sixth Year of Labor in the West, and Knows the Illimitable Prairies Like a Book.

(Calgary Daily Herald, Nov. 10.)

As some tall cliff that lifts its awful form, Swells from the vale, and midway leaves the storm; Though round its breast the rolling clouds are spread, Eternal sunshine settled on its head. None so happy as those working men engaged in work, said the bishop, making some general observation on the length of some men's life work.

There were 16 schools in Manitoba in 1871. Bishop Pinkham well remembers the first teacher in Winnipeg. This was W. F. Luxton, who very shortly after that, retired, to found the Manitoba Free Press of which he was the editor and proprietor.

He was ordained in 1869. On February 21, 1869, he was ordained priest by the Bishop of Rupert's Land, in St. John's cathedral, and became incumbent of St. James' parish, a position he held till September, 1881, by which time St. James became a rectory. In 1871, on the passing of the first school act for the province of Manitoba, Mr. Pinkham was appointed a member of the provincial board of education, and he held this position till he left for the further west in 1887.

From 1871 to 1887 he was superintendent of education for the Protestant schools of the province. In 1887 Dr. Tait, then Archbishop of Canterbury, gave him the Lambeth degree of B.D. "on account of his services to the church, and especially in the cause of education." For some years Mr. Pinkham was a prominent member of the council of the university of Manitoba, and one of its representatives on the board of studies.

From 1881 to 1887 he was secretary of the synod of the diocese, and in 1882 residential canon of St. John's cathedral and archdeacon of Manitoba. Consecrated Bishop by Dr. Machray. On the festival of the Epiphany, 1887, he received from Dr. Benson, then Archbishop of Canterbury, the then primate of the ecclesiastical province of Rupert's Land, the offer of the bishopric of Saskatchewan, rendered vacant by the death of its first bishop, Mr. Maclean, and on August 2 he was consecrated Bishop of Saskatchewan in Holy Trinity Church, Winnipeg, by Dr. Machray, metropolitan of Rupert's Land, and six other bishops.

On August 1 to the provincial synod of Rupert's Land divided the diocese of Saskatchewan, forming from that portion of it known as the provisional district of Alberta, the diocese of Calgary; and in March of the next year the Archbishop of Canterbury ratified this action, and appointed the Bishop of Saskatchewan Bishop also of Calgary, with an Episcopal endorsement could be raised, or other adequate provision made for the support of the Bishop of Calgary.

Upon the bishop beginning residence in Calgary and entering upon his duties, in 1887, the lieutenant-governor of the North West Territories in council, appointed him a member of the territorial board of education, and, at the first meeting

of that body he was unanimously chosen chairman, a position held by him for several years. In 1887, before his consecration, the bishop received the degree of D.D. from the University of Manitoba, and D.D.L. from Trinity University, Toronto, and recently he has been admitted to the degree of D.C.L. ad eundem gradum, by the University of Alberta. The bishop attended the Lambeth conference of 1888 and 1889.

At the clerical conference, held at Red River, in 1907, the bishop was presented with a pectoral cross and pastoral staff, the gift of the clergy and laity of his diocese. A Great "Begger" All His Life. Bishop Pinkham has been a great "begger" all his life. With his work close to his heart, his strength and voice and efforts have always been directed to raising funds to carry on the work of bringing the gospel to the people on the prairie. It was he who raised the fund for the bishop's endowment, so that for all time the bishop of this diocese will be sustained. He knew his cause, and the worthlessness of it, and was not afraid to ask, knowing that he would receive. Whenever he went to England, he never left without some tangible mark of his efforts, asked for the work on his loved prairies.

Celebrates Fifty-fifth Anniversary of Marriage Soon. Come next December 29 and Bishop and Mrs. Pinkham will celebrate the fifty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. Mrs. Pinkham's name was Anne Drever before her marriage, born of Scottish parents. They have had eight children, four sons and four daughters. Mrs. Pinkham has recently been quite ill, and her many friends will rejoice to know that she has passed the danger point and is now on the road to recovery.

"I Want to be Useful All My Life." To get an interview with Bishop Pinkham means stealing some of the good man's time. His days are well filled with his work. Only last Sunday he was at Lethbridge taking services there. He is not going to retire yet. He has work yet to do, he says; and with his visitor to the door, out and down the walk to the gate. The eternal sunshine settled on his head, as he stood and said good-bye. "If it pleases God, I want to be useful as long as I live."

Heavy Sentence. "Cruel and Wicked" - Tichborne Claimant's Daughter. At the Old Bailey recently Theresa Mary Agnes Doughty Tichborne, who pleaded guilty to sending threatening letters to Sir George Lewis and to publishing certain libels concerning Sir Joseph Tichborne, came up for judgment. The judge asked the prisoner if she had anything to say, and she replied that she did not know what she could say. His Lordship—I am going to send you to prison. You have pleaded guilty to a very serious offence. I want to know if you are sorry for what you have done or not. Prisoner—Yes, I am very sorry for what I have done, she also stated that she was not likely to repeat the offence when she came out of prison. "Over 50 years ago," continued the Judge, "your father, Arthur Orton, made his claim to the Tichborne estates. That claim was repudiated in our courts, and he was afterwards punished for the crime which he committed in saying upon oath that his claim was true. "For the purpose of endeavouring to extort money from the Tichborne family, you have from time to time reiterated that claim, and in order that you might enforce it you have adopted a most cruel and wicked system of persecution of the Tichborne family. "For 10 years you have been writing these letters, or letters of similar import. "Let me warn you, that if you fail to take advantage of the leniency now being shown to you for the second



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This absorbing tale of adventure and conflict on an island in the South Seas partakes of the romantic fervour, lively action and picturesque color to be found in Robert Louis Stevenson's "Treasure Island." Two rival factions set out for a lonely island off which an old Spanish galleon, laden with treasure was sunk. A consultation of nature has thrown the galleon up above the water until it rests, like the skeleton of a whale, upon one of the highest points of land. About the skeleton of this old ship much of the action of the picture takes place. Physical prowess and endurance of an unusual sort was called for on the part of Richard Dix and Heiress Chadwick and the other actors in depicting the scenes on the island. Fight follows fight in rapid succession, each one more strenuous and thrilling than the one preceding it. This is a whale of a show at the Crescent to-night, be there on time.

Grand Card Party and Dance will be held at St. Joseph's Hall on Tuesday night, Nov. 27th, under management of Mrs. Ed. De Burke. Two prizes will be offered. Tickets 50c. Teas extra 20c. nov24.21

Mrs. Russell to Appeal to House of Lords AGAINST THE DECISION OF THE APPEAL COURT. An appeal has been presented to the House of Lords by Mrs. Russell against the divorce decision pronounced in favour of her husband, the Hon. John Hugh Russell, son of Lord Amthill. Her husband has been ordered to lodge a printed case in answer on or before December 4 next. In those circumstances it is improbable that the hearing can be taken before next year.

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**Market News**  
(Trade Review.)

**Codfish**—Codfish has been and is coming into port in considerable quantity, but the weather of the past two weeks or more has been bad and a good deal which would have been available could not be shipped at northern sections. There is still a good deal of the season's catch to come from the north and west.

The following vessels cleared during the week: Harry and Verna, Port Union, Pernambuco, 4,457 qts.; Ronald and Douglas, Gaultois, T. Garland, 3,450 quintals, cod, 600 haddock, for Oporto; W. L. MacKenzie King, Grand Bank, Lunenburg, 28,700 lbs. salt bulk; Forward, Tibbo and Buffett, Gertrude, Hr. Breton, 2,300 qts. cod, 292 haddock, Oporto; Nancy Lee, Little Bay Islands, James Strong Ltd., 15,000 qts. Malaga; Neptune, Little Bay Islands, 3,990 qts. Jas. Strong, Ltd., Malaga and Christie and Eleanor, Burin, 3,210 qts. Wm. Forsey, Halifax.

The S.S. Carmen for Alicante, took 251,109 qts. in casks, drums and boxes, as well as 48 bbls. caplin; the S.S. Silvia took 6,151 qts. for the West Indies and U.S. with 84 tons cod oil, and the Geo. W. Cook cleared with 1,681 qts. for the West Indies, while 167 barrels herring, 50 salmon and 157 barrels trout were shipped to Canada and the West Indies.

**Cod Oil**—There is no material change either here or in the foreign markets. A fairly active enquiry is being experienced, and although the return-over is not very large, still it is quite sufficient to take care of all the oil available in this country. It is now recognized that supplies this year are below normal, and no possibility of increasing them now.

**Cod Liver Oil**—The scientific reports continue to emphasize the use of cod liver oil as one of the fundamental elements of druggists' supplies, and preparations for good health. Dr. Drummond's report shows that an interest has been taken by the leading scientists of London. There is no telling where the goods will stop as it is now proved without a doubt that there is no substitute for cod liver oil, and such gratifying reports will certainly lead to its greater use, especially while it is offered at such low prices.

**Pork**—This article steadily increases in price, and some grades are almost impossible to purchase in the United States. That known as Fat Back is an unknown quantity in the American market and during the week there was a sharp advance in the importations for this particular pork. In less than a month pork has advanced by about \$2.00 per barrel, and there is every prospect of a still higher price in the near future. Stocks held in Chicago and other packing centres are small, this being caused principally by the great export trade with Germany and the other countries of Europe. It is next to impossible to keep the meat in stock, though they slaughter in Chicago some 160,000 hogs per week. Some idea of the col-

lossal proportions the business of pork packing has reached, may be gleaned from the following:—The animals killed for the month of October past, in the seven principal centres where this business is carried on, amounted to 1,485,113, while for the same period in 1922 the figure was 1,050,220, showing over 400,000 more killed this year, yet all have been sold. For the 10 months up to and inclusive of October 1923, 16,125,161 hogs have been slaughtered, or more than five millions of animals in excess of those killed for the whole of last year, 3,000,000 pounds of lard are also being exported. The pork market is very firm and the offerings extremely limited. The quotations locally this week are: Fat Back, \$21.50; S. C. Clear, \$21.50; Family Back, \$21.50; Bacon Pork, \$22.00; Ham Butt, \$22.00; Spare Ribs, \$23.50. The imports this week were by the S. S. Silvia; 295 barrels, and Canadian Sapper 9 barrels, a total of 304 barrels.

**Beef**—The beef market still features advancing prices, and this is especially so with boned, which is next to impossible to purchase in the American market. Large consignments of meat on the hoof as well as considerable dressed meat find their way to the markets of Europe, coupled with the fact that there is great consumption in the local market, especially in the great centres of population such as New York, where the increased earning powers of the people tend to a greater use of all kinds of fresh meats. As a result of this condition of affairs packers have not the large stocks to draw from as heretofore, and prices slope steadily upward and it will likely be some time yet before a downward tendency will be recorded in this class of goods. The local market quotations (wholesale) are: Hotel, \$27.50; Family Special, \$22.00; Libby's Family, \$21.50. The imports for the week were, by the S.S. via, 295 bbls.; Yankton, 365; Manos, 38 barrels; a total of 659 barrels.

**Flour**—The flour market is still showing much activity, the fall trade, when fishermen buy their stocks for the winter, accounting for this. Prices for the last shipment from Montreal were somewhat easier, and owing to the large crop milled this year, there does not seem any possibility of an advance on present prices, nor does any appreciable decline seem to be looked for until next year. Though shipments have been pretty heavy there is just about enough goods coming to keep this market normally stocked. As it is generally the idea that later in the season there will be a tendency to falling figures, there is no point on the part of dealers in investing in heavy stocks now. There will be ample imports for the winter, much of which will be consigned to St. John's via Halifax. Prices ruling in the local market to-day vary from \$7.50 per barrel, wholesale, to \$8.25. The imports during the week were: by the Silvia, 1,640 bbls.; Canadian Sapper, 3,815 barrels; Manos, 13,542 barrels; Canadian Harvester, 4,050 barrels; and Canadian Logger, 3,300 barrels, or a total of 31,847 barrels.

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The hands upon the clock turn fast. The happiest hours are soonest past. But oh, the ladsen feast of care. Make long the time of our despair. And grief and hurt and shame and wrong Make every troubled day seem long.

Let me be true for just to-day. Whatever waits upon my way! Surely from daybreak until night I can be faithful to the right; Can face one day of blustering rain, And brave the heartache of despair? Have I not courage stern enough One day to bear what life's rebuff? Though long it seems to troubled hearts. Even the day of grief departs.

Not long the day when laughter rings. Not long the day which pleasure brings. Nor longer is the day of woe— 'Tis but a man's thinking makes it so. Then let me, though I smile or cry, Keep faith with all from dawn till eve. Let me each day through every test, With courage hold to what is best. To-morrow waits—blue skies or gray. I have but to be true to-day.

**Winding up Conferences**

The business of the Imperial Conference has now been wound up, and the Overseas Ministers are already dispersing to their homes. The Imperial Economic Conference has also reached the stage of gathering up many of the business threads which have been in the hands of various committees. While there has been nothing spectacular about either of these bodies, the reports issued from day to day prove that much useful work has been accomplished.

For instance, in its closing days the Economic Conference has dealt with Imperial preference, overseas settlement, workmen's compensation, and the establishment of a permanent Economic Committee. During the past few days several important decisions have been arrived at. These relate to the taxation of State enterprises, commercial facilities, bill of lading, and patents. One of the most important decisions was the adoption of the recommendation of the Committee on Financial Co-operation in Imperial Development, that in regard to works of public utility, undertaken by the Dominions or India within the next three years, with the concurrence of the Imperial Government, the latter should agree to contribute for five years three-fourths of the interest on any loan raised for the purpose of such work to the extent of the expenditure made on orders placed in this country. The Conference also adopted a report from the Committee on Forestry Within the Empire (based on the recommendations of the recent Forestry Commission in Canada, submitted by Lord Lovat), recommending better conservation and increased development of Empire resources in timber, more particularly soft woods. It also adopted a report from the Committee on the Reconstitution of the Imperial Institute, fixing the following scale of Overseas contributions to the Institute: Canada and Australia, £2,000 per annum each; New Zealand, South Africa, and India, £1,200 each; Newfoundland and the Irish Free State, £200 each—Canada,

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The summary indicates no new departure in the machinery for consultation with the Dominion on foreign policy between Conferences. It says, however, that the Conference did not terminate its sittings until each subject of foreign relations had been carefully explored and a common understanding reached upon the main heads of foreign policy.

It tells of the negotiations in connection with the proposed inter-Allied conference on reparations and states that it was held that the European situation could be lifted to a plane of possible settlement only by the operation of the United States. The Conference felt that if the scheme of a common enquiry to be followed by common action were to break down it would be desirable for the British Government to carefully consider the alternative of summoning a Conference itself in order to examine the financial and economic problem in its widest aspect.

The Conference further regarded any policy which would result in breaking up the unity of the German state as inconsistent with the treaty obligations and incompatible with the future discharge of Germany of her necessary obligations. The strongest representations on this subject, accordingly, were made to the Allied Governments.

### Cardinal Feature

On the subject of the three-mile limit the Conference arrived at the conclusion that while affirming and safeguarding as a cardinal feature of British policy the principle of the three-mile limit it was yet both desirable and practicable to meet the American request for the extension of the right to search beyond this limit for the regulation of the liquor traffic, and negotiations at once were opened with the United States Government for the conclusion of an experimental agreement.

The Conference recorded its satisfaction at the conclusion of peace between the Allies and Turkey and recognized the great advance made within the last two years towards the Pacific settlement of the Egyptian problem.

It noted with satisfaction the progressive fulfilment of the obligations under the Washington treaty, then, after expressing the opinion that unabated support should be given the League of Nations by the British members, it makes this qualifying declaration:

"The Conference is a conference of representatives of the several Governments of the Empire; its views and conclusions on foreign policy, as recorded above, are necessarily subject to the action of the Governments, and Parliaments, of the various portions of the Empire. It trusts that the results of its deliberations will meet with their approval."

The summary speaks of "special consideration" having been given to the matter of defence and the manner "in which co-operation and mutual assistance could best be effected after taking into account the political and geographical conditions of the various parts of the Empire."

There was a full and frank interchange of views and the Conference then passed the following resolutions:

### Adequate Defence

"1. The Conference affirms that it is necessary to provide for the adequate defence of the territories of trade in the several countries of the Empire in the several countries comprising the British Empire.

"2. In this connection the Conference expressly recognizes that it is for the Parliaments of the several parts of the Empire upon the recommendations of their respective Governments to decide the nature and

extent of any action which should be taken by them.

"3. Subject to this provision the Conference suggests the following as guiding principles:

"(a) Primary responsibility of each portion of the Empire represented at the Conference for its own local defence.

"(b) Adequate provision for safeguarding the maritime communications of the several parts of the Empire, the routes and waterways along and through which their armed forces and trade pass.

"(c) Provision of naval bases and facilities for repair and fuel so as to ensure the mobility of the fleet.

"(d) Desirability of the maintenance of a minimum standard of naval strength, namely equality with the naval strength of any foreign power in accordance with the provisions of the Washington treaty on the limitation of armament as approved by Great Britain and all the self-governing Dominions and India.

"(e) Desirability of the development of the air forces in the several countries of the Empire upon such lines as will make it possible by means of adoption, as far as practicable, of a common system of organization and training and use of uniform manuals and patterns of army equipment stores with the exception of the type of air craft for each part of the Empire as it may determine to co-operate with other parts with the least possible delay and the greatest efficiency.

### Deep Interest

"4. In the application of these principles to the several parts of the Empire concerned the Conference take note of:

"(a) The deep interest of the Commonwealth of Australia, the Dominion of New Zealand and India in the provision of a naval base at Singapore as essential for ensuring the mobility necessary to provide for the security of the trade of the Empire in eastern waters.

"(b) Necessity for the maintenance of safe passage along the great route to the east through the Mediterranean and Red Seas.

"(c) Necessity for the maintenance by Great Britain of home defence by an air force of sufficient strength to give adequate protection against air attack by the strongest air force within striking distance of her shores.

"5. The Conference while deeply concerned for the paramount importance of providing for the safety and integrity of all parts of the Empire earnestly desires, so far as is consistent with this consideration, the further limitation of armaments, and trusts that no opportunity may be lost to promote this object."

The treaty making powers of the Dominions are handled in detail. A resolution deals first with the procedure in negotiating a treaty. It provides that:

"1. It is desirable that no treaty should be negotiated by any of the Governments of the Empire without due consideration of its possible effect on other parts of the Empire, or, if circumstances so demand on the Empire as a whole.

"2. Before negotiations are opened with the intention of concluding a treaty, steps should be taken to ensure that any of the other Governments of the Empire likely to be interested are informed so that if any such Government considers that its

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### Continue Practice

Regarding the negotiation and signature of agreements of a technical or administrative character between Governments the Conference holds that the existing practice should be continued, but before entering on negotiations, the Governments of the Empire should consider whether the interests of any other part of the Empire would be affected. If so, steps should be taken to see that the Government affected has an opportunity to express its views. An explanatory statement follows giving the existing procedure in connection with the ratification of treaties.

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"3. In all cases where more than one of the Governments of the Empire participates in negotiations there should be the fullest possible exchange of views between the Governments. In case of treaties negotiated at an International Conference where there is a British Empire delegation, on which, in accordance with the newly established practice of the Dominions, India is separately represented, such representation should also be utilized to attain this object.

"4. Steps should be taken to ensure that those Governments of the Empire whose representatives are not participating in the negotiations should during their progress be kept informed in regard to any points arising in which they may be interested."

As to the signatures to a treaty, the question most prominent in connection with the recent halibut treaty between Canada and the United States, the resolution reads:—

"1. Bilateral treaties imposed obligations on one part of the Empire only should be signed by a representative of the Government of that part. The full power issued to such representative should indicate the part of the Empire in respect of which the obligations are to be undertaken and the preamble and text of the treaty should be so worded as to make its scope clear.

"2. Where a bilateral treaty imposes obligations on more than one part of the Empire it should be signed by one or more plenipotentiaries on behalf of all the Governments concerned.

"3. As regards treaties negotiated at international conferences the existing practice of signature by plenipotentiaries on behalf of all the Governments of the Empire represented at the conference should be continued and full powers should be in the form employed at Paris and Washington.

"4. The existing practice in connection with the ratification of treaties should be maintained."

### Little Attention

LONDON, Nov. 23.—(Canadian Press).—With the British Parliament opening to-day, Imperial Conference proceedings received little editorial attention yesterday from the newspapers. Of the large papers The Times alone discusses the summary.

The Times says that the Dominion Prime Ministers to an unprecedented degree participated in the actual work of framing the British foreign policy. "The complete unanimity of the Conference in its deliberations on foreign affairs," The Times adds, "is a most impressive reminder to the rest of the world that Great Britain's policy is not the policy of one man or one Government, but the policy of a united Commonwealth of Nations."

The most important decision with regard to the British Commonwealth, The Times continues, is probably to be found in the admission of the right of any single Government of the Empire to negotiate and sign separate treaties a recognition of the attitude adopted by Premier Mackenzie King and his colleagues in the controversy which followed the signing of the halibut fisheries treaty with the United States.

Further, The Times says, "from the constitutional point of view, however, there is nothing to show that there was any departure from the principle generally-accepted in the case of the fisheries treaty, namely, that the Dominion Government directly advised the King to issue full powers to its representative, and that those powers were granted with the consent of the King on the advice of the British Government."

The Times thinks that on "the very important question of defence," the results of the Conference are the "least conclusive and the least satisfactory." The resolution, The Times says, sets out the obvious fact that it is necessary to provide for adequate defence, but "there is no constructive suggestion embodied in the report as to how the burden of adequate defence should be shared. The only concrete recommendation to the individual nation is found in the recognition of the need for the maintenance by the British Government of an adequate air force.

"Both Australia, in its valiant attempt to maintain the burden of a Dominion navy, and New Zealand, in its promise of an increased subsidy, have given practical proof of their willingness to accept the responsibility laid upon them, but the long lines of British warships at Portsmouth must surely have suggested the thought to more than one Prime Minister that something more than trawlers and training ships is necessary if the principle unanimously adopted by the Conference is to be upheld."—Montreal Daily Star, Nov. 13.

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